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PROBS—MOSTLY FAIR

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BRITISH ADVANCE ALONG FRONT OF 1,200 YARDS; TURKEY LOSES ANOTHER OF HER BATTLESHIPS

BRITISH DRIVE GERMANS OUT OF TRENCHES ENEMY HAD CAPTURED AT HOOGE

Recover Lost Ground and Follow Up Success by Pushing Line Forward Along 1,200 Yards of Front.

London, Aug. 9.—Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British forces in France, reports that the lost trenches at Hooge, east of Ypres, in Belgium, have been re-taken by the British troops, and that they have advanced on a front of 1,200 yards.

The statement of Field Marshal French says: "Since my communication of August 1, the artillery of both sides has been active north and east of Ypres. In these exchanges the advantage has been with us.

"This morning, after a successful artillery bombardment, in which the French on our left co-operated effectively, we attacked the trenches at Hooge captured by the enemy on July 30. These were all re-taken, and following up this success we made further progress north and west of Hooge, extending the front of the trenches captured to 1,200 yards.

"During this fighting our artillery shelled a German train at Lange-marck (five miles northeast of Ypres), derailing and setting fire to five trucks.

"The captures reported amounted to three officers and 124 men of other ranks and two machine guns."

STORM PLAYS HAVOC WITH CROPS NEAR BROCKVILLE, ONT.

Rain, Hail and Lightning in League Against Farmers Whose Loss Will Reach Thousands of Dollars.

Brockville, Ont., Aug. 8.—A combination of rain, hail and electricity wrought destruction in Brockville and surrounding district this afternoon in one of the most severe storms of the year. The farming district for a wide area, according to reports coming in, was laid waste. Whole fields of corn and grain were cut down by the hail, driven by a terrific gale, and the volume of rain devastated what escaped the hail. It is difficult to estimate the damage, but the loss to the farmers will run into the thousands.

In Brockville the storm was in the nature of a cloudburst, rivers of water flooding the streets and thoroughfares to an extent that business was practically suspended for a couple of hours. Storm sewers were unable to carry off the flow, and the water backed up into stores and dwellings causing great damage. Lightning struck and set fire to the spire of the First Presbyterian church, besides ripping off the slate and damaging the structure generally. The rain extinguished the blaze in a few minutes. Many other places were hit, but the damage was slight.

U. S. GETTING HER SHARE

London, Aug. 10.—Attention is called by the Morning Post to the fact that the report of the board of trade for the half year ending July 30, shows that the decrease in the value of imports to Great Britain from Germany, Austria, France and Belgium is almost exactly counter-balanced by the increase in imports from the United States.

"It would appear, therefore, in spite of everything that has happened," says the Post, "that the United States is doing remarkably well as a result of this war."

The Post points out also that an improvement in ocean trade began in February, the month the German submarine blockade was initiated, and has recovered steadily ever since.

ITALY HAS 500,000 FRESH TROOPS TO SEND WHEREVER MOST NEEDED BY ALLIES

New York, Aug. 9.—Italy will send 500,000 fresh troops to either France or the Dardanelles within the next three weeks, according to Captain Victor Del Franchis of the Italian army, who arrived here today on the steamer Duce D'Aosta.

"There were 500,000 troops in Turin when I left," said Captain Del Franchis, "and 150,000 more in Taranto, the naval base. Between 150 and 200 large transports were ready to convey the troops to where they are most needed."

The captain will purchase leather goods for the Italian army, and expects to visit numerous New England factories.

CAN. PACIFIC DECLARES DIVIDENDS

Two Per Cent. on Preference for Half Year and 2 1/2 on Common Stock for Quarter Ended June 30.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 9.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company today, dividends of two per cent. on preference stock for half yearly and two and one half per cent. on common stock for the quarter ended June thirtieth last were declared.

Results for fiscal year to June thirtieth last were:

Gross earnings from railway and steamship lines, \$98,865,210.

Working expenses—Sixty-five millions, two hundred and ninety thousand, five hundred and eighty-two dollars.

Net earnings from railway and steamship lines—Thirty-three millions, five hundred and seventy-four thousand, six hundred and twenty-eight dollars.

Deduct fixed charges, ten millions, four hundred and forty-six thousand, five hundred and ten dollars.

Surplus—Twenty-three millions, one hundred and twenty-eight thousand, one hundred and eighty-eight dollars.

Deduct contributions to pension fund—One hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

Deduct net earnings of Pacific coast steamships commercial telegraph and news department transferred to special income account—One million, four hundred and ninety-four thousand, one hundred and fifty-two dollars.

Net revenue from railway earnings available for dividends—Twenty-one millions, five hundred and eight thousand, nine hundred and sixty-six dollars.

After payment all dividends declared for year the surplus from railway earnings is eighty-nine thousand, nine hundred and fifteen dollars.

Special income for the year—Ten millions, nine hundred and sixty-nine thousand, three hundred and thirty-two dollars, being two millions, three hundred and eighty-one thousand, four hundred and sixty-one dollars in excess of the previous year.

RECRUITING MEETING IN TORONTO ATTENDED BY 200,000 PERSONS

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Toronto's recruiting campaign is going on with a swing. It is estimated that fully 200,000 persons were present at the meeting held tonight in Riverdale Park under the auspices of the Toronto Recruiting League, when the massed bands of ten regiments, discoursed patriotic music. A large number of recruits were secured.

C.P.R. WILL TAKE OVER BUSINESS OF ALLEN LINE

New Company Organized in Montreal Yesterday Under Name of Canadian Pacific Steamships Ltd.

Montreal, Aug. 9.—The C. P. R. Company is taking over the Allen Line steamship business, beginning October 1, this year, a new corporation having been organized in Montreal today for this purpose under the name of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited.

Mr. G. M. Bosworth, vice-president of the C. P. R. Company, is the president of the newly formed Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited, and Mr. H. Maitland, Kersay, is to be the managing director, with his office in London, Eng. The new company is to take over all the ocean steamships now operated by the C. P. R. Company and the Allen Line, and the head office will be in Montreal.

Messrs. G. M. Bosworth, I. C. Ogden, E. W. Beatty, K. C., vice-president of the C. P. R. Company, and F. E. Meredith were the directors in attendance at the organization meeting today.

TURKISH BATTLESHIP SUNK BY SUBMARINE

The Kheyred-Din Barbarossa, Former German Warship, 9,900 Tons Displacement, Torpedoed by Allied Submarine.

Constantinople, Aug. 9.—The Turkish battleship Kheyred-Din Barbarossa, of 9,900 tons displacement, and formerly the German warship Kurfurst Friedrich Wilhelm, has been sunk by a submarine of the Entente Powers, according to an official announcement issued today by the Turkish government.

A majority of the officers and men composing the crew of the battleship was saved.

The official statement telling of the loss of the Barbarossa, which was sunk this morning, however regrettable in itself, does not affect us excessively, except that it places the strength of our ships compared to that of the enemy in the ratio of one to ten.

The Barbarossa was built at Stettin in 1881 and was purchased, together with the battleship Reis, from Germany by Turkey in 1910. Her complement consisted of about 600 officers and men.

In the Vosges there was only artillery firing. This morning an air squadron consisting of thirty-two bombing aeroplanes, conveyed by some scout speed planes, sailed forth to bombard the station and factories of Sarebrucken (northeast of Metz). The atmospheric conditions were not favorable, the valleys being concealed under fog and the sky cloudy.

"Notwithstanding the difficulties attending the proper steering of the aircraft, twenty-eight aeroplanes reached their goal and dropped 164 shells of varied calibre. The speed planes meanwhile were keeping away the German aviators who were attempting to cut off the squadron from its base.

"Many fires were observed in the territory shelled."

FRENCH AIRMEN REACH GOAL IN SPITE OF FOG

Squadron of 28 Aeroplanes Drop 164 Shells on Enemy's Positions, Although Fog Made Work Difficult.

Paris, Aug. 9.—The following official communication was issued tonight: "The day has been comparatively quiet on the whole front. In Artois, between the Somme and the Oise, and

CAPTURE OF PRAGA BRINGS FIRST PHASE OF DRIVE AT POLISH CAPITAL TO CLIMAX

CANADA HAS SENT 80,000 MEN OVERSEAS; 65,000 AT PRESENT TRAINING IN DOMINION

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Aug. 9.—Over 80,000 men have now been sent from Canada for service at the front. There have been about 13,000 casualties so that there are still 67,000 fighting men in England and France.

This makes two army divisions.

There are nearly 65,000 men in training at the present time at the various camps in Canada.

There is a proposal under consideration by the militia authorities to create four Canadian army divisions, two to be at the front and two to continue in training in England and to act as reinforcements for the two in the fighting line. The present method of sending reinforcements from Canada has been found disadvantageous, chiefly owing to the breaking up of units. It is felt more desirable to send reinforcements as complete units, and this will be easier of accomplishment when the reserve troops are in England.

CALL ON BRITISH GOV'T TO REMOVE BAN ON CATTLE

Resolution Adopted by Representatives of Meat Trade, Leather Makers and Industrial Societies at Meeting in London.

London, Aug. 9. (Gazette Cable)—An influential body of representatives of the meat trade of various municipalities, representing also leather trades and industrial societies, met today to formulate their case for the withdrawal of the embargo on the importation of Canadian cattle which they will lay before Lord Selborne, president of the Board of Agriculture and Premier Borden, in separate deputations.

A resolution was adopted calling on the government, in view of the scarcity of cattle and the high prices of meat, to withdraw the restriction, this being backed up by 85 municipalities. The arguments used were that the time was specially opportune for a change, and that Canadian cattle are immune from disease and regarded with favor here. A Jewish delegate said that the change would be favorable to the religious practices of that community. The Times' agriculture correspondent objects to the change, and attributes the agitation to shipping centres and arable districts, which hope to procure a cheaper supply of store animals to eat roots and hay.

Farming interests prefer delivery of dead meat. The last demand for a change was in 1906, when the bill was talked out, while the bill introduced the following year was shelved.

The objection to the word colonial has inspired the Overseas Club to offer prizes of \$25 for a suitable substitute, and the chairman now announces that though many suggestions have been received no award has been made. The changes have been running on Britain, Empire, Dominion in mutilated forms which offend the literary euphonistic senses.

STATION AGENT AT SHELburne MEETS STRANGE DEATH

Halifax, Aug. 9.—D. R. McLellan, station agent on the Halifax & Southwestern Railway at Shelburne, was killed today and Arthur Davis, a negro, is held in connection with his death. For some time boys having been in the habit of jumping of the train pulling out from the station. Today Davis jumped on the express from Halifax as it was leaving the station. McLellan ran out and grabbed him. Then the colored lad seized McLellan and the latter fell back, his head striking the platform and fracturing his skull. He was carried into the station and lived but a short time. He was fifty years of age and leaves a wife and five children.

London, Aug. 9.—While the Austro-German armies made fresh progress today in their campaign against the Russians the conflict on the western front took on new impetus when Sir John French, commander of the British expeditionary forces, reported a fierce artillery engagement in which British and French forces captured trenches at Hooge along a front of 1,200 yards.

The occupation of Praga, reported by Berlin brings to a dramatic climax the first phase of the drive at the Polish capital and the region of Eastern Poland of which Warsaw is the dominating centre. Praga is essentially a part of the capital with great railway stations on the roads running to Petrograd and Moscow. Few details have been received of Grand Duke Nicholas' final stand at Praga, but the indications are that the withdrawal of the Russians became imperative in order to escape from the German lines gradually drawing together in their rear.

The German lines spread along the River Narow on the north and the Vistula on the south, are contracting gradually as the armies in the north and those in the south approach each other. The strip of territory across which the Russians may withdraw to safer positions now is hardly more than thirty miles.

Fall of Novo Georgievsk imminent? Besides this developing movement immediately to the east of Warsaw, Berlin reports a steady hammering at the great Russian fortresses of Kovno and Lomza, the chief significance of which is their proximity to the lines of railway communications to Petrograd. Novo Georgievsk is the only place west of Warsaw at which a Russian garrison remains and its fall seems imminent.

The attitude of the Poles towards the new German regime is arousing deep interest as the occupation of Warsaw unites for the first time three branches of the Poles heretofore divided among Russia, Germany and Austria. Under the Russian regime Poland has been a hotbed of disorder and it remains to be seen whether control of this territory will be as difficult a problem for Germany as it has been for Russia.

The official report from Berlin characterized the operations around Hooge as "a battle," but Sir John French's later report shows them to have been another trench fight preceded by a severe artillery exchange and resulting in the re-capture by the British of nearly a mile of trenches previously taken by the Germans. This has served to divert public attention temporarily from the magnitude of the German sweep in the eastern field but operations in the west still lack general significance.

The commander of another British submarine, whose name has not yet been disclosed, was reported today to have distinguished himself by sinking the Turkish battleship Kheyred-Din Barbarossa.

Russian Report. Petrograd, Aug. 9. via London, Aug. 10.—The War Office tonight made public the following official communication: "South of Dvina, Sunday, our troops pressed the enemy in the direction of Frederikstad (southeast of Riga), and in the sector above Schoenberg (south of Frederikstad). In the district northeast of Vilkomer (northeast of Kovno) the German advance guards were dislodged, sustaining heavy losses in some of the villages.

"Sunday night the enemy renewed his attacks on the fortifications of Kovno. Our positions during the course of the day underwent an intense artillery bombardment by the enemy, and his attacks against our advanced positions were of an extremely desperate character. According to the latest reports received, the German assault against the western front of Kovno last night was everywhere repulsed, with enormous losses to them. Our artillery responds energetically to the enemy's fire.

"Near Ossowetz, and in the region of Jedwabno, there has been violent firing.

"On the left bank of the Narow Sunday there was isolated fighting, particularly in the direction of Lomza, the section north of Lomza and the Ostrow road.

"In the other regions and on the right bank of the Middle Vistula there have been no important actions.

"On the roads to Viadova, as well as on the Bug, the Ziota Lappa and Dunajec rivers the situation is unchanged."

SCENE OF RIOTING AND BLOODSHED IN HAYTI



STREET FIGHTING AND RIOTING, MANY IN SECOND STORY BALCONIES SERIOUSLY WOUNDED. Rear Admiral William B. Caperton, of the United States Navy, has determined that there must be peace in Hayti and to this end has established a military occupation in Port-au-Prince, where street fighting and rioting has terrorized the citizens. This followed the assassination of the President of the country and the subsequent attacks on foreigners.

CARZO CAMPAIGN FAVORABLE TO ITALIANS

GERMAN FLEET ATTACKS ENTRANCE TO GULF OF RIGA, BUT IS DRIVEN BACK

Petrograd, Aug. 9, via London, Aug. 10.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"A German fleet of nine battleships and twelve cruisers with a number of torpedo boat destroyers persistently attacked the entrance to the Gulf of Riga Sunday, but everywhere were repulsed.

"A cruiser and two torpedo boat destroyers were damaged."

An official explanation of the attack of the German fleet on Riga, as given out tonight follows:

"The Gulf of Riga would allow the Germans to give powerful aid to their army now occupying the western coast of the gulf. With the object of penetrating the gulf the fleet appeared Sunday off Dirben Channel, which is the only practicable way for large ships to enter.

The enemy made three attacks with the object of breaking the mine barrier protected by our fleet.

"Our seaplanes and warships co-operated to repel the enemy. The Germans did not succeed in passing our defenses. Three of his ships were damaged by mines near Dirben. None of our ships were lost."

SOLD HORSE 16 YEARS OLD AND SPRUNG IN KNEES

Witnesses Tell of Sales of Horses in King's Co., N. S.—Two Purchasing Agents Still Missing.

Kentville, N. S., Aug. 9.—At the resumption of the enquiry into prices paid for horses purchased for war purposes this morning, Mr. John Thompson, K. C., called A. Dewitt Foster, ex-M.P., Mr. Foster said he met Todd Woodworth, one of the horse buyers employed around Kentville, in the Ottawa office of Colonel W. T. Neal, remount officer, between August 15 and 20.

Mr. Thompson asked if Mr. Foster had not visited Colonel Neal with Woodworth, and witness said Woodworth was there first. He did not send him to Neal.

Mr. Foster explained that Colonel Neal afterwards called him on the telephone and asked him to go to Nova Scotia to get horses, as he had been compelled to get 800 horses quickly.

He (Mr. Foster) said as a member of parliament he did not care to do this, but wrote to him and pointed out difficulties in the way of getting heavy draft and artillery horses at \$12.

In this letter he said he did not want to handle the work himself, but gave a list of names of people who could do the inspecting of horses, subject to their satisfaction being ascertained, including Doctors Wood, Chipman, Gill, Gough and Chalmers, and Mr. Oakes in Nova Scotia. He also made it clear that he could not take remuneration for the work, and could not accept responsibility for horses bought, as he knew nothing about them.

It is important that your recollection be as definite as possible because your reputation is at stake in the matter of these purchases, said Mr. Thompson. Witness said that Colonel Neal had suggested that he (Foster) sign the cheques, which he (Foster) did as such you were the principal man asked counsel.

Witness could not say that the average price for horses was \$175 delivered at Valcartier, but he was responsible for the coming of the purchasers to Nova Scotia but not for their action while here. Mr. Thompson presented a bundle of cheques, forty-nine in number, to Mr. Foster, he then read correspondence from Col. Neal relating to the purchase of horses. Dealing with the signing of cheques witness said that when he opened the parcel of cheques from Ottawa, when he had met Mr. Oakes, the Kings County Liberal Conservative Association secretary to Digby, he found that instead of eight hundred cheques for eight hundred horses there were only two books of one hundred cheques. He gave Mr. Oakes one book and took other to Ottawa, where Col. Neal said he had no more cheque books.

Counsel then closed the preliminary examination of Mr. Foster and the main examination to be held later.

Mr. Thompson contended that there was a discrepancy between Mr. Foster's evidence today before the commission and that given by him before the Public Accounts Committee, this discrepancy being in connection with his evidence as to his meetings with Woodworth, the lost purchasing agent in the office at Ottawa of Colonel Neal of the remount commission.

It was impressed upon Mr. Foster that accuracy of memory was essential in this case. His memory failed him with some frequency at this examination. The purchasing agents G. W. Keave and Todd C. Woodworth are still absent. Telegrams again sent to their addresses in the United States requested their attendance, and a hotel proprietor replied for the other saying that he was not in his room.

Sir Charles Davidson, the commissioner said that this was not satisfac-

tory and asked that Mr. Sangster, counsel for Mr. Foster, again telegraph them telling them that their own honor was at stake and that Mr. Foster was in peril. His Lordship asked Mr. Sangster to also add that he (his Lordship) was "unable to believe that they, the agents, were unable to come.

Sixteen Years Old and Gone in the Knees.

F. P. Robbins sold a thirteen year old horse after severely examining it. F. A. Parker sold the fifteen or sixteen years old horse sprung in the knees and there were others. Some of the witnesses did not recollect signs receipts, all were said in cash.

When he had difficulty in getting up how many men did it take to get him on his feet?"

"Two men could do it."

"How many men did it take to get him on his feet the day you took him over to Kingston?"

"I don't know."

"When that horse was lying down he had great difficulty in getting up, didn't he?" asked counsel.

"Not always."

"When he had difficulty in getting up how many men did it take to get him on his feet?"

"Two men could do it."

"How many men did it take to get him on his feet the day you took him over to Kingston?"

"I don't know."

Mr. Foster said the horse was not off his feet the morning nor had he been. "How often did you have to help the horse up?"

"We did not have to help him up any oftener than he fell down," replied the witness amid laughter.

"The witness said he swore that he did not sell the horse at Berwick because he could not sell it there. Witness said he would. Was paid \$150 for his horse in cash.

Roy H. Creighton of Berwick sold one horse. Henry McKay bought the horse and received hundred dollars cash.

"What was wrong with your horse?"

She had two spavins, one on hip down one joint being knocked over than the other. Did not make her walk lame. Went with horses to Valcartier. Fed on car on the way. Nothing unusual about any of the horses raised the horse he sold. Didn't tell the veterinary about her spavins. The veterinary had asked if she was sound and witness had replied that he supposed the veterinary knew his business.

The commission adjourned until tomorrow.

MORE MACHINE GUNS.

London, Ont., Aug. 9.—The London City Hall staff, at a meeting this afternoon, decided to raise \$1,000 among themselves for the purpose of a Lewis machine gun for the Canadian troops.

Quebec, Aug. 9.—As the result of a campaign started by the Quebec Chronicle to purchase machine guns for the Second Battalion, C.E.F., of which Lieut. Col. David Watson, proprietor and managing director of the Chronicle is commanding officer, the money for thirty such guns has been raised in a few days.

BIG LEAGUE DOPE.

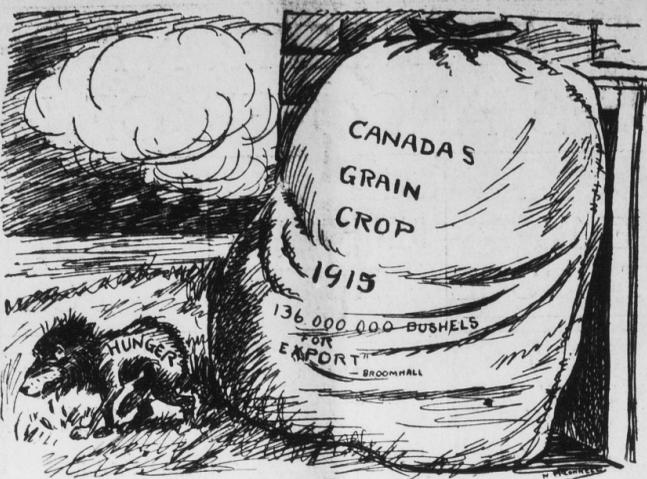
So confident are some of the fans that the Braves will repeat their 1914 achievement in winning the National League pennant that fully 250 have forwarded applications for the reservation of World's Series tickets to the Braves headquarters in the Padgett Building, Tremont St., which will be moved to Braves Field, Allston, tomorrow.

One fan out in Chicago writes to the Braves office stating that he expects to be in Boston on business the second week of October and he thinks that the Braves will whip the Cubs and the Red Sox will be victorious over the White Sox in the races for the championships.

Maurice Shannon, one of the brothers picked up by Pres. Gaffney from Seton Hall College at South Orange, N. J., has been released to the Rochester Club of the New York State League under an optional agreement.

Fletcher Lowe of Essex, who was elected captain of the Dartmouth varsity nine for last Spring, but was barred by the athletic council from playing because he played "Summer ball" as a member of the Beverly Progressives, will not go to the Troy Club of the New York State League after all. Instead he has been given permission to play with the Beverly Progressives until the Braves return from the West.

Between The Wolf And The Door



The Wolf: "Confound the Canadian Government, for that increased production."

BUMPER CROPS IN WESTERN PROVINCES IS OUTLOOK

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Aug. 9.—"The whole west rejoicing in abundance of wheat and sunshine, conditions are today every where perfectly ideal," says a report regarding the western crops from the immigration branch, Winnipeg, which

Hon. Martin Burrell, acting minister of interior, has just received.

"The temperature throughout the prairie provinces for the last six days," continues the report, "averaged 80 to 90 in the shade. No frosts reported at nights from anywhere in the west. Wheat is a most abundant crop, ripening quickly. Oats and

other later sown grains are also maturing satisfactorily.

"Harvest will be general in the west from the 20th to the 25th of this month. Great feeling of optimism and confidence in all parts of the prairie provinces, more particularly in those drought-stricken districts of last year."

OFFICIAL REPORTS THE CANADIAN CASUALTY LIST

AUSTRIA

Vienna, via London, Aug. 9.—The official statement issued today at the Austrian War Office was as follows:

"In the Russian war theatre: "The enemy who retreated from the Vistula front is being pursued. The right bank of the Vistula and the left bank of the Vepz and the right bank of the Vistula near Ivangorod having been cleared of the enemy our troops crossed the Vepz in a northeast and north-easterly direction.

"The battlefields of Lubarto and Mieschow showed traces of the enemy's hasty flight. The number of prisoners captured by the army of the Archduke Joseph Ferdinand has been increased to 8,000.

"Between the Vepz and the Bug the battle continues.

"On the Dnieper up to Uaciczko (near the Bukowina border) our troops repulsed the Russian attack, capturing 1,600 men and five machine guns.

"In the Italian war theatre: "The southern part of the Doberdo Plateau has been under heavy artillery fire which our artillery successfully answered.

"In the Plava region there has been increased artillery activity."

"A feeble attempt by hostile infantry to break through our position near Zagora failed.

"The Carinthian front small hostile detachments attacked unsuccessfully at several points. Before our positions on the Bladner-Joch (7,540 feet high), the enemy lost over 100 dead.

"In the region of the Tyrolean frontier one of our patrols on the crest of the Corno Bianco (11,265 feet high) repulsed a hostile half company, inflicting serious losses without losing a single man."

ITALY

Rome, via Paris, Aug. 9.—The following official statement was issued tonight at the headquarters of the Italian general staff:

"On the Upper Comelico our troops established themselves solidly on Cimo Udolci.

"In Carnia one of our detachments defending Gavillo Pass, between Freikofel and Val Grande attacked the Austrian trenches opposite on the morning of the 7th and drove out the occupants. At nightfall the enemy, in force, attempted to recover this position but was repulsed with heavy losses.

"On the Carzo Plateau the actions continue to develop favorably for us.

"During yesterday the enemy again began to throw bombs on the Monfalcone shipyards, causing a fresh outbreak of fire which was mastered rapidly by our vigilant troops, although they were shelled continuously by the enemy's artillery."

FARM LABOERS' EXCURSIONS TO THE WEST.

With the promise of a bumper crop in the west, the Governments of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta have called upon Eastern Canada for thirty thousand harvest help laborers to assist them in saving the harvest. The Canadian Government Railways will sell harvesters tickets to Winnipeg from all stations in the Maritime Provinces, Tuesday, August 17th, and Tuesday, August 24th, to Winnipeg, at very low rates the fare from Moncton to Winnipeg being \$12.95, and the fares from other stations will be in proportion.

The route will be via the Intercolonial to Montreal, Grand Trunk to North Bay, Temiskaming and Northern Ontario to Cochrane, thence transcontinental to Winnipeg.

Fares based on half a cent per mile may be obtained at Winnipeg to all points west in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Returning tickets will be issued to bona-fide excursionists at very low rates.

LATE SHIPPING

Liverpool, Aug. 9.—Arr'd str Philadelphia, New York.

Lisbon, Aug. 9.—Arr'd str Roma, New York.

DIED.

LUNDY—In this city on the 8th inst., George Lundy, leaving his wife, three sons and three daughters to mourn. Funeral on Tuesday morning at 8.45 from his late residence, 25 Douglas

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson

DIED.

9th inst., Edith Lilliso, widow of Dr. Joseph H. Morrison. Funeral Wednesday from her late residence, 163 Germania street. Service at two-thirty.

RING—Olga Catherine Ring died August 10th, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Ring, 137 St. James' street, West End.

TONIGHT OPERA HOUSE MATINEE TODAY

JERE McAULIFFE and HOMAN MUSICAL CO.

ALL NEW PROGRAM OF FEATURES AND MUSICAL NOVELTIES

Flower Song from Faust, in Italian JERE and Co. in the Comedy Playlet "TING-A-LING"

"OLD OAKEN BUCKET" With Special Effects

HOMAN MALE QUARTETTE

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SURELY A REMARKABLE FEATURE PLAY

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JEAN AND WILLIE HAYES THURS.—SPECIAL POLITE COMEDY GEMS THE GRAY TRIO

WE HAVE HIM TODAY! UNIQUE

CHAS. CHAPLIN

"His Busy Day"

It's a Chaplin Scream-getter of the first water

MUTUAL WEEKLY WAR NEWS

WEDNESDAY

"IN THE HEART OF THE WOODS" American Drama

Thanhouse's Appealing Drama THE 6 CENT LOAF

A Pull at the Heart-strings

A Forceful Study of Conditions of Life in the Tenement Districts

THE OXFORD FOUR HELD OVER ANOTHER WEEK

Imperial's Splendid Show!

Three-Act Edison Drama "THE TEST"

Last Picture of BECKER

N. Y. Police Officer, Electrocuted a Short While Ago.

Canoing Championships.

Famous Horse Show.

Safety-First on Shipboard.

Streets for Playgrounds.

Society Regatta.

World's Baseball Record.

MARY PICKFORD in "Such a Little Queen" ON WEDNESDAY

SOUVENIR PHOTOS THURSDAY "BLACK BOX" FINAL FRIDAY

A Contest for Boy Scouts and Girl Guides

Here is quite a new contest, and one in which I trust a great number of scouts will take part. Choose the name of any man who has become famous during the war, and make a sentence, the words of which commence with the letters in his name, in their correct order. Here is an example of what I mean: "Admiral Sturdee"—Seeing Troublesome Underwater Raiders, Drove Everyone Eastward.

I will give a valuable scouting book to the sender of what I consider the best sentence.

Send the scouts' contest coupon, correctly filled in, with your sentence, to Scout Editor, The Standard, St. John, N. B. All attempts must reach this office by August 12th, 1915.

STANDARD COMPETITION

For Boy Scouts and Girl Guides

Full Name

Address

Name of Patrol

Avenue, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass at nine. Friends of the family invited to attend.

KENNEDY—At Partridge Island, Aug. 9th, Edward J. Kennedy, aged eighty years, leaving two sons to mourn. Funeral tomorrow at three o'clock from Centenary church.

MORRISON—At Westfield, on the

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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 1915.

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

A TIME FOR THRIFT.

While it is given to a small and select proportion of the people of Canada to show their interest in the Empire by fighting for it, and by actual contending in the trenches of France or Flanders, to furnish visible and tangible proof of their willingness to make sacrifices for the cause, there is a part that can be borne by every man and woman in this broad Dominion. They can help to save Canada by the practice of legitimate thrift.

True it is that the Teutonic enemy may yet succeed in evading the guard ships of the British navy and inflict some slight damage on our coasts, yet we all hope this possibility is so slight as to scarcely merit consideration from thoughtful men. But there is a danger that Canada will be called upon to face a more pressing danger—the danger of being crushed by debt as the result of the necessary war expenditures to which this country has been committed.

The war has continued for one year, and in that time Canada has expended more than one hundred million dollars, the money having been voted by the Canadian Government and provided by loan from the British Exchequer. Money so borrowed must be repaid; in addition there must be expenditures for pensions, hospitals, and incidental expenses, which may well run to twenty millions more. Indications are that the war is not yet near its end; indeed it may very well run along for two years more, until it reaches the full limit set by Earl Kitchener. As the conflict goes on Canada's share of the burden must increase, and to the expenditures already made will be added other and heavier outlays until it may be quite within the mark to estimate that Canada will emerge from the war with an added indebtedness of \$400,000,000, or at a population of eight millions an average of fifty dollars for every man, woman and child in the Dominion. On this burden of debt the interest may well run from twelve millions to twenty millions per year, in itself a tremendous responsibility for any young nation. Canada is not yet out of the class of borrowing or debtor nations. To date she has had no time to accumulate wealth of her own, her efforts being concentrated on the development of her great natural resources, a development which, while wealth producing in time, must be largely carried on by borrowed capital. With all the demands made by the war upon the money stores of the world, it is impossible that cash for development purposes will be forthcoming as freely as of yore, and it may be necessary to pay higher prices for what money Canada can secure. The disruption caused by the conflict may also interfere with the arrangements for the repayment of old loans now due, or approaching maturity, and in consequence the re- flotation of old loans will have to be at a higher rate of interest.

This is not a new situation, but Canadians have faced it complacently up to now partly because they have not understood its magnitude, and partly because it has bulked, but small in comparison with the burdens borne by Great Britain and other European nations. They figure that if Britain can bear her mighty burden Canada can get along with much smaller obligations and still emerge from the testing comparatively well to do. The line of reasoning is not sound. Great Britain for years has been enormously wealthy—the greatest creditor nation on earth, receiving each year as interest on the investments of her people an amount in excess of Canada's total revenues. Canada, a debtor nation even in normal times is in precisely the opposite position. And even Great Britain is becoming concerned over the economic problems of the future.

from the exigencies of war. As the result of this association Canadians have formed extravagant habits, and it is time to curtail on them. By this it is not meant that Canadians should stop spending the money they have ceased to receive, that is easy and is already being done. There is no virtue in economy that is forced on one. What is needed is economy by the people who still have money to spend, but who are willing to refrain from spending it because of the thought that it may be needed later.

It is necessary that Canadians should continue to work hard, should earn all the money they can and save a goodly part of it, and the saving should be conducted along sane lines. It is most unwise to stop spending money on things that will be of benefit to one, but much of the silly and wasteful luxury should go. And we must stop the wasting of good Canadian money on get-rich-quick schemes and catch-penny devices. Canadians must cease to dream of huge profits without exertion and learn the value of small savings well invested. It is a time for plain speaking and practice of the doctrines for earning and saving if this country is to face the future with its economic position unimpaired. A thrifty, prosperous nation is nothing more than communities of thrifty prosperous individuals. The world war is entailing hardships and misery, but it is also bringing to Canadians the opportunity of their lives.

ALL THE EMPIRE SHARED.

An interesting tribute to the work accomplished in the present war by those soldiers of the Empire who represent the overseas Dominions is furnished by the London Daily Mail which says: "The valor of the Australians, who dashed unhesitatingly at the Turkish trenches, was equal to that of our heroic regulars. It is a welcome thought that all the Dominions have shared in the laurels of the battlefield. The conduct of the Canadian division at Ypres in the clouds of suffocating gas will to all time be an example to show to what heights of devotion brave men can attain. The magnificent steadfastness of the 'Princess Pat's,' of whom at the close of their agonizing trial but 150 remained about their battered bloody but still intact colors, is proof that Canada breeds true heroes. Nor have the Indian soldiers of the Emperor-King been found wanting. At Festubert they left their deep mark upon the German troops and won the admiration of their British comrades."

When in years to come the history of this titanic struggle is written in the light of calm reflection on the world racking events and without regard to the disturbing environment of blood soaked fields and devastated hamlets, when the triumph of Liberty over ignorance and aggression is set over against the terrible cost of the undertaking and a calm appraisal of gains and losses leads historians of the future to declare a balance on the credit side, some of the most striking pages in the history of that day will be devoted to a recital of the deeds of the men from the far flung ends of that Empire on which the sun never sets.

PRESS CENSORSHIP

There is press censorship and press censorship and it is to be observed that the form of press censorship employed in England and that measure of press censorship to be enforced throughout Canada are of an entirely different type from that which is known in Germany. Quite recently at least two of the more important journals in Germany have been suppressed by the government; one because it had given expression to the attitude of the Socialist party in opposition to the continuance of the war and the other as a warning to all newspapers against offering any criticism of the actions of those who are responsible for the conduct of the war. The policy of the British government in this matter is of an entirely different character and is intended solely to prevent the disclosure of information or the publication of statements in the press which might assist the enemy or interfere with the successful prosecution of the war. As an example of the almost unlimited freedom of the press in England an editorial recently appeared in The Morning Post, one of the most exclusive of London papers, in which the government was bitterly criticized for its failure to deal effectively with wealthy German aliens who are resident within the realm, and also for what the editor has regarded as its overly lenient attitude towards the German war prisoners confined in English camps. Such taunts as have been hurled at the British government by the Morning Post and other papers would not for a moment be tolerated in Germany, but then England is different, for there it is recognized that in a free democracy there has not yet been discovered anywhere a better way of conducting the affairs of state than that which includes a full and free discussion of the principles and methods of those in charge of the machinery of government. Up to the present time there has been suppressed only one newspaper for having transgressed the limits of propriety fixed by the government and that was the "Jewish Times" whose offence was that it had published the names of the streets where the Zeppelin bombs had been dropped.

In Canada fortunately we have been so unfamiliar with the dangers of war so that we still have much to learn as to those discretionary measures which are so necessary to be observed by the citizens of countries at war, and undoubtedly the publication of the new order-in-council as to press censorship in which copies have appeared in the papers will prove of educational value.

HARVEY, ALBERT CO.

Harvey, Albert Co., Aug. 9.—Miss Minnie Steeves of St. John is visiting her aunt Mrs. N. J. Smith. Mr. and Mrs. George Brewster, of Boston, are spending their vacation with friends here. Mr. N. Beverly Smith returned home from St. John with his father on Thursday. Mrs. Margaret O'Connor and Mrs. Phillip McCarron returned home on Saturday from their visit at Gasheen. The teachers of the Harvey school have been engaged for the ensuing year. Mr. G. Rider as principal and Miss B. Sinnott for the primary department. Rev. and Mrs. Harry Burns of Florence, Cape Breton, with their two boys, Robert and Donald, are visiting Mrs. Burns' mother, Mrs. W. M. Barbour. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Wilson has been brightened by the arrival of a little stranger—a boy, the parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Long. Mr. William McLean with his wife is visiting his relatives and friends here. Mr. Frederick Snell and sister Florence returned home on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur are visiting their two children who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Brewster.

WHITE'S COVE

White's Cove, Aug. 9.—Mrs. Frank Fairweather who has spent a few weeks with her father, Mr. McKinlay, returned to her home at Cumberland Bay on Saturday. H. E. White, wife and Miss Barbara who have been at the cottage for a few days returned to St. John on Thursday. Miss Lizzie Walton of the city is spending a few days with her cousin, Maud Reardon. Mr. Barnard Kelley and wife of the city are here visiting friends. Daniel McAfee, wife and daughter of North End are here visiting friends. Miss Josie Kelley of Portland, Maine, is the guest of her cousin, Kate Kelley. Extensive repairs are being made on the Catholic church here. Rev. Mr. Bishop held service at the Baptist church, Mill Cove on Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Cecil McCordie of North End, St. John, came up on the May Queen on Saturday and is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McFee. Miss Marion Gault who spent a few weeks here visiting friends, went to her home in the city on Thursday. A. R. Slipp, M. L. A. passed through this vicinity last week looking after wharves, roads, etc. The roads in this section are in great order. Rev. Mr. Parker and Rev. Mr. Rowlands are back from their vacations and both preachers filled their appointments here Sunday.

MARYSVILLE.

Marysville, Aug. 8.—Mrs. F. S. Williams, St. John, was the guest of Mrs. James S. Inch. A very great interest was taken in the field day picnic for to raise funds for to buy a machine gun. Principal H. S. and Mrs. Steeves of Shediac have been visiting this week at the Methodist parsonage, guests of Rev. T. Hicks and Mrs. Hicks. Marysville is doing its part with commendable spirit and enthusiasm towards raising money for the purchase of a machine gun. Already between seven and eight hundred dollars have been raised. A picnic day will be held on Saturday and it is more than likely that the needed thousand dollars will be secured.

Little Benny's Note Book.

By LEE PAGE
Me and pop was setting awn the front steps last nite, and a littel skiny man startid to go past, and awl of a suddin he looked at pop and stopped going past and sed, Well, Willyum Potta, as I live.
If its not old Enoch Webbir, sed pop. And him and the littel skiny man shook hands together, and pop sed, Well, well, as I herd a sum-timman remark wunts, wat a small world it is, and do you still dabblil in statistics, Enoch.
O, I shoold say so, I shoold say so, sed the man, wy, ony this atirnoon I was refreshing my memory awn sum very interesting statistics.
Thats awl rite, dont bother, sed pop. I didnt say I wuntid to heer eny statistics, I was jest curious to no if you still keep them as pots.
Have you eny ideer of the diameter of the planet asturn, sed the man.
O, has Saturn got a diameter, sed pop.
180,000,000 miles, wat do you think of that, 180,000,000 miles, sed the man.
If I had a dollir for evvry wun of those miles Ild buy a Ford, and put my feet up awn the wind shield, sed pop.
And do you no how lawng it takes Saturn to go around the sun, sed the man.
Sum littel time, I shoold think, sed pop.
29 and a haff yeers, sed the man, now wat wood you judge wood be the diffirents in size between the sun and Venus.
Let me ask you a few, sed pop, the trubblil with you statistichins is you wat do you get the asking, wun, do you no how lawng it wood take the moon to go to Jupiter, then to Mars, then to the south east cornr of the milky way, then 3 times around the north star, then to the ert and then back to war it belawngs.
No, I cant say I do, but I bet I can figure it out in less than an hour, sed the man. And he sat down awn the steps and took out a pencil and a littel note book and startid to rite numbrs, and pop sed, O hevins, dont bother to werk it out, and the man sed, Npsents, it will be a plezure. And he kep awn riteing down numbrs, and pop got up, saying, Well if you dont mind my leaving you heer, Ive got an engagement. Wich the man nevvr answered him, Jest keeping awn putting down numbrs and pop and me went for a wawk and left him thare, me saying, How lawng wood it take the moon to do awl that, pop.
Sertch me sed pop.

The Use of Soap Spoils the Hair

Soap should be used very sparingly, if at all, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.
The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulfated cocconut oil (which is pure and greaseless) and is better than soap or anything else you can use.
One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.
You can get mulfated cocconut oil at any pharmacy. It's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

SOUTHFIELD, KINGS CO.

Southfield, Kings Co., Aug. 9.—Rev. Mr. Starford preached an eloquent sermon in the Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. James Sherwood of Norton spent Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Johnston.
Mr. and Mrs. George Johnston spent Friday in Sussex.
John Hewara is cutting the hay on the Robinson farm.
NORWEGIAN STEAMER HELD UP BY BRITISH AUTHORITIES.
London, Aug. 6.—(Delayed by censor)—Announcement was made this evening that the Norwegian steamer Tallman has been taken into port.
The steamer Tallman left New York July 17, for Kirkwall, Scotland, and Gothenburg, Sweden. The delayed despatch, as given above, does not state the port into which the steamer was taken.

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CORRESPONDENTS' CORNER

GARDEN PARTY AT HOPEWELL CAPE IN AID OF PATRIOTIC FUND

Hopewell Hill, Aug. 7.—A special meeting of the County Council will be held August 25th, for the purpose of voting money for a machine gun for the Canadian soldiers.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks who have been spending the past three weeks at the Albert House, Hopewell Cape, returned to Fredericton this week. Mr. Brooks is on the staff of the Bank of B. N. A. Mrs. Zetta Hour and son Albert as chauffeur, accompanied by Miss Danfels and friend of St. John, are enjoying a vacation motoring through the county. They will remain here with friends for a week.

The Misses Nellie and Minnie Newcomb are spending a week with their aunt Mrs. Andrew Alcorn of Hebron.

Mrs. Marjorie of Dorchester, N. B., is the guest of her friend Miss Mary Russell.

Miss Evelyn Nelly of Aylesford, N. S., came on Wednesday to a couple of weeks' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Prescott. Miss Nelly is a graduate of Acadia and possesses a voice of rare beauty.

A garden party under the auspices of the Women's Institute was held on Wednesday evening on the grounds of the National Anthem was sung. Ice cream, cake and lemonade were sold on the lawn which was lighted with Japanese lanterns. Fifteen dollars was raised towards the Canadian Patriotic Fund.

BATH, N. B.

Bath, N. B., August 7.—Messrs. Hatfield & Scott will begin at once the erection of a large warehouse at the east side of C. P. Ry. on the McLaughlin land.

Rev. G. A. Gibson has his new store building well under way and will have the same ready for occupation in a short time.

John Hayes has his new mill all enclosed and will begin at once the installation of the machinery.

Wesley Shaw of Haverhill, Mass., a former resident of this place is spending a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shaw here. Mr. Shaw has made well in the city of his adoption and is the manager of a large shoe factory in Haverhill.

Mr. Fred Alward of Havelock, Kings County, N. B., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Stanley Barker in this place.

Mrs. Mallory, wife of Rev. Murphy Mallory of Middle Simons is also visiting her mother and relatives at the home of her brother, Mr. Stanley Barker.

Miss Ada Gibson who has been in the Canadian West at Cranbrook engaged at school teaching is spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gibson.

Matthew Bohan and some friends motored to Woodstock and return here yesterday.

The Bath ladies of the Red Cross met at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Amos on Thursday.

Fred C. Squires, principal of the Woodstock Grammar School returned here this week to spend the remainder of the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Squires.

Mr. C. P. Furlong, the general manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia here, returned from his holiday trip to Toronto last week.

The new Roman Catholic church here is now about completed and mass is conducted in same by Rev. Father Coughlin of Johnville, the parish having not yet been divided.

Miss Lynch of Fredericton is spending a few weeks at the home of the Misses Bohans here.

COLLINA, KING'S CO.

Collina, N. B., Aug. 9.—Miss Lizzie Goucher of Rothesay is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert W. Goucher.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Chamberlain attended the funeral of Mrs. Chamberlain's sister, Mrs. Sarah Small, at Highfield on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McParlane and family of St. John are visiting friends in this vicinity.

Miss Annie Sharp was the guest of Miss Agnes Holmes on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Cannon spent Sunday with Mrs. Cannon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Sharp.

Mr. Corey Keirstead of Hartford Conn., is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James G. Keirstead.

Mrs. Geo. Stiles visited Mrs. M. B. Pearson last week.

Mrs. M. A. Campbell is spending some time with Mrs. E. Kelly.

D. H. Rees intends moving here in the near future.

Miss Mahee visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mahee, on Sunday.

Miss Mabel Keirstead of St. John is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Keirstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McParlane and Miss McParlane of St. John called on friends here on Saturday.

Miss Mary Young of Lower Millstream is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Newton Sharp.

Mrs. Charles Stewart and children of Lower Millstream are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gordon.

Herbert Muir visited Mr. W. H. Keirstead on Sunday.

Mrs. Alonzo Baxter has returned home after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Long.

CAMPBELLO

Campbello, Aug. 8.—The recent packing of the Red Cross Society show the following articles to have been shipped, namely:—27 cotton nightgowns, 14 flannel nightgowns, 23 pairs of socks, 15 pairs of mittens, 11 pairs of dress socks, 1,150 mouth wipes, 200 dressings, 14 rolls of bandages. The society ladies are being kindly assisted in their labors by the generous assistance of the ladies of the summer homes here and an abundance of material for use is the result.

On Wednesday a good number of converts attended the confirmation held in St. Timothy's church, St. Andrews, and received the rites of the church. Those from here to attend were as follows: Messrs. Robert Calder, Silas DeShon, Angus Newman, Godfrey Parker, Bertman Parker, Barney Gallagher, John McGuire, James McGuire, Horace Gallagher, Mrs. James McGuire, Mrs. Gallagher, Miss Mary Townsend and Miss Hilda Calder. They were accompanied by Mr. Wellington Parker, Mr. Howard Townsend and Mrs. Godfrey Calder. The day being fine a very pleasant trip up river and back was the result. Mr. Afton Baisan spent Sunday here returning on Monday to his regiment.

Mr. Archie Allingham is spending his vacation with his parents here.

Mrs. Flockton and daughter, Mrs. Carson, returned home on Monday after an extended visit to Boston, Mass.

The many friends of Fred McDonald were deeply grieved to learn of his early death by lightning in England, as Mr. McDonald taught school here for a short time, resigning his preference being for his country.

PRO-GERMAN TRAMP IN ALBERT CO. JAIL MAY FACE SERIOUS CHARGE

Albert, Aug. 8.—Mrs. Charles Paul (nee Edith Stiles) of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bugless, and friends here.

Rev. Herbert DeWolf has returned from his vacation, and officiated at the services in the Baptist churches here Sunday.

The conduct of the prisoner Michael Cogswell, who was committed to jail with hard labor for six months, for being a dangerous vagrant, by Police Magistrate last week, has been such since his incarceration as may lead to his being charged with a more serious offence which may lead him behind the bars of the penitentiary.

The jailor has reported criminal threats and acts to the Magistrate, which will be referred to the authorities.

Although the sentence requires the prisoner to be kept at hard labor there are no facilities connected with the jail of Albert county which would safely allow of this part of the sentence being carried out.

A special session of the Albert County Council is being called to make the necessary appropriation for the purchase and forwarding of one or more machine guns for the use of our boys at the front.

RAISE GOOD AMOUNTS FOR THE FUNDS AT JERUSALEM, QUEENS CO

Jerusalem, Aug. 6.—A very successful and interesting Blind Auction was held on Wednesday evening the 4th inst., in the Temperance Hall, at Jerusalem for patriotic purposes. The entertainment opened at 8.30 with literary and musical selections, after which the parcels, one hundred and fifteen in number, were sold by Messrs S. T. Vallis and Edwin Inch, realizing the handsome sum of \$4250. The gathering was large, quite filling the hall, and as this form of entertainment was new in this part of the country it created a good deal of interest.

The following amounts have been raised in this neighborhood for benevolent purposes since the war began: Belgian Fund: six cases of clothing and cash \$31.00; proceeds of concert for Patriotic Fund, \$62.00; proceeds of concert for Red Cross Fund, \$12. The sum of \$39 was collected in four school districts and was divided among Patriotic, Red Cross and Belgian funds. It may also be noted that sixty-five pairs of socks for the soldiers have been knitted since last fall and the work is still going on.

Last January a chartered company was formed to build and operate a telephone line from Hampstead to Adamson's Mill, a distance of eleven miles, with short side lines, and last week the system with twenty-four phones was put into operation, very much to the satisfaction of the patrons.

About four weeks ago also a line to Olivine, part of the Weisford and Hampstead system was opened, and gives the people of that place an excellent service.

Messrs. Bartram and Clive Smith of Taunton, Mass., are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harrison. The former is principal of a High school in Porto Rico.

Mrs. Havelock Sanson, of Campbellton, with five children is paying an extended visit to her father, Mr. Mark Short.

Mrs. Ellsworth Scott and little daughter, and Miss Edna Fulton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Judson Fulton.

Chas. Moore fell from a ladder on Wednesday badly spraining his ankle. Miss Margaret Wallace is home from Boston, after an absence of two years.

Miss Edith Machum has been engaged as teacher for the Jerusalem school. Miss Myrtle Magee for Inchby, and Miss Maude Gies for Polihurast.

Miss Mary Pender takes the school at Nasonworth, York county.

MIDDLE SACKVILLE

Middle Sackville, Aug. 7.—Mr. J. A. Gaudet who has been visiting friends on P. E. Island returned on Tuesday.

Miss Alida Estabrooks of Ottawa is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Estabrooks, in this place.

Miss Mabel O'Neill is visiting friends in Moncton.

Miss Laura Siliker who has been spending some weeks with friends at Bale Verte, Tidnish and Port Elgin returned home on Monday.

Little Miss Helen Roach of Amherst is the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Estabrooks.

Mrs. M. J. Casey and children of Somerville, Mass., are spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Read McVie.

Mrs. and Mrs. Blair Lowerison and family of Colbrook are guests of Mrs. Lawson's mother, Mrs. G. A. Read.

Miss Jeanette Murray and little niece of Boston, Mass., are guests of Mrs. Edward Read.

Miss Vera Baker of Charlottetown was the guest of Mrs. Fred Ayer for three weeks left on Monday to visit friends in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Moore are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl on Wednesday.

Mr. George Grant has returned much improved in health from Shemogue where he visited friends for some time.

The members of the I. O. O. G. and Rebecca held their annual picnic at Patton's Point on Thursday. The day was perfect and a pleasant time enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Herb White and children of Somerville, Mass., are spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen De Varrenne.

Mrs. Chancy Sears who has been in the employ of Mr. Burnham Robinson for some years has moved his family to Centreville.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Morton and the Misses Morton came home from Penobscot on Friday.

Rev. Macdon and Mrs. McLean of Toronto arrived here on Tuesday from P. E. Island where they have been visiting. Mrs. McLean was formerly Miss Alice Anderson, daughter of J. J. Anderson of this place.

Mr. McLean left on Thursday for Toronto. Mrs. McLean who has been in poor health for some time will spend the remainder of the summer at her old home here.

passed the Normal entrance for first class, making an excellent average.

Dr. and Mrs. Snow of Sackville were guests of Mrs. Whelena Cottage for a few days last week.

Miss Jean Wathen left for Millerton on Monday where she will be a guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Thurber.

The Misses Ward very pleasantly entertained a few friends on Thursday evening.

HARCOURT

Harcourt, Aug. 9.—Master Lorne and Carmen McLeod left for different points of Prince Edward Island on Tuesday where they will visit friends for two weeks.

Mrs. Miller of Campbellton returned home on Thursday, having been the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. Macintosh, for some time.

Mr. Edward McAnn, who has been for some weeks a patient in the Moncton hospital, returned home last week. His friends are glad to know he is slowly recovering.

Miss Bertha Baxter is spending her vacation with friends in Millerton.

Edward Campbell of Portland, Me., arrived in town on Friday and will spend some time with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Cumming of the "Eureka," visited Moncton on Monday.

Mrs. Hedley Atkinson of Douglas-town is visiting her mother, Mrs. James Livingston.

Red Cross work is progressing very favorably. The ladies are enthusiastic to supply necessary comforts for our brave boys at the front. The store formally occupied by Miss Dunn has been procured for work rooms and on Thursday afternoons a busy scene may be witnessed. All women and girls of the village are gladly welcomed and work can be supplied to all. On Tuesday, the 10th, afternoon and evening, in these rooms, the ladies will serve ice cream and cake, proceeds are to go towards the ambulance fund.

Master Andrew Taylor is visiting friends in Bathurst.

Rev. T. Montgomery returned to Millerton on Monday.

Miss Louise Cumming is spending her vacation in Northumberland county.

Gerardine and Fred Buckley are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Buckley.

Miss Nellie MacLeod's many friends are glad to hear she has successfully

COGNAC

Cognac, Aug. 7.—Mrs. W. A. Lynch and Miss Mary Hamman of Moncton are the guests of their sister, Mrs. A. J. Dysart.

Miss Clair Mackenzie and Miss Jean Robertson of Moncton spent a week at Dysart's, Hotel.

Mr. Joe LeBlanc of Memramook was in town last week.

Mrs. Charles Hebert who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Legere, returned to her home in Cape Bald.

Mr. Robert Gagnon of Moncton spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart of Notre Dame spent Sunday the guest of her sisters, the Misses Dysart.

Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Danette of Shediac are spending a few days in town.

Mrs. Donat Despres of Portland is visiting her parents.

Mr. Leigh Sheridan of Winnipeg accompanied by his mother and sister, Miss A. Brown, who has been a guest at the persons of her mother and Miss Hignam of Boston motored to town on Sunday.

The Misses Kathleen and Miriam Allison are spending the summer with their aunts, the Misses Dysart.

BELLEISLE STATION

Belleisle Station, Aug. 7.—Mrs. Lauder is entertaining friends from St. John.

Rev. Mr. Ramsay's son has arrived home from the West.

Fred Stevens, St. John, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. E. Northrup.

Miss A. Brown, who has been a guest at the persons of her mother and Miss Hignam of Boston returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Branscombe spent the week-end at Cumberland Bay.

Miss Henderson, St. John, is a guest of the Misses Sarah and Janie Henderson.

Mr. Morrell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Northrup.

Hazel Hughes, St. John, is spending a few weeks in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks are entertaining friends from the west.

S. Brown and A. Michelson are shipping large quantities of blueberries.

Mrs. Joseph Vall and daughter Margaret, leave for St. John this week.

Rev. Mr. Fenwick, the new pastor for St. Jude's church, arrived on Saturday.

G. G. Scovill and wife, Hampton, spent the week-end in this place.

Mr. Cruthers, Millstream, has charge of the school at the Station for the coming term; Miss Hayes of the school at the Brook, and Miss Folkins of the school at Imiah.

SHERIFF SALE

I will sell at Public Auction in front of the Court House at Richibucto in the County of Kent, Province of New Brunswick, on Friday, the twelfth day of August next, at the hour of eleven of the clock in the forenoon, the following goods:—

About 425,000 superficial feet of sawn lumber, 285,000 cut laths, a quantity of slab, edging and dead ends for fire wood, about 60,000 superficial feet of round lumber, one grey horse, one dump cart and harnesses, all being at the Richibucto saw mill of the Canadian Swedish Lumber Company.

Also about 140,000 superficial feet of round lumber in and on the St. Louis or Kouchibouguis River in the County of Kent. Also one portable mill and accessories and about 35,000 superficial feet of round lumber now at Portage River in the County of Kent. Also one portable lath mill and accessories now at Kent Junction in the County of Kent. Also one reamer, one light driving wagon and harnesses, one typewriter and office furniture now at Rexton in the said County of Kent; all being the property of the Canadian Swedish Lumber Company. The same having been seized by me under and by virtue of one execution issued out of the Supreme Court, King's Bench Division and several executions issued out of the County Court against the Canadian Swedish Lumber Company. Terms of sale cash.

Dated at Richibucto in the County of Kent and Province of New Brunswick this 19th day of July A. D. 1915.

BASILE J. JOHNSON,
High Sheriff of Kent Co., N. B.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given, that the parcel of Real Estate hereinafter mentioned, and more particularly described in a schedule filed in my Office, on the first day of August, 1915, will be sold by me at City Hall in the City of Saint John, on Wednesday, the first day of September, 1915, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, upon a claim by the City of Saint John for water rates due, as detailed in such schedule.

Schedule No. 1
Ward 2000
Street and Number:

Part of lot No. 434, 20x100 feet, St. John Street.

Assessed or Taxed Person: Estate of Ellen Sinnott.

Amount of Claim \$5.10
Nature of Claim:

Water Rates, years 1903, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

Terms of Sale:—The purchaser shall be required to deposit with the Receiver of Taxes, at the time of sale, a sum of money equal to the amount of the Water Rates for which the said Estate is advertised to be sold, together with the cost and expense of said sale and conveying of the Real Estate so sold to the purchaser.

But in case the amount of such bid is insufficient to cover the amount, the amount to be deposited shall only be the amount of the bid.

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In the Amusement Houses

IMPERIAL OPENS ITS WEEK OF FEATURES

Unusually good programme both musical and pictorial—Mary Pickford tomorrow.

Imperial Theatre opened another week to good business with a splendid bill. The Oxford Four have been retained for one more week and their programme yesterday was just as well received as their initial numbers a week ago. Joe Kiloone sang a splendid soldier song. Mr. Creedon was heard in a sweet lyric number and among the concerted selections was a ballad entitled "When the Lusitania Went Down," a typical number in the nature of a rebuke upon the Germans for their submarine warfare method. Needless to state this number was particularly well received.

The film features in the present programme includes a three-part brass drama entitled "The Test" written by Lee Arthur, one of America's leading playwrights of the day. The Bessano Co. presented Gilbert M. Anderson in a Northwest Mounted Police story entitled "Andy of the Royal Mounted" and the Animated Weekly among other newsy items contained some splendid pictures of the late Police Officer Beckler who was also trotted a few days ago. There were Lubin comedies as well.

Tomorrow and Thursday Mary Pickford will be seen in a quaint little mid-European comedy romance, "Such a Little Queen" and will be supported by Carlyle Hoopland, Russell Bassett, Arthur Hoops, Harold Lockwood and others. This little story, which brings kings and queens to the level of the common people, is one of the most unique and charming stories yet filmed by the Famous Players Co. and has enjoyed eminent success wherever shown.

Souvenir photos on Thursday.

THE OPERA HOUSE HAS A REAL PERKY SHOW

Jere McAuliffe was the headliner, but he had great support—Good singing and dancing.

Like old wine which improves with age, the Homan Musical Company at the Opera House seems to get better and better with every change of show. The lady who goes to the theatre with the writer said the show presented last night by this company was by far the best she had seen in the Opera House this season. There was just a little bit of everything in the programme starting with a well-played comedy sketch, "Dodging the Sheriff," in which Jere McAuliffe had the leading part. The sketch was full of laughs and brisk action and gave some of the other members of the company an opportunity to show that they can act as well as sing.

In the musical programme which followed, Walter Bergeron sang "Three Things I Love," supported by the chorus, then came a delightful number, an old favorite, "Just a Song at Twilight," with Miss Shannon as the soloist, assisted by that excellent male quartette with the company. It brought back memories of the old fireplace at home and the boys and girls sitting around singing a few of the old songs and no doubt there were many in the audience to whom it was reminiscent.

"Chicken Dinner," a lively characteristic song by Cecil Mason received a deserved encore. Cecil is a little girl and has the snap and zinger that theatre-goers like. A selection from "Faust," sung in the original Italian, by Nance Shannon, was exceptionally well sung, with feeling and the proper phrasing. The audience showed their appreciation of both the selection and the singer. "The Old Oaken Bucket," staged with some special scenic settings, with the girls and the male quartette assisting the singer, Mr. Bergeron, was a most effective number but was slightly spoiled through the stage being a little too dark. "Stop Making Them So Beautiful," a comedy number, sung by Fred Martell, with the good bass voice, introduced a good collection of "Lisle thread savings banks" behind a curtain. There were fat ones, thin ones, well shaped ones and all kinds. Some cleverly thought this effect out; it was good for several cores and a distinct hit. Lillie Leslie charmed as usual with a good bright song, with a little touch of rag in it and put over as only this clever little comedienne knows how. Clara Elliott proved her versatility as a dancer by doing a hard show dance in long dress.

Jere McAuliffe, in a lot of parodies on popular songs, was the big hit of the evening. He sang and sang, came back, bowed, and even then the audience was not satisfied. They wanted more and were bound to have it. The next number of the program went on but still the audience wanted Jere, so the show had to stop while Jere came back, made a little speech of thanks and promised more another time. It must have been very gratifying to this popular actor to receive such marked appreciation of his endeavours to please. Well, Jere deserves it all.

The closing number of the program, "Old Spain," with its quaint Spanish setting and the beautiful costumes of the company, looked like a bit of "Car-men" transplanted on to the Opera House stage. It made a fitting finale to a good, well assorted program, and received a hearty round of applause. It is rather unusual to have the finale of a show scored so fit to be repeated, but this happened last night. The show is worthy of big houses this week. Go and see it—you will enjoy every minute of it. Matinees are announced for every day this week. There will be an entire change of program on Thursday.

CUP OF LIFE SCORES AT LYRIC THEATRE

Excellent Picture and Vaudeville make up an unusually strong programme.

To the New York Motion Picture Co. must indeed go the honor of offering one of the most intense and true stories of human nature that has been offered in film for a very long time. This may seem a broad and rather dangerous statement to make but after one has the pleasure of seeing "The Cup of Life" as shown at the Lyric Theatre yesterday the above opinion is voiced without much hesitation. To the author of the story itself, and to the famous director, Thos. H. Inch, who supervised its production, a great amount of credit should go for the stable continuity of theme, the well laid settings and the effective sequence of scenes, but in its finished state the cast will justly receive the greater part of attention.

Two sisters demand the main interest throughout the story. They live in a dirty and squalid part of the city. One is content with her life and her husband and her own class. Her husband becomes prosperous and she lives in peace and happiness with her family. The other, becoming disgusted with her surroundings takes the easy path.

Miss Bessie Berriscale, who appears in this part, invests the role with great feeling. Pretty and fresh at first, she slowly changes to merely a "poisoned thing" and the transformation is so complete that it is almost impossible to believe that the same person is playing the one woman. The part of the other sister is well taken care of by Miss Edith Markey while Chas. Ray is seen as her husband. Arthur Maude who has been seen in St. John supporting Miss Constance Crawley, is one of the principles in the cast.

Too much cannot be said in praise of the way the contrast of the lives of the two girls is shown and the fact that in the five acts of the production there is not a moment that one is not interested, speaks in glowing terms for the play which to be fully appreciated must be seen. It is a remarkably good picture.

The vaudeville portion of the programme is very ably looked after by Jean and Willy Hayes who present some of the more up to date vaudeville ideas in fun and dance for which they were repaid by merited praise from the audiences.

The same bill will be shown until Thursday when the change of programme will be featured by the Gray Trio, who are being especially imported by the Lyric management.

GREAT ACTRESS MAY NEVER PLAY AGAIN



When Miss Julia Marlowe went to Litchfield, Conn., to spend the summer in an effort to regain her health she was determined to return once more to the stage after a year's absence. But, though she has struggled bravely against giving up, her condition is such today that her husband, Mr. E. H. Southern, announces his wife will never be able to appear upon the stage again. To do so, he declares, would endanger her life.

IN THE POLICE COURT.

In the police court yesterday morning Joseph Murphy and Thomas Howes were remanded on a charge of drunkenness and fighting together on Metcalf street.

Joseph King was remanded on a charge of drunkenness and using profane language in Main street.

Daniel Collins, who was arrested on Long Wharf on Saturday night on a charge of drunkenness and fighting, was allowed to go with a warning and a fine of \$20 or two months in jail standing against him. He was told that his name would be placed on the interdiction list and that anyone who in future gave him any liquor would be liable.

Nelson Nicholas, who was arrested for fighting with Collins, was remanded.

Freshening Up Rugs

If you have any delicately colored rugs that have become creased and shabby looking, this is the treatment for them: Turn the rugs upside down and wet the backs with a broom dipped and shaken out in cold water, then stretch the rugs out firmly on the floor and secure the four corners with rustless tacks. It may be necessary to use a few more if the mats are inclined to shrink up. Warm water, to which a little vinegar has been added, will freshen up the colors in almost any kind of carpet, and can be used without harm.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Competitions For Boys and Girls

This week I am not letting you have a picture of Jumbo, to paint, as I want you to try and draw him yourselves. Just get your pen and ink, and a piece of paper, about 10 inches square, and draw a picture of Jumbo dressed as a scout, doing some good turn. If you wish you may then color the sketch, with either water colors or chalks.

To the young artist who does the best drawing I will award a valuable story book as a prize, and to the sender of the next best, another story book. You must not be more than fifteen years of age.

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SPECIAL SEWING CONTEST

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This week I am letting you have a special sewing contest, and I want you all to enter for the prize, as the work you send in will be given to the above society, and the poor wounded soldiers will be greatly comforted by your efforts. Here are the particulars: Make a cup cover measuring 7 inches square, using two thicknesses of ordinary cheese cloth, hand stitched across the center and around the edges in the same way as you made the face cloths, then sew little beads or shot on to the corners to make the cover hang over the edge of the cup or glass.

The cup covers are to be used to keep the flies and dust out of the cups and glasses of milk, etc., in the hospitals of France and Flanders and are greatly needed, pin the above coupon to the cup covers when finished and forward not later than Thursday, August 19th, 1915, to

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CHAS. CHAPLIN MAKES MERRY AT THE UNIQUE

Brilliant Farce Comedy with Charlie as Head Liner Creates Another Uproar.

Although the rain fell in torrents yesterday the Unique Theatre presented an excellent array of film features to well filled houses, the weather conditions evidently causing the regular visitors little or no concern as the hearty laughter heard indicated an "I should worry" attitude and the reason may be safely attributed to the antics of Chas. Chaplin who appeared in all his glory as the flirtatious young man in the farce comedy, "His Busy Day." His efforts in this as in most subjects that he appears in were instrumental in creating genuine laughter and in every scene he presented some original comedy feature and kept things on the go from the beginning to the end of the screaming subject.

Of special interest on the same programme is the Thanhouser drama, "The Six Cent Loaf" with Florence La Badie, The Kidlet and other prominent players in an intense story of the tenement districts, the theme of which is based on the present high cost of living and how it affects the working class.

Plenty of variety is contained in the Weekly which covers a range of subjects that are particularly interesting. A number of war notes are presented and the entire bill can be safely recommended.

For Wednesday next the Unique will offer the American nature story "In the Heart of the Woods" and for next Friday a special feature has been secured, called "The Two Sentences."

RURAL SCIENCE SCHOOL AT WOODSTOCK CLOSED TERM LAST EVENING

Woodstock, Aug. 9.—The rural science school closed this evening after a very successful four weeks' course. The closing exercises were held in the vocational school building. Besides interesting papers by the student teachers, addresses were made by J. B. Daggett, secretary of agriculture, Director Steeves Biglow who was in charge of one of the classes. Many citizens were present at the closing exercises.

The musical and literary exercises consisted of a solo by Miss Deming, a double quartette, a reading each by Miss Belsey and Miss Tilley, and a piano solo by Miss Howard. F. A. Hourihan, principal of the Bathurst school, was valedictorian. On the subject "School Gardening as a Laboratory in the Public School," Mr. Rideout, of Peel, read a paper on "Soil." Miss Lynch, of Chatham, a paper on "Plants," and Miss Ray, of Richmond, a paper on "Animals." Mr. Bonnell of St. Stephen read a paper on "Farm Mechanics in the Rural Schools" and Miss McDonald of Douglastown read a paper on "Domestic Science in relation to the Rural School."

A tremendous welcome awaits the arrival in Winnipeg of the Farm Laborers from the Maritime Provinces. Today, throughout Canada, the voice of the Western farmer resounds in its call for assistance, and the excursion trains leaving St. John on Aug. 17th and 24th will carry crowds of helpers, eager and willing to assist in the great work at hand.

The eyes of the world are fixed on Canada, and her great food producing opportunities. The demands on Canadian enterprise are greater than ever—these demands must be met, and the farmer is necessarily the man of the hour in this respect.

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All the Latest News and Comment from the World of Finance

BUMPER WHEAT CROP IN U. S.

Dept. of Agriculture Experts at Washington Estimate This Year's Crop at Nearly Billion Bushels

Washington, Aug. 9.—American farmers are harvesting the greatest wheat crop ever grown in any one country. It may reach a billion bushels.

MON REAL TRANSACTIONS

Table of Montreal real estate transactions including property names, prices, and agents.

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Table of produce prices for various commodities like wheat, flour, and oil.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

Table of cotton market sales with columns for date, price, and quantity.

WINNIPEG WHEAT CLOSE

Table showing the closing prices for Winnipeg wheat.

PROBATE COURT

Probate of the will of Elizabeth Ruth Lyman, late of Fairville, widow, has been granted to Edgar M. Lyman, and Mrs. Annie Laurie Fincher, of Fairville, the executors named in the will.

INTEREST IN WAR STOCKS SUSTAINED WITH SUBSTANTIAL GAINS IN PRICES

Railroads and Industrials Responded to Broad Buying Movement—Steel Issues Again to the Fore—Heaviness in Canadian Pacific—Crop Report Acts Favorably on Railroad Shares.

New York, Aug. 9.—The demand for industrial stocks again determined the character of the market today. In the early transactions the course of prices was uncertain. A few specialties rose buoyantly but in other quarters restraint was imposed by realizing sales.

World's Shipping News

Shipping news table with columns for destination, ship name, and departure date.

DOMESTIC PORTS

Table of domestic port arrivals and departures.

FOREIGN PORTS

Table of foreign port arrivals and departures.

NO TIME TO SAVE WARSAW LIBRARY FROM GERMANS

Petrograd, Aug. 9, via London.—It has been learned that the magnificent library of the University of Warsaw could not be removed in time to prevent its falling into the hands of the Germans.

STEAMERS RELEASED

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Aug. 9.—After lightening 400 tons of ore, the steamer Nottingham, ashore near Point Aux Pins, was released today.

LATE SHIPPING

Liverpool, Aug. 9.—Arrd str Philadelphia, New York. Barry, Aug. 9.—Arrd str Agonoria, Montreal. Eastham, Aug. 8.—Arrd str Nordkap, Quebec.

WEEKLY REVIEW BY J.S. BACHE & CO.

The stock market, under the condemnation of developing into a crash in war stocks, has pulled itself together with the result that steel and to some extent, the railroads, have been invited in, and the former is showing much of the warhorse strength which its less distinguished industrial companions have been displaying.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Table of Chicago grain and produce prices.

MONTREAL MARKET

Table of Montreal market prices for various commodities.

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

Table of stock quotations on the New York Exchange.

STEAMSHIPS

Crystal Stream Steamship Co. ST. JOHN-FREDERICTON ROUTE. The steamer 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 7.30 a.m.

THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO. (LIMITED)

Until further notice the S. S. Connors Bros. will run as follows:—Leave St. John, N. B., Thorne Wharf and Warehouse Co., on Saturday, 7.30 a.m., for St. Andrews, calling at Dipper Harbor, Beaver Harbor, Black's Harbor, Back Bay, or Letete, Deer Island, Red Store, St. George. Returning leave St. Andrews Tuesday for St. John, calling at Letete or Back Bay, Black's Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Dipper Harbor, tide and weather permitting.

Eastern Steamship Lines

All The Way By Water.

INTERNATIONAL LINE

Steamships Calvin Austin, Gov. Dingley and Gov. Cobb. Coastwise—Leave St. John, Mon., Wed. and Fri. at nine a.m., for Lunenburg, Eastport, Portland and Boston. Return leave Central Wharf, Boston, Mon., Wed. and Fri. at nine a.m.

METROPOLITAN LINE

Steamships bunker Hill and Massachusetts.

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RAILWAYS

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Farm Laborers EXCURSIONS From Maritime Provinces AUG. 17th AUG. 24th Watch for Further Announcements. W. B. HOWARD, D. P. A., C. P. R., ST. JOHN, N. B.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS

INTERCOLONIAL PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND RY. OCEAN LIMITED (Daily). Departs Halifax 8 a.m. Connection from St. John 11.20 a.m., daily except Sunday.

MARITIME EXPRESS

(Daily except Sunday). Departs Halifax 3 p.m. Departs St. John 6.10 p.m. Arrives Montreal 6.30 p.m. following day.

THE NATIONAL

A New Train via a New Route through a New Country. Between Eastern and Western Canada via Grand Trunk, Temiskaming and N. O. Ry. International Ry. Dep. Toronto 10.45 p.m. Tues, Thurs Sat. Arr. Winnipeg 5.50 p.m. Thurs, Sat, Mon.

Farm Laborers' EXCURSIONS TO THE WEST

FROM THE Maritime Provinces TUESDAYS August 17th and 24th For particulars apply nearest ticket agent.

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The Steamer Victoria

Will leave St. John (Old May Queen wharf) every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8.30 a.m. for Fredericton; will leave Fredericton every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 7.30 a.m.

Majestic Steamship Co.

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BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES NATIONAL LEAGUE. Boston 6; St. Louis 2. St. Louis, Aug. 9.—Boston checked its losing streak today by defeating St. Louis 6 to 2.

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WORRY OVER BAD DECISION. Cincinnati, Aug. 9.—The decision which threw last Monday's game at Redland Field between Brooklyn and Cincinnati into the air was too much for Umpire William Hart. He has resigned his position and says he will never again put on a mask or pick up an indicator.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecasts:
Maritime—Moderate winds, occasional showers.

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Showers have been fairly general today in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, and they have also occurred locally from Lake Ontario to the Ottawa Valley. The weather continues fine and very warm in the west.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Forecast: Northern New England—Unsettled Tuesday, probably showers in Maine. Wednesday fair. Winds moderate west.

Temperatures.	
Min.	Max.
Vancouver	54 78
Kamloops	56 86
Regina	55 95
Battleford	64 92
Calgary	50 86
Medicine Hat	64 92
Moose Jaw	56 84
Winnipeg	54 88
Port Arthur	54 78
London	58 76
Toronto	58 76
Ottawa	58 72
Quebec	56 62
St. John	56 62
Halifax	56 88

Around the City

Steamship Item
Allan Liner Pretorian was reported via Fame Point yesterday, seven o'clock.

Assessment Commission.
The assessment commissioners were in session yesterday afternoon, when business of only a routine nature was transacted.

Band Concert Postponed.
Owing to the unfavorable weather the band concert to have been given on the King Edward stand last night was postponed until tonight, weather permitting.

Gloves and Raincoat.
Policeman Moore found a lady's raincoat and a pair of gloves on a King Square bench last night and the owner can secure the same on application at the police headquarters.

Patriotic Sail.
C. B. Allan, secretary-treasurer of the Patriotic Fund, acknowledges receipt of \$90.55, per J. McDonald, Sr., being the proceeds of the patriotic sail on the steamer Magpie Miller last Wednesday evening.

Tobacco for Soldiers.
Mrs. Lelachur on behalf of the Soldiers' Comfort Association wishes to acknowledge the receipt of 15 lbs tobacco and 1,000 cigarettes from the Spencer Island Red Cross Society per J. M. Spicer.

Would Not Move.
A young man named Cobham refused to move along on Charlotte street last night and was arrested. He was later liberated on leaving a deposit for his appearance in the police court this morning.

Broke His Wrist.
A lad named Foster, who resides at No. 116 Broad street, fell into a scow at Ballast Wharf about noon yesterday and broke his right wrist. The injured member was set by Dr. J. S. Bentley and the lad is now resting quite comfortably. He is about four years of age.

Austrians Detained.
It was learned yesterday that two Austrians who were boarding at Louis Fader's, Pond street, were making ready to leave the city. Detectives Barrett and Gibbs took them in charge and on request of Captain Peters of the home defense, the men are being detained at police headquarters.

Death of Infant.
Friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ring, 137 St. James' street, W. E., will extend to them their sympathy in the death of their infant daughter, and only child, Olga, which occurred early this morning. She was only fourteen days old. Funeral arrangements will be arranged later.

River Business.
The wharves at Indiantown presented a busy scene yesterday for all the steamers arriving carried large cargoes and many passengers. Large quantities of farm produce were brought down from up river points. A few crates of blueberries came in and tomatoes are commencing to arrive in larger quantities.

Death of Their Child.
Much sympathy is extended to Mr. and Mrs. McCahey in the loss of their little son, Roy Melbourne, which took place August 2nd. The little fellow was sick only a few days of pneumonia. He was a bright child and a favorite with all who knew him. He leaves besides his father and mother, three brothers and two sisters, all at home.

Appointed Chaplain.
The Rev. Thomas Harrison, of St. George, N. B., has been appointed Presbyterian chaplain to the 6th Battalion, Canadian expeditionary force. Captain Harrison is an Irishman by birth, and since the outbreak of the war has devoted himself to its interests. The recruiting officers in St. George have found him of great assistance in their work, and have always been made welcome at the manse. The people of Charlotte County are congratulating him on his appointment, and he carries the goodwill of the people of the whole county.

NEW SCHOOL TRUSTEES TAKE PLACES AT FIRST MEETING

James V. Russell, Thomas Nagle and G. Herbert Green Added to Board Recently—Several Committees Appointed—Routine Business Transacted.

The monthly meeting of the board of school trustees was held last evening when much routine business was transacted.

The new members, J. V. Russell, G. Herbert Green and Thomas Nagle took their seats for the first time and received the congratulations of their fellow members. R. B. Emerson, who presided, welcomed them in a happy speech, and expressed his pleasure to be able to again meet Com. Russell at the board, who would, he said, be sure to be of much help as chairman of the finance committee. The other trustees present were, Dr. Manning, M. Coll, Mrs. Dever, H. Coby, Smith, E. R. W. Ingraham and Dr. Bridge.

After the minutes of the last meeting had been read and approved the chairman read applications for appointment on the teaching staff. These were referred to the teachers' committee.

A letter from Lieut.-Col. Shillington at the front was also read. It expressed the thanks of the soldiers for scrap books and other reading matter, sent by children in the school.

A communication from W. E. Anderson with reference to the acquisition of a school lot at Millidgeville was read. This contained an offer for rental of a lot 100 feet by 200 feet, or thereabouts, at six cents per square foot or for purchase at \$1,200. This matter as well as that concerning the receipt of advice to quit this year of the lot now rented to the board, was referred to the buildings' committee.

Some complaints having been made by residents in the neighborhood of Centennial school that boys had been in the habit of making impertinent remarks when asked to comport themselves, it was agreed that the matter should be left in the hands of the visiting committee.

A communication from the Eastern Securities Company, Limited, with regard to the adjustment of bonds falling due in July, 1927, was referred to the finance committee, consisting of Com. J. V. Russell, chairman, H. Coby, Smith, E. R. W. Ingraham, T. Nagle and M. Coll. Other committees were appointed, including the committee on manual training and domestic science, the members being: Dr. Manning, chairman; Com. Russell, Mrs. Dever, G. H. Green, Nagle and Mrs. Taylor; and the buildings' committee, consisting of M. Coll, chairman; Geo. E. Day, Dr. Manning, Mrs. Taylor, E. R. W. Ingraham and Com. Russell.

Attention was called to the fact that repairs were urgently required in connection with LaTour school, and it was decided that they should at once be made. After some discussion as to the need for getting an ample supply of coal for use in the schools at an early date the meeting adjourned.

RECRUITS FOR INFANTRY ARE STILL SCARCE

Three New Men Sent Forward to Sussex Yesterday—Artillery Still Here

The ranks of the 55th Battalion were further augmented yesterday when three recruits went forward to Sussex. Their names were A. E. Sabean and F. D. Danville, both of St. John, and G. M. McKeel of Brown's Flats.

Four applications were filed during the day at the local recruiting office.

Regarding the heavy battery stationed on Partridge Island, no definite word has yet been received as to when they will leave for Halifax and overseas duty. Officers, who will accompany the unit from here are Capt. W. H. Dobbie and Lieut. W. A. Compton. Transportation orders are expected to arrive from headquarters during the week.

TOWN PLANNING COMMISSION IN SESSION

Plan of area to come under Act submitted and approved—Will proceed as soon as possible.

A meeting of the commission on town planning was held yesterday afternoon in the City Hall. Those present were His Worship the Mayor, Commissioner Potts, Engineer Wm. Murdoch and W. F. Burditt. A map defining the area for the proposed town planning in St. John has been completed by the city engineer and was presented at the meeting for consideration. The commission passed a resolution instructing the city council to inform the provincial government, with a month's notice, that it was their intention to prepare a town planning scheme and to ask for their authority sanctioning the work on the area planned. Following the regulations of the town planning act, it was also decided to publish notices of the same. The map will be open to public inspection after the notices are published.

OBITUARY.

Edward J. Kennedy.
Edward J. Kennedy, one of the most respected residents of St. John, passed away at the residence of his son, Partridge Island, yesterday morning, after being confined to his bed for about five months. Mr. Kennedy, who was eighty years of age, came here from Ireland about seventy years ago. For upwards of fifty years he was in the grocery business on King street, and has lately been residing with his son, Edward Kennedy, who is connected with the quarantine department on Partridge Island. Another son, William Kennedy, resides at Sussex. Older citizens will entertain the kindest recollections of Mr. Kennedy, and will regret to learn of his death.

Archibald Steeves.
Hillsborough, N. B., Aug. 7.—After an illness of several weeks Mr. Archibald Steeves passed away at his residence at a very early hour this morning. Mr. Steeves was a son of the late R. E. Steeves, of this place, and at the time of his death was 65 years of age.

Deceased was a prominent business man of the city, and his death will be learned by a large number of friends in both the business and social circles. Besides a wife he is survived by one son, Royden E., at home.

Mrs. J. H. Morrison.
The many friends of Mrs. Edith Lillian, widow of the late Dr. Joseph H. Morrison, will learn with regret of her death which took place at her summer residence, Westfield, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Morrison had only been ill since Friday last and news of her death was a shock to her family and friends. She leaves three children—Alleen, Alaslair, and Josephine, who reside in Westfield.

The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon from 143 German street. The services will commence at 2:30 o'clock.

PYTHIANS AWAY TO CAPITAL FOR CONVENTION

About 200 Delegates Expected at Annual Meeting—Excellent Showing Made by Order.

The St. John delegation of the Knights of Pythias left the city last evening on the Montreal express to attend the meetings of the Grand Lodge at Fredericton. Many Delegates accompanied the Pythians including a party of four from Providence, E. I., who arrived in the city yesterday morning. They were N. J. Nelson, C. H. Weston, W. A. Midwood and F. H. Nottage. Altogether an assembly of two hundred is expected at the capital.

The sessions, presided over by Lt. Col. E. A. Potter of Springfield, N. B., will commence this morning and continue until Wednesday evening. The annual reports, which are of a most encouraging nature, will be distributed among the delegates during the session.

James Moulton of this city, Grand Keeper of Records and Seal, will present the financial statement and other statistics. The finances are in an excellent condition and the membership this year is larger than before. The total membership at present is 3,644 and this does not include the new lodge instituted during the year at Glace Bay.

Many important discussions are to come before the Grand Lodge, during the course of the meetings.

Various preparations for the entertainment of the visitors have been prepared by the Fredericton Pythians and citizens in general. An extensive programme has been arranged including a trip down the river on the steamer Victoria.

WEIGHT OF THE PIG AT ONONETE FAIR

Grand total will be more than announced—Results of contests.

Hundreds are inquiring for the weight of the pig, which was raffled at the Ononette Patriotic Fair and subsequently met a violent death. The cute little fellow, together with the box, just weighed 29 lbs., 3 1/4 ounces. The loaf of bread tipped the scales at 23 lbs., 13 ounces, while the beans in the jar numbered 1,800.

The remarkable success of the Ononette Fair was one of yesterday's most popular topics, and those who made it so are receiving congratulations on all sides.

It was stated last evening that the gross taking of the Fair would be even larger than announced, exceeding probably \$1,700.

The various prizes won at the Ononette Patriotic Fair were as follows: Punch boards, Steve McAvity, Hammond Evans, Clifford McAvity, Mr. Dickerson and George Harrison.

E. B. Jones is the lucky owner of the hen and rooster, he having guessed the number of beans in a jar. F. E. Williams, by correctly guessing the weight of a giant loaf of bread, won a handsome water kettle, and as a double reward for accuracy, the loaf was also awarded. In the raffle for two ladies' vests, and still another for a quilt, the lucky numbers, which were 57 and 36, respectively, were not presented, and it is fortunate that the winners will kindly make themselves known, the prizes will be awarded immediately. In the cushion raffle Chas. Stevens was the successful one, while Mrs. John Vaughan proved herself an excellent guesser when it came to mentally measuring the weight of cake, and her estimate was the successful one in that department.

Only one accident marked an otherwise perfect day. One of the features of the Pike was a contest to guess the weight of a small pig, and Miss H. H. Arnold was the lucky contestant. Unfortunately, however, the little fellow was too energetic for his own welfare with the result that he escaped from the box, only to meet an untimely death by collision with a locomotive.

Miss Arnold very generously agreed to free the committee of any responsibility, and donated the cost of duplicating the prize, which would have been two dollars and fifty cents.

The residents of Ononette are deeply grateful for the generous patronage and unstinted praise with which their efforts were received.

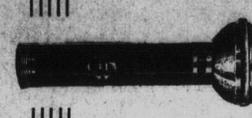
PERSONAL.

Rev. Wellington Camp and his daughter Dorothy were passengers down river on the Victoria yesterday.

Chas. E. Upham has returned to St. John after spending a two weeks' vacation at Quispamsis.

A. M. Gregg, Bernard Haley, Geo. Skinner and McLeod Boyer of Woodstock have returned after a two weeks' canoe trip on the St. John river.

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Coat Pocket Flashlights	\$1.00 to \$1.55
Miners' Flashlights	\$1.80 to \$2.15
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This is a first showing of the new fancy and sailor suits for Autumn and designers have outdone all previous efforts in the cleverness and attractiveness of the models and we have a larger assortment and greater variety of styles than ever before. Come and examine these new suits while assortments are complete and you will be able to decide to the best advantage.

Fancy and Military Buster Suits, Oliver Twist Suits, Middy Suits, French Blouse and Russian Suits, in corduroys, velvets, serges and fancy tweeds; blues, greys, browns, khaki. Ages 2 1/2 to 6 years. Prices from **\$3.25 to \$9.50**

English Sailor Suits, made with sailor collar blouses, bloomer pants, in blue serges, blue, brown and grey corduroys, fancy tweeds. Ages 5 to 10 years. Prices from **\$3.50 to \$8.25**

Middy Sailor Suits of blue serge, with long trousers, low neck blouses laced at sides with red cord. Ages 4 to 6 years **\$6.00**

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

New Navy Blue and Black Worsted Serges

There is now a great scarcity of these materials but we had fortunately prepared far enough in advance so that we have at present a good supply of Navy Blue and Black Worsted Serges but we would advise our patrons to purchase early.

The prices are much lower than they will be later on, and in addition to the economy of buying now there is the certainty of being supplied as it is likely that more of these goods will not be obtainable if the war continues.

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