

LETTER TELLS OF A GRAND MANAN HERO

Somewhere, June 29, 1917. Mrs. Turner Ingalls, Seal Cove, N.B. Dear Madam:— We are in receipt of a parcel addressed to your son who was killed at Vimy. We have taken the liberty of dividing up your gift among the friends of your boy, and we hope this will meet with your approval. My first one word about Carl? In spite of his youth he was a real man, a man who never faltered in the path of duty. As you know he won the Military Medal, though he never lived to wear it. In the rush and change of war it is but human for the officers not to remember every man, but now and then the heroism of some one boy makes him an outstanding figure and his memory helps us all to be stronger and better in this greatest struggle. Asuring you of our deep and sincere sympathy, I remain, Yours, J. D. MacIntyre, Lieut. for O.C. "E" Coy

LEGION OF HONOR FOR PRIVATE

Paris, July 26.—The newest member of the Legion of Honor is Private Charles Gaudet, who, despite the amputation of his leg, risked his life to save a child who was drowning when the steamer La Madjerda was torpedoed. Gaudet plunged into the water, rescued the child, and, by his coolness and courage, set an example for others that materially aided rescue work. The French passenger steamer La Madjerda was sunk by a submarine while voyaging between Oran, Algeria, and Marseilles. The survivors were picked up and taken to various ports.

SURPRISE FROM STRANGER

After the meeting of the Executive Committee of the Win-the-War Convention this morning a stranger walked up to Mr. Aemilius Jarvis, treasurer, and handed him a roll of bills. "Here's something to help the cause," stated the stranger to Mr. Jarvis, who thanked him. It was not till later when Mr. Jarvis came to count out the money that he appreciated fully the extent of the donation, which amounted to \$1,000 of cold hard cash. Who the man was Mr. Jarvis does not know.—Toronto Telegram, Aug. 3.

TOO MANY SUMMER RESORTERS

Copenhagen, July 31.—Stirred to anger by summer resorters who have unduly added to the congestion of the city, the city authorities and who also bought stocks to smuggle home, two of the most prominent districts have decreed the expulsion of all strangers who have resided four weeks or more in a district. The cost of bread for such persons has been doubled and milk and butter rations have been cut to a third of that given the natives. Heavy rewards for the detection of food purchasers are promised.

Up-River Doings

St. Stephen, N. B., Aug. 7. Miss Branscombe entertained a party of lady friends on Tuesday evening for the pleasure of her friend, Mrs. E. C. Vroom, who is visiting her sister, Miss Grace Stevens. Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Blair are in St. Stephen, guests of Mr. Blair's brother, Dr. F. N. Blair. Mr. and Mrs. David Reed, of Cobacoc, were recent visitors in St. Stephen. Rev. W. Tomalin and family are spending their vacation at Campobello. Rev. Edward Hand, of St. Anne's Church, Calais, is enjoying a month's vacation visiting Bangor and other towns. Miss Claire Eagan, of Boston, is in Calais visiting her mother, Mrs. James Eagan. Mr. and Mrs. James Brown, of the firm of McAleenan & Brown, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born on Sunday, Aug. 5, at the Chipman Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Laffin and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Keyes motored to St. John and returned this week. Mrs. Maud Benton, of Boston, and Mrs. Robert Riley and son, Jack, of Woodstock, are guests of Mrs. Benjamin Shorten this week. A party of ladies and gentlemen from St. Stephen, and Calais, motored to St. Andrews on Sunday and crossed the water to Long Island and spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Skiffington Grimmer. Special services in connection with the third year of the declaration of War were held in all the churches in St. Stephen on Sunday. Miss Winnifred Smith, went to Grand Manan this week to spend the rest of this month. The ladies of the Red Cross Society, in St. Stephen, are arranging to hold a Mammoth fair in the Curling Rink early in October. Mr. John R. Trimble has returned from a business trip in New York and Boston. Dr. R. A. Holland is again at home after an absence for two or three weeks. Mrs. H. D. Eaton is the guest of Miss Emma McCullough, in Calais. Mrs. Wm. H. Richardson has returned to her home on Deer Island, after a pleasant visit in Calais with her sister, Mrs. Charles A. Rose.

LAMBERTVILLE, D. I.

Aug. 7. Mrs. Grafton M. Sanger and the Misses Sarah and Sadie McNeill, of Worcester, Mass., are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winifred McDonald and little daughter, Beatrice, are visiting relatives in St. John. Ronald Fountain, who has been employed in Springfield, Mass., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fountain. The Misses Helen and Florie Gandy, little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Onslow Haney, left on Monday for St. John, where they will visit their aunt, Mrs. McKay, and later their grandfather, Mr. Wm. Floyd, at Fairfield. Mrs. Saunders, who has been a guest at the home of C. E. A. McNeill, returned on Friday last to her home in Boston. We are glad to see the Str. Grand Manan on the route again, after an absence of two weeks. Arthur Flagg, of the Customs Staff of Eastport, spent the week-end with his family here. Mrs. Edgar Chaffey spent Tuesday with her father, Mr. John Calder, and her aunt, Mrs. Bacon, at Fair Haven. Aug. 8. Miss Myrtle Stuart left by Monday's boat to visit friends at Lowell, Mass. Miss Hildred Butler and Mr. Arthur Foss, of Chamcook, were over-Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Butler. Mr. and Mrs. George S. Lambert visited relatives in Mascarene a few days last week. Mrs. Frank Richardson and Rev. F. White spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Stuart. Miss Doris Lord, of Richardson, visited her aunt, Mrs. Warren Lambert, on Tuesday. Mrs. Harland Gillis and her little daughter, of Eastport, spent a few days recently with her mother, Mrs. Albert McNeill. Mrs. Chil Buchanan, of Eastport, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lambert.

SEAL COVE, G. M.

Aug. 4. Miss Hannah Cheney, of Hay Island, has been the guest of friends in Seal Cove for the past two weeks. Mr. McPherson, of Marysville, N. B., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Matthews, of Church Avenue. Mrs. Annie Dalzell, of Church Ave., has gone to Castalia for a few days. Mrs. Arthur Parlee, and Master Freddie, of Halifax, N. S., accompanied by Miss Grace Gibbs, of St. John, have been the guests at King Street, for the past three weeks. Since their arrival in the Cove they have received much social attention from relatives and friends. Capt. Lorne Wilson took a party of friends, about 26 in all, on his boat, Centennial to Gannet Rock, and reached the Rock at noon. Mr. Allen Wilson, the genial keeper of the Light, welcomed the visitors in his usual pleasant manner. The visitors inspected the Light and the working of the Fog Horn, and gathered dulse. After justice had been done to a hearty dinner, the party once more embarked and had a delightful sail home. Beside Capt. Wilson, wife, and family, the party included, Mrs. Arthur Parlee, Freddie Parlee, Mrs. Walter Benson, Master Cameron, Mrs. Floyd Cook, Miss G. Gibbs, Mrs. Allen Wilson, Donald Wilson, Miss Fay Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mrs. Clyde Ingersoll and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor Wilson. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Jess Harvey, Oak Point, St. John River, were visitors at Seal Cove last week. Miss Pike, of St. John, N. B., is visiting her friend, Mrs. Jack Wilson. Miss Eunie Ingersoll, of Boston, is staying with her sister, Mrs. Fred Ellingwood, of King Street. The Ladies of the Seal Cove branch of the Red Cross gave a supper at the Hall Church Ave., on Tuesday afternoon. Quite a few visitors were present and greatly enjoyed the good things provided by the ladies. After supper several of the gentlemen spoke a few words concerning the good work carried on by the Red Cross. A gift of \$7.50 was given to the President, Mrs. Daggett, to be used in connection with their work. Mrs. Wilmot Benson and Mr. and Mrs. James Ingersoll have returned from a pleasant trip to Nova Scotia. Mrs. George Daggett has returned from Nova Scotia, where she was visiting her parents.

BEAVER HARBOR, N. B.

Aug. 7. Miss Elsie Nodding, of Boston, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Nodding. Mrs. R. A. Cross, of St. George, is spending a few weeks with friends here. Mrs. Fanny Beal, of Boston, was called here by the very serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Patterson, who has not improved since last time of writing. John F. Paul is home from Argyle, N. S., for a few days. He reports good catches of herring there. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Mawhinney and children, motored from Mace's Bay on Sunday and spent the day at Mrs. Mawhinney's old home. Mrs. Geo. H. Taton and son, Charles, went to St. John on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Loran Kinney, Mrs. Louise Eldridge, and Miss Theresa Taton spent the week-end with Lettie friends. Mrs. Edgar Wadlin and daughter, Miss Nina, are visiting friends at Centreville, N. S. Mrs. Harry Budd and children, and Mrs. Toak, of St. Stephen, are summering at King George hotel. John Mawhinney, of Mace's Bay, spent Sunday in the village. Mrs. Elizabeth Barry and Mrs. Martha Bates spent last week the guests of friends at Mace's Bay. Mrs. Frank Cross, of Yarmouth, Me., is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Robert Barry and Mrs. M. Eldridge. Rev. J. Spencer, Anglican, held service at the home of David Boyd on Thursday evening last. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stewart and children, of St. George, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eldridge on Sunday. Mrs. Burton Cross and Mrs. Minnie Penter, of St. Andrews, came here by boat on Saturday. They were on the way from Digby, N. S., where they have been visiting. Mrs. Melvin Eldridge is spending a few days at her old home, Leonardville, D. I.

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Aug. 8. Mr. and Mrs. Leeman, of Portland, Me., are visiting relatives on the Island. Mrs. Aloha Leonard, and Mrs. Charles Lord and daughter, Lena, of Boston, Mass., are occupying their summer cottage here. Mrs. Cronan and family, of Medford, Mass., are the guests of Mrs. Christie Matthews. Misses Lettie and Amy Doughty visited friends in Lambertville on Tuesday last. Mrs. H. L. Sibley returned to St. Stephen after a short visit at her home here. Mrs. Melvin Eldridge and her nephew, Gordon Cross, are visiting her brother, Mr. Arthur Barteaux.

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Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, the Norwegian explorer, is in the United States as the commission appointed by the Government to confer regarding the proposed neutral nations, interpreted for a report. Evening Post to-day, publishes the difficulties he finds herself with regard to the great war. Today he is in the world for his Arctic Ambassador from Norway. St. James's a few therefore well equipped. The explorer arrived yesterday and is stopping Hotel. Before attending given to the Norwegian the Waldorf by the N. Dr. Nansen made plain way and Norwegians hold themselves strictly war. When asked for of the feeling of Nor Allies and the United States. "My country is not. Our feeling is that both sides. We must have any more sympathy than for the other. As in the same position, the great war. She has been on one side or the kept that difficult position. "Norway, although has suffered in the war more than any other of England has suffered, entire fleet has been a submarine. The to the time of my ago. We have lost on the sunken ship is by any neutral countries, even though it has not had such a large. "Norway has protest every loss on the high sea and other have considered their international marine blockade zone was many, Norway protest whole war. The Norwegian ship sunk a national law. I want because it was my newspapers the day that Norway looked on her tonnage and said is a small country and but we can protest. "It cannot be stated Germany has made no loss of, Norwegian as extent of the damage the retribution. In the war, before the activities, there were, I rectly, three or four many conceded a violation of our vessels, ation, paid the cost indemnities to families lost sailors. But the two years shows that indeed exceptional. The And Germany consider a legal war procedure. fered more, relatively, has any warning nation. "Germany can say because she knows This is what we know principle, and hard. And, of course, Germany is that she is fighting and cannot help her. Dr. Nansen took up the shipment of food supply to the enemy country which he and his colleagues at the Swedish, like Holland, for Norway who export in fact, no food except little fish, of which plentiful supply. He said, "Norway has cut trade in food stuffs by nothing. There is no going to Germany, except with consent of the B in accordance with us solely no wheat and sent. So far as I know not state that there is all the tonnage for the many is being conducted German bottoms, which and take the fish, home ships are in such an undivisible cut off character with G prevent German ships to our ports." The food situation which would not permit cause such a trade war stores, according to prices in Norway to be inflated. "Norway need be said. "And food is Prices are three or four as they were before of to get and so exp Why, to get a ton of now costs us \$80; the was one dollar before

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Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, professor of oceanography in the University of Christiania, Norway, accredited to the United States as the head of the special commission appointed by the Norwegian Government to confer at Washington regarding the proposed rationing of neutral nations, interpreted his country's position for a representative of the Evening Post to-day, passing for a few minutes in the midst of many duties to describe the difficulties in which Norway finds herself with respect to the war. Dr. Nansen, who is known all over the world for his Arctic explorations; was Ambassador from Norway to the Court of St. James's a few years ago, and is therefore well equipped for his diplomatic task.

The explorer arrived in New York yesterday and is stopping at the Biltmore Hotel. Before attending a luncheon given to the Norwegian Commission at the Waldorf by the Norwegian Consul, Dr. Nansen made plain the fact that Norway and Norwegians were striving to hold themselves strictly neutral in this war. When asked for an interpretation of the feeling of Norway towards the Allies and the United States, he replied: "My country is neutral. I am neutral. Our feeling is that of friendliness for both sides. We must not be allowed to have any more sympathy for one side than for the other. America was exactly in the same position before she entered the great war. She had no business to be on one side or the other. And she kept that difficult position very well."

"Norway, although a neutral nation, has suffered in the war in some respects more than any other country—more than England has suffered. One-third of our entire fleet has been destroyed by German submarines. These figures are up to the time of my sailing, two weeks ago. We have lost six hundred sailors on the sunken ships. This loss of tonnage and sailors is the heaviest suffered by any neutral country. The United States, even though it is now in the war, has not had such a large total."

"Norway has protested to Germany for every loss on the high seas due to submarine and other war activities. We have considered them illegal under the international marine code. And when the blockade zone was outlined by Germany, Norway protested against the whole war. To-day we consider every Norwegian ship sunk a violation of international law. I want to make this plain because it was misrepresented in the newspapers the day when it was stated that Norway looked on at the sinking of her tonnage and said nothing. Norway is a small country and cannot do much; but we can protest."

"It cannot be stated with truth that Germany has made no reparation for this loss of Norwegian ships although the extent of the damage has far outreached the retribution. In the first stages of the war, before the extensive U-boat activities, there were, if I remember correctly, three or four cases where Germany conceded a violation of law in the sinking of our vessels, and, after consideration, paid the costs. She also paid indemnities to families of some of the lost sailors. But the record for the past two years shows that these cases were indeed exceptional. The practice stopped. And Germany considered her U-boat destruction of Norwegian tonnage part of a legal war procedure. Norway has suffered more, relatively, in this way than has any warring nation."

"German can disregard our protests because she knows we cannot about this is what we consider most ignoble in principle, and hard lines for Norway. And, of course, Germany's answer to-day is that she is fighting for her existence and cannot help her sea disasters."

Dr. Nansen took up the subject of the shipment of food supplies from Norway to the enemy country—the question upon which he and his colleagues are to confer with officials at Washington. Like Sweden, like Holland, Dr. Nansen claims for Norway no wheat exports to Germany, in fact, no food exports at all except a little fish, of which Norway has such a plentiful supply. He said:

"Norway has cut down the export trade in food stuffs to Germany to almost nothing. There is no food of importance going to Germany, except fish, sent with consent of the British Government, in accordance with an agreement. Absolutely no wheat and no fat are being sent. So far as I know, though I will not state that there is not one exception, all the tonnage for the trade with Germany is being conducted by means of German bottoms, which come to Norway and take the fish home. No Norwegian ships are in such service. It would be unadvisable to cut off all trade of this character with Germany, or to prevent German ships from coming into our ports."

The food situation in Norway is one which would not permit export trade, because such a trade would deplete home stores, according to Dr. Nansen. Food prices in Norway to-day are tremendously inflated. "Norway needs food and iron," he said. "And food is the greatest need. Prices are three or four times as much as they were before the war. We are not actually short of it, but it is so hard to get and so expensive to produce. Why, to get a ton of coal from England now costs us \$50; the transportation cost was one dollar before the war. The

grain situation in Norway is acute. We cannot live on the grain produced in the country.

"Norway wants 450,000 tons of grain. We can last but a short time longer without it. Our harvest now looks dry and unproductive, and little can be expected of it with respect to the grain crop. Furthermore, Norway must not eat all the grain in the country now, but save seed for the next planting. It is a very difficult position, full of stress. We have a food commission in Norway working on the food supply.

"We are in great need of iron. In normal times Norway imports iron from Germany and England and from the United States. These sources, of course, are more or less shut off. Yet we need the iron more than ever for our shipbuilding. "Are we downhearted about this extremely difficult situation in Norway to-day? No. No. We think the whole world is mad!"—*New York Evening Post*, July 27.

NOTICE TO THE LIVESTOCK BREEDERS OF NEW BRUNSWICK

The demand for all classes of pure bred stock is so great that it is doubtful if our local breeders can fill the orders that are pouring in to the Livestock Branch of the Department of Agriculture. Some time ago we forwarded a circular letter to each of the breeders in the Province asking him to report the number of stock he had for sale. The response on the whole was very good, and to those men who forward a statement we have been able to direct a number of purchasers to them. However, the demand is greater for stock than the supply and the Department of Agriculture may have to make an importation from one of the other provinces.

The Minister of Agriculture, Hon. J. F. Tweeddale, insists that we exhaust our own local supply before making an importation. This he considers the best way to encourage local breeders.

To those men who have not yet forwarded a statement of their available stock to the Department of Agriculture, we ask you to do so now.

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The real purpose is to help farmers secure genuine breeding stock from New Brunswick breeders. Address all Livestock communications to Thomas Hetherington, Department of Agriculture, Fredericton, N. B.

CANADA'S LOSS BY FOREST FIRES

The statement has been made, and sometimes disputed, that Canada loses from \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000 a year by forest fires.

Now comes to hand a report of the West Virginia Conservation Commission showing that in one small state, 710 fires occurred in 1908. This was the estimate of the loss:

Area burned over:	1,703,850 acres.
Standing timber burned:	943,515,850 feet.
Value of standing timber burned (at 1908 prices):	1,903,500.
Value of lumber, tan bark and improvements burned:	\$490,175.
Injury to soil and undergrowth:	1,703,860.
Total of loss:	\$5,097,525.

Since that time an intensive fire patrol has reduced the loss by nine-tenths. Sufficient money has been saved from this source alone to pay all expenses of the entire State government.

Prior to this time there was no organized effort to control forest fires, each property owner endeavoring to keep fires from burning his own fences and improvements and allowing it to consume all of the forests without hindrance. It was the general rule to set fire to the forests, it being contended that the burning improved the ground and made better range for the cattle.—*Canadian Forestry Journal*.

CANADIAN CROP REPORTS

Ottawa, August 2, 1917.—A special press bulletin issued to-day by the Census and Statistics Office gives the following report on the condition of field crops throughout Canada, as compiled from telegrams dispatched at the end of July.

Atlantic Provinces.—In PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND frequent beneficial rains have assured excellent cereal crops, insect damage reducing wheat below average. Hay an average crop. Potatoes promise full crop with 15 p. c. increased acreage. In NOVA SCOTIA all crops made excellent growth. In NEW BRUNSWICK weather was excellent for 1 growth. Potatoes and roots are good, grain in a bad color.

Quebec.—RIMOUSKI: Rains frequent, all crops have splendid appearance, good hay crop. STE ANNE DE LA POCA-TIERE (Kamouraska): Frequent showers favorable to all crops. Hay good. Grains poor, but better than expected in June. Potatoes promise average crop. LENNOXVILLE (Sherbrooke): Hay crops late, about 40 p. c. being harvested. Yield above average. Heat of last few days very beneficial to corn, roots, etc. AUBREY (Chateaugay): Hay averages two tons per acre. All grains promise average crops; roots a failure. Potatoes doing well, also corn except on lowlands where drowned out. CAPE ROUGE: Hay crop very heavy, pastures fine. All

grain suffering from excess of precipitation. Roots promise well, corn for silage poor, potatoes fair. LAC LA POKTIE (Champlain): Wheat, oats and barley good, potatoes very good; corn better than in June; beans promise well; hay abundant; roots fair.

Ontario.—OTTAWA: Hay harvesting about two weeks late, crop average. Grain and roots promise well. Corn with favorable weather should be abundant crop. Potatoes promise to be above average. Pastures very good. PRES-COTT (Grenville): Hay full crop of good quality, three-quarters cut. Grain promises full head and filling well. Corn for haying doubtful, for fodder very promising; potatoes good. PETERBOROUGH: Fall wheat ripe, thin, but heads well filled. Barley above average, peas best for several years. Oats and mixed grains specially good; potatoes and roots looking fine; fodder corn large acreage and good appearance. Everything days late. OSHAWA (Ontario): Hay about average, one third well saved, third fairly well, rest poor. Barley, oats and spring wheat prospects above average; corn, mangolds, turnips doing well; potatoes big crop, if blight does not damage. Farms help very scarce. CONESTOGO (Waterloo): Hay crop harvested in good condition. Wheat nearly ready to cut, some rust prevalent. Spring crops look well, but need rain, so do roots and potatoes. HYDE PARK (Middlesex): Wheat badly infested with half smut and rust. Oats developing open smut, but look well; peas, corn, barley, potatoes, turnips excellent, though late; hay, half well saved.

Manitoba.—MILLWOOD: Cereals, injured by drought, about half crop; potatoes and roots late but good; hay and pastures half crop; summer fallows very fair, late crops suffering from great heat. BRANDON: Drought continued during July. Wheat will not average more than 12 bushels. Oats and barley worse, hay a failure; cutting will begin about August 20.

Saskatchewan.—INDIAN HEAD: July very dry with hot southwest winds; crops have suffered considerably throughout district. Early sown grain on fallow filling fairly well. Stubble and spring ploughing will be very light. Crops are maturing rapidly. Cutting will commence from tenth to fifteenth and should be general by August 20. SASKATOON: Crops very short owing to continued drought. Best grain fields very weedy. Yields of hay much below normal. Many vegetable gardens almost total failures. ROSTERN: No rain since July 12. Hay and corn poor, roots fair, grain good, but needs rain. Yield about 50 p. c., unless

copious rains soon. Potatoes promise above average.

Alberta.—The Alberta Department of Agriculture reports hot and dry weather generally throughout the province except in a few districts. Grain and roots have advanced well, but all need rain particularly in the southwest portions. Haying general. Barley turning in many districts. If rain comes soon a big crop can still be harvested. LACOMBE: High temperature and dry weather last three weeks of July have hastened maturity and reduced prospective yield of all cereals; some districts not suffering from lack of rain, but all central Alberta would be benefited by good rainfall. Hay harvest 60 p. c. completed. Early varieties of grain will be ripe next week.

British Columbia.—AGASSIZ: July exceptionally dry and hot. No rain fell until the last five days. All hay stored in excellent shape. Grain crops maturing rapidly. Corn growing fast; roots and pastures need rain. Live stock in good condition. SUMMERLAND: Apple crop will not exceed that of 1916; it is very partially set. Well kept orchards are set well during water shortage and heat. Early peaches are just ripe; apricots coming in. Both running small this year. INVERMERE: Crops under dry farming conditions a failure. Crops under irrigation good, and have made rapid growth. Weather good for haying. Fodder crop promises well. SIDNEY: Very few areas in the Island district received beneficial rains during the month. In consequence of long drought all spring sown grain roots and potatoes have not developed as usual. A heavy hay crop was gathered in excellent condition. Small fruit has given an average crop.

AGRICULTURAL KNOWLEDGE

An entirely new catalogue is ready for circulation of the publications issued in the last few years by the Dominion Department of Agriculture. There are 317 listed of which 31 are devoted to the dairy, butter-making, cheese making, cold storage, cow testing, etc.; 64 to the cultivation of field crops, grains, grasses, vegetables, flax and tobacco; 37 to insect and plant diseases; 51 to live stock and everything appertaining thereto; 19 to apples and fruits generally; 24 to gardening, fruit, flower and vegetable, home and school; 33 to poultry, raising, keeping, housing, feeding and marketing; candling, preservation, production and shipping eggs and 42 to miscellaneous subjects. Seasonable hints, cold storage, bees, honey production, soil fertility, maple, sugar production, manures and fertilizers, farm machinery, forestry, and the War Book of 1915 and 1916. The Agricultural Gazette, The Agricultural Instruction Act and so on. The catalogue will be sent without charge on application being made to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

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PROGRESS OF THE WAR [August 2 to August 8]

IN the week under review the war entered the fourth year of its course and at no time during the three past years was the final result less obvious, or the termination more difficult to forecast. Certainly the military power of the Teuton nations and their allies has not been crushed. Those nations are still fighting on at least equal terms with the Entente Allies for the most part, and as against the Russians with very considerable advantage at the present time.

OBSERVANCES OF THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE DECLARATION OF WAR

The first day in the fourth year of war between Great Britain and Germany was solemnly observed by a united and undenominational service of intercession and praise held in Greenock Presbyterian Church at 4 p. m. on Saturday August 4th. There was a large and reverent congregation. Rev. W. M. Fraser conducted the service and read the special prayers for the occasion. Mr. Fraser was assisted in the intercessory portion of the service by Rev. William Amos, pastor of the Baptist church, Rev. Thomas Hickey, pastor of the Methodist church; and Rev. J. R. Kerr, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, Dalry. The united choir of the Presbyterian and Methodist churches, directed by Dr. Harrison Wade, sang feelingly the fine old hymn, "Oh God of love, Oh God of peace" and the Russian hymn "God the all-merciful."

THE WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

August 11.—Wilna, 1794. Sir James A. Grant, M. D., Ottawa, born, 1851. Destructive Hurricane in Barbadoes, 1831. Sir Edward Kemp, Canadian Minister of Militia and Defence, born, 1858. Captain John Henry Newman died, 1890; John Boyle O'Reilly, Irish-American poet and journalist, died, 1890. August 12.—Nahun Tate, versifier of the Psalms, died, 1715; Thomas Bewick, English wood engraver, born, 1753; Rev. Rowland Hill, English preacher, born, 1744; King George V of England born, 1872; Robert Southey, English man of letters and poet, born, 1764; William Blake, English poet and engraver, died, 1827; George Stephenson, British engineer, died, 1848; James Russell Lowell, American man of letters, poet, and diplomat, died, 1892; Hawaii annexed to the United States, 1898; Great Britain declared war against Austro-Hungary, 1914. August 13.—Montgomery founded Fort Richmond, 1673; Bishop Jeremy Taylor died, 1677; Lavoisier, French chemist, born, 1783; Manila surrendered to American forces, 1898. August 14.—Old Lamma Day. Metz, 1870. Dr. Charles Hutton, English mathematician, born, 1757; Montcalm took Oswego, 1756; George Colman, English dramatist, died, 1794; Dr. William Buckland, English geologist, died, 1856; Ernest Seton-Thompson, American naturalist, author, and lecturer, born, 1860; Frank B. Carvell, U. S. M. P. for Carlton County, born, 1862; Relief of Peking, 1900. August 15.—Admiral Robert Blake born, 1599; Napoleon Bonaparte born, 1769; Sir Walter Scott, Scottish poet and novelist, born, 1771; Hon. Walter H. Page, American Ambassador to the Court of St. James's, born, 1855; J. K. H. Hardie, Scottish labor representative, born, 1856; Hon. St. John S. Hendrie, Lieut.-Governor of Ontario, born, 1857. August 16.—Dr. Thomas Fuller, English divine, died, 1661; Province of New Brunswick formed, 1784; Thomas De Quincey, English essayist, born, 1785; "Peterloo" meeting at Manchester, 1819. August 17.—Admiral Robert Blake died, 1657; Frederick the Great of Prussia died, 1786; John Timbs, English antiquarian, born, 1801; Blondin crossed Niagara on tight rope, 1859; Gold discovered in Klondyke, 1896.

COURTESY IN DISCUSSION

AT the head of the first column of the front page of THE BEACON of July 2, 1914, which was the first issue under its present management, appeared the following quotation from A Sentimental Journey, by Laurence Sterne:—"Grant me, O ye powers which touch the tongue with eloquence in distress—whatever is my suit, grant me but decent words to explain in, and I will give my nature way." Our object in quoting this passage as an introduction of the new editor to the readers of this journal was probably apparent to some, though many may not have grasped its import. After an intercourse of over three years with those readers it may be in order for us to offer an explanation and to claim a justification for using the familiar invocation of the Sentimental Traveller as a foreword.

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School Book Notice

Pursuant to the provisions of an Order-in-Council, the Government School Book Business has been placed on a cash basis in lieu of the Vendorship system, which has not been satisfactory. A discount of 15 per cent. on the selling price of the books will be allowed to the dealer. Freight will be paid to the nearest Railway Station by the Department, only on orders amounting to \$5.00 and over. All remittances must be made to the Superintendent of the School Book Department and only by Post Office Order, Express Money Order, or Cash by Registered letter. No order less than \$5.00 will be received. The present Vendors can return the book in their possession, or, if they wish to retain them, will be allowed a reasonable time to settle for same. The following are the prices of books sold by the Department, and the prices at which they are to be sold by Dealers:

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EUREKA SHIPBUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that under "The New Brunswick Companies Act, 1915," Letters Patent have been issued under the seal of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer of the said Province bearing date the nineteenth day of July, 1917, incorporating Frank Ingersoll, of Grand Manan, in the County of Charlotte and Province of New Brunswick; Joseph E. Gaikili, of the same place, Merchant; Frederick S. McLaughlin, of the same place, Fisherman, and N. Marks, of Saint Stephen, in same County and Province, for the following purposes, namely: To build, make, operate, repair, maintain, buy, sell, deal in and with, own, lease, charter, manage, pledge, mortgage and otherwise dispose of ships, vessels, schooners and boats of every nature and kind whatsoever, together with all materials, articles, tools, machinery and appliances entering into, or suitable and convenient for the construction and equipment thereof, including engines, boilers, machinery and appurtenances, tackle, apparel and furniture, and to build wharves and docks. To carry on the business of traders, transportation of goods and merchandise, passengers and mails. To register any ship, vessel, schooner or boat owned by the Company at any port within the British Empire, allowed by the law of the Dominion of Canada or Great Britain. To enter into any agreement or agreement with the master, officers, sailors or men employed on any ship, vessel, schooner or boat of the Company as to the sharing of profits of said ship, vessel, schooner or boat, or of any one or more trips or voyages of said ship, vessel, schooner or boat. To purchase the shares of any other company having objects similar to those of the said ship, vessel, schooner or boat, as may be necessary for the operation and management of any of the ships, vessels, schooners or boats of the Company, and to do all things necessary in connection with the management, operation and control of any of the said ships, vessels, schooners and boats. By the name of Eureka Shipbuilding Company, Limited, the total capital stock of sixty-two thousand dollars, divided into sixty-four shares of five hundred dollars each, and with the head office at North Head, in the County of Charlotte, in said Province. Dated at the Office of the Provincial Secretary-Treasurer at Fredericton, the nineteenth day of July, 1917. ROBERT MURRAY, Provincial Secretary-Treasurer.

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Local and General

The ladies of Greenock Presbyterian church held a highly successful and satisfactory Sale and Tea in the Memorial Hall on Thursday. They sold every article and realized \$912. On Sunday evening an impressive Memorial Service was held in Greenock Church for Pte. Fraser McQuoid, whose death in a military hospital in England has been previously announced. The speakers were Rev. Wm. Fraser and Rev. Jas. Kerr. During the service the choir sang the favorite hymns of the deceased. The family pew was closed and draped in black. The numerous beautiful floral pieces were a testimony to the esteem felt by St. Andrew's for the brave young soldier. The Woman's Canadian Club, of St. Stephen, will hold a recital, under the patronage of the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Ganong, on Tuesday evening, August 14, at 8 o'clock, Atlantic time, in the Bijou. The artists will be Miss Phoebe McKay, soloist, accompanied by Madame Kurtz, Miss Josephine Kavanagh, soloist dancer, and a string quartet under the leadership of Dr. Marion. Tickets may be exchanged at Crawford's drug store on Friday and Saturday, August 10th and 11th.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McQuoid and family wish to thank all those who so kindly helped and sympathized with them in their recent sad bereavement.

RECRUITING IN NEW BRUNSWICK

The official report of the result of recruiting in the Province of New Brunswick, for home and overseas service, for the week ending Aug. 4, is as follows: York County—28th Battalion 16, C. A. S. C. 5, C. A. M. C. 1, 21; Kings County—No. 2 Forestry Company 12, St. John County—Artillery—St. Lucia draft 1, No. 2 Forestry Company 3, 28th Battalion 1, 8th Field Ambulance Depot 2, Home Service 1, 8; Charlotte County—8th Field Ambulance Depot 1, 1; Carleton County 0, Westmorland County 0, Albert County 0, Restigouche County 0, Gloucester County 0, Victoria County 0, Madawaska County 0, Queens and Sunbury Counties 0, Northumberland County 0, Kent County 0. Total for week 43. Of the 22 recruits shown for York County for the week, 20 were enlisted in the United States.

Miss Alice Grimmer is visiting up-river friends. The guests at the Algonquin Hotel held a most successful cabaret at the Casino on Monday evening for a Children's Ambulance. \$510 was cleared. Miss Alice Anderson was in Campbellville this week. Mrs. G. H. Stickney entertained at Auction on Thursday evening for Miss Grace Allan. Dainty prizes were won by Miss Mary Grimmer and Miss Gertrude Sharpe. Miss Laura Shaw has returned from a visit to Bath and Woodstock. Mrs. Angus Kennedy and Mrs. Richard Owens have returned from a trip to Kingston, Ottawa, and Montreal. Miss Muckle, of New York, is visiting the Misses O'Neill. Mrs. C. M. Sills entertained at the tea hour on Wednesday for Mrs. W. D. Foster. Mrs. Quail, of Minneapolis, is the guest of Miss Kathleen Cockburn. Miss Louie Hooper, of Boston, Mass., is visiting at the Cabin, Beech Hill. Mr. and Mrs. Luechford, and four children, of Andover, are occupying rooms at Frank Gilman's residence on Queen's Street. Miss Helena Carton, of Fredericton, and Miss Tith Carton, of the Westworth Hospital, Dover, are visiting St. Andrew's, the guests of their sister, Mrs. Fred McCurdy. Mr. Vernon Nicholson, of the Department of State, Ottawa, arrived in town last week, and is staying at "Elm Corner." Hon. W. E. Foster, Premier of New Brunswick, has been staying at the Algonquin Hotel this week. Mr. C. W. Young, of St. Stephen, brought a party to St. Andrew's on Thursday by automobile to enjoy a game on the golf links. The party included Mr. A. Mungall and Mr. John Black, of Milltown.

BORN

Born—at Leonardville, Aug. 5, to the wife of Austin Cline, a daughter, Helen Ruth. Born—at Leonardville, July 31, to the wife of Vernon Rogerson, a daughter.

MARRIED

John DeForest Abbott and Miss Alta Irene Griffin were very quietly married last evening at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. S. A. Griffin, of 629 Fifteenth street. The wedding service was read at 8.15 by the Rev. Thos. Grice, in the presence of immediate friends and relatives, and the double ring service.

The bride and bridegroom left immediately after the ceremony for Los Angeles, and this morning made a trip to Yosemite Valley where they will spend a brief honeymoon. Upon their return Mr. Abbott will report for duty and will be stationed at the county hospital where he will receive training for about three months and will later be transferred to active service in the hospital corps of the navy.

"Jack" Abbott is one of the most popular young business men in San Pedro. For several years he and Henry Nelson managed the Bay City Market. He had just completed arrangements to open a new market on Thirteenth street when the draft for men to the colors came. Rather than go into the army he decided to enlist in the navy. His number was among those announced in the first call, but this later proved to be an error. However, realizing that he would probably be called later, he said yesterday he was glad he had decided to go into the navy.

Miss Griffin has held the position of cashier in the Southern Counties Gas Co. for more than a year, and will resume her position upon return from their honeymoon.

At the wedding last night, Miss Jessie Gibbs accompanied on the piano by Mrs. J. Hamilton Crueger, sang "I Love You Truly," preceding the ceremony. To the tune of Lohengren's wedding march the bridal party marched in and took their places. The bride looked very charming in a white gown of embroidered net and carried a bouquet of Cecil Bruner roses.

Hal Griffin acted as best man, and both the bridegroom and best man wore dark suits. The bride's mother gave her away, she being dressed in blue. The Griffin home was beautifully decorated with shasta daisies and fern. Delicious ice cream and assorted cake were served after the ceremony.—San Pedro (California) Daily Pilot.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Griffin, formerly of North Head, Grand Manan, N. B.

DIED

At St. Andrew's, N. B., on July 29th, Edwin Saunders aged 57 yrs. 11 mos. At St. Andrew's, N. B., on August 2nd, Hugh H. McQuoid aged 35 yrs.

OBITUARY

HUGH H. McQUOID The funeral of the late Hugh H. McQuoid took place on Sunday afternoon and was largely attended. The body was taken from his parents' home to the Methodist church, where an impressive service was conducted by Rev. Thomas Hicks, pastor of the church. The hymns "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," and "Rock of Ages" were sung and the choir, by request, sang "Will the Circle be Unbroken," a favourite hymn of the deceased. The body was taken to the Rural Cemetery for interment. The pall-bearers were: Messrs. Sher Johnson, William Mitchell, Henry McQuoid and James McQuoid, all cousins of the deceased. The floral tributes were many and beautiful.

JAMES KELMAN

St. George, N. B., Aug. 8. Mr. James Kelman, a native of Scotland, who for many years was engaged in the granite business here, died on Thursday last at Rahway, N. J., at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Stuart. He was seventy-nine years of age and survived his wife but a few weeks. The remains were brought here on Tuesday and were accompanied by Mr. James Pine, a nephew of the deceased. The funeral was held from the train to the Rural Cemetery. Rev. Mr. DeWolfe, of the Baptist Church, officiated.

SIR RICHARD M'BRIDE

Sir Richard M'Bride, K. C., M. G., K. C., LL. D., former premier of British Columbia, died in London on Monday evening. Death is said to have been caused by Bright's disease, from which he had been suffering for several years. Up to a short time ago he was Agent General for British Columbia, having retired from public life in 1915. Sir Richard was born in New Westminster, B. C., December 15, 1870, son of Arthur H. and Mary M'Bride. He was educated in the public schools and at Dalhousie University, where he received the degree of LL. B. in 1890. In 1912 he was given the honorary degree of LL. D. by the University of California. He was called to the bar in 1892. In 1896 he was an unsuccessful candidate to the house of commons for Westminster. He was elected to the British Columbia legislature for Dewdney in 1898, and two years later he became minister of mines in the administration. A year later he resigned, and in 1902 became leader of the opposition. The year following he became premier. He was elected for Victoria city in 1907 and for Victoria city and Yale in 1909 and 1912. He was created a K. C. M. G. in 1912.

Montreal, May 29th, '09. Minard's Liniment Co., Limited, Yarmouth, N. S. Gentlemen,—I beg to let you know that I have used MINARD'S LINIMENT for some time, and I find it the best I have ever used for the joints and muscles. Yours very truly, THOMAS J. HOGAN, The Champion Clog and Pedestal Dancer of Canada.

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LOST—In the automobile accident last week a silk bag containing a sum of money. The finder will kindly return to the BEACON office, and receive a reward. 2-1f W. A. HOLT.

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WANTED—Chambermaid and Bellboy. Apply to KENNEDY'S HOTEL, 53-1f.

FIELD DAY AND PICNIC

Seaside Lodge No. 9 K. of P. will hold their sixth annual Field Day and Basket Picnic at Indian Point Park on Wednesday, AUG. 22, 1917. A fine programme of sports for young and old has been arranged, commencing at 1.30 p. m. Suitable prizes will be awarded to winners in each event. All are requested to bring cups for tea and coffee, which will be served free on the grounds. Dancing on the stage will start early in the afternoon and will continue throughout afternoon and evening, the music being furnished by Mooney's orchestra from St. George. A good time is assured to all who attend.

TENDERS FOR COAL Tenders will be received by the undersigned, up to and including WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1917 for 50 Tons Anthracite Egg Coal, to be delivered in the basement of the Prince Arthur School. D. C. ROLLINS, Sec. Trustees 5-2wp.

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News of the Sea

The Hague, July 31.—An official statement was issued to-day by the Netherlands government regarding the sinking of the German steamship Batavier II by a British submarine July 27. It says: "The steamer Batavier II was shelled outside territorial waters by the British submarine L-55 near Texel. The vessel took refuge inside territorial waters, where she was abandoned by her crew. The L-55 entered the sea and placed a prize crew aboard the Batavier II, who took her outside the area. The Batavier II, making water rapidly, drifted owing to the current, inside territorial waters again. She was then abandoned by the prize crew and the submarine departed. The Dutch had hoisted the signal 'Respect neutrality.' The Batavier, owing to the damage she had received, sank."

Coruna, Spain, July 31.—The German submarine UB-23 anchored in the harbor here late yesterday evening. She entered the roadstead with only her periscope emerging from the water. The submarine had been seriously damaged but the commander and crew refused to tell the cause of the accident. The underwater boat anchored beside the German inter-continental ship Belgica. The German submarine UB-23 is of the coastal type. She was built in 1915-16, is 118 feet long and carries a crew of twenty men. Madrid, July 31.—Premier Dato announced to-day that the German submarine UB-23 which had anchored in Coruna harbor had been taken to Ferrol the chief naval arsenal of Spain 12 miles northeast of Coruna. The Premier added that the government intended to keep strictly to the terms of the recent regulation regarding the entry of belligerent submarines into Spanish ports.

Bergen, Norway, Aug. 1.—The Norwegian steamship Cava has been torpedoed at a point twenty miles to sea from Holmgra. One passenger and one sailor were killed. The crew of the vessel has arrived here. London, Aug. 1.—Some falling off in the loss of British merchantmen by submarines is noted in the official summary issued this evening. Eighteen British vessels of more than 1,600 tons were sunk by submarines or mines last week. Three vessels under 1,600 tons were sunk, while no fishing vessels were lost. According to the admiralty report of the previous week the losses were twenty-one British vessels of more than 1,600 tons and one fishing vessel.

Paris, Aug. 2.—Two French ships of more than 1,600 tons, and one vessel, of under 1,600 tons, were sunk by mine or submarine last week, according to the weekly shipping summary given out by the French admiralty last night. Three ships were unsuccessfully attacked. During the week 1,008 ships entered French ports, while 1,072 sailed. Rome, Aug. 2.—Italian vessels lost as a result of submarines last week numbered four sailing ships, according to an official statement. This statement reads: "During the week ending midnight 29th, 817 ships, with a gross tonnage of 412,000 entered Italian ports; five hundred and thirty-six, with a tonnage of 401,000 departed. The losses comprised four sailing ships, one of which was more than 250 tons. One steamer was attacked and damaged but escaped."

London, Aug. 2.—It was reported at the American Consulate here to-day that twenty-four members of the crew of the American steamship Motana, which was sunk by a German submarine on July 31, lost their lives. The American schooner John Hays Hammond has been sunk by the gunfire of a German submarine. All of the schooner's crew were saved. The John Hays Hammond was a schooner of 132 tons gross, and was built at Essex, Mass., in 1897.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 2.—The torpedoing on July 27 of the American schooner John Tuohy, was reported here to-day. The John Tuohy, a schooner of 1,019 tons gross, owned in Philadelphia, was last reported in marine advices at Mobile on May 4. She was then commanded by Capt. Forsyth. The schooner was built at Newburyport, Mass., in 1891, and a crew of nine men.

London, Aug. 5.—According to Norwegian advices 33 Norwegian vessels, of an aggregate of 58,000 tons, were sunk during July. Eighteen lives were lost. Halifax, N. S., Aug. 5.—A big ocean liner had a narrow escape from disaster on Saturday. During a dense fog the vessel struck a shoal fifty miles east of Halifax. She floated off at high tide, and arrived here last night, under her own steam. The vessel is reported leaking in the forehold. A diver will make an examination to-morrow. She registers about 14,000 tons.

New York, Aug. 6.—The Greek steamer Charilo Tricoupi, a vessel of 2,475 tons gross register, owned by the National Steam Navigation Company, Limited, of Greece, was sunk July 13 by a German submarine, according to a cable received here to-day by agents of the line.

Captain Goulondris and his crew of 35 men were picked up and landed at a British port by an American destroyer. The vessel, built in 1892 at Sunderland, was 300 feet long, with a forty-foot beam.

An Atlantic Port, Aug. 6.—A steamer arriving here to-day from a European port landed the crews of five vessels, all of which had been sunk by German submarines of St. Martin, Azores. The vessels sank were: American four-masted schooner John Tuohy, Norfolk, Va., to Algiers, Captain J. B. Murchouse.

Norwegian steamer Allen, Captain John Lothe, from Philadelphia to Marseilles. Norwegian steamer Hansel, from Italy to Hampton Roads. Newfoundland schooner Conqueror, St. John's, Nfld., for Cadiz. Norwegian Sorland, Stockholm to France.

The sinking of the vessels, except the Allen, had been previously announced. The John Tuohy was the latest previously reported, the attack on that vessel had been first reported last week, while the Sorland and Conqueror went down in June.

Amsterdam, Aug. 6.—The Holland-America line steamship Noordam, home-ward bound, ran upon a mine to the westward of the island of Texel on Friday afternoon. There were no casualties. The ship is still afloat.

The Noordam is of 12,531 tons gross and was built at Belfast in 1902. She is 550 feet long. This is the second time that the Noordam has struck a mine. In October, 1914, the steamer ran into a mine while passing through the English channel. Seven persons on board were injured by the explosion. On that occasion the vessel managed to reach port. Texel island is the largest and southwest-ernmost of the Frisian Islands, which form a part of the Dutch province of North Holland.

An Atlantic Port, Aug. 7.—One German submarine, during the three-week period ending July 19, sank nineteen vessels aggregating 68,000 tons, and was still in condition to remain longer a way from its base, according to a report brought here to-day by Harold Hansen, of Detroit, a member of the crew of one of the nineteen ships, who said he received his information from the U-boat commander.

Hansen said he belonged to the Norwegian ship Arisens, a vessel of 1,789 tons gross register, sunk while on its way from Glasgow to Hampton Roads. His ship stopped when ordered to do so by the submarine commander, and a detail from the U-boat came aboard and removed all the food supplies. The crew was then ordered into the boats, given the course to the nearest land, and the Arisens torpedoed. The captain of the submarine, Hansen said, told him and other members of his crew with pride that he had sunk eighteen other ships in three weeks, and was after more.

London, Aug. 3.—Eight naval gunners were lost when the American tank steamer Medina was sunk by a submarine. Sixteen of the crew also perished. Halifax, N. S., Aug. 4.—The hospital ship which went ashore at Portuguese Cove, ten miles from Halifax, on Wednesday morning, is now a complete loss. There was considerable sea to-day, and the steamer broke in two, nearly amidships, the stern sinking in deep water.

NEW BRUNSWICK'S FOUNDATION—THE FOREST

No Other Province Bases Evidence So Completely Upon Living Forests. PROBABLY no province in Canada is so thoroughly identified with forest industries as New Brunswick. Southern Ontario, for example, is a land of farms and industrial towns, continuously tending towards specialization and more and more remote from lumbering. Southern Saskatchewan has to do with wheat and stock raising, usually carried on as an exclusive undertaking. But New Brunswick, with its relatively sparse population of 351,000 (1910 census) presents the interesting characteristics of multiple employment, where most male residents outside of the larger towns draw part of their income more or less directly from woods operations. The winter wages in the lumber camps for men and teams, the millions of dollars raised by the mills, account in no small degree for the happy average of prosperity which has characterized the province for a great many years.

AROUSING PUBLIC INTEREST. The Secretary of the Canadian Forestry Association recently held nine public meetings in New Brunswick, at Miramichi, Moncton, the Canadian Club, Chatham, Millerton, Boisdawn, Daoktown, Blackville, Rnoux, Tabusintac, and Bay du Vin. Through the kind assistance of Mr. W. B. Snowball, a director of the Association, the meetings secured due publicity and the attendance, even on uncon- fortably warm evenings, was splendid. The audiences in most places were composed of lumbermen, timber scalers, farmers, fishermen, local teachers, clergy, etc. so that over two thousand men and women were encountered in this brief series of illustrated lectures. The addresses told of the contribution of the forest endowment to practically every line of employment. The story of Canada's forests from the days of the French Government was recounted with attention to the gradual development of public policies of conservation. Emphasis was given to the primary interest of the state in forest protection and its responsibility to make the foundations of wood-using industries solid for all time to come, to guard the natural resources as a trust for coming generations, and maintain the chief source of provincial revenues. The audiences were much interested in new discoveries and applications in the use of wood, in so much as they assured any province, well stocked with wood supplies and water powers, numerous other industries utilizing the tree for new purposes and turning to profitable use what to-day the lumber and pulp industries regard as waste. The progress of other countries in forest management was touched upon, and modern methods of fire patrol and fire fighting, were described. Attention was given to the New Brunswick Forest Survey and Classification, explaining its purposes and present progress. The speaker found the Survey project to be very largely misunderstood. Occasion was taken strongly to advocate the creation of a Provincial Forest Service, directed by technically qualified foresters, having charge of the fire-rangings work, and what was quite as important, having authority to supervise logging operations to see that Crown Lands regulations are properly observed. The meetings were marked by excellent order and a new series of gatherings ought to follow next fall.

WHAT SHOULD FOLLOW? New Brunswick's wisdom in undertaking an inventory of its forest resources, unquestioned. By the information obtained the province will have scientific guidance not only in placing apart non-agricultural soils as permanent timber reserves, but in directing future settlement away from impossible locations. Logically there should follow, and without longer delay, the establishing of a Provincial Forest Branch, similar to that of British Columbia, whereby the administration's responsibility for the condition of the forest lands may be made some means of practical action. Qualified foresters versed in New Brunswick's own conditions and working co-operatively with all progressive lumbermen ought to have a general oversight of logging operations so as to reduce the heavy waste that now obtains. This plan invites co-operation of every landholder who has an honest desire to keep his limits in productive condition, and would result in an all-round profit to province and operator. Few licensees would deny that New Brunswick cannot hope to hold its pace in lumber production while the source of the raw materials is running down hill by unregulated logging. Obviously, the fire protection work would come under the proposed Forest Service and in all probability a new system of ranger management put in operation.—Canadian Forestry Journal, July 1917.

St. John, N. B., Aug. 4.—The British schooner Ade Tracy is aground on the west coast of Africa, according to word received here to-day. She sailed from an American port. The Tracy registers 528 tons and is owned in Parramore, N. S.

London, Aug. 7.—The admiralty learns that a German submarine yesterday attacked a Spanish fishing boat in the neighborhood of Bilbao, Spain, within Spanish territorial waters. Two of the crew were severely wounded.

Amsterdam, Aug. 7.—The German submarine U-30, accompanied by two Dutch torpedo boats, to-day entered the waters of the Netherlands fishing town of Massilia, ten miles west of Rotterdam, according to a dispatch to the Handelsblad. It is understood that the U-30 merely is awaiting better weather.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

News of the Week

Buenos Aires, August 3.—The newspaper announce the possibility of the sale of the Austrian steamers which are interned here. They add that one of them will be bought by a North American company.

Cornwall, Ont., Aug. 4.—A number of surveyors are at work along the boundary line between the United States and Canada, remodeling and setting new concrete posts as markers for the boundary. The surveyors began at Rouse's Point and are working westward, the survey being continued the entire distance across New York state at the line. These surveyors will be followed by others, who will map the country lying across the boundary line.

St. John, N. F., August 4.—A shortage of 41,000 barrels in flour imports to this colony, as compared with the normal, is shown at the end of the seventh month of the present year. If this rate is continued the shortage for the year will be 72,000 barrels and the supply during the long winter will be scanty. The food situation is made somewhat more hopeful by the fact that an enormously increased acreage of potatoes has been grown in Newfoundland this year. It is expected that the new Food-Control Board will soon announce measures for the regulation of the food supply.

New York, Aug. 7.—About 1,500 tons of copper ingots and bar lead were salvaged from the stranded Kristianiafjord, of the Norwegian-American Line, before it was swept away in a storm July 29, according to a report made to-day by a wrecking tug that returned from Cape Race, Nfld., after an unsuccessful attempt to save the ship, which went ashore there July 15. The Kristianiafjord was bound for Norway.

London, Aug. 7.—The admiralty learns that a German submarine yesterday attacked a Spanish fishing boat in the neighborhood of Bilbao, Spain, within Spanish territorial waters. Two of the crew were severely wounded.

Amsterdam, Aug. 7.—The German submarine U-30, accompanied by two Dutch torpedo boats, to-day entered the waters of the Netherlands fishing town of Massilia, ten miles west of Rotterdam, according to a dispatch to the Handelsblad. It is understood that the U-30 merely is awaiting better weather.

Advertisement for Lantic Sugar. Features an illustration of a woman in a kitchen. Text: "You can keep the fine natural color in Raspberry Preserves... Lantic Sugar... Pure and Uncolored... Long cooking fades raspberries. You can avoid this by using LANTIC SUGAR which dissolves instantly on account of its 'FINE' granulation. LANTIC is the best sugar to use for all preserving on account of its purity and high sweetening power. LANTIC is a pure cane sugar equally good for the table, for general cooking and for preserving. 10, 20 and 100-lb. sacks; 2 and 5-lb. cartons. ORDER FROM YOUR GROCER BY NAME IN THESE FULL PICTURE ORIGINAL PACKAGES. PRESERVING LABELS FREE—Send us a red ball trade-mark cut from a bag or carton and we will send you a book of 54 really gaudy printed labels. Atlantic Sugar Refineries, Limited Power Building, Montreal 147"

Advertisement for Stickney's Wedgwood Store and A.E. O'Neill's Millinery. Text: "STICKNEY'S Wedgwood Store ESTABLISHED 1844 is showing a fine collection of Copeland Spode. A large variety in Aynley China. Complete line in Queen Mary Chintz China. Royal Corona plates, bowls, jugs, with the Klites decoration. G. HAROLD STICKNEY DIRECT IMPORTER AND RETAILER Advertise in the Beacon" and "A.E. O'NEILL'S FOR MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS Water St. ST. ANDREWS Advertise in The Beacon"

Advertisement for Red Ball Beverage. Text: "WARM AND THIRSTY? DRINK RED BALL BEVERAGE The new summer drink with a taste of its own—sparkling, creamy and smooth, it is drawn from Nature's own garden—a wonderfully skillful blending of natural thirst quenching products. In homes, at outings—everywhere thirsty folks gather together, it is winning a ruling preference. Red Ball Beverage is made to comply with the provisions of Chapter 20 of Acts of 1916, of the Province of New Brunswick, and does not contain more than two per cent. by weight of proof spirits. ASK FOR IT EVERYWHERE Simeon Jones, Limited St. John, N.B."

Advertisement for H. J. Burton & Co. Text: "Our Store is Remarkably Free From Flies. Does This Mean Anything To You? H. J. BURTON & CO. Groceries, Fruits, Bread, Summer Drinks."

Advertisement for H. O'Neill's Up-to-Date Market. Text: "H. O'NEILL UP-TO-DATE MARKET Dealer in Meats, Groceries, Provisions, Vegetables, Fruits, Etc. ST. ANDREWS, N. B."

Advertisement for The Toilet. Text: "THE TOILET SPONGES All Shapes and Sizes Soft and Tough. SOAPS THE FINEST of Every Description. BRUSHES Nail, Hair, Flesh and Tooth. All of the finest quality of material. Prices very low considering. Preparations for the teeth, skin and hair. Everything for the Bath and Toilet. We invite you to make this YOUR Drug Store. ST. ANDREWS DRUG STORE COCKBURN BROS., Props. Cor. Water and King Streets Advertise in The Beacon"

PONTARLIER TO

COMMENT est R... at Pontarlier, on... of the Franco-Swiss border... was reading the paper... which announced my pass... the countries of the Centre... Germany such an array... would have land... considerable difficulties. We... hand the inspector passed... man who passed the O. K... baggage. It was courtesy... By this I knew I was in... Also by the bread in the... rant and the butter. It is... say you don't care about... when you can get every... want. But when butter... for a year of came's-hair... pleading with goodness... been consistently mulatto... for a similar term, you... real fluffy, crusty French... some real sweet butter... guarantees as to your beh... French people have an... intuitive sympathy. I... patted me on the shoulder... "Do not hurry, my... plenty more of them, but... plenty more! It is what... got to believe. Even now... doing disappearing magic... balls and sugar cubes of... stocked households. I find... sag rolls against a rule... of any event, to give the... in the street of a Balkan... fer good wheat bread... depreciated paper currency... My travelling companion... guarantees as to your beh... soon as he had a 'free... care what it costs, so lo... The fact of the matter was... lunch cost much less than... American lunch-room, the... is the food situation of... shell. You can eat cheap... the Avenue de l'Opera th... Broadway.

At Pontarlier we had... into our first-class coupe... franc to the obliging... hoped that, in spite of the... panes, which let in the... snow, we would be able... to Dijon without disturba... and all around us, radi... darkness, was the gentle... It gave me a strange thrill... first time in almost a year... where you could think an... felt and have the right ha... thrust out at you. Sudden... reflections were interrupt... pulled up at a little w... tremendous hullabaloo... stamping of feet, profan... angry pouncing on the de... apartment. Screeches, in... other emphatic expressio... very ardent desire to get... the blind and faced what... less mob of polles in gray... "We are locked in... protested; "otherwise... afford me greater pleas... company."

The conductor was the... forth from hiding and m... door.

"But, gentlemen," obje... from Sauckershausen, "th... compartment."

A mighty roar went up... whole democracy of Fran... been made articulate with... "But there are no m... France!"

Then they came pouri... partment, tramping on o... grimy elbows into our eye... laps, dirty, muddy, filthy... humor and gaudy and... woman, with two little t... almost too sleepy to hold... by some mischance was... with them. Instantly, a... seats were vacated, hand... out to lift up the little o... them comfortably, and fr... sweetmeats produced fo... tion. Then a grizzled o... out of the trenches, setti... place and permission to fi... having asked beginning o... utterance to the keynot... temporary France.

"Aha!" said he, "enfi... chez nous."

It is what the whole... people says to-day, "at h... country, free, after a fort... to call its soul its own... chez nous."

Most of the men permit... going from the trenches... turning to them. It was... tell the two categories ap... Opposite me, and next to... girls, sat a young Alpin... gouldn't have been more... the most. He was goi... trenches. The lights of h... reflected in his eyes. He... the time at his little neig... devoured her with his eye... secret of what he held in... is the touching French... the young soldier boy this... side symbolized the home... and might not see again... he reached out his hand... ing her hair softly, and... until we had to get out... Later I saw him sitting di...

