



FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, May 30—Mr. and Mrs. P. W. F. Brewster, of Hampton, have been the guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson, at Albert Mines. On Friday evening a very happy gathering of invited guests met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, to celebrate the 20th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Brewster's marriage. Supper was served at 8 p. m. and an enjoyable evening spent by the guests.

Mrs. J. E. Rogers returned on Friday from Sackville, where she has been attending the closing exercises of Mount Allison. Mrs. Rogers' eldest daughter, Miss Nellie Rogers, graduated from the university this year and also returned home on Friday.

Miss Mabel Steves, daughter of Captain James M. Steves, of Hopewell Cape, has returned from Wolfville, where she has been taking a commercial course. C. L. Black is relieving Manager J. Bryson, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Riverside, the latter being on his holidays.

Miss Lizzie Peck, of Hopewell Cape, has returned from a few weeks' visit to St. John.

Mrs. Hayward, of Ottawa, came by Saturday's train to pay a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Downing, Albert.

Mrs. B. T. Carter, of Hopewell Cape, returned on Saturday from a visit to Boston.

Howard Stevens is still quite ill with symptoms of typhoid. Dr. Carnwath is attending him.

The marriage of Miss Evelyn R. Bennett, of Hopewell Cape, to Dr. Coates, of Vancouver, will take place on Wednesday. Owing to recent bereavement in the family, the guests will be limited to only the immediate relatives.

The prospective bride is the eldest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bennett, and is a sister of R. B. Bennett, M. P. for Calgary, who will be present for the ceremony. She is a lady of high intellectual attainments, and an earnest and untiring church worker, and her removal will be a great loss to the shiretown.

Immediately after the ceremony on Wednesday, the bride and groom will leave by motor car for Moncton, to take the train for their western home.

Hubert T. Smith, who recently completed his theological course at Mount Allison, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on the Albert circuit today. He is to be located for a time in Alberta.

Rev. H. R. DeWolfe has returned from Wolfville.

PORT ELGIN

Port Elgin, May 28—Miss Mayne Taylor spent the week-end, guest of her aunt, Mrs. Tuttle Taylor.

Miss Pearl Boyd spent the holiday, guest of her sister at Dorchester.

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McGowan in the death, from tubercular trouble, of his wife. The burial took place last week in the Catholic cemetery at White's Mountain.

The teaching staff of the Havelock Superior school deserve much credit for the splendid Empire Day programme which the pupils under their director so well carried out last Friday. Short addresses were also given by several of the gentlemen present.

Much sorrow was expressed in Havelock when the news reached here of the death of Len Bunnell, the Sussex soldier, who met death while bravely fighting at the front. Mr. Bunnell was formerly employed here in the branch store of the Sussex Mercantile Company. He was a young man of sterling qualities and deservedly popular with all who knew him.

Some splendid strings of trout have been caught by local fishermen.

Mrs. B. S. Thorne, who has been spending the winter in Boston, has returned here. She will be joined shortly by her sister, Mrs. Fowles, who will open their home and spend the summer months in Havelock.

SALISBURY

Salisbury, N. B., May 31—Mrs. William Molloy, one of the oldest residents of Cherrylee, Albert county, died this morning at the home of her youngest son, William, with whom she made her home. Mrs. Molloy's husband died some years ago.

Rev. N. A. MacNeill was called to the Boundary Creek section of his pastorate on Sunday morning to conduct the funeral service of L. D. Jones, who died at his home in Norton on Thursday last. The body, accompanied by members of the family, reached Boundary Creek Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wallace Taylor are on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Stephen H. Taylor, who has been visiting her eldest son, Lloyd, who is a student at Mount Allison, returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Thompson Taylor, of Moncton, have sold their house and premises here to Mrs. Steves, of Moncton. The new owners moved in last week.

William F. Steves, of Hillsboro (N. B.), was in Salisbury over Sunday, the guest of his sister, Mrs. Ralph E. Mitten, at Riverside farm.

Miss Ethel Campbell, daughter of William F. Steves, who has been studying in the ladies' seminary.

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Casper Cronk arrived here from St. Andrews last Friday, called by the death of his father, William Cronk.

NOBTON

Norton, N. B., May 31—The funeral of the late L. D. Jones took place Saturday afternoon at his home here, and the body was taken for interment at Mount Allison.

Rev. C. W. Walden conducted the services at home. The floral offerings were beautiful from the family of the deceased, friends and relatives, and the church.

Dr. C. C. Jones, of Fredericton, was here Saturday to attend the funeral of his late brother, L. D. Jones, also Mr. and Mrs. George Huggard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Huggard, of St. John, and Albert Rogers.

Mrs. Ora E. Yerxa, daughter Carrie, and son Bart, have returned from a pleasant visit with friends and relatives in Fredericton.

Miss Mary Adams, of Hampton, spent Saturday with her sister, Miss Jean Adams, principal of the school here.

Mrs. Howard Seely and daughter were visiting Mr. and Mrs. John T. McVeay Saturday.

The Hampton junior baseball team played the Norton junior boys on Saturday here, resulting in a victory of the Hampton team, the score being 13 to 12. Mark Murphy was umpire.

Mrs. C. W. Walden is visiting her daughter in Providence (R. I.), who graduates as a nurse this week.

YARMOUTH

Yarmouth, N. S., May 29—The funeral of the late George J. Morlon on Sunday last was the largest seen here in many years, and was a spontaneous public expression of sorrow over the death of a well loved and much respected citizen.

Rev. J. W. Freeman is dead at Aneguit, in the parish of St. John's, after a long illness of 63 years. He was a learned clergyman of the Free Baptist church and formerly occupied several prominent pulpits in the maritime provinces.

Dr. and Mrs. Flint, of Ottawa, arrived in Yarmouth on Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. John Thorburn.

Daniel C. Kelley, who spent the winter among relatives in Lynn (Mass.), arrived home on Wednesday and will reside in Rockville.

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Reginald Felton arrived from Boston on Wednesday to visit his parents, Judge Pelton and Mrs. Pelton.

Prof. Frank P. Day, of Carnegie Technical College, Pittsburg (Pa.), is expected to arrive in Yarmouth today to join his family.

Miss Amy Bullerwell came from Boston to spend a vacation at her home in Brookly.

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Hundreds of People Have Found "Fruit-a-tives" Their Only Help

READ THIS LETTER

Superintendent of Sunday School in Toronto Tells How He Cured Himself of Chronic Rheumatism After Suffering for Years.

"58 Dovecourt Road, Oct. 1st, 1913. "For a long time I have thought of writing you regarding what I term a most remarkable cure effected by your remedy, 'Fruit-a-tives'. I suffered from Rheumatism, especially in my hands. I have spent a lot of money without any good results. I have taken 'Fruit-a-tives' for 18 months now, and am pleased to tell you that I am cured. All the enlargement has not left my hands and perhaps never will, but the soreness is all gone and I can do any kind of work. I have gained 35 pounds in 18 months. I have gained 'K. A. WAUGH'."

Rheumatism is no longer the dreaded disease it once was. Rheumatism is no longer one of the "incurable diseases." "Fruit-a-tives" has proved its marvellous powers over Rheumatism, Sciatica, Lumbago—in fact, over all such diseases which arise from some derangement of stomach, bowels, kidneys or skin.

"Fruit-a-tives" is sold by all dealers at 50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c, or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

field ambulance which is now drilling in Montreal. Later they will complete their training at Valcartier.

Letters received by Col. Mercereau from Mrs. C. J. Mercereau, who is visiting her husband in France, says that Major Mercereau is in France.

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HONORED ON THE KING'S BIRTHDAY

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To be Knight Commander St. Michael and St. George—Lieutenant-Colonel John Strathairn, lieutenant-governor of Ontario; Dr. William Peterson, principal of McGill University, Montreal.

To be Companions of St. Michael and St. George—Vice-Chancellor the Rev. D. M. Gordon, D. D., of Queens University, Kingston; Commander Richard M. Stephens, chief of staff of the Canadian navy service.

To be Knights Bachelor—Henry L. Drayton, K. C., chief commissioner of the Dominion Board of Railway Commissioners; John C. Eaton, Toronto; Charles F. Fraser, superintendent of the Schools for the Blind, Halifax (N.S.); H. B. Ames, M. P. for St. Antoine division, and honorary secretary of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, Montreal.

To be Companions of the Imperial Service Order—Francis H. Claborn, secretary of state for war, who received the Knightship of the Garter, and Sir Francis Bertie, ambassador to France, and Sir Kenneth Muir MacKenzie, clerk of the crown, D. M. for St. Antoine division, and honorary secretary of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, Montreal.

The list is headed by the names of Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, secretary of state for war, who received the Knightship of the Garter, and Sir Francis Bertie, ambassador to France, and Sir Kenneth Muir MacKenzie, clerk of the crown, D. M. for St. Antoine division, and honorary secretary of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, Montreal.

Following these names is a long list of officers and men who are to receive promotion in or appointment to the order of the Bath, chiefly for services in connection with the organization of various departments, such as recruiting, training of the army, and the new army, naval construction, equipment and transport, which have demanded special attention since the outbreak of the war.

It is mentioned in the communication making the list public that a further list of honors, conferred in recognition of meritorious services during the war, will be announced later, which probably means that the men in the field who are not included in the present list will then come in for their share of honors.

The list contains very few political honors. Half a dozen members of the House of Commons, including Mr. Forster, are appointed private secretaries, and an equal number receive baronetcies. Among the latter are Sir Gilbert Parker, the novelist, and Sir Henry Norman, the statesman.

Twenty persons are given knightships, among them E. L. Fletcher, one of the managers of the White Star Line, for services in connection with the transport and training of the army, and Mr. Forster, the fisheries expert; Leo G. O. Money, Liberal member of parliament, and a number of officials in the civil service.

Sir John Newell Jordan, minister of militia, is appointed a privy councillor. Right Hon. Sir James Rennell Rodd, ambassador to Italy, is given the Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George; Charles Louis D. Gray, minister to Serbia, and Francis William Stronge, minister to Chile, are made Knight Commanders of St. Michael and St. George.

Miss Florence N. Thompson and Miss Mabel Morrison, of St. John, spent Sunday and the holiday at the home of Mrs. George Inch.

Bugler Fred Meredith of the 26th battalion, spent the holiday here at his home.

Gunner Ernest A. Fiewelling of the Divisional Ammunition Column, Fredericton, accompanied by his chum, Gunner Arnold W. D. Dykeman, also of the D. A. C. were guests for the holiday of his mother, Mrs. O. A. Fiewelling, and relatives at the home of Mrs. Fiewelling.

Miss Edna M. Fiewelling has gone to Nova Scotia for a few weeks, while there she will be the guest of Miss Eaton.

Mrs. B. E. Fiewelling was in St. John early this week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mary Boyle. The deceased had many friends here who heard with regret the news of her sudden death, and much sympathy was felt for her family.

The many friends of Charles K. Curran, who is now in France with the D. A. C. of the First Canadian Contingent, will be pleased to hear that this week a letter was received by his wife from him, and that he is in good health.

Miss Dorothy W. Inch spent the holiday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Benoit Hamilton and Mr. and Mrs. Silas Rice and little daughter, of St. John, spent the 24th at the home of Mrs. John Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dodge have been spending a few days with Mrs. Dodge's mother, Mrs. George Whittaker.

Trooper Ellison Jones of the 6th C. M. L., Amherst, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jones, of St. John, and Mrs. Forest A. Hamilton and family have moved to their summer home here.

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DR. MACGILLIVRAY NEW MODERATOR

Kingston, Ont., June 2.—At the meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada, which convened for the fourth time in Kingston tonight, Rev. Dr. Malcolm MacGillivray, of Chalmers church, Kingston, was unanimously elected moderator.

Four other names were presented, namely, Rev. Dr. John Nell, Toronto; Rev. Dr. D. D. McLeod, Barrie; Prof. Baird, of Winnipeg, and Rev. Dr. John Spring, Montreal.

In his sermon Rev. Dr. Herridge, the retiring Moderator, elicited several outbursts of applause, notably when referring to the war, he said: "We must drive into oblivion those who prosper upon the wrongs of others. We can't all serve in the trenches, but we can all serve in the ranks of national truth and honesty," and also when referring to the drink problem he said: "We do not believe that prohibition will bring the millennium, but what Russia has done with her vodka, what France has done with absinthe, surely we can do with the same."

The report on finances, which was presented tonight, stated that while some congregations had reached, and in some cases exceeded, their increased allocations for 1915, the average rate of giving was lower than it should be. The board recommended that a budget of \$1,000,000 be accepted for 1916, the previous year was \$879,272, the previous year. The deficiency on the budget of 1915 is \$12,728.

UNION OF GIBSON AND ST. MARY'S DEFEATED

Fredericton, N. B., June 1.—(Special)—The movement to unite the villages of St. Marys and Gibson and incorporate them into a town was defeated today at the election held under provincial statute. The vote stood 166 against incorporation and 168 for, a majority of three against.

Two ballots were rejected and the total count of ballots showed that there were two more cast than there were voters who had exercised their franchise. What effect this will have on the election is not known, but it is said that it can be protested.

The contest was close and bitter. Merchants and business men of the two places were practically all in favor of incorporation, and worked for it. Some of the large property owners opposed it on the ground of increased taxation. The Conservative organization was used in the fight against incorporation.

Not Unanimous. Six—Women are suspicious creatures. Wix—My experience is to the contrary. For instance, there's my wife, she's a woman and trusts me with my property as if I am a man, doesn't—Puck.

Many St. John and New Brunswick Men On Roll of Honor

Howard McMahon, Wm. McInerney and George Cobham, of St. John; Arthur Seeley, of Norton; Frank McMinnamin, of Fredericton, Wounded—Hugh MacAlpine Missing, and a Fredericton Man Killed.

Sons of New Brunswick are nobly doing their part on the firing line as shown by the heavy casualty lists. Letters from the front tell of a gallant stand against odds on the deadly Ypres front.

The family of R. L. Flaherty, whose death in the war was announced in the Times on May 28, has received this message: "The King commands me to assure you of the respect of His Majesty and the Queen in your sorrow."

"KITCHENER." A telegram received yesterday morning by J. H. McMahon, of 44 Mill street, Ottawa, informs him that his son, Howard, has been wounded while fighting with the infantry in France. He was with the 16th battalion, having transferred to that unit from the 12th with which he left St. John last fall, because of the possibility of seeing quicker action.

The telegram was signed by the adjutant-general, S. O. SEELY, NORTON.

Having come to the front with Bossett's reinforcements early in the new year, following his transfer from the 12th battalion of the first Canadian expeditionary force, with which he went to England, he has been fighting with the 9th Lancashire. He has been a member of the 2nd Mounted Rifles. He was a native of Fredericton and was 33 years old. He was married, and besides his wife, is survived by his four-year-old son, Frederick.

Word also came yesterday that Private Frank McMinnamin, of Fredericton, who was also with the Dorsetts, had been wounded. He was a South African soldier, too, and enlisted in Edmonton with the first Canadian contingent, afterwards transferring to the Dorsetts.

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Well, I guess this is all for now, and am sending you one of the pieces that they dug out of my leg. Your loving son, ARTHUR GREER. No. C 51818, 1st Can. Contingent, bed 508, ward 10B, E. G. Hospital, Cambridge, England.

Dear Mother—I received your letter dated April 23. I think you must have sent them by the old Steamer Aberdeen as they were in the mail and I was very glad to hear from you. When you write again put No. 1 Co. 3. Sec. and I will get them quicker.

Well, I must tell you my first time under fire. We had just had quite a march and I was tired. I looked around for a good place to sleep and at last discovered an old shed which was just big enough for the horse and myself; it also had a hen's nest in the corner in which there were two eggs, so I worked about an hour putting in straw and fixing it up—just finished when I heard a loud crash, the yard, also, had the order to saddle up, which I lost no time in doing. The shells were now dropping fast and a fellow standing not far from me was being hit by a flying piece. I stayed until one hit the roof of my humble home, believe me, I beat it and I beat it fast. I was talking to Miss Jones, who was a very good pianist in the Hayden-Gibson Theatre. As we have been under fire so much lately we don't mind it now. The German shells, when they go over sound like the six express going through Hartland wood stopping.

Give my regards to my old friend and tell him that I am sure he will be glad to hear that I am well. I will sing a French ditty. We have never enough for most anything now. I am expecting your parcel most any day now and will be glad to get it. If you don't get your money the last of this month write and let me know. I should like to invite you over to my birthday party, but the weather is very unhealthy. I think you had better stay in the best little spot in the world, Canada, Yours with lots of love, RAN.

Three Sons in Service. Mrs. Samuel James, of 590 Main street has received a letter from her son, Gunner Thomas James, dated May 5. He says his company did not lose many men in the great battle but lost a good many horses. Quite a number of men were wounded, but he was not hurt. They were fighting for seven days with out ceasing, and were expecting to go for a rest in a day or two. Gunner James also writes that his brother, Ernest James, is with the 9th Lancashire. These two are twins. Mrs. James also has four brothers in France and her husband has two brothers and two nephews with Kitchener's Army, and a son-in-law, Private J. Coull is with the 6th Mounted Rifles.

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Dibble-Steeves. The Vancouver Province of May 21 contains the following marriage notice which will be read with interest by many St. John friends:

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The bride is a daughter of the late Dr. Steeves, for many years secretary of the Provincial Hospital, and a sister of Mrs. Houghton, wife of the Rev. R. J. Houghton.

Chase-Gorman. Tuesday, June 1. A quiet wedding will be celebrated this morning in St. Luke's church at 9 o'clock when Rev. R. J. Houghton will marry Miss Clara Gertrude Gorman and Fred L. Chase, both of this city. The bride will wear a Belgian blue traveling suit and black lace hat and carry a shower bouquet of white roses. The groom is a member of the Victoria branch of the valley. Mr. and Mrs. Chase will leave on the early morning train for a short trip through New Brunswick.

LeBlanc-Cormier. Moncton, N. B., May 31. In the Assumption Church this morning, Rev. A. L. LeBlanc of the 50th Battalion, a native of Cape Breton, was married to Miss Emma Cormier of Baletouche, by Rev. Father H. D. Cormier. They left for Sussex. The groom is a veteran of the Philippine war.

Hatheway-Shaw. Wednesday, June 2. In Victoria street Baptist church yesterday morning at 8 o'clock, a pretty wedding was solemnized by Rev. B. H. Nobles, the pastor. The bride, Miss Bertha F. Shaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shaw, of Wickham, Queens county, and Walter L. Hatheway of this city. The wedding march was played by the organ. The bride wore a tailored suit of Belgian blue with black picture hat. She was unattended. C. Murray Hatheway and Isaac Clark acted as usher. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Hatheway left on the steamer Victoria for Wickham, on a visit to the home of the bride, where a reception will be held. On their return they will reside at Cedar street.

Fitzgerald-Kirk. Wednesday, June 2. The church of St. John the Baptist, Broad street, was the scene of a pretty nuptial event yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock when Miss Margaret Marie Kirk, daughter of William and Mary Kirk, became the bride of Richard J. Fitzgerald, both of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Walter Donahue, in the presence of quite a gathering of friends and relatives. Afterwards a tempting breakfast was served at the home of the bride, 302 Grand street, following which Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald left on a honeymoon trip to Boston and New York. On their return they will reside at 75 Dorchester street.

Owens-O'Leary. Thursday, June 3. A popular nuptial ceremony was performed in St. John the Baptist church yesterday morning by Rev. M. P. Howland, cousin of the bride, when he united in marriage Daniel J. Owens and Miss Gertrude Loreta O'Leary, in the presence of many friends and relatives assembled. The bride was given in marriage by her father, Timothy O'Leary, and was given in a pretty costume of Belgian blue with sand colored hat. Her bridesmaid, Miss Mary O'Leary, was dressed in white and carried a bouquet of white roses. The groom wore a suit of white serge, with white hat faced with pink. The groom's brother, Edmund Fitzgerald, was best man. Many handsome remembrances were received by the bride, including a valuable diamond ring from B. M. & L. T. Gard with whom she had been employed, and a handsome set of hall fittings in fumed oak from the associates of the groom in the Brayley Drug Co., who he is a popular member of the staff.

Gallagher-Fraser. Frederickton, June 1.—St. Dunstan's church was the scene of a pretty wedding this afternoon when Miss Frances C. Fraser, daughter of Mrs. Daniel Gallagher, was led to the altar by Leo J. Elliot, son of the groom, in the presence of Rev. M. P. Howland, officiating. The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Gunner P. M. Fraser of the 28th Battery, was charmingly attired in white satin with real lace trimmings, white tulle veil and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. She was attended by Miss Marjorie Gallagher, sister of the groom, who wore a blue and white brocaded marquisette with pink hat to match and carried a bouquet of pink roses. Thomas Mowry of St. John was best man. The ushers were Edward McDonald and Fred Gallagher. After luncheon at the bride's home, Mr. and Mrs. Gallagher will leave on a trip to New York.

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Splaine-Watson. Thursday, June 3. The marriage of Christopher Splaine, of J. Splaine & Co., to Miss Florence Watson, daughter of Mrs. and the late W. G. J. Watson, was solemnized at 9 o'clock yesterday morning in St. Andrew's church, by Rev. Dr. A. J. Morrison. The bride, who was unattended, wore a traveling suit of dark blue and carried a bouquet of white roses. Mr. and Mrs. Splaine left on the Boston train for a brief trip through the English states.

Flood-Jamieson. Thursday, June 3. A very pretty, but quiet wedding was celebrated last evening at five o'clock, at the home of the bride's uncle, Morton L. Harrison, 180 Paradise Row, when his niece, Miss Elizabeth Evening Jamieson, was united in marriage with Mr. J. J. Flood, also of this city. The bride entered the parlour, which was daintily trimmed with palms and cherry blossoms, accompanied by her uncle, Mr. Harrison, and the bridesmaid, Miss Evelyn Read Bennett, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Bennett, became the bride of Dr. Horace Weddon Coates, of Vancouver. The ceremony was performed at ten o'clock in the morning by Rev. Henry Pierce of the Hillside Methodist church. The bridegroom was Miss Mildred Marianne Bennett, sister of the bride, who was attended by the bride's brother, Capt. Ronald Bennett.

The bride entered the drawing room with her brother, Mr. P. F. Bennett, who gave her away. She wore a handsome wedding gown of ivory net, with delicate daisy and daisy-like trimmings, a Juliet ribbon sash, and a hat of white tulle with pearl ornaments. She carried a prayer book, bound in white, and matched with mother-of-pearl. The maid-of-honour wore a beautiful gown of violet and white, with volants and bodice of Duchesse lace, and a Dutch cap of lace.

Sussex, N. B., June 2.—A marriage of more than usual interest was solemnized today at ten o'clock, when Miss Eva Jane, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Mill, became the wife of Edward William Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lee, of Beverly, Mass. The parlor was beautifully decorated for the occasion with ferns and cut flowers. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a handsome gown of white crepe de chene with lace trimmings, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The groom wore a suit of white crepe de chene with lace trimmings, and carried a bouquet of white roses. The ceremony was witnessed by about eighty guests, including many from out of town. The wedding march for the ceremony was played by Miss Bessie Kilbourn, of the city band. The bride was attended by Miss Ruth Rising, niece of the bridegroom, as flower girl, looked charming in a traveling suit of sand color, with hat of corresponding shades, trimmed with white feathers. The bridesmaid, Miss Helen Morgan, niece of the bride, attended the door. In the dining room a dainty luncheon was served, the table being decorated with ferns and carnations. Mrs. Chas. Morgan, Miss Olive Jamieson and Miss Hazel Thorne served the lunch. Many beautiful gifts, including a cheque from the firm of J. J. Jacobson, of St. John, were presented to the bride and groom. The bride and groom will reside in Fort Fairfield (Me.) during the summer.

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Miles-Murray. Thursday, June 3. A wedding of much interest to society folk took place yesterday afternoon in the quiet little church of St. Clement's, Millidgeville, when Olivia, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. R. Murray, 254 Douglas avenue, was united in marriage to Horace William Miles, manager of the coffee department of T. H. Estabrook & Co., Ltd., Rev. R. P. McKim performed the ceremony, and only a few friends of the principals were present.

King-O'Brien. Thursday, June 3. A very pretty but quiet wedding was solemnized in St. Peter's church yesterday evening at 7:30 o'clock, when Rev. J. J. Walsh, C. S. R., united in marriage Fred A. King, of this city, and Mary Agnes O'Brien, of Richibouctou (N. B.). The bride, becomingly attired in white, was given in marriage by her father, Mr. King, who was supported by his brother, Louis King. The happy pair left on the early train for a short trip to Boston and New York.

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ST. JOHN MARKETS

The "abnormal" flour prices are gradually dissolving. During the last week Ontario flour dropped fifty cents per barrel and Manitoba growth went down sixty cents. The indications are that there will be still further decreases during the next few months. It is reported that the crop in the west to the present stage had unprecedented success. A much greater area than usual has been sown on the advice and urging of the agricultural department, owing to the war demands, and the results are expected to be satisfactory. In view of this the present stores, it is understood, are being partially released and the markets are now pretty well supplied. This is said to be the reason for the drop during the last week. The market quotations, wholesale, were given out yesterday as follows:

COUNTRY MARKET. Potatoes per bushel 0.90 to 1.00. Beef, western 0.12 1/2 to 0.13 1/2. Beef, country 0.10 to 0.11. Mutton, per lb. 0.10 to 0.11. Pork, per lb. 0.08 to 0.09. Veal, per lb. 0.07 to 0.08. Eggs, case, per doz. 0.17 to 0.18. Turkey butter, per lb. 0.30 to 0.32. Fowls, fresh killed, per lb. 0.20 to 0.22. Spring chickens 0.28 to 0.31. Raisins, pure, box 0.40 to 0.45. Beans, per bushel 1.15 to 1.20. Turkey, 0.20 to 0.23. Cabbage, per lb. retail, 0.08 to 0.09. Squash 0.09 to 0.10. Spinach, per bushel 0.00 to 0.03. Rhubarb 0.00 to 0.03. Tomatoes 0.00 to 0.25. Cucumbers 0.00 to 0.06. Mushrooms 0.00 to 0.40. New beets 0.12 to 0.13. Sweet potatoes 0.00 to 0.10. Strawberries 0.00 to 0.25. GROCERIES. Choice seed, raising, 10 0.08 1/2 to 0.10 1/2. Flour, do. 0.06 1/2 to 0.07. Cheese, per lb. 0.19 to 0.19 1/2. Rice 0.00 to 0.04 1/2. Split peas, bag 3.00 to 3.40. Beans, hand picked 3.10 to 3.80. Beans, yellow eye 3.60 to 3.65. Split peas, bag 2.00 to 2.75. Corn meal, per bag 1.85 to 1.90. Granulated meal 5.75 to 5.80. Liverpool salt per sack ex store 1.10 to 1.15. CANNED GOODS. The following are the wholesale quotations per case: Salmon, pink 4.75 to 5.00. Salmon, red spring 4.75 to 5.00. Finnan haddies 4.80 to 4.85. Kipper herring 4.00 to 4.25. Peaches, 8 4.00 to 4.25. Oysters, 12 1.70 to 1.75. Oysters, 24 2.60 to 2.70. Corned beef, 12 2.75 to 2.80. Peaches, 8 2.25 to 2.30. Pineapple, sliced 2.00 to 2.05. Strawberry, 12 1.55 to 1.60. Lombard plums 1.15 to 1.20. Raspberries, 12 1.00 to 1.05. Corn, per doz 1.00 to 1.10. Peas 1.00 to 1.05. Strawberries 3.25 to 3.25. Raspberries 1.10 to 1.15. Fruit pie 0.97 1/2 to 1.00. Strawberry 1.00 to 1.05. Baked beans, 24 1.00 to 1.05. Baked beans, 12 1.45 to 1.50. Pork, Canadian, 25 25.00 to 25.00. American clear, 25 25.00 to 25.00. American plate, 25 27.00 to 27.00. Lard, compound, tub 0.11 to 0.11 1/2. Lard, pure, tub 0.13 1/2 to 0.13 1/2. Masses, 25 0.38 1/2 to 0.40. SUGAR. Standard granulated 6.50 to 6.50. Crushed, 6.50 to 6.50. Bright yellow 6.50 to 6.50. No. 1 yellow 6.50 to 6.50. Paris lump 7.50 to 7.50. FLOUR, ETC. Roller oatmeal 0.00 to 0.75. Standard oatmeal 0.00 to 0.25. Manitoba, high grade 0.00 to 0.45. Ontario full patent 0.00 to 0.00. GRAINS. Middling, car lots 81.00 to 81.00. Mill, small lots 82.00 to 82.00. Bran, washed, 80.00 to 80.00. Pressed hay, car lots No. 1 17.00 to 18.00. No. 2 15.00 to 15.00. Pressed hay, per ton No. 1 20.00 to 20.00. No. 2 18.00 to 18.00. Oats, local 0.67 to 0.70. FRUITS. Marbot walnuts 0.16 to 0.17. Almonds 0.17 to 0.18. California prunes 0.09 to 0.10. Pilberts 0.14 to 0.15. Raisins, retail 0.11 to 0.14. Bragg's, per lb. 0.10 to 0.15. Lemons, Messina, box 6.00 to 7.00. California lemons, box 4.00 to 4.50. New figs, box 0.15 to 0.19. California oranges 4.00 to 4.50. California peaches 1.75 to 2.25. Extra No. 1 1.75 to 1.85. California pears 4.00 to 4.00. FISHERY. Small dry cod 4.55 to 4.50. Medium dry cod 5.25 to 5.50. Pollock 3.00 to 3.70. Grand Marnet herring 3.20 to 3.20. Smoked herring 0.17 to 0.18. Pickled shark, half-bushel 0.00 to 0.00. Fresh cod, per lb. 0.08 1/2 to 0.09 1/2. Boned, per box 0.12 to 0.16. Kipper herring, per dozen 0.90 to 0.90. Swordfish, half-bushel 0.12 to 0.13. OILS. Lardine 0.14 to 0.18. Rosin 0.17 to 0.18. Turpentine 0.00 to 0.01. Extra No. 1 lard compound 0.00 to 0.03 1/2. PREMIER motor gasoline 0.00 to 0.00 1/2. Penolite 0.14 to 0.14 1/2. Fish oil 0.40 to 0.41. HIDES AND WOOL. One dealer's quotations yesterday were: Hides 0.00 to 0.12 1/2. Salted hides 0.13 1/2 to 0.14. Califskins 0.14 to 0.18. Tallow 0.00 to 0.05 1/2. City market prices on the goods that another firm handles follow: Hides 0.12 to 0.13. Califskins 0.15 to 0.16. Shirlings 0.10 to 0.12. California 0.08 to 0.08 1/2. Wool, unwashed 0.15 to 0.22.

OBITUARY

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Norwegian Craft Latest Victim of German Submarine

London, June 3, 8:10 p. m.—The Norwegian steamer Cubano was torpedoed and sunk yesterday off the Flannan Islands. The crew was landed in the Hebrides, a group of islands off the west coast of Scotland. The Cubano was formerly the British steamship Strathmore. She was of 2,805 tons net register and built at Greenock in 1912. She was 87 1/2 feet long, 32 feet beam and 25 feet deep. Traveller Shelled. Pensance, England, June 3, 6:36 p. m.—The captain of the Belgian trawler Delta B, sunk by a German submarine off the Scilly Islands yesterday, stated that after the crew had taken to the boats the commander of the submarine offered to take them aboard, explaining he was unaware that their craft was Belgian. Greek Steamer Lured. Paris, June 4, 2 a. m.—A Havre despatch from Athens says that a Greek steamer, outward bound from Trieste, struck a mine near Calvoe and sank. All the crew perished except three, who were seriously injured.

PARTY LEADERS SIT SIDE BY SIDE

(Continued from page 1.) was read a third time, and thus passed all its stages in the house of commons. On introducing the Ministry of Munitions measure the home secretary explained that the war office would be authorized to demand the munitions and that the new ministry would be the authority which would supply them. The bill passed its first reading. The house of commons adjourned until 11:30 o'clock Friday morning. Austria's Broken Faith. London, June 3.—In addressing to Serbia the note which we all know was the prime cause of this war," declared Lord Curzon, lord president of the council, and acting foreign minister, in the house of lords this afternoon, "Austria-Hungary did not vouchsafe to extend to her ally, Italy, even the merest portion of information. We now see what the results have been. "This lack of sympathy," continued Lord Curzon, "in effect was the cause of Italy's joining the Entente powers. "Alliances such as that, the speaker continued, "in which Italy was engaged, founded on political exigencies and not based on national sympathy, cannot be expected to stand the test of a crisis." Mrs. Pankhurst Militant.

London, June 3.—There was adopted at a mass meeting held in London this afternoon under the chairmanship of Mrs. Pankhurst, a resolution reading as follows: "That we men and women here assembled ask the government to establish obligatory war service for both men and women." Mrs. Pankhurst declared that at least 500,000 German women were engaged in making munitions of war, and she urged that the government should give such women the same rights as were given to men. The following are the wholesale quotations per case: Salmon, pink 4.75 to 5.00. Salmon, red spring 4.75 to 5.00. Finnan haddies 4.80 to 4.85. Kipper herring 4.00 to 4.25. Peaches, 8 4.00 to 4.25. Oysters, 12 1.70 to 1.75. Oysters, 24 2.60 to 2.70. Corned beef, 12 2.75 to 2.80. Peaches, 8 2.25 to 2.30. Pineapple, sliced 2.00 to 2.05. Strawberry, 12 1.55 to 1.60. Lombard plums 1.15 to 1.20. Raspberries, 12 1.00 to 1.05. Corn, per doz 1.00 to 1.10. Peas 1.00 to 1.05. Strawberries 3.25 to 3.25. Raspberries 1.10 to 1.15. Fruit pie 0.97 1/2 to 1.00. Strawberry 1.00 to 1.05. Baked beans, 24 1.00 to 1.05. Baked beans, 12 1.45 to 1.50. Pork, Canadian, 25 25.00 to 25.00. American clear, 25 25.00 to 25.00. American plate, 25 27.00 to 27.00. Lard, compound, tub 0.11 to 0.11 1/2. Lard, pure, tub 0.13 1/2 to 0.13 1/2. Masses, 25 0.38 1/2 to 0.40. SUGAR. Standard granulated 6.50 to 6.50. Crushed, 6.50 to 6.50. Bright yellow 6.50 to 6.50. No. 1 yellow 6.50 to 6.50. Paris lump 7.50 to 7.50. FLOUR, ETC. Roller oatmeal 0.00 to 0.75. Standard oatmeal 0.00 to 0.25. Manitoba, high grade 0.00 to 0.45. Ontario full patent 0.00 to 0.00. GRAINS. Middling, car lots 81.00 to 81.00. Mill, small lots 82.00 to 82.00. Bran, washed, 80.00 to 80.00. Pressed hay, car lots No. 1 17.00 to 18.00. No. 2 15.00 to 15.00. Pressed hay, per ton No. 1 20.00 to 20.00. No. 2 18.00 to 18.00. Oats, local 0.67 to 0.70. FRUITS. Marbot walnuts 0.16 to 0.17. Almonds 0.17 to 0.18. California prunes 0.09 to 0.10. Pilberts 0.14 to 0.15. Raisins, retail 0.11 to 0.14. Bragg's, per lb. 0.10 to 0.15. Lemons, Messina, box 6.00 to 7.00. California lemons, box 4.00 to 4.50. New figs, box 0.15 to 0.19. California oranges 4.00 to 4.50. California peaches 1.75 to 2.25. Extra No. 1 1.75 to 1.85. California pears 4.00 to 4.00. FISHERY. Small dry cod 4.55 to 4.50. Medium dry cod 5.25 to 5.50. Pollock 3.00 to 3.70. Grand Marnet herring 3.20 to 3.20. Smoked herring 0.17 to 0.18. Pickled shark, half-bushel 0.00 to 0.00. Fresh cod, per lb. 0.08 1/2 to 0.09 1/2. Boned, per box 0.12 to 0.16. Kipper herring, per dozen 0.90 to 0.90. Swordfish, half-bushel 0.12 to 0.13. OILS. Lardine 0.14 to 0.18. Rosin 0.17 to 0.18. Turpentine 0.00 to 0.01. Extra No. 1 lard compound 0.00 to 0.03 1/2. PREMIER motor gasoline 0.00 to 0.00 1/2. Penolite 0.14 to 0.14 1/2. Fish oil 0.40 to 0.41. HIDES AND WOOL. One dealer's quotations yesterday were: Hides 0.00 to 0.12 1/2. Salted hides 0.13 1/2 to 0.14. Califskins 0.14 to 0.18. Tallow 0.00 to 0.05 1/2. City market prices on the goods that another firm handles follow: Hides 0.12 to 0.13. Califskins 0.15 to 0.16. Shirlings 0.10 to 0.12. California 0.08 to 0.08 1/2. Wool, unwashed 0.15 to 0.22.

AUSTRO-GERMAN ARMIES ENTER PRZEMYSL

(Continued from page 1.) Martiri in Ypres, on which enemy artillery observation posts had been discovered. "In the district north of Arras fighting is again very lively. On the Souchez-Neuveville front and to the south the French repeatedly began extensive attacks during the afternoon and night, leading in certain places to bitter hand-to-hand fighting. The French suffered heavy losses everywhere, without obtaining any advantage. Fighting for possession of the sugar refinery at Souchez continued. "The battles in the forest of Le Pretre have not yet come to a conclusion. "In the Vosges our aviators dropped bombs on the provisioning centre and railway junction at Remiremont, and on the enemy camp at Hohes. Minor local fights developed during the night in the region of the Valley of the Fecht, at Metzlar. "Eastern theatre of war: "The situation is unchanged. "Southeast theatre of war: "The fortified town of Przemysl was taken by us early this morning, after the fortifications on the northern front, which still held out had been stormed during the night. The amount of booty taken has not yet been ascertained. "The army under General Von Linsingen is penetrating the district of Zydow, northeast of Stry, and fighting for the Danister section east of Mikolajow. The booty taken in the battle of Stry has been increased to sixty officers and 12,175 men."

Gagetown Personal. Gagetown, N. B., June 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Gabriel De Veber went down to St. John on Monday to spend a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Sadie Edwards, who has been seriously ill shows some improvement. Mrs. J. A. Casswell, who has been attending the spring months in Greenock, returned home on Tuesday, and was accompanied by her brother, Robert Du Vernet, who has been away from his old home in Gagetown for many years, re-visited his parents. Mr. and Mrs. William Reid, and son, Clifford, of New York, are the guests of Mr. Reid's brother, R. B. Reid, and Mrs. Reid. Mr. Stanley Clowes and Miss Margaret Jeffrey, of Oranmore, spent Tuesday here, visiting friends. Miss Mary Scovill of Meadowlands, is visiting friends in Amherst. Mr. J. A. Scovill, is attached to the 6th Mounted Rifles. Mrs. Russia Williams has gone to St. John, where she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Estabrook, for the wedding of Miss Elsie Estabrook to William C. Rising. 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