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British and French Advance On Wide Front In Flanders

Captured All The Objectives and
Crossed Steenbeke River

Making Progress on the Right Bank—
Canadians Repulse Attacks on Newly
Captured Positions—Germans Must
Retake Hill 70 or Evacuate Lens—
Still Fighting Tenaciously

London, Aug. 16.—Troops of the entente allies in Flanders attacked the German positions today on a wide front east and north of Ypres, in Belgium. The official report of Field Marshal Haig says that progress is being made.

CAPTURED OBJECTIVES.

Paris, Aug. 16.—French troops in Belgium, attacking early today in conjunction with the British on both sides of the road between Steenstraete and Dixmude, captured all their objectives and crossed the Steenbeke River, the War Office announced today. Further progress is being made along the river. The French made an attack on the Aisne and captured German trenches on a front of one kilometre. Four German counter-attacks were repulsed. The statement follows:

"In Belgium, after violent and most thorough artillery preparations we made an attack at dawn this morning in conjunction with the British army on our right. With superb spirit our infantry made the assault on the enemy positions on both sides of the road between Steenstraete and Dixmude, capturing all objectives and crossing the Steenbeke. Our troops are making progress on the right bank in contact with our allies.

TELEGRAMS WERE TAKEN

"South of Ailles, a vigorous attack made us master of a system of trenches, on a front on one kilometre, which was held strongly by the enemy. Four German counter-attacks on our new positions were repulsed easily, and 120 prisoners, one of them an officer, have been counted. In the region of the Hertebie monument, we also made progress, taking a score of prisoners.

"In the Champagne and on both banks of the Meuse, heavy artillery fighting continued. We made a surprise attack near Louvemont, taking seven prisoners. There is nothing of importance to report on the remainder of the front.

"Our bombing airplanes last night and this morning threw many bombs on enemy establishments north and east of the Houthoutse forest and also on the railway station at Lighwater.

"During our attack in the region of Ailles and Hertebie, our aviators were not deterred by the bad weather from flying very close to the ground as our infantry moved forward, turning their machine guns on the shelters and reserves of the enemy."

REPORT FROM CANADIAN LINES

Canadian Headquarters in France, Wednesday evening, Aug. 15, via London.—(By Stewart Lyons)—The Germans are now fighting with great tenacity to retain their precarious hold on the central portion of Lens. Throughout the day they have been bringing up fresh troops with which to carry on counter-attacks. The original force with which our assault was met was pretendedly accounted for by the attacking force. It consisted of two battalions of the 165th regiment, two of the 26th, one of the 156th and one of the 293rd. German regiments consist of three battalions each, and after the battalions of the first-mentioned regiments holding the trenches had been put out of action the reserve battalions were moved up hurriedly. At nine o'clock, while headed toward Hill 70, these battalions were caught under our artillery fire and dispersed.

The enemy leaders next called upon the Fourth Guard division, which has been held on this part of the line for such an emergency as that which confronted the defenders of Lens. The guards proceeded towards Bois Hugo with the evident intention of retaking Hill 70. They, too, were caught under our artillery and machine gun barrage and so roughly handled that two attempts to advance, one at 11:15 o'clock and the second shortly after noon had to be abandoned.

NOT EVEN SERIOUSLY MENACED

Hill 70 was not even seriously menaced during the remainder of the day. A short way to the north, between St. Laurent and Lens, the enemy recovered a portion of a line of reserve trench the possession of which lessens for the moment our pressure from the north.

Artillery and machine gun experts have just told me that the enemy position is an impossible one, and that if he cannot drive us off Hill 70 he will have to get out of Lens.

Our casualties can never be spoken of as light.

On the Lens front where the Canadians yesterday captured Hill 70 and made further progress in the environs of the French mining centre, all German counter-attacks, the official statement adds, were repulsed.

ITALIAN COMMUNICATION

Rome, Aug. 16.—The official statement issued today by the Italian war department says:

"Military activity on the entire Austro-Hungarian front was limited to artillery firing. Nothing important took place.

"Paris, Aug. 16.—A weekly report of shipping losses gives one steamer of more than 1,600 tons and three of smaller size as having been sunk in the week ended Aug. 12, out of 1,010 arrivals and 1,028 clearances at French ports. Five French ships were attacked unsuccessfully by submarines."

ITALIAN SHIPPING LOSSES

London, Aug. 16.—The Italian merchant marine losses for the week ending August 12, comprise six steamers and five sailing vessels one of the latter being above 100 tons. Five hundred and fifty ships were taken into account. Total tonnage of 330,245 entered port and 509 a fortnight ago.

"Prompt Action by China

London, Aug. 16.—The Chinese government, in a telegraph despatch from Peking, is arranging for the prompt liquidation of the German-Asian bank. Five officials of the foreign office have been appointed to take charge of accounts and call home to the Shanghai, Canton, Tientsin and Hankow branches.

Chinese troops have seized Austrian concessions in Tien Tsin, according to an Exchange Telegraph report. The government says that Mrs. Elinor Pankhurst, the suffragette, while attempting to make a speech at Adelaide, fought the police and was arrested. Assemblies in parliament precincts are prohibited.

Mrs. Pankhurst Again

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POLICE STILL

HOLD OUT HOPE FOR SOLUTION

"A Delicate Matter," Says Chief
of New Clue

'VERY MATERIAL TO THE CASE'

But Police Can Disclose Nothing
to Indicate That Mystery Sur-
rounding Death of Harry L.
Williams is Nearer Solution

Cheif Simpson, when seen by the Times' reporter this morning in connection with the mystery still surrounding the death of H. L. Williams, said that there was something new in the case, but there was nothing that he could make public just yet. He intimated that the new rumor on which the police were working did not seem to produce something definite, but was a delicate subject and had to be handled accordingly.

"Reports," said the chief, "have to be borne in by facts, and if this one is true, it is very material to the case in hand."

The police will give out no information as to the nature of the investigation, but it is expected that their activities along this particular line will soon be brought to a head.

FINANCIAL CONDITION GOOD

The Times has learned from unquestionable authority that Harry L. Williams, the young north end merchant, who disappeared last Saturday night on the corner of Elm and Main streets on the night of August 7, was not in financial difficulties as was stated in a newspaper.

The statement comes from Mr. Simpson, who is a man known to know and who unquestionably states that his business was in better condition than that of the best families in that section of the city and all were collected.

When asked about the sum drawn on his insurance policy, he said that it had been drawn on the time Mr. Williams had told friends that he would buy some funds, the debts were not long standing and were comparatively small amounts, which any business man would owe.

To offset these debts he had paid his taxes in time to get his insurance paid.

At that time Mr. Gould had completed the two miles of his electric railway.

The company was formed and Mr. Hazen assisted in getting the charter for the new organization.

A subsidy contract was secured for an electric railway so Mr. Gould sold out to him.

Mr. Hazen, then premier, had made a good enough to hand over the company to him.

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Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John.

SPECIAL MATINEE FOR THE JUVENILE REVUE

The twelve little kiddies in the Juvenile Revue will only be at the Opera House tonight and tomorrow. Don't miss them, for they are certainly a great novelty. In order to give the children in the city may have a chance to see these really clever juvenile actresses, the management has made a special price for tomorrow (Friday), \$1.00 for all children attending. Come yourself and bring the children or send the children away. The afternoon performance starts at 2:30. Evenings at 7:30 and 9:00.

LT. COL. GUTHRIE AND 236TH BATTALION AT LYRIC PICTURED AT LYRIC

Special feature at Lyric tonight shows our American cousins in New York tending glad hand to Lt.-Col. Guthrie and members of his 236th battalion. Also Mystery of Double Cross and a new act by Cecil and Berne.

A BUTTERFLY AT THE GAETY.

Allan Holubar and Lettie Lovell are the feature players in the Butterfly mystery drama "The Big Case," which was shown at the Gaety last night and will be repeated tonight 7:30 and 9.

Friday and Saturday the sixth episode of "The Perils of the Secret Service," a two part L. Ko comedy and a multiple rail road drama will be shown.

SUCCESSFUL IN THE EXAMINATIONS

Several St. John Names Prominent in This List

Fredericton, Aug. 16.—The following candidates passed successfully the examination for grammar school places in June, 1917, among the names of merit—D. Gordon Willett, St. John; James R. McNamee, Isobel St. John; Blaise, Ella V. Thuroft, Anna Jackson, H. Gladys Gregory, all of Fredericton; Raymond Francis, Newmarket; Leo Moore, Richmond; L. Jean C. Kennedy, Sussex; Charles R. Smith, Lower Coverdale; Cecil H. Turner, Fredericton; Arthur F. Vanward, Leo C. Kelli, Salmon Falls; Margarette J. Macmillan, Fredericton; Margarette G. Jonah, Sussex.

The following who made seventy per cent. upwards on the first class examination upwards in June, 1917, were given the required pass mark. Sixty per cent. is arranged in order of merit—Mary M. Chisholm, St. John; Katherine McMurtry, Westmorland; M. Dickie, Campbellton; Rose H. Hoffman, Chatham; Agnes G. Baird, Chipman; Greta A. Currie, Upper Jemseg; George Doucet, Chatham; Frank W. Elsen, Charlottetown; Westmorland county; E. Rogers, Hopewell Hill; Esther J. West, Bathurst; John; Eugenia A. Higgins, St. John; Calista F. Savoie, Butchertown; Sadie Batteman, Bathurst; Doris Connett, St. John; Alice D. Davis, Gloucester; William H. Arnold, Sussex; Grace Rogers, Fredericton; Kathleen C. Kay, Moncton; Gladys E. Martin, St. John; Hepzibah C. Dyer, Fredericton; H. Miller, Dieppe; Madel E. Christie, Oak Hill, Charlotte county.

PTE. HARRY GUNN WOUNDED IN HEAD; DESPATCH COMES

Mrs. James Gunn of 4 Blair street received word this morning from Ottawa that her son Pte. Harry J. Gunn had officially reported wounded in the head in one of the many engagements of the Canadian Expeditionary Force. Pte. Gunn is only eighteen years of age and has been through the thickest of the fighting in which the divisional troops have figured so prominently.

Pte. Gunn was a member of a well known New Brunswick regiment and had been transferred to another branch of the service on his arrival in England. A son of Ernest E. Gunn, at present in the city, is attached to the Canadian Engineers and is home on leave from Valcartier.

A Marching Gallery.
Are you going to carry a picture of your sweetheart with you when you go to the front?

Yes, indeed. Seven pictures, each of a different girl."

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths. 50¢.

MARRIAGES

MULLALLY-KOCHAN—At St. Alpheus church, Hampton, on August 15, James T. Mullally of Norton, N. B., to Margaret Teresa Keanan of Hampton, N. B.

DEATHS

HENDERSON—Suddenly in this city at his residence, 200 Pitt street, Harry A. Henderson, son of John Henderson, in the fortieth year of his age.

Funeral at 2:30 on Saturday.

SHANNON—Born on the 19th inst., at St. James' Alice, aged 9 months, youngest child of Charles and Ethel Shannon.

Burial this afternoon from the residence of Mr. and Mrs. P. Kane.

McALEF—At his late residence, 75 Marsh road, on Wednesday, August 15, Thomas McAleff, aged eighty-two years, leaving his wife, two daughters and one son to mourn.

Funeral service at 2:30 o'clock Friday. Friends invited to attend.

CAVANAGH—At Silver Falls on August 15, 1917, Joseph Cavanaugh.

Notice of funeral later.

SAYS HE PAID \$3 FOR BOTTLE OF GIN

Charge Made Against Wallace Stevens of North End

Wallace Stevens, of North End, was before Magistrate Ritchie this morning on charge of selling liquor without a license, under the New Brunswick Prohibition Act, in his saloon in Main street on or about July 12. The charge was laid as a result of the activity of Inspector Crawford and the local police.

Dennis Connolly said that he went into Main street about July 12 and asked for a bottle of gin. He received them and paid \$3 each. Some further evidence was taken and the case was postponed until this afternoon.

The defendant has been fined before for like offence. At that time he was fined \$60 or three months in jail. It is said that Stevens is not conducting a beer shop now.

LITTLE INTEREST IN ELECTION FOR REPEAL OF THE SCOTT ACT

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 16.—E. J. Kingsley, paymaster of the Canadian Cottons, Ltd., mill at Marysville, accompanied by his two brothers, left on Tuesday on a motoring tour to the United States.

Very little interest appears to be taken in the election being held in the city of Fredericton today on the question of the repeal of the Canada Temperance Act.

The members of the Dominion Alliance were much pleased with the vote against the Canada Temperance Act in Sunday's yesterday.

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FIGHT HAND TO HAND IN FLANDERS WOOD

Germans Pay Heavy Price to Win Back a Little Ground

Cubbed Rifles Used—Battalions, Out-numbered, Contest Every Inch, and Retain Most of the Height

British Fight in France
An Associated Press despatch from the British Front in France and Belgium, Aug. 12, says:

The hand-to-hand fighting of the most furious nature, in which bayonets and cubed rifles were utilized, developed in the Glencorse Wood yesterday as a result of a German counter-attack, by which the enemy retook the southeastern portion of this sector.

German counter-attack, which the extremity of the line taken by the British in Friday's offensive, and, owing to the fact that it overlooked the surrounding country, the Germans determined to regain it at any cost.

Yesterdays' counter-attack was most determined. The Germans preceded their infantry advance by an intense bombardment from guns of all calibres, and then they tried to break through a heavy barrage. They were met by a strong fire from the British artillery and, as they approached the wood, were moved down in large numbers by machine gun fire. The result was that expenditure of life did not enter into the German calculations. They were willing to pay the price for this important position, and the infantry was hurled forward through a rain of death until the wood was reached.

Two British battalions, the Queen's Royal West Surreys and the Buffords, made a valiant fight against the numerically superior force of the enemy, but were forced gradually to withdraw, losing every inch of the way with their bayonets and their rifles used as clubs. In the northwest portion of the wood, however, they made such a determined stand that the enemy was unable to continue his advance, and the British retained possession of the wood. The German losses were very heavy, being greatly in excess of British casualties.

The Western Front situation, which the British took on Friday morning has been held against numerous German counter attacks, and the line now extends along the forward crest of the ridge with the left on the Ypres and the right with the right on the meeting into the Glencorse Wood. German prisoners say that they were taken by surprise in Friday's offensive, and that the British were upon them before they were aware that an attack was impending.

The fighting along the Ridge and in the Glencorse Wood on Friday was most bitter and sanguinary, a large part



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of the Ridge being taken with the bayonet. Heavy casualties were inflicted on the defenders. At one stroke defended point the Germans withheld the British from them with machine gun fire and then the position was again forced by the attackers, the Germans being forced out.

Glencorse Wood was also filled with

machine guns, and the Queens and Buffords, who finally captured it, had to fight their way through a hall of lead.

USE THE WANT AD. WAY

LOCAL NEWS

NOTICE TO CHAUFFEURS
A meeting to be held at Oddfellows' Hall Thursday evening, 8 sharp. All chauffeurs and repair men requested to attend.

Y. P. A. meeting tonight at Great War Veterans' room, Union street. Mrs. P. R. Warren, speaker.

Good shopping on all your shopping by shopping at Bassett's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street, no branches. —8-16

Wanted—Middle aged lady desires room and board with private family. E. 42, Times office.

Ladies' suits, special line of blue cheviet, made to measure, \$25.—A. Morin, tailor, 52 Union street.

The best wearing parts for men and boys at the lowest prices at Bassett's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches. —8-16

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CONCERNING OFFICERS.

The fact that there are nearly eight thousand Canadian officers in England who are fit for duty in France, but remain on English soil at a cost to Canada of something like \$40,000 per day, is especially significant in connection with the treatment of wounded officers who return to England. Here is a typical case. A lieutenant who was promoted in France to the rank of captain and then of major was wounded and sent to England. From that moment he reverted to the pay of a lieutenant. He will return to France as a lieutenant. Why should an officer lose rank when he is wounded? If a major, why should he not get a major's pay? If anybody is to be reduced, why should it not be the majors who stay in England instead of those who win honors and suffer wounds at the front? The Canadian military authorities are responsible for the regulation. Why was it made, and why should a practically non-combatant officer rank higher for pay than one who gained promotion on the field and had the misfortune thereafter to be wounded? One of the reasons why we need a change of government is the need of a thorough investigation and reorganization of our military affairs in England. Possibly some changes might also be made with advantage in Canada. There are certainly some people who entertain that view. What has the country gained by the retirement of Sir Sam Hughes?

SHOWING US THE WAY

Food Controller Hoover of the United States, is not afraid to blare new trials. The price of the 1917 wheat crop is to be fixed by a commission, gambling on the wheat exchanges is to be stopped, even if the government has to purchase the whole crop, and the control of all elevators and large mills is to be taken over to prevent hoarding.

The aim of Mr. Hoover is to lower the price of bread at home as well as to protect the Allies. The people of the United States will applaud his act. It is unfortunate that in Canada, after three years of war, there is no authority to stand between the people and the profiteers. We must look to a newcomer in the war for an example of leadership. The Borden government has been too close to the big financial interests ever since the war began. It has been timid when it was not worse, and as a result a great many people go about their business as if there were no war in progress—spending their money and making more, and forgetting the men who are fighting their battles in the blood-drenched fields of Flanders.

The realization of government inefficiency and partisanship in Canada has been passed home by the reports of what is being done in other countries, and it is not surprising that so many citizens insist that the defeat of the Borden government is the first thing to be accomplished in the task of reorganization and the complete mobilization of the nation for war purposes.

The report of what the American food controller is doing reminds us that the Canadian food controller has not yet done anything radical or revolutionary to show any signs of an ambition to make the sort of record a food controller should make for himself.

A THEORY CONFIRMED.

The fortuitous combination of happenings which secured a sub-contract at theory. Mr. Smith and Mr. Merrithew in the Valley Railway is an interesting confirmation of the truth of the evolution theory. Mr. Smith & Mr. Merrithew were looking for a partner. Their work was to be done in Kings County. Mr. Fenwick of Kings County was a friend of Mr. George B. Jones, a member of the legislature representing that county. The wind of destiny blew upon Mr. Smith and Mr. Merrithew, Mr. Jones and Mr. Fenwick, and also upon Mr. B. M. Baxter. When it ceased to blow there had been evolved a partnership which included Smith, Merrithew and Fenwick, and which found ready for its sustenance and growth a fat contract on the Valley Railway. It was a purely fortuitous development. It just happened. Mr. Fenwick was not required to put forth any efforts to be absorbed into the new organism. He just could not help it. Despite his marked him out for this distinction. This is perfectly clear from the evidence of Mr. Smith and Mr. Merrithew. They, also, were as though blown in the winds of fate. But it was a benevolent fate, for it brought to the newly evolved entity the cream from the Valley Railway milk-jar, on which to grow and flourish. Who will have the courage to say, in the face of the evidence, that there is nothing in the theory of evolution?

Those who parade Sir Clifford Sifton as one of the prospective saviors of Canada in this crisis should seek some other employment. The Canadian people have had enough of his sort of leadership. There is no doubt of his ability, but it has been too often misdirected.

FAMILY DOCTOR'S GOOD ADVICE

To Go On Taking "Fruit-a-lives" Because They Did Her Good

Rochon, P. Q., Jan. 14th, 1915.
I suffered for many years with terrible Indigestion and Constipation. I had frequent dizzy spells and became greatly run down. A neighbor advised me to try "Fruit-a-lives." I did so and to the surprise of my doctor, I began to improve, and he advised me to go on with "Fruit-a-lives."

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There is a grass-grown road from the valley.—
A winding road and steep—That leads to the quiet hill-top, where lies your love abode. God knows where, while mine is lying, God knows where, a hundred fathoms deep.
I saw you kneel at a grave-side—How still a grave can be. Wrapt in the tender sunlight, for from the morning sea! But through all dreams and starlight the breakers call to me.

Oh! sleep, it is your way to Silence—but sleepers the ways I roam, For never a road can take me beyond the wind and foam, And never a road can reach him who lies so far from home.

Ruth Guthrie Harding, In Public Opinion.

LIGHTER VEIN.

Ample Provision.
You never think of the future, have you made the slightest provision for a rainy day?

"I should say so. I've borrowed a silver-handled silk umbrella."

Evening Post.

Young John had been reading the evening paper, and paused contemplatively for a few moments. "Father," said he, "what is 'inertia'?" "Well," replied the father, "if I have it, it's pure laziness, but if your mother has it, it is nervous prostration."

Proved.

"Of course women should vote," he said. "Women deserve the suffrage as much as men, because their minds are as clear and clean."

"Cleerer?" cried the sweet young thing he had taken in to dinner. "Of course they are, ever and ever so much cleaner. But how do you know that?"

"Because they change them so much oftener," said he, solemnly.

Colden's Escape.

With pathetic tears of baby cheeks she ran up to the big, stalwart policeman.

"P—please, sir," she sobbed, "will you come and lock a bad man up?"

"What's he been doing?" asked the constable.

"Eh—booh-booh," wailed Ethel, "he's b—broken up my home wif 'is nasty bicycyle."

"Has he?" replied the bobby angrily, as he saw her tears flow afresh. "Where is he?"

"Oh, you'll easily catch 'im," said Ethel, drying her tears. "They've just carried 'im into that chemist's shop on a shutter!"

MAPS OF U.S. DEFENSES FOUND ON A GERMAN PRISONER, WHO Says He Is a Fisherman, Also Took Soundings Near Puget Sound.

Seattle, Aug. 16.—Richard L. Lehman, a German arrested here, was in possession of maps of the Strait of Juan de Fuca, Puget Sound coast defenses, and the Puget Sound navy station, and had made soundings in the strait and at New Bay, according to information to federal officials.

He also had chemist and poisons. The prisoner professed to be a fisherman.

Long after this war is over the world will recoil with horror when it contemplates the savagery of the Germans.

This generation owes to succeeding generations, even in Germany, to make such savagery impossible in the future. To be war-weary and inclined to make peace before that is accomplished would be a grievous sin against humanity.

The Halifax Herald quotes President Watters of the Trades and Labor Congress as saying: "I am a conscriptionist." And then the conscriptionists in the audience pealed him with eggs. Apparently he was not their sort of conscriptionist. But perhaps to be showered with eggs at their present price is a token of esteem.

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The Standard's labored effort today to escape the force of the criticism of this paper does not alter the facts. The Standard yesterday printed what was practically an endorsement of the refusal to Mr. J. C. Watters of the right of free speech in a British country.

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Of one thing let us be sure. Politics or no politics, Canada is in the war to a finish. If it should be otherwise the graves of our heroic dead would be our everlasting shame. We must see to it that they shall not have died in vain.

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The German submarine toll last week was the smallest since March. This is one of the most cheering items of the news, and it is supplemented by the story of the brilliant achievement of the British army at Lens.

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CAVELL LAWYER
VISITS AMERICA

Belgian Who Defended Executed Nurse Says Germans Threatened His Life Also

Gaston de Leval, a Belgian lawyer, attached to the United States legation at Brussels, who defended Edith Cavell, an English nurse, when she was tried and executed by the Germans as a spy, arrived in New York the other day on his way to Washington. After reporting to the state department he will go to Saratoga Springs to lecture before the American Bar Association on "Prussian Law as Applied in Belgium."

Mr. Leval said that he would not go into the United States until he had gone to Washington and consulted the state department. The efforts he made to save the life of Miss Cavell aroused so much sympathy on the part of the Prussian military authorities at Brussels that an order was made for his arrest and execution.

"They did not dare to attack the

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FACING A DANGEROUS SITUATION

Ontario Writer's View of Affairs
In Ottawa

Many on Government Side Believe Best Thing Would be to Call Elections So Soon as Conscription Bill Signed—Dissatisfaction With Borden

(Ottawa, Aug. 13)—As a matter of fact the government is facing a dangerous situation. The conscription bill will be voted on within a very few days. It will then be up to the government to undertake at once to put it in force; it will take a month to appoint the tribunals and get the machinery in motion. Then the campaign of the classes and the election campaign will occur together, with what results national and political may be conjectured.

There are many on the government side who believed that the government's best plan would be to dissolve and go to the people as soon as the ink is dry on the governor-general's signature. They foresaw disaster for the party if the bill were to become law without further legislation in the house, and attempts to enforce conscription contemporaneously with an election campaign.

A Minister Blunder

The subject chosen for discussion in the commons on the day of the premier's most recent attempt to secure consent was not a happy one. When Mr. W. L. Allison, member for Galt, Ontario, returned to the house at the conclusion of the conference they discussed the minister of justice trying to put through the house a bill which, right or wrong, Liberals believed was conceived in the first place to help the late colleagues of Hon. Robert Rogers and the old Manitoba government.

Finally, some months later, it was allowed to go free on condition that left Belgium at once. I took my wife and family over to England.

"And I have not been in Belgium recently. I have kept up my knowledge of events there through correspondence in the various cities. Despite the Pope's protest, the Belgians from Belgium are large numbers. They would prefer offering for prison and torture than work for the Germans. The war has not crushed the spirit of the Belgian people, and they have been able to regain their country, and have been in action once more. King Albert is more popular than ever, and has endeared himself to the Belgians with his steady opposition to his wife in her steady opposition to herself in their large numbers."

"The entry of America into the war had a moral effect even in Germany, because the United States came to fight for the principles on the side of justice and was not fighting on material issues. America is bringing right against might in the great conflict.

"France possesses great courage, but France has been the torch illuminating liberty, but at the same time was burning down to the last ash.

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Sir Robert does not take action in connection with the minister of public works, but the Liberals will be charged and the MacLeod-Tellier refusal will come up in the house at a very early date. A real old-fashioned field day will be had in this respect. A further matter which he worked to the detriment of union is the somewhat spurious character of Sir Thomas White's "Wealth Conscription." The French are not so easily raised to the heavens, and do not need a stimulant."

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This is the Rogers element. It seems important that he should stay in a reorganized cabinet, and yet how can the premier let him go? More than seventy members have expressed their loyalty and support for him.

Again, there is the question of Rogers' usefulness to his party in the event of an election. He is the lord high chief executioner of the party organization, and will be absolutely essential in a good working mood when the election comes off.

Dissatisfied With Borden

It is pretty general gossip around the corridors that the Conservative party are by no means satisfied with Borden's leadership. Mutterings and murmurings are heard on all sides. He is undoubtedly a man that the country could put out its utmost effort to help win the war, but he has not the best way in the world or the strongest of trying to achieve it, and the members of the party cannot see why his political future should be endangered because the leader thinks it worth while to flirt with outside forces in an effort to find a strong government. Clinton began at home, then he became a leader of first duty to his party. The result is that Sir Robert Borden is walking around on the edge of an abyss, and a little shadow set him into the oblivion of lost leadership.

Interesting developments may be looked for at any time.

ANOTHER DYNAMITE OUTRAGE

An explosion is reported to have taken place on Tuesday night at Ste. Scholastique near Montebello which smashed all the windows in the residence of Greelon Biggs, a prominent resident of the town. Mr. Biggs is a strong upholder of conscription. The explosion was caused by dynamite being placed near his home.

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GOOD ADVICE FROM A GOOD SOURCE

"Every ounce of waste," writes Mr. Hoover in his first official statement to the American people, "is a contribution to starvation." This is a truth, and its importance is a practical as well as a moral one. Only by saving every cent of our economy in raising our food supplies can we maintain at its highest point the military efficiency of our allies. To give them more let them go hunting than circumstances command, or increase the difficulty of our own part in the great task we have undertaken, and it will add directly to the number of our soldiers killed before the victory is ours.

As Mr. Hoover also pointed out, we are so many that even a little saving—a little waste avoided—by each of us means an enormous amount to the available sum of food staple.

We have been accused again and again with more injustice, of wild extravagance in our eating and drinking tables. It has been no crime to live well when we could afford it—to pick and choose in what we would eat. But that time is passed, and for the present we shall withdraw at least the social peril.

It will be Mr. Hoover's task and business to tell us how to save—for use.

If we show sense and good advice, as far as we can, and experience, will be enough, and he will have to exert his enormous new powers of compulsion only on the stupid and the vicious.

DEVON'S FIRST COUNCIL

Fredrickson, N. B., Aug. 15.—The first council of Devon was elected by acclamation today. Sheriff J. B. Haworth was returning officer. The following ticket was placed in nomination:

For aldermen, W. B. Dayton, R. A. Mallory, A. E. Rockwell, Ashley Colter, Harry Pickard, George Ward, A. J. Bailey, and A. J. Moy.

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CHEAP RUBBER TIRED WAGON For Sale. Apply T. A. Short, 10 Pond street. 64483-8-22

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FOR SALE—NEW AND SECOND hand light driving carriages, sloven and express wagons, and delivery boxes in stock. Good trade to order. Green bays and easy terms. Edgewood, City road, Phone M. 547. 64118-8-17

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FOR SALE—5 gal. gasoline tank, \$20.00; 1 automobile, \$120.; 1 oil tank, \$1.50; child's iron cot, \$6.00; 1 cook stove, \$7.00. McGrath's Furniture and Department Store, 274 Union street, Phone 1345-21.

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This page of the TIMES is the city directory for the home seeker; and for the landlord who wants a tenant.

FLATS TO LET

FLAT TO LET, SEPTEMBER 1, seven rooms, moderate rent. Spring street. 64487-8-21

BRIGHT, SUNNY UPPER FLAT, six rooms, 218 Duke street. 64484-8-23

SMALL FLAT—CHOICE FULLY FURNISHED, Lots, Summer street, Beaconsfield. A. R. Melrose, Vassie & Co., Ltd., 68826-8-9

FLAT, 80 CHAPEL STREET, SEVEN rooms. Another, five or house for sale. 64886-8-21

SIX ROOM FLAT TO LET FROM Sept. 1, 41 Simonds St. 64306-8-21

TO LET—FURNISHED FLAT OF rooms. Apply 32 Leinster street. 64976-8-30

TO LEFT—FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED FLATS AND ROOMS, 200 Charlotte street west. 64487-8-20

TO RENT—SELF-CONTAINED FLAT of seven rooms and bath, hot water heated. I. H. Northrup, South T.F.

UPPER FLAT, 160 KING STREET East. M. 1989-11. 63739-8-8

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FLAT TO LET—44 ROCKLAND road, electric lights and bath, rental \$8. for immediate occupancy. Apply phone 576. 63208-8-22

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Flat, 250 City Road; rent \$10.00; Flat, 23 North street; rent \$6.00. Flat, 46 Middle street (West); rent \$7.00.

Flat, 43 Elm street; rent \$7.00. J. W. MORRISON. 99 Prince Wm. St. Phone M. 3445-21

STORIES AND BUILDINGS

SHOP IN LANSDOWNE HOUSE, south side King square. Apply Ethel Milligan, 128 Hazen street. 64153-8-11

STORE TO LET, 571 MAIN ST. with concrete cellar, large bright store, good business stands. \$10 per month, for immediate occupancy. Phone M. 976. 64309-8-23

LOST—CRANK HANDLE FOR AUTOMOBILE in vicinity of King Square. Finder please notify undersigned, Thomas Bell, Pugsley Building.

LOST—GOLD WRIST WATCH AT Terryburn or on plumb train. Finder please phone M. 2040. Reward. 64488-8-23

LOST—WATCH CHARM, INITIALS M. J. Finder please leave at 223 Brook street. Reward. 64449-8-18

FOUND—SMALL SUM OF MONEY in King Square. One can have in King Square. Finder please return to E. P. Logan's Barber Shop, Charlotte street. 64484-8-17

LOST—MAN'S OLD PAJAMAS from Germany. Finder please return to Post Office, last Friday. Finder kindly return to Mill street. Reward. 64391-8-17

LOST—TUESDAY, SEASIDE PARK, a sum of Money. Finder please leave at 110 Charlotte street. Reward. 64409-8-17

LOST—IN QUEEN'S SQUARE, parcel containing two Crocheted Yokes. Reward, if returned to 180 Waterloo street, or Phone 1465-21. 64890-8-18

TO LET

AUTOMOBILE ACCOMMODATION, Cliff street. Geo. Carrill. 64425-8-22

BARN TO RENT, 68 CARMARTHEN street. 64279-8-20

WANTED

YOUNG MAN COMPANION, two weeks' trip in woods, hunting, fishing, boating; own expenses. Start Sept. first. "E 44". 64414-8-18

WANTED—AUTOMOBILE ON EXCHANGE for stock. Address Box E 89. 64840-8-22

WANTED—TO MEET YOUNG MAN with good financier and character, 20 to 30 years old. Must know city well. Address "E 38". 64353-8-21

WANTED—SMALL WAREHOUSE and office rooms or shop on Dock St. preferred. Write Box 298, St. John, N.B. 64170-8-17

FLATS WANTED

WANTED—SMALL FLAT IN LOWER Cove. Address E 90, care Times. 64818-8-17

SMALL FLAT WANTED, FAMILY of two, possession middle or last of September. Address Box 49, Fairville, N.B. 64445-8-23

FOR SALE—RESTAURANT, 7 Mill street, fine stand, in good running order. Owner has other interests. Phone M. 183. 64273-8-20

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO apply for work, 205 Charlotte street west.

WANTED—BOY TO LEARN wholesale dry goods business. Apply to Brock & Paterson, Ltd., 64256-8-20

BAKERS' HELPER WANTED, apply Robinson's Bakery, Celebration street.

BOY WANTED TO LEARN BAKING, day work. Robinson's Bakery, Celebration street. T.F.

BOY WANTED

JOHN DE ANGELIS. 63816-8-25

MEN WANTED—MARITIME NAIL Works, Ltd., Portland street. 8-28

FURNISHED FLATS TO LET

FURNISHED FLAT, 194 QUEEN, Phone 3183-21. 64453-8-23

COOKS AND MAIDS WANTED

WANTED—LADY HELP, SMALL family. Manawagonish Road. Phone 124-21 West. 64467-8-18

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL housework. Phone T. K. Raymond, Main 1900.

WANTED—A CAPABLE MAID FOR general housework. Apply J. C. Bell, 44 Princess street. 64454-8-23

WANTED—GENERAL GIRL, 27 Brussels street. 64450-8-22

WANTED—GENERAL GIRL TO GO to country. Apply 155 Princess St. 64892-8-21

WANTED—A WORKING HOUSEKEEPER in small family. Good references. No washing. Modern conveniences. Box E 34, care Times. 64393-8-17

LADY HELP WANTED IN SMALL family, Mount Pleasant. Phone M. 64353-8-17

KITCHEN GIRL AND CHAMBER maid for Ten Eyck Hall. Phone 1020. 64387-8-21

WANTED—CAPABLE MAID FOR general housework. Best of wages. Apply F. G. Spencer, Ltd., 64298-8-21

WANTED—GENERAL GIRL, APPLIQUE Queen Hotel, Princess St. 64504-8-21

KITCHEN GIRL WANTED, Elliott Hotel. 64371-8-21

WANTED—A COMPETENT WOMAN for general housework. references required. Apply 125 Elliott Row. 64235-8-18

GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK in family two, highest wages paid right party. Address Box E 27, care of Times. 64295-8-20

WANTED—COMPETENT GIRL, a girl for small family, one who can cook. Wages \$18.00. Address E 20, care of Times. 64208-8-18

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BARGAINS

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GO TO WETMORE'S, GARDEN street, for summer underwear, hose, hosiery and corsets, white waists and neckwear.

RAKES, HOSKS, OILS, SHELLAC, varnish stains and Glidden Auto finish. Durval, 17 Waterloo. 64808-8-21

FOR INFANTS, GIRLS & BOYS. All kinds of mittens, hats, caps, etc., white underwear, Oliver Twist Suits, Raincoats, Sweaters, J. Morgan & Co., 629-630 Main street.

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T. M. WISTED & CO., 145 ST. PATRICK street, American arbitrators, all sizes. Springfield, Reserve Sydney soft coal also in stock. Phone 2145-11. Ashes removed promptly.

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TABLEWARE OF ALL KINDS REpaired and Plated. Knives, Forks, spoons, cake baskets, castors, teapots, etc. Mesh bags repaired and plated. All jewelry repaired and plated, gold or silver, at Grondines, the Plater. T.F.

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LADIES' STRAW, CHIP, TAILLE and Panama Hats blocked over in latest styles. Mrs. M. R. James, 290 Main street, opposite Adelaide.

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MISS MCGRATH, N.Y. PARLORS Imperial Theatre Building. Orders taken now for new hair, colorings, hair work a specialty. Gents mancuring—Floor 2, Phone M 2693-81. New York, 2, Phone 440 Main.

IRON FOUNDRIES

UNION FOUNDRY AND MACHINE Works, Limited, George H. Waring, manager, West St. John. N. B. Engineers and machinists, iron and brass founders.

MEN'S CLOTHING

\$12.00 SUIT WEEK AT TURNER'S, selling all \$15.00 and \$16.00 suits at \$12.00. Call and get a genuine suit bargain. Turner, out of the high-rent district, 440 Main. T.F.

YOUNG MEN'S SUITS READY TO wear at moderate prices. W. J. Higgins & Co., Customs and Ready-to-wear Clothing, 182 Union street.

MEATS AND GROCERIES

MEATS, GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS at lowest prices. We now sell soft coal, any quantity delivered. To bias Bros., 71 Main street, M. 1746-21.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

WASSON'S ISSUE MARRIAGE LICENSES, any time, day or night.—Wasson's Drug Store, 711 Main street.

MONEY TO LOAN

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AUTOMOBILE PARTS RE-NICKLED, made to look like new. Bicycle parts, sewing machine parts, stove fittings, bath-room fittings, etc., re-nickled at Grondines the Plater. T.F.

FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET
J. M. Robinson & Sons, St. John, N.B.
Quotations furnished by private wire of
New York, Aug. 16.

	Previous	Opening	Now
Am Locomotive	.70	.69%	.70
Am Beet Sugar	.95	.94%	.93%
Am Coal	44%	.....	.....
Am Sugar	122	122	.....
Am Smelters	102%	108%	108%
Am Tel & Tel	119%	119%	.....
Am Woolens	52%	.....	.....
Am Zinc	75%	77	77
Brooklyn R. T.	60%	.....	.....
Balt & Ohio	.69%	.69%	.69%
Bethel Loco.	71%	70%	70%
Bethel Sup.	.85	.....	.....
China Copper	114%	116%	114%
Chic & N West	.56	.56	.....
Ches and Ohio	.60%	.60%	.....
Col Steel	.49	.49	.....
Col Pacific	160%	.....	.....
Cent Leather	99%	98	.....
Crucible Steel	.81%	.81%	.80%
Erie	24%	24%	24%
Co. Northern Pfd	106	106%	106%
International	.66	.....	.....
Int'l Mar Com	92%	92%	92%
Int'l Mar Pfd Cts	92%	92%	92%
Indust Alcohol	163	163	.....
Kentucky Copper	48%	48%	48%
Midvale Steel	68%	68%	68%
Maxwell Motors	30%	30%	30%
Mex Petroleum	.96	.97	.97%
Miami	.88	.88	.88
Pacific	108%	108%	108%
Norfolk	22%	22%	22%
N.Y Central	.86%	.86%	.85%
Pennsylvania	52%	52%	52%
Pressed Steel Car	71	71	.....
Reading	.94	.94%	.94%
Rensselaer I & S	.90%	.89%	.89%
St. Paul	96	96	.....
South Railway	28%	28%	28%
South Pacific	.95	.95	.95
Studebaker	.53%	.....	.....
St. Louis	.187%	.187%	.187%
U.S Steel	120%	120%	120%
U.S Steel Pfd	.118	.117%	.117%
United	.128%	.128%	.128%
U.S Rubber	.64%	.64	.65
U.S. Steel	.105%	.105%	.105%
Vir Car Chem	.40%	.....	.....
Westing Electric	.68%	.68%	.68%
Sales—Eleven o'clock, 185,400.	48%	48%	48%

MONTRÉAL TRANSACTIONS

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, members Montreal Stock Exchange.)

	Montreal, Aug. 16.
Quebec—20 st. 21%	25 at 21, 25 at
20%, 25 at 20, 50 at 19%.	20 at 19%.
Civic Power—100 at 74, 20 at 74%.	20 at 74%.
Dom Steel—10 at 62	62
Spanish River—50 at 15%.	5 at 15.
Steel Co.—5 at 85%	85
U.S. Steel—12 at 84	84
Spanish Pfd—5 at 49, 38 at 50, 25 at 50%.	49, 38 at 50, 25 at 50%.
Steel Co.—100 at 90%, 10 at 91.	90%, 10 at 91.
Cement Pfd—10 at 91.	91
First War Loan—300 at 97%, 100 at 97%.	97%
Third War Loan—4,000 at 95%.	95%
Unlisted Stocks.	
Tram Power—10 at 81.	81

RECENT WEDDINGS

Dickie-Borden

The Union Church at Avonport, Kings Co., N.S., was the scene of a pretty and unusually interesting wedding at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon, when Miss Elizabeth Borden, daughter of D. C. Borden, president of Mount Allison University, Sackville, N.B., was united in marriage to Frank Dickie, of Shawinigan Falls, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickie, of Middleton, N.S., formerly of Fredericton, B.C.

The ceremony was performed by the bride's father assisted by Rev. Mr. Ryan. Miss Gertrude Borden of Wolfville, a cousin of the bride, played the organ, and Miss Regula, a friend of Sackville, sang during the service.

The quaint little church was decorated for the wedding by the bride's girl friends, with green mingled with wild roses and maidenhair.

The bride wore a travelling costume of green broadcloth with white hat. Her bouquet was of white bridal roses. She was attended by a sister, Miss Gladys Bonham, who wore a gown of pink crepe and a child's hat to correspond and carried a pink bouquet. The groom was unadorned.

Following the ceremony a reception was held "Crown" in the summer house of Mr. and Mrs. Borden, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Borden, of Fredericton, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Dickie left by motor for a trip through the valley, later going to the Laurentian

Mountains. They will make their home at Sackville, Fall.

The guests included the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dickie of Middleton, and his sister, Miss Dickie of Moncton, Mrs. John Black of Bermuda, Miss Lea Borden of Cunard, Miss Beatrice Fraser of Halifax, Mrs. Bigelow of Halifax, Mrs. C. H. Borden of Wolfville, Miss Nettie Thomas of Kentville, Miss

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Valley Railway Costs \$53,000 Per Mile Instead of \$41,800

Result of Refusing First Tenders Indicated by Report of Chief Engineer—Smith & Merrithew Tell of Taking in Mr. Fenwick—D. F. Maxwell Relates Story of Informal Tenders

The vastly increased cost of the Valley Railway as compared with what it might have been if the lower tenders had been accepted, was shown by the statements presented at the Valley Railway inquiry yesterday afternoon by C. O. Foss.

Smith & Merrithew gave evidence regarding the formation of their company and the entry of their silent partner, Mr. Fenwick.

D. F. Maxwell, former inspecting engineer, told only other witness.

Luther B. Smith was the first witness called yesterday. In reply to Mr. Carvell, Mr. Smith said he was a member of the company of Smith & Merrithew, Ltd., which formerly did business as Smith & Merrithew, before the company was incorporated. At that time they had a sub-contract from the Nova Scotia Construction Company for the Valley Railway section. There had no direct contract at that time, but did some work under force account. At that time the witness was a partner, R. J. Armstrong.

Mr. Carvell—Was that the man who said he paid Jim Crockett \$600 or \$700?

A—Yes.

Q—Was it true?

A—Not a word of it, as far as I know.

Q—But he received his share of the profit and could use it as he wished?

A—Of course.

Q—Did you swear that the money was not paid?

A—I could not say.

Q—You formed a joint stock company just prior to receiving your last contract?

A—Yes.

Q—Who was your solicitor?

A—J. J. M. Borden.

Q—Wasn't he a gentleman here by the name of Fenwick who dropped from the skies, apparently, and landed in your company. Can you explain how your company?

Spoke to Mr. Jones.

A—We were to form a limited company and it resulted that we were looking for a third man and I spoke to several, among them George B. Jones. He recommended Mr. Fenwick. I saw Fenwick and he agreed to come in. Then he bought a boat and I advised him that he could not go on with it.

Q—Was he to put up any money?

A—Yes, the same as the rest of us.

Q—But Fenwick said no money was going to be put up only your plant?

A—I can't recall if the money was put up at the time of organization or later.

Q—Did you get anyone else in his place?

A—No.

Q—Mr. Fenwick says he is entitled to one-third interest in the profits; how about it?

A—There have been no profits, no meetings have been held and no dividends declared.

Q—When you happen to stumble across George B. Jones in your search for a partner?

A—I spoke to several others.

Q—Your brother, Mr. Jones, county, which Mr. Jones represents at Fredericton. Was that just a coincidence?

A—So far as I am concerned it was.

I spoke to others.

Q—What for instance?

A—E. B. Macmillan and some others; Mr. Macmillan suggested Roy Smith.

Q—Why did you turn him down and go to a man like Fenwick?

A—I had some talk with Mr. Smith and we did not come to terms.

Q—Was it after that that you talked to Mr. Jones?

A—I promise it was, yes it was.

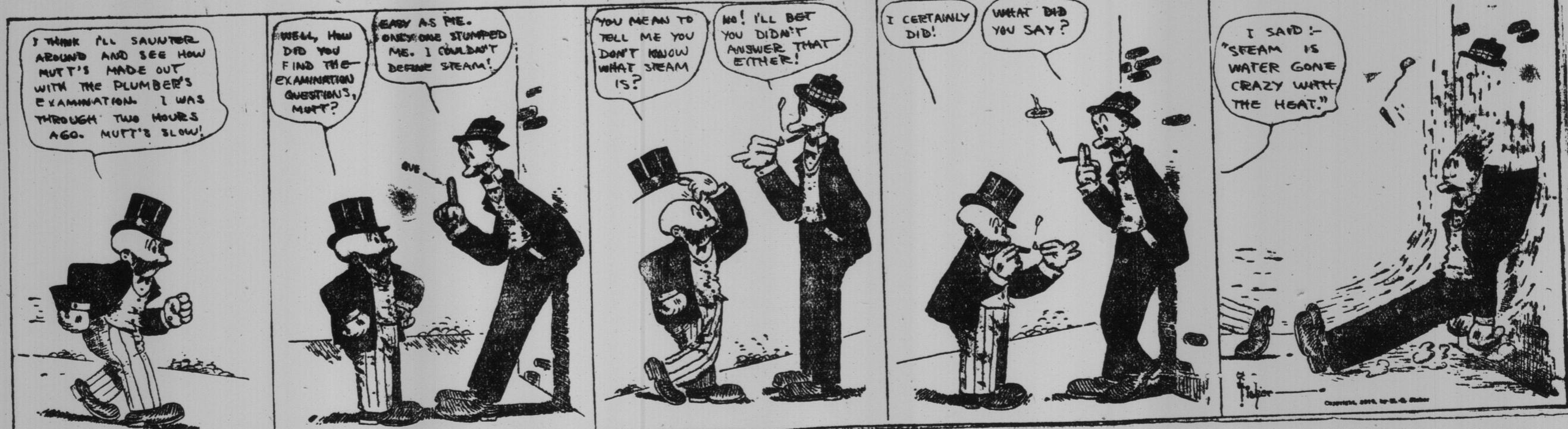
Q—Was it before the tenders were called for the work?

Rich, Glossy Natural Color to Gray Hair

E. Clinton Brown

Mutt and Jeff—Webster Has Nothing on Jeff When it Comes to Definitions

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Q—Who did you go to?

A—The N. S. Construction Company.

Q—Did you apply to any tender to use them after you had your behalf?

A—Not a soul.

Q—Then they gave you the contract, at increased prices just out of the goodness of their hearts?

Q—Can you say why they gave the prices, but you would not do the work for less?

Q—Did you speak to anyone about getting the contract?

A—I spoke to Premier Clarke about getting a contract and he said there was no reason why we should not get the whole contract.

Q—That was before the tenders were opened?

A—No, afterwards.

Q—You had not tendered; how could he say that?

A—He said that he did not know that we had not tendered.

Q—Without any political influence?

A—I spoke to Premier Clarke about getting a contract and he said there was no reason why we should not get the whole contract.

Q—That was before the tenders were opened?

A—No.

Q—Did you speak to anyone about getting a contract?

A—I did not know but I expected to get one.

Q—Why?

A—I had one on the upper work and I supposed I could get one on the lower work.

Q—Before the tenders were called, did Mr. Jones know you expected to get a sub-contract?

A—I spoke to Mr. Fenwick about getting a sub-contract.

Q—Did you discuss the terms, under which the company was to be organized, with Mr. Jones?

A—I spoke to Mr. Jones.

Q—When did you first meet Mr. Fenwick?

A—I came to St. John, by appointment, and I met him at the Victoria Hotel.

Q—Did you have an understanding with him about the organization of the company?

A—I did not know that.

Q—How much were to take a third of the stock?

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INFANTRY
Killed in Action
W. J. McDonald, Glace Bay, N.S.
Died

E. C. Hicks, Lower Millstream, N.B.
Wounded

E. C. Roberts, Argyle, N.S.
F. A. Woodlen, Clements, N.S.
J. J. Osborne, St. John.

J. F. Goodwin, Bathurst, N.S.

A. Hatfield, Dominion, N.S.

J. McNeil, Halifax, N.S.

Gas Poisoning

J. F. Burton, Newfoundland.

ARTILLERY
Wounded

Capt. O. A. Mowat, Campbellton, N.B.
Gassed

Gr. D. G. McCallum, Lower Bedeque

P.E.I.
Gr. J. R. Clarke, Central, P.E.I.

Driver R. Trenholme, Louisburg, N.S.

Gunner A. A. McNamara, Red Point,

P.E.I. SERVICE
Died

R. D. McMillan, Elderglen, N.S.
MEDICAL SERVICES
Wounded

C. D. Glenister, Halifax, N.S.

THE POPES APPEAL TO
BELLIGERENT NATIONS

(Continued from page 1)
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