

Four Days Remain In Which To Win The \$250.00 In Special Prizes

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Depends On Decision Of Sir Douglas

Understood in Government Circles That Should New Brunswick's Chief Justice Re-enter Politics the Cabinet Position is His.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Aug. 12.—Whether New Brunswick's next representative in Dominion re-organized cabinet will be Sir Douglas Haas, General Hugh H. McLean or Stanley E. Elkin, Liberal Unionist, M. P. for St. John and Albert, rests primarily with Sir Douglas Haas.

The Standard correspondent understands, from a source close to the government, that the position has been definitely offered to Sir Douglas, and that his acceptance will be one of the things which will be discussed with Sir Robert Borden when the premier reaches St. John to greet the Prince of Wales. The names of Mr. Elkin and General McLean were suggested in the event that Sir Douglas should decline to retire from his present position as chief justice of New Brunswick to re-enter politics. If Sir Douglas accepts there is every reason to believe that he will become minister of justice, while if the portfolio goes to Mr. Elkin he may become minister of public works.

Hon. Dr. Tolmie was today sworn in as minister of agriculture in succession to Hon. T. A. Cresser who resigned because of his opposition to certain features of the last budget. It is understood Dr. Tolmie will be re-elected in Victoria by acclamation while Sir Henry Drayton, who succeeds Sir Thomas White as finance minister, will also get an acclamation. In return for this there is a strong feeling that the government should permit Hon. W. L. MacKenzie King, the new Liberal leader, to take his seat as representative for Quebec east. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's late constituency, without the formality of a contest.

SPARTACAN PLAN TO OVERTHROW BERLIN GOVT

Revealed in a Circular Sent Out to Agents and Chiefs—To Hasten Internal Crisis by Tampering With Home Guards.

Berlin, Monday, Aug. 11.—A complete and carefully drawn plan to overthrow the present government and further world revolution is contained in a secret Spartacan circular to its agents and district chiefs. The documents speculate on various possible developments, and then sets forth a concrete plan, the first step of which would be to hasten an internal German crisis by tampering with the home guards of Gustave Noske, minister of defense.

The postal workers are depressed, according to the circular, which goes on to say that the programme with regard to the peasants is complete. Delay in provoking revolution is rather welcome, "as it will enable further education of the proletariat."

The document doubts that the rail-roads yet aim at the Spartacan goal, their objects being economic. Therefore, it says, their movement must be supported in other than political ways at present.

GRAND LODGE OF REBEKAHS ELECT OFFICERS

Secretary's Report Shows Seventy-Five Deaths During the Year.

Moncton, August 12.—The Grand Lodge of Rebekahs held their session this morning and heard the reports of the president and secretary. The secretary reported the death of thirty-one brothers and twenty-four sisters during the year. The Rebekahs had a visitation and an address from the Grand Sire, Judge Howard. Seventy-five candidates were initiated at the afternoon session. The Rebekahs elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Miss Kate Mulligan, Summerside, president; Mrs. Wingo, Grand Falls, Newfoundland, vice-president; Barbara McKenzie, Westville, N. S., warden; Mrs. A. D. McKean, North Sydney, secretary; Mrs. P. A. MacGowan, Moncton, N. B., treasurer.

In the evening Pearl Rebekah Lodge, Moncton, exemplified the Rebekah degree on a number of candidates. More delegates are arriving tonight increasing the number in attendance at Grand Lodge to between six and seven hundred.

STRONG CRITICISMS MADE IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS ON GOVERNMENT'S EXTRAVAGANCE

Heads of Departments Placed on the Defensive and Endeavored to Answer Critics With Plausible Reasons for Expenditures—Secretary of War Intimates Government is Endeavoring to Meet Popular Demands for Greater Economy.

London, August 12. (By The A. P.)—In the House of Commons tonight the ministers had to listen to a dose of strong criticism of the extravagance of the government in the matter of armaments, but Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for war, in a general defense of the government, said he was able to promise considerable retrenchments in this direction. His speech betrayed that the government was endeavoring as far as possible to meet the popular demands for greater economy.

Major General J. E. B. Seely, under secretary for air, in the course of his speech, made the effective point that the efficient air force had saved the country millions in money and thousands in lives this year in connection with the troubles in Afghanistan and Egypt, where campaigns were carried out at slight cost as compared to the enormous heavy cost in money and life in similar campaigns conducted by the British in the past.

The Right Honorable Sir Frederick Banbury, Unionist, argued that the people would never economize while seeing ministers riding about in expensive automobiles at the nation's expense.

The Right Honorable George Lambert, Liberal, challenged the government to say what it considered the peace strength of the air force likely to be, and when the colossal expenditure on military adventures abroad would cease. He declared the government had lost the confidence of the country by the huge expenditure in every government department.

Mr. Churchill, defending the government, said that through its policy it was beginning to regain control over its expenditures. The latter, however, was still dependent upon military commitments abroad, the Minister continued, but already it had been arranged that the large force, while the end of October the British forces on the Rhine may be reduced to a single strong brigade, including an air force of a single squadron.

The delisted peace with Turkey and Bulgaria, and the position in Mesopotamia, prevented an immediate reduction of the large force, while the Irish executive was strongly opposed to reducing the Irish garrison.

The government is making earnest inquiries whether it is not possible by free employment of the armored cars and swift tanks and a judicious use of railways and airplanes to greatly reduce our armaments in these regions," Mr. Churchill declared.

He was hopeful that it might thus be possible to reduce the cost of the army by half. Mr. Churchill, however, admitted that the present frame-work of the anti-aircraft organization on the ground that no form of attack could more easily or secretly be prepared than an air attack.

HAVOC FOLLOWS PEACE DAY RIOT AT LUTON

(Manchester Guardian.)

The damage done in the rioting at Luton on Saturday is now placed by competent assessors at well over a quarter of a million. Not only was the Town Hall set on fire and practically burnt out, but when the local police were reinforced, the mob turned their attention to shops in the neighborhood.

Shortly after the Peace procession had passed, the mob attacked the Town Hall, forced an entry, and demolished the decorations and furniture and broke the windows. They were expelled by the police on duty, but returned with reinforcements at eight, and overpowering the police on duty, poured petrol from an adjacent garage upon a corner of the building, and set fire to it. When the fire brigade arrived the hose pipes were cut and the firemen hooded.

A chemist's shop was broken open, and the supply of bottles used as ammunition against the firemen and police, who were mauled, hustled, and lamed in their work. Shortly after 2 a. m. on Sunday a detachment of the Royal Field Artillery were brought into the town, and the molestation of the firemen ceased, but by this time the Town Hall was doomed. The crowd then broke open a piano-forte warehouse and dragged out one of the instruments, and a sort of Bacchanalian festival was held. Then a confectioner's establishment and a boot store was raided.

DENY ARRIVAL OF THE BREMEN'S CREW

Berlin, Aug. 12.—(By The Associated Press.)—Denial was made in official circles today of the statement printed in the Vossische Zeitung yesterday that the entire crew of the German submarine Bremen, which disappeared three years ago, had arrived in Bremen.

Sen. Lodge In Attack On League

Fifty Men a Distance of Forty Feet to Bottom of Concrete Floored Dry Dock.

TWO KILLED AND MANY INJURED

Pitiful Scenes a Relatives Rushed to the Spot to Enquire for the Safety of Their Kin.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Describing the League of Nations as a "deformed experiment upon a noble purpose," Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee and Republican leader in the Senate, declared in a speech today in the Senate that there were features of the league covenant which "as an American," he never could accept.

Creating not a league of peace, but an alliance embracing many "provisions for war," the covenant in its present form, he asserted, would kill the Monroe doctrine, nullify any possibility of withdrawal from membership, impair the sovereign power of deciding domestic questions, "plunge the United States into every controversy and conflict in the face of the globe."

"Let us beware," he said, "how we palter with our independence. We have not reached that great position from which we were able to come down into the world from tyranny, by being guided by others. Our vast power has all been built up and gathered together by ourselves alone. If we forced our way upwards from the days of the revolution, through a world often hostile and always indifferent. We owe no debt to anyone except to France, in our revolution, and those policies and those rights on which our power has been founded, should never be lessened or weakened. It will be no service to the world to go so, and it will be of intolerable injury to the United States. We will do our share. We are ready and anxious to help in all ways to preserve the world's peace. But we can serve the world's peace, but we can do it best by not crippling ourselves. I am as anxious as any human being can be to have the United States under every possible service to the civilization and peace of mankind, but I am certain we can do it best by not putting ourselves in leading strings, or subjecting our politics and our sovereignty to other nations. I will go as far as anyone in world service, but the first step to world service is the maintenance of the United States as a conservative or reactionary, but a American I was born, an American I have remained all my life."

LOYD GEORGE INVESTED WITH THE ORDER OF MERIT

London, Aug. 12.—(By The Associated Press.)—King George tonight invested David Lloyd George with the Order of Merit at Buckingham Palace. The awarding of the honor to the Premier was announced on Aug. 6.

MYSTERIOUS GERMAN PRISONERS



Marked for death by a vanguard because they had betrayed the plans of the German High Command and to American Army intelligence officers just before the beginning of the great American offensive in 1918, two men listed as "two German prisoners of war" were assigned to the Director of Military Intelligence, Washington, D. C. They have just been landed at Hoboken, N. J., from the United States transport Agamemnon. They were under heavy guard of fifteen United States soldiers, who had charge of them from the moment they left the other side of the ocean. Mystery surrounded their identity. They were listed as Alfred Scholz and Alvin Grothe, but the case may prove most interesting.

ENTHUSIASTIC CROWDS GREET THE PRINCE AND HIS PARTY ON NEWFOUNDLAND VISIT

The Weather Was Ideal and Shipping and Public Buildings Were Gay With Bunting in Honor of His Royal Highness.

PRINCE PRESENTED WITH ADDRESS

It Emphasized the Colony's Effort in the World War, a Work Which the Prince in Reply Commended Warmly.

VETERAN OARSMAN SAVES LIFE BEFORE LEAVING FOR HERE

Halifax Sportsman Saves Woman from Drowning—Coming to St. John With Halifax Four Oared Crew.

Special to The Standard.

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 12.—The North West Arm Rowing Club's four-oared crew left for St. John by the express tonight. With them is W. E. Scriven, one of the veteran oarsmen of Halifax, who for thirty years has been another of simple design was erected by the War Veterans' Association.

At the commercial arch the Prince received an address from the commercial community, read by the president and especially noting the work of the folks in defying the Germans.

At a prince replied.

At the Colonial building the preliminary address was read by the colonial secretary. It emphasized the colony's effort in war, a work which the Prince in reply commended warmly. Here the efforts of both houses of the legislature devoted the Prince with an electric device for the illumination tonight.

PATRIARCHS ELECT OFFICERS FOR ENSUING YEAR

The Grand Lodge Reported Sixteen Deaths in the Encampment During the Year.

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 12.—Horton MacKay, grand patriarch, presided at the sessions of the Grand Encampment today, which marked the opening of the sixty-second annual session of Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland. The grand lodge reported sixteen deaths in the Encampment during the year. At the afternoon session the following were elected:

Grand Patriarch, D. R. Wilson, St. Stephen.
G. P. P. J. A. Bettune, Charlotte-town.
Grand Senior Warden, Robert J. Rao, Sydney.
Grand Treasurer, C. A. Simpson, Truro.
Grand Junior Warden, W. J. Urquhart, Truro.

FALL HARVESTS WILL RELIEVE DISTRESS IN EUROPE

At Least Ninety Per Cent. of the Tillable Acreage is Planted to Crops Which Are Developing Favorably.

New York, N. Y., Aug. 12.—Distress in Europe as far as food grains are concerned will disappear after the present harvests, according to John D. Shanahan, who arrived here today after an official tour of the grain producing sections of Italy, the Balkans, Poland, Russia, Austria, Czechoslovakia, Germany, Belgium, Holland and Northern France.

At least ninety per cent. of the tillable acreage of Europe is planted, Mr. Shanahan declared, and despite a lack of unfavorable season in some sections, this vast planted area will help drive away the "real distress" now existing abroad because of food shortage.

Frightful Accident At Lauzon

Gateway Collapses Dropping In a Vicious Speech in the U. S. Senate Assails the League of Nations as a "Deformed Experiment Upon a Noble Purpose."

ALLIANCE EMBRACING WAR PROVISIONS

Warns His Colleagues That Such An Alliance Would Rob the Country of Its Sovereign Rights.

Quebec, Que., Aug. 12.—Two men are dead, two are dying and eighteen others are suffering from grievous injuries, while many more received minor casualties as a result of the collapse of a gangway at the new Chasplain Drydock at Lauzon at closing time last afternoon.

The name of the victims are as follows:

Killed—George Beland, 32 years, of Brookville; Alphonse Richard, 33 years, of Montigny.
Dying—Antonio Lecours, 29 years, Bienville; Oscar Hancock, Lauzon.
Grievously injured—Joseph Gosselin, Levis; Jules Gosselin, Levis; Charles Marquis, St. Roman; Gustav Nolm, St. Roman; A. Ouellet, Quebec; Wilfrid Bolduc, 16 years, Lauzon; Eleanore Langlois, 23 years, Quebec; L. P. Desjardins, 21 years, St. Philippe de Neri; Alex Dennis, 26 years, Levis; Chas. Poirer, 22 years, St. Gregoire, Montmorency; A. Rodrigue, 16 years, Lauzon; Eugene Normand, 23 years, Levis; Chaudius Godin, 19 years, Quebec; Adolphe LeBlond, 23 years, Lauzon; Philippe Dupret, 23 years, St. Roman; Joseph Dumas, 29 years, Lauzon; Jules Langlois, 18 years, Bienville; Alphonse Deschamps, 22 years, Lauzon.

Rush for Gang Plank

It was just closing time at five o'clock when the accident occurred. Large gangs of men were engaged in repairing two Canadian Pacific Railway vessels, and as the whistle sounded at quitting time, there was a rush for the gangway leading from another vessel to the side of the dock. The gangway bridged a space of about thirty feet between the ship and the side of the dock, and beneath it was the floor of the dock forty feet below. In their anxiety to reach the wall of the dock and get to their homes about fifty men rushed on to the gangway and as they reached the center it snapped precipitating them to the bottom of the dock.

It was a frightful sight as the mass of struggling humanity was hurled to the yard and struck the floor with a sickening thud. Shrieks and groans of the dying and injured arose above the shouting of the men who had remained on the vessels and were hastening to the rescue. Ambulances, automobiles and other vehicles were brought into service, while a number of doctors and priests were soon on the scene to administer to the dying and injured.

Women Hysterical

The news of the accident soon spread to the town of Lauzon and the surrounding villages and frantic mothers, wives and children who had relatives working in the docks ran from their homes. The horror of the disaster was written in their drawn faces, as they swarmed pell mell to the scene of the accident. It was heart-rending to see the women struggling to reach the injured men and when they saw them amongst the doctors and first aid corps who were working, some of the women became hysterical and had to be taken in charge by friends.

Only one man was instantly killed when the gangway collapsed. He was George Beland, of Brookville, aged thirty-two years, who leaves a wife and eleven children. Alphonse Richard, aged thirty-three years of Montigny, was so badly injured that he died at the hospital two hours after the accident.

The doctors in charge of the hospital do not expect that Antonio Lecours, aged twenty-nine, of Bienville, and Oscar Hancock, of Lauzon, will survive their injuries.

The gangway which collapsed was thirty-eight feet in length, forty inches in width and was reinforced with steel supports. It was examined by experts after the accident and they pronounced it of sufficient strength for the purpose for which it was used. They attribute its collapse to the fact that the men were running when crossing it and the great pressure coming so suddenly caused it to spring and snap.

Everything Ready For Celebration

Over Hundred Visiting Firemen Coming—About Fifty Floats in Procession—Different Committees Have Arrangements Well in Hand.

The committees who are charge of the celebration on Thursday in honor of the soldiers, and for the reception to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, on Friday, have their work well in hand, and all that is wanted is fine weather to make these two of the greatest days in the history of St. John. A large crowd of workmen started in early yesterday morning to demolish the stand that had been erected at Reed's Point wharf, it having been in the way of the military, and as fast as a section was torn down it was hauled across the railway track about one hundred feet away and late in the afternoon the stand was well underway on the new site. The men worked last night and some time today it is expected that the work will be completed.

Donation Received.

Mayor Hayes received a cheque for fifty dollars from Gershon S. Mayes yesterday, as a contribution to the city's expenses in connection with the reception to the returned soldiers, and the receipt to the returned soldiers, and the Prince. At City Hall the hope was expressed that the example of Mr. Mayes would be emulated by other wealthy men of the city who wish to show their appreciation of the services of the boys. There will be a welcome sign on the door mat for any who wish to follow in the footsteps of Mr. Mayes.

The Parade Committee.

Reports received last night from the parade committee who have charge of the big procession on Thursday morning was to the effect that everything is working well, and all plans are being carried out. Up till last night about forty-five floats had been reported as being made ready to enter the parade, and there will be a great surprise in store for the thousands along the line of procession for no expense is being spared in making the majority of the floats the best. The parade will be held on the main street, and the guard of Yarmouth firemen about finished the decorating of the hose wagon which they brought to the city with them Monday evening on the steamer Keith Cann, and the chief of the department with about thirty other firemen will arrive on the steamer Empress this afternoon.

The Local Firemen and Salvage Corps Members are Hard at Work on the different pieces of apparatus and like the many others morning are indeed beautiful.

Visiting Firemen.

A long distance telephone message received last night from George Ackman, chief of the firemen of the city, would arrive in the city on the early train tomorrow morning with twenty-five of his men and a band of thirty-five musicians all happy to accept the invitation to participate in the parade and show their appreciation of the soldier boys. Twenty-five firemen from Old Montreal, and a like number from Old Town, Maine, will arrive in the city tonight.

The Firemen's Hotel.

The parade committee have arranged with the Salvation Army officials for the use of the large brick building on St. James street, which during the war was used as a military hospital, and in this building the visiting firemen will have their headquarters during their stay in the city. It is expected that between seventy-five and one hundred firemen will be quartered in this building.

The Accommodation in the regular hotels has been all taken up some days ago and the committee has been fortunate in securing the St. James for the firemen. The visiting soldiers will be all looked after at the armories as the committee in charge of this part of the programme will have all arranged, while the committee in charge of feeding the men are all ready to receive the large number of soldier boys who are expected.

The Programme.

The secretary of the parade committee announced last night that the different trades organizations who are to be in the parade are under the guidance of the Trades and Labor Council committee. These men will assemble at the Labor Hall, Union street and be ready to march at six o'clock tomorrow morning and will proceed via Union, Charlotte, Duke to Pitt street to King street east, the Sons of England will march to Princess street and face King street east in Wentworth street, and the Boy Scouts on Carmarthen street. All other floats will proceed along Princess street, and are requested to do so as early as possible at nine o'clock. The firemen, both local and visiting, will assemble at King street east at nine o'clock, but all other bodies and floats are instructed to reach the places of starting via Princess or Duke street and at enter King street east from Sydney, and thus evade confusion. Arrangements will be made to

BAYLEY RAFT BROKE LOOSE IN HEAVY GALE

Sydney, N. S., Aug. 11.—The large floating tug Number, which sailed from Bonne Bay, Nfld., last week with the huge Bayley raft in tow for Europe, arrived in port yesterday with part of the raft, the remainder having broken loose in a gale. It will probably be picked up and landed here this week. This immense raft was ready for sea two years ago, but owing to war conditions it was impossible to have it towed across at that time, but had such been the case, there is but little doubt that the venture would have been a complete success. As the inventor, Mr. Bayley, still has absolute faith in the venture, another effort will probably be made to have the raft successfully towed across.

AMERICANS OFFER BIG PRICES FOR CANADA'S MILK

Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 11.—R. J. McFall, cost of living commissioner, said today that it may be necessary to recommend to the government the restoration of the embargo formerly enforced by the Canadian food board against export of milk, because American buyers were invading the Canadian fields more freely than before, and offering prices higher than those for the home trade. This was especially the case in eastern Canada.

OBITUARY

James C. Wortman.

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 12.—James C. Wortman, a former well-known C. O. R. employe, died at his home here, today, after several years' illness, following a stroke of paralysis. He was seventy years of age and had retired from the railway mail service four years ago after a service of thirty years. Deceased is survived by his wife, three daughters and five sons. The late Mr. Wortman was one of Moncton's oldest residents, having lived here practically all his life.

J. Seymour Gunning.

Moncton, Aug. 12.—The death of J. Seymour Gunning, an employe of the C. N. R., occurred this morning in the Royal Victoria Hospital, following an operation for stomach trouble. He had been employed by the C. N. R. for twenty-five years. He is survived by his wife and three daughters.

have the fire alarm strike a number of blows at sharp ten o'clock to give notice to the people that the parade has started and give the thousands from undue waiting for a long time before.

Lady Judges for Parade.

The ladies to act as judges with the gentlemen on the Thursday morning parade review on King Square are Mrs. M. B. Edwards, of the Navy League, and Miss Nan Brock, president of the Young Women's Patriotic Association. They are the nominees of Mrs. G. A. Kihring of the central executive.

Caring for Civilians.

It has been the case in many cities and towns where a large influx of visitors arrived that public and private accommodations have been taxed to the utmost, and many have been forced at a late moment to scurry about for a place to sleep. While it is sincerely hoped no such condition will arise in this city during the two days of celebration this week, yet the public wants to be prepared for such possibility. So as a means of overcoming any overflocking of accommodations here the Y. M. C. A. building will be available as a shelter for women, and the Y. M. C. quarters, Cliff street, for men. In both cases this refers to the civilian public, people who by some chance may be crowded out of the usual housing places. Further more Imperial Theatre people will hold their large building in readiness at all hours of the night for women and children who might be glad to take a nap there. Military blankets will be supplied and a matron will be in charge. In fact in all the places mentioned military stores will be forthcoming, but the accommodations offered will be of an emergency character and not the regulation bed such as one would get in a hotel or at a home.

Good For One Vote

Not Good After August 30, 1919

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The St. John Standard \$10,000.00 Automobile and Piano Prize Contest

Candidate

District No.

Bring or send this Vote Ballot, neatly trimmed, to Contest Manager, St. John Standard, St. John, N. B., on or before the expiration date above. Ballots must be received flat, not rolled or folded.

UNION ORGANIZED AMONG NEW YORK POLICE FORCE

Attorney for Street Car Men Asserts Movement is Well Under Way.

New York, Aug. 11.—Intimation that the members of the force of the New York Police Department are attempting to organize a union was hinted yesterday by Louis Fridger, attorney for the Policemen's Union of America, who asserts that he is a co-counsel for the Policemen's Union. Fridger said that the police were at liberty to state at present just why the union of the new union are. He admitted, however, that he is the legal adviser to the policemen.

Exquisite Colors

Your choice of 15 standard shades. Dye any fabric, without spots. No rubbing. At your druggist or grocery store. 15c

MAJIC DYE SOAP FLAKES

Since 1874 "Remington" has introduced more than 2,000,000 women to paying positions and the means to a larger field, and each year the number is increasing.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY MEETING

Considerable Routine Business Transacted Last Night—Agent Rev. George Scott Presents Report for the Month.

At the monthly meeting of the Children's Aid Society, which was held last night in the Children's Home, 68 Garden street, Mrs. David McLeod, vice-president in the chair, a considerable amount of routine business was transacted. The report of the agent, Rev. George Scott, showed that since last meeting the pressure of the work had not been so great. He had been absent from the city on a week's vacation, besides which he had made one trip up the river. Statistics of the work done showed forty visits made, thirty-eight letters written, while thirteen people called on him at his home on business connected with the work of the society.

PERSONALS

Miss Belle Quig, Miss Mary Keane and Miss Florence Murphy left by the C. P. R. yesterday to spend a two week vacation at St. Andrews by the Sea.

Mr. Hadley B. Jones of Lynn, Mass., is spending a few weeks in the city, guest of her niece, Mrs. James Letney, Cunard street.

Alkali in Shampoos Bad for Washing Hair

Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali, for this is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain mulitified coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely harmless. It's very cheap, and beats anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

The Dispute Over Wheat.

New York World: Eastern editors and politicians throw the blame for the high cost of living upon the wheat price guarantee, established by the war. Western Senators say that the wheat crop is short of the anticipated figure and that world scarcity keeps prices high. You can believe which you like—but most Western men know something about wheat.

NOTED ENGLISH DIGNITARY IN ONE OF HIS SPEECHES

SIR EDWARD CARSON MAKING SPEECH IN HYDE PARK

Sir Edward Carson has again become internationally famous because of his attack on the Friends of Irish Freedom in Ireland and his warning to the United States and the Irish in the United States that Great Britain would not tolerate interference with her internal affairs.

More Changes in Vote Standing of Candidates In The Standard's \$10,000.00 Contest

Changes Are to be Found in Standing of The Standard's Automobile and Piano Contestants—Reveals Those Who Work—Any Man or Woman is Eligible—How to Get Votes—Important Announcement to All Candidates Relative to Turning in Subscriptions.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

First Prize

Second Prize

Third Prize

Fourth Prize

The above Special Cash Prizes will be given to the four highest vote-getters on subscriptions between August 4th and August 16th at 6 p. m.

The new vote standing in The Standard today reveals which candidates are trying for the special prizes. But when the winners are announced it may be another story entirely. The best plan to follow is to go the limit and then there will be no disappointment on "what might have been." Everybody has heard the old saying, "where there is a will there is a way." The candidates, however, should not let this motto lead them astray. Only one candidate who understands the full meaning of this motto and acts on it cannot help but win.

LIST OF CAN DIDATES.

District 1.

Includes City of St. John.

Mrs. Louis LeLachur, 24 Pitt street

Mr. George A. Margolis, 364 Main street

District 2.

Includes Kings, Albert, Westmorland and St. John Counties (City of St. John excluded).

Mrs. Harry H. Burton, Sussex Corner, N. B.

Mr. Roy H. Keith, Amalgam, N. B.

District 3.

Includes Charlotte, Queens, Sunbury, Kent, Northumberland and Gloucester Counties.

Miss Kathleen Woods, Westford, N. B.

Miss Edna F. Hartin, St. Stephen, N. B.

District 4.

Includes York, Carleton, Victoria, Madawaska and Restigouche Counties.

Miss Marion K. McLean, W. Florenceville, N. B.

Miss M. L. Inch, Miramichi, N. B.

Waist-Seam Suits

The waist-seam idea is the salient style feature of the year—a success wherever it is introduced and wherever it is worn.

The idea is the outcome of the new spirit of design which came into being through events caused by the war.

Our sales have been large and we have just opened new lines—see them.

Gilmour's, 68 King St.

Tailoring, Clothing, Furnishings.

THE WEATHER

Maritime—Moderate winds, fair and moderately warm.

Washington, Aug. 12.—Northern New England: Partly cloudy, Wednesday; Thursday, showers and thunderstorms, moderate southeast winds.

Toronto, Aug. 12.—Pressure is high near the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, with a trough of low extending from Manitoba to the southwest states. The weather has been fair today in nearly all parts of the Dominion.

Just One Application and the Hair Vanish

(Modes of Today.)

A harmless, yet very effective, treatment is here given for the removal of hairy growths. Mix enough powdered talcums and water to cover the undesirable hairs, apply paste and after 2 or 3 minutes remove, wash the skin and the hairs have vanished. One application usually is sufficient, but be certain of results by the delatone in an original package.

DIED.

GODFREY—At Westford, on Monday, Aug. 11, Catherine, widow of John Godfrey, leaving her only son, John (Boston and Montreal papers please copy).

FUNERAL on Wednesday at 2:30 o'clock, old time, from Westford Methodist church.

DIBBLE—At his home, Salmon Creek, on August 11, after an illness of four days, Albert S. Dibble, in the 74th year of his age, leaving one son and two grandchildren to mourn.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McQueen and Miss McQueen desire to thank their many friends who were so kind and sympathetic during their recent sad bereavement; also to thank those who sent flowers.

When you feel that your stomach, liver or blood is out of order, renew their health by taking

BEECHAM'S PILLS

500 DELEGATES IN ATTENDANCE AT I. O. F. MEETING

Moncton, August 12.—It is estimated that fully five hundred delegates from all parts of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland are in Moncton tonight to attend the sixty-second annual session of the Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. of the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland which opens tomorrow night. The Grand Encampment opens tomorrow morning at ten o'clock, and the opening session of the Grand Lodge will be at ten o'clock Wednesday morning. The chief visitor and speaker at the gathering will be Judge H. V. Bost, grand master, of Amsted, N. Y. R. H. MacKay, grand master, arrived tonight and will preside at the sessions. Many women delegates to attend the Beecham Association, which opens at 9:30 o'clock Tuesday morning, are in the city.

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Over Five Hundred Delegates in Attendance at This Year's Session—Lodge Shows a Year of Prosperity Despite Turmoil and Unrest Prevailing.

The Grand Lodge of the Maritime Provinces of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows assembled in Moncton today.

Report of Grand Master. To the Grand Lodge of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the Maritime Provinces of Canada:

When we met at Kentville one year ago, the great war was raging stronger than ever.

It is with the greatest possible regret that I have to report the death on February 4th of this year, of our Deputy Grand Master, Brother Murray.

During the last half of the year I have had the privilege of visiting a reasonably large number of lodges, and in practically every case found the brothers enthusiastic and hopeful.

I also had the pleasure of accompanying our Past Grand Master Craig to Newfoundland, and visiting the lodges in St. John's, Bonaville and Grand Falls.

By far the most important work undertaken in this jurisdiction for many years is that of raising the fund of \$50,000 for an Odd Fellows' Home.

PROFITEERING WAS THE CAUSE OF THOUSANDS OF DEATHS IN FOREIGN COUNTRIES DURING LAST FIVE YEARS

Investigation Shows No Lack of Foodstuffs But Profiteers Have Cornered the Supply and Callously Watched Myriads Die Without Lowering Prices.

By William T. Ellis. Constantinople July 19 (By Courier).—Profiteering was the real cause of the deaths of hundreds of thousands of persons.

Profiteers Watch Victims Die. Major Nichol of Beirut local head of American relief work told me that there was no need that any one of the 300,000 Syrians in the Lebanon who started to death should have perished.

Of the five men who were the food control during the war, one was an Italian, one a Greek and one a Syrian. In Constantinople some Armenians became millionaires during the war.

Good News From Devastated Lands. America may be interested in a general statement of the condition of the Armenians and Syrians and Jews, concerning whose sufferings so much has been written.

Dispensation has also been issued for a new Rebekah Lodge at Campbellton, N. B., but at this writing I am without word of the institution having taken place.

Charter Surrendered. On June 13th Napsisquit Lodge No. 134, of Bathurst, N. B., surrendered its charter and effects, including cash \$16.10, which I have placed on special deposit in the Bank of Nova Scotia.

Home Fund Drive. The result of the effort to raise \$50,000 during the year to supplement the Home Fund is rather disappointing. The amount received totals only \$8,886.79.

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Portland, Maine, August 12.—The hospital ship Araguaya left Liverpool Saturday according to advice received here. It is true here about the nineteenth and has on board sixty-five officers, twenty-three nursing sisters and six hundred and seventy-two enlisted men of the Canadian army.

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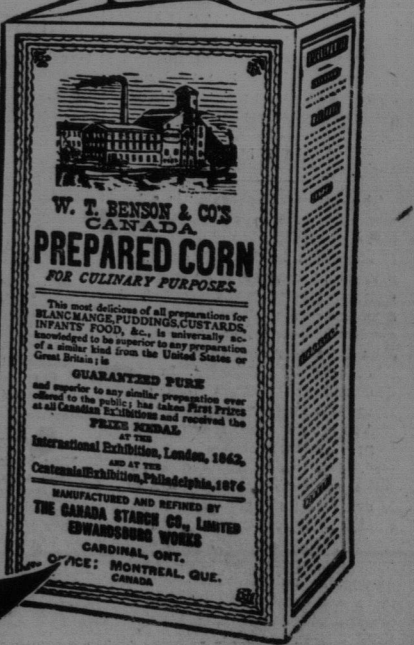
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ST. JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 13, 1919.

RUSSIA.

The situation in northern Russia, already troublesome enough, is further complicated by the pathetic appeal which the residents of the Archangel district have made to Britain and the allied powers for further protection.

through lack of experience endeavor to sustain these infants on food which is not suitable and which can not be utilized to maintain life.

For a number of years children attending the city school have been required to furnish certificates of successful vaccination.

The ratification of his acts without explanation or enlightenment as to their origin or history. Secretary Lansing is amiable and industrious. He must have had a dreary time in Paris.

Pertinent Questions.

New York Tribune: The railroads must be run. But will the brotherhoods take a lease on the terms they have held others should submit to?

A Jolt.

Springfield Republican: The election of a republican, popular soldier though he be, over the democratic candidate for Congress in the 11th Kentucky district, is a jolt to the Wilson administration.

The National Service Act.

New York Times: The so-called national service act is an attempt to assemble in one draft all the intricate details for the organization of an army of the entire man power of the country.

Not Industrial Democracy.

New York World: Before the House Interstate Commerce Committee yesterday, Warren S. Stone, chief of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, referred to the brotherhood plan for taking over the operation of the railroads as "industrial democracy."

A BIT OF VERSE

LAKE SIMCOE BEACHES. Dust and smoke of the city street. And the red sun glaring down. Polluted winds, and wanton leaves, In the parts of the sun-worn town.

A BIT OF FUN

His Push-Button. "What's your push-button code?" "One ring—my stenographer breaks off conversation with the handsome bookkeeper."

Up to Him.

He—Dearest, we must be practical and economical these times. Can you make bread? She—Yes, Harry; can you furnish the dough?—Baltimore American.

Light-Headed.

Nurse—The new patient in that ward, doctor, is light-headed. Doctor—Yes; isn't she perfect blond?—Baltimore American.

A Gloomy Life.

"A magazine editor must lead a somewhat gloomy life," declared the poet as he opened some returned manuscript. "Why so?" "All he seems to do is to pass out regrets."—Kansas City Journal.

Didn't Know All the Parts.

"Pa, what is a sine qua non?" "Don't ask me. I haven't had the car long enough to understand all those technical names yet."—Boston Transcript.

GEN'L FALKENHAYN CHANGES HIS MIND ABOUT SURRENDER

Now Decides it Would "Mock All Sense of Justice" to Give Himself up to the Allies.

Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE. Mr. Parkins came to see my sister Gladis after supper yesterday, and they was in the parlor and I was sitting out on the front steps just setting there, and I wondered what Mary Watkins was doing, thinking, G. I wish she was allowed out nites, after supper.

ABE MARTIN

Paris newspapers on Aug. 7 announced that the German delegation at Versailles had transmitted to the Supreme Council of the Peace Conference a letter from General Falkenhayn.

GOVT OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY, AUG. 15

Many Transfers in Real Estate Holdings Occur in Fredericton—Indian Breaks Another Indian's Jaw.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 12.—M. B. Dixon received word this morning from Premier Foster that the offices of the Provincial Government will be closed on Friday, Aug. 15th, so that the employees will be able to go to St. John to see the Prince.

Robert Brooks, an Indian of the St. Mary's Reserve, was arrested last night for hitting another Indian, breaking his jaw. The case came before Magistrate Jeffrey, of Devon, this morning, and Brooks was remanded until tomorrow.

The purchase of the Wm. Cooper property on King street by Ald. Harold M. Young was announced today. This property includes a large barn, and Ald. Young expects to occupy the residence and remove his livery stable business from Regent street to the Cooper property.

Conductor A. E. Logan has sold his residential property on Lansdowne street to Ivan McKnight, the purchase price being about \$6,000.

Ald. Young's residence at 62 Union street, known as the Seena property, has been sold to Mrs. Agnes Gartley, the purchase price being about \$2,000.

Mrs. Gartley has sold the Yavasseur property, at the corner of York and Needham streets, to Norman A. Doane, who recently removed here from Nova Scotia to enter the employ

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Advertisement for M. E. AGAR featuring wood hub wheels and neck yokes.

Advertisement for L. L. Sharpe & Son featuring shingles and cedar shingles.

Advertisement for The Christie Woodworking Co., Ltd. featuring a variety of fish.

Advertisement for Smith's Fish Market featuring a variety of fish.

Advertisement for Flewelling Press featuring brass letters and plates.

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'I do admire watching Hon. Mr. Foster trying to make a speech,' said Mrs. Hornbeam, describing her adventures at the convention of the Grand Old Party.

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SPECIAL EXCURSION S. S. Empress to View Departure of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales. Weather permitting, the magnificent steamer Empress, of the Canadian Pacific Bay of Fundy Services, will leave her moorings at 7 p. m. (day-light), Friday evening, and will cruise around the harbor in order to provide an opportunity for those wishing to view the departure of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales.

OBITUARY Mrs. Catherine Godfrey. The death took place on Monday evening at Welsford, of Mrs. Catherine, widow of John Godfrey, one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of the parish. She died at a short time, she bore her sickness with great fortitude.

WEDDINGS Floyd-Dunlavy. A wedding of much interest to our friends in this city took place in St. Catherine's church, Killybegs, Co. Donegal, Ireland, on June 9, when Rev. Canon Swinney united in marriage Miss Alice Dunlavy, of Killybegs, to Gr. P. J. Floyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick J. Floyd, 164 Waterloo street. An interesting feature of this wedding was that after 18 years absence from Ireland Gr. P. Floyd returned and married a girl of his birthplace.

ARTILLERY SALUTE Volunteers for the salute to be fired on the arrival of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales are requested to meet at the Armories at 9 o'clock Wednesday night, August 13. E. M. Slader, Capt., Adj. 3rd Regt., C.E.G.

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MONTREAL SALES (McDougall and Cowans.) Morning. Montreal Tuesday, August 12.—Steamships Com.—100 @ 53, 35 @ 53 1/2, 185 @ 54, 180 @ 55, 80 @ 54 1/2, Steamships Pfd.—130 @ 84 1/2, Brazilian—100 @ 56 1/2, Cement Pfd.—35 @ 101 1/2, Steel Co of Canada—35 @ 67 1/2, 100 @ 67, Dom Iron Com.—30 @ 66, 35 @ 66 1/2, 5 @ 65 1/2, 10 @ 65 1/2, 15 @ 65 1/2, Shawinigan—10 @ 125, Montreal Power—45 @ 91 1/2, Canada Car—35 @ 20 1/2, 10 @ 38, Detroit United—75 @ 102, 50 @ 101 1/2, Lake of Woods—25 @ 188, Laur Pulp—15 @ 215 1/2, Smelting—10 @ 22 1/2, Riochian—10 @ 132, 35 @ 132, 25 @ 132 1/2, 10 @ 132 1/2, Wayagamack—50 @ 63 1/2, 60 @ 53, 50 @ 52, S.P. Pfd.—40 @ 105, Quebec Ry.—25 @ 18, 10 @ 18 1/2, Atlantic—25 @ 48, National Breweries—25 @ 185 1/2, 200 @ 185, 25 @ 185 1/2, 50 @ 182, 150 @ 179, 185 @ 184 1/2, 60 @ 180, 175 @ 179, 25 @ 178, 25 @ 178 1/2, 175 @ 177, 225 @ 175, 175 @ 175 1/2, 165 @ 173, 75 @ 170, 75 @ 169 1/2, 75 @ 168 1/2, 25 @ 169, 175 @ 168, 25 @ 168 1/2, 160 @ 172, 75 @ 173, 225 @ 175, 25 @ 174, 24 @ 174 1/2, Span Riv Com.—25 @ 39 1/2, 125 @ 39, 105 @ 38 1/2, 30 @ 38 1/2, Span Riv Pfd.—3 @ 105 1/2, Brompton Pulp and Paper—235 @ 66 1/2, 65 @ 60, Nor Amer Pulp—200 @ 5, Ames Pfd.—250 @ 96, Ames Com.—60 @ 46.

Afternoon. Steamships Com.—25 @ 54 1/2, 80 @ 54 1/2, 100 @ 54 1/2, 50 @ 53 1/2, Brazilian—100 @ 56 1/2, Textile—100 @ 118, Steel of Canada—25 @ 67, 25 @ 67 1/2, Dom Iron—35 @ 63 1/2, Montreal Power—45 @ 91 1/2, Can Car Com.—10 @ 28, Laur Pulp—35 @ 215 1/2, 25 @ 215 1/2, Riochian—10 @ 132, National Breweries—25 @ 176, 10 @ 175, 25 @ 175 1/2, 25 @ 174, 25 @ 173 1/2, Span Riv—45 @ 39, Span Riv Pfd.—10 @ 105, Brompton—10 @ 60, Ames Pfd.—400 @ 95, 50 @ 96 1/2.

CHICAGO PRICES (McDougall and Cowans.) Chicago, Aug. 12.—Corn, No. 2, mix. 2.05 to 2.07; No. 2, yellow, 2.09 to 2.10. Oats—No. 2, white, 75 1/2 to 77 1/2; No. 3, white, 73 1/2 to 75 1/2; No. 4, white, 71 1/2 to 73 1/2; No. 1, yellow, 75 1/2 to 77 1/2; No. 2, yellow, 73 1/2 to 75 1/2; No. 3, yellow, 71 1/2 to 73 1/2; No. 4, yellow, 69 1/2 to 71 1/2; No. 1, red, 75 1/2 to 77 1/2; No. 2, red, 73 1/2 to 75 1/2; No. 3, red, 71 1/2 to 73 1/2; No. 4, red, 69 1/2 to 71 1/2; No. 1, white, 75 1/2 to 77 1/2; No. 2, white, 73 1/2 to 75 1/2; No. 3, white, 71 1/2 to 73 1/2; No. 4, white, 69 1/2 to 71 1/2; No. 1, black, 75 1/2 to 77 1/2; No. 2, black, 73 1/2 to 75 1/2; No. 3, black, 71 1/2 to 73 1/2; No. 4, black, 69 1/2 to 71 1/2.

YORKSHIRE MINERS ADVISED TO TAKE UP THEIR WORK London, Aug. 12.—The Yorkshire Miners' Council recommended today that the work be resumed by the more than 200,000 men who have been on strike in that district for several weeks refusing to accept the settlement reached by the government and miners' representatives.

MONTREAL MARKETS Montreal, August 12.—Oats, extra No. 1 feed, 1.01 1/2. Flour, Man. spring wheat patents, first, new standard grade, 11.90 to 11.10. Rolled oats, bag 90 lbs., \$4.95 to \$5.25. Hillfeed—Bran, \$42; shorts, \$44. Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$20. Cheese—Finest easterns, 25. Butter, choicest creamery, 54 to 64. Eggs, fresh, 62 to 64; selected, 67 to 68; No. 1 stock, 60 to 61; No. 2 stock, 43 to 46. Potatoes, per bag, car lots, 2.25 to 2.50. Dressed hogs, abattoir killed, \$33.00.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET (McDougall and Cowans.) High Low Close. Jan. 32.22 31.42 31.97. Mar. 32.30 31.40 32.00. May 32.20 31.55 32.10. Oct. 32.04 31.55 31.82. Dec. 32.06 31.58 32.06.

MARKET REPORTS STOCKS, BONDS AND PRODUCE

IRREGULAR PRICE CHANGES WERE MARKET FEATURES The Volume of Business Dwindled to Smallest Total of Any Full Session in Many Weeks. New York, August 12.—Dullness and irregular price changes were the conspicuous features of today's stock market. The volume of business dwindled almost to the smallest total of any full session in many weeks, sales amounting to only 775,000 shares. Unlike the previous day the opening was heavy, evidently as a direct consequence of pressure from the short interest, which centered mainly in steels and the shares of related groups. Thereafter the list rallied and reacted alternately, equipments, oils and some of the food issues as well as various unimportant specialties helping to stabilize the market. Rails, tobaccos and sundry unclassified stocks moved contrarily, but the tone at the close was firm to strong. Baldwin Locomotive leading at a gain of almost seven points. There were no essential changes in fundamental conditions touching upon the stock market, call money remaining comparatively easy, despite musingly created by the heavy withdrawal of federal deposits. The industrial situation was more favorable to the extent that the railroad men's strike manifested signs of early settlement in the east and prospects of a local traction walk out were regarded as more remote. Additional capital underwritings were reported, including the formation of a syndicate for the sale of the new United States Rubber common stock. Rumors deamk with new foreign loans, within intimation of a French municipal were said to be premature. Incidentally exchange on Paris was slightly firmer, rates to other important centres also improving. Bonds were more ready than the stock list although liberty issues yielded slightly and internationals were irregular. Total sales, par value, were \$11,275,000. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

RAPID DECLINE IN PRICE OF HIDES AND LEATHER AUGURS WELL Government's Act in Placing An Embargo on Shipments to United States Brought Down Prices and Boots and Shoes Are Expected to Take a Drop. Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 12.—The price of hides for the manufacture of boots and shoes is rapidly falling in Canada since the government placed an embargo on exports of hides, skins and leather at the advice of the Cost of Living Commissioner. The embargo was announced on August 4, by August 6 country hides fallen five cents a pound, and advices received state that the price on hides dropped ten cents, and on salt skins twenty cents on the Montreal market yesterday. As a result of recent advance in the price of hides and leather, the boot and shoe manufacturers have given warning that the price of footwear would soon rise to extremely high levels, although it was admitted that the increase in cost of leather does not amount to more than \$2 per pair of shoes. "This decline in the price of raw material, following the government's action, should, if it continues, says the Cost of Living Commissioner, "obviate the necessity for advancing prices on boots and shoes, and if continued for enough, should cause an actual decline in these prices."

CROP REPORTS ARE FAVORABLE IN NEW BRUNSWICK Grains Are Coming Along Satisfactorily and Potatoes Are Developing Well—Hay Not Up to the Average. Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Aug. 12.—The weekly report on agricultural conditions in New Brunswick, as compiled from reports by district representatives of the Provincial Department of Agriculture, says: "In many districts hay is practically completed. In others, and particularly in the eastern part of the province, considerable remains to be cut. From this section comes the report that owing to farm labor being scarce and the weather unfavorable, much hay will be too old before cutting to make the best fodder. "Grain crops are ripening. Some barley has been cut in Carleton county. Out harvest will start this week in that county, although it will not be general until next week. In the northern and eastern counties the crops are about ten days later. Generally speaking, the grain crops look well and will be up to the average. Local storms have done damage in some districts to the crop. "Potatoes have been benefited by recent rains and are continuing to make good growth. No blight has been reported up to the present, although some cobblers fields are showing the effect of the wilt. The crop generally can be said to be well up to the average for the time of year. "Potatoes for live stock is quoted at 14 cents dressed weight."

TORONTO GRAIN QUOTATIONS Toronto, August 12.—Cash grain quotations on the Board of Trade here today were: Manitoba wheat, in store Fort William, No. 1 northern, 2.24 1/2; No. 2, 2.17 1/2; No. 3, 2.12 1/2; No. 4, 2.11 1/2. Manitoba oats, No. 2 C. W., 83 3/8; extra No. 1 feed, 88 3/8; No. 1 feed, 86 3/8; No. 2 feed, 85 3/8. Manitoba barley—No. 3 C. W., 1.27; No. 4 C. W., 1.32; rejected, 1.24; feed, 1.24. American corn-truck Toronto prompt shipment, No. 3 yellow, nominal; No. 4 yellow, nominal. Ontario oats, according to freight outside, No. 2 white, 78 to 80; Ontario wheat, f. o. b. shipping points, according to freights, No. 1 per car lots, nominal; No. 2, 2.07 to 2.08; No. 3, nominal; Oat's nominal. Barley, according to freights outside, malted, 1.35 to 1.39. Buckwheat, according to freights outside, No. 2, nominal; No. 3, nominal. Kve, according to freights outside, No. 2, nominal. Manitoba flour, government standard, \$11.70; Ontario flour, government standard, in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, \$10.25 to \$10.50; Toronto, \$10.25 to \$10.50. Malted, car lots, delivered Montreal, freights, bags included, bran per ton, \$42 to \$46; shorts, per ton, \$44 to \$50; good flour, per bag, \$3.27 to \$3.35. Hay, track Toronto, No. 1, \$22 to \$24 per ton; mixed, \$10 to \$15. Straw, car lots, track Toronto, \$10 to \$11.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS Open High Low Close. Am Beet Sug 83 1/2 86 85 1/2 85 3/4. Am Car Pdy 131 131 129 130 1/4. Am Loco 87 1/2 90 88 1/2 89. Am Sugar 132 132 132 132. Am Smelt 77 77 76 77 1/2. Am Sfl Fwy 42 42 41 41 1/2. Am Woolen 113 1/2 113 113 1/2. Am Tole 102 1/2 102 102 1/2 101 1/2. Anaconda 67 1/2 68 1/2 67 1/2 68 1/2. A and L Pfd 121 122 121 122 1/2. Am Can 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2 3 1/2. Atchison 91 1/2 92 91 1/2 92. Bail and Ohio 42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2. Bald Loco 105 1/2 105 1/2 105 1/2 113. Beth Steel 86 87 85 1/2 87 1/2. Gen Motors 221 223 219 223 1/2. Gr Nor Ore 42 1/2 44 43 1/2 44. Indus Alcohol 129 1/2 133 127 1/2 133. Inter Agricul 29 1/2 30 1/2 29 1/2 30 1/2. Inspira Cop 61 61 60 1/2 61 1/2. Mer Mar Pfd 114 1/2 115 1/2 115 1/2 115 1/2. Mex Petrol 173 1/2 177 173 177. Midvale Steel 51 1/2 51 1/2 51 1/2 51 1/2. Miss Pac 28 1/2 28 1/2 28 1/2 28 1/2. NY NH and H 33 1/2 33 1/2 33 1/2 33 1/2. N Y Cent 73 1/2 74 73 1/2 74. Nor Pac 85 1/2 85 1/2 85 1/2 85 1/2. Nat Lead 80 80 80 80. Penn 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2 43 1/2. Press Sfl Car 99 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2. Reading Com 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2. Reub Steel 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 1/2. Royal Dutch 88 1/2 88 1/2 88 1/2 88 1/2. S. Paul 43 43 43 43. Sou Pac 97 97 96 97. Sou Rail 25 1/2 25 1/2 25 1/2 25 1/2. Studebaker 103 106 102 103 1/2. Union Pac 124 1/2 125 123 124 1/2. U S Sfl Com 104 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2 104 1/2. U S Rub 123 1/2 125 1/2 123 1/2 124 1/2. Utah Cop 87 87 86 1/2 87 1/2. Westinghouse 52 1/2 53 1/2 52 1/2 53 1/2. Vir Chem 82 82 82 82.

WARREN L. GREEN DIES IN NEW YORK New York, August 12.—Warren L. Green, president of the American Bank Note Company, since 1908, died here today. Mr. Green was born in New York in 1866, and has been connected with the bank note company for thirty-seven years. He was manager of the Canadian branch prior to his election as president. REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows: St. John County. Harris Hoyt to H. F. Hoyt, \$400, property in Britain street. William Moran to G. H. and A. J. Morgan, property in Adelaide road. A. W. McBurney to Arthur Wright, property in Fairville Plateau. W. W. Moran to G. H. and A. J. Morgan, property in Thornborough street. R. T. and M. A. Worden to R. A. Corbett, property in Princess street. C. J. Wilson and Ethel M. Wilson to G. W. Stevens, property in Whorborough street. Kings County. J. H. Crandall to R. R. Brown, property in Annapolis. Ada J. Harper et vir to R. R. Brown, property in Havelock. Sarah A. Henderson to H. H. McLellan, property in Rothesay. A. C. Jenner to Abraham Andrews, property in Sussex. G. L. Matthews to A. J. Kirkpatrick, \$400, property in Rothesay. Heirs of Robert Matthew to Christina D. Matthew, property in Rothesay. S. G. Parise to H. M. the King, \$1,800, property in asterford. C. D. Price to J. W. Ryder, \$400, property in Havelock. Mrs. Eliza A. Belding. Word was received in the city yesterday that Mrs. Eliza A. Belding, formerly of this city, had passed away on the 6th instant at the residence of her son-in-law, Arthur W. Sells, of Calgary, Alberta. Mrs. Belding was well advanced in years and had been in failing health for some time. She was a member of the German Street Baptist church, and had many friends in St. John who will be grieved by her death.

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STEEL COMPANIES HAVE CONFIDENCE IN THE MARKETS (McDougall and Cowans.) New York, Aug. 12.—Heads of steel companies profess confidence that there will be no serious disturbance. Competent observers of the Washington situation say that it is improving slowly in respect to the position of the railroad companies, the proposals of the brotherhoods having fallen flat in Congress. Both committees on interstate commerce are reported to be determined to go ahead with their work upon a bill under which the roads can be returned to private management about the end of the year, federal compensation to continue until a reasonable adjustment of the rate structure to present operating costs has been carried out. Sales, 781,200. E. & C. BRANDOLPH.

CAN. CAR AND FDY. CO. ANNOUNCE DIVIDEND OF 13-4 Montreal, Que., Aug. 11.—The Canadian Car and Foundry Company, following a recent meeting of the board, announces a dividend of 13-4 per cent, on account of arrears on the preferred shares in addition to the regular distribution for the quarter ending September 30. The company announced regular payments on the preferred in 1914, and resumed them in regular way with a distribution for the last quarter of 1918, paid on January 10 last. There had been a distribution of 3-1-3 per cent, on July 15, '18, but this was an isolated one. With the resumption of the regular payments there remained a total arrears of 26-1-4 per cent, which is now reduced to 24-1-2 per cent.

RUMANIA WANTS MORE OF BANAT DISTRICT Siberian Gov't Intends to Request Peace Conference to Settle Question by Means of Plebiscite Throughout Banat. Belgrade, August 12.—A semi-official statement issued here says Rumania is making efforts to secure more territory in the Banat district of northern Hungary although she has already been allotted to greater part of the territory. The statement adds that the Siberian government intends to request the peace conference to settle the question by means of plebiscite throughout Banat.

RIVERS BLAZING WITH WHISKY Though an outbreak of fire in a whisky bonded warehouse in a congested part of Perth 200,000 gallons of overproof spirit were destroyed on Tuesday night, and the blazing liquor rushing into the streets, fired and exploded, causing adjoining houses rendering many families homeless. The total damage is estimated at £500,000. The warehouse, a four-story edifice, belonged to Arthur Bell and Sons, and the spirits had been in bond for a considerable time. Efforts to cope with the outbreak were futile, and the premises were completely destroyed. When the burning liquor escaped into the surrounding streets the thoroughfares were converted into rivers of fire. A large tenement of dwelling houses caught fire and crumbled, and many other houses were considerably damaged. Scores of great excitement were witnessed. Two young men were enveloped in flames, and had to be medicated, while during the progress of the fire several women fainted. The local authorities are making provision for the homeless families.

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MARINE NEWS

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
August 13th, 1919.
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S.S. Governor Dingley, 2566, Ingalis, Boston, freight and passengers.
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Gas sch. Continental, 22, McNeill, Eastport, bal.
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Sch. Emerald, 43, Lawson, Hillsboro; sch. Regina C. 36, German, Meteghan, N. S.; sch. Ruby L. 51, Baker, Margareville, N. S.; sch. Keith Cann, 177, McKinnon, Westport, N. S.; sch. Iama, 51, Thompson, Westport, N. S.; sch. Emerald, 33, Anderson, fishing; sch. Swan, 56, Sims, Annapolis. Cleared Tuesday

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HARTLAND
Hartland, August 8.—Miss Joan Allen of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. D. B. Currier, of Hartland.
Rev. and Mrs. N. Franchise left Wednesday evening for Skiff Lake, where they will spend a well-earned vacation.
Miss Hilda Boyer, who has been visiting relatives in Boston for several weeks, returned home on Wednesday accompanied by her cousin, Douglas Currie of Arlington Heights.
Mrs. J. H. Frost of Mars Hill, returned to her home on Saturday after spending a couple of weeks with her sister, Mrs. John Barnett.
Among those from Hartland, who are attending the summer Bible school at Seckville are: Mrs. Rex L. York, Miss Myrtle Triles and Clyde E. Rideout.
Miss Pearl Thornton and children are on a visit with relatives in Houlton.
Miss Hazel Boone of Plaster Rock, who has been spending a two-week vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Boone of Southend, returned on Wednesday to her duties in that town.
The engagement is announced of Ethel Annie, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Byron C. Nevers, to Everett Frederick Waters, of Doveret, N. B., the wedding to take place in September.
Miss Jean Taylor of the Public Hospital staff, St. John, who is on a visit to her grandfather, G. G. Gray, spent a few days this week with friends at Grand Falls and Plaster Rock.
Miss Etta Alexander of Fredericton, spent Monday to Tuesday here, the guest of Miss Marion Stevens.
Mrs. George Howard and Miss Eva Howard of Hampton, were the guests of this week of Mrs. Isabella B. Watson. Miss Belle Cummings left on Wednesday on a two-week vacation to be spent at Canterbury, Skiff Lake and St. John.
Thursday morning H. H. Hatfield, accompanied by his niece, the Misses Helen and Raymond, of Fredericton, and Misses Lida Reid, Dora Robinson and Edna Sprille left on a motor trip of several weeks duration to Bar Harbor, Old Orchard and Boston, and will be back in St. John on Monday.
Miss Andrews of St. John, who has been head milliner for R. W. Estabrook, Perth, for the past season, returned to her home for the summer vacation, stopped off in Hartland Monday to Tuesday. Miss Andrews has many friends in town, having spent several seasons here as a milliner for Keith and Plummer, Ltd.
Mrs. C. A. Simonson of Riverside, California, is the guest of Fred H. and Miss Marion W. Stevens. Mrs. Simonson is a native of Carleton Place, Ontario.
Messieurs Ernest and Emma Plummer pleasantly entertained at a veranda tea on Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Harley Tannah and Mrs. C. A. Simonson of Riverside California. Mrs. Hannah is the guest of Mrs. Ernest Plummer.
Mrs. Isabel Jameson with her daughter, Miss Grace Jameson of St. John, are on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Aiton.
Mrs. George E. Chase and children of Lowell, Mass., returned Tuesday evening to her home after having spent a month here with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. White.
Miss Ada Hagerman of Lewiston, Me., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Hagerman.
Mrs. S. M. Boyer and Miss Blanche Kelley, who have been spending several months in Boston, where Mrs. Boyer was undergoing treatment for rheumatism, returned home last week. Mrs. Boyer is considerably improved.
Raymond Plummer will leave on Saturday for St. John to re-enter the employ of the Bank of Montreal, which he left about two years ago for service overseas.
Mrs. S. Van Wart, Mrs. A. W. Knox and Miss Bertie Knox of Houlton, were the guests of this week of Mrs. C. H. Taylor.
Mrs. C. H. Taylor returned on Saturday from a pleasant trip to St. John, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Kerr of Queen street.
Mrs. Paul Taylor of Norfolk, Va., is the guest of her brother, George F. Burt.
Mr. Burton Taylor of Dartmouth, is on a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Taylor.
Miss Mildred Jewett was called to Fredericton Wednesday by the death of a relation.

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AROUND THE CITY
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DESIRES TO BUY FARM.
Mayor Hayes received a letter from a farmer in New Hampshire, who desires to buy a farm in New Brunswick.

MEETING THIS MORNING.
Owing to the absence of some of the city commissioners yesterday afternoon the regular meeting of the council will be held at 11 o'clock this morning.

GOOD PASSENGER LIST.
The Eastern S.S. Co.'s steamer Governor Dingley arrived yesterday morning from Boston with 365 passengers and a fair general cargo.

ON INSPECTION TOUR.
Major Allan, of the Inspector-General's branch, department of militia, is in the city on a tour of inspection of this military district.

BAND CONCERT ENJOYED.
A large number of people were out last night to listen to the splendid programme provided by the Temple Band at Victoria Square, North End.

POST OFFICE HOLIDAY.
Friday, the day of the Prince of Wales visit to St. John, will be observed as a holiday at the local post office and there will not be any letter carriers' deliveries that day.

NORTH SHORE FISHING.
Salmon and mackerel fishermen are reported to be making good catches on the North Shore, but not many are reaching the St. John market from that direction.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATION.
Bookings at the hotels indicate that a large number of people other than soldiers will visit St. John for the celebration. The principal hotels were all filled yesterday, and late visitors will have to get accommodation elsewhere.

MILITARY APPOINTMENTS.
To be Lieutenant-Colonel: Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Harrison, D.S.O., 2nd D. A. C., 23rd May, 1918.
To be Major: Percy Woodford Wetmore, No. 7 Artillery Dept., 23rd May, 1918.
To be Captain: George Alexander Dantham, M. C., 2nd D. A. C., 18th May, 1918.

HELD ANNUAL PICNIC.
The Westfield Fellowship of the Westfield Methodist Church held their annual picnic yesterday. A large crowd left Westfield Beach in the morning by motor boat for Long Island, where games and sports were enjoyed a pleasant afternoon. Everybody returned home in the evening, well pleased with the outing.

ROTHERSAY SCHOLARS.
One of the features of the reception of the Prince at Rothersey will be the singing of a verse of the National Anthem by school children of that place who will be assembled at the arch at the entrance to the town. The children met at the Presbyterian church last evening for rehearsal. They are being drilled by Sergeant Dooc.

PRINCE OF WALES ELM.
A window which is attracting a great deal of attention just now is that of the Canadian Drug Company, in which is on exhibition a splendid painting of the Prince of Wales Elm at Harding's Point. The painting which is by the late John C. Miles, is one of the best of the many splendid reproductions of local scenery by that master hand.

G. W. V. A. FAIR.
The G. W. V. A. fair drew 1,709 people last evening. The Vets' band gave a programme of selections from the "Maid of the Mountains." The door prize, a plate glass mirror, was won by ticket 11,800. The ladies' bean toss was won by Mrs. McCone, and the men's by John Mackin. The fair will be continued during the week.

POLICE ORDERS.
The chief of police has asked that all drivers of vehicles keep their cars and carriages off the streets through which the parade will pass on Thursday morning between the hours of 10 a.m. and 1 p.m. Automobiles may be parked in the following places: North side of King Square, South Market street, south side of Market Square, Canterbury street, Germain street, Smyth street, Pond street, Simonds street between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m.

THE FINE POINTS.
An anonymous writer who evidently considers himself an authority on precedence sent a letter to Mayor Hayes, instructing him in the fine points of court etiquette and the exact order in which all the personages of the city should be permitted to see the prince. The writer for the guidance of his worship forwards a list showing just who and why these personages are. His worship submitted the interesting communication to the consideration of a well known solver of many cky hall puzzles.

ARRANGEMENTS FOR CORRESPONDENTS.
Press correspondents and photographers visiting St. John for the purpose of covering the visit of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales are earnestly requested to leave their names and address with U. K. Whipple at the Dufour Hotel or with Walter Goiding, chairman of publicity committee, at the Imperial Theatre, so that they may receive necessary police passes and enjoy other special facilities made for their convenience. All arrangements have been submitted to Lieut.-Gov. Pugsley, Premier Foster, Mayor Hayes and the chief of police and have been approved by these gentlemen and everything possible will be done to afford both the local and visiting press representatives an unobstructed opportunity of performing their duties at all parts of the programme.



PROCLAMATION.
In honor of our returned soldiers, and in recognition of their splendid services, and the visit of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, I proclaim Thursday the fourteenth day of August, and Friday the fifteenth, during the Prince's visit in the city, Public Holidays, and request the citizens to decorate their buildings, and in any way they may, extend to His Royal Highness, our Soldiers and their visiting friends, a Royal Welcome.
ROBERT T. HAYES, Mayor.

BAD AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT ON ROTHERSAY AVE. LAST NIGHT

Large Touring Car Turned Turtle on Road Near Torryburn Station—John Moore and Graham Paterson Pinned Underneath—Injured Men Rushed to Hospital—Moore Was Seriously Injured.

John Moore, son of John E. Moore, and Graham (Balf) Paterson of Rothersey, last night met with an automobile accident on Rothersey Avenue in which both were injured, Mr. Moore very severely. It was impossible to learn any particulars of the accident further than that Mr. Paterson was driving the car which left the road and turned turtle, pinning both young men under it. Shortly after eleven o'clock D. S. Reid, who with Mrs. Reid and a party of friends was coming toward town, was stopped by three women and two men just before he came to the hill at Torryburn, just west of the railway station. When he brought his car to a stop one of the ladies exclaimed "there has been a terrible car accident" and Mr. Reid immediately investigated. He found overturned in the road a large touring car with two men pinned under it, who were later found to be Mr. Moore and Mr. Paterson. By this time a number of other cars had arrived on the scene and several of the men lifted up the body of the wrecked car and pulled out the victims of the accident. Mr. Paterson was first gotten out and his first words were: "Where is Johnny Moore?" and then collapsed, going from one fainting spell into another. Mr. Moore was found to be unconscious and several of the men tried to revive him by blowing him. He was taken to the General Public Hospital, and Mr. Moore was put in Dr. Doore's car and hurried to the city. Mr. Paterson was brought in by Elmer Morrell in his car. On arrival at the hospital Dr. W. W. White was summoned and the friends of the injured young men. Examination revealed that Mr. Paterson was not badly injured but was suffering quite severely from the shock but he is expected to recover in the course of a day or two. Mr. Moore was badly hurt about the chest and side and up to the time of going to press had not regained consciousness but so far as could be ascertained no bones were broken and he had a fair chance of recovery.

While it was not possible to obtain last night from the victims of the accident any account as to the cause, some of those at the scene expressed the opinion that judging from where it occurred the brakes had been applied when coming to the curve and the car had skidded finally turning turtle and pinning both occupants under it. The car is owned by Mr. Paterson, and is a new one of the "Mercedes" wheel was broken, guards torn off, top smashed and in fact is a bad wreck. The place where the accident occurred is known as a particularly bad curve of the highway owing to its very sharp curve and is approached very carefully by automobilists. An automobile owner last night said that a car that was being driven at a fairly fast rate had all the chances of skidding while making this particular turn, and if the brakes were applied hard the chances are that the car would skid and in all probability turn turtle. It is thought that the two young men were motoring to Rothersey and were making pretty fast time, and when the driver found he was at the curve he applied the brakes, thinking the curve with the result that it skidded and was overturned. Later, Night Detective Saunders was detailed by Inspector Caples to proceed to the scene of the accident to make an investigation and report this morning. Speaking about the cause of the accident, Mr. Parlee said that when he tried to start the car he found that it would not work, and on investigation discovered that a piece of tire chain had in some way worked down from the tool box on to the drive shaft next to the universal joint and had locked the wheels tightly, causing the car to skid and turn over.

Worried About The Attitude of Labor

Dr. Walker Says That This Condition Prevails Among Business and Other People in England at the Present Time.

It is not only in labor circles in England, that unrest prevails. There is much unrest and uncertainty among the business men of England, according to Dr. Walker, who has recently returned from a trip to the Old Country. Talking to a representative of the Standard Dr. Walker said the business and other people in England were worried about the attitude of labor, and could not figure out what labor intended to do. The government apparently had no definite policy, and strike followed strike, and nobody knew what the outcome would be, and were deterred from making plans for the future. Dr. Walker said it was difficult to get sugar, but other foods seem fairly plentiful. Prices of clothing had gone up very much. A suit of clothes that cost three guineas before the war now cost ten or eleven guineas, and the quality was inferior. Gloves and other articles of wear had increased three or four times. Automobiles commanded a high price, but there were no reactions on the use of petrol except the price. Some articles of food were still rationed. Dr. Walker observed that a great deal more land was under cultivation now than before the war. The crops this year appeared to be in good condition. But it was a wonder with the price of hay so high that English farmers still stacked their hay in the fields, which meant that a considerable portion must be rendered unfit for use by the weather.

Dr. Walker said he had the opportunity to observe the political situation, but the Coalition Government did not seem to be very popular. At any rate in six by-elections, though it had managed to retain two out of the six seats, the voting showed that the popular opinion was setting strongly against it. All returned soldiers and nursing sisters are requested to meet on the Barrack Square not later than 10.30 a.m. Friday, August 15, when they will be inspected by H. R. H. the Prince of Wales. Reserve space has been allotted members of the different branches of the service, who will assemble at flag marking their parade ground. A committee appointed by the G. W. V. A. will be in charge.

Police Court Cases Yesterday
George Russinoff Sent up for Trial on Charge of Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses—Other Cases Dealt With.
George Russinoff, who was charged some time ago with obtaining money under false pretences from Rosa Magello, was again before the magistrate yesterday afternoon and committed for trial. Russinoff was accused of having received \$400 for an interest in his life insurance and also with a document promising to pay back money after death. The police magistrate decided that there was enough evidence to send the accused up for trial. Gerald O'Reilly and William O'Connell were charged with having liquor in their possession illegally. They admitted having brandy, but the case was set over until Saturday at the request of Inspector Merrifield. James Reid, a sergeant with the local troops, was charged with having stolen goods in his possession. Captain Goodday said the value of the electrical goods was about \$5 and they were from the military stores. Reid was handed over to the military authorities. A case against William Sharkey, charged with assaulting Policeman Kierstead recently; Tony Mavarkos, charged with inciting to resistance,

St. John Is Putting On Her Toilette

The Decorating of Buildings Commenced Yesterday—There Will be a Grand Rush Today and City Will be Blaze of Color.

St. John is putting on her toilette for the soldiers' festival and reception to the Prince. It will be a fairly elaborate toilette, more or less worthy of the greatness of the occasion. Last evening the streets had already lost their sombre aspect, and a few more touches today and they will be a blaze of color. Staid buildings dedicated to commerce are assuming the garb of carnival; are draped with bunting, and hung with evergreen. Many of the facades are ornamented with huge devices bearing the coat of arms and motto of the Prince of Wales. The city fathers are apparently about the only decorators in the city who are aware that during the war the Royal family have dropped their German names, titles and mottoes. On the City Hall shield the Prince of Wales' motto is given as "I serve." Nearly all the rest of the banners have it Ioh Dien.

Opening of Service Again Postponed

Was Proposed to Open Valley Railway Below Gagetown August First, Then Intimated Fifteenth—Latest News is Week from Next Monday.

The Canadian National Railways have again postponed the opening of the service on the Valley Railway below Gagetown. It was proposed to commence the service last week, then it was intimated that the service would not start till the fifteenth, and the latest news is that the opening of the service has again been put off till a week from next Monday. Everybody hopes that the service will be started then, but further delay probably would not surprise anybody. The Canadian National, it appears, is not prepared to run trains unless it is able to come right into St. John, and apparently some of the officials have been under the impression that running rights over the C. P. R. had been arranged. But it is understood that while the Canadian National made a proposition to the C. P. R. for running rights, it has been turned down and the C. P. R. has made a counter proposition, setting forth the conditions under which it will grant running rights from Westfield to St. John. So a definite arrangement is still in abeyance. Meantime though the harvest excursions and the celebration in St. John has played the mischief with the contractor's crew, the construction work on the line between Gagetown and Westfield is practically finished. A few sections of rails need to be straightened and some ballasting remains to be done, but this work might very well be done by the section hands. Otherwise the road is in good enough shape to permit the running of trains, as soon as the Canadian National makes the necessary arrangements.

MOVEMENT IN STATES OF INTEREST HERE

National Organization Being Formed in New York to Promote Legislation in Favor of Free Ports in United States.

A movement is on foot in the United States which is of interest here from its possible bearing upon the future status of the port. A national organization is being formed in New York to promote legislation in favor of free ports in the United States. The promoters say that the proposed system has nothing to do with protection of free trade, and that the idea is to have areas set aside in which goods can be received free of duty provided they are intended for export only. A bill is now before Congress to establish free zones, and it is said to have the support of business men in every section of the United States.

VETERANS' FAIR ON THURSDAY.
After consultation with the Travelers' Reception Committee it has been decided to keep the Veterans' Fair in St. Andrew's Rink open on Thursday evening, as well as every other evening during the week.

NOTE TO TAXPAYERS.
For the benefit of taxpayers who wish to take advantage of the discount tax collectors for Lancaster and Simonds will be at the County Treasurer's Office, Wednesday, the 13th inst., until 4 p.m. Also the Lancaster collector will be at the Court House, Fairville, from 7 till 9 p.m.

and John Collins with interfering with the police, was resumed. Mavarkos denied the charge. Sharkey said that in self-defence he grasped with the policeman to give himself from being hit over the head. Collins also denied the charge under oath, and corroborated the evidence of Mavarkos. In view of the evidence the magistrate gave the benefit of the doubt to Collins and Mavarkos and dismissed their cases, while Sharkey was let go provided that he report to the court on September 12. Samuel Kierstead was charged with being drunk and using profane language. He was fined \$3 or two months on each charge. James Moore, William Moore and a youth were charged with breaking an entering a box car. They were sent up for trial. James Devlin and Arthur Perry charged with breaking into a lurch wagon were sent up for trial.

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First Showing of New Fall Fashions in Tailored Millinery
Beaver, Velvet, Velour, Plush and Felt Hats in Tailored and Owing Models.
The variety of shapes is quite extensive, featuring wide and narrow brims, some straight and others with soft roll all around or at one side. The trimmings are very simple, in many cases being just a band and tailored bow of grosgrain ribbon. Pretty shapes for the "Miss" are also included in this showing.
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RUSSIAN SMOCKS in two colorings are among the season's latest novelties. These are in white crepe-de-chine, made with round chemise neck, flowing sleeves, and sash, dainty embroidery and facings of pale pink or mistle.
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