

AUSTRIAN LOSSES 120,000; CANADIANS IN HARD FIGHT

A HARD DAY FOR FORCES OF CANADA

Boys from Dominion Make Gains in Region of Green Crassier.

ENEMY SUCCEEDS AT OTHER POINTS

New and Important Outposts Established by Canadians in Avion.

By Stewart Lyon, Special Correspondent of the Canadian Press in France. Canadian Army Headquarters, Sept. 7.—After a day of hard fighting following the attack by our troops in Green Crassier area near Arras, the enemy counter-attacked this morning all along the front to the west of Lens. He succeeded, after several efforts, in driving us out of part of the positions, the coming of which was told of in yesterday's despatch, but in the region of Green Crassier the gains made by our men were not only held, but extended, and our new front constitutes a serious menace to the enemy positions along the northern side of the Souchez river. In the northern part of Avion also, where the line has been stationary for some time, new and important outposts have been established.

Fierce Resentment. The enemy has shown fierce resentment at these forward moves and has shelled the entire front heavily, using larger shells than have hitherto been seen in this area.

Against the clouds of gas released in this way our men's masks are a perfect protection.

The lying story that the Canadians take no prisoners and that therefore German who meet them in battle may as well resist to the death because they will be killed after capture has cropped up again, this time in official enemy documents.

WILL HIT THE GERMAN VOTE IN WATERLOO

Kitchener, Ont., Sept. 7.—The new franchise act introduced in the Commons makes a clean sweep of twelve hundred names from the voters' list of this riding. It was learned that a strong appeal was made to Sir Wilfrid Laurier today to vigorously oppose the measure in the interests of the electors of North Waterloo, both in the Commons and Senate.

Liberals in Caucus.

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—Liberals were in caucus this morning to consider what course they will adopt in regard to the wartime election act. It is understood that with possibly a few exceptions the members expressed themselves as being opposed to some provisions of the bill.

Opposition to the second reading will probably call for the giving of the franchise to all women.

Union in South Winnipeg.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 7.—The "Get-Together" meeting of South Winnipeg Liberals and Conservatives, held last night, adopted the following resolution:

"Realizing as we do the critical position of Canada today and recognizing that the paramount issue for the Canadian people at the present time, is the bringing of the war to a successful close as early a date as possible and that in order to accomplish this end there should be conscription of men, money and other resources, and realizing the importance of all electors in each constituency who hold similar views uniting for the purpose of electing a man pledged to such views, we therefore recommend that the electors in South Winnipeg endeavor to agree upon the union and pledge to support, above everything else, the views above set forth."

The Laurierites Will Obstruct Government Franchise Measure

Lose-the-War Liberal Element Are Enraged and Chagrined Because Bill Eliminates Foreign Element of the West Upon Which They Depended for Support at the Polls.

Measure Will Be Taken Up Today—Mariner G. Teed of St. John and John McCaffrey of Fredericton on Board of Selection—Senate Will Vote on C. N. R. Bill Monday Night.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—Laurierites, lose-the-war Liberals are enraged at the government's franchise act. The elimination of the foreign vote, upon which they had frankly based their hopes of victory in the approaching election has convinced them that it is now impossible and they are preparing to do everything possible to obstruct the bill in parliament. Today Sir Wilfrid Laurier asked the government if it would be willing to delay consideration of the measure until Monday next. The reply was that his request would be granted if he agreed to have the bill voted on on Tuesday night.

Taken Up Today.

The result is that the act will be taken up tomorrow, and the government proposes to force it through the house with all possible despatch. Sir Robert Borden has made up his mind that parliament must finish its labors without any unnecessary delay and does not propose to have the affairs of the country held up by politicians striving to get sordid party advantages through the medium of a disloyal vote in the west. The Prime Minister is willing that there should be reasonable discussion of the franchise bill and will be glad to consider all suggestions honestly designed to make it a better and stronger measure, but any attempt at obstruction will be met with prompt application of the closure. It is therefore altogether likely that the bill will reach its second reading under closure by the end of next week and that prorogation of parliament will come within a fortnight, there being little else left in the way of legislation.

Laurierites Amazed.

The Laurierites are amazed and chagrined at the speed with which the government is getting things in readiness to enforce compulsory military service. The radical leaders who were preaching civil war a few weeks ago are now witnessing the government in the act of calling their bluff and from all reports now coming from Quebec the Prime Minister holds all the trump cards. The Laurierites are now admitting that Quebec will accept compulsory service and they are trying to save their faces by protesting that when they protest they merely mean that the draft law would be fought in the courts. The vote on the Canadian Northern bill will be taken in the Senate on Monday evening. The government's majority will be small. The government made an announcement today in connection with the bill which cuts the ground from under the feet of the bulk of the Liberal argument against it. It is that the government proposes to fix a limit to the amount that will be paid the Canadian Northern stock no matter what the award of the arbitrators will be; and that if there are any undisclosed liabilities of the company their amount shall be deducted by the government from the amount of the award.

Local Tribunals.

Ottawa, Sept. 7.—(Canadian Press)—Sir George Foster submitted a motion naming the following members of board of selection to appoint members of local tribunals under the Military Service Act:

Ontario—A. E. Fripp, M.P. for Ottawa; W. A. Boys, M.P. Barrie, Ont.; Sir John Gibson, Hamilton, Ont.; A. B. Lowe, Ottawa.

Quebec—Joseph Rainville, M.P., St. Lambert; Romeo Langlois, K.C., Quebec; Hon. E. N. Parson, Montreal; Hon. Sydney Fisher, Knowlton, Que.

Nova Scotia—George S. Campbell, Halifax; D. A. Cameron, Sydney, N.S.

New Brunswick—Mariner G. Teed, St. John; John McCaffrey, Fredericton, N. B.

Manitoba—Senator W. H. Sharpe, Manitoba; Sir Daniel MacMillan, Winnipeg.

Saskatchewan—Senator H. W. Laird, Regina; Arthur Hitchcock, Moose Jaw. Alberta—R. B. Bennett, M. P., Calgary; Alfred H. Clark, K.C., Calgary. British Columbia—R. F. Green, M.

ABYSSINIANS HAVE WAR OF THEIR OWN

London, Sept. 7.—The struggle in Abyssinia, between government forces and troops of the deposed Emperor Lijlj Jeassu, who recently escaped to the mountains after having been surrounded by government troops at Magdala for six months, has resulted in the rout of Lijlj Jeassu's army after a fierce battle, according to a Reuters' despatch from Addis Ababa under date of August 28.

The former Emperor's best generals were killed, while in action and it is believed that he himself was shot while attempting to escape, but this has not yet been confirmed. The engagement took place in the neighborhood of Desale.

RUSSIA DECIDES TO EXILE TWO GRAND DUKES

Former Confidant of Ex-Empress Alexandria Also To Go.

NICHOLAS WILL BE WATCHED

Petrograd, Sept. 7.—The newspapers today report that the government has decided to release and exile abroad, as a result of recent exposure of a counter-revolutionary plot, Grand Duke Michael Alexandrovich, Grand Duke Paul, Mme. Vrubova, confidant of former Empress Alexandria, who lately was released from the Petropavlovsk fortress; former Minister of the Interior Khvorostov, and the former palace commandant, General Yovukoff. Former Premier Sturmer's secretary, the notorious Manassevitch-Mannuilov, was sent abroad yesterday.

It develops that the arrest of Mme. Margaret Hitrovo, said to have been one of the chief conspirators in the plot, was effected when she was caught trying to enter the prison of former Emperor Nicholas at Tobolsk with a letter. Her correspondence was seized and she was put aboard a steamer under a heavy guard and despatched to Petrograd. The government has sent three commissaries to Tobolsk to watch the former emperor.

GERMANY READY FOR PEACE

Foreign Secretary Von Kuehlmann and Phillip Scheidemann Acknowledge It.

Amsterdam, Sept. 7.—The statement that the German foreign secretary, Dr. Von Kuehlmann, is in favor of a negotiated peace, is made in a despatch from Vienna, which the secretary recently visited.

The overwhelming majority of the German people are for a peace by

KAISER AIDED THE RUSSIANS IN WAR WITH JAPANESE

Tells Nicholas in Secret Telegrams He Went as Far as He Could to Aid Him Without Violating Neutrality Openly—Advised Emperor of Russia to Place Responsibility for Japanese War and Peace Conditions on the Duma, Thereby Evading Blame.

The War Lord Interfered in Morocco Question and Aroused Ire of France and Britain, Precipitating Fierce International Controversy, and Russia, France's Friend, and Germany's Secret Ally, Found Herself in Embarrassing Position—Kaiser Apparently Directed Certain Russian Affairs.

BY HERMAN BERNSTEIN
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SPECIAL DESPATCH TO THE STANDARD.

Stockholm, via Paris, Sept. 6.—Thursday, the third and last installment of the secret telegraphic correspondence between Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany and Tsar Nicholas of Russia reveals the German Emperor urging Nicholas to place full responsibility for war or peace consequences during the Russian-Japanese peace negotiations on the Duma, in order to save himself.

The Kaiser, whose government now deals drastically and mercilessly with the people's representatives who dare to criticize Germany's role in the present war, hypocritically advised the Tsar in 1905 to listen to the voice of the people.

On July 29, 1905, he sent this telegram to Nicholas from Danzig: "With actual spirit prevailing in Russia disaffected masses would try to place whole responsibility for all disadvantage or consequences on your shoulders and all successes as the result of Witte's personal management. It would be excellent as first task for these Duma representatives if you gave them the peace treaty after it is first formulated, to vote upon it thus leaving the odium of decision to the country and thereby giving the Russian people a voice in the matter of their own prosperity. The outcome would be their work and therefore stop the mouths of the opposition."

On August 20th, 1905, the Kaiser again telegraphed to the Tsar as follows: "I gather that in general peace negotiations are going on satisfactorily, but that some points offer difficulty to settlement before you take final decision for peace or continuation of war.

"Latter will be of far-reaching consequences and will cost unlimited lives, blood and money. I should fancy it excellent procedure to submit the question to the great Duma first.

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AUSTRIANS ARE BATTLING TENACIOUSLY TO HOLD THE HEIGHTS NEAR GORIZIA

Italians Continue to Press Home Their Attacks Despite Stubborn Resistance—Whole Region on the Carso Front is Inferno.

Heavy fighting for the possession of Monte San Gabriele and other important positions northeast of Gorizia still in progress, but the Italians are pressing home their attacks despite desperate resistance.

Although suffering heavy losses, the Austrians are battling tenaciously for the heights positions. General Cadorna's latest report, however, says that the Italian pressure is continuing decisively. The Italians have added two hundred more to the number of prisoners taken in the fighting here.

Battle Rages

On the Carso and in the region of the Hermada, the Austrians have stopped their unsuccessful attacks, but the artillery battle rages incessantly, making the whole region an inferno. Only local infantry actions for the purpose of straightening out their lines have been carried out by the Italians.

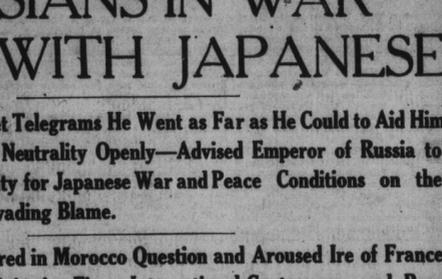
In their present drive the Italians have already taken 30,000 prisoners and the total losses of the Austrians are estimated at 420,000. Northeast of Gorizia the Austrians hold a serious menace to the German positions along the Souchez river.

On the French front there was no infantry activity Friday.

London, Ont., Sept. 7.—Father Laurendeau, who was recently ordered by Bishop Fallon to take charge of Our Lady of the Lake church at Ford city, leaves London Saturday, notwithstanding the objections to him, and expects to conduct a service Sunday morning.

Last night he was presented with a purse of gold by his former parishioners here.

THE OPPORTUNIST



Sir Wilfrid: "Let the Young Canadian Soldier Postpone His Victory Until I Win Mine."

GERMAN ARMY IN NORTH FRANCE MAY FALL BACK

LARGE CONFLAGRATION SAID TO HAVE BEEN SEEN NEAR LILLE, BEHIND HUN LINES

Probably Indicates Another Withdrawal in Preparation for Winter Season, as Was Done by the Germans After the Battle of the Somme.

ITALIAN PRESSURE AGAINST ENEMY NORTHEAST OF GORIZIA EFFECTIVE

Although Petrograd Not Considered in Immediate Danger Officials There Are Preparing for Possible Descent of German Army on Capital.

STARVATION STARTED RUSSIAN REVOLUTION

Sir George Bury, Vice-President of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, Tells of His Trip in That Country.

Toronto, Ont. Sept. 6.—The Russian Revolution was brought about because the people were on the verge of starvation, according to Sir George Bury, Vice-President of the Canadian Pacific Railway, who was the guest



GEORGE BURY.

of honor at the directors luncheon at the Canadian National exhibition today. Sir George said he had travelled through Russia from the north where the reinder helped with the transportation to the south, where caravans were used. He told how, on the eve of the Russian revolution, starving peasants left the country districts for Petrograd in search of food.

CATARRAHAL DEAFNESS MAY BE OVERCOME

A simple, safe and reliable way that calls for no ugly trumpets, phones or other instruments.

To be deaf is very annoying and embarrassing. People who are deaf are generally mighty sensitive on this subject. And yet many deaf folks carry around instruments that call attention to their infirmity. Therefore people who are hard of hearing, who suffer from head noises, or who are actually deaf from catarrhal trouble, will be glad to know of a simple recipe that can be easily made up at home for a few cents' cost that is really quite efficient in relieving the disagreeable deafness and head noises caused by catarrh.

From any drug store get one ounce of Parmitin (double strength) about 50c. worth. Take this home and put it into a simple syrup made of 1/2 pint of hot water and four ounces of ordinary granulated sugar. Take a tablespoonful four times a day. This treatment should be tonic action reduce the inflammation in the middle ear that a catarrhal condition that dull feeling in the ears should gradually disappear. Anyone who suffers from catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises should give Parmitin a trial. It is pleasant to take and is quite inexpensive.

OBITUARY.
George Edward Day,
The death of George Edward Day of Pokok Road occurred early yesterday morning at his residence. Mr. Day was well known in the North End and also throughout the province as well as in the lumbering business. He was eighty years old and leaves his wife, four sons, Manfred of this city, and Edward, John and Frank at home; two daughters, Mrs. J. H. Flewelling and Mrs. Alfred Vadenburg, both of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Alfred Waters of West St. John. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

MONTREAL PRODUCE
Montreal, Sept. 7.—Montreal grain market:
Corns—American No. 2 yellow, 2.15 to 2.20.
Oats—Canadian Western No. 2, 1.75; No. 2, 75¢; extra No. 1, fed, 75¢.
Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, 12.00; seconds, 11.50; strong bakers, 11.50; straight rollers, 11.20 to 11.50; bags, 5.50 to 5.75.
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Music lovers in St. John will be given a rare opportunity on Tuesday evening, September 11th, when in St. David's church a recital will be given by the Ampico Reproducing Piano, assisted by local artists. The piano is not a player piano, but a marvel of inventive genius. It has come directly to St. John from Baltimore and New York in which cities it has attracted wonderful attention and excited vast admiration. The programme for the Ampico Piano recital is as follows:
1. Rinde de Concert No. 2 (Liszt)—Leopold Godowsky.
2. (a) An Den Fruhling (To Spring), (b) Papillon (Butterflies), (Greig),—Clarence Adler.
3. L'Alouette (The Lark), (Glinka)—Richard Buhler.
4. (a) Scherzo Opus 49, (b) Nocturne Opus 47 No. 2 (Chopin)—Leopold Godowsky.
Part 2.
7. Caprice Burlesque (Gablilowitsch)—Olga Samaroff.
8. (a) Etude D. Flat—Mark Hambourg; (b) Liebestraum No. 3 (Liszt)—Leo Ornstein.
10. Valse Opus 34 No. 1 (Moszkowski)—Clarence Adler.
11. (a) Clair de Lune—Olga Samaroff; (b) Radetz Marsch—Tea Debussy)—Leo Ornstein.
12. Rigoletto Paraphrase (Verdi)—Liszt)—Ferdico Busoni.
Following the precedent established by the managers of the Ampico, the proceeds of the concert will be given to the local Red Cross.

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The Voice of Russia.

"As it represents the people of Russia, it would be the voice of Russia, if it should decide for peace you are empowered in the way to proceed. If the war is to continue the decisions which are to be taken are so terribly earnest and the consequences so far-reaching that it is quite impossible for any mortal sovereign to take the responsibility for them alone on his shoulders without the help of his people. May God be with you. Do not forget the line of advancement, 'vis-a-vis the guards'."

This telegram was signed "Willy."

Separate Treaty Issue.

On September 29th, 1905, the Kaiser again took up the separate treaty question. In a telegram to the Tsar on that date he says:
"The working of the treaty as we agreed at Borko does not conflict with the Franco-Russian alliance provided of course the latter is not aimed directly at my country. On the other hand the obligations of Russia toward France can only go as far as Franco merits them."

"Your ally notoriously left you in the lurch whereas Germany helped you in every way as far as it could without infringing the laws of neutrality. That puts Russia morally also under obligation to us."

"Do your utmost with the nation to conclude peace on the basis of the proposals made to your delegates at Washington, and if this Russia itself thinks its honor unimpaired you will return your sword to the scabbard with the words of Francis the First: 'Tout est perdu pour l'honneur.'"

"Nobody in your army, in your country, or in the rest of the world has the right to blame you for this act. If the Duma thinks the proposals unacceptable, and the Japanese government refuses to treat on any other basis than again Russia through the voice of the Duma, incites you, its Emperor, to continue the fight, thus taking full responsibility for consequences itself and sheltering you once and for all before the world and before history in the future from the reproach that you sac-

rificed thousands of Russia's sons without asking the country or even against their wishes. This will end your personal act, be a grand stimulus and strengthen you, as you will feel yourself, to fight to the bitter end regardless of time, losses and privations which are inevitable. Meanwhile the indiscretions of Mr. Delcasse have shown the world that though France is your ally, she nevertheless made an agreement with England when England was on the verge of surprising Germany in the midst of the peace and while I was doing my best for you and your country, her ally.

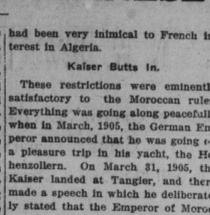
France Warned.

"This is an experiment which she must not repeat, and against repetition of which I must expect you to guard me."
"I fully agree with you it will cost time, labor and patience, to induce France to join us, but the reasonable people will in future make themselves heard and felt. Our Moroccan business is regulated to entire satisfaction so the air is free for a better understanding between us."
"Our treaty is a very good base to build upon. We joined hands and signed before God, who heard our voice. I therefore think the treaty can well come into existence. What is signed is signed. God is our testator."

The Tattering Throne.
Little did the Kaiser and the Czar expect at the time of these writings that their intimate conspirative correspondence would soon come to public light through a tattered, Romanoff throne. The Kaiser's war made Nicholas the last of the Romanoff dynasty. Perhaps the Kaiser's war will also lead to the termination of the Hohenzollern dynasty.

The Moroccan crisis referred to by the Kaiser in his last telegram to the Czar occurred early in 1905. The Mediterranean powers, France, England, Italy and Spain, had through France imposed certain governmental restrictions on the Emperor of Morocco in an effort to bring to an end the internal anarchy in that country which

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\$2,263,400,000 TOTAL U. S. LOAN TO ALLIES

That Country Loans \$100,000,000 More Each to Great Britain and France.

Washington, Sept. 6.—The credits of \$100,000,000 each to Great Britain and France constitute the first loans to be extended to the Allied governments under the contemplated issue of Liberty loan bonds. Prior to last August the treasury had loaned the Allied governments \$2,238,400,000 from the proceeds of the first issue of war bonds.
In view of the fact that the money raised by the first sale of bonds had been exhausted the treasury some few days ago sold \$300,000,000 of certificates of indebtedness, and Tuesday evening offered for sale a similar amount of certificates.
These \$600,000,000 certificates of indebtedness will be retired when the next issue of bonds is sold on November 1. In the meantime the treasury will extend credit loans to the Allies from money raised by certificates.
Yesterday's loans are the first made this month and probably will be followed by loans to other powers. The total thus far advanced to the Entente governments is as follows:
Great Britain \$1,105,000,000
France \$30,000,000
Russia \$78,000,000
Italy 200,000,000
Belgium 63,400,000
Serbia 3,000,000
When the \$200,000,000 of credits were extended yesterday the treasury had a net balance of \$549,352,324.23, according to the daily treasury statement.
It is interesting to note that the credit loans are increasing the amounts which the government is carrying on deposit with the federal reserve banks. The daily treasury statement shows that deposits in national banks total about \$48,900,000. On the other hand deposits in federal reserve banks total \$112,300,000. This latter figure does not include deposits made under Allied credit bond act.

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F. H. RICHARDSON TENDERED BANQUET BY OPERATORS

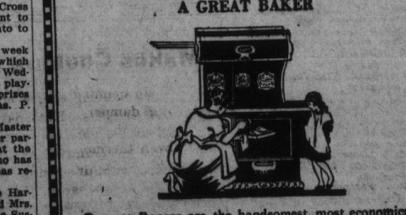
The local operators connected with the different moving picture theatres tendered F. H. Richardson, the well known projection expert and editor of the projection department of the Moving Picture World, a dinner at Bond's last evening. Owing to the hosts being confined to remain at their post of duty until the close of the various performances the dinner did not commence until 11 o'clock. The guest of honor gave an excellent address on the art of correct projection of moving pictures, and it might be remarked that there is no one more qualified to speak on this subject. Mr. Richardson, who was here last year and delivered an address to the managers and operators of the different theatres, made a stirring appeal to his audience to remain at their post of duty until the close of the various performances. His address was appreciated by his hearers as shown by the applause given him.
As a result of Mr. Richardson's visit it is safe to say that the patrons of the different local theatres will benefit by the talk given by him last night.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

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M. J. Nugent to Mrs. M. J. Nugent, property on Brunels street.
W. A. Quinlan to the city of St. John, \$3,000, at Lancaster.
Wm. Ryan to E. J. McDonald, property at Simonds.
Kings County.
Matthew Crothers to W. J. Crothers, \$400, property at Waterford.
W. J. Crothers to Joseph Richardson, property at Waterford.
A. B. De Courcy to J. P. Durham, property at Sussex.
Wm. Keith to E. J. Kirk, property at Greenwich.
Mary McNutt to W. J. Crothers, property at Waterford.
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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1917.

"We are fighting for a worthy purpose, and we shall not lay down our arms until that purpose has been fully achieved."—H. M. The King.
TO THE PEOPLE OF THE EMPIRE—Every fighting unit we can send to the front means one step nearer peace.

THE NEW FRANCHISE BILL.

That the supporters of Sir Wilfrid Laurier will vigorously oppose the War Elections Act is natural, as it will deprive them of thousands of anti-British votes which they would receive were the enemy aliens of Canada permitted to exercise the franchise at the next election.

This being the case it is not surprising that the esteemed Telegraph should tell its readers that the Dominion Government is "loading the dice" in the contest for endorsement by the people at the ballot box. The Telegraph's criticism of the measure is unwarranted and intended to create a false impression.

The act contains several sections likely to lead to bitter controversy in Parliament and the country, but if Canadians who believe that the paramount duty of Canada at the present time is to safeguard against those who would slacken of our war effort, who would desert our boys at the front and repudiate our pledges to the motherland, will carefully read the provisions of the measure and follow the reports of the discussion in the House of Commons, they can see for themselves where the measure is in the interest of the country and the Empire, and why it is necessary at this time.

The desire of Sir Robert Borden and the members of his Government has been to avoid the stress and turmoil of a war election. It was felt that the whole effort of Canada should be devoted to the vigorous prosecution of the war and that an election, conducted as there is every indication the next election will be conducted, on straight party lines, would distract the attention of the people and cause a slackening of war effort.

It is a glorious army that the men of our forthcoming selective drafts are to be recruited into, says the Toronto Mail and Empire. These new soldiers will be admitted to a fraternity of heroes, and we have no doubt that they will prove worthy of the fellowship. It was not to overcome cowardice that conscription was resorted to, but to enlist a hundred thousand of those who could not otherwise be made to feel the seriousness of the war and their personal responsibility for the country's defence.

The Telegraph yesterday morning quoted rather gleefully "The fact that the Telegraph and Times secure the lion's share of advertising is largely due to the fact that they have the circulation."

Germany's Waning Strength. Signs of distress in Germany continue to multiply. The military authorities may talk vigorously of the necessity of holding out, and may boast of what they are going to do to France next year, but anybody who looks closely can see that their resources are falling and that the suffering among the mass of the people is

AUTOMOBILE EXPERT HAS NARROW ESCAPE

McLeod Allen in Car Crashes Through Railing of Bridge and Drops Twenty Feet into Water of Creek Near Jolicure.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, Sept. 6.—McLeod Allen, representing the Saxon Motor Co., of Chicago, had a narrow escape from death today near Jolicure as the result of his car going over a twenty foot bridge into about five feet of water. How Allen escaped death is a miracle. At the time of the crash, he was studying the chart of the road, paying little attention to steering his car. Suddenly he ran on to a bridge and the car not being under control swerved to one side, crashed through the railing, fell fifteen or twenty feet into the creek below. Allen managed to crawl out of five feet of water and reach the bank, but was so badly shaken up he was unable to get further until help arrived. His escape from death or serious injury was indeed lucky.

NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, Sept. 7.—Miss Margaret Callahan went to Fredericton on Monday, where she will attend the Provincial Normal School.

Mr. C. C. Hayward and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Copp and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ferguson, Mrs. J. M. Smith, and Mrs. Bay Du Vin, having closed their cottages there for the season.

Mrs. Eliza Armstrong, Miss Russell and Miss Helen Armstrong returned from Saturday from Bathurst and Yongehall, where they spent the summer months.

Mrs. and Mrs. H. M. Blair of Fredericton spent the holiday at home here. Ernest P. Ryan of Fredericton is visiting his father and sisters here.

Edwin Stuart returned on Monday from a two weeks' visit to relatives at Fredericton Junction.

Mrs. (Dr.) D. R. Moore visited Fredericton last week.

Miss Margaret Copp is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Anslow and family of Campbellton spent the past few days in Fredericton, and with Mrs. Anslow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Corbett, Sr. here.

Little Benny's Note Book

Me and Skinny Martin and Leroy Shooter and Sid Hunt and Sid fox terrier Teddy was standing around the lam post, and there was a old glove with no thumb to it laying in the street, and Skinny Martin picked it up, saying, I will now throw the gauntlet, men. Everybody that picks up this gauntlet challenges me to a fight.

And he banged the glove down on the pavement, saying, I defy the world, pick it up, whoever dares.

With nobody dared, on account of Skinny being the best fighter there. And he picked it up and threw it down again 4 more times, defying the world each time, and just then Reddy Merly came up, and Skinny quick picked up the gauntlet and flung it down again, on account of Reddy Merly being a better of a fighter than wat Skinny is.

Wats you playing? sed Reddy. We was playing throw the gauntlet, but its all over now, sed Skinny Martin.

Like heck it is, sed Reddy Merly. And he grabbed the glove away from Skinny Martin and slammed it down, saying, Come one come all, I challenge any one to pick it up.

With nobody did, and Reddy threw it down again just as a messenger boy came up in back of him smoking a cigaret and looking tuff, Reddy saying, There not a man in the world that got the nerve to pick it up and face me in dely combat.

Dedwood Dick to the rescue, and the messenger boy. And Reddy turned around and saw him, and they both grabbed for the gauntlet at the same time, and their heads bumped with a fierce crack, and Sid Hunts fox terrier Teddy picked up the gauntlet and ran away with it, and the messenger boy sed Reddy either had to fit or apologise for bumping his head. Wich Reddy apologized.

Proving it all depends on who does the challenging.

him, accompanied them home this week.

Rev. W. J. Bate spent the week at the retreat of the Anglican clergy at Robshaw.

Miss Laura Williston has returned to her studies at student nurse at Rutland, Vt.

Misses Alice Campbell and Cleora McLaughlin, graduates of St. Mary's Academy, have gone to Normal School, Harry S. Anderson of Douglastown has accepted a position as stenographer, etc. with the Fraser Co. at Cabano, P. Q.

D. Parker Cool of Moncton is visiting old friends here.

Mrs. Fred Godery returned to Cambridge, Mass., yesterday.

Mrs. Thos. O'Neill and child of Moncton are visiting Mrs. A. L. Barry.

Blair McLean of Fredericton and Charles of Nappesagan spent Labor Day with their parents here.

U. S. MAKE MORE LOANS. Washington, Sept. 6.—Loans of \$100,000,000 each to Great Britain and France were made by the government today, bringing the total advanced the Allies up to \$2,286,400,000.

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RUSSIAN COUNTER PLOT HAD RAMIFICATIONS Arrests of Persons Charged With Being Implicated in Attempt to Re-Establish the Monarchy Continue.

Petrograd, Sept. 6.—The inquiry regarding the counter-revolutionary plot recently brought to light is being energetically pursued, says an official statement issued today. It has been demonstrated, says the statement, that relations existed between the arrested grand dukes and other personages in the outfit of the former emperor with certain monarchists. Large sums of money intended for the furtherance of the plot have been traced not only

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APPLE CROPS THIS YEAR WILL REACH HALF-NORMAL SIZE

S. B. Hatheway, Manager of New Brunswick Colonization Co., Ltd., Says Big Shortage in Nova Scotia and Ontario as Well.

That the New Brunswick apple crop this season would not be more than half of the normal production was the statement made by S. B. Hatheway, manager of the New Brunswick Colonization Co., Ltd., of Springhill, Fredericton, Mr. Hatheway came to the city yesterday on business. He said that the backward weather in the early part of the year was one of the chief reasons for the shortage in the crop. New Brunswick is not alone in a short fruit crop. While the production of the ordinary varieties in this province will not be sufficient to permit of any extensive export business, the apple crop in Ontario has suffered more heavily. Mr. Hatheway said that this year's crop in Ontario would only be about fifteen per cent. of the normal production. Nova Scotia, too, is experiencing a shortage in the production of apples, the crop for 1917 being only about half the regular size.

Mr. Hatheway said that the harvesting of the fruit crop would commence early next week.

NO TROUBLE TO KILL A GERMAN, SAYS SOLDIER

Wounded, Charles Barchard Writes from England—Huns Using New Kind of Gas—Experience at the Front.

Private Charles V. Barchard, of Elgin, Albert Co., is wounded and is now in Royal Surrey Hospital, England. He writes from the front. His brother is a student in the Currie Business College in this city, and a letter received recently from him stated that his brother is rather interesting. In part it is as follows: Royal Surrey Hospital, Aug. 17th, 1917.

I wish to let you know that I have had the luck to get to England. This is an awful nice place that I am in here. I am still in bed and don't think that I will get out for some time, but I don't think that they will let me stay here. There are only three Canadians in this hospital and I don't know them yet. There were only three of us that was in that drive that came over on the boat. There were several other boys wounded that morning. Fritz stood his ground this time and fought a lot better than I ever saw him before, but I don't think that they will last very much longer as our bombardment is getting more and more for them to stand. Fritz has a new kind of gas that is getting a lot of our fellows. I was certainly glad to get this little hole through the arm. But then war is not as bad as you people over there think it is. It's pretty hard to stand under the enemy shell fire and see your chums getting knocked out and all a fellow can do is swear curses on them, for the next time we go over the top it's no trouble to kill a German, because if they see you coming at them with the bayonet they drop their rifles, put up their hands and cry Meret Conrad. Some of them don't deserve much mercy and they don't get any more than they deserve. I am not busy about spending nine months more in France killing Germans. After a fellow is there a certain time he gets a little bit of nerves and every time you get under a bombardment you get all shaky from your nerves. That was not so much. My arm is not paining much now and I am getting along fine.

THE LARGE PRIZES AT VETERANS' FAIR WILL BE DRAWN MONDAY

Good Attendance Last Night—Ticket No. 518 Won the Door Prize—Fair Open Afternoon and Evening Today

It was announced last night by the management of the fair, being conducted under the auspices of the C.V.A., that on Monday night the drawing of the lottery prizes will take place. There were about 1,400 present last evening and the different booths and concessions did a thriving business. This afternoon and evening the fair will be in full swing and record crowds are anticipated. In the evening the City Cornet band will be in attendance.

The person holding ticket No. 518 is the winner of last night's door prize, a pair of rubber boots. This prize was donated by the Canadian Rubber Company. A pipe donated by the Canadian Drug Company for the highest total pinfall was won by C. Lewis of this city. Mr. James McCrackin of Fairville won the highest score on the bean board, and was awarded first prize, a pair of ladies' shoes, donated by Winsell's Cash Store. The grand bean toss was won by Sgt. W. Pink of Fairville, the prize being a pair of white sneakers, donated by Francis and Vaughan. All goods left over on Monday night will be sold by auction. The Temple Band will be in attendance.

BRAVE N. B. SOLDIERS KILLED OR WOUNDED

Every Day Brings News That Saddens Homes—Interesting News Regarding the Boys at the Front.

Passed Examination. Frederick, Sept. 7.—Lieut. John T. Wilson, of Miramichi, has returned from Toronto, where he was a cadet, undergoing instruction for the Royal Flying Corps. He has passed examination and now is qualified as a lieutenant in the unit. He expects to go overseas in the near future.

Are St. John Men. In Wednesday night's casualty list the name of F. A. Davis, of St. John, appears. It is announced that he has been killed in action.

Mrs. Frank Doucet, of 177 Winslow street, went out to see her husband, Pvt. Frank Doucet, who was wounded on August 27. No particulars were given. Private Doucet went overseas with the 14th battalion and was transferred to another regiment. He left his wife and five little ones at home to go overseas and has one brother in France, Felix Doucet. Another brother, Joseph, was killed in action on December 29. Mrs. Doucet received a letter from her husband only last week. It is said that he was well and contented.

SHIPPING NEWS

MINIATURE ALMANAC.
August Phases of the Moon

Full moon	3rd 1hr. 11m. a.m.
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STOCK MARKET IN CONFUSION YESTERDAY

Steamship Shares Fall from Two to Five Points—New Haven Still Tobogganing—General Motors Down Five More.

New York, Sept. 7.—The stock market was thrown into confusion at the outset of today's operations on an announcement from Washington of the shipping board's plan to reduce ocean freight rates by 25 to 75 per cent. Steamship shares fell 2 to 5 points in the heavy selling of the first half hour and the stocks of other companies whose future hinged largely on the attitude of the government towards price fixing lost 1 to 3 1/2.

Standard shares were well supported during the reversal, recovering the greater part of their losses before mid-day. Later, when dealings dwindled this improvement became more pronounced especially in Tobaccos in which a large short interest is believed to exist. Pressure was renewed in the last hour, together with re-aligning for profit, United States Steel yielded from 10 1/2 to 10 3/4, closing at that quotation, a net loss of 1/2 of a point. Bethlehem Steel was under great restraint, making an extreme decline of three points. Total sales amounted to \$15,000 shares.

STEEL PRODUCTS SHOW WEAKENING IN PRICES

Readjustment in Engineering Trade—Steel and Iron Industries More or Less Unsettled.

(Toronto, Sept. 7.—In its summary of the iron, steel, metal and machinery markets for the week Canadian Machinery and Manufacturing News, makes the following observations: Now that the munitions industry is definitely coming to an end, the engineering trade enters on a period of readjustment. Concerned with engaged in manufacturing munitions are turning their attention to other work and in some cases have already been successful particularly in the field of activity is necessarily limited, but will serve to relieve the situation materially in the iron and steel trade and the outlook continues somewhat unsettled. Concerning the embargo and also because of the uncertainty surrounding the price-fixing policy of the United States government.

NEW HAVEN LIQUIDATION NOT YET COMPLETED

Irregular General Market with Slight Rallies and Cross Currents Looked for—Shipings Likely to Sag.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Sept. 7.—Rallying tendencies are expected to continue in an irregular general market with cross-currents. The report from Washington that the shipping board will cut ocean transportation rates materially may bring an attack on the shipping shares. Any sympathetic decline in the general market will be followed by recoveries on the shorts, according to our information. Steels, Equipments and Coppers are oversold. New Haven liquidation is not completed. Southern Pacific is well bought.

NEW YORK COTTON.

Jan	High	Low	Close
Mar	30.50	29.00	29.10
May	29.50	28.25	28.50
Oct	29.00	28.00	28.25

PANIC CONDITIONS IN WALL ST. DISAPPEAR

Little Business Doing, Indicating Cessation of Frightened Selling and of Operations of Bear Cliques.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Sept. 7.—There was an all around improvement in prices in the early afternoon, in which the Tobacco stocks led. The Steel issues and some of the Railroads got above the previous close. In the hour there was another moderate reaction. Overwhelming defeat of La Follette's amendment in the Senate to add \$500,000,000 to the income surtaxes, indicates that the Senate has fully made up its mind to pass the bill as it stands, and this means that we are beginning to see daylight ahead on the question of war taxes.

A portion of the house now affects a radical stand, but inasmuch as the taxation bill, in the Senate measure is much heavier on income and excess profits than that of the original house bill, the new position in the house looks very much like a political ploy. The news today, and in fact for several days, has made for a more two-sided market, and in fact the action of the market itself today was more of that character. The volume of trading today was the smallest of the week, indicating a cessation both of the frightened selling and the operation of bear cliques.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS.

Open	High	Low	Close
Am Sugar	83 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Am Car Ferry	69	71 1/2	69
Am Loco	61	62 1/2	60 1/2
Am Sugar	100	108 1/2	108 1/2
Am Smelting	94 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2
Am St. P. Ry	68 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/2
Am Woolen	47	47	47
Am Tele	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Anacosta	69	70 1/2	68 1/2
Am Can	43	43	42 1/2
Atchafalca	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Balt and O	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
Bald Loco	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Beck Steel	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Butte and Su	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/2
Ches and O	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Chino	33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2
Cent. Pac	81 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
Can Pacific	156 1/2	157 1/2	156 1/2
Distillers	25 1/2	26 1/2	25 1/2
Cruc Steel	47	47 1/2	47 1/2
Eric Com	20 1/2	21 1/2	20 1/2
Gen Elec	103 1/2	103 1/2	103 1/2
Gen Electric	145 1/2	145 1/2	145 1/2
Gr Nor Ore	131 1/2	132 1/2	131 1/2
Int. Alcon	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Is Copper	53 1/2	53 1/2	52 1/2
Kenn Cop	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Lehigh Val.	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2
Mer Mar Pfd	87	87 1/2	86 1/2
Mex Pet	89 1/2	90 1/2	89 1/2
Miami Cop	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
Mid Steel	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & H	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
N. Y. Cent.	76	77 1/2	76 1/2
Nor Pacific	99 1/2	100	99 1/2
Nevada Con	22 1/2	22 1/2	21 1/2
Pennsylvania	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Press B. Car	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Read Com	81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2
Rep Steel	80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2
St. Paul	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
So Pacific	90 1/2	91 1/2	90 1/2
St. Railway	26 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2
Studebaker	43	43 1/2	43 1/2
U. S. Steel	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
U. S. St. Com	108	108 1/2	107 1/2
U. S. Hub	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Utah Cop	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Westinghouse	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2

MONTREAL SALES.

Montreal, Friday, Sept. 7th.
Steamships Com—200 @ 14 1/2, 50 @ 14 1/2
Steamships Pfd—100 @ 78
Brazilian—10 @ 39
Textile—15 @ 83 1/2
Can Com Bonds—2,800 @ 97
Can Com—50 @ 56 1/2
Dom Iron Com—100 @ 62 1/2, 25 @ 62 1/2, 50 @ 62 1/2
Shawinigan—75 @ 119, 25 @ 119 1/2
1925 War Loan—500 @ 97 1/2
1921 War Loan—500 @ 96 1/2
Bell Telephone—15 @ 187
Can Car Com—5 @ 20 1/2, 25 @ 20
1927 War Loan—2,500 @ 95 1/2, 75,000 @ 95 1/2, 26,500 @ 95 1/2, 100 @ 95 1/2
Detroit United—20 @ 107
Smelting—20 @ 27
Riduron—20 @ 118
Lyall—65 @ 58, 25 @ 60
Quebec Ry—25 @ 16 1/2
Laurentide Power—25 @ 61
Brompton—50 @ 45
Bank Commerce—4 @ 145 1/2
Royal Bank—5 @ 210 1/2
Dom Iron Com—100 @ 62 1/2, 25 @ 62 1/2, 50 @ 62 1/2
Afternoon
Steel Canada Pfd—50 @ 90
Steamships Com—30 @ 42 1/2
Brazilian—15 @ 39 1/2
Steel Canada—25 @ 56 1/2, 25 @ 56 1/2
Dom Iron Com—100 @ 62 1/2
Civic Power—100 @ 74 1/2
1925 War Loan—4,500 @ 97 1/2
1927 War Loan—2,900 @ 95 1/2, 500 @ 95 1/2
Toronto Ry—25 @ 75
Detroit United—25 @ 107
Riduron—25 @ 117 1/2
General Electric—15 @ 105 1/2, 25 @ 105
Lyall—15 @ 62, 150 @ 64 1/2, 25 @ 64
Quebec Ry—10 @ 155, 10 @ 160
Dom Bridge—45 @ 140
Bank Commerce—1 @ 153 1/2
Royal Bank—25 @ 210 1/2
Merchants Bank—1 @ 170
Ogilvie—10 @ 151

CHATHAM, SEPT. 7.—WILLIAM GISSY

was before Judge Connors in the police court on complaint of game warden William McDevitt charged with carrying a gun in the woods in the close season. He was fined \$10 or twenty days and the gun was confiscated. He paid. Three others are before the court for Tuesday next.

NO IMPROVEMENT EXCEPT TEMPORARY ONE NOW

Regular Trading Element Disposed to Sell Stocks on Recoveries—American Locomotive Favored Around 60.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Sept. 7.—It seems to be the impression in conservative quarters that unless the Liberty Loan is made a per cent, and tax exempt, it will be difficult to get a satisfactory response from large investors. A great effort is to be made, we understand, to get the Liberty Loan the small buyer throughout the entire country.

Buying for long account from well informed quarters is noted in U. S. Steel, and specialist sources refer to covering of short contracts. Below 110 absorption of steel is called good. The freedom of this corporation from financing requirements is a factor mentioned in favor of the common stock. Commission house sentiment shows that there is no expectation as yet of improvement other than temporary rallies. The regular trading element is disposed to sell on recoveries, as a rule, and to buy on declines. The volume of trading today was more of that character.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

Chicago, Sept. 7.—Corn—No. 2, 3, and 4 yellow, nominal; No. 1 white, 59 to 59 1/2; standard, 59 1/2 to 60.			
Barley—No. 2, 1.86			
Timothy—8.50 to 7.75			
Clover—15.00 to 20.00			
Pork—43.20			
Lard—23.75			
Ribs—23.40 to 23.95			
Corn, High, Low, Close			
May	110 1/2	109 1/2	110 1/2
Oct	114 1/2	113	114 1/2
May	50	50	50
Sept	53 1/2	52 1/2	53 1/2
Oct	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2
Port, High, Low, Close			
Sept	40.20	40.00	40.20
Oct	43.20	43.10	43.20

MONTREAL MARKETS.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)	
Ames Holden Com	15
Ames Holden Pfd	60
Brazilian L. H. and P.	39
Canada Car	30
Canada Cement	60
Canada Cement Pfd	90 1/2
Civic Power	74 1/2
Detroit United	107
Dom Bridge	140
Dom Iron Com	62 1/2
Dom Tox Com	85
Laurentide Paper Co	170
MacDonald Com	14
N. Scotia Steel and C.	95
Ogilvie	152 1/2
Pennam's Iron	156
Quebec Railway	17 1/2
Shaw W and P Co	119
Steel Co Can Pfd	56 1/2
Toronto Raily	75

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Wayagamack Also Takes a Boost—Dominion Bridge Was "Sick Security" of Day's Trading, Declining Five Nominally.

(Special to The Standard.) Montreal, Sept. 7.—Sharp advances in a couple of specialties furnished the chief features in the stock exchange business here today. Lyall, to accompany the purchase of a dividend of 3 per cent, advanced 7 1/4 points to 64 1/2, and closed at that level, a net advance of 1 1/4 points from the low price two days ago. Wayagamack, on one lot purchase, scored a rise of 2 1/2 at 54 and closed 56 1/2 without further trading. The market was marked up against Dominion Bridge which sold at 140, against 145 in the last board lot transaction. But a small lot sold at 140 earlier in the week and the inactive market for the stock remained virtually unchanged at 140 bid, 143 asked, at the close of day.

Price movements throughout the rest of the market were narrow and irregular, reflecting the incoherence of New York Trading continued in small volume, but was scattered over a larger number of issues than on Thursday, when 70 per cent of the business was in Dominion Iron. The last named stock was slightly easier at 62 1/2 to 63 1/2 and closed 1/2 lower for the day at the latter price. Steel of Canada improved 1/2 to 56 1/2, while Scotia held steady at 95. Other leading industrials were similarly irregular, within a narrow range of fluctuations.

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(Special to The Standard.) Toronto, Sept. 7.—The action of the Temiskaming directors in declaring a 3 per cent. dividend came in the nature of an unpleasant surprise to those trying to get control of the property away from the present management. The theory on the street is that those who want control desire it for the purpose of financing the purchase of a large property out of the Temiskaming treasury. If they do succeed in getting control the declaration of a dividend means \$75,000 less in the treasury than had been expected. The theory on the street is that those who want control desire it for the purpose of financing the purchase of a large property out of the Temiskaming treasury. If they do succeed in getting control the declaration of a dividend means \$75,000 less in the treasury than had been expected.

RUSSIANS HEAVY. London, Sept. 7.—Money was plentiful and discount rates were steady today. The Russian situation sent exchange to 283, made Russian securities flat on the stock exchange and checked expansion in other directions, though steadiness continued in gilt edged bonds and the industrial sector. Chinese bonds were features on the rise in silver and Spanish Egyptian bonds were in good demand. South American issues were dull and Oil and Rubber shares quiet.

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NEWS SUMMARY

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Sept. 7.—Outland Railroad, July net after taxes, increase \$8,725; 7 months loss, \$138,883. Administration's \$1,589,864,000 bond bill passes house practically in original form. U. S. exports in July \$274,000,000, lowest since February, 1916, and decrease of \$207,000,000 from last June's figure. Food administrator Hoover says prices of meats and dairy products cannot be fixed. Nothing can stop rise in meat if shortage continues. Shipping board in assuming control of ocean freight rates charged by American vessels announces new scale calls for reduction of from 55 to 75 per cent. from present tariff. Twenty industrials \$3.42 of 3 1/2.

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Late Sporting News

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ACADIAS WILL AGAIN JOURNEY TO ST. GEORGE FOR A DOUBLE HEADER

The St. John Acadias will play a double header in St. George on Wednesday next and will leave for that town in automobiles. On account of the close game played on Labor day the management are strong in the belief that the only way to settle the question of superiority is to play two more games, thus making it a series of three games, the best two deciding the winner.

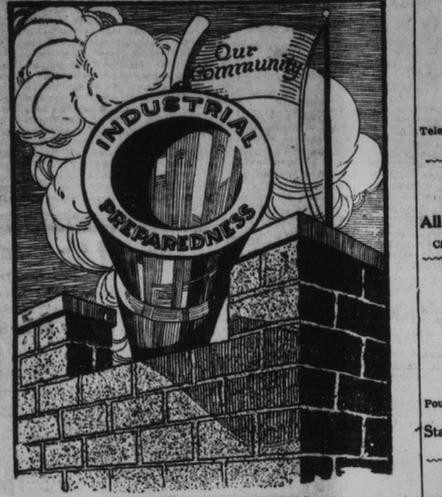
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MOTION PICTURE EXHIBITORS' LEAGUE OPENS ITS CONVENTION HERE TODAY

Exhibitors and Film Men to Number of 125 Expected to Be Present--Prominent Figures in Picture Industry Here from United States to Attend Sessions--The Programme.

The theatres in gala attire with signs of welcome and the presence of a large number of outside delegates all show the fact that the convention of the Motion Picture Exhibitors' League of the Maritime Provinces has begun. This is the first gathering since the organization in Halifax in September of last year.

During the evening recess the convention will break up in little dinner parties, with auto jaunts and brief visits to theatres, to re-assemble in Castle Hall.

Miss Tapley is expected today at noon, and plans are made for her to meet the officials of several women's clubs.

Private auditorium sessions in Keith & Albee's Imperial Theatre. All persons attending convention expected to be present. The Imperial orchestra will play; Miss Tapley will give her studio talk; Messrs. Bush, Spedon, Nutting, Pettibone and Richardson will speak. General discussion, votes of thanks, etc.

Opening Business Session, President W. H. Golding in the chair. Welcoming remarks--Dr. E. S. Bridges, chairman N. B. Board of Censors and Supt. of Schools. Minutes of last meeting. Unfinished business. Appointment of nominating committee--By Chair. Retiring President's address--W. H. Golding. Annual Reports--I. Secretary Hurley, St. John. 2. Treasurer Metzler, Halifax. Report of Nominating Committee and Election of Officers. At this juncture Film Men will address the meeting on matters of mutual interest, after which the Exhibitors will take up routine business.

Programme. From D. A. McKay, New Waterford, N. S. C. F. Givan, Hippodrome, Sussex, N. B. R. J. MacAdam, Halifax and Sydney, N. S. W. O. Fenety, Fredericton, N. B. Merrick R. Nutting, of Montreal. (Can. Film Digest). W. C. McKay, Opera House, St. John, N. B. Adjournment.

pal roles. Peggy Hyland, Naomi Childers and many other well known names are included.

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The Triangle Film Service, Limited, whose pictures are being shown exclusively in this city at the Imperial theatre, have opened a branch office here in the Robinson building, Market Square, and will make this their distributing point for the Maritime Provinces.

A WELCOME VISITOR

Among the prominent motion picture men in the city to attend the convention of the Motion Picture Exhibitors' League of the Maritime Provinces, is Mr. L. Ernest Outmet, president and general manager of the Specialty Film Import Company, Canadian

distributors of the famous Pathe pictures.

It may be recalled that Mr. Outmet was the only motion picture man in the world to get pictures of the Quebec bridge at the time of the recent disaster. He has also done much work in the way of filming "progress and prosperity" scenes for the Canadian provinces. Included in this series are the splendid views of New Brunswick, taken at the direction of Hon. James A. Murray when the premier was Minister for Agriculture.

Mr. Outmet has many friends in St. John who are extending to him a hearty welcome.

ST. JOHN LADIES GOING TO OTTAWA

In order that those employed by the Pension Board at Ottawa may be representative of the provinces, the positions in Ottawa are to be filled as far as possible by young ladies from each province in the Dominion. There are to be girls from Vancouver and the Eastern Coast, as well as from central Canada.

A representative from the Dominion government came to St. John some time ago to make arrangements regarding those who would go from St. John. The following young ladies will leave shortly to accept positions in the Ottawa office: Miss Florence Stout, Miss Beattie Compton, Miss Pearl Devine, Miss Julia Anthony. Others may go later.

Several of these young ladies are energetic members of the Young Women's Patriotic Association and they will be greatly missed from that society.

LOYALIST CHAPTER, I. O. D. E.

Assembling in large numbers after the summer's absence from the city the Loyalist Chapter, I. O. D. E. held their regular meeting in their rooms on Germain street yesterday afternoon. Miss Clara Schofield, vice-regent, presided.

After the regular reading of reports the sum of \$25 was voted the Victoria League in London. It was decided to take 50 Christmas stockings from the Red Cross to be filled by the Chapter. \$50 was voted to the Soldiers' Comfort Association.

FOR WAR GARDENS

It isn't time yet to stop putting in lettuce seed. Lettuce luxuriates in cool, moist, fall weather. Grand Rapids, being a loose-leaf kind, is ready for the table in a very short time. If the gardener wants a heading variety let him choose the diminutive Mignonette, which makes up in quality what it lacks in size. It is well to remember, though, that lettuce requires rich soil and plenty of water, if it is to do its best.

MY WISH.

Let others strive for fame and gold. And strive for chunks of land to hold. I'm satisfied if I can get Enough to keep me out of debt.

A large number of town militiamen are in the city to attend the wholesale openings which are being held today.

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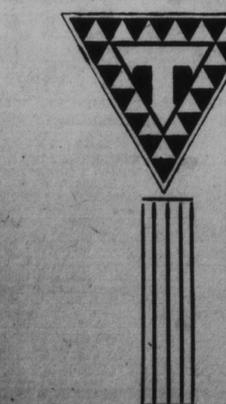
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Uncle Dick's Chat With the Children

My Dear Kiddies:-- In another column, I have given full particulars of the proposed Bird Protection Society, which I trust to form in connection with the Corner, and I hope that you will read some very carefully, and send in your names requesting membership. It will be splendid for you to engage in such work, as looking after the birds throughout the coming winter, and besides you will be carrying out the desire of Him who looked after even the sparrows when He was upon earth.

Have you ever thought in what way He looks after them now? Let me tell you: He uses a little boy here, and a girl there, by first putting the desire in their hearts, and then in some way or another He provides the necessary food for them to feed the birds with. Wouldn't it be great if the Corner numbered among its members some thousands of boys and girls, whom He was using to look after his creatures of the air?

The maid has not been quite so large as usual during the past week, but I expect that it is due to you all hurrying back to town to get commenced with your studies again. Now that you have returned I shall look for all kinds of letters, telling me about the good times you have been having during your vacation. I shall do my best to answer everyone received, so get busy with your pens and pencils.

It is interesting to note how you are enjoying the "Mystery" stories, which I am writing especially for you. Many letters are coming in, as to what may be the correct answer. In this connection I shall let you into a secret; the old man who visited them last week was the children's uncle, Uncle Jack. He purposely dressed himself up as an old man, being able to because he was an actor, for the purpose of finding out if his nephews and niece were kind to strangers. I think that you will agree with me that he discovered them very anxious to care for others, and kind in their action. They did not shut the door even when the old man sent them back into the house on the second errand. What would you have done?

Just here let me say that I do not suggest that you should speak to every stranger who might address you, but to those whom you have reason to believe are really in need of your assistance. Don't turn them away from your door, without administering to their needs, if your parents think it advisable. During the past summer many kiddies have called to see me when visiting the city. I trust that these pleasant visits will not cease, but that whenever you may be in town you will call and see me. I am always pleased to have members of the Children's Corner pay me a visit. This also applies to those living in St. John.

Although as I said above, the mail has been somewhat small this past week, I am pleased to note that among the letters to hand many make mention of the interest found in the "Question Box". This feature of the Corner will be continued, and is open for all kinds of questions, whatever your difficulties may be, whether those of school or otherwise. Next week's questions and answers will be helpful to many I am sure.

Will the boy whose watch was returned to me, because of something going wrong with it, please write as I have mislaid the name? It was some prisoner over in Nova Scotia, and I know as soon as I see the name, I shall remember if it is correct, but just at the moment cannot remember who the boy was. The watch is now quite in order, and I wish to return same.

This is all I have to say this week, so will close with heaps of love to the thousands of kiddies. From your Uncle Dick Children's Editor.

Can You Measure Rain?



but make the joint water-tight if possible. The funnel at its mouth has just ten times the area of the inside of the baking powder can. The water caught in the can will therefore be ten times as deep as the water on the surface of the ground at the mouth of the funnel. Rainfall is usually measured in hundredths of inches. This means that the gauge will have one inch of water in it for every ten-hundredths of an inch of rainfall. To make the scale shown in Fig. 3, take a thin piece of wood and mark off one inch spaces, as 0.1--0.2--0.3, etc. Take your dividers and divide each inch into ten parts. Now set the gauge out of doors in a spot away from buildings. On a roof is a good place. Paint the can and funnel to prevent rusting. After a rain, the funnel should be lifted off the can and a measuring stick dropped in the water. Hold vertical. Read the wet portion. This shows how much rain has fallen in hundredths of an inch.

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...and the guests on Saturday.

Special Features of the Week



ROTHESAY

Rothsay, Sept. 6.—The annual meeting of Rothsay Red Cross society was held on Tuesday afternoon...

...and the guests on Saturday.

of his father, Judge J. R. Armstrong, who accompanied by Mrs. Armstrong, who has spent a few weeks here.

...and the guests on Saturday.

of Edmonton, Alberta. Some knitting was done and guessing contests enjoyed. Miss George Ballentine won the prize. Besides those mentioned the invited were Mrs. J. H. Henderson, Misses Ballentine, Mrs. J. R. Robertson and Misses Coffey.

...and the guests on Saturday.

and their guest, Madame Kurta, spent the week-end at their camp at Hill's Point.

...and the guests on Saturday.

from four to six at Lonsdale Hall. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers and Mrs. S. B. Belyea and Miss Marion Straight served the guests.

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ST. STEPHEN

St. Stephen, Sept. 7.—The "Must-cake" given on Friday evening by the guests of Mrs. Mary Maxwell, Mr. Frank Kennedy of St. Andrews is a patient in Chipman Memorial Hospital and continues very ill, much to the regret of his many friends.

...and the guests on Saturday.

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SACKVILLE

Sackville, Sept. 7.—Miss Jane Estabrook who has been spending a few weeks in town, leaves Thursday for New York.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Watson Carter of St. John, spent Sunday in town, guests of Miss Bessie Carter.

Mrs. Josiah Wood entertained at luncheon on Friday afternoon in honor of a number of visitors who were in town. The guests included, Mrs. W. F. Murray, (Boston.) Miss Jane Estabrook, (New York.) Miss Frances Estabrook, (Montreal.) Mrs. W. Sprague, (Vancouver.) Miss Grace Estey, (St. John.) Mrs. R. C. Ritchie, (Chipman.) Mrs. Robert Duncan, Mrs. Fred Fisher and Miss Lou Ford.

Mrs. Geo. E. Ford and Mrs. W. Turner, who have been visiting at Cape Tormentine, guests of Mrs. Alex. Ford, returned home Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Hart and family are spending a couple of weeks at Cape Tormentine.

Miss Neta Charters spent the week-end at Cape Tormentine, guests of the Misses Ford.

Mrs. J. E. Tuttle and little daughter, and Miss Gladys Puncater, left Saturday for their home in Calgary.

Miss Lois Wry entertained a few friends very hospitably on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Welner of Charlottetown, P. E. I., are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, Aug. 30. Mrs. Welner was formerly Miss Marjorie Turner of Sackville.

Capt. Hanson and family motored to Tidnish on Saturday, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chapman over Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Stebbings who has been spending a few weeks at Harcourt, N. B., has returned home.

Mrs. Wareheim, Mrs. Thomas Paterson, Miss Bessie Carter and Miss Gourley, motored to Springhill on Thursday and were guests of Mrs. Bent.

Mr. Cornell of the Royal Bank, who has been spending his vacation in dif-

Social Notes of the Week

ferent parts of Nova Scotia, returned on Monday.

Miss Ethel Chapman, who has been spending a month at her home in Sussex, returned to town Wednesday evening.

Lieut. Rex Wiggins of the Home Guard, Halifax, spent the week-end, at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wiggins.

Miss Jean Carter is visiting friends at Amherst, N. S.

Mr. Edgar Copp, who enlisted with the Signalers some months ago, is spending a short time with his parents Dr. and Mrs. E. M. Copp.

Miss Elizabeth Hart has returned from visiting friends in Nova Scotia.

Rev. Herbert E. Thomas has returned from a pleasant trip to St. John and Woodstock.

Mrs. W. S. Godfrey is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Pickard, Mrs. Godfrey spent the summer at Valcartier, where the 23rd Klittes are encamped.

Mr. William Hicks, who was wounded in the head some time ago, arrived in Sackville last week, and is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Hicks.

Mr. Gordon Avard, who a few weeks ago joined the Signalers at Ottawa, is home on a fortnight's furlough.

Hostesses at the golf tea on Saturday afternoon, were Mrs. Josiah Wood and Mrs. Liddy.

Mrs. H. C. Read is spending a few days at Stonehaven, N. B., guest of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Read.

Miss Amelia McLellan of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal and her mother, Mrs. A. McLellan of Moncton, spent a few days in town last week, guests of Mrs. J. Henderson.

Rev. Mr. Melnoah who has been absent from Sackville for some time on account of ill health, has returned, and occupied the pulpit in the Presbyterian Hall Sunday evening.

Mrs. Floyd McLeod and children, who have been spending the summer with friends in Westmorland County, left Saturday for their home in the West.

Miss Kathleen MacKenzie is spending this week at Cape Tormentine, guest of Miss Kathleen Fawcett.

Mr. and Mrs. Belyea of St. John, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cahill.

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell of Moncton were week-end guests of Mrs. Mitchell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scott.

Mr. C. W. Fawcett, left Monday on a trip to Ottawa.

Dr. J. B. McKenzie and Mrs. McKenzie of Loggville, Miss Russell, Miss Falkins and Mr. J. Bradshaw McKenzie of Vancouver, motored to

Moncton to Mr. George Knight, the marriage to take place at an early date.

Miss Frances McNovin, has returned from a visit to relatives in Prince Edward Island.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Chapman, who have been spending the summer in this city, left this week for their home in Montreal.

Miss Anna Lemox, of this city, and Miss A. LaBillios, of Bathurst, left this week for Toronto to spend a few weeks.

Mrs. Fred Kinnear and two little daughters, Kathleen and Mary, who have been spending the summer in Hillsboro, left this week for their home in Ottawa.

Mrs. Fred Crandall and little Misses Winnifred and Josephine,

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MONCTON

Moncton, Sept. 7.—Miss Mary Corbett and Miss Fonda McStay have returned from a business trip to New York.

Miss Isabel McNaughton has returned from a visit to relatives in Montreal.

Mrs. R. Smith, of Somerville, Mass., is the guest of Judge and Mrs. R. L. Borden.

Miss Vera Richardson leaves this week for New York to visit her sister Mrs. Neville Selman.

Mr. F. O. Condon and sister, Miss Emma Condon, left this week for Boston.

Miss Helen Henderson and Miss Ethel McLaren, leave on Tuesday for Montreal where they will enter the Royal Victoria Hospital to take a course in nursing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Adamson were recent visitors in St. John.

Mr. R. N. Wray left this week for Toronto to attend the exhibition.

Mrs. Edward and Misses Ruth, and Irene, and Masters Donald and Arthur returned to their home in Ottawa this week, after spending the summer at Cape Brule.

Misses Marjorie and Hester Kinnear are visiting their cousin, Miss Margaret Robb, at her summer home in Bois Verts.

Mrs. Gordon Perry, Miss Dorrine and Master Clarence, of Quebec, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Len.

Dr. F. J. White, Mrs. White, Misses Madeline McCully, Jean Weinter, and Marion White, have returned from a motor trip to St. John, Calais, St. Stephen and St. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred Edgett left this week on a trip to the Canadian West.

Mrs. Jas. Crockett announces the engagement of her daughter Helen

SUSSEX

Sussex, Sept. 7.—Miss Jennie Leake entertained a number of friends very enjoyably on Friday evening last. The guests were Misses Helen and Frances White, Miss Helen Murray, Miss Frances Jonah, Miss Marion Reid, Miss Irene Keith (Moncton), Miss Ethel Mills, Miss Helen Keith and Miss Bessie Robinson.

Mr. G. A. Dodge and daughter, Mrs. George Jamieson, Moncton, were guests of Mrs. G. W. Sherwood on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fowler, St. John, were guests of their daughter, Miss Jennie Fowler at the Cottage Hospital for the week-end.

Mrs. A. Gray and little daughter, who have been guests of Mrs. Gray's mother, Mrs. E. Maggs, returned to their home in St. John Monday night.

Miss Julia Keith and Miss Flossie Thompson spent Labor Day at River Glade.

The Misses Porter of Nauwigawauk, N. B., were guests of Mrs. David Alton on Monday.

Dr. Ross Mills and Mrs. Mills returned to their home in Philadelphia, Pa., on Saturday on Monday, a two weeks' visit to relatives here.

Mrs. Warren Campbell of Amherst is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. Campbell, Peter street.

Miss Carrie Mills is visiting friends in Pithburg, Mass.

Mrs. Mary Mahoney, Boston, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Savage.

Miss Irene Keith of Moncton, who was the guest of Miss Helen Keith, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Parkin, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilton, Mrs. W. F. De Mille and Master Watson, St. John, spent Monday with Mrs. T. H. DeMille.

The annual Sunday school picnic of Chalmers Presbyterian church is to be held this Saturday on the Hayes farm, Upper Corner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKay, Mrs. Spouter (Hampton), Miss Alice White, Mr. Gordon McKay, Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Metouche, N. B., for over the holiday.

Mr. Charles P. Clarke, who has been spending two weeks at Baccouche, N. B., returned home on Monday.

Mrs. Gordon Mills was hostess on Saturday evening last to a number of young people. The guests were Misses Ethel and Bessie McIntyre, Miss Miriam McIntyre, Miss Irene Keith (Moncton), Miss Helen Keith, Miss Hazel White, Misses Helen and Frances White, Miss Marion Reid, Miss Helen Murray, Captain Morley, Captain Graves, Mr. Grant Smith, Mr. Chase, Mr. Currie and Percy White.

Miss Helen White and Miss Frances White left on Monday for Wolfville, Nova Scotia, to attend the Ladies' Seminary. They were accompanied to Wolfville by their mother, Mrs. S. H. White.

Mrs. A. L. Price left Wednesday for Boston, Mass., to visit her sister, Mrs. S. W. Leonard, before returning to New York, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs. Wier, who has been a guest at Maplehurst for five weeks, left Thursday for her home in New York.

Mrs. Spooner, Hampton, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. B. McKay, for two weeks, returned home on Wednesday.

Mrs. McDougal returned to her home in Shediac on Friday after a pleasant visit with her daughter, Mrs. Clarke Elliott.

Miss Lena Sherwood leaves this Saturday for Boston, Mass., after spending the summer with her mother, Mrs. G. W. Sherwood.

Miss Nettie Morrison entertained the members of the Ladies' orchestra and other guests at a very pleasant outing at Camp Kill Kare, Pleasant Lake, over Labor Day. Among those present were: Miss Jean Connelly, Miss Ethel Jeffries, Miss Edna Roush, Miss Laura Jeffries, Miss Beatrice Lutz, Miss Mac-Hughan, Miss Alice Macre, Mrs. Alexander Bain, Messrs. Harry Wallace, Charles Upham and Hugh Morrison.

Dr. G. E. Dimock of Sunapee, New Hampshire, will arrive in Sussex the last of the week to act as assistant to Dr. D. H. McAllister.

Dr. Dimock, who has been practicing for some years in the United States, is a graduate of Harvard Medical College.

Miss Alice Lockhart spent the week-end with friends at Pellicodiac.

Mrs. Frank E. DeBoo and Master Malcolm returned last week from P. E. I.

Mrs. S. Blaine Perry has returned home after spending a month with relatives at Keswick.

Mrs. Percy Gunn left last week for Boston and New York for a month's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. White, Master Douglas and Mrs. Arthur Keith motored to St. John Thursday.

Rev. M. Linton of St. John spent last Sunday the guest of Mrs. Moore, Alby street.

Mrs. W. E. Scott of Wickham, Queens county, was in town last week visiting friends.

Miss Helen Keith leaves this Saturday for Sackville to attend Mt. Allison Ladies' College.

Mrs. Ernest Dryden and son, Lawrence, of Fredericton, spent the first of the week with Mrs. Dryden's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Elliott.

Miss Lenora Miller leaves this Saturday for Montreal, where she will en-

THE WEATHER.
 Forecast:
 Maritime: Moderate winds;
 Sea and cool.
 Gulf and North Shore—Mod-
 erate to fresh westerly winds;
 fine.

Toronto, Sept. 7.—A shallow disturbance is centred tonight over Missouri, while an area of high pressure extends from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic and another is spreading into the western provinces from the northward. The weather to-day has been fair and cool from Manitoba to the maritime provinces and showery in some sections of Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	36	60
Prince Rupert	46	62
Victoria	52	64
Vancouver	54	68
Calgary	42	60
Medicine Hat	46	68
Edmonton	40	46
Battleford	44	46
Prince Albert	42	50
Saskatoon	41	45
Moose Jaw	36	63
Winnipeg	52	72
Port Arthur	34	38
Port Nelson	44	56
Parry Sound	46	60
Toronto	46	60
Kingston	42	64
Ottawa	38	62
Montreal	42	58
Quebec	40	66
St. John	50	60
Halifax	56	66

Around the City

INCREASED ENROLMENT.
 There are now about 580 pupils in the High School this year, making an increase of about thirty over last year.

NOTHING NEW DEVELOPED.
 Mayor Hayes said yesterday that nothing new had developed in the coal situation. His worship has despatched a communication to the fuel controller.

BANK CLERKS TRANSFERRED.
 Harry Killen of the Royal Bank staff, Sussex, has been transferred to the St. John office. Miss Nora Wetmore of the Royal Bank staff, St. John, has been transferred to Sussex.

LEFT FOR HOME.
 Dr. W. Taylor, who has been spending his vacation with his family at his summer home at Robinson's Point, Queens county, passed through the city last night en route to his home in Boston.

PROMINENT RAILWAY OFFICIALS.
 W. H. Snell, Montreal, general passenger agent of the C. P. R. eastern lines, and A. B. Calder, assistant general passenger agent, are in the city and leave today for Charlottetown.

POSTAL OFFICIAL HERE.
 C. Atwood, of the post office department at Ottawa, was in the city yesterday. He is here on an inspection of the local office and was in conference with M. W. Woods, post office inspector for New Brunswick.

BLAZE IN SCHOOLHOUSE.
 The West Side fire department was called out at 1:30 o'clock this morning to extinguish a slight blaze which broke out in the basement of the Albert school house, situated at the corner of Watson and Duke streets. The fire was caused by the furnace which became overheated.

ON INSPECTION TOUR.
 A. O. Dawson, of Montreal, general manager of the Canadian Cottons, Ltd., was in the city yesterday, a guest at the Royal Hotel. Mr. Dawson is on an inspection tour of the company's manufacturing plants in this province.

ADDRESSED MEETING HERE.
 Major J. L. Keston, of Halifax, who was recently awarded the D. S. O. for meritorious work at the front, will be remembered locally as one of the forceful speakers from the King Square stand at a recruiting meeting about two years ago.

LECTURE AT TRINITY.
 The lecture given by His Lordship Bishop C. D. Schofield was a source of pleasure to the many who assembled last evening in the Sunday school room of Trinity church. The views thrown on the screen assisted materially in bringing the subject of discourse closer to the audience. Bishop Schofield pointed out the interesting scenes, more especially those associated with his work in British Columbia. At the conclusion of the lecture His Lordship was the recipient of an unanimous vote of thanks by the audience.

SUCCESSFUL FARMING.
 David B. Doig, the former well known city water department engineer, has had splendid success with his farming operations at Pair Vale. This year Mr. Doig secured nine potatoes which weighed three pounds from the provincial department of agriculture. He cut up the potatoes into twenty-seven pieces. On digging them Mr. Doig took out 132 big potatoes and 50 small ones. During the summer Mr. Doig conducted several successful experiments in growing flowers—following the Burbank plan. He brought with him to the city dahlias grown on the one stock. The assortment was most complete, including deep red, red with a tinge of pink and white, pale pink with red fringe, red with shaded white centre, and white with red centre. Mr. Doig is being congratulated on his success as a producer.

DIFFERENT OPINIONS AS TO EFFECT CONSCRIPTION WILL HAVE ON INSURANCE

Already Some Branches in City Have Received Advice Not to Issue Term Policies to Eligibles for the First Call—Extra War Premium Practically Restricts Privates from Securing Insurance—One Company Makes a Decrease in War Premium, But Will Not Guarantee it Permanent—Insurance Men Interviewed.

What effect will the application of the Military Service Act have upon the insurance policies now held by those subject for the first draft, has been the subject of considerable controversy among policy holders of this class for the past few days. The Standard took occasion yesterday to visit several of the leading insurance offices in the city and in summing up the interviews granted, the whole situation is a matter which requires considerable study, not only by the companies but also by the government.

The most startling piece of information gained yesterday was that one company has already received advice from head office not to write up insurance for those coming under the first class, and another provincial manager stated that he anticipated such a step pending arrangements, which no doubt will follow. Contrasted with this, F. C. McLean, superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance, has received word to decrease the amount of the war premium, which was \$60 on a thousand, to \$37.50. Another company has been notified not to write short term policies other than for applicants over thirty-six years of age. This means that those liable for military service will not be granted the privilege of this form of policy.

The New York Life announces in the Economist, an insurance paper issued monthly, that hereafter term policies will be only issued under strict limitations for small amounts and on gift edge risks, and under no circumstances will term policies be issued on those liable to naval or military service. Other companies have increased the war premium to such an extent that it is practically restrictive, several charging as high as \$10 in addition to the regular premium.

Discussing the matter with G. W. Merritt of the Great West Life, he expressed the opinion that the life insurance business would suffer somewhat owing to the fact that in many cases the war premium was so high that the men eligible would not consider paying it. He said that the Great West along with other insurance companies, notwithstanding the war clause in the policy, waived this clause and those enlisting during the first stages of the war were not obliged to pay any additional sum. However, owing to the increase in mortality the company was obliged to ask an extra premium of \$50 each \$1,000 of insurance, providing the insured went to the front. But owing to the burden of the increased mortality the company has been obliged to increase this extra war premium to \$75 per thousand for the duration of the policy.

J. F. Weston, speaking at the convention of the Life Underwriters' Association held the third week in August, at which insurance men from this province were present, said: "For some years previous to the outbreak of the war the policies of the majority of our companies contained no re-

FINAL JUDGMENT WILL BE DELIVERED ON NEXT FRIDAY IN LIQUOR CASE

Magistrate of the Opinion that Apartments Not Considered a Dwelling House Under Act—John Brown Fined \$50.

The judgment which was to have been delivered yesterday afternoon by Magistrate Ritchie in a recent liquor case as to what constitutes a private dwelling house has been postponed until Friday of next week. The magistrate in going over the evidence took occasion to weigh carefully the evidence submitted by both the defendant and the prosecution, noting particularly the connection of the defendant's apartment upstairs with the store downstairs. He said that according to the act there should be no connection with the exception of a telephone, but in this case there was a hallway which led to a stairway connecting the upstairs with the store.

He expressed himself as satisfied that the defendant came technically under the act and although he was considered a highly respected citizen he could not consider that the place in which the liquor was found could be a private dwelling under the act.

On application of the counsel for the defendant, the magistrate deferred final judgment until next Friday.

John Brown, who was charged with supplying liquor to a party on August 18th was fined \$50. The fine was paid by his employer.

HON. F. B. M'CURDY IN CITY YESTERDAY

Parliamentary Secretary of Militia Department Has Been Big Figure in War Work—Conferred with General McLean.

Hon. F. B. McCurdy, parliamentary secretary of the Militia Department, was in the city yesterday en route to Ottawa to resume his executive duties. Hon. Mr. McCurdy has been in Halifax on official business. He was accompanied to St. John by R. McLeod of F. B. McCurdy & Co., and



HON. F. B. M'CURDY.

a well known Nova Scotia business man and promoter. Mr. McLeod is on a business trip to Montreal.

While in the city Hon. Mr. McCurdy conferred with Brigadier General McLean, officer in charge of the New Brunswick command, relative to militia matters in this district. Hon. Mr. McCurdy has made public figures, which show the absolute need of the adoption of conscription and he is impressed with the fact that the Canadian divisions require re-inforcements. He said that the public generally were quite familiar with the progress of events at Ottawa and there was nothing further that he could announce.

Since assuming the duties of parliamentary secretary of the militia department, Hon. Mr. McCurdy has been one of the most active men in Canada engaged in war work. He has been to the front and has personally seen the glorious work of the Canadians.

It was said in the city yesterday that it would be impossible to ascertain here the number of men from St. John who would be liable to be called out for service in the first draft. J. P. D. Tilley, K. C. said that in view of the signing of the National Service cards not being compulsory and that the campaign was for other purposes, the figures obtained would not be followed.

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SEVERAL REFUSED ENTRY.

Several persons were turned back by the United States immigration officials at the depot last evening. In most cases the parties did not have their birth certificates or other papers satisfactory to the authorities.

PTE. MCINTYRE WOUNDED.

Mrs. W. E. McIntyre, who is on a motor tour in Westmorland county, received official word from Ottawa last evening that W. S. McIntyre, formerly of this city, had been wounded again in France. Private McIntyre was slightly wounded in the battle of Vimy Ridge and had evidently not been at the front more than three or four days before he was wounded again. Mrs. McIntyre had a letter from him recently, in which he stated he was about to return to the firing line. Private McIntyre, who is a son of the late Dr. McIntyre, enlisted in Vancouver where he was a law student and crossed to France last March.

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MINISTER MAY TAKE STEPS TO EXTEND GLOSE SEASON

Scarcity of Moose and Deer This Season—War Will Have Effect of Reducing Number of Visiting Sportsmen from the United States—Letter from the Food Controller to Hon. Dr. Smith—The Cold Storage of the Meat.

Hon. Dr. E. A. Smith, Minister of Lands and Mines, was in the city last evening, a guest at the Royal Hotel. Replying to inquiries from The Standard, Hon. Dr. Smith said that he anticipated that the war would have quite a material effect on the number of sportsmen coming to New Brunswick from the United States this year. He said that the season would open on September 15th next, and judging by the records of the influx of sportsmen would be smaller than during normal times. In previous years a number of students came to New Brunswick to enjoy a big game hunt and the excellent fishing which the province afforded, but the war had operated to upset any plans of the unfortunates to return to New Brunswick this season. The falling off in the number of visitors means a consequent loss of revenue, which the minister said was absolutely uncontrollable.

Hon. Dr. Smith replying, said that so far as the advice received from the guides were concerned, there is a scarcity of big game in the woods. A number of deer died in the spring due to the heavy snow and other big game were not as plentiful as usual. Nevertheless there is sufficient game to provide amusement and sport for the visitors that may come to the province.

At the last session of the provincial legislative assembly Hon. Dr. Smith promoted legislation which gave permission to keep the meat in cold storage after the close of the open season. He said last evening that this was not applicable to sales of the meat, but only afforded permission to keep it for personal use. The demand for meat might operate to extend this privilege to dealers for the purposes of sale to the public, and if the conditions warranted it at the time he might introduce legislation permitting the storage for sale purposes when the legislature meets during the early part of next year.

As a sportsman himself Hon. Dr. Smith voiced the view that it would be desirable to extend the close season, or rather to defer the opening of it, until October 1st. The minister has recently received a letter from the food controller, Hon. W. J. Hanna, asking what the province could do along the lines of supplying meat of wild animals.

Hon. Dr. Smith left for his home in Shediac last evening.