

# AUSTRANS AND GERMANS STILL FALLING BACK BEFORE THE RUSSIAN ONSLAUGHT IN GALICIA

## NO CHANGE ON ALLIED FRONT ALONG SOMME

Berlin Claims British Lost 700 Yards of Ground Won Sunday.

## ITALIANS FORGING AHEAD ON ISONZO.

Still Further Gains Made Along the Carso Plateau and Another Line of Trenches Taken.

No change took place Monday along either the British or French lines in France, but weather hindering the operations, which were confined almost exclusively to artillery duels. According to Berlin the British have been expelled from trenches over a front of 700 yards southwest of the Thiéval-Posieres sector, which they occupied Sunday.

On the Isonzo front, according to Rome, the Italians have made still further advances against the Austrians along the Carso plateau, and east of Hill 212, in the latter sector another line of trenches having been penetrated and more men made prisoner. In the Gorizia sector Rome says the Austrians are being busily employed against the Italians. Here, according to Vienna, seven charges by the Italians were put down by the Austrians. Petrograd reports a continuation of the Turkish offensive on the Persian front, but asserts that a retreat of the Turks has been forced on the southwest bank of Lake Van, Turkish Armenia, through the fire of the Russian flotilla on the lake. The Turkish war office says the Russians in Persia continue to be driven back by the Ottomans, and that in Armenia, north of Bitlis, the Turks have made a further advance.

Germany Admits British Gain, But Says Ground Was Won Back Later.

Berlin, Aug. 14, via London.—German positions on the Somme front were subjected to heavy attacks yesterday and last night, the war office announced today. Two strong assaults of the French near Maurepas broke down.

The British succeeded in penetrating German first line trenches over a front of 700 yards, but were driven out during the night. The statement follows:

"Southwest of the Thiéval-Posieres ridge road, the British succeeded early Monday in penetrating our first line trenches over a front of 700 yards. The attack was driven back by a counter-attack during the night. The statement follows:

"Before Guillemont and the lines adjoining to the south a massed attack of the enemy was repulsed with very heavy losses for him.

"Two very strong attacks by the French in the sector between Maurepas and the east of Hem also broke down.

"Supplementary reports state that in the night of August 12 the French attacked the village of Fleury (on the Verdun front) and our positions to the east of this town, but were repulsed completely. A hand grenade attack by the enemy northwest of Bladmont Wood yesterday failed.

"South of La Bassée Canal there was lively fighting. Enemy patrols frequently showed great energy, especially northwest of Rheims, where strong reconnoitering detachments advanced after extensive artillery preparations. Their operations were without success.

"East of the Bapaume a British aeroplane was compelled, after an aerial encounter, to make a landing.

"No Change on British Front.

London, Aug. 14.—The situation along the whole British front is unchanged, according to the official statement issued by the war office tonight. The text of the statement follows:

"The situation is unchanged along the whole British front. The usual hostile shelling has occurred along our front, more particularly directed on the Mametz Wood, Pozieres, in the neighbourhood of Arras, and on our trenches north of the Vierstraat-Wytschaste road.

"West of Posieres a successful

## ENEMY SUBMARINE REPORTED SUNK BY SWEDISH CRUISER

Copenhagen, August 14, via London (7.02 p. m.).—The Dagens Nyheder today publishes a rumor that a German submarine was sunk by a Swedish cruiser between Stockholm and the Skagerrak on Thursday last.

## ANOTHER NEUTRAL VICTIM.

London, August 14 (10.52 p. m.).—The Danish steamer Ivar was sunk by a submarine off Genoa, Italy, Sunday, according to a despatch to Reuters' Telegram Company from Copenhagen. The crew of the steamer was saved.

The Ivar was a vessel of 2,130 tons. She was built in 1907 and hailed from Copenhagen.

## DR. JAMES LOCKARY DIES IN ST. STEPHEN

Ill Only Few Weeks—Two Brothers, Rev. F. and Lewis are in France.

Special to The Standard.

St. Stephen, Aug. 14.—After an illness of two weeks of hemorrhage of the brain, Dr. James Lockary of Dorchester, Mass., passed away at the Memorial Hospital Sunday evening. Dr. Lockary was 48 years of age and was the eldest son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Lockary, of St. Stephen, but had practised his profession in Dorchester, Mass.

His death is attributed to overwork in his chosen profession and for the last few weeks his friends had realized that he was sacrificing himself in order to alleviate the suffering of others. Three weeks ago he had to give up and he came here to recuperate, but it was too late. His wife, who was Miss Ladrigan, predeceased him and he is survived by one son and several brothers and sisters. Two of the brothers are in France doing their bit. Rev. Frank Lockary and Louis. The funeral service will be held Wednesday morning at the Church of the Holy Rosary at 9 o'clock.

## "HYPHENS" IN U.S. ENGINEERED RISE IN WHEAT?

London Telegraph Attributes Boost to Conspiracy of German-Americans for Purpose of Embarrassing the Allies.

London, Aug. 14.—The Daily Telegraph today says that the opinion is freely expressed in the local wheat market that the rise in wheat prices was the result of a conspiracy on the part of the German-Americans in Chicago to force prices up and embarrass the Entente Allies.

"The rise in wheat is condemned here as unnecessary," says the Daily Telegraph, "and the whole business seems to have been engineered in America."

The Statist says a coterie of English speculators have made the situation worse by engineering a local corner in the British wheat market. The newspaper, however, expresses the hope that wheat supplies now en route here will reach Great Britain in time to bring to naught the machinations of the English gamblers.

"Cross the Zlota Lipa River, after having repulsed the enemy, we reached the left bank of the River Denuv, an affluent of the Zlota Lipa, and the Zlota Lipa itself, where we crossed to the western bank at several points.

"Our offensive to the northwest of the Dniester continues. As a result of a stubborn fight we captured here the village of Zuiobaby, which was protected by dense lines of well prepared communication trenches. In the night the enemy met our troops with a terrific machine gun fire.

"On Sunday, when we captured the

## HUNS SWEEP BACK TO NEW DEFENCE LINE

Von Bothmer's Army Forced to Take Up New Positions on West Bank of the Zlota Lipa as Russian Advance Progresses—Withdrawing to New and Shorter Line Between the Carpathians and the Pinsk Marshes.

Last Week's Prisoners Taken by Russians 83,200 Men and 1,720 Officers—Sixty-nine Big Guns and 342 Machine Guns.

Petrograd, August 14, via London, (8.50 p. m.).—The retreat of the Austrians from the Stripa continues, with the Russians pounding the Austrian rear guard, Podziacy, on the Koropiec, has fallen, and General Count Von Bothmer's forces are taking up positions on the west bank of the Zlota Lipa.

The line of the Austrian defense, as it appears today, runs from Rzeszow through Sieradz and Sandomierz, along the head waters of the Stryp, northwest of Brody, and through Olesko-Zboroff to Brzesany, forming a zig-zag to the Upper Zlota Lipa; along that stream to Koropiec ten miles above its junction with the Dniester, then west to Jemopol, at the mouth of the Bystrizza-Maldan, 10 miles northwest of Stanialau; thence south to Solotvina, ten miles northwest of Nadvorna. In other words the Austrians contracting the circle about Lemberg, are withdrawing to a line between the Carpathians and the Pinsk marshes, the shorter length of which will compensate them, in some measure, for the tremendous losses they have suffered since the beginning of the Russian advance. Military critics look for the eventual withdrawal to the line of Kamionka, Lemberg, Mikolajoff and Stryp as their logical line of defense.

German War Office Report.

Berlin, Aug. 14, via London, 6.16 p. m.—Military operations on the eastern front are reported as follows:

"Front of Field Marshal Von Hindenburg: In the region of Strolowa and on the Otrzyka Canal, south of Lake Wygonowice, Russian advances were repulsed. German detachments dispersed Russian advanced bands east of the canal, with considerable losses for the enemy. Near Karceno, on the Stokhod, the battle against Russian troops which had advanced was decided in our favor.

"Strong Russian attacks were directed against Lutsk, and the Garabier sector south of Brody. They were repulsed with sanguinary losses. New attacks are now taking place.

"Front of Archduke Charles Francis: Russian attacks against the Zboroff-Konjucy sector failed. Such units of the enemy as had penetrated our lines were driven back by a counter-attack and more than 300 prisoners were taken. West of Monasterysk the enemy made an attack in vain. He suffered great losses under our fire.

Regarding the Balkan theatre, the war office says:

"No incidents of importance occurred. Even the feigned activity of the enemy died down."

Fierce Fighting South of Brody.

Vienna, Aug. 14, via London.—Fierce fighting south of Brody with repulsed attack of the Russians is reported in an official statement issued by the war office today. The text of the statement follows:

"Along the entire front between the Dniester and the district southwest of Sealecz the enemy came into closer fighting action with the Allied forces. General Von Boehm-Ermolli repulsed an enemy massed attack southwest of Podkamien. The field before our positions is covered with dead Russians.

"Italian theatre: Strong enemy forces attacked our positions east of the Vallone Valley between Lohvica and Wipach. Seven attacks were made, all of which were repulsed."

## Working Basis for Settlement of Railway Strike Is Arrived At

Pres. Wilson Hears Both Sides of the Dispute and Outlook that Threatened Strike will be Averted in Brighter—Another Conference Today When Definite Decision is Expected to be Reached.

Washington, Aug. 14.—President Wilson conferred today with both parties to the threatened country-wide railway strike, and tonight it appeared that sufficient foundation had been laid to furnish a working basis for a settlement of the differences of the employees and employers. The president will meet both sides again tomorrow.

At the conclusion of the day's conferences the president issued this statement:

"I have met both sides, and have gone over the case with the utmost frankness. I shall not be able to judge until tomorrow whether we have found a feasible basis for settlement."

The Question at Issue.

The foremost questions are what shall be arbitrated, if arbitration is to be resorted to, and what form of arbitration shall be adopted. Representatives of the employees maintain that their demands for an eight hour day and time and a half for overtime is the only concrete proposition under discussion. They insisted to the president today that the railroads make some definite counter-proposal. If the railroads submitted some proposed form of settlement, they said, they would be ready to discuss negotiations further. The employees are understood to be ready to consent to the principle of arbitration if the contingent proposals of the managers, which the men claim involve rights they have won in thirty years' efforts, are eliminated from consideration, and if arbitration is conducted by a board on which all four brotherhoods are represented.

Meets Managers.

Immediately after learning the employees' position the president summoned the committee of managers and held a long conference with them. They left the White House to confer among themselves throughout the night, if necessary, and the understanding was that they discuss the advisability of withdrawing their "contingency" proposals and submit a proposition "without strings" as demanded by the union.

While representatives of the employees insisted that they had not yet agreed to arbitrate any feature of their differences, there was growing impression that arbitration, or some form of compromise would be agreed upon. At no time, it was said, did the representatives of the men indicate that unless their demands were granted unqualifiedly they would go on strike.

Both sides refused absolutely to discuss their meeting with the president, or venture any forecast on the probable outcome of the negotiations, but leaders of the two factions were optimistic tonight that a strike would be averted.

CAPITAL AND INTEREST ON TREASURY BILLS ARE FREE OF INCOME TAX

London, Aug. 14, 8 p. m.—The treasury has given notice that the capital and interest of any treasury bills and war expenditure certificates issued henceforth will be free from the British income tax and from any taxation, now or in the future, while held by persons neither domiciled nor ordinarily resident in the United Kingdom.

## HUN AIRMEN BOMB HOSPITAL FILLED WITH NON-COMBATANTS

Paris, August 14, (10.43 p. m.).—A German aeroplane dropped bombs on Rheims, while German batteries shelled various quarters of that city, destroying the civil hospital and killing six persons.

The text of the official statement follows:

"Bad weather hampered operations on the greater part of the front. There was a somewhat lively artillery duel on various sectors south of the Somme and also on the right bank of the Meuse. An intermittent cannonade took place everywhere else.

"Yesterday evening an enemy aeroplane threw bombs, including several of an incendiary type, on Rheims, while the German batteries fired on different quarters of the town. The civil hospital, adjoining the church of St. Remi, and a dispensary were destroyed. Six civilians were killed."

## GEN. PAINE CIVIL WAR VETERAN DEAD

A Great Grandson of One of the Signers of the Declaration of Independence.

Boston, Aug. 14.—The death at Weston of Gen. Charles Paine, well known as an officer of the civil war, and later as owner of three successful defenders of the America Cup, was announced here today. He was 83 years old and a great grandson of Robert Treat Paine, a signer of the Declaration of Independence.

In 1887 he was one of three special envoys accredited to the governments of France, Great Britain and Germany in the interests of international bi-metalism. He headed the syndicate which built the yacht I-writan, Mayflower and Volunteer, all of which successfully defended the America Cup in the international yacht races.

Another official announcement says: "One of our submarines torpedoed in the channel, between the second and tenth of August, seven British and three French sailing vessels and three British and two French steamers."

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## CHEQUE PAYABLE TO SOLDIER ON BODY OF MAN FOUND DROWNED

Quebec, Que., August 14.—After remaining apparently fifteen days in the water, the body of a well dressed man was found floating today in the rear of the Lucien Borne Tannery at Beauport. On the body was found a certified cheque made to the order of Corp. A. W. Pierce, and written in Montreal, at the Peel street branch of the Bank of Montreal.

The dead man wore a gold signet ring with what are supposed to be the initials W. P.

The body is at the Moisan morgue, St. Joseph street, this city.

## STRIKING ASBESTOS WORKERS ACCEPT COMPANY'S TERMS.

Thetford Mines, Que., Aug. 14.—The striking asbestos workers returned to work today. They decided to accept the offer of \$2.25 per day, which was offered before they went out. The companies refused to recognize the unions, but they decided to take the question of a further increase up at a later date.

## BRITISH LOSE TORPEDO BOAT DESTROYER

Sunk by Mine or Torpedoed Off the Dutch Coast.

## HUN PIRATES RENEW THEIR ACTIVITIES.

Berlin Reports Five British and French Steamers and Ten Sailing Vessels Sunk by "U" Boats.

London, Aug. 14.—The British torpedo boat destroyer Lasso sank Sunday off the Dutch coast, having struck a mine or been torpedoed, according to an official statement issued this afternoon.

Six of the crew of the destroyer are missing. Two men on board were injured.

Available shipping records do not contain the destroyer Lasso.

Fifteen Victims of Submarine War.

Berlin, via London, Aug. 14.—A German submarine torpedoed the British torpedo boat destroyer Lasso Sunday morning, according to an admiralty statement issued today. It is announced also that between August 2 and 10 five British and ten French steamers and ten British and French sailing craft were sent to the bottom by a German submarine. The official statement says:

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## MORE N.B. MEN IN CASUALTIES

Ottawa, Aug. 14.—

INFANTRY.

Died.

Daniel McMaster, Southwest March, C. B.

Wounded, Missing Since June 3.

Robert W. Tardy, Newcastle, N. B.

Wounded.

John O. Almond, Georges River, C. B.

Martin Almond, Georges River, C. B.

Corporal Cecil H. Bailey, St. Stephen, N. B.

Thomas E. Clark, Londonderry, N. S.

Harold W. Dickson, Chatham, N. B.

Pioneer Wm. McAlain, 58 West Young street, Halifax, N. S.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Previously reported missing, now officially prisoner of war.

Corporal David H. Still, Chatham, N. B.

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John J. McBeth, Bridgetown, P. E. I.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN AIR RAIDS.

Berlin, August 14, via wireless to Sayville.—"Up to August 11 Austro-Hungarian naval aeroplane squadrons bombed extensively the arsenal, railroad station, outer works and the outer forts of Venice," says an official statement issued in Vienna.

"Good successes were obtained, despite a thunderstorm and rain. Fires were seen in the arsenal and railroad station."

A despatch from Rome, under date of August 12, said that the historic church of Santa Maria, formerly in Venice, had been destroyed during an Austrian air raid over that city on the night of August 10.



ASK BERLIN TO PERMIT RED CROSS UNITS... American Society Wants Branches Established in Germany to Make Possible Sending of Medical Supplies... Washington, Aug. 14—Permission to re-establish American Red Cross units in Germany is being sought of the German government... HUNGARY CALLS OUT ALL LANSTRUM FORCES OF THE YEARS '85 TO '97 INCLUSIVE... NEW MEN WILL PROVIDE REINFORCEMENT OF 275,000 MEN—ANOTHER EVIDENCE OF SERIOUS EFFECT OF RUSSIAN DRIVE ON AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN ARMIES... FEAR OF BRITISH AGENTS LED TO SUICIDE? Man Held for Time in Liverpool as Suspect Took Own Life in Boston Recently... LATE SHIPPING NEWS... COAL BARGE LOST AT SEA... SCHOONER SINKS THE CREW SAVED... TRANSPORTATION ADVERTISING... CANADIAN PACIFIC... CUNARD LINE... EASTERN STEAMSHIP LINES... MAINE STEAMSHIP LINE... METROPOLITAN LINE... FURNESS LINE... WILLIAM THOMSON & CO... Crystal Stream Steamship Co... RECENT CHARTERS... THE SCHOONER ROTHESEAV... THE POLICE COURT... Saving Year Day IT!

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### HUNGARY CALLS OUT ALL LANSTRUM FORCES OF THE YEARS '85 TO '97 INCLUSIVE

NEW MEN WILL PROVIDE REINFORCEMENT OF 275,000 MEN—ANOTHER EVIDENCE OF SERIOUS EFFECT OF RUSSIAN DRIVE ON AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN ARMIES.

New York, Aug. 14—A Bernese, Switzerland, despatch to the Journal says: "That the Austro-Hungarian armies have been seriously crippled by their losses on the Russian and Italian fronts is evidenced by Vienna despatches which announced today that Hungarian Lanstrum forces of all years from 1885 to 1897, inclusive, have been ordered to report for active service on August 28. This call will furnish reinforcements of 275,000 men."

### DANISH PEOPLE TO VOTE ON SALE TO UNITED STATES

Lower House of Parliament Favors Selling Danish West Indies Provided Plebiscite is for it.

Copenhagen, Aug. 14, via London—The Folketing, or Lower House of the Danish parliament, today voted in favor of selling the Danish West Indies to the United States, if a plebiscite favored the sale. The vote was 62 for the proposition to 44 against it, one member being denied a vote and six being absent.

### FOUR CANDIDATES FOR BY-ELECTION IN SOUTHWEST TORONTO

Conservatives, Independent Liberals, Social Democrats and Liberals to be Represented in the Contest.

Toronto, Aug. 14.—J. A. Norris, Conservative; Gordon Waldron, Independent Liberal and anti-prohibitionist; Hartley H. Dewar, Liberal, and J. McArthur, Social Democrat, were today nominated to contest the by-election for the local legislature in the Southwest Toronto constituency next Monday. There is no supporter of prohibition among those nominated.

### PREMIER BORDEN BACK IN OTTAWA

Ottawa, Aug. 14.—Sir Robert Borden was again at his desk this morning. He proposes to stay until the fall when he will leave for a tour of the west, returning in time to see farewell to the Duke and Duchess of Connaught in October.

### RAMMED BY STEAMER.

Halifax, Aug. 14—The Norwegian steamer Forghild, arrived here this morning and reported the sinking of 40 miles south, southwest of Seal Island, of the Gloucester fishing schooner Oriole, bound home with a full cargo of fish. The Oriole was rammed by the Forghild during a dense fog late on Saturday night. Four of her crew were drowned. They were: Frank Doucet, Charles S. Stroppe, Edward Moriarty and Boudreau, all of Gloucester.

### FEAR OF BRITISH AGENTS LED TO SUICIDE?

Man Held for Time in Liverpool as Suspect Took Own Life in Boston Recently.

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### TURK WAR OFFICE CLAIMS ROUT OF THE RUSSIANS IN PERSIA

Constantinople, Aug. 14, via London—The Turkish army in Persia, pressing vigorously the recently inaugurated offensive, has put to rout the Russians opposing their right wings, the war office announced today. The statement follows: "Persian front: The right wing of our army, after several battles, pursued the Russians, forcing them to flee to the northeast, leaving 315 prisoners in our hands. "The enemy lost in one battle in a fortified position about 1,000 dead or wounded, in addition to 2,000 cases of ammunition and a quantity of rifles and equipment partly burned. "The operations from Esadabad to Hamadan progressed as follows: "On August 9 our pursuing troops attacked the enemy after it was evident that the Russians, expelled from Esadabad, intended to offer resistance in the fortified positions north of the village. "Our troops, attacking from different sides, ejected the enemy from these positions, taking a great number of prisoners. "On the same day our troops engaged the army in the region of Esadabad and, notwithstanding the fact that they made an uninterrupted march of 20 miles, carried out successful attacks, storming the enemy's strongly entrenched fortification on the heights. "On August 10 our troops resumed the pursuit and repulsed the enemy's rear guard, composed of strong cavalry detachments, in successive attacks continuing until evening. They drove them eastward in Hamadan plain and then penetrated Hamadan. On the same evening our detachments on the wing engaged hostile cavalry in the environs of Hamadan, forcing them to flee to the northeast. "On August 11, in the morning, hostile troops occupying the northern section of Hamadan Plain were attacked and driven off, the place being cleared. "In the central sector the only engagements were between reconnoitering parties. "Devotion—She—"Would you leave your home for me?" He—"I'd leave a baseball game in the ninth inning with the score a tie—"Life."

### SHIPPING NEWS.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. (The time given is Atlantic Standard, one hour slower than present local time.)

August Phases of the Moon. First Quarter ... 6th 5h 5m pm Full Moon ... 13th 8h 0m am Last Quarter ... 20th 8h 53m am New Moon ... 28th 1h 35m pm

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. Arrived Monday, Aug. 14, 1916. Sch Sara & Lucy, 192, Ward, New York, with coal for Fredericton. Sch J Arthur Lord, 189, Dixon, Perth Amboy, coal. Sch Hattie H Barbour, 255, Dutton, New York, coal.

DOMESTIC PORTS. Moncton, Aug 11—Cld: Sch M A Belliveau, Coman, Joggins Mines. Dalhousie, Aug 5—Ard: Sch Ana (Rus), 318, Pablin, France; 10th: Sch Erhardt (Dan), 196, Larsen, France; Sch Johannes (Rus), 191, Mermel, Portugal; 11th: Sch Ark Alfield (Nor), 1,439, Gode, Liverpool. Cld Aug 12: Str Rolf (Dan), 1,202, Reese, f. o. Parrsboro, Aug 11—Sid: Str Aldin (Nor), Chorbouze. Casco, Aug 11—Ard: Str Mulgrave, Ford, St John.

BRITISH PORTS. Glasgow, Aug 11—Sid: Strs Callfort, Heaton, New York; George Pymon, Hill, Montreal. FOREIGN PORTS. Vineyard Haven, Mass, Aug 12—Ard: Bark Savland (Nor), in tow. New York for Charlton, N B; Sch Palmetto, do for Clark's Harbor, N S. Nice, Aug 5—Sid: Str Cape Breton, McNeil, Montreal. New York, Aug 12—Cld: Schs Frances, Foote, Santo Domingo City; Arthur M Gibson, Granville, Perth Amboy. Bangor, Aug 11—Sid: Sch Mount Hope, Sergeantville, to load ice. Boothbay Harbor, Aug 11—Ard: Schs Sam Slick, St John for Boston; Ravola, Windsor, N S, for Elizabethport; Pasquid, St Martins, N B, for Fall River; Roger Drury, St John for New York; Ernest T Lee, Calais, for do; Sawyer Brothers, Hillsboro, N B, for New Haven. Boston, Aug 11—Sid: Str Colonial, London. New York, Aug 11—Ard: Str supposed Kree from Shields, (and sailed for Portland). Rockland, Aug 11—Ard: Schs Annie B Mitchell, Boston; Florence Melanson, St Marys Bay. Sid Aug 11: Sch W H Jewett, Bangor. City Island, Aug 11—Passed: Bark Svaland (Nor), New York for Charlton, N B, in tow of tug Essex; Sch Frances M, New York for Glen Cove. Portland, Aug 11—Cld: Sch Collin C Baker, Griffin, St George, N B. Sid Aug 11: Str Katherine Park, Bordeaux. South West Harbor, Aug 9—In port: Schs Kennecott for Calais; T W Allen for Port Greville, N S; J Arthur Lord for St John; Wm Cobb, Nova Scotia for Philadelphia.

RECENT CHARTERS. Danish schooner, 311 tons, deals, Campbellton to Lisbon, 2400; Norwegian bark, 720 tons, deals, Halifax to West Britain or East Ireland, 725; Norwegian bark, 699 tons, same; Danish schooner, 167 tons, same from Sherbrooke, 300; British schooner, 577 tons, salt, Turks Island to north of Hatteras, thence Bay of Fundy to north side of Cuba, lumber, private terms; schooner, 538 tons, lumber, Bridgewater, N S, to north side of Cuba, private terms; British schooner, 249 tons, lumber, Bridgewater, N S, to New York, at or about \$6.50.

THE SCHOONER ROTHESEAV. Schooner Rothesay is loading lumber at Liverpool, N S, for Trinidad at

### LATE SHIPPING NEWS

COAL BARGE LOST AT SEA. SCHOONER SINKS THE CREW SAVED.

Halifax, Aug. 14—The tug Underwriter arrived at Halifax from New York last night, having in tow a four masted schooner, the H. & L. Lupton and a barge, the Chas. S. Hearne, both coal laden. When the Underwriter left New York, she had two barges, but the other, the Perclusa, with 1,200 tons coal, sprang a leak in Friday's gale and had to be abandoned. The tug took off the captain, his wife, two young daughters and two sons, and three of crew. Shortly afterwards during a heavy sea, the Perclusa collided with the Hearne, and the former went to the bottom.

Halifax, Aug. 14—American tern schooner Clifford J. White, New York for Yarmouth, with cargo hard coal, picked up pilot off Spectacle Island about three p. m. yesterday, and 30 minutes afterwards, in the fog, struck a ledge, filled and foundered. All on board, including the captain's daughter, were saved and landed at Peases Island. The vessel, recently purchased for \$15,000, was repaired and refitted for Atlantic voyage from Parrsboro, for \$4,000.

WILL SELL AT AUCTION. Bark Normandy, before reported at Barbados in distress, had not been surveyed up to July 20, and Lloyd's agent will sell her at auction, abandoned her cargo subject to General Particular Average expenses. The tern schooner James Slater, 266 tons, sold at public auction at Liverpool, N S, on Tuesday, by Sheriff Drew, was purchased by Capt James L. Publicover, Dublin, Lunenburg county, for \$4,000.

TRANSPORTATION ADVERTISING. CANADIAN PACIFIC. ST. JOHN-DIGBY SERVICE. C. P. R. S. S. "Empress". Leaves St. John Daily, except Sunday, 8.15 a. m. (Daylight). Return same Day. Day Excursions and Week-End Tickets Issued Wed. and Sat. \$2.25. Good in Either Direction. ORCHESTRA ON STEAMER. Table d'Hotel Service. Breakfast 50 cents. Lunch, 75 cents. Afternoon Tea, 25c. M. G. MURPHY, D. P. A., C. P. R., St. John, N. B.

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Crystal Stream Steamship Co. St. John-Fredericton Route. The Stmr. D. J. PURDY will sail from North End for Fredericton and intermediate points every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8.30 a. m., returning alternate days, leaving Fredericton 7 a. m. The "D. J. Purdy" and "Majestic" can be chartered at any time for Excursions and Picnics. By special arrangement with the C. P. R. passengers may go to Fredericton on the Stmr. D. J. Purdy and return by train same or following day, rate \$2.50, stopover rate \$3.00, also effective good for return until Oct. 31st. This arrangement also applies in reverse direction. St. John-Washademoak Route. The Steamer "MAJESTIC" will sail from North End for Cole's Island and intermediate points every Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday at 11 a. m., returning alternate days, leaving Cole's Island at 6 a. m. D. J. PURDY, Manager, Warehouse No. 304.

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CHANGE OF TIME. GRAND MANAN S. S. CO. Season 1916—Grand Manan Route. On and after June 1st and until further notice the Steamer "Grand Manan" will run as follows: Leave Grand Manan Monday at 7.00 a. m. for St. John via Campobello and Wilson's Beach. Arrive at St. John at 2.30 p. m. Returning leave Turnbull's Wharf, Tuesdays at 10.00 a. m. for Grand Manan via Wilson's Beach and Campobello. Arrive Grand Manan 5.00 p. m. Leave Grand Manan, Wednesdays, at 7.00 a. m. for St. Stephen via Campobello and St. Andrews. Returning leave St. Stephen, Thursdays at 7.00 a. m. for Grand Manan via St. Andrews and Campobello. Leave Grand Manan, Fridays at 4.30 a. m. for St. John direct. Arrive at St. John 11 a. m. Returning leave St. John at 2.30 p. m. for Grand Manan direct. Arrive at Grand Manan 7.00 p. m. same day. Leave Grand Manan for St. Andrews Saturdays at 7.00 a. m. via Campobello. Arrive at St. Andrews at 11.00 a. m. Returning leave St. Andrews at 1.30 p. m. same day, via Campobello. Atlantic Standard time. SCOTT D. GUPPILL, Manager, Grand Manan.

CONVENTION OF A.O.H. At Moncton Today Provincial Convention Meets—Some of Those Attending. The Provincial Convention for New Brunswick and Nova Scotia of the Ancient Order of Hibernians will open this morning in Moncton with High Mass at St. Bernard's church. The delegates, with members of the local division will march to the church from the A. O. H. hall, Main street. After the mass the delegates will return to the hall and receive the civic welcome. The Ladies' Auxiliary also meets today in Moncton. Miss Elizabeth Carten, of Woodstock, provincial president, and Miss Winifred G. MacNeil, of St. John, provincial treasurer, left by the noon train yesterday to attend the convention of the Ladies' Auxiliary and the division delegates left last evening. Mrs. James McCarthy, Mrs. Harry Atchison, Mrs. William C. Gillen, Miss Frances Gallivan, Mrs. Arthur Gallagher, Mrs. Charles Kylin, Mrs. Agnes Joyce and Miss Josephine MacNeil, Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, will be represented by J. F. McAndrews, J. H. McHugh, W. H. Coates, F. J. Keeley and F. J. McInerney. Thomas Kichlam, county president, will also attend. N. Ryan, James Hanlon, D. J. Murphy and Joseph Dwyer are the delegates from the Fairville division. THE POLICE COURT. In the police court, yesterday, eight drinks were fined the usual amount. Henry McDonald, for selling liquor without a license, was fined \$100. Frank Gallagher, for supplying liquor to a soldier in uniform, was fined \$50.

Big Picnic This Next Saturday Will be Held on Bishop's Grounds, Torryburn, for Patriotic Fund. While wonderful success attended the efforts of the patriotic workers who organized Sister Stature's picnic at Westfield last Saturday it is prophesied that next Saturday's gala day at Torryburn will hang up a new record in receipts for the Patriotic Fund. The first booster for this event was His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, who unhesitatingly handed over his ideal picnic grounds in which to hold it. Anybody who knows the Bishop's picnic grounds will appreciate this help. Merry-go-rounds, swings, bowling alleys, supper halls, soft drink bars, booths for games, etc., as well as field, grove and river shore make the spot absolutely ideal for such an outing. The journey by rail consumes less than a quarter of an hour and by motor and horse carriage only slightly longer. Some will doubtless walk it. So with all these fine fittings for a merry picnic next Saturday's excodus to the green fields and fresh air will be a monster event. There will be three or four long special trains at ten and twenty-cent return fare. Plenty of automobiles and other kinds of conveyance. On the grounds the Exhibition Pike so familiar to everybody, will be duplicated along with numerous novelties of a grotesque nature and laughable innovations. In fact the organization meetings held yesterday afternoon and evening in the Board of Trade rooms and at Renforth respectively were veritable hive-conferences suggesting a "big drive" in picnics for this week-end.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1916.

*"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.*

## PATRIOTIC PICNICS AND CAUSES.

It is very gratifying to report that the Patriotic Picnic held at Westfield last week was a pronounced success, and that there is every likelihood that, given fair weather, the event planned for the Bishop's Grounds at Torriburn on Saturday next will be equally profitable and enjoyable. Too much credit cannot be given to the earnest men and women who have labored so zealously in the interests of the various patriotic causes and, by their interest and energy, swelled the treasury of the organizations, the aim of all of which is, after all, very similar—to improve and ameliorate the condition of the men who have left Canada for the Empire's battle lines.

Thus the Patriotic Fund, supplemented by liberal public grants, undertakes to maintain the dependents of the fighting men. It was recognized early in the war that the average Canadian who donned khaki to fight the cause of Empire would suffer financial loss. Most of the young men in Canada were employed in positions paying salaries in excess of the remuneration they would receive in the army and fairness directed that those who were dependent upon the earnings of the men who had enlisted should not suffer loss or hardship by reason of the patriotism of their breadwinners.

Consequently, the Patriotic Fund was organized to supplement the earnings of the soldiers and to maintain in the homes of soldiers something approaching to the comfort which obtained in ordinary times. This fund has done as well as might be, but it has been at great cost and, in practically every province in Canada, its coffers are being depleted by the demands upon them. This is particularly the case in New Brunswick where despite a measure of public assistance, and the large private contributions, the receipts of the fund do not equal the expenditures, and in consequence the fund now faces a deficit to reduce which, such outlays as that of Saturday last have been planned. Next year the fund will be assessed for and supported by the public generally, so there should then be no further necessity of private effort in that line.

As with the Patriotic Fund so with the Red Cross, the Soldiers' Comfort Association and other organizations of lesser importance. Each is striving to do its part in the amelioration of the lot of the soldier and all are largely dependent upon private generosity for their support.

Decidedly this is not as it should be. There are no words too extravagant to acknowledge the generosity and sacrifice displayed by those who are laboring so well in the interests of the various funds, but should a comparatively few citizens be called upon to give so freely of their time, labor and money to perform what is really the duty of public authorities whether federal, provincial or municipal?

The men wearing the Canadian uniform at the front are serving the whole community and preserving to Canada—the future as well as the present—the privileges of British liberty and all that makes life worth while. Why then should not the future generation, as well as the present, pay for it? If it is necessary in this municipality, for instance, to raise \$100,000 to provide that these various organizations shall continue their work so long as the necessity for each work exists, why should that burden not be borne by the community at large instead of a comparative few?

The Standard learns that it is possible to wipe out the indebtedness of the Patriotic Fund by a municipal bond issue, or to provide needed money by borrowing until the next assessment is received. The Red Cross and the Soldiers' Comforts can be looked after in the same manner. Is there any good reason why this course should not be adopted? An objection which prevails in some quarters is that future generations should not be taxed to bear the burdens of the present. Under ordinary circumstances that objection would be well taken, but the present situation is so abnormal that in this, as in other things, it cannot be judged by usual standards or precedents. It is assumed that when the war is over Canada will experience a prosperity greater than any in her history and it certainly should be regarded

as a good business practice to discount that prosperity in the interests of the men who today are making it possible.

Picnics, tag days, entertainments and private subscriptions are good modes of raising funds for the usual charitable undertakings, but the cause of the soldiers should not be classed as a charity. Rather is it a public service to be supported by the public. The adoption of the policy of assessing for the support of all recognized organizations working for the soldiers, or the soldiers' dependents, might arouse some criticism at first until the public became accustomed to the idea, but, eventually, it would commend itself to general approval.

This war has passed the experimental stage and is now a matter of national business. In all other departments it is being handled as a business concern. Why should the support, the care, or the provision of comforts for the soldiers and their families, be placed on a different footing? Is there any valid excuse for continuing to attempt to do privately, however well, what should be the business and duty of public men and of public funds?

## AUSTRIA IN A BAD WAY.

It is the evident aim of the Allied strategy to turn their efforts now to the smashing of Austria in order that she may be eliminated from the struggle and the might of the Entente armies concentrated upon Germany. This is apparent from the fact that, on the eastern front, while he has not hesitated to deal with the Germans when he came across them, General Brusilov's primary objective was to smash the Austrian resistance. It is stated that the enormous toll of prisoners taken by the victorious Russian troops and now estimated at 450,000 is composed principally of Austrians while the loss by death and wounds among the men of the Austrian armies has been particularly severe.

Italy also is delivering sledge hammer blows against the long suffering Austrians who, thus, upon two fronts, have been compelled to encounter armies numerically much superior, better equipped, with a preponderance of guns and ammunition and fighting with the confidence of men who already see victory in sight. The dual-kingdom is caught between the upper and nether stones of the Allied mill and the task of grinding her into helpless submission is proceeding with a terrible certainty.

Now comes the Allied drive from Saloniki as the third great field in which the Austrians face disaster and defeat. In that area the Allies have long been gathering strength until now they are able to proceed and overcome all the opposition they are likely to meet. Probably the enemy depends upon Bulgaria with the assistance of Turkey to hold back the tide in this quarter but it is certain that the advance, like other advances, was not undertaken until there was absolute confidence that it would succeed and the Bulgars could be rolled back from Macedonia preparatory to the complete restoration of Serbia to the Serbs.

An exchange summarizes the situation thus: "The Allied attack may now be said to be on from every quarter. It furthermore seems that the whole movement is directed primarily against Austria, for even the thrust from Saloniki has as its objective the breaking up of Bulgarian support for the dual monarchy and the pushing forward of an attack against Austria from the east delivered through Serbia. To Austria and her Bulgarian ally is deputed the task of holding Serbia, and the breaking out of the Saloniki offensive has, therefore, added meaning for Vienna.

"Germany appears to be unable to come to the assistance of her ally. In holding the long eastern front assigned to her armies and in withstanding the Allied attacks upon the west, the Germanic forces have plenty to do, and apparently Austria must fight her own battles from this time forward. The Allies appear to be aware that this is the situation, and they are hence bending their strongest efforts towards the virtual elimination of Austria. The intensity of the Anglo-French offensives, coupled with the strong forces that are maintained by Russia along the whole Hindenburg line, are occupying Germany's full attention, and thus are leaving the way open to Russia and Italy, coupled with the Saloniki forces, to direct the strongest blows of which they are capable against the Austrian foe. As for Austria, her reserves are believed to have been already exhausted, and it would not be surprising were her powers of strong resistance to suddenly break down with the arrival in France of more Russian troops. Perhaps if the facts were all known, there is a continual stream of these vigorous fighting men passing into Southern France, where they are being armed and trained. What is the purpose that the Allies have in mind in this movement? The British and French armies now in the field or in readiness must closely approximate those of Germany's forces on the east and west fronts, if, indeed, they do not greatly exceed the latter. Why, then, are Russian troops to be sent to the front? May we not venture this surmise, that Allied strategy proposes finally to determine the war upon the west front, as has frequently been predicted would be the case, and that to this end armies of the most prodigious strength and weight are to be gathered here, to be employed in the recognized great task of driving Germany out of France and Belgium and of breaking in upon the German frontier itself."

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## CHARLOTTE CO. SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION AT OAK BAY LAST WEEK

Largely Attended and Number of Interesting Subjects Discussed—New Officers Elected.

Oak Bay, August 11—The first session of the Charlotte County Convention was called to order by vice-president, Rev. J. E. Gosline. Rev. C. A. Bell with his choir led the song service. Scripture was read by Rev. W. A. Ross and Brother Wasson.

An address on "The Need of Evangelism" was delivered by Rev. J. E. Gosline. Rev. D. W. Blackall gave the address of welcome which was much enjoyed by all. He emphasized the thought that all Christian ministers were apostles, but not all were in the line of Apostolic succession. This address was unique and was much enjoyed.

Committees on nomination and credentials were appointed. W. S. Stephens gave a short address on the history of the Charlotte County Convention. A brief address on the organization of the county was given, and while not so generally attended by the clergymen of the county, yet there had been large rains and efficient work had been done.

Rev. W. A. Ross, the Provincial Secretary, always has a message. He based his remarks on Saul and his armor-bearer and their victory over the Philistines. He showed that numbers did not count with the Almighty, God could win his battles. The meeting closed with song and prayer. The chairman led the devotional exercises, giving a brief address on the opportunity of the Sunday School. The speaker showed that young life was most easily reached, that these formed the best workers, and that they made the steadfast men and women of the church and county statistics were presented by the secretary, Miss Addie Calder. These reports while not giving our statistics in full, showed that the schools were in a good position.

A healthy discussion on the existing methods so long in vogue followed. This discussion was led by Mrs. McWhinney of Maces Bay, and was participated by many others.

## Treasurer's Report.

The report of the treasurer showed that during the year there was raised nearly \$250, the greater part of which had been paid over to the provincial treasury.

The third session was opened promptly on time. After the devotional exercises, the chairman, Rev. J. E. Gosline gave the third address on Evangelism, the special subject being "Creating an Evangelistic Atmosphere."

This was a matter largely in the hands of the superintendent. This officer had in his hands the making of the Sunday School. His ideals eventually because the ideals of the Sunday School.

The business of the morning was resumed and after some further discussion the following resolution was passed: Resolved that the officers with five additional members have charge of the various departments of the Sunday School work. This eliminates the County Superintendents of departments. The field secretary, Rev. W. A. Ross then gave an address on Standard District requirements after which he set forth the work of the organized Sunday School. This was most interesting and pertinent then adjourned to open air gathering on the lawn of Mr. Harry Wilson, where the following speakers voiced some phase of Sunday School work. Rev. Mr. Chown, Milton, C. A. Bell, Oak Bay, Geo. Gough, Scotch Ridge, A. C. Bell, Oak Bay, J. E. Gosline, Grand Harbor, W. A. Ross and L. Wasson of Deer Island. The session was closed by singing the National Anthem and benediction by Rev. H. D. Chown.

The New Officers. The election of officers resulted in the following: President, J. S. Lord;

## Little Benny's Note Book

Almost a Big Calamity. The wind blew 4 big flower pots of dert and flowers off of the 3rd story window of the corner house last Tuesday, nobody being underneath to be hit, but if a crowd had of bin standing there it is estimated that at least 2 wood of bin killed and several injured.

Wants a Week, Hane or Shina. "Joseph, have you any idea wat nite this is?" "Yes man, Saturday." "Well then you must know wat you haff to do, don't you?" Shortly afterwards the musical sound of splashing was heard from the bathroom.

Sisley's Notes. The Wilho boy in the end house was observed in the act of allowing his mother to cut his hair last Thursday. O Froons, lets wash for low neck.

Sid Hunt's big brother Fred went out with a cane last Friday nite, accompanied in the rear for 2 blocks by an admiring students consisting of Benny Potts, Skippy Martin, Ed Wernick and Sam Craws.

Experiences. Pome by Skiney Martin. My dawter is drowning! Rescue my dawter! Never will she say agen. Fire is more dangerous than watter! Lost and Found Department. Lost—A little white dawg with black spots will be given by Ed Wernick. Found—Nothing.

vice-president, J. E. Gosline; corresponding secretary, Mr. A. Calder; recording secretary, Mrs. Chas. E. Beach; treasurer, Mrs. Chas. E. Beach. Additional members of the executive, Mrs. Anne Richardson, Mrs. R. Mawhinney, Mrs. Chester Morrell, A. B. Christie, Miss Agnes Boyd.

The last session was opened by a song service. The scripture was read by Rev. J. E. Gosline and Rev. H. D. Chown offered prayer. After the reading of the minutes of the morning and afternoon sessions were read. The report of the credential committee showed that sixty-two delegates, pastors and etc. were in attendance.

Notes of thanks were passed to the people entertaining the convention, to the choir for their service, and to the secretary for his excellent record.

The closing address of the meeting was given by Rev. J. E. Gosline, on conservation of our forces to the work of Evangelism. An appeal was made to the workers present to more fully consecrate themselves to this work. A splendid response was made. Prayer was offered by Rev. J. E. Gosline.

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### FUNERALS.

The funeral of Herbert Wellington Winchester took place yesterday afternoon from his father's residence to the Salvation Army Hall, in Brindley street. Services were conducted by Rev. F. P. Dennison, and interment was in Cedar Hill.

Good Run of Herring.  
Reports from Grand Manan are to the effect that the fishermen at that

place are getting fairly good catches of herrings. The fishermen state that an old-fashioned school of herring was struck in, and in addition to the good catches a good price is being received in Eastport for the fish. One fisherman cast his nets and had only hatched in about a third of it and gathered in no less than 25 barrels of fish. It is the largest school of fish that has struck the island fishing grounds for years and the fishermen are prospering as the result.

## CONDITION OF CITY STREETS WAS DISCUSSED

### Yesterday's Meeting of City Council Spent Much Time Talking Over Public Works Matters.

A discussion regarding the condition of the city streets took up considerable time at the committee meeting of the city council yesterday at noon. A communication from the Canadian Government Railways was received to the effect that the sidewalk to be built at the Wall street bridge but that the roadway and bridge would be repaired in the near future. No decision was reached in the matter of representation at the meeting of the Union of New Brunswick Municipalities which meets Wednesday and Thursday at St. Stephen.

On motion, renewal of the lease to George Dick of property in Lower Cove was recommended at \$1200 per year for a period of three years, with reservation of right of taking over the property on six months' notice. Commissioner Fisher reported that the post office authorities wanted to put single lights on the poles in front of the post office. The council was in favor of cluster lights and the matter was referred to the commissioner of public works with power to act.

Commissioner McLellan brought up the proposed location of the working front on Market Square and pointed out that horses coming from Water street would not be able to drink there as there was quite an incline. It was decided that the commissioner should visit the site.

Commissioner Wigmore introduced the Mispac dam question and said he believed the object of the petition was to increase values of properties there so that the city might later be held up. The city had already invested \$115,000 in Mispac and might be compelled to pay a like amount to get control should the dam be opened. There has been a petition drafted by the Recorder, protesting the city should the dam be opened; if property owners are sincere, they should sign. If they have any rights by law, let them compel the city to open the dam.

Commissioner McLellan said the Mispac water power was a good bludgeon in the city's hands, especially in relation to the lighting contract soon to be completed.

Commissioner Wigmore said he had great faith in the water power possibilities at Mispac.

A communication from T. H. Ritchie of Clarendon street from Douglas Avenue to Douglas street and Commissioner McLellan advocated immediate action. The matter was referred to the commissioner of public works. Commissioner McLellan thought should submit itemized reports of expenditure as was the practice of the other departments. In answer to questions of Commissioner McLellan the Commissioner of Public Works said that King and German streets were looked after by one man. Commissioner McLellan contended that this was false economy as two were needed for the work. He also spoke of the necessity of the public works department grappling with the dust nuisance.

## DOUBLE DROWNING IN GRAND LAKE

Moses Brown, aged 50, of Chipman, and Charles Carle, aged 22, of Scotchton, were drowned at Coal Mines, in the Grand Lake, on Saturday afternoon at 6:30 o'clock near the steamer May Queen.

Mr. Carle boarded the steamer at Scotchton on Saturday afternoon for the purpose of spending Sunday with Mr. Brown. Mr. Brown met the steamer at Coal Mines with a small boat and as Mr. Carle was passing down the ladder with a suit case he slipped and fell into the water between the steamer and the boat; it is thought that he struck his head while falling as he only came to the surface once and then sank from view. In reaching over for the purpose of saving Carle the small boat was upset and Mr. Brown was thrown into the water and was also drowned. The bodies were recovered at nine o'clock Saturday evening and the funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Brown leaves a wife and five children, also two sisters, Mrs. James Colwell, of Cumberland Bay, and Mrs. Robert Colwell, 42 Victoria street, city, also a brother, James Brown, of Chipman.

Mr. Carle leaves his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Carle, of Scotchton. He was also engaged to be married the middle of next month to Miss Brown, daughter of the deceased.

### Eleven Persons Arrested.

Up till one o'clock this morning the police had arrested eleven persons, a number of them being common drunkards and old offenders. Three females are among the lot. Mary Dezan was arrested for being drunk on Erin street, Margaret Thomas, who some time ago was ordered out of the city, was arrested last night in company with her daughter, May Dezon. They were drunk together on Erin street and looked up.

## STANDARD TRAVEL CLUB PRIZE WINNER HOME FROM THE YUKON

### Miss Hazel Newton of Grand Manan Tells of Wonderful Pleasure Trip to the Great Treasure Land of the North

Miss Hazel Newton, Grand Manan, one of the young ladies who was fortunate enough to win one of the trips in the recent Standard contest arrived in the city last evening en route to her home in Grand Manan. Speaking to a Standard representative last night Miss Newton said she had an experience she would never forget, the trip was wonderful and all the girls enjoyed themselves. At several places they were given receptions, and the railroad employees certainly did all they could to make the trip a pleasant one. She left St. John on Saturday, July 15, and arrived in St. John on the return journey on the 14th of August, and it was a month filled to the brim with good things. The trip through Quebec and Ontario was very pleasant, and at Cobalt they visited the silver mines and were all given small pieces of silver ore as souvenirs. They did not go down in any of the silver mines at Cobalt, but at Timmins they went down into the Hollinger gold mine to a depth of 900 feet. Miss Newton took a snap of a gold brick worth \$22,000 while they were there. When they reached Cochrane the manager of the Prince George hotel presented each of the girls with a handsome bouquet, which was much appreciated.

They did not see much of Winnipeg as their train was late, and they only had forty-five minutes, which was spent in taking lunch at the Fort Garry hotel. When they arrived at Edmonton they were given a great reception. Mr. Jennings, editor of the

Edmonton Journal, had arranged for lunch at McDonald's Hotel, after which they were taken for a trip around the city, during which they called on Lieut-Governor Brett, and one of the most interesting things about the call to the New Brunswick girls, was the fact the governor's secretary was a St. John girl, Miss Grace Brown. In the evening a reception was held, at which one of the speakers was the well-known authoress Mrs. Nellie McClung.

Of the Alaska trip she said words failed to express the grandeur and beauty of the scenery. They visited the White Pass, the boundary between United States and Canada, and in getting there they made an ascent of 3,000 feet in 20 miles.

They spent two days at Skagway, after which they visited Jasper Park, which defied description—one could not possibly appreciate its beauty without seeing it.

On the return journey they spent a day in each of the following cities: Seattle, Portland, Spokane, St. Paul and Minneapolis, Detroit and Cleveland. From Cleveland they went to Buffalo and Niagara Falls and then home.

One thing which struck her particularly was the state roads at Portland over which they had an automobile trip for over forty miles, and they were as smooth as a billiard table.

While it had been a splendid trip and she enjoyed it very much, home looked mighty good to her, and she was glad to get back.

## VACCINATION QUARTERS MAY BE CHANGED

### Room in Board of Health Office Said to be Unsuitable—School Board May Help.

From the beginning of the year until yesterday 294 children were vaccinated free of charge by the Board of Health authorities. Vaccination has been going on steadily since January 1 in the office of the board. Yesterday Com. McLellan visited the office and pointed out that the quarters assigned for vaccination purposes seemed unsuitable for requirements. The commissioner stated that he had no doubt that the county would hold itself responsible if some action should be taken to remedy existing conditions. The matter was brought up by the chairman at the regular meeting of the School Trustees last night by the commissioner communicated with B. Emerson, chairman of the Board of School Trustees, who expressed the view that it might not be necessary for the county to assume the expense of providing more suitable quarters for the purpose of vaccination. The matter was brought up by the chairman at the regular meeting of the School Trustees last night by the commissioner communicated with B. Emerson, chairman of the Board of School Trustees, who expressed the view that it might not be necessary for the county to assume the expense of providing more suitable quarters for the purpose of vaccination. The matter was brought up by the chairman at the regular meeting of the School Trustees last night by the commissioner communicated with B. Emerson, chairman of the Board of School Trustees, who expressed the view that it might not be necessary for the county to assume the expense of providing more suitable quarters for the purpose of vaccination.

### Report on Price of Gasoline.

The St. John Board of Trade has received a copy of a report by a committee appointed by the Canadian Automobile Federation to investigate the increase in gasoline prices. The committee can find no better reason for the increase than that it is due partly to supply and demand, and partly to trade conditions. Several suggestions are made, such as economy; the use of distillates for traction and such like engines; motorists to endeavor to utilize heavy motor spirit, pricing with high grade gasoline, inventors to find a kerosene practical carburetor, and the public to encourage increased production where oil exists.

### Another Change.

Another change has been proposed in the location of the drinking fountain on the Market Square. It was proposed to have it at the end of the grass plot facing Dock street, but yesterday at the committee meeting Commissioner McLellan called attention to the fact that there was a considerable shade there and horses coming from Water street would find it difficult to drink and hold the weight of the load at the same time. After the meeting the commissioners visited the square and after looking over the ground decided that a better place for the fountain would be on the south side of the grass plot opposite the entrance to South Market wharf and this will probably be the site chosen when the alterations are made.



## B. F. SMITH MINISTER OF PUBLIC WORKS

### Fredericton Cleaner Announces That Hon. P. G. Mahoney has Resigned and Carleton County M. L. A. Will Succeed Him.

The Fredericton Cleaner of last evening said: "It is not unlikely that Mr. B. Frank Smith, M. L. A. for Carleton, will be called to the portfolio of public works made vacant by the resignation of Hon. P. G. Mahoney, now in the hands of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor. His Honor has been ill at his home at Sackville for some weeks. He had hoped to be at St. John when the adjourned meeting of the provincial government was held there last week but he had not even then recovered sufficiently to permit of his leaving home and it is understood that Mr. Mahoney then went through to Sackville and there tendered his resignation. Mr. Smith will probably be sworn in minister of public works in a few days and the date of the by-election will be fixed immediately thereafter."

### Last Night's Concert.

The King Square was filled with a most appreciative audience last night which listened with delight to a selected programme of music rendered by the City Cornet Band under the direction of the bandmaster Frank Wad-

## "TIPPERARY MARY" TO BE SATURDAY'S HOST AT RENFORTH PICNIC

### Plans Already Under Way in Hope of Putting Sister Susie's Effort Completely in the Shade.

There was a large attendance at a meeting held at Renforth last evening for the purpose of making arrangements for the patriotic picnic to be held on the Bishop's grounds on Saturday next under the auspices of the Rotary Club. The club will be assisted by the residents of Kinghurst, Riverside, Renforth, Torriburn, Brookville and Drury Cove. Different committees were appointed to look after the different sections of the picnic and A. H. Wetmore of Drury Cove was appointed general chairman. The amusement committee was authorized to employ an expert to look after the pike. W. H. Golding and T. S. Drummond were appointed as the advertising committee.

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Valuable Dog Lost.  
Walter H. Golding, manager of the Imperial Theatre, is mourning the loss of a valuable Scotch terrier puppy, it having been run over and killed by an automobile at Kestepac Sunday evening. Mr. Golding recently purchased the puppy from Wm. E. Neve and A. E. McGinley, who imported the mother, which is of the famous Drumclough family. The puppy is easily valued at fifty dollars, and being of such high breeding, the owner was expecting success with it at the next bench show in St. John, when it would have been in competition with some of the best dogs in Canada.

Visiting Insurance Experts.  
J. M. Smyser and P. G. Charnock of New York, are in the city, it is understood, on the invitation of the Board of Fire Underwriters, to make an investigation into fire conditions here. It is expected that they will be here two or three weeks and when they are through with their labors much information regarding fire hazards and the safety of the various public buildings will be available which it was not possible to obtain before. Mr. Smyser will deal with fire department, police, fire alarm, system etc., while Mr. Charnock will deal with the buildings and electrical work in the city.

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# LATE NEWS AND VIEWS FROM SPORTING WORLD

## BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
 Newark 6, Buffalo 5.  
 Newark, Aug. 14.—Newark defeated Buffalo today, 6 to 5. The score: Buffalo..... 02000030—5 9 2  
 Newark..... 11400000x—6 11 1  
 Batteries—Tyson, Gaw and Wilder; Wilkinson and Eagan.  
 Toronto 5, Providence 0.  
 Providence, Aug. 14.—Toronto shut out Providence today, 5 to 0. The score: Toronto..... 05100000—5 12 1  
 Providence..... 00000000—0 5 4  
 Batteries—McTigue and Kritchell; Thump, Exres and Yelle.  
 Baltimore 11, Montreal 1.  
 Baltimore, Aug. 14.—Baltimore easily defeated Montreal today, 11 to 1. The score: Montreal..... 00000000—0 5 1  
 Baltimore..... 00030052x—11 14 1  
 Batteries—Pullenweider and Maden; Tipples and Brandtfield.  
 Richmond 6, Rochester 0.  
 Richmond, Aug. 14.—Richmond shut out Rochester today, 6 to 0. The score: Rochester..... 00000000—0 5 1  
 Richmond..... 30001002x—6 11 1  
 Batteries—Leverenz and Hale; Crable and Reynolds.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
 New York 4, Philadelphia 3.  
 New York, Aug. 14.—New York defeated Philadelphia here today, 4 to 3. The score: Philadelphia..... 010011000—3 8 1  
 New York..... 40000900x—4 5 1  
 Batteries—Nabors and Haley; Cullip, Fisher and Nunnemaker.  
 Washington 21, Boston 1.  
 Washington, Aug. 14.—Washington won from the league-leading Red Sox, 21 to 1 today when, in the seventh inning, Carl Mays passed two men and Morgan doubled, scoring both. The score: Washington..... 000900200—21 6 1  
 Boston..... 001000100—1 5 1  
 Batteries—Gallia, Behling and Henry; Mays, Leonard and Thomas.  
 Cleveland 5, Detroit 2.  
 Cleveland, Aug. 14.—Cleveland defeated Detroit, 5 to 2, although outlasted two to one. Sensational fielding by Smith featured the game. The score: Detroit..... 020000000—2 8 3  
 Cleveland..... 200009001—5 7 1  
 Batteries—Dubuc and McKee; Bagby and O'Neill.  
 (Only three American games scheduled.)

**PHILADELPHIA WINS DOUBLE-HEADER.**  
 Philadelphia, August 14.—Philadelphia won its first double-header of the season at home today, New York being the victim 8 to 0 and 7 to 4. The score: New York..... 00000000—0 4 4  
 Philadelphia..... 30010022x—8 11 1  
 First game.  
 New York..... 00000000—0 4 4  
 Philadelphia..... 30010022x—8 11 1

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Standing.**

Newark	44
Chicago	40
St. Louis	37
Cincinnati	35
Philadelphia	33
Baltimore	31
Richmond	29
Toronto	28
Newark	27
Rochester	21

**AMERICAN LEAGUE Standing.**

Washington	67
Cleveland	62
Chicago	59
St. Louis	58
Detroit	57
New York	55
Boston	52
Philadelphia	52
Brooklyn	47
Baltimore	47
Richmond	42
Philadelphia	42
New York	41

**TWO FAVORITES WERE DISTANCED.**  
 Columbus, Ohio, Aug. 14.—Two first choices, Russell Boy and The Lark, were distanced in second heats of their races today at the opening of the Columbus Grand Circuit meeting. The other favorite, Derby Custer, won his event in straight heats. Summary:  
 2:05 Class, Pacing, Three in Five, \$1,000; Six Heats.  
 Lella Patchen, blk m, by Dan's brother, (Snow), 5 3 2 1 1 1  
 Judge Ormond, blk h, (Valentine), 6 1 1 2 3 2  
 H. R. Brett, b g, (Grady) 2 2 3 2 2 2  
 Fred Russell, b s, (Harvey), 3 4 4 8 4 8  
 Poterter Boy, blk g, (Daniels) 4 5 8 0  
 Russell Boy, b s, (Edman), 1 ds  
 Time—2:05 1/4, 2:05 1/4, 2:05 1/4, 2:04 1/4, 2:07 1/4, 2:06 1/4.  
 2:18 Class, Trotting, Three in Five, \$1,000, Three Heats.  
 Straight Sell, b m, by Main-speed, (Swearingen), 1 1 1 1 1  
 Coastess Mobil, b m, (Cox) 6 2 3  
 Aulsebrook, br h, (Valentine) 2 7 6  
 Royal MacKinney, blk m, (Murphy) 7 3 3  
 The Amazing Lady, b m, (Eskline) 3 5 7  
 Sandy, so g, (McDonald) 5 6 5  
 Kerrigan, br g, (McDonald) 5 6 5  
 The Lark, b m, (Durfee) 8 ds  
 Aura Belle, ch m, (Van Atta) 9 ds  
 Time—2:05 1/4, 2:05 1/4, 2:05 1/4.  
 2:15 Class, Pacing, Three in Five, \$1,000; Three Heats.  
 Derby Custer, ch g, by Ed Custer, (Murphy) 1 1 1  
 Wampatuck, br g, (Edgar, Calgary) 3 2 2  
 Contention, b g, (Durfee) 2 4 5  
 Willis Woodland, b h, (Harvey) 4 3 3  
 Jimmy E, blk g, (Valentine) 5 4 4  
 Time—2:10 1/4, 2:09 1/4, 2:09 1/4.

**140TH BALL TEAM.**  
 While Col. Beer's 140th Battalion appear to be showing the lead in drill camp Valcartier, and his regimental band is considered the best in camp, it might be mentioned that the 140th baseball team is showing the way to all other teams.  
 One day lately they defeated the 165th French-Canadian Battalion by the large score of 25 to 5, the game being a walk-over, for the players who have been under the coaching of Lieut. Bruce McFarlane, a former baseball star. A few days ago Lieut. McFarlane's chargers, who have been strongly reinforced with ball players since the battalion reached Valcartier from the 145th Battalion, another New Brunswick unit, and now they are out with a challenge to some of the other ball teams in camp.

**HOTEL ARRIVALS.**  
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 Mr and Mrs A B Alderson, Hartford; T N Beaulieu, Montreal; W E Housal, Halifax; B R Langdon, Brooklyn; M L Langdon, do; Lew E Wickham, S Lark, Boston; G E Edgar, Calgary; W E Seaver, M Hughes, Boston; Mr and Mrs W J Holbrook, St. Louis; C W Woodbury, wife and child, Providence; E G Davis, Horatio Alden, C M Donald, Boston; E V Thomas, New York; H T Ellis, Hartford; W I Chalmers, Medford; Mrs C C Barton, Framingham; Frank A Boyle, Lowell; Samuel P Cook, Miss Gertrude Cook, Woonsocket; J O Green, Boston; E L Lennox, Montreal; W P Lowell, Calais; Richard Warner, Montreal; W T Peters, Magog; Geo H Ferguson, Vancouver; Rev C J McLaughlin, Debeo; B S MacFarlane, Truro; H P Thurlow and wife, Brooklyn; J A Morehouse and wife, F A Hendon and wife, Boston; Dr A M Pettou, wife and child, Los Angeles; T C Burpo, Fredericton; Miss F R Peters, Miss Sarah L Mason, Miss Roberts, Arthur Bennett,

Bangor; Geo F Drew, J A B Cowles, New York; A F Bentley, St. Martin; Catherine Elston, Mrs E D Ashburn, Philadelphia; Mrs F O Wilson, Boston; Geo W Hefeman, P McDonald, Ottawa; W E Avery, Birmingham, Ottawa; C B Fletcher, Boston; D S North, Hantsport; P F George and wife, Concord; E C Wood, B McMillan, F McMillan, New York; F A Spencer and wife, Sydney; John Trotter, Montreal; C W Tansay, Annapolis Royal; Mr and Mrs C D Miller, Mr and Mrs W P Ordway, Snowshoe; J Drouhart, Halifax; A Christensen, G C Olive, Boston; W Blahinsky, Montreal; C J Hall, Newcastle, Me; Miss A E Connelly, Holyoke; Miss Emma Juneto, do; R L Selig, Montreal; R B Harrington, J P McCarthy, New York; Jack Cripps, Geo E Jacobson, A Robertson, Malden; F W Sumner, Moncton; R O Leary, Richibucto; Mr and Mrs C M Crowell, Woburn; J H Nelson, wife and child, Philadelphia; Miss L Northrup, Beach Bluff, Mass; Miss Kay, Moncton; Edwin Kanney, Boston; A McDonald, family, Newport; Fred Buxton, Hamilton, Ont; W T Little, Apohaqui; A R McKenzie, St Stephen; E Crandemire, Vancouver; Geo S Smith, Toronto; G W Butler, Yarmouth; Geo Kritten, Geo Constable, Glace Bay; W W Murray and wife, Halifax; Mr and Mrs Fred Galen Orr, Boston; J W Preece, Sussex; E D Talbot, Boston; Mrs G Reardon, Mrs B M Sanction, Brooklyn; J Casey, Detroit, Mich; E H Salows, Giverton; G L Sams, K L Goose, Boston; H L Simpson Mrs T O Marshall, New York City; R K Tremble and family, Montreal; Geo Dixon, Jr, Harry Welland, Roy Welman, Cambridge.

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Porter, Fredericton; Mrs Robert H Hughes, Cliftondale, Mass.  
 H G Noble, Woodstock; R R McLean, Pictou; W B Williams, Halifax; A H Robertson, G E Jackson, O G Ketter, Boston; H S Buren, G L Edgar, Cook, Grand Manan; F L Magee, Moncton; E Briggs, Sheffield.  
 Vagrant Arrested.  
 William P. McFarlane was arrested yesterday by County Policeman Saunders and is charged with vagrancy.

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 London, Aug. 14.—The press, in a long article to "Undertone by the wheat gamblers of Chicago skyward the prices which mankind derives bread, amassing their little compensation as the price goes up."  
 "Once again the provision sent a discreditable speculation, speculating the price of wheat in the British Home, the price is to be taken what steps be on rise in the price of a loaf."  
 "That a nation which is so rich in the cause of the war, should be so miserably ill-equipped to supply a body of so-called human suffering in this condition, actuated solely gold, bodies ill for the future."

**AMERICAN WHEAT TO BE SMALLER**  
 Corn and Oats also than Before—Demand Expected to

New York, Aug. 14.—Average winter wheat country is 145,000,000 bushels. This crop has been made and the final yield is bushels.  
 Spring wheat is still in the government's forecast on August 1st condition, 62.4—having dropped 25 July 1st, published this 600,000 bushels. The five has been 232,000,000 bushels. So that the outlook for this year is comparatively 654,000,000 bushels against over 1,000,000,000 bushels. The indicated yield for 777,000,000 bushels, is over the five-year average, 732,000,000 bushels. The actual crop was 2,055,000,000 bushels.  
 The oats crop, not as large, is still large. The demand for wheat is large, because the world is small. The farmers with what they have higher start instead of later, and of large profits last year forced to sell. With so things propitious, the United States is expected to start the shorter crops this year.  
 As for wheat, a Washington Department calculates that 620,000,000 bushels will cover home consumption this year, leaving 3,000,000,000 bushels available for export. For last year's carry-over was large—160,000,000 bushels—75,000,000 bushels more than the carry-over for the last year, leaving 34,000,000,000 bushels for export.  
 On the theory that high flour induce household economy department thinks the home consumption may be much as 150,000,000 bushels in 1916, 600,000,000 bushels is the export in peaceful times. The war has exported bushels, and last year's bushels, and it is expected that this year will be the count of the world's shortage there are the Dardanelles and stability of Russia's millions. And some traders think crop damage has been done the price, for the present.

**CHICAGO PRODUCE**  
 (McDouGALL & CO.)  
 Chicago, Aug. 14.—Wheat, 1.43 to 1.44 1/8; No. 3 to 1.42 1/2; No. 2 hard, 1.42; No. 3 hard, 1.37 1/2 to 1.43; Corn—No. 2 yellow, 85 1/4; No. 4 yellow, 83 to 84 1/4; No. 8 1/4.  
 Oats—No. 3 white, 42 1/4 standard, 42 to 44.  
 Rye—No. 2, new, 1.14 to 1.15; No. 3, 1.10 to 1.11.  
 Timothy—Nominal.  
 Clover—7.00 to 14.50.  
 Pork—27.00.  
 Lard—12.37.  
 Ribs—13.85 to 14.45.

Wheat	
High	Low
May..... 150	145
Sept..... 142	137
Dec..... 141	140 1/2
Corn	
May..... 74 1/2	73 1/2
Sept..... 83 1/2	83
Dec..... 71 1/2	70 1/2
Oats	
May..... 49 1/2	48 1/2
Sept..... 46 1/2	45 1/2
Dec..... 46 1/2	45 1/2

# NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

## LONDON EXPRESS SCORES CHICAGO MONEY GRABBERS

Men who are Sending Food Prices Sky High During Period of War are Severely Condemned.

Special to The Standard. London, Aug. 14.—The Daily Express, in a long article today says: "Undeterred by the world war, the wheat gamblers of Chicago are sending skyward the prices of grain from which mankind derives its daily bread, amassing their gains with as little compunction as the Bourbons used to gather taxes. "Once again the provision pits present a discreditable spectacle of frenzied speculation, fleeing those whom they facetiously stifle their laments, while in the British House of Commons the premier is being urged to take what steps he can to arrest the rise in the price of a loaf. "That a nation which has been described by its president as 'too proud to fight' in the cause of liberty should comprise a body of so-called business men willing to add to the sum of human suffering in this day of Armageddon, attuned solely by greed of gold, bodes ill for the verdict of the future."

## AMERICAN WHEAT CROP TO BE SMALLER THIS YEAR

Corn and Oats also Lighter than Before — Grain Demand Expected to be Heavy

New York, Aug. 14.—The five-year average winter wheat crop in this country is 495,000,000 bushels. This crop has been made for 1916, and the final yield is 455,000,000 bushels. Spring wheat is still in the open, and the government's forecast (based on August 1st condition, which was 53.4—having dropped 23 points since July 1st), published this week, is 190,000,000 bushels. The five-year average has been 232,000,000 bushels. So that the outlook for all wheat this year is comparatively meagre—654,000,000 bushels against slightly over 1,000,000,000 bushels last year. The indicated yield for corn, 2,777,000,000 bushels, is only a little over the five-year average, which is 2,732,000,000 bushels. Last year's actual crop was 3,055,000,000 bushels. The oat crop, not as huge as last year, is still large. The demand for wheat this year will be large, because the world's crop, except in Australia, is also comparatively small. The farmers will benefit on what they have by higher prices at the start instead of later, and by reason of large profits last year will not be forced to sell. With so many other things propitious, the United States is well prepared to stand the effects of the shorter crop this year. As for wheat, a Washington despatch says that the Department of Agriculture calculates that 620,000,000 bushels of wheat will cover home consumption this year, leaving 34,000,000 bushels available for export. Further, that last year's carry-over was unusually large—160,000,000 bushels—which is 75,000,000 bushels more than the average carry-over of the last five years. On the whole, this 34,000,000 bushels, makes 109,000,000 bushels in excess of the average carry-over of the last five years. This, with the high prices for four inches household economy, the department thinks the home consumption may be set down and leave as much as 160,000,000 bushels for export. The shorter crop this year, the first report in peaceful times. The first year of the war we exported 333,000,000 bushels, and last year 250,000,000 bushels. It is expected that the demand this year will be heavy on account of the world's shorter crop. But there are the difficulties and the possibility of Russia's millions of bushels. And some traders think that the crop damage has been discounted in the price for the present.

## CHICAGO PRODUCE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Chicago, Aug. 14.—No. 2 red, 1.43 1/4; No. 3 red, 1.28 1/4; No. 2 hard, 1.42 1/4; No. 3 hard, 1.37 1/4; No. 4 white, 84 1/2; No. 3 white, 42 1/2; No. 4 white, 43 1/2; No. 2 new, 1.14 to 1.16; Barley—70 to 98; Timothy—Nominal; Clover—7.00 to 14.50; Pork—27.00; Lard—13.37; Ribs—13.85 to 14.45. Wheat. High. Low. Close. May... 129 1/2 125 1/2 125 1/2; Sept... 142 137 137 1/2; Dec... 145 140 141 1/2. Corn. May... 74 73 73 1/2; Sept... 83 83 83; Dec... 71 70 70 1/2. Oats. May... 48 48 48 1/2; Sept... 43 43 43; Dec... 46 46 46 1/2.

## MONTREAL WAITING ON NEWS FROM WASHINGTON

Uncertainty as to Result of Conference on Railway Labor Matters Kept Business Dull.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 14.—The general tendency in the stock market today was to await the outcome of the meeting at Washington between President Wilson and the leaders of the railway unions with reference to the demands of the latter which have threatened to precipitate a serious labor situation throughout the United States. While realizing the gravity of the circumstances and the difficulty of a situation caused by the refusal of the men to submit their claims to arbitration, as suggested by the railway interests, the markets refused to believe that a general strike would be the outcome, and felt that some method of avoiding such a disaster must and would be found. In the face of uncertainty as to what might be the result of the Washington conference Wall street acted well, but apart from an exceptionally strong and active market for Reading the general list adopted a waiting attitude. The local market pursued the same policy and in the absence of trading any account in the leaders, although the general tone was firm, devoted its attention to some specialties most conspicuous of which were the paper issues.

## N. Y. STOCK LETTER

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Aug. 14.—The market held firm throughout most of the day on the belief that a satisfactory settlement of the railway wage controversy would be brought about by President Wilson. Cabinet members were quoted near the market closing as saying that a plan had been proposed by the president, which was unlikely to meet with acceptance by both sides. Reading was three times as active as any other stock and showed the greatest advance. The Copper and munition stocks and a few of the railroads also held gains throughout the day. Butte and Superior report for the quarter ended June 30th showed a large falling off in earnings as compared with the previous quarter but still reported \$7.56 per share earned on the stock for the quarter. About \$2,500,000 more gold was received from Canada during the day bringing to \$213,000,000. The situation in market remains practically unchanged. Sales stocks 421,000. Bonds \$3,471,500. E. & C. RANDOLPH.

## MONTREAL PRODUCE

Montreal, Aug. 14.—Corn—American, No. 2 yellow, 96 to 97. Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 57 1/2; No. 3, 57; extra No. 1 feed, 57. Flour—Man, spring wheat patents, firsts, 8.20; seconds, 7.70; strong bakers, 7.50; winter patents, choice, 7.00; straight rollers, 6.20 to 6.40; straight rollers, bags, 2.90 to 3.00. Rolled oats—barrels, 5.65 to 5.75; bags, 50 lbs., 2.70 to 2.75; middlings, 28; moultrie, 30 to 34. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, 17.50 to 18.50.

## MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Morning. Montreal, Monday, Aug. 14th.—Canadian Locomotive—25 @ 85. Textile Com.—10 @ 79 1/2. Textile Pfd.—7 @ 103 1/2. Steel Co. Bonds—1,000 @ 96. Steel of Canada—30 @ 53 1/2. Dom. Iron Pfd.—7 @ 94. Dom. Iron Com.—100 @ 84 1/2, 100 @ 84. Afternoon. Civil Power—50 @ 78 1/2. Dom. Loan—7,400 @ 98, 200 @ 98 1/2, 300 @ 98 1/2. Toronto Railway—5 @ 91 1/2, 20 @ 91 1/2. Canada Car Pfd.—25 @ 74 1/2. Detroit United—35 @ 119. Rioran Pulp—60 @ 61, 10 @ 61 1/2. Cona. Smelters—60 @ 37 1/2. Laur. Pulp—180 @ 185. McDonalds—30 @ 13. Quebec Ry.—15 @ 33 1/2, 20 @ 33 1/2. Am. Iron—25 @ 54 1/2, 10 @ 54 1/2. Montreal Power—100 @ 78 1/2. C. Cottons Pfd.—5 @ 78 1/2. Steel Co. Bonds—100 @ 96. Canada Cement Com.—125 @ 59. Steel Co. Canada—10 @ 55, 45 @ 55. Dom. Iron—25 @ 54 1/2, 15 @ 54 1/2. Montreal Power—5 @ 224. Civil Power—100 @ 78 1/2. Canada Car Com.—5 @ 45 1/2, 60 @ 45 1/2. McDonalds—10 @ 13 1/2. Smelting Com.—25 @ 38. Quebec Ry.—30 @ 33 1/2. Waynamack Bonds—1,000 @ 83. Dom. Bridge—25 @ 215 1/2. Ames Com.—60 @ 22, 25 @ 22 1/2, 30 @ 22 1/2, 35 @ 22. Bank of Commerce—10 @ 158. Rioran—10 @ 62 1/2.

## SOO SYSTEM EARNED PHENOMENAL SUMS

Fiscal Year to June 30th Saw Spectacular Growth Compared with Previous Sessions.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 14.—Important gains in earnings were made by the Soo line in the fiscal year ended June 30, when the combined gross earnings of the system were \$55,910,064, against \$32,304,662 in 1915; net earnings, deducting operating expenses and taxes, were \$13,624,820, against a net of \$13,000,145 after operating expenses but before the taxes had been deducted in 1915. Comparing the figures for the past year with those of 1914-15, the gains are spectacular. The Soo system's gross rose \$7,247,538, or 26.2 per cent, and net, after expenses and taxes \$5,476,022 or 67.8 per cent. Soo Line figures leaving out the Wisconsin Central or Chicago division returns, show a gain of \$4,987,770, or 28 per cent, in gross, and a gain of \$3,483,973, or 62 per cent, in net, after expenses and taxes had been paid.

## BIG INCREASE IN CANADIAN TRADE

Preliminary Figures from Trade and Commerce Department for Year Ending May 1st Show Prosperous Condition.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Aug. 14.—An increase of nearly half a billion in the total trade of Canada is indicated by the preliminary trade figures covering the twelve months ending in May last, which have been issued by the Trade and Commerce Department. As regards exports the total this year was \$320,000,000, as against \$432,000,000 in 1915 and \$358,000,000 in 1913. The greatest increase is in the export of manufactured goods, which has risen from \$45,000,000 in 1913 to \$281,000,000. Agricultural products rose from \$45,000,000 to \$107,000,000; mine products, \$57,000,000 to \$68,000,000; fisheries, from \$16,000,000 to \$28,000,000; products of the forest, from \$45,000,000 to \$52,000,000. The greatest increase has been in exports to Great Britain, mostly of war supplies, the total being \$18,000,000 as compared with \$18,000,000. However, that this prosperity is not all war produced is evident from the fact that exports to the United States also increased from \$167,000,000 to \$337,000,000. There was also an increase to France from \$3,000,000 to \$37,000,000. There was a decrease in imports, those of dutiable goods dropping from \$447,000,000 the year before to \$321,000,000, the chief decrease being in imports from Great Britain which fell off from \$143,000,000 before the war to \$86,000,000.

## N. Y. QUOTATIONS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Open. High. Low. Close. Am Coal Pds 145 1/2 145 1/2 145 1/2 145 1/2. Am Beet Sug 96 1/2 96 1/2 96 1/2 96 1/2. Am Car Ry 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Am Loco 7 3/4 7 3/4 7 1/2 7 1/2. Am Smelt 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2. Am Steel 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Am Zinc 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2. Am Tele 130 1/2 130 1/2 130 1/2 130 1/2. Anaconda 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2. A H and Pfd 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Am Can 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Atchafalpa 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2. Balt and Ohio 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2. Bald Loco 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2. Beth Steel 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2. Bu and Sup 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2. C I 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2. C F 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2. Ches and Ohio 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2. Chino 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2. Cent Leath 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Cons Gas 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2 1 1/2. Lehigh 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2. Cruc Steel 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2. Erie Com 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2. Erie 1st Pfd 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Gr Nor Pfd 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2. Good Rub 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2 7 1/2. Gen Elect 16 1/2 16 1/2 16 1/2 16 1/2. Indus Alcohol 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2. Inspira Cop 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Kenne Cop 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2. Lehigh 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2. Merc Mar Pfd 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2. Mex Petrol 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2. Miami Cop 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2. NY NH and H 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. NY Cent 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2. Nor and West 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2. Nor Pac 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2. Nat Lead 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2. Nevada Cons 18 1/2 18 1/2 18 1/2 18 1/2. Penn 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Press Stl Car 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 1/2. Reading Com 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2 10 1/2. Repub Stl 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2 4 1/2. S P Paul 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2. Son Pac 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2 9 1/2. Sou Rail 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2. Studebaker 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2. Union Pac 13 1/2 13 1/2 13 1/2 13 1/2. U S Steel Com 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2. U S Rub 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. Utah Cop 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2 8 1/2. United Fruit 15 1/2 15 1/2 15 1/2 15 1/2. Westinghouse 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. West Union 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2 5 1/2. U S Steel Pfd 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2.

## MONTREAL SALES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Bid. Ask. Ames Holden Com... 23 23 1/2. Ames Holden Pfd... 60 60. Brazilian H. and P... 58 58 1/2. Canada Car... 44 1/2 45 1/2. Canada Cement... 59 59. Canada Cement Pfd... 91 92. Can. Cotton... 45 49. Laurantide Paper Co... 181 186. Penman's Limited... 60 62. Dom. Bridge... 118 119. Dom. Iron Pfd... 92 94. Dom. Iron Com... 54 55. Dom. Tex. Com... 79 80. Lake of Woods... 121 129. MacDonald Com... 133 134. N. Scotia Steel and C... 125 126. Ottawa L. and P... 90 95. Ogilvie... 126 137. Penman's Limited... 60 62. Quebec Railway... 93 94. Shaw W. and P. Co... 130 132. Spanish River Com... 103 114. Steel Co. Can. Com... 55 56. Toronto Ralls... 91 92.

## RAILWAY CRISIS DID NOT AFFECT WALL ST.

Yesterday's Trading Lacked Breadth and Vigor, but Embraced Unusual Variety of Issues.

New York, Aug. 14.—To those who assumed that the market would be seriously influenced or restrained by the pending crisis in the railway labor situation, today's session must have come as a surprise. Trading lacked the breadth and vigor of recent sessions, but was sufficiently large and diversified to embrace an unusual variety of issues. Except for the first hour, when the market was somewhat uncertain, prices in the main, ruled very much above last week's final quotations. Above last week's final quotations, the seat of the labor conferences, were received with interest, and for undefinable reasons Wall Street was generally of the opinion at the end of the day that existing differences would be overcome. Reading was the outstanding feature, dealing in that stock being larger than the combined transactions in United States Steel, Mercantile Marine preferred and several of the copper. Reading made an extreme advance of three to 30 1/4, yielding 1 1/8 at the close. Other issues of prominence were those of the announced strength to include United States Steel, which rose 16 to 460 on a fairly active turnover, with nine for the preferred. United States Industrial Alcohol, the more prominent metals, which showed the continuance of last week's belated demand, and the Mercantile Marine and equipment were represented by Crucible Steel, Baldwin Locomotive, American Car, American Can, New York Air Brake, General Electric and Westinghouse, all gains of one to two points. Sugars were materially better, with American Hide and Leather preferred and American Lined common and preferred. Heaviness of various issues was shown by shipping issues, motors, International Paper preferred and Union Bag and Paper preferred, the two last named losing two to 3 1/2 points. Zinc shares were backward on the relatively poor quarterly statement of the Butte and Superior Company. Total sales of stocks amounted to \$49,000,000. Private dispatches from the west indicated further apprehension regarding the crop outlook, but leading railways reported substantial tonnage increase over the corresponding period last year. Being lacked feature, aside from additional heavy offerings of Anglo-French 5's and the new French notes. Total sales, par value, \$3,460,000.

## BRITISH EXPENDITURES AND CREDITS

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, the third week of July, in announcing that the £300,000,000 credit which was expected to last into August was exhausted, stated that the daily expenditure had risen from £5,000,000 to £6,000,000, and that mainly what produced this increase unexpectedly was the purchase of American securities, sold to the Government for the purpose of regulating the American Exchange. There is no means of saying how many securities have been turned in to the British Government, but if the figures of increase of daily expenditure are taken, it would show about \$5,000,000 per day paid out. It had been estimated that this has, for some time, been about the amount sold in our market here, and this flow, whatever it is, combined with high Wall Street loans, has been quite effectual in keeping prices from advancing much here.

## PORTUGAL MONEY

Lisbon, August 10. (via Paris).—Dr. Agostinho Costa, the Minister of Finance, upon the reassembling of the Portuguese Congress today, announced that the British government would lend to Portugal a sum as should be agreed upon between the countries to cover the expense of Portugal's participation in the war. The money, he said, would be lent to Portugal as one of the allies of the British government, but if the figures within two years after the signing of the treaty of peace.

## READY TO LEND

A note from the British government acknowledging Portugal's loyalty to her ancient friendship and alliances with Great Britain and inviting her to participate in the war when she considered herself fully prepared, was read. The British General Staff is being consulted concerning the preparations.

## MONTREAL STOCK LETTER

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Montreal, C. Aug. 14.—The paper stocks were the most active issues today. Laurentide sold at 185, Spanish Crown Reserve at 14, the preferred being bid up to 42 with practically no stock coming out. Rioran sold up to 62 1/2. In the unlisted department Civil sold at 78 1/2. The balance of the list was steady, with trading a little more active than last week. There was more investment business amongst the bonds and bank stocks than we have had for some time.

## ENGLAND'S GROSS TRADE SHOWS IMMENSE INCREASE

Adverse Trade Balance Considerably Cut Down During Seven Months of Current Year.

The London Board of Trade figures for July show an increase in both exports and imports over July of a year ago. But the imports increased only \$5,900,000, while the exports—things sold by Great Britain to other countries—increased over \$68,000,000. "The increase in things sold was largest in cotton, wool and iron and steel. In cotton goods there was a decrease from last year of about 67,000,000 yards, but India took 75,000,000 yards less, China 8,000,000 yards less, and France 8,500,000 yards less. So that aside from these countries, there was an increase in shipment of cotton goods to the rest of the world. Great Britain's adverse trade balance in 1914, was around \$1,330,000,000, and in 1915, \$2,325,000,000. For the seven months of 1916, excess of imports has been cut down \$95,000,000, as compared with the same period a year ago. Great Britain's total trade in 1914 was \$5,535,000,000. In 1915, it was \$6,183,905,000, but due to the great war expenditures for herself and the Allies in these last figures, total imports had increased heavily. Our own trade with the world for 1915 amounted to \$6,531,542,000, and over two billion dollars of this came back to us in cash.

## ANOTHER GOLD CAMP FOR ONTARIO

Cobalt Mining Man Predicts Great Things for West Shining Tree District.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Aug. 14.—Manager S. Cohen of the Crown Reserve Mine of Cobalt, was in town last week and stated that he had been up in the West Shining Tree district which, he declared, would be the coming gold camp of Northern Ontario. Mr. Cohen stated that he had seen some remarkably rich ore taken out, and unless the formations proved pocket and did not persist to a depth, more would be heard from the district when sufficient capital had been put in to properly develop the different prospects.

## AMERICAN SECURITIES MOBILIZATION

The extra duty of 10 per cent on interest and dividends received by British investors on their American securities, has evidently forced investors here to sell securities in very large amount. And whether for sale or for future loans, these securities are being sent over steadily. It is said that the White Star Liner Adriatic, arriving on July 26th from Liverpool, brought ten boxes filled with securities from the Bank of England (and listed as personal baggage), in charge of Mr. F. E. Martin, which was said to be valued at about \$25,000,000. On the previous trip of the Adriatic, Mr. Martin brought over \$30,000,000 worth of securities, which were also contained in ten boxes, as baggage. On July 24th Premier Asquith asked the British House of Commons for a vote of credit of £450,000,000. He said that since the outbreak of the war there had been twelve votes of credit totalling £2,322,000,000 (\$14,160,000,000). The present credit was substantially larger than its predecessors, but this was not because any great extension of expenditure was anticipated, but in order to make provision for a longer period and the covering of any necessary results.

## NEW YORK COTTON

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) High. Low. Close. Jan... 14.82 14.32 14.38. Mar... 14.74 14.48 14.52. May... 14.87 14.64 14.64. July... 14.90 14.86 14.87. Dec... 14.52 14.26 14.30.

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APPOHAQUI
Apoahqui, Aug. 14.—Mrs. L. Y. Upshart returned last week from a three months visit with her sister, Mrs. Clayton of Portland, Me.
Mrs. D. A. Hewitt and little daughter, Jeanne, of Ottawa, who have spent the last two months in New Brunswick, left here on Saturday for their home. Mrs. Hewitt was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. M. H. Parlee, of Hampton, who will spend a few weeks in Ottawa and Toronto.
S. R. Starkey and two children of Hartford, Conn., have been spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. John Little.
Wm. Byron, St. John, was a week-end guest of John Burgess.
W. E. Moore of Point Wolfe, Albert Co., was a Sunday guest at the Apoahqui House.
James Miles of Jones Bros. staff has been spending his vacation at his home in Belvidere, N. B.
Mrs. Murray Gilchrist is enjoying a visit with her sister, Mrs. Sherwood, of Malden, Mass., and before returning home will spend some time with another sister, Mrs. A. B. Camp, of McDonald's Corner.
Mrs. Wm. Johnson, St. John, is the guest of Mrs. L. B. Humphrey at her summer home here.
Mrs. Geo. L. Vevey spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Heber Wiles of "College Bridge."
The many friends of Mrs. W. A. Jones will be pleased to know she is recovering from her recent illness.
Miss Julia Peters, training nurse, of Rothesay, is professionally engaged in the village.
Mrs. John Orchard is enjoying a visit with friends in St. John.
Colin King was a week-end guest of his sister, Mrs. M. P. Ogilvie.
Much regret is expressed over the sudden relapse in the condition of Jas. H. Manchester, who had apparently been recovering so satisfactorily after a protracted and serious illness.
Mr. Manchester has been confined to his home for a number of months and had only recently been able to get around. His friends were delighted to meet him driving in his carriage on Saturday, but were grieved to hear that on Sunday he had suffered several hemorrhages. Slight improvement in his condition was reported at the time of writing.
Mrs. Percy Walsh, Brewer, Me., is visiting her brothers and sisters, who reside here in the vicinity.
Mrs. G. C. Vanwart has returned to her home in Fredericton after a few days stay with her sister, Miss Fenwick.
Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Coeman have returned home after spending three months in Boston, during which time Mr. Coeman had been undergoing medical treatment, which has been very beneficial.
Mrs. Tilly Fiddins of Centreville is very ill here at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Gamme, and her relatives and friends entertain grave fears of her recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter T. Burgess motored to Moncton last week and were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Burgess.
Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Jones, accompanied by their daughters, Ethel and Marjorie, and their niece, Miss Kathleen Burgess, of Moncton, motored to Rothesay on Sunday.
Geo. B. Jones, M.L.A., Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Nell Johnson, Miss Muriel Jones, H. J. Johnson and C. H. Jones, motored to Kars on Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Jones.
A very distressing conflagration occurred on Saturday afternoon, 12th, at Centreville, when the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Gamme, including barn, house and all the contents, were destroyed by fire. Two valuable horses and numerous articles of farm machinery and all the furniture, clothing, etc., were burned. At the time the fire broke out Mr. Gamme was engaged with his hay in the meadow and as the barn was the first to burn, it was impossible to enter to release the horses by the time help arrived.
Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Gamme as they carried no insurance on any of the buildings.

ANDOVER
Andover, August 14.—On Friday last the Women's Institute was most enjoyably entertained at the home of Mrs. Alex. Ogilvy, South Tilley.
Mr. and Mrs. Hibbard, of Eton, accompanied by their guests, Miss Fannie Barnes, of Boston; Miss Mary Henderson and Stewart Henderson, of St. Stephen, were week-end guests of Mrs. H. Alcorn.
Mrs. Edward Shay and family, of East Aurora, N. Y., are visiting Mrs. Shay's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Porter for several weeks.
Miss Rose Hoyt is chaperoning a camping party of young girls at the Quaker Brook this week.
Miss Susie Watson is visiting Mrs. Arthur Edgar at Three Brooks.
Mrs. Bert Graham and children are spending the week with friends in Woodstock.
Ross Flemmington, C. A. M. C., has been the guest of his parents, Rev. C. and Mrs. Flemmington the past week.
Mrs. Frank Tinker has returned to her home in St. John. Woodstock, was in town the past week.
Miss Edith Sisson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Murray Ryan, Montreal, for several weeks, returned home on Thursday.
Miss Grace Gunter, Lower Queensbury, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. LeBaron Anderson.
Miss Millicent Carter entertained several friends at a verandah dance on Monday evening.
Leut. George Wootton came from Valcartier on Monday for a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wootton.
Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Marsten and little daughter are guests of Mrs. Julia Sutton.
Mr. and Mrs. Reed Bedell, Miss Josephine Bedell and Mr. Stanley Waugh were in Fredericton for the week-end.
Mrs. Demaris Squires, Upper Kent, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harriet Howard.
Miss Gertrude Henderson, Woodstock, is visiting her old home here this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Moncton, spent a few days here this week, having made the trip by auto.
A large number from the two villages attended the centennial celebration at Fort Fairfield on the 8th, 9th and 10th.
Mr. A. E. Kupke, Mr. Nelson A. Hanson and Mr. A. Morrissey, of St. John spent part of this week at Bear Brook.
Miss Mabel Peat entertained at a small tea party on Monday in honor of Miss Frances Tibbits.
Miss Gertrude Tibbits and Mrs. Theo. Marsten visited Mr. and Mrs. LeBaron Anderson, Four Falls, this week.
Mrs. Gilbert Peat was hostess to a few friends at tea on Friday evening.
Miss Dorothy and Isabel Olmstead spent the past week at the home of their uncle, Fred Olmstead, Grand Falls.
Miss Gertrude Sullivan, of Randolph, Mass., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. D. D. Hopkins.
Mr. and Mrs. Pickard and family, of Toronto, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kelly, and are being warmly welcomed by their friends.
Posters are out announcing a big Liberal convention on 22nd inst., at which the following speakers will take part: W. E. Foster, St. John; F. B. Carvell, M. P., Woodstock; E. S. Carter, provincial organizer, and P. J. Venot, of Bathurst, James Burgess, of Grand Falls, and J. P. Tweeddale of Athurette, will undoubtedly be chosen as candidates, and the Liberals feel confident of their success.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dinmore, of Houlton, were guests of Mrs. R. B. M. Wiley this week.
Miss Sarah Watson spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hopkins, Fort Fairfield.
Mrs. Wiley, Miss Mabel Peat, Miss Frances Tibbits and Miss Emily Fowler spent Saturday at Fort Fairfield, Caribou and Presque Isle, Me.

HARTLAND
Hartland, August 11.—Mrs. T. G. Simms has received a cheerful letter from her son, Curtis, who is "Somewhere in France," with the 97th Siege Battery. He describes some of the scenes after battles, but his letter was optimistic and full of hope for ultimate victory.
The case of Pankhurst vs. Smith, tried under the Workmen's Compensation Act, resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff for \$1,500 payable in weekly instalments of \$7.50 each. Pankhurst had his hand badly injured while working in Smith's mill near here. M. L. Hayward, LL. B., was the plaintiff's solicitor.
Bliss Foster of Lansdowne, got into a nasty mess last Sunday, when motoring to the Robinson Camp meeting in Maine. In turning out for another car, he took the left side of the road, but that not being the "right side" in Maine, there was a collision, and one of the persons was badly injured. As a result he and his party were arrested by the Maine authorities and held to await the outcome in the case of one of the injured parties. It is claimed that Foster was not to blame for the accident, although he was on the wrong side of the road at the time.
On Friday, August 4, the death took place at the home of Mrs. Fraser London at Armar, N. Y. of Mrs. Eliza King, aged 81 years, the 81st year of her age. She was one of the settlers who helped redeem the wilderness of that section which is now a flourishing farm settlement. She had been twice married and is survived by one son, twenty-four grand children and sixty great grand children. Rev. G. A. Giberson officiated at the funeral ceremonies.
Miss Etta Stevens left on Monday for St. John, where she will spend a few days with her cousin, Miss Sadie Stevens, at Fairville, and other relatives.
Miss Eliza Sippel has as a guest this week, Miss Geraldine Thompson of Fredericton.
Mr. Eddie Souci of St. Leonard, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. C. R. Violette, left for home on Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Nixon have as guests Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Howell of Brookfield, N. Y.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Morgan left on Tuesday for a visit with their son, Rev. W. B. Morgan, rector of Vanke Hill, Ont.
Mrs. Josiah Barnett, who for years lived in Hartland, but is now resident in Boston, has been visiting at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. John Barnett.
For a few months, Mrs. Roy Knapp and son of Lowell, Mass., with her niece, Miss Hazel Currier, will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Moses Hovey. Mrs. C. E. and Miss Edna Allen have gone to Durham Bridge, York Co., to visit relative, Mrs. Charles S. Siddle, Greenfield, on July 25, Miss Eva Claudia Brymer, daughter of Mr. Siddle, Greenfield, on July 25, Miss John Ames Mallory of Florenceville, Rev. M. H. Manuel performing the ceremony.
After spending a pleasant visit with Mrs. H. H. Hatfield, Miss Minnie Titus has returned to her home in Fredericton.
Miss Edna Jensen has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Harry Hagerman, at Centreville.
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Fisher of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. Fisher's uncle, Mr. W. H. Sippel, at Somerville.
While driving to church on Sunday last, Mrs. Addison Spinney of South Knowlville, was thrown from her carriage and suffered the fracture of an arm.
Mrs. L. R. Hetherington is at Cady's, Queens Co., visiting her husband's people, Mr. Hetherington will take over the Consolidated School at Riverside, Albert Co., the coming year.
Mrs. Wiley, Miss Mabel Peat, Miss Frances Tibbits and Miss Emily Fowler spent Saturday at Fort Fairfield, Caribou and Presque Isle, Me.

LOGGIEVILLE
Loggieville, N. B., Aug. 14.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Melverson Anderson was recently saddened by the death of their little daughter. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon, interment being made in Pine Grove cemetery. Rev. W. B. Rosborough had charge of the service. The hymns sung were: "I'm a Pilgrim," and "When He Cometh." Mr. and Mrs. Anderson's many friends sympathize with them in their bereavement.
Miss Jessie Fowle of Expanse, Saak, who has spent the holiday season with her mother, Mrs. M. Fowle, returned to the west on Thursday of last week.
Ptes. Campbell Russell, Ben. Thompson, John McKenzie and Harrison McDonald, of Valcartier, visited their homes here last week.
Mrs. McNaughton is a guest of Mrs. Wm. Edges.
Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Logan, of Doaktown, spent Sunday in town.
Wesley Dempsey has returned from Stonehaven, where he spent a week with relatives.
Miss Jessie Robertson recently visited Black River friends.
Mrs. W. G. Loggie, who spent the past three months with relatives in Moncton and Shediac, has returned to her home here.
Mrs. James McKnight of Napan spent the past week with her sister, Mrs. McLean.
The Misses Platt, of Nelson, are at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Loggie.
Those appointed as delegates from Knox church congregation to the Temperance Convention held at Newcastle last week were: Mrs. Wm. Tait and Miss Will Hierlihy, and Messrs. Robert Loggie, J. W. S. Babrick, Wm. Archer and Rev. W. B. Rosborough.
Miss Gray Sheldie has returned from a visit to Shelgia, where she was the guest of Miss Smith, "Bellevue."
Mrs. Cooper and her son, of St. John, returned home last week. While in town they were guests of Mrs. Wilson Loggie.
Miss Jennie Matthews is spending her vacation with Moncton relatives.
Miss Ruby Percy has resumed her duties as cashier with the Loggie Co. after a two weeks' vacation.
Mr. Mathews, of Moncton, visited at the home of his niece here recently.
Among the young men of this town who left on Saturday for the harvest fields in the west were: George England, Whitfield Daley, Sam Lockery and Percy Fraser.
Among those from the town here who attended the Oddfellow and Rebekah assembly at Fredericton last week were Mrs. Young and Messrs. Young, Scott and Touchie.

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Furniture At Residence BY AUCTION. I am instructed by S. T. Hatfield, Esq., to sell at his residence, No. 252 Princess street, on Tuesday morning, August 15th, commencing at 10 o'clock, the entire contents of his residence consisting of the following rooms completely furnished: Front and back parlors, dining room, upper and lower halls, bedrooms and kitchen, together with carpets, rug, oilcloth, chinaware, silverware, etc. Everything in good order and of the best quality. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

NOTICE THE SAINT JOHN & QUEBEC RAILWAY COMPANY. The Navigable Waters Protection Act, Section 7, Chapter 115, R.S.C. The Saint John and Quebec Railway Company has deposited with the Minister of Public Works, at Ottawa, and the Registrars of Queens and Kings Counties, respectively, plans and descriptions of the sites of the proposed bridges across the following streams on the line of its railway between Gagetown in the County of Queens, and Westfield, in the County of Kings, in the Province of New Brunswick: Mile 41.2, Ontabog Lake outlet, Parish of Hampstead, County of Queens; Mile 64.9, Devil's Back Creek, Parish of Greenwich, County of Kings. Take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Saint John and Quebec Railway Company will apply to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for approval of the said sites and plans and for permission to construct the said bridges. SAINT JOHN & QUEBEC RAILWAY COMPANY. EDWARD GIROUARD, Secretary. Dated at Fredericton, N. B., this 8th day of August, 1916.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE. Public notice is hereby given, that the parcels of Real Estate hereinafter mentioned, and more particularly described in a schedule filed in my Office, on the first day of August, 1916, will be sold by me at City Hall, in the City of Saint John, on Friday, the first day of September, 1916, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, upon a claim by the City of Saint John for City and County Taxes and Water Rates due, as detailed in such schedule.

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MOSS GLEN. Moss Glen, August 11.—Mrs. Jerry Grant and Mrs. John, are guests of Mrs. Wm. Cronk. Miss E. R. McLean ho has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Puddington, left for Grand Lake. Mr. Allen of St. John, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Merritt. Mrs. Mouri of Boston, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. B. Hatley, who has been very ill, but is recovering. Mrs. Wm. Cronk left by St. Hampton, on Wednesday, to spend a few days in St. John. Miss Helen Bacon of Clifton, visited friends here on Tuesday. Mrs. A. G. Breen and Miss Ina, are spending a few days in St. John.

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REXTON. Rexton, N. B., August 11.—Miss Carson and Miss Short have returned from a visit to friends in St. John and Moncton. Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Girvan of St. John, are spending some time with Dr. R. G. and Mrs. Girvan. Mrs. Richmond McBeath of Peter's Mills, returned Saturday from a visit to Moncton friends. Mrs. (Dr.) Thompson of Boston, Mass., is visiting Boutouche friends. George Palmer has returned from Burnsville, Gloucester Co., where he has spent several months. Misses Estella and Emma Lanigan and Miss Naus have returned from a visit to Moncton. John Robertson of Bathurst, is spending a few days in town. Mrs. R. G. Girvan and little son, Ralph, have returned from a visit to Moncton friends. Miss Van Buskirk of Moncton, is Mrs. Girvan's guest. Miss Margery Jardine and her brother, Lance Corporal Hugh Jardine, of Moncton, came on yesterday to visit friends. Arthur O'Leary and two daughters of Groveton, N. H., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John O'Leary. Miss Beatrice King of Moncton, is visiting Mrs. A. C. Wood, Upper Rexton. Mrs. Tribon and her sister, Miss Greta Mitchell of Boston, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mitchell, Jardineville. Thomas McInerney of Boston, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McInerney, has gone to P. E. L. to join his wife who is visiting relatives there.

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That scumma case, which have defied all other treatment, yield to Zam-Buk? An illustration of this is found in the case of Mr. J. L. Francis, of Nisidoo, N.B. He writes:

"My head was entirely covered with scumma, and although I tried numerous remedies and received medical treatment I got no benefit. Then I heard of Zam-Buk and tried it. The first few applications stopped the burning. Gradually the inflammation was drawn out, and before long the scumma began to heal. Permanence was secured with Zam-Buk in a complete and permanent cure."

Zam-Buk is just as good for ulcers, ringworm, running sores, blood-poisoning, piles, cuts, burns and all skin injuries. All druggists sell box, 3 for \$1.25, or from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto.



**Uncle Dick's Corner.**

**TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.**  
 A Cautious Boy.  
 Fourteen year old boy, in drugstore: "Please give me a five cent cigar, and a five cent headache powder."

**RECIPES.**

**Cheese Carrots.**  
 Grate about a quarter pound of cream cheese and mix thoroughly with one chopped pimento. Mold into small carrots about one and one-half inches long, and stick a small sprig of parsley in top of each.

**Ices and Sherbets For Hot Days.**  
**Orange Sherbet.**  
 Grated rind of four large oranges, two one-half cups cold water, one pound sugar, one pint strained lemon juice, whites of four eggs. Grate the rind of oranges and steep 10 minutes in the water; add sugar and boil to a thin syrup. Cool, add whipped whites of eggs the last half, add orange juice and freeze. Ripen to two hours.

**Raspberry-Currant Ice.**  
 One cup red currant juice, one cup raspberry juice, two cups sugar, two cups water, white of one egg. Cook sugar and water to a thick syrup; cool, add the fruit juices and freeze. When partially frozen add the beaten white of egg, continue freezing until hard.

**Pineapple Sherbet.**  
 Two cups grated fresh or canned pineapple, two cups sugar, one cup water, juice of one lemon, whites of two eggs. Make syrup of sugar and water; cool, add pineapple and lemon juice; partially freeze; add the well-beaten egg white; finish freezing; ripen well.

**Lemon Ice.**  
 Add three cups of sugar to one quart of water. Boil ten minutes and add the juice of five lemons and two oranges. Freeze and pack in salt and ice.

**Raspberry Sherbet.**  
 Soften one tablespoon of gelatin in one-half cup of cold water; add one and one-half cups of cold water and one cup of sugar; stir until dissolved; chill; add one pint of raspberry juice and the strained juice of two lemons; freeze.

Women were prominent in the Danish Rigsdag when the disposal of the Danish West Indies was discussed. They never miss a bargain sale, even in Denmark.

Every housewife is going around these days, with one eye on the baker.—Montreal Daily News.

True courage is not incompatible with nervousness, and heroism does not mean the absence of fear, but the conquest of it.—Henry van Dyke.

**MARGUERITE'S WEEKLY CHAT.**  
 Thoughtfulness.  
 Have you ever heard someone say, with a virtuous air: "I never repeat gossip." I listened to that statement made one day by a girl whose mother is an invalid.

Now Mrs. X, enjoys keeping in touch with the outside world and harmless bits of news, often falsely called gossip, would have interested and amused her. "Father" learns all sorts of things, tellable, in the business sphere and never dreams of brightening up home life with items of news. Gossip is deplorable but thoughtlessness is nearly as bad. Perhaps sister who has a hobby and starts to look frantically for last week's paper which had an article on her pet fad. "Oh, I meant to tell you about that," says Tom, "only I forgot."

I know a dear lady who asks after your family, tells you of a book she thinks you would like, or of a pleasant thing she has heard said of you. She is deservedly popular. One such person was told that her mind must look like a pantry with many shelves, each labelled, and upon which she puts delectable morsels with which to regale her friends. In Proverbs 31:26 you'll find her description.

**WHO WILL VOLUNTEER.**  
 It is said that the farmers up the St. John river cannot gather in their crops because of the lack of men workers. Now is a chance for a Voluntary Aid Department of Women to be formed who will not need to have studied under doctors or trained nurses.

The getting in of the harvest is just as patriotic a work as any that women can undertake, and our sisters in Britain have shown us what they can do. Who will organize a Troop of the Land Army? There are thousands in England alone, and are Canadian girls any weaker or less brave?

If some of our women clubs or organizations would take up this work and place women friends could go together and much good might come of it. The more crops are lost, the higher living will be and the poor will suffer.

**The Wearing of Jewelry.**  
 Women as wearers of jewelry can be divided into five classes: 1. The woman who wears what she has without regard to style and becomingness. 2. The woman who wears what she likes. 3. The woman who wears jewelry for display. 4. The woman who wears

**INTERESTING CONTESTS**  
 For the Word-Makers and Artists

This week you are asked to make a complete sentence out of the following jumbled letters, and a **SPLENDID CAMERA** will be awarded to the kiddie who sends in the most correct and best written entry by August 23rd, 1916, together with the usual coupon filled in. Here are the jumbled letters:

AAAAAA CC DDDDD EEEEEEE GHHH I  
 NNNN O RRRRRR TTTTT V V V Y

**Drawing Contest**  
 How would you like a beautiful doll, or a splendid meccano set for the best copy of this picture? It looks much harder than it really is. First make a large square on a big piece of white paper. Divide this square into eight squares on each side, or sixty-four in all. Count the number of squares down from the top to Eleonor's head and begin to draw the outline. Follow along to the right very carefully, watching where you cross your lines. Sometimes you go to the right, sometimes up, sometimes down.



As mentioned above, I shall award a lovely large doll, or a most useful Meccano set to the kiddie who sends in the best result. The copy must be larger than the original, have the usual coupon attached and reach this office not later than Wednesday, August 16th.

UNCLE DICK,  
 THE STANDARD,  
 ST. JOHN, N. B.

Whose decision must be considered as final.

**COUPON.**  
**STANDARD COMPETITION.**  
 For Boys and Girls.

Full Name .....

Address .....

Age ..... Birthday .....

**Note Your Increase In Weight**

By making the blood rich and red Dr. Chase's Nerve Food forms new cells and tissues and nourishes the starved nerves back to health and vigor.

By noting your increase in weight while using it you can prove positively the benefit being derived from this great food cure.

25 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.



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

**OPERA HOUSE.**

**The Feud Girl.**  
 "And to be wroth with one we love, Death, not like madness in the brain," says Coleridge says. "Didn't you think it was Shakespeare I did." Well, Hazel Dawn, as Nell Haddon, is very wroth with Dave Rand, (Irving Cummings), whom she loves. This is a story of the mountains and the kind of people who live there, such as Charles Egbert Cradock used to write about. The feud between families lived on through generations, like a Corsican Vendetta. Hazel Dawn is a great favorite on the screen and this picture will add to her popularity. The mountain pictures were taken among real mountains in Georgia. There is a fight for "Nell," which was advertised as an equal to any "scrap ever filmed." It's no joke, but it was certainly some fight.

The programme at the Opera House also included some beautiful pictures of Algeria, the colored Pathe film "How Flowers Breathe," a Bray cartoon, and a Dittmar animal picture—all good.

**UNIQUE.**

**The Uplift.**  
 A Lubin picture of the underworld, an ending with one girl becoming the bride of the man she loved while another girl becomes a nun to find peace with the world and the sin and misery she found in it. I must confess I thought this picture a little unreal and rather unpleasant in one part. The father of the girl beats her severely in one scene and the next time we see her he has been "uplifted" and is looking saintly in a mission. I hope he did repent of his far from affectionate ways but the influence which led to his repentance was very "hidden" and Francis Johnson is in the cast of this production.

A Vitaphone picture called **The Repentance of Dr. Blinn**, and a comedy, "The Raid," were also on the Unique bill yesterday. The first named was the fate which overtook a doctor who refused to go to a patient who owed him a bill. The woman died and years after her daughter, famous and beautiful, refused to marry the physician's son. We didn't blame her a bit for he was a spiteful child who gave in at the first hint of failure and took the coward's road out of the world. The acting of the Italian father in this picture was very fine.

**IMPERIAL.**

**The Prince Chap.**  
 This is a charming story of a prince and how his blind eyes were opened as to the real princess. True, the princess was in disguise—in several disguises, in fact. She was a very sweet little princess in her various stages and this is a very pretty picture with a great deal of variety and many novelties introduced. The acting of George Pawcett as Rudolph, the old musician, who becomes Billy Peyton's butler and the devoted slave of the little girl whom Peyton adopts, is excellent throughout. We were glad when he got his "glass" after many attempts; he did so enjoy it. The little "slavery" deserves much praise for her comedy part. There are many pretty incidents of studio life and also many humorous ones. In the cast are Besse Ewton, Mary Charleston and Marshal Nellan. You will like this play, I'm sure.

**Peg o' the Ring—"The Leap"**—a jump off the cantilever bridge, or just about it, and thrills and more thrills.

**LYRIC.**

**The Wasted Years.**  
 Crane Wilbur in one of the best pictures he has appeared in of late. The play is presented in a rather strange way. There is a prison in which you see a shabby old man. He goes to the theatre and sees a drama which seems to him like his own life. Then you see the scenes of his real life. After all the title does not altogether seem to be true for while some of the years were spent in riotous living later in the picture we see the hero, self-sacrificing and doing all that a loving father could for his delicate daughter. It is a pretty part where the two are off on a Gypsy van living a Bohemian life but it comes to rather a sad end. One bright picture is of a dream the father has of a rosy future with himself married to the "Jane," he loves and a happy home for his family. But his return was just a year too late and the end of the play is also the end of the drama of life for the old man.

Singing, reciting and impersonating are the two factors sisters at the Lyric. This is a pretty act with some favorite songs given like "Somewhere a Voice is Calling," and "Under the Stars," a selection about a "busted dolly" and a child who was loyal to it was well recited.

**WEEKLY SKETCH.**

**Miss Naomi Childers.**  
 When one is beautiful, young, admired and talented, and yet, as she says, can't have one's temperament

**She has appeared in a few motion pictures for Selig.**

**Vitaphone Founder Dead.**  
 William T. Rock, founder and former president of the Vitaphone Company of America, died at his home at Oyster Bay on July 27, 1916, at the age of 62 years.

Mr. Rock had been ill for about three months, and the cause of his sudden death was attributed to heart disease. He was one of the pioneers of the motion picture business, starting as early as 1896. During the time when the Edison Vitascope was being exploited Mr. Rock purchased the rights for the state of Louisiana and made his first money at New Orleans. At the end of the first year in the southern city Mr. Rock and his partner, Walter Walwright, had accumulated about six hundred film subjects when they returned to New York. It was in the winter of 1897-98 that a partnership was formed with J. Stuart Blackton and Albert E. Smith, out of which grew the original Vitaphone Company. Mr. Rock retained the presidency until May of the present year, when ill health necessitated his retiring from active work.

A widow and two children, John B. and Mary Rock, survive him.

**Betty Hart, who plays Marie in William Fox's feature film, "The Man From Bitter Root," by Caroline Lockhart, comes from a little town in the middle west. She won't say what little town it is, because it is too small to be found on the map.**

"When I was a girl there," says Miss Hart, "the people had to have a curfew rung every night at nine o'clock. But after this had been done for a week, they had to stop it. It woke everybody up, when it sounded."

**William M. Selig has returned to Chicago from Los Angeles, Cal., where he has been visiting the Selig Pacific Coast studios, says Motion Picture News. While in Los Angeles, Mr. Selig completed plans for the production of "The Garden of Allah." The drama will be produced on a most elaborate scale," stated Mr. Selig in an interview on his return to Chicago. "Colin Campbell will direct it and no expense will be spared to make the production the most spectacular of anything we have ever done."**

**Lorraine Frost, New Metro ingenue.**  
 A new and valuable member of the Metro aggregation of photo-players is Lorraine Frost, an ingenue who is in the Metro-Roite production, "God's Half Acre," starring Mabel Taliaferro, and also in the Metro-Columbia five-act drama, as yet unnamed, starring Viola Dana. In both productions Miss Frost's part is only second in importance to that of the star.

Miss Frost's first dramatic experience was with Edith Taliaferro in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm." Her part was Emma Jane, but she played ill. More recently she has been seen with Rose Stahl in "Moonlight Mary," with Arnold Daly in "The Angel in the House," and with William H. Crane in "The Senator Keeps House."

With Robert Mantell she played several Shakespearean parts, including Cordelia Ophelia, Jessica, and the Princess in the Tower—not playing both Princesses at the same time, however. Andrew Mack's "Bold Soldier Boy," Charles Hawley's "Message From Mars," and "The Little Princess," about complete the list of this young girl's achievements up to date.

**'Twill Do Your Heart Good!**

The Imperial Will Today Conclude the Showing of That Perfectly Delightful English Story of Edward Peple's

**"THE PRINCE CHAP"**  
 A Five-Reel Photograph-Novel

For genuine heart appeal, honest, clean story and all-round fiction merit, this picture is a rare delight. Thousands have read the story and millions will see the charming pictured version.

**"PEG O' THE RING" Ninth Chapter AT MATINEE!**

Pathe's British and Allied Gazette  
 Wed.—Mary Miles Minter in "Barbara Frietchie"

**UNIQUE**

The UNDERWORLD pictured in all its horrors by an All-Star Cast selected from the foremost players of the Lubin Co.

**"The Uplift"**  
 IN THREE ACTS

Startling Mystery Play  
**"THE REPENTANCE OF DR. BLINN"**  
 VITAPHONE

**"THE RAID"** VIM COMEDY

**LYRIC**

**Mutual Masterpicture in 5 Attractive Acts, and Over One Hundred Scenes**  
**MR. DAVID HORSELY**  
 Presents the Most Handsome Man in Picture  
**CRANE WILBUR**  
 IN  
**"WASTED LIVES"**  
 2 PRETTY GIRLS IN A PRETTY ALT  
 Songs, Impersonations, Dances.  
**The FLAXTON SISTERS**  
 THUR.-FRI.-SAT.  
**THE HAWAIIAN DUO**  
 Singers With a Universal Reputation

**OPERA HOUSE**

TODAY—Afternoon 2.15 & 3.45—Evening 7.15 & 8.45

**HAZEL DAWN** in  
**"THE FEUD GIRL"**  
 A Famous Players Melodrama with Punch and Thrill

**PAIHE SCENIC PICTURE**  
**ALGERIA OLD AND NEW**  
**HOW FLOWERS BREATHE**  
 Head Colored and Novel  
**BRAY ANIMATED CARTOONS**  
 Full of Fun

**THE WEATHER.**

Forecast: Maritime winds westerly; fine, stationary or higher temperature.

Washington, Aug. 14—Northern New England—Fair Tuesday and probably Wednesday. Somewhat warmer Wednesday; moderate northwest winds.

Toronto, Aug. 14—The weather has been fine today over the Dominion, except in Nova Scotia, where light local showers have occurred.

Temperatures: Min. Max.

Dawson	44	58
Victoria	50	66
Vancouver	52	72
Kamloops	53	76
Calgary	52	86
Battleford	48	84
Prince Albert	48	84
Moose Jaw	47	88
Regina	46	82
Winnipeg	44	72
Parry Sound	50	72
London	45	78
Toronto	49	81
Kingston	58	70
Ottawa	58	76
Montreal	56	78
Quebec	48	64
St. John	47	84
Halifax	46	64

**TRUSTEES SEE FIVE MEN ON ST. JOHN AGAIN**

**PLANS FOR THE HONOR ROLL IN FIRST PLACE**

**NEW SCHOOL YESTERDAY IN RECRUITING**

Bentley Street Structure to be Thoroughly Modern and May Cost \$70,000—Other Business at Board Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held last evening, those present being R. B. Emerson, chairman, with Trustees Green and Manning, with Superintendent Bridges. The most important matter discussed was the provision of new school buildings on Bentley street. A large amount of routine business was disposed of.

After the minutes of the last regular meeting and of special meetings had been read communications were considered from teachers on staff asking leave of absence on various grounds. These were referred to the visitors' committee.

A communication was read from R. P. and W. F. Starr with respect to alleged damage to asphalt during delivery of coal at King Edward school, the secretary being instructed to write to the firm on the subject. The St. John Street Railway wrote asking permission to retain wires arms for electric purposes on the Bentley street school. It was agreed that they be allowed to remain. The secretary's report for June was read and showed as follows:

Number of pupils enrolled, 7,891; boys, 3,835; girls, 4,056; number of pupils belonging, boys, 3,404; girls, 3,667; total, 7,071; pupils in average daily attendance, 6,223; percentage of daily attendance, 88.12; percentage belonging in daily attendance, 89.42; teachers' visits, 238. Of those not belonging there were 15 cases of truancy; died, 5; sick, 164; at work, 198; left city, 203; transferred, 73; suspended, 1; kept at home, 163; total, 320. The Board of Health reported 26 cases of measles and 2 cases of diphtheria.

The chairman stated that Com. McLellan had asked him if a room could be had in the High school or elsewhere for the vaccination of children. After some discussion in the course of which trustee Russell said he thought it was for the Board of Health to find suitable quarters for the matter, the matter was left in the hands of the chairman and Dr. Bridges to deal with.

A communication dated July 24 was read from Dr. Melvin respecting improved sanitary arrangements in the Victoria school annex.

Dr. Manning said he felt that something should be done as to sanitary requirements in all the schools where food necessary.

Trustee Russell said that in view of financial conditions he thought it would be unwise to do anything at present. The chairman agreed that it seemed necessary to let matters rest for a time. The cost of the Victoria school sanitary improvements alone would be \$3,000. It was thought, and it might be well to postpone action until after January 1. On motion of Dr. Manning, seconded by Mr. Green, it was agreed that a letter should be written to Dr. Melvin stating that the board would be unable to do anything this summer in the direction of the improvements suggested, but that such improvements would be made early in the ensuing year.

Considerable discussion ensued as to the material that should be used in the erection of any new school buildings in the city. Trustee Russell presented the awarding of medals respecting the awarding of medals during the present year, and made recommendations respecting the provision of additional recognition for meritorious scholars who had only failed to secure the trophies. The recommendations were unanimously agreed to. The report showed as follows: Corporations: Gold Medal, Miss Chaisson; Parker Silver Medal, Samuel T. McCavour (second prize awarded to Horace Wetmore); Governor-General's Silver Medal, Grade X, Miss Doris Barnes (second prize awarded to Miss Manning); Emerson Gold Medal, Grade VIII, Fred McGovern; G. S. Mayes' Gold Medal, Willie Beattie; Mrs. Devere's Gold Medal for highest standing in English Language and Literature, Miss Chaisson.

Towards the close of the meeting Architect F. Neil Brodie produced the plans of the proposed new school in Bentley street and explained them in detail. They were approved. No plans for a school in Newman street were brought in. The new building in Bentley street is estimated to cost \$70,000 and may be briefly described as follows: First floor, four classrooms, cloak-rooms and assembly hall, 37 feet by 66 feet; second floor, five classrooms, teachers' room, toilets; basement, boys' and girls' play-room, sanitarium for boys and girls, boiler and coal rooms, vacuum cleaning room, large room to be used as assembly room for drill purposes, etc., the latter measuring 37 feet by 66 feet. The building will be of plain brick and stone with cut stone trimmings and have a flat roof. It will be constructed on the lines approved by the Boston and New York School Commissioners. Light will be from one side only in the classrooms; plumbing will be in accordance with the most modern ideas; heating will be by steam. The building will have day, August 19th.

**Around the City**

Pay your taxes on or before August 17th and save 5 per cent. discount. Immediately after the 17th day of August executions will be issued for all unpaid taxes.

**Drunk as a "Fish."**

Benjamin Fish was arrested yesterday for being intoxicated. Fish is an old offender, but fortunate for him has kept out of the hands of the police for some time past.

**Furious Driving.**

William Beamish and Don McAllister were arrested last evening by Constables Gorman and Gibbs, and are charged with being drunk and furiously driving a horse on Brussels street.

**Collision on Main Street.**

Yesterday afternoon a collision took place between an automobile owned by G. A. Clarke and street car No. 118 on Main street near Long Wharf. Neither was damaged to any extent.

**Medal on Exhibition.**

The distinguished conduct medal which was won by Sergt-Major Henderson, was placed on exhibition in one of M. R. A.'s windows and viewed by large numbers of people yesterday afternoon and evening.

**Biscuits Soar.**

It was stated last night by a prominent biscuit manufacturing firm here that all lines of biscuits will be advanced one-half cent per pound by all manufacturers in the Maritime Provinces as from this morning.

**Union of N. B. Municipalities.**

The Union of New Brunswick Municipalities will meet in St. Stephen on Wednesday morning at ten o'clock. Those to attend from the city will be Warden McLellan, Councilors O'Brien and Golding, and County Secretary J. King Kelley.

**Military Prisoners.**

Three members of No. 4 Pioneers were brought into the city from St. Andrews by a military guard, last night. The prisoners were detained at police headquarters last night and will be taken to Partridge Island this morning.

**Rendered Unconscious.**

While playing with some other boys on Pond street, last evening, Ernest Canning, of 8 Paradise Row, fell striking his head a severe blow on the curbstone. He was rendered unconscious and was carried into Short's stable where he afterwards revived sufficiently to be assisted to his home by Police Constable Winter.

**Patriotic Fair at South Bay.**

A grand patriotic picnic will be held on Parker Baker's grounds, South Bay, on Saturday next, and the committee are sparing no pains to make it a grand success. There will be a picnic and numerous games of interest. An announcement will be made later as to the time the trains leave the city for the grounds and other particulars.

**A Painful Accident.**

Harley Ingersoll, son of Captain Frank Ingersoll of Grand Manan, was severely injured recently while haying at Long Island. He was in the act of glancing hay from a load, when a pile broke allowing the block to fall, and in doing so it struck Mr. Ingersoll, badly lacerating his leg. The injuries are severe and will cause him to be laid up for the remainder of the summer.

**Prof. Goldsmith Here.**

Prof. Goldsmith arrived in the city yesterday at noon to consult with Commissioner Wilmore in regard to the proposed water extensions at the Dr. Lake and Lanoster. The afternoon was spent by the commissioner, Engineer Armstrong and Prof. Goldsmith in going over the plans and it is expected that they will be all day today engaged in checking up the plans and noting any modifications which may be necessary. Just as soon as they have completed this portion of their work it is the intention of the commissioner to make his recommendations to the council regarding the extensions.

**Others Applied but were Unable to Pass Medical Examination — D. C. M. for King's Co. Man.**

**HONOR ROLL.**

Lewis N. Jones, St. John  
Walter R. Hayes, St. John  
George R. Albert, St. John  
For No. 2 Construction Batt.  
Theodore Belleville  
For 16th Battalion  
Charles H. McCallery, Richibucto.  
For 237th Battalion.

**Word Reached City Yesterday of Fatality Near Grand Harbor—William Titus the Victim.**

William Titus, a twelve year old boy, lost his life by drowning in Miller's Pond, on Grand Manan Island, Sunday afternoon. The unfortunate young fellow with his brother Fred, and a companion, Ross Cronk, all of Grand Harbor, went out to the pond for the purpose of gathering water from the waters of the pond and gathering the lilies at the same time when young Titus' feet became tangled in the lily pads and he was drowned before his companions could do anything to assist him. An alarm was given and the body was recovered about three hours later.

The deceased was a son of the late Joseph Titus, a seafaring man, who lost his life by drowning about ten years ago. The dead boy leaves two brothers and one sister to mourn. One of the brothers, John, is a private with the 115th Battalion now in England.

**GRAND MANAN LAD DROWNED**

**An Unwelcome Visitor.**

When Mrs. Slater entered her home on Pond street, about 10.30 o'clock, last night, she was so badly frightened on finding on the floor a faint red spot, that she called to her brother and a companion, Ross Cronk, all of Grand Harbor, went out to the pond for the purpose of gathering water from the waters of the pond and gathering the lilies at the same time when young Titus' feet became tangled in the lily pads and he was drowned before his companions could do anything to assist him. An alarm was given and the body was recovered about three hours later.

**Helping the Sailors.**

Interest in the British Sailors' Relief Fund is broadening. The general secretary writes to the St. John branch that the Montreal contributions to the fund have almost reached the \$100,000 mark. Winnipeg has established a branch and the Manitoba government has promised to give a handsome contribution. In New Brunswick the fund is growing slowly. The attention of Premier Clarke has been called to the needs of the fund, and he has promised to give consideration to the appeal. The city banks and the leading hotels are receiving subscriptions and forwarding them to Mayor Hayes, treasurer of the fund here. St. John, enjoying the protection from the British navy that it does, should give generously to this fund.

**Frontage on Bentley Street of 37 feet and have an average depth of 30 feet.**

**Come to the South Bay Fair, Saturday, August 19th.**

**In M. R. A.'s annex window is an autographed steel engraving of the late Lord Kitchener. This is an artist's proof of limited issue and therefore of great value and it is attracting a great deal of interest from passersby.**

**ADVANCE IN PRICE.**

The biscuit manufacturers have advanced the price of all kinds of biscuits 1-2 cent per pound. Prices to go in effect today, August 15, 1916.

**Gundry's are showing a large range of small Diamond Rings at very low prices. One lot at \$12.00 is a wonder. These are nice clean white diamonds of good size set in 14k. gold. They are bigger and better than you will get elsewhere for \$12.00.**

**Three recruits from Nova Scotia for 16th Battalion.**

**Out of 147 Men Secured in New Brunswick last Week 66 Signed Roll in this City**

Last week was a fairly good one for recruits throughout the province, 147 men having enlisted according to the figures submitted to Major Tilley from the county recruiting officers. St. John is again to the front with 66, York is in second place with 31, while Northumberland and Westmorland are tied for third place with 12 each. Following is the tabulated statement:

For 9th Siege Battery . . . 3  
3rd Regiment C.G.A. . . . 1  
237th Battalion . . . . . 9  
No. 2 Construction Batt. . . . 14  
Field Ambulance Train . . . . 24  
145th Battalion . . . . . 4  
4th Pioneer Battalion . . . . 1  
62nd Regt., Home Service . . . 15

For 23th Battalion . . . . 13  
Field Ambulance Train . . . 14  
No. 2 Construction Batt. . . . 1  
Home Service . . . . . 31

Northumberland—  
No. 3 Field Ambulance Corps is going along quietly but they are getting recruits every day and expect soon to be up to strength, as they have over 100 now, and the total strength of the unit is 186.

Word was received on Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. George A. Henderson, of Nauwigawank that their son Sergt-Major Henderson, of the Signalling column had been honored with the D. C. M., and the medal accompanied the letter. There was, however, no account of the action which had earned the honor for Sergt-Major Henderson, merely the statement that it had been granted him and the medal itself. Before enlisting Sergt-Major Henderson was employed with M. R. A., and was one of their most valued employees. He was one of the first men in St. John to enlist and went across with Major Powers.

For 6th Field Battery . . . . 1  
236th Battalion . . . . . 1  
237th Battalion . . . . . 1  
Home Service . . . . . 4

Restigouche—  
For 6th Battalion . . . . . 1  
132nd Battalion . . . . . 2  
Home Service . . . . . 4

Albert—  
For 145th Battalion . . . . . 2

Kings—  
For Kings Co. . . . . 1

Victoria . . . . . 0  
Madawaska . . . . . 0  
Gloucester . . . . . 0  
Kent . . . . . 0

Queens and Sunbury—  
Army Medical Corps . . . . 4  
236th Battalion . . . . . 2

**Supposedly Fire, Smoke Came From Gasoline Engine**

Alarm Yesterday from Box 9 Brought Firemen to Canadian Fairbanks Building.

Shortly after five o'clock yesterday afternoon smoke was seen issuing from the top story window of the Canadian Fairbanks Co. building on Water street and as it presented every appearance of the building being on fire and alarm was sent from Box 9. On arrival the firemen rushed to the top building and found the smoke to be from a gasoline engine that was being tested by one of the employees. The manager of the firm stated that it was a new engine that had been received and that one of the employees took a chance on testing it. Speaking of the affair last night, Commissioner McLellan stated that this firm had been warned about a week ago not to test their engines in the building, and had promised that in future the request of the commissioner will be carried out. Falling to obey the request the firm might be asked to vacate the building as such a practice is considered dangerous from a fire standpoint.

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