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PROBS—UNSETTLED

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COMPLETE SUCCESS FOR RUSSIANS IN THE DNEISTER DISTRICT AFTER SIX DAYS' FIGHTING

FALL OF LEMBERG IMMINENT BUT VICTORY FOR ENEMY WILL BE AT GREAT COST

Czar's Forces, Victorious in Dniester District, Take 3,000 Prisoners.

ALLIES CONTINUE TO ADVANCE IN WEST.

London Hears Reports of Fall of Galician Capital But No Confirmation — Russian Leaders Still Optimistic About Situation in East.

London, June 23, 2.45 a. m.—A despatch to the Central News from Petrograd gives the following Russian official communication, made public Tuesday:

"In the Dniester district a complete success has been attained after six days of fighting near Snowidow. The Russians captured over three thousand prisoners.

"On the Zaleskiy front during the night of the 20th, and after fierce fighting, the Russian troops captured two thousand prisoners."

Fall of Lemberg Imminent.

Petrograd, June 22, via London.—With the Russians opposing their Austro-German antagonists on a line six miles from Lemberg, according to the most recent information reaching Petrograd, it is unofficially considered here that the evacuation of the Galician capital cannot now be avoided without a sacrifice of men out of proportion to the strategic importance of the place.

The evacuation of Lemberg as a base already has been contemplated in good order. The hospitals and the government institutions have been removed.

The Russian positions before the city, consisting of a comprehensive system of trenches and entanglements, are well calculated to make the victory of the German allies costly. The positions, however, are not regarded by Russian military observers as impregnable on account of the absence of any elevations commanding the district from which it would be possible to employ artillery effectively.

To the north the Austro-Germans are reaching positions evacuated by them in September on the roads to Rakowka, Ruska and Tomaszow, seemingly intent upon capturing Tarnow, the railway junction which controls communication between Lemberg and Russia.

The Russians, according to reports reaching Petrograd, are successfully driving the Austro-Germans along the Dniester river.

Allies Still Gaining in West.

London, June 22, 10.36 p. m.—French gains in the west and the battle for Lemberg are the only struggles that can be isolated as distinctive during the present stage of the warfare. Many unconfirmed reports have reached London that Lemberg has already fallen to the Austro-Germans, and despatches from Petrograd indicate that the evacuation of the Galician capital by the Russians may be looked for at any time.

In the Vosges the Germans have retreated to the east bank of the Fecht, according to their own admission, but they assert that all French attacks have been repulsed.

The fighting around Arras continues to be desperate and sanguinary, the Germans counter-attacking to offset the recent French gains. A wireless despatch from Berlin says: "Neutral reports declare that the battle raging near Arras may decide the fate of Northern France. The French are very strong, but the Germans are continuously receiving reinforcements. The losses on both sides are fearful."

The House of Commons today adopted a measure designed to check supplies reaching Germany through neutral states. The bill, when it becomes a statute, may have a marked effect on American exports.

The feature of the new war loan to be issued by Great Britain, enabling the general public to invest as low as five shillings, bids fair to prove immensely popular, several firms announcing that they will purchase these vouchers for all their workmen as a nest egg towards savings.

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Another Step to Prevent Enemy Getting Supplies Thro' Neutral Countries

British Commons Passes Bill. Prohibiting Export of Goods to Holland Unless Consigned to Netherlands Overseas Trust

London, June 22.—An order-in-council is about to be issued prohibiting exportation of all goods to Holland except those consigned to the Netherlands Overseas Trust. This is expected to stop the trade now believed to be passing through Holland into Germany.

Announcement to this effect was made in the House of Commons today by Capt. E. G. Pretyman, Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade. Exportation of goods to the Netherlands Overseas Trust would be equivalent to a guarantee that no goods, either in the form received or in a subsequent form would reach a country hostile to Great Britain.

Mr. Pretyman made the announcement in introducing the "Customs Exportation Restriction Bill." He explained that a partial arrangement with the Netherlands Trust had been in operation for some time, and that the British consul had made a favor-

able report thereon. He added that the sooner trade now passing through Holland to Germany was stopped the better it would be for the interests of England. The bill would enable the extension of similar control over the exports to other neutral countries.

Provision is made in the bill for a fine of £2,500 or imprisonment for two years for violation of its terms. Consignors and shippers will be equally responsible.

Mr. Pretyman said it was proposed not only to regulate the number of consignments exported, but to keep a careful record of the amount of each article going to certain countries and to prohibit further exportation immediately it appeared that more of any article was going to any country than could normally be consumed there. A special committee will be appointed to deal with licenses for exporting cotton. Mr. Pretyman said all cotton products would be on the prohibited list. The bill passed all its stages.

Japanese Troops Kept From Joining the Allies Because U. S. Objected?

Hague Newspaper Says 300,000 Men Ready to Go to Europe But Washington Hinted Expedition Would be Undesirable

The Hague, via London, June 22.—The Handelsblad, in its edition of today, asserts that Japan has been prevented from sending 300,000 troops to Europe as the result of an unofficial hint to Great Britain from Washington that such an expedition would be undesirable.

The newspaper declares that a Japanese army of that strength was landed in Manchuria, where it was exercising preparatory to departure for the European battlefield, but that Great Britain, after receiving the intimation from the United States, informed Tokio that she was "sorry, but under America pressure, must request that the Japanese government do nothing further concerning the despatch of an expeditionary corps to Europe."

"After this," the Handelsblad concludes, "the Japanese army disappeared from Manchuria, probably much to the relief of Great Britain, which has never desired Japanese participation in the fighting in Europe."

Washington Silent on the Subject.

Washington, June 22.—Government

officials tonight heard, without comment, of the article published in the Handelsblad, asserting that an unofficial hint from Washington to London blocked plans of Japan for sending an expedition of 300,000 men to participate in the European war.

Neither confirmation nor denial of the story was to be had. It is known that there were exchanges between the American and British governments while the recent Japanese-Chinese negotiations were in progress, but their nature was kept secret at the time and officials are not inclined now to discuss what took place at that critical period.

The United States know that Japan had at least 100,000 men in Manchuria when she was waiting for China's reply to her demands. It was generally understood here, however, that the army was there for effect upon China, and to be ready for actual service in the event of a rupture between Tokio and Peking.

All reports from Tokio have indicated that Japan has not been called upon for an European expedition, and has not considered sending one.

Turks' Courage Failed At Critical Moment

Bombarded Allies Positions and Massed for Attack but Lost Nerve—Fifth Royal Scots and Company of Worcester Regiment Attacked Enemy and Inflicted Heavy Losses.

London, June 22.—"Between seven and eight o'clock in the evening of June 19," says an official communication from the headquarters of the Mediterranean expeditionary force, "the Turks expended some 450 high explosives on our left and centre trenches, and were seen massing for an attack. The enemy's heart failed them, and the attack degenerated into a fire action."

"At seven thirty o'clock one of our brigades attacked a Turkish trench, but were unsuccessful, and the Turks in counter-attacks effected a lodgment

in their lines at an awkward salient captured by us on the fourth. As the brigade was unable to recover the lost trenches, the Fifth Royal Scots, assisted by a company of the Worcester Regiment, came to their help. This attack was ably organized and brilliantly carried out a successful issue.

"Prisoners state that the Turks expected that their bombardment, with high explosives, would have cleared us out altogether, and were much disappointed at so little impression being made, thought the trenches were much damaged."

OUTSTANDING TREASURY BILLS ALL REDEEMED

Dominion Government Yesterday Paid Bills Amounting to Million Pounds Matured in London.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, June 22.—The Dominion government has redeemed this month three million pounds of treasury bills matured due in London. Of this amount £2,000,000 was paid on June 21st, and £1,000,000 today. These bills were issued on the London market in November last.

No further Dominion treasury bills are at present outstanding.

C.P.R. LOAN UNNECESSARY AT PRESENT

Finances Sufficiently Secure Sir Thomas Shaughnessy Says — May be One at Later Date

London, June 22.—Sir Thomas Shaughnessy expresses satisfaction with the results of his visit, and though denying that he has been arranging any emigration scheme after the war, he expects that many ex-soldiers will prefer to try a new life, rather than return to their former conditions. While stating that the finances of the C. P. R. were sufficiently secure to prevent the necessity of a loan at present, he appeared to leave room for supposing it was not out of the question that at a later date some such measure might be taken.

DOMINION GOV'T ADVANCED 25 MILLIONS

To Temporarily Finance Purchases Made in Canada by Great Britain and Her Allies.

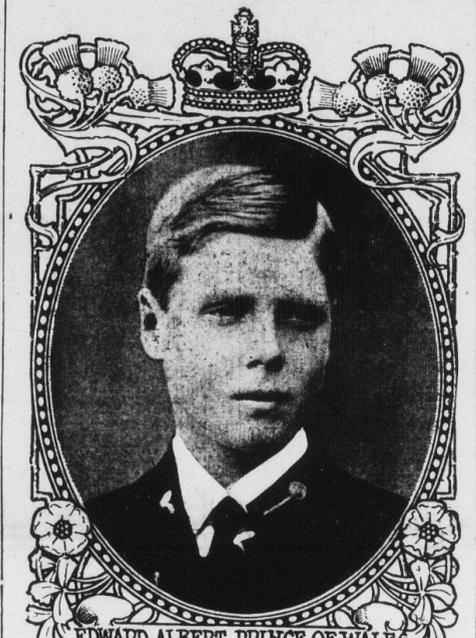
Ottawa, June 22.—A memorandum from the Department of Finance says: "Since the outbreak of war the Dominion government has made advances to temporarily finance purchases made in Canada by the British, French, Russian, New Zealand, and South African governments to a total amount of twenty-five million dollars. Such advances are repaid from time to time by the governments concerned in sterling exchange."

ANOTHER CONTINGENT FROM AUSTRALIA

London, June 22.—"The Commonwealth, Minister of Defence," says the Times' Sydney correspondent, "has received an appeal from the Imperial authorities for as many men as possible. Efforts will be made to raise another contingent, comprising three infantry brigades."

RECOGNITION FOR MEN FROM CANADA WHO FOUGHT SO BRAVELY AT LANGEMARCK

WILL CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY ON EMPIRE'S BATTLEFIELD



Today the Prince of Wales, who is now at the front, attains his majority. At the request of the King there will be no celebration of the occasion. H. R. H. Edward Albert Christian George Andrew Patrick David, Prince of Wales and Earl of Chester, Duke of Cornwall, Duke of Rothesay, Prince of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, Duke of Saxony, Earl of Carrick, Baron of Renfrew, Lord of the Isles and Great Steward of Scotland, K. G., was born on June 23, 1894. He has four brothers: H. R. H. Albert Frederick Arthur George, born December 14, 1895; H. R. H. Henry William Frederick Albert, born March 21, 1900; H. R. H. George Edward Alexander Edmund, born December 20, 1902, and H. R. H. John Charles Francis, born July 12, 1905; also one sister: H. R. H. Victoria Alexandra Alice Mary, born April 25, 1897.

E. H. TURNBULL'S SUGGESTION TO NEW BRUNSWICK SOLDIERS

Acting Agent for this Province in London Tells Standard Representative of Difficulties Encountered in Way of Finding our Boys—How "the Boys" Can Help.

(Special Staff Correspondence of The Standard.) London, June 7.—Mr. E. H. Turnbull, acting representative for New Brunswick in London, has had several cables from the province reading like this:

"My son reported wounded. Kindly see he has best medical attendance. Spare no expense."

Mr. Turnbull is a man of energy and resource, but it is a very difficult matter to locate a wounded man. This is particularly true of the New Brunswick men who came out with the first contingent. Both the New Brunswick and Nova Scotia battalions were broken up to supply drafts for other regiments. They are scattered among a dozen regiments. Some members of the First Canadian Contingent are now attached to British regiments. In these circumstances trying to locate a wounded soldier is often very much like looking for a needle in a haystack.

MR. TURNBULL'S SUGGESTION. The Canadian Record Office is established in the Westminster House. Col. Ward is in charge, and he has a large staff composed mostly of men who have been wounded and discharged from a hospital, but are not yet in shape to be sent back to the front. A strenuous effort is made there to keep a record of the movements of all Canadians; it is a big job. If you want the address of a soldier you visit the Record Office, and fill up a form. In due time, if you wait long enough, you may find out where he was on such and such a date. But that may or may not be his present whereabouts.

Mr. Turnbull suggests that members of other New Brunswick regiments coming out should make a point of keeping in touch with the New Brunswick office at 37 Southampton Street, Strand, London, W. C. "That would only mean dropping the office a postcard once in a while," said Mr. Turnbull. "When they are moved from one place to another, they should send a postcard to this office. Then if anything (Continued on page 2)

Minister of Militia Pays Visit to Troops at Valcartier Camp.

PROMOTIONS FOR LANGEMARCK HEROES

Several Officers Invalided Home and Now Recovered Given Command of New Companies in Recognition of Their Gallant Work in France

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, June 22.—Service at the front will be recognized by General Hughes. Tonight he returned from Valcartier which he visited accompanied by a number of officials who have been invalided home.

On his return he announced a number of promotions. Captain Danseureau who went through Langemarck with Col. Currie, M. P., of the 15th Battalion and who was wounded twice has been given authority to raise a French-Canadian regiment which he will command. Major Kirkcaldy of the 6th Overseas Battalion and who was shot through the chest at Langemarck is to have command of a new Manitoba regiment. Major Naismith who was shot through the right lung and Captain Lowry who was wounded in several places at Langemarck, where both served through the fight with the Tenth Battalion, will be first and second in command of a new Calgary regiment. Major McKinnery who served with the Patricia's and was invalided home will command a new regiment which he will raise in Edmonton. Major Ross of Victoria, who was wounded in the arm at Langemarck with the 18th Overseas will raise and command a regiment from the Pacific coast.

These officers have all recovered from their wounds and are ready to take the field again.

CONCILIATION BOARD FOR C.N.R. DISPUTE

Ottawa, June 22.—A conciliation board has been appointed to deal with the dispute between the Canadian Northern Railway and their engineers and firemen. The employees involved are in the east, and they wish working conditions similar to what obtain on the western divisions.

Judge Coatsworth, Toronto, is to be chairman of the board, and F. H. McCuigan, of Toronto, will represent the company, while M. Campbell, of Winnipeg, will represent the men.

CHICAGO CANADIAN CLUB PROUD OF WORK DONE BY MEN FROM DOMINION

Ottawa, June 22.—Premier Borden has received copies of a resolution adopted at a recent meeting from the Canadian Club of Chicago, expressing "its deep admiration and appreciation of the valor shown by these worthy sons of the Dominion who, at great personal sacrifice, went to the aid of their Mother Country in her hour of need."

The resolution further states: "That the club members, while they would not intrude upon the sorrow and affliction of the families of those who have suffered and died for their Motherland, would fain give expression to the deep sense of personal loss which this club and the members feel, which this club and the members feel, has been sustained by the deaths and afflictions of their brother Canadians."

Lloyd George Expected to Make Important Announcement Today in Connection With War Munitions Situation

GRAND DUKE'S PLANS IN GALICIA SKILFULLY MADE

All Efforts of Enemy to Meet Russians in Pitched Battle Have Been Frustrated by Steady and Carefully Planned Retirement—Only One Surprise in Whole Campaign.

London, June 23, 3.30 a. m.—The Russian leaders continue optimistic over the situation in Galicia, where the German desire to meet and destroy the Russian main forces in a pitched battle has been evaded by steady retirement, not at the bayonet point, but quietly, by night, after due warning and thorough preparation," says the Morning Post's Petrograd correspondent. "The Russian strategy of the past fortnight," the correspondent continues, "was decided on well in advance by the Grand Duke Nicholas and his advisors. The only element of surprise in the German onslaught was the artillery attack, which remains astounding and inexplicable. How any army could fire in a couple of hours a thousand railway carloads of ammunition and continue normal artillery work for weeks afterwards, with similar extraordinary outbursts at frequent intervals, certainly amounts to a military surprise."

ENEMY HAS ARMY OF 4,000,000 MEN BETWEEN BALTIC AND BUKOWINA

London, June 22.—A Reuter despatch from Petrograd says it is estimated that there are two million Austrians and Germans on the one hundred mile front from the Lower Tanew to Mikolajow, and 450,000 along the Dniester front. The number of Germans and Austrians from the Baltic to Bukowina is placed at four million.

FALL OF LEMBERG IS IMMINENT

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The French Official Report. Paris, June 22, (10.24 p. m.)—The following official statement issued by the war office tonight says:

"In the course of the forenoon about fifteen additional shells were fired on Duxirk. Our heavy batteries engaged the enemy's gun which was responsible for that bombardment.

"In the region to the north of Arras the German counter-attack came to an end towards morning. During the day there has been only an artillery action of extreme violence between Souchez and Ecurie.

"In Champagne, near Pertuis, the enemy exploded several mines without result. On the heights of the Meuse, at the Calonne trench, the Germans toward the end of the night made a violent attack for the purpose of recovering the positions which they had lost. They succeeded only in occupying part of their former second line. A counter-attack on our part resulted in almost all of it again falling into our hands.

"The number of prisoners taken in that region since June 20th has reached 220 men and three officers.

"Near Marcheville, in the Woivre, a fierce German attack—half a company—which had as its object the re-occupation of an abandoned trench between the two lines, was dispersed by our fire.

"In Lorraine a German counter-attack, debouching to the east of Leintz, was stopped by our artillery, in the Vosges, between the two branches of the Fecht river, we have continued our advance in the direction of Sondernach."

HON. MR. WILSON SAYS GOOD-BYE TO OFFICIALS

Fredericton, June 22.—Before Hon. John E. Wilson, President of the Executive Council, left for St. John this morning he bade good-bye to a number of officials in the provincial departments, and told them it was probably the last time he would be attending a meeting of the Provincial Government.

Hon. Mr. Wilson's name is very closely associated with the position of Deputy Receiver General at St. John, made vacant by the recent death of Dr. Wetmore, and it is understood that he will very shortly be installed in that office.

Premier Clarke this afternoon said that Hon. Mr. Wilson had not tendered his resignation as a member of the government, but the Premier admitted that the President of the Executive Council had intimated to his colleagues that he might soon retire.

DIED.

MAYES—At her residence, 215 Windsor street, West St. John, on June 21st, after a lingering illness, Jane Keshel Hanson, wife of Samuel S. Mayes, leaving her husband, one daughter and four sons to mourn. Funeral Wednesday at 2.30 p. m. from 215 Windsor street, West St. John.

"BRIDES IN THE BATH" MURDER TRIAL BEGUN

London's Most Sensational Murder Trial Since Crippin Case—Prisoner's Three Victims Found Dead in Bath Tub.

London, June 22.—George Joseph Smith was placed on trial for his life in Old Bailey today. He is charged with the murder of three women, with all of whom he went through the marriage ceremony, and all of whom were found dead in bath tubs under almost identical circumstances.

The case has come to be known throughout the Kingdom as the "Brides in Bath" case, and promises to be the most sensational murder trial here since that of Dr. Crippin.

The proceedings today consisted of the selection of a jury and the opening address of the prosecutor, who related the circumstances of the deaths of Smith's wives, Beatrice Mundy, Alice Burnham and Margaret Lofy.

The details of the brides' death as related by Prosecutor Bodkin, were identical with the evidence given at the preliminary hearing, which was held in the Bow street court on March 23rd and disclosed that Smith, under the name of John Lloyd, married Margaret Lofy at a registry office at Bath in December, 1914. The couple came to London the same day, and the next morning the bride was found dead in her bath. A verdict of accidental death was returned.

Later it was ascertained by the police that Lloyd was not the husband's name, and he was arrested and identified, according to the police, as George Joseph Smith, who in November, 1913, had married, at Portsmouth, Alice Burnham. She had been found dead in her bath a month after the ceremony. His marriage to Beatrice Mundy in July, 1912, was also traced. The prosecutor declared that the motive for the alleged murders was the greed for money, which Smith would obtain from the insurance on the women's lives. In this way, declared Mr. Bodkin, Smith had obtained \$14,000, and was in a fair way to obtain \$3,500 more, when he was arrested.

COL. CURRIE IS IN WALES

London, June 22.—Col. Currie who, according to a Canadian despatch, is invited to return to Canada for the purpose of giving an insight of the actual conditions at the front to officers, is at present in Wales. His health is reported to be poor, and it is doubt-

COMPEL CAPTAIN TO THROW CARGO OVERBOARD

Submarine Commander Orders Norwegian Captain to Jettison Foodstuffs Aboard Under Penalty of Sinking of His Vessel.

Newcastle, Eng., June 22.—The Norwegian mail steamer Venus arrived here today minus the larger part of her cargo which was thrown overboard the captain asserted, under a threat of a German submarine commander that otherwise the Venus would be sunk.

The captain says that the Venus was hailed by the submarine and given the alternative of jettisoning all foodstuffs on board or being sunk to the bottom and that in order to save his boat several hundred cases of butter and many cases of salmon and other tinned fish were consigned to the sea. The remainder of the freight on the Venus, consisting of wood, was permitted to remain on board.

This is the first time that a German submarine boat is reported to have permitted a vessel to escape under such terms.

DR. SIMPSON SAYS CHARGES ARE FALSE

Nothing Sensational Developed in Yesterday's Hearing of Manitoba Case Before the Royal Commission.

Winnipeg, June 22.—Announcement was made this morning that the government had recommended that the powers of the Royal Commission be extended to take in the charges brought by C. P. Fullerton, K. C., as representing the fourteen private Conservative members, of trafficking between the late and present cabinet ministers. Before the Commission opened this afternoon, however, the Attorney-General, Mr. Hudson, received a letter from Mr. Fullerton, asking that another commission be appointed, as he might wish to put one or more of the present commissioners on the witness stand in connection with his charges.

The present commissioners have been notified of this, and the government, it is understood, will leave it to them to decide whether they want to proceed to investigate these new charges. If they do not, it is believed the government will at once appoint another commission. It appears to be the collective opinion of the cabinet that no delay shall be permitted in opening up the charges laid by Mr. Fullerton.

Hon. R. C. Caldwell was on the stand again this afternoon, and J. R. Coyne, the Crown counsel, continued his line of questions in regard to the caissons and steel contracts.

Nothing sensational was developed in the examination, reiterating his statement that the change from piles to caissons was not decided on until after the contract was let.

Superintendent Padington of the G. N. W. Telegraph Company, handed in another bunch of messages which will be de-coded, and he also filed the receipt he had received from Mr. MacLeod, general manager of the Canadian Northern Railway, for messages taken off the files at Mr. MacLeod's request. The latter is away, and the subpoena has not yet been served, but it is understood he will take the stand next week.

The other outstanding event of the day was the receipt of a cablegram from Dr. Simpson by his attorney, George A. Elliott, to the effect that he is leaving shortly for France for important surgical work under military orders, and that he would not be allowed to return. The charges, he states, whatever they are, are false, and Dr. Simpson is content to leave his case in the hands of Mr. Elliott.

If he is fit to take the voyage. Mr. Richard Reid, Agent-General for Ontario, and Mr. J. M. Clark, who have visited many Canadian wounded in the west of England hospitals, state that all the men express the desire that the Canadians should be grouped together. At present they are scattered in numerous hospitals, so that it is difficult for friends to reach them. The latest phase of the demand for national organization is a suggestion made in the Times by a member of the clergy for a mobilization of faith. Sir Wm. Osler, replying, protests the views of the writer, declaring that the faith worth having in the present crisis has been mobilized in those whose work is made perfect in sacrifice.

NEW PLAN TO SPEED UP OUTPUT OF WAR MUNITIONS

London, June 22.—The preparations for the supply of munitions are making good progress. The National Advisory Committee, representing over fifty trades' unions interested in the making of munitions, has submitted a plan, which has been accepted by the Ministry of Munitions, under which all skilled labor not already engaged in this business will be enrolled for six months for employment wherever they are required in the making of munitions.

E. H. TURNBULL'S SUGGESTION TO NEW BRUNSWICK SOLDIERS

(Continued from page 1) happens, and their people appeal to this office, we would have a better chance of locating them, arranging such help as might be needed, and be in a position to ally, if possible, the anxiety of their parents. When New Brunswick boys, on a holiday drop into this office I try to impress on them the desirability of keeping in touch with this office for their parents' sake as well as their own. I can't say I have been particularly successful in impressing the boys. But I am satisfied the idea is a good one, and should be given publicity. The agent-generals of the other provinces are up against the same thing; they are appealed to by cable to see that a son or brother or husband has every care, and in most cases it takes a long time to locate the wounded man. They also are trying to impress upon the soldiers from their provinces the desirability of keeping in touch with their London offices.

AT LEAST ONE WHO FOLLOWED THE SUGGESTION.

"Of course the soldiers are kept pretty busy; time does not hang heavily on their hands. But it is not a great matter to drop a post-card to this office. Personally I would prefer a letter. A week or so ago a son of Tom Bell was in here. Of course I was glad to see the son of an old friend, and I told the boy he should keep this office informed of his movements for his father's sake if not for his own, because I know very well if the lad was wounded his father would cable this office to see that he had the best of care. Well, I had a letter from the lad the other day; he gave me all the information I suggested he should, and also some information about his life in camp that I found very interesting. That lad will, I believe, follow my advice, and keep this office informed about his movements. If The Standard can do anything to bring to the attention of members of other New Brunswick battalions the desirability of keeping in touch with this office it will help this office to do a work that is expected of it, and may help the soldiers themselves."

COLIN MCKAY.

PROMOTION FOR WM. CRUIKSHANK

Appointed Deputy Provincial Treasurer of New Brunswick in Succession to Late Geo. N. Babbitt.

Fredericton, June 22.—William Cruikshank, formerly of St. John, has been appointed Deputy Provincial Treasurer, to succeed the late George N. Babbitt, S.I.S.O. He has been assistant for several years and acting official since Mr. Babbitt's death. He is also private secretary to Governor Wood.

MONTREAL HIGHLANDERS UNDER CANVAS

London, June 22.—The 42nd Battalion of Highlanders from Montreal are now under canvas on St. Martin's Plain, Shorncliffe. Lieut. Col. Cantlie informed the Montreal Gazette correspondent that they had an excellent voyage, and that all were well. The Highlanders were accompanied by a company of the 37th Battalion and three troops of the Canadian Mounted Rifles, the latter having joined the Mounted Rifles at Canterbury. The First Brigade of the Mounted Rifles, in three regiments, who have also arrived, are at Shorncliffe.

GEN. FRENCH RECOMMENDS FIFTY-EIGHT WOMEN FOR GALLANTRY IN WAR ZONE

London, June 22.—The valuable and heroic assistance which women are rendering the British armies in fighting the Germans is recognized in a despatch from Gen. French, just published here. In the despatch Gen. French includes among the names of those "recommended for gallantry and distinguished service in the field" 58 women connected with various branches of the military nursing service and of the Red Cross.

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KELLY-GANNAVAN WEDDING AT CALAIS

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, N. B., June 22.—Frederick Kelly, a popular clerk in the Oak Hall shoe department, and Miss Rheta M. Gannavan, daughter of Mrs. Thomas Gannavan, of Tower Hill, were united in marriage at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Calais, at an early hour this morning in the presence of a large gathering of friends and relatives. Rev. Father Pettit officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Mercedes Gannavan while John Lee supported the groom. At the conclusion of the ceremony the happy couple and invited guests motored to the home of the bride's mother at Tower Hill where a sumptuous repast was served.

BANKS LIKELY TO DO THE FINANCING

Report that Dominion Will Issue Currency Against One Year Russian Notes for Purchase of War Munitions is Denied.

Ottawa, June 22.—There is no foundation for the report from Toronto that Canada will issue currency against one year Russian notes in connection with the purchase by the Allies of munitions of war in this country. The view here is that any financing necessary to such transactions will be done by the banks, under the provisions of the Bank Act and not by the issue of Dominion currency.

FINAL DAY for "THE SPOILERS"

ONE SHOW AT MATINEE, TWO AT NIGHT. IMPERIAL'S BIG HIT!

Have You Read What the St. John Papers Have Said About This Masterpiece? DON'T MISS SEEING IT TODAY! MATINEE EXTRAS: Stanley & Lambert, Virginia Underwood, Hearst-Seig Weekly, Prices 10c and 15c. EVENING PRICES: Upstairs . . . All 10c, 10 Rows Orchestra . . . 25c, Balance of Orchestra . . . 15c, Boxes, as usual . . . 25c. 400 SEATS AT 25c (NIGHT), RESERVE CHECKS.

NEW SHOW ON THURSDAY! "The stolen Ruby"—2-Part Kaleid. "Foot and Peasant"—Arthur Johnston Play. Hearst-Seig Weekly and Comedies. NEW VAUDEVILLE ON THURSDAY. Singer and Orchestra.

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London, June 2—7 maid A. J. Warnefor tenant of the Aviation killed on June 17 of France, was buried cemetery, with full green 40,000 and 50 at the cemetery. Division furnish the cemetery and a gave the last salute.

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MEMORY OF LT. WARNEFORD IS HONORED

Remains of aviator interred at Brompton cemetery in presence of thousands.

London, June 22.—The body of Reginald A. J. Warneford, the young lieutenant of the Aviation Corps, who was killed on June 17 during a flight in France, was buried today at Brompton cemetery, with full naval honors. Between 40,000 and 50,000 persons gathered at the cemetery. The Royal Naval Division furnished an escort to the cemetery and a firing party which gave the last salute at the grave.

MEMBERS MAY SERVE GRATIS DURING WAR

Suggested in British Commons that members relinquish salaries until struggle is ended.

London, June 22.—The voluntary relinquishment of their salaries by members of the House of Commons for the period of the war was suggested in the House today by Sir Arthur Markham, Liberal, Premier Asquith promised to consider the question, although he said he thought it was a matter for the House itself to decide. Mr. Markham's plea was based on "the necessity of economy and retrenchment in all branches of the public service," but he said he was willing that members with private incomes less than \$2,000 should continue to draw the emolument of \$2,000 paid to members of the House.

DESIRE FOR SNAPSHOTS LANDS HIM IN JAIL

Wireless operator in jail in default of payment of fine for using camera within war zone.

London, June 22.—Stanley Russell, wireless operator on the American steamer Satsuma, is in jail at Newcastle on account of his inability to pay a fine of \$125, to which he was sentenced for using a camera within a restricted area. The captain of the Satsuma appealed today to the American Consul at Newcastle to endeavor to obtain the operator's release.

GERMAN AMBASSADOR TO SOFIA IS IN BERLIN FOR CONFERENCE

Berlin, June 22, via London (9 p. m.)—The German minister at Sofia, Bulgaria, arrived in Berlin today for a conference at the Foreign office. He will return soon to his post.

SIR JOHN EATON SENDS HIS CHEQUE FOR \$100,000

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, June 22.—The Minister of Finance has received from Sir John Eaton a cheque for \$100,000 contributed by him towards the equipment of a machine gun section. The Prime Minister has written Sir John expressing the appreciation of the government for his generous and patriotic contribution.

THREE WEEKS' FIGHTING DAY AND NIGHT AGAINST GREAT ODDS CROWNED BY VICTORY

Battle for Possession of "The Labyrinth" a Persistent Attack on Strongly Defended Positions and Against Equally Strong Resistance—Men Fought Bareheaded and in Shirt Sleeves With Hot Sun Beating Down on Them.

Paris, June 22.—The fighting from May 30 to June 19, resulting in the conquest by the French of the system of works and trenches which the soldiers call "the Labyrinth" is described today in a despatch from an official observer at the front. The Labyrinth, lying between Neuville and Bourlie, formed a salient of the German line and its position, a strong one, was greatly reinforced from time to time. "French attacks on May 9 and days thereafter failed to modify the situation," the observer writes. "At the end of May the French decided to finish things and the order was given to take 'The Labyrinth' inch by inch. "This meant an operation of two principal phases, of different nature. It was necessary first by well prepared and vigorous assaults to get a footing in the enemy organization; and then to progress to the interior of the communicating trenches, in repulsing the enemy step by step. These two operations lasted more than three weeks and resulted in complete success. "The debouché must have been difficult, as numerous German batteries, composed of 77-millimetre guns, the 150, 210, 280 and even 365 millimetre guns, concentrated their fire on us. They were stationed at Givenchy, at La Poile, at Thelus, Farbus and Beaurains, south of Arras. Nevertheless, our men understood and prepared to do their duty. It was May 29 that the assaults began, our regiments marching out from different points. Their ardor was admirable. "Everywhere, except on the right, we captured the first line. Behind this were a great number of barbed wire and fortlets. We took some of these while others stopped us. One hundred and fifty prisoners, surprised in their holes by the furious charge of the French infantry, fell into our hands. "From this moment the war of the communicating trenches began. There were the trenches of Von Kluck, of Eulenburg, and of the Salle Des Fêtes, without counting innumerable numbered works, giving a feeling of unbroken difficulties which our troops had to overcome.

"Without a stop from May 30 to June 17, they fought on this ground, full of big holes and filled with dead. The combat never ceased, either day or night. The attacking elements, constantly renewed, crushed the Germans with hand grenades and demolished their earth barricades. There was not an hour of truce nor an instant of repose. The men were under a sun so hot in the trenches that they fought bareheaded and in their shirt sleeves. "On each of these bloody days there were acts of incomparable heroism. From three sides at a time we attacked where the Germans had dug, ten metres underground, formidable shelters. The enemy artillery continued firing on our line without interruption. Our reserves suffered, for in this upturned earth, where every blow from the pick-axe could disinter a body, one can prepare but slowly the deep shelters which the situation demands. "We lost many men, but the morale of the others was unshaken. The men asked only one thing—to go forward and fight with grenades, instead of waiting guns in hand, the unceasing fall of shells. "They were hard days, and it was necessary constantly to carry to the fighting men munitions and food, and especially water. Everybody did his best, and we continued our success. Little by little our progress, indicated by a cloud of dust resulting from the combat of the grenades, brought us to an extremely north of the Labyrinth. The fighting continued in the Eulenburg and other trenches daily, and ultimately the Labyrinth belonged to us. "The Germans lost an entire regiment. We took a thousand prisoners. The rest were killed. A Bavarian regiment also was decimated. "Our losses were two thousand men, among whom many were slightly wounded. "The resistance was as fierce as the attack. Despite the nature of the ground and the organized defenses, which had been in preparation for seven months, and despite the artillery, the bomb-throwers and the quick-firers, we remained the victors."

PEACE RUMORS GIVEN DENIAL IN BERLIN

Frankfort, Germany, June 22, via London.—The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes an inspired article from Berlin denying positively rumors which are being circulated in certain quarters of Berlin that negotiations are under way looking to the conclusion of peace with Russia. According to these rumors, Russian emissaries of high birth visited Berlin and the headquarters at the front. These reports even mentioned the conditions under which it was said Russia wished to make peace. The Berlin correspondent of the Zeitung says he is in a position to state there is not a word of truth in these reports; that no Russian emissaries of any sort have visited Berlin, and that no attempts have been made to get in touch with German official circles for the initiation of such negotiations. The same positive denial is given to rumors of peace proceedings which were circulated following the recent peace conference of the International Congress of Women at The Hague.

YORK CIRCUIT COURT IN SESSION

Fredericton, June 22.—York nisi prins sittings of the Supreme Court opened today. Hon. Justice McKeown presiding. The civil docket comprised five cases, two of which arose out of the total destruction by fire some time ago of the residence of Tyler Kitchen at Kingsclear, and damage likewise to one of Lemuel Kitchen's barns. Messrs. Kitchen have entered separate suits against the Hubbard Company, Limited, sub-contractors on the St. John Valley road, the claim being that damage was done by a spark from a locomotive on the construction work of the road. Mr. Tyler Kitchen's claim is for \$3,500, and Mr. Lemuel Kitchen estimates his loss at from \$150 to \$200. There are two trespass cases, in one

PETITCODDING BRIDGE CONTRACT AWARDED

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 22.—The provincial government this afternoon awarded the contract for the substructure for the new bridge across the Petitcodding river at Moncton to the Engineers and Contractors, Limited, who have offices in St. John, and have also carried on extensive work in Nova Scotia. The contract price is \$197,000, and work will be undertaken immediately.

BERLIN PAPER MUST SUSPEND PUBLICATION

The Berlin Tages Zeitung silenced by authorities on account of article on German-American Relations.

Berlin, June 22.—The German authorities today informed the administration of the Berlin Tages Zeitung that it would have to suspend publication for an indefinite period of time, on account of the recent article published by this paper on the subject of German-American relations from the pen of Count Von Reventlow. The action of the German authorities is regarded here as an indication that the government is weary of seeing its relations with America made more strained by journalistic outpourings, such as those of Count Von Reventlow. The article in question followed the well known lines of that writer, who asserted that international laws must be disregarded in the conduct of submarine warfare. He declared that these laws were made before submarines were invented.

MEMORANDUM BEING SENT TO WASHINGTON

Foreign Office explains efforts being made to mitigate inconveniences suffered by neutral traders.

London, June 22.—The Foreign Office delivered today to Ambassador Pazo, for transmission to Washington, a memorandum explanatory of efforts being made by the British government to mitigate the hardships suffered by neutral traders on account of the Order-in-Council and other war measures affecting their interests. The memorandum, although not a reply to the American contraband note, gives a summary of the measures adopted by Great Britain with a view to enforcing, with as little friction as possible, her policy of shutting off Germany from the rest of the world. The Foreign Office sets forth methods whereby neutrals may trade without coming into conflict with these regulations. The text of the note will not be published here until it is given out in Washington.

ANCHOR LINE OWNERS DENY STORY OF ESCAPE FROM SUBMARINE

Cameronia's passengers, however, corroborate story that liner attempted to ram undersea craft.

London, June 22.—The Anchor Line, owners of the steamship Cameronia, which is reported to have had a narrow escape from a submarine in the Irish Sea on her voyage from New York to Liverpool, denied today that the vessel had encountered any underwater craft. Passengers on the Cameronia, however, corroborated the story told yesterday by Peter Fletcher of New York, who asserted the Cameronia attempted to ram a submarine. Carrol Winslow of New York declared that two submarines were seen near the vessel. The Cameronia attempted to ram one of them, Mr. Winslow said, and went over the underwater craft, which came up broadside to the liner. Before it could get into position to fire a torpedo, he said, the liner left it far astern. Mr. Winslow told his story at the American Consulate, and protested against what he considered the failure to give needed protection to the vessel so near the British coast.

KING GEORGE PINS "V.C." ON SGT. O'LEARY

Hero of famous charge of British at Cuiuehy received coveted decoration from His Majesty in person.

London, June 22.—Sergeant Michael O'Leary, of the Irish Guards, went to Buckingham Palace today and received the personal congratulations of King George, who pinned the Victoria Cross on the soldier's breast. O'Leary won this, the most coveted of the British military decorations, during the winter campaign in France. According to the official account, O'Leary formed one of a storming party at Cuiuehy. As the party was advancing against the German trenches O'Leary pushed to the front and killed five Germans, who were holding the first barricade, which he captured, after killing three more Germans and taking two other prisoners. The official report added that O'Leary virtually captured the German position by himself, and prevented the remainder of the attacking party from being fired on.

ITALIANS LEAVE PANAMA TO JOIN THE COLORS

Lima, Peru, June 22.—A group of 250 Italians are to leave here Thursday, June 24, by way of the Panama Canal for Italy. They constitute the first contingent of Italians who returned from Peru to take part in the war. Of which Charlotte county people are interested, and in the other of which Gilbert Smith of Oromocip, claims damages from Fred Phillips, of Tracy Station.

BUMPER WHEAT CROP IN ITALY THIS YEAR

Harvest expected to yield 29,396,000 bushels more than in 1914. No yearly comparisons are given for other grains, but it is estimated that Italy's crop this year will total 4,724,000 bushels; barley, 9,186,000, and oats, 31,900,000. For Japan, the report indicates a wheat crop of 23,671,000 bushels, and barley 97,510,000. The condition of wheat and oats in Scotland for 1915 is estimated at 100; for barley in Ireland 105; and oats 101. The figure "100" represents an average yield an acre.

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ASKS GOV.-GEN. TO APPOINT A COMMISSION

Winnipeg, June 22.—In an editorial occupying the entire front page, set in display type in two columns, the Telegram (Conservative) calls on the Governor-General to appoint a Royal Commission to deal with the Manitoba situation. The argument is based on the assumption that the Royal Commission at present existing into the parliament building contracts has decided that its powers do not permit it to deal with the Fullerton charges. It says in part: "The government's announced intention to extend the scope of the present Commissioner's investigation, therefore, will not meet with public approval, and will not stimulate public confidence. No members of the old government, nor their counsel, could be expected to be impartial and volunteer information. Neither could a member of the new government be expected to compromise himself by assisting the investigation, should the charges prove well founded. The Lieutenant-Governor, named by Mr. Fullerton as a material witness, could not be expected to facilitate a really complete investigation if he believes himself involved. And, lastly, the bringing in the name of Chief Justice Howell must seriously embarrass his brothers of the Manitoba bench. "All these considerations," says the Telegram, "lead directly to the conclusion that the complete investigation cannot safely be left within the discretion of the very men whose conduct is being examined."

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

THE WAR SITUATION

Petrograd now, unofficially, admits that Lemberg, Galicia, is likely to fall into the hands of the Austro-German armies but, from all accounts, it will be an empty climax to a campaign which must have brought terrible losses to the enemy. The Russians, it is said, have already caused the government offices and hospitals to be removed from the Galician city while holding the enemy on a line a few miles distant. Probably the stand which is being made on that line has been undertaken with the idea of gaining time for the removal of what military supplies remained in Lemberg, although the statement that the Russian army had ceased to use that city as a base would indicate that much of this material has already been transferred to new ground.

Even though the Russians lose Lemberg, it must be remembered that they have put up a great fight against odds; not only have they faced armies which one report estimates at 4,000,000 men, but they have suffered the added handicap of inadequate communication with their supply centres. Yet in spite of this we are told that in the vicinity of Rawka-Ruska the Germans are occupying territory from which they withdrew in September last.

Pessimists may argue that this statement shows that the whole effect of the Russian winter campaign has been overcome by the enemy. Such an argument would not meet the case. While the Russians have lost territory it should be remembered that they engaged the attention and activities of the largest portion of the German and Austrian armies while the British and French have been enabled to gather force on the western front in readiness for the drive which sooner or later must send the enemy back over his own boundaries.

And Russia is not at all disheartened by the reverse. Her message to her colleagues on the western front is to keep going, to continue hammering at the German lines while she reforms and again advances to the attack. The Tsar's soldiers have shown a wonderful capacity for taking punishment and seem willing to come back for more. The end of the Russian campaign is still far off.

Meanwhile the news from the western front continues to be encouraging. Slowly but surely gains are being made and while the information coming through is meagre all accounts agree that the fighting is of the most desperate character and that the enemy's losses are heavier than our own. So long as the situation continues thus there is nothing to complain of, no reason as to pessimism for the result. This war is to be a war of resources and in the end the Allies must surely win.

THE INCONSISTENT TIMES.

In its zeal to find fault with the Borden Government and to ridicule every member of it, the Times takes Hon. Mr. Hazen's advice to New Brunswick's manufacturers as a peg upon which to hang an attack on the Government on the ground that they are not making the best use of the plants already available for the manufacture of munitions of war. In support of its weak case the Times quotes Canadian Finance, a Winnipeg business journal, which complains because plants equipped to manufacture munitions are idle, waiting for "Made in Canada steel bars from the East." The Winnipeg paper states that steel from the United States could be delivered in Winnipeg, more promptly and more cheaply than from Canadian manufacturers. The Times quotes this approvingly and asks "What have Mr. Hazen and his colleagues to say of this condition of affairs?" Apparently the Times feels that in using Made in Canada steel bars, when a cheaper article could be more promptly procured in the United States, the Borden Government was guilty of an indiscretion sufficiently serious to warrant that newspaper in drawing Mr. Hazen's attention to it. The Times' contention is interesting in the light of the attitude of that newspaper in other days. When the Naval Aid Bill was before parliament one of the arguments advanced in favor of a vote of money to buy or

build dreadnoughts for the Empire was that Canada, being inexperienced in the building of capital warships, could not do the work as cheaply or as quickly as it could be done in the British yards where there were experienced workmen and superior facilities. The Liberals, headed by our own Mr. Pugsley, condemned the idea and tearfully begged that Canadian workmen should be given the opportunity. Today, when the Borden Government is following the line of patronizing Canadian industry wherever possible, the Times finds fault.

There is one difference between the case today and when the Naval Aid Bill was under discussion. In the present instance the article that the Times agrees should be purchased abroad is an article which Canadian workmen have been manufacturing with much satisfaction for some years. Steel bars and similar products have already become the basis of a large Canadian industry. Canada never built a capital warship, and was not equipped with the plant to undertake such a commission. The Times advocated the employment of Canadian industry in 1913 to build warships (never built here); today it declares that steel bars (already manufactured in Canada) should be imported.

That newspaper already holds membership in the chorus of Grit slanderers, maligning the Canadian shoe manufacturers and has aided in working great injury to that industry. Now it is prepared to claim that the product of Canadian steel workers should not be employed in this Empire conflict when the same articles can be procured from the mills of a friendly though neutral nation. Like its more powerful brethren in the Grit newspaper field the Times is prepared to follow any course, advocate any policy no matter how detrimental it may prove to Canada and Canadians, if it can succeed in creating the impression that the Borden Government has done what it should not have done, and left undone the things it should have done.

TO NEW BRUNSWICK SOLDIERS.

Mr. E. H. Turnbull, acting agent for New Brunswick in London, makes the suggestion to Mr. Colin McKay, of The Standard, who is at present in the Empire centre, that soldiers from this province going to Great Britain should keep the New Brunswick office advised of their whereabouts. Mr. Turnbull has had many requests from relatives of New Brunswick soldiers to aid our boys when wounded, but, in some cases, is unable to comply because of difficulty in locating the men.

Of the New Brunswickers with the First Contingent who went to the front, many were transferred to other battalions, some even entering British regiments. Consequently it is not an easy matter to trace them. The New Brunswick agent is willing and ready to do everything in his power to aid the men from this province, but when the huge number of soldiers fighting the cause of Empire is considered, some slight idea of the difficulty of such work can be imagined. If men yet to go to the front would notify Mr. Turnbull of changes in their location, the task of that official would be greatly simplified. The suggestion is worthy of the attention of the men to whom it is addressed.

Congratulations to Mr. William Cruikshank on his appointment to the office of deputy provincial treasurer. Congratulations, too, to the Provincial Government on their wisdom in filling the position by the promotion route. Mr. Cruikshank has been a valuable employee of the Provincial Government and heartily merits the important position to which he has been called. It is understood no appointment will be made to the position in the department vacated by his promotion. The work will be done with one less official than formerly.

When it comes to recruiting, all portions of the British Empire must take their "bats off" to the island of Lewis in the Outer Hebrides. That island, with a total population of 36,000, has sent 6,000 men to the front, or one for every six of population. It is stated that from one village on the

island a father and four sons are at the front, while another village claims to eclipse this record having a father and five sons all in the same regiment.

The suggestion made at that gathering of Methodists in Toronto that "smokes" should not be sent to the soldiers at the front has not met with hearty co-operation in Canadian cities. The suggestion may have had something to commend it, but the occasion of its introduction was, to say the least, inopportune.

If conscription were to be adopted in St. John the officer in charge of the campaign would find some promising material, still clad in "muff," holding up the corners of some of the principal streets, or on the "reserved for ladies" benches in the squares.

Sergeant "Mike" O'Leary can now write "V.C." after his name, he having received that coveted honor at the hands of the King. The general opinion of those who have read O'Leary's exploit will be that never was the honor more genuinely merited.

A statistician has discovered that Canada is training one man out of every fifty-three for participation in the Empire war. In Great Britain the proportion is said to be one in fourteen. Surely Canada can do better.

In four months the arrivals and sailings from British ports numbered 24,142. Another practical proof of the efficiency of the British navy.

Germany declares this war will be fought to a finish, but prudently refrains from specifying whose it will be.

A Hymn of Hate.

The following parody of the German hymn of Hate appears in the Toronto Daily Star, with "no apologies to Herr Lissauer":

Carrots or beets we hate them not,
We love them not, we hate them not.
Of all the things that land on our plate
There's only one that we loathe and hate.

We love a hundred, we hate but one,
And that we'll hate till kingdom come—
Sauer Kraut.

It's known to you all, it's known to you all,
Pilgrims on this terrestrial ball,
Full of vinegar in distress,
Making a most unsavory mess,
Come, let us stand in our eating place,
An oath to swear to, face to face,
An oath of bronze no wind can shake,
An oath for all sons of guns to take,
We will never forego our hate;
We have all but a single hate.

We love as one, we hate as one,
And we'll hate that dish if we do it alone—
Sauer Kraut.

Wienersurst, liverwurst, lazer beer,
Many a time hath given us cheer;
Not so bad if made just right;
Bad to take going to bed at night;
Better by far to lunch in—"The Day."
Then there won't be the devil to pay.
But you we hate with a lasting hate;
We will never forego our hate;
Hate of the stomach and hate of the tongue,
Hate of millions who've choked it down,
Hate the country and hate of the town,
We love a thousand; we hate but one,
And that we'll hate with hate of Hun—
Sauer Kraut.

"Bouquets" for Bryan.

(New York Herald)
Anyway, nobody can accuse either Germany or the Allies of torpedoing this Nebraska. He did it himself.

My, What a Relief!
It begins to look as if Bryan's resignation with the democratic party as a large man would be split by a knife passing under a large wart—Louisville Courier-Journal.

It cannot be said with certainty how the wart feels, but it is known that under such circumstances the man is greatly relieved and consequently happy.

Predetermined
"Oceans" are a better protection than navies," says Mr. Bryan. Being a good Presbyterian, Mr. Bryan will doubtless agree that oceans of grape juice cannot protect a man from making a ninny of himself when Providence has decreed that he shall be one.

With a Great Big S
Instead of a bird of peace Bryan reminds us of a pouter pigeon.—Philadelphia Inquirer.
A Spouter Pigeon!

Odessa's Great Reception of Tsar.

The Tsar has come and gone, and in this greatest city of Southern Russia the Ruler of all the Russias was accorded a magnificent reception, writes the Odessa correspondent of the London Daily Chronicle.

Nichols II. drove through streets that were lined with troops and cheering multitudes. "Long live the Tsar! Long live Russia!" were the cries which everywhere greeted the imperial era.

Gone are the days of distrust and unrest evidently in Southern Russia. The workmen have made common cause in the present war with the

Little Benny's Note Book.

By LEE PAPE
A penny for yure thawts, Willyum Ma sed to pop aftir suppr last nite.

There you have the fate of genius in a nut shell, sed pop, stints the world began, genuses have on by awfered a penny for thare noblest thawts, and wats the result, wy, the result is, to keep frum starving they stop thinking, and the world has to suffer, thats awl.

Awl rite, 2 cents for yure thawts, sed ma.
Ah, thats moar like a purse, sed pop, well, I was thinking how fine and bewtiffil it wud be if everybody spoke in verse. Instead of prose, for instants, to put the saim lofty thawt in a poetical way, O think of the luvly esthetical time, wen peopl address wun anuthir in rime.

It wud be a foolsh way of doing, thats my opnyin, sed ma.
For yure wifely opnyin I have mutch respect, even wen its wisdom I cannot detect, sed pop.
Now, Willyum, dont start, sed ma.
Joy of my friends, pride of my hart, how can I finish if I dont start, sed pop.

Nobody asked you to finish, sed ma.
Things may increase and things may diminish, but everything earthly must have a finish, sed pop.
You woudent be so had if you ony noo wen to stop, sed ma.
Hippity hop, hippity hop, pity the man who knows not wen to stop, sed pop.

I won't try the man that's left alone heer to tawk rimes to himself if you say anuthir-wun of those krazy things, sed ma.
O well, if you'll hand me the evening papir, I'll make this the very last lyrical caper, sed pop.
Yurd better, sed ma. And she handed pop the papir and he startid to read it and ma kept awn embroidirng sum embroidirry.

"Classes" Never before has a Russian ruler received so splendid a public reception as that which Odessa accorded to the Tsar. During his triumphal progress through the streets the Tsar, flinging etiquette to the winds, stood up in his automobile with uncovered head and bowed to the cheering multitude.

At the railway station, amongst the officials, both military and civil, were the member of the Consular Corps, Mr. Roberts, the British Consul General, expressed British appreciation and admiration of the valiant Russian army which had done so much to further the Allied cause. He hoped that the Tsar would long be spared to direct the destinies of the country.

The Tsar, who seemed much touched, replied in English. In a soft, musical voice, with only the slightest trace of a foreign accent, he said:

"I thank you sincerely for what you have said. We do not forget how much we in Russia owe to the brave English and French. We are now on the high road to victory, and with the aid of our British and French Allies, our common cause shall speedily triumph."

In the quadrangle of the railway station the Tsar inspected the troops. It was no perfunctory ceremony. The Emperor, at a brisk pace, walked along the entire front of the massed force, stopping to speak to a general or a private when he had something to say.

Meanwhile the hands rolled out the glorious National Anthem of Russia. But even more impressive was the roar of the soldiers shouting in unison, "Long live the Tsar! Long live the Tsar! Long live our Little Father!"

Then the Tsar made a speech to the officers and men. It was effective to a degree, yet without oratorical, embroidery such as the Kaiser Wilhelm would dearly love on a similar occasion.

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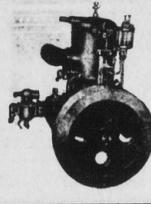
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Sitting will be resumed this morning—The juries and the docket.

Mr. Justice Crockett presided at the June sitting of the Circuit Court which opened yesterday morning. Attorney general Baxter was present. Two criminal cases were presented to the Grand Jury, viz: King vs. William Mulcahey and Russell Kierstead, charged with stealing \$250 from Joe Walsh, and the other case against Mrs. Nellie St. Patrick, charged with stealing \$148 from Rosa Magnol. The Grand Jury returned a true bill against the three defendants. Stanley Brown, charged with assault was committed for trial in the police court yesterday morning and the case will be presented to the Grand Jury this morning at ten o'clock. The civic docket was: Terrell vs. Doodly—F. R. Taylor, K.C. Clement vs. Bank of Nova Scotia—M. and J. Teed.

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FUNERALS.

The remains of Miss Stella M. Estabrooks, daughter of Capt. Estabrooks of Winslow street, Carleton, were taken by the str. Victoria yesterday morning to Upper Gazetteon for burial. Rev. W. H. Sampson accompanied the body. The funeral of Mrs. James Armstrong, Main street, took place after service at her late residence and in Trinity church. Interment in Cedar Hill cemetery. The funeral of Mrs. Emily A. Merrick took place from her late residence, Gilbert's Lane. The Revs. Dr. Raymond and R. T. McKim officiated. Interment was in Fernhill.

PRIZE LISTS

The complete prize list is as follows: The following is the prize list: First scholarship prize, gold medal, G. Burchill; 2nd scholarship prize, silver medal, A. West. Mr. Skelton's prizes for the best averages in examinations—1st, G. Burchill; 2nd, Trites; honorable mention, Gregory. Prize for the best English essay (silver medal presented by the Old Boys' Association)—Germaine. Mr. Leonard's prizes for essays (given through the I. O. D. E.)—1st, S. Burchill; 2nd, Wignetas. Manual Training prizes—1st (presented by H. B. Schofield, Esq.), J. Smith; 2nd, (presented by J. E. Sebold, Esq.), Clowes; 3rd, D. Foster. Form Prizes 4th Form 1st, general proficiency—G. Burchill; 2nd, Trites; 3rd, Turnbull. Bishop's prize for divinity—G. Burchill. Headmaster's prize for mathematics—Trites. Mr. Cooper's prize for Latin and French—Turnbull. 3A Form 1st, general proficiency—A. West; 2nd, Miles; 3rd, Richardson. Bishop's prize for divinity—Miles. Deanship of Fredericton prize for mathematics—A. West. 3B Form 1st, general proficiency, Deanship of

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Samuel Warer, a Roumanian, and who is employed as a window cleaner about the city, was taken into custody on Monday and was charged with stealing a quantity of razors from the recruiting office at the corner of Mill and Union streets. Warer remained in the cells until yesterday when he was taken from the police court. The charge was withdrawn and the man was allowed his liberty. The officer in charge of the recruiting station called at police headquarters and could not identify the razors as the property of the government. Warer admitted taking the razors from the place but stated that he did not think that they belonged to any person there. It is said that a friend of Warer wished him to dispose of the razors and share the receipts, and on Warer refusing to do so the friend informed the police of the affair. The police are holding the razors and making a further investigation in an endeavor to learn who the owners are. It is now thought that perhaps the razors were left in the place by a previous occupant before the recruiting office was opened.

CONGREGATIONAL UNION MEETING

Sixty-eighth annual convention will be held here beginning tonight.

The sixty-eighth annual meeting of the Congregational Union of Nova Scotia and New Brunswick will be held this week in the Congregational church Union street, commencing this evening at 7.45, when an address of welcome will be given by Rev. Ralph J. Haughton, responded to by Rev. C. C. Claris, of Brooklyn, N. S., followed by an address by Rev. W. J. D. Gibson, of Yarmouth, N. S., who will take for his subject The Value of Christian Education and Milltown, in New Brunswick. The delegates from Brooklyn and Beach Meadow have already arrived in the city, but the majority are expected today in time for the opening meeting. Among the speakers will be Rev. C. T. Gunn, D. D., of Toronto, who will deliver an illustrated address on Friday evening, the subject being "Across Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific" and Miss J. Bell, of Chatham, who will address the annual meeting of the Women's Board of Missions on Friday.



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A COSSAR FARM BOY WAS THE VICTIM

Body found on Isle of Pines was that of Henry Dodds.

PERSONAL.

Col. H. H. McLean, commanding officer of the Brigade now training at Sussex and Valcartier, went to Valcartier to inspect the corps assembled there.

Mrs. T. J. Fitzgerald and family and Miss J. Fitzgerald, of Swift Current, are visiting Mrs. Fitzgerald's mother, Mrs. E. T. Wetmore, Lancaster.

Hon. John E. Wilson returned to the city on the Montreal train yesterday.

Gordon Green will leave this morning for Edmundston and vicinity where he will carry on some work in the interests of the Western Union.

Lieut. E. A. Thomas is in the city on a week's leave of absence from Valcartier, where he is with the 6th Canadian Mounted Rifles.

Kennedy McNeill and Douglas White are to leave this week on a motor trip through New Brunswick and Nova Scotia.

Hon. J. D. Hazen returned to Ottawa last evening on the Montreal express.

Rev. Dean Llywd, of Halifax, passed through the city last evening on his way home.

Visiting Sisters From Maine.

Rev. Sisters Gertrude and Bernard, of the Order of Sisters of Mercy, arrived here from Calais on Monday, and are guests at St. Peter's Convent, North End. They plan to remain about a week. Sister Gertrude, who is a native of Portland, Me., is a cousin of J. P. Quinn, Main street, and on the teaching staff of the Catholic school at Houlton, Me. Sister Bernard, who is a native of St. John, is a niece of Jeremiah McCarthy, Broad street, and head nurse at the Madras Memorial Hospital, recently opened at Houlton, Maine.

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CANADIAN CONVENTION SANITARY ENGINEERS

Dominion body in annual session here - Attended Theatre last night, will sail on river today - The Committees in charge of the meetings.

The twentieth annual convention of the Canadian Society Domestic, Sanitary and Heating Engineers opened yesterday morning in McLaughlin Hall, Union street, with a large representation of members from all parts of the Dominion. The president, Geo. S. Dorman, was in the chair. George Blake, president of the St. John local association, extended a hearty welcome to the visiting delegates and hoped that they would enjoy the programme of entertainment provided by the local society. He said this was the first time in the history of the city that the Canadian association had met here and he trusted the visiting members would take the opportunity of seeing the beauties and the history spots of the city and the surrounding country before they left for their homes.

President Geo. S. Dorman thanked the speaker and the members of the local society for the welcome extended to them and for the preparations of entertainment provided by the St. John members.

The provincial vice-presidents are: Alberta, Jas. Marr, Calgary; Manitoba, A. J. Hammond, Winnipeg; Ontario, C. R. Rodway; Saskatchewan, N. B. Roanthe, Swift Current; British Columbia, J. S. Anderson, Vancouver; New Brunswick, D. J. Shea, Fredericton; Nova Scotia, J. E. Goodwin, Halifax; Ontario, F. R. Maxwell, Toronto; P. E. Island, D. R. H. Shaw, Charlottetown; Quebec, John Gordon, Montreal.

The chairman of committees are: Apprenticeship, Geo. Clapperton, Toronto; essay, F. Dexter, Truro, N. S.; heating and ventilating, R. J. Priestly, Edmonton, Alta.; legislative, J. T. Blyth, Ottawa; sanitary, P. C. Ogilvie, Montreal.

The entertainment committee consists of the following gentlemen: George Blake, R. E. Fitzgerald, Frank S. Walker, Wm. J. Crawford, Fred W. Noble, Percy Campbell, Wm. E. Emerson, Jeremiah Buckley, Ed. N. Herington, Daniel Doyle, Wm. R. McInnis, John S. Coughlan, David Peir, George W. Williams, Harry J. Doody, Thomas P. Kane, Kazekial Cotner, John J. McNeally.

The members of the reception committee include D. J. Shea, Ed. Hurley, R. H. O'Brien, Walter Sealiner, Geo. Wandless, all of Fredericton, J. Fawcett and J. P. Pickles, Woodstock; Hugh Marquis and W. H. English, Campbellton; Earl Steeves and H. L. Regan, St. Stephen; Wm. Watson, J. W. McCarthy, and E. N. Brooks, Moncton.

General Business

Edwin Newsome, editor of "The Sanitary Engineer," Toronto, also spoke a few words pertaining to trade and commerce.

Reports were presented by the president, vice-president and the chairman of committees. These reports

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Victoria

C. C. Partlan, Boston, Mass.; J. Truscere, Montreal; Donald Munro, E. R. Teed, Jas. Brimmer, Woodstock; R. A. Malloy, Fredericton; C. C. Giles, New River; S. A. Stafford, Cecil Mabey, Lepreux; Wm. Phinney, R. A. Cook, Macas Bay; J. C. Gillespie, Truro, N. S.; E. S. Townsend, Sussex; G. F. Frankland, Toronto; C. A. Clinton, Digby, N. S.; P. J. Lynch, Cape Breton; A. B. Ivory, Toronto; Mrs. D. J. Shea, F. D. Shea, Fredericton; R. K. Oliver and wife, Brownville; J. E. Crandall, Vancouver; Wm. Armstrong, Lakeville; M. J. Moore, Fredericton; R. J. Jarvis, Moncton; R. Canning, E. Canning, Boston; J. L. Chisholm, Truro; Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dunn, Hampton; C. A. Le Blanc, Quebec; R. B. Smith, J. E. Smith, Geo. Parlow, Oromocto.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows:

St. John County.

Coldbrook Realty and Development Co., Ltd., to Margaret A. wife of J. H. Ross, property in Simonsville, St. John; Osborn Crawford to Annie J. wife of S. E. Crawford, property in St. Martins.

Eastern Terminal Realty Co., Ltd., to E. B. Gillespie, property in Simonsville.

Kings County.

A. S. Dunfield to A. A. Marks, property in Cardwell.

R. C. Sprague to D. H. Rees, property in Studholm.

Margaret Slackhouse to S. G. Hawley, property in Hampton.

Heirs of Nathan Steel to J. A. V. Steel, property in Upham.

Claims \$5,000.

Among the writs issued out of the Supreme Court is one in the suit of Thomas Pyne against C. C. Williams, for \$5,000, for enticing and harboring of his wife.

ACCIDENTAL DEATH, FINDING OF JURY In case of Wm. Young, killed yesterday by being struck by engine near Derby Junction, on I. C. R.

Newcastle, June 22.—About 9 o'clock this morning, while William Young and Francis Hare, section men on the I. C. R., were coming north on a hand car, at a point just south of Derby Junction station, they were overtaken by Harvey's north bound extra, which was struck on the head by the buffer beam of the engine and instantly killed. Deceased was about thirty years of age, highly respected, and was one of the best men on the road. He is survived by his wife, three daughters and three sons.

An inquest was held this afternoon into the death of William Young by Frank Raymond, coroner, at Derby Junction. Identified the remains, and said that about nine thirty-five this morning they both were returning through a cut near Southwest Miramichi bridge. They heard a rattling sound and saw a train approaching. They looked round and saw a special train coming. He told Young to jump and run. They could not save their hand car. Hare jumped on one side, Young on the other. Hare saw the train strike the hand car, saw deceased lying in the ditch about a rail's length ahead, went to him, lifted him and found him dead.

PROBATE COURT.

On Monday, in the Probate Court the will of Alexander Bernie, longshoreman, was proved. Lucy Bernie, his widow, is executrix. Baxter & Logan are solicitors.

In the estate of Thomas Henry Raynes, the accounts of the Eastern Trust Company, administrator of the estate were passed and distribution ordered. H. A. Porter, proctor for the estate. The next of kin were represented by C. P. Sanford and J. P. H. Teed.

These were the first matters dealt with by Judge Forbes, who was sworn in on Monday.

BELGIAN ORPHAN FUND.

The following additional subscription has been received by Daniel Mulholland, Belgian Consul, for the Belgian Orphan Fund and deposited to the credit of the Belgian Orphan Fund in the Union Bank of Canada, St. John, N.B.: Previously acknowledged \$531.25. St. Vincent's Alumnae Association \$25.00.

BEESEWING SOLD.

The British bark Beeswing, 1354 tons register, now loading deals at St. John, has been sold for about \$5,400. She was built at \$13,000 and was afterwards sold for \$3,250. The Beeswing was built at Port Glasgow in 1893.

NEW FURNACE LINER.

A new steamer for Messrs. Furness, Withy & Co., has been launched at West Hartlepool. She is named the Gambia River, and was built on account of the British Empire Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., London. The dimensions of the vessel are: 400 ft by 52 ft by 29 ft 6 in depth moulded. She carries over 8,000 tons on a moderate draught. She is built to British Corporation classification, having a single deck of steel with poop, bridge, and forecastle, and water ballast is carried in cellular double bottom and fore and after peaks. The vessel is constructed with deep frames and longitudinal stringers, giving great holds for the stowage of bulky cargoes, and is divided into seven water-tight compartments by six transverse bulkheads. Wood grain divisions are fitted throughout the holds. The vessel is replete with the latest facilities for the rapid loading and discharging of cargo. The captain, officers and engineers are berthed in large houses amidships and the crew and firemen in the poop. The lighting, heating and sanitary arrangements have received special attention, the most improved methods being adopted throughout. The machinery consists of a set of standard triple expansion engines, having cylinders 25 in., 40 in., and 68 in. by 48 in., with three large boilers working at 180 lbs. pressure.

Calvin Austin in Port. The Eastern line steamer Calvin Austin, Captain Mitchell, arrived in port yesterday afternoon from Boston via Maine ports, and in addition to a fair freight brought one hundred passengers. It is expected that the summer travel will commence in earnest very soon.

RAILWAYS MUST TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR ALL LEAKAGES In Case of Shipments of Flax in Bulk if Consignor Pays Charge Lining of Car.

Ottawa, June 21.—By an order of the railway board issued today railway companies must accept all responsibility for leakages which occur in connection with shipments of flax in bulk from the prairie provinces to Fort William, providing the consignor pays a charge of \$2 for lining the car in which such shipment is made with paper.

Since October 12th, 1914, the C. P. R. has accepted shipments of flax in bulk at owner's risk of leakage. The Northwest Grain Dealers Association complained of this with the result that the board has decided that if a shipper asks for a paper lined car and pays the extra charge of \$2 for the same the C. P. R. must accept responsibility for leakage of the small and slippery grain. The new ruling applies also to the Canadian Northern and Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

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CYCLE RECORDS SMASHED.

Newark, N. J., June 21.—Hans Ohrt, the Pacific Coast star, swept away all doubt as to his ability as a cyclist this afternoon at the Velodrome when he won the one-mile amateur open event. Frank L. Kramer won the quarter-mile championship. In the first semi-final Alfred Goulet established a new world's record for the distance, 28 seconds flat, clipping one-fifth of a second from the mark established by Kramer May 4, 1902. Rosie McNamara broke the second world's record in the 10 mile event, which he won in 20m. 51s.

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IMPORTANT RULING BY RAILWAY COMMISSION Order Issued Yesterday by Board in Case of the C. L. O. and W. and G. T. R.

Ottawa, June 21.—An important declaration of policy by the railway commission is contained in an order of the board issued today. In 1913 the C. L. O. and W. and G. T. R. were ordered to build a subway carrying the Cobourg and Grafton road underneath the tracks of both companies where they cross the highway. Both companies appealed and the order of the board was rendered inoperative pending a decision which has not yet been given.

"Since the order of the board in 1913," says Darryl Scott the Assistant Chief Commissioner today, "the railway companies are suffering from a serious financial depression. At the present time it is not wise to press upon the railways any large financial expenditure which is not absolutely necessary in the public interest. Gates on the highway at both the railway crossings would be sufficient protection at these crossings for the present under the circumstances I have mentioned."

An order is given in accordance with this view and the cost and maintenance should be borne equally by the two companies interested. Night and day watchmen are to be put on in this judgment Sir Harry Drayton agrees.

VESSLS IN COLLISION.

A Vineyard Haven despatch of the 20th says: The steamer Persian, from Boston for Philadelphia and the British schooner Neva collided in Pollock Rip Sluice during a thick fog early today. The schooner's port quarter was cut away completely by the bow of the steamer, but the great hole that was opened was all above the water line. No one on either vessel was injured. The Persian towed the Neva to Vineyard Haven and later proceeded for Philadelphia. The schooner will require extensive repairs. Incoming vessels brought reports today of two other collisions due to fog during the last few days. The schooner C. B. Clark, New York for Bangor, and the British schooner A. J. Sterling, New York for Nova Scotia, crashed together last Thursday near Nantuxet Shoals. Both were slightly damaged.

Major Paul K. Hanson

Major Paul K. Hanson, formerly of the 1st Canadian Trench Battalion, has arrived home from France with other wounded Canadian officers. The Mon-

star, in its account of the return of the soldiers prices the picture of Major Hanson. The Star says: "And then came Major Hanson. It seemed that everyone knew Paul Hanson of the 14th. They cheered and applauded and grasped his hand as he came limping down the gang-plank. Over at one side were his children waving Union Jacks to attract his attention. The crowd parted to let him through, and as soon as he had reached them, with Mrs. Hanson, who had gone aboard the ship, at Quebec, there was a happy reunion."

SOLDIERS COMFORTS.

The West End Soldiers' Comfort Association will meet in the Oddfellows' Hall, West St. John, this evening at eight o'clock. It is requested that as many of the members that can be present meet at the West Side Ferry house this afternoon at three o'clock to attend the association meeting to be held in the Centenary church parlors.

The West End Association members are working hard and are gathering together a great quantity of comforts which are being sent to the soldiers who are on the firing line. Last week over sixty pounds of tobacco, 1,800 cigars and about forty cases of soap were sent to the soldiers.

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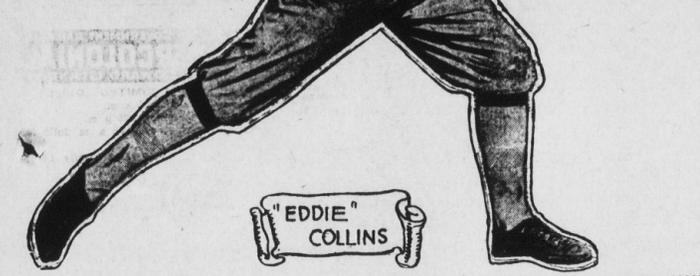
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"EDDIE" COLLINS

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

FEDERAL LEAGUE

Chicago, 11; Baltimore, 4. Baltimore, June 22.—McConnell was too much for Baltimore today, Chicago won 11 to 4. Quinn was easy for the visitors and he retired in the sixth.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Newark, June 22.—Newark defeated Pittsburgh for the fourth time in five games. The score was 4 to 2. The score: Newark, 4; Pittsburgh, 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Washington, June 22.—Washington bunched hits with Boston's errors today and won the third game of the series, 7 to 4.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

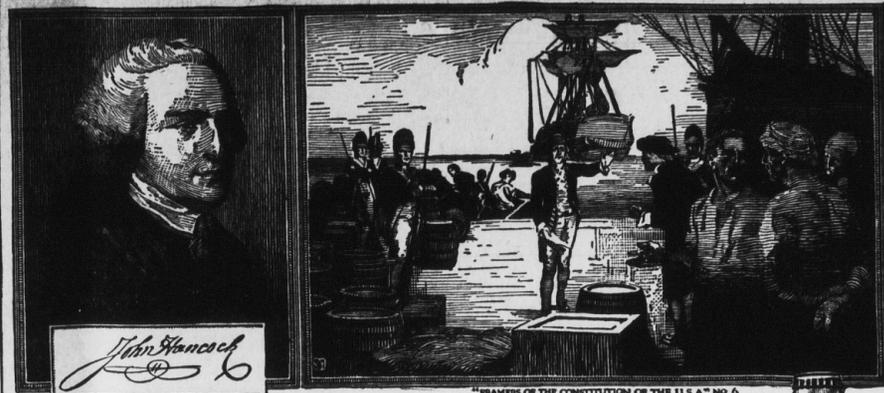
Providence, June 22.—The Greys came back with a vengeance today and retaliated for their defeat yesterday by taking both ends of a doubleheader from Richmond.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

Pittsburgh, June 22.—Smith's hitting and Coombs' wildness gave Boston three runs in the first three innings today, enough to win from Brooklyn, 3 to 2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Philadelphia, June 22.—McQuillan pitched good ball against Cincinnati today, and as a result Pittsburgh won, 3 to 1.



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Bringing Up Father.

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ATTEMPT TO CAPTURE HIS GOAT

President Comiskey of the Chicago White Sox, in commenting on the story circulated that his manager, Clarence Rowland, had resorted to sharp practice to win ball games at home, such as rigging up a signal timing device, wearing out the base paths, etc., said that he hoped the White Sox would be able to disprove the charges by winning games upon foreign fields.

FAMOUS RAGERS TO RACE

Detroit, Mich., June 22.—Four world's champion pacers—Director L. 1.58; Frank Bogash, Jr., 1.59 1/4; William, 2.00, and Anna Bradford, 2.00 3/4—are entered in the \$5,000 free for all, which is an added feature of the blue ribbon Grand Circuit meeting here July 26 to 30.

SPORTING NOTES

Lord Lesles has refused several offers for his crack Irish colt, Ballachobin, since he won the Baldoye Derby last month. A movement has been started to match Ballachobin against "Sol" Jody's Pomer, the winner of the Newmarket Derby.

NOTES OF THE DIAMOND

Herzog insists that the Giants came up from the cellar and torpedoed the Reds. Well and good, but the Orioles now are so low in the league standing that they need fear no repetition of the outrage.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecasts:
Maritime—Strong winds, unsettled with occasional rain.

Washington, June 22.—Forecast: Northern New England, Fair Wednesday and Thursday; moderate to fresh northwest winds.

Toronto, June 22.—The Atlantic storm has moved northward to the Maritime Provinces and northeast and north gales, with rain, have been general along the seaboard and in the Gulf. The weather has been fine and warmer in the western provinces, and cool and showery in Ontario and Quebec.

Temperatures:

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	50	74
Prince Rupert	48	64
Victoria	50	64
Vancouver	48	76
Calgary	44	69
Edmonton	48	72
Moose Jaw	44	70
Regina	42	78
Battleford	48	76
Winnipeg	42	70
Port Arthur	48	80
Parry Sound	50	72
Toronto	52	72
Ottawa	50	70
Montreal	54	70
Quebec	46	66
St. John	48	54
Halifax	48	52

WHEAT FLOUR MANUFACTURED IN THIS CITY

St. John Milling Co., Ltd., has new fifty barrel a day mill in Carleton—Open to public today.

The St. John Milling Company, Ltd., of West St. John are the first to operate a flour mill in this city. For several months millwrights and engineers have been engaged installing what is described as the latest system for the manufacture of high grade flour from wheat. This system, controlled here by the Canadian Flour Mills Co., is known as the Tattersoll Midget Marvel, and is the result of years of labor on the part of a distinguished English milling engineer whose name the system bears.

In the majority of milling plants the usual process includes an endless number of spouts, elevators and chutes which carry the flour up and down, doubling and re-doubling through the entire plant, and it is said robbing the flour of much of its flavor in the process. The system installed by the St. John Milling Co. does away with all of this and consists principally of a machine about four feet high which contains in itself all the features found in the usual mill. It grinds the flour and forms all the other operations within itself, the flour being made practically on the instant, and only carried out of the machine for packing in barrels or bags. It thus retains that nutty flavor so much sought after by lovers of good bread. It keeps in the flour all the volatile oils so essential to wholesome bread and which are often lacking in flour made by other processes.

The plant, which has just now been installed, has a capacity of about fifty barrels a day, and on June 12 operations were begun. Messrs. Fowler are not running at the full capacity, but expect to do so before very long. They have, however, already done sufficient to prove that LaTour, as they have branded their output, may properly carry with it their own guarantee.

It is their intention to grind for the present only Manitoba hard wheat turning out similar grades of flour as are produced in western mills. Later they may install another unit in the system for the purpose of grinding New Brunswick wheat, but nothing definite has as yet been done in this respect. The flour is packed in barrels and in twenty-four pound bags, and is now being generally distributed among the retail grocers in St. John.

Today is set apart as a sort of formal opening for their new plant, and the St. John Milling Co. cordially invite any residents of the city who are at all interested in its industrial progress to visit their plant in West St. John and see for themselves how this new product is turned out.

Around the City

With Field Battery.
Lieut. Ralph St. J. Hayes, son of R. T. Hayes of this city, has been transferred to the field battery formed recently. He was with Major Magee in France.

Rough in the Reach.
The river steamer D. J. Purdy arrived at her wharf at Indiantown yesterday from Fredericton with a passenger list of 20 and a fair cargo of potatoes. The captain reports a rough trip on the river, especially while coming through the Reach.

Lieutenant Kelly Wounded.
Lieut. Lawrence St. G. Kelly, recently manager of the Royal Trust Company here, and who went from St. John with the first contingent, has been reported wounded. He was in the 1st Battalion of the 4th Brigade, which accounted for his name not appearing in the regular casualty list.

The Fire Losses.
The losses so far adjusted in connection with the recent fire in the Jarline Building in Prince William street have reached a total of nearly \$75,000. The loss on the Arnold Department Store has not yet been fixed. H. W. Cole & Co., Ltd., sustained a loss of 90 per cent. of their stock, which will give them about \$42,000 insurance.

Secured Commissions.
Among the New Brunswick cadets at the Royal Military College, Kingston, to secure commissions were the following: In the Imperial arm, W. Turnbull, Robeson; in the Canadian Permanent Corps, J. C. Murdoch, Edmondston; W. E. B. Starr, Robesay; in the Overseas Contingent, J. L. W. Harris, Moncton.

Runaway at Sussex.
E. W. Chase, of Hawthorne avenue, received a letter from his young son who left home about a week ago, and for whom there were much worry. The boy wrote the letter from Sussex where he is trying hard to enlist with the 56th Battalion. The boy is 19 years old and is signed on and Mr. Chase will have him sent home again.

Inspecting Signallers.
In the armory last night Captain W. C. Proudfoot, a divisional signaller officer from Halifax, commenced his inspection of the signalling class in this city. The class was begun here about four weeks ago and has been instructed by Sergeant Instructor Dean. A section of the 6th Company of the C. S. C., with some men from the 62nd signal section and those of the composite battery of the 3rd Artillery were present last night. Captain Proudfoot will conclude the inspection tonight.

Clothing Found.
Yesterday the police, who are on guard about the Sand Point wharves, found a large bundle of clothing and another bundle of carpenter's tools under the wharf at No. 6 berth. The articles were handed over to Sergeant Goslin, who conveyed them to police headquarters. It is supposed that the articles are the property of a ship's carpenter from one of the Norwegian barks which have been loading at Sand Point, and that the man has deserted the ship and hidden his clothing under the wharf awaiting a favorable opportunity to take them away.

Final Showing of "The Spoilers" Today.
The particularly inclement weather, while it did not seriously interfere with the great run of "The Spoilers" at Imperial Theatre, must certainly have deterred many from enjoying this unusual treat. Therefore, whether to-day be fine or wet, the opportunity remains to view Rex Beach's gripping Alaskan story as it will be shown once this afternoon—at 2 o'clock—and twice tonight—at 7 and 9.15. Four hundred downstairs seats, which include 80 box chairs, are being reserved on the numbered coupon plan. (Phone 3727). The remainder of downstairs seats at 15c, all upstairs at 10c. Vau-deville, singer and Weekly are matinee extras.

The North End Survey Again Before Council

City Rifle Range Will be Opened Again Next Season—Water and Sewerage Extensions Sanctioned—The O'Leary Annuity Also Mentioned.

The North End survey was again before the city commissioners at their meeting yesterday afternoon and Mayor Frink announced that unless some report was made at once he would no longer sanction the payment of money for carrying it on. Commissioner Potts submitted a report from the city engineer, which included a promise that the work would be completed ready for the next session of the legislature.

Commissioner Wigmore was authorized to spend about \$5,000 on the work of extending the water mains in the vicinity of the Marsh Bridge in order to give a better service to different parts of the city.

Mayor Frink, Commissioners Russell, Wigmore, Potts and McLellan with the common clerk were present. Commissioner McLellan submitted a detailed report of the accounts of the City Rifle Range. The receipts were \$1,880 with the grant of \$1,000. The total expenditure was \$3,043. The assets were estimated as being worth \$2,960. The bills outstanding, amounting to about \$300 were ordered paid.

The commissioner was also authorized to open up the range again for next season. In introducing the report Commissioner McLellan said the range had done a great amount of good and considering everything had been a paying proposition.

A letter from the comptroller asked for instruction regarding amount to be paid to the mother of the late Special Policeman O'Leary. He pointed out that an increase had been granted the patrolman. On motion of Commissioner McLellan it was decided to instruct the comptroller that the rate to be paid Mrs. O'Leary should remain at \$2.35 as originally intended.

The Canada Nall & Wire Co. Ltd. asked for some redress in their taxes on account of the depression caused by the war. Mayor Frink thought the city had no authority to grant exemptions to any business where there was competition.

Commissioner Potts pointed out that the necessary legislation could be secured to give the relief asked. He thought industries should be encouraged. All this company asked was that their taxes for the next three years be not collected until later.

The council as committee of the whole will meet representatives of the company and talk over the matter.

John Sims was heard in reference to his request for repairs to a city dwelling, which he occupies in Lancaster. He asked that \$1,900 be expended when the repairs are completed he will be willing to give \$2,700 for the property which included a plot of land having a frontage of 100 feet. The matter was referred to Commissioner Russell to report later.

Mayor Frink then requested that some report be made concerning the North End survey and Commissioner Potts read a statement from the city engineer, which showed that \$6,622.62 had been spent in the work. The surveying was about all completed and the plans would be ready soon. It was decided that a report of the survey must be submitted each week.

The extensions to the water and sewer services as formerly outlined were approved.

PRICE OF BREAD STILL TOO HIGH

Flour Down, but No Change in Cost of "Staff of Life"—Crops Good.

"In consideration of the fact that wheat flour has been reduced about \$1.20 during the last two months, it is certainly up to the bakers to reduce the price of bread in St. John." This was the statement of a prominent citizen yesterday. "The bakers," said he, "take the first opportunity of raising the price of bread but the matter has to be forcibly brought to their attention before they see their way clear to reduce the price."

Wheat has taken a decided decline and as a result the prices of flours have dropped considerably. Since last April the price of Manitoba flour has reduced \$1.20 per barrel and is now wholesaling at \$7.85. Ontario has declined \$1.35 a barrel in the same period and now stand at \$7.15 whole sale.

It was pointed out by four merchants yesterday that crop conditions in Canada and the United States were never better and the harvest would be great. What went down below a dollar in Chicago yesterday and at the rate of one dollar a bushel for wheat flour should be selling here at about \$6.50 per barrel.

A year ago the flour was selling at \$1.00 less than at present. With the under way the prices went up about \$2.50 per barrel. Now that conditions of the food market has become settled there seems to be a feeling that the prices should go back to normal.

Householders generally would welcome an announcement of the lowering of the price of bread.

QUESTIONED ACTION OF THE MAGISTRATE

Lively tilt in Police Court over release of prisoner who had been arraigned.

Daniel Mullin, K. C., in the police court yesterday morning made vigorous protest against the action of the magistrate in releasing Harry Hamilton, who was charged with frequenting a place in Germain street and there violating the law. Mr. Mullin said it was most extraordinary that a man charged with such a grave offense, and who had been arraigned for preliminary hearing, should be released. He questioned the magistrate's authority in allowing him to go. He said he was present to appeal the court's decision.

Mr. Mullin had been in Albert County and on his return learned that Hamilton had been released although the hearing was pending.

L. P. D. Tilley, K. C., who appeared for the prisoner, said he had acted for Hamilton when he was under arrest on two separate charges. He had been dismissed on one and on the second he had been released because there was some doubt in the mind of one of the chief witnesses regarding the identity of the defendant. Hamilton had been a heavy drinker, had taken the gold cure and was, since then, trying to live respectably.

Mr. Mullin asked that a time be fixed for the examination but the court suggested that he and Mr. Tilley arrange a time. Mr. Mullin said he was acting for the prosecution and declined to fix a date, for that was the duty of the magistrate.

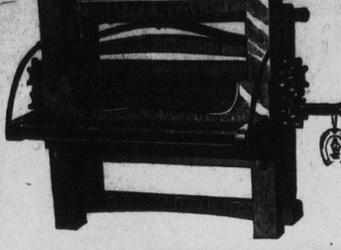
There was a few heated passages between Mr. Tilley and Mr. Mullin before they left the court room.

NEW POST OFFICE PROGRESSING WELL

Exterior Presents Fine Appearance—Work Going Along Well Inside.

Good progress is being made on the new post office on Prince William street. The scaffolding about the building has been removed and the work on the interior is going along steadily. The men were at work yesterday closing in the stairways, also on the plastering, the tiles and marble work. The prism lights on the rear and front have been completed, and the outside of the building has been finished. The cement work is about done on the basement floors. The boilers have been set up and enclosed with English enamelled brick. The men are at work installing the freight and passenger elevators. It is not expected, however, that the building will be ready for occupancy by this fall.

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Two-dome Suede, pique sewn, tan, black, grey	Pair \$1.80
One-dome Suede, pique sewn, grey	Pair \$1.90
PERRIN GLOVES—	
Two-dome Kid, tan, black, white, grey	Pair \$1.35
Two-dome Chevreton, tan	Pair \$1.90
One-dome, black, white, tan	Pair \$1.00
One-dome, black, white, tan	Pair \$1.40
FOWNE'S GLOVES in one-dome, tan	Pair \$1.00
DENT'S one-dome Cape, tan	Pair \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.60
DENT'S one-dome Cape, black	Pair \$1.60
DENT'S one-dome Cape, white, black points	Pair \$1.40
DENT'S one-dome Cape, grey	Pair \$1.45
LONG WHITE KID GLOVES	Pair \$1.75, \$2.25, \$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.25
DOE WASHABLE GLOVES, white, one-button	Pair \$1.25
DOE WASHABLE GLOVES, white, two-button	Pair \$1.35
DOE WASHABLE GLOVES, white, eight-button	Pair \$1.75
DOE WASHABLE GLOVES, white, sixteen-button	Pair \$2.50
DOE WASHABLE GLOVES, white and colors	Pair 25c. to \$1.00
CHILDREN'S ONE-DOME CAPE GLOVES	Pair 65c., 75c., \$1.00, \$1.10, \$1.20
CHILDREN'S TWO-DOME, tan	Pair 80c.
CHILDREN'S ONE-DOME CAPE, white	Pair 70c., 80c.
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