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ALLIED SITUATION CONTINUES VERY SATISFACTORY. GERMAN DRIVE FOR CHANNEL PORTS PROBABLE

THE ITALIANS HOLD GROUND AGAINST A STRONG OFFENSIVE

Austrians Continue Powerful Drive, and While They Are Making Slow Progress Towards Porte Grano, They Are Not Taking Any Important Part of Defensive Lines—Heaviest Fighting in Region of Nervesa, Where Enemy Tries For Montello.

Enemy Has Sustained One of Few Very Great Initial Reverses of the War and Allies Have Reason To Be Satisfied—Germans Likely To Go To Aid of Weary Austrians and Inject More Pepper Into the Fighting.

Special Cable to New York Tribune and St. John Standard. (By Arthur S. Draper).

London, June 18—Italians report a powerful effort by the Austrians to continue their offensive, but there is no reason to change the opinion expressed in these dispatches yesterday that the enemy sustained one of the few very great initial reverses of the war. What the future may develop is another question, but certainly the Allies have exceedingly good reason to feel elated with developments to date.

The eleventh Austrian army under General Von Scheunhstel, which formed the right wing and faced the British, French and Italian fourth army, has made no move since the initial attack. The heaviest fighting has taken place between Valdobbadiene and the sea, the most progress being made by General Von Wurm's old Isongo army, which is advancing slowly through marshy country toward Porte Grano.

The heaviest fighting is in the region of Nervesa, where the sixth Austrian army, under Archduke Joseph, is struggling for possession of the hog backed Montello, of which they obtained about two-thirds. The capture of Montello would give easy access to the plains and turn all the river positions. It is reported that the Austrians threw fourteen bridges across the Piave and sent over considerable forces to the south bank, but nowhere has any real progress been made except against the Italian right wing.

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MORE EGGS IN COLD STORAGE

Ottawa, June 19—The cost of living branch reports to the Hon. T. W. Crothers, Minister of Labor as follows, concerning food in cold storage says: Reports from the cold storage companies for June 1st, indicate an increase in quantity in store of butter, eggs, pork, mutton, lamb, and fish, and a decrease in the quantity of cheese, beef and fowl, compared with May 1st of this year.

There were 2,251,673 pounds of butter and 8,422,588 dozens of eggs in cold storage. As compared with June 1st, 1917 we have more butter in store, more beef and more fish. We have less cheese, eggs, pork products and fowl than a year ago. The most striking comparison is in the case of beef, of which we have 111.72 per cent. more than on June 1st, 1917. Since the purchasing commission of the allies is fully aware of this fact, and we have the statement of these gentle-

men to the effect that a large proportion of this stock is already under contract to them, we find no grounds for any charge of hoarding.

Most Striking Feature

The most striking feature recently in the market situation of storage products has been the great rise in the price of beef. There has been a general rise in all the beef products throughout the Dominion. Naturally the consuming public has resented the rise very much.

The matter has been carefully investigated with the view to determining profiteering, and while the merchants in some localities have apparently used the general rise in prices to cover an undue increase, we have not been able to find any evidence that the general increase throughout the country was due to unlawful action on the part of the meat packers.

GRACE LUSK GIVEN 19 YEAR SENTENCE

Killed Doctor's Wife Because She Was in the Way.

Waukegan, Wis., June 19—Grace Lusk, who was found guilty of murdering Dr. David Roberts, has been found sane and was sentenced to 19 years imprisonment.

In pronouncing sentence, the court delivered a severe arraignment of Miss Lusk and Dr. Roberts, whose intimacy led to the killing. Some circumstances, the judge says, place more blame to the doctor than on Miss Lusk. Dr. Roberts was formerly state veterinarian.

OPPOSES EMPLOYMENT OF GIRLS ON CARS

New York Grand Jury Objects To Fourteen Year Old Misses Acting As Conductors.

New York, June 19—The grand jury of Kings County has strongly condemned the action of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company in employing girls as young as fourteen years of age as conductors on their trolley cars. The grand jury recommends that legislation be adopted preventing corporations employing girls of that age on street cars.

FOUR DROWNED OFF CARAQUET DURING SQUALL

Fishing Schooner on Way From Shippegan Is Captured and Four Go Down.

ALL DROWNED MEN LIVED IN ST. SIMON

Capt. Joseph F. Doiron, James Doiron, Peter Hebert and George Maillet Lost.

Special to The Standard. Caraquet, June 19—One of the most serious accidents which have occurred in the fishing industry of this vicinity since the disastrous storm of some years ago happened today off here when a schooner was caught in a heavy wind and upset, four men losing their lives.

The dead are: Capt. Joseph F. Doiron, aged 38 years. James Doiron, his brother, aged 25 years. Pierre S. Hebert, aged 30 years. George Maillet, aged 25. The bodies of Capt. Doiron and his brother were recovered. Doiron and his brother were recovered. Doiron and his brother were recovered. Doiron and his brother were recovered.

The men were operating a fishing schooner owned by Robin, Jones and Whitman of Caraquet, and had been to the fishing grounds on the Shippegan Banks. This morning they were being for Caraquet harbor in the face of a stiff wind which kept constantly increasing. After passing Caraquet Inlet and the wind became unsteady and puffy, increasing at times to gale force. The schooner was deep in the water and suddenly a violent gust, accompanied by a nasty, high running sea, heeled the vessel over so far that the water poured in over gunwale and she filled.

The four men struggled in the boisterous waves, but could do little to save themselves and were swept down to their deaths before help could reach them.

Two Bodies Found. The bodies of Capt. Doiron and his brother were found near the scene of the distressing accident.

Capt. Joseph F. Doiron was married and leaves a wife and eight children. James Doiron leaves a wife and two children.

Peter Hebert is survived by a wife and two children. Maillet was unmarried.

The accident has cast a pall of gloom over Caraquet. St. Simon and throughout Gloucester County.

REFUSE PERMISSION TO DISINTER BODY OF A TITANIC VICTIM

Litigation Over Estate of Man Buried in Halifax Cemetery.

British Naval Forces Trap Many Destroyers And U-Boats of Enemy

London, June 19—Twenty-two German destroyers, a large number of submarines and numerous auxiliary craft are penned in the Bruges Canal docks as a result of the recent British naval operations at Zeebrugge, the German submarine base on the Belgian coast. Thomas J. MacNamara, financial secretary of the Admiralty, made announcement in the House of Commons to this effect today and said that the operations were more successful than had been at first supposed. He added that the German craft were now the subject of constant bombing.

London, June 19—Field Marshal Haig reports tonight as follows: "In a successful raid we captured a few prisoners and a machine gun Tuesday night northeast of Bethune."

"On Wednesday morning a hostile raiding party was repulsed with loss east of Hebuterne. The hostile artillery was somewhat more active Wednesday in the Albert sector, in the neighborhood of Loere and Dickbusch Lake."

Paris, June 19—The war office announcement tonight says: "There was no event of importance during the course of the day."

"On June 18 our air squadrons brought down or put out of action six German airplanes and set fire to one captive balloon. Our bombing machines dropped ten tons of projectiles last night on railway stations, cantonments and bivouacs in the region of Villers Franqueux, Favrelles and Fismes."

"Eastern theatre, June 18—West of Lake Doiran and on the right bank of the Vardar there were artillery duels. North of Monastir our troops repulsed an enemy surprise attack. Our patrols penetrated several points of the enemy's lines and brought back Bulgarian and Austrian prisoners. Allied airplanes carried out numerous bombardments. British aviators brought down three enemy machines."

Modern Civilization At Stake, Says Grey

Executives of States Must Be Firm If League of Nations Is To Be a Success, Former Foreign Secretary Declares.

London, June 19.—(British Admiralty per wireless Press)—The widest interest will be evinced in a pamphlet on "the league" written by Viscount Grey of Fallodon, who was secretary of foreign affairs in the cabinet of Herbert H. Asquith at the beginning of the European war.

"There is more at stake in the war than the existence of individual states or empires, or the fate of a continent," says Viscount Grey. The whole of modern civilization is at stake, and whether it will perish and be submerged as has happened to previous civilizations of older types, or whether it will live and progress depends upon whether the nations engaged in this war, and even those that are onlookers, learn the lessons that the experience of the war may teach them.

Cannot Stand Still. "It must be with nations as with individuals in the great trials of life, they must become better or worse—they cannot stand still. They must learn and profit by experience and rise to greater heights, or else sink lower and drop eventually into the abyss. And this war is the greatest trial of which there is any record in history. If the war does not teach mankind new lessons that will so dominate the thoughts and feelings of those who survive it and those who succeed the survivors as to make new things possible, then the war will be the greatest catastrophe, as well as the most grievous trial and suffering of which the world has any record."

Viscount Grey lays down conditions, which he says must be fulfilled if the league of nations is to be effective. One is: "The ideas must be adopted with earnestness and conviction by the executive heads of states. It must become an essential part of their practical policy, one of their chief reasons for being, or continuing to be responsible for the policy of their states. They must not adopt it only to render such success to the persons whom it is convenient to please or ungracious to displease. They must lead and not follow; they must compel, if necessary, and not be compelled."

A CANADIAN GIRL SUICIDE IN SALEM

Miss Mary Quinlan, a Nurse, Despondent and in Ill Health.

Salem, Mass., June 19—The body of Miss Mary Quinlan, member of a prominent family of Toronto, was found in Salem Harbor. Miss Quinlan had been active in Red Cross work during the war, and for some time was stationed in London. While there she went through several air raids and on her return to this country had a trying ordeal coming through the submarine zone. As a result of these experiences she suffered a nervous strain and police officials believe that during a temporary mental aberration she committed suicide.

RUPPRECHT MAY LAUNCH ATTACK ON THE BRITISH

French Writers Assert That Ludendorff Has Given Up Further Attempts on Paris. At This Time—Teutonic Allies Losing Much of Their Fighting Spirit in France, Flanders and Italy.

Austrians Fail To Walk Through Italian Lines or Swarm Over Venetian Plains and German Attack in Rheims Sector Fails With Loss of Many Teuton Soldiers—Opening of Gateway To Paris Not Accomplished.

Special Cable to New York Tribune and St. John Standard. (By Arthur S. Draper).

London, June 18—French writers assert that Prince Rupprecht is about to launch an attack against the British and that instead of continuing the drive for Paris, Ludendorff will move against the channel ports.

There is a good argument in favor of such a policy because Ludendorff's chief objective is the crushing of the allied forces, and he must engage both the British and French which he was unable to do at the Marne. However it is a mistaken belief that territory does not count and that Foch willingly concedes ground. These tactics would be perfectly justified on the Russian plains or in the wilds of Mesopotamia or even on the battle-scarred fields of the Somme, but it must be remembered that every foot of the advance the Germans have made in France now adds to the allied burden, and more especially to that of the French.

Territory is a secondary consideration, but it bulks large. It is as much of a mistake to underestimate the effect of the loss in territory as it is to exaggerate the importance of the capture of any area. This is a war of peoples, not of professional armies, and the civilian morale is as important a factor as the morale of the armies engaged.

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GREAT REVOLT HAS BEGUN AT KIEV

Forty Thousand Armed Peasants Participate in Revolt.

London, June 19—A great revolt has begun at Kiev, according to an intercepted wireless message transmitted from Moscow to the Exchange Telegraph Company. Artillery stores have been exploded and there is continuous street fighting. The revolt is spreading to the Poltava and Tchernigov districts. Forty thousand peasants armed and organized are participating in the revolt.

Moscow, Monday, June 10. (By The Associated Press)—The Ukrainian delegates at the Russo-Ukrainian peace conference in Kiev demanded that the Russian Black Sea fleet participate with Germany against the Allies. This demand was supported by M. Maximiloff, the Ukrainian Minister of War. The Soviet government delegates rejected the demand.

Teutons Gain.

Orsha Mohileva, Russia, June 9. (By The Associated Press)—The exchange of invalid prisoners between Russia and the Central powers which has been going on for several weeks, is proving advantageous to Germany and Austria-Hungary, as under that guise they have been sending home able-bodied men.

AGAINST ALCOHOL IN PATENT MEDICINES

W. C. T. U. Delegate Wants Amount Cut Down To Two Per Cent.

Ottawa, June 19.—At today's session of the Dominion W. C. T. U. convention, a report on medical temperance was submitted by Mrs. John Scott, of Montreal. The report asserted that certain patent medicines contained alcoholic contents ranging as high as forty per cent.

Mrs. Scott urged the enactment in every province of the Dominion of the law now in force in Alberta forbidding the manufacture or sale of any extract patent medicine with more than two per cent. of alcohol.

HALIFAX SPORT WRITER INJURED

"Gee" Ahern, Reporter, Injured in Automobile Accident Yesterday—Car Collided With Military Ambulance.

Halifax, June 19—"Gee" Ahern, reporter and sports writer on one of the Halifax papers, is in the hospital tonight seriously injured. This afternoon he was sent to the North End of the city for a story. He was picked up by a young friend driving a private automobile. The car collided with a military ambulance and was completely overturned, the driver having his collar bone and three ribs broken and Ahern receiving face and scalp injuries. The ambulance took both young men to the hospital. Ahern has not yet regained consciousness.

BLUE DEVILS ARE FETED IN QUEBEC

French Heroes Given Warm Reception and Banquetted.

Quebec, Que., June 19—Scenes of wildest enthusiasm greeted the arrival of the detachment of French Alpine Chasseurs, "Blue Devils" here. The people turned out en-masse to welcome and cheer the little band of gallant heroes of France's army, all of whom have been wounded at least once.

Sir Lomer Gouin, Premier of the province, and His Worship Mayor Lavigne and members of the City Council were present.

The "Blue Devils" marched to the City Hall to a reception. A banquet followed.

HALIFAX BOY HERO. Halifax, June 19.—Temple Lane, a fourteen-year-old boy scout, was today recommended for the silver cross of the organization for having saved the life of a nine-year-old lad, Gerald Lewis, who was bathing.

THE ITALIANS HOLD GROUND AGAINST A STRONG OFFENSIVE

(Continued from page 1) The question now is whether the enemy planned this attack with limited objectives, the chief of which was crossing the Piave river and establishing bridgeheads so as to have good jumping-off places for his next effort. It is the enemy's intention his second effort must come immediately, for he could not afford politically—and neither could the German militarists—to abandon his drive now.

General Diaz speaks of the results with greatest confidence, and Italian military circles here reflect the optimism shown in Rome. The few miles of advance gained on the south side of the river seem to cause no uneasiness to the Italians, who evidently believe the enemy has paid a heavy price for the gains.

Later reports corroborate first impressions that the attack in the mountains was merely a diversion, something akin to the Kemmel attack which synchronized with the Aisne drive.

British Scared Him. A prompt British reaction south of the Asiago seems to have thrown the enemy into a state of demoralization and the British found that in many places their own wire was uncut. It is a curious emphasis the Vienna communique places upon the fighting quality of the Czech-Slovaks, and it may perhaps belie the real situation in the Austrian army, for Italian reports show enemy troops have mutilated. It is difficult to discover the causes of the enemy's failures, unless they were due to low morale and unwillingness of the troops to put their weight into fighting.

Success attends every main effort where the artillery concentration is large and certainly the Austrians are not short of guns. Here where it is the notable habit to paint things in gloomy colors, the critics caution against too early an optimism but slowly they are admitting that the enemy has fallen down in his programme. I think we shall hear soon that Germany has rushed help to her war weary ally.

Italian Statement. Rome, June 19.—The Italians have captured since the beginning of the Austro-Hungarian offensive on the Italian front prisoners to the number of 9,011, and taken many guns and several hundred machine guns, the Italian war office announced today. The battle on the Piave River broke out again furiously yesterday afternoon, the statement adds fresh efforts were made.

MONCTON GIRL NOW HEAD OF HOSPITAL. Miss Sarah E. Morrison Wins Distinct Success and High Marks. Miss Sarah E. Morrison, R. N., who a few months ago graduated from Newport Rhode Island, when she was immediately appointed Superintendent of the hospital, has just received an honor seal, having made an average marking of over 90 per cent. the highest ever made in Rhode Island.

ATTACK FAILS. With the French Army in France, June 19, (By The Associated Press)—Large units of German shock troops which had been concentrated in the western side of Rheims between Virgny and Ornes and which went over to assault last night were met with such an awful fire from the French defence that they were unable to make the slightest progress. They suffered such losses after trying time after time to reach the French positions that only a few of the attackers were able to return to their own lines.

IRISHMEN ARRESTED. Melbourne, June 19.—It is announced that the government has caused the arrest of seven ringleaders in the Irish republicanism brotherhood. It is said the organization planned to enroll volunteers and send them to Ireland to aid in an armed revolt with the object of establishing an Irish republic.

SHIPPING CONTROL. London, June 19.—The Board of Trade Committee, in its report on the position of shipping and shipbuilding in the reconstruction period, unanimously recommends the early removal of government control.

LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN. Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quart of the best freckle remover and skin beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or fancy counter will supply three ounces of Orchard White for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles, sunburn, windburn and tan disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmful.

ANOTHER GERMAN THRUST EXPECTED

Teutons Likely To Strike Again in France in Short Time. (By Wilbur Forrest) Special Cable to N. Y. Tribune and St. John Standard. With the French Armies, Wednesday, June 19.—With the battle flame momentarily burning the brightest on the Italian front there are myriads of indications that the comparative peace of the past few days on the western front will be short lived. The Germans are expected to strike again in the shortest time. No matter on what part of the front the attack comes it can be stated with all confidence that the Allies are ready and waiting. Ludendorff's future blows now begin to more than ever play the Allied game. Germany's only chance for a victory is in a series of rapid thrusts of which the German inspired Austrian offensive against Italy is but one.

ANOTHER ENGLISH SENSATION ON

Mrs. Villiers-Stewart Charged With Bigamy. London, June 19.—Mrs. Villiers-Stewart, one of the chief witnesses at the trial of Noel Pemberton-Billing, member of parliament and publisher of the newspaper Vigilante, for having libelled Miss Maud Allen, was charged today with bigamy. It is alleged that she married Stewart, her present husband, who is an army officer, while her first husband, Percival Bray, formerly a motor bus driver, was still alive.

REXTON. Rexton, June 19.—On Wednesday evening the ladies of the Red Cross society in the public hall were at home to Mrs. C. Filmore and her sister, Miss Nellie Clark, who are going to Vancouver to make their home. Mrs. Filmore and Mrs. Clark have been faithful members of the society and will be much missed. Mrs. Filmore and little son, Donald, left on Saturday for Vancouver. They will visit several places en route. Miss Clark and her father, Mr. G. N. Clark, will join them shortly.

COAL SITUATION VERY BAD SAYS MAGRATH. Fuel Controller Has Been Inspecting Nova Scotia Situation. Halifax, June 19.—Fuel Controller Magrath, who has just finished a visit to the Nova Scotia Collieries, left on his return to Ottawa this afternoon. Before leaving he said: "I have completed a trip through the mining districts of the province and while every effort appears to be put forth by the operators still the fact remains that the output is very low indeed. In fact it is getting down to a point where there is no margin of supply over demand." Mr. Magrath added that "the coal situation is serious, even in these maritime provinces, I fear that the public do not realize the necessity of getting in supplies during the summer."

JONAS CASE DEFERRED. London, June 19.—Sir Joseph Jonas, former Lord Mayor of Sheffield, and Charles Alfred Vernon, who is said to have been employed in an important capacity in the ministry of munitions, were arraigned together today in the Bow Street Police Court, on the charge of having communicated useful information to the enemy. The case was adjourned until June 29. Bail was allowed.

MGR. ROY VERY ILL. Montreal, June 19.—Monsieur Roy, Vicar General of the Archdiocese of Montreal and chairman of the Central Catholic School Committee, suffered a stroke of paralysis at the Archbishop's Palace here today. Though it was stated at the hospital that he was in no immediate danger, information from the palace was to the effect that he was very ill.

LOGGIEVILLE. Mr. William Savoy's many friends are sorry to learn that he still suffers much as the result of a broken leg. Mrs. F. F. Loggie recently entertained the Missionary Society of Knox church. At the June meeting of the W. M. S., Mrs. Loggie was made a life-member in recognition of her 13 years as secretary to the society.

NURSE EDITH CAVELL'S MOTHER IS DEAD. London, June 19.—Mrs. Ida Cavell, mother of Nurse Edith Cavell, executed by the Germans, has died at her home, Henley-on-Thames, at the age of 81. She had been in ill health since her daughter's death.

WHERE HE STOOD. A native of Glasgow was seeing his prosperous cousin off by the night train to London. "Man, David," he said, as they waited, "would you not like to leave me a shilling or so to drink your health and a safe journey?" David shook his head, regretfully, as he thrust his hands tight into his pockets. "I'm awfully sorry, Sandy," he replied. "All the few shillings I can spare I send to my poor old mother."

WILL IT RAIN. Birds are excellent barometers. A number of our birds—swallows, wild duck, coots, moorhens and others—build their nests either on the banks of a river, or floating on its surface attached to the reeds or water grasses. These birds, it is said, never by any chance get caught by floods and, if you see a swan's nest, say, a foot above the river level, you may be sure that during the next few weeks there will not be rain enough to raise the river above that height.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children. In Use For Over 30 Years. Always bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Watson.

Summer Sale Specials

Semi-ready Tailored Clothes



On Thursday morning we begin a War Benefit Sale for our customers—a big bargain sale that will help every man to conquer the increased price of pure wool cloth. Every garment sold in this store was designed and tailored in the semi-ready shops from imported British woollens.



- 50 Suits for small men and youths, sizes 32 to 36 inch breast only, worth up to \$20 for \$14.75
Fifty Suits for men in all sizes from 32 to 44 inch breast, labelled \$22.50, for \$18.00
100 Suits for men in sizes from 36 to 46 inch breast, label price, \$25, for \$20.00
All the latest and smartest business models and styles, perfect fitting.
30 Suits for men in all sizes from 36 to 44 inch breast, label price \$40, for \$32.00
They are suits which a custom tailor would pay \$28 for the cloth alone.
50 Suits for men in sizes from 35 to 45 inch breast, label price \$30, for \$24.00
Beautifully tailored garments in Worsteds, Tweeds and Homespuns.
A special lot of Fine Worsteds Suits, Bond street cloth value, worth 10 guineas in London, label price \$50, for \$40.00
100 pairs of odd Trousers, sizes 32 waist to 44; shades to harmonize with any coat and vest. 20 per cent. off the label price.

Sale begins at 8 o'clock on Thursday morning, and store will be open until late on Saturday night.

The Semi-ready Store King and Germain Corner

A DOG WON THE VICTORIA CROSS. One of the most famous regimental pets that ever lived was Jack, who was found when a poor little puppy by a sentry outside St. James Palace. Snow was on the ground at the time, and the dog had evidently been ill-treated, so the kind-hearted sentry picked him up and fed it. The dog, says the Young Soldier, eventually became very much attached to the sentry, whose regiment, the Scots Guards, adopted the animal as a pet. Jack went all through the Crimean War, fighting tooth and nail by the side of his master, and once got was on the ground at the time, and the dog had evidently been ill-treated, so the kind-hearted sentry picked him up and fed it. The dog, says the Young Soldier, eventually became very much attached to the sentry, whose regiment, the Scots Guards, adopted the animal as a pet. 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THE ALLIES WELL SATISFIED.
After reading the official dispatches and the press reports from the main war theatres this morning, there is every reason to feel satisfied with the progress the Entente is making in holding the Hun. The Austrians have failed at many points in Northern Italy in their long heralded drive and although they made some progress yesterday, the gain was of little importance. The fact is that the Austrians are being well held by the Italians and their allies, and great is the disappointment in Austria. Although the army of Emperor Karl is still making a powerful effort to smash the Italian line and the fighting is not over, the drive thus far has been a flat failure. Serious unrest and a marked shortage of food in Austria are again reported in the dispatches.
The situation in France is not greatly changed, the enemy falling in his attack in the Rheims sector. There was little fighting on the western front yesterday. It is believed that Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria is about to launch an attack against the British and that instead of continuing the drive for Paris Field Marshal von Ludendorff will move against the channel ports. Another defeat for the Germans is predicted, although Ludendorff will probably be allowed some terrain to leave his dead on.

AN APPEAL FOR AID
June 18, 1918.
To the Editor of The Standard:
Sir:—The following letter has been received by the secretary of the Great War Veterans' Association, St. John Branch, for assistance for an original 26th man. The Sussex branch, which is small, is not in a position financially to assist to any great amount and therefore appeals to St. John comrades.
Dear Sir and Comrades:—I would like to ask you as chairman of the benevolent branch of your work to try and assist the following case of Pte. J. W. Roberts, C. Co., 26th Batt., N. B., No. 6923, now residing at Chipman. This comrade was burnt out on June 11th, his house being struck by lightning and everything he possessed was lost, the family merely escaping in time. This comrade is suffering from five nasty wounds and is unable to carry on any work. His pension amounts to \$12.50 per month. It would be a great act of mercy if something could be done in this case to assist him. Any questions asked will be freely answered. I have been requested to ask you as a member of the Sussex Branch of the G. W. V. A. Trusting to your ever willing assistance to any comrade and knowing you will interest yourself in this case.
I remain, yours truly,
S. A. BRIGGS,
Sussex Branch G. W. V. A., Chipman, N. B.
Any donations from members of the 26th or friends can be made to Mrs. Tillotson, York House, Sydney street, or to Secretary Puddy, G. W. V. A., St. John, and these will be forwarded to Major G. Kinnear, President of Sussex Branch, G. W. V. A., who will see them to the man concerned.
Any donation from N. C. O.'s and men, no matter how small, will be gladly accepted. Trusting to be soon in a position to help our comrade our association will donate \$15 as a start to the fund.
E. J. PUDDY, Secretary.

ONE OF WAR'S BLESSINGS.
That the great war in which the Empire is engaged will carry many blessings in its train is a statement that at first may be difficult to comprehend but when one considers that the welding together of the Allied nations in the common cause against Germany is likely to produce a union that will endure and lead to a better understanding between the people of the countries today fighting shoulder to shoulder against the Hun its meaning will be apparent.
Already there is a change in the relation between the people of the United States and those of the British Dominions, a change so marked that we find in English and American newspapers a suggestion that when the smoke of battle clears away and the world returns to a consideration of matters not connected with warfare an earnest effort shall be made to revise or rewrite the history of the English-speaking nations. The Montreal Gazette finds this suggestion good and comments on it as follows:
In both the British and American press there is demand that the history of the English-speaking world be revised or rewritten. "History is gossip," said Napoleon, "and if it be more than one hundred years old it is unbelievable."
The war has brought the British and American people together by the necessities of a common cause and common destiny; and being brought together, inquiring minds have asked how it came about that there should be a certain constraint in the relations of the two great countries.
There have been many, but quite inadequate causes; but one that affected the general mind was the history taught in the schools of both countries. The American histories taught, in respect of the revolutionary war and the war of 1812, that all the motives and policies and personalities on the side of the British were wrong and wicked, while all the persons who straddled on the revolutionary stage from the American point of view were heroes.
Before the war there was more than a suspicion that history was wrong on both sides. On the one hand it was found that many of the revolutionary heroes were little better than mercenary scoundrels. On the other, there were noble motives, but bad policies. In a word, when you got rid of the flamboyant heroes you found a selfish, wedded to principles maintained by obstinacy, which destroyed a unity it has taken this colossal struggle to cement.
And now that the States and England are one in purpose, fighting side by side for the greatest stake that ever engaged the human mind and effort, the demand is made that the young generations shall no longer have their minds poisoned with misleading history which has the effect of separating two peoples who by heredity and tongue and religion are really one.
The movement for revision has not taken form; but, doubtless, it will crystallize into action. The effects likely to be produced by such revision will be incalculable for upon history character is moulded. This is the irony, that history, pretending to be final, is partizan and narrow and intemperate, and is written from a political standpoint. Froude's history of England, as has been said, was a literary masterpiece, but all lies. It argues well for the world that England and America have joined hands in a common cause. It now remains that the histories of the two countries shall be rewritten as to give to the generous youth of the coming years, just views of the events which have shaped national destiny—views which will deepen the friendship now so strongly cemented by the exigencies of the world-struggle in which the two countries take commanding and decisive part.
The Standard agrees with the Gazette's view. Those who have read history from the text-books provided in the primary schools of the United States and compared it with the Canadian text-books on the same subject will agree with the statement that while the text-books used in the United States deal fairly with the histories of practically all the nations of the world the stories of events in which Great Britain and the United States figured were evidently designed to set a frame of mind which, at that time, was not particularly favorable to England or the English. The time for that sort of thing has passed. The war of the Revolution and the "days of '76" may be observed in future as an occasion of commemorating the memory of those who perished, or the formation of the great Republic to the South of us, but that children of the United States should continue to be taught to regard Great Britain as a grasping, overbearing and intolerant monster is not in tune with the spirit of the present time. If there were errors in the past, they have been washed out in British and American blood flowing together in France and Flanders and the result should be a new and happier understanding. If the revision or rewriting of the history of the English-speaking world will help to make that understanding endure, then it is a task that cannot be undertaken too soon.

CANADIANS IN AIR SERVICE.
"The eyes of the Allied forces were Canadian," comments a British war correspondent in a despatch to the London Daily News and Leader, describing a recent operation on the western front. Of late there have been many such references to the airmen of Canada. Some time ago the London Times intimated that there was a movement on foot to organize a Canadian aviation department and in a cable to Canada a correspondent speaks of the "considerable proportion" of Canadian airmen in the British service.
One of the most significant comments on the distinguished part Canada is playing in the war in the air is found in The Field, the noted British authority on sports. That publication says:
"A curious fact in connection with the Royal Air Force in France is the high proportion of Canadian pilots. We have been given various estimates on this point and all agree that the percentage is very much greater than the relative proportion of Canadians to other Britishers in arms. Our splendid Australians have their own division, but even so they must give pride of place to the men across the Atlantic in point of numbers.
"One wonders what it is that has given the Canadians this natural aptitude for flying. It amounts to this because there is no lack of candidates from among the British and colonial forces, and those who now sport the double wings have had to prove that not merely can they handle an airplane deftly, but demonstrate that special 'dash' for air work without which the pilot of today is certain to be visited by early disaster."
To Canadians it is another source of pride to know that their young citizens are making such a name for themselves in the most thrilling and most adventurous branch of military service. When the war is over and the

knowledge gained in warfare is devoted to the arts of peace Canada should be in a position to maintain her lead in the matter of rapid transport by aerial conveyance.
REGISTRATION WEEK.
This is registration week and already, judging from reports received, the work is well under way. One matter of importance to which the attention of all should be directed concerns the questions on the registration cards dealing with one's adaptability for, or experience in, farm work. It is most important that these questions shall be answered fully and that deputy registrars exercise particular care to get all information that may help in the mobilization of the man and woman power of Canada for the best effort in the prosecution of this war.
The call for men from France and Flanders is insistent and while the heavy fighting of the past few weeks has resulted in satisfactory successes for the Allies yet the toll of men involved in stemming the German rush was heavy. Canadian troops did not suffer as much as others in the Allied lines for our men were not participants in the most recent heavy fighting. This, however, does not lessen the need for more Canadian soldiers, rather it emphasizes it for losses in other units mean that they must be replenished from those who escaped more fortunately. Canada must supply more soldiers to reinforce the divisions already fighting in France and every man taken from this country leaves a vacancy to be filled by one other unit for military service. Many such vacancies will occur on the farms of the country and it may be necessary to call on all who have experience in farming, but who are temporarily engaged in other lines, to return to the land for a time in order to assist in the production of the crop. The food situation is still acute and every pound of food stuffs Canada can raise during the present summer will be urgently required. It is because of this that the questions on the registration card relating to experience in farm work are of particular importance.

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A Proviso.
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What Happens.
"Would you say that once a newspaper man always a newspaper man?"
"Not exactly. But I would say that I've noticed that if ever a man has once worked for a couple of weeks for a newspaper he never gets over telling about the time he did reportorial work himself."
Fashion Forbids.
Mr. Berks—"I am not afraid that my daughter will ever marry in haste."
Mr. Cowler—"Why not?"
Mr. Berks—"It will take at least six months to prepare any tressouer she would consider fit to marry in!"
Identity Discs.
He was one of a new draft, just out from England, and was finding life very strange indeed. Questioning one of the old timers, he asked:
"Who do we have to wear two identity discs?"
With an air of nonchalance the hardened soldier replied:
"Take one when you're nappo'd and the other one is left on to identify you. They don't want it if I have anything worth drinking I don't want to keep it 72 hours.—Vancouver Province."
No Use for it.
Agent—This vacuum bottle will keep anything hot or cold for 72 hours.
Mr. Topples—Don't want it. If I have anything worth drinking I don't want to keep it 72 hours.—Vancouver Province.

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A BIT OF VERSE
CLEAR AND COOL.
Clear and cool, clear and cool,
By laughing shallow, and dreaming pool;
Cool and clear, cool and clear,
By shining shingle, and foaming weir;
Under the earg and under the ouzel singa,
And the livid wall where the church bell rings,
Undefiled, for the undefiled;
Play by me, bathe in me, mother and child.
Dank and foul, dank and foul,
By the smoky town in its murky cowl;
Foul and dank, foul and dank,
By wharf and sewer and slimy bank;
Darker and darker the farther I go,
Baser and baser the richer I grow;
Who dare sport with the st-define'd?
Shrink from me, turn from me, mother and child.
Strong and free, strong and free,
The locusts are open, away to the sea.
Free and strong, free and strong,
Cleansing my streams as I hurry along.
To the golden stands and the leaping bar,
And the faintless tide that awaits me afar.
As I lose myself in the infinite main,
Like a soul that has sinned and is pardoned again.
Undefiled, for the undefiled;
Play by me, bathe in me, mother and child.
—Charles Kingsley.

Little Benny's Note Book
BY LEE PAPE.
Ma was looking at the paper today with a frown on her face as if she didn't know whether she was enjoying it or not, and she looked over her shoulder, saying, "Well, you gods and little pitchers, if she's not reading the sporting page. What are you doing, mother, trying to make a noise like a baseball fan?"
I suppose just because I don't go around talking about it all the time the way you do, you think I don't know anything about baseball, I suppose?
No, I don't say that, sed pop, all I say is that if everything you don't know about base ball was put in a book, it would take 53 volumes and 6000 diagrams.
My goodness, you're so funny it's a wonder the joke papers don't all rite to you for information, sed ma.
O, well sed pop, perhaps you're doing you an injustice. As the latter says, no man should be declared guilty until it's proven that there's not a drop of Germa blood in his veins, and if you really know how a game of base ball is played, now your chance to describe it.
Sternly I know how it's played, and the more I read about it the more I wonder how full grown men can wait their time talking about it, sed ma.
Brave, that's a fine interduction, and now for a description of a game in tatter but elegant English, sed pop.
Well, sed ma, there are 4 men on base.
Wat, already. Holy smokes, haven't you skipped sumthing? sed pop.
You don't want me to go into every little detail, do you? sed ma.
Perhaps not, sed pop, judging from the way you maltreat the big details it would be a shame to turn you loose among the poor little ones.
And then the man on first base makes a home run, sed ma.
I guess me wife I go out and get a little air, sed pop. And pop went down stairs and took his hat out of the hall rack and went out, and sed ma, I guess that showed him weather I know anything about baseball or not.
Wich I guess it did.

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2-That slow response of stunted, sore, foot muscles cause dulling, hysterical, gait.
3-That turned ankles, knock-knees and still joints result from relaxed bones of the arch of the foot.
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COAL SHIPMENT. Philadelphia, June 19—Shipments of anthracite coal for May amounted to 5,877,256 tons, showing a falling off of 20,229 tons as compared with May, 1917. They are however, 518,823 tons in excess of the April output. This statement was made today by the anthracite bureau of information.

SEMI-READY SALE STARTS AT ONCE

Thursday Morning Marks the Opening Day.

Determined To Give Customers a Full Summer Season's Wear Rather Than Wait Until the Month of August.

The managing director of Semi-ready Limited, of Montreal, Mr. J. H. Brownlee, is in the city today to help Mr. Fraser prepare for the annual summer sale of Semi-ready clothes.

It has been decided, as an offset to the high price of wool, to hold this semi-annual sale earlier than usual, in order to give their customers the full advantage of a winter's wear.

No time will be lost, and hundreds of suits are to be reduced in price to below-the-war levels, said Mr. Fraser. "We have smaller men's suits, youths' three-piece suits as low as \$14.75, not one of which is worth less than \$20 at today's cost.

Every garment sold represents a direct loss to us when sold at a cut price, for our normal net profit is below half a dollar, continued Mr. J. G. Fraser, of the Semi-ready Store, who was preparing his full announcement of the sale.

Thursday morning has been fixed as the date of the opening of the sale, and the doors will open at the usual hour. This allows a full ten days before Dominion Day, or nine shopping days.

Staple serge cloth will be reserved from the sale, as it is almost impossible to replace the serge suits now in stock at \$10 above the label price. Men's suits up to \$45 and \$50 label value will be included in the sale, though the winter interest will no doubt be in the reduced prices on the \$25 and \$30 suits.

"I am determined that this Summer sale will be a record breaking event as far as the Semi-ready store is concerned, and that is my chief reason for breaking into the middle of June before the end of the busy selling season," said Mr. Fraser.

BUILD UP THE BLOOD

It is a hopeless task to try to restore your health while your blood is deficient in quantity or quality. The blood circulates through every portion of the body, and nourishes every cell of the food and distributes it to the various organs and muscles; it takes also any medication that is administered through the mouth. The blood is the only means by which medicine can reach the nerves. Hence if the blood is poor, the body becomes weak and the nerves shaky, and the victim may be subject to headaches and dizziness, poor appetite, a congested head, and a tired feeling or perhaps to rheumatism, sciatica or neuritis. Poor blood is the forerunner of nearly every ailment to which mankind is subject, and you can only enjoy robust health by keeping the blood rich, red and pure.

To keep the blood in this condition no medicine yet discovered can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dose helps to make new, rich red blood, which carries new health and new strength to every part of the body. When one becomes weak and pale Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will restore the blood, bring the glow of health to the cheek, and make weak, ailing people energetic and strong.

You can get these Pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or by mail at \$2 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

LONG REACH

Victoria Hall, Long Reach, was the scene of a very pleasant occasion on the evening of June 11, when friends and neighbors gathered to welcome another of our returned heroes, Pte. Grover C. Beesley of Holderness.

Pte. Beesley entered the 140th, going overseas about a year and a half ago. He was wounded and gassed last spring. After convalescing in England he returned home very recently when the people showed their appreciation of his efforts by preparing a banquet for him.

The hall was prettily decorated for the occasion, the platform, where the table of honor was set, being trimmed with flags and bunting. The tables were under the efficient management of Messrs. A. G. and Walter Ganong, ably assisted by the pretty girls of the neighborhood as waitresses.

After supper was served Rev. J. E. Shanklin read an address of welcome and Pte. Beesley was presented with a leather covered Morris chair.

Pte. Beesley replied in a very neat speech in which he thanked the people and recalled some of his experiences in France.

Some patriotic songs were sung, a few speeches given and with God Save the King, the gathering broke up.

JACK TAR, on leave, visited a circus in his native town. During the performance a very comely young woman non-comer entered the lion's cage, beckoned a savage monster to her, and made it take a piece of sugar from her lips. "I could do that," said Jack, audibly. The fair non-tamer overheard. "Could you?" said she. "Rather!" said Jack, jauntily. Quite as well as the lion!

RUPPRECHT MAY LAUNCH ATTACK ON THE BRITISH

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Little activity has prevailed on the remainder of the western front, except the usual reciprocal bombardments and operations in the nature of patrol engagements.

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Miss Beckwith of Halifax visited Mrs. A. S. Harriman recently. Mrs. Bert Edwards is spending this week with Hardwick friends. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Mel Doherty on the birth of a son.

Robert Johnstone, who is engaged in business out of town, spent Sunday at his home here. Miss Annie Morrison of Douglasville spent a day recently at the home of her sister, Mrs. Babkirk.

Albert Loggie was taken to the Miramichi hospital this week. "Bert's" friends—who are many—hope he may speedily regain his health.

Wilson Manderson was ill at his home here recently. He suffered an attack of appendicitis, but is improving.

A few of the boys went from here to Sussex last week, but on account of the Sussex camp being under quarantine, they were permitted to return home for a time.

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MARITIME STATE COUNCIL K. OF C. AT NEW GLASGOW

Dr. W. P. Broderick of St. John Appointed State Deputy—Order Plans To Raise War Fund of \$100,000 in the Three Provinces Late Next Month.

Special to The Standard. New Glasgow, N. S., June 19.—The meetings of the state council of the Knights of Columbus in the Maritime Provinces were held here on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. State Deputy W. J. MacMillan of Charlottetown, P. E. I., presided and delegates were present from all the councils of the order in the Maritime Provinces. Mayor Grant attended at the opening of the proceedings and after the singing of the National Anthem in a gracious speech welcomed the visitors to New Glasgow and conferred on them the freedom of the town.

Resolutions were passed affirming the whole hearted and unwavering loyalty of the Knights of Columbus of the Maritime Provinces to His most Gracious Majesty King George the Fifth and commending the devotion and heroism of so many brother Knights at the front, in defence of Christian liberty and civilization.

\$100,000 Fund. The business of the convention which overshadowed all else was the launching of a campaign for the purpose of raising in the Maritime Provinces the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for the provision of army huts in France, England, and wherever Canadian soldiers are serving. This campaign has been mooted for a considerable time and it was intended to proceed with the work at once but the Red Cross with which many Knights of Columbus are actively associated has announced its intention of launching a similar campaign in the 2nd week in July. Therefore it has been deemed advisable by the Knights to postpone their campaign until the week commencing July 29th. The new officers appointed are as follows:

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The visiting Knights were entertained by the New Glasgow Council on Tuesday night when a programme of music was rendered and an address delivered by Professor Bucknell. On Wednesday afternoon the visitors were conducted in autos to Little Harbor where supper was served.

BAND CONCERT TONIGHT. The Temple Band will play the following programme on King Square tonight: O Canada... March—New White House... Taylor Overture—Sustained... Keller-Bela Waltz—Inspiration... Miller Selection—Caledonia Bouquet... Hayes Serenade—In Twilight's Witching Hour... Phillips March—Argandah... Thomson Scottische—Frog Frolics... Hildreth Selection—Sounds from England... Lansey Waltz—Nights of Gladness... Ancliffe One-Step—They Go With Simply Wild Over Me... Fisher God Save the King

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CASUALTIES

Ottawa, June 19.—Today's list of 61 casualties includes 5 killed in action, 4 died of wounds, 5 died, 1 unofficially reported dead, 1 presumed to have died, 1 prisoner of war, 25 wounded, 1 suffering from burns, 3 gassed, and 9 ill. Those from the Maritime Provinces follow:

INFANTRY. Died of wounds—L. V. Canning, Parraboro, N. S. R. E. Graham, Moore's Mills, Charlotte, N. B. Died—N. MacKenzie, Marion Bridge, C. B. Wounded—D. M. Johnston, Blackpoint, N. S. E. C. White, Cornwall, P. E. I. E. J. Logan, Halifax, N. S. Gassed—M. L. McQuarrie, Kenlock, C. B.

ENGINEERS. Wounded—D. Spooner, address not stated. L. G. Smith, Windsor, N. S. SERVICES. Ill—S. A. Miner, Amherst, N. S.

SERIOUSLY ILL. Mrs. Donald McEachern of Presque Isle, Me., and Mrs. Harris of Fredericton have been summoned to St. John on account of the serious illness of their mother, Mrs. Toomouth, caused by a paralytic stroke which she received last Thursday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. Pelkey, City Road.

In Old Age

Health and comfort in old age depends largely on keeping the liver and kidneys in healthful action. Pains and aches, stiffness of the joints, lumbago and rheumatism tell of poisons left in the blood by sluggishness of the liver and kidneys.

People in advanced years hold Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills in high esteem because of the promptness and certainty with which they awaken the action of kidneys, liver and bowels.

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NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

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By means of a war lecture bureau it is hoped before October to reach 2,000 women. This was a statement made by the corresponding secretary of the Housewives' League...

B. C. LIBERALS TURN DOWN A WOMAN

Miss Nellie Stewart of Victoria Fails of Nomination For Legislature.

Victoria, B. C., June 19.—By a vote of 11 to 10, Major W. Tangley defeated Miss Nellie Stewart...

WEDDINGS.

At the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. D. Hutchinson, a quiet wedding was celebrated last night when he united in marriage...

WOMEN DEPUTY REGISTRARS.

Newcastle, June 19.—The women who assist here Saturday in registration work. The following have been appointed deputy registrars...

HOPENELL HILL. WOMAN'S INSTITUTE

Annual Meeting Held Monday Afternoon - Reports Received and Officers Elected For Next Term.

The annual meeting of the Women's Institute was held on Monday afternoon, June 18, at the Hopenell Hill...

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SPORTING NEWS AND GOSSIP

N. B. KENNEL CLUB WILL HOLD SHOW

Decided At Meeting Last Evening - Show Committee Appointed - Proceeds For Patriotic.

A largely attended meeting of the New Brunswick Kennel Club was held last evening when it was decided to hold the annual show...

ROTHESAY SCHOOL SPORTS YESTERDAY

Preliminary Events Run Off - The Finals This Afternoon - Closing Address and Presentation of Prizes.

The preliminary sports were conducted on the Rothersey Collegiate School grounds yesterday afternoon and the different events were keenly contested...

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Bringing Up Father



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The Germans last night, after a violent preparatory bombardment, began an attack on the Rheims front, between Virgny and La Pompelle. The war office so announced today.

The French are resisting the German blow with entire success.

On the western front of the attack at Rheims the enemy was not able to even reach the French line. In the centre, before the city the Germans were completely repulsed and suffered heavy losses. East of Rheims the French were equally successful.

The French official statement follows:

"Last night at 6 o'clock the Germans delivered a violent preparatory bombardment on the whole front of Rheims, from the region of Virgny west of the city as far east as La Pompelle. At 9 o'clock the enemy infantry began an attack on the French positions between these two points.

"The French troops resisted the German attack with complete success, the counter-barrage of the French artillery proving very strong.

"Between Virgny and Ormas, German assault troops were stopped by the French fire and forced to return many times to their lines of departure and were not finally able to reach the French positions."

Strong Resistance

"Around Rheims violent combats developed, during the course of which the enemy suffered heavy losses and was everywhere repulsed.

"East of Rheims the fighting was likewise ended to the advantage of the French. The Germans, having been successful in penetrating the woods northeast of Sillery, were driven out by a counter-attack.

"Prisoners taken in the region of Rheims declared that the town was attacked by three divisions, which were ordered to take the place at all costs during the night."

A Semi-Circle

The front of the new German attack is the semi-circle drawn by the enemy about the city of Rheims in the recent offensive on the Aisne front. The Rheims region comprised the left flank of the German attack. Ground was given by the French on both sides of the cathedral city, but the town itself and the nearby protecting forts were held against the German onslaught and have since remained in French possession.

Rheims, however, was hemmed in on three sides by the enemy, and it has been considered only a question of time when the Germans would make a concerted movement to oust its defenders. The front line of the present attack, from Virgny, west of the city, to La Pompelle, around the semi-circle to the east, is approximately fourteen miles.

The British Front

London, June 19.—British troops last night successfully repulsed the German lines in the region to the south of Hebuterne, north of Albert. A British post recently taken by the Germans near Vieux-Berquin, on the northern side of the Lys salient, was recaptured. Some prisoners and two machine guns were taken in the operation.

The text of the statement reads:

"A raid attempted by the enemy in the Loos sector was repulsed by French troops. The hostile artillery was active yesterday evening in the Aisne Valley, about Mericourt, and during the night has been active in the neighborhood of Morris (Flanders front).

Italian Front

Paris, June 19.—The battle on the Italian front, now in its fourth day, presents a favorable aspect, according to dispatches to the Havas Agency. The Austrians have gained along a line four kilometres long on the west side of the Piave River. The Austrians have lost 6,000 prisoners and the losses of the enemy show that he is using his reserves while the Italians are protecting theirs.

In Rheims Sector.

Paris, June 19.—(By The Associated Press)—The far eastern Russian committee for the "salvation of the motherland" has resolved to appeal through Japan for immediate intervention in Siberia by Entente Allied forces. The Russians say there would be no difficulty in establishing an allied army in Siberia. They frankly deprecate a purely Japanese expedition on the ground of what they term Japan's imperialistic and racial aspirations and memories of the Russo-Japanese war.

WANT THE ALLIES TO INTERVENE IN SIBERIA

Eastern Russian Committee Issues Appeal Through Japan.

Paris, June 19.—(By The Associated Press)—The far eastern Russian committee for the "salvation of the motherland" has resolved to appeal through Japan for immediate intervention in Siberia by Entente Allied forces. The Russians say there would be no difficulty in establishing an allied army in Siberia. They frankly deprecate a purely Japanese expedition on the ground of what they term Japan's imperialistic and racial aspirations and memories of the Russo-Japanese war.

LUMBER SCALING

Fredericton, June 19.—A new lumber scale for New Brunswick is one of the probabilities for next year. This matter was discussed at yesterday's

FROST DAMAGES UP RIVER TRUCK

Gardens in York and Sunbury Hit By Jack the Nipper.

Fredericton, June 19.—A heavy frost occurred last night in this section of New Brunswick and much damage was done to garden crops which are easily affected by the frost. There was a large acreage of beans put in by many farmers in various sections, the large price quoted for beans in the produce markets recently attracting the attention of many to this crop. The beans are easily affected by frost and in some sections were hard hit last night.

The Nashwaak Valley appears to have experienced a particularly low temperature, and much damage to the crops is reported.

At the meteorological observatory at the University of New Brunswick a temperature of 34 was recorded. This is only two degrees above the freezing point and on low lands several degrees of frost occurred. Gardens in Devon and Nashwaak were hard hit, but in Fredericton little damage was done. Early risers saw white frost in the city and outside.

At Mouserville the market gardeners met with loss. Tomatoes were damaged extensively as well as beans and other crops.

BOOMS WILSON FOR PRESIDENT IN 1920

Former Governor of Indiana Enthusiastic — Vice-President Places Winning of War Before Party Advantage and Personal Ambition.

Indianapolis, Ind., June 19.—Declaring that the " exigencies of the times call for re-nomination and election in 1920 of Woodrow Wilson," Samuel Babson, former governor of Indiana, permanent chairman of the Indiana state Democratic convention, here today, fired the delegates and audience with enthusiasm that brought them to their feet waving flags and cheering. The demonstration lasted for several minutes.

Mr. Babson followed Vice-President Thomas R. Marshall, who as temporary chairman delivered the keynote address of the convention.

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GOSSIP

ACADIAS WON FROM SOLDIERS

Sided Game in Military League Last Evening — Score Was 18 To 2.

At evening the Acadias met the "Soldiers" team in a game in the Barrack square which went in favor of the Acadias by a score of 18 to 2.

ARK POINT STARS DEFEAT THE SOCKS

A game of ball that went in favor of the Ark Point Stars against the Carleton Red Socks was played in the Barrack square last evening. The Stars were victorious by a score of 14 to 4.

CHALLENGE TO TELEGRAPH

A Standard aggregation of ball players from the Mailing Room challenged the Telegraph team to a game of ball to be played on Saturday afternoon on any one of the grounds which may be suitable for the purpose.

CHALLENGE ACCEPTED

Port Howe Tires wish to go to the challenge of the Mailing Room team which appeared in yesterday's game, on provision that the umpire be picked from the spectators.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	P
Chicago	10	1	0
Pittsburgh	7	3	0
Cleveland	6	4	0
St. Louis	5	5	0
Philadelphia	4	6	0
Baltimore	3	7	0
Washington	2	8	0
Brooklyn	1	9	0
New York	0	10	0

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N. Y. QUOTATIONS. (McDougall and Cowans.) Open High Low Close. Am Beet Sug... 68 1/2 68 3/4 67 3/4 67 1/2. Am Car Fy... 80 1/2 80 3/4 80 80. Am Loco... 67 68 68 66 1/2. Am Sug... 113 1/2 114 113 113. Am Smelt... 76 1/2 76 3/4 76 1/2 76. Am Zinc... 17 1/2 17 3/4 17 1/2 17. Am Telo... 99 99 99 99. Anaconda... 65 65 64 1/2 64 1/2. Am Can... 46 46 1/2 46 46 1/2. Atchison... 53 1/2 53 3/4 53 1/2 53. Bait and Oil... 34 34 34 34. Bald Loco... 89 1/2 89 3/4 89 1/2 89. Beth Steel... 83 1/2 83 3/4 83 1/2 83. Brook Rap Tr... 42 42 42 42. Butte and Sup... 49 49 49 49. C F I... 50 50 49 49. C. I. N... 39 39 38 38. Cent Leather... 67 1/2 67 3/4 67 1/2 67. Dettlers... 59 1/2 59 3/4 59 1/2 59. Cruc Steel... 65 1/2 65 3/4 65 1/2 65. Erie Ist Pfd... 33 33 33 33. Gr Nor Pfd... 89 1/2 89 3/4 89 1/2 89. Gen Elect... 148 1/2 148 3/4 148 1/2 148. Gr Nor Ore... 33 33 32 32. Gen Motors... 128 128 127 127. Inespra Cop... 52 52 51 1/2 51 1/2. Kenne Cop... 32 1/2 32 3/4 32 1/2 32. Lehigh Val... 29 1/2 29 3/4 29 1/2 29. Mer Mar Pfd... 104 1/2 104 3/4 104 1/2 104. Mex Petrol... 95 1/2 95 3/4 95 1/2 95. Midvale Steel... 51 1/2 51 3/4 51 1/2 51. N YN and H... 42 1/2 42 3/4 42 1/2 42. N Y Cent... 72 1/2 72 3/4 72 1/2 72. Nor Pac... 87 1/2 87 3/4 87 1/2 87. Penn... 44 1/2 44 3/4 44 1/2 44. Pres S I... 65 1/2 65 3/4 65 1/2 65. Reading Com... 92 1/2 92 3/4 92 1/2 92. Repub Steel... 90 1/2 90 3/4 90 1/2 90. St Paul... 43 1/2 43 3/4 43 1/2 43. Sou Rail... 44 1/2 44 3/4 44 1/2 44. Studebaker... 46 1/2 46 3/4 46 1/2 46. Union Pac... 122 1/2 122 3/4 122 1/2 122. U S Stl Com... 104 1/2 104 3/4 104 1/2 104. U S Rub... 58 1/2 58 3/4 58 1/2 58. Utah Cop... 78 1/2 78 3/4 78 1/2 78. Westinghouse... 43 1/2 43 3/4 43 1/2 43. U S Steel Pfd... 111 1/2 111 3/4 111 1/2 111.

MONTREAL SALES. Montreal, June 19.—Morning. Steel Can Pfd... 10 @ 94 1/2. Brazillan... 10 @ 24 1/2. Can. Cem. Pfd... 10 @ 90 1/2. Can. Cem. Com... 7 @ 60 1/2. Steel Can... 4 @ 67 1/2. 185 @ 67 1/2. 125 @ 67 1/2. 60 @ 66 1/2. 25 @ 66 1/2. 60 @ 66 1/2. Dom. Iron Com... 130 @ 62. 30 @ 61 1/2. 10 @ 61 1/2. 15 @ 61 1/2. Shawinigan... 4 @ 113. Civic Power... 11 @ 75 1/2. 125 @ 75 1/2. Can. Car Com... 5 @ 32 1/2. 25 @ 32 1/2. 1937 War Loan... 50,000 @ 93 1/2. Riorion... 25 @ 118. St. Laur. Flour... 225 @ 76 1/2. 5 @ 76 1/2. Afternoon. Promont... 110 @ 56. Ames Holden Pfd... 100 @ 62. Can. Cotton Pfd... 43 @ 76. Paint Pfd... 1 @ 60. Palat Com... 1 @ 60. Dom. Textile... 10 @ 89 1/2. Can. Cem. Pfd... 5 @ 90 1/2. Steel Can. Com... 25 @ 66 1/2. 120 @ 66 1/2. 20 @ 65 1/2. 60 @ 61 1/2. Dom. Iron Com... 10 @ 61 1/2. Shawinigan... 5 @ 113 1/2. 1925 War Loan... 10,000 @ 95 5/8. Can. Car Com... 25 @ 32 1/2. 1937 War Loan... 1,000 @ 93 1/2. 500 @ 93 1/2. Ogilvie... 25 @ 32 1/2. Riorion... 125 @ 20. 5 @ 120 1/2. 25 @ 119. Mo. Cotton... 25 @ 55. St. Laur. Flour... 25 @ 76 1/2. Quebec Railway... 35 @ 29. Ames Pfd... 25 @ 62.

CHICAGO PRODUCE. Chicago, June 19.—OATS—No. 3 white 78 3/4 to 79 3/4. STANDARD—79 3/4 to 80. CORN—No. 2 yellow nominal. CORN—No. 3 yellow 164. CORN—No. 4 yellow 14 1/2 to 15.3. HYE—No. 2 nominal. HARLEY—\$1.00 to \$1.25. TIMOTHY—\$5.00 to \$5.00. CLOVER—Nominal. PORK—Nominal. LARD—\$25.05. RIBS—\$22.50 to \$23.00. TORONTO PRODUCE. OATS—Canadian western, No. 2 3/4 110.95 to 111.05. OATS—Extra No. 1 feed 94 1/2. FLOUR—Manitoba new standard grade 110.95 to 111.05. BRAN—\$45.00. SHOOTS—\$49.00. MOULTELL—\$70.00. HAY—No. 2, per ton, car lots 115.50. POTATOES—Per bag, car lots 11.50 @ 11.60.

INCREASE IN THE VALUE OF ALL SEA FISH IN CANADA. In May Total Catch Was \$2,238,626 Against \$2,161,571. CODFISH HOWEVER SHOW FALLING OFF. Herring, Mackerel and Sardines More Plentiful, But Lobsters Scarcer.

Ottawa, June 19.—The total value in first hands, of sea fish landed in Canada during the month of May was \$2,238,626, as compared with \$2,161,571 for the same month last year, according to the monthly statement issued from the department of Naval Service. The statement says that fishing was carried on under favorable weather conditions this year, but in the more easterly parts of Nova Scotia, the coast, interfered with operations. The catch of cod and haddock this year was 90,073, hundred weight which is more than one hundred thousand hundred weight less than in May 1917, when it totalled 191,234 hundred weight. The quantity of hake and pollock was 18,300 hundred weight less last month than in May 1917. An extraordinary catch of hake, 15,000 hundred weight, landed at Yarmouth, N. S., in May last year, causing the figures for that month to be high as compared with May 1918. The landings of herring and mackerel were slightly better this year than last, and the sardine catch was much greater, the quantity being 37,966 barrels against 6,515 barrels. The total pack of lobsters up to the end of last month was 52,886 cases, while 43,479 hundred weights were shipped in shell to market. During the corresponding periods the preceding year, the pack was 73,831 cases and the shipments 57,410 hundred weights.

CORN PRICES GO UPWARD AGAIN. Revived Export Demand Strengthens Oats To 71 1-2. Chicago, June 19.—Falling off in receipts with the belief that the crop movement would be still more curtailed as soon as much wheat was ready for shipment had a bullish effect today on corn. Initial declines due to favorable weather were not of a lasting sort, as government advices showed need of rain in important districts. Opening prices, which ranged from 3-8 off to 1-8 advance, with July at \$1.43 1/2 to \$1.46 1-8 and August at \$1.45 to \$1.46 1/2, were followed by moderate advances all around. Revised export demand strengthened oats. The fact that the crop is at a critical stage seemed as if to make sellers cautious. After opening 1-8 cent off to 1/2 cent advance, with July at 71 1/2, the market scored material general gains. Provision rose with corn. Offerings were light.

B. & T. LOSES ITS \$4,000,000 SUIT. Plaintiff Was Hampden Railroad Corporation — Decision Likely To Be Appealed. Springfield, Mass., June 19.—Chief Justice Alton of the Superior Court today ordered the jury to bring in a verdict for the defendant in the suit of the Hampden Railroad Corporation against the Boston & Maine Railroad Company to recover a construction account of nearly \$4,000,000 based on the failure of the Boston & Maine to ratify a lease of the Hampden Railroad. Judge Alton stated that he was not influenced by any question of fraud. The suit has been on trial since May 27. It is understood it will be taken to the Supreme Court.

MONTREAL SALES. (McDougall and Cowans.) Bid. Ask. Ames Holden Pfd... 61 1/2 62. Brazillan L. H. and F... 34 1/2 35. Canada Car... 32 1/2 33. Canada Cement... 60 60 1/2. Canada Cement Pfd... 90 90 1/2. Dom. Iron Com... 61 1/2 61 1/2. Dom. Pac. Com... 89 90. Ogilvie... 170 170. Quebec Railway... 30 31. Shaw W. and P. Co... 112 112 1/2. Spanish River Com... 12 12. Steel Co. Can. Com... 66 1/2 66 1/2.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET. (McDougall and Cowans.) High. Low. Close. July... 146 146 146. Aug... 147 147 147. Oats. July... 73 73 73. Aug... 69 69 69. Pork. July... 42 42 42.

MOVEMENT FOR STILL HIGHER STEEL PRICES. Conference Will Be Held in Washington Today To Consider Scale. COST OF PRODUCTION HIGHER NEXT YEAR. Market in Wall Street Reacts Indifferently in Early Afternoon.

McDOUGALL & COWANS. New York, June 19.—The market reacted indifferently in the early afternoon and became dull. Mercantile Marine stocks became soft, the decline in the preferred by the middle of the afternoon exceeding two points. The weakness of this issue to a certain extent affected the most of the list and the forenoon gains were largely cancelled before the close. The opinion was expressed by certain houses supposed to have good sources of information that a delay of some weeks in completing the Mer. Marine ship deal was more than likely. Officers of leading steel companies conferred here today preparatory to the conference at Washington on the price scale to apply after July 1. No decision was announced except that the matter was unanimously left in the hands of the committee of the iron and steel industries. The Iron Age says today that the cost of producing steel will be higher next quarter, the advance in freight rates alone adding from \$1.10 to \$1.50 a ton and that there is no indication yet of what attitude the Government will take. The United States Steel Corporation is understood to be willing to continue existing prices while some of the smaller steel concerns will present a case for somewhat higher prices. Washington dispatches quote the war industries board to the effect that no more steel will be taken by the government than it can actually use. It is understood that the industry will be cut off from its steel supply unless such action should become absolutely necessary. E. & C. RANDOLPH.

NEWSPRINT NOW \$3.10 PER CWT. Maximum News Paper Prices Fixed By International Agreement. Washington, June 19.—Maximum newsprint prices were fixed today by the U. S. trade commission, in accordance with an agreement between the attorney-general and the three American and seven Canadian companies participating in the agreement, which was signed in New York on May 15. The agreement provides for a maximum price of 3-8 off to 1-8 advance, with July at \$1.43 1/2 to \$1.46 1-8 and August at \$1.45 to \$1.46 1/2.

BULL TRADING MARKET SOON. McDOUGALL & COWANS. New York, June 19.—The present tendency—a bull trading market is expected temporarily. On recession good buying appears. Pool sources exhibit a sentiment favorably to conservative special advances. The taxation talk is wearing off and more attention is being given to war news. There is a strong feeling in some quarters that with easing money, the brilliant post outlook must be recognized by the stock market. Steels, Oils, Equipments and affiliated issues continue to hold professional attention of pool circles with prediction of higher prices for Ato., Ins., Hg., Int., Agl., Pierce Arrow and Wilson. N. Y. F. B.

MONTREAL CATTLE. Montreal, June 19.—(East End Market)—Receipts: Cattle, 500; sheep and lambs, 210; hogs, 550; calves, 1100. Market lower for live-stock generally, a decline of about fifty cents being noted in the principal lines. Demand for steers good at \$15.50 to \$15.50 for choicest; other grades \$11.00 to \$12.00; choice butter cows \$10.00 to 12.50; poor quality \$7 to \$9.50. Butchers bulls \$5 to \$12. Hogs weaker at \$19 to \$19.50 off cars for choice. Sheep \$15 to \$16.50. Calves in good demand at \$9.50 to \$15 for milk fed stock.

GOLD EXPORTS. New York, June 19.—The New York federal reserve bank today received a further shipment of \$5,000,000 in gold from Ottawa, making a total of \$25,000,000 received on this movement.

YARMOUTH'S M. P. (British and Colonial Press.) E. K. SPINNEY.

PAPER COMPANY CUTS A MELON. Subsidiary of Rioridan Far From Being Bankrupt—Declares Dividend At Rate of Forty Per Cent. and Bonus of 120 Per Cent. Montreal, June 19.—A subsidiary of the Rioridan Paper Co., today declared a dividend of 30 per cent, at the rate of 40 per cent per annum and a bonus of 120 per cent. After this announcement there was some demand for the stock and it advanced to 120. Most of the trading today was again in Steel Co. In the morning it advanced to 67 1/2, but in sympathy with the weakness in New York, reacted over a point at the close. Odd lots of Ogilvie sold at 175, bringing the stock back to its high point. The weakness in New York and the new offensive on the western front, curbed trading here and until we hear some definite news in regard to the latter, trading will probably be light.

NEWS SUMMARY. McDOUGALL & COWANS. New York, June 19.—Buffalo Rochester Pitts., 2nd week June Inc. \$31,500. Detroit Edison declares regular quarterly dividend of 3 per cent payable July 15th to stock record of July 1st. Western Union Telegraphers controversy discussed at cabinet meeting yesterday. President Wilson not disposed to take drastic measures for seizure of telegraph lines unless all means to prevent operators' strike fails. Sentiment for Secretary of State Lansing for Governor of New York state develops at state Democratic conference. Chairman of Steel Corporation says mills are working at 93.4 per cent of capacity of year. Secretary Baker not to oppose conscription of men from 18 to 45. B. & O. files with Ohio public utility commission request for authority to issue \$20-million 5 per cent bonds. War finance corporation said to have decided to loan Brooklyn Rapid Transit \$17,235,000 or 30 per cent of face value of notes maturing July 1, leaving about \$4,500,000 to be taken care of by bankers. D. J. & CO.

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STOCK TRADING ONCE MORE IS SUPERFICIAL. Fine Crop Prospects Encourage Granger, Railroad Boosters and Cotton Men. FURTHER SLUMP IN LAST HOUR. Fertilizers and Leather Stocks Gain From One To Three Points.

New York, June 19.—Trading in stocks was again extremely superficial, the market showing no substantial changes from the previous session, except that prices eased more generally toward the end. The only domestic happenings of note were the decision of the war finance corporation to render assistance to the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, and the meeting of the steel producers to fix new prices, effective July 1st. Fine crop prospects were seen by the weekly weather report which favored previous conditions in the more important agricultural sections, but Grangers and Cotton Carriers gave no outward expression to this news. Brooklyn Transit and other utilities made only feeble responses to the action of the federal authorities, and steels, together with related industrial and equipment were uncertain at best, except a few issues which remain ed firm to strong specifications. United States Steel, rails and shipping, especially the latter, fell back in the last hour, the reversal being in marked contrast to the strength of fertilizers and leathers at extreme gains of 1 to 3 points. Sales amounted to 410,000 shares. Local banks offered call money freely, the rate falling to 4 1/2 after the mid-session. The placing of a large sum of time funds also eased the market, short time loans being made on industrial collateral at six per cent. Bonds prices were fixed on light offerings, liberty issues varying. Total sales (par value) were \$5,150,000. Old United States Bonds were unchanged on call.

RATIONING SYSTEM FOR THE DOMINION. Hundreds of Thousands of Bushels of Wheat Have Been Sunk By Germans. Montreal, June 19.—The rationing system must certainly be imposed in Canada within the next month and a half in order to protect citizens in general. L. G. A. Cresse, superintendent registrar for Quebec stated today Mr. Cresse said that within the last few weeks hundreds of thousands of bushels of wheat have gone down with vessels sunk on the Atlantic and the other side of the Atlantic. Mr. Cresse made this announcement in support of a plea for complete registration in Quebec.

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COTTON GOODS PRICES ARE TO BE CONTROLLED. Government Takes a Hand—Railroad Stocks Expected To Advance Later—Short Interest in Motors.

McDOUGALL & COWANS. New York, June 19.—The decision of the Washington government to control prices in the cotton goods line is interpreted in well informed quarters as reducing the rumors of abolition of the price fixing policy which is expected however to be more liberal henceforth. Conservative stock exchange houses that have recommended strongly by the attraction of the railroad list have not wavered in their position taken recently and they still hold firm in the conviction that as soon as the government settles the contract question giving something definite, the standard railroad stocks will advance. In some quarters of the street it is declared with a good deal of emphasis that there are several important speculative deals which are held up by the failure of Washington to decide the railway contract question but that as soon as that matter is disposed of and a basis for action provided, important announcements will be forthcoming favorable to stocks. Interests which are in a position to speak with knowledge are referring in private advices to evidence of a very large short interest in the Motor stocks. N. Y. F. B.

CHICAGO CATTLE. Chicago, June 19.—(United States Bureau of Markets)—Hogs, receipts 19,000; mostly 10 cents under yesterday's average. Bulk \$15.50 @ \$16.80; butchers \$15.55 @ \$16.80; packing \$15.55 @ \$16.55; light \$16.55 @ \$17.00; rough \$15.50 @ \$16.75; pigs \$16.25 @ \$16.75. Cattle, receipts 11,000; best cattle steady, with yesterday's close, other very slow. Bidding generally lower. Veal calves steady. Sheep, receipts 9,000; bidding generally lower, than high, time late yesterday.

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Plans and specifications can be seen
at the office of Grant & Morin.
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sarily accepted.

A. C. GRANT,
Chairman of Committee.

IMPORTANT CHANGE IN P. E. I. SERVICE

S.S. Northumberland on Route
Between Summerside and
Point du Chene.

Through rail and steamship service
to Prince Edward Island will on and
after Monday, June 24th, be via the
Pt. du Chene-Summerside route, this
change being made while the S. S.
Prince Edward Island is in dry dock
undergoing repairs. S. S. Northum-
berland will perform the service
leaving Summerside at 9.10 a.m.,
after the arrival of the morning
train from Charlottetown and Tin-
nish and arriving at Pt. du Chene
shortly after noon, connecting with a
train leaving at 12.45 p.m., and ar-
riving in Moncton at 1.35 p.m., mak-
ing connection with the Ocean Liner
for Montreal and with No. 13 train
arriving in St. John at 5.30 p.m., and
making the Boston connection.

The Northumberland will leave for
Summerside at 5.30 p.m., after the
arrival of the train leaving Moncton
at 4.15 p.m., which permits con-
nections from St. John by No. 14
train leaving there at 12.50 noon,
and from Montreal and Quebec by
No. 200 Ocean Limited, arriving in
Moncton at 4.00 p. m. The steamer
makes connection at Summerside
with train leaving at 8.45 p.m., and
arriving at Charlottetown at 11.10
p.m. Connection for Tinich is
made by train leaving Summerside
at 5.30 p.m., arriving at Tinich at
11.55 p.m. This service it is ex-
pected will remain in effect until
about August 1st.

Nos. 13 and 14 trains hitherto run-
ning between St. John and Cape Tor-
mentine will continue to run between
St. John and Moncton. The cafe
and bar on this train for the ac-
commodation of passengers to Cape
Tormentine will be withdrawn.

WEDDINGS.

Reynolds-Kelly.
The Cathedral was the scene of a
pretty wedding yesterday morning
when Rev. William Duke united in
marriage Miss E. Blanche Kelly and
Dominic B. Reynolds. After a short
honeymoon trip through New Brun-
swick the happy couple will make their
home at Sarnsville.
McMenamin-Collen.

A pretty wedding took place at St.
Peter's church yesterday morning
when Miss Marion Collen became the
bride of William A. McMenamin. The
marriage ceremony was performed
by Rev. Francis Healey, C. S. R.
They will make their home at 28
Spar Cove-Road.
McBay-Erb.

A quiet wedding took place at the
home of the officiating clergyman, Rev.
F. J. Hutchinson, when he united in
marriage Miss Myra Blanche Erb
and John P. McBay, both of this city.
Immediately following the ceremony
the happy couple left for an auto trip
through the province.
Blair-O'Neill.

At St. Peter's church yesterday
morning at six o'clock, Rev. F. J.
Conaghan, C. S. R., united in mar-
riage Miss Isabella O'Neill and Joseph
Blair. Miss Mary McDermott at-
tended the bride and Francis McInnis
supported the groom.

OBITUARY.

Miss Alice A. Doherty.
Miss Alice A. Doherty passed away
at the St. John Infirmary at 10.30
morning following an operation for
throat trouble. Miss Doherty who was
a popular young lady had been
troubled for some time with an affec-
tion of the throat and entered the
Infirmary on Sunday. The operation
was performed yesterday morning
but Miss Doherty failed to recover.
She is survived by her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Hugh Doherty, 299 Charlotte
street, and three sisters, Misses
Grace, May and Katherine.

Miss Mary Armstrong.
Miss Mary Armstrong, of Fairville,
died yesterday morning at Chatham.
She is survived by three brothers,
Charles and William, of Montreal, and
James, of Boston; and five sisters,
Mrs. George Reid, of Fairville; Mrs.
William Robinson, of Boston; Mrs.
Thomas Stotter, and Misses Elizabeth
and Grace Armstrong, of Fairville.
The body will be brought here and the
funeral will be held Friday afternoon.

FUNERALS

The funeral of Mrs. Joseph Watson
took place yesterday afternoon from
her son's residence, 56 Pond street.
Services were conducted by Rev. F. H.
McIntyre, and interment was made
in the Church of England burying
ground.

WORDS OF CAUTION

London, June 19.—A note of warning
against increased war expenditures
is sounded by the Daily Chronicle and
the Daily News in their comment on
the statement made by Andrew Bonar
Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, in
moving a vote of credit in the House
of Commons yesterday. Other papers
do not question the huge outlay.
"We are getting our money's worth,"
says the Daily Express. It adds that
the Allies "look forward to another
three months of insistent anxiety."

A MECHANICAL SALESMAN

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on follow-up letters. A. Milne Fraser,
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NOTICE.

C. G. R. Suburban train No. 352, due
to leave St. John 12.20 p.m. Thursday
and Friday, June 20th and 21st, re-
spectively, will be held until 1.15 p.m.
to accommodate parties attending
closing exercises at Rousesay schools.

NOTICE FOR TENDERS.

Separate or bulk tenders will be
received by the undersigned up to
5 o'clock p.m. Tuesday, July 2nd,
1918, at his office, 42 Princess street,
St. John, N. B., from all trades re-
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Around the City

FAIR AND COOL.

THE PLAYGROUNDS. The West Side playgrounds are now undergoing repair.

TO ATTEND COLOSSEUM.

A. Diego, Havana, Cuba, is a visitor in the city, and attending the closing exercises at Robb's College.

SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT.

Another slight improvement in the condition of Aubrey Ervin was reported at the General Public Hospital last night.

A CORRECTION.

H. G. S. Adams who was reported yesterday as one of those in favor of the change in time for the Sussex express, called at the Standard office yesterday and stated that he was one of the subscribers who opposed any change in the time of this train.

SURPRISED PARENTS.

Lieut. J. Frank Smith surprised his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith, 233 Alexander street, West Side, when he walked in Tuesday night.

STAR CHALLENGE FRANKLINS.

The York Point Stars wish to challenge the Franklins to an eight inning game to be played next Friday evening.

OFFICIAL WELCOME.

The returning soldiers reception committee tendered an official welcome to the men who arrived in the city on Tuesday evening.

CAR TURNED TURTLE.

Five young men had a narrow escape from very serious injuries Monday evening while automobile near Lee's Corner.

HAND BADLY INJURED.

A small boy named Howes had one of his hands badly injured yesterday morning. He was visiting friends at Gondola Point and accompanied a young companion who was cutting down a tree.

GUNSHOT WOUNDS.

Mrs. Esther McIntyre, Havelock street, West Side, yesterday received word that her son, Pte. George B. McIntyre had been admitted to No. 4 General Hospital at Basingstoke, on June 13, suffering from gunshot wounds in the chest, head and leg.

CHURCHES WILL UNITE.

Rev. Hammond Johnston, who for the past four years has been pastor of the Queen Square Methodist church, will leave next week for Moncton, where he will assume the pastorate of the Wesley Memorial church.

HORSEMEN TO MOVE.

Messrs. Lint, Doherty, Boutillier and Raymond, who are training their horses on the Fredericton track, are arranging to ship to Houlton the latter part of next week.

FORMER ST. JOHN BOY.

Among the returned soldiers arriving in the city on Wednesday was Corporal Johnston Elderkin a former St. John boy, and son of C. J. Elderkin now a resident in Calgary.

LIQUOR VENDOR RESIGNS.

C. R. Wasson has handed his resignation as liquor vendor to Chief Inspector Wilson but as yet it has not been accepted by that official.

ON LECTURE TOUR.

Mrs. J. W. V. Lawlor, who is lecturing throughout the province on food conservation, arrived in Fredericton Tuesday night and went to Blackville yesterday morning.

LUDLOW STREET BAPTIST CHURCH ANNUAL MEETING

Best Year in Church History—About \$4,500 Raised For All Purposes—Rev. W. R. Robinson Enters on Eleventh Year As Pastor.

The annual meeting of the Ludlow Street Baptist Church was held last night, and the reports presented showed that the church had just closed one of the best years in its history.

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A ST. JOHN DEPOT BATTALION MAN IS SHOT IN ACCIDENT

Private Eric LeBlanc While Gunned At College Bridge Injured in Foot and May Not Go To War.

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FORMER RESIDENT HAS ACCEPTED THE NOMINATION

Brig.-General C. W. Weldon McLean May Be Representative in Imperial Parliament—Is Son of Brig.-General H. H. McLean.

According to a report which reached the city recently St. John may soon have a representative in the Imperial Parliament. The report was to the effect that Brigadier-General C. W. Weldon McLean, son of Brigadier-General H. H. McLean had been offered and accepted the nomination for an English constituency and that the prospects for his election were bright.

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Fifty Recruits For Jewish Legion Arrive From American Centres—Mechanics, Business and Professional Men in the Party.

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POWER COMPANY EMPLOYEES HELD MEETING YESTERDAY

Indications Point To Agreement Within Next Ten Days—Men Want Increase and Negotiations Progressing Favorably.

TOWN PLANNING MEETING IS HELD

Municipal Council Committee and Town Planning Commission Had Two Hours Session Yesterday.

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PERSONALS

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CITY OF MONCTON TO GO ON BEER DIET. Up To Date Some Fifty Licenses Issued—Citizens Signing Up. CARD OF THANKS. N. W. Rowell, president of the council has sent out a card of thanks to the members of the War Lecture Bureau.