

There is very little of interest to record in the local market for the last week except that the country market is well provisioned for the summer trade and native vegetables are coming in in quantities.

The market quotations yesterday were as follows:

COUNTRY MARKET. Potatoes, per bushel. 0.00. Beef, western. 0.18. Mutton, per lb. 0.12. Pork, per lb. 0.18. Veal, per lb. 0.12. Eggs, case, per dozen. 0.23. Tub butter, per lb. 0.00. Creamery butter, per lb. 0.28. Fowls, fresh killed, per lb. 0.25. Fresh chicken. 0.00. Bacon. 0.24 1/2. Ham. 0.24 1/2. Canned salmon. 0.00. Turnips, bbl. 0.00. Retail prices are given for green goods.

GROCERIES. Choice seed raisins. 0.10 1/2. Fancy, do. 0.10 1/2. Currants, cleaned, ls. 0.00. Cheese, per lb. 0.18 1/2. Cream tartar, pure, box. 0.52. Biscuits, per keg. 3.20. Beans, white. 4.00. Beans, yellow. 3.85. Split peas, bags. 5.25. Pot barley, bbls. 6.20. Rye meal, per bag. 0.00. Granulated cornmeal. 6.85. Liverpoll salt per sack. 1.05. Extra store. 1.10.

PROVISIONS. Pork, Canadian mess. 31.00. Pork, American clear. 31.00. American plate beef. 25.75. Lard, compound, tub. 0.14 1/2. Lard, pure, tub. 0.18 1/2. Molasses, fancy. 0.85. Molasses, bados. 0.55. SUGAR. Standard granulated. 8.25. United Empire, gran. 8.15. Bright yellow. 8.05. No. 1 yellow. 7.85. Paris lights. 9.25. FLOUR, ETC. Roller oatmeal. 0.00. Standard oatmeal. 0.00. Manitoba, high grade. 0.00. Ontario, full patent. 0.00.

CANNED GOODS. Salmon, pinks. 4.75. Salmon, red spring. 8.00. Finnan haddock. 4.50. Kipperd herring. 4.50. Clams. 4.00. Oysters, 15. 1.70. Oysters, 25. 2.00. Corned beef, ls. 2.00. Peaches, 25. 1.80. Peaches, 35. 2.45. Pineapple, sliced. 2.17 1/2. Pineapple, grated. 1.70. Lombard plums. 1.80. Raspberries. 1.10. Corn, per doz. 1.10. Peas. 1.07 1/2. Strawberries. 2.42 1/2. Tomatoes. 1.32 1/2. Pumpkins. 1.10. String beans. 1.10. Baked beans, 25. 1.18. Baked beans, 35. 1.10.

GRAINS. Bran, small lots, bags. 26.00. Pressed hay, car lots. No. 1. 17.00. No. 2. 15.00. Oats, Canadian. 0.59. Middlings. 0.00. FISH. Small dry cod. 4.75. Medium dry cod. 5.00. Grand Manan herring. half-bbls. 3.15. Smoked herring. 0.15. Pickled shad, half-bbls. 8.00. Fresh cod, per lb. 0.08. Blotlers, per box. 0.80. Haddock. 0.12. Kipperd herring, per box. 0.90. Swordfish. 0.07. Haddies. 0.07. Salmon. 0.14.

FRUITS. Marbot walnuts. 0.16. Almonds. 0.18. California prunes. 0.15. Brazil nuts. 0.16. Peanuts, roasted. 0.11. Bag figs, per lb. 0.10. Locomans, Messina, box. 5.00. Locomans, per doz. 0.60. Cocconuts, per sack. 4.00. California oranges. 4.00. Apples. 2.25.

OILS. Palacine. 0.00. Royalite. 0.00. Turpentine. 0.00. Extra No. 1 hard pure. 0.00. Premier motor gasoil. 0.00. HIDES. Hides. 0.15. Catskins. 0.27. Shearings. 0.20. Spring lambskins. 0.20. Wool, washed. 0.43. Wool, unwashed. 0.80. Tallow. 0.06.

ing in Canada and the people would rise and put a stop to the graft and rascalities going on. He said 100,000 Conservatives in Canada were anxious to have honest government. The Westmorland election was won without a single dollar, which indicates the attitude of the people.

"The next election in Carleton county," said the speaker, "will be honest and on our side. I give notice that the other side will have to run it honestly and we will see that it is done."

C. M. Sherwood moved that a vote be taken at Verdun (near Mosel) for the great work he had done in this province and Canada in exposing the grafters and corruptors. A meeting will be held tomorrow evening in Hanland when Mr. Carvell will again speak.

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British Follow Up Intense Artillery Fire by Effective Raids Feeling Out German Line

LEMBERG THE NEXT RUSSIAN OBJECTIVE

Victorious Army But Ten Miles from Kolomea, the Key from the South

In Spite of German Reinforcements Brusilov Has Also Driven Wedge from North at Vladimir-Volyanski—Cossacks Score Victories in Dashing Rides.

Petrograd, June 26, via London.—With the elimination of Gen. Pflanzer's army in Bukovina, the attention of Gen. Brusilov's forces in this section is now directed upon Kolomea, the key to the defense of Lemberg on the south. The occupation of Kimpolung and Kiy has opened the way to Kolomea and already a result of this last recorded victory of the Russians is becoming evident in the forward movement of Gen. Lechitsky on the road from Smitny to Kolomea, to a point ten miles from the latter town.

It is evident from the report of prisoners and booty taken that the Austrians defended Kimpolung with considerable forces. They were attacked by Russian troops, which had covered the thirty miles from Gushabomora in two days, and were rushed into the fight with scarcely an hour's rest. According to Russian military authorities their assault added the last touch needed to complete the demolition of Gen. Pflanzer's forces, which now are entirely cut off from communication with Gen. Count Von Bothmer's army group on the Strpa river to the north. Gen. Von Bothmer's position is regarded as precarious as a result of this operation. His right flank has been completely uncovered, and military critics believe he will without doubt be forced to fall back along his whole line before Tarnopol.

The Teutonic forces appear to have been able to stop, to some extent, the breaking of their front in the Kovel region, where a large element of German troops has stiffened the Austrian lines and it is evident that preparations are being made for a desperate stand at Brody, on the southern wing of that position. Nevertheless, in the face of stiff counter-attacks, the Russians have been able to push a wedge in the direction of Vladimir-Volyanski, a point which threatens that town and endangers Brody, the gateway to Lemberg from the east.

According to the military expert of the Bourne Gazette, the Germans have then full charge in this region and have filled up the ranks of Archduke Ferdinand's broken army which has lost 70,000 men since the beginning of the Russian advance.

Not Stopping at Kimpolung.—Petrograd, June 26, via London, 7.16 p. m.—Russian cavalry, after a battle with Austro-Hungarian troops, has occupied a position near Kimpolung, about five and a half miles west of Kimpolung, in Bukovina. The foregoing was announced in the official statement issued today by the Russian war office.

Regarding the operations in Bukovina the war office announced that Russian forces also were advancing southward, approaching the passes leading into Transylvania. The official statement follows: "Western front: There has been intense artillery fire in many sectors in the regions of Jacobstade and Dvinsk."

"In the region northeast of Lake Yermoskovsky, yesterday at noon, the Germans attacked the farm situated five verst southwest of Lipsk. They were repulsed. The enemy renewed his attack at noon on a greatly extended front under cover of heavy and light artillery."

"Yesterday morning our aviators, Sub-Lieutenants Krasikov and 'Inalnikov', performed a heroic deed. On the 26th, the Germans are bombarding our positions with heavy artillery, and have attacked locally, but everywhere have been successfully repulsed."

"Repeated attacks in mass formation in the region of Linswa, on the Stockhod were repulsed by our fire. In this action one of our companies pursued the enemy a distance of half a verst and took fifteen German prisoners."

"In the direction of Lutsk and further south the situation is unchanged. We repulsed an attack on Seatoruk. Victory for Don Cossacks. On the reaches of the Dniester, south of Kupchak, our Don Cossacks, having crossed the river, fighting and overthrowing elements of the enemy's advanced guards, occupied the villages of Sokergine and Petrave, capturing five officers and 800 men."

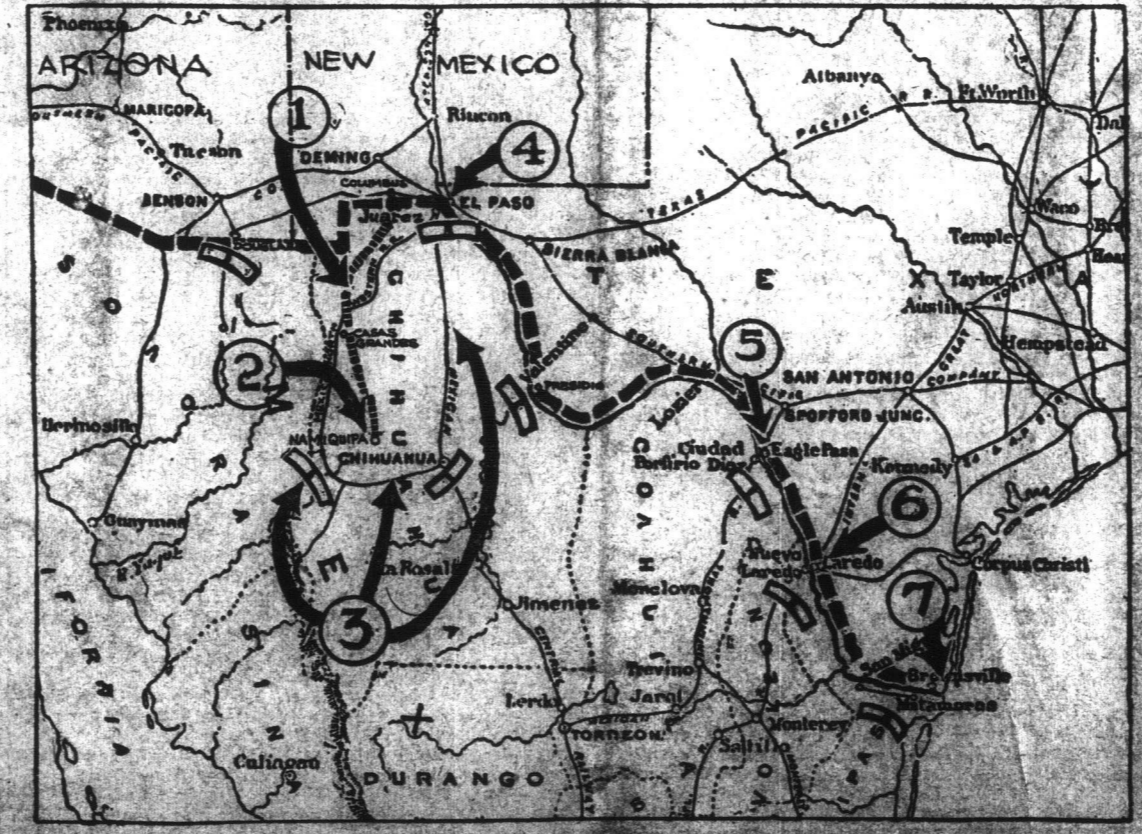
"Russian cavalry, after a fight, occupied the enemy position nine verst west of Kimpolung (Bukovina)."

"According to later reports we captured large deposits of wood and 81 abandoned wagons at Mofit and Frumos stations, on the Gurahomora-Rasoka railway."

"We are also making progress southward, approaching passes leading to Transylvania. Caucasus front: We repulsed night attacks in the Trebizond sector in the region of Platana and Djivizlik. On the right bank of the Euphrates the Turks assumed the offensive and seized a height in the region of Nourik early in the morning, but toward noon we dislodged them."

"Mesopotamian front: The enemy's artillery preparation, took the offensive at Reverdun (near Mosul) and captured sectors of our position, but was driven out by a counter attack leaving a number of killed and wounded before our works. A meeting will be held tomorrow evening in Hanland when Mr. Carvell will again speak.

U.S. Refusing Any Mediation, Prepares for Mexican War



Gen. Pershing's column of 12,000 troops strung out along line of communications from Columbus, N.M., to Nacajuco, a distance of over 200 miles. Gen. Pershing's advance force of 5,000 men reported to have 50,000 Mexican troops in Guadalupe. He has control of railroads surrounding and cutting the main force of 30,000 into three sides, east, west and south. Gen. Gougeon at Juarez has 10,000 men threatening American advance field force.

Good Offices of South American Diplomats Not Welcomed

Troops Hastened to Border and Congress Orders Bills Paid — Report Villa Was Shot by One of His Own Men But His Fate in Doubt.

Washington, June 26.—Efforts toward Latin-American mediation in the Mexican crisis, favored by Carranza officials, collapsed today without having reached the stage of a formal proposal to the United States. It was made plain by Secretary Lansing to Ignacio Calderon, minister of Bolivia, who called with the intention of asking whether the United States would entertain an offer of the services of its southern neighbors to aid in avoiding war, that the Washington government sees nothing in the situation that would warrant arbitration proceedings.

Mr. Lansing talked with the minister for half an hour, and it is understood to have told him that the blame for the grave outlook rested squarely upon General Carranza. The attitude of the United States was so fully outlined that Mr. Calderon did not mention directly the original purpose of his visit.

When the minister left the state department he said the time "seemed opportune" and that for the present diplomatic representatives of six south and central American countries who had approached the Mexican embassy on the subject of mediation and received assurances that the Carranza government was favorable to the principle, would not tender their good offices to the United States. He indicated that the attempt to arrange mediation might be renewed if General Carranza's reply to Secretary Lansing's last note furnished any basis on which the proposal could be founded.

Awaiting Carranza's Reply. The United States now is waiting for Carranza's final word in reply to the note sent yesterday, demanding release of the prisoners taken at Carrizal and a formal diplomatic announcement of intentions. The note reached Mexico City late last night, and Washington officials look for an answer within a day or two. Meanwhile, congress and the war department put new urgency into their preparations for war. There were indications that a formal break occurred toward the end of the week, every possible precautionary step will have been taken, and General Funston will be in a position to defend the border adequately and reinforce Pershing's expedition, although aggressive action may be delayed.

War department activities during the day covered wide field. Supplemental orders to departmental commanders called for greater haste in getting the national guard to the border. Settlements to cover therapy and maintain expenses of the state troops, totalling \$85,000,000 up to January 1 were laid before congress. With them went figures of \$10,000,000 for the purchase of horses and mules for army use. The total estimates of the quartermaster-general alone pass the 100,000,000 mark. The house passed the annual army appropriation bill after adding \$26,000,000 for emergency purposes during the brief debate that preceded the vote. An urgent (Continued on page 8.)

EXPECTED ITALIAN BLOW HAS FALLEN

Austrians Swept Back in One Rush From Positions Dearly Won in Last Six Weeks

Retreat in Trentino Over Front of Twenty Miles — Much Valuable Material Abandoned to Victorious Italians — Transports Sunk in Durazzo Harbor and Another Adriatic Port Raided — French Have Quiet Day at Verdun.

Rome, June 26.—Two Austrian transports have been sunk in the harbor of Durazzo by the Italians. The transports were loaded with troops, arms and ammunition.

The admiralty today issued the following: "Our torpedo boats made a reconnaissance of the harbor of Trieste (an Austrian seaport thirteen miles southwest of Trieste) last night. Shore batteries opened a heavy fire to which the torpedo boats replied, withdrawing later without loss."

AUSTRIANS SWEEPED BACK IN TRENTINO. Rome, June 26, via Paris.—Reports from the front state that the Italians are advancing all along the Trentino sector, reconquering positions which the Austrians had occupied, and capturing main arms, ammunitions, provisions and all kinds of supplies, which the Austrians were obliged to abandon in precipitate retreat. All Italy is rejoicing over the withdrawal of the Austrians six weeks after their offensive movement on the Trentino front began.

Official Announcement. The general retreat of the Austrians in the Trentino district over a sector of about thirty miles in extent, was announced in an official statement by the Italian war office today. The statement says: "The enemy, incapable of overcoming our defenses, and under the energetic pressure which we have been conducting for several days, has been forced to begin a retreat north of Mandrielle road. We have captured the positions of Castel Gamberolo, Molino, Monte Longara, Gallo, Asiago, Casina and Monte Cengio. Our advance continues vigorously, closely at the heels of the enemy."

Enemy Withdrew Rapidly. Rome, June 26, via London, 6 p. m.—In addition to the bulletin announcing the Austrian retreat north of the Mandrielle road, the war office issued the following statement covering the various fields of operations: "We advanced from the Arsa Valley to the Zette Communal plateau. In the Arsa Valley we took Raossi and the slopes southwest of Monte Lemerle. Our line detachments drove in the enemy at the head of the Monte Fruchera line and began an advance to the Bosnia Valley. The greatest progress was made on the right flank where we occupied the northern slopes of Monte Busibollo, Belmonte, Pannocchie, Barco and Cengio, southwest of the line running through Monte Longara Gallo, Asiago and Casina, on which we are firmly established. On the northeastern plateau we took Monte Simone and Monte Castellaro and Monte Delie, west of Cima Di Caldin."

The enemy withdrew rapidly before our advance. He blew up the bridge at Fossi and set fire to a special place in another part. Along whole front we found trenches of the enemy filled with corpses. Large quantities of arms, ammunition, food and other material were left by the enemy. Sharp fighting is still going on. "In Carnia and on the Isonzo the artillery is active, and especially in the Uggie Bu Valley where the enemy's trenches were damaged extensively by explosions, and fires were caused. "Hostile aircraft dropped bombs near Ala, and on Pabus, Fonzaso, Primolano and Grigno. There were no casualties and no damage was inflicted. Our aeroplanes bombed positions of the enemy on Monte Bover, southeast of Caldano, the railway station of Oberdrauburg and depots at Delach, in the ravine. At each of these places large fires were observed."

No Infantry Fighting at Verdun. Paris, June 26.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight: "In Champagne our artillery shattered enemy organizations north of Ville-Sur-Tourbe. "On the front north of Verdun there was no infantry action during the course of the day. The bombardment diminished in intensity on both banks of the Meuse. Nevertheless in the region of Hill 804 a very spirited artillery action was maintained. "In the Vosges the fire of our batteries on the German positions east of Chapellelet caused the explosion of two munition depots."

Belgian communication: "A somewhat intense artillery action occurred in the sector southwest of Nieupoort, and also in the direction of Dixmude and Steenstraete. There was no fighting in the region of Steenstraete. "The text of the morning statement follows: "In the Argonne an enemy attack on one of our small posts at La Fille Morte was repulsed with hand grenades. "On the left bank of the Meuse, the artillery duel was particularly lively in the region of Dead Man Hill. (Continued on page 8.)

BRITISH CIVILIAN PRISONERS PLACED ON HALF RATIONS. German Action at Ruhleben Vigorously Protested Against and Reprisals Are Suggested. London, June 26.—Lord Robert Cecil, parliamentary under secretary for foreign affairs, told the house of commons today that the British government had received information to the effect that British civilian prisoners interned at Ruhleben were now being supplied with less than half the requisite amount of food. Dr. Klyor, attached to the American embassy at Berlin, learned that the German government had reduced the rations of the interned civilians. Lord Robert said, and the American ambassador at Berlin gave the information to the British government. The reduction of rations was made, Lord Robert said, notwithstanding the fact that the Germans had been storing up money amounting to between 60,000 and 200,000 marks, which should be spent for food. The British government has protested against this action through the American embassy, pointing out that the government would not feed the prisoners she should release them. Great Britain also renewed her offer to release or exchange civilians over 50, and Robert said, and the number of German prisoners she should release them.

YUAN-SHI-KAI'S FUNERAL. ONLY BEING HELD NOW. Peking, June 26.—The funeral of Yuan-Shi-Kai, late president of the Chinese republic, took place at the palace today. Li Yan Hung, the new president, and all the members of the diplomatic corps were present at the service, which was chanted by priests of the Lama. Sacrifices were offered by many officials. The body of Yuan-Shi-Kai will be taken from Peking on Wednesday for burial in Changteh, Hunan province.

ROOSEVELT THROWS STRENGTH TO HUGHES. His Official Letter to Progressive Committee Declines Nomination. Chicago, June 26.—Theodore Roosevelt in a letter to the Progressive national committee in session here today, says he will strongly support Charles E. Hughes, the Republican nominee, as beyond all comparison better fitted to be president than Mr. Wilson, the present executive. He declines, therefore, the Progressive nomination and advises the committee not to put a third ticket in the field this fall.

Japs, Doukhobors, Mennonites and Mormons Enlist. Ottawa, June 26.—Oriental Allies appeared in the ranks of the 13th Alberta Mounted Rifles which was reviewed this morning on Parliament Hill by the Duke of Connaught. A platoon of Japs made up part of the company. They were enlisted in the Crow's Nest Pass district. Side by side with them was a company of Mormons. In the past week regiments passing through Ottawa have had peculiarly cosmopolitan, embracing Doukhobors, Japs, Mormons and Mennonites.

British on Offensive Raid Enemy Lines; Success at Ten Points

Heavy Artillery Battle Kept Up While German Line is Penetrated by Daring Parties—Australians and Munster Fusiliers Among the Most Successful—Berlin Says "Fighting is Important."

London, June 26.—The British official statement issued at midnight reads: "We carried out a number of successful enterprises last night at different points. Hostile lines were penetrated at ten different places. Our parties inflicted considerable casualties on the enemy and took several prisoners. Our casualties everywhere were very slight. "The Munster Fusiliers and Anasacs were particularly successful. "In connection with these raids there was a good deal of artillery work on both sides yesterday evening and during the night. Our artillery fired with great effect, the hostile trenches being considerably damaged in many places. Four large explosions were caused by our heavy artillery in the enemy's rear guard lines between Pogies and Montauban. "Today our artillery was again active at numerous points, and considerable damage was caused to hostile defensive works, notably near Longueval, Gommecourt, Givency-Eu-Gobelle, north of the Loos salient, opposite Wytschaete and east of Wleghy. "One hostile kite balloon, in addition to those already reported was destroyed by our aircraft yesterday, making a total of six out of fifteen balloons attacked. The six were seen to fall in flames."

FIGHTING IMPORTANT FOR TWO DAYS. Berlin, June 26.—The official statement says: "Fighting activity in the west, on the fronts occupied by the British and the north wing of the French army, was important and has been for the past two days. "West of Dead Man Hill (Verdun front) enemy nocturnal attacks failed. "On the right bank of the Meuse, during the evening an attack by very strong forces against our positions on Frode Terre ridge was a complete failure for the French. They were everywhere driven back from our lines, in part by hand grenade encounters, with severe losses. "German flying squadrons attacked the British camp at Pas, east of Doullens."

VON PAPAN BELIEVED FRIGHTFULNESS WOULD KEEP CANADIANS HOME. New York, June 26.—Horst Von Der Goltz, upon whose confession of participation in the alleged plot Hans Tauscher, former German army officer, and others were indicted, was the principal witness in the Tauscher trial today. He testified that Von Papan told him that he and Captain Boy-Ed had believed that an armed invasion of Canada was possible, but that Count Von Bernstorff objected. He testified that Von Papan told him: "If we make a panic up in Canada they will stay at home and not go to help England. We can blow up the Welland canal, Sault Ste. Marie canal, grain elevators and railway stations."

The case of Wolf Von Igell, who was indicted jointly with Tauscher, was on the calendar for pleading today, but when Von Igell's case was called it was announced that it had been postponed until July 6.

Duke of Connaught First Irish Vice-Roy Under Home Rule? Ottawa, June 26.—A rumor current in political circles here today, though it cannot be confirmed, states that H. R. H. the Duke of Connaught, who is to leave Canada this fall, will be first Irish lieutenant-governor of Ireland under the new Lloyd George home rule settlement scheme. The royal party left for its farewell western tour tonight, and will return to Ottawa on Aug. 2.

SIR WILFRID LAURIER AGAIN INDISPOSED. Ottawa, June 26.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier is again suffering from a slight neuralgic trouble, and has cancelled an engagement to speak at the St. Jean Baptiste celebration in Hull Tuesday night.

MAJOR McLEAN PLAYED HEROIC PART; ONE OF HEROES OF 26TH MEETS DEATH

Clinton W. Cossaboom, of Charlotte Co., Who Won Mention in Despatches, Fell in Later Fighting

Always at Head of His Men, Major Herb. McLean Seemed to Bear a Charmed Life— Armstrong Boys in Thickest of Fight— Wellington McKiel Wounded—Three St. John Men Lay Down Their Lives

The Canadian casualties still continue to stream in, indicating how terrible was the battle and how well the Canadians stuck to their posts throughout the awful carnage. The men who went over from Canada with the Mounted Rifles evidently bore the brunt of the heavy fighting and the work of their officers was excellent, according to the latest reports that have come in.

Harry Armstrong, the son of James B. Armstrong of West St. John has written a letter to his father descriptive of the part played by the Fourth C. M. R. of which he is a member in the great battle. He says that Major Herb McLean conducted himself with the greatest possible heroism and stuck to his men through thick and thin. Major McLean was always at the head of his command urging the men on and never once did he send his men to a position where he was not willing to go himself, and first. A rather strange thing is that he came through the terrible battle without a scratch, although at all times he occupied very exposed positions and his men fell thick around him.

Letters received during the past few weeks from the front all concur in the statement that Major McLean has proven himself to be a soldier of exceptional worth and his men are very devoted to him.

James B. Armstrong's both sons, Harry and Roy, were with the Mounted Rifles in the recent heavy fighting.

ONE OF HEROES OF 26TH GONE

In yesterday's casualty list there appears among those killed in action the name of Private Clinton William Cossaboom of St. Stephen (N. B.). Private Cossaboom distinguished himself on several occasions and Sir Max Aiken's official report on February 3 said as follows:

"On the night of January 29 a patrol consisting of Lieutenants Sturdee and Winter, Sergeant Pierce and Private Cossaboom of the 26th New Brunswick Battalion cut through the German wire and made a very useful reconnaissance."

Sergeant Pierce mentioned above is now in Canada and is taking a lieutenant's course at the R. S. I. at Aldershot Camp. Private Cossaboom is a native of The Ledge, situated about five miles from St. Stephen, and is well known in that district and it will be with great regret that his many friends will learn of his death.



PRIVATE GORDON KENNEDY, a bright young St. John man, who gave his life for the cause of right.

Private McKel Wounded.

Mr. and Mrs. Wellington McKel, of Browns Plains, have been advised that their son Harold, of the 26th Battalion, has been wounded and is now in a military hospital. He is suffering from a gunshot wound in the neck. The first intimation came from his brother George, who is at Folskstone, the official notification being received a day or two later.

Private McKel was in charge of the school at Central Greenwich at the time of his enlistment, and was one of the first to respond to the call of patriotism and duty. The excellence of the hospital arrangements for our wounded will be a source of comfort to his anxious relatives.

Sergeant Tyler Missing.

A recent casualty list contained the name of Sergeant Tyler of St. Mary's, who is listed as missing. He first donned the king's uniform as a member of the 71st Regiment of the composite battalion at Halifax and afterwards joined the overseas forces. No further news as to what has happened this gallant lad has as yet been received by his anxious relatives at St. Mary's.

Pte. James Bennett

Another St. John man has given his life in the great cause. Private James Bennett, son of the late Louis Bennett, who was for many years a pilot in the city, Private Bennett was born in this city but left when very young for the west. When he was called to join the Royal Mounted Rifles in Montreal and with them he went overseas. Soon after his arrival in England he was transferred to another unit with which unit he was fighting when killed.

The word was received yesterday by his sister, Miss Nellie Bennett, of 47 Sewer street. He was 37 years old and leaves but the one sister of whom he was the only support.

Pte. Harry Tennant Wounded.

Mrs. Harry Tennant of 845 City road, received word from Ottawa on Wednesday afternoon that her husband, Pte. Harry Tennant, was officially reported wounded on June 11. The telegram states that further particulars would be sent when received. Pte. Harry Tennant was with the 26th Battalion and has been through some severe fighting.

Arthur Lemon Killed.

The news that Arthur Lemon, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lemon of 139 Metcalf street, has been killed in action was received in a letter from H. B. Fish, telling of his own wounds. He merely says that "Art Lemon was killed"

PROV. ASSN. DISCUSSED WAYS AND MEANS RETURNED MEN RELATE TALES OF THE FIRING LINE

Monday June 23.

E. A. Schofield, of the St. John citizens' recruiting committee, and a member of the provincial association in Montreal on Friday afternoon, made the remark that the country should at once discover where it stood in the matter of recruiting. If necessary, a delegation of business men should go to the militia depot to discuss this matter, and if they did not succeed, go to England and get at first hand the actual need as related to recruiting in this country.

Regarding the meeting the Montreal Times says: A meeting of the provincial recruiting committee of New Brunswick was held Friday afternoon in the board of trade room, Y. M. C. A. building. Those present were: Richard O'Leary, president, Richbucko; Lieutenant-Colonel P. A. Guthrie, O. C. New Brunswick command; E. Allen Schofield, treasurer, St. John; Captain I. P. D. Tilley, secretary and chief recruiting officer, St. John; E. M. Thompson, Hillsborough; H. D. Dickson, Miramichi; Howard Kings county; Judge McLaughlin, Campbellton; Prof. F. W. W. DesBarres and Dr. B. C. Borden, of Mount Allison University; Gilbert G. Ganong, Irvington; J. C. Stiles, St. John; J. C. Salisbury; John Keefe, St. John; Dr. Fairbanks, Harcourt; I. C. Prescott, Albert; His Worship Mayor L. W. McArthur, St. John; J. W. H. Price, Miramichi; Dr. O. B. Price, Miramichi; J. W. Price, Miramichi; J. H. Hamilton.

Major Guthrie, upon entering the room, received with an outburst of enthusiastic applause. Telegrams were read from J. W. McCaffrey, Fredericton, and H. I. Taylor, St. George, expressing regret at their inability to attend.

More Publicity Needed.

E. A. Schofield read a report prepared by Colonel Guthrie, proposing that a center in each newspaper of the province be secured and used every Saturday. All ways the same corner and people will look for the "dope" if Mr. Schofield would make the necessary financial arrangements, the column would argue for each week short articles or paragraphs in favor of conscription as the only fair and economic method of raising men for this war.

Colonel Guthrie said that newspaper advertising of the kind mentioned was far more effective than either circular letters or pamphlets.

Colonel Guthrie remarked that New Brunswick is further advanced toward conscription than any other province, and he thought that this was due more to the good organization of the provincial recruiting committee than to any other agency. He declared, amid applause, that conscription is surely coming and will bring a better life to most people except Men Needed Now.

Captain Tilley reported that the New Brunswick men already mentioned to complete their enlistments as follows: 116th, 200; 140th, 180; 140th, 400; 168th, 870.

The 145th and 168th are the liveliest recruiting battalions in the province. The 145th has done extremely well, and the 168th had a great meeting at Bathurst on the 18th inst. The only recruits during the past month were the 145th and 168th. Other battalions had no recruits, and nothing in recruiting.

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Colonel Guthrie spoke against the doctors turning men down for minor defects.

TOO LITTLE BLOOD MEANS MUCH MISERY

That is what makes people Pale, Weak and Languid.

The one source of most of the misery that affects men and women and growing children is poverty of the blood. If you consult a doctor he says you are anemic, which really means bloodless. That is what makes people drag along, always tired, never real hungry, often unable to digest their food, breathless after the slightest exertion, and too often on the verge of complete breakdown.

More weak, anemic people have been made by the use of the Pink Pills for Pale People. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills take away the cause of the trouble, strengthen the nerves and bring new health and strength. The following is proof of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to restore health.

Mr. Geo. Turner, New Haven, N. S., says: "No doubt due to constant hard work I got in a badly run down condition. It took very little exertion to tire me, and my appetite was far from good. Often I had headache, and when going up stairs, or after any slight exertion my heart would palpitate violently, and I grew considerably alarmed about my condition. I decided to take Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and after using a few boxes I felt much better. I continued using the pills for some weeks longer, and they completely cured me. I can warmly recommend this medicine to men who are weak or run down."

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail, post paid at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Allies Reach Out in Greece

Saloniki, June 23, via London.—Forces of the Teutonic allies have extended their zone of action toward Poraj (in Greece, northeast of Doiran). Entente allied aeroplanes have bombed enemy military establishments at Gumudja and their camp near Veles.

Greek Elections August 7.

Athens, via London, June 24.—A decree fixing the elections for August 7 will be issued next week. The blockade will be raised tomorrow.

NEW BRUNSWICK BATTALION HOLDS THE TRENCHES WITH GREATEST GALLANTRY

Official Eye-witness Twice Mentions Our Boys for Daring and Successful Work

Bombing Party of Three Men Under Sergeant Grey More Than Match for Fifteen Germans Encountered in Disused Trench—Working Parties of Enemy Successfully Located and Dispersed by Fire—Consolidation of Positions Difficult Task but Carried Through With Courage and Endurance.

Ottawa, June 23.—The following communique has been received from the Canadian general representative at the front:

Canadian Corps Headquarters in France, June 23, via London.—The consolidation of the positions recaptured on the morning of June 13 was carried out by our troops during the past week under difficult and trying conditions. Our original lines were found practically obliterated. The ground has been churned into a sea of mud. The remains of former trenches and shell holes were all deep in water. The weather continued cold and wet.

Under a constant, and at times intense bombardment by the enemy, new trenches and works had to be constructed. All our battalions engaged on this arduous duty displayed the greatest courage and endurance. Throughout they received splendid assistance from our pioneers and engineers.

As the result of indefatigable labor our hold on all essential points was confirmed, and a strong defensive system built.

No further counter-attacks were delivered by the enemy. From time to time the volume and concentration of his shell fire suggested preparation for an assault, but the prompt and vigorous retaliation of our artillery on these occasions effectively checked any such attempt.

Successful Patrol Work.

A great deal of patrol work had to be done during the period, not only to determine the positions and attitude of the enemy, but also for the purpose of recovering our own wounded and any quantities of small arms ammunition in the area affected by the fighting.

The total number of prisoners taken now amounts to five officers and 180 other ranks, and 23 other ranks and 93 other ranks are wounded. Twelve complete machine guns, with spare parts were found to have been abandoned by the enemy, together with considerable quantities of small arms ammunition, hand-grenades, and other trench stores.

The prisoners state that both in their attack on June 2 and throughout the ten day period of our preparation for the counter-attack the German casualties were exceedingly heavy.

While engaged in reconnaissance our troops saw many unaccounted for parties of the enemy.

On the second day after our counter-attack, when the enemy's position at a certain point was still undetermined, three scouts, Sergt. Lesieur and Privates Lane and Weldron, each from a separate

unit, went out as a patrol in the early morning and made a close examination of a considerable area of ground in front of our trenches. Many Germans dead were found in shell holes or the remains of trenches. At one point our patrol surprised a party of four Germans in a dugout. All four were killed. After an absence of about seven hours our patrol returned safely, bringing in much valuable information.

On the following night a patrol of one of our Ontario battalions, under Lt. Colonel Northey, consisted of a party of a strong enemy patrol, and along other points. Heron took a party of a Toronto battalion and made an important reconnaissance of the trenches.

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NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, June 21.—Messrs. Robert W. McLean and Moore, of Fredericton, spent the week-end in town, the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. John Russell.

Mr. W. J. Jardine left last Friday for Fredericton, where he will be manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia there, with supervision over the branches at Chandler, New Carlisle and Fort Danville. Mrs. Jardine and family will follow in the course of a month or six weeks.

Mr. Abram Bell of Dorchester (Mass.), is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bell.

Mrs. Osborne Nicholson and Miss Ritchie have returned from a visit to Montreal.

Mr. A. L. Kerr and family, of Sydney Mines, have moved to town. Mr. Kerr has succeeded Mr. Jardine as manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Miss Anna McKel, late returned missionary from Japan, who was a resident here for many years, is the guest of Mrs. C. Hayward. Her many friends are pleased to welcome her once more.

Mrs. W. J. Bate attended the ordination of her son, Rev. Alban F. Bate, at Fredericton, on Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Bate was the guest of Bishop and Mrs. Richardson.

Mrs. James Bell, of Taymouth, York county, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard.

Mrs. Duncanson Allanach, of Moncton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Kingston.

Mrs. Arthur Pringle, of Stanley, was in town this week visiting her son, Private Ernest Pringle, of the 168th.

Miss Jane Mitchell, of Longville, is visiting friends in town this week.

Last Thursday evening a special meeting of the patriotic committee was held in the Town Hall to pay honor to the retiring treasurer, Mr. W. J. Jardine, whose services had been so valuable.

After several addresses by members expressing their loss and their regret at Mr. Jardine's removal from town, the President, Mr. Charles J. Morrissey, presented Mr. Jardine, on behalf of the members, with a beautiful clock.

Mr. Alban F. Bate, who was ordained by his lordship, and the ordination service was preached by Rev. P. P. McKim, of St. John. Rev. Alban F. Bate is expected to officiate at the mission at Ludlow and Blissfield, until the arrival of the new clergyman coming from the west. Mr. Bate is the eldest son of Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Bate of this town.

CROP REPORTS.

Montreal, June 23.—The fall wheat reports were received from the west today.

Regina (Sask).—Provincial government reports on crop situation show grain in excellent condition, prospects all over. Wheat is up to ten inches in some districts and oats are up to five inches. Prospects indicate a good hay crop. Barley also is well up nearly all over. Flax conditions are good and in advance of last year in most places.

Lethbridge (Alb.).—Prospects are bright throughout southern Alberta for a repetition of the record-breaking crop of last year. Reports are coming in of remarkable growth of grain following heavy rains and recent warm weather. Wheat is ten inches high in most places and a few fields are more than that.

Rideout-Rideout.

On Wednesday at the residence of W. B. Rideout, Summerville, Carleton county, the wedding took place of his oldest daughter Eva, to Arnold Rideout also of Summerville.

Buchanan-Sears.

On June 20th, at Edgett's Landing, Ella Maude, daughter of William and Mrs. Sears, was united in marriage to Harold D. Buchanan of Moncton.

CLOSING RECEPTION OF ALBERT GRAMMAR SCHOOL DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

Hopewell Hill, June 24.—The at home of the graduating class of the Albert Grammar School, which has been looked forward to with much interest...

SKETCHES OF THE PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY By PENMAN The Assembly Sabbath.

The assembly holds no "sacred" or "holy" day. This is the day of rest and worship. Blue books, and resolutions are laid aside. The sound of debate and discussion is stilled.

But no description of assembly Sabbath would be complete without a reference to the assembly communion service. It has been the custom for years...

THREE MIDWINTER SOLDIERS AWARDED MEDALS FOR BRAVERY

Company Sergt. Major Henderson, Thought to Be Local Boy, Among Those Whose Gallantry Has Been Recognized by Military Authorities.

Official confirmation has been received of the report that Private Egbert Robertson, No. 6811, of the 26th (N. B.) Battalion had been awarded the Distinguished Service Medal.

The name of Senior Sergeant-Major McKinnon, of the 8th Artillery, also appears, and he has been awarded the Distinguished Conduct Medal.

was always cheerful and hard working and has displayed fine courage.

Corp. McNeil, No. 87168, Ammunition Park, displayed consistent good work and great courage in carrying despatches under heavy shell fire.

Corp. Osley, No. 6447, 1st Engineers, displayed conspicuous gallantry, courage and resource throughout the campaign.

Pte. Preston, No. 2177, 7th Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry on several occasions when he established a telephone station in the enemy's trenches.

Sackville, June 24.—Close on to two thousand people gathered about the band stand on Main street, this afternoon during the farewell to "B" company.

NEARLY \$100,000 AWARDED IN TENDERS FOR NEW BRIDGES

Dominion Bridge Co. Gets Two \$33,000 Contracts in Province—Find of Manganese Near Fredericton.

Fredericton, N. B., June 24.—The government has awarded the following bridge contracts: George Dobson bridge, Kings, to John R. Armstrong, price, \$22,000.

Scodons River Mouth bridge, Shediac, tender of Maritime Bridge Co. for metal superstructure accepted, price, \$5,048.

Considerable excitement has been caused at Douglas by the discovery of a deposit which is believed to be manganese. The find was made in the vicinity of Gardiner Creek, about a mile from Douglas.

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PRIMECREST FARM, ST. JOHN, N. B.

HANGING SENTENCE FOR 84-YEAR-OLD P. E. I. MURDERER

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 22.—Malcolm McPherson, aged eighty-four years, a farmer of Unalaska in the western part of the island, was today sentenced to be hanged on September 7 for the murder of his wife, aged eighty-six.

CUSTOMS OFFICIALS STILL ACTIVE IN CARLETON COUNTY

Woodstock, N. B., June 23.—Corporal A. C. Stoker, of Moncton, who was taken to the Fisher Hospital Thursday, is making a satisfactory recovery.

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For Preserving, Use LILY WHITE CORN SYRUP

Footwear For the Boys Big and Little

ARBOND A Blessing in the Home If there is one thing you need around the home or farm, it is Carbond.

Francis & Vaughan 19 King Street

NATIONALISTS AGREE TO EXCLUSION OF SIX COUNTIES OF ULSTER

Belfast, June 23, via London, 6.55 p.m.—The Ulster conference accepted Mr. Lloyd George's proposal for partial home rule by a majority vote. The vote was 475 to 265.

NO MEDICINE AS GOOD FOR LITTLE ONES

Once a mother has used Baby's Own Tablets for her little one she will use nothing else. The first few doses make her realize there is nothing to equal them in making baby well and keeping him well.

SUPREME COURT JUDGMENTS

Fredericton, June 23.—The supreme court this morning delivered judgments in seven cases. In Cole vs. Tartif, a Madawaska appeal case, this was dismissed with costs.

UNIVERSITY FUDGE

The Lantic Sugar Cook Book gives the recipe for this and many other new sweets. Send a red ball trade-mark, cut from a Lantic package, for a free copy.

Lantic Sugar

"The All-Purpose Sugar" will please you by its purity, convenience and high sweetening power.

NEEDLESS CARE

Boots (in Irish hotel)—I've forgotten, captain, whether you wanted to be called at 6 or 7.

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ROUSING OPPOSITION MEETING IN HARTLAND

Hartland, June 23.—The meeting of the good government party held this evening was without doubt the most enthusiastic political gathering held here in many years.

THE CANADA STARCH CO. LIMITED

One-third "Lily White" to two-thirds Sugar, by weight. "Lily White" Corn Syrup prevents fermentation and mold- brings out the natural flavour of fruits and berries—and makes much more delicious Preserves, Jams and Jellies than you can make with all sugar.

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MORE BRUNSWICKERS MAKE SUPREME SACRIFICE

Lieut. "Jack" Hipwell, One of New Brunswick's Most Promising Sons, Falls Before German Fire

Lance Corporal James S. Osborne Wounded for Second Time—From All Portions of the Province Come Reports of the Sacrifice Which New Brunswick's Sons Are Making in Defence of Empire.

"He went as went our sires of old, Across the surging seas to war, Not for the lust of fame or gold, But for the British heart he bore. He heard the motherland afar, Calling her children scattered wide, He went as woke the note of war, To face the conflict at her side.

This is the spirit in which the men of Canada faced the Hun during the latest big battle on the western front.

Lance Corp. Osborne Wounded. Among those reported wounded yesterday was Lance Corporal James S. Osborne, son of Mrs. Margaret Osborne, 207 Sydney street, who went overseas with the Fifth Royal Highlanders of Montreal and who later was attached to

himself if they would have taken me, but they refused an account of my age, and now one of my sons has been killed and another is about to leave for the other side." Such patriotism as this and such heroism is that which has made the British Empire what it stands for today. The following letters regarding the standing of Lieut. Hipwell as a student are in possession of his parents:

Frederickton (N. B.), March 9, 1915. To whom it may concern: This is to certify that John Hipwell, a bombardier in the second Canadian contingent, is a member of the senior class of the University of New Brunswick and one of the most promising of our under-graduates. He is making a splendid record in his university course and only his strong sense of duty to his country could have induced him to leave college at the beginning of his last year. He is an ambitious and industrious student of exceptional ability and these qualities in his case are united with nobility of character and social graces. He is in every sense a true gentleman and has our esteem and confidence and I trust that he may receive the advancement that his ability and character merit.

Very sincerely, (Sgd.) W. C. KIRKSTEAD, Department of Philosophy, University of New Brunswick. The other letters are as follows: To all persons to whom this letter may come:

It affords me very great pleasure to recommend John B. Hipwell to the good offices of any whom he may meet. Hipwell is a graduate of the University of New Brunswick and has enjoyed the confidence of the members of the faculty in the highest degree. He has been a resident of Fredericton for four years and during this time has succeeded in winning the confidence of all with whom he has been brought in contact. He is

LANCE CORP. JAS. S. OSBOURNE, a St. John boy with the Montreal Highlanders, twice wounded at Ypres. He was wounded during the battle of Langemarck on April 24, 1916, but was only in the hospital a short time and returned to the firing line on August 2. At that time he received a gunshot wound in the knee and the official telegram received yesterday by his mother was to the effect that again he had received a gunshot wound in the knee.

According to the word received yesterday he was wounded on June 17; but it is understood that his wounds are not of a serious nature. He has been sent to a military hospital at Cambridge and is there being treated.

Lieut. Hipwell Makes Supreme Sacrifice. Another St. John home was plunged in deep sorrow yesterday when the word was received by Mr. and Mrs. David Hipwell, 215 King street, that their son, Lieut. John Basil Hipwell, had died at No. 10 casualty clearing station on June 17 owing to wounds received in the recent heavy fighting on the western front.

Lieut. Hipwell had just graduated from the University of New Brunswick, where he had been recommended for a Rhodes scholarship. He was studying engineering and forestry and was one of the most brilliant students that the university had ever had.

He joined the 23rd artillery and went to England on January 26, 1915, and had been about fifteen months on the firing line.

On two occasions he was recommended to take the officers' course on account of his splendid ability and gallantry on the field of action and about two months ago he crossed from France to England, where he took a lieutenant's course. He had only arrived on the firing line about two weeks, in his new position as a commissioned officer, when the heavy fighting began and in which he sustained wounds which proved fatal.

Some days ago his parents received word, dated June 17, that he had been seriously wounded, and the latest word of his death received yesterday was also dated June 17, indicating that he died the same day as he was admitted to the clearing station. He is survived by his mother and father, a sister, Mary E. Hipwell, who is accountant in the re-arranger's office at Fredericton, and another sister, Annie B., at home, and a brother, Harry D., who is now with the medical corps at Vancouver and will likely sail for overseas in a very few days.

"I have given all I have to give," said his grief-stricken father to The Telegraph yesterday. "I would have gone

land was transferred to another unit. He is twenty-one years old and was employed at electrical engineering in New York prior to his enlistment.

Ottawa Has No Word. J. T. Lemoy, 109 Metcalf street, received a reply from Ottawa yesterday to telegram regarding his son who was unofficially reported killed. The reply was as follows: "Replying to your telegram of June 22, the name of 111274, Private Arthur G. Lemoy has not appeared on any of the official casualty lists to date. Have called England for information, the telegram has given them hopes that after all some mistake may have been made and that the report is unfounded."

While the members of the family are still very anxious to receive definite information, the telegram has given them hopes that after all some mistake may have been made and that the report is unfounded.

Sergeant A. H. Weldon. Sgt. Arthur Hale Weldon of Dartmouth, mentioned in the casualty list from Ottawa yesterday, is a nephew of George C. Weldon of The S. Hayward

Frederickton Soldier. Mrs. Susan Bailey of Fredericton has been notified that her son, Pte. Fred Bailey has been admitted to the Duchess of Cornwall Hospital suffering from gun shot wounds in the wrist.

H. J. Grierson. The name of Henry J. Grierson of St. John appeared in the Ottawa list of wounded yesterday. He is only a young member of the name here and he does not belong to that.

I. D. Weldon Killed. Mrs. Stephen Weldon of Coverdale, Albert county, has received a telegram from Ottawa stating that her son Pte. Ingraham Dale Weldon, infantry, has been officially reported killed in action on June 17.

J. T. Mayer Wounded. John T. Mayer, manager of the L. C. R. restaurant in Moncton has received word that his son, John T. Mayer has been wounded in action. His former home was in Omslow, N. S.

Pte. Weldon Killed. Salisbury, June 28—Miss Alma Weldon, who has been in charge of the instruction department of the Salisbury Superior school during the past two years, received the sad news by wire last evening that her brother, Private Weldon, had been killed in action.

Major Weyman Injured. Major E. C. Weyman was recently the victim of a painful accident in England. He was thrown from his horse.

CAPT. C. J. MORGAN, some on furlough after being wounded. Co. Canterbury street. He is a son of Dr. H. C. Weldon, formerly M. P. for Albert Co. and more recently dean of the law school at Dalhousie. The young soldier has been doing excellent work at the front.

Harvey Station, June 23—James Hunter has just received a telegram informing him of the death of his son, Pte. S. Hunter, he having been killed in action in Belgium a few days ago. He is a native of this place and went to the front in 1915 and some time after enlisted in the 8th Mounted Rifles at Medicine Hat. He has been in active service in Belgium since the beginning of the year and is survived by his wife and three children.

Lieut. Eston Wounded. Frederickton, N. B., June 23—The news of Lieut. Frank Eston, who was frequently wounded, which came via Toronto, his home town, was received with regret by his many friends. He was a lieutenant in the 10th Battalion and was killed in action in August 1914, with the first draft from that corps. He was with the 12th battalion until the present spring when he was transferred to the 10th.

Lieut. Eston mentioned above, believed, was slated for an appointment in Lieut-Colonel P. A. Guthrie's Killis battalion.

Yesterday's Ottawa List. Ottawa, June 28—The morning list casualties follows: Infantry: Wounded—Pte. Walter George Anderson, Montreal, N.S.; Pte. Frederick Gould, Halifax, N.S.; Pte. Wm. A. Archibald, Hildon, N.S.; Company Quartermaster-Sergeant Charles William Bennett, Halifax, N.S.; Adjutant, Capt. Bathurst, N.B.; Pte. Archibald Christie, St. John; Pte. Henry J. Grierson, St. John.

Mounted Rifles. Wounded—Pte. William David Connors, remaining on duty, Westville, N. S.; Pte. William Bigley, Amherst, N.S.; Pte. John William Gray, Halifax, N.S.; Sgt. William Charles Hood, New Brunswick; Pte. Louis McMurro, Charlottetown, P.E.I.; Lance Corporal Hugh E. Spence, Kentville, N.S.; Sgt. Arthur Hale Weldon, Dartmouth, N.S.

Sergt. Blizard Wounded. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Blizard, of 16 Hanover street, received a card Saturday night from their son, Sergt. Fred Blizard, of the heavy artillery, motor transport, Halifax, N.S., stating that he had been through the big battle and had been wounded slightly and was now in the 2nd Southern Military Hospital, Bristol, England.

This was the first intimation his parents had received that their son had been wounded. His message said that he had been wounded slightly in the left leg and was sent to the hospital, but added: "I will be back at the front soon again," in a triumphant note. Sergt. Blizard is a veteran of the South African War and has been through several of the heavy engagements on the western front, this being the first time he was wounded. He is a brother Corp. Kenneth Blizard, now on the western front with the Fighting 25th Battalion.

Two Sons Wounded. Thomas Copp, of Newcastle, has received official notification that both his sons have been wounded in the recent heavy fighting. Mr. Copp received word Friday that his son, Hiram, with the 40th Montreal Highlanders, had been admitted to hospital on June 5, and on Friday he received the following official notification: "Sincerely regret to inform you that 420088, Pte. Finley Copp, infantry, officially reported admitted to No. 25 General Hospital, Harbord, June 15. Gunshot wound in lower limb. Further particulars when received."

Corp. Phillips Wounded. Mrs. Alice Phillips, 866 Main street, received official word from Ottawa on Saturday stating that her son, Corp. Percy Phillips, who left here with the 20th Battalion, had been severely wounded in the shoulder, June 19.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Brown, of 10 Long wharf, yesterday received the following official telegram from the record office: "Sincerely regret to inform you that Private James H. Brown, infantry, officially reported admitted to No. 3 stationary hospital, Wimerus, June 17. Gunshot wound chest wall; will send further particulars when received."

H. A. Britain Recovering. Friends of Pte. Harry A. Britain, son of James A. Britain, of this city, will not doubt be pleased to learn that he is recovering from his wounds and, although still in a weak condition his case is not considered serious. He is now stationed at the base in France. Letters from his friends will reach him at this address: No. 6910, 20th Battalion, 2nd C. E. F., Base Depot, France.

14th Safely in Camp. A telegram from one of the officers of the 14th Battalion, to The Telegraph, Sunday, said: "Arrived here last night without a mishap. Arrangements were perfect for men on train."

It is understood that the 14th arrived at Valcartier Camp without a single man suffering an injury or meeting with serious inconvenience. The departure and arrival of the troop trains were very well timed and the men were attended to very well during the journey. The men of the 14th are now making themselves comfortable at Valcartier for the last session of their Canadian training to fit them for service in France.

Instructor for 224th. Sergt. Instructor Brown, who is well known in this city and who has trained many of the officers and N. C. O.'s who are now overseas, has been given the task of training the N. C. O.'s of the new 224th Battalion. In this regard the Montreal Gazette of recent date says: "When the N. C. O. class of the 224th Battalion is started they will have the advantage of one of the best instructors in Canada, Sergeant Instructor Brown. There are few officers in eastern Canada who have qualified during the past year for the class, most of them have been in positions where they could not leave at once, so that it will be a week or more before they get into uniform."

How Absentee Was Caught. The Moncton Transcript of Friday says: "A squad of 14th men recently captured an absentee under somewhat peculiar circumstances. They heard that the chap, after running away, had been himself to his former home in the country. In order not to alarm anybody, but rather to lure him into false security, they allowed him to remain unmolested for several weeks, and only made a raid on his hiding place a few days ago. Upon arrival they searched the premises thoroughly but were unable to find their man. Just as they were about to retreat, however, one of the party found a trap door outside a bedroom window and upon raising this they found the entrance to a tunnel in which the accused was hiding. It was so arranged that he could get out of sight at the shortest possible notice. He was brought back to Moncton.

Going Back to Firing Line. A Fredericton report says: "Ambrose Higgs, one of the first New Brunswick soldiers to return from the front on the casualty list, is again in khaki. Mr. Higgs was in the first batch of Ypres and was badly gassed. He suffered for months from the effect of the poison, but has made up his mind to go back again. He will probably go overseas with one of the battalions now in the provinces. Mr. Higgs is showing the way to a lot of young men who had not been there for the first time."

Eleven Austrians Arrested. A Moncton despatch says that eleven Austrians were arrested by the Moncton police Friday afternoon on the N. T. R. about 24 miles from the railway centre and were brought into Moncton and placed in jail there. It appears that Chief Rideout received word from the Italian boss of a gang working on the N. T. R. at North Branch to effect that he had learned there were a number of Austrians working with him. Acting on this information, Chief Rideout sent Sgt. Belliveau, Officers Webb and Collins visited the scene and placed them under arrest. It also transpires that the men in question had cards in their possession giving them permission to go from Montreal to a certain place in Ontario, but they had not received any permission allowing them to come to New Brunswick. It is understood

145th N. WESTMORLAND'S BEST, OFF TO VALCARTIER

Recruiting Party, Remaining Behind, Hopes to Soon Fill Lt. Col. Forbes' Fine Battalion—140th Welcomed to Canada's Big Camp—Eleven Austrians Caught on N. T. R.

Monday June 26. Yesterday morning the 145th Battalion left Moncton for Valcartier. A recruiting party composed of the regimental band, Major C. L. Hammond, Major P. R. Stannard, Lieut. Tompkinson and Lieut. Flanagan, remained in Moncton. Lieut. Flanagan has taken charge of the Alma detachment which will remain for a short time. Alma has offered to recruit a full platoon for the battalion, of which sixteen men have already been raised. The recruiting party hopes to be able to fill up the unit during the next fortnight by inaugurating several strenuous campaigns in different parts of the province.

The 104th Battalion had an excellent field day at Hammond Vale near Sussex on Saturday, when extensive manoeuvres and tactical operations were carried out. One company of the 104th represented the defending force and the other three companies represented a German man handling force seeking to win its way toward St. John. The battalion went into action with full field equipment and the plans of the opposing force were kept a secret. Keen competition had been worked up during the preceding days and the officers declare that the 104th had one of the most valuable periods of training it has experienced since mobilization.

Banquet to Colonel Fowler. Tonight Lieut-Colonel George W. Fowler, O. C. of the 104th Battalion, will be the guest of honor at a citizens' dinner to be held at the Depot House at Sussex. Among the speakers will be Colonel Fowler, Hon. William Pugsley, Judge McKewen, Judge Josiah, Hon. J. A. Murray and Dr. McAlister. Mayor Wallace, of Sussex, will preside. This promises to be one of the most elaborate functions seen in Sussex for some time.

H. A. Britain Recovering. Friends of Pte. Harry A. Britain, son of James A. Britain, of this city, will not doubt be pleased to learn that he is recovering from his wounds and, although still in a weak condition his case is not considered serious. He is now stationed at the base in France. Letters from his friends will reach him at this address: No. 6910, 20th Battalion, 2nd C. E. F., Base Depot, France.

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It is understood that the 14th arrived at Valcartier Camp without a single man suffering an injury or meeting with serious inconvenience. The departure and arrival of the troop trains were very well timed and the men were attended to very well during the journey. The men of the 14th are now making themselves comfortable at Valcartier for the last session of their Canadian training to fit them for service in France.

Instructor for 224th. Sergt. Instructor Brown, who is well known in this city and who has trained many of the officers and N. C. O.'s who are now overseas, has been given the task of training the N. C. O.'s of the new 224th Battalion. In this regard the Montreal Gazette of recent date says: "When the N. C. O. class of the 224th Battalion is started they will have the advantage of one of the best instructors in Canada, Sergeant Instructor Brown. There are few officers in eastern Canada who have qualified during the past year for the class, most of them have been in positions where they could not leave at once, so that it will be a week or more before they get into uniform."

How Absentee Was Caught. The Moncton Transcript of Friday says: "A squad of 14th men recently captured an absentee under somewhat peculiar circumstances. They heard that the chap, after running away, had been himself to his former home in the country. In order not to alarm anybody, but rather to lure him into false security, they allowed him to remain unmolested for several weeks, and only made a raid on his hiding place a few days ago. Upon arrival they searched the premises thoroughly but were unable to find their man. Just as they were about to retreat, however, one of the party found a trap door outside a bedroom window and upon raising this they found the entrance to a tunnel in which the accused was hiding. It was so arranged that he could get out of sight at the shortest possible notice. He was brought back to Moncton.

Going Back to Firing Line. A Fredericton report says: "Ambrose Higgs, one of the first New Brunswick soldiers to return from the front on the casualty list, is again in khaki. Mr. Higgs was in the first batch of Ypres and was badly gassed. He suffered for months from the effect of the poison, but has made up his mind to go back again. He will probably go overseas with one of the battalions now in the provinces. Mr. Higgs is showing the way to a lot of young men who had not been there for the first time."

Eleven Austrians Arrested. A Moncton despatch says that eleven Austrians were arrested by the Moncton police Friday afternoon on the N. T. R. about 24 miles from the railway centre and were brought into Moncton and placed in jail there. It appears that Chief Rideout received word from the Italian boss of a gang working on the N. T. R. at North Branch to effect that he had learned there were a number of Austrians working with him. Acting on this information, Chief Rideout sent Sgt. Belliveau, Officers Webb and Collins visited the scene and placed them under arrest. It also transpires that the men in question had cards in their possession giving them permission to go from Montreal to a certain place in Ontario, but they had not received any permission allowing them to come to New Brunswick. It is understood

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MARRIAGE. BARTON-BROWN—Presbyterian church, 1016, Miss M. E. D., R. Garfield Barton, female (N. B.).

DEATH. McCREADY—At her King street East, June wife of E. W. McCready. PENNY—On June 22 residence of her parents street, Marjorie Winifred of Gummer and Mrs. Penny.

MONTGOMERY—On June 9, 1916, at her home, Hanover street, this city Montgomery, in her 71st year, leaving her husband, for her mother to mourn.

TURNBULL—On the Hatfield Hastings Turnbull, the late Jonathan and a bull, of Hampton.

LECKEY—In this city, Mary J., widow of HARGROVE—At the Hospital on June 24 late John W. Hargrove sister to mourn.

GUNTER—On June daughter of Mr. and Mrs. BAXTER—Entered in 29rd inst., John Baxter, years, leaving a loving to mourn.

WIGGINS—Leslie I son of Thomas and Mrs. W. J. Wiggins, 1916, aged one year and three (in Jesus). Queen's corner.

AMMOUS—At Me cut, on June 18, Margaret mous, daughter of Doc F. Gammons, and grand and Mrs. P. McBride of (N. B.).

LLOYD—In this city after a lingering illness, John C. Lloyd, leaving two children to mourn. HURLEY—In this city after a lingering illness, Honora and the late leaving his mother, on two sisters to mourn.

IN MEMO. In loving memory of Wilson who fell asleep "Until the day break, see away."

SEND LETTER SUBMARI. PRE. Paris, June 26—A to The Temps agency reporting that President ceive a message from hero in the same as

This statement is in interview which the rep Impardial had with t. The Temps agency, the bringing of letters Spain by a submarine Spanish neutrality, w respect.

Judging from Experience. "Pop, are bald eagles a distinct variety?" "I can't say positively, my son, but I rather fancy a bald eagle is simply a married one."

