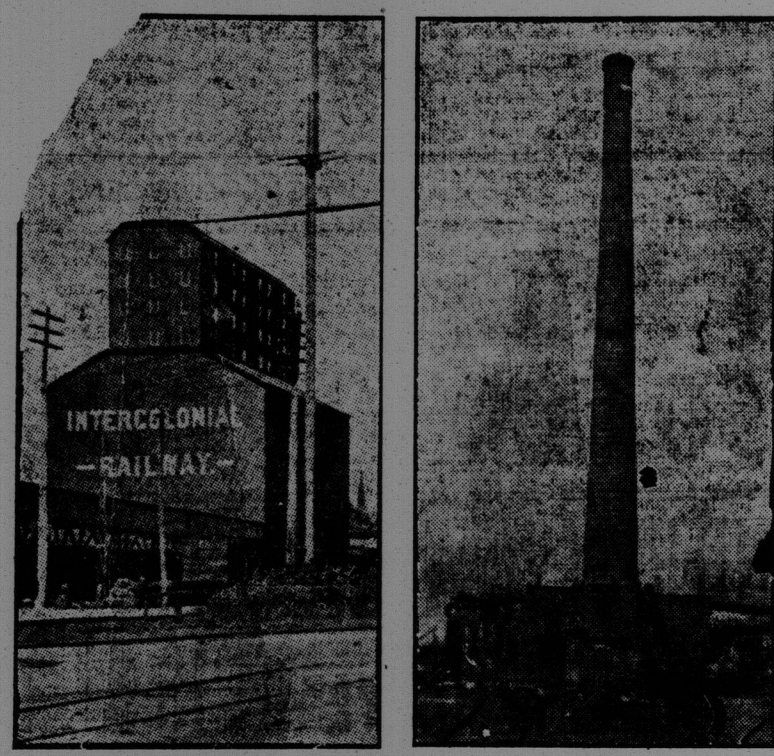


I. C. R. ELEVATOR FIRE



Before the Fire. Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 13.—The destruction of the Intercolonial elevator at St. John is greatly regretted here. Though the elevator was not always operated to the full capacity, it was regarded as a useful factor in the Intercolonial's equipment. It had been planned to keep it full this winter for export demand.

The question of rebuilding will be reported upon by General Manager Gustafson to Hon. Mr. Cochrane. It is not known here whether the elevator can be replaced in time for business this winter. Dense clouds of smoke were lifting from the remains of the fire which destroyed the I. C. R. elevator and damaged the train shed, this morning, and while two powerful streams were kept on the burning debris, the flames still continued to shoot through the rains until well after noon. Every pane of glass on the northern side of the roof of the outer depot was pried out of place this morning, most either broken or badly cracked by the heat and flying pieces of tin and wood. The glass was swept in to several large-sized piles by a crew of workmen in the train shed, and carted away.

While the opinion prevailed in the minds of many citizens that the blaze was of incendiary origin, some even suggested it to be the work of over-zealous Germans or Austrians, there were many who regarded it as having resulted from spontaneous combustion. A resident of the immediate vicinity said that just before the alarm of fire was sounded, he heard two explosions, and then, glancing out, saw the glare of flames in the upper part of the elevator. Then he heard the alarm sounded. L. R. Ross, terminal agent of the I. C. R. said this morning that the loss was about \$500,000. The elevator cost \$220,000 and the train shed in it was No. 1, valued at \$100,000. The structure, he said, was completely ruined, but through the efforts of Engineer Jeremiah Daley and other assistants the power plant which supplies light to the whole I. C. R. property was saved, and this means about \$50,000. The fire alarm, he said, was rung by

The Local Soldiers

The work of seasoning the members of the Canadian contingent who will go to foreign fields in the aid of England will begin tomorrow morning. The infantry will muster in the armory at 9 o'clock, and instructions will be given in tactical manoeuvres, infantry in attack, defence, etc. The authority for the furnishing of instructions is expected today, the understanding being that they will be furnished from amongst the permanent force. H. Co. R. C. R. now doing guard duty at the armory, Customs House and other public buildings. Pay will be begun from this date for all overseas volunteers. No word has as yet been received from the militia authorities at Ottawa as to the selection of the men for foreign service from the lists forwarded from the St. John units. Because of this it is not possible to announce the names of the officers selected to command the 3rd Regt. C. A. except Major Magee. Seven have volunteered, but only three or four can be taken. For foreign service three officers of the 62nd have been recommended. Captain H. E. C. Sturdee, Lieut. C. J. Morgan, and Lieut. E. H. Welsh. These appointments will have to be ratified at Ottawa.

Regarding fire, Commissioner McLellan this morning said, "I would like to ask if the chief of police did not receive instructions from Colonel Sherwood, chief of the Dominion police, to have the I. C. R. elevator guarded there had been an alarm of fire. Then he heard the alarm sounded. L. R. Ross, terminal agent of the I. C. R. said this morning that the loss was about \$500,000. The elevator cost \$220,000 and the train shed in it was No. 1, valued at \$100,000. The structure, he said, was completely ruined, but through the efforts of Engineer Jeremiah Daley and other assistants the power plant which supplies light to the whole I. C. R. property was saved, and this means about \$50,000. The fire alarm, he said, was rung by

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

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LOCAL NEWS

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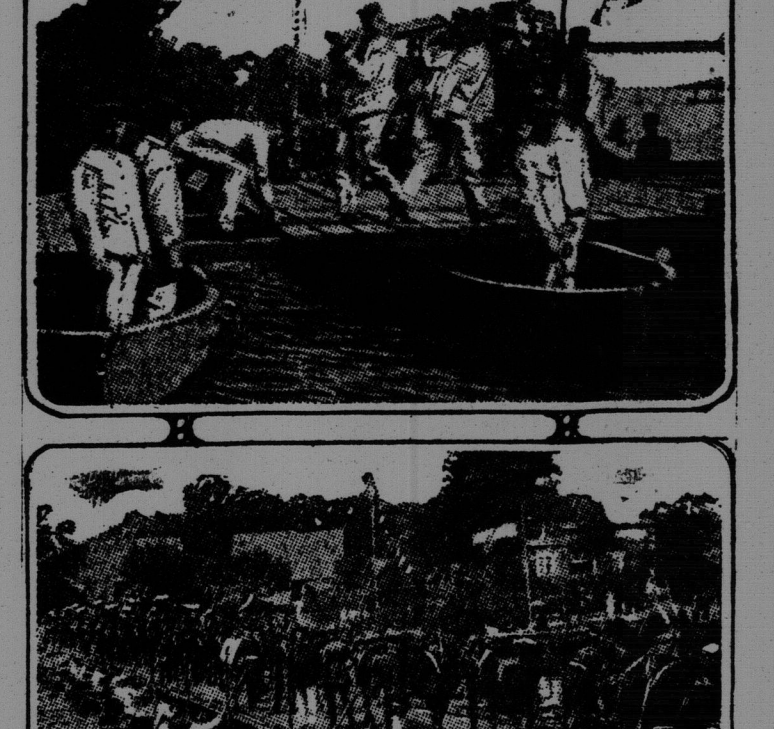
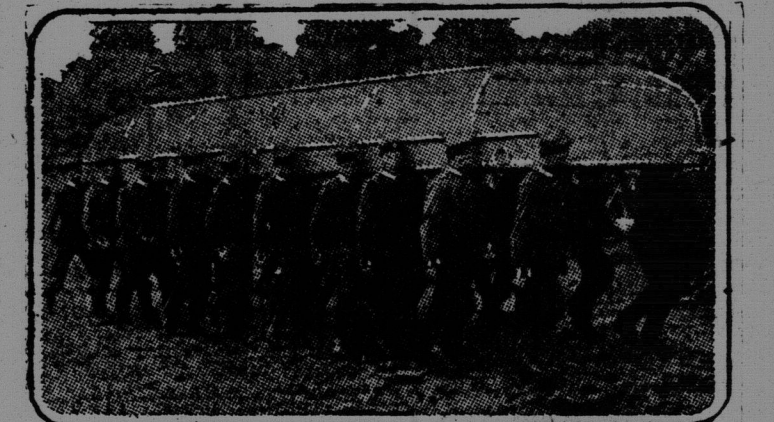
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GERMANS BUILD BRIDGE OVER MUESE IN FACE OF DEADLY FOE



How the Germans Build Pontoon Bridges. The Operation in Successive Moves as Shown by Four Photographs.

THE WAR

Russian Victory Reported. Paris, Aug. 13.—A St. Petersburg dispatch to the Matin, reports a decisive defeat of the Austrian by Russian troops on the Danube River. It says 4,000 infantry and 8,000 cavalry were routed.

Shanghai, Aug. 13.—The Japanese steamer Shikoku Maru was seriously damaged and one of her crew killed by a cannon shot fired by the British fort at Hong Kong, while the vessel was entering the harbor.

HATCH—At 108 Revere street, Boston, on the 11th inst., Eviline C. Hatch, in the 87th year of her age.

THOMAS WILKED and family wish to thank their friends for the kindness shown to them in their recent bereavement.

CONDENSED DESPATCHES

The United States Congress is today considering a proposal to open coastwise trade to foreign vessels. It is resisted by shipping interests. Edward P. Amory, secretary of the Western Railroad Association, was murdered in his office in Chicago yesterday. John P. Holland, inventor of the submarine boat, is dead, aged 72 years. He was a native of Ireland. The United States Congress may increase the tax on liquor, cigars and tobacco, and add to the income tax, to raise \$100,000,000 to offset the loss of customs revenue due to the war. It is expected the Mexican government will today sign articles of capitulation with President Carranza, and hand over to him the reins of government. The first steamship passed through the Panama Canal today from the Atlantic to the Pacific in eleven and a half hours, and returned in eight and a half hours. The canal will be formally opened next Saturday. Steamer Empress of Japan arrived at Hong Kong at six p.m. on August 12.

GOVERNMENT TO TAKE CONTROL OF FOOD PRICES

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 13.—Control of food prices will be asked of parliament by the government as soon as the session opens. Hon. Thomas Crothers is having a bill drafted along the lines of the British Act. It is held that there is no justification to be found in present conditions for some of the advances in food and other necessities. The indications received by the government are that this movement upward of prices has just begun and that if it were allowed to develop great distress might result.

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FORESTRY CONVENTION POSTPONED

Owing to the war the president and directors of the Canadian Forestry Association have, after the most careful consideration, decided to cancel the arrangements for the forestry convention which was to be held in Halifax, Sept. 1st to 4th, 1914, and to postpone the convention indefinitely. Whatever it is decided to do in the future, due notice will be given thereof to the members and all others concerned. Attention is particularly directed to the fact that railway arrangements as published have been cancelled, and that anyone going to Halifax within the stated dates will be paid full fare back to starting point.

A FLEET OF TRANSPORTS AND PROVISION SHIPS

(Ottawa Free Press.) Canada's gift of flour to the needy of Britain will fill three freight steamers. The million bags of flour cost the government almost three million dollars. The expenditure of the money in this way is one of the things parliament next week will be asked to legalize. The flour was bought from four big Canadian millers from the Lake-of-the-Woods, the Ogilvie, the Maple Leaf, and the Western Canada.

THE SENSATIONAL PRESS

A great many foolish rumors are set in circulation about this or that place on our coast being threatened with attack. Nobody need be alarmed. The measures which are being taken are merely precautionary measures for our defence, and, we believe, are ample. Some of the Upper Canadian papers, notably the Toronto News, which is now in the "yellow" class, have been publishing lurid stories about German cruisers shelling Glace Bay and Canoe. It is sensationalism run mad.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mrs. D. W. Hart, of Fredericton Junction, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Olive Maude, to Allen A. McIntyre, of St. John, the marriage to take place at an early date.

APPRECIATES KINDNESS

In behalf of the committee which some months ago conducted a benefit concert in aid of a veteran singer, Hugh Campbell, Dr. D. J. Mullin yesterday presented to him a bank book showing a deposit of the returns of the concert. Mr. Campbell has recently been discharged from the hospital greatly improved. He expressed his gratitude for the kindness shown him by W. H. Golding in the use of the theatre, and by the general committee in their generous services.

Artillery Notice

One Hundred Men for Home Service are required at once. Recruits will be enrolled at the Main Armory and at the Cavalry Armory tonight (Thursday) and every night hereafter until the numbers are completed. The Service will begin on August 15th. Any man who has already given their names will report tonight to receive instructions. ALL uniforms must be returned to stores at once.

Oversea Contingent

Artillery Volunteers for Oversea Contingent will report at the Armory for duty at once. All Artillery Uniforms must be returned to Stores. By Order, W. A. HARRISON, Captain Adjutant, 3rd Regiment, C. G. A.

Regimental Orders

By Lieut.-Col. J. L. McAvity, O. C. 62nd Regiment, "St. John Fusiliers" St. John, N. B., August 13, 1914. No. 1.—All volunteers for overseas service will parade at the Drill Hall on Friday morning at 9 o'clock for instruction—pay and allowances are authorized from this date. Every man must be on parade. No. 2.—Authority having been received to recruit the regiment to war strength at once, the regiment will parade at the Drill Hall on Friday evening, 14th inst., at 8 o'clock, every member must be on parade. Dress—drill order. J. R. MILLER, Capt. Adjutant.

No. 7 Co. Army Service Corps

All volunteers who have already been medically examined and found fit, will assemble at the Armory tonight at 7:30 o'clock for instructional purposes and issue of equipment. Every volunteer must be present. Volunteers for this unit for overseas forces is not yet closed. Any man already a member of this Corps has still the opportunity of volunteering for Foreign Service. A recruiting officer will be at this company's headquarters (Armory, lower floor) tonight to receive further applications. By Order, MAJOR FRANK McKEAN, Commanding No. 7 Co. C. A. S.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Thos. O'Mullaly and daughter Olive left for their home in Attleboro, Mass., on Tuesday after a pleasant visit here. Miss May Rodgers, of Boston, is visiting relatives in North End. Rev. E. J. Conway, of Chipman, came to the city yesterday. Last Wednesday Mrs. Wm. King, of Pleasant Point, entertained the members of the Ladies' Sewing Circle at her summer cottage, "Bonny Glen," at Martin's. All spent an enjoyable day and pronounced Mrs. King a delightful hostess. Miss Lyle Kennedy, of St. John, is visiting friends in Bathurst this week. Miss May Rodgers, of Boston, is visiting relatives in North End. Rev. E. J. Conway, of Chipman, came to the city yesterday. Last Wednesday Mrs. Wm. King, of Pleasant Point, entertained the members of the Ladies' Sewing Circle at her summer cottage, "Bonny Glen," at Martin's. All spent an enjoyable day and pronounced Mrs. King a delightful hostess. Miss Lyle Kennedy, of St. John, is visiting friends in Bathurst this week. Miss May Rodgers, of Boston, is visiting relatives in North End. Rev. E. J. Conway, of Chipman, came to the city yesterday. Last Wednesday Mrs. Wm. King, of Pleasant Point, entertained the members of the Ladies' Sewing Circle at her summer cottage, "Bonny Glen," at Martin's. All spent an enjoyable day and pronounced Mrs. King a delightful hostess. Miss Lyle Kennedy, of St. John, is visiting friends in Bathurst this week.

RECRUITS WANTED

Canadian Signalling Corps No. 6 Coy A small number of men is needed to complete. Those having previous training in signalling will be given preference. Apply at armories tonight at eight o'clock or tomorrow after nine a.m. All who have volunteered to date will assemble in front at eight o'clock in the armory. T. E. POWERS, Major.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stuart, director of meteorological service. Toronto, Ont. A few showers are occurring this morning on the Lake Superior district, but otherwise fair weather prevails throughout Canada. Fair and Cool. Maritime—Moderate winds, fair and cool today and on Friday. New England forecasts—Generally fair tonight, and Friday; gentle to moderate north winds, becoming variable.

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REV. DR. SPRAGUE TALKS OF THE WAR SITUATION

(Sackville Post.)

Last evening a number of Sackville women met at Government House. As many as could be summoned by telephone or otherwise were notified. The feature of the evening was an address by Dr. Sprague, which was much appreciated.

Dr. Sprague very clearly reviewed the events leading up to the present war, which the speaker declared, may prove to be the most awful, the most disastrous in the world's history. He referred to the three wars, so carefully planned and carried to a successful issue by Bismarck. The war with Denmark which resulted in the acquisition of Schleswig—Holstein by Germany, the Kiel war with Austria which culminated in Sadowna, and the war with France, which stripped that country of Alsace and Lorraine—and engendered an unending hatred between France and Germany.

Referring to the German Emperor, Dr. Sprague said he had no doubt the Kaiser conscientiously felt that by Divine Right it was his duty to rule over the greatest country in the world, and at the present crisis he has ordered his people to assemble in the churches and pray for God's blessing.

Reference was made to the late King Edward's splendid statesmanship, in bringing about the Triple Entente. Extracts were given from a speech of ex-Premier Clemenceau of France in

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Sch Calvin Austin, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports.

Sch Melba, Rufus, Sound port.

Sch Margaret May Riley, Granville, Sound port.

Sch Hattie H Barbour, Barton, Sound port.

Sch Warner Moore, Burgess, Sound port.

Sch Orosimbo, Spragg, Boston.

CANADIAN PORTS.
Montreal, Aug 12—Ard, str Riverton, Port Said; Manchester Spinner, Manchester; Saba, West Indies; Ionian, London; Quebec, Aug 12—Ard, str Respass, Shields; Cairross, Leghorn; Cressington, Port Genoa; Lady of Gaspe, Gaspe, Carolina, New York; Kenilworth, Barcelona.

Sid—Strs Hochelaga, Sydney; Inishowen Head, Belfast.

Dalhousie, Aug 7—Ard, str Waccaman, 920, Brooks, Quebec; 8th, bark Lorely (Ital), 992, Breganti, Genoa.

Sid—Str Waccaman, Niagara Falls.

Ard Aug 10—Str International (Am), 1248, Acton, Montreal.

Sid Aug 11—Str International, Niagara Falls.

BRITISH PORTS
Barbados, July 28—Ard, sch Beryl M Corkum, Madeira.

FOREIGN PORTS
Delaware Breakwater, Aug 10—Ard, sch Isiah K Stetson, Philadelphia for St. John.

New York, Aug 10—Ard, sch Arthur M Gibson, St. John.

Old York, Aug 10—Sch Harry, Perth Amboy; str Diana, Sorboe, Windsor.

Elizabethport, Aug 10—Ard, sch Calvin P Harris, Windsor.

City Island, Aug 10—Sid, sch Jeremiah Smith, South Amboy for Dartmouth; Moonlight, New York for Calais; Robert A Snyder, Perth Amboy for St. Andrew.

New York, Aug 12—Ard, str Philadelphia, Southampton; Potsdam, Rotterdam; Ansonia, Glasgow.

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KNIGHTS AT CLAM BAKE
Another enjoyable outing was had yesterday by the visiting Sir Knights of St. Omer Commandery, of Dorchester, Mass., when, about 300 strong, with many local Knights, they sailed up the river on the steamer Malletic to Carter's Point where a real, old-time clam-bake was held. An excellent menu provided most tempting and supper time was spent by all. Dancing was most popular with music furnished by the band here. The Sir Knights returned to the city was made about nine o'clock. In the Masonic Temple this evening the visiting Masons will tender a banquet to the local Sir Knights, and tomorrow the visitors will leave for their return to their homes in Dorchester, Mass. All say they have greatly enjoyed their stay in St. John, and speak well of the way in which they have been treated by their local confreres.

LOCAL NEWS
K. OF C. DANCE
St. John Council, No. 387, will hold a shirt waist assembly in the rooms on Thursday evening next, Aug. 13th, 8-14.

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Mrs. Mary, wife of Frank Perry, of West St. John, has sold to James Logan, through C. B. D'Arcy, a vacant lot, 50 West End. Mr. Logan is contemplating the erection of a four-story, four family dwelling house on the lot.

Bath tub boys—Dolls and ducks, etc. The Rexall Store, King street—Wasson's.

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WRECKERS IN 1913
Lloyd's Register of Shipping has issued the statistics of vessels wrecked, totally lost, broken up, condemned, etc., for the last year. During 1913, the gross tonnage of vessels wrecked, broken up, condemned, etc., was 1,177,000 tons, excluding all vessels of less than 100 tons. Of this total 871 vessels of 538,002 tons, were steamers, and 294, of 184,028 tons, were sailing vessels. These figures as regards steamers, are lower than those for 1912 by 89,748 tons; but as regards sailing vessels they are higher by 7,808 tons. The amount of tonnage dealt with by breaking up, dismantling, etc., (not in consequence of casualty), was 108,788 tons, or 48,846 tons less than in 1912. Nearly 20 1/2 per cent. of the steamers and 10 per cent. of the sailing vessels removed from the merchant fleets of the world in the course of 1913 were accounted for in this manner. Of the total tonnage of such cases 42.8-4 per cent. was represented by United Kingdom vessels.

Escaped From Chain Gang
While the chain gang was at work yesterday morning in Delhi street, three of the crew, Robert Jackson, serving four months sentence for theft, Michael Mahoney and Stanley Murphy, serving terms for drunkenness, made a break for liberty. Jackson was caught but the other two are still free.

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A Fortune That Was Started By Arkwright's Invention—The Position of the Austrian Ambassador in Washington

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countrymen in the United States, who are eager to sail to fight for their native land, but who have no means of reaching there. Fortunately for the Dual Empire, he is a diplomat of exceptional experience, sound judgment and of much tact, and therefore particularly well qualified to fulfill his task of preventing the more hot-headed of his countrymen from allowing their sense of ardent patriotism to obscure their obligations to the United States in connection with the latter's preservation of its neutrality. But it must thoroughly be understood that it is not a breach of neutrality for any Austrian consulate official or Austrian patriotic society, in furnishing money to assist Emperor Francis Joseph's army and navy for traveling expenses to enable them to reach their homes. The French government last week, as in the war of 1870, made special arrangements for the conveyance by rail to Germany of all those German residents in France who were reservists of the Kaiser's army, and who were therefore destined to return to France part and parcel of the German army of invasion. If a belligerent can thus speed back to their native land the reservists of an enemy, there is no reason for a neutral power to stand in the way of any Austrian, German, French or English, wishing to return home, to fulfill their patriotic duty in their respective armies and navies.

To add to the anxieties of Ambassador Dumba, he is without a wife, and his wife, who left some weeks ago for Austria, where she had just arrived, according to latest advices, being of Russian birth, her position, even as the wife of a high Austrian official cannot fall to be one of much delicacy in the dominions of Emperor Francis Joseph, now that the latter has declared war upon Russia. Moreover, the railroads in the Dual Empire, as in Germany and France, are being monopolized for the conveyance of troops and supplies, to the exclusion of all passenger traffic, and it is not even known if the ambassador has managed to reach Vienna from the thermal resort in Bohemia where she was staying.

Some Day Very Rich
Among those who sailed on last Friday for England, on board the St. Paul to join his regiment, the First Life Guards, in which he still holds a lieutenancy on the reserve list, is Lord Somers, who makes his home in Canada, where he has considerable farming interests in Ontario. He is fairly well off at present, dependent upon an income of about \$12,000 a year, derived from the entailed property of his barony. But he will become a very rich man on the death of his kinsmen, Lady Henry Somerset, and the Dowager Duchess of Bedford, who held the big fortune, and that large stretch of real estate in London known as Somers Town, from that father, the late Lord Somers, merely for their respective lives, on the termination of which all the property goes, not to Lady Henry's son, but to her cousin, young Lord Somers. He is still unmarried.

Thin Folks Who Would Be Fat
Increase in Weight Ten Pounds or More A Physician's Advice

A Physician's Advice

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A GRAVE WARNING. Whether we ever learn the exact origin of the fire which destroyed the Intercolonial Railway grain elevator, the fact of its destruction drives home with peculiar emphasis the words of Sir Rider Haggard that the British Empire is at grips with fate, and that in Canada as in the mother country the people must keep watch and ward.

AN IMPORTANT MATTER. The slowing down of industry, which is and will be an inevitable result of the war, raises the question of employment for men thrown out of work by the partial or total cessation of operations by industrial concerns of one kind and another.

EVENTS OF THE WAR. Another twenty-four hours have passed, and so far as can be gathered from the cables the German armies are still held in check. Every day they are delayed brings nearer the descent of the Russian hosts upon the eastern frontier of Germany and Austria.

GERMANY'S FUTURE. How long can Germany sustain a war that will strain every nerve and steadily reduce the food supply of the nation? One report says she has supplies for a year, but that may well be doubted.

THE CAPE RAILWAY. A Moncton paper says:—The employees of the Cape Tormentine Railway, recently taken over by the I. C. R., have all been given schedule pay.

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Strategic points in the importance of Liege, the Belgian city before which the German advance is reported to have been checked, and where, according to European dispatches, the first great battle in force of the impending war may be fought, are numerous, says the New York Journal of Commerce.

In its surroundings it is the Pittsburg of Belgium. For miles to the southwest of the city, along the banks of the river Meuse, there are scores of blast furnaces, puddling furnaces, rolling mills and forges.

But the north, in spite of a succession of disastrous defeats the first two years was able to import what she could not produce herself, and was able to command an almost unlimited supply of men through European immigration.

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A SERIOUS CHARGE

In a row in Hillyard street yesterday afternoon near the C. P. R. tracks, Wm. London, of Strait Shore, was badly hurt by being struck on the head, presumably with a rock said to have been thrown by John Walsh, aged 40 years. London was painfully cut about the face, about ten stitches being necessary to close the gashes. Policemen Briggs, Garnett and Detective Killen were soon on the scene and soon rounded up Walsh, whom they took in custody on a charge of aggravated assault.

Walsh, who is a tall man, and very slight, is about forty years of age. In October, 1906, he assaulted John McEhan in Douglas avenue, by striking him with a stone. McEhan died as a result of it on Oct. 10 in the General Public Hospital. Walsh was tried and sentenced to eleven years at Dorchester penitentiary. He went there on Dec. 2, 1906.

On July 8, 1908, when he had served almost seven years of his sentence, he was allowed out on parole. On Dec. 8 of the same year he was arrested by the police here for assaulting Julia Walsh and William Quinton. He was sentenced by the police magistrate to six months in jail. At the expiration of

this term he was sent back to the penitentiary on the advice of Chief Clerk, to complete his term of eleven years. It is supposed that he was released in 1908, but according to the police he has not been around here until about three weeks ago.

Rocky Experience.
"You do not speak to him!"
"No," replied the scholarly girl. "When I passed him I gave him the geological survey."
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WOMEN WILL AID THE VOLUNTEERS

Organize For Work of Practical Nature

Hospital Ship Fund—Care of Families—Comforts For Soldiers—Red Cross and Soldiers' Wives' League Among Activities Planned

Preliminary measures were taken yesterday by the women of St. John for the carrying on of a campaign of relief and aid for the provincial soldiers who have volunteered for the defence of the empire. At a largely attended meeting in the Imperial theatre the plans were outlined and several stirring speeches made. Mayor Frink opened the meeting after the National Anthem had been played and explained why it was called. Mrs. T. H. Bullock, in her address, said that the last meeting she had attended was one relating to universal peace and the matter under consideration now seemed to be almost the direct opposite. She said there were other ways in which the women of Canada might serve the Empire than being on the scene of the conflict.

Lady Tilley then moved the following resolution which was seconded by Mrs. Lawrence:

Whereas, this meeting of the women of Canada during the present war situation; and whereas, in order to provide for the dispensing intelligently and judiciously of necessary needs and comforts for the sick and wounded Canadian soldiers and for the necessity of those fighting for the maintenance of the empire, a patriotic fund shall be required for such purpose.

Therefore resolved, that a committee to be known as the St. John and New Brunswick patriotic committee be appointed to raise such necessary fund for the purposes above mentioned and to concentrate the patriotic effort in aid of our soldiers.

And further resolved, that such action be taken in conjunction with the military authorities and that the following ladies constitute the said committee with power to add to their numbers:

Lady Tilley, honorary president; Mrs. J. D. Hazen, Mrs. J. H. Frink, Mrs. T. H. Bullock, president of the Women's Council, Lady Barker, Mrs. J. V. Ellis, Mrs. Dever, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. J. F. Robertson, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. M. B. Edwards, Mrs. Leigh Harrison, Mrs. G. M. A. Bizzard, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Sherwood Skinner, secretary.

Colonel H. H. McLean, Colonel B. R. Armstrong, Captain Walter Harrison and Dr. Stewart Skinner, who were present in the audience, were then summoned to the platform and called upon to address the meeting.

The mayor then put the motion which was carried by a standing vote.

A communication was read from the New Brunswick graduate nurses stating that they had subscribed \$25 to the fund for the hospital ship.

Mrs. G. M. A. Bizzard reported on the work of collection for this fund and stated that the eighty or eighty-five women who were meeting with great success and there was every expectation that by the end of the evening a sum of more than \$1,000 would be collected. Mrs. H. A. Powell announced that the sum of \$200 had been donated toward the hospital ship by the Women's Canadian Club.

Practical Steps.

Last evening Lady Tilley stated that the object of Mrs. Bullock in calling this meeting was to make a start toward early organization. During the coming week Mrs. Bullock would consult the leaders of the different ladies' societies in the city with the idea of extending the organization to them and that all might work in union. The suggestion of Colonel Armstrong in regard to "hush-up" or comfort bags and knitted socks was followed, and already they had sent to Ottawa for the standard pattern of the hush-up, copies of which will be given to the lady presidents of the societies to present to their meetings. Early work on these hush-ups was desired as well as upon the socks so that these articles could be presented to the soldiers before they start out. In fact any who desired to begin work upon the

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Children's One-Piece Jumper Dresses in the heavier materials for early Fall School Wear. The materials are Linen Crash, Ducks and Pongee Linens, in blue, caudet and tan, trimmed piping. Sizes 4 years to 8. On Friday, One Price, 58c. each. Regular 89c.

Kiddies' Rompers of extra strong Galateas and Shirtings. Natural Linen color, tan, caudet and navy. Regular up to 25c. each. On Friday 49c. each.

Children's Corset-Waists, of heavy Fleece Drill, taped seams, extra stayed buttonholes, garter buckles at waist band. On Friday, 25c. each.

Children's One-Piece Jersey Suits, in navy blue with red trimmings. Sizes 4 to 7 years. 2 for Suit, 49c.

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Girls' Stockings, fine plain lisle, in sky and pink; also black or tan. Sizes 5 1/2 to 8 1/2. Friday 98c. per pair.

FRIDAY BARGAINS IN DRAPERY DEPARTMENT

Tapestry Portieres with figured band border. These come in green or crimson with corresponding borders, and are usually sold at \$3.75 per pair. On Friday a number of odd Portieres to be sold at \$1.15 each.

Feather Bed Pillows. On Friday 50c. each.

Made-up Sofa Cushions, tapestry cushion case filled ready for use. Very suitable for canoe or yacht.

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One hundred Strong House Dresses, in Prints, Gingham and Striped Cambrics, light and dark colors, high or square neck. Full range of sizes, from 32 to 46 inch bust measure. Regular price up to \$1.88. On Friday at 77c. each.

BOYS' SCHOOL BUSTER SUITS

A small lot of about two dozen Two-piece Buster Suits for Boys' School wear. The sizes are principally 6 and 8 years, and are made from heavier materials, suitable for Fall wear. They come in navy, linen shade, or caudet, braid trimmed, shirt front. Regular up to \$1.49 each. On Friday 79c. each.

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SCOTCH COAL, Special prices. Don't fail to give us a call. Garson Coal Co., M. 1861-61. 1467-9-29.

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FEATHER BEDS made into Folding Feather Mattresses and Puffs, also down puffs cleaned and made over.

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RUBBER STAMPS of every description; stamp ink pads, dates, automatic numbering stamps.

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GOOD LINE of SECOND HAND Stoves—Well repaired; will save money; also new stoves of all kinds.

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ACCIDENT—The price of \$6,000 rolls of beautiful wall paper remnants cut in two. Biggest bargains yet.

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NOTICE OF MEETING

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of Furnishers Limited will be held at the office of the Company at Lancaster, in the County of St. John on Friday the 29th day of August, A. D. 1914.

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HELP WANTED—MALE



WANTED—Man wanted (temporarily) with a knowledge of pipe fitting. Apply at once 108 Water street.

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WANTED—At once young lady stenographer with some experience.

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WANTED—A woman for house cleaning, reference required.

WANTED—At Duffin House, West End, Kitchen and Dining room girl.

WANTED—Chamber Maid, Clifton House.

GIRL WANTED, 1 Elliott Row, 1211-8-13.

WAITRESSES WANTED. Apply Wanamakers, King Square.

GIRLS WANTED—Must be good hand sewers. Apply American Cloak Co., 182 Brussels street.

GIRL WANTED to work in store. Apply T. J. Phillips, 218 Union street.

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TO RENT—Self-contained flat 30 Wright street, hot water heating.

TO LET—Flat, six rooms, 299 Brussels street.

FLATS 131, 133 King St. East, one furnished, new plumbing, electric.

SMALL FLAT TO LET, 64 Queen street.

TO LET—Lower flat, 31 Carleton street. Apply on premises.

TO LET—From Sept. 1st, furnished flat, 7 rooms and bath, centrally located.

TO LET—Lower flat 84 Rockland road, five rooms and bath, electric light, hardwood floors.

TO LET—1. From Sept. 1st, good sized self-contained flat, 27 Dorchester street.

FOR SALE—1 Bureau, \$5.00; 1 Parlor Set, \$17.00; 1 Bed and Spring, \$4.00; 1 Double Spring, \$1.50; 1 Settee, \$3.00; 1 Go-cart, \$3.00.

PRIVATE SALE of household furniture in seven room flat. Richmond 2 to 8, evenings 7 to 9, 27 Hickson street.

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WAR MAPS! European situation at a glance—showing in colors, Triple-Alliance, Triple-Entente, Serbia and the Neutral Countries.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET



FURNISHED ROOMS with or without board. 224 Duke. 15142-8-19.

FURNISHED Rooms and rooms for light housekeeping, 108 Union St. cor. Charlotte. Phone 742-11.

FURNISHED Room, board, 176 Waterloo. 15118-8-12.

TWO Furnished Rooms To Let, suitable for light housekeeping.

ROOM and Board, 24 Paddock street. 8-17.

FURNISHED ROOMS, also board, 69 Adelaide street. 15041-8-17.

WANTED—Roomers with or without board, 45 Sydney street.

PLEASANT Furnished Rooms, 37 Leinster street. 15038-8-16.

FURNISHED ROOMS, 110 Elliott Row. 15021-8-15.

ROOMS with Board, 68 Mecklenburg street. 14971-8-15.

FURNISHED ROOM TO LET. Apply 209 Union street.

FURNISHED ROOMS, Bath, electric light. Telephone. 67 Sewell (right bell). 14743-9-1.

ROOMS with board suitable for gentlemen, 17 Horfield street.

FURNISHED ROOMS, 6 Peters street. 14991-8-29.

FURNISHED Suite 100 Gorman street. 1468-8-28.

FURNISHED ROOMS, 301 Union street. 14470-8-28.

FURNISHED ROOM, 168 King street East. 14425-8-17.

ROOMS and Board, 29 Peter street East. 14425-8-17.

TO LET—Room with board, 19 Horfield. 14118-8-17.

BOARDS WANTED—Corner Wall and Burpee Ave. 14010-8-14.

FOR SALE—GENERAL

TO SELL, Crescent Oil Fields Limited of Calgary, Alberta, shares at \$1 par.

DOUBLE Barreled Gun, cost \$20 last year, good as new, accept \$12. 244 Duke street. 15118-8-14.

FOR SALE—Schooner Jessie Palmer, reasonable price, in perfect order.

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SOLICITING AGENTS of ability for easy selling office specialty. Only hustlers wanted.

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PRIVATE SALE of household furniture in seven room flat.

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HOUSES TO LET

TO LET—From 1st Sept. house containing seven rooms in central part of city, near Duke street.

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—By young man, aged 18, position as assistant bookkeeper or office work.

COOKS AND MAIDS



WANTED—A girl for general housework. Mrs. Landry, 188 Leinster street. 15160-8-17.

WOMAN Wanted as general help in boarding house. Apply Mrs. Stephens, 18 Brunswick street.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. J. Marcus, 8 Wentworth street. l.f.

WANTED—A general girl. Apply 153 Douglas avenue. 15141-8-15.

GIRL for General housework, 78 Sewell street. 15120-8-15.

WANTED—A capable girl for general housework. Apply Mrs. Vanwart, 142 Charlotte street. 15116-8-14.

WANTED—Girl for light housework, 178 Princess street. 15088-8-17.

WANTED—Capable maid, convenient apartment, Hart, 86 Mecklenburg. 15038-8-17.

WANTED—Immediately, girl for general housework, highest wages to competent help. Apply to Mrs. D. B. Pidgeon, 188 Douglas Ave. t.f.

WANTED

POSITIONS—Ten Dollars will buy complete Shortland or Bookkeeping course, with guarantee of position.

WANTED—A cheap second-hand piano. Address "Strong" Times. 15097-8-18.

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WANTED—Old mantle ornaments, old coin, pictures president Lincoln, pictures of Washington, flint lock pistols, Indian relics, etc.

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LOST—Gold bar pin, with initials "R. B. M.C.A." either in front of T. McAvity & Sons, Macaulay Bros. or to Mrs. Alfred Barley & Co., Fair Specialists, 46 Princess street. 14971-8-17.

LOST—A watch box, initial "W" and fountain pen initials J. B. W. Reward offered Wilson Telephone Co. 15126-8-14.

FURNISHED FLATS TO LET

TO LET—Furnished Flat, 4 rooms. Apply 33 Portland street, left hand bell. 15078-8-17.

TO LET—Furnished Flat, now vacant, 169 St. James street, West; Phone West 161-21. 15092-8-17.

TO LET—Furnished flat, central part of city, modern conveniences, possession 1st of August. Apply R. Y. Times Office. 14868-8-31.

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WANTED—Good all round cook for first class hotel, Sept. 1st. Write P. O. Box 205, Sussex, N. B. 14960-8-14.

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For many years the French have been fortifying their lines between Verdun, Toul and Belfort.

Verdun, Toul, Epinal and Belfort are not now the forts they were prior to 1870.

Formidable entrenched camps with outworks extending for miles in the form of lunettes toward the German frontier.

The routes through the northern gap lead in first instance into the somewhat rugged and rough country of Argonne.

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fusion reigned in her armies, and while the soldiers fought with their traditional gallantry, they suffered from incompetent leadership even more than from defective and insufficient equipment.

THE WORLD'S FIGHT FOR FREEDOM (Toronto Globe)

At bottom the war now involving all Europe and menacing the world is humanity's own life struggle.

Being the past forty years there has grown up a new Germany, new in all the great sciences except the greatest science of all, the science of government.

Over all its schools and laboratories and spheres of wonderful achievement hovers the old and darkening shadow of military despotism.

And in that fight all the democracies of the British breed stand shoulder to shoulder. Whig and Tory all agree.

THE WORLD'S FIGHT FOR FREEDOM (Toronto World)

On July 19, 1910, war was declared between France and Prussia.

Roused from sleep by an orderly, General Von Moltke, chief of the German war staff, directed him where to find the instructions for mobilization.

By morning the German army, which were on the move, and advancing on three lines entered France on the first of August.

During that month they won many important victories, shot Marshal Basaine and his army up in Metz and surrounded Marshal Michon at Sedan, receiving his surrender on Sept. 1.

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**HOW TO STOP
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Sound Advice From a Well Known Physician
 Men and women who suffer from what they call Dyspepsia, indigestion or just plain "stomach-trouble" usually seek regular relief in the form of some peppermint pill or tablet, or other artificial digestant. This, experience teaches me, is a serious error. In nine cases out of ten, the distress is caused by the development of acids in the stomach—formed by the fermenting of food. Instead of a digestant being required, something should be taken to dissolve or neutralise this acidity, when normal digestion will follow as a matter of course. This acid matter is distinctly poisonous and unless it is dissolved, digestion merely carries the mess of fermenting food from the stomach to the intestines, where its poison is absorbed by the blood and carried all over the body.
 If all the great army of people who suffer after nearly every meal would make it a point to take a teaspoonful of Disurated Magnesia in a quarter glass of water after each meal, there would be no formation of acidity and consequently no distress or discomfort. Sour acid, gassy stomach, heartburn, belching, bloating, etc., would then be a thing of the past. "Disurated Magnesia" is a physician's prescription. It is inexpensive and can be obtained at any drug store. It is prepared for just such trouble and the best proof of its efficiency is that it will stop the sharpest, biting stomach distress in five minutes from the time it enters the stomach, simply by dissolving the acids that have been formed there. Its action is absolutely harmless.

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The City Land and Investment Company, Limited, are offering for subscription a very limited amount of Preference Stock. The sale of this Stock was withdrawn from the market in anticipation of the sale of sufficient lots to pay all the outstanding liabilities, and an option has been given for the sale of One Hundred Lots in Moncton (out of nearly 600 owned in that City) for \$70,000. The Company has deemed it advisable, pending the option, to offer for sale 400 shares of Preference Stock at the par value of \$50.00 each.

This stock has preference both as to principal and dividends at 6% over all the Common Stock of the Company, and no Stock on the market can compare with this in absolute safety and certainty of profits.

Call and investigate the affairs of the Company, or write for further information.
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 127 Prince William Street,
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War Populations

Compiled by George H. Roberts from Hammond's Comprehensive Atlas of the World, published in New York in 1913.

Germany	64,903,000
German Colonies (not extended)	14,846,000
Austria-Hungary	51,059,000
Total	115,562,000
Great Britain and Ireland	45,283,000
Canada	7,204,000
Australia	4,455,000
New Zealand	1,008,000
United South Africa	5,938,000
Other portions of the British Empire (not extended)	355,411,000
Total	68,990,000

Russia 168,177,000
 Belgium 7,616,000
 Serbia 2,760,000
 France 39,501,000
 French colonies (not extended) 51,125,000

Total 277,638,000
 Countries which may be involved—
 Italy 34,686,000
 Japan 50,298,000
 Roumania 6,996,000
 Greece 2,681,000
 Denmark 4,829,000
 Norway 2,775,000
 Sweden 2,201,000
 Sweden 5,221,000
 Not likely to be involved—
 United States of America 91,972,000
 Dependencies of U. S. A. 9,142,000
 China 438,000,000

**ROYAL DUKE TO CAMP
 NEAR CANADA'S SOLDIERS**

Ottawa, Aug. 13.—Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught are going to camp with the Canadian expeditionary division.
 The duke is a soldier. He has seen fighting and has had practical experience of organization. Having passed through all grades of the British army from sub-lieutenant to brigadier-general, having seen active service in Canada and Egypt, having commanded in India in Ireland, at Aldershot and at Gibraltar, he is unquestionably the most capable soldier in Canada and one of the best in the empire.
 The Canadian force now being organized is to have the benefit of his experience. His Royal Highness proposes to go to the rendezvous and stay with the Canadians until they go aboard transports for the voyage across the Atlantic.
 A camp is being prepared a few miles from Val Cartier and during the next few weeks Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia will live in temporary quarters on the shore of Lake St. Joseph a few miles from the tents of the soldiers. There will be telephonic communication between the camp of the duke and the camp of the commanding officer of the Canadian division. Swift motors will be on hand instantly to convey the duke to the camp whenever his presence there is desired.
 Until the contingent sails Rideau Hall will be practically deserted.
 Col. the Hon. Sam Hughes will spend most of his time for the next few weeks at Val Cartier.



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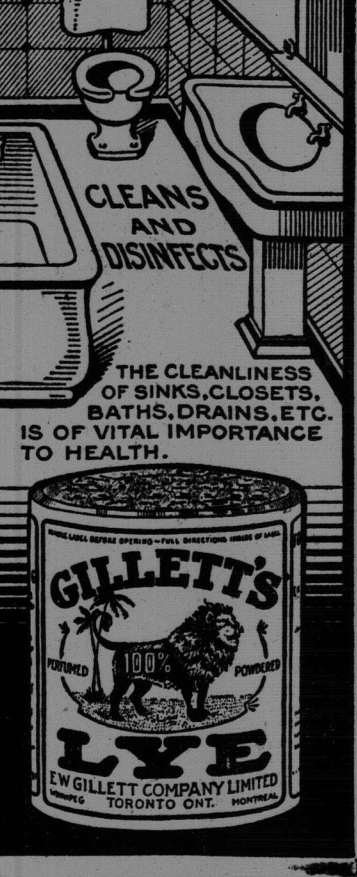
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 409 Union St., W.

**NO REASON FOR
 UPROAR ABOUT
 BIGGER PRICES**

Some Prices Which Rose Are Now Back to Normal—Plenty of Flour in Canada Now

(Ottawa Free Press, Monday.)
 At a meeting of the city's wholesale grocers held Saturday, it was decided "not to discuss the price of anything" until they themselves are forced to pay manufacturers and producers increased prices for their wares.
 Several wholesale grocers interviewed this morning announced that in many instances provisions that had jumped as a result of the declaration of war are shifting back to the old scale. Wholesale dealers are doing their utmost to prevent any panicky feeling with regard to prices.
 They are rather reticent about announcing prices that may be increasing because it may scare customers into buying in large amounts at the increase and the market may shift back to nearly normal in a short time, with the result that those who have purchased at the higher prices will charge that the increase was announced purely to stimulate buying.
 Demand Causes It
 It is now considered apparent that any immediate increases are caused by those who have bought up supplies in large quantities and have caused a local shortage in certain lines.
 Of all the articles of food about which there should be the least concern, flour is considered one of the foremost and is most plentiful in the country. In certain quarters it is argued that the more serious the war the cheaper flour will be. According as it becomes less dangerous and the continental countries get into the market the price will advance. The increase in the price of flour seems largely local.

**GILLET'S
 PERFUMED
 LYE**



THE CLEANLINESS OF SINKS, CLOSETS, BATHS, DRAINS, ETC. IS OF VITAL IMPORTANCE TO HEALTH.

DRINKS COST MORE
 The war has caused an advance in the price of liquors in Halifax. All drinks of imported liquor that hitherto cost ten cents are now fifteen cents. There is no advance in Canadian Rye. American liquors or beer.

Don't Suffer With Corns

You can't be disappointed with Putnam's Corn Extractor. It is not only the oldest Corn Doctor, but thousands know it is the best. Putnam's Extractor not a greasy salve that runs all over the foot and flames it—no, Putnam's is made to go right at corns to root them out for all time to come. You can remove your corn quickly with 26c bottle, sold and recommended by druggists.

**C. P. R. SURPLUS FOR
 YEAR \$9,698,254**

Earnings Fairly Satisfactory in View of General Trade Depression in Dominion

(Montreal Journal of Commerce, Tuesday.)
 The management of the C. P. R. Company, on the termination of the monthly meeting of the board of directors yesterday, issued a preliminary financial statement for the fiscal year ended June 30 last.
 While the net surplus, amounting to \$9,698,254, was only slightly more than half of that presented in the previous year, the general reaction in trade throughout the country, and the fact that \$50,000,000 additional common stock ranked for dividends for three quarters of the year, went a long way toward accounting for the disparity.
 The surplus mentioned represents a margin of 8.7 per cent. on the \$290,000,000 of the company's stock outstanding.
 The special income account for the year is announced to have been \$8,267,870 but details in respect of this will not be available until the complete report is published.
 It is out of this fund that the company pays the 8 per cent. extra over and above the regular 7 per cent. disbursement on the common stock.
 A year ago the total at credit of special income before deducting the 8 per cent. dividend was \$9,098,943, but this included \$2,469,790 brought forward from the previous year.
 A comparison of the profit and loss statement for the last two years—so far as changes in the form recently adopted will admit—is as follows—

1913-14	1912-13
Gross earnings \$129,914,824	\$189,493,999
Working expenses	87,888,896
Net earnings	42,388,896
From steamship department	1,345,563
Total net earnings	42,495,928
Fixed charges	10,297,811
Surplus	32,198,617
Steamship replacement account	1,000,000
Balance	32,198,617
Contribution	125,000
Balance	32,073,617
To special income acct.	2,116,849
Available for dividends	29,957,774
	35,490,063

ECONOMICAL—Heats the house well without burning all the coal you can buy.

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Gives steady, even heat on least fuel. See the McClary dealer or write for booklet.

Sold by M. J. Silney, City; J. E. Wilson, Ltd., City; W. S. Fairweather, Sussex; Summer Co., Moncton; R. Chestnut & Sons, Fredericton; Boyle Bros., Enniskillen; Jas. Wilson & Sons, St. Stephen; Grant & Morin, St. George; H. H. Faulkner, Woodstock; J. W. Montgomery, Hartland; L. A. Dugal, Edmundston.

Dividends for year	20,259,821	17,179,829
Net surplus for year	9,698,254	18,810,257
JUNE EMBEZZLEMENTS		
Press notices and dispatches as collected by the bonding department of the Fidelity & Casualty Company of New York, indicate, for the month of June, the following defalcations:		
Banks and trust companies	\$ 88,389.00	
Beneficial associations	18,110.00	
Public service	4,001.10	
General business	38,817.00	
Insurance companies	5,576.00	
Miscellaneous	50,561.61	
Total	\$196,904.71	

For Freckled, Tanned, Red or Wrinkled Skin

Deafness Cannot be Cured by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and time allowed for the normal condition to be re-established, the hearing will be permanently lost. Deafness is the result of an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. It is not a disease, but a symptom of a disease. We will give One Hundred Dollars for every case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by local applications. Send for circular, free.

NOVA SCOTIA EXCITED
 (Amherst News)
 There is a prisoner of war in the Amherst jail. He is a German sailor under orders to join the navy at once. He was captured by Major Pillsmore when

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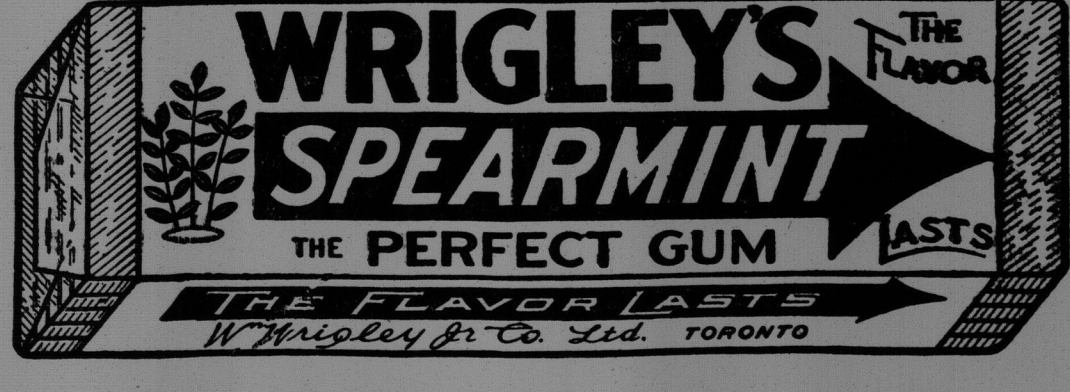
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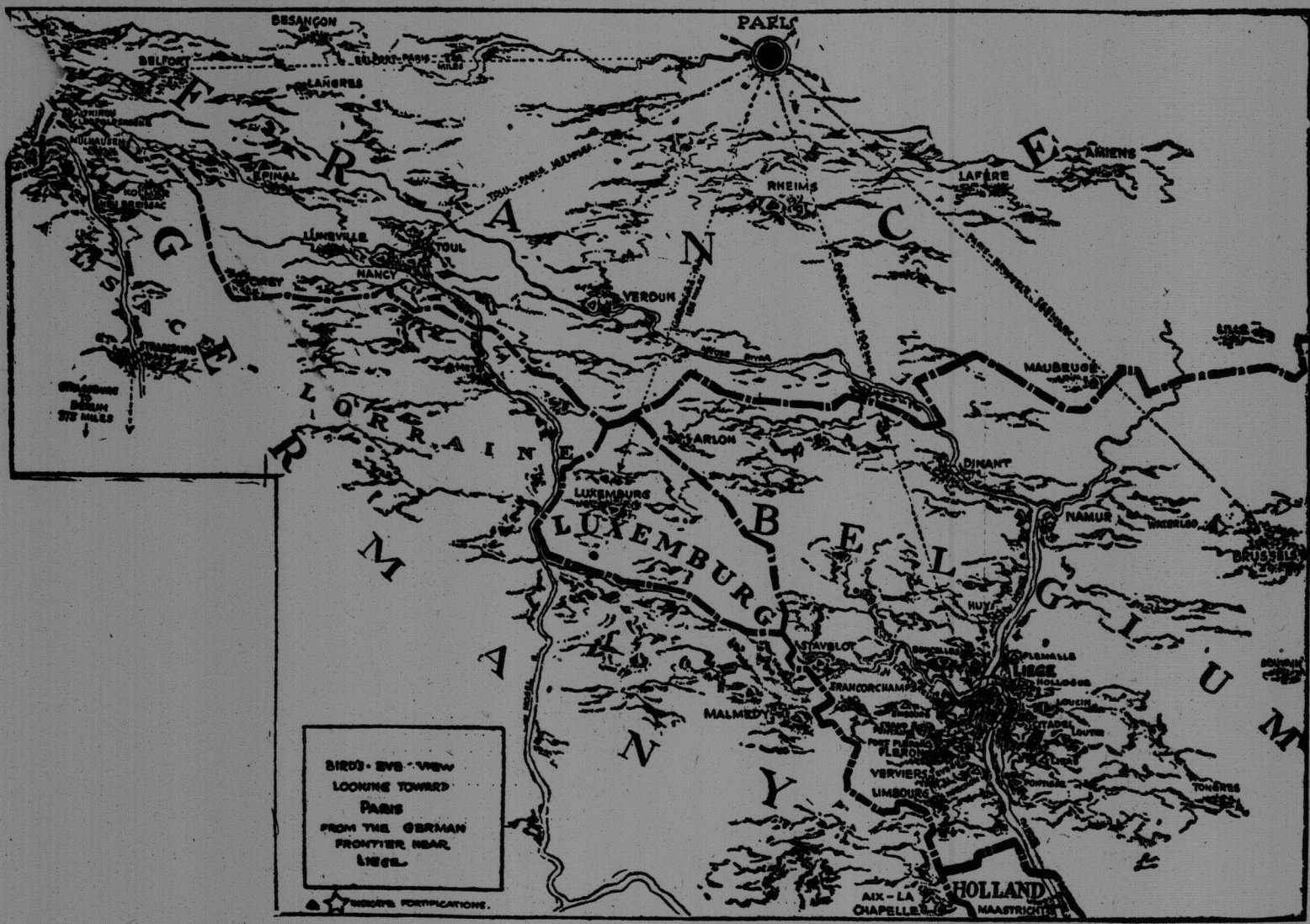
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Where Great Armies Are Assembling; Defences of the Five Roads to French Capital



Sir Rider Haggard's Solemn Warning Eminent Writer Vividly Depicts Crucial Struggle in Which Empire is Engaged

A speech that cut into the flesh of those who heard it and was a call to a sense of duty to all Canada was made last night by Sir Rider Haggard, the noted author, at the dinner given the members of the Dominion Royal Commission at the Union Club by Mayor Frink.

Never has such a speech made a stronger impression. In a few words of intense earnestness and conviction the speaker pierced all present with a sudden realization of the world-tragedy upon which the curtain has risen, and of their part in it, their personal part, the part of all Canadians.

Frink, Commissioner Russell and members of the board of trade. With the ladies of the party, they were taken for an auto drive. George Barbour, Walter Allison, F. del. Clements, W. H. Barnaby, James D. Seely and others placed their cars at the disposal of the commission.

Breakdown Caused by Tea and Coffee

"I am satisfied," says a prominent physician, that coffee is responsible in a great degree for the premature breakdown of our active men and women.

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FIRE DESTROYS I. C. R. ELEVATOR

Origin of Midnight Blaze a Mystery LOSS ABOUT \$400,000 Elevator With 70,000 Bushels Wheat For Army—Freight Shed Damaged and Three Freight Cars Lost—Other Damage—Whole City In Danger

The big I. C. R. elevator off Mill street was totally destroyed by fire in an early hour this morning at a loss of approximately \$200,000 on the building and equipment along with 70,000 bushels of wheat stored there recently for shipment to England for the use of the British admiralty, adding about \$600,000 more to the loss.

In addition to this loss, which it is suspected resulted from incendiarism by sympathizers of hostile countries in Europe or perhaps by an immediate envoy, the freight shed belonging to the I. C. R. close at hand was completely destroyed with all its contents—meaning about \$200,000 in ashes.

Three I. C. R. freight cars on the rails between the elevator and the I. C. R. station were burned completely and Pullman and passenger cars even a quarter mile away in the yard were partly burned and scorched—losses about \$15,000.

The I. C. R. trackage was badly damaged. The roof caught fire in a very few minutes after the flames burst from the elevator and was badly damaged to the extent probably of \$2,000, making a total loss of nearly \$400,000.

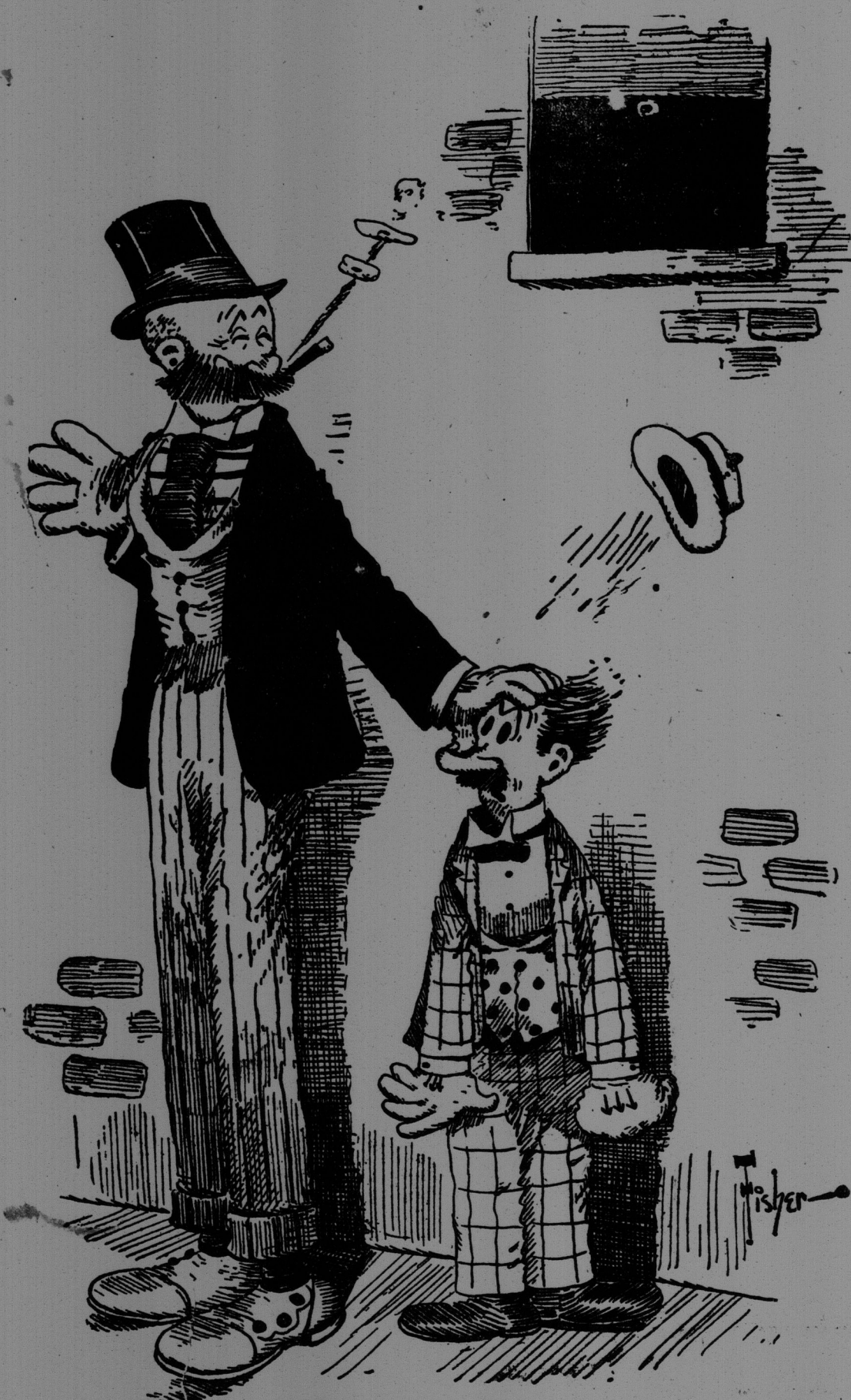
Local Artillery Men Ready For The Front

The names of eighty men who have so far qualified with the 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery for service abroad were given out yesterday afternoon by Lieut.-Col. B. R. Armstrong, commander of the regiment. The roll as it was despatched to Ottawa on Tuesday night is given below.

Woodstock, N. B., Aug. 12—(Special)—The second day of the Odtalows convention has been a busy one. The grand lodge met at 10 a. m. and transacted routine business. A civic reception was held at 11 o'clock at which Mayor Jones, Hon. J. K. Flemming, F. B. Carvell, and Rev. O. S. Newham delivered addresses.

Advertisement for Coca-Cola featuring the classic logo and the slogan 'Everybody's Drink'. Includes text: 'Vigorously good—and keenly delicious. Thirst-quenching and refreshing. The national beverage—and yours.'

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SPORT NEWS OF DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

TENNIS N. B. Tournament

The following is the result of yesterday afternoon's play in the New Brunswick Tennis tournament on the local courts:

First Round, Men's Singles.
E. Inches vs. H. H. McLean, H. H. McLean won, 6-4, 6-2.
Cecil West vs. Don Skinner, West won, 3-6, 6-0, 6-2.

Men's Singles, Second Round.
H. M. Wood vs. Cam MacKay, H. M. Wood—6-0, 9-7.
M. Fisher vs. Downes, R. Downes—9-7, 8-5, 6-3.

Ladies' Singles, First Round.
Miss L. Hawkins vs. Miss B. Macaulay, Miss Macaulay, 4-6, 6-4.
Mrs. Scott vs. Miss G. Thompson, Miss Thompson, 6-4, 6-0.

Ladies' Singles Second Round.
Miss N. McKenzie vs. Miss C. McGivern, Miss McKenzie, 6-4, 6-1.
Miss L. Raymond vs. Miss K. Sturdee, Miss Raymond, 6-0, 6-2.
Mrs. H. MacKay vs. Miss M. Desbarres, Mrs. MacKay, 6-2, 6-0.

Men's Doubles, First Round.
Downes Bros. vs. Read and Gregory—Won by Downes Bros., 6-2, 6-0.
D. Fisher and Skinner vs. Fairweather and Mackay—Fisher and Skinner, 6-2, 7-5.

Roxborough and Scott vs. Barbour and M. Fisher—Barbour and Fisher, 6-1, 4-6, 6-4.
H. Wood and Trites vs. Inches and McLean—Inches and McLean, 3-6, 6-1, 6-0.

Men's Doubles, Second Round.
McAvity and Campbell vs. Tucker and Coulthurst—McAvity and Campbell, 6-0, 6-2.

Ladies' Doubles—First Round.
Miss Conner and Miss Bigelow vs. Miss Hasen and Mrs. Mackay—Miss Hasen and Mrs. Mackay, 6-0, 6-1.
Miss Church and Miss MacLaren vs. the Misses Robertson—Misses Robertson, 6-2, 6-0.

Mrs. Harrison and Miss MacKenzie vs. Miss Raymond and Miss McAvity, 6-3, 6-4, 6-2.
Miss Sturdee and Miss McGivern vs. Mrs. Scott and Miss Lawson—Miss Sturdee and Miss McGivern, 4-6, 6-3.

Ladies' Doubles, Second Round.
Miss Hunton and Miss Desbarres vs. Mrs. Read and Miss Read—Mrs. Read and Miss Read, 6-2, 6-7, 6-4.

Mixed Doubles, First Round.
Miss Macaulay and Gregory vs. Miss Raymond and Skinner—Miss Raymond and Skinner, 6-3, 6-4.
Mr. and Mrs. Read vs. Mrs. Babbitt and Turnbull—Mrs. Babbitt and Turnbull, 6-1, 6-0.

Mixed Doubles, Second Round.
Miss Bigelow and Scully vs. Miss Church and Peters—Miss Bigelow and Scully by default.
Mrs. Harrison and Downes vs. Mr. and Mrs. MacKay—Mrs. Harrison and Downes, 6-3, 6-4.

BASEBALL
National League
At New York: New York, 3; St. Louis, 2.
At Brooklyn: Chicago, 4; Brooklyn, 1.
Philadelphia-Pittsburg, rain.
Boston-Cincinnati, rain.

National League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	48	40	352
Boston	41	46	309
Chicago	34	49	254
St. Louis	35	50	259
Philadelphia	47	32	475
Cincinnati	47	34	465
Brooklyn	44	38	458
Pittsburg	43	35	430

American League
At Chicago: Cleveland, 5; Chicago, 3.
American League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	67	34	668
Boston	45	56	456
Washington	55	47	539
Detroit	53	50	515
Chicago	53	54	495
St. Louis	50	52	480
New York	46	58	442
Cleveland	54	36	399

Federal League
At Chicago: Pittsburg, 3; Chicago, 1.
At Indianapolis: Indianapolis, 2; Buffalo, 0.
At St. Louis: St. Louis, 8; Brooklyn, 5.
International League
At Baltimore: Baltimore, 5; Toronto, 4.
At Newark: Newark, 8; Buffalo, 0.
At Newark: (second game) Buffalo, 2; Newark, 1.
At Jersey City: Rochester, 5; Jersey City, 2.

THE TURF
New Records
Kalamazoo, Mich., Aug. 12—Two world records were broken today by Peter Volo, driven by Tom Murphy, in winning the Horseman and Spirit of the Times futurity for three year old trotters at the Grand Circuit meet here. His time of 2:04 1/2, 2:05 3/4 and 2:06 3/4 make them the three fastest heats ever trotted by a stallion, the former record being 2:07 1/2, 2:08 and 2:02 made in 1910 by The Harvester.

The heats were also the three fastest by a three year old trotter, the honor having previously been held by Lucile Spier, which went them in 2:07 1/2, 2:07 3/4 and 2:11 at Grand Rapids last week. Tommy Murphy announced the purchase of the trotter Peter Scott, by Peter the Great, from Sanford Small of Boston. The price given was \$20,000.

AUTO
New World's Record
Wendover, Utah, Aug. 12—Teddy Tetford this afternoon broke the automobile speedway world's record when he made a mile in 23 1-5 seconds.

BEYEA-MCLEOD.
The residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McLeod, Fredericton, was the scene of a pretty wedding last evening when their daughter, Miss Kathryn McLeod, was united in marriage to Henry F. Beyer, of St. John. Rev. Thomas Marshall performed the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Beyer left last evening on their honeymoon.

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AND WHAT DOES OUR MUTUAL GIRL DO THIS WEEK? UNIQUE

Well, first of all she returns from the country, and hearing that her protégé, Ada Taylor, has been imprisoned, interviews Katherine B. Davis, commissioner of correction, and Ines Holland in her behalf. Then visits Blackwell's Island, inspects the famous prison, secures Ada's release and finally sees the big musical success: "SARE."

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A. O. H. OFFICERS

Fredricton, Aug. 12—The biennial convention of the A. O. H. of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia closed yesterday afternoon. The convention will meet in Moncton in 1916. The following officers were elected and installed: Provincial Chaplain—Rev. C. J. McLaughlin, St. John. Provincial President—A. D. Francis, Sydney Mines, N. S. Provincial Secretary—W. P. Hayden, Halifax, N. S. Provincial Treasurer—M. F. Halcy, Chatham, N. B. The report of the committee on Irish History recommended that encourage-

ment be given the study of Irish history and prizes offered for the best essays on the subject. The committee on scholarships gave a detailed financial statement which showed a balance of upwards of \$8,000 on hand.

The Ladies' Auxiliary elected: Provincial President—Miss E. McCartin, Woodstock, N. B. Provincial vice-president—Mrs. F. W. Smith, Halifax, N. S. Provincial secretary—Miss Fogarty, Moncton. Provincial treasurer—Miss McNeil, St. John, N. B.

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Says He Was Robbed Of \$54; Watch and Chain

Police Court Tale of a Bottle of Liquor, a Few Friends and an Out of The Way Spot

James J. Hickey, an employe of the Christie Wood Working Company, told in the police court today a story of being robbed of \$54 and a gold watch and chain near the Marsh Bridge Tuesday afternoon.

Commission Hears of Provincial Resources

Impressed by Matthew Lodge's Description of Oil Shale and Gas Deposits—Experts Tell of Turn of Tide in Orchard and Agriculture

Evidence was given before the Dominion's Royal Commission this morning by Matthew Lodge on oil, oil shales and gas productions; by R. P. Gorham, assistant provincial horticulturist, on fruit raising; and by J. B. Daggett, secretary of the provincial department of agriculture.

Mr. Lodge was enthusiastic regarding the projects with which he is associated, and in this he was heartily supported by Commissioner Lorimer, who showed thorough familiarity with the subject.

The prospects of fruit raising were discussed in an optimistic manner by Mr. Gorham, who told of the progress being made.

Mr. Daggett's description of agricultural conditions in the past, and even the present, was not a glowing one, but he expressed the opinion that the tide had turned and the signs all pointed to a great and reasonably rapid improvement in the farming industry.

After careful questioning, Mr. Lorimer remarked: "In my estimation you have a very valuable proposition, the foundation of an industry which should be of great value to the province and the empire, just the sort of thing it is the desire of this commission to encourage. What I cannot understand is how the deposits have lain undeveloped for so long."

Mr. Lodge expressed his confidence that, as soon as the war is over, there will be no difficulty in securing \$2,000,000 capital required for a plant, employing 600 men.

To Sir Rider Haggard Mr. Lodge said that the gas is of a higher class than coal gas. It is used in gas engines in the C. C. R. works, for instance, to produce electricity and at the low cost of \$1.20 per horse power per year for power purposes, and at seven-eighths of a cent per kilowatt hour for lighting.

Regarding the marketing of the oil from the shales, Mr. Lodge said that this would be done by pipe line to St. John, where tank steamers would take the product.

R. P. Gorham, assistant horticulturist of the province, read a paper on the work of this department. He told of the encouragement given to fruit raising and the success, greater than had been anticipated, which has marked the development of orchards.

The activities described included the establishment of experimental and demonstration orchards, issuing bulletins, fighting insect pests, instruction by personal visits, etc.

Mr. Gorham gave his estimate of the cost of orchards in New Brunswick as \$30 an acre for cleared land, and \$40 more for preparing the soil, cost of trees and planting.

Re-assuring View of Business Situation

Canadian Banks Never in Better Position to Support Legitimate Trade and Industry — No Need for Alarm Over Prices of Staple Food Products

"If the people will abandon some unnecessary luxuries and be careful to guard against extravagance," said a wholesale merchant this morning, "I see no reason whatever for alarm about the situation, apart from sugar, which will be the only article that will be affected."

The wholesaler pointed out in the first place that the banks of Canada were never in a stronger position to support the legitimate business of the country. So far as foodstuffs are concerned, apart from sugar, which will unquestionably go to a high price, and some imported food luxuries, which the people can very well do without, there is no present reason for a great advance in the price of staple articles.

With regard to tea, the countries which produce it are not seriously affected by the war, and it is only a question of transportation. Of course the latter will cost more, because vessels having greater risks in war time must increase their freight rate, but when that is distributed over the whole population, the advance in price of tea should not be great.

It is possible that an alibi will be proven in the case of William O'Brien, charged with plotting, according to an announcement made by his counsel, Francis Kerr at the preliminary examination in the police court this morning. Some evidence was taken in the case and it was adjourned until this afternoon.

William Dagle, special constable for the St. John City Co. on the night of the riot said O'Brien looked like one of the men who had thrown a stone at a car. Another man in the car said it was a son of an O'Brien who kept a liquor store. The witness said he had since been threatened on account of the action he had taken in connection with these cases.

Frederick Lucas remarked that he had learned that Martin had stayed away from the riot on account of being terrified by somebody.

Objected to Street Car Splitting Their Ranks

Toronto Black Knights Held Up Car and Broke Windows

London, Ont., Aug. 12.—Parading along Richmond street on their way to the station to train for home, 800 Toronto Black Knights of Ireland, who came here for the relief of Derry celebration yesterday held up a street car which insisted on splitting their ranks, and broke several windows. Some of the passengers were cut with glass.

Charges Against Mark Carey

A case against Mark Carey, charged with selling liquor without a license was begun in the Fairville police court before Magistrate Allingham this morning. One witness said of having procured liquor from Carey on last Sunday and the Sunday before last. A third case against the defendant will be taken up this afternoon. After that, the city police have a matter to take up.

Local News

Bank Clearings

Heap Too Much Fire Water

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ST. JOHN MAN GAVE HIM A TROUNCING

Local Traveler's Encounter in a Room in a Moncton Hotel

The following from yesterday's Moncton Transcript relates to Arthur R. Brown, traveler for the S. Hayward Company of this city:—

A peculiar incident occurred at night when a man named James P. McVarrish, who was in the room of a traveler named A. R. Brown. Brown was awake, although lying on the bed in the location in the man who was wanted. It is alleged the reply was kept quiet, or "I'll shoot you." Brown jumped out of bed and tried to get to the door, but the intruder and a brisk mix-up ensued, from which McVarrish escaped with a bad beating.

McVarrish said that he was in the American Hotel and took refuge in the yard nearby. He was later arrested and remained in the police station several hours.

The result of the play in the N. B. Tennis Tournament on the Gilbert's Lane courts this morning was as follows:—

Ladies' Doubles

Miss McKay and Miss Hazen defeated Miss Schofield and Miss McKenna 6-3, 7-5.

Miss Robertson defeated Miss Singleton and Miss Hawkins, 6-2, 6-3.

Mixed Doubles

Miss Robertson and R. Downer defeated Miss Schofield and J. Chipman, 6-4, 6-4.

Men's Singles

F. Campbell defeated H. M. Wood, 6-4, 6-3.

D. C. Skinner defeated F. R. Fairweather, 8-10, 6-2, 7-5.

J. Downer defeated R. Downer by default.

Miss Schofield defeated Miss Macaulay, 7-5, 4-6, 6-2.

Miss Church defeated Miss Catherine McAvity, 4-6, 6-2, 6-2.

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