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Forming Great Syndicate To End Allies Money Banks and Trust Companies From Atlantic to Pacific to Unite in Arranging Loan of \$600,000,000 to \$800,000,000

New York, Sept. 20.—The largest underwriting syndicate the western world has ever known is in process of formation today to handle the proposed \$600,000,000 credit loan to Great Britain and France, which has now shrunk, it was reported, to a sum yet to be determined, between \$300,000,000 and \$800,000,000.

NOT IN FAVOR OF CONSCRIPTION

Ready, Though, To Do All Possible For Allies

DOMINION LABOR CONGRESS AWAY ON AUTO RUN TO FREDERICTON

St. John will be well represented at the gathering of Ford car owners at the Fredericton exhibition. About a dozen got away yesterday, half a dozen left early this morning and sixteen left on a procession at two o'clock this afternoon.

PRICE OF BREAD GOES DOWN IN LONDON, ONT.

London, Ont., Sept. 20.—Local bakers who have just closed deals in Winnipeg for several million bushels of this fall's wheat, announced that the price of wheat has advanced. This will apply to the export trade also between Windsor and Toronto.

EXECUTIVE REPORT

Late this afternoon there was read the annual report of the traces congress executive. This report, which told of busy year's work, also bristled with many important recommendations for the coming twelve months.

SECOND LIST UNNECESSARY

The common clerk has now almost finished the work of checking the names on the garage by-law protest and now expects to find enough names identified as qualified voters to make a supplementary list unnecessary.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stuart, director of meteorological service.

WRITES HOME FROM THE DARDANELLES

James Christie of Fredericton Sends Word From Straits

James Christie of Fredericton, who is serving on the engine-room staff of the latter part of October, the plan involving the diversion of 500,000 men from the Russian campaign, with the simultaneous securing of Bulgaria's assistance in the move to open a route from Budapest to Constantinople.

Pal's Platoon in the 85th is Idea Being Tried in Nova Scotia—Recruiting and Other Matters

I was very sorry to hear of Bob Phillips' death. The Australians and New Zealanders are not using gas bombs, but the government is issuing respirators. The Turks are as bad as the Germans and Austrians, but are cowardly and cruelly are concerned, but the boys don't show them any quarter.

ANCHOR LINE TURNS BACK TO NEW YORK

New York, Sept. 20.—The Anchor Line steamer Thetis was believed to be on her way to New York today with passengers and crew of the Greek steamer Athina, which was on fire and abandoned at sea.

THIRTEEN MILLION HAVE SEEN THE BIG FAIR

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 20.—Attendance at the Pan-American Pacific Exposition has reached the 13,000,000 mark. The average daily attendance since the opening has been 61,311.

ARCHBISHOP IRLAND MAY BE MADE CARDINAL

Rome, Sept. 20.—The Pope had intended not to hold another consistory until the war is over, but owing to vacancies in the sacred college the last consistory having been created on May 19, 1914, the idea of a consistory is again rumored in Vatican circles.

1. C. R. PICTURE

Another large painting similar to that showing a bird's-eye view of the north shore of the province, recently shown in the windows of the I. C. R. ticket office, King street. The subject is the Bras D'Or Lakes section of Cape Breton, and shows the country from the straits to the eastern end of the island. Inset are smaller views showing bathing and boating scenes, fishing for trout, tuna and swordfish, the Mulgrave car ferry, Baddeck, the home of Alexander Graham Bell and the Sydney.

Who Will Be First At Turkish Capital? Much Depends on This, Says Italian Paper in Reporting News of Movement by Enemy

Rome, Sept. 20.—Active operations are likely soon to be under way along the frontier of the Balkan States and the Tribuna declares it learns from competent sources. It says that an Austro-German movement has been planned for the latter part of October, the plan involving the diversion of 500,000 men from the Russian campaign, with the simultaneous securing of Bulgaria's assistance in the move to open a route from Budapest to Constantinople.

GERMAN SUBMARINE CREWS ARE REBELLING

Details Not Permitted But There is Evidence of Abject Nature—Faith in Only Live Branch of Kaiser's Navy Lost

London, Sept. 20.—The Daily Telegraph on Saturday said: "Of late there is apparent, in connection with submarine crews which but lately left ports in Germany, a significant change of spirit. It almost appears for the first time since the beginning of the war, that the only active section of the German navy has lost faith."

FINE WEATHER FOR FREDERICTON FAIR

Fredricton, N. B., Sept. 20.—Ideal weather prevails today for the exhibition and the throngs of visitors in the city indicate that there will be a large attendance. The work of preparing the exhibits was completed this morning and all departments are now in full swing.

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JOSEPH F. MCCARTHY DEAD

Friends who knew him in St. John will learn with regret of the death of Joseph F. McCarthy, which occurred a week ago Sunday at his home in East Boston. He was in his thirty-eighth year, and had a wide circle of acquaintances by whom he was highly regarded.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of William Howard, conducted this morning from his late home in Elm street, was attended by many friends. Many floral offerings attested to the esteem in which he was held, and to the sympathy of friends for the bereaved family.

TAKEN BY POLICE

Mrs. Belle Brame, who drank carbolic acid several days ago, and has since been under treatment in the general public hospital, was discharged from that institution this morning, and taken to central station by the police authority. She will probably be charged with attempting suicide.

May Mean One of Biggest Battles Yet on Eastern Front

London, Sept. 20.—The Russian army has been driven back to the Dnieper, and the German encircling movement is estimated at 250,000 to 300,000 men. The conditions under which the Russians are attempting to extricate themselves furnish a striking parallel to those which followed the capture of Warsaw. They may precipitate one of the greatest, if not the greatest battle fought on the eastern front.

Russians Have Hard Task to Get Safely Out of Danger Following the Loss of Vilna

London, Sept. 20.—Undiminished confidence in high military circles that the Russians will soon effect a successful retreat from Vilna is reported by the Times' Petrograd correspondent. The Germans have been making most desperate efforts to bag some of the remaining Russian armies, before the withdrawal is completed, but the heaviest transport trains and impediments are already beyond the danger zone and there is hope that the Russian forces will extricate themselves.

Realize That To Win The Allies Must Fight And Fight Hard, Says M. E. Agar

That is British sentiment after change in last few months—Conscription likely to become fact—Is Canada doing enough?

After a business visit to Great Britain, where he remained for several months, Mr. Agar returns to this country with a message of interest to all Canadians, particularly to those of New Brunswick and St. John, for he spent some time with the gallant lads in the ranks of the British Expeditionary Force.

THIS FAMILY GETS \$750 BESIDES THE SOLDIER'S KEEP

A new recruit who has a wife and four children, the eldest of the latter nine years of age, went with his wife to C. B. Allan of the Patriotic Fund today to learn how the family would fare financially. He gives his services to his country and his country gives as follows:

Table with 2 columns: Item, Amount. Includes: Private's pay, Separation allowance, Patriotic Fund, Total \$750.

The country also provides his keep, which costs \$22.50 per month. Thus, the country must expend \$102.50 per month to get this particular recruit.



Mutt and Jeff-Why Dig Any Deeper Than Necessary? Says Jeff

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Mahou in France and the hospital was a sort of French resort town on the sea coast. The hospital was arranged to accommodate from ninety to 150 patients at a time. Although we were fifty miles from the battle front, there were times when we could distinctly hear the cannonading. Our nearest point to a railway station was twenty miles away, and the patients were brought to the hospital in improvised ambulances. Most everybody that had an automobile truck donated it to the service.  
"I heard many thrilling scenes related by some of the patients and there were instances when remarkable heroism was shown. I never before realized that such fortitude could be displayed by the survivors of battles. Some of the pleadings of the sick ones to get in touch with their relatives or hear from some of their friends were pitiful. In some cases soldiers had left their homes hurriedly, with families more or less scattered before their departure, and not a word had been received of their whereabouts."  
"Most of the patients had shrapnel wounds, and these prevailed to such an extent that a good deal of surgical work was often necessary."  
"The place is full of sand dunes and down these dunes on tea trays. There was a fairly good beach and the nurses have a good time going in bathing."

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**PORT OF ST. JOHN**  
Arrived Yesterday  
Tem sch Herbert May, 818, Black, New York, coal.  
Arrived Saturday  
S S Governor Dingley, 2886, Ingalls, Boston via Maine ports, A C Currie, pass and mail.  
Sailed Saturday  
S S Calvin Austin, Mitchell, Boston.  
**CANADIAN PORTS**  
Newcastle, Sept 17—Ard, sch Ann J Trainor, Wasson, Philadelphia.  
Cld, Sept 17—Sch Geo E Dudley, Fickett, New York.  
**FOREIGN PORTS**  
Rockland, Sept 16—Ard, sch Mineola, St. John for Boston.  
New York, Sept 16—Ard, schs Sallie P. Ludlam, St. John (NB); Sunlight, New London; Lillian, Port Reading for Machias; Charles C. Lister, South Amboy for Eastport; Rebecca G. Whelan, Perth Amboy for Calais.

Perth Amboy (NJ), Sept 16—Schs Bravo, New York; A B Bartheaux, do. Sid, Sept 16—Schs Francis Goodnow, St. Stephen (NB); Susan N. Pickering, St. John (NB); A B Bartheaux, New York.  
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5 lbs. Oatmeal...25c  
5 lbs. Patna Rice...25c  
Large Can of No-Dust (Sweeping Compound)...25c  
2 cans Mayflower Milk...25c  
3 cans Beaver Milk...30c  
Canada First Evaporated Milk...70c tin  
3 large bottles Extracts...25c  
Pure Lard...13 1/2c lb by the pack  
6 cakes Gold Soap...25c  
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**OFFER \$20,000 REWARD FOR RETURN OF \$100,000 JEWELS**  
Believed the Thief Who Stole Mrs. Sherwood Aldrich's Necklace is Known.  
That the person who stole the \$100,000 necklace owned by Mrs. Sherwood Aldrich, from her home in Southampton, L. I., on the night of June 30 last, is known, is indicated in an advertisement in a New York paper, being a time limit for the return of the necklace. If not returned to its owner by October 2 at the latest the \$20,000 reward will be withdrawn and the inference is that the person who made the rich haul was sufficiently familiar with the location of the small fortune that even the marks on the porch post did not impress detectives as the work of professional porch-climbers.  
Soon after the robbery much mystery was made of the identity of the owner. It was first reported, say that no other deduction can be drawn from the advertisement. They also have scouted the theory that professional burglars had taken the pearl necklace and masquerade diamond ring, having held all along that the person who made the rich haul was sufficiently familiar with the location of the small fortune that even the marks on the porch post did not impress detectives as the work of professional porch-climbers.  
On the following morning Mrs. Aldrich awakened with a headache, and there is now a strong suspicion that she was drugged by the intruders. Search was made for the jewels, but they were gone.  
Miss Marion Hammond, formerly assistant superintendent of Knox hospital, has returned from France, where she has been engaged in Red Cross work the last three months, and is now with her mother, Mrs. John A. Hamblin, Augusta, Me.  
"It looks now as though the war would not end for some time," says Miss Hamblin. "I was unable to find any one in my travels who predicts an early closing of the war. From all reports received, Germany appears to have plenty of food and ammunition to last for quite a period, and until there is some apparent shortage, the Allies do not expect to make a great deal of headway."  
"French soldiers are very enthusiastic, however, and feel confident that the allies will eventually triumph. The slaughter in France has been great, but the soldiers keep up their courage remarkably well."  
"I was stationed at a place called Fort

**LOCAL NEWS**  
Three more arrests were made on Saturday by the police in connection with the robbery in Thomas Dear's store, and a Chinese laundry in City Row, thus making eleven lads now in custody on the charge.  
Gold chain free for a limited time with every pair of eyeglasses. Eyeglasses from \$8.00 and over. K. W. Epstein & Co., Opticians, 198 Union street, t. f.  
**HUNTING TRIP**  
Chalet opening Monday, 20th; begins, 21st, 9-21.  
Fire did considerable damage this morning to a small grocery store kept by Mrs. Linwood Young in Somerset street, and owned by E. H. Nye.  
Large lots with beach rights, close to country club, \$75 up. Easy terms. Address "Villas," care this paper, 9-21.  
"Chalet" opening Monday; dancing 8 to 12; orchestra. All former members invited. 9-21.  
"The College Girl," the play presented by Clark-Orphan Company at the Opera House tonight, was written by Justin Adams, author of "Quincy Adams Sawyer," and many other successes. There will be an entire change in the specialties between acts and an extra feature in a big musical act. Matinee tomorrow and Wednesday.  
William J. McIlwain, aged 62 years, died on Thursday at his farm in Lamp Hill, near Havelock. He leaves his widow, three sons and five daughters.

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OUR WHOLE STRENGTH.

"Nothing but the exertion of our whole strength will enable us to obtain victory."

These are the words of Mr. Lloyd George. The answer to them is big with fate for the British Empire and all the world.

What will the answer be—in Britain, in Canada, in every portion of the Empire?—What in New Brunswick? What in St. John?

"Our whole strength"—that is the phrase. Shall we, then, send a handful of recruits when we should send hundreds and thousands?

"The issue," Mr. Lloyd George goes on, referring to the question of conscription, "is the gravest any country has ever been called upon to decide."

The whole strength of the country must be exerted, and if it cannot be done without conscription—who will then protest against this last measure of self-preservation?

But there should be no need of conscription. The people grow more and more conscious of the danger, as the weeks pass and the Germans come to be more successful than the Allies in their land operations.

Today we read that another Russian city has fallen, and a Russian army is in danger of being cut off, while the German armies continue to hold their own in the west.

"I have felt driven by the jeopardy of my native land to sound a note of alarm," says Mr. Lloyd George. He speaks with knowledge and authority.

The people cannot in safety disregard the solemn warning. The duty of the hour is plain. Every portion of the Empire must rally to its defence. The call is for men and more men, and they who urge men not to go are traitors to the flag.

THE CALL OF DUTY.

The following extract from a letter by Rev. E. B. Hooper, rector of St. Paul's church, but now with the 20th Battalion in France, should appeal strongly to the young manhood of St. John:

"My wonder increases, as to how any man of military age and physical fitness can remain at home. Business, homes, ties, love—all have to be sacrificed—that the Empire may be preserved, that German militarism may be crushed, and a righteous and lasting peace restored.

For myself, old as I am, loving the happy life of homes with all my heart, devoted to my people and my parish, I would rather die in serving the Empire in its need than live on in the enjoyment of a peaceful and happy home while other men are fighting for me or serving in my place. Only those who are doing their duty at home or at the front can pray: God bless our Empire, God save the king."

At Fredericton on Saturday, Hon. J. D. Hazen made a very strong appeal for recruits, and pointed out the too obvious fact that New Brunswick had not yet done what she could. The proof is in Sussex, where out of over 1,400 men some 1,200 are from Nova Scotia.

The need of recruits grows more and more obvious, the call for them more and more insistent. The young men of New Brunswick cannot remain indifferent. They must answer the call.

THE GERMAN-AMERICANS

That the German in the United States would at once invade Canada, if the former country declared war against Germany, is the firm conviction of Mr. Storer of New York, a long interview with whom, by Mr. Michael McDevide, is published in this morning's Telegraph.

Mr. Storer tells of the millions of Germans and Austrians in the United States, of whom probably a million or more are military reservists. There are German rifle clubs all over the country, and numerous German societies of various kinds, all actuated by the German spirit and in full sympathy with Germany in this war.

Mr. Storer tells of the constant German propaganda, designed to influence public opinion in the United States; the plots to destroy munition factories, the fomenting of strikes, and other disloyal activities on the part of Germans and Austrians from their ambassadors down; and asserts that those people are fully informed as to the best routes along which to project an invasion of Canada. We quote one paragraph:

"Should Germany and the United States go to war the invasion of Canada by German and Austrian reservists by the hundreds of thousands may be considered as certain. This will bring the war closer home to you Canadians, and then you people will have a better idea of why Canadians should go to the support of England's cause by the hundreds of thousands rather than in the hundreds and thousands as has been the case for the past several months."

The Times has expressed the view that if the United States declared war against Germany the Germans and Austrians in the former country, having property there, would not risk its loss by turning traitor. Mr. Storer is of the opposite opinion. He believes nearly half of them would expose the German cause, and that they would strike their blow by an invasion of Canada. No one doubts for a moment that they have

desire to strike such a blow, or that they have some sympathizers in Canada itself. The thing for Canada to do is to fill up the ranks of her battalions for overseas service and help to hasten victory in Europe; for it is there the issue will be decided.

THE LEADERS SPEAK.

In an interview with the Winnipeg Free Press last week, in a reference to the talk of a possible election campaign, Hon. William Pugsley said:—

"The present circumstances are so grave from the standpoint of Canada, and the Empire that it would be deplorable in my opinion to have the people divided upon party questions. I think it would be a great pity to hold an election just when the energies of all the people of Canada, and especially the members of the government who are primarily charged with the duty of attending to the recruiting and equipment of the soldiers, should be devoted to this one end."

Addressing a great audience in Fredericton on Saturday evening, Hon. J. D. Hazen said:—"I ask all Canadians if it is not their duty to have one and only one great object in their minds at present. All local and domestic questions we have in Canada at present are petty compared with the great question of bringing this war to a successful close. Every effort must be put forth and every nerve strained to accomplish this end."

The spirit of these two utterances from the two men who represent St. John at Ottawa, should inspire the whole nation in this hour of supreme trial. They should inspire Sir Robert Borden to declare there will be no elections till after the war.

An unvarying and meaningless journal issued from his lips, but neither he nor any one else thought he was saying anything.

Suddenly the clang of a fire engine divided the traffic. "All about the fire! All about the fire!" he shrieked.

"About every fifth person bought a paper,"—Fack.

Little Ellen, who was looking at the baby of a friend of her mother's wished to say something very complimentary, so she asked in polite tones:

"How old is your baby?"

"Eight weeks," replied the young mother proudly.

"Is that so," responded Ellen, "she does not show her age."—Woman's Home Companion.

Hon. J. D. Hazen will address a mass meeting of men in St. Andrew's Rink this evening. He has a message every young man with red blood in his veins should hear.

No young man who is fit and free need stay at home to fight the Germans from the United States. There will be enough people left here and in the United States to attend to them. The issues of the war are to be decided in Europe, where our men who have gone are calling their comrades to follow.

The Allies want Bulgaria to declare herself. An open foe is preferable to a friend who may at a critical moment prove false. Bulgaria is inspired by purely selfish motives, and hopes to make gain out of the troubles of her neighbors. Though a small state, she forgets what happened to Belgium.

WOMAN THOUGHT POOR HAD \$15,000 IN BANK

Mrs. Mary T. Stinson's Estate Sued at Brockton—Employee Found Bankbooks, Also Gems

Brockton, Sept. 20.—When Mrs. Mary T. Stinson died suddenly at her home on North Warren avenue, on Jan. 14, it was pretty generally believed that she was a poor woman, or at any rate did not have any more to live on than she needed. She lived alone in the house much of her time. It was two days before her body was discovered.

It became known after her death that she had a small piece of property, but this was not supposed to be worth anything to speak of.

Now two suits are brought in the civil court against her estate, one by Ella F. Turbes, who entered suit for \$200, and one by Martin H. Stinson, no relation, who sued for \$300. Both claimed the money was due them for services that had been rendered by them to Mrs. Stinson, and which, it is said, never were paid for.

Mrs. Turbes, after the death of Mrs. Stinson, continued to work around the house. A few days ago, while searching around, she found several bankbooks, which showed that Mrs. Stinson had on deposit at the local banks, \$15,000.

There was also found in the house jewelry that has been valued at \$3,000. Mr. Stinson died about ten years ago, and now it develops that he left her considerable money, which she converted into mortgages that proved profitable when converted into cash.

The only known relative of Mrs. Stinson is Hooper Carver of Gardiner, Me. He was in court when the suits were brought by Mrs. Turbes and Martin H. Stinson.

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LIGHTER VEIN

"I can't find any old clothes to put on the scarecrow said Farmer Cottasett.

"You might use some of the fancy duds our boy Josh brought home," suggested his wife.

"I'm tryin' to scare the crows; I'm not tryin' to make em laugh."

Chief Justice Shea of the Marine Court of New York, occasionally availed himself of an opportunity to take down those members of the bar who were unkind of the properties. One time two gentlemen who were trying a case before His Honor gave each other the lie direct. Judge Shea after a moment's pause remarked in his quiet, bland way:

"As no one-in court appears to contradict either of the gentlemen, let the argument proceed."

Mrs. Timpkins was fond of moving. One day a friend met Timpkins walking quietly after a van load of his goods and chattels.

"Hello old chap," he hailed him, "moving again where are you off to this time?"

"I'm sure I don't know. I'm just following the furniture to find out."

Married Friend—My husband says stock speculation is dangerous if you get on the wrong side of the market.

The fiancée—But George has promised to be very careful not to get on the wrong side of the market.

The newsboy had stood on the corner holding an undiminished bundle of papers for half an hour.

An unvarying and meaningless journal issued from his lips, but neither he nor any one else thought he was saying anything.

Suddenly the clang of a fire engine divided the traffic. "All about the fire! All about the fire!" he shrieked.

"About every fifth person bought a paper,"—Fack.

Little Ellen, who was looking at the baby of a friend of her mother's wished to say something very complimentary, so she asked in polite tones:

"How old is your baby?"

"Eight weeks," replied the young mother proudly.

"Is that so," responded Ellen, "she does not show her age."—Woman's Home Companion.

Hon. J. D. Hazen will address a mass meeting of men in St. Andrew's Rink this evening. He has a message every young man with red blood in his veins should hear.

No young man who is fit and free need stay at home to fight the Germans from the United States. There will be enough people left here and in the United States to attend to them. The issues of the war are to be decided in Europe, where our men who have gone are calling their comrades to follow.

The Allies want Bulgaria to declare herself. An open foe is preferable to a friend who may at a critical moment prove false. Bulgaria is inspired by purely selfish motives, and hopes to make gain out of the troubles of her neighbors. Though a small state, she forgets what happened to Belgium.

WOMAN THOUGHT POOR HAD \$15,000 IN BANK

Mrs. Mary T. Stinson's Estate Sued at Brockton—Employee Found Bankbooks, Also Gems

Brockton, Sept. 20.—When Mrs. Mary T. Stinson died suddenly at her home on North Warren avenue, on Jan. 14, it was pretty generally believed that she was a poor woman, or at any rate did not have any more to live on than she needed. She lived alone in the house much of her time. It was two days before her body was discovered.

It became known after her death that she had a small piece of property, but this was not supposed to be worth anything to speak of.

Now two suits are brought in the civil court against her estate, one by Ella F. Turbes, who entered suit for \$200, and one by Martin H. Stinson, no relation, who sued for \$300. Both claimed the money was due them for services that had been rendered by them to Mrs. Stinson, and which, it is said, never were paid for.

Mrs. Turbes, after the death of Mrs. Stinson, continued to work around the house. A few days ago, while searching around, she found several bankbooks, which showed that Mrs. Stinson had on deposit at the local banks, \$15,000.

There was also found in the house jewelry that has been valued at \$3,000. Mr. Stinson died about ten years ago, and now it develops that he left her considerable money, which she converted into mortgages that proved profitable when converted into cash.

The only known relative of Mrs. Stinson is Hooper Carver of Gardiner, Me. He was in court when the suits were brought by Mrs. Turbes and Martin H. Stinson.

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Montreal, Sept. 20.—A London cable to the Gazette says that Major Francis L. Armstrong of Montreal, and Miss Marjorie H. Wilkes, daughter of Lieut. Col. A. J. Wilkes, of Brantford, Ont., were married in St. Margaret's church, Westminster, on Saturday.

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Steam whistles in factories, etc., started with the advent of the saw-mill, situated usually in the woods, which would be very many years ago, at the time when clocks and watches were at a premium and alarm clocks were unknown, and the whistles were used to wake all the inhabitants, as they were mostly all interested in the saw-mill; therefore, at that time it was a necessity. Today, it is absolutely unnecessary.

You would think to hear some of the whistles blowing in the morning about six o'clock, that the firemen had tied the lever of the whistle down, letting it blow a considerable length of time before untying it and letting it stop. There is also another nuisance and that is the unnecessary blowing of the steam whistles on boats. The Boston boat, for instance, gives several long whistles before leaving her dock.

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**MOTHER AND DAUGHTER ELOPE**

Philadelphia, Sept. 20.—Charlotte Bracken, fifteen years old, ran away last week to marry the son of the man with whom her mother eloped last June, according to a story told the police by Henry Bracken, father of the girl and

husband of the woman. Mrs. Bracken disappeared, said Bracken, while he was attending his father's funeral. When Bracken returned to his home on completion of his duties as sexton in a West Philadelphia church, he found his daughter missing and a note, which explained that she had gone to New York to join her mother, and that her father need not attempt to find her, as she did not intend to stay there long. While the note did not mention him by name, Bracken believes the girl went away to join a young seaman at the Brooklyn Navy Yard named Robbins. Bracken has been left alone with six other children, ranging in age from two to nineteen years.

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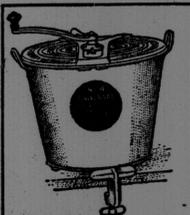
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**GERMAN ARMY HAS 50,000**

Before the War Teutons Had a Machine Gun Company Attached to Each Infantry Regiment

(New York Times.)  
According to United States army officers who have been studying the European war with an idea toward increasing the efficiency of our own army, the most deadly weapon in this war is a portable machine gun. The famous forty-two centimeter howitzer, with its ungainly body, like nothing so much as a prehistoric monster from the age of reptiles, and the lean, searching, accurate French "75" have thundered their way into the trenches and have faced them all day long, but the men in the trenches have not so much as a half so quickly as the wicked little machine gun, with its spiteful rattle and bark.

The United States Infantry Journal of Washington occupies much of its space in a recent issue concerning this same machine gun in an effort to bring before this country a glimpse of the general unpreparedness. It points out that there are now some 50,000 machine guns in the German army alone and that many in the military equipment of the Allies. A translated article in the Journal written by a foreign infantry captain gives some idea of the way in which Germany prepared herself to make good use of this comparatively new arm.

The German army had a machine gun company attached to each regiment of infantry. Thus it was assured that the gunners would be trained as a unit in the handling of their weapons, and the officers get experience in times of peace which would enable them to meet any emergency that might arise in time of war.

The machine gun company consisting of four officers and 100 men, has six guns drawn by horses with the necessary baggage and horse teams. The gun itself is a Maxim, model 1908, which has been modified and made lighter in those parts which support a diminished weight without injury to the general stability of the weapon. The driver is seated on the front part of the carriage and manages the horses with a pair of long reins.

Going into action, the gun is taken off the vehicle and carried by hand to the place desired. Other men carry the ammunition in boxes, and still others carry the water to keep the cooling apparatus in operation. The ammunition is brought up in belts, 250 rounds in each belt.

There are three methods in which the German gunner is trained to fire the machine gun. Concealed firing is the most desirable as possible and three continually at the target without variation of the aim. The second method is known as sweeping in azimuth. "Bredienfeuer." Here the gun is moved slowly from left to right as one would play a garden hose. The third way is called sweeping in direction of range. "Tiefenfeuer." The muzzle of the gun is raised and lowered while shooting.

Each captain is responsible for the efficiency of his command, and is in charge of the instruction in company. He is allowed annually 11,000 ball cartridges for work on the target and 100,000 for the blanks for practice in handling the gun. Forty thousand of the blanks were used at the annual field manoeuvres and the rest at drill.

The Germans, according to the article in the Journal, believe their machine guns capable of fighting over any ground where infantry can operate. There must always be an element of surprise in the work of the quick-firers, for the necessity of grouping the men around the gun without any shield makes it impossible to keep up the fight as soon as they attract the attention from enemy artillery or infantry at rest.

However, with a hundred of these guns rattling on the line of fire, with the reserve gunners lying in hiding, ready to take the places of those who fall, and so keep up a continuous fire, the charging column is apt to melt before it like snow, or the pursuit of retreating infantry will be held up until the pursuers take time to put the last of the machine guns out of commission.

The Journal says there are scarcely one-fifth of the number of German machine guns in this country, and the paper urges congress to take the matter up this fall, when it deals with the question of national unpreparedness.

**KING PRAISES 26TH BATTALION**

Good Words From Kitchener For Their Division—Sir John French Also Speaks in Warm Terms of Canadians

An interesting letter is published in today's Telegraph from Rev. Capt. E. B. Hooper, chaplain of the 26th Battalion, describing events just prior to their departure for France, and telling of the eagerness of the lads from New Brunswick to get into action. The regiment had won personal commendation from King George in an inspection, and Lord Kitchener had said it was one of the finest he had yet inspected. Captain Hooper then says of the 26th Battalion, who was ill with appendicitis, that he had been in the rank of the 26th Battalion, he said, had gone to the Dardanelles, where he was quite ready to serve.

Recently visiting a Canadian brigade in the field, Sir John's French complimented them upon their gallantry, saying that their record would be one of the most splendid in British history.

The last of the second Canadian division has crossed to France in safety. Lieut. W. T. McParlane, of the 26th Battalion, who was ill with appendicitis after his arrival in England has been attached to the 13th Battalion in Shorncliffe.

Forty-seven men have joined the colors in Woodstock during the last three weeks. Five enrolled for service following a meeting in Hopewell Hill, N. B. on Saturday. At Newcastle, N. B., seven recruits joined on Friday, and during the week in Kent county twenty-seven volunteers have been sent to Sussex.

Two sons of C. E. Vall, formerly of this city now of Truro, have joined the overseas forces, Harold Gordon Vall, with the 8th Heavy Battery, and his brother with a motor corps in Upper Canada.

In a sermon last night in Capleton Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. Merison said it was time that the German-Canadians still enjoying freedom in this country should denounce the Fatherland. Rev. J. McCaskill will take farewell to his people in St. Mathew's church next Sunday, preaching his farewell sermon. He expects to leave the following day for Montreal to take up his duties as chaplain with the 7th Battalion.

In Waterloo street Baptist church last night a meeting in connection with a visit to Harry Coggins and a pocket Bible to Arnold Smith was made. They are to leave tomorrow to join the 64th. In German street Baptist church, Rev. F. S. Porter denounced the German sympathizers in Canada, who asked what has England to do with us? The political blood-sucker he also condemned, who has his ill and moral vampires were the real enemies of the empire at home.

**ELEVEN RECRUITS ON SATURDAY**

Open-air Meeting Addressed by Judge McKewen, A. M. Belding and Senator Daniel—Hon. Mr. Hazen Tonight

Eleven men volunteered for service with the colors on Saturday. A recruiting meeting in King Square on Saturday evening was largely attended, and the speakers, Judge McKewen, A. M. Belding and Senator Daniel, who presided, were given an attentive hearing. Judge McKewen addressed his appeal to the manhood of young Canadians, comparing the two per cent. who had enlisted from Canada with the seven per cent. from England and saying that the sons of the dominion should not allow the difference in numerical proportion to continue as the cause is of as much importance to them as to the people of the British Isles.

Mr. Belding spoke on the theme "The boys who dare maintain them" and said it was a privilege for young men, physically fit, to answer to the call to arms. He felt that having a son in a unit overseas, if he should fall it was his right to call upon another young Canadian to take his place.

The volunteers enrolled on Saturday were: Frank Crabe, Bear River, N. S.; Frank Watson, Woodstock; Albert T. Wilson, St. John; Cecil Hall, York county; James Ardrie, New York (Canadian parentage).

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(IN COSTUME SECTION.)

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**MORNING WAR NEWS**

Lloyd George in an official letter, makes an appeal to the public to give the government a fair chance to decide the question of compulsory service. He says the government is fully alive to the necessity of deciding whether the moral obligation of every able-bodied man to take part in the war should be converted into a legal obligation.

The Allies have presented a joint note to the Bulgarian government asking that it declare itself as between them and the central powers.

The Germans have occupied Vilna and have succeeded in almost surrounding the Russian army between Vilna, Lida and Vilkas.

Australia so far has sent abroad 76 troops has 40,000 more in training and has conveyed her recruits to England with her own warships.

When little ones are peevish, give Rexall Orderlies; constipation is often the cause. Sold only by Ross Drug Co. Ltd., The Rexall Store, 10c, 25c, and 50c boxes.

A conference of Y. M. C. A. leaders among the boys was held on Saturday at Grand Bay, where they were entertained by Ray Pendleton and Frank Thorne. The winter's programme was outlined with enthusiasm.

**GENEROUS GIFTS FOR THE AUCTION**

Early Donations Sure Indication of Big Success—Canvassers Begon Today on Whirlwind Campaign of City

- Although it was not until today that the canvass of the city in the interests of the \$50,000 patriotic auction was begun, many citizens, anticipating the visit of the solicitors and realizing that they would have much territory to cover, communicated last week with the executive offices and offered liberal donations. The gifts promised extend over a wide range, and are of a substantial and practical nature. A partial list of the contributions thus far received follows:
- James Fleming, gasoline engine, \$175.
  - Stetson, Cutler & Co., shingles, \$200.
  - J. A. Filion, four, \$75.
  - National Drug Company, sundries, \$100.
  - O. H. Warwick Co., Ltd., dinner set, \$95.
  - McClary Mfg. Co., range, \$60.
  - Miss H. M. Millidge, lot of land, Cranston, \$500.
  - T. H. Estabrooks, tea, \$200.
  - R. B. Emerson, books, \$250.
  - Joseph Allison, household effects, \$5,000.
  - H. Horton & Sons, Ltd., horse goods, etc., \$18.50.
  - E. Clifton Brown, drugs, \$50.
  - F. S. Thomas, furs, \$50.
  - Mrs. W. F. Best, willow chair, \$10.
  - Gunn's Ltd., shortening, \$12.
  - L. H. Thorne, spices, \$9.60.
  - J. Glick, skirt, made up, \$12.
  - Mrs. T. N. Vincent, \$180.
  - Haley Bros. & Co., hardwood flooring, \$30.
  - H. Mont Jones, furs, \$95.
  - R. M. Burden, produce and dairy products, \$100.
  - C. F. Leonard, heater, \$14.
  - Wm. Searle, shoes, \$5.
  - Mrs. J. A. Beaver, chair, \$15.
  - C. & P. Everett, Ltd., fur muff, \$20.
  - E. G. Nelson & Co., Atlas (more to come), \$32.
  - Aspetto Mfg. Co., Aspetto Powder, \$25.
  - Baird & Peters, goods, \$219.50.
  - L. M. Jewett, sleigh, \$60.
  - Farrington Pulp & Paper Co., boards, \$200.
  - Mrs. R. C. Manning, books, \$20.
  - Provincial Chemical Fertilizer Co., fertilizer, \$30.
  - St. John Hide Co., leather, \$50.
  - Mrs. R. M. Rive, china, \$50.
  - Mrs. J. C. Smith, cakes, \$100.
  - John F. Moore, lumber, \$100.
  - F. A. Dyreman & Co., fur coat, \$125.

**A MILLION MEN TO INVADE CANADA**

Prominent American Tells of Plans of Germans and Austrians to Send Armies of Reservists Across the Border

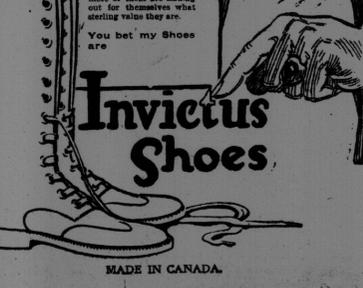
Will B. Storer of New York city, who has been visiting the province annually for the last several years, in an interview with Michael McDade of St. John, has said that Canada is in danger of an invasion from German-Americans in the United States. He thinks that an invasion of Canada is a thought uppermost in the minds of German and Austrian sympathizers in the states, regardless of whether the states go to war with Germany or not and that a million trained reservists are ready for the invasion.

A successful rally was held in the Ludlow street Baptist Sunday school yesterday, Rev. Dr. Campbell being the chief speaker.

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So you see I'm busy. I buy the best shoes made—because they must fit me like a glove—stand up under heavier work than the average man knows about, and my natural vanity tests that they're good looking, too.  
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Oblique Green Tomatoes 25c. per peck
Small White Pickling Onions 12c. lb.
Best Quality Whole Pickling Spice 25c. lb.
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RECENT DEATHS
The death of Miss Sadie Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Clark, occurred at her parents' home, Rotherly, Sunday. Deceased, who was in her 16th year, is survived by her parents and one sister. The funeral will take place Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of Captain Andrew Norwood, 76 Water street, Carleton.

The coroner's jury has found that the shooting of Donald Herrington by William Taylor, while hunting, was accidental. The Greek steamer Athina from New York has been reported on fire and abandoned at sea. The schooner Vera P. Roberts, coal laden, is ashore off Pictou Island and leaking badly after a fire which started from a gasoline explosion.

The wedding of Harry W. McCreesh of Rungorish to Edna, youngest daughter of Mrs. Roland Keith, took place at the latter's home in Harlock last Wednesday. Rev. Mr. Cochran of Moncton officiating.

Willard Sinclair, a former resident of Newcastle, was killed recently in an auto accident at Glen Blair, California. He was a son of the late Edward Sinclair and a brother of Hubert and William of the Sinclair Lumber Co.

LUMBER AT CHIPMAN BURNED
Fire on Friday destroyed the lumber out of Archie Wiley at his mill at Chipman. The loss is estimated at between \$4,000 and \$4,000 and there is little or no insurance. Some of the lumber was owned by C. G. Baird and Samuel Baird, who formerly conducted the mill. C. G. Baird said that his loss would probably reach \$4,000. The mill building, as far as known, was saved.

TO BE MARRIED
Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Roy of Campbellton, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Marie to R. J. Lavale, formerly of Moncton, but now of the I. C. R. superintendent's staff. The marriage is to take place on October 4.

"When Jones bought his new house it was with the express understanding that he should have a room all of his own - or study?"
"Yes, I know what you mean. Did he get it?"
"Yes, and his wife furnished it."

"How?"
"With a sewing machine, a cutting table, two dressers, dummies, three sewing chairs and a full-length mirror."

All together—\$50,000 in a week.

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET
Quotations furnished by private wire of J. M. Robinson & Sons, St. John, N.B. Monday, Sept. 20, 1913.

Table with columns: Name, Price, Change. Includes Republic I and S, Rock Island Old, Soo Railway, Southern Pacific, St. Paul, etc.

MASSACRE OF THE CHRISTIANS

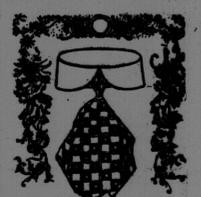
Grim Story Told by Priest in Armenia

THE TURKISH "HOLY WAR"

An Appealing Message to The Civilized World and a Shocking Revelation—Substantiated by Missionaries and Russian Consul

The account of Rev. Father Dakras, of the Catholic mission in Harova, Armenia, describing the brutal massacre of Christians by the Turks, contains an appealing message to the civilized world and a shocking revelation. It is entirely substantiated by the Presbyterian Board of Missions and the Russian consul at Urmia and was sent by the British and Foreign Press Association for publicity.

"With the withdrawal of the Russian army from the Urmia district, as from Hell's gates sallied forth the savage Moslems of Anatolia, the barbarous Kurds, hordes and semi-human Bedouin Arabs from the region of Mesopotamia. The oldest Christian race in the world is being slaughtered by these Moslem fanatics and the war of extermination is not yet over. I could not have brought myself, even by the wildest stretch of imagination to fancy that human beings would or could behave so towards their fellow men."



Your collar and your cravat are as important a part of your make up as the frame around the picture.

You'll always find the newest hats in neckwear for we have special lots sent us as fast as anything new comes out in New York.

Our collar department is loaded to the neck with the new shapes.

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"Couldn't you save money on chewing, for instance, and still give an excellent gum?"
Yes, as we could. But you should understand at the start that Sterling Gum cost out to establish a new standard in chewing gum. To produce this, the flavor must be both more delicate and more lasting. Hence: Point No. 1—Crowned with flavor.

"Well, then, is all this repeated refining really necessary?"
Of course, no chewing gum is always gritty. But we want a gum which is never gritty. You can chew Sterling Gum month in and month out without catching cold in a single stick. This simple fact is expressed in without striking gold in a single effort. Hence: Point No. 2—Velvety body—NO CRIT.

"How does Sterling Gum keep?"
We have taken great pains to produce a gum which would hold its freshness under extreme heat, cold and humidity. The result is: Point No. 3—Crumble-proof.

"At that rate you're a little on the order then of pure-food crunks?"
Yes. It is a matter of record that the highest grades of chicle, flavors and other materials come to us. We even pulverize our own sugar right in our own sunny kitchens. There is a real purity effort back of Point No. 4—Sterling purity.

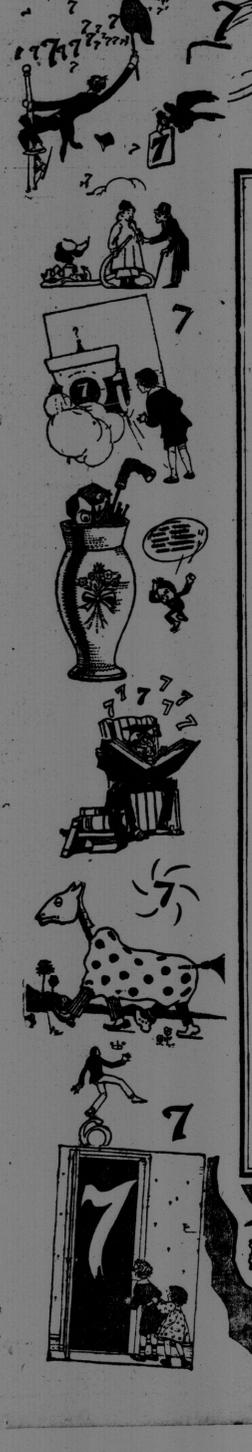
"You speak of 'sunny kitchens'. Any particular point there?"
Indeed yes! The Sterling Factory is a model gum factory. All day long the light streams through into spotless surroundings. Hence: Point No. 5—From a daylight factory.

"Do the help live up to their surroundings?"
Yes. Each employe wears a clean uniform and cap. Each morning we supply him with fr. ab-laundered, snow-white gloves. That is how we accomplish: Point No. 6—Untouched by hands.

"That IS interesting. Now, what is Point 7?"
Point 7? That is in the gum. You will find it there. Later on we will offer suitable rewards for the discovery of Point 7. But now we simply present it to you this way: ① What?

Sterling Gum The 7-point gum

PEPPERMINT AND CHERRY FLAVOURS Made in Canada THE STERLING GUM COMPANY OF CANADA, Limited.



SOUTH FOR HEALTH

Mrs. Elmer A. Young of West St. John, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mamie Young, will leave this evening on a trip to the south for her health.

They will be the guests of Mrs. Young's brother, W. E. Mullin, formerly of this city, in Louisville, Ky., and intend to remain for some months. Her friends will hope that Mrs. Young may return home greatly improved in health.

An Affrighting Orgy

"Through the last few months—horrible and indescribable mental and physical agony, my mind is so petrified with bitter sadness that I still feel dead. Although far away in the stronghold of mighty Russia's southern curia, here in Tiflis, I still have an inside fear of the beastly hordes who are ravaging my beloved pastorate beyond the snow-capped Caucasus Mountains. I still hear the shrieking voices of innocent children and the horror-stricken cries of men and women, old and young. Oh, it is like hell let loose without a minister's notice! I still see them; still hear them. It was an orgy. It was like a night mare, in which poor, weak and infirm human beings were supplanted with the demons of other regions."

"If the Christians of the western world could only recognize how thousands of times unholy is this Moslem Holy War! For the last ten years the Turks have busy themselves in religious discussion inciting the Moslem Kurds against the Christians of the Province of Anabekian and the Urmia Lake District which borders on the Russo-Turkish frontier junction.

"Some time before the outbreak of the present war the Russian troops had occupied the northern portion of the province as far as a few miles north of the city of Urmia. Since the recent Persian Constitutional revolution, Russia has kept some troops in this territory, and immediately on the outbreak of the Russo-Turkish war, the Russian troops were actually violating Persian territory. Russia was afraid of a Turkish raid through this strip, neither was that government's fear of Turkey unjustified, as the Persian government had no authority over the district.

Russians Came Down
"Early in November two Russian armies crossed this strip, one through Kotur and another through Khanour passes which are about 85 to 40 miles distant from one another and drove the Turkish troops well into their own country. Early in December the Turks returned heavily reinforced, engaged the Russians and were again defeated, retreating to wards Van. A powerful Turkish army formed further south, of Kurds and Bedouin mounted troops, was about to flank the Russian armies when suddenly the Russian troops withdrew beyond Tabriz. This was early in January and the Moslem hordes poured into the evacuated regions. From January 1 to 30 until the Russian detachment routed the Moslem fanatics at Sufyan and re-entered Tabriz, tens of thousands of Christians were butchered, and thousands of others who succeeded in escaping the Moslem sword, perished through the cold, hunger or famine.

"No sooner had the ill-fated Christians observed the retreating Russians than they became horror struck. Every Christian hastily snatched whatever he could possibly carry and started on the tracks of the retreating Muscovite troops towards the north. On Jan. 2 the sad emigration was augmented, until the ill-fated multitude covered every inch of the district of the north. Against the snow-clad Caucasus Mountains the surging, moving humanity looked like a great expanse of black water splashing against the crests of the frozen hills-tops.

Long History of Agony
"Senseless and soulless little children, lashed to the backs of their frantic mothers, whose bare feet danced over the snow-covered fields; their scanty household utensils dangling from the backs of the grown-ups, babies in pain with cold, children hungry, scared and shivering; old men and women leaning against their sticks and carrying burdens that ordinarily would have crushed the youths; young women who had purposely disfigured themselves from the fear of falling into the hands of the savage Kurds; these and many other terrible scenes rendered this plight of the Eastern Christians the most pitiful of all its long history of agony for their faith.

"By this time the savage Moslem, Kurds and Bedouins on horseback had already entered the city. They waved their crescent-shaped swords and moved down innocent men, women and even infants. They gathered around units of panic-stricken Christians, who were unarmed, and drove them into oil wells. These wells, filled with humanity, were guarded while other Moslems dashed to the already deserted houses, producing kerosene oil and poured it into the wells.

Burned Alive
"On January 4, no fewer than fourteen wells were thus filled, at landira, near the city of Urmia, and simultaneously they were set on fire—the Moslems sitting around looking on. O, God! I still hear those shrieks. The tormentors watched the work of their demon acts with serene satisfaction. This is Holy War; it still haunts me.

"At Diaz, about twenty miles south of Urmia, the Kurds buried more than 800 Christians to their claims. The British

Story of Prince of Wales

One of the many stories told about the Prince of Wales at the front is being related in London. It seems that the prince continually is imploring Sir John French to permit him to go into the first line trenches, but the wise field marshal, knowing how much depends on the preservation of the life of the heir to the throne, has refused all requests.

During the height of the fighting at Festubert the prince again pleaded with the field marshal to permit him to join the fighters and when the answer was a courteous "No, sir," the heir apparent retired with gloomy face to the society of his comrades on the staff and said, when they checked him over his failure:

"Oh, it's all right for you fellows to have your joke, but I tell you it is not fun to be a prince!"

Although the prince is not permitted to expose himself needlessly, it must not be thought that he has not been under fire. As a matter of fact, he has heard the "black Johnsons" whistling close at hand.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

ALL KIDNEY DISEASES

GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, BRUISES, DIARRHEA, etc.

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SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

NATIONAL LEAGUE, SATURDAY
At Chicago-Brooklyn 7, Chicago 1.
At Cincinnati-Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 2.
At Pittsburgh-Pittsburg 6, New York 2.

Table with columns: Philadelphia, Brooklyn, Boston, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Pittsburg, Chicago, New York. Rows: Won, Lost, P.C.

AMERICAN LEAGUE, SATURDAY
At Philadelphia-Philadelphia 7, Cleveland 5.
Second game-Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 1.
At New York-Chicago 7, New York 3.

Table with columns: Boston, Detroit, Chicago, Washington, New York, St. Louis, Cleveland, Philadelphia. Rows: Won, Lost, P.C.

FEDERAL LEAGUE, SATURDAY
At Kansas City-Kansas City 6, Newark 5.
Second game-Newark 1, Kansas City 0.

FEDERAL LEAGUE, SUNDAY
At Chicago-Chicago 3, Buffalo 1.
Second game-Chicago 3, Buffalo 0.

FEDERALS WANT IN
The president of the Federal League has issued a challenge to the National Baseball Commission asking to be allowed to participate in the world's series.

BASEBALL
National League, Saturday
At Chicago-Brooklyn 7, Chicago 1.
At Cincinnati-Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 2.

AMERICAN LEAGUE, Saturday
At Philadelphia-Philadelphia 7, Cleveland 5.
Second game-Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 1.

Patent Leather Button Boot
GENTLEMEN! We Have a Very Neat Patent Leather Button Boot
Made with a black cloth top on the "Sam Slick" last. This Boot has class.

Percy J. Steel
Better Footwear
519-521 Main Street

Diamond Sparkles
John Evers, captain of the Boston team in the National League, has been asked to become baseball coach for Yale and the faculty now has his terms under consideration.

New World's Record
Leviston, Me., Sept. 20.—Lieut. Daniel F. Christie of Dover, on Friday established what is said to be new world's record at 300 yards, rapid fire, at the National Guard state shoot on the state range at Auburn.

News of the Boxers
Jimmy Johnston, manager of Ted Lewis is holding off from signing for another bout with Jack Britton at the Atlas A. A., Boston. His first excuse was the weight question, but now it is the referee.

PARIS HAS REFORMED
Renaissance of France Seen in the Capital City; More Inspiring Than Ever.

There is something wonderful in witnessing the renaissance of a great nation, and if any nation has ever after years of frivolousness and decadence, once more found its soul it is surely the French of today.

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JIM COFFEY
Willard's Most Likely Opponent.

roll, and he realizes that should Gallant win over White his bout with Willard would not be a big money maker.

FRANCE AND HEARTS AND HOMES ARE REDEEMED
Every day brings its crop of stories of wonderful heroism and of humble heroes, dead or living.

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Ladies' Corsets

Through friends we get a chance direct from the manufacturers to purchase a lot of Corsets that they overstocked on and wanted to clear at a price.

WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF OTHER CORSETS FROM 50c. TO \$5.00

Charlotte St. Wilcox Cor. Union

WON, AND IN SO FAR AS THE CREDIT IS DUE TO ANY ONE PERSON, THAT ONE PERSON IS UNDOUBTEDLY MELBA.

THE FIFTH DAY DREW TO ITS CLOSE WITH THE 12th JURYMEN STILL UNCONVICTED.

ALL TOGETHER—\$50,000 IN A WEEK.

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HARD UPON HIM
Margaret Houghton, actress, tells of Sarah Bernhardt's last repertory engagement in America.

HOW'S TIMES?
"O, pretty tolerable," responded the old native, who was sitting on a stump.

THE PATRIOTIC FUND NEEDS HELP.
Suddenly the ticket seller poked his head out of his cage.

AMUSEMENTS
Exclusively High Quality Marks This Programme

IMPERIAL
Henry B. Walthall and Ruth Stonehouse IN 3-PART ESSAY "TEMPER"

THE WILTON SISTERS—Sweet and Winsome
A Dancing and Singing Act, Graceful and Refined

OPERA HOUSE
TONIGHT: Tuesday - Wednesday
HARRIET-URBAN Co. "THE COLLEGE GIRL"

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Third Episode of "ZUDORA"

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UNIQUE
A Startling Romance Drama "The Slave Girl"

UNIQUE
OUR WEEKLY GRAPHIC "Mishaps of Marcelline"

Don't Let Your Truss Make Operation Necessary
Operation for rupture would hardly ever be heard of if it weren't for the mischief done by elastic and spring trusses.

LYRIC "THE MAN OF THE HOUR"
SEE IT TODAY
ONE OF THE BEST OF OUR FEATURE PLAYS!

STAR
4,000 FEET OF THE MOST REMARKABLE FILM EVER TAKEN
THE WAR IN BELGIUM

GEM "A Child of Nature"
Today's feature is a masterpiece of photography, besides being a story of remarkable power with scenes intensely dramatic.

UNIQUE "The Birth of a Nation"
Be Sure to See "A CHILD OF NATURE—You'll Enjoy It."

UNIQUE "Mishaps of Marcelline"
OUR WEEKLY GRAPHIC
Watch For Thursday's Feature Bill!

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Sole Agents For  
**Symphony Lawn**  
Writing Paper and Correspondence Cards. A full assortment of various styles and color tints.  
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**Home-Made Bon-Bons**  
In Packages or Bulk—60c a Pound  
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Steel Ornaments, Bands and Flowers.**  
NEW HATS ARRIVING DAILY!  
**Marr Millinery Company, Ltd.**

**LADIES**  
Are You Thinking of Getting a Fall Coat or Suit?  
If so, you will be surprised to see our up-to-date styles and high-grade goods at exceedingly low prices.  
CALL AND EXAMINE AT  
**The American Cloak Mfg. Co.**  
32 Dock Street  
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**Children's Felt Hats**  
This week we will again offer a lot of these hats at special prices  
One lot of \$1.00 and \$1.25 Hats in Red, Brown, Fawn and Blue  
Sale Price, 50 cents  
Another lot of Misses' shapes, regular \$1.50 Hats, in different colors  
Sale Price, 50 cents

**F. S. Thomas - Main St.**

**Heavy Coatings**  
At Last Year's Prices  
This stock of cloths was bought and delivered to us several months ago and could not be duplicated at anything near these prices:  
BLANKET CLOTH (tan, grey, Scarlet), per yard ..... \$1.25  
HEAVY SERGE (bright red), per yard ..... 1.75  
NAP CLOTH (dark grey and green), per yard ..... 1.50  
HEAVY REVERSIBLE CLOTH (brown and grey), per yard ..... 2.25  
HEAVY DIAGONAL STRIPE, per yard ..... 1.95

**S. W. McMACKIN**  
335 MAIN STREET

**Preserving Peaches**  
(CANADIAN)  
Come And See Them  
All Prices  
**Gilbert's Grocery**

**MORE FINE GIFTS PROMISED TODAY FOR THE AUCTION**

**Fine Spirit Shown as Canvassers Make the First Calls—Some of the Donations**  
The canvassers in the interests of the \$60,000 Patriotic Auction who set out this morning upon their rounds of the city, soliciting donations, fought a hearty spirit of co-operation evidenced towards the movement among those upon whom they called. Only a few returns had been made at the executive offices, 181 Prince William street, up to noon, but these for the most part were encouraging. A lengthy list published elsewhere in this paper shows encouragement in the solicitors, while the following contributions a mere portion of what has been received, show that all are endeavoring to help in the realization of that \$60,000 sought for the Patriotic Fund.  
Among the gifts promised this morning were a double seated carriage valued at \$125 from Thomas Bell; a motor boat valued at \$100, from F. E. Williams; a share of the Hatheway property, valued at \$100 from F. W. Thomson; a hat rack from Mrs. J. Herbert Crockett, \$50; car George Hilyard, \$100; goods, F. W. Daniel Co., \$100; and of course there are many more, but the returns of the canvassers will not be completed for the day until late this afternoon.  
In connection with the first list published a correction should be made in a gift from Mrs. R. M. Rive instead of reading "china" it should read a clock and two vases of the Louis XV period, at \$80, a gift greatly appreciated by the solicitors.  
The canvassing will continue until all parts of the city have been visited, although because of the largeness of the districts to be covered, it will not be possible to make a personal visit from house to house. All citizens, however, seem to be entering generously into the spirit of the big endeavor, and, though not yet called upon have communicated to the executive offices their desire to contribute.

**LOCAL NEWS**

**PRESENTATION TO SOLDIER**  
Miss Olive Owens and Wilma Owens, with some other friends, called on their brother, J. Owens, who has enlisted in the 64th Battalion, at his home, 118 Somerset street, and presented to him a wrist watch and a set of pipes.

**GIVEN WRIST WATCH**  
Friends of Pte. Joshua Woods of the 64th Battalion assembled in the store of John England, 342 Haymarket Square, on Saturday evening and presented to him a military wrist watch as a token of friendship. Pte. Woods is one of the recent volunteers. He has been active with local sporting movements, being prominent in baseball circles as a member of the Herby team, the St. John's and latterly playing in the East End League. The president of this body, George Lobb, made the presentation of the watch to him.

**MRS. MARTIN PENNEY**  
The death of Mrs. Mary Ellen Penney, wife of Martin Penney, occurred yesterday at her residence, 282 Pitt street. Mrs. Penney was a daughter of the late Joseph Hickey, of Bathurst. She leaves, besides her husband, two children, Mary and Wilfred, at home; her mother, four brothers and one sister, Mr. Penney well known in the city in connection with piloting, and he has the sympathy of many friends. The funeral will be tomorrow morning with high mass of requiem in St. John the Baptist church at nine o'clock.

**BOYLE-SHIELDS**  
A wedding of interest to many friends took place on Saturday evening at eight o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Shields, when Miss Kathleen Maude Shields became the bride of Estwood C. Boyle. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. H. Nobles. After the wedding a dainty luncheon was served. Many handsome remembrances were received, including a writing desk from the staff of the McRobbie Shoe Co., Ltd., and two parlor chairs from the associates of the groom in the St. John Railway Company. Mr. and Mrs. Boyle will reside at 173 Broad street.

**DEATH OF MRS. CATHERINE KNOX**  
A telegram received by Miss McCaffrey, 88 Protection street, West St. John, brought and news, for it told of the death of her sister, Mrs. Catherine (Kate) Knox, widow of Sylvester Knox, in East Boston. There had been no intimation of illness and it is believed death came suddenly. The news came as a great shock and will be learned of with deep regret by many friends here. Mrs. Knox was a daughter of the late Captain John and Mrs. Catherine McCaffrey of Sand Point, and a member of one of the best known families in the western side of the harbor. She was a woman of gentle manner and kindly heart and numbered many warm friends both here and in the home of her adoption. She is survived by three sons and one daughter in East Boston, and a sister and brother, Miss Elizabeth McCaffrey and Thomas E. McCaffrey of West End. The funeral took place in East Boston.

**"BUD" TIPPETT HINTS AT JOURNEY HOME**  
In a card received at his home in Fairville from "Bud" Tippett he states that he has just returned after a visit to Scotland where he has seen many points of interest. Private Tippett also intimates that he expects to leave soon for home but will write further particulars. The card received today was written twelve days ago.  
George H. Tippett of Fairville and Samuel Linton of South Bay left on today's noon train for Prince Edward Island where they will take in the Charlottetown exhibition.  
Workmen at the old bridge were engaged all morning trying to get the cable which dropped into the falls Saturday afternoon. A large derrick was hauling the cable at noon but the job will likely take some time. Interested sightseers are securing bits of wire from the cable as souvenirs of the bridge.

**A. E. O'LEARY IS SEVERELY HURT**

**Chief Game and Fire Warden Has Leg Broken and Sustains Other Injuries**  
Richibucto, N. B., Sept. 20—A. E. O'Leary, chief game and fire warden, sustained serious injury on Saturday evening. He was one of an automobile party of six who left about five o'clock for Harcourt to attend a recruiting meeting at which Lieut. Harry O'Leary and Sergeant Knight were to speak. The party consisted of R. O'Leary, the game warden, Lieut. Keswick, Lieut. Brookes, Almon Johnson and the chauffeur, Ernest O'Neill. When they were on the other side of Thompson's hill, about eight miles from home, they saw two Indians driving and evidently the worse of liquor. They kept the middle of the road in order to keep from running over them the brakes were applied, but owing to the softness of the ground they would not properly work. Arthur O'Leary became excited and jumped, landing in the ditch and breaking a leg as well as sustaining other less serious injuries. The others who did not leave the car until the driver was passed were uninjured. Mr. O'Leary was brought home slowly in the car and Doctor Mahoney and Gilvan made an examination. He was taken to Moncton by train today for an x-ray examination.

**DEATH OF F. H. FOSTER**

In the death of Francis H. Foster, which occurred early yesterday morning at his home, South Side of King Square, there passed away one of St. John's best known business men, and one of the most highly esteemed. He had been in failing health for some seven months, though it was believed a short time ago that he was recovering. He was able to take an automobile outing only a week ago yesterday, but suffered a relapse

**The Late Francis H. Foster**  
About two days later. Of a pleasing personality, upright in his dealings and having the good qualities which go to make a man respected among his people, Mr. Foster was held in very high regard by all classes.  
Mr. Foster was an active factor in the business life of St. John, and he took an enthusiastic interest in public affairs. He was born in Fredericton and came to this city when a very young man. He started out in the tailoring business and became associated in partnership with William Doherty. The establishment, under the name of Doherty & Foster, Prince William street, continued for many years. About eight years ago the partnership was severed. Mr. Foster left the business and became employed as manager of E. G. Scovill & Co., Ltd., liquor merchants. In the course of a few years he, with others, purchased this business, which has been conducted ever since under the style of Foster & Co. Mr. Foster acted as manager. In addition he had interests along other lines. He was one of the proprietors of the Dufferin Hotel, and he was also secretary of the Canada Branch Co. of which he was the chief promoter.  
Besides his wife, formerly Miss Helen Morgan of this city, he is survived by a daughter, Miss Nellie Foster, and one sister, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, of West street. Mr. Foster was sixty-two years of age. He was a member of the C. M. B. A. A large circle of friends will regret his death and extend deep sympathy to those bereaved. The funeral will be held on Tuesday morning, a quarter to nine o'clock to the Cathedral for solemn high mass of requiem.

**FOR THE ORPHANS**  
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