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## ARMY OF BRITAIN CONTINUES ADVANCE ON LENS; BRAZIL REVOKES HER DECREE OF NEUTRALITY; GILBERT W. GANONG NEW LIEUT. GOVERNOR

### THE BRITISH CONTINUE TO FORGE AHEAD

Advance on Front of Nearly  
Two Miles on Way to  
Lens.

### BRAZIL REVOKES HER NEUTRALITY

Ports of Dunkirk and Ostend  
Bombarded by the  
Belligerents.

Canadian Headquarters in France, via London, June 28.—(By Stewart Lyon, special correspondent of the Canadian Press)—Fighting their way forward, amid a labyrinth of ruined houses over which the smoke of battle hangs densely, the Canadians at sunset tonight were more than half way through Avion. The attack, which was the second in twenty-four hours, was made in conjunction with the British troops, all of whom reached their objectives. On the north, our hold upon Reservoir Hill, was made absolute by the gallant advance of the British soldiers, who went forward without check, despite heavy enemy shelling.

The German trenches on the eastern side were breached within half an hour after the attack began. Throughout the day there had been incessant artillery activity.

When the appointed time came on a front of many miles from the Scarpe to a point well to the north of the Souchez river, hundreds of guns opened in a terrific cannonade. Soon Reservoir Hill, Lens itself, Avion and the town to the south, were hidden behind almost an impenetrable veil of smoke from bursting shells. Amid this the infantry, who had remained inactive throughout the day, amid the grueling fire, went forward.

Rio Janeiro, June 28.—Brazil has revoked her decree of neutrality in the war between the Entente Allies and Germany.

London, June 28.—The official report from British headquarters in France tonight reads:

"Considerable further progress, in the course of which we have captured a number of prisoners, has been made by us during the day south of the Souchez river. Our line in this area again has been advanced on a front of nearly two miles. Our troops have reached the outskirts of Avion."

"During the night the enemy's artillery heavily bombarded our positions in the neighborhood of Fontaine-Les-Croisilles."

"Hostile attacks against our advanced positions south of the Coquel river were successfully repulsed. A German raiding party entered our trenches last

### LIBERAL M. P. SCENTS CIVIL WAR COMING

Mayor Mederic Martin of  
Montreal Sees End of Con-  
federation.

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, June 28.—Civil war was talked again in the Canadian parliament tonight. Mederic Martin, Liberal M. P. for St. Mary's and Mayor of Montreal, declared that if conscription was enforced in the province of Quebec it would be resisted.

"Next week," he said, "we will celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of Confederation; it is the end of Confederation that is coming. If you pass this bill you are entering the realm of civil war. You are deliberately provoking the people."

He contended that Canada had done sufficiently with regard to the sending of men, and that the national energy should now be directed towards supplying foodstuffs to the Empire and the Allies.

### WERNER HORN TO GO TO PENITENTIARY

Boston, June 28.—After spending two years and a quarter in various jails pending trial for attempting to blow up the railway bridge over the St. Croix river at Vanceboro with dynamite, Werner Horn will serve 18 months in the federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga., and besides must pay a fine of \$1,000. This is the sentence decided upon by the United States district court. Horn was convicted on a technical charge of illegally transporting dynamite.

Paris, June 28.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads:

"Intermittent bombardments occurred in the region of Hurbise monument, on Beton Height, Mont Blond and Carrillet. The enemy artillery was vigorously counter-shelled by us along the whole front, and particularly on the left bank of the Meuse, on the slopes of Mont Des Roches. North of Joux a strong enemy patrol attempted a surprise attack and was repulsed.

"A German aeroplane was brought down by one of our machines and fell in the Bois De Beau-Maris, south of Craonne. The pilot, who was wounded, and an officer-observer, unaccounted for, were taken prisoner."

"The Germans continued to bombard Rheims."

Berlin, June 28, via London.—German heavy long range batteries yesterday bombarded the Anglo-French fortified port of Dunkirk with visible effect, says the official statement issued today by the German war office. In retaliation Entente artillery bombarded the German occupied town of Ostend, in Belgium, but, the statement adds, the shells did no military damage.

### ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD

The St. John Standard will pay One Hundred Dollars to any person or persons producing evidence which will lead to the conviction of those responsible for the murder of Robert Harris.

### DR. NEEL IS ADVOCATE OF COMPULSION

Liberal Member for Humboldt,  
Saskatchewan, for Borden  
Bill.

### VERVILLE THREATENS BIG LABOR STRIKE

Montreal Laurierite Rebuked  
by German-Canadian Mem-  
ber, Mr. Weichel.

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, June 28.—There were two interesting features in the course of the conscription debate in the house today. Dr. Neely of Humboldt, another Liberal stalwart from the west, broke from his leader and announced that he could not support the proposals for a referendum but would vote for the proposal of the government as he believed it most nearly approached what the country required if the armies at the front are to be maintained at a point of efficiency.

Alphonse Belligerent.  
The other interesting item came during the evening session. Alphonse Verville, the alleged labor representative of Montmorency, Montreal, who was elected as a labor candidate but who through his able parliamentary career has been a servile follower of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, took the floor and expounding the cause of the Quebec anti-victory reactionists who oppose conscription, announced that organized labor would not stand for any measure of compulsion. With brassy frontony and uttaring a power he does not possess, Verville, posing as a Laborite, threatened the house that any attempt to enforce compulsory military service would be met by the weapon of a general strike. He was applauded by the Quebec wing of the party but the applause was not at all general.

German-Canadian Talk.  
Verville was followed by W. H. Weichel, Conservative, of Waterloo, Ontario. Now, Mr. Weichel is a German-Canadian and the representative of a constituency which numbers a very large proportion of German voters, yet this constituency and his home has a record for enlistment and patriotic fund contributions that will invariably compare with most ridings in Canada.

Mr. Weichel did not occupy the time of the house very long but every word he spoke came from the heart. His speech has been heard in the course of the present debate. The language of Mr. Verville, he described as bordering on sedition. Speaking of the anti-conscriptionist French-Canadian then as a representative of labor, Mr. Verville had threatened a general strike if any effort was made to send men to the front by selective draft.

Ashamed of Verville.  
"You talk of a general strike if Canadians are sent by compulsion to reinforce the boys who today are fighting our battles. I am ashamed to hear it. Suppose the boys at the front who are fighting for us should on hearing this news decide to declare a general strike and stop fighting, what would we think in Canada of them in France and what will they think in France of us in Canada when they hear that any representative in this parliament suggested that the weapon of a general strike should be employed to keep from them the support they so sorely require?"

Mr. Weichel's clear rebuke of Verville was received with loud applause in which many Liberals joined. Proceeding to discuss more particularly the selective draft measure the member for Waterloo contended that as Canada was in the war it was up to Canada to see it through. This war was for liberty and freedom against Prussian militarism and autocracy and was a righteous war.

Appeals for Harmony.  
"We sing God Save the King," said he, "We have sung it from childhood and we pray send him victorious, yet we have no difficulty in applying the means which will help to make him victorious."

In conclusion Mr. Weichel appealed to the members to get together and endeavor to avert the cleavage between the French and English Can-

### DOMINION EXPRESS CO. OFFICIALS

V. G. R. Vickers, 28 Years an  
Official Retiree—F. W.  
Branscombe, J. R. Haycock  
and J. Russell Martin Are  
Advanced.

Among the new appointments in the Dominion Express Co. are two of special interest to St. John, both appointees having spent some years in this city where they made many friends.

F. W. Branscombe is appointed superintendent of the Atlantic Division with headquarters at Montreal, the dual post held by Mr. Vicker being now separated. Mr. Branscombe extended the employ of the Dominion Express Company in the audit office at Toronto 28 years ago. He was later agent at Kingston then route agent at St. John and leaves the post of assistant superintendent in this city to go to Montreal.

J. R. Haycock is another of the promoted officials who rose rapidly in the ranks. Mr. Haycock, who is appointed assistant superintendent at St. John, was born at Brantford and was clerk under Mr. Vickers when the old premises since demolished in the Temple big. He was later route agent of the Atlantic Division and when agent in this city. He remains in this city in a higher position.

Mr. Vicker who at the end of this month after 28 years as an official of the company retires from the position of superintendent of the Atlantic Division and Manager of the foreign department of the company, is succeeded as manager of the foreign department, with headquarters at Montreal by J. Russell Martin. For the past seven or eight years Mr. Martin has been agent of the foreign department under Mr. Vickers.

### OFFICER POPULAR IN THIS CITY IS KILLED IN ACTION

Lieut. Lavolette of 69th Bat-  
talion Gives Life for Em-  
pire.

Special to The Standard.  
Montreal, June 28.—Word was received by his mother that Lieut. Alexandre Lavolette, reported missing last month, was killed in action. Lieut. Lavolette left here with the 69th Battalion, which spent some time in St. John.

A brother, Major Dumont Lavolette, who crossed with the 22nd Battalion, has been in the hospital here some months since his return, having been severely wounded in action. He won the military cross for gallantry. When the mother of the two young officers was in England to accompany Major Lavolette home she saw her other son and as she took leave of him almost his last words were: "Mother, I am going to fight and win another cross for the family."

Officers which was likely to come by reason of the ill-considered opposition to the equal service measure.

The debate was continued by several Quebec Liberals, including Mederic Martin, Mayor of Montreal, all of whom announced that they would oppose the measure.

Earlier in the day Dr. Chabot, a French-Canadian member, announced that he would support the conscription bill, as he believed it offered the best solution of the problem of supplying men to our armies overseas.

The debate is continuing to drag. Many members are yet to be heard but the front benchers have practically all spoken.

The house will adjourn on Friday evening until Tuesday afternoon when the debate will be continued. It is not likely a division will be reached before Thursday, but as the bill is certain to pass, the views of the speakers yet to be heard are fairly accurately known but interest in the question is waning.

Special to The Standard.  
Montreal June 27—Ames, Holden, McCready Ltd., reports profits of \$726,342 for the year ending April 30th last, an increase of \$298,451, or 40.4 per cent over 1915 and an increase of \$64,570, or 25 per cent over 1914.

### G. W. GANONG, ST. STEPHEN, LIEUT. GOV.

Leading Manufacturer and  
Patriotic Worker, Succeeds  
Hon. Josiah Wood.

### LIEUT.-COL. FOWLER APPOINTED SENATOR

Popular M. P. for Kings Made  
Record as Recruiting  
Official.

Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, June 28.—Announcement was made in the house this afternoon that Mr. Gilbert W. Ganong of St. Stephen, N. B., for two terms repre-



SENATOR GEO. W. FOWLER.

sentative of Charlotte county in the Canadian Commons, had been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, succeeding Hon. Josiah Wood, whose term expired in March last.

It was also announced that Col. George W. Fowler of Sussex, representing Kings-Albert in the Dominion

Senate Divided.  
In becoming a member of the senate he succeeds the late George T. Haide of Perth, N. B., who represented the senatorial district of Victoria, N. B. The appointment of Col. Fowler makes the representations of the two great parties in the upper house equal—39 Conservatives and 39 Liberals. There are still nine vacancies in the senate, three in Quebec, one in Manitoba and five in Ontario. The filling of these would give the government a majority of nine in the senate.

Popular in St. Stephen.  
St. Stephen, June 28.—Announcement made by bulletin this evening and confirmed by dispatches from Ottawa, of the appointment of Gilbert W. Ganong as Lieutenant-Governor of the province, has been heard with very great pleasure in the town of St. Stephen, of which Mr. Ganong has long been the leading citizen. Particular interest in the work in connection with the present great war, Mr. Ganong has been a leader of the people of this town and of Charlotte county and has directed their endeavors along intelligent lines.

The deep and continued interest that he has taken in all that pertains to the welfare of the boys at the front has but tended to emphasize his position as a man among men and the consistently honorable life that he has led assures that the honor now conferred upon him has been well placed and that the duties of the exalted office will not suffer at his hands. In Mrs. Ganong, the new Governor has a most worthy and devoted spouse, whose grace and kindness will add lustre to the regime of Governor Ganong.

When as politician Mr. Ganong was a keen fighter and had strong political opponents, but it is safe to say that he has not one personal enemy, and congratulations will be extended to him at this time by all classes, parties and creeds.

### EIGHT MEN MURDERED BY HUNS

Crew of Elder Dempster  
Steamer Fired on in Water  
by Submarine.

London, June 28.—The Elder-Dempster steamer Addah was torpedoed without warning and sunk by a German submarine on June 15. The submarine fired on the captain's boat killing eight men.

All the survivors were picked up by a French steamer at five o'clock on the afternoon of June 16.

Dutch Boat Sunk.  
Copenhagen, June 28.—Sinking by a German submarine outside the prohibited zone, and without examination of the 456 ton Danish steamer Ivigtut was reported by her commander on his arrival here today.

The submarine sent the Ivigtut to the bottom by artillery fire. The submarine commander left the Danish vessel's crew in their boats 150 miles from land.

Deaths in Canada. Ganong Brothers, makers of the widely known G. B. chocolates. He is also connected with other important industries in his native town. Mr. Ganong was returned for Charlotte county in 1900 and re-elected in 1904. He has been prominently identified with provincial organization for the benefit of the returned soldiers and was a delegate from New Brunswick to the recent war convention in Montreal, where he delivered an address generally conceded to be one of the finest on the programme. He was born at Springhill, Kings county, Col. Fowler Overseas.

Col. Fowler, the senator from New Brunswick is now in England on active service. He was born in Hammondville, Kings county, N. B., and at the age of thirty was warden of the County Council of Kings. In 1895 he was elected to the New Brunswick Legislature, and in 1900 was first returned to the Canadian Parliament, sitting until 1905, when he was defeated. In 1911 he was again elected. Col. Fowler was commissioned to recruit and command the 104th New Brunswick Infantry Battalion, and in that undertaking broke all records in his province. He not only raised the battalion in four weeks but his over-strength was sufficient to form the nucleus of the 140th Battalion. Both of these units are now overseas. On arrival in England they were broken into drafts and Col. Fowler appointed to the command of a reserve battalion. Senator Fowler is fifty-eight years of age, a lawyer by profession, a director in a number of New Brunswick industrial organizations, and generally one of the leading men in his province.

Nothing to Say.  
In reply to the magistrate before committing him for trial he merely said: "I have nothing to say." He left the court with a quick springy step accompanied by the sheriff and deputy sheriff, for his cell in the jail.

The witnesses were Frank Wiley, who was the only witness to the murder, Edward Wiley, his father, who helped Frank to bring the body from the field in a light wagon, Dr. Cummings, who swore that death was caused by hemorrhage, the bullet having pierced the lungs and other blood vessels, A. R. Foster, the sheriff, who, with Chief Kelly and Deputy Sheriff Moors, made the arrest; Malcolm McKenzie, Wm. Love, Guy Welch and James Miller, who were on the scene shortly after the murder and guarded the house until the officials arrived and identified the body as that of Harry Wiley.

The only witness to the murder, Frank Wiley, said: "I live in Divide, parish of Aberdeen, county of Carleton. I am a farmer by occupation. My father's name is Edward Wiley. I am 25 years of age. I saw Wm. Glenn last Saturday between 8 and 9 o'clock. My brother Harry and myself about 8 o'clock nailed boards on a line fence. When I first saw Glenn, my brother and I were on the roller, Glenn was 60 rods away tearing off the boards. We drove back until within a rod of Glenn and stopped the team."

My brother who was driving was on the seat of the roller. I stepped off the roller and my brother asked him why he was knocking the boards off the fence. Glenn asked if we had put the boards on and my brother said "yes." He then raised the gun and fired. He was knocking the boards off with an axe and had the gun in his other hand, but he threw the axe down before firing.

My brother fell off the roller and I supported him so that he did not fall to the ground. I saw blood on the left side of my brother near the shoulder blade. My brother did not speak after being hit. I then got behind a stump.

Glenn took the shell out of the gun and put his hand in his pocket. The stump was about four rods from the roller, but I could not get and returned to the house which was 100 rods away.

I tried to get my brother's body on the roller but could not and I went to my father's house, which was 35 rods away. I ran the horses back to the house, got a light wagon, and father and I went to the field and returned home with my brother's body.

Dr. Cummings arrived about 10 o'clock or a little later and examining the body said my brother was dead.

### THE TRIAL OF GLENN IS SET FOR OCTOBER

Carleton County Recluse Held  
for Murder of Harry  
Wiley.

### JUSTICE CHANDLER WILL HOLD COURT

Prisoner Was Cool and Col-  
lected at the Preliminary  
Hearing.

Special to The Standard.  
Woodstock, June 28.—The preliminary examination of William Glenn, charged with the murder of Harry Wiley at Divide, Carleton County, was held before Magistrate Holyoke this afternoon in the town hall and the accused was committed for trial on the third Tuesday in October before Mr. Justice Chandler, who will then hold his first court in this county.

Great interest was manifested in the trial and a large crowd attended. Hon. W. P. Jones represented Attorney General Byrnes, and the prisoner was defended by Mr. Charles Combs.

Glenn came into the court with Sheriff Foster. He is an ordinary sized man, wearing an ordinary sized beard with nothing of the spectacular about him or his movements. He was cool and collected throughout but his steady eyes watched every motion of the witnesses and his sharp ears took in the evidence that seems so damaging to the accused.

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# ANOTHER LIBERAL M. P. FOR COMPULSION

## DR. NEELEY, LIBERAL MEMBER OF HUMBOLDT, SASKATCHEWAN, DECIDES LAURIER IS WRONG

### Will Give His Whole Hearted Support to Conscription Bill—Says Germany Still Far From Beaten.

### SIR SAM HUGHES HAS LITTLE USE FOR HALIFAX NEWSPAPER MAN

### Dr. Chabot of Ottawa, a French Canadian, Announces that He Will Give Compulsion Measure His Undivided Support.

Ottawa, June 28.—(Leased wire.)—Sir W. Crothers stated at the opening of the House today that he had received a message from the controller of mines at Calgary in which the confident expectation was expressed that the men would go back to work next Tuesday.

On a question of privilege General Sir Sam Hughes referred to statements made by Mr. A. K. MacLean in the House on Tuesday referring to alleged refusal of Sir Sam to allow a Halifax newspaper man to join the overseas forces, and also to the minister's alleged endeavor to get Mr. MacLean to repeat in the House "title-tattle" against the minister of finance.

### BOSTON MAN SAVED THE DAY

As to Mr. MacLean's charge that he (Sir Sam) had sought to have Mr. MacLean criticize the financial minister in the House, the ex-minister of militia declared that there had only been some casual reference in a conversation a year ago to Mr. MacLean's efforts as financial critic of the opposition.

### HONOR ROLL

A. E. Aemes, Boston, Forestry Unit

The recruiting situation in the city was saved yesterday by a Bostonian A. E. Aemes, who signed on with the Forestry unit.

### OBITUARY

Smith Spragg. At Kara, Kings Co., June 28, a life-long resident passed away very suddenly at his home here after a brief illness in the person of Smith Spragg, at the age of 72.

### BUY A BRISCOE

The car with the half million dollar motors. Price \$335. L.O.B. Brockville, R. W. Carson, distributor. Show room 509 Main street, North End.

### DIED

SPRAGG—At Kara, Kings Co., June 28, Smith Spragg, age 72 years, leaving his wife, two sons and one daughter to survive.

## BOYS' SUITS, TOO AT SEMI-READY SALE

### "High School" Suits for Boys and Younger Men.

### Over 300 Suits for Boys Included in the Great Summer Sale at the Semi-ready Store.

In the west the "High School" suits for boys were tailored in answer to a demand for parents for "something better" in clothes for boys. Two years ago the Semi-ready Company started their manufacture, and it was planned to introduce them here early this summer.

Boys' Knicker Suits will be sold as low as \$7. These are well tailored as men's suits and are made from the same cloth. High school suits will stand up on the roughest kind of wear, and will always look neat and fine.

## LIVERY STABLE MEN GET INCREASED RATE

At yesterday's committee meeting of the common council it was decided to accede to the request of the cab owners that they be allowed to increase rates, tenders for excavation and backfill for water main renewals were opened and referred to the Mayor and Commissioner of Water and Sewerage.

## Rheumatism Entirely Gone

After Twenty-seven Years of Suffering—Swelling and Puffiness Made Disappeared—Not a Pain

Mr. G. H. Ray, R. R. No. 1, Kincaid, Ont., writes: "I have been suffering with rheumatism and sciatica for twenty-seven years. It was simply terrible what she suffered. I persuaded her to try \$1.00 worth of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, she is now free from both these diseases. All the swelling and puffiness caused by the rheumatism has gone away, and she has come down in weight 18 1/2 pounds. She never has an ache nor pain, biliousness nor sick headaches since she started on these pills."

## Silver Gloss Starch

### For nearly 60 years, Edwardsburg "Silver Gloss" has been the standby.

### Guaranteed not to injure the finest fabric.

### Manufactured by THE CANADA STARCH CO. LIMITED, MONTREAL.

## COLOSSAL OPERATIONS.

More than one million pounds of high explosive was blown up under the German forward trenches on the first day of the British advance in the Ypres salient.

## Over Fifteen Hundred Suits For Men, Youths, Boys

### Semi-ready Summer Sale

### REDUCTIONS in every Tweed, Worsted and Honespun Summer Suit in the Semi-ready Store will make this a seasonable sale without reserve.

### There are 1200 Suits for Men, in all sizes from 34 breast to 46.

### There are 300 Suits for Youths and Boys—knicker suits and long trouser suits—sizes: 26 breast to 35 breast.

### Boys' Suits - from \$7.00 up

### Youths' Suits - from 9.50 up

### Men's Suits - from 10.00 up

### When you consider that the lowest wholesale cost of Semi-ready Suits for men is \$13.50, these sale prices argue some startling reductions.

### Woolen prices continue to advance, and the forethoughtful man will take full advantage of this sale to replenish his wardrobe in generous fashion.

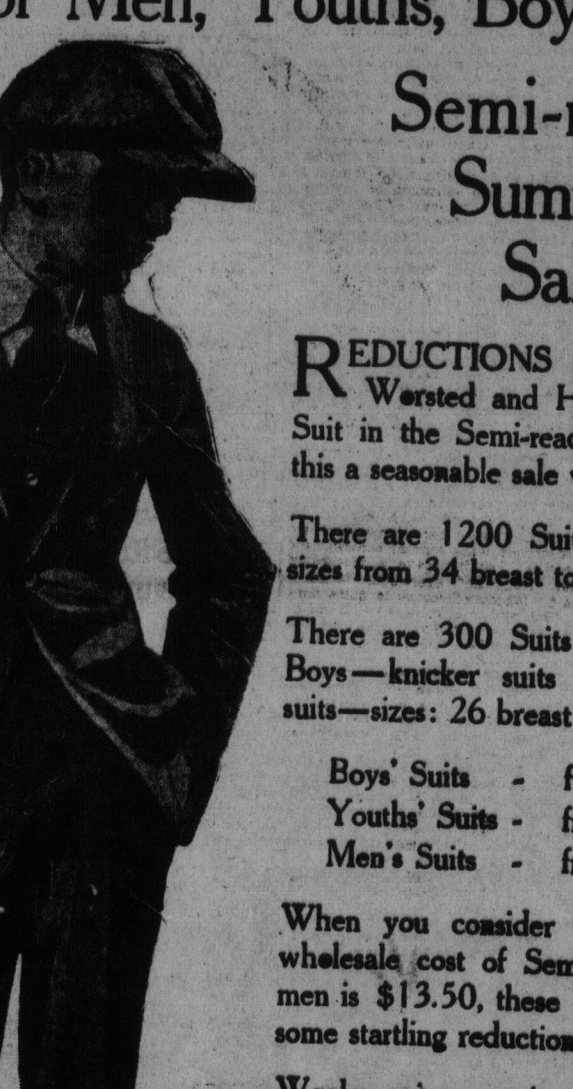
### Two-piece Summer Suits, in summer weaves, worth \$15 and \$18, for \$10.

### Three-piece Suits, in imported Tweeds, at \$10.50 and \$12.

### 20% One-fifth off the label price—the price in the pocket—on all the expensive Worsteds and Honespun Suits, all the fancy Tweeds and fancy Serges—a certain saving for the "label in the pocket" tells the exact worth, and this price cannot be altered or erased by anyone, on a genuine Semi-ready Suit.

### The Semi-ready Store

### Cor. King and Germain Streets



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## FOR DOMINION DAY AND THE WEEK-END

### Sport Coats, Outing Trousers, Sweaters, Shirts, Collars, Ties, Blue Suits, Pinch Back Suits

## SALE of RAINCOATS

### Broken lines of Paramatta Raincoats at Half Price, now \$4.25, \$5, \$6, \$7.50. Oxford, Gray, Fawn, Olive and Black. Military Cape Coats, Khaki, included, \$6 and \$7.50.

### Gilmour's, 68 King St. Open Friday Evenings; Closed Saturdays 1 p.m., June, July and August.

## FOX

### Warden Pipes Arms in the Where the W See if "Miss Boiler Engine

### The Trails Thro ple into Conta Were All Ask

(Written exclusively) When Warden Pipe...

This big man of fir a grandeur saluted me his office.

I found he had not that account to shorten Besides, knowing that a town of live wires you get them going, I had an eye out for Mr. Hanington, a tory in the try battalion, who, I understood, was there worth going after.

It is true that Warden advised me in the kindest manner, before I went out to see if I had proper...

He did place me under before I left. He put me lady of one of his guards...

So Palmer led me do the big halls where we guard at their mess and s-cell. Now neither the the guard-turkey I would call him—explain...

Palmer did object to at all. In fact he turned two separate iron-barred...

"How did you like it?" Warden, as he and I step old barouches that show...

Flash Light" the nag that the etc. where after a h of the prison. Pa Eyes and attractive home.

"What did you say you Locksmith" replied Locksmith, of Eastport, just been telling him that...

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There were a company going out to relieve the seen when Arthur Lounde up to the prison.

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# FOX THE FUGITIVE LANDS IN PRISON CELL AND THOSE WHO PUT HIM THERE "DIDN'T KNOW"

## Warden Pipes Receives the Fugitive with Open Arms in the Maritime Prison at Dorchester Where the Warden Consulted His Records to See if "Miss Boyler," Who is Nutty on Steam Boiler Engines Was Ever His Guest.

## The Trails Through Westmorland Lead Many People Into Contact with Fox the Fugitive but They Were All Asleep Along His Paths.

(Written exclusively for The Standard by Fox, the Fugitive.)

When Warden Pipes met me inside the main entrance to the big prison on the hill at Dorchester I at once gave myself the "once over" to see if I had properly mobilized my wits.

This big man of fine physique, carrying his years with the step of a grenadier, saluted me with a most polite gesture and invited me into his office.

I found he had not yet seen to his dinner, and I felt obliged on that account to shorten my visit with him.

Besides, knowing that Dorchester is a town of live wires—live when you get them going, I had no desire to foster suspicion in my exploits. I had an eye out for Major Lionel Hamilton, a Tory in the C. O. Forestry battalion, who, I understand, is a good scout where there is anything worth going after.

It is true that Warden Pipes received me in the kindest manner—this veteran in the service of the Dominion who has held down his job twenty-eight years. But that is his way. He couldn't be anything else but martial and polite.

He did place me under confinement before I left. He put me in the custody of one of his guards, Palmer by name, before I went out. And was told to turn the key on me.

So Palmer led me down through the big halls where we passed the guards at their mess and put me into a cell. Now neither the warden nor the guard—turnkey I suppose you would call him—explained this remarkable maneuver. Nor did I make any objections. When I had had the chance to test the resilient properties of the bunk and form an opinion as to the security of the walls I walked out.

Palmer didn't object to my escape at all. In fact he turned the key in two separate iron-barred gates which released me.

"How did you like it?" queried the Warden, as he and I stepped into the old baroque that Scout Tait keeps on wheels—just to show tourists the curiosity of it, I suppose; then to be whirled down the hill by "Dobbins Flash Light" the nag that goes with the gig, where after a hearty shake of hands I left Pa Pipes at his neat and attractive home.

"What did you say your name is?" "Locksmith," I replied. "Henry Locksmith, of Eastport, Me." I had just been telling him that you wouldn't think anybody could get out of that place with so many locks on it.

And the guards, too. Say, but they're a bunch. You should see them march down the hill, as I did standing inside of the door waiting for the Warden after I had sent in word I wanted to see him.

There were a company of guards going out to relieve the men I had seen when Arthur Lounder drove me up to the prison.

"Did Artie drive me up, you ask? Sure. Don't you know that little

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"Umph!" he exclaimed. "That is hard on them—the only daughter. Yes, indeed it is hard."

Now when I told Mrs. Tait that story at the railroad station and that she was the only daughter, Mrs. Tait felt real sympathetic. And she said so. Which, of course, was very kind.

Neither did Mrs. Tait "know." Nor Mr. Tait, either.

"I don't find the name," the Warden said.

"Well, you'll know the woman, for she is a bit dippy. If you'd ever had such a woman as she is you would never forget her."

The Warden looked up into my eyes inquiringly.

"I'll explain, Mr. Pipes, but I hope you'll never say anything about it outside. Her folks feel awfully bad about it. They've kept her disappearance out of the papers—but facts are facts and I'll have to tell you the whole thing."

"Miss Maggie Bolter, only daughter of Mr. George Bolter, ship builder of Eastport, Me., has spells—and they're awful."

"What a pity," he said leaning back in his chair.

"At times she thinks she is an ice wagon and she goes walking around stepping like she is the horse that draws it and making her hands go over and over like the wheels of the wagon."

I demonstrated it, and Mr. Pipes looked on much amused.

"She cries out, 'Want any ice today?'"

"At other times she thinks she is a steam driven motor—the boiler of it, I suppose, since Bolter, is her name."

The Warden laughed heartily but didn't see the point. The reward for the capture of Fox the Fugitive. And that pleases me. So I left the first town I've exploited safe and feeling good towards them all.

### LT. GOVERNOR WOOD CLOSES RESIDENCE AT FREDERICTON

### His Honor and Party Leave Capital—Mrs. Wood Going to Boston.

Fredericton, June 28.—His Honor the Lieutenant Governor has closed Glen Isle House in this city and with the members of his party, with the exception of Mrs. Wood, left for St. John by steamer this morning, en route to Sackville. Mrs. Wood will leave for Boston tomorrow.

### PUBLIC SCHOOLS CLOSING

### Schools Close Today and Scholars Are Happy—Two Months Vacation—Programmes Will Be Carried Through in the Schools.

Today will see the ending of school for two months and the kiddies are counting the minutes until that glad hour comes. Some of the schools will not have any formal programme as they had quite elaborate entertainments on Empire Day this year. In the High School the closing exercises will be of a patriotic nature dealing altogether with the jubilee of Confederation.

### Graduating Class.

The High School graduating class numbers sixty-two from Grade XI, and six from Grade XII.

The Grade XII graduates are: Elsie Henderson, Retta Phipps, Edward

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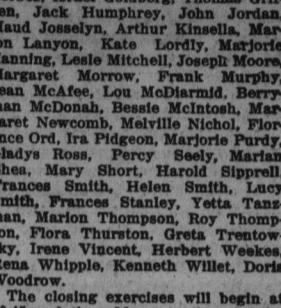
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The graduating class includes: Miss Adams, Marjorie Alder, Ernest Allwood, Ives Anglin, Doris Barnes, Edith Cameron, Arthur Chesley, Chas. Clayton, Margaret Clayton, Robert Cochran, Florence Coster, Paul Cross, Edna Crump, Evelyn Currie, Elsie Dunlop, Laura Panjoy, Jean Fenton, Sylvia Ferguson, Violet Foley, Bessie Forbes, Israel Goldberg, Thomas Griffith, Jack Humphrey, John Jordan, Maud Jessel, Arthur Kinsella, Marion Lanyon, Kate Lordy, Marjorie Manning, Leslie Mitchell, Joseph Moore, Margaret Morrow, Frank Murphy, Jean McAfee, Lou McDermid, Bessie Macdonald, Bessie McIntosh, Margaret Newcomb, Melville Nichol, Florence Ord, Ira Pidgeon, Marjorie Purdy, Gladys Ross, Percy Seely, Marian Shea, Mary Short, Harold Sippell, Frances Smith, Helen Smith, Lucy Smith, Frances Stanley, Yetta Tansman, Marion Thompson, Roy Thompson, Flora Thurston, Greta Trentowsky, Irene Vincent, Herbert Weekes, Rena Whipple, Kenneth Willet, Doris Woodrow.

### "Please, Mother"



Victoria school will celebrate its closing very quietly and no public programme will be given. The exercises here will consist of readings and recitations in the various classrooms.

St. Joseph's and St. Malachi schools on Sydney street have arranged short patriotic programmes to be carried out in the classrooms this morning. A large number of the pupils of St. Malachi's school have taken the high school entrance examinations.

Thirty-five pupils have taken the high school examination examinations in this school, but it will be some time before they will be able to learn the results.

rose drill by 16 girls from Miss Vradenburg's and Miss Perley's rooms; recitation, "The Kingdom of the Sea," Maxwell Anderson; essay, "Confederation," Allison Cushing; remarks by the principal, Rex. R. Cormier; salutation of the flag by pupils; God Save the King.

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### King Edward School.

King Edward school has its closing exercises this morning and a very comprehensive programme has been arranged for the pupils which will be carried out in the assembly hall. The programme, as it will be carried out, is as follows: Chorus, "O Canada," pupils; recitation, "The Egg Tree," Victor Regan; song, "Swinging," Miss Payson's Grade I; recitation, "My Father is a Soldier," Wesley Stewart; song, "Jolly Joe," Ralph Caray; recitation, "A Hero," Walter Canston; physical drill, conducted by Miss Ingraham; recitation, "Canadian Streams," Walter Allen; song, "Dear Little Shamrock" by 20 of Miss Perley's pupils; chorus, "Ye Mariners of England," school; recitation, "I Remember" (revised), Harold Norrup.

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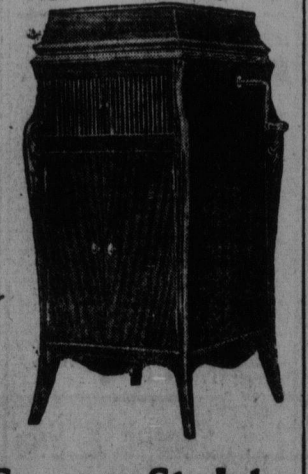
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EVIDENCES OF THE WAR BRING NEW INDUSTRIES TO THE CITY

Secretary of the Board of Trade Outlines Efforts Made by That Body Looking to the Revival of Shipbuilding in St. John—Practical Results of Endeavors of Local People—Big Possibilities for New Industries.

(Contributed by Secretary of Board of Trade.) The movement which has lately been projected, looking to a revival of the wooden shipbuilding industry, is the most urgent war need, and which has resulted in the awarding of contracts for the construction of two ships to a St. John firm, will serve to acquaint the changes which few years have brought about in what was once regarded as the premier industry of this port. Perhaps it is this community had not attained to the height of its shipbuilding and ship-owning port, and if its descent from its high estate had not been so great, the possibility of a revival of wooden shipbuilding might have been viewed more optimistically than it has, but with the memories of a past that was rich in tradition and with a recollection of the expansion which marked the declining years of the industry, coupled with the fact that all the old shipyards were dismantled and that almost all the old builders had completed their earthly voyages, the difficulties of the situation were considerably enhanced, so far as St. John was concerned. Ever since the movement was first mooted, the Board of Trade has been endeavoring to secure the construction of one or more ships here. It was felt that with the traditions of St. John as a shipbuilding city behind it, aside from the patriotic view altogether, it should be among the first communities to manifest an interest in the project. Furthermore, it was regarded as a good business move from a city standpoint, and one that in the not distant future might lead to the establishment of a steel shipbuilding plant. In April, 1914, the then president, Mr. Likely, opened up communications with Toronto firms who were interested in the construction of ships, and offered to construct three steel barges with a carrying capacity of 3,000 tons each. The offer was not accepted. Later on, correspondence with the same object in view was maintained with the Munitions Board, the Dominion government, the director of Steel Shipping and others. As a result of these efforts, and of the energetic labors of Great and Horton, contractors, the director of Shipping has at last placed a contract in St. John for two wooden steamers. The dimensions of the new ships, which will be 135 feet in length, 35 feet in breadth, 48 ft. 6 in. in depth, 35 ft. in draught, 2,600 to 2,800 tons approximately. Speeded by the fact that they will have for cargo hatches. They will be each provided with a set of triple expansion surface condensing engines capable of developing 1,000 h.p., and with two boilers fitted for oil or coal burning. With the possibility of a revival in part of wooden shipbuilding, a few observations on the history of the industry might not be out of place. Before the days of the Loyalists St. John was building ships and had a reputation for building the finest ships in the world. The first ship built here was the clipper Marco Polo, built by Smith at Courtenay Bay in 1851, and registered 151 tons, and the clipper Morning Light, 2,377 tons, built in 1855. In the period between 1825 and 1888, shipbuilding reached its zenith in the year 1854, when 135 new vessels, registering 39,426 tons, were added to the provincial fleet. Most of these were placed on the St. John registry. In 1854, 163 new vessels were built, registering 32,606 tons. In 1855, the new tonnage amounted to 65,474 tons; 1856, 45,322 tons; 1857, 29,280 tons; 1858, 29,326 tons; 1859, 34,229 tons; 1870, 29,946 tons. There was a little lull between 1872 and 1877, in which 42,027 tons of new craft was the highest reached in one year, but with that exception the decline in building was rapid, reaching 3,207 tons in 1890. According to the registry records at the Customs House, there were on the books in 1854, halting from St. John, 583 vessels, 119,965 tons. The highest point was reached in 1876, when St. John owned 805 vessels, aggregating 290,973 tons. At that date the city stood fourth in the line of world shipping ports. In 1894 the number remaining on the registry had fallen off to 468 vessels of 131,883 tons. Last year there only remained 326 vessels of a total tonnage of 34,841 tons. There was not a single "square rigger" among them. In 1826, business conditions in Great Britain proved most disastrous to the shipping interests of St. John. One of our local historians says of that critical period: "The work of a life-time of men went. Hundreds were ruined. St. John has never before or since seen such a disastrous day. It was then that the house of Hugh Johnston and Co., which in 1825 loaded over 100 vessels, fell. Ships which in 1825 were worth £18 10s. a ton in England, in 1826 would not bring 25s. "In 1866 the value of our ships in the Liverpool market was again depressed. The highest price obtained for one of the best built St. John ships, classing 7 A1 at British Lloyd's, was 28 6s. 8d. per ton, while in one case a vessel of the same grade only realized £7 17s. 6d. It may be remarked that in the Liverpool market,

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# NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

## STILL FURTHER LIQUIDATION IN WALL ST.

Motors and Utilities Weakened Market Generally Irregular—Ten Point Declines.

New York, June 28.—Although monetary conditions continued to relax and the first large payment on the Liberty loan was made without disturbance, today's stock market experienced a very irregular session of impaired prices, attributed mainly to technical influences. For the first time in more than a fortnight call loans opened under six per cent, and time money was in increased demand.

The weakened position of numerous specialties, notably motors and utilities, and renewed concern regarding the attitude of the government toward war prices and taxes, impelled further liquidation and considerable short selling. Extreme declines in active stocks ran from two to almost ten points, depression extending to minor specialties of the specific classification. Popular industrials, such as United States Steel, Bethlehem Steel and kindred issues, were carried down one to two points on the movement, which was at its height in the final hour when support was lacking, except at marked concessions. Final quotations were at or near lowest of the day.

Studebaker Weak. Special points of weakness included Studebaker common and preferred; Chandler and General Motors at gross reversals of three and a half to five points; Industrial Alcohol, which made a precipitate drop of nine to ten; Ohio Gas, 6 1/4; Brooklyn Union Gas, 11 1/2 to 105 on single sale; Wilson Company, 4 1/2; International Paper, 5 1/2; Maltine preferred, 5; Distillers Securities, 2 1/2; Texas Company, 3 and Mexico Petroleum, 2 3/4. Rails, Coppers, Shippings, Central Leather and Tobacco held relatively better than most other shares, but averaged losses of 1 to 2 points on moderate offerings. Total sales amounted to 759,000 shares.

## FAVORABLE MAY STATEMENTS.

Favorable May statements, submitted by Union Pacific and Baltimore and Ohio, the prosperous industrial conditions indicated in the annual report of the American Car and Foundry Company, and the May foreign trade exhibit seemed to exert no influence.

Bonds were irregular, total sales, par value, amounting to \$2,000,000. All sales of Liberty 3 1/2's were at par or better.

United States registered 3's rose 5/4 per cent on call.

## N. Y. QUOTATIONS

Open			High	Low	Close
Am Bt Sugar	89 3/4	90 3/8	90 3/4	89 3/4	90 3/8
Am Cfd Fdy	77 3/4	78 1/2	78 3/8	77 3/4	78 1/2
Am Loco	71 3/8	71 3/8	70 3/4	70 3/4	71 3/8
Am Sugar	113 1/2	113 1/2	112 1/4	112 1/4	113 1/2
Am Smelting	107 1/4	107 1/4	106 3/4	106 3/4	107 1/4
Am St Fdy	73 3/4	73 3/4	72 1/2	72 1/2	73 3/4
Am Woolen	68	68	67 1/4	67 1/4	68
Am Zinc	30 1/4	30 1/4	29 3/4	29 3/4	30 1/4
Am Tele	42 3/4	42 3/4	41 3/4	41 3/4	42 3/4
Anacosta	83 1/4	83 1/4	81 3/4	81 3/4	83 1/4
Am Can	49 1/4	49 1/4	48 1/4	48 1/4	49 1/4
Am Mar Ptd	82 3/4	82 3/4	81 3/4	81 3/4	82 3/4
Amex Ptd	95 3/4	95 3/4	94 3/4	94 3/4	95 3/4
Cruz Steel	87	87 1/4	86 1/4	86 1/4	87
Erle Co	25 1/4	25 1/4	24 3/4	24 3/4	25 1/4
Erle Ptd	39 1/4	39 1/4	38 1/4	38 1/4	39 1/4
Good Rubber	60	60 1/2	59 3/4	59 3/4	60
Gen Electric	182 1/2	182 1/2	181 1/4	181 1/4	182 1/2
Gr Nor Ore	32 3/4	32 3/4	31 3/4	31 3/4	32 3/4
Ind Alcohol	158 1/4	158 1/4	157 1/4	157 1/4	158 1/4
Ins Copper	63 1/4	63 1/4	62 1/4	62 1/4	63 1/4
Kenn Copper	45 3/4	45 3/4	44 3/4	44 3/4	45 3/4
Lehigh Val	66 1/4	66 1/4	65 1/4	65 1/4	66 1/4
Mer Mar Ptd	82 3/4	82 3/4	81 3/4	81 3/4	82 3/4
Mex Pet	95 3/4	95 3/4	94 3/4	94 3/4	95 3/4
Mid Steel	41 1/4	41 1/4	40 3/4	40 3/4	41 1/4
Mt West	41 1/4	41 1/4	40 3/4	40 3/4	41 1/4
NY NH and H	37 3/4	37 3/4	36 3/4	36 3/4	37 3/4
NY Central	83 3/4	83 3/4	82 3/4	82 3/4	83 3/4
Nor and W	124	124 1/4	123 1/4	123 1/4	124
Nor Cons	23 1/4	23 1/4	22 3/4	22 3/4	23 1/4
Pennsylvania	53 3/4	53 3/4	52 3/4	52 3/4	53 3/4
Press St Car	76 1/4	76 1/4	75 1/4	75 1/4	76 1/4
Reading Co	97 1/4	97 1/4	96 1/4	96 1/4	97 1/4
Rep Steel	92 1/4	92 1/4	91 1/4	91 1/4	92 1/4
So Pacific	95 3/4	95 3/4	94 3/4	94 3/4	95 3/4
So Railway	27 3/4	27 3/4	26 3/4	26 3/4	27 3/4
Studebaker	70 1/4	71 1/4	69 1/4	69 1/4	70 1/4
Union Pacific	127 1/4	127 1/4	126 1/4	126 1/4	127 1/4
U S Steel	131 1/4	131 1/4	130 1/4	130 1/4	131 1/4
U S Rubber	69 1/4	69 1/4	68 1/4	68 1/4	69 1/4
Utah Cop	110 1/4	110 1/4	109 1/4	109 1/4	110 1/4
West Union	51 3/4	51 3/4	50 3/4	50 3/4	51 3/4
U S Steel Ptd	117 1/4	117 1/4	116 1/4	116 1/4	117 1/4

## MONTREAL MARKETS

Amex Holden Com	15	37
Amex Holden Ptd	15	37
Canada Car	31 1/2	32
Canada Cement	61 1/2	62
Canada Cement Ptd	31 1/2	32
Detroit United	108	109
Dom Bridge	108	109
Dom Iron Ptd	50	51
Dom Iron Com	51	52
Dom Tax Com	51	52
Macdonald Paper Co	15	16
Macdonald Ptd	15	16
Civic Power	75	76
W Scotia Steel and C	100	100 1/2
Pennam's Limited	71	72
Quebec Railway	18 1/4	19
Shaw W and P Co	115 1/2	120
Spanish River Com	11	15
Steel Co. Can Com	57 1/2	58
Standard Ptd	45	46

## MARKET EXPERIENCES SEVERE PRICE DECLINE

Fall of Money Rate from Six to Four Had Little Effect on Prices.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)

New York, June 28.—The market in general held a fairly constant level in the early part of the afternoon and paid little attention to breaks in Industrial Alcohol and Ohio Oil Gas. In the last hour further weakness in I. D. and a renewed decline of several points in Studebaker was accompanied by somewhat lower prices all around. There was barely perceptible improvement in the last few minutes. Considering the importance that the street has attached to the money situation, the afternoon's decline of four per cent for call money compared with six per cent, nearly all the week, had curiously little effect on stock prices.

There were rumors of orders for enormous amounts of copper to be placed by the government and the fact is that there have been so many such conflicting reports upon the subject of government purchases that the street has begun to be indifferent. Many of these reports have originated in Washington, high fact alone goes to show that the various branches of the government are themselves at sea. E. & C. RANDOLPH.

## MONTREAL SALES

Canada Cement Ptd	6 @ 92.30 @
Steel Co Canada	385 @ 58.
Dom Iron	5 @ 75 1/2.
Canada Car	40 @ 22.
Cons Smelting	10 @ 25 1/2, 70 @ 25 1/2, 25 @ 25 1/2, 110 @ 25.75 @ 25 1/2.
N S Steel	50 @ 100.
Dom Bridge	10 @ 120.
Tram Power	10 @ 30.
Merchants' Bank	154 @ 168 1/2, 10 @ 168.
Bank Montreal	16 @ 1215.
Royal Bank	6 @ 211.
Molson's Bank	10 @ 180.
Bank of Commerce	2 @ 186.
Dom Loan, 1931	1,000 @ 97 1/2.
Dom Loan, 1937	14,000 @ 94 1/2, 200 @ 94 1/4, 700 @ 94.
Wayagamack Bonds	200 @ 54 1/4.

## MONTREAL PRODUCE

High	Low	Close
Am Bt Sugar	89 3/8	90 3/8
Am Cfd Fdy	77 3/8	78 1/2
Am Loco	71 3/8	70 3/4
Am Sugar	113 1/2	113 1/2
Am Smelting	107 1/4	106 3/4
Am St Fdy	73 3/4	72 1/2
Am Woolen	68	67 1/4
Am Zinc	30 1/4	29 3/4
Am Tele	42 3/4	41 3/4
Anacosta	83 1/4	81 3/4
Am Can	49 1/4	48 1/4
Am Mar Ptd	82 3/4	81 3/4
Amex Ptd	95 3/4	94 3/4
Cruz Steel	87	86 1/4
Erle Co	25 1/4	24 3/4
Erle Ptd	39 1/4	38 1/4
Good Rubber	60	59 3/4
Gen Electric	182 1/2	181 1/4
Gr Nor Ore	32 3/4	31 3/4
Ind Alcohol	158 1/4	157 1/4
Ins Copper	63 1/4	62 1/4
Kenn Copper	45 3/4	44 3/4
Lehigh Val	66 1/4	65 1/4
Mer Mar Ptd	82 3/4	81 3/4
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## CHICAGO PRODUCE

High	Low	Close
Wheat	182 1/2	182 1/2
July	20 1/4	199
Sept	18 1/2	180
Corn	157 1/2	156 1/4
July	148 1/2	144
Sept	109 1/2	107 1/2
Oats	64 1/2	63 1/2
July	67	54 1/2
Sept	67	54 1/2
Pork	30 3/4	30 1/2
July	39 1/2	38 1/2
Sept	39 1/2	38 1/2

## WINNIPEG WHEAT CLOSE

July	23 3/4
Oct	19 1/4

## POOL CHANNELS ARE BULLISH ON COPPERS

Outside Buying of United States Steel Expected—Studebaker Statement May Be Disappointing.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)

New York, June 28.—Pool channels are bullish again on Coppers. Pacific Mail is reported in line for a further rise.

Pittsburg Coal Cert's are expected to do better.

There has been influential accumulation of stocks of the re-organized railroads, according to high authority. These issues are in comparatively scant supply when bids for real stock appear. Judging from the purchases received from the points of R. I. M. Pac and Wash and actually, and intrinsically United States Steel is better worth its present price than it has been worth its previous price, says a leading insider. The Waldorf crowd is understood to be bullish the stock at present.

A strong coterie of operators is working on the long side of Steel on the idea that when money eases outside buying will appear, says a private wire from important channels. Re-depositing of funds by the government is interpreted in banking circles as assuring a liberal flow of money toward large centres, especially New York. These are expected to keep rates down and stimulate reinvestment of July \$381,000,000 disbursements.

Gossip is heard to the effect that a special meeting of directors of Studebaker has been called for action on the dividend ahead of the usual time, with prediction of an increase. No confirmation is had. There seems to be a good deal of difference of opinion among floor brokers as to the character of the selling, some of them holding that such manipulation is evident.

Attention is directed to the fact that the number of important corporation directorates on account of summer vacation plans are declaring dividends ahead of scheduled time, private wires from this Central. More of this may be expected. N. Y. P. B.

## HOLIDAY TOMORROW AND MONDAY IN LONDON

Dealing Narrow on Stock Exchange, Although Tone Continues Cheerful.

Special to The Standard.

London, June 28.—In view of the holiday Saturday and Monday dealing was confined to the stock exchange today, although the tone continued cheerful influenced by war news. Argentine rails were well supported and foreign bonds were in good demand under the influence of the Brazilian issues, while shipping shares were features in the miscellaneous section. Otherwise dullness prevailed. American securities bare, moving 5/8 on parity. Money was in increased demand for the month end requirements. Discount rates were steady.

## NEW YORK COTTON

High	Low	Close
Jan	26.99	26.85
Mar	27.19	26.85
May	27.31	26.58
Oct	26.85	26.10
Dec	27.00	26.30

## NEWS SUMMARY

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)

New York, June 28.—Lehigh Valley Coal and Navigation Company declared regular quarterly dividend 2 per cent.

American Shipbuilding Company declared regular quarterly dividend 1 1/2 per cent on common and an extra 5 per cent.

Bank of England rate unchanged at 5 per cent.

Resolution denouncing separate peace with Germany adopted by women's and soldiers' deputies of Russian Duma.

Special committee of coal operators approve proposal for a joint governmental board fixing coal prices.

Mexico lifts import duties on necessities including gasoline.

French war budget totals \$17,768,400,000. D. J. & CO.

## QUOTATIONS IN THE ST. JOHN MARKET

Groceries		High	Low	Close
Sugar, standard	68.25	68.25	68.25	68.25
Rice	7.50	7.50	7.50	7.50
Tapioca	0.13 1/2	0.13 1/2	0.13 1/2	0.13 1/2
Beans				
Yellow-eyed	8.75	8.85	8.75	8.85
White	9.30	9.30	9.30	9.30
Herring, kippered	0.00	7.00		
Cream of Tartar	0.51	0.54		
Curran, cleaned	0.20	0.21		
Molasses	0.00	0.70		
Peas, split, bags	10.50	11.00		
Barley, pot, bags	5.75	6.00		
Crushed, gran.	0.00	11.00		
Kaisins				
Choice, seeded	0.12	0.12 1/2		
Fancy, seeded	0.13 1/2	0.13 1/2		
Salt, Liverpool, per	1.40	1.70		
Sack, ex store	1.60	1.70		
Soda, bicarb.	3.40	3.40		

Flour		High	Low	Close
Manitoba	0.00	14.40		
Ontario	0.00	12.50		
Oatmeal, standard	0.00	0.00		
(No quotation)				
Oatmeal, rolled	0.00	10.00		

Canned Goods		High	Low	Close
Corn	0.00	1.90		
Beans				
Baked	2.40	2.75		
String	0.00	1.60		
Corned 1 1/2	0.00	3.50		
Corned 2	0.00	3.00		
Pineapple				
Sliced	2.40	2.45		
Crushed	2.30	2.35		
Peas	2.30	2.30		
Peaches, 3c	2.30	2.30		
Plum, Lombard	1.30	1.35		
Raspberries	2.70	2.75		
Springs				
Pink	6.50	7.00		
Cocoas	8.25	9.50		
Red Spring	10.00	10.25		
Oysters	6.35	6.75		
1st	1.75	1.80		
2d	2.75	2.80		
Tomatoes	2.35	2.40		
Strawberries	2.50	2.55		

Meats, Etc.		High	Low	Close
Country	0.09	0.14		
Butchers'	0.14	0.18 1/2		
Western	0.14	0.16 1/2		
Eggs, case	0.34	0.35		
Eggs, fresh	0.36	0.38		
Turkey, per lb.	0.25	0.30		
Spring Lamb	0.00	0.00		
Pork	0.19	0.20		
Veal	0.14	0.16		
Mutton	0.14	0.16		
Lard, pure	0.23 1/4	0.23 1/4		
Lard, comp.	0.23 1/4	0.23 1/4		
Butter	0.24	0.28		
Tub	0.24	0.28		
Roll	0.26	0.28		
Spring chickens (per pair)	1.00	2.00		
Foral	0.00	0.20		
Potatoes, bbl.	5.00	6.00		

Fruits, Etc.		High	Low	Close
Medium	3.50	3.75		
Finnish haddies	0.00	0.12		
Gr. Manna, bbls.	6.75	8.50		
Haddock	0.00	0.10		
Halibut	0.00	0.18		
Almonds	0.21	0.22		
Bananas	0.21	0.22		
Walnuts	0.18	0.19		
Dates, new	0.13	0.14		
Filberts	0.19	0.20		
California Raisins	5.00	5.50		
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**BY AUTHORITY**  
**PROCLAMATION.**  
**JOSIAH WOOD**  
His Honor the Lieutenant Governor directs the publication of the following for general information:  
Whereas, the 1st of July is the semi-centennial of the confederation of the Canadian Provinces;  
And, whereas, joint committees of the Senate and House of Commons was appointed to consider and report on the proper celebration of the occasion;  
And, whereas, the said committee have recommended that "As the day falls on Sunday, it seems to be particularly fitting that the churches and the Sabbath schools of all denominations should incorporate into their exercises the recognition of the facts and lessons embodied in our national history and fifty years of progress, and have requested that all clergymen and Sabbath school superintendents give to the celebration their hearty and intelligent co-operation";  
And, whereas, Monday the 2nd day of July, has been fixed by proclamation for the celebration of Dominion Day, and the committee have recommended that the celebration on that day be "as general as possible, without expensive and elaborate display, as bests war time, and carried out on the broadest social and democratic lines, a plain sincere people's demonstration, a tribute to the founders of our Dominion and the institutions and ideals of our common country";  
We do most earnestly request that the cities and municipalities of the Province, clubs and patriotic associations, co-operate with the citizens generally in commemorating the day and the occasion, along the lines suggested in the report.  
In view of the terrible war in which we are engaged the occasion should be one for serious thought and full recognition of the grave dangers to which Canada and the Empire are exposed, and the obligations that rest upon us all as citizens. We especially request that the clergymen of all denominations throughout the Province, Sunday School superintendents and teachers, in the religious services of Sunday, the 1st of July, do honor to the memory of the noble and brave men who have made the supreme sacrifice for their country, as well as to those who are still facing danger and death upon the battlefield, and that the religious exercises of the day be characterized with a spirit of loyalty, unselfish service, and earnest prayer for the success of the sacred cause for which we are fighting.  
And we further request that on Monday, the 2nd of July, all municipal and city officers co-operate with the various patriotic localities, and that all citizens by a display of flags and suitable decorations at their homes and places of business, give hearty support and countenance to this movement, that this semi-centennial celebration of confederation may testify to our appreciation and grateful acknowledgment of the many blessings and great prosperity our Province has enjoyed and the continued unity and patriotism of the Canadian people.  
**ROBERT MURRAY,**  
Provincial Secretary-Treasurer.

**TO TEACHERS AND SCHOOL OFFICERS:**  
In accordance with the proclamation of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor, teachers and school officers are requested at the school closing of the present term, to have special reference made, in as far as practicable, to the fifteenth anniversary of Confederation and the historic incidents connected therewith.  
**W. S. CARTER,**  
Chief Superintendent of Education,  
Education Office, June 29th, 1917.

**CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS**  
Sealed Tenders, addressed to J. W. Pugsley, Secretary, Dept. of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, Ont., and marked on the outside, "Tenders for Bridges and Culverts, Intercolonial Railway," will be received up to and including Friday, June 29, 1917, for the following works on the Intercolonial Railway:  
Construction of Railway Bridge Sub-structures and Concrete Culverts at the following locations:  
**GROUP NO. 1.**  
Sub-Div. Mile. Description.  
Sydney 3.9 Pier.  
" 18.1 " "  
" 19.1 " "  
" 27.7 Pier and abutments  
" 29.3 " "  
" 34.9 Two Piers.  
" 35.9 Pier.  
" 101.2 "

**GROUP NO. 2.**  
Sub-Div. Mile. Description.  
Sydney 4.9 12-ft. Concrete arch.  
" 14.4 10-ft. Double Reinforced Concrete Culvert.  
" 22.2 10-ft. Concrete arch.  
" 54.4 6-ft. Reinforced Concrete Culvert.

**GROUP NO. 3.**  
Sub-Div. Mile. Description.  
Mulgrave 76.2 Three Piers.  
" 77.7 Pier.  
" 82.5 " "  
" 88.5 " "  
" 89.2 " "  
" 108.7 "

**GROUP NO. 4.**  
Sub-Div. Mile. Description.  
Mulgrave 74.9 10-ft. Reinforced Concrete Culvert.  
" 83.5 8-ft. Double Reinforced Concrete Culvert.

Tenders may be put in for one or more of the above groups, but tenders for any one group must cover all the works referred to above as covered by that group number.  
Plans and Specifications and blank form of contract may be seen between June 18th and June 29th, 1917, (inclusive), at the following locations:  
Office of Chief Engineer of Dept. of Rlys. and Canals, Ottawa, Ont.  
Office of Chief Engineer of Car. Gov't. Rlys., Moncton, N. B.  
Office of the Resident Engineer, New Glasgow, N. S.  
Tenders must be submitted in duplicate on the forms supplied.  
All conditions of the specifications must be complied with.  
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
**C. A. HAYES,**  
General Manager,  
Moncton, N. B., June 25, 1917.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Boston, 3; New York, 2. At Boston, first game. New York 00000000-0 7 1 Boston 00000000-3 2 1 Batteries—Flaher and Numanaker; Leonard and Thomas.

Chicago, June 28.—Cobb added another game to his season's record of hitting safely in consecutive games when he shot a hot grounder toward Ribberg in the first inning of today's game. The ball took a bad bound over the shortstop's head and the official scorer recorded it as a hit.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York, 3; Boston, 2. At New York. Boston 00000000-2 3 1 New York 01020000-3 7 0 Batteries—Barnes and Truesdell; Schupp and Gibson.

Pittsburg, 6; Cincinnati, 2. At Pittsburg. Cincinnati 00000000-2 3 1 Pittsburg 00000000-6 12 1 Batteries—Toney, Ring and Winke; Hulst, Steele and Fisher.

Buffalo, 6; Providence, 2. At Providence. Providence 00000000-2 3 1 Buffalo 00000000-6 12 1 Batteries—McCabe and J. Onslow; Schultz and Mayer.

St. Louis, 4; Chicago, 1. At St. Louis. Chicago 01000000-1 8 1 St. Louis 00000000-4 11 1 Batteries—Douglas and Elliott; Packard and Gonzales.

Richmond, 14; Richmond, 9. At Richmond. Richmond 21031322-14 17 4 Richmond 04000311-9 11 1 Batteries—Thompson, Hearne and Kelley; Adams, Carmichael and Reynolds.

Shamrocks defeat Maples. The Shamrocks held a special practice last night on St. Peter's grounds. To make it interesting a bunch of the freck ball tossers, designated the Maples, owned and controlled by a North Ender, O'Connor, lined up on the opposite side.

THE BOYS FROM DOMINION IN STORMING WAVES TAKE FRONT LINE OF THE ENEMY

Nova Scotians, Ontario Men, British Columbians and Manitoba Soldiers Accomplish Very Important Task in Sweeping Away Hun Defence of Lens.

Canadian Army Headquarters, June 28.—(By Stewart Lyon, Canadian Press Correspondent in France)—A further phase of the long struggle for the recovery of Lens, the centre of the richest coal mining region of France, from the German invader was reached early this (Thursday) morning, when the enemy's front line protecting Avion, a suburb of the city, was captured by storming waves which went forward under the protection of a concentration of artillery fire on the part of Avion immediately behind the German lines.

At daybreak our aeroplanes, flying low over Avion, saw very few Germans there. Craters, which recently were made by mine explosions at the cross roads, are now seriously hindering them in bringing up troops from Lens for counter attacks. The enemy's guns have been shelling our communication trenches, but our heavies are now taking them on with good results.

Special to The Standard. Porcupine, June 28.—With the face of the crosscut at 700 foot level of Dome mines within about one week of entering a deposit, some 119 feet wide of 317, ore, mining men are already beginning to form estimates of the effect that will have on the future of the mine. Provided sufficient labor could be

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secured, Dome mines could be at once placed on daily basis 1,500 tons, or fifty per cent more than estimated. The annual statement recently issued showed \$700,000 in cash. There fore, provided the pinch of war does not necessitate any further curtailment of production, there would now appear to be every possibility of the present rate of dividend being continued. With a betterment of labor conditions there is possibility of return to old dividend rate.

STUDEBAKER DEMANDS ACCURACY TO A HAIR. "Rapid deterioration is the result of lax manufacturing and inspection methods in the making of an automobile," says J. E. Grady, sales manager of the Canadian Studebaker factory, Waterville, Ontario. "In time any motor will show signs of wear and, for that reason, manufacturers of motor cars have made a great many of the parts used in their cars adjustable."

Des Moines, Iowa.—"My husband and I have been in my grave to get better and am now well and able to do my own housework. I can recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to any woman as a wonderful health restorer." Mrs. BLANCHETTE JEFFERSON, 708 Lyon St., Des Moines. This famous remedy, the medicinal ingredients of which are derived from highly prized roots and herbs, has for forty years proved its value in such cases. Women everywhere bear witness to its efficacy to the wonderful virtue of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

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DOMINION COAL COMPANY. PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the creditors of Primrose Farms, Limited, will be held at my office 50 Princess street, in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, on Friday, the sixth day of July, A. D. 1917, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of passing the accounts of the said Estate, and of allowing compensation to the Assignee and Inspectors, and of all expenses and charges in connection therewith; and also the closing of the accounts and other matters which may properly come before said meeting in connection with the said Estate; and also the distribution of said Estate.

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THE HOME THE WORLD

Here are Related Activities of Home, Fashion. SOLDIERS' WIVES' LEAGUE. The last meeting for the year of the Soldiers' Wives' League was held yesterday afternoon in St. Andrew's church parlors, with Mrs. George Smith in the chair. Various reports were received and routine business transacted. Help was voted to the needy cases and arrangements were made to carry on the work during summer months.

Y. W. P. A. Many matters of business were discussed at the meeting of the Y. W. P. A. last evening. Miss Fairweather, first vice-president, was in the chair. A good report was given by Miss Alice Church. Miss Climo reported \$6 in the general fund and \$189.18 in returned soldiers fund.

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Red Cross and Canadian Club. The Red Cross and Canadian Club collected was discussed.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB. A business session of the Women's Canadian Club was held yesterday morning in the Soldiers' Club.

EXECUTIVE WERE READ AND APPROVED. The corresponding secretary, Mrs. MacLennan, read a letter from the Misses MacLennan now in London.

WIRELESS. Now to those who search the deep. Glean of hope and kindly light.

INLAND, HERE, UPON YOUR KNEES. You shall breathe from urgent lips Round the ships that guard your seas.

ADVISE GUMBO OR OKRA HERE. Experts Say It Can Be Raised to Advantage.

THESE MAY BE MENTIONED OKRA OR GUMBO. Experts of the United States Department of Agriculture say.

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SPINACH, HOWEVER, IS PERHAPS THE MOST FAVORITE CROP FOR GREENS.

FUNERALS. The funeral of Miss Juanita O. Curtis took place yesterday afternoon from her parents' residence.

OPERA HOUSE. Excitement, excitement and more thrills are to be seen in "The Voice on the Wire" at the Opera House.

OPERAS HOUSE PROGRAMME. You can forget all of your troubles by dropping in at the Opera House this afternoon or evening.

LYRIC. Peter Hale, wealthy young gentleman of leisure, is thwarted in a bold attempt to discover the identity of the Double Cross in the second episode of Pathé's serial "Mystery of the Double Cross."

FUNERALS. The funeral of James J. Collins, who died at Montreal on the 25th instant from injuries received in being run over in the C. P. R. train yards.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Maritime—Moderate variable winds; fair and warm today, local showers at night.

Washington, June 28.—Forecast: Northern New England—Showers and thunder storms Friday; Saturday fair.

Toronto, June 28.—A shallow depression is centered tonight over Michigan and another one of more importance covers Alberta. A few showers have occurred today over Lake Erie and the western portion of Lake Ontario, and a thunder storm is reported from Port Arthur, otherwise the weather in Canada has been everywhere fine and warm.

Table with 3 columns: Temperature, Min., Max. Rows include Kamloops, Calgary, Battleford, Regina, Saskatoon, Medicine Hat, Moose Jaw, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, London, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, Halifax.

Around the City

St. John Bank Clearings. Bank clearings for the week ending June 28, 1917, \$1,665,080, corresponding period last year, \$1,665,080.

Seven Recruits Arrive. Seven recruits for the Field Ambulance unit arrived on the Boston express last night and were met by Major May, Capt. McVey and Sergt. T. D. Popham.

A True Bill. In the supreme court yesterday Chief Justice McKeown presiding, the case of Hughes and O'Brien, two plumbers, charged with setting fire to property of W. J. Crawford on Loch Lomond Road, was given to the grand jury which returned a true bill against both defendants.

Won Governor-General's Medal. Congratulations to Miss Christina O'Leary, daughter of Colonel Richard O'Leary of Richibucto, who won the Governor-General's medal on her graduation from Mt. St. Vincent's Academy, Halifax. Miss Christina is the second member of the popular colonel's family to win this coveted honor, his daughter, Miss Kathleen, winning it in 1913.

Excursion From Amherst. A large number of the colored residents of Amherst arrived in the city on an excursion and all enjoyed themselves thoroughly. Members of St. Philip's church met the excursionists and assisted in making them comfortable for the visitors while in the city. A social was held in St. James street hall and the party returned to Amherst on the Halifax express last night. The young men and women made merry with dancing in the train shed before the train pulled out.

For the Priesthood. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc will elevate three young men to the priesthood in the Cathedral this morning at eight o'clock. The ordinands will be Rev. Arthur P. Allen of St. John; Rev. Desire T. Allan of St. Marys, Kent county, and Rev. Vital LeBlanc of St. Josephs, Memramook. They have been for several years students at Holy Heart Seminary, Halifax, where the minor orders have been conferred.

The Examinations. On Tuesday next the examinations for Normal School entrance, college matriculation and High School leaving are to take place at fifteen centres throughout the province. Eight hundred and forty-six are to write the Normal School entrance, 172 the matriculation and 23 the High School leaving. At the Presentation centre for Normal School entrance 50 will write the first class, 75 the second class, 10 third class, and 7 for superior license; 25 will also write the matriculation examinations.

The Fish Market. The fish market is well supplied this week and prices on some varieties are a little easier. Shad is getting scarcer, but the prices on this fish are still moderate, selling for 35c to 50c each. Salmon is easier and is priced at 25c a cut for the large variety and 16c each for the small. Haddock and cod are priced at 12c and 14c per pound; halibut, 25c a pound; mackerel, 10c to 50c a pound; gaspereaux, 3c each; hussels, 15c a pound; fennel haddie, 10c a pound; kipper, 4c each; lobsters, 10c to 50c each; clams, 25c a quart.

Canadian Imperial League. A very enthusiastic meeting of the Canadian Imperial League was held last evening in the league rooms on Prince William street with H. L. McGowan, vice-president, presiding. The Cuban consul, Caesar A. Barranco, was present and he delivered a patriotic address that won the admiration of those present. He spoke in warm terms of the loyalty and devotion of the people of Canada to the motherland and referred to the sacrifices and heroism of Canadians in the present war. Addresses were also given by B. L. Crow and David Higwell. A women's society is to be formed in connection with the league and incorporation papers for the league are expected soon.

AUTO TO SEAVIEW HOUSE. LORNEVILLE, AND RETURN EVERY EVENING. Car leaves Fairville Garage Sunday and Monday at nine a.m., eleven a.m., and 2.30 p.m. Return each evening. Return fare \$1.25. Phone West 490.

GRANT AND HORNE TO BUILD TWO LARGE WOODEN SHIPS FOR THE MUNITIONS BOARD DANGEROUS TO PUBLIC

Important Announcement Made Last Evening by H. C. Schofield—200 Men Likely to Be Immediately Employed—Contracts Only Mark Inception of New Industry Which Has Big Possibilities.

Grant & Horne have been awarded the contract for the building of two large wooden ships for the Imperial Munitions Board and constructional work will commence at once in this city. Such was the announcement of the most important that has been made here for a long time—which H. C. Schofield made to the press last evening. Mr. Schofield, who has been representing the munitions board in the transaction, was advised last evening by Col. W. L. Gear, the director of shipbuilding for the board, that the local firm had been given the contract. Mr. Schofield, responding to an inquiry from The Standard, said that the present contract would probably be only the inception of this industry in St. John, as it was well within the range of possibilities that other contracts would follow in view of the scarcity of tonnage, but future contracts were of course contingent on the war continuing.

The Standard reporter met Mr. Schofield and H. E. Armstrong, secretary of the Board of Trade, at the board rooms last evening and learned the details of the contract. The new ships will be of wooden hulls, fitted with engines, the hulls being constructed by Grant & Horne, while the engines will be supplied by the munitions board. The dimensions of the new crafts will be: 250 ft. long; 43.6 ft.

beam; 25 ft. depth. They will have a loading capacity of about 3,000 tons and a speed of about 9 1/2 knots. Some delay has been occasioned in the awarding of the contract, principally due to the technical points involved. The new crafts were required to come up to the requirements of Lloyd's Registry of Shipping, at which office they will be registered as British ships. The practical result of the awarding of the contract for the new ships to Grant & Horne will mean the immediate employment of 200 men on the work, providing of course that number of labor can be secured. The materials for both ships will be assembled at the same time. St. John citizens generally will welcome the important news of the contract coming to this city. Grant & Horne, the successful tenderers, have already undertaken the establishment of shipyards near the Peters' tannery at Courtenay Bay. Both members of the firm are men of keen business instincts and thoroughly capable of carrying out their contracts in an eminently satisfactory manner. Mr. Grant has had considerable experience in harbor constructional work, while his firm among other contracts carried out the work at the McAvity plant, the Atlantic Sugar Refinery and the Algonquin Hotel, St. Andrews.

Finding of Jury With Enquirer Into Cause of Ronald Totten's Death—Recommend Such Boxes Be Inspected Monthly.

"We the jury empanelled to inquire into the death of Ronald Totten find: That deceased came to his death on the afternoon of June 17 by drowning in a water metre box on Old Dorchester street, said metre box being the property of the City of St. John.

"We consider said metre box abominably unsafe and dangerous to the public and recommend that the commissioner of water and sewerage have all such metre boxes inspected monthly or oftener."

Such was the finding of the jury last night in the case of little Ronald Totten who disappeared on the afternoon of Sunday, June 17, and whose body was found on Saturday, June 23, in a metre vault less than one hundred feet away from his own door. The father of the child, Francis L. Totten, told of the disappearance and of the search made, and finally of the finding of the body on Saturday night, nearly a week later.

Dr. F. T. Dunlop, who made a post mortem gave evidence that in his opinion death was caused by drowning, and that he found no evidence of foul play. Thomas Ouellet told of finding the planks of the vault on Monday afternoon, June 17, and replacing them, and Robert Gilliland told of being with Mr. Totten when the body was found.

Commissioner R. W. Wigmore and Andrew Martin gave evidence that they considered the box safe if no person tampered with it, as a new cover had been put on it last year. The jury was composed of F. E. Flewelling, foreman; G. E. Craigie, J. H. A. R. Farmer and F. R. McMullin. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., appeared for the city and G. H. V. Belyea for the family.

FORMER LOCAL MAN NOW A MEMBER OF CANADIAN SENATE

Hon. Dr. L. G. deVeber on a Visit to the City—Has Done Well in Lethbridge—To Visit Other Provincial Centres.

After an absence of several years Hon. Senator Levarot George de Veber has come to St. John to renew old acquaintances. Senator de Veber is one of the sons of the city who has made a name for himself in the west. He is now located at Lethbridge, where he has an extensive medical practice. He will be remembered as a former well known athlete in this city, having participated among other events in rowing matches in the active days of such sportsmen as Messrs. Ansham and McKelvie. He also took part in sculling events with LeRoy Willis, former proprietor of the Duffin Hotel, with whom he renewed acquaintances yesterday.

Hon. Dr. de Veber was called to the Senate by Earl Grey in 1906. Prior to that he had been an active figure in the political life of Alberta, being a member of the administration without portfolio in 1905 and 1906. He is a Liberal in politics. Senator de Veber who is a guest at the Royal Hotel will leave in the course of a few days for Gagetown where he will visit friends. Before leaving New Brunswick he also plans a visit to Lieut. Governor Ganong of St. John. The senator's friends in the city are pleased to learn of his success in public life.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. Beautiful New Wash Skirts and Bedspreads Just Arrived, Showing for the First Time Today.

Enthusiastic about them? Of course we are. Why at such prices, quality considered, as we have marked them, they would be attractive at the end of the season—at the beginning they are simply irresistible. We wish we could show you the beauty of these new Middle and Wash Skirts in cold print—but we can't.

You must come to our Middy and Wash Skirt department, second floor on Friday, and see for yourself. Our selves we have rarely handled more beautiful Wash Ready-to-Wear at such prices. Not a piece in the entire showing but what is worth at least 10 to 20 per cent. more.

Skirts. A creamy lined ground with pockets and belt, 1 1/4 inch stripes, comes in Rose, Grass, Green and Bluetta, at \$1.60. A white ground, one inch stripes, with pockets and belt comes in Rose and Blue at \$1.50.

Middies. Saab Middy, white ground, large collar, 5 inch sash, pockets, comes in color of Rose and Bluetta. Elaborately trimmed with pearl buttons at \$2.98. A white ground, one inch stripes, with collar, cuffs and belt, pearl trimmed, in Black, Blue and Rose, at \$1.35.

Take a Spin Out of Town of an Evening. Enjoy Summer Days in the Country. "Brantford" and "Imperial" Bicycles. Why stay in the city, with its noise, and dust and smoke, these lovely summer evenings and Saturday afternoons, when "Brantford" and "Imperial" Bicycles, so easily within reach, will enable you to get away from it all and furnish hours of keen delight and healthful exercise.

GREAT SALE SUMMER HATS. Last week we made a special purchase of over 200 dozen Midsummer Hats. Now we are selling them at less than wholesale prices, Panama Hats, White Hats, Black Hats, Colored Hats, Trimmed Hats, Dress Hats, Sport Hats, Outdoor Hats, Mourning Hats, Children's Hats, all being sold at very low prices during this sale.

If Strength, Style and Durability Count. When making your hammock selection you should see our particularly large range of these goods—Something to suit any fancy—at moderate prices. Couch Hammocks, (The hammock for the veranda) \$11.50. Couch Hammocks (With stand and canopy) \$15.00.

Special Sale of BOYS' SUITS For Today and Saturday. Today We Will Offer the Balance of Our Boys' Double-Breasted Plain Coat Suits With Bloomer Pants. Splendid for Holiday Wear. Strong, Serviceable Tweeds and Worsteds in Good Shades of Medium and Light Greys and Brown. Only a Few Dark Colorings.

RIBBONS For School Closing. Hair Bows and Sash Ribbons in Taffeta or Gro-Grain Silk, 4 1/2 to 6 in., 15c to 50c yard. Dorothy Dainty Ribbons, Embroidered Self-Colors, Pink, Sky and White. Two widths to match.

CLEARANCE OF RAINCOATS AT HALF PRICE. Broken lines of Paramatta raincoats left after the season's selling, being cleared at one-half of regular prices, \$4.25, \$5, \$6, \$7.50. Colours: tan, olive, Oxford gray and black. Military Cape Coats, khaki included, \$6, and \$7.50. Gilmours, 68 King street. A Special Feature. Come early to the Opera House every afternoon and evening this week, an opportunity will be afforded lovers of real music.

SOLDIER BOYS ARE HEARD FROM AGAIN

Letters from Lieut. Travis and Gunner James A. O'Leary—The Excellent Work of the 4th Siege Battery.

A letter received in the city from Lieut. F. P. J. Travis gives the information that he is now at the front with the 87th Canadian Grenadier Guards, a Montreal unit, which has done splendid work at the front. Lieut. Travis crossed to England a few months ago with an imperial draft, and after taking a successful course in advanced infantry training proceeded to France. His transfer to the 87th Battalion has only lately taken place.

Lieut. Travis reports having met the members of the 4th Siege Battery in France and he pays tribute to the valiant work of the battery. He had the pleasure of taking dinner with the battery. A brother of Lieut. Travis is Gunner Clarence Travis, who went across with No. 4 Siege Battery, but was taken seriously ill in England. He spent a considerable time in hospitals, but has now sufficiently recovered to take a position with the Canadian Ordnance Corps at Ashford, Eng.

Word was also received in the city from Gunner James A. O'Leary, who writes from "somewhere in France" that he is enjoying the life immensely. Gunner O'Leary is a Halifax boy who enlisted with the 8th Siege Battery in this city. While in St. John he made a large number of friends.

Upon his arrival in England, Gunner O'Leary took advantage of the first opportunity to proceed to France, going with a reinforcement draft.

PRESENTATION TO THE 87TH FIELD AMBULANCE. A most delightful entertainment was given at the barracks of the 87th Field Ambulance on the West Side yesterday afternoon. The occasion was the presentation of a bugle to the unit by Mrs. William McVey, wife of the officer in command of the 87th Field Ambulance. Representatives of several patriotic societies had been invited to attend.

The mascot of the 8th— a bulldog, "Sport"—decorated with red, white and blue ribbon and wearing the Red Crosses of the unit, came in for his full share of admiration. With the National Anthem and cheers for the popular officers of the unit, for Capt. Kuhring and Major Frost and officers of the 62nd, the enjoyable afternoon came to an end and all present voted it a most pleasant affair.

"CROSS-COUNTRY FOX CHASE" IN TOWNS OF NEW BRUNSWICK. Conditions for Fugitive's Capture: The St. John Standard Pays Rewards when Captures Admitted by Fox, made according to conditions.

Five Dollars in any other New Brunswick Town. Capture admitted by Fox only to resident of town where caught. 1st—Lay Hands on Him. 2nd—Say the name of the Fox. The St. John Standard's Fugitive. Who do you deny it? 3rd—Present Fox with copy of The St. John Standard of date.

WALTER ALLEN DIVES FROM WHARF TO SAVE GIRL

Boy Scout Dives 15 Feet Into Harbor and Rescues Little Elsie Morrison—This is Second Brave Rescue Made by Boy.

Walter Allen, a member of Queen Square troop of boy scouts, performed a brave act Wednesday afternoon at six o'clock when he saved Elsie Morrison, 29 Market Place, West St. John, from drowning. Young Allen was with a companion named Cobham when they heard the cry for help and running to Driscoll's wharf they saw the little Morrison girl, who is only three and a half years old, struggling in the water. Scout Allen immediately dived a distance of fifteen feet without waiting to remove any of his clothing. He caught hold of the little girl by the hair and succeeded in holding her up until an uncle of his companion arrived on the scene in a boat and completed the rescue. Sergt. Journey of the police rendered first aid and after hard work, as the girl had sunk for the third time, she was brought round and is now fully recovered. Young Allen who acted so bravely resides with an uncle on St. James street and two years ago rescued a boy from drowning at Brown's Flats. It is said that some recognition should be shown the boy for his bravery.

weather. Captain McVey thanked the ladies present and extended to them the invitation of the men of the unit, who desired that the visitors should be their guests at tea. After an inspection of the quarters an excellent supper was served at the mess.

An additional treat was given by the many talents possessed by the men were displayed. One of the chefs, Jack Forest, led a fancy march in which all kinds of music were played. The men taking part were recruits of three days and their marching was excellent. The solos and choruses were splendid. Those taking part in the concert were Sergeant-Major Redford, Sergt. Forest, Pte. Hooper, Masterman, Sergt. Wallace spoke, expressing the pleasure of the men at being able to give the entertainment and have the ladies present.

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Major Frost of the 62nd acted as chairman and called upon Captain Kuhring to speak in his address. Capt. Kuhring referred to the splendid and loving services of the medical corps which he had personally witnessed. He explained the various calls which the bugle might utter and expressed the hope that it would sound in our streets after the war was over and peace restored.

Mrs. McVey with a few graceful words of good wishes to the officers and men of the 8th Field Ambulance made the presentation and Captain Kuhring offered a dedicatory prayer. Captain McVey received the gift with a speech of thanks. Major Frost then called upon the ladies present to speak for the societies which they represented. In brief addresses, offering their services of help and assistance, the following members voted their good wishes: For the Canadian Club and V. A. D., Mrs. Kuhring; Red Cross, Mrs. Lawrence; Daughters of the Empire, Mrs. Dural; Soldiers' Wives' League, Mrs. Harold Perley; Soldiers' Comfort Association, Mrs. J. Dooey; Young Women's Patriotic Association, Miss Fair-

MARRIAGES. EDGAR WALKER—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Walker, Norton, Kings Co., on June 27, their daughter, Nets Irene, and Albert Arthur Edgar, Rev. B. H. Hopkins officiating.

Special rates to persons living in suburban homes having missed their train. Call West 490, or night call West 474. Fairville Garage, George A. Clark, manager. Have you been interested in G. DRY'S MODERN EYE ROOM? It is equipped with modern instruments and is shaded to allow for the use of the microscope and ophthalmoscope. The direct examinations by these instruments is of immense advantage. Special attention also given to prescription work. Mrs. Annie L. Bailey, of the Mount-real teaching staff, returned home to spend her summer vacation.