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British Make New Drive; Press Germans Back

Attack This Morning Along Twelve Mile Front Near Arras

Progress Made Towards Fresnoy, Cherisy and Bellcourt in Making of Important Gains—French, in Champagne, Also Score a Noteworthy Success

London, May 3.—The British began another attack this morning. The war office announces that progress is being made. Some strong positions already have been captured by the British. The announcement follows:

"Heavy fighting is taking place all along the front from the Hindenburg line, south to the Zenna River, to the Achelle-Vimy road. Our troops are making progress and have already captured a number of strong hostile positions."

The new British attack takes in virtually the entire front on which the battle of Arras was begun on Easter Monday, and evidently is a major operation. It is the fourth great attack which the British have made along this line. The attacking front is about twelve miles long.

London, May 3.—Reuter's correspondent at the British headquarters reports that in their new attack of today the British made progress in the direction of Fresnoy and Cherisy, and also towards Bellcourt.

Paris, May 3.—The French made an important gain on the Champagne front last night, reducing the position which was still being held by the Germans in the new lines east of Mont Haut and capturing the German garrison of more than 200 men. The war office so announces. There was active patrol fighting on the Chemin des Dames lines.

JUST BEFORE DAWN  
The British attacked in the darkest hour preceding dawn this morning, striking at the German positions east of Arras. The infantry assault was delayed until half an hour after the half moon had gone down. The night was clear and star-lit and the almost ceaseless flashing of guns gave definite shape to the shadowy outlines of the salient points.

The correspondent says the attack was directed to the taking of certain points of considerable importance and to improving the British line. The British desire to gain complete mastery of dominating positions whence their artillery would be able more effectively to devastate the free troops which the Germans continue to throw in.

There was the usual preliminary bombardment of the German positions with gas shells and then the equally familiar creeping barrage working with absolute punctuality as the order to the men to go forward was snapped forth simultaneously down m's of trenches. Thousands of crouching figures formed into regular waves for the advance. Then came the inevitable deadly rattle of machine guns and rifle fire and the crashing of bursting bombs as the infantry reached the parapet of the first enemy trench.

As to the results obtained, the correspondent adds, reports thus far are vague, but the British made progress in several directions—toward Fresnoy and Cherisy, and also toward Bellcourt, which is a point on the Hindenburg line. The Germans counter-attacked heavily near Gavrelle and Loos. These onslaughts were dealt with satisfactorily by the British gunners.

BRITISH HEADQUARTERS IN FRANCE, May 3, via London.—(From a staff correspondent of the Associated Press)—Another day of the continuing British attacks was fought against the Germans early this morning. Hard fighting is in progress under a warm spring sun. There has been no rain for more than ten days now and the battlefields at times are enveloped in dust. British reinforcements moving along the roads toward the front look like millers under heavy layers of chalk-white powder. The attacks are as yet meagre, but it appears that satisfactory progress is being made. The attack was on a wide front. At Bellcourt the British took another bite into the Hindenburg line.

NEW SHERIFF OF YORK TAKES UP DUTIES

Frederickson, May 3.—John B. Hawthorn, lately employed at McAdam, has entered upon his duties as sheriff of York. The appointment is a very popular one and he is being overwhelmed with congratulations. The new sheriff will act as jailer but owing to a serious illness of Jailer Timmins he will not take charge of the institution until June 1. Mr. Hawthorn was deputy sheriff and jailer for twenty-five years under the old government and gave every satisfaction. The retiring sheriff, Mr. Howe, who has held office for eight years, will remove to Stanley. There has been a good run of black salmon in the Miramichi at Boiestown this week and anglers have killed some with rod and fly. Bandman Harry Brundage of the 20th Battalion, and Miss Edna Case, daughter of Mrs. Edgar Case, were married last evening by Rev. Thomas Marshall. They were afterwards serenaded by the regimental band.

TODAY'S BALL GAMES

National League—Boston at Philadelphia, clear, 3:30 p.m.; St. Louis at Pittsburgh, cloudy, 3 p.m.; Cincinnati at Chicago, clear, 3 p.m.; Brooklyn at New York, clear, 3:30 p.m.  
American League—Chicago at Cleveland, clear, 3 p.m.; Detroit at St. Louis, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.; New York at Washington, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.; Philadelphia at Boston, cloudy, 3 p.m.  
International League—Newark at Buffalo, cloudy, 4 p.m.; Baltimore at Toronto, cloudy, 3:15 p.m.; Richmond at Rochester, cloudy, 4 p.m. Only games scheduled.

ON MACEDONIAN FRONT

Paris, May 3.—"There was heavy artillery fighting near Juma and in the Cerna Bend on May 1," says today's official report from the Macedonian front. "On Monday night the Russians repulsed an enemy reconnoitering party. The bombardment of Monastir continued."

FRENCH VISITORS LEAVE FOR CHICAGO

Washington, May 3.—Members of the French commission will leave late today on a special train for Chicago, the first leg of a tour of the country, which will last a week or ten days. Public authorities in cities and states through which the party will pass have been notified privately by the state department of arrangements for the itinerary but for safety sake, details will not be published in advance. Some experts of the commission will remain over a work out war questions with American officials.

KING'S APPEAL TO PEOPLE FOR ECONOMY AT TABLE

London, May 3.—The appeal of King George to the public to economize in consumption of food was read at noon today from the steps of the Royal Exchange and of all town halls throughout the country. The lord mayor and sheriffs attended the ceremony in London, and large crowds assembled.

McBRIDE TO BE RETAINED

Victoria, B.C., May 3.—The legislature yesterday passed a vote for the salary of Sir Richard McBride, commissioner for British Columbia in London, for the year ending next March, thus disposing of rumors that he would be removed during this session.

714 AIRPLANES SHOT DOWN DURING MONTH OF APRIL

London, May 23.—A compilation from British, French and German official communications show that 714 airplanes were shot down on the western front during April. The Germans lost 909, the French and Belgians 201 and the British 147. This is a great increase over the losses for any similar period. The highest previous total was 522 in last September.

CASUALTY LIST HAS NAMES OF MORE BRAVE SONS OF ST. JOHN TODAY

Lieut. Herbert McDonald, Only Son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McDonald Gives Life—Several Others Missing and Believed Killed

Expressions of regret were heard on all sides when it was learned that Lieut. Herbert D. McDonald of Douglas avenue, only son of Charles McDonald, managing director of the St. John Iron Works, had been killed in action. The sad news was received by his father in an official telegram from Ottawa, which said he had been reported killed in action on April 28.

Lieutenant McDonald left St. John attached to a siege battery unit, which was under the command of Major Allen Smith. He was an efficient officer as evidenced in the fact that he won honors both in Montreal and Halifax gunners schools, and in the respect and esteem in which he was held by his superiors. After graduating from the St. John High School, Lieutenant McDonald began the study of drafting and, aided by practical experience at the St. John Iron Works, soon became proficient, and in time became the head draftsman in the works. His mechanical ability also was recognized and he was acting mechanical superintendent of the plant prior to enlisting.

When the news was circulated about the works this morning that he had been killed, a gloom settled over the plant and many an eye filled with tears. He was a general favorite with all for his unreserved kindness and sincerity of spirit, which found friends in him. He is survived by his father and mother, who in this sad hour, when so great a sorrow has visited their home, may rest assured that they have the sympathy and condolence of a host of friends and acquaintances.

Pte. Frank L. Portmore, was reported killed or missing since April 9 was the sad news which Mr. Andrew Huiat of 79 Market Place, West St. John, received from Ottawa this morning. He crossed to England with a western battalion and was sent to the front in January. Since that time he engaged in several battles and had escaped injury. It is thought that he was either captured or killed during the big drive toward Arras.

Although born and brought up in St. John, Private Portmore lived for many years in the Miramichi at Boiestown where he was a rancher on Massett Island, in the Pacific. He was in St. John some eight years ago and lived in the states some five years ago while on a tour of the west. His wife and two small children reside on the west side.

Pte. John D. Dowling  
That Pte. John D. Dowling, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Henderson of Golden Grove, was officially reported as killed in action in the recent heavy fighting on the western front, which made its way into a peaceful country home last evening. Pte. Henderson was a member of a New Brunswick unit and had crossed to France in a draft. He had been through some fighting previous to being hit. He was regarded as a fine type of soldier.

As a young man he was well and very favorably known in his own place and in the city. He was only twenty years of age, of sterling qualities and had many friends. He leaves his parents, one brother, Arthur, and one sister, Mrs. Boyle, in the states. A brother, John, an electrician, was killed in the states some few years ago while about his work, having come in contact with a live wire.

Although this second sorrow has entered their home, the sacrifice is noble and everlasting honor of a grateful country will go to Pte. Ira Henderson.

Pte. H. S. Arling  
Pte. James Arling of Main street received a telegram this morning from Ottawa informing her that her son, Pte. Harry Spurgeon Arling, was officially reported missing since April 9. He left St. John attached to a well known New Brunswick unit, and after remaining in England for some time was drafted to France to another Canadian battalion.

He was eighteen years of age, and prior to enlisting had been employed at fishing. He was a former pupil in Dufferin school. Besides his parents, he has three brothers, Gunner Nicholas B. Arling, who is in France with a Canadian siege battery; Thomas and Roy at home, and three sisters, Cora, Hazel and Genevieve at home.

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SHAKESPEARE DAY  
London, May 3.—Shakespeare day was observed today throughout England and France. All the schools in Great Britain held special exercises. The principal celebration took place in King's College, London, in the presence of representatives of Great Britain, France and the United States.

NEW SCHOONER  
Captain Baker of the steamship Marguerite reports that good progress is being made with a three-masted motor schooner, which is under construction in Marguerite, N. S., for the J. A. Balmont Company. The vessel will be 300 tons register and will be modernly equipped.

Phelix and Pfierbrand  
Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, L. F. Sturges, director of meteorological service.

WEATHER REPORT  
Synopsis.—There are three well defined disturbances on the chart this morning, centred over the maritime provinces, the southern states, and the western provinces, respectively, while an area of high pressure covers the Great Lakes. Showers have occurred from Eastern Ontario to the maritime provinces, and cold weather prevails over the dominion.

Cloudy and Cool  
Maritime—Fresh winds, mostly south-west and west, mostly cloudy and cool today and on Friday. Some local fogs of snow or rain.  
New England—Fair tonight and Friday. Frost in interior; moderate north-west to west winds.

SEES CRUCIAL PERIOD OF THE WAR AT HAND

President of German Reichstag Is Boastful

HE ATTACKS WILSON

At Opening of Reichstag Declares in High Sounding Words That Germans Will Fight on and That All Is Well

Amsterdam, via London, May 3.—The German Reichstag resumed its session today. The president of the chamber, Dr. Johannes Kaempf, in his opening address, speaking of the entry of the United States into the war, said a new and mighty opponent had joined the ranks of Germany's enemies.

President Wilson in a message to congress on April 2 declared he was waging war against the Germans in the interests of mankind and of justice. President Wilson, Dr. Kaempf declared, had lost his sight in making this assertion since he had not stirred a finger to hinder England when England announced her war of starvation against Germany, a war in violation of all human and international rights. President Wilson had lost his sight when he rejected the German proposal to secure vessels in certain routes which carried no contraband and by this rejection exposed his own complicity to danger and death.

This remark evoked thunderous applause. "With our trust hearts blood we establish the German Kaiserdom and with our trust hearts blood we shall fight for the Kaiser and the empire (Renewed applause) What our forefathers fought for and longed for, what we have achieved on the battlefield will not be less even if the committee of the Reichstag set up by our trust hearts blood is a failure."

"We decline all interfering by a foreign government in our internal affairs. If all signs are not misleading the decisive point of the world's war is approaching. We see our faithful troops standing the enemy's assaults. Our U-boat will show England the conservator's error in insisting on ferocious starvation war. We proved our financial strength by a sixth war loan. The world is now firm belief in Germany's star and in a peace which will secure for all time the fatherland's peace and honor."

Amsterdam, via London, May 3.—Advisers received from Berlin says that a constituent committee of the Reichstag was formed on Wednesday with Philipp Scheidemann, a Socialist, as president, and Dr. Von Veit, a Conservative, as vice-president.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST GERMAN CHANCELLOR AGAIN IN FULL SWING

Copenhagen, May 3, via London.—Such German newspapers as are now permitted to reach here, although evidently carefully selected for the absence of military news, or any information in regard to the strike movement, and the campaign against Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg is again in full swing.

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An official British admiralty statement issued on April 16 said that in consequence of German submarine attacks on British hospital ships a large squadron of British hospital ships is being sent to the German town of Hamburg and that many bombs had been dropped with good results. The following day the Berlin war office said eleven persons had been killed and twenty-seven injured in the air raid.

EIGHTY-EIGHT DEAD IN OTTAWA CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, May 3.—The daily casualty list is again becoming heavier. In list of 276 names issued at noon there are 81 killed and 27 died of wounds, 22 missing and 166 wounded.

MANY STUDENTS OF N. H. COLLEGE DOING WAR WORK  
Durham, N. H., May 3.—The registrar of New Hampshire college announced on Tuesday that of the 350 students, twenty had left college in the last few days to take places on farms in the food conservation campaign. Thirty students have been applied for admission to the military training camp at Plattsburgh and forty are completing examination for commissions in the regular army.

SUBMARINE MENACE

WILSON INTEREST OF THE BRITISH COMMISSION

FLOUR GOES UP \$1.20 BARREL IN ST. JOHN TODAY

The rise of \$1.20 a barrel in all grades of flour reported from Montreal last night, went into effect here today. This makes the wholesale price \$12.40 for Manitoba and \$12.45 for Ontario.

Local dealers are unwilling to make future course of the market. The high price, some say, is due almost entirely to the general action of housewives throughout the United States in attempting to lay in war stocks of flour, the tremendous demand thus created having boosted the market beyond normal. This situation is similar to that here when war was first declared and the price jumped suddenly, only to fall off again later.

At the same time, the record prices for wheat must be taken into consideration as the millers say they cannot sell flour at low prices when they are paying such high figures for wheat. The wheat increase may be due to a possible shortage in supplies as compared with prospective demands but it is regarded as being due much more to speculative influences and to the lack of government control such as has been found necessary in other countries.

If panic conditions continue in the United States it is possible that flour will show further advances, the limit it reaches being impossible to judge. Experts, however, have found encouragement in the emergency efforts of the shipping board and the availability of many German ships.

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WAR AND BUSINESS NEWS IN WALL STREET

New York, May 3.—Secretary McAdoo announces first issue of Liberty Loan of \$2,000,000,000. Appeals to every citizen to subscribe.

Amocoils exacted \$21.80 a share in 1914, compared with \$7.10 in 1913.

Plans now being effected to transfer work of buying for Allies from J. P. Morgan & Co. to United States government.

NEW ENGLAND COMMITTEES FAVOR DAYLIGHT SAVING

A committee representing the committees on public safety of all the New England states met in Boston on Tuesday to consider the proposed daylight saving plan. The committee summarized its conclusion in the following resolution:—"We unanimously favor the daylight saving plan and advocate that our governors, committees and councils urge its immediate adoption by congress as a war measure."

THE WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, May 3.—Wheat prices today continued the advance started by postponement of the German chancellor's speech that was intended to outline new peace terms.

STILL SLEIGHING

Farmers reaching the city report considerable snow in the woods and that some morning this week the ground was frozen very hard. They say that this is remarkable, and that last year and in their recent years the snow was almost completely melted at this time of the season. Very far back in the country lightning is reported, but this is where the roads have not experienced very much traffic.

WASHINGTON DENITELY LEARNED THIS TODAY

PLANS TO MEET IT

United States Likely to Restrict Imports and Exports So As To Curtail Amount of Non-Essential Freight Being Carried by Vessels

Washington, May 3.—That the submarine menace and ways to combat it by increased shipping, rate selection and naval co-operation are the main interests of the British mission were certain today from many sources. The issue was focused by Premier Lloyd George's statement in parliament recently that the need was for ships and still more ships. Lord Percy's explanation here that destruction was outrunning construction and declarations of Secretaries Lansing and Lane that the submarine situation is grave. It is now evident that other matters before the British commission, however vital, are being subordinated.

The British naval officers in coming to this country hoped to get a considerable number of small boats to use as submarines, but they have been disappointed to discover that the few available are needed here. The British shipping experts, however, have found encouragement in the emergency efforts of the shipping board and the availability of many German ships.

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One of the greatest uncertainties of the situation is a total ignorance of the number of U boats Germany is building. Admiral de Chair has estimated this at two or three a week, but many officials here believe it possible to turn out many more on standard plans.

Would Keep up Mardorock Work

Amsterdam, May 3.—The Berlin Reichstag, dealing with the submarine situation, says: "Certain elements are again at work aiming at the restoration of the old policy, which pitifully failed, of running after Great Britain and America—the logical condition sought being that the submarine warfare should be again restricted." The newspaper denounces the propaganda as not only fatal but also villainous and criminal.

REPRISALS FOR BARBARITY OF THE GERMANS

London, May 3.—In the House of Lords yesterday the Archbishop of Canterbury again at work aiming at the restoration of the old policy, which pitifully failed, of running after Great Britain and America—the logical condition sought being that the submarine warfare should be again restricted." The newspaper denounces the propaganda as not only fatal but also villainous and criminal.

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Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

Winnifred Evans Toronto Song Demonstrator Will Be Heard at Lyric Tivoli With Usual Vaudeville and Serial

LITTLE MARY AS A SCOTCH LASSIE Mary Pickford will soon be seen in this city in the second production of her own corporation released by Aircraft. It is called "The Pride of the Clan" and as the central figure of a Scotch story of strong human and heart appeal, the famous star will create the role of a lassie of the heather, adding another interesting impersonation to the always remembered favorites that make up the gallery of Mary Pickford creations.

SEE THEM AT GEM The Gem's remarkable programme of features caught the fancy of patrons last night. If you were not there you still have chances tonight and Friday. It's a big bill—Xavier, the Human Dynamo, Misses Todding and Bates and a master picture, Holbrook Blinn in "The Weakness of Man."

GOVERNMENT IS PREPARING FOR HOUSE OPENING Fredericton, May 3.—The provincial government is in session today with all members present except Provincial Secretary Murray, who is suffering from an affection of the eyes and is under a doctor's care. Work of preparing for the approaching session of the legislature next Thursday is being proceeded with energetically.

LAST EVENING A delegation from the U. N. B. asked the government to make good a deficit this year caused by falling off in tuition fees in consequence of students enlisting for active service. Consideration was promised.

There has been some delay in making appointments in connection with the prohibition act but responsibility rests upon the old government which should have gone out of office sooner than it did. However, the act is now in force and necessary officials will be appointed as soon as possible and can be arranged by the inspector.

Telegrams and letters have been received from all parts of the province commending the action taken by the government in connection with the campaign for greater production. The meeting here tomorrow promises to be a great success. Governor Wood will deliver the opening address and will be followed by speeches by other prominent men. Decisions reached by the conference will be promptly carried into effect.

The annual convocation at the U. N. B. will take place on Thursday, May 17. Hon. J. D. Hazen was invited to speak for the Alumni Society, but he is not expected to be present. Prof. Siles will speak in praise of the university. Charles R. Smith will deliver the valedictory and Sir E. McLeod will address the graduating class.

ADVANCE OF 25 CENTS A TON IN PRICE OF COAL The Lehigh Valley Coal Sales Company announced on Monday an advance over the April circular coal prices of 25 cents a ton in consequence of the increase from 11 to 33 per cent in wages granted by the operators to the anthracite mine workers on Wednesday last.

The new tide-water prices for May are as follows: Broken, \$2.20 a ton, \$5.80; stove, \$5.55, and chestnut, \$5.60. These prices will be increased 10 cents a month for the next four months, when the full winter schedule will be reached.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS, 50c. DEATHS MACMURRAY—Killed in action, April 9, somewhere in France, Pte. Thos. Armstrong MacMurray, son of Thos. E. and Alberta MacMurray, leaving besides his parents, four sisters and three brothers to mourn.

CAMPBELL in this city on the 3rd instant, Isabella, widow of the late John Campbell and daughter of the late John and Isabella Smith, aged seventy-eight years, leaving one son, three daughters, five sisters and two brothers to mourn. Notice of funeral later.

Dr. J. J. and Mrs. Haggerty and their daughter, Frances Stephanie, returned to Montreal on Tuesday after spending the winter here. McCANN—On May 2, 1917, Lila, wife of Owen McCann, leaving her husband, two sons and three daughters. Funeral Friday, at 2:30 o'clock, from her late residence, 62 King street, Friends invited to attend.

MACGREGOR—In this city, on the 2nd inst., Catherine Macgregor, daughter of the late Charles T. Macgregor, leaving one brother and one sister to mourn. Funeral Thursday, May 3, from the residence of William Crowley, 184 Union street. Service at 2:30 o'clock.

SALDENIS—In this city on the second inst., Irvine, second son of Lizzie and Alfred Saunders, of Gondola Point, (Portland, Maine, and Los Angeles papers please copy.) Funeral from his parents' residence Friday afternoon at 2:30.

WORDEN—In this city on the 3rd inst., Frank L. Worden, leaving his wife, one son and two brothers to mourn. Funeral on Saturday afternoon from his late residence, 14 Harling street; services at 2:30. Friends invited.

IN MEMORIAM HAMILTON—In loving memory of William Hamilton, son of W. J. Hamilton, 60 Harrison street, who died May 1, 1916.

THE BRUNSWICK SOLD

Bay Steamer to Be Employed in Newfoundland Service The steamer Brunswick, which for the last fifteen years has been plying between St. John and Minas Basin ports, was sold by the Bay of Fundy Minus Basin Steamship Company to Mr. Begg of Newfoundland. The steamer will be placed on a Newfoundland coast route in freight and passenger service. The Brunswick was built in Canning, N. S., in 1902 and is seventy-eight tons register. With the exception of one winter, when she was on the Grand Manan route, she plied between St. John and Minas Basin ports. Captain Moore of Bear River, is at present in command. Although the Brunswick will be withdrawn from this service the company plan to place another of their steamers on the route.

PERSONALS Mrs. J. Thompson, who spent Easter with the family of her sister, the late Mrs. H. Gray, returned from New York on the Boston train on Saturday evening. Harold J. Sullivan of this city left last evening for Montreal. Mrs. Metcalf, wife of the late ex-Governor Metcalf of Liverpool, Albert county, has been ill with pneumonia the last fortnight, but is now recovering.

DANISH FISHERMEN RESUME OPERATIONS Copenhagen, May 3.—The Danish fisheries in the North Sea, whose operations were temporarily suspended owing to a shortage of gasoline and the danger from mines, are again busy with highly satisfactory results. Twelve tons of codfish were caught in a single day by two cutters. More than 100 cutters are operating from Esbjerg Harbor alone.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. William J. Forbes took place this afternoon from her late residence, East St. John. Services were conducted by Rev. J. A. MacKinnon and Rev. H. A. Anderson. Interment was made in Cedar Hill. The funeral of Miss Catherine Macgregor took place this afternoon from the residence of William Crowley, 184 Union street. Services were conducted by Rev. H. A. Anderson. Interment was made in Fernhill.

LOCAL NEWS F. L. WORDEN DEAD Many will learn with regret of the death of Frank L. Worden which occurred at his residence, 14 Harling street, this morning. Mr. Worden was well known throughout the city and for some time conducted a meat business at Sydney street. He was later employed with J. L. Davis & Son. Besides his wife, he is survived by one son, Kenneth, who lives at home, and two brothers. The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon from his late residence.

ARE IMPROVING Allan Kennedy, clerk in the Victoria Hotel, is reported to be improved in the General Public Hospital this afternoon and it is considered that he will recover. William Winchester, who was injured at the same time, is also showing steady improvement in his home, in Waterloo street.

WALLACE BURNS, fourteen-year-old son of George Burns, of Fairville, who was seriously injured on Monday afternoon by being kicked by a horse, is also said to be on the mend in the hospital.

BOWLERS INTERESTED City bowling enthusiasts are looking forward with interest to a series which will commence on Black's alley, this evening, between the Sweggs and Tigers, winners of the third and fourth series in the City Bowling League. The series will be best two out of three games, total pinfall of each game to count. The winners will then be pitted against the Bamburys, winners of the first and second series in a play-off for the league championship. The line-up of the Sweggs will be McIver, Gambin, Poshay, Ferguson, Sullivan and Jenkins. Tigers: Belyea, White, Howard, Baile and Lamney.

MRS. ISABELLA CAMPBELL A little after noon today Mrs. Isabella Campbell, widow of John Campbell, passed away at her home, 24 Stratford street, following a lengthy illness. Mrs. Campbell was a daughter of the late John and Isabella Smith, of St. John. She was seventy-eight years of age and had always lived in this city. She leaves, besides a large circle of friends, one son, Robert D., of this city, and three daughters, Mrs. Charles K. Short, Mrs. Margaret R., both of this city, Miss Janet A., graduate nurse, in Hartford, Connecticut. She also leaves five sisters, Mrs. S. N. Knowlton, Mrs. E. C. Smith, Mrs. James Malcolm and Mrs. Andrew Malcolm, all of this city, and Mrs. William J. P. of Albany, N.Y.; also two brothers, George V. and John A. Y., of St. John. Many friends will regret to learn of her death.

BRITAINS WAR BILL NOW \$1,575,000 PER DAY In the budget announcements yesterday in the British Commons, it was made known that Great Britain's war expenditures have reached \$1,575,000 daily, but the chancellor of the exchequer announced that the nation is able to bear the financial strain. Various new taxation provisions were announced, including an eighty per cent tax on excess profits.

MORE TROOPS REACH ENGLAND FROM CANADA Ottawa, May 3.—It is officially announced that the following troops have arrived safely in England: 2nd Battalion—229th Moosejaw, 229th Battleford; 151st Brandon, 214th Saskatchewan, 221st Winnipeg, 216th and 294th Toronto.

No. 2 section skilled railway employes, drafts, horse artillery, field artillery from Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary and Kingston; Infantry for 210th, 281st and 284th battalions; medical corps, cyclists; Newfoundlanders, naval details.

NEWFOUNDLAND LEGISLATURE St. John, Nfld., May 3.—The Newfoundland legislature, which ordinarily convenes about the middle of February has not yet begun this year's session, because of the absence of the premier, Sir Edward Morris, who is attending the colonial conference in London. It is not known when he will return. Well informed parliamentarians express the opinion that the session will not open before June 1 and that it will be brief, as most of the members of the legislature are connected with the fishing industry which at that time will be in its busiest season.

LOCAL NEWS

Dr. Logie removed 173 Princess, 5-6 Re-opening of the Chocolate Shop on Thursday afternoon, 90 King street. 5-4

TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL Regular meeting Friday evening. A full attendance is requested.

M. R. A. advertisement, page 3, T.F. Satisfactory Shopping—Bassens', 11-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches.

Regular monthly meeting of The King's Daughters on Friday afternoon at 8:30 at The Guild.

Ten dollars will buy ladies' gold filled watch bracelet, just arrived—Poyas & Co., 12 King Square. 5-5

Walking boots, with good stout soles, made for spring weather conditions, 100 per cent—Ideal Shoe Store, 103 Union street, W.E.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL A. Morin, Tailor, has removed to 32 Germain street. 5-5

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Sergeant Garfield Percy C. Tilt, killed in action, as reported in Wednesday's Times.

SENSATIONAL THINGS ON GEM PROGRAMME

Xavier, a Wonder, Toys With Electricity—Holbrook Blinn in Big Picture

The Gem last night, in its new programme, presented much that was out of the ordinary. The outstanding feature was a performance given by Xavier, the Human Dynamo, who performs feats with powerful electric currents that, to say the least, are startling. He seems to defy this deadly force and assimilate electricity into his system without fear or harm. Among the feats performed by this remarkable man is the production of an arc light inside his bare hands and between his teeth sends child's play to him. During various acts each feat is explained by John D. McDonald, whose striking resemblance to the noted David Belasco has been a matter of comment by critics in America.

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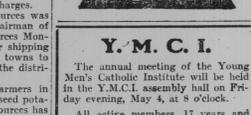
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Y. M. C. I. The annual meeting of the Young Men's Catholic Institute will be held in the Y.M.C.I. assembly hall on Friday evening, May 4, at 8 o'clock.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION SO. XI SILVER MOON FEEDER for sale, in good condition. No reasonable offer refused. Apply Mrs. Strange, 449 Main street. T.F.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES Bedford Peters of Cambria was acquitted of a charge of killing John McCarthy, a demoralized man, in that village on Friday night. The verdict of the coroner's jury was justifiable homicide. McCarthy was, at one time, an inmate of the Provincial Hospital in Fairville.

The Joshua Knight homestead at Pennfield was yesterday destroyed by fire. The loss was estimated at more than \$8,000.

A Children's Aid Society was organized for Moncton last night with Mayor Masters as honorary president.

Nerves Weak Had Hysterics Orilla Lady Tells of Her Pittable Condition when the Nerves Gave Way and She Became Sleepless, Irritable and Excited

Orilla, Ont., May 3.—There is an abundance of proof found right here in Orilla that Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is unrivaled as a means of forming new, rich blood and building up the exhausted nervous system.

At this season almost everybody feels the need of restorative, tonic treatment to keep up vitality and ward off the tired, languid feelings. This letter will give you some idea of the splendid results to be obtained by using this great food cure.

Mrs. Percy Moulding, 28 West street, Orilla, Ont., writes: "Some years ago my nerves got the better of me. I became so bad that on one occasion, during a thunderstorm, I had a severe attack of hysterics. This became anxious about my condition. I was sleepless and nervous debility that were my trouble. Some nights it would be 1 o'clock before I could get to sleep. Knowing the good results obtained from the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, I commenced a treatment. I took about seven boxes and gradually I could feel my nerves becoming steady and my appetite returning. I could sleep well and stay alone without any difficulty. Some little time ago I commenced losing in weight, and I began using the Nerve Food again as a tonic. I used only two boxes and recovered the weight I had lost. I cannot speak too highly of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and when I see anyone looking ill or nervous I say: 'Get busy and use some Nerve Food!'"

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, a full treatment of 5 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Imitations are disappointing.

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Women's Cambric Aprons, mid. and over all size... Priced 35c, 50c and 60c each  
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Out-sizes... \$1.65 each

**CARLETON'S**  
245 Waterloo Street, Corner Brindley Street. Store Open Until 8 p.m.

#### TENNYSON ON FREE WHEAT

(Halifax Chronicle)

One of the most eloquent opponents of reciprocity was Mr. Middleboro, Conservative M.P. for North Grey. Listen to this:

"Long before the sunset and evening star of our twentieth century; long before its twilight and evening bell, yes, long before its noontide arrives, we shall, as a nation, have crossed the bar, lured to sleep and lured to death, through this insidious pact, into commercial, political and national absorption with the great republic to the south of us, only to add

### LOCAL NEWS

#### ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MAY 2

A.M. P.M.  
High Tide... 9.09 Low Tide... 3.29  
Sun Rises... 5.15 Sun Sets... 7.25  
Time used is Atlantic Standard.

About sixty members of the Boys' Club enjoyed a picture talk last evening and at the end three cheers were given for S. B. Busin, whose lanterns threw on the screen a varied series of entertaining and instructive slides.

About fifteen Catholic friends of the Boys' Industrial Home visited the institution last evening and entertained the boys with a treat. Music was provided and games were enjoyed, following which refreshments were served.

John Collins, the well known I.C.R. policeman, rounded out thirty-seven years as a policeman on May 1 and is thus the oldest man who has done police duty continuously in St. John. Mr. Collins joined the North End force in 1880 under Chief Rawlings.

A very entertaining programme was given by the crew of a steamer now in port in the Seaman's Institute last evening. The proceeds went to the mission. Those who took part were: J. Williams, W. Halliwell, R. Murray, Coady, J. Jones, W. Needham, Mrs. Audette, pianist, assisted by Mr. Griffith.

A public meeting was held last evening in Centenary church school room to discuss the women's franchise bill, which will come before the local legislature at its coming session. Rev. W. H. Barracough, Mrs. R. J. Hooper, Mrs. E. J. Fawcett, W. F. Hatheway and others spoke of the importance of the bill for the women of this province.

In the police court yesterday afternoon the preliminary examination of Harry Koval, charged with causing bodily harm to John Williams by stabbing him at his home 35 Long Wharf, April 16, was concluded and the man was committed for trial. Michael Simiak, who was arrested in connection with the matter, was discharged from custody. Both men are soldiers.

#### That Sink Hole

Halifax Chronicle—J. E. Armstrong, M.P. for West Lunenburg, said in 1911: "If this deal goes through, our great transcontinental railway will be but a sink hole for the wealth of our country. Our trade and shipping will be done by the Yankees, because the cars and boats which carry the wheat south will not come back empty." Mr. Armstrong is supporting a government which has taken the final and inevitable step to establish the "sink hole." O tempora, O mores!

#### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris, of Gibson, announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Miss Mildred Harris to Francis B. West, of New York.

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#### D. Boyaner, optician, has closed their Dock street store. Their up-town store, 111 Charlotte street, is their only address.

#### OUR MOTTO

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#### READY FOR INSPECTION

Our big display of spring overcoats in all styles and colors from \$12 to \$24. Call while the stock is complete.—Turner, out of the high-street district, 446 Main, T.F.

For sale, sectional refrigerator, \$60. 1-2x1-2x1-2 feet. Phone 2445-11. t. f.

#### Dr. Bentley has removed his office and residence to 138 Charlotte, Telephone Main 1064.

#### "KEATING" YOUR WINTER THINGS

before you put them away. Furs, Blankets, Woolen Clothing, Carpets, Curtains—everything subject to damage by moths—preserved by "Keating's". Used dry, it will not injure the most delicate fabric—and it is effective. Tins, 10c, 25c, 35c. Harold F. Ritchie & Co. Limited, Toronto, Sole Agents for Canada.

### PLANTING CORN IN DRILLS OR ON HILLS

(Experimental Farms Note.)  
Experiment at Cape Rouge.—From 1911 to 1915 inclusive, or during five years, all the corn grown on 97.8 acres was weighed, every load of it. Each season a lot was planted in rows forty-eight inches apart, with about eight inches between the plants, another lot in rows forty-two inches apart with about eight inches between the plants, another lot in hills forty-two inches apart, and still another lot in hills thirty-six inches apart. The Longfellow variety was used, and the land, both before and after putting in the corn, was treated alike.

More tonnage from the drills.—The results show conclusively that more tonnage can be had by sowing in drills, the figures being as follows:  
Drills forty-eight inches apart, 20,819 pounds per acre.  
Drills forty-two inches apart, 19,887 pounds per acre.  
Hills thirty-six inches apart, 12,402 pounds per acre.  
Hills forty-two inches apart, 12,859 pounds per acre.

During the five years of the experiment there were dry, wet, warm and cold seasons, so that the average can be taken as a fair one, as far as temperature and precipitation go. In four years out of five the drills gave the highest tonnage, and in the other, there was a difference of only about 4 per cent in favor of the hills.

Much more nutrients from the drills. To find out the nutrients in corn grown at each distance, samples were taken from every lot and sent to Dominion Chemists for analysis. The average of five years shows that the drills gave the greatest number of pounds of nutrients per acre.  
Drills forty-eight inches apart, 1,176 pounds nutrients per acre.  
Drills forty-two inches apart, 1,026 pounds nutrients per acre.  
Hills, forty-two inches apart, 644 pounds nutrients per acre.  
Hills, thirty-six inches apart, 691 pounds nutrients per acre.

How to plant.—In four years out of five at Cape Rouge, the drills forty-two inches apart gave higher yields than those of forty-eight inches apart, but as the difference in tonnage is not very high, it does not seem to matter much between one way or the other. An ordinary grain drill was used, by closing spouts so that the required width was left between the rows.

### TO LIFT DENTAL STANDARD

New Columbia School to Demand Six Years' Study

Columbia University has perfected its plans for raising dental education to the standard set by the university in medicine. It will organize a dental school which will not only fit students for practice, but will offer advanced training to practitioners and instruct women as dental nurses and clinical assistants.

The school will not be part of the medical school, but will be closely allied to it. Instead of taking high school students and turning them out to practice after three years Columbia will require its dental students to complete two years in a college, then spend two years in gaining a foundation in medicine, and take up specialized training in dentistry in the last two years of this six-year course. A student of dentistry must thus fulfill the same requirements for admission as the student in the College of Physicians and Surgeons. Dentistry specialists recognize the value of requiring the dental student to take two years' work in medicine because many bodily ailments, formerly nursing, are now traceable directly to bad teeth, and it is highly important to a patient that a dentist should have sufficient medical education to understand more than the mere mechanical care of the teeth. It is this which Columbia aims to make the standard of dental education.

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Shortening—1 lb. blocks... 28c  
Large tin Tomato Sauce Beans... 45c  
4 lb. tin Strawberry Jam... 45c  
5 lb. tin Corn Syrup... 25c  
4 lb. tin Evaporated Milk... 25c  
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New Laid Eggs... 40c doz.  
Jersey Cream Baking Powder... 22c can  
Good Prunes... 15c, 2 lbs. 25c  
Evaporated Apples... 15c lb.  
Evaporated Peaches... 15c lb.  
Bee Jelly Powder... 7c, 4 pkgs. 25c

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| Borax (Pound)... 17c  | Bon-Ami... 10c  | Beef, Iron and Wine, 75c                        |
| Babbitt's Lye... 10c  | Babbitt's Cleanser... 5c  | BLAUD'S IRON PILLS Improved—Soft 100 for 19c.   |
| Boss Hand Cleaner... 9c   | Babbitt's Soap Powder... 4c   | Blaud's Nux Iron Pills 100 for 50c.             |
| Babbitt's Soap Powder... 4c   | Camphor... 5c and 10c   | Baby's Own Tablets, 21c                         |
| Carborine... 19c  | Croftin, 5c, 10c, 15c, 25c  | Catarrhoeum... 15c                              |
| Cyclone... 22c  | Carpet Cleaner... 21c   | Cacarets... 9c and 21c                          |
| Castile Soap (1 lb.)... 12c   | Castile Soap (1 lb.)... 12c   | Catarrhoeum... 15c                              |
| Carpet Cleaner... 21c   | Canvas Gloves... 19c  | Dodd's Pills... 45c                             |
| Castile Soap (1 lb.)... 12c   | Dyes... 8c  | Ferrous... 45c                                  |
| Canvas Gloves... 19c  | Gold Soap... 5c   | Ferrous... 45c                                  |
| Dyes... 8c  | Gold Paint... 10c   | FRUITATIVES 25c. Size... For 19c.               |
| Gold Soap... 5c   | GERMICIDE Pleasant and Stainless, Disinfectant and Deodorizer 25c. Large Bottle | Fellow's Syrup... \$1.14                        |
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(Toronto Saturday Night)

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TO-MORROW'S CONFERENCE

St. John should be well represented at the conference in Fredericton to-morrow on the subject of increased production. There should be the closest co-operation between the urban and rural communities in this matter.

CANADA AT WAR.

Canada is at war. Every day brings a long list of casualties—the grim and terrible record of the price paid by the Canadian people for their devotion to the Empire and the cause of civilization.

Canada is at war. Every day brings the call for men for greater production, for more of sacrifice, for more effective mobilization of the whole country.

Canada is at war. In England, because that country is also at war, the whole machinery of the nation is keyed up to the highest tension.

Canada is at war. Her people see national governments in England, France and other countries, and see the Democratic president of the United States appointing a Republican to a position of the greatest importance.

Canada is at war. We still have the patronage committee at the great agency by which the war is to be won and prosperity restored.

THE SUBMARINE MENACE. Now that attention is being directed as never before to the very grave danger from the increasing activity of the German submarines, a way should be found either to destroy more of these vessels or prevent them leaving their home ports in such large numbers.

An amazing thing about this war is that we are constantly compelled to revise our estimates of what the Germans can do. Most people hoped for greater things on the western front than have yet transpired.

Of course there is the gratifying fact that the armies of the Central Powers are nowhere making any headway, and if there were no submarine menace the whole outlook would be most encouraging; but until the submarine also can be held within certain limits and prevented from destroying many thousands of tons of shipping every day, the feeling of uneasiness and dread of the future is bound to prevail.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly influenced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment.

Reviewing the submarine situation, the Bangor Commercial says: "There can be no denying that the submarine campaign is causing great anxiety in England and the authorities are now urging the people to shorten their food consumption by at least 25 per cent."

an extent that will compel the Allies to make peace. It is an effort that will not succeed nor will England be starved but the English people will be obliged to undergo considerable privation.

Halifax Chronicle.—The United States is sending a diplomatic mission to Russia and President Wilson called upon the biggest American available to undertake the delicate and difficult task.

A recent estimate places the number of unmarried men in the United States between the ages of 18 and 44 at ten millions, and the total number of men between those ages at twenty-two millions.

"If the higher estimates of ship losses are true, despite all our efforts we may yet be paying taxes to Germany," said Chairman Deenan of the American Shipping Board, yesterday.

The St. John Standard appears to have discovered signs of Liberal partisanship here and there in Canada. That is really too bad.

There were no arrests by the police in St. John yesterday. That was a good beginning for prohibition.

St. John people were asked to subscribe \$15,000 to the Military Y. M. C. A. fund. They have subscribed more than \$24,000.

The hope that May Day would bring serious trouble for Germany and Austria has not been realized.

They are making history in Washington. Mr. Balfour is to address both houses of congress. Old feuds are forgotten.

The lateness of the spring affords more time to get the greater production campaign in full swing over the province.

Halifax is to have a plebiscite on daylight-saving. Evidently the movement has friends there as well as in St. John.

Another successful British drive is reported in today's cables to be in progress on the western front.

There is vacant land everywhere about the city. Get a plot and cultivate it this year.

In the face of swelling casualty lists Canada is still marking time. Why?

Are you planning to do a little gardening this spring?

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Variability. "What is your favorite opera?" "My taste varies from year to year," said Mr. Cannon.

At Oberlin College. "How did Ethel and Jack become engaged?" "He asked her to take him seriously and she did."

Golf. "Is golf an old man's game?" "Not exactly. It is a game that an old man always wishes he had taken up when he was younger."

"Did you read President Wilson's speech?" "Every word of it."

"Did you notice that paragraph in which he said we should fight without ransom?" "Yes."

"What do you make of it?" "I take that as a gentle hint to our poets not to start writing any lyrics of hate."

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WORKMENS COMPENSATION. F. W. Wegemast spoke before an open meeting of the provincial Workmen's Compensation Act Commission in the government rooms in Prince William Street yesterday afternoon, and in a very able address gave some valuable information to the commission.

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Wegemast, who is solicitor for the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, gave a short history of the development of the Workmen's Compensation measure. In 1910, the government of Ontario appointed a commission to investigate the situation and to draw up an act which would cope with the conditions.

SHIPPING LOSSES REACH ALARMING PROPORTIONS

London, May 2.—The British official announcement of the number of vessels sunk in the week ending on Sunday last shows that thirty-eight merchant vessels of over 1,600 tons each were sunk.

Both commissioners agree that the Canadian Pacific is now giving good service and should not be interfered with. Both commissioners also agree that present conditions are economically bad, but there is widespread duplication of lines, by the third commissioner A. H. Smith, lack of co-ordinated transportation economy and heavy deficits to be met on behalf of the railways by the people of Canada for years to come unless some scheme of radical re-organization is promptly carried out.

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**Y. M. C. I. ACTIVITIES**  
Yesterday afternoon was visiting day at the Y. M. C. I. and many of the mothers and fathers of the boys and the general public took advantage of the opportunity to see the progress of the boys in their gymnasium activities. The exhibition consisted of floor work in general, organized games, drills and a demonstration of military marching tactics. Professor Winston has made wonderful progress with the school boys' class and yesterday's demonstration revealed the results. The visitors followed the class to the swimming pool where Mr. Winston gave an exhibition of both fancy and practical swimming. The boys then

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**PATRIOTISM AND PRODUCTION**  
(Toronto Globe.)  
The most critical phase of the war has been reached. Unable to defeat the Allies on land, the enemy is concentrating his submarine campaign and seriously threatens to offset his declining military power by cutting off the supplies so essential to the successful prosecution of the war by Britain and her allies. The president of the Board of Trade in England points out the serious danger that menaces the allied cause:

"We have not yet found a way of dealing with the submarine so as to remove the danger of it being an enormously important factor in determining the outcome of the war. The effect of the submarine upon the existence of the British Empire is simply this, that we cannot continue to bring into this country all the supplies and materials required for our existence, and for the actual needs of our industries."

This is the most serious pronouncement since the opening of the submarine campaign. Lord Devonport, the food controller, is equally emphatic that the necessity of shipping on which, in the last resort, the security of the empire and of the Allied cause depends, is the most important "wasting security." In face of these facts the duty of Canada is obvious. The line of battle is now being drawn. Says must be held by the farmer as well as by the soldier. Food production is the twin engine of the line of battle against Germany.

Letters are reaching The Globe on the food production problem which suggest that the farmer at this grave crisis in the history of civilization will be moved by economic considerations only. It is right that the economic difficulties that hamper the freedom of the farmer should be made known and frankly discussed. That the farmer, unaided, cannot hope to do that is the point which in the matter of increased food production is frankly conceded by those who are actively engaged in the work of solving the pressing food problem. But the farmer would be the first to resent the implication that he is not stirred by feelings of unselfish patriotism. The suggestion that the farmer fears increased production with its correspondingly low prices, is not only economically unsound, but lacking also in knowledge of the sacrifices demanded by the tiller of the soil in this country. It is unthinkable that any farmer would deliberately balance his market profits against the hunger and suffering of his fellow-men or against the needs of the world. However the increased production in Canada and on this continent in this and the coming year will be the result of the patriotic spirit of the farmer throughout the world, it is the duty of the tiller of the soil to create a profitable return for his labor. We are in this critical stage in the war to create a profitable return for his labor. We are in this critical stage in the war to create a profitable return for his labor. We are in this critical stage in the war to create a profitable return for his labor.

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Rochon, P. Q., Jan. 14th, 1915.  
"I suffered for many years with terrible indigestion and constipation, and frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try 'Fruit-a-tives'. I was so surprised to find that I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with 'Fruit-a-tives'.

I consider that I owe my life to 'Fruit-a-tives' and I want to say to those who suffer from indigestion, constipation or headaches—try 'Fruit-a-tives' and you will get well.

**CORINE GAUDREAU**  
50c a box, 6 for \$3.00, trial size, 25c.  
All druggists or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Thomas Riley Marshall, says there are only two grades of citizens—those who want to know how the war may enrich their country to help them and those who want to know how the war may enable them to help their country. Patriotism and production are twin engines of war, powerful in the day of battle. Who will stand to count the cost when the empire calls for food? Who, so poor in spirit as to barter freedom in the marketplace, or to lacking in patriotism and the instincts of humanity as to remain untouched by the spectacle of a world-famine?

**BUILD UP THE BLOOD**  
It is a hopeless task to try to restore your health while your blood is deficient in quantity or quality. The blood circulates through every portion of the body. It takes nourishment from the food and distributes it to the various organs and muscles; it takes also any medication that is administered through the mouth. The blood is the only means by which medicine can reach the nerves. Hence if the blood is poor, the body becomes weak and the nerves shaky, and the victim may be subject to headaches and dizziness, poor appetite, indigestion, a generally aching feeling, perhaps to rheumatism, sciatitis or neuralgia. Poor blood is the forerunner of nearly every disease that afflicts the human body, and you can only enjoy robust health by keeping the blood rich, red and pure. To keep the blood in this condition medicine yet discovered can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Every dose helps to make new, rich red blood which carries new health and new strength to every part of the body. When one becomes weak and run down, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will restore the blood, bring the glow of health to the cheeks, and make the weakling a vigorous man.

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box, six boxes for \$2.50, from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**A GOOD USE FOR POST OFFICE WALLS.**  
Editor Times-Star:—  
In every post office in France the government has had the following poster exhibited:

"The French women and to young French men, Drink is as much your enemy as Germany."  
"In 1870 it has cost France in men and money much more than the present war."  
"Drinkers age quickly. They lose half their normal life and fall early victims to many infirmities and illnesses."  
"The effective drink of your parents disappear in their offspring as great hereditary evils. France owes to alcohol the production of millions of degenerate and consumptive and most of her criminals."  
"Drink decreases by two-thirds the national production. It raises the cost of living and increases poverty."  
"In imitation of the criminal Kaiser, drink debilitates and ruins France to the great delight of Germany."  
"Mothers, young men, young girls, wives! Up and act against drink in memory of those who have gloriously died or suffered wounds for the fatherland! You will thus accomplish a mission as great as that of our heroic soldiers."  
"As timely as true! Strong drink is every man's enemy. Alcohol is a racial poison, a deadly enemy of the body. It is the body in an alcoholic mother, and he in turn may become the parent of degenerate offspring. This society suffers."  
"We are members one of another." That is life's logic. Drink, in striking my neighbor strikes me and all my other neighbors, for we are all "bound up in the bundle of life." Drink causes social loss and wrong, therefore drink is not only the French man's enemy, but every man's enemy."  
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Methodist Department of Social Service.

**WAS TROUBLED WITH SHORTNESS OF BREATH**  
When the heart becomes affected, there ensues a feeling of change that is shortness of breath, palpitation, throbbing, irregular beating, smothering sensation, dizziness, and a feeling of the all-gone feeling of oppression and anxiety.

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Mrs. C. M. Cormier, Metcalfe, N.B., writes: "Since two years ago I was troubled with a shortness of breath, and sometimes I was several doctors, and they said it was from my heart and nerves, but they did not seem to do me any good. One day I got one of your B.B.B. Almanacs and read of a case similar to mine.

"I bought a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and after taking it I noticed such a change that I went on taking them until I had used four more boxes, when I was cured.

"Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box, three boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

**Dandruff Heads Become Hairless**  
If you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.

It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips. By morning, most, if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy, every single sign and trace of it.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will be silky, fluffy, lustrous, soft and look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

**GETTING RECRUITS IN MAINE.**  
An Orono, Me., letter says—Lieut. George T. Hartling of the Canadian army, who has been the guest of friends while looking up eligible and loyal Canadian recruits in this vicinity, left Monday morning for Yarmouth, N. S., to rejoin his command. Lieut. Hartling took some dozen or fifteen men with him for the service. He himself expects to leave shortly for France, where he will have charge of forestry operations in the interests of the Entente Allies, as he is an expert lumberman. One of the recruits who went with him was his youngest brother, Frank.

**U. N. B. ORGANIZATIONS ELECT THEIR OFFICERS.**  
Fredericton, N. B., May 2.—(Special.)—The seceding society of the U. N. B. has elected officers as follows: President, G. F. G. Bridges, '85; 1st vice-president, W. M. Main, '19; 2nd vice-president, S. T. McAvour, '20; secretary, R. V. Ward, '20. The U. N. B. dramatic society has elected officers as follows: President, S. E. Barnett, '13; vice-president, Miss A. Christine Douglas, '20. Manager, G. F. G. Bridges, '18. The proceeds of the annual play amounted to \$176.61. This goes to the war memorial fund.

**MORE THAN \$24,000.**  
Figures already available show that the total amount collected in St. John for Major Birks' Y. M. C. A. fund will exceed \$24,000, which is beyond the original expectations of the association workers here, who asked for \$15,000. Halifax and Dartmouth together have, it is said, contributed \$25,500. Halifax was asked for \$20,000.

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**Not a Recruit Here Yesterday**  
Old Government House at Fredericton for Convalescent Home—Those Who Have Fallen

Not one recruit was enrolled in St. John yesterday. Even the call of the 62nd for men for home defence passed unheeded.

The plans are about completed for remodeling and renovating of the old government house at Fredericton as a convalescent home for returned soldiers. The building is at present occupied by the 25th Kilted Battalion, Extension workshops, recreation parlors and comfortable sleeping apartments will be featured.

**Killed in Action**  
Private William Arthur Davis has been reported killed in action on April 9. Word to this effect was received by his sister, Mrs. Douglas J. Howes, 205 Metcalfe street. He was twenty-three years old. Besides his sister, Mrs. Howes, he is survived by another sister, Mrs. Fraser Richardson, Lower Brighton, Carleton county.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. Oram, 454 Main street, received word yesterday that their son, Lance Corporal John Thomas Oram, was killed in action on April 9. Besides his parents he is survived by three brothers and three sisters. The brothers are William, Oram and Hiram, all at home; the sisters are Nellie and Grace at home, and Miss Lena Oram of Portland.

Ottawa, May 2.—Casualties:  
**INFANTRY.**  
Wounded. J. Theriault, Barnerville, N. B.; Holmes, Sussex, N. B.  
Seriously Ill. B. Wilson, Moncton, N. B.  
Wounded. J. LaBlanc, Memramcook, N. B.  
Presumed to Have Died. T. H. Rowley, St. John, N. B.

**RECENT WEDDINGS**  
**Messereau-MacLean**  
The wedding of Major Cecil R. Messereau, of the 25th Battalion, and Miss Ethel MacLean of Fredericton, was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Dell Gunter, Brunswick street, Fredericton.

**Lavigne-Butcher**  
The wedding of Miss Mary Butcher of the staff of the Home for Incapables, Wentworth street, and Philip Lavigne was solemnized yesterday morning in St. John the Baptist church. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. J. Murray.

**Keintated-Ricker.**  
Rev. B. H. Nobles united in marriage at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Frederick Keintated, of Rothesay, and Miss Mina Ricker, of St. John, the ceremony taking place at the home of the officiating pastor, 41 Cedar street. They were unattended, the bride wearing navy blue silk with hat to match. Immediately after the ceremony the bride and groom left for their future home at Rothesay.

**ST. JOHN GUESTS PRESENT.**  
Bangor, May 2.—Hon. Nathaniel M. Jones of Bangor and St. John, entertained at his home here last night in honor of his fifty-ninth birthday. There were two large birthday cakes and as they were divided among the guests all joined in wishing Mr. Jones the happiness of celebrating many more natal anniversaries. The guests who were delightfully entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Miss Jones and Sidney M. Jones included Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Moore, Mrs. A. P. Barnhill, of St. John and other friends from Maine and Massachusetts.

**TWO BILLION BILL PASSED.**  
Washington, May 2.—The urgent deficiency bill appropriating approximately \$2,277,000,000 for war expenditures, passed the house today with Representative London casting the only negative vote.

**CANADIAN ADVANCE THOROUGHLY ALARMS GERMANS.**  
(By STEWART LYON, Special Correspondent Canadian Press.)  
Canadian Headquarters in France, via London, May 2.—The enemy is now thoroughly alarmed over our thrust toward Douai and Vimy Ridge, and he has increased his artillery fire on this part of the front. He is expending projectiles more freely now than at any time since our advance began. Among the new guns he has brought up is a long one of fourteen inches calibre, probably originally meant for battle cruisers of the Hindenburg class.

**SPECIAL PRIVILEGES FOR THE CONTRACTOR**  
Ottawa, May 2.—Thomas Kelly, the Manitoba parliament buildings contractor, and now confined in Stony Mountain Penitentiary, was the subject of two enquiries in the commons today. Dr. Malloy of Provencher, asked if his prison treatment had differed from other inmates and if any request had been made for his liberation. Hon. C. J. Doherty said that when Kelly was received at the penitentiary the cutting of hair, and wearing of prison clothing were postponed, and special privileges given on the erroneous understanding that judicial proceedings were still pending.

When it was ascertained that there were no longer judicial proceedings affecting his case, directions were given for his identification, hair-cutting and prison clothing, but the execution of these were postponed on the recommendation of the prison surgeon, who certified that in view of Kelly's condition, any change in his treatment would precipitate a nervous breakdown.

Requests for Kelly's release had been made, on account of his age and poor health.

It is understood that a special report to the minister of justice on the condition of Kelly has been forwarded. The decision of the government as to Kelly's release will be based on this report.

**The Senate Appointments**  
Halifax Chronicle.—A. K. Maclean is on sound ground in demanding that no further appointments to the senate be made until a general election is held. A government that exists by grace of the opposition, and exceeds its mandate from the people last November, has no right of right to make partisan appointments to the senate. It is an outrage upon constitutional government.

**AS TO PEACE WITH AUSTRIA**  
(Herbert Bailey, special cable to The New York Times.)  
Petrograd, April 30.—I am in the position to state that the question of the future of Austria is now regarded as one of purely military expediency, even by the most marked anti-Austrian element here.

It would appear, therefore, that the time has arrived when the Entente might decide on an Austrian policy with the object of procuring a separate peace, with real guarantees for the rights of European nationalities and of the Dual Monarchy. It is recognized here now that such a peace would facilitate the rest of Germany, and for this reason and not for love of Austria that modifications of views have taken place.

REFUSED \$25,000,000.

**North German Lloyd Director Resigns, Angry Over Award for Seizures.**  
London, May 2.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from The Hague says that a Bremen message reports that Herr Achelis, president of the North German Lloyd Steamship Company, has resigned as a result of a dispute with the board of directors on the question of government compensation for ships of the company confiscated in American harbors.

It appears that the government offered all the German companies \$10,000,000, says the dispatch, "of which one-third was allotted to the North German Lloyd. Herr Achelis wanted two-thirds of the amount."

"It is now believed that the North German Lloyd will join the Hamburg-American Line under the joint direction of Albert Ballin, of that company, and Philip Heinrich, director of the North German Lloyd, with a view to an amalgamation with other German Austrian lines in a general trust. Herr Achelis has always opposed this plan, which is said to have originated with Emperor William."

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO LET

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TO LET—FURNISHED ROOM, 303 Union street. 59357-5-10

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FURNISHED ROOM, GENTLEMEN, 187 Sydney. 59273-5-17

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BOARDERS WANTED MRS. PHILIP, 292 Duke. 59347-5-10

ROOMS AND BOARD; ALSO SEPARATE table board, 177 Germain street. 59384-6-4

WANTED—ROOMERS, 45 SYDNEY street. 59321-5-10

ROOMS AND BOARD, 173 PRINCESS street. 59172-5-7

ROOM AND BOARD, 101 PARADISE row. T.F.

ROOMS WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD, 178 CHARLOTTE street. 59011-5-4

BOARD, ROOM, 14 GERMAIN street. 57179-5-9

BARN TO LET

TO LET—BARN 40 ST. PATRICK street. 59106-5-11

LOST—DARK BROWN FEATHER box on Loch Leonard road Sunday afternoon. Reward returned Times office. 59289-5-5

LOST—SUM OF MONEY IN FOUR bills in central part of city. Reward for return to Times office. 59289-5-5

LOST—CLOTH BELT, PHONE M. 1593-31. 59257-5-8

GOLD STRING OF BEADS, FINDER return Times office. Reward. 59294-5-4

LOST—GENTLEMAN'S NEW TAN Kid Glove. Finder please leave at Times Office. T.F.

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH, April 27, between Bond's and Post office, via King, Germain and Princess. Finder, Phone West 411. Reward. 5-5

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WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED AT ONCE—TWO GOOD smart boys about fourteen years of age. Oak Hall, Scovil Bros., Limited. T.F.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED MAN to work on farm. Good wages to right man. Apply Crawford's Stable, Castle street. 59373-5-10

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MAN WANTED—WATSON'S Stable. 59274-5-4

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WANTED—BOY ABOUT 15 FOR office. Apply in own writing, Box B 10, care of Times. 59410-5-6

MAN WANTED—WATSON'S Stable. 59274-5-4

WANTED—EXPERIENCED WASH-man to take charge of wash department; good position for right man. Apply at once American Globe Laundries, Ltd., Charlotte street. 59248-5-5

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BAKER WANTED—COMPETENT man as second hand in bakery. Wm. McLaughlin, 820 Brussels street. 59001-5-28

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The death of Captain Alfred Wood of Hillsboro occurred early on Monday morning, April 30, at the age of 83 years. He had followed the sea for about forty years and on retiring was engaged at the carpenter trade. Capt. Wood is survived by five sons, Charles, Isaac, Clifford and Fred, located in the United States, and Harry of Montreal; also one brother, Captain C. T. Wood, of Hillsboro.

On Tuesday, at the residence of Alex. Smith of Fredericton, Mrs. Isaac Milton, of Albert Mines, who was visiting in this city, passed away. She was in her eighty-first year and is survived by two daughters, one step-daughter and one son. The daughters are Miss Jennie Milton and Mrs. J. T. Cassin of Philadelphia. The step-daughter is Mrs. A. W. Burns, Hopewell Cape. The son is Willard S. Milton, Melrose, Mass.

In Prince William on Tuesday John Rossborough died, aged 75 years. He is survived by his wife, one brother, John of Prince William, and two sisters, Mrs. David Murray of Douglas and Mrs. Robert Scott of Fredericton.

The death of Mrs. James Worman occurred on April 24 at Molis River. She was 68 years and one month old. She leaves a husband and two daughters. The daughters are Mrs. Harry Leigh,

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WANTED - A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply F. C. McLean, 3 Chubb street, Phone 1575-31.

GIRL WANTED IMMEDIATELY. Apply Royal Fruit Store, corner Union and Charlotte street. 5920-5-7

WANTED - GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Apply Mrs. E. S. Robertson, 159 Paradise Row. 5915-5-7

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In the next of kin of CHRISTOPHER MCDADE, late of the City of Saint John in the City and County of Saint John, Carriage Manufacturer, deceased, and in all others whom it may concern.

The Administrator of the above deceased intestate having prayed that a license may be granted to him to sell the real estate of the said Christopher McDade, deceased, to pay the debts of the said deceased, you are hereby cited to appear, if you so desire, before me at the Court of Probate, to be held in and for the City and County of Saint John, at the Probate Court room, in the Pugsley Building, in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, on Monday the eighteenth day of June next, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any, why a license should not be granted to the said Administrator, as prayed for and as by law directed.

Given under my hand this twenty-seventh day of April, A. D. 1917.

H. O. MCINERNEY, Judge of Probate.

STEPHEN B. BUSTIN, Registrar of Probate.

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HON. N. M. JONES HOST ON HIS 59TH BIRTHDAY

Friends Gather to Congratulate Banger Man at His Home - St. John People Among Guests

(Bangor Commercial.)

In honor of the 59th birthday of Hon. Nathaniel M. Jones of Bangor at St. John, a dinner party was held at his home in State street on Tuesday night.

The guests, who were delightfully entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Jones, Miss Jones and Sidney M. Jones, were Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Moore, and Mrs. A. P. Bernhill of St. John, N. B.; Mrs. Charles F. Eaton of Princeton, James M. Eaton of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Freeland, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ryder, Hon. J. P. Bass, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Adams, Dr. and Mrs. Daniel A. Robinson, Hon. and Mrs. Arthur Chapin, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Babcock, Mr. J. W. Caldwell, Stewart, Hon. and Mrs. Charles F. Brug, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson D. Wing, Hon. and Mrs. E. Barton Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hamlin, Hon. and Mrs. Nathaniel M. Jones and Mrs. Gilbert Howell of Bangor.

Mr. Anderson is manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, and Mr. Moore is a prominent St. John lumber manufacturer, also one of the proprietors of the St. John Telegraph and Evening Times.

Mr. Jones is one of Maine's best known papermill men, having been engaged for many years in directing mills at Lincoln. Afterwards, he accepted a managing position with the Partington Pulp & Paper Co. of St. John, a concern now known as the Nashwaak Pulp & Paper Co.

It is one of the largest concerns in Canada having thousands of acres of timber land, and is now increasing the number of its buildings.

While in Bangor, Mr. Jones took an active part in Republican politics, having been a member of the city government, a member of the Maine house and senate, and for four years a member of the governor's council. His open-hearted friendliness has won him hundreds of friends in Maine and New Brunswick, while his marked business ability has been widely recognized and is attested by his success in large enterprises.

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Consolidated ..... 27% 26% 26%  
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Central Leather ..... 85% 84%  
Crescent Steel ..... 62% 61% 61%  
Erie ..... 20% 20% 20%  
General Electric ..... 108%  
Gt North pfd ..... 109%  
Inspiration ..... 56% 55% 55%  
Int'l Marine Com ..... 27% 26% 26%  
Int'l Marine pfd sts ..... 79% 78% 78%  
Industrial Alcohol ..... 116% 115% 115%  
Kennebec Copper ..... 45% 44%  
Lehigh Valley ..... 62%  
Midvale Steel ..... 57% 57% 57%  
Mex Petroleum ..... 89% 89% 89%  
Miami ..... 40%  
Nevada ..... 102% 101%  
Nevada ..... 23% 23%  
N Y Central ..... 98% 97% 97%  
Northern Pacific ..... 78% 77%  
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Dom. Steel - 200 at 60% 40 at 59%  
20 at 59%  
Detroit - 45 at 114.  
C. G. E. - 5 at 108.  
Ogilvie - 2 at 145.  
Smelters - 150 at 27; 80 at 27%  
Steel Co - 10 at 59; 25 at 58%  
Following at 28%: 65 at 28.  
Textile - 25 at 89; 75 at 89%  
Toronto Rys - 10 at 82.  
Ships pfd - 25 at 87; 25 at 86%  
Iron pfd - 5 at 82.  
Car pfd - 25 at 69%.

1st War Loan - 25000 at 97%  
2nd War Loan - 12100 at 96.  
Steel Co. Bonds - 1000 at 99%.

RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Owen McCann died yesterday afternoon after a short illness at her home, 66 Erin street. She was thirty-nine years of age. Besides her husband she leaves two sons, William, with the Canadian forces in France, and Walter at home, following a long illness. She is survived by three daughters, Mary, Alice and Edna.

Miss Catherine Macgregor, daughter of the late Charles T. Macgregor, died yesterday at her home, 184 Union street, following a short illness. She leaves to mourn, one brother, Charles, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. J. L. Beverley, of Cleveland, Ohio.

In Victoria Hospital, Fredericton, on Monday, Robert Cleghorn died, aged fifty-six years. He is survived by his wife, seven sons and one daughter.

The death occurred at her home at Harvey on Monday, of Mrs. Sarah Downey, wife of Ezra Downey. She was eighty years of age and was formerly engaged at the carpenter trade. Capt. Wood is survived by five sons, Charles, Isaac, Clifford and Fred, located in the United States, and Harry of Montreal; also one brother, Captain C. T. Wood, of Hillsboro.

Mrs. William F. Moore died at her home in Oldtown, Me., on Sunday. Mrs. Moore is survived by her husband, one daughter and an adopted son, Miss Genevieve Moore and J. Linwood Boudreau of Savannah, Ga. She also leaves one sister and seven brothers, Mrs. William Dunn of Glenlivet, N. B.; Peter and Albert Boudreau of Glenlivet, Joseph, Anthony and Charles Boudreau of Glenlivet, N. B., and Augustus of Eau Claire, Wis.

On Tuesday, at the residence of Alex. Smith of Fredericton, Mrs. Isaac Milton, of Albert Mines, who was visiting in this city, passed away. She was in her eighty-first year and is survived by two daughters, one step-daughter and one son. The daughters are Miss Jennie Milton and Mrs. J. T. Cassin of Philadelphia. The step-daughter is Mrs. A. W. Burns, Hopewell Cape. The son is Willard S. Milton, Melrose, Mass.

In Prince William on Tuesday John Rossborough died, aged 75 years. He is survived by his wife, one brother, John of Prince William, and two sisters, Mrs. David Murray of Douglas and Mrs. Robert Scott of Fredericton.

The death of Mrs. James Worman occurred on April 24 at Molis River. She was 68 years and one month old. She leaves a husband and two daughters. The daughters are Mrs. Harry Leigh,

The death of Captain Alfred Wood of Hillsboro occurred early on Monday morning, April 30, at the age of 83 years. He had followed the sea for about forty years and on retiring was engaged at the carpenter trade. Capt. Wood is survived by five sons, Charles, Isaac, Clifford and Fred, located in the United States, and Harry of Montreal; also one brother, Captain C. T. Wood, of Hillsboro.

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Col. Denison's Food Warnings

Situation Today Recalls Speeches of 1897

A Self-sustaining Empire

Painted Out Then That Britain Depended on Foreign Nations for Three-fourths of Food Supply

Not since the war began has the Empire been out of danger. There were weak points in our armor, and whether any of them should prove our undoing depended on which should happen first—the due strengthening of the weak points, or the enemy's penetrating one of them. The shortage of men would have been fatal had it been prolonged. Compulsory service had to be resorted to to correct that. Then it was found necessary to multiply by a large factor the number of machine guns. For a time service had to be re-created. For a time it looked as if for want of munitions the Entente armies would be overwhelmed by a deluge of enemy fire. All these adverse conditions have been changed so as to show a balance in our favor. Happily for the Empire, the British navy was ready when the war began, and under its cover we have been enabled to turn against the enemy odds that in several respects were fearfully against us when we were called to our defence.

Achilles' Heel.

But in a vital point the Empire is still exposed, the point which the forgers of the panoply of Britannia ought to have made most proof against the power of the enemy. That is the food point. Today the Entente powers are harassed by two worries, one as to the military consequences of the Russian revolution, the other as to the sufficiency of the food supply. If the Entente nations continue to be well fed, the doom of the enemy is certain, no matter what the military effect of Russia's revolution. The British navy, which has so far been our insurer against the consequences of blundering or negligent statesmanship, is our chief reliance against the deadliest weapon with which the enemy is now striking, the submarine. The submarine is making great havoc with our shipping, and every week is sinking many thousands of tons of foodstuffs bound for the Entente countries. It is producing general alarm in British government circles. May the British navy and its aids soon deliver our shipping from that dread of the sea. But, wonders though the British navy can perform, it cannot plow the fields and produce abounding crops. On all hands the cry goes up for increased agricultural production to save the Empire. Even though the submarine remains the extremely grave danger of the food supply falling before the war is over.

A Farsighted Canadian.

How different would have been the situation if British statesmen had had ears to hear the warnings of such sound-headed friends of the Empire as Colonel George T. Denison, of Toronto, says the Toronto Mail and Empire. Few men have had their opinions on public questions so justified by events as Colonel Denison. It must give him ironic amusement to look about him and behold among the host of his disciples so many of those who heaped ridicule on his ideas twenty years ago. In 1897 he went to England as the delegate of the British Empire League in Canada to impress its views on certain questions, and especially to urge the taking of vigorous steps to provide that the British food supply should be grown within the Empire. Those who have not read Colonel Denison's "The Struggle for Imperial Unity" should get it and read it now.

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There they will learn how the Colonel talked to British statesmen and British audiences on this food question, and in the light of present-day events they will be able to see, as clearly as he saw them, that in the food-producing resources of the Empire, properly developed, lies the main defence of the Empire. If They Had But Heeded! At a meeting of the British Empire League in London on the 29th of July, 1897, he pointed out that for the daily lion some days later showed the fallacy of the view that command of the sea would itself ensure a plentiful supply of foodstuffs. He was in England again

in 1899, and in a speech there he said: "Our food should be grown under our own flag, or there should be large stores in England, and a preference which would increase the growth of wheat to the extent of 10,000,000 quarters (400,000,000 bushels) additional in the British Isles would be the best money for defence that could be expended, and a preference to the colonies would soon produce the balance within the Empire." Mr. Lloyd George now has said that a system of preference could be established without adding to the cost of food. MRS. DICK SPENT \$26,634. Came from Her Own Income to Support John Jacob Astor. New York, May 3.—Surrogate Fowler has signed a decree approving the accounting of Mrs. Madeleine Porce Dick, as general guardian of her son, John Jacob Astor, in which he finds that during the period from Nov. 18, 1912, to Dec. 31, 1913, Mrs. Dick received \$80,000 from the income of the trust fund established for her son by his father, the late Colonel John Jacob Astor, and spent \$53,366 in his behalf, the deficiency of \$26,634 coming from her own income. The surrogate allowed \$850 to Cornelius J. Sullivan, special guardian for the child, for his services in examining the mother's accounts. Mr. Sullivan said he had sought rulings to determine whether the charge against the child of one-third of the expense of the upkeep of the Astor residence was proper since the mother had a separate income, and also whether it was proper to charge against the child one-third of the medical expenses incurred at his birth. He added that, although he had been unable to find any decisions on the question as to the child's liability in these matters, he had upheld the charges.

St. Croix Courier Sold. St. Stephen, N. B., May 2.—(Special)—The St. Croix Courier newspaper, job office, printing plant, etc., which has been advertised for sale since the death of the editor and proprietor, Hon. George J. Clarke was disposed of today by tender to Conservative interests and will be continued.

SAYS BALFOUR COULD SETTLE IRELAND'S FATE

Lord Northcliffe Believes His Influence Would Reconcile All Party Differences

London, May 2.—Lord Northcliffe has issued a statement to the Associated Press respecting the Irish situation, which includes the following phrase: "The happiness of Ireland is entirely in the hands of Mr. Balfour and the British mission in the United States. The differences between the two parties have been so slight that Mr. Balfour's influence can settle the difficulty."

Interviews given by Americans on the Irish problem and published in the Irish papers were the subject of a question in the House of Commons. Major John R. P. Newman, Unionist member for the Enfield Division of Middlesex, asked whether the government was aware that statesmen and public men of an allied nation had been invited to give, through the medium of the public press, their opinions on a subject of controversy domestic to the United Kingdom, and if the government would continue a reciprocal policy of non-interference, either by Great Britain or her allies, where the questions at issue were of domestic and not of international importance.

"I do not think any action on the part of the government is called for in this matter," replied Andrew Bonar Law. "Would America tolerate interference on our part in a question?" began Major Newman again, the Speaker interrupting him with a call for "Order, Order!" Mr. Dalton asked if it would not be desirable to request the American government not to interfere in the war at all. No answer was given.

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CONSTANTINE'S REIGN NEARING THE END?

Athens, May 3.—The last few days news has been received at the palace which has caused consternation. The news touched particularly on the attitude to King Constantine of the French people, who are at the pitch of fury and burning for final action against him. Zimis has been implored by the king to take office, as though his advent would at least mean delay. There seems slight probability that he will agree. Almost anything will be offered to appease the allies. Yesterday rumors spread through the ministry of foreign affairs that members of the Liberal Venizelist party would be accepted in the cabinet, the name of Rakivian, a prominent Venizelist, being mentioned. After some show of resistance and some talk about traitors, the foreign affairs censorship allowed its own rumor to be telegraphed to Venizelos himself. So much for stage play. The truth was announced by Venizelos recently at Salonica: "It is impossible for King Constantine to remain in his position." It is daily with facts to pretend that by

calling Dousmantis, Gounaris, Skouloudis and perhaps 30 other prominent workers for the German fatherland the evil here will be extinguished when the monarch who protected them is left behind to become inevitably the centre of another accretion of spying. Constantine has repeatedly declared his desire only to be neutral, but he has made his palace the rendezvous of German officers.

DINING CAR SERVICE ON OCEAN LIMITED

In placing the Ocean Limited again on the route between Montreal and Halifax, the Canadian Government Railways has paid particular attention to making the dining car service of this premier train meet the needs of its patrons. Leaving Montreal at 7:15 p. m., the Ocean Limited carries a diner as far as St. Leonard Junction, serving dinner. This is proving a great convenience, especially to passengers arriving from Ottawa and Toronto to make connections for Eastern points. This diner is picked up at St. Leonard by the Westbound Ocean Limited in the morning, and breakfast is served to passengers before the arrival of the train in Montreal.

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By "Bud" Fisher

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

VAUDEVILLE AND PICTURES  
XAVIER, THE HUMAN DYNAMO  
TODDING and BATES  
HOLBROOK BLINN  
GEM THEATRE WATERLOO STREET

who escaped rather easily with a fine of \$50 and suspension of five days, imposed by President Tracy of the National League, because of his offensive actions at the Polo grounds on April 27.

IMPERIAL-FANNIE WARD TODAY  
"THE WINNING OF SALLY TEMPLE"  
ALSO A LUDICROUS BIT OF FUN, "SOCIAL PIRATES"

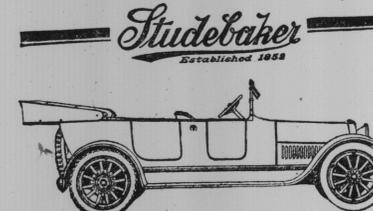
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TONIGHT  
TOMORROW AFTERNOON  
FRIDAY NIGHT AT 8.15  
"H. M. S. PINAFORE"

Sport News of A Day; Home and Abroad

BASEBALL  
National League  
world's record was established in 1892 yesterday when the Cubs and Reds battled for nine innings out either team getting a hit or run.

'hat Tickling In The Throat  
CAN BE QUICKLY CURED BY DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP

THE first triple play in the majors was made on Tuesday at Cleveland by St. Louis.



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BASKETBALL  
Sunday School League  
Three games were played yesterday in the Sunday school league in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium.

AMERICAN LEAGUE  
In Washington—New York 2, Washington 0  
In Cleveland—Chicago 8, Cleveland 3

JESS WILLARD IN NEW YORK  
Arrives There With A Circus; Will Box In Three or Four More Bout and Then Retire

New York, April 30—Jess Willard, world's heavyweight boxing champion, who at present is giving his undivided attention and services to the Buffalo Bill Wild West Show and Circus, got into New York yesterday morning at 6 o'clock at the head of the circus parade.

WILLARD'S chief concern yesterday was renewing acquaintances, so he was therefore conspicuous only by his absence.

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SENTIMENT  
MISS JANE GALE and MAT MOORE  
An Universal Dramatic Triumph  
"THE FIREMAN'S BRIDE"

Racing Deal a Severe Blow  
Incendiary Fire Wipes Out Stables  
Containing 26 Thoroughbreds; Valuable Race Horses Burned

New York, April 28—The incendiaries who fired the barns of Schuyler L. Parsons and H. K. Knapp, causing the death of 26 thoroughbred racing horses, were dealt a severe blow, and one which will be felt to some extent throughout the season.

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Says Baseball Will Be Honored  
If Players Are Called to Military Service—Demands on Major Leagues Will Be Heavy

New York, April 30—Baseball—to be honored and glorified by a war call to its young men who are eligible to military service, according to a recent plan of the war department.

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MONDAY-TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY  
WM. RUSSELL IN THE MASSIVE FIGHTING PLAY

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**WE NOW BOAST SIX TRAFFIC POLICEMEN**  
Three Additional Ones Placed on Duty At Points Where Travel is Heavy  
Three additional traffic policemen have been dispatched to do traffic duty at various points about the city. This makes six traffic police in all. Policeman Hanna is stationed at the corner of Main street and Douglas avenue, Policeman Hong at the corner of Mill and Main streets, Policeman Colwell at the corner of Mill and Pond, Policeman McLeese at the head of the Police Market square, Policemen Winter and Hopkins at the corner of Union and Sydney, and Policeman Winters at Haymarket square. Policemen McLeese and Hopkins went on this duty yesterday and were exceptionally dangerous to pedestrians, but with a traffic man there all the time the danger to which people were exposed previously would now be greatly reduced. There would be also fewer violations of traffic regulations by teams, autos and other vehicles in turning the corners. The chief said that these arrangements would last throughout the summer months. Already the advantages of the work of the traffic policemen are being felt and there are many favorable comments on the part of citizens as to the efficient manner in which the men handle their work. The duties of the traffic police are exacting and tiresome and it takes some little time before the men become accustomed to their posts.



**DRIPPING THE FIRST BOMB.**  
Philadelphia, North American.

**NEW POLICEMAN HUSKY**  
William Minty, a native of Scotland, was sworn in as a member of the local police force this morning by Police Magistrate Ritchie. The new policeman is one of the most likely looking men sworn in for some time and he made such an impression on the court that the magistrate had a warm shake hands with him following the administration of the oath. Minty stands six feet one and five-eighths inches and weighs 206 pounds. He has done considerable police work in Minty, in different parts of Upper Canada and also in the old country. He will go on duty this evening. He takes the place vacated by the resignation of Policeman Robert Lindsay.

**POTATO PRICES DROP.**  
Frederick Gleason—Potatoes have been selling at \$8 a barrel across the line, and during the past few days have dropped to \$4—a fifty per cent decrease. Dealers state that potatoes are still very scarce, owing partly to the bad roads which make it hard for the farmers to bring their potatoes in. Market prices here are quoted at \$8.50, but shippers say that they are paying \$8 a barrel. There is a big demand, especially for shipments to the west. New potatoes made their appearance on the New York market, causing a slump on the American side. The general situation here, however, is not very startling.

**LOCAL NEWS**  
**GRANTED DIVORCE.**  
James E. S. McFadden, of Bangor, formerly of Broad's Point, has been granted a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Clara Eliza McFadden on statutory grounds.  
**FROM KENNETH DALEY.**  
Private Kenneth Daley, a member of No. 16 Field Ambulance Trench, now in England, in a letter to his mother, Mrs. Annie Daley, 102 Victoria street, writes that they had a very rough trip across and that several of the members of the unit were seasick.  
**POTATO PLOTS ALL TAKEN.**  
Moncton Transcript—The sixty garden plots on the exhibition property offered by the city to the citizens have practically all been taken up. The city will plough and prepare the remainder of the track fence.

**DEATH OF CHILD.**  
Many friends will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saunders of Bonola Point, whose second son, aged three years, died yesterday in the hospital in this city where he had been brought for treatment. The funeral will take place from their home tomorrow afternoon at half past two o'clock.  
**KENNEDY-LITTLE.**  
Last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, 91 1-2 Hilyard street, George M. Kennedy of Queenstown, Queens county, and Miss Irene Maud, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Little, of Pleasantville, Queens County, were married by Rev. Neil J. McLaughlin. The groom was supported by Otis Lockett of Minto, and the bride was attended by Miss Irene M. Smith of St. John. Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy will reside at Queenstown.

**CONDORS WON.**  
In the league in the Y. M. C. I. last night the result was:  
Garvin ..... 100 102 107 309 108  
Cleary ..... 88 85 96 274 91 1-4  
Howard ..... 77 90 79 246 82  
270 277 269 820  
Power ..... 85 105 92 282 94  
McCurdy ..... 102 82 79 268 87 1-8  
McGee ..... 82 94 97 273 87 1-8  
309 281 268 818

**THOSE LIQUOR CASES.**  
It is incorrect to say that the charges against the Dufferin Hotel and M. Harding for selling liquor were dropped under the new law. There was no charge against the Dufferin Hotel. A witness in an alleged assault case, who was under the influence of liquor, said he was served with liquor by a man in the Dufferin Hotel and also that he got liquor from Mr. Harding. The court of course acquitted both cases. It was found that the man got no liquor at the Dufferin, and that if he got any from Mr. Harding it was before the new law came into effect.

**COURT CASE OVER CHANGE.**  
A matter was aired in the civil side of the police court this morning which had its beginning fifteen cents worth of pork but its ending in the complainant being compelled to pay all the costs of the court, which amount to \$21.15. The complainant was a woman. She said she had gone into a store, bought pork from a clerk, and paid for it and received only eighty-five cents in change. She was suing for the other fifteen cents. The defendant said the woman had given him only \$1 and when she made the complaint the cash register showed that there was no extra money in the till. The woman refused to act upon the suggestion of the court and the case was declared against her. As she left the court she made the remark that she would take the case to a higher court.

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**TO REDUCE RATES.**  
Commissioner Wigmore then announced that he was prepared to recommend a reduction in the water rates. The reductions he would recommend would be in "Schedule B," which provides for the tax on property for the benefit of the department. Where the schedule now provides for a tax of 25 per cent. on real estate he would make it 20 per cent. and where it reads 40 per cent on stocks in trade, he would recommend that it be 30. Furthermore, he intended to use again this year the valuation made in 1914 instead of the higher valuations made then by the assessors. These proposals will benefit every person who pays water rates. The reductions in rates would entail a reduction of \$11,500 in income on real estate and \$7,800 on stocks, a total of \$19,300. This had been made possible by the economy he had effected by purchasing a large quantity of pipe and other supplies last year before the price went up.  
Commissioner McLellan: "The persons responsible for the increase should be hung."  
Commissioner Wigmore: "That might apply also to the increase in the price of flour."  
It was decided to allow the matter to stand over until Monday; meanwhile, typewritten statements giving the recommendations in detail will be supplied to each commissioner.

**REV. R. A. ARMSTRONG HOME.**  
Rev. Robert A. Armstrong, rector of Trinity church, arrived home this morning, after an absence of more than six months. It will be remembered that Mr. Armstrong was badly burned last summer. He expressed himself as being greatly pleased to get home again. He has not as yet the full use of his limbs, but physicians informed him that he would have in a very short time.

**COM. WIGMORE RECOMMENDS CUT IN WATER RATES**  
Would Affect Saving to Citizens, of \$19,300  
**EACH RATE PAYER TO BENEFIT**  
Action Deferred Until Monday—Clarendon Street Repairs Up Again—Superannuation For City Employees Suggested

A substantial reduction in the property taxes collected by the water department was promised by Commissioner Wigmore at the meeting of the common council in committee this morning. The water rates are collected partly according to the number of taps and other fixtures requiring water, or in other ways according to the amount used, and partly by a tax on the real property and stocks in trade. It is the latter schedule which the head of the department suggests changing. The rates proposed would effect a reduction of twenty-five per cent. in the amount collected on real estate and would cut in two the rate on stocks. The loss in revenue would be about \$19,300. Action was deferred.

Clarendon street repairs were mentioned and were fixed for discussion on Monday. A report from the mayor on the number of city and county patients at River Glade was approved. Mayor Hayes presided and all the members of the council were present.  
Reporting on the application of Patrick McAlellan, teamster, an employee of the public works department for twenty-seven years, who asked for pay while ill, Commissioner Fisher reported that he had been allowed pay for twenty-seven days since he was unable to continue his work.  
Commissioner Wigmore commented that the city would have to take up the matter of superannuation for its employees.

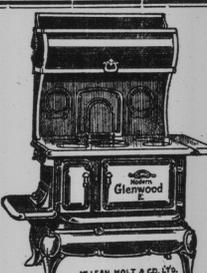
In reply to Commissioner Russell, Commissioner McLellan said that under an order-in-council, the members of the police force draw half-pay while sick and full pay if laid up by injuries received while on duty.  
The application was referred back once more for further information regarding the services of the applicant.

**CLARENDON STREET.**  
"What about Clarendon street?" Commissioner McLellan inquired. He added that an order-in-council had been passed ordering the work to be done, but that the delay of a year had been allowed in deference to the wishes of the head of the department of public works.  
Commissioner Russell remarked that the work had been promised two years ago and had been included in the estimates while Commissioner Potts was in the council.  
Commissioner Wigmore said that it had been understood that the work was to be done this year and Commissioner McLellan added that the north end, in particular, was not being treated fairly.  
Commissioner Fisher asked that the order-in-council be brought down and the matter taken up on Monday. This was agreed to.

**CLEAR SHEET FOR FIRST TIME IN LONG WHILE**  
For the first time in a long time the word "bill" was seen across the police sheet when the magistrate took his seat in the police court at ten o'clock this morning. Whether this is a direct result of the new prohibition act or just the natural course of events remains to be seen. However, there were no arrests yesterday and up to early this afternoon the police had a quiet time.  
**THANKSGIVING FOR PROHIBITION.**  
Rev. George Steed, D.D., superintendent of missions of the Methodist church, in an address before the congregation of Portland Methodist church last evening, said that special jubilee services should be conducted in all the churches throughout the city in thanksgiving for the closing of the liquor saloons throughout the city.

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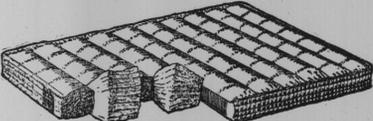
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