

# HARD FIGHTING GOING ON NORTH OF THE OISE; GERMANS PRESSING ON TOWARD ANTWERP

### French Army Displays Great Dash and Bravery

— Unit of German Army Sent to Help Break Allies' Line Held in Check by French — Berlin Admits Germans Met with Heavy Losses at Hands of Czar's Troops on Frontier of Prussia — French Northward Movement Brings Line Near Belgian Frontier.

While the world awaits news of the great battle in which the British and French allied forces and the Germans in Northern France have engaged for twenty-six days, the meagre official reports from the front vouchsafe little information of the actual operations. Today it is a small piece of ground lost and tomorrow the same ground has been regained. Meanwhile the French forces are moving northward, but are gaining little to the eastward, which would be essential to the outflanking of the German right wing.

As a matter of fact, Gen. Von Kluck, in command of that section of the German army, with heavy reinforcements, which have reached him in the past week, has taken a decided offensive, and day by day the same announcement is made by the French war office that the "violent battle continues."

### FRENCH SHOWING REMARKABLE BRAVERY.

The British official bureau reports that the French army is fighting with the greatest dash and bravery, but is silent on what the British are doing.

The French officials report an advance on certain points on the centre and the re-taking of the ground previously yielded in the Roye district.

Recently masses of German cavalry have been seen near Lille, and behind them German forces moving on a line between Tourcoing and Armentieres. This important unit of the German army, which it was thought might serve to break the French line, the French report, has been held in check, and to the north of Lille has been driven back. On two wings, it is added, the German attacks have been repulsed.

The northward movement of the French line brings it close to the Belgian frontier, and coincidentally there have been engagements between the Belgians and the Germans in the environs of Ypres, twenty miles south of Ostend, and at Audenarde, fifteen miles southwest of Ghent.

Berlin Admits Heavy Loss in East Prussia

While the East Indian troops have reached France, and may have already reinforced Field Marshal French's army, operating in the neighbourhood of Soissons, the whereabouts of the Canadians, numbering about 33,000 has been a matter of conjecture. It is now announced that they are about to be launched in a strategic offensive movement, and will be sent to an inland training camp.

The situation as between the Russians and Germans and Austrians is somewhat problematical, but a very frank statement from Berlin admits that the German forces on the frontier of East Prussia have assumed a strategic defensive movement, and that they abandoned the bombardment of Osowetz fortress, in Russian Poland.

This statement adds that the fighting at Augustow and in Suwalki was of a most sanguinary nature, and that while the German troops finally turned the scale of battle in favor of the Germans, the slaughter of the German soldiers was terrific. The movements of the German troops were greatly hampered by the physical condition of the country.

The forty-third German casualty list, issued at Berlin, contains 10,500 names in dead, wounded and missing. Berlin reports that the fighting on

## REINFORCED, GERMANS ON EAST PRUSSIAN FRONTIER FIGHTING STUBBORNLY

### Offer Strong Resistance to Russians at Vladislavoff and Ratchka — Belgians Repulsed the Enemy Near Ghent.

Petrograd, Oct. 7.—The Russian general staff today issued the following statement: "On the East Prussian frontier the Germans having brought up reinforcements from Koenigsberg, continue to oppose a tenacious resistance upon the battle front of Vladislavoff, and Ratchka, probing by the dories, lakes and marshes in the region of Tcheroc-anja. "Beyond the Vistula advance guard battles have occurred in the region of Opotow and Sandomir. "In the Carpathians, west of the River Sajok, an Austrian detachment was defeated and machine guns and prisoners captured. "At Salva, twenty kilometres from the city of Munkatch, we have captured an artillery park and numerous convoys."

## NEW C.P.R. LINER SAILS ON MAIDEN TRIP

### The Missanable Left Other Side Yesterday With Capt. Evans in Command.

London, Oct. 7.—The new twin-screw steamer Missanable of the C. P. R. fleet has sailed, her maiden trip being taken as scheduled, notwithstanding the war conditions. The new vessel has a gross tonnage of 13,000 tons and was built to meet the popular demand for a one-cabin class. She carries a full complement of passengers.

## OUT ON BAIL, REARRESTED AT INSTANCE OF HALIFAX POLICE

### Montreal Man on Trial on Charge of Defrauding Wanted in Halifax.

Montreal, Oct. 7.—Robert H. Reid, accused of obtaining the sum of \$750,000 by false pretences, the value of 7,500 shares of the Labrador Lumber and Pulp Company of St. John's, Nfld., while out on \$40,000 bail, was rearrested this morning on information received at detective headquarters from Chief of Police John A. Rodland, of Halifax, that the accused was wanted at that city on a charge of dealing with a forged document, knowing the same to be forged.

Reid was in court this morning for enquiry in the \$750,000 case, and after the evidence of Mr. T. Smith, secretary of the Pulp Company, had been given, the case was adjourned till the thirteenth.

The second charge against Reid is that he, on October 25, 1912, knowing a certain promissory note purporting to be signed by H. McMartin, Robert Reid, D. Ford and H. McMartin, to be a forgery, did deal with such document as if it were genuine. The note, it is alleged, was made out to Job Bros. & Company, St. John's, Nfld.

## GERMAN SPY PASSES AS A DOLL MAKER

### Arrested in England — Dolls Contained Maps of Coast Instead of Sawdust Stuffing.

London, Oct. 7.—Making and dressing dolls was the innocent-looking occupation of a German spy arrested on the Yorkshire coast garbed as a woman, but in reality a man. Instead of the usual sawdust stuffing, the dolls' bodies contained carefully prepared maps of the east coast. This arrest tends to strengthen the demand being made in many quarters that all Germans should be prohibited from living within fifty miles of the east coast.

## FREIGHT RUNS INTO HANDCAR, FOUR KILLED

Toledo, Ohio, Oct. 7.—Four men were killed and four others injured when a railroad hand-car upon which they were riding was demolished by a fast Annarbor freight train ten miles south of Dundee, Mich., and twenty-two miles northwest of Toledo tonight. The dead were Roumanian section hands.

## MINISTER ATTACKED BY THUG AND ROBBED OF A LARGE SUM

### Knocked Unconscious, Stabbed and Relieved of Over Four Thousand Dollars.

London, Ont., Oct. 7.—Rev. Isaac Wilson, 40 years old, pastor of Memorial Methodist Episcopal church, Midland, Mich., was attacked by an unknown man while passing a lane at the rear of the Grigg House, this city, while on his way to the Grand Trunk station at 9 o'clock tonight and received a real estate transaction with J. J. Comstock, of Windsor, Ont., by whom he declares, he was paid the money in question.

## SOLDIER ON GUARD AT WELLDAND CANAL SHOTS COMPANION

### Both in Same Regiment and Doing Sentry Duty — Victim a Bank Clerk.

St. Catharines, Ont., Oct. 7.—Theodore Burgerline, nineteen years of age, clerk in the St. Catharines branch of the Bank of Toronto, and a private in the Nineteenth Regiment, was shot dead this evening shortly after 7 o'clock by Private Frank Hartley, a member of the same regiment, outside the lock shanty to lock 9 of the Welland Canal, where both men were on guard duty. The murder was the result of a trivial altercation.

Little is known of Hartley. He claims to be English by birth, and to have spent some years in New York State. He joined the regiment a few weeks ago.

## Few Bulletins from Battlefront Last Night Report General Situation as Satisfactory — French War Office Claims Advances at Central — Von Kluck's Army Assumes a Strong Offensive, but Held in Check — Population of Antwerp Quitting Town — British Submarine Raids German Waters and Sinks Enemy Torpedo Boat.

London, Oct. 7, 8.05 p. m.—The official press bureau at eight o'clock this evening issued the following statement: "North of the Oise and at Lens there is hard fighting. "Elsewhere a slight advance or retreat varies. Throughout the line the reports are generally satisfactory. "The French army is fighting with the greatest dash and bravery. "The Germans attacking Antwerp have pushed forward their positions against considerable resistance by the garrison."

## WAR OFFICE IN PARIS ANNOUNCES ALLIES HAVE MADE ADVANCE AT SEVERAL POINTS ON THE CENTRE

### Ground Previously Lost Between Chaumes and Roye Has Been Regained and Enemy Held in Check on Left Wing — Germans Driven Back to North of Lille.

London, Oct. 7, 7 p. m.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Ostend says: "Numerous skirmishes occurred this morning between the advance posts in the environs of Ypres, (in Belgium, twenty miles south of Ostend), and in the southern part of West Flanders. "The Germans threw themselves on the forts and entrenchments."

Paris, Oct. 7, 11.28 p. m.—The official communication issued by the French war department tonight announces that the ground previously ceded by the French, between Chaumes and Roye, has been re-taken, and that on the centre the French have advanced on certain points. The text is as follows: "Except on the two wings where the German attacks have been repulsed, there has been nearly complete calm along the front. "On our left wing the German cavalry has been held in check; to the north of Lille it has been driven back. "Between Chaumes and Roye the ground previously ceded has been re-taken. "On the centre we have made an advance on certain points. "There is nothing to report on our right wing."

## BRITISH SUBMARINE MAKES DARING RAID INTO GERMAN WATERS AND SINKS ONE OF ENEMY'S TORPEDO BOATS

### The E-9 Which Destroyed German Cruiser Hela off Heligoland, Last Month, Braves Fire of Enemy's Guns at Naval Base on Island of Borkum.

London, Oct. 7, 8.30 p. m.—Submarine E-9 of the British navy, under command of Lt. Commander Max Horton, yesterday made another raid into German waters, off the mouth of the River Ems, and succeeded in sinking a German torpedo boat destroyer. It was this same submarine, under the same commander, which made a similar dash and sank the German cruiser Hela off Heligoland September 13. As on the former occasion, the E-9 has safely returned to her home port. The action took place at one o'clock yesterday, and was witnessed by the Dutch Coast Guards on the Dutch island and Schiermonnikoog, in the North Sea, off the Province of Friesland. The weather was clear and the sea calm, and the destroyer could plainly be seen cruising before the mouth of the Ems. Suddenly the observers saw a high column of water rise near the bow of the destroyer. The vessel immediately turned over and sank in three minutes.

Shortly after the explosion the periscope of the submarine came above the surface of the water for a moment, but as soon as those on board the plunger saw that their torpedo had struck its mark, the vessel was again submerged. A German cruiser and torpedo boats came quickly to the rescue of the crew of the ill-fated destroyer, who could be seen swimming about in the vicinity of the disaster, or clinging to the wreckage of their sunken ship.

As Schiermonnikoog is close to the island of Borkum, where the Germans have a naval base, and within sixty miles of Heligoland and the naval arsenal at Wilhelmshaven, the dash of the submarine is considered here a particularly daring one. The Dutch naval staff announces that the sinking of the destroyer occurred seven miles off Schiermonnikoog, and well outside Dutch territorial waters.

## MURDERED AT HAMILTON WHERE HE WENT TO ENLIST FOR 2ND CONTINGENT

Hamilton, Ont., Oct. 7.—Andrew Richardson, thirty-one years of age, who came to the city to enlist for the second contingent, died in the central police station tonight as the result of a razor rash on the left side of his throat, said to have been inflicted in the Bethel Mission, a cheap lodging house across the street from the station. Thomas Brown, forty-eight years of age, is in the cells held in connection with the death of Richardson.

# GEN. VON KLUCK AGAIN ASSUMES THE OFFENSIVE

## HORRORS OF WORLD'S BIGGEST WAR DEPICTED BY AN ARTIST IN THE FIELD.



The Cut and Thrust of a Cavalry Encounter Between Germans and Frenchmen. Drawn by F. Matania, from the Sphere.

Mr. F. Matania, special artist of the London Sphere and this paper, has drawn the above picture to show a cavalry mêlée when conflicting bodies of cavalry got jammed up in close quarters in a country lane as here shown. This is the moment for good horsemanship and quick action. It is here that good swordsmanship tells. The lessons learned in the sports club mean the difference between life and death at such a moment. The snap shooter with carbine and pistol finds his skill brings him through. The sword and pistol are not weapons to be neglected. In the counter here pictured a cavalryman was thrown from his horse during the course of a charge. The country was very hilly and the cavalry was forced to operate in small detachments. Six of his horse reeled under him and fell forward; he was shot into the air. Next moment the charge had passed over his body without, however, inflicting any injury upon him. The sight of the Germans crowding the small bridge over the river was unforgettable. The artillery broke them up; they were very busy.

### ARMIES GAIN GROUND AT CENTRE; HEAVY FIGHTING ON LEFT WING

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SEAT OF GOVERNMENT MOVED FROM ANTWERP TO OSTEND.

Amsterdam, Oct. 7, via London, 7.37 p. m.—The News Van Dem Dag says that the Belgian government today was moved from Antwerp to Ostend.

The paper says that the German commander of the forces besieging Antwerp sent an officer carrying a white flag into the city this morning to announce that the bombardment of the temporary capital would commence at 9.30 o'clock this forenoon. Many refugees left for Holland, and at noon the government was transferred to Ostend.

London, Oct. 7.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Ostend says:

Several ministers with the personnel of the Ministries have just arrived.

KAISER'S SECOND SON HURT IN FALL FROM HORSE

London, Oct. 7, 5.57 p. m.—A despatch to the Reuter Telegram Company from Berlin, by way of Amsterdam, says that Prince Eitel Friedrich, the second son of Emperor William, was thrown from his horse in a recent battle, and injured his knee.

The Emperor's youngest son, Prince Joachim, who has recovered from a wound received in battle, is awaiting his father's permission to return to the front.

London, Oct. 7 (11.55 p. m.).—A Reuter despatch from Amsterdam says the municipality of Amsterdam has published a decree fixing the price of wheat.

No Anti-Russian Movement in Persia.

Petrograd, via London, Oct. 7, 11 p. m.—An official statement declares to be "absolutely without foundation" the report from Vienna that a formidable anti-Russian movement was in progress in Persia, and that the Russians had been defeated in a battle there. It is asserted that only insignificant skirmishes with brigades from Turkey have taken place and that these brigades were driven across the frontier.

Several High Officials Among Refugees from Antwerp.

London, Oct. 7, 11.45 p. m.—An Amsterdam despatch to Reuter's Telegram Company says:

"Among the refugees who left Antwerp this morning were Cardinal Mercier and the Minister of Justice and other high officials. They travelled by automobile to Flushing, from which point they proceeded to Ostend.

"More than 10,000 fugitives have arrived at Rosendaal, at which place the bombardment of Antwerp can clearly be heard."

London, Oct. 7, 10.50 p. m.—An Ostend despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company says that a German detachment numbering about 1,000 men with artillery arrived Tuesday evening at Courtrai where it took up quarters.

The men seemed very tired. One of them said he had been for 48 hours without food. The detachment came from Metz by way of Liege.

Bulletin—Home via Paris, Oct. 7, 11.30 p. m.—A telegram received here from Berlin says:

"The civilians of Lanaken, Belgium, having attacked German troops, reprisals were necessary. Lanaken was bombarded and its church destroyed. Along the road between Lanaken and Tongres all the houses were burned."

Both Lanaken and Tongres are in the Province of Limbourg.

Falshesse, via London, Oct. 7 (10.25 p. m.).—The number of Belgian refugees arriving here is steadily increasing, more than 2,000 landing today.

### LAXITY IN OBSERVANCE OF SUNDAY DEPLORED AT METHODIST CONFERENCE

Golf Playing, Sunday Drug Trade and Travelling Depreciated in Committee's Report.

Ottawa, Oct. 7.—Playing golf on Sunday, the Sunday drug store, Sunday business of restaurants and hotels, work done on Sunday by exhibition boards—Toronto and Edmonton being picked out for special mention—social seas on Sunday, Sunday travelling, were all deprecated by the Methodist General Conference at the closing session this afternoon.

The committee on Sabbath observance reported that the Sabbath as a day of rest and of consequent spiritual opportunity is menaced at the present time in a three-fold manner.

"First—We are passing through a period of mental unrest and new ideas are making it much more difficult for the men of today than it was for their fathers to solve the problems of life and conduct. This is especially true of problems which have to do with religious life.

"Second—This movement toward greater laxity in the Christian observance of the Sabbath, due to changed ways of thinking has been furthered in material wealth which has come to Canadians during the recent past through the exploitation of the marvelous natural resources of our land and the consequent rapid advances in material. With the days of the week given up to a feverish quest for material wealth, and a hectic devotion to social duties, Sunday has become more and more a day for sensuous pleasure and recreation.

"Third—The third element in our national life which constitutes a menace to the integrity of the Sabbath in its generic function as a day of rest is the great tide of immigration which has inundated our land during the past decade.

"We would deplore the increasing tendency to make church attendance a matter of convenience rather than of holy habit," the committee stated. The report was adopted.

The conference closed with a prayer offered by Rev. Dr. Carman.

### THREE OF ASQUITH'S SONS VOLUNTEER

London, Oct. 8 (3.25 a. m.).—Three of Premier Asquith's sons have volunteered for active service. Two are now training. The third, who is convalescing from a recent illness, has failed to pass the physical examination.

### THE DEATH WARRANT

No defence can be offered when you apply Putnam's to a sore corn—the offender has to die. Nothing so certain to quickly cure corns as Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor; try Putnam's. It's free from soda and painless. 25c. bottles sold by all dealers.

### GERMAN STAFF TAKES OVER CONTROL OF AUSTRIAN ARMY IN GALICIA

Milan, via Paris, Oct. 7 (11.25 p. m.).—A despatch from Vienna to the Corriere Della Sera confirms a previous report that the Austrian army in Galicia has been placed under the control of the German staff, despite the opposition of Emperor Francis Joseph.

The despatch adds that Major General Conrad, chief of the Austrian foreign minister, announced today that the Austrian staff has virtually been deprived of all power on account of his alleged condition resulting from the death of his son, who was killed in action.

Dealing with the removal of Gen. Auffenberg from his command, the correspondent asserts this action was taken ostensibly because of the General's ill health, but that in reality it was due to his move on Labin, which was considered an enormous

mistake and responsible in great part for the Austrian defeat.

Powers Trying to Have Dardanelles Reopened

Petrograd, via London, Oct. 7 (7.05 p. m.).—M. Sazanoff, the Russian foreign minister, announced today that the powers comprising the Triple Entente (Russia, Great Britain and France) are taking steps to secure the re-opening of the Dardanelles.

Another Trawler Destroyed by Mines

London, Oct. 8 (12.51 a. m.).—The South Shields trawler Lily has been blown up in the North Sea, according to a despatch received here by the Central News. Some of the survivors landed at South Shields. Seven members of the crew are reported to be missing.

Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto and other points west. After their return Mrs. Sherwood will be "at home" on the afternoon and evening of October 26th and 27th at "Valley View Farm," Midland.

### WHAT WE DO FOR THE MEN OF ST. JOHN

We repair neckbands, on your shirts, sew on buttons, and darn your stockings FREE.

### UNGAR'S LAUNDRY

Dyeing and Carpet Cleaning Works, Ltd., 28-44 Waterloo Street, Phone 68.

### WERE TENDERED A RECEPTION

Norton, N. B., Oct. 7.—On the arrival of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Sherwood from Prince Edward Island on Saturday evening a very pleasant reception was given by the groom's parents. About fifty guests were assembled to receive the happy couple and after the serving of a delicious dinner the evening was spent in vocal and instrumental music.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Sherwood are leaving on Wednesday, Oct. 7th, for

### MR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c. CATARIN POWDER

Is sent direct to the consumer, made by the inventor, Mr. A. W. Chase, who has spent years of study in the laboratory of the University of California, and has discovered a new and powerful germicide, which is free from soda and painless. 25c. bottles sold by all dealers.

### Grand Anniversary Sale

Elegant Fashionable Millinery

To mark our 15th year of business in St. John, we are giving our many patrons, and the public generally, the Most Tremendous Bargain Festival ever known in local Millinery circles. This great sale.

Starts Today and continues during the Thanksgiving Holidays. Our large special purchase of Magnificent Fall and Winter Hats arrived yesterday from New York, and now awaits your inspection.

Anniversary Prices Prevail

MARR'S

The House Famed for Millinery

1, 3 and 5 Charlotte Street

### RAILWAYS FEAR TROUBLE FROM I.W.'S

Army of 1500 Industrial Workers of the World Heading for Butte, Mont.—Force Train Crews to Let Them Ride Free.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 7.—Presumably headed for Butte, 1,500 Industrial Workers of the World are scattered along the route of the Great Northern Railroad between Great Falls and Fargo, N. D., according to information given to Governor Stewart today by railroad officials.

Governor Stewart immediately telegraphed warnings to the sheriffs of counties through which the Great Northern, the Chicago Milwaukee and St. Paul and the Northern Pacific railroads enter Montana.

The railroad reported to the governor that many of the men were armed and were forcing the railroad men to permit them to ride free. It was reported to the governor today that the band of fifty Industrial Workers of the World had left Havre yesterday morning.

The sheriffs were requested to handle the situation as they thought best.

### GET TICKETS NOW!

For the Grand NATIONAL MUSIC FESTIVAL

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Under auspices of Daughters of the Empire and

FOR OUR SOLDIER BOYS!

Prices 75c, 50c and 25c

Tickets being sold by Daughters of the Empire, and also at Imperial Theatre Stores, Wilson's Book Store, Munro's, North End, and Wilson's, Carleton.

### DAINTY FILM BITS OF HITS

Sprinkled with refined comedy and startling incidents.

FOREMOST OF INTEREST IS OUR MUTUAL GIRL

She sits for Mr. L. Skonawa, and a pretty romance begins. Chapter 26.

Next of Importance Comes "LAUGHING GAS"

Keystone comedy, with a delicious vein of pure humor.

Then there is the American Drama

"A Story of Little Italy"

Booked for presentation last week, but failed to arrive.

Saturday Matinee Only

"JACK AND THE BEAN STALK"

2 SINGLE ACTS OF MERIT

MR. KENDALL In His Own Original Parodies and Nut Chatter.

MISS HINCKLEY Song Numbers—including "Just A Whistle!"—Written and Composed by Mabel Godfrey, with Novel Rendition of "TIPPEE A LONG WAY FROM TIPPEE ARY." Invested with Special Stage Fixtures and Electrical Effects.

2-Part Keystone—"MAEL'S NEW JOB." Majestic Dramas—Their First Acquaintance. WATCH FOR THANKSGIVING DAY PROGRAM.

### LAST DAY FOR IMPERIAL'S FEATURE!

Packed Houses Greet James O'Neil in "The Count of Monte Cristo"

By Daniel Frohman's Famous Players Co. At 2 p. m., 3.30, 7 and 8.30

Box Seats Reserved by Telephone.

### "The Trey O' Hearts"—Friday-Saturday

Placess Everybody. MUSICAL FARMYARD By the Vynos. Elsa Marie—Concert Soprano. FESTIVAL ORCHESTRA

### OPERA HOUSE THOMPSON-WOODS STOCK CO.

TONIGHT at 8.15 and All this Week. Mat. Fri. and Sat. "BROADWAY JONES"

ALL NEXT WEEK SPECIAL HOLIDAY MATINEE MONDAY

"OUR NEW MINISTER"

The Best of All the Rural Dramas. Usual Prices. Seats Now on Sale.

### NEWCASTLE S. OF T. ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Newcastle, Oct. 7.—Newcastle No. 45 S. of T. have elected following officers for ensuing year: W. P. Blair, W. H. McMurtry, Ethel Allison, Rec. Sec. Lyle Mack; A. R. S. Vesta Savar, Blair McLean; Treas. Helen Lead; Chap. Ida McMurray; Frank Hibbert; A. C. J. C. Bent; Henry Melton; Organist L. R. Hetherington; S. Y. P. W. Hutchison.

Steadfast Division S. of T. Donville, has elected the following: W. P. Blair, Daniel J. Murray, Douglas Sobey; R. S. Sarah S. S. Janie Sobey; Treas. David

### DEMANDS ON INDUSTRY WILL BE ENORMOUS

only cotton trade likely feel much distress.

London, Oct. 7, 7.43 p. m. Lloyd George, chancellor of the exchequer, in a speech today to the House of Commons, said that the demands on industry in this country, the result of the cotton trade distress, would be enormous.

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CHORUS OF 100 VOICES  
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MR. KENDALL  
In His Own Original Parodies  
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Song Numbers—including "Just  
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with Novel Rendition of "IT'S  
A LONG WAY FROM TIPPER-  
ARY," Invested with Special  
Stage Fixtures and Electrical  
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"MABEL'S NEW JOB."  
Majestic Drama—  
Their First Acquaintance.  
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PLEASE EVERYBODY.  
MUSICAL  
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Eliza Marie  
—Concert Soprano.

FESTIVAL  
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THOMPSON-WOODS  
STOCK CO.

# WANT TO GO

## WANT TO GO

Anxious to enlist for service  
in Europe, but cannot  
be spared — Preparing  
equipment for second con-  
tingent will keep mills  
busy.

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Oct. 7.—A great number  
of requests are still coming in from  
members of the North West Mounted  
Police to be allowed to enlist for the  
war. Men even from the Yukon have  
been asked to go, but the govern-  
ment still holds to its decision  
made some time ago that no members  
of the force can be spared, since it re-  
quires to be maintained up to the full  
standard of efficiency at the present  
time and new untrained men would be  
unable to properly take the places of  
men who would go to the front.

The war office has asked the Cana-  
dian government to provide 100 per  
cent. extra equipment for the Cana-  
dian troops. There had already been  
provided seventy per cent. The secur-  
ing of the additional 30 per cent. for  
the first contingent of 33,000 men and  
also the double equipment for the sec-  
ond contingent of 22,000 men is giving  
the militia department a busy time  
and will keep the mills all over the  
country going day and night in order  
to get the equipment on time. The  
second contingent will consist of reg-  
iments organized in the regular. There  
will be no regiments organized as in-  
dependent units.

Girls! Thicken and  
beautify your hair  
Bring back its gloss, lus-  
tre, charm and get rid  
of dandruff.

To be possessed of a head of heavy,  
beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy,  
wavy and free from dandruff is more  
a matter of using a little Danderine.  
It is easy and inexpensive to have  
nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just  
get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's  
Danderine now! All drug stores rec-  
ommend it—apply it a little as directed  
and within ten minutes there will be  
an appearance of abundance; fresh-  
ness, fluffiness and an incomparable  
gloss and lustre—moisten a cloth with  
you cannot find a trace of dandruff or  
falling hair; but your real surprise will  
be after about two weeks' use, when  
you will see new hair—moist and downy  
at first—yes—but really new hair—  
sprouting out all over your scalp—Danderine  
is, we believe, the only sure  
hair grower; destroyer of dandruff and  
cure for itchy scalp and it never fails  
to stop falling hair at once.

If you want to prove how pretty and  
soft your hair really is, moisten a cloth  
with a little Danderine and carefully  
draw it through your hair—taking one  
small strand at a time. Your hair will  
be soft, glossy and beautiful. In just  
a few moments—a delightful surprise  
awaits everyone who tries this.

LLOYD GEORGE SEES  
GOOD TIMES FOR LABOR,  
DESPITE THE WAR

Demands on industries  
will be enormous and  
only cotton trade likely to  
feel much distress.

London, Oct. 7, 7:43 p. m.—David  
Lloyd George, chancellor of the ex-  
chequer, in a speech today to a depu-  
tation of the Workers' National Com-  
mittee, said he was not at all sure  
they were not a little premature in  
anticipating a very considerable  
amount of unemployment as the war  
progressed. The demands on the in-  
dustries in this country, the chan-  
cellor said, would be enormous, but, in  
the cotton trade the distress undoubt-  
edly would be severe. That was the  
only trade, he added, which had com-  
pletely broken down thus far.

NEWCASTLE S. OF T.  
ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Newcastle, Oct. 7.—Newcastle Divi-  
sion No. 45 S. of T. have elected the  
following officers for ensuing term:  
W. P. Blair, W. Hutchinson; W. A.  
Ethel Allison; Rec. Sec. Lyne McCor-  
mack; A. R. S. Vesta Savage; F. S.  
Blair McLean; Treas. Helen M. Mc-  
Leod; Chap. Ida McMurray; Cond.  
Frank Hibbert; A. C. J. C. Cook;  
Sext. Henry McRae; Organist, Mrs.  
L. R. Hetherington; S. Y. P. W. B. W.  
Hutchinson.

Steadfast Division S. of T. Protec-  
tionville, has elected the following of-  
ficers: W. P. Daniel; W. A. Douglas  
Sobey; R. S. Sarah Sobey; F. S.  
Janie Sobey; Treas. David Gordon;

# AERIAL DUEL OFFERS THRILLING SPECTACLE FOR RIVAL ARMIES

Daring French aviator gives chase to enemy craft  
which circles over French lines—Bullet puts Ger-  
man machine out of commission — Occupants  
burned to death.

Bordeaux, Oct. 7, 3:40 p. m.—Official  
despatches received by the French  
war department today give a graphic  
account of an aerial duel which was  
watched by thousands of soldiers of  
the French and German armies, Oct.  
5, at Jonchery, in the region of  
Reims. A German aeroplane of the  
Aviatic type ascended with two men,  
and after circling over the French po-  
sitions, was returning to its base  
lines, when Sgt. Frantz, one of the  
most expert of French aviators, ac-  
companied by his mechanic, Quinault,  
sprang to a machine and gave chase.  
By a skilful manoeuvre, the French

aeroplane took the German on the  
flank, and wounded the pilot and put  
a bullet through the gasoline tank. A  
sheet of flame enveloped the Aviatik  
and the machine dropped rapidly,  
landing close to the French lines. In  
the descent the unwounded man con-  
tinued to fire his pistol until prevent-  
ed by the flames.

Sgt. Frantz came to earth in a series  
of magnificent spirals. Both Germans  
were found burned to death in the  
embers of their machine. Frantz was  
decorated with the Legion of Honor,  
and Quinault was awarded the military  
medal for their exploit.

# MINES CAUSE HEAVY LOSS TO AUSTRIAN SUBMARINE FLEET OFF COAST OF DALMATIA

Paris, Oct. 7, 2:30 p. m.—The Mes-  
senger publishes a despatch from In-  
cona, in Italy, on the Adriatic, tele-  
graphs the Rome correspondent of the  
Havas Agency, which declares that  
four Austrian torpedo boats and two  
Austrian torpedo boat destroyers have  
been lost off the coast of Dalmatia as  
a result of coming in contact with  
mines.

The Ancona despatch adds that a  
majority of the members of the crews  
of these vessels lost their lives.  
London, Oct. 7, 1:45 p. m.—Tel-

graphing from Amsterdam the corre-  
spondent of the Roster Telegram Com-  
pany says unofficial news has reached  
there from Budapest to the effect that  
Austrian troops have attacked the  
Russian forces in Marmaros county,  
Hungary, and that the defeat of the  
Russians is imminent.

Small detachments of Russians were  
engaged by Austrian marines at a  
point near Besterszenod. Austrian  
reinforcements have been despatched  
to Besterszenod. All the passes are  
occupied by the Austrians.

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, Oct. 7.—Sir George Foster,  
Minister of Trade and Commerce, has  
received from the Saskatchewan Grain  
Growers' Association a request that  
the Dominion and British governments  
should buy directly from the western  
farmers their wheat and oats, storing  
the grain in government bonded and  
interior elevators and paying the farm-  
ers \$1.00 per bushel for wheat and  
50 cents for oats.

England wants our wheat and oats  
while the war is on, it is urged, and  
the suggested plan would prevent the  
present shipping of the grain to the  
United States, the authorities passing into  
various channels from which they  
might reach the enemy. The grain  
being stored first in the interior ele-  
vators at Moosejaw and Saskatoon, the  
government elevators at Calgary, Van-  
couver, Fort William, Montreal, St.  
John and Halifax could be utilized.

The letter adds: "Let the govern-  
ment agree to give these prices for  
three years and arrange with railways

Stationary Engineers  
The St. John local of the Canadian  
Association of Stationary Engineers  
held their regular meeting in their  
hall on Charlotte street last evening.  
The matter of seeking legislation at  
the next session of the Provincial  
Legislature, providing for the grading  
of engineers' certificates and been  
taken up by the association, and it  
is the intention to have a bill along  
this line introduced. Interesting so-  
venirs of the annual convention of  
the association held in Ottawa were  
received, and several new members  
were initiated.

Indigestion  
and Headaches  
Arising from Constipation, Cured and  
Regular Habits Established by Dr.  
Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills.

In the western Provinces, where so  
many thousands live far from doctors  
and drug stores, very many rely on  
Dr. Chase's medicines to cure disease  
and maintain health and strength.  
This letter gives some idea of what  
perfect control Dr. Chase's Kidney-  
Liver Pills exert over the most com-  
mon ills of life.

H. K. Hewer, farmer's wife,  
Maurice, Alta., writes: "For about  
ten years I suffered from constipa-  
tion, indigestion, headache and two  
gaid feelings. Treatment from two  
or three doctors afforded only tem-  
porary relief, so I turned to Dr.  
Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and with  
most satisfactory results. Headaches  
have disappeared, regular habits es-  
tablished and general health im-  
proved. Both my husband and I  
can speak highly of Dr. Chase's  
Kidney-Liver Pills, as we have both  
been greatly benefited by them." One  
gill a dose, 25c a box, 5 for \$1.00, all  
dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co.,  
Limited, Toronto.

Hotel Arrivals.  
Royal  
W. R. Webster, Montreal; M. E. Rob-  
ber, Chicago; W. J. Lankall, Toronto;  
Geo. W. Paul, Boston; J. A. MacDon-  
ald, Montreal; L. H. Jacobs, Bert Ja-  
cobson, Montreal; I. P. Winters, J. S.  
Boa, Montreal; M. W. Sunley, Toronto;  
O. A. De Graw, Chicago; H. S. Schott,  
New York; G. B. Jones, Toronto; C. B.  
Robinson and wife, Ploverhurst, N. C.;  
G. A. Peaslee, Boston; H. D. Goodchild,  
Toronto; John Taylor, Toronto; Mrs.  
Frank Morrison, Miss Morrison, Fred-  
erick; J. B. Craven, New York; R. C.  
Desrochers, Ottawa; Robt. Hirsch,  
Richard Werner, Montreal; E. G. Col-  
lins, Nassau, Bahama, S. A.; T. H.  
Morse, Nova Scotia; A. Lambert, Mon-  
treal; H. L. Kinsey, Boston; Miss S.

# SLAUGHTERED AT AUGUSTOW WAS TERRIBLE

Berlin Report Says Ger-  
man Artillery Suffered  
Heavily.

AN ENTIRE BATTERY,  
WAS ANNIHILATED

Germany have begun strat-  
egic defensive movement  
on frontier of Eastern  
Prussia—Great battle go-  
ing on at Opatow.

Berlin, Oct. 7 (via The Hague and  
London).—The German forces on the  
frontier of East Prussia have assumed  
a strategic defensive movement. They  
abandoned the bombardment of Oso-  
wetz fortress, in Russian Poland. After  
setting the city of Osowetz on fire  
with shells, they were able to retire  
with their siege guns and a pontoon  
train. They destroyed the railroads in  
check superior Russian forces from  
heavily entrenched positions near  
Froschken.

The fighting at Augustowo and Su-  
walki was most sanguinary. The Ger-  
man machine guns finally turned the  
spot of battle in favor of the Ger-  
mans, but the slaughter of the Ger-  
man artillery men was terrific. One  
German battery lost all its men, and  
cavalrymen had to be sent to serve  
the guns. The cavalrymen held out  
until they had only three rounds of  
ammunition left. They then retired  
with the Russian infantry only a few  
hundred yards.

Bad weather hampered the move-  
ments of the German troops and inter-  
fered seriously with their aerial re-  
connaissance. The fact that the Rus-  
sians were protected by a line of forts  
made the German offensive doubly  
difficult. The Russian army is a coun-  
try which is nothing more than a mor-  
ass.

The Russians have gained in offen-  
sive strength. Their artillery, which  
included six naval pieces, inflicted  
heavy losses.

Gen. Von Hinderberg, the German  
leader who has been operating in Po-  
land, was obliged to make a number  
of forced marches in going to the  
relief of the Austrians, who were hard  
pressed in the direction of Opatow, on the  
spurs of the Lyssagory Mountains in  
time to be needed. At this point a  
great battle is thought now to be in  
progress. Many thousands of a large Rus-  
sian force from Radom, south of War-  
saw, in the direction of Ivangorod, to  
the northeast, is an incident of this  
campaign.

The 99th German infantry, which be-  
came known through the Zabern inci-  
dent, again has left Zabern for the  
front. Many volunteers fill the gaps  
resulting from recent fighting. The  
men of the regiment were given quan-  
tities of cigars and well supplied with  
fine clothing by the people of the  
town, whose relations with this organ-  
ization are now the best.

M. Max, former burgomaster of  
Brussels, is now a prisoner of the Ger-  
mans at Namur.

The forty-third German casualty list  
has been made public. It contains 10,  
800 names in dead, wounded and mis-  
sing. It is headed by the name of  
Major General Von Walter, who, while  
commanding a brigade of Landwehr  
infantry, was wounded at Tarnovka,  
Russian Poland, September 8.

Duffy, Miss J. Pelter, G. J. Pelter, Cal-  
ais; A. C. Lanthier, Montreal; W. E.  
Tupper, Digby; J. E. Barry, Moncton;  
Mrs. W. Dunbar, Fredericton; D. Hor-  
nell, Toronto; J. Z. Currie, Boston, Vi-  
toria.

W. J. Scott, Fredericton; P. J. Hill,  
London; Mrs. F. S. Hilya, Wood-  
stock; E. R. Damereau, Montreal;  
D. R. Henderson, Toronto; Mrs. Hough-  
ton, Boston; Gordon Dickie, Shediac;  
Mrs. W. Dunbar, Fredericton; Edw.  
Keys, W. H. Keys, St. Stephen; J. A.  
Cragie, Toronto; S. A. Robinson,  
Montreal; C. A. Cole, Sackville; Mrs.  
J. S. Hilya, Woodstock; Mrs. J. S.  
Hilya, Woodstock; Mrs. J. S. Hilya,  
Woodstock; Mrs. J. S. Hilya, Wood-  
stock; Mrs. J. S. Hilya, Woodstock;

A Dreadful Game  
Bethel—I do so love football.  
Bethel—I don't, I detest it. Jack's  
gone and got his collar-bone broken  
and I can't put my head on his shoulder  
for a month.

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Sample of Pile Remedy  
mailed free for trial gives quick relief  
stops itching, bleeding or protruding  
piles, restores normal condition, relieves  
troubles in the privacy of your own  
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# RUSSIAN GUNS

## THE REAL OBJECTIVE OF GOLD POOL NOT TO REGULATE EXCHANGE RATES

Gossip from Wall Street—Foreign Exchange Irregular at  
Opening of Week—Bank of Germany Announces Gains.

New York, Oct. 6.—Foreign ex-  
change moved with some irregularity  
yesterday, a natural result of the ab-  
sence of knowledge, by the Wall Street  
community in general, of how much  
exchange the "gold fund committee"  
was selling, and at what rates. Of the  
withholding of this information, there  
was more or less complaint. But  
the problem of the committee is pecu-  
liar, and a moment's reflection will  
show that, if it were to announce its  
sales each afternoon, and fix its price  
each morning, one of two things would  
become the arbitrary dictator of rates  
—a highly undesirable result—or else  
it would be handicapped, in the execu-  
tion of its primary purposes, through  
the use that knowledge of dealers and  
speculators in exchange. The true  
objective point of the so-called  
"gold pool" is not to regulate exchange  
rates (which are a symptom and not a  
cause), but to adjust in an orderly  
manner the settlement of our more  
pressing foreign debts.

Bearing on the matter of the \$100,  
000,000 gold fund, to guarantee such  
gold exports as shall be needed to  
keep our foreign credit sound, yester-  
day's monthly Government report  
showed the amount and kinds of money  
circulating in this country is worth  
noting. Exclusive of United States Treas-  
ury holdings, gold in this country's  
circulation October 1 was \$1,600,000  
greater than on September 1, and only  
\$18,400,000 less than at the beginning  
of August. The substantial gold ex-  
ports of the two intervening months  
have been offset by the new American  
production. Since this date in 1913  
the gold exports have considerably  
exceeded \$50,000,000, yet the gold now  
in circulation is only \$11,000,000 less  
than its figure of that time, and it is  
\$23,000,000 more than in October,  
1912. Our mine output about \$7,500,  
000 every month, and we get a fur-  
ther comfortable monthly instalment  
from mines across the border. On the  
other hand, the figures of outstanding  
banknote circulation show \$28,700,000  
increase since September 1 and \$334,  
300,000 since August 1—a quite unpre-  
cedented and clearly a considerable  
depletion of the Aldrich-Vreeland em-  
ergency issues.

The German Imperial Bank's return  
of gold announced gain of \$10,055,  
000 gold in the past week, and an in-  
crease to \$24,520,000 in outstanding  
notes. When the previous figures of  
gold in circulation were \$14,465,000,  
it appears that the institution has added  
\$8,800,000 gold to its reserve since  
July 30. If this is an accurate show-  
ing of gold exports, it is a very remark-  
able achievement, especially in view  
of the fact that its gold holdings at  
the end of July had not yet been re-  
duced at all by a "run" or hoarding.  
But that very fact makes the present  
figures difficult of explanation.

The Imperial Bank, it is true, has  
been relieved from the requirement of  
retaining in its vaults all of Canada's  
deposits of a gold reserve, but it is  
far from serving to stimulate de-  
posit of gold by customers. The Bank  
of England's gain of \$126,000 gold  
since August 6 is larger than the Ber-  
lin increase, but it is easily account-  
ed for by three known facts. First,  
\$2,500,000 gold was taken out of the  
bank in the fortnight of panics pre-  
ceding that date, and must largely  
have been put back when panic sub-  
sided. Second, all of the \$15,000,  
000 monthly output of the Transvaal  
mines goes into the bank's South Afri-  
can branch, and all the considerable  
gold exports from the United States,  
are similarly taken in at Ottawa.

But Germany's gain in gold, which  
has no such recourse, is the outside  
world can hardly be contributing gold  
to them at all. It might possibly be  
imagined that the contents of the \$60,  
000,000 "war chest" at Spain that had  
been turned over to the bank, but no-  
body has said so. As for Saturday's  
statement by the French Finance Min-  
ister, regarding the \$126,000,000 of  
gold of France, that is quite incom-  
prehensible. The cables quoted him  
as saying that the bank now holds  
\$12,000,000 cash, which is described  
as an increase of \$63,800,000 over what  
was held on the eve of war. But the  
official figures of July 30 showed \$28,  
200,000 gold and \$700,000 silver.

Sales of exchange by the \$100,000,  
000 gold fund committee were more  
of a factor today, and there was a  
large volume of business done. The  
sterling market opened slightly below  
Saturday, at 4.94 1/2 for sight bills on  
London, with cable remittances at  
4.93 1/2. At these quotations there was  
a good inquiry, and the price soon ad-  
vanced 1/2 cent, making sight drafts

touch 4.95 1/2 and cables 4.96 1/2. Most  
of the business was done at these  
rates, and it was evident that sub-  
stantial remittances were negotiated.  
Further subscriptions to the gold pool  
were made by out-of-town banks, and  
while it may be a few days before the  
entire operation is closed, there is no  
doubt that the entire amount will  
be forthcoming, should it be needed.  
But the present outlook seemingly is,  
at present that more than one or two  
will be called for, unless the situation  
should change considerably in the  
meantime.

There was a broader demand for  
taking these notes for temporary in-  
vestments, in the belief that the accu-  
mulation of money at this centre would  
soon lead to larger investments in  
such issues and to higher prices. The  
buying of these securities represented  
many banks to make purchases of  
such issues. Buying of short-term  
notes, by banks both here and out-of-  
town, was the largest that has been  
seen for many weeks. All the high-  
grade issues were in demand, and it  
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## THE WAR SITUATION.

Another day passes without much result from the battle of the Aisne, although the official communications from Paris state that the French troops have recaptured ground which they formerly were forced to yield to the Germans. Elsewhere along the line it has been a game of see-saw, but what advantage there is seems to be with the allies.

While the fact that the battle has now raged for twenty-four days with little advantage to either side, serves to illustrate what a stubborn fight the Germans are putting up, and seems to indicate that those who predicted an early ending to the war are not now likely to prove true prophets. It must not be forgotten that the Kaiser's men are now fighting to postpone the day when they will be forced back on their own territory. Apparently, when they started their spectacular march to Paris, they expected they might be driven back over the ground on which they are now fighting, for positions occupied by them, some of which have already been captured by the allies, were prepared for defensive purposes, and these preparations must have been made at least several weeks ago.

It is encouraging to reflect that the German campaign is not as far advanced now as it was a month ago, and that while Britain continues mistress of the seas there is no danger of the British people having their food supply interfered with. Also there is little likelihood that the allied lines of communication can be damaged by ability that the constant extension of the area of battle will so weaken the German lines that action may be expected in the way of cutting them.

The Germans, apparently, have suffered reverses on the sea. It is reported that two of their vessels have been put out of business by the allied British and Japanese squadrons in the Pacific and they have lost a submarine in European waters. Disquieting rumors as to possible air raids on England are in circulation, but it must be remembered that Great Britain has expected and anticipated such a stroke and all necessary preparations have been made to give aerial visitors a satisfactory reception. Despite the dropping of bombs into Antwerp, and even into Paris, the efficiency of the airship for purposes other than scouting and securing information has not yet been decisively established. There have been single combats in the air between German and French aviators and in these the Germans have not demonstrated their superiority at that branch of warfare. It is also reasonable to expect that, if Germany attempts an aerial attack upon England, the air fleets of the other nations, and in air craft as in sea craft, the allies have a numerical superiority over Germany, will be in a position to carry out effect measures of reprisal.

In the east the Russians continue to make progress and a significant item from the Berlin report of last night is to the effect that they have increased their offensive strength. This may be the German method of preparing their people for tidings of disastrous defeat on the Russian frontier. The forces of all the allied nations have been increased by timely reinforcements and the next few days may witness conflicts of decisive importance. It is hardly to be expected, however, that the battle of the Aisne, no matter how it may result, will be of determining significance. The decisive fighting is expected to come much nearer to the German capital and it may not occur for some months. This is a fight to the finish and, as such, likely to be prolonged.

## MORE MEN NEEDED

It does not require to be told that the great need of the British Empire today is men. The British army is fighting bravely in France, side by side with the gallant French and Belgians. Our soldiers are displaying the dauntless spirit and the will to do and dare that has made the name of Britain famed the world over, but spirit and will cannot always avail against superiority of numbers. We believe Great Britain will be victorious in the end, but it is not until the unexpected should happen, and Germany prove victorious, what would be the future of the people of the Empire? Is it not worth while to think of this possibility? The call has gone out for a second contingent from Canada. Would it have been issued if it was not needed? Every nerve is being strained in England to enlist fighting men to take the places of those who have fallen. Members of the British Cabinet are addressing meetings in various centres of Britain for the purpose of stimulating enthusiasm in recruiting. These measures would not be taken if the British Government did not deem them necessary, and the fact that they are

necessary, should cause every Canadian, of fighting age and qualifications for military service, who can possibly do so, to rally to the colors. The tidings from the battlefront of Europe have not been discouraging. There is no occasion for pessimism. Britain will not be overthrown. It is likely to be a long and costly one. Germany is a nation of great resource, the German soldiers, brave and determined. They will not easily yield until they have been beaten to their knees and taught forever that Britain is the mistress and the British Empire must prevail.

It has been said that Britain is fighting to keep her word. That is true, but there is far more than that at stake. She is fighting to keep her Empire and her freedom. If she should fail in the task of driving the Germans out of France, it might not be long before she would be forced to fight to keep them out of England, out of Canada. It is a time for serious thought and patriotic action. We are confident that the men of the Empire will answer the Empire's call in numbers sufficient to ensure victory. Those who do answer and who volunteer for foreign service, or for home defence, should remember that they fight for freedom, for the British which has given to Canada the liberty of which Canadians are so proud. And the liberty of Canadians leads the world. They fight for our institutions, for free speech and the right to vote, for representative government by and for the people, and all that it implies. They fight against militarism and of feudalism, against the tyranny and oppression which has characterized Germany wherever Germany has had opportunity to rule; they fight to show their disapproval of the slaying and torturing of innocent women and children, of the wanton blood lust which has stamped the German officers and authorities with the brand of Cain; they fight against the Prussian spirit, which would enslave the world, and which would count all loss as gain if the ultimate result of the war should be to conquer "England and the English."

Our young men, already on the seas, will demonstrate to the world the truth of that splendid boast, "Those who would reckon with England must reckon with England's sons." They freely and voluntarily offered their lives on the altar of Empire and, with smiling confidence, went forward to pay, if need be, the extreme price for the liberty of those of us left behind. Now, more Canadians are wanted to show the same spirit. They will not be dilatory in coming forward. Canada will send at least 50,000 men. She could send 100,000 if necessary. Young men of Canada, the Empire needs you; the call is to arms.

## THE AUSTRALIAN NAVY.

Despite the contention of Sir Robert Borden and Sir Wilfrid Laurier, that the present is no time for the discussion of political questions, Liberal newspapers, in some Canadian cities, are declaring that the work done by Australia has "proved the case for a colonial navy as advocated by Sir Wilfrid Laurier." We are willing to agree at once that what work the Australian ships have been called upon to do, they have done well, but that they, operating in the Pacific, have shown that the Borden proposal to add three dreadnoughts to the British line as Canada's gift, was not the correct solution of the defence question, is, as a writer of popular fiction puts it, "something else again."

The Australian navy is co-operating with the Japanese war fleet in protecting British shipping and interests in far eastern waters. There will be those who will say that Japan could have attended to the job alone, and we have no doubt they are correct. The point is that Australia is not operating in the North Sea and her ships, splendid and effective though they are, are not relieving the strain in that quarter.

Despatches of yesterday intimated that Germany was making ready for an attack upon England by Zeppelins and submarines, in conjunction with her navy, and, in preparation for this, the German ships were taking on new guns of a heavier and supposedly more destructive type. Already the German submarines have worried the feet of Admiral Jellicoe to some extent, and the strain there is consequently severe. It will be admitted at once that the future of the Empire depends upon the ability of the British fleet to retain control of the seas, and that the test of that ability will come, not in the Pacific, where the Australian navy is stationed, but in the North Sea, where Canada's dreadnoughts would have operated. Those who claim that Australia has proved the case for the colonial navy might ask themselves how long would the colonial navy in the Pacific exist, if the British navy in the North Sea were defeated. In what manner

then would Australia prove the case for the colonial navy?

But let us suppose that Australia had entered into the scheme of the British Admiralty for strengthening the Empire navy at the heart of the Empire, and that Canada, also, had contributed her three dreadnoughts to that navy. It would mean that the British strength in the waters, where it is likely to be most severely tested, would be increased by five or six of the finest ships "science could build, or money could buy;" ships like the other splendid vessels that have driven Germany to seek the protection of the fortifications of the Kiel Canal. Would not the Empire then be more strongly defended, and in even more secure position, than it is today? Would not the odds against Germany be increased to a greater extent than they are? Those Liberal newspapers which have raised the question can answer it.

## Britannia!

A thousand years have seen them pass,  
Thy heroes, not in vain,  
And Right now bids them firmly tread  
The roads to death and pain.

Thy fluttering standards carried high  
Their serried ranks amid,  
Kissed by the suns of many lands,  
The battle smokes have hid.

The whistling shaft, the quarrel's hum,  
The clash of sword on shield,  
These have thy heard, thy gallant lines  
That bend but do not yield.

And now the dreadful, screaming shell,  
The hidden, shattering mine,  
The Maxim's chatter, the great  
And the bullets ceaseless whine.

A "scrap of paper" called them forth,  
"The craven's place" it said,  
Their brave, stout hearts and quivering  
Into the scales are thrown.

Not this alone, oh damning shame,  
Wrecked Louvain, Vire and  
Deep scarred by torch, their silent  
Have rung to women's screams.

These Vandals new Attila's name  
From its foul dread place have hurled  
How can thy sons, in Time unborn,  
The judgment of the World?

Thy gallant sailors dauntless hold  
The craven's ships in vain,  
They fear not ships sailing high  
Nor the cowards' floating mine.

Thy sons unchanged, their courage strong,  
Dismayed not by Death's toll,  
Answer, as always in the past,  
Thy drums' loud stirring roll.

On History's page oft counted true  
To free the cringing slave,  
To cheer the helpless, raise the weak,  
On land and on the wave.

What soil that has not drunk their blood?  
What foe'sman's line has stayed?  
What heaving flood hides not their forms?  
Speak, mother, wife and maid.

Hope of the World, thou Goddess fair,  
Never thy tongue shall fall,  
When have my sons deserted me,  
Or turned from Freedom's task?  
—Hugh S. Prety.

## At Rheims.

I can recall an autumn day in Rheims  
When from the pervative peace of the old town  
Was as a benediction. All the air  
Was peopled with the imminence of  
dreams.

Rapt visions of renown,  
Of Clovis, and the faded dove  
That from the immaterial realms  
above

The sacred vial bore  
With oil to consecrate the brows of  
kings;  
Of Louis Debonair,  
And of Joan, the sainted maid, who  
From her sacrificial pyre  
Passed to my rest beyond life's angu-  
ishings.

The twin cathedral towers  
In the impending azure like great  
flowers,  
Miraculously fashioned, seem to  
show  
And the great window o'er the Vir-  
gin's portal  
Was as a rose immortal,  
Shaming the sunset glow.

And now another autumn day in  
Rheims,  
But not of "vital glory, not of dreams!  
Of horror and descending  
doom,  
War's hideous blight upon the perfect  
bloom  
Of art and beauty, sacrilege and  
shame,  
And all through one invoking God's  
high name!

As the swift years recede,  
All lovers the loveliest things of  
earth  
That through the handwork of man  
have birth  
Shall exorcise the deed!  
—Clinton Scollard, in New York Sun.

## How Europe's Armies Take the Field.

The idea underlying all modern continental armies is universal military service,—that compulsory instruction of every able-bodied citizen which has resulted in the "Nation in Arms." In itself this idea is very old. It prevailed in the city-states of ancient Greece and in the Roman republic. But throughout the middle ages it almost dropped out of sight, while the subsequent rise of despotic monarchies apparently gave it its death-blow. At the close of the eighteenth century European armies were invariably small bodies of highly-trained professional soldiers (largely foreign mercenaries), offered by noblemen inspired by feudal loyalty to their royal overlords, the king. Such an army was pre-eminently the "King's Own." It was quite out of touch with the nation at large whose chief military

contribution in peace or war was the payment of taxes for the support of the king's army.

The French revolution gave this military system its death-blow and laid the foundation for the existing order of things. With the overthrow of the French crown the old "king's army" went to pieces, but since France was assailed by all Europe she was forced to improvise an army or die. The army was found through the new principle of the "levee en masse,"—the raising of the nation to resist the invader. The levee en masse produced enormous masses of men, entirely untrained, of course, but full of fanatical courage, and since their opponents were small armies of professional soldiers too valuable to be rashly risked by generals possessing no adequate reserve forces, the French succeeded in beating off their enemies, and when a campaign or two had turned these raw levies into veteran soldiers the vast French armies overran all Europe. True, the levee en masse had to be supplemented by the "conscription," the taking of a certain percentage of available men (by lot), yet even under the first empire the French armies were more "national" than the old "king's armies" had ever been.—From "How Europe's Armies Take the Field," by T. Lothery Stoddard in the American Review of Reviews for September.

## CAPT. FOWLIE, OF R.C.R. DIES AT HALIFAX

Halifax, Oct. 7.—Captain Alex. Fowlie, of the Royal Canadian Regiment, died here tonight after an illness of several weeks. He was 52 years of age. The body will be sent to Logisville, N. B., for interment.

## Business as Usual.

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## CANADA WILL SEND 500,000 IF NEEDED, COL. HUGHES SAYS

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## ADMIRALTY SENDING COLLIERIES TO CARRY N.S. SUPPLIES TO BELGIANS

London, Oct. 7.—John Howard, Agent-General for Nova Scotia, has been informed that the Admiralty will place two colliers at the disposal of his government for the shipment of supplies destined for the relief of distressed persons in Belgium. The question of how to handle the coal presented to the Admiralty by the province is still being considered.

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## POLICE COUR

Dr. D. C. Malcolm yesterday as an expert witness in a jury examination of Michael the charge of assaulting L. in Douglas avenue on last night. The magistrate said to have the opinion of Dr. with regard to the scrupulous prisoner's face, as they might be by the time Burns was before the grand jury if he were tried.

Doctor Malcolm examined one closely and found four on his left cheek, one below another on the ear which, he has been caused by some instrument and, in his opinion, have been inflicted with a also found a bad scratch on cheek extending to the nose.

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WATSON'S KIDNEY PILLS An event of great interest took place last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Harned, 61 Water street, West Side, when their daughter, Nettie E., was united in marriage to L. R. Watson, a popular policeman of the West Side.

BIG GUNS OF BRITISH WAR SHIP READY FOR ENEMY TO APPROACH Above is shown the big guns on one of Britain's dreadnoughts now lying in the North Sea ready for an attack by the German fleet. Travellers arriving in London from Kiel state the canal is crowded with German war ships, including the largest battle ships, and that the arsenal is busy day and night.

C.P.R. TO INCREASE ORDINARY CAPITAL STOCK BY 75 MILLIONS None of it to be issued until sanction of shareholders received at special meeting later - Annual meeting yesterday - Sir Thomas Shaughnessy's address contains note of confidence in future of road.

Montreal, Oct. 7.—At the annual meeting of the shareholders of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company today the report of the directors was unanimously adopted. Sir Thomas G. Shaughnessy, Sir Thomas Skinner and John K. L. Ross, were re-elected directors.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 7.—A charming society wedding took place in Christ Church Cathedral at 4.15 o'clock this afternoon, when Mr. Cortlandt Allaire Robinson, manager of the United Street branch of the Bank of British North America at St. John, youngest son of Mrs. Delancy Robinson, of St. John, and grandson of the late Col. John Robinson, of Her Majesty's 10th Regiment Foot, was united in marriage to Miss Rachel Fairfax Balloch, daughter of Mrs. Rainford Balloch of St. John.

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Miss Jean Balloch, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid, and wore a gown of primrose yellow crepe meador over chamoise satin of the same shade, with a black velvet hat. She carried a bouquet of purple orchids. Mrs. Balloch, mother of the bride, wore a black garbancie silk and carried cream roses. Mrs. Delancy Robinson, mother of the groom, wore a gown of black silk crepe du chene and a handsome black cape.

TORONTO WOMAN FOUND DEAD IN STORE; THROAT CUT WITH BUTCHER'S KNIFE

Toronto, Oct. 7.—Mrs. Anna Sokoski, 703 Queen Street West, was found dead in the room at the rear of her husband's butcher store this morning. Her throat had been cut and she had apparently been dead some time. Beside her lay her husband, Frank Sokoski. He was removed to the Western Hospital, where he died this evening.

OHIO REPRESENTATIVE WHO MAY BE NEW FRENCH ENVOY.



The nomination of Representative William G. Sharp, of Elyria, Ohio, to be Ambassador to France will be sent to the Senate within a few days, according to a report from Washington.

Mr. Sharp is a retired manufacturer and a man of sufficient means to meet the demands of his new post. He is not particularly well known in Washington, although his hobbies, aeronautics and universal peace, have lately gained him some prominence in the discussions in Congress. He is now serving his third term in Congress, and this is practically his first public service.

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**PERTINENT POINTS ON FOXES**

More evidence submitted to members of Royal Commission in Prince Edward Island.

During the inquiry of the Dominion Royal Commission into the fox industry of Prince Edward Island, a number of very pertinent questions were asked by J. R. Sinclair, barrister, and a member of the legislative council of New Zealand, who is a well recognized authority on live stock and agriculture.

Professor Cameron, who replied to the questions, stated that some of the old silver foxes were taken in as high as \$10,000 each, although some pairs from prolific breeding strains could not be bought at that price.

On being asked when is the best time to speak of an old breeder, and when is it regarded as young, the witness replied: "We understand by old or proved breeders mated pairs which have produced and reared at least one litter. Statistics have shown that fifty per cent. of such pairs breed the first year. Those which have reared litters the first year are looked upon as twice as valuable as young foxes because they have proved their breeding capacity."

Mr. Cameron then asked: "When the breeding capacity has been established, can it be relied upon for each successive season?"

The reply was that it is held by the most experienced ranchers that a pair of proved breeders will continue to produce annually as long as they are kept in the same pens. Some outstanding conditions, brought about by a change of environment, might cause the loss of a litter, but the witness asked as to whether breeding had gone on for a sufficiently long time to enable it to be stated with reason and certainty that breeding can be relied upon season after season, Mr. Cameron replied: "I think it can be relied upon till the sixteen becomes old to bear. There are some notable cases where foxes have raised large litters year after year. Dalton had a female that reared 45 pups in seven years."

On asking if the pelts will be as valuable five or six years hence on the market as they are today, Mr. Sinclair was informed that the profit from breeders is greater than that from the market. When we are in a position to place large quantities of pelts on the market the price will tend to drop, but the gradual upward tendency will continue till that time. The last year's report shows that the value of pelts has fallen a fall of 10 per cent. when the demand for breeding foxes ceases there will be a high demand for the pelts of the animals. When the time arises when the pelts will be sent regularly for sale in the world market there will be a fall in the value of breeding animals, but the fall will be quite gradual. The industry will always be profitable. The production of domestic fur is a contribution to the world's progress, and its economic justification is based on the ever increasing demand for the supply of which is rapidly diminishing.

In reply to further question, Mr. Cameron said that long after the industry, as a whole, has settled down to a pelt basis some strain of foxes will be in the market for breeding purposes. He had in mind where cattle have been sold at prices one hundred times the value of the one hundred holds good with horses.

Mr. Sinclair then said the horses and cattle referred to were for purposes of utility, whereas the supply of fox skins is for enormously wealthy people, who can afford to pay the price.

Mr. Cameron replied as follows: "I believe it is conceded by most economists that what is a luxury or ornament of dress for one class may be an absolute necessity for another class of people, and I believe that under conditions of modern progress we travel so much fine fur is becoming more and more one of the necessities of life. If we reason on the assumption that the demand for fine fur as the supply increases we must also conclude that more people will be able to afford to pay the price."

Charles Jordan of Quernsey Cove, is at present engaged in erecting a splendid fox ranch at that place. He has selected an ideal spot for the location of the ranch.

Mr. Drew, manufacturer's representative of Liverpool, N. B., has just completed his tour of the eastern end of the province. Mr. Drew is interested in the fox industry.

Mr. W. L. Jordan of Murray Harbor, has purchased ten patch foxes from the Canada Fox Exchange. These are for the new ranch that is being built at Quernsey Cove.

The Murray Harbor Black Fox Company is now starting to issue shares a partial dividend of thirty per cent. in cash, with the promise of a further dividend of thirty-five per cent. in the near future. This is an excellent result upon which the directors and shareholders alike of the company are to be commended.

The Royal Investment Exchange has received a letter from a responsible trust company in London (Eng.) in which it is stated that the situation in regard to the sale of fox stock at this moment is somewhat improved, owing to the success of the Allies in turning back the German advance on Paris.—Charlottetown Guardian.

**USEFULNESS OF THE SKUNK DESTROYER**

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Although other mammals, including coyotes, badgers, foxes, minks, and weasels, do far more good by destroying noxious rodents than is generally realized, the skunk surpasses them all. It is sufficiently numerous in many localities to keep field mice in check, and reports from various parts of the country show that close trapping of skunks and other fur animals is often followed by an increase in populations of mice. W. Douglas, nurseryman, of Waukegan, Ill., writing to the Biological Survey in 1906, attributed the abundance of mice to the fact that the skunk directly to the scarcity of skunks, weasels, and other natural enemies.

Besides meadow mice, skunks destroy also many other injurious native rodents, including white-footed mice, pocket mice, jumping mice, cotton rats, kangaroo rats, wood rats, chipmunks and rabbits.

The skunk is especially useful in destroying the rats and mice that commonly infest farm buildings. It makes itself familiar about the premises when these rodents are abundant and preys upon them persistently. If not disturbed it will remain until all are destroyed.

The little spotted skunk is remarkably efficient as a destroyer of rats and mice. They are small and nearly like a weasel in shape; they are quick in their movements, and can sometimes enter into smaller crannies than the ordinary skunk can enter. In Kansas the writer once ten heard a skunk with call openings on the outside. The dwelling had been unoccupied for a year and during this time the cellar had been used for storing corn, with the result that the entire house had been infested with rats and mice. A short time after the writer occupied the house it was no longer infested with rats and mice. After a few weeks the rats and mice had all been killed or driven away, and the skunk then left the premises.

There is much similar testimony to the usefulness of skunks as rat catchers. C. C. Maynard says that in Florida spotted skunks are easily domesticated, and they are frequently used in houses for catching mice. Sometimes the animals are captured and the scent glands removed, but they are often simply decoyed about the house by exposing food, and frequently they take up their abode beneath buildings and become so tame as to enter them in search of their prey.

**TRAPPING SKUNKS CONSIDERED EASY**

No very great skill is required to catch these small fur bearing animals.

Trapping is the best method of taking the pelts and generally results in its detriment by the animal. A moderate amount of trapping may be done even in many localities without seriously affecting the supply of this fur, and sometimes without greatly interfering with the beneficial work of the animals against farm pests. If no trapping were done skunks in some places might become noxious because of their abundance. Skunks, being neither suspicious nor cunning, are easily trapped. They are often caught in unbaited traps placed in the paths they travel; yet the head of a fowl, a sparrow, or a dead mouse makes an excellent bait. Trappers use a medium-sized trap (No. 1) and try to take advantage of the peculiar habits and haunts of the animals, placing the trap in such places as the paths they travel to obtain water or to take advantage of the openings to their dens. The trap should be set lightly (the trigger filed down to fit the notch loosely), and a little light trash (leaves or grass) may be scattered over it with advantage. The bait may be placed on the pan, or a little beyond the trap, or between two traps. The pan may be narrowed artificially by setting upright sticks in two converging rows along it and the trap set in the narrow place.

Skunks when trapped do not often discharge their scent so as to defile the fur, but care is needed to remove them from the traps. With caution one may approach near enough to strike the animal a quick blow across the back, paralyzing the hind parts and preventing the discharge. Some trappers use a wire noose attached to a pole. The noose is cautiously lowered over the head of the animal, and by a quick jerk the animal is lifted and strangled.

Many trappers use a tight box trap for taking skunks. When one is caught the box is carefully lifted and carried to water deep enough to cover the animal. If no water is available to drown the animal, it may be killed in the box by carbon bisulphide or chloroform.

will be installed in their new quarters. Letters received recently from the United States ask for particulars and express the view that while the outlook for business generally is dark the fact that the black fox companies are able to pay handsome dividends to their shareholders, particularly in the case of the Royal Investment Exchange, has received a letter from a responsible trust company in London (Eng.) in which it is stated that the situation in regard to the sale of fox stock at this moment is somewhat improved, owing to the success of the Allies in turning back the German advance on Paris.—Charlottetown Guardian.

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Spring Park	50
Samson S. B. Fox Co.	100
Standard	30
Silver Fox Ranching Co., Ltd.	20
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St. George's Bay	20
St. John's	20
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**The Matchless Silver Black Fox Co. Ltd.**  
 BOX 128 CAMERON BLOCK, CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I.  
 References: J. E. B. McCready, Dom. Govt. Publicity Agent; Bank of Nova Scotia, Ch'town Branch.

**Cherry Island Silver Fox Co., Ltd.**  
 Office and Ranch: Alberton, P. E. Island.

ASSETS: 10 PAIRS P. E. I. Silver Foxes, viz. 6 pairs PROVEN BREEDERS and 4 pairs of the young of 1914

—AND—  
 CHERRY ISLAND, otherwise known as OULTON'S ISLAND or Savage Island, THE CRADLE OF THE FOX BREEDING INDUSTRY.

Present issue of Capital, representing above assets, ONLY \$100.00, of which \$115,000 in Shares of \$10.00 each is offered to the Public at Par.

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**TRADE OPENINGS**

ITALIAN MARKET

Number of Firms in Italy

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British Commercial Ho

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Openings in Italian Market

In connection with the British-German-Austrian trade, a list of openings for British and Italian markets. Firms in parts of Italy would like to touch with British commercial agents to supply some other commodities, the following: tiles, chemical products, oils, raw and bleached cotton, and ironwork (furnaments), and building materials, raw iron, scientific and mechanical apparatus, and shoes and leathers, coffee and Colonial motor-cars, motor-cycles, sewing machines, typewriters, sine and petrol, piece goods for upholstery and curtains, printing materials, ironmongery, and building materials, raw iron, scientific and mechanical apparatus, and shoes and leathers, coffee and Colonial motor-cars, motor-cycles, sewing machines, typewriters, sine and petrol, piece goods for upholstery and curtains, printing materials, ironmongery, and building materials, raw iron, scientific and mechanical apparatus, and shoes and leathers, coffee and Colonial motor-cars, motor-cycles, sewing machines, typewriters, sine and petrol, piece goods for upholstery and curtains, printing materials, ironmongery, and 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Black Foxes at \$17,500 per pair.
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TRADE OPENINGS IN ITALIAN MARKETS
Number of Firms in Italy Anxious to Get in Touch With British Commercial Houses.

GOOD DEMAND FOR UNLISTED STOCKS
New York, Oct. 7.—Dealers in Unlisted Securities report that yesterday's mail brought in considerable volume of orders for unlisted stocks and bonds.

EXPECT TO CLEAR UP SITUATION SOON
Negotiations Between London Exchange Committee and Bank Going on Regarding Scheme for Straightening Out Matters.

BOSTON DOES LITTLE TRADE IN UNLISTED
Boston, Oct. 7.—Very little business has developed in listed shares selling at \$8 and under since the Boston stock exchange committee ruled that it would entertain bids for this class of stock at concessions from the closing price of July 30.

PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES
Montreal, Oct. 7.—CORN—American No. 2 yellow, 84 @ 85.

INTERCEPTING OF WIRELESS MESSAGES, NEW USE FOR POTATO
Florence, Italy, Oct. 7, via Paris (4:05 p.m.)—Father Alfani, director of the Florence Observatory, said today he thought that the invention of the first Domenico Argenti, or a system to receive wireless messages without the use of poles or batteries was identical with the Argenti system.

World's Shipping News
MINIATURE ALMANAC
October Phases of the Moon.

FOREIGN PORTS
New York, Oct. 7.—Cid: Schs Harry Miller, Perth Amboy; Myrtle Leaf, Merriam, Two Rivers; J Frank Seavey, Read, St John.

SCARCITY OF LEAD TO SHORTEN WAR?
The London Daily Chronicle is quoted as saying that "a leading lead merchant stated that the European war could not last long as there is not enough lead in the world to maintain a supply of bullets for the soldiers, as it is estimated there will be 14,000,000 in the field before long."

MORE MONEY IN NEW YORK BANKS THAN A YEAR AGO.
It may be interesting to note that with a gain of \$9,000,000 in the specie and legal tenders in the New York banks last week the total sum of their currency reserve was \$424,000,000 as compared with \$411,000,000 a year ago.

CHICAGO PRICES
Chicago, Oct. 7.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 1.05 3/8 @ 1.06 1/8; No. 2 hard, 1.05 3/8 @ 1.06 1/8.

Good Enough for Home
No Man Need Be Ashamed to Take Home With Him a Bottle of Four Crown Scotch
He shouldn't drink at a Club, in a Cafe or Hotel any liquor that isn't good enough for the home.

DOMESTIC PORTS
Shelburne, Oct. 5—Ard: Schs Conard S. Brannen, Portsmouth, N. H. Liverpool, Oct. 5—Cid: Schs Mary Henry, Geldert, Angra, Azores.

PRICE OF POTASH HAS ALMOST TRIPLED
London, Oct. 7.—The effect of the war upon the chemical trade is receiving special attention from two representative committees of the Board of Trade. The stoppage of the potash supply hitherto German monopoly, is placing the soft soap trade in difficulties. Potash has advanced in price from \$35 to \$120 per ton, and the salt figure is prohibitive for the soft soap manufacturers.

Weather Insurance
Rain or snow, if they find even a small crack in your roof, can do almost as much damage as a fire.

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CANADIAN PACIFIC STEAMSHIPS.
ANNOUNCEMENT.
The S.S. MISSANABIE, the first of two new moderate rate steamships which are nearing completion, will sail on her maiden trip from Liverpool OCTOBER 7th for Montreal and returning sail from Montreal THURSDAY, OCTOBER 22nd.

CRYSTAL STREAM S. S. CO. (LTD.)
ST. JOHN-FREDERICTON ROUTE.
STMR. D. J. PURDY will sail from North End for Fredericton and intermediate points every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 8:30 a. m., returning alternate days, leaving Fredericton at 7:30 a. m.

CHOICE Carleton Co. Hay, Manitoba White Oats
All kinds of Mill Feeds
A. C. SMITH & CO., 9 Union Street, West St. John. Telephone West 7-11 and West 81

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We have on hand, and offer for sale the following new boilers built for a safe working pressure of one hundred and twenty-five pounds:—One "inclined" Type ..... 60 H. P. One Return Tubular Type 60 H. P. One Locomotive Type ..... 20 H. P. Two Tubular Type ..... 20 H. P. Full particulars and prices will be mailed upon request.

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BOSTON
If you have any good investment securities you desire to sell, send us particulars, we may be able to place them for you.

Thanksgiving Day
Monday, October 12.
SINGLE FARE
Going Oct. 12; Returning Oct. 13th. FARE AND ONE THIRD
Going Oct. 10, 11, 12; Returning Oct. 14, 1914.

STEAMSHIPS. EASTERN STEAMSHIP CORPORATION
Autumn Excursions
via the INTERNATIONAL LINE
Going Sept. 19—Oct. 16, inclusive. Return limit thirty days.

MAJESTIC STEAMSHIP CO. (FOR BELLEISLE)
Steamer Champlain will leave St. John on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 o'clock noon for Hatfield's Point and intermediate landings, returning will leave Monday and Thursday at 1 p. m.

STEAM ELAINE
Leaves Indiantown, Old May Queen wharf, foot of Hammond street, every Wednesday and Saturday morning at 8 o'clock for Chipman and intermediate points. Returning leaves Chipman every Monday and Thursday at 4 a. m.

AFRAID SHE WAS DYING Suffered Terribly Until She Took "Fruit-a-tives"

St. Jean De Matha, Jan. 27th, 1914. "After suffering for a long time with Dyspepsia, I have been cured by "Fruit-a-tives." I suffered so much that I would not dare eat for I was afraid of dying. Five years ago, I received samples of "Fruit-a-tives." I did not wish to try them for I had little confidence in them but seeing my husband's anxiety, I decided to do so and at once I felt relief. Then I sent for three boxes and I kept improving until I was cured. While sick, I lost several pounds, but after taking "Fruit-a-tives," I quickly regained what I had lost. Now I eat, sleep and digest well—in a word, I am completely cured, thanks to "Fruit-a-tives."

Madam M. Charbonneau. "Fruit-a-tives" is the greatest stomach tonic in the world and will always cure Indigestion, Sour Stomach, "Heartburn," Dyspepsia and other Stomach Troubles. 50c. a box, six for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or send on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives, Limited, Ottawa.

THE DOUGLASTOWN SUPERIOR SCHOOL RETURNS FOR SEPTEMBER

Newcastle, Oct. 7.—Following is the standing of leading pupils of Douglastown Superior School for September: Grade X—Kathleen Henn, 85 p. c.; Ruth Henderson, 70. Grades IX and VIII A—Ernest Cameron, 87; Andrew Cowie, 78; Margaret Craig, 88; James Henderson, 85. Grade VIII B—Kathleen Cameron, 76; Annie DeWolf, 68. Grade VII—Annie Bonn, 81; Clarissa Pirch, 79; Norman Dickens, 69; Clyde Gulliver, 68; Bertha Atkinson and Robt. Wood, 65; Arthur Roy and Marie Mallin, 64. Grade VI—Janie Vantour, 71; May Hutchison, 60. Grade V—Eloise Anderson, 92; Jean Gully, 90; Marion Grey, 89; Gladys Sleeth, 87; Rudyard Henderson, 86; Jessie Breen, 83; Yvonne Vantour, 82; James Ryan, 80; Margaret Simpson and Weldon Jardine, 76; David Hutchison, 73; Yvonne Benn, 71; May Kirkpatrick, 69; Annie Ryan, 68; Clara At-

5% Saint John City Debentures

Subscriptions will be received at the Office of the City Chamberlain, until 12 o'clock noon, the 10th day of October, 1914, for the purchase of Debentures amounting to \$124,000, in sums of Five Hundred Dollars each. These Debentures bear 5 per cent. Interest, payable half yearly, and will run for periods of— \$11,000.....for FIVE YEARS, \$32,000.....for TEN YEARS, \$81,000.....for TWENTY YEARS, —and are

TAX EXEMPT

All offers will be treated in confidence. No offer will be received at less than par, and the City reserves the right to reject any or all subscriptions. JAMES H. FRINK, Mayor.

TENDER For Sewerage and Water Supply.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside, "Tender Riverside Sewerage System," will be received up till twelve o'clock noon October 10th for the construction of Sewerage and Water Supply System at Riverside, N. B. Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the Engineer, 167 Prince Wm. street, where forms of tender may be obtained. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. SMITH & TURNBULL, Engineers. Realities, Limited, 147 Prince Wm. street.

Camp Blankets

Rubber Camp Blankets in stock, full length, fitted with eyelets; also Rubber Coats, Rubber Boots, Rubber Hats and Oiled Clothing. ESTEY & CO., No. 49 Dock street.

WATCH REPAIRERS.

W. Bailey, the English, American and Swiss watch repairer, 138 Mill street.

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A. L. GOODWIN, Germain St.

kinson, 67; Geo. Driscoll, 62; Dora Holmes, 60; Erast Lee, 60. Grade IV—Florence DeWolfe, 90; Isabel Wood, 89; Wm. Firth, 85; Marion Cameron, 84; Jack McComb, 81; Margaret Thibea, 79; Annie Lloyd, 74; Everett Spurr, 72; Andrew Lee, 66; Arthur Young, 64; Max Russell, and Dorothy Atkinson, 61; Jessie Cameron, 59; Gordon Dickens, 51; Linda Wood, 60. Grade III—Muriel Russell, 93; Frances Thibea, 89; May Sicles, 87; John Craig, 85; Emmet Hagarty, 83; Helen Dickens, 82; Robt. Wood, 82. Grade II—Eloise Anderson, Helon Kirkpatrick, Frank Russell, 87; Genevieve Getlike, 86; Kathleen Young, 85; Alexis Taylor, 69; Sylvie Gabrielson, 65; May Bondreau, 63; Ernest Cahoon, 60. Grade I—Pearl Sleeth, Marjorie Anderson, Gordon Sullivan, Sam Howe, Roy Simpson, 90; Fred Simpson, Ritchie Anderson, Harvey Gray, Edith Gulliver, Eliza Thibea, 88; Joseph Taylor, Harvey Jessamin, Alex. Dickie, George Johnston, Harry Goldard, 85; Jessie Cahoon, Hazel Mullin, Osborne Sicles, Grace Walsh, Roy Gray, 80; Ernest Nolan, Burnetta Dhan, 79; Burton Taylor, 65; Vincent Taylor, 60.

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# THE SPORTS NEWS AT HOME AND A BROAD

## NUMERICAL STRENGTH OF PITCHING STAFF OF ATHLETICS AND BOSTON BRAVES

New York, October 6.—So far as the numerical strength of the pitching staff of the Philadelphia Athletics and Boston Braves are concerned, the rival league pennant winners will enter the World's Series on equal terms. Each club has at least eight pitchers who can be called into action respectively by managers, Connie Mack and George Stallings. It is not likely, however, that more than fifty per cent of this hurling staff will step to the mound during the coming diamond conflict, since both managers are likely to depend to a great extent upon the services of their veteran twirlers.

Connie Mack is not worrying about the Athletics' staff. Last year before the World's Series began the only weakness in the team appeared to be in the pitchers' box. Plank and Bender were the only twirlers who could be counted upon with reasonable certainty. Providing Bender and Plank have not lost any of their speed and cunning, and they have been consistent winners throughout this year's American League campaign, Mack is better fortified with pitchers than he was a year ago. Besides the two veterans he has Bush, Shawkey, Wyckoff, Fenwick and Bresler. During the great sport of the Athletics in the last half of July and all of August when the team won thirty-nine out of forty-five games, all these pitchers worked in regular turn and pitched good, steady ball.

Many of the World's Series of the past have produced surprises in pitchers such as the victory of Joe Bush against the New York Giants last year and the coming games are not without the possibilities of another one. Fans who have been watching the work of the Athletics have been impressed with the work of Bresler, the newest twirler on the team. He has been steady in a puzzling cross-fire ball that has earned him the title of the "second Eddie Plank." It would not surprise

some of the fans if Manager Mack should call on Bresler in the event of the Athletics' veteran pitchers going wrong.

Because of the wealth of pitching material the Athletics have had to draw on this season, they will go into the series with none of the twirlers over-worked. The only man who showed any sign of wear on the last western trip was Plank. He has rested and is expected to be in his old time form. Coombs, although he appeared in a few of the final games of the season, is not likely to figure in the title series since he has not fully recovered from his long illness.

The trio of pitchers, whose consistent work carried the Braves from last to first place in the rush for the National League pennant, is expected to carry the twirling burden for Boston in the games against the Athletics. In James, Rudolph and Tyler Manager Stallings has three high-class hurlers. In the Braves' second string, Davis and Cochrane are fairly dependable pitchers providing their teammates are hitting well and it may be that one or more of this trio may see service during the coming

Philadelphia Athletics—Pitchers

Name	G.	W.	L.	S.O.	B.B.	H.	Average
Bender	26	16	3	98	42	155	.842
Plank	25	10	3	80	60	120	.789
Fenwick	32	15	7	107	41	151	.852
Bresler	25	8	8	82	30	97	.667
Shawkey	35	15	8	80	71	212	.652
Wyckoff	29	10	6	75	38	146	.625
Bush	38	15	12	106	81	187	.600
Davies	1	0	0	0	0	0	.000

Boston Braves—Pitchers

Name	G.	W.	L.	S.O.	B.B.	H.	Average
James	48	24	7	146	107	241	.774
Rudolph	38	23	9	119	60	271	.719
Strand	13	5	2	25	16	31	.719
Tyler	38	16	13	128	241	241	.552
Cochran	3	3	3	15	23	40	.500
Davis	7	2	3	16	18	26	.500
Hess	11	3	6	21	30	78	.333
Crutcher	2	2	7	41	56	150	.222

## ANOTHER WORLD'S RECORD

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 7.—A world record of 1.59% for a third heat in a race was established by Directum I. in the Tennessee, which he won in straight heats from a small field. Frank Bogash, Jr., the horse that was expected to be the principal contender did not start, because of lameness. William will start tomorrow to beat his own world's record for four-year-old pacers of 2:00.

Summary:

2:14 Pace, Three in Five—Purse \$1,000 (Three Heats Tuesday.)

The Ansonia, ch g, by Walter Direct (McMahon) 6 1 1 1  
 Fred Mack, br g (Glasscock) 1 2 6 6  
 Lillian, b h (Wagon) 3 4 4 2  
 Willie Elder, br h (Hendrick) 8 6 2 3  
 T. C. S., b g (Murphy) 2 6 5 5  
 Shade Line, ch h (Owens) 7 3 3 4  
 Sillette, fr h (Wagon) 2 4 1 1  
 (Pratt) 10 10 8 7  
 Blue Line, b h (Rubie) 4 7 7 7  
 Nelson, b m (Garrison) 9 8 9 9  
 Dingo, ch h (Monahan) 11 9 9 9  
 Vert, ch m (Pitman) 5 5 5 5  
 Time—2:05%; 2:04%; 2:04%; 2:04%.

2:22 Trot, Three in Five—Purse \$1,000  
 King Ambler, ch b, by Robert King (Garrison) 2 4 1 1 1  
 Billy Bing, br c (Walker) 3 5 2 2 2  
 Dan C., g g (Warner) 1 1 6 4 3  
 Sylvia, b m (Floyd) 1 1 6 3 3  
 Baron Todd, b (McDonold) 6 3 3 3  
 Barrill, b c (Young) 4 6 4 4  
 Marvelous Sheet, ch m (Murphy) dis.  
 Time—2:10%; 2:11%; 2:13%; 2:13%.

The Tennessee for Free-for-All Pacers  
 Three in Five—Purse \$3,000.

Directum I, ch h, by Directum Kelly (Snodden) 1 1 1 1  
 Earl Jr., g b (Cox) 2 2 2 2  
 Don Denmore, b (Russell) 3 3 3 3  
 Walter Cochran, blk h (McMahon) dis.  
 Time—2:02%; 2:04%; 2:04%; 2:04%.

2:17 Trot, Three in Five—Purse \$1,000 (Unfinished.)

Murthul, b m, by Star of Pat- chn (Murphy) 8 1 1  
 Hazel Lang, ch m (Andrews) 1 2 2  
 Silver Bell, g m (Monahan) 2 6 5  
 Signal Boy, b g (Wright) 4 3 3  
 Alice Arion, b m (McQuaid) 3 9 6  
 Peter Pearl, b h (Nuckles) 11 4 4  
 Hollywood Ben, b c (Dodge) 6 5 8  
 Hugh Miller, blk c (Little) 5 7 7  
 Zebadiah, b m (Brawley) 7 8 9  
 Glenora, br m (Garrison) 9 10 10  
 Lottie Simmes, br m (Todd) 10 10 10  
 Time—2:08%; 2:06%; 2:05%.

## CHAMPION TEAMS AWAITING WORD— TRAINING BEHIND CLOSED DOORS MANY PERSONS WAITING FOR SEATS

Philadelphia, Oct. 7.—Things began to move rapidly today in preparation for the opening game of the series for the baseball championship of the world. The Boston Braves and the Philadelphia Athletics practiced in ball parks that were only five city blocks apart, while thousands of persons in the downtown district provided excitement in their scrambling and defiance of the police while making wild efforts to buy tickets for the big sporting event. Tonight there is not a reserved seat ticket to be had for any of the games scheduled to be played on the American League grounds here except through speculators.

The so-called tuning up process today of the present world's champions and the winners of the National League pennant was a mild character. Neither Connie Mack nor George Stallings permitted his men to do any extended work.

The National Leaguers spent more than two hours in the forenoon on the grounds of the Philadelphia National League club taking an easy workout. The weather was very damp, rain falling in light showers during a part of the morning, in consequence of which the Boston manager refused to let his men extend themselves. Tyler was the only member of the pitching staff to warm up.

The team practiced behind closed gates and the few supporters of the club who saw the players go through their practice bestowed their attention upon Third Baseman Deal, who

will go into the series in place of Smith, who is lying in a Brooklyn hospital with a broken ankle. Deal was given a good workout in fielding hard hit grounders and also had to face some stiff pitching. Stallings, who was reported to have been greatly depressed over Smith's misfortune, began to cheer up today. After the practice, he said he felt confident that Deal would do his best to measure up to Smith's ability at the bat.

A majority of the Boston players took in the final American League game at Shibe Park in the afternoon, when the Athletics trounced New York ten to nothing. They did not learn much about their opponents' style of playing. The New York pitching was easy and the Philadelphia team laced the ball to all parts of the field. The Athletics took no chances on the bases and played straight baseball all through the game.

While at Shibe Park, George Stallings met Connie Mack. There were mutual congratulations over the winning of their respective pennants and each expressed the hope that the series would be a good one. While at the park Stallings arranged with Mack for the Braves to practice at Shibe Park tomorrow morning after the Athletics have their usual workout.

Some of the rooters of the world's champions are becoming anxious over McInnes, the first baseman. About ten days ago he was struck on his throwing hand by a pitched ball in St. Louis, and has not played a game since, although he has appeared in practice. The club management has

not said much about his injury, but there is no doubt he will get into the first game on Friday. Outfielder Walsh, who broke into baseball as a first baseman on the Niagara University team, has been playing in McIntire's place in fine style and hitting the ball hard.

Demand for tickets for the series was never greater than it is this year. The applications for reserved seats at Shibe Park were four times greater than the capacity of the grandstand. A certain number of tickets were held for privileged persons, and the remainder were placed on sale at the ticket office of a department store. The line of purchasers at this office began to form early Monday morning, and it was more than six blocks long when the sale began. The line broke when the office opened, and the police had much difficulty in quieting the disorder in the crowded shopping district. Mounted policemen had to be used to scatter the crowd.

Hardly had the ticket office opened than speculators began to sell seats for the games three and five dollars above the regular price. Five and three dollar tickets were quickly sold out, and all the two dollar seats were disposed of early in the afternoon. When the ticket office windows closed there was still a long line on the street.

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## OUTFIELD IN CHAMPIONSHIP CONTEST

(The Associated Press.)  
 New York, Oct. 7.—In the World's Series of 1914 the outer lines of defense will figure prominently in the struggle which will decide whether the Boston Braves or the Philadelphia Athletics wear the championship crown for the coming twelve months. Both the National and American League pennant winning clubs have outfield combinations which class up in every respect with the other departments of the teams. It is remarkable, however, that when compared, player for player, there appears to be little advantage one way or the other so far as the batting records and averages available in matter of fielding and batting.

Numerically the Braves are stronger for Manager Stallings has seven outfielders to Mack's five. This list includes all the players who have played a game or part of a game during the last two months of the season and from it will be chosen the trio that will stand between the batters and extra base hits. Some uncertainty exists regarding the final line-up of the two outfielders. This is especially true of the Boston club for the Braves have repeatedly switched the outfield combination in the final weeks of the pennant race.

The National League champions have Moran, Mann, Cather, Connolly,

## THIS DATE IN RING ANNALS

Thursday, Oct. 8, 1914.  
 1806—Henry Pearce defeated John Gully in 64 rounds at Halesham, England. Dukes, earls, and "tofs," to the number of hundreds witnessed this battle between England's greatest bruisers, who were described by a ringside scribe as "two sons of Hercules"—two friends attached to each other without an evil wish one to the other—yet both determined to do their best for the nature of the attempt. It was the science and skill of the veteran "Game Chicken" Pearce against the youth and strength of the giant Gully, and after an hour and a quarter of fast and furious fighting the former was declared the victor. Pearce died not long afterward, and Gully became the British champion. Gully made a fortune after leaving the ring, was elected to Parliament, and owned a Derby winner.

1896—Johnny LaVaok and Australian Billy Murphy, 20 rounds, draw, Lexington, Ky.

1900—Dave Sullivan defeated Oscar Gardner, "Omaha Kid," in 20 rounds at Louisville.

1913—Johnny Kilbane defeated Kid Julian in 10 rounds at New York.

## RESULTS OF THE BIG LEAGUES

**AMERICAN LEAGUE.**  
 Washington 11; Boston 4.  
 At Boston:  
 Washington... 04002401—11 13 1  
 Boston... 11000200—4 7 2  
 Batteries—Bentley and Henry; Beckett and Carrigan.  
 Philadelphia 10; New York 0.  
 At Philadelphia:  
 New York... 00000000—0 3 2  
 Philadelphia... 52000100—4 7 2  
 Batteries—Pieb and Schwartz; Bresler and Lapp.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE.**  
 Exhibition Game.  
 At Chicago:  
 Chicago-Americans 00000200—2 7 2  
 Chicago-Nationals 10000200—4 11 1  
 Batteries—Wolfgang, Faber, Cicotte and Schalk; Vaughn and Bresnahan.  
 St. Louis 7; St. Louis 4.  
 At St. Louis:  
 St. Louis-Americans... 22000030—7 12 1  
 St. Louis-Nationals... 00120001—4 12 1  
 Batteries—Hamilton, Baumgardner and Agnew; Sallee, Perdue and Snyder.

**FEDERAL LEAGUE.**  
 Baltimore 5; Pittsburg 3.  
 At Baltimore—First game:  
 Pittsburg... 00000100—3 8 1  
 Baltimore... 01003100—5 11 1  
 Batteries—Barger and Roberts; Wilhelm and Kerr.  
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 Second game:  
 Pittsburg... 00021000—3 8 2

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## INDIANAPOLIS FEDERAL CHAMPIONS

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 7.—By winning from St. Louis today, the Indianapolis Federal League team, for the second time in two years captured the Federal League pennant.

President Gilmore of the Federals, has announced that he will challenge the winner of the world's series on behalf of the winner of the Federal League pennant, but there is little hope that a series can be arranged.

## THE COURTS.

Chancery Division.  
 The case of Francis F. Burpee et al vs. the Ashburn Lake Fishing Club is still being continued in the Chancery Division before Mr. Justice White. The National Leaguers, Charles Ritchie, yesterday morning told an interesting story in connection with his recollections of the usages of the land in dispute about fifty years ago. He told of one Moffat who was a tenant of Federal League pennant.

Some of the rooters of the world's champions are becoming anxious over McInnes, the first baseman. About ten days ago he was struck on his throwing hand by a pitched ball in St. Louis, and has not played a game since, although he has appeared in practice. The club management has

Water—Haven't you forgotten something, sir? Diner—That's so. My wife gave me a letter to mail.  
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 "Oh, that's a kind of arson for which you get praise instead of punishment."

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**THE WEATHER.**

Maritime—Moderate to fresh westerly winds; fair and a little warmer.

Washington, Oct. 7.—Forecast: Northern New England—Fair Thursday; Friday unsettled.

Toronto, Oct. 7.—The weather continues showery in Manitoba and Saskatchewan and rain is falling tonight in parts of Northern Ontario. Elsewhere in Canada it is fine, with a tendency towards higher temperature. Heavy frosts occurred this morning in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Prince Rupert	46	54
Vancouver	52	62
Calgary	50	60
Moose Jaw	45	55
Regina	43	53
Winnipeg	43	53
Port Arthur	50	60
Ferry Sound	44	54
London	50	60
Toronto	50	60
Kingston	42	52
Ottawa	36	46
Montreal	36	46
Quebec	30	40
St. John	34	44
Halifax	34	44

**Around the City**

Grateful for Kindness.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Hamm of Drury Cove desire to thank their friends for kindness and sympathy shown them during their recent bereavement.

Can Tie the Knot

Rev. George H. Skinner of St. John, Rev. L. J. Tingley of Millstream, Kings county, Rev. Edwin Crowell of Fairville, and Rev. Fred Brasler of Grand Falls, have been registered to solemnize marriage.

In Fredericton

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Weeks, Miss Weeks, W. H. Weeks and E. S. Weeks of St. John arrived here last evening by automobile and returned home this afternoon. They were guests at the Queen Hotel—Gleaser.

Soldiers' Wives' League.

Members of the Soldiers' Wives' League met yesterday afternoon and discussed plans for the winter work. An entertainment for the children of soldiers at the front will be given about Christmas and presents will also be provided for the little ones. Members of the league are at work arranging for the entertainment. The members have also interested themselves in the families of soldiers at the front and visits have been made.

Young People's Society.

The annual meeting of the Young People's Society of Victoria Street Baptist Church took place last evening in the church vestry. The reports from the various committees showed the society to be in good condition. The election of officers resulted as follows: Honorary president, Roy Watters; first vice-president, Walter Hatheway; second vice-president, Arthur Prove; secretary, Miss Ethel Lasker; assistant secretary, Miss Vera Starkey; treasurer, Miss F. K. Vanwart.

St. John Booklet.

A booklet illustrative of the commercial and other activities of St. John has just made its appearance. The book contains upwards of one hundred and fifty pages and is full of illustrations in particularly good. All the pictures are finished from actual photographs and with the articles descriptive of the various plants and other features of the city the book forms an attractive advertisement for St. John. The book is published under the direction of the common council of St. John, and Mayor Frink has an interesting foreword. The book is a creditable production and should prove of great interest to people in places outside of St. John.

**PERSONAL.**

Lieut. Governor Wood arrived in the city yesterday and is at the Royal. He will go to Fredericton to attend the meeting of the government today. His secretary, William Crulshanks, was also in the city yesterday. Thomas Carson, M. L. A. for St. John county, was in the city yesterday.

General Benson of the Remount Division of the British Army who was expected in the city yesterday did not arrive, but will probably come here today.

**BUILDING TRADES ORGANIZE COUNCIL.**

The question of forming a building trades council was discussed at a meeting held in the Trades and Labor Council hall last evening. The meeting was open to any members of unions of the building trades, and there was a good attendance. It was decided to go ahead and form a council of all the trades interested, and another meeting will be held in a short time to effect the necessary organization.

The different unions which have to do with building operations will be asked to elect delegates, and these delegates will meet later and form the building trades council. The object of the council is to have a body where questions affecting one or more of the building trades as a whole can be discussed and arrangements made for united action by all the unions, either in the way of securing new legislation or in securing improved conditions.

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**DECK LOAD SUSPECTED.**

Dominion government will ask Imperial authorities for concession—Elevator matter before railway department.

A letter was received by the Board of Trade yesterday from Hon. J. D. Hagen, stating that the government was taking up the matter of inducing the Imperial government to suspend the operation of the deckload law during the winter, a concession which the British government has made to Russian shipping. The Board of Trade is of the opinion that Great Britain should accord the same treatment to shipping from Canada as from Russia, so that in case there is any advantage to shipping from the suspension of this regulation Canada may share in it. The British law limiting the height of deckload on ships entering British ports in the winter time.

The Minister of Marine also wrote to the board that its representations in regard to the erection of an elevator to replace the structure destroyed by fire had been laid before the railway department of the government and would receive proper consideration.

**LOWER PRICES ON FLOUR ARE A POSSIBILITY.**

War in Europe may cause difficulty in transporting—Dealers see no cause for worry.

Lower prices on flour are said to be a possibility of the near future. According to a local dealer, millers are sending considerable quantities of flour to ports on the Atlantic, and the situation is such as to warrant a prediction of easier prices. Unless the wholesale firms can sell in Europe, which at present is unlikely, prices of flour for Canadian this winter should not be such as to cause much worry. In the important flour exchange centers of the United States there is a considerably greater amount of flour on hand at present than last year, and as the United States has little more opportunity of disposing of its flour in foreign markets than Canada, there should be a tendency there to lower prices.

About the only thing that is worrying the flour merchants is the outlook for next year when, if the war continues, they will have no barometer whatsoever to gauge prices. If the European nations continue the war it is not likely that much grain will be planted in Europe next year. Allying to this possibility the governments of Canada and the United States are urging the farmers to make arrangements for the production of record wheat crops next year, believing the demand will be great enough to assure prices hitherto unknown.

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Hon. Geo. E. Foster taking matter up with Imperial authorities—Will assist trade.

The question of securing a reduction of cable rates between Great Britain and Canada with the object of facilitating the development of trade between Canada and the Mother Country is engaging the attention of the local Board of Trade, which is co-operating with the Halifax board in the matter. The Halifax people were the first to interest themselves in the question, and made representations to Hon. George E. Foster, asking his help to secure a reduction of the trans-Atlantic cable rates. Yesterday the secretary of the St. John board received a letter from the Minister of Trade and Commerce, stating he was taking the matter up with the Imperial authorities, and would see what could be done about it.

**SIGNALLERS HAPPY.**

Signalier LeLacheur, who went with the St. John detachment of signalers in the first contingent, writing to his father, says that the transport had left Quebec but none of the men aboard had been sick so far. He spoke in high terms of the treatment being accorded the signalers. The post card was evidently mailed by the pilot from the steamer after the transport was on the open sea.

During the voyage it was intended to keep in touch with the different ships and signalers were allotted to each transport. The Franconia, which was the headquarters boat, had for its signalers, C. H. McDonald, H. R. Large, H. H. Whitlock, and I. D. Appleby. The section of signalers under Major Powers have been nicknamed "Powers' Pets."

**RECRUITING FOR SECOND CONTINGENT.**

All branches active and New Brunswick will answer call in loyal manner—Working hard.

Officers of local regiments are making arrangements to start recruiting at St. John and other points in the province for the second expeditionary force to be sent from Canada to the assistance of the Mother Country. It is said that there will be no general muster at Valcartier, but that the men will be mobilized at different points of which St. John will be one. Col. B. H. Armstrong, who recently returned from Ottawa, received authority to start recruiting. Col. J. L. McAvity has offered to undertake the organization of a distinctive New Brunswick regiment of infantry. It is expected that there will be a considerable body of mounted men with the second expeditionary force, and already it is said the volunteers from the Princess Louise Hussars and the 24th Dragoon have been numerous. When the permanent company of the 62nd Fusiliers were asked if they would volunteer for foreign service 45 of the 59 men on duty stepped forward and the remaining three afterwards signed their willingness to go.

Howard P. Robinson, who has joined the 3rd Artillery Regiment with an appointment as provisional lieutenant, has been selected to take charge of the recruiting work, and will open recruiting offices at the armory, on the west side and other points in the city.

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**DEVICE PATENTED BY FORMER ST. JOHN MAN TRIED BY STEAMER ABERDEEN AND FOUND EFFICIENT.**

A former resident of St. John, Captain Frederick Rouse, who has been away from this city for many years, is now to the front with his patent sea anchor and oil attachment, and he is meeting with the greatest success with it. Captain Rouse is at present residing in San Francisco.

Some time ago Captain Thompson, of the government marine department, was in the city and he spoke to Capt. Mulcahey, one of the port wardens, regarding this sea anchor. Yesterday there was a good chance for a trial and the anchor was taken outside the Partridge Island about five miles on the steamer Aberdeen. Capt. Dalton of the ship, with Capt. Mulcahey, paid special attention to the workings of the anchor. There was a fairly good sea running when the anchor was tested and it was found to be an admirable one from every point in view. Another test will be given the anchor in other circumstances.

Captain Frederick Rouse recently supplied the U. S. transport service with 300 of these anchors for the life boats and life rafts on the respective vessels.

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A mill at Seboois, Maine, on the C. P. R., was completely destroyed by fire last evening. The C. P. R. station was threatened, but efficient fire fighters saved the structure.

Bargain Skirts.

A short time ago F. A. Dykeman & Co. had an opportunity to purchase a large number of ladies' fine tailored skirts at a price equal to one-third below the regular. These have been made in the last minute styles, with the over bounce and are made from a very fine serge. The \$5.00 quality is priced \$3.25. The \$5.75 quality, with a plain over bounce, over a checked body, is priced \$3.85. A fine French design serge skirt, regular \$7.00, is priced \$4.35.

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**THANKSGIVING FEELING FOR THE SOLDIERS.**

Sham fight and manoeuvres at Red Head—All branches of service may be represented.

Volunteers are being called for a sham fight on Thanksgiving Day to take place around Red Head. Members of the officers and N.C.O. classes will be obliged to attend, as the tactical work to be undertaken is a part of their course. The officers and men of the permanent company of the 62nd will take part in the manoeuvres. All the other companies of the 62nd are being asked to turn out and volunteers from other forces in the city will be welcome.

The day will be spent in tactical manoeuvres, skirmishing, taking cover, standing fire, etc.

Yesterday the officers and men of the 62nd regiment marched to Mispen and back carrying their rations with them. Although the march was considerably over 20 miles, the men were in fine shape when they returned to the city and could have stood a much longer march without pronounced fatigue. Every day the men are taken for a march of 20 miles or more. They are in splendid condition and are taking to their work with a will.

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This is the greatest exhibit of "Burberry" Overcoats we have ever made and the diversity of cloths and colorings will not fail to please. There are Naps, Whitneys, Fleece Shetlands and Chinchillas, beautiful soft, warm cloths, mostly made in the double-faced style with fancy check backs. Others in Diagonal weaves and fancy mixtures and with plain backs. Also a great variety of heather and plain cloths in browns, greys, fawns and greens.

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