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Italians Take The Offensive on Asiago; Trenches Occupied

Turning the Tables on Asiago Plateau; Venice Heartened by Visit of Premier; Fighting at Mouth of River

Rome, Nov. 19.—Italian forces have begun an offensive on the Asiago plateau and have occupied advanced elements of trenches. The war office so announced today.

Further attempts of the Austro-German troops to cross the Piave have been stopped.

On the front west of the Piave, south of Quero, great numbers of Austro-German troops are attacking the Monte Montenera and Monte Tomba lines in Venice.

Venice, Nov. 19.—The city has taken on a new confidence and hope with the visit of Premier Vittorio Orlando, who gave directions for the protection and succor of the population, and who noted during a tour throughout the city the calm fortitude with which the inhabitants awaited events. The famous church of St. Mark continues open and frequent masses are attended by crowds of women and children who offer prayers for the preservation of the city.

Venice, Italy, Nov. 19.—(By the Associated Press).—The rumble of guns is heard throughout the city by night and day as the fleet and the Venetian coast batteries shell the enemy at the mouth of the Piave. At three o'clock yesterday an Austrian airplane, flying over the city, but it dropped no bombs. The batteries of Venice did not fire, but when the machine flew over the Grand Canal Italian torpedoes were discharged a score of shots with effect.

The city's water supply has not been interrupted, although it is feared the mains coming from the north will be cut.

German Statement. Berlin, Nov. 19, via London, Nov. 19.—That Quero and Monte Cornelle, on the northern Italian front, have been taken by storm, and the Italians have been driven from Monte Tomba, the war office announced today.

SMALL POX CASES NOW NUMBER 41

One Reported in Minto—A Bristol Man Reporting For Examination To Join Army Is Found To Have It

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 19.—Reports of well defined cases of small pox at points as widely separated as Minto and Knowlesville, Carleton Co., made this morning to Dr. R. H. McGrath, secretary of the Provincial Board of Health, show that the outbreak is spreading.

Dr. C. H. Coburn, of Minto, reported that he had discovered a man with a well developed case of small pox who had been walking about Minto and evidently had been in general trade with the people. Steps were taken to isolate the man. The traces of the Fredericton and Grand Lake railway and the New Brunswick Coal and Railway Company will be inspected on arrival at both Fredericton and Norton and all passengers from Minto examined and vaccinated.

Yesterday a young man reported to a physician in Bristol, Carleton county, for medical examination to join the 95th Field Battery at Woodstock. He said he had walked twenty-four miles, having been in a lumber camp at Knowlesville in the southwest Miramichi. His face and mouth showed evidence of small pox, and he was sent back to Knowlesville and steps taken to put a quarantine there.

In the household of Henry Hawkins of Douglas four new cases of small pox of a mild type had occurred. Vaccination had modified the disease. His son, Roy Hawkins, brought one of the earliest cases of the disease from Northern Maine.

The cases of small pox now existing in the province are classified according to county as follows: Victoria, twenty-six; Carleton, three; York, twelve; Northumberland, one; Sunbury, one. General vaccination probably will be extended.

BROTHER OF TURNER HOWARD DIES SUDDENLY

Fredericton, Nov. 19.—John Howard of South Devon, died suddenly of heart failure last night. He was sitting in bed, his grandfather reading to him at the time. He seemed in his usual health. Mr. Howard was seventy-three years of age, and was employed in the office of the Reformed Baptist church of Fredericton. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Arthur of Devon, Mrs. Charles Atherton of Lynn, Mass., and Mrs. Walter Estey of Millville; two brothers, Richard Howard of Devon and Turner Howard of St. John.

BAIL FOR MINISTER

Kitchener, Ont., Nov. 19.—Rev. H. A. Sparling, D. D., pastor of St. Stephen's Lutheran church here, who came from Utica, N. Y., four years ago, and who was taken into custody by the dominion authorities last week on a charge of aiding the enemy, is out on \$10,000 bail pending a decision of the minister of justice in reference to the charges against him.

THE CONDITIONS IN MOSCOW HAVE BEEN TERRIBLE

Fighting There Worse Than in Petrograd

DEAD LYING IN STREETS

Three Thousand Killed or Wounded up to Last Wednesday—National Shrine Destroyed—New Opposition to Bolsheviks

London, Nov. 19.—The fighting in Moscow between the Bolsheviks and troops of the provisional government has been far more serious than anything that has occurred in Petrograd, according to special dispatches received here from the Russian capital. The Petrograd correspondent of the London Daily Telegraph says he talked with a member of the Moscow city council, who came to Petrograd to appeal for help. He was besieged for four days in the council building, from which he made his way to the railroad station through the Bolshevik lines. He said the real fighting began on Nov. 10 between the Bolsheviks and a party of cadets, who, in their turn, were killed by the Bolsheviks. The revolutionists later were again driven from the Kremlin.

From Nov. 12 onward, the despatch which the councilman reported that the military operations were concentrated in the streets of the city. The government forces consisted of about 3,000 military cadets and a hastily organized white guard. It had three guns, a plentiful supply of food and some machine guns. Of the 100,000 soldiers forming the Moscow garrison, not more than 15,000 supported the Bolsheviks. Most of the regiments remained in their barracks, but thousands of soldiers escaped from Moscow by train and on foot. The Bolsheviks in Moscow was composed mostly of boys from twelve to eighteen. It had about fifteen field guns, with which the Kremlin was bombarded continuously.

Three thousand persons, chiefly members of the paying population, had been killed or wounded up to Wednesday, he said, and as there were no means of collecting the bodies they lay for days where they had fallen. There had been continual firing in many parts of the city from midnight until dawn. The population was terrorized and afraid to move. It was impossible to get food supplies to the centre of the city. (Continued on page 7, sixth column)

MRS. KILLORN GETS NEWS OF HER SON

Part of Shell Struck Him As He Was Carrying Wounded Comrade To Safety

Word of the whereabouts of her son, Matthew Gerard Killorn, was received this morning by Mrs. J. L. Killorn of 20 Erin street in a telegram stating that he was at No. 3 West Camp on November 2. A letter from her son described the manner of his wound. He was carrying a wounded man off the field when a shell struck in the deep mud along the front of the trench. It flew off hitting him in the hip. The deep mud saved his life.

BANKS TO HELP SMALL INVESTORS TO MAKE PURCHASE OF VICTORY BONDS

In order to aid the person of limited means in buying Victory Loan bonds, arrangements have been made with the banks to accept payments of ten per cent of the face value of the bond each month until the full amount is paid.

The transaction has been made a very simple one by the use of a printed card on the face of which is space for records of the monthly payments, the card practically acting as a bank pass book.

On the reverse of the card is a printed memo of agreement covering the terms on which the bond is being purchased. One of the provisions that, if the purchaser cannot complete the payments, the bond will be sold at market value and proceeds returned to him.

This arrangement applies to any investor, whether the bond is purchased through the bank or through a canvasser.

West St. John, was advised this morning that her son, Private Leonard G. Vincent, has been wounded in the face with gunshot and has been admitted to No. 6 Ambulance Depot in France. Private Vincent is only eighteen years old and prior to going overseas was employed in M. R. A's, Ltd., as a clerk.

Sergt. L. H. Bishop. Word was received by Lance-Corporal C. F. Bishop of 5 Brussels street, late of the 20th, this morning, that his brother, Sergt. L. H. Bishop, had been killed in action on November 10. Sergt. Bishop was born in Cheshire, Eng., and had been in Canada for about twelve years. He enlisted in the west with a Mounted Rifles unit and went overseas. Sergt. Bishop was one of five brothers in khaki and was about thirty-one years of age.

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Mrs. G. A. Vincent of Union street,

And he sees the point, too



Business Man: "But look here, Jack, I can't lend you any money. I need it in my business. I've got to put in a new boiler and buy some new machinery—"

Jack Canuck: "Listen, old friend. I'm no knocker—but the Victory Loan is nothing more nor less than good sound business insurance for you. No loan—no war orders; no war orders—no business."

British Leader In Mesopotamia Dead

London, Nov. 19.—General Maude, British commander in Mesopotamia, died yesterday.

An official announcement issued today says General Maude died in Mesopotamia last evening after a brief illness.

German Artillery More Active on British Front

Warwickshire and Scottish Troops Successful in Raids; Heavy Big Gun Work in Verdun Sector

FINLAND IN CONTROL OF THE SOCIALISTS

Stockholm, Nov. 19.—Advice received here from Finland say that the entire country is in the control of the Socialists, who are supported by armed workers and Russian Bolshevik soldiers. Only the trains that carry provisions are permitted to operate.

A Socialist workman has been appointed commandant of Torneo and a former switchman has been put in charge of the Torneo railway station. The streets are patrolled by Socialist workmen, bearing arms given them by Russian soldiers.

Bloody conflicts are reported from Abo between the rebels and the law abiding populace.

Mrs. Henry Russell Gets Good Word From Soldier Son III in English Hospital

Mrs. Henry Russell of 164 St. James street has received further word relative to her son Allen Russell, who has been a driver in an ammunition column in France for more than two years. The young soldier was first reported admitted to an Austrian hospital in France, but it was expected he would recover in a few days. Later came word that he had been transferred to England. Now the mail has brought the following communication from the Canadian Red Cross, London, dated November 2.

"Dear Madam: "Pte. Allen Russell, who is now at Grayling Well War Hospital, Chichester, England, has been seen there by our Red Cross visitor, who reports that he is suffering from bronchitis. We are glad to tell you that he is making good progress and is able to be up. He will be visited regularly and should be in need of any comforts other than those supplied by the hospital, we will gladly send them to him from our parcels office. "Yours truly, "CONSTANCE H. SCOTT."

PARIS NEWSPAPER CHANGES

Paris, Nov. 19.—George Clemenceau's newspaper, has re-appeared under its original title, L'Homme Libre (the Free Man). His name beneath the title is now preceded by the word "founder," instead of "political director," as formerly, and he is no longer writing for his newspaper, now that he has become premier.

Stephen Picheon, political editor of the Petit Journal, who has been appointed foreign minister in the new Clemenceau cabinet, writes in a leave taking article, addressed to his readers, that ministerial functions are always temporary, so he hopes some day to address them again. Therefore, he says, "au revoir" and not "good bye."

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh west to south winds, fair and cold today, a little milder on Tuesday. Ottawa Valley and Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Fair and cold today and Tuesday. Lake Superior—Fresh south to west winds, generally fair today and on Tuesday, becoming a little milder. All West—Fair and mild. New England—Fair tonight; Tuesday, partly cloudy; warmer in interior; moderate northwest winds, becoming variable.

Progressing Well. William Fairbrother, who with William Fulton fell sixty feet on last Thursday in the wreck of the southern end of the Ballast wharf grain carriers, died in the General Public Hospital on Saturday night about 10.30, as a result of his injuries. Dr. F. L. Kenney said last night that an inquiry would be necessary. Fulton's condition is very encouraging and his injuries slight.

Coroner Kenney empaneled a jury this morning and viewed the body of Mr. Fairbrother. The jury is composed of Silas Rice, foreman, Joshua Corkey, Michael Sweeney, Alexander McBeth, William Akery, Matthew Malone and Joseph Northrup. They will view the scene of the accident tomorrow morning and then adjourn.

A funeral service will be held at 41 City Road at eight o'clock this evening. Coroner Kenney will empanel a jury this afternoon to enquire into the death of David Linton, who died in the hospital on Saturday night as the result of injuries sustained by being run over by a train at Fairville station crossing.

High Honor Comes to Mrs. G. A. Kuhring. Mrs. G. A. Kuhring of this city has the honor of being one of three Canadian women who have been nominated by the Governor-General of Canada for admission to the grade of Lady of Grace of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem. Some months ago Mrs. Kuhring was informed by communication by the chancellor of the Order of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England to the effect that her name had been forwarded by the Governor-General of Canada. The communication stated that the nomination was submitted to the chapter of the order early in October, and on October 19 the names of Mrs. Kuhring and two ladies from western Canada were selected.

Mrs. Kuhring's official notification of her being admitted to the order was received this morning. It stated that the selection of her name had been approved by the King. This order is conferred on only women in the United Kingdom who are outstanding figures in the carrying on of their lives. It is given only in recognition of devotion and attachment to the object and aim for which the order stands.

Mrs. Kuhring will have the congratulation of the citizens in general on the "no" she has won.

FOUR CANDIDATES IN ST. JOHN-ALBERT; SOME LATE CHANGES

A Bit of Scurry As Closing Time Drew Near

SOLDIER PAPERS REJECTED

Opposition To Hon. F. B. Carvell—Dr. McAllister Retires And F. E. Sharp Opposes General McLean—Two Unionists And a Liberal in Westmorland

THE N. B. CANDIDATES. St. John-Albert—S. E. Eldin, Union Liberal; R. W. Wigmore, Union Conservative; A. F. Emery, Laurier Liberal; W. P. Broderick, Laurier Liberal.

Kings-Queens—H. H. McLean, Union; F. E. Sharp, Laurier Liberal. Westmorland—O. B. Price, Union Conservative; A. C. Chapman, Union; A. B. Copp, Laurier Liberal.

Kent—J. F. Robideaux, Union; A. T. Leggs, Laurier Liberal. Northumberland—W. S. Loggie, Union; John Morley, Laurier Liberal.

York-Sunbury—H. F. McLeod, Union; N. W. Brown, Laurier Liberal. Charlotte—T. A. Hart, Union; W. F. Todd, Laurier Liberal.

Gloucester—J. Edward Degraze, Union; O. Turgeon, Laurier Liberal. Carleton-Victoria—Hon. F. B. Carvell, Union; James E. Porter, Laurier Liberal.

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When Sheriff A. A. Wilson, returning officer for the constituency of St. John-Albert, closed his court at two o'clock today the nomination papers for four candidates for the two seats have been filed and accepted. The nominees are:

Stanley E. Eldin, Union Liberal. Rupert W. Wigmore, Union Conservative. Alban F. Emery, M. D., Laurier Liberal. William P. Broderick, D. S., Laurier Liberal.

The nomination papers for Messrs. Eldin and Wigmore were filed by J. D. P. Lewin as their agent and, with the \$200 deposit, were duly accepted. Among those signing the nomination papers for these candidates were:

The electors who have signed the nomination papers for Stanley E. Eldin, Union Liberal, and Rupert W. Wigmore, Union-Conservative candidate, include: (Continued on page 2, sixth column)

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BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Graham, who died in Marsville, took place this morning from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. James Stack, 49 Erin street, to the Cathedral, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Father Moore, assisted by Rev. William Duke as deacon and Rev. Francis Walker as sub-deacon. The final absolution was given by Bishop LeBlanc. Interment was made in the New Catholic cemetery.

Steamer Maripose Wrecked. San Francisco, Nov. 19.—The passengers of the steamer Maripose, wrecked on Stranrair Island yesterday, were taken to Wrangell. It was intimated that the Maripose will be a loss. She was bound from Juneau to Seattle, having sailed Friday.

Other Nova Scotia nominations are: Annapolis-Digby—A. L. Davison, Conservative; Dr. L. J. Lovitt, Liberal. Hants County—H. B. Tremaine, Conservative; L. H. Martell, Liberal. Amherst, N. S., Nov. 19.—Hon. E. N. Rhodes, former speaker of the House of Commons, Union government candidate, and H. J. Logan, K.C., win-the-winner Liberal, were nominated today for Cumberland.

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Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

LIVE GOSSIP FROM A LIVELY PLACE

Little "Unadvertised" Facts in Connection With Imperial Theatre

Japanese Schoolboy tonight—Wallace Irwin's exquisite drollery.

Billie Burke will have handsome Tom Meighan as her leading man Wednesday.

One of the Cooney girls singing in this week's vaudeville is known in New York as "the girl barton."

Will St. John get the Douglas Fairbanks fever like all America? Watch Friday.

Lantis Manikins, now showing, was a "command" act at a royal Christmas treat in Buckingham Palace one season.

W. S. Harkins, C. F. Crandall of the Montreal Star, and R. J. Macadam, manager Casino Theatre, Halifax, have all sent congratulations on booking "Out There," the British war play.

Mary Galley, late violin soloist with Sousa's Band, will shortly join the Imperial for a concert season as an extra.

Before leaving for New York last Saturday the three Herbert Sisters, singers and dancers, bought \$800 worth of Victory Bonds.

At the present time the Loyalist Chapter, I. O. O. F., are winding up their wonderful prize drawing in the Imperial's front rooms and the Y. W. P. A. are conducting the "personal weighing" machine.

The Soldiers' Comfort Association concluded their round-up of socks on Saturday—as far as the Imperial "drive" was concerned—and the Lady Roberts Junior I. O. O. F.'s held a successful pantry sale the same day.

Now there is talk of Mary Boyle O'Reilly's great lecture on the war and also a mass meeting of the lately enfranchised soldiers' womenfolk. Busy days at the Keith show-shop.

PERSONALS

Miss Mary E. Hipwell, accountant in the Receiver General's office, Fredericton, came to the city on Saturday to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Hipwell of 215 King street east.

Alan Thomas, who was operated on in the General Public Hospital this morning for appendicitis, is doing very well, according to late reports from the hospital. Many friends are hoping for his speedy recovery.

Mr. Thomas is actively connected with the Victory Loan campaign and his services will be missed.

To Cure a Cold in One Day Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVES' signature is on each box. 50c.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

PRICE—On November 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Price, a son, Addy.

LEGIERE—To Mr. and Mrs. J. Arthur Legiere, a son, on November 17.

COLLINS—On November 15 to Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Collins, 99-Winter street, a daughter.

DEATHS

GRAY—At her late residence, 58 Chesley street, on the 18th inst., Addy, wife of Gilbert Gray, leaving three sons and one daughter to mourn.

FUNERAL AT 2:30 Tuesday afternoon.

LYNCH—In this city, on November 18, at his residence, 187 Bridge street, Denis Lynch, leaving four sons, two daughters and one brother to mourn.

(Boston papers please copy.)

FUNERAL Wednesday morning at 8:30 from his late residence, 187 Bridge street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass. Friends invited.

HARRISON—In New York, on November 18, Sarah J., widow of the late William F. Harrison, of this city.

FUNERAL service at Trinity church Tuesday, 29th inst., at 2:30 p. m.

LINTON—Suddenly, on November 17, at Fairville, David Linton, Sr., aged seventy-eight years, leaving three sons and two daughters to mourn.

FUNERAL from the Methodist church on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30. Service at two o'clock.

MORIARTY—At Silver Falls, on November 18, Ellen, wife of Thomas Moriarty, leaving her husband and four daughters to mourn.

FUNERAL on Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock from her late residence, Friends invited to attend. Coaches will leave Donahue's stables at 1:30 o'clock.

BUCKLEY—In this city, on the 17th inst., Jeremiah Buckley, aged eighty-six years, leaving his wife, three sons, and one daughter.

FUNERAL Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock from his late residence, 34 Harding street, to St. John the Baptist church for high mass of requiem. Friends invited to attend.

MAULEY—At West St. John on the 17th inst., Fred William, son of George and Martha McAuley, aged three years.

FUNERAL this afternoon from his parents' residence, 34 Water street, west.

TOBIN—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. William A. Clark, 42 Paradise row, on the 19th inst., John G. Tobin, leaving a loving wife, one son, one daughter and two brothers to mourn.

FUNERAL on Wednesday from St. John Baptist Mission church, Paradise row. Requiem celebrating the Holy Eucharist at 7 a. m. Funeral service at 2:30 p. m.

DOLAN—In this city on November 18, 1917, Catherine C., widow of the late Patrick Dolan, leaving one daughter and one sister to mourn.

FUNERAL will take place from her son-in-law's residence, 31 Dorchester street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to Golden Grove.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of William Smith, who departed this life November 19, 1916. Until the day breaks, and the shadows fall away. WIFE AND FAMILY.

REALLY FINE IS THE NEW BILL AT GEM

The picture advertised at the Gem for Saturday night was replaced by a glorious reproduction of Sir H. Rider Haggard's great story Jess which came along and was screened by the management.

Theda Bara plays the lead. It made a deep impression, this tale of a sister's devotion in the Hawaiian Islands. There are some great horse-riding feats, Chase Deigham, equilibrist, is a remarkably good performer in the vaudeville and the Musical Seelyes have a very inviting act. It's a fine bill. Come tonight.

FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH

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CAMOUFLAGE AND THE ARTILLERY

Modern War Conditions Make It a Necessity

Concealment Essential

Aerial Observers, Directing Firing, Would Speedily Put Exposed Positions Out of Business

Camouflage as the art of deceiving the enemy has been practised ever since there have been wars; but it is only in the last three years that it has risen to the dignity of a distinct military art.

Before there were aeroplanes there could be no practical means for concealing gun positions, although captive balloons and huge man-bearing kites for days when it was windy gave observers with powerful glasses opportunities for noting what was happening back of the enemy lines. Generally speaking, however, it is the aeroplane with the photographer that makes camouflaging necessary. If the position of a battery of guns is known to the enemy it can be destroyed. There is very little gun work about this. It is only a matter of firing enough shells. When the guns are in action their smoke will reveal their position, of course, but at these times the air is usually filled with fighting aeroplanes, which make it a matter of very great difficulty for the enemy planes to approach.

All Positions Photographed.

Each side has a pretty accurate map of the other side's positions, compiled by means of thousands of photographs taken from the sky. The whole position is divided into squares whose distances are calculated with mathematical precision. This map-making cannot be interrupted, and time after time they have ignored exposed positions supposing them to be mere counterfeits.

The material chiefly employed for concealing guns, an observatory, weapons and the like, is called "dye," which has the disadvantage, according to Joseph Whitney Ganson, an American officer in the French army, of being very transparent at a distance, showing the shadows of objects to be concealed. Lenses are very extensive in their various forms and are treated with a special color harmony with its surroundings, often reflects so much light as to be plainly discernible as a photograph. If the lenses is wet it becomes a mirror. Black surfaces reflect so much light that they are plainly apparent to an aerial observer; blue surfaces, on the other hand, because of its diminished reflection neutral gray is the best disguise.

Disguises of this kind are the keenest of eyes at a distance of twenty yards often fail to deceive the camera at a distance of a mile. What is invisible in the negative becomes too obvious when studied under a magnifying glass. Another thing the camoufleurs have to keep in mind is that the camera photographs, record not only suspicious objects, but any change whatever. Turf, brush, or any other material which is made-up might be perfectly planned, but if they suddenly appeared in a photograph and disappeared in the next, the day before, enemy gunners would draw the natural conclusion and would lay their respective parts of the camouflaged at its best is like other arts, it conceals.

Aeroplane Observers Essential.

So much of the artillery work in the present war is done by indirect firing, that is to say, at targets that the gunners cannot see, that the duties of the aeroplane observers are of unusual importance. The aeroplane that is in contact with a particular battery fires where he can see the effect of the shells and also signals to the battery. His duty is to report whether the shells are falling long or short of a particular position. He also reports the position of the enemy's batteries, and it ought to be borne in mind that each battery keeps pounding away at a certain point, and not spread its ammunition about like machine-guns on troops in the open. The laws of probability work out in general, and the shells will fall over and over again in the same spot, and a certain number of shots must be fired before the observer can conclude that the gunners have got the centre of the target. As a rule sixty shells are fired at a certain object. To destroy certain objectives ten times as many are fired. There is no firing at random on the part of heavy artillery in this war. Each battery has its special objective, and carries out its part of the programme without reference to what other batteries are doing.

TO REGAIN HEALTH CLEANSE THE BLOOD

When your blood is impure, weak, thin and debilitated, you cannot possibly enjoy good health. Your system becomes receptive of any or all diseases, and germs are likely to lodge in some part of the body.

Put your blood in good condition, and do so at once.

Hood's Sarsaparilla acts directly and peculiarly on the blood—it purifies, enriches, and revitalizes it and builds up the whole system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is not a cure-all. It is the best blood medicine on the market. It has stood the test of forty years and is used all over the world. Get it and begin treatment today. It will surely help you. Sold by all druggists.

NEW YORK WOMAN SAVED IMPORTANT DESPATCHES FOR ENGLAND

London, Nov. 19.—The escape of an American woman, who it was related in a military court proceeding here on last Friday, saved some important British despatches from capture by Austrians when an Austrian submarine held up the steamer on which Captain Wilson was taking them to Malta, by hiding them with her.

She is Mrs. E. Herbin, a widow, of New York city.

Captain Stanley Wilson, who was carrying the despatches and who himself was taken prisoner by the Austrians and only recently released, told the court that he threw one bag overboard but that to his horror it did not sink, as he supposed it would, and that it was the woman who was approached by an American woman traveling on the steamer who offered to take charge of the other bags, saying she wished to do something for England. "It was a great responsibility," said Captain Wilson, "but I took it and my action was justified, as the bags reached London."

The bags were hidden by the American woman and the Austrians had concluded their search of the steamer.

WASHINGTON TRYING TO GET JAPANESE SHIPS

Washington, Nov. 19.—Continues the negotiations looking to the exchange of American steel for Japanese tonnage will be concluded successfully was expressed by officials here tonight despite Japan's apparent refusal to sell her ships at the price offered. The question of price, it was said, is the only point that remains to be cleared up.

Tokio, Nov. 19.—The department of commerce announces that negotiations with the United States by which Japan was seeking to have the American embargo on steel raised to a certain extent in Japan's favor, have been broken off, to Japan's regret because of the differing circumstances in which the two countries are placed.

American demand for Japanese shipping in return for the concession would be virtual destruction of Japanese trade, the statement declares, while the equivalent offer was an "inadequate one." Japan's assistance to her Allies, the statement points out, cannot be reached to the extent of infringing upon the necessities for her national existence.

SMALLPOX CASE

The local board of health reports the appearance of smallpox in Minto, Queens, where a case has developed. Boarding-house and hotel keepers are requested to add this place to their lists.

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L. A. Conlon presented the papers for Messrs. Emery and Broderick. Objection was taken to them by Mr. Lewin on the grounds that the witness had not sworn, as required by law. The objection was sustained. A hurried call was sent for the witness and he finally arrived and took the required oath.

Among those signing the nomination papers for Messrs. Emery and Broderick were: Leonard A. Conlon, Glendon H. Allan, Joseph H. O'Brien, Harry B. Tippet, Frank L. Masson, Joseph Dwyer, Max Marcus, J. Fred Belyea, Urban J. Sweeney, W. J. O'Rourke, George Cunningham, John Crowley, Harry A. Belyea, Nat. Maguire, William M. Ryan, A. A. Dean, John Flood, E. L. McGuigan, O. W. Chesley, A. P. O'Neill, C. P. Nixon, S. H. Taylor, H. C. Olive and J. R. Nugent.

Sergeant William Smith, a returned soldier, appeared a little before two o'clock and tendered his own nomination papers. The returning officer, upon examination of them, declared them not properly prepared or sworn to according to the act, and after some argument with the candidate, declined to accept them.

As it was then after two o'clock the returning officer declared the court closed.

Unionist Spirit in Westmorland

Moncton, N. B., Nov. 19.—There is a split in the Unionist ranks in Westmorland county. At the official nominations at Dorchester, A. B. Copp, straight Liberal; O. B. Price, Conservative; and A. C. Chapman, Unionist-Conservative, were all officially nominated.

York-Sunbury

Fredericton, N. B., Nov. 19.—Nominations for York-Sunbury: — Nelson Liberal; Col. H. F. McLeod, Unionist.

In Royal

Hampton, N. B., Nov. 19.—Nomination day brought a change in Royal (Kings-Queens). Dr. D. H. McAllister retired from the contest, and F. E. Sharpe of Midland was nominated as a Laurier Liberal in opposition to Brigadier-General H. H. McLean, Unionist. Mr. Meckton, "If I advocate it and Henrietta finds she does," like politics, she'll blame me for getting her into it."

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE LIBRARY

Some new books—"White Ladies" (F. L. Barclay); "The Major" (E. Conroy); "Sin That Was His" (Packard); "Sport of Kings" (Roach); "Witness" (Lutz); "Cougars" (Wadley), etc. Rent our books.

KETEPEC HOUSES ARE BROKEN INTO

Eight summer cottages at Ketepec have been broken into. The owner of one found two tramps camped for a stay. When their possessions were a bag of potatoes and a bottle of gin. The man on the appearance of the owner, the other jumped out an up-stairs window. The owners are combining to have their places protected.

THE ROTARY CLUB AND MEDICAL INSPECTION

Dr. Farris told the Rotary Club today that medical inspection of schools is absolutely necessary to complete the system which now has the dispensary, the River Glade sanatorium and the DeLaware & Hudson reformatory. He pointed out that thirty-seven children of school age are being treated at the dispensary and ten more are in the county hospital. Of the present population of St. John, five thousand will die of tuberculosis. J. King Kelly added that a young boy, advanced stage of tuberculosis has just been taken from the public schools to the county hospital. Commissioner Wicketon said he was sure the city council would grant the money needed.

The subject was introduced by A. M. Belding, who asked the support of Rotarians, and also made a strong plea for work among the boys, which was vigorously followed up by F. A. Dykesman.

J. King Kelly presided, and it was decided to have Dr. Farris address the club again next month.

NEW LOWS REACHED

New York, Nov. 19.—(Wall street, noon)—Rails were subjected to fresh pressure before the end of the first hour. Delaware & Hudson reacted four points to a new minimum of 89 1/2, and a reversal of 84 of a point for Pennsylvania to 46 1/2, the lowest quotation in more than twenty years. Steels, shippings, metals, motors and oils suffered temporary setbacks, but hardened again in the apathetic second hour. Liberty's continued to sag to the low price of 97 1/2, but the 8 1/2's varied between 99.02 and 99.80.

RIVER SEASON CLOSING

The steamer Champlain returned to Indiantown yesterday morning after her last trip of the season to the Jernegan. She will now go into winter quarters.

The steamers May Queen and Premier are making their last trips of the season today. The former went to Fredericton on Saturday and the latter to Chipman. When they return here today they will go into winter quarters.

The Hampton, D. J. Purdy, Oceano and Majeestic are continuing to run and may continue to do so while freights are available and weather conditions permit.

Burial of Lilloakali

Honolulu, Nov. 19.—With all the pomp and ceremony of the ancient Hawaiian funeral rite, hefting the last monarch of the islands, who had held tenaciously to the traditions of her former domain, Queen Lilloakali was buried yesterday in the Nuuanu cemetery. Practically the entire population lined the route from the throne room, where the funeral services were held, to the burial grounds, while the procession of 5,000 persons passed.

Prudent

"Do you want your wife to vote?" "I don't like to express myself." Mr. Meckton, "If I advocate it and Henrietta finds she does," like politics, she'll blame me for getting her into it."

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Italians Win Desperate Fight For The Piave Line

Austrians Lost Hold on River After They Had Nearly Won

Not One of Enemy Left; All Drowned, Bayoneted, Killed or Captured in Sanguinary Hand-to-Hand Conflict—A Glorious Achievement by the Italian Troops

Italian Headquarters in Northern Italy, Nov. 18.—(By the Associated Press)—The Austrians who forced their way across the Piave river above Zenson have been thrown into the river, drowned, bayoneted, killed or captured, until now not an enemy remains on the west bank at that most threatened point. The fighting was one of the most fearful chapters of the war, and one of the most glorious.

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LOCAL NEWS We sell the best men's overcoats for less money than other stores. Turner, 10 Park street. The services were conducted by Rev. Dr. Hutchinson and Rev. Mr. Fraser. Interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

LOCAL NEWS There is a corset here for you. May we not have the pleasure of allowing our expert corsetiere to fit you scientifically? Carset Dept. Daniel, head of King street.

LOCAL NEWS Ladies' shaker nightgowns, 98c; latest fine voile waist, nicely trimmed at sale price, 98c, at Gilbert's, 47 Brussels St. 11-20

LOCAL NEWS Rev. F. P. Dennison, pastor of Tabernacle Baptist church, announced at yesterday morning's service that the mortgage of \$1,500 on the church would be paid today.

LOCAL NEWS The St. Jude's troop of Scouts attended service yesterday. The Queen's Square troop attended the Queen's Square Methodist church. A new troop of two patrols was formed on Saturday in connection with the Coburg Street Christian church. W. P. Dunlop is S. M. and R. F. Roberts, A. S. M.

LOCAL NEWS Out of 189 boys enrolled in Y. M. C. A. Bible classes, 123 attended the meetings of their class last week. At the Sunday morning meeting there were forty-four boys present. One hundred and sixty-eight boys took part in the stand efficiency tests last week, making a new record.

LOCAL NEWS Bishop Richardson spoke in Stone church yesterday morning. In the evening he addressed the Trinity church congregation referring in strong terms to the duty of the electors in the coming political contest. His Lordship announced that he was leaving this week for England, as a delegate from the House of Bishops, to make an investigation into the social conditions in the military camps of the Canadians.

LOCAL NEWS Rev. John Hardwick read a story, written by himself, "The Transformation of St. Paul's Church," at the evening service in St. Matthew's church last evening in place of a sermon.

LOCAL NEWS Buried on Sunday. The funeral of Susan Theal, wife of Alward N. Harned, was held yesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock from her late residence, 61 Water street, west. The burial service was conducted by Rev. W. L. Robinson and interment was made in Cedar Hill.

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WOMEN'S COUNCIL War Matron Gives Address—The Motion Picture Censorship—Medical Inspection in Schools At a meeting of the St. John Women's Council held in the King's Daughters' Guild on Saturday, Mrs. E. A. Smith, who presided, solicited the support of all the affiliated organizations during the coming season. The report of the treasurer showed receipts of \$334 since April. The corresponding secretary gave a detailed report on the work accomplished since the last meeting. Resolutions were adopted asking for equal representation of women on the provincial moving picture board of censors and for medical inspection in the public schools. A Rose Bud Day in aid of the Children's Aid Society will be held in December. Miss Edith McCafferty, matron in the Canadian overseas service, has been invited to attend and address the meeting. In the course of her address she gave a vivid description of the work for the sick and wounded soldiers in France and England and of the organization for caring for them. A high tribute was paid by the speaker to the work of Colonel Murray McLaren, C. M. G., Dr. Mar-

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SMALLPOX CASES. Frederickton, N. B., Nov. 18.—Dr. R. H. McGrath, secretary of the provincial board of health, will meet the commission of public health at Vancouver, B. C., on Tuesday to discuss the small-pox situation in Maine and New Brunswick. The disease is epidemic at Gardiner (N. B.) and Fort Fairfield (Me.), and forty other cases are scattered throughout nine counties of Maine. In New Brunswick there are thirty-five cases. Two more secondary cases have developed in Victoria county. The Dominion health authorities have been informed of the situation. The type of smallpox is not severe, but the situation is one demanding attention.

LEGAL NOTICE. New York, Nov. 18.—Mrs. Maud Booth, wife of General Ballington Booth, of the Volunteers of America, has received \$98,689 as residuary legate under a will of Charles D. Slickney, lawyer and philanthropist, who died on March 9, 1916. This was disclosed in the transfer tax report of Mr. Slickney's estate showing that he left \$178,014 gross and \$118,689 net.

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Edinburgh, Nov. 19.—Baron Rhondos, the food controller, in an address here, said that although the country rejoiced over the small number of ships sunk by German submarines last week, the seriousness of the food situation had not diminished. The speaker said he intended buying all stocks of tea in Ceylon and India, and selling them here at cost price. He added that he also was going to provide cheaper milk for nursing mothers and for children, at the cost of the state.

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A CENTURY ago a wealthy faddist in old London invited his friends to a "white dinner." Nothing but the old-time whole-grain bread had ever been used before, but a Hungarian miller solved the problem by removing from the dark-colored flour everything but the white starchy parts so that the bread too, at the dinner, might be white. The idea of white foods became a fad and the craze spread all over the world.

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SEES NO HOPE OF PEACE TILL YEAR AFTER NEXT

Medill McCormick, Home Front Front, Says Reasons Are Russian Collapse and Unreadiness of United States

Chicago, Nov. 19.—Russia's collapse and the unreadiness of the United States to see peace before 1919, in the opinion of Medill McCormick, congressman from Illinois, who has just returned after a visit to most of the important fronts of the European battle line. Mr. McCormick last night said in part:

"The Germans are not winning the war. Neither are we. The war presents a stalemate from which we are unable to extricate ourselves, because of the collapse of Russia, and the unreadiness of the United States to see peace."

"Nowhere in Europe did I find an informed soldier or public man who believed that military decision could be achieved before 1919, when the United States might add effectively to pressure on the central empires. There is practically no hope of Russia being useful during 1918. Russia is so disorganized that she cannot make war. Happily in all probability, neither can she make peace."

"I say very earnestly that we must have greater co-ordination of effort. We must have a true war council—such as does not exist in Washington—a council of men who represent in the greatest degree the energy and the genius of America. It will be fruitless if we are ready late."

THE HUNDRED MILLION MARK IN LOAN PASSED

First Victory Money Week Successful—New Brunswick in Seventh Place

Toronto, Nov. 19.—It was estimated at midnight last night that the \$100,000,000 loan campaign in Canada had passed the hundred million mark. Some of the provinces subscriptions would bring the actual figures for the first week well in advance of the target mark. It is reported for only three or four days.

Ontario, with \$59,857,100 is the only one officially by full returns up to Saturday night.

Following are the figures so far sent in to headquarters: Prince Edward Island, \$1,729,700; Nova Scotia, \$4,468,650; New Brunswick, \$2,198,800; Quebec, \$1,383,150; Montreal, (city and suburbs), \$2,895,200; Ontario, \$59,857,100; Manitoba, \$7,292,550; Saskatchewan, \$5,218,700; South Alberta, \$2,250,650; North Alberta, \$1,119,900; British Columbia, \$1,805,300. This makes a grand total for the dominion of \$86,244,600.

David Linton, Sr., Killed By Train

A shocking accident occurred at the Fairville station on Saturday afternoon at 5:15 o'clock, when David Linton, Sr., while hurrying to catch the Fredericton train, was struck by a freight train bound to the west. Linton had both of his legs and his left arm practically severed from his body. He was removed to the general public hospital, where he died at 11:30 o'clock on Saturday night. Mr. Linton took a short cut through a yard and was struck by a train which he mistook for the Fredericton train. While crossing the tracks, he was struck by the freight train in charge of Conductor Charters and Engineer Harold Haley. The train was brought to a standstill and the injured man was picked up by several men and carried in an unconscious condition into the Fairville depot, where first aid was rendered. Dr. J. H. Allingham was summoned and on his orders he was removed to the General Public Hospital.

He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. William J. Miller of Dorchester street of this city and Mrs. James McKillop of Fairville; by three sons, William J. Linton, of the Manswaganish road, the Fairville fire chief (Samuel S. Linton, a farmer of South Bay, and David Linton, Jr., of the Sand Cove road. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Kate Goffrey and Mrs. Margaret Elder, both of Welford, and by one brother, William Linton, of California.

The funeral of Mr. Linton will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Fairville Methodist church, of which he was such a devout member.

Nearly 17,000 Have Registered

Returms Still Coming in—Citizens Committee Inspect Local Quarters and Express Approval

To date there have been close to 17,000 registrations in New Brunswick and with others to come it is expected the estimated total of young men liable to the first call in this province will be reached. On Saturday 700 registration papers were put through the registrar's office.

St. Martins Tribunal

W. F. Burditt and H. C. S. Adams, members of the local exemption tribunal No. 28, held court all last week in St. Martins. During the week they tried seventy-three cases. Seventeen were disallowed; the balance were either exempt or given temporary exemption.

Casualties

Dick Snow of Woodstock, who went overseas as a member of the 53th battalion, has been killed in action, according to information that has been received in Woodstock by relatives.

The youngest son of Hon. Neil Primrose, M. P. in the imperial house of commons, has been killed in Palestine. He was a lieutenant in the Bucks Yeomanry.

George Johnston of Chatham was advised yesterday that his son, Harold, who was reported wounded and missing at Vimy Ridge, was now officially reported killed in action.

The names of the following New Brunswick men appear in the midnight casualty list:

Wounded—H. S. Stuts, Moncton; H. K. Burchard, St. John; B. C. Flewelling, Woodstock; H. Brynton, Derby; E. Shorey, Newburg Jct.; C. H. Cielke, Milton; Lieut. W. C. Lawson, St. Stephen; Captain G. G. Anglin, St. John; E. Basque, Tracadie; E. I. Cliff, Bloomfield; G. J. McCormick, McElroy Junction; S. M. Bailey, Woodstock; Private Taylor, West River; J. Marsh, Reserve Mines; E. E. Woodcock, Lakeville; Lance Corporal J. Savoy, Blackville.

Died of Wounds—G. C. Chapman, Florenceville; V. L. Hicks, Havelock. Killed in Action—J. W. Davidson, Newcastle.

Gassed—H. E. Treffey, Pleasant Lake. Ill—P. Gabriel, Stephenville.

R. J. Anderson, general foreman of the C. P. R. elevators, West St. John, yesterday received official word from Ottawa that his son, Arthur Rippler R. M. Anderson had been admitted on November 11 to No. 18 Ambulance Depot, suffering from gas. No particulars were given.

Salisbury, N. B., Nov. 17.—Another brave Salisbury boy has made the supreme sacrifice. Luther Taylor has received official notice that his son, Pte. Harold Taylor, had been killed in action. Private Taylor crossed over in the early stages of the war, and was among the first of the Salisbury boys to enlist.

Comfortable Quarters

On Saturday afternoon the citizens' reception committee, accompanied by Brigadier-General Masdonell and other members of the staff, inspected the quarters in the exhibition grounds to be occupied by the men called to arms under the military service act. These quarters are the old quarters of the 118th battalion, but during the last few months

"Her Money Troubles"—They get more vexatious as the cost of food climbs skyward. Meat, eggs and vegetables are almost beyond the family purse. Happy is the housewife who knows Shredded Wheat, its low cost and its high food value. A better balanced ration than meat or eggs and costs much less. Two Shredded Wheat Biscuits with milk or cream make a complete, perfect meal, supplying all the nutrient needed for a half day's work at a cost of a few cents. Delicious for any meal with milk or cream, or with fresh or stewed fruits. Made in Canada.

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\$16.50 value..... For \$14.80
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BOYS' FANCY OVERCOATS

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\$8.25 value..... For \$6.60
\$9.00 value..... For \$7.20

BOYS' REGULAR OVERCOATS

\$7.50 value..... For \$ 6.00
\$ 8.25 value..... For \$ 6.60
\$ 9.00 value..... For \$ 7.20
\$10.00 value..... For \$ 8.00
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Shirt Waist Boxes and Utility Boxes

We have made a strong effort to procure the above line of Boxes, and we can truly say that the assortment we are showing this season beats all former records.

Boxes in Matting and Leather coverings. Moth-proof Cedar Chests, both in brass bound and in plain finish. Beautiful Oak Chests, cedar lined. White Enamel Window Seats with mahogany trimmings.

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A laxative today saves a sick child tomorrow. Children simply will not take the time from play to empty their bowels, which become clogged up with waste, liver gets sluggish; stomach sour. Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, or your child is listless, cross, feverish, bad breath, restless, doesn't eat heartily, full of cold or has sore throat or any other children's ailment, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," then don't worry, because it is perfectly harmless, and in a few hours all this constipation poison, sour bile and fermenting waste will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again. A thorough "inside cleansing" is often all that is necessary. It should be the first treatment given in any sickness.

Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly printed on the bottle. Look carefully and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

Eighty per cent profit was made on Bacon.

As a result of the recent investigation into the war profit on bacon it was announced yesterday from Ottawa that certain companies had been making no less than eighty per cent on this commodity. Owing to the action taken by the government, it will be impossible for packing companies to make such profits in the future. The commission consisted of G. F. Henderson, K. C. chairman, and Messrs. A. B. Brodie and G. F. Clarkson.

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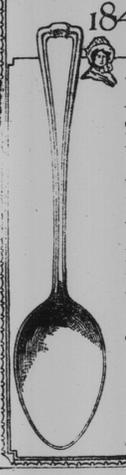
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The Victory Loan

The Victory Loan committee and co-assessors met at Bond's on Saturday for luncheon and heard inspiring addresses by Senator Thorne and J. B. M. Baxter. The latter pointed out that there would be no difficulty in raising \$4,000,000 to save St. John from destruction if a German fleet outside the harbor demanded that sum as ransom, and argued that the danger is just as great if not so near. A telegram from A. E. Ames, chairman of the national executive, urging greater efforts to secure larger subscriptions, was read by Senator Thorne. J. M. Robinson presided.

The local subscriptions recorded on Saturday totalled \$196,750; the previous total was \$207,500, making a grand total of \$1,184,250.

The total of subscriptions for the rest of the province up to Saturday night is \$1,069,250.

This makes the total for the entire province \$2,253,500.

Union Ticket For Province Complete

With the nomination of D. A. Stewart as the union candidate for Madawaska-Restigouche at a convention held on Saturday evening in Campbellton, the list of union candidates for the province is completed. The nomination was tendered C. H. LaBillio, who was forced to refuse on account of ill-health.

H. R. McLellan, who was in the field as an independent Liberal in St. John, Albert, announced yesterday that he had withdrawn from the contest.

Sir Robert Borden was nominated for the constituency of Kings county, N. S.

EDISON PLAN TO USE SAILING SHIP HULLS

Install Power Quickly in 1,710,000 Tons Already Afloat—Shipping Board Impressed

Washington, Nov. 19.—Thomas A. Edison has worked out in detail a plan to equip 1,710,000 tons of sailing vessels with engines and has submitted it to Chairman Edward N. Hurley of the United States Shipping Board.

The scheme is receiving the closest attention. Mr. Edison, it is said, believes that sailing vessels can be fitted with twin-screw equipment which will make possible a speed of from ten to twelve knots and thus make it practicable for this large fleet of vessels to enter the submarine zone under convoy.

The success of the Edison programme would mean that the United States would be in a position to go far toward bridging the gap in shipping which may exist until the large merchant vessels now being constructed in American yards are off the ways.

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FOR SALE—TWO TENEMENTS. Freshhold property, central location. Apply Box G 114, Times. 68131—12-1

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FOR SALE—DINING ROOM SET. First class condition. Apply 19 Kennedy Place. 68750—11-21

NEW SILVER MOON FEEDER, No. 34. Phone West 435, 246 King street West. 68983—11-29

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RUNABOUT FOR SALE IN GOOD running order. Apply G. W. Hatheway City Market. 68928—11-21

FORD, COUPELET, SELF-STARTER, demountable rims, spare tire, bumper, 8 day clock, etc., an ideal car for winter or summer, bargain. Motor Car Equipment Co. Ltd., Princess St. Car Equipment Co. Ltd. 68947—11-21

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FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—ONE Ford Linousine with Self-Starters and other extras. This car has been used as a demonstrator. Apply Nova Sales Company, Limited, 101-107 Germain street. 68902—11-23

FOR SALE—FORD, 1915, 5 PASSENGER CAR, at a bargain, \$250. J. Clarke & Son, Ltd. 68935—11-21

AUCTIONS

GREAT CHRISTMAS AUCTION SALE

I am instructed to sell at Public Auction 157 Brunsford street, \$5,000 stock of Dolls, Toys, Games, China, Cut Glass, Silverware, Ladies' Wrist Watches, Men's and Boys' Watches in Gold and Silver, Fancy Metal Goods, Toilet and Manicure Cases, Hand Bags, Stationery, Dry Goods, Curtain Muslins, Underwear, Men's Shirts, Towels, Socks, Table Covers, Pillow Shams, Bureau Scarfs, Silk Waists, Handkerchiefs, Shaving Brushes, Perfumes, Toilet Soaps, Scentors and a big variety of other useful articles, all new goods. Sale starts Friday night, Nov. 23, at 7:30; also Saturday afternoon at 2:30, and every evening until entire stock is sold. This is your opportunity to buy Christmas Presents.

I. WEBBER, Auctioneer.

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I am instructed to sell at Public Auction, Chubb's Corner, Saturday morning, Nov. 24, 12 o'clock, two tenement with noon, leasehold property, 43 Erin street, 42x150, more or less; water in house. A good investment for someone. For further particulars apply I. Webber, Auctioneer, 150 Union street. I. WEBBER, Auctioneer. 68956—11-24

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FOR SALE—GENTS FUR LINED 31, care Times. 68932—11-24

FOR SALE—A 10 x 10 LEONARD Ball Engine, also Horizontal Tubular Boiler, 60 in. x 16 in., with shaker grates, Pop Valves, Injector, Valves and Fittings. Can be seen working at our Watings. Replacing same next week with larger boiler and engine—T. McAvity & Sons, Ltd. 68982—11-24

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ONE POOL TABLE, CUES, BALLS, racks, \$75.00 cash. Apply Geo. W. Parker, 23 Mill street. 68944—11-22

FOR SALE—10 MILK COWS, 3 1/2 months old Heifers, 1 Spring Calf, two and a half year old Airshire Bull. Apply to Michael Owens, Lakewood, St. John, N. B. 68784—11-21

BARGAIN. AUTO TIRES AND Tubes, slightly used, sizes 35x4, 35x4, dress H 39, care Times. 69777—11-21

LARGE FLAT OFFICE DESK FOR Sale. Imperial Opt. Co., 6 Wellington Row. 68773—11-21

FOR SALE—FORD CAR, 1916, PERFECT running order. Price \$325. Apply E. Curran, Barber, King Square. 68684—11-20

FOR SALE—VERY BEST SCOTCH and English Tweeds, old dyes. E. J. Wall, 57 King Square. 68511-12-12

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HORSE FOR SALE—ONE BAY Horse, 1400 or 1500 lbs. Will sell reasonable. Tobias Bros., 71 Erin street. 1746-21.

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FORMER ST. JOHN SKIPPER LAUGHS AT SUBMARINES

Interview With Capt. R. A. Lockett in San Francisco Paper—Busy in War Work

His friends in this city will read with interest an interview with Captain R. A. Lockett which appears in a San Francisco newspaper. Captain Lockett is a native of St. John and sailed from this port for years, before settling in California, where he now makes his home. His wife, who was Miss Alice Clarke, is a sister of George H. Clarke and Mrs. Robert Fawcett of West St. John. The article referred to is as follows: Captain R. A. Lockett laughs at submarines, but—like that. For three years he has been plying the sub-infested waters of the Mediterranean and Indian oceans on the liner Nile, now a troopship for the British government. Last night when he arrived in San Francisco from Vancouver (B. C.), he said: "It's safer than walking across Market street." Considering that Captain Lockett has

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TO LET—UPPER AND LOWER Flats, Lansdowne avenue, Portland parlor, bathroom, dining-room, kitchen, furnace, electric lights. Apply Armstrong & Bruce, 167 Prince William St. 69042—12-2

TO LET—FROM DECEMBER 1ST, flat 48 Canon street, \$10 per month. Inspection of flats Tuesdays and Fridays from 2 to 4. Apply to The St. John Real Estate Co. Ltd., 39 Princess street. t.f.

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WANTED—FURNISHED, HEATED Apartment, Peabody, 10 O'Brien 68776—11-21

not been in San Francisco for more than three years, and therefore saw Market street for the last time before the jit-trick made dodging a fine art, one can realize how safe he really considers the job.

"The only submarine I saw during the whole time," he said, "was tied up at a dock. Why, during the whole war I've only heard of three transports that they got."

"This country won't experience any trouble in getting her troops across to France, either. There's plenty of vessels going out, and all they have to do is put men on them."

One could see that the whole matter, warring the right or the left hand, "There are still plenty of ships," he continued. "They are building them right along. And over here there is more activity than I have seen anywhere else."

The captain went on to say that so far as any general knowledge of the situation was concerned one skipper of a transport knew nothing except where he was to take his own ship, and that was all.

"We Go, That's All."

"They tell us to go and we go," he said. "That's all there is to it. We never hear anything about the other vessels unless we read it in the papers."

"It's the same way about the air raids in London. You never know anything about them except what you read, unless you go down and have a look for yourself."

"And one never wants to do that be-

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TO LET—FURNISHED SUITE, suitable for one or two persons, 28 Sydney, opposite King Square. 69045—11-25

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TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, 14 Sydney street. 68943—11-23

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET, 38 Cliff street. Phone 1168-31. 68685-11-20.

LARGE FURNISHED ROOM, WELL heated. Mrs. Armstrong, No. 11 Orange street. 68787—11-21

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TO LET—FURNISHED R O O M, suitable for two gentlemen or married couple. Enquire 11 Waterloo street. 68928—11-20

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HEATED ROOMS, 25 PADDOCK street. 68649—11-20

FURNISHED ROOMS, 10 GERMAIN street. 68943—12-9

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HOUSES TO LET

A PLEASANT SELF-CONTAINED house to let or for sale, near East St. John Post Office. Apply W. Parkinson, 147 Victoria street. T.F.

TO LET—FROM DECEMBER 1ST, self-contained house 296 Rockland road, parlor, dining room, kitchen, den, bedrooms, bathroom, electric lights, furnace, hardwood floors, \$22.50 per month. Inspection Tuesdays and Fridays from 2 to 4. Apply to The St. John Real Estate Co. Ltd., 39 Princess street. t.f.

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WANTED—MODERN FLAT ABOUT six rooms, in city. Phone M. 2888 during day. 67653—11-21

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Bob Smith, owner of several race horses, tells of a novice on the track who could ask questions. It was while Bob was racing in Canada that the new man to the sport came to visit the track, bringing a letter from a friend of Smith's asking Bob to give the bearer a winner if he wanted to have one in view. That day Bob chanced to be starting one of his own horses, and just before the race the stranger came out to the paddock and asked if he should back the Smith horse to win.

"He hasn't a chance to win," answered Bob.

"How about playing him to show?" the other persisted.

"He hasn't even got a chance to show," Bob replied, and true to his prediction, his horse finished last among the big field.

Directly after that there came a hard rainfall, and Smith once more had his horse entered, but over a muddy track

BOARDING

LODGINGS—FOR FIVE OR SIX Women or Girls at Girls' Club, 92 Princess street. References required. 68990—11-24

ROOM AND BOARD, 277 PRINCESS street; private. Phone 1540-41. 68704—11-20

BOARDING, 114 PITT. 68484—12-10

ROOM AND BOARD, 101 PARADISE row. 68703—11-25

WANTED—BOARDERS, 148 CARMARTHEN. 67803—11-25

BOARDERS WANTED AT 98 COBURG street. 67897—11-20

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HEATED ROOM IN PRIVATE family. Very central. Phone Main 2691-31. 68964—11-24

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TWO SUNNY ROOMS, 10 CHARLOTTE ST. 68732—11-21

ROOMS, WITH OR WITHOUT board, 173 Charlotte. 68751—11-21

TO LET—ROOMS FOR LIGHT house-keeping, 4 Charles. 68670—11-20

ROOM, WITH OR WITHOUT board, in private family. Apply 187 King street. 68715—11-20

ROOMS WITH OR WITHOUT board, 41 King Square. 68568-12-12

ROOMS FOR LIGHT HOUSEKEEPING, 305 Charlotte street West. 67850—11-23

STORES AND BUILDINGS

TO LET—SHOP, 2 HAYMARKET square. Apply 4 Haymarket square. Phone M. 1289. 68468-11-28.

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED BY MIDDLE aged man as janitor. Best of references. Address Box H 92, care Times. 69037—11-21

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, exempt from military service, position as bookkeeper. Apply Box H 27, Times. 11-20

WANTED—POSITION AS WORK-house-keeper in small family in city or country. Address H 38, care Times. 68753—11-21

WANTED TO PURCHASE

WANTED—TO BUY TWO FAMILY houses, central. Address H 41, care Times. 68811—11-22

WANTED—OLD FALSE TEETH; don't matter if broken. I pay \$2 to \$15 per set. Send by parcel post, and receive check by return mail. F. Terl, 408 N. Wolfe St., Baltimore, Md. 68898—11-22

WANTED—MEDIUM SIZE PHONO-graph, also wardrobe in good order. Give particulars and price. W. H. Chilton House, City. 68780—11-21

I WANT SINGER BOOT-PATCHING machine, in good order. State lowest price, where to be seen. Watts, 100 Mt. Pleasant Ave. 68771—11-21

AUTOMOBILE WANTED—HIRE for winter at low rent, closed car preferable. Excellent care. Box H 35, care Times. 68690—11-23

AGENTS WANTED

AN ACTIVE MAN WANTED AS organizer for the Province of New Brunswick for The Retail Merchants' Association of Canada. One who has a knowledge of the retail trade. Apply before twelve o'clock Monday, Nov. 19th. E. M. TROWER, Dominion Secretary, 124 Prince William street, St. John. 69043—11-20

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AMAZING SELLER—TABLETS that wash clothes spotlessly clean without rubbing. Promise to solicit orders with ten cents will bring samples for four washings. Make dollar an hour. Bradley's Co., Brantford, Ont.

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"Well, that's just what he did the other day. Don't be ever go any faster than a walk?" complained the seeker of a tip.

Bob was too disgusted to reply, but true to his prediction, his horse galloped through the mud an easy winner.

BRITISH CAPTURE JAFFA. London, Nov. 18—The city of Jaffa, on the Mediterranean coast, was taken possession of by the British army in Palestine yesterday. The Turks, who apparently are continuing their withdrawal northward, offered no opposition.

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, NOV. 19. High Tide... 2:29 Low Tide... 9:05 Sun Rises... 7:23 Sun Sets... 4:44 Time used is Atlantic standard.

A Well-Mannered Snake. Notice—I have put a bull-snake in my alfalfa field, north of town, to catch the gophers. Please do not bother him or shoot at him, as he is a good, well-behaved snake and harmless except to gophers and mice.—H. L. Humphrey, Adv. in the Abolition (Kan.) Register.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—MALE HELP

BOY WANTED—APPLY TO WILCOX's, corner Charlotte and Union. 69021—11-23

WANTED—A BOY TO MAKE himself useful about premises. Apply evenings to Dr. Addy, 147 Union street. 69023—11-20

WANTED—CLERK, PARK HOTEL. 68949—11-24

CARPENTERS WANTED, APPLY S. A. Williams, 109 Prince Wm. St. 68965—11-21

YOUNG MAN WANTED, AGE 15 to 20 years, to learn factory details. Must have fair education and good references as to character. Country boy preferred. Exceptional opportunity for one willing to work hard to master details. Box H 48, care Times. 68909—11-24

BOY WANTED—BOY 15 OR 16 years of age, to work after school. Apply at once, Arnold's Department Store, 90 Charlotte street. 68818—11-22

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED man in making wooden packing cases and shooks, an attractive proposition for the right man. Address H 43, care Times Office. 68847—11-22

SMART BOY WANTED, IMPERIAL Opt. Co., 6 Wellington Row. 68775—11-21

CARPENTERS WANTED. APPLY R. M. Thorne, 86 Princess. 68991—11-20

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ELECTRIC LIGHT FIXTURES RE-finished in all colors. Brass bells re-finished and made as good as new. Ornamental goods repaired. Re-finished in their original colors at Grandias the Plater.

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REMNANTS AND MILL ENDS Shakers, Prints and Grey Cottons. Very useful and cheap, at Wetmore's, Garden street.

FULL RANGE OF THE FOLLOWING winter lines: Men's and boys' sweaters; Stanfield, Penangle; fleece lined and Merino underwear; heavy wool and medium socks; shaker and wool blankets, etc.—J. Morgan & Co., 629-633 Main street.

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I EXPECT A SMALL QUANTITY of Scotch anthracite coal, but orders must be placed at once. James S. McGivern, 5 Mill street.

BURN OLD MINE SYDNEY screened coal in grade and range. Jas. W. Carleton, corner Duke and Market Place, West 82.

T. M. WISTED & CO., 142 ST. PATRICK street, American anthracite, all sizes, Springhill, Reserve Sydney soft coal also in stock. Phone 2145-11. Ashes removed promptly.

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HATS BLOCKED

LADIES VELOUR BEAVER AND Felt Hats blocked over in latest styles. Mrs. T. R. James, 280 Main street, opposite Adelaide.

HAIRDRESSING

MISS McGRATH, N. Y. PARLORS Imperial Theatre Building. Orders taken now for new hair colorings, hair work a specialty. Gents' manicuring—Floor 2, Phone M 2898-81. New York graduate.

IRON FOUNDRIES

UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE Works, Limited, George H. Waring, manager, West St. John, N. B. Engineers and machinists, iron and brass foundry.

MEN'S CLOTHING

GOOD RELIABLE WINTER OVER-coats at reasonable price. W. J. Higgins & Co., custom and ready-to-wear clothing, 182 Union street.

NOW SHOWING—A BIG RANGE of men's overcoats, from \$12 to \$24, also a large assortment of raincoats, all guaranteed. Call early and make your selection. Turner, out of the high rent district, 440 Main street.

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AUTOMOBILE PARTS RE-NICKLED, made to look like new. Bicycle parts, sewing machine parts, stove fittings, bath-room fittings, etc., re-nickled at Grandias the Plater. T.F.

FINANCIAL

New York, Nov. 17.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET

Table with columns for various stock categories (Am Car and Pdry, Am Locomotive, etc.) and their respective prices and changes.

Montreal closed today, "Victory Loan Day."

EXPRESS COMPANIES ASK RATE INCREASE

Washington, Nov. 19.—Express companies have applied to the Interstate Commerce Commission for an increase of 10 per cent in their rates.

IS A STANDARD OIL PRESIDENT AND NOT YET 40 YEARS OLD

The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the largest oil company in the United States, last week acquired a new president, who has not yet reached his fortieth birthday.

WOOD

NICE DRY ROUND SPAR WOOD

Just the thing for furnace or open grate. Large, double load delivered, \$5.00.

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FOR SALE—DRY KINDLING Wood. Telephone M 326-11-20

WE ARE NOW DELIVERING WET deal ends and spar ends. McNamara Bros., Phone 788



ANOTHER STEP TOWARDS VICTORY

EQUIPMENTS STRONG AT MARKET OPENING

New York, Nov. 19.—Wall Street—Equipments, notably those comprising the war division, were the strongest stocks at the opening of today's market.

SIR WM. MEREDITH TO FIX VALUE OF THE C.N.R. SHARES TO BE TAKEN BY GOVERNMENT

Ottawa, Nov. 19.—It is understood that at a meeting of the cabinet held on Saturday, Sir William Meredith, chief justice of Ontario, was formally appointed as the government representative on the board of arbitration which will fix the value of the 600,000 shares of Canadian Northern Railway stock to be taken over by the government.

THE CONDITIONS IN MOSCOW HAVE BEEN TERRIBLE

(Continued from page 1.) The National Hotel, where there are many British and French visitors, was under fire for several days, and the upper part of the hotel was destroyed by a shell.

VERDICT OF \$24,000 FOR SISTER MARY BASIL

Sister Mary Basil, who sued Archbishop Spratt and others for \$29,000 for assault and abduction, was awarded \$24,000 by the jury before Mr. Justice Bryden in Kingston, Ont., on Saturday night.

SUFFERED WITH NERVES COULD NOT KEEP QUIET

Diseases of the nervous system are very common. All the organs of the body may be found while the nerve centers are affected.

AMERICAN TROOPS IN MONTREAL PARADE FOR VICTORY LOAN

Montreal, Nov. 19.—For the first time in the present generation, if indeed not the first time since the declaration of independence, armed American troops paraded in this city this morning in connection with the Victory Loan procession.

PLAIED DYNAMITE UNDER LORD ATOLSTAN'S RESIDENCE; ADMISSION MADE BY TREMBLAY

Montreal, Nov. 19.—In the dynamiting case, which is still unfinished in the court of King's bench, Joseph Tremblay's evidence was completed on Saturday, when he told of having placed a charge of dynamite under Lord Atholstan's summer residence, when the gang was there for a purpose of destroying Lord Atholstan and his family.

TO STRIKE TOMORROW

Buenos Aires, Nov. 19.—The federation of railway employees announce that a strike will be called on Tuesday and the western and state railroads.

The Great Secret

of real wisdom in buying is to purchase when prices are low. We are offering some tempting goods at exceedingly tempting prices.

A number of Winter Overcoats with only one coat of a kind. The rest of the lines have been sold at regular prices, so that these "odds" can be cleared at prices which will afford real bargains to our customers.

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is said to have been at Gatchina with Kerensky.

Petrograd, Nov. 18.—The Workmen's Gazette today prints in huge type on its front page a manifesto demanding the release of all political prisoners, the cessation of political terrorism, freedom of the press, the inalienability of the person and of property and the placing of a sufficiently arranged force at the disposal of the municipality to preserve order and prevent rioting, robbery and violence.

FACE COVERED WITH PIMPLES ASHAMED TO GO OUT

Many an otherwise beautiful and attractive face is sadly marred by unsightly pimples, blotches, flesh worms and various other blood diseases. Their presence is a source of embarrassment to those afflicted as well as pain and regret to their friends.

TO BOLSHEVIKI

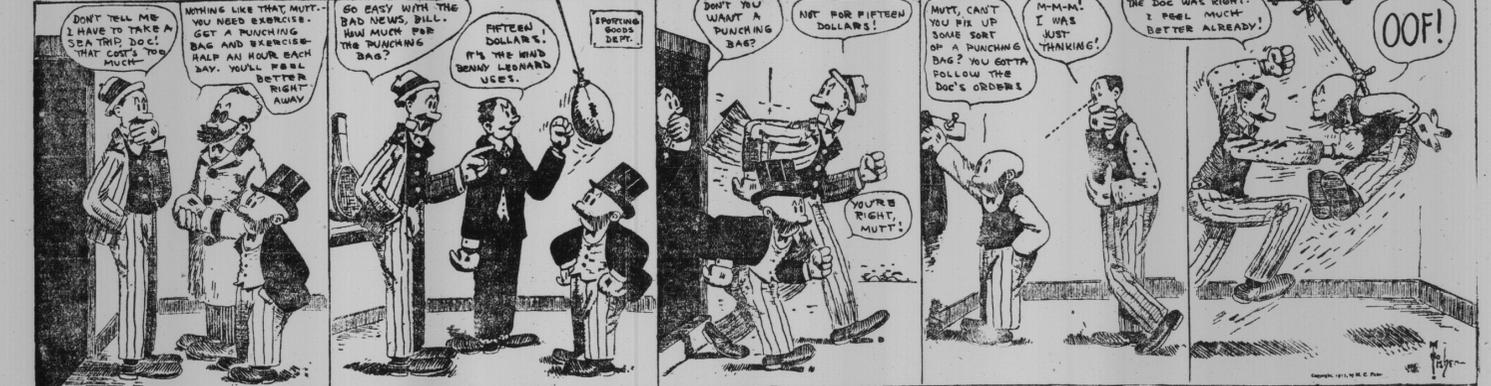
Haparanda, Sweden, Nov. 17.—The Bolsheviki were still in complete military control of Petrograd when a correspondent of the Associated Press left the city on Thursday morning for Tornea. At that time Petrograd was completely isolated from the rest of Russia by a railway and telegraph strike, called a protest against the Bolsheviki government.

TO BOLSHEVIKI

It is Burdock Blood Bitters. This remedy will drive out all the impurities from the blood and leave the complexion healthy and clear. Mrs. Katherine Henry, Fort Sydney, Ont., writes: "Two years ago my face was so covered with pimples I was ashamed to go out at all. I tried several remedies, but they were of no use. At last a friend advised me to try Burdock Blood Bitters. I got a bottle, and by the time it was used I could see a difference. I then got two more, and when I had used them the pimples were completely gone. I can highly recommend B. B. B."

Mutt and Jeff—What's The Use of a Punching Bag When Jeff is Hanging By "Bud" Fisher

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DYING PRISONERS FORCED TO WORK

Proper Food and Medicines Denied Italians

Tortured For Hours — Epidemics Sweep Ranks of Helpless and Thousands Succumb in Austrian Camps

Rome, Nov. 17.—About 10,000 Italian and Serbian officers and men taken prisoners by the Austrians and permanently disabled for military service owing to wounds or illness have been exchanged for an equal number of Austrian prisoners of war during this year. Neither Italy nor Austria agreed to the hospitalization of prisoners of war in Switzerland, and their direct exchange has been most satisfactorily arranged by the Swiss Red Cross.

The treatment of prisoners of war in Austria is most inhuman. Owing to food shortage the rations given to the unfortunate prisoners are hardly sufficient to keep them alive. Sanitary conditions in prison camps are neglected. Proper medical attendance is lacking. Hardly any effort is made to combat contagious diseases and epidemics, with the result that the mortality among the prisoners is appalling. Although insufficiently fed, prisoners are forced to work and the hard labor to which they are subjected hastens their exhaustion to such an extent that a large proportion of Italian soldiers return to Italy in a dying condition.

The treatment of Italian prisoners of war is more cruel, as the Austrians bitterly hate the Italians and consider them as traitors because, despite the Triple Alliance, they are fighting against and not in favor of the Central Empires. Evidence of the cruel treatment of Italian prisoners of war in Austria is afforded by the reports of the officers and men who return to Italy, whose accounts are especially interesting inasmuch as they contain reliable particulars about general internal conditions in Austria.

Herded Into Cars

When the Austrians take Italian soldiers prisoners before sending them to the prison camps behind the front they deprive them of all their clothes, which they exchange for a thin cotton uniform similar to that worn by convicts. Italian uniforms and underwear, if in good condition, are used by the Austrian soldiers, whose equipment cannot be renewed. The linen shirts worn by the Italians are torn into strips and used for bandages, which even if washed are never properly disinfected, since soap cannot be had. The prisoners are then sent to different camps in closed railway trucks badly ventilated and so crowded that for days and sometimes weeks the unfortunate men can hardly move. Their food on the journey consists of thin vegetable soup distributed every twenty-four hours, and a hunk of hard bread made of straw and bran.

On arrival at the prison camps the men are lodged in wooden huts, badly and nastily built, where they are condemned to freeze in winter and roast in summer. Officers are not deprived of their uniforms and they are allowed \$1 a day to buy food. Naturally, owing to the prohibitive prices of the prime necessities of life the officers can afford only a simple and plain diet, but as most of them receive money from home, which they share with their comrades in captivity they are able to improve their fare. Each officer gets two sheets and a paper lined blanket. As paper is getting scarce, officers' blankets are no longer lined, with the result that in winter they are compelled to wear their overcoats in bed.

The soldiers sleep on the floor, without any bedding, except straw or shavings, which are never changed. Their rations consist of a piece of bread made of ground beans, acorns and straw or bran and two bowls of vegetable soup every day. Once a week they get some meat, generally mutton or sheep meat. The soldiers are made to work twelve hours a day in the fields or else in digging trenches, building roads, or railways, and even in munition factories, sometimes. They are paid three cents a day.

Suspended By Wrists

If they refuse to work they are punished, for the first offence with bread and water for a week or a fortnight, and for the second offence with the stake. They are tied to a stake from their wrists, with only their toes touching the ground, and left in this position for two hours at a time. If they faint, a bucket of water is thrown in their faces, and after a short interval the ordeal is renewed.

When the prisoners are ill the only medicine they are really given is castor oil. In case of epidemics hardly any ef-

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fort is made to prevent infection, and last year at Mauthausen 5,000 Serbian prisoners died of typhus in a few weeks. According to the report of an Italian medical officer who was confined at Freistadt, in Upper Austria, 5,000 Roumanians were starved to death.

The rations given to the men in all prison camps are made up as follows: For breakfast, 50 quarts of boiling water with one pound of flour mixed in it, distributed among 100 men; for dinner, forty pounds of potatoes, beets or pumpkins boiled in water, which is occasionally improved with the addition of cloves. Exceptionally one salted codfish is distributed among 100 men instead of boiled vegetables. Every five days a sheep is distributed among 100 men after the best bits have been stolen by the Austrian territorialists in charge of the prisoners. For supper, vegetable soup, as above.

The daily ration of "war" bread for each man is about nine ounces. The following is a price list of the articles of food sold in one of the prison camps in Austria:

Pound.	
Tea	386.00
Pepper	16.00
Oil	6.00
Lard and ham	1.30
Cheese	1.50
Rice	4.00
Onions	.28
Beans	.30
Potatoes	.25
Ordinary wine	.58
Beer, quart	.28

Real Tobacco a Myth

Nothing can be bought in Austria without a card, which fixes the amount to which the holder is entitled. Cards are even necessary to buy matches, and as for tobacco substitutes made out of dried leaves perfumed with nicotine are sold at fancy prices. Real tobacco no longer exists.

Destitution is spreading both in Austria and in Hungary, especially among women whose work in factories is no longer needed. Many factories are closing for lack of raw material as well as for the fact that many industries are no longer profitable. Thus in Hungary thread cannot be supplied to lace and button workers, and as a result 28,000 women are out of work. The same may be said of the lace industries, which will have to stop work altogether soon.

As for sanitary conditions in Austria besides many contagious diseases, dysentery spread alarmingly during summer. It was due to exceptional heat, coupled with the consumption of raw vegetables and unripe fruit, which in most cases constitute the only food available to people of the lower classes. Even when patients could be taken to hospitals and provided with nourishing food their weakness, due to destitution, could not be overcome and few recovered.

At Roelice, in Bohemia, many peasants have been sentenced to terms of imprisonment for stealing food. None served his term, as the prison authorities could not supply food. The scarcity of food is so great that people are advertising in the newspapers offering to exchange boots or articles of clothing for a ration of lard or half a dozen eggs. No new clothes can be bought without a certificate that second-hand clothing has been donated or sold, and a special card is necessary to buy clothes or underwear. Nothing in theory is wasted in Austria.

Even garbage or kitchen refuse is collected by the authorities, who convert it into fodder for cattle and pigs. To encourage its collection householders are offered half a pound of pork for every twenty pounds of garbage given to the authorities. Food for cattle is almost as indispensable as that for human beings. In fact, agriculture is seriously threatened in Bohemia, where the cattle have been reduced to only a million and a half head, and owing to army regulations and the scarcity of fodder a further reduction of 50 per cent will be necessary.

As a result a milk famine will be inevitable next winter, while the cultivation of land will be almost impossible next spring owing to the lack of draught oxen and manure. Other agricultural regions both in Austria and in Hungary are similarly menaced, so that the outlook is dark, and it is feared that before long not only prisoners of war will be starved in Austria, but the inhabitants as well.

HUNS ARE TREATING ITALY LIKE BELGIUM

Massacring Peasants of Venetia and Burning Homes — Made Imitations of Papers

Rome, Nov. 17.—When the Germans first invaded the Venetian plains it seemed as if they had changed their tactics and were doing everything to conciliate the population left in the villages evacuated by the Italian troops. Now, how-

ever, convinced that all their blandishments are unavailing and that the inhabitants are more firmly loyal, they are reported to be committing the same atrocities as in Belgium. They have entered peaceful villages, it is said, breaking into the peasants' homes, where only women, children and old men are left, and after seeking the houses and attacking the women, kill the children before their mother's eyes

and set fire to the villages. It is said, that many inhabitants have perished in such conflagrations, having been wounded by the invaders and being unable to escape from their blazing dwellings. Another of their reported practices is to tie the Italian prisoners in lines before them, thinking thus to prevent the Italian troops from firing upon them. It has now been proved that enemy officers dressed in Italian uniforms cir-

culated among the Italian troops at the beginning of the Austro-German drive. These men spoke the Venetian and Piedmontese dialects perfectly, having taken courses at the military academy in Turin. In the first phase of the attack they ordered the abandonment of important posts, cut telephone wires, and cried in Italian, "Everybody for himself!"

Another German trick was the falsification of Italian newspapers. On October 20, in a given sector of the front, there were distributed by the thousands what purported to be copies of the *Giornale D'Italia* and the *Corriere della Sera*, perfectly imitated in size and printing. The letter press contained terrifying descriptions of revolutionary disorders in Naples, strikes in Florence, revolts in Sicily and Apulia, of hundreds of dead in Liguria, and thousands in

Tuscany, while English infantry were represented as having fired on women and children, also French cavalry as having trodden the bodies of revolutionists under their horses' hoofs. All this was described with such details and plausibility that it was enough to upset the minds of ignorant peasants. Investigations are being made to discover by what means these false copies reached the trenches.

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CHENEY SAYS HE USED SHINE BALL. Says National League Pitchers Have Used it for Some Time. It is Not a Floater.

TRIAL OF BASEBALL MANAGER GOING ON. Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 17—Whether Dan Shay, former American Association baseball manager, on trial here charged with second degree murder for killing a negro waiter last May, was attacked before he shot the waiter was not cleared up by yesterday's witnesses.

Opera House. Tonight 7.30 and 9. Popular Prices. Sing Ling Foo. Oden and Howland. May Marvin. Maurice Prince. EDDIE POLO in the "Gray Ghost".

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WHARFAGE RATES INCREASED

City Not Successful In Role of Landlord, Say The Commissioners—Accept Low Rentals For Lots Rather Than Take Over Properties

Several thousand dollars must be spent immediately in temporary repairs to the ferry float approaches on both sides of the harbor and the ferry wharf on the eastern side must be rebuilt as soon as possible. This information was given to the common council at the committee meeting this morning by Superintendent Waring. The superintendent was instructed to prepare detailed reports and estimates on the work which must be done.

The committee discussed the proposed increase in top wharfage rates and decided to recommend them to the council. It is estimated that this would produce about \$38,000 additional revenue.

Dealing with several applications for renewal of leases for city lots on which the rental is small, the commissioners agreed that appraising properties with the idea of taking them over would not be worth while, except as a guide to the assessors, and gave instructions for the issue of renewals.

Mayor Hayes presided and all the members were present. Commissioner Russell drew attention to the condition of the wharf on the northern side of the east side of the harbor and of locating the line between the ferry property and the Thorne Wharf property.

Superintendent Waring, in reply to a question, said that the piling of the wharf is in a dangerous condition and the whole wharf should be rebuilt. It would take from \$1,500 to \$2,000 to make temporary repairs.

If any expenditure was to be made, Commissioner McLellan said that it would be better to limit the temporary repairs and undertake the permanent work as soon as feasible. He thought the whole work should be rebuilt in permanent form as early as the work could be undertaken.

The superintendent remarked that the east side piling was costing about \$5,000 a year for repairs. The work of straightening up the wharf in the approach, which now are canted over, could be done in a week by working at night when the ferry was not running. On the west side about fifty piles were broken during the last big storm. He needed about \$5,000 for immediate repairs on both sides.

It was agreed that the superintendent should submit a detailed report and estimate to the council on Tuesday.

Top Wharfage.

A letter from Wm. Thomson & Company was read which it was said that St. John was the only port on the Atlantic coast charging top-wharfage, the railways either providing the facilities or absorbing the charges. They feared that an increase in rates might cause discrimination against the port. They also asked delay for a week or ten days while they consulted their steamship principals.

Commissioner Russell said that the marine department agent had consulted the deputy minister and the latter had expressed approval of an increase in the top wharfage rates but, after conference with the harbor master, Mr. Chesley advised against an increase in side wharfage rates, as this was fixed by law.

The chamberlain said the total top wharfage collected in West St. John last year was \$86,218.98 and the grain wharfage was \$4,800, a total of \$91,018.98. It was estimated that the new rates would increase the revenue on the same volume of business to about \$129,358.

The increased scale was recommended to the council for adoption.

City Leases.

Commissioner Russell reported on the lease on several city lots that have expired and on which the council had asked for a report. If the leases were not renewed, he said, the city would have to put on appraisers and either take over the properties or renew at the old rates. The properties affected were held as follows: A. S. Hart, Wentworth and Mecklenburg streets; Katherine G. Morgan, Duke street; Margaret Haley, St. James street; Mary A. Holland, Queen street; Ann O'Brien, Germain street; John Cusick, Winslow street; R. C. Bishop, St. John, St. George and St. John streets; Estate W. P. Bourke, Princess and Orange streets; Lydia A. Duffy, Rodney street.

After some discussion of the city's failure as a landlord, it was decided to issue renewal leases, at the usual increase of ten and twenty per cent.

On motion of Commissioner Russell, Fred Allan of the ferry service, was voted \$51.32, half pay during a period of illness.

The chamberlain asked instructions regarding a check tendered by the St. John Real Estate Company for lot rental at the old figures for a property on which the lease had expired. He was instructed to return the check until the matter was adjusted.

THE DRAFTED MEN OF CLASS A

Although there has been nothing definite received from Ottawa as to the date on which category A men will be called to don the uniforms under the Military Service Act, military officials in the city feel that December 10 will see a good number in barracks. Those men who have not reported, and through the military officials are rounded up, will be dealt with as deserters would be.

Tomorrow morning the first two drafted men for the New Brunswick battalion will arrive in the city from Moncton. These two men gave themselves up. They were examined and found to be in Class A, and the military official, acting on advice from Ottawa, are bringing them to St. John, where they will be attached to this depot battalion.

FIRE SWEEPS AWAY HOUSES IN MILFORD

Four Burned In Onrush of Flames And Others In Danger of Going At Last Report

What it was feared would develop into a conflagration, started in Milford about noon today, when fire broke out in the home of Thomas Conway. It is supposed a defective flue was the cause, but the fire had got pretty well under way before seen. Fanned by a high wind, flames soon spread, and in a very short time the building was entirely destroyed.

Meanwhile sparks had been carried to the next house, occupied by Frank and John Murphy. By this time an appeal had been made to the Fairville Fire Department, but as no water was available, the equipment and engine were of no use, so the second house in a very few minutes also fell a prey to the devouring flames. The roar of the fire could be heard a long distance away, while flying cinders and live sparks rained through the air, making it dangerous for all houses in the neighborhood.

The next house, occupied by Thos. Summerville and others, was burning at one o'clock. There were said to be thirty-six persons in this building, and the Melanson family had a patient in bed with scarlet fever. No help had yet arrived, with the exception of volunteers who were working heroically to save what they could from the burning buildings.

A fourth house, across the street from the others, and owned and occupied by Robert Carrier, had also ignited about half-past one, and from appearances this house also was doomed.

Other dwellings in the immediate neighborhood were in danger.

LATER.

Latest information is to the effect that the Fairville Fire Department have gone down with their steam engine and are endeavoring to draw water from the old mill pond which is quite a distance away.

Thus far four houses all have been destroyed. Four barns also were said to have been burned.

LOCAL NEWS

DEATH OF CHILD.

Mr. and Mrs. George McAuley of 84 Water street, West St. John, have the sympathy of many friends in the death of their three-year-old son, Fred William.

THE BOYS CLUB.

There is keen competition on the polo boards at the Boys Club this season. The game is to knock down nine pins with a pool ball, using a cue. The score is made the same as in a bowling alley. For three years the score has stood at 122, but recently Alphonse Moore made 141. Last week a prize was offered for the highest score, and Walter Northrup won it with 189. Miss Trentowsky and Miss Murdoch have contributed some fine books to the library.

WERE LOST IN WOODS.

Three young men from the city, accompanied by Thomas Martin of Chapel Grove, found themselves in a rather unpleasant situation while cruising through the woods near Chapel Grove on Sunday afternoon. They lost their way and thought they would have to spend the night in the woods but after tramping for several hours over the roughest country they came out at Summerville Landing, about five miles from his home.

NEW SCHOONER HERE.

J. Willard Smith's new schooner, the Kathleen Crowe, arrived safely in port last night from Annapolis county, N. S., where she was launched Saturday. An attempt had been made to launch her on Thursday, but she struck before she left the ways and was very slightly damaged. She is tied up at the Pettigill wharf and will remain there until her owners decide where to place her while she is being fitted up. Expert riggers are expected to arrive in the city tonight and as the sails, masts and other equipment are on hand she should be ready for service in the near future.

MRS. GILBERT GRAY DEAD.

The death of Mrs. Addie Gray, wife of Gilbert Gray, occurred on Sunday at her home, 68 Chesley street, after several years of illness. She is survived by her husband, three sons, Murray, Stanley and John, and one daughter, Bernice, all at home; six brothers, Edgar and Ernest Stone of this city, Louis of Fort Fairfield, Me.; James and John of Red Rapids, Victoria county, and Harry, in Scotland; and four sisters, Mrs. Wellington Logan and Mrs. William Weir of this city, Mrs. Ray Kipp of Fort Fairfield and Mrs. John Smith of Fredrickton.

TOM'S FLYING CORPS.

J. A. Ritchie, formerly of St. John in the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has joined the Royal Flying Corps in Toronto. He is a son of Charles D. Ritchie of Union street, this city, and is very well known here, having been a popular member of the Y. M. C. A. actively identified with its activities and his years with the bank here brought him into touch with many people. Mr. Ritchie was assistant accountant in the Peterboro branch of the Bank of Commerce. His people received word today that he passed all tests with flying colors and was sworn in to the flying service on Nov. 15.

POLICE COURT

Two prisoners, charged with drunkenness, were remanded by Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning. One was a returned soldier who has seen twenty months in the trenches. He returned to Canada only on last Thursday.

William Ward, charged with stealing an overcoat valued at \$18 from a fellow boarder at the Waverly Hotel, Charlotte street, was sent up for trial.

The case against Mrs. Kate Dobson for alleged attempted extortion was brought up. Evidence was given by the plaintiff, Walter Peterson, and Mrs. Peterson as to demand for money by the defendant. Mrs. Dobson pleaded not guilty. Burton L. Gerow is appearing for the defendant and Kenneth J. MacRae for the plaintiff. The case is not yet finished.

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