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WEATHER—SHOWERY

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THE TIDE OF BATTLE TURNS AGAIN IN FAVOR

The French Troops Make Further Advances Around Pelloy and St. Maur, Taking Towns

They Reoccupy Montcourt and Part of Bussiaries, North of the Marne — French Troops Withdrawn East of the Oise River, Along the Line of Bailly, Tracy-Le-Val and Nampcel, Under Protection of Covering Detachments, Without Enemy Being Aware of the Movement—Enemy Takes Melicocq and Adjoining Heights.

Paris, June 12.—The French troops have made further advances around Pelloy and St. Maur and have captured four hundred additional prisoners, some cannon and machine guns, according to the war office announcement tonight. They have also reoccupied Montcourt and part of Bussiaries, north of the Marne. The official report says that the French troops were withdrawn east of the Oise, along the line of Bailly, Tracy-Le-Val, and Nampcel, under the protection of covering detachments, without the enemy being aware of the movement.

While most of the German attacks were repulsed, the enemy succeeded in getting a foothold on the southern bank of the Matz river, occupying the village of Melicocq and adjoining heights.

The text of the statement reads: "Between Montdidier and the Oise the enemy renewed his pressure during the day. On our left all his attempts to wrest from us our gains of yesterday, failed.

"We made progress in the region of Belloy Wood and St. Maur and took four hundred additional prisoners, as well as numerous cannon and machine guns. On the front of St. Maur-Anteuil there was no change.

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Presbyterian Wants Fewer Seminaries

London, Ont., June 12.—The Presbyterian General Assembly decided this morning to accede to the request of the Presbytery of Toronto that in all cases military chaplains be permitted to transfer from the constituent call of the Presbyteries in which they reside to the roll of the Presbyteries to which their military work takes them. In a further discussion of theological college education, President Murray of the University of Saskatchewan said that concentration of the student in fewer colleges would be difficult, as a larger number of students than ever were married, owing to the Military Service Act.

YOUNG GIRLS ARE TAKEN ON STREETS

Boston Police At Request of Militia Authorities Arrest Thirty-Four Undesirable Females.

Boston, June 12.—As the result of a conference between the military and civil authorities, 34 women and girls were taken into custody by the police. Some of the girls were only 15 or 16 years of age. They were all charged with being idle and disorderly.

Folicemen in civilian clothes were sent through the downtown North and South End sections during the early evening and for several hours the patrol wagons were kept on the go bringing the girls and women to the station houses. The arrests were made in an effort to clear the streets of nightwalkers in the interest of military efficiency.

MILLION U. S. MEN

West Point, June 12.—More than a million American fighting men will be in service in France in the near future, declared Secretary of War Baker in an address here today.

U. S. STEEL CORP. PAYS \$233,435,000 TAXES

Corporation Has Probably Largest Tax Bill in History of World.

New York, June 12.—The United States Steel Corporation announced tonight that its federal income and excess profits tax bills, aggregating \$233,435,000, have been paid. The payment is declared to be the largest for tax purposes ever made by any American corporation and probably in history.

MRS. A. G. VANDERBILT IS MARRIED AGAIN

Widow of Lusitania Victim Wife of Raymond P. Baker, Director of U. S. Mint.

Lenox, Mass., June 12.—Mrs. Alfred Gwyn Vanderbilt and Raymond P. Baker, director of the Mint, were married here today. Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt was her attendant and the best man was United States Senator Key Pittman of Nevada.

Mrs. Baker's first husband was lost on the Lusitania.

GERMANS MADE LITTLE PROGRESS YESTERDAY

French Forces Operating on East Bank of Oise River, South of Noyon, Have Evacuated Carlepont Wood and Germans Are Closely Pressing Them Southward — Nowhere Else Has Enemy Been Able To Do Anything—Americans in the Fighting.

The French forces operating on the east bank of the Oise River south of Noyon have evacuated the Carlepont wood and the Germans are closely pressing them southward, according to the German official communication, Wednesday. The communication also asserts that the territory on the opposite side of the river near where the Matz enters the stream, has been cleared of Allied troops.

Nowhere else along the battle front resulting from Montdidier to the region around Noyon is any claim made to further advances by the Germans. On the contrary the latest communication shows that the enemy everywhere has been busily engaged in attempts to hold back the French and other Allied troops, among them some Americans.

Berlin Silent.

No mention is made in the communication of the Allies having advanced their front east of Mery and the Gentils Wood, or of the repulse of violent German attacks along the Aronde River and at the Loges Farm and Antheuil. Neither is there any mention of the fact that the enemy, notwithstanding his numerous attempts, has been enabled to abduct south of the Matz River.

The communication asserts that all the counter-attacks of the Allied forces have been repulsed and that they suffered heavy casualties. It declared that the number of prisoners taken by General Von Hutier's army has now risen to more than 13,000.

It had been admitted that the position of the defending line on the west of the outflanking hills to the west, and a successful drive through the Carlepont Wood on the opposite side of the stream seemingly would have necessitated a strategic retreat if the troops were not to be entirely cut off.

YOUNG WOMAN IS MURDERED MYSTERIOUSLY

Police of Bridgeport Have Hard Task To Find Man Who Strangled Girl Whose Body Found in Harbor.

Bridgeport, Conn., June 12.—Urged by Coroner John J. Phelan, five Bridgeport detectives began a concerted effort to solve the mystery surrounding the finding of a woman's body in the local harbor. A cord loosely knotted about the neck is the only clue they have to work on.

Every effort to identify the body, which shows evidence of having been in the water for more than two possibly four weeks, has been futile. It evidently is that of a woman of 25, bearing a scar three inches long on the back of the head.

Convinced that she was murdered, the coroner today ordered a thorough investigation and declared that the local police will not be called on until the perpetrator of the crime has been uncovered. The police are convinced that the woman was strangled.

Americans in Fray.

Southwest of Montdidier, where the Allied forces on Tuesday in violent counter-attacks made notable gains against the enemy, American troops have been thrown into the fray, but how many or to what branch of the service they belong has not yet been indicated. To the north of Montdidier the Germans several times have tried to drive out the Americans from the village of Chantigny, but each time they have been repulsed.

One party of forty Germans was routed by revolver fire of the defenders of the village.

Northwest of Chateau Thierry the Germans have thrown five divisions against the Americans fighting side by side with the French, but without success. Attempts by the enemy to recapture the villages of Bourches went for naught.

South of Alene.

South of the Aisne River there has been fighting down to the region of Villers Cottiers where the Germans are attempting to break through and bring their line west of Soissons toward Compiègne. Except that the best known lawbreaker in Canada as well as a gentleman of high courage, honor and intelligence. Besides his extensive legal practice in the interests of which he frequently presided before the Supreme Court and the Privy Council, the late Mr. Stuart was a director of the Royal Bank of Canada, Price Brothers and Company, Limited, and the Quebec Chronicle Printing Company.

Mr. Stuart was born in Quebec in 1845 and was a graduate of McGill University. He was one of the council for the Crown in the Mercer-Pacaud case, in which he highly distinguished himself. The outcome of the proceedings was the downfall of Mercer.

Quebec, June 12.—The death occurred here today of Gustavus George Stuart, K. C., son of the late Sir Andrew Stuart, chief justice of Quebec. The late Mr. Stuart was one of the best known lawyers in Canada as well as a gentleman of high courage, honor and intelligence.

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SHIP STRANDED ON N. S. COAST BADLY LISTED

Canadian Atlantic Port, June 12.—The American 2,000 ton steel steamer, which went ashore last night at a point on the Nova Scotia coast in an exposed position but, according to advices from the scene of the stranding, there is a possibility of refloating her if the weather continues fine. The steamer, which was recently built at a United States lake port, was on her maiden voyage from there to a New England port with a cargo of coal loaded at a Cape Breton port. When the ship struck, wireless calls for help were sent out and at midnight life-boats and fishing boats went out in search of the wreck. It was not until after day-break that the ship was located, when the crew of thirty-four was rescued and landed at a Nova Scotia port. Latest reports from the wreck state that the ship rests firmly on a ledge and is heavily listed to port.

AN AUSTRIAN BATTLESHIP GOES DOWN

Italians Accomplish Wonderful Feat in Adriatic, Near Dalmatian Islands.

ANOTHER ENEMY SHIP IS DAMAGED

Feat Considered Probably Most Remarkable Performed By Any Navy.

Paris, June 12.—The loss of the Austrian battleship Szent Istvan torpedoed in the Adriatic, is officially announced in Vienna, according to a Havas despatch from Basel, Switzerland.

Remarkable Feat.

Venice, Tuesday, June 11.—One Austrian naval vessel was destroyed and a second one damaged in the torpedo attack made by Italian torpedo boats upon an Austrian naval division near the Dalmatian Islands on Monday, it was officially stated tonight in a Vienna communication by the Chief of the Staff of the Italian Navy.

The attack, made by Commander Rizzo and Luigi De Milazzo with two small Italian torpedo boats was delivered at dawn on Monday.

All Italy was thrilled with the news of this feat which is considered probably the most remarkable performed by any navy during the war, inasmuch as it was effected by such small means.

GETS MAD AND QUILTS

Charlottetown, June 12.—Robert Jenkins, prohibition prosecutor, has resigned as a protest against the release of a violator from jail.

DANGEROUS BRIDGE

The road from Chatham to Richibucto is reported to be in condition, but there is a dangerous bridge to be crossed at Nicholas River. Careful motorists make a long detour rather than take the risk. Why don't the county members get Mr. Veniot to rebuild the rickety structure? — Chatham World.

FURIOUS ATTACKS BY THE ENEMY CONTINUE

Germans Continue Vicious Attempts To Enlarge a Pocket Toward the West in Order To Reach the Montdidier-Estrees-St. Denis Railway — Everywhere Here His Waves Have Been Stopped.

French Black Troops Attacking Behind Tanks Attack Enemy Masses, Retaking An Important Height and Des Loges Farm—French Also Retake Mery Village.

Special Cable to New York Tribune and St. John Standard. (By Wilbur Forrest).

With the French Army in France, June 12.—On the third day's offensive enemy attacks are unabated. With the same fury that characterized the assaults of the last few days the enemy continued his attempt to enlarge a pocket toward the west in order to reach the Montdidier-Estrees-St. Denis railway. Everywhere here his waves have been stopped.

French black troops, attacking behind tanks, with the greatest dash, counter attacked the enemy masses after the latter had driven forward many times. The blacks penetrated two kilometres, retaking an important height and the Des Loges Farm. Further northwest another counter attack has retaken the village Mery.

SUBMARINES SANK EIGHTEEN SHIPS IN U. S. CAMPAIGN

Latest Victims the Henrik Lund and Vindeggen, Norwegians.

THE CREWS LANDED AT NEW YORK WEDNESDAY

U-Boats Took Part of Copper Cargo of One Before Sinking.

New York, June 12.—Two Norwegian steamships, the Vindeggen and Henrik Lund, were sunk by a German submarine when about 200 miles east of Cape Charles, Va., on last Saturday and Monday respectively. This brings the total of vessels sunk by U-boats since they began their campaign in these waters to eighteen.

Their crews totalling sixty-eight men were brought here today by a Danish steamship which picked them up at sea after they had been set adrift in their small boats. Eighty tons of copper ingots, part of the cargo of the Vindeggen, were taken aboard the U-bent before the steamship was sunk by means of bombs. The vessel was stopped by the submarine on June 8, and the crew was obliged to unload the copper into the ship's small boats and transfer it to the U-boat. The small boats were taken to tow until the Henrik Lund was sighted on June 10.

MONCTON HOSPITAL HAD 831 PATIENTS

Institution Doing Excellent Work—Ald. Chapman Re-elected President.

Special to The Standard.

Moncton, June 12.—At the annual meeting of the Moncton hospital board tonight, Ald. A. C. Chapman was re-elected president; J. H. Harris, vice-president; Reid McManus, treasurer and F. W. S. Colpitts, secretary. Six directors were elected to replace the retiring directors as follows: A. C. Chapman, Reid McManus, C. H. Belliveau, Norman Sinclair, J. H. Harris,

German Dead Thicket.

Scenes greeting the troops upon recaptured ground amply illustrate the effective work of the French artillery and machine guns. German bodies are found everywhere.

West of the Oise, in Zoneville-Marest, which is a series of small wooded hills and ravines, the enemy has intensified his pressure with the usual mass attacks. French troops here ran the risk of being encircled because of enemy infiltrations through ravines. They gradually withdrew and the same moment the artillery drenched these ravines with high explosives. The Germans have thrown more than twenty divisions (250,000 men) into the fighting in the last three days. Fresh troops seem to be used. Desperation evidenced in this fighting indicates that they will not hesitate to use all additional fresh troops that are available.

When these are employed, I believe another stage of the battle will begin. And it will be of a different character from the foregoing three.

It is known that no German troops are being relieved and sent to the interior of Germany and that the slightly wounded are even forced to remain at the front to be used as soon as convalescent for the purpose of relieving the more able-bodied who were thrown into the battle line.

KNIGHT BORN AT BINGEN-ON-RHINE IN BAD ODOUR

Lord Mayor of Sheffield Arrested on Charge of Giving Information To Enemy — Sir Joseph Jonas Held For Week.

London, June 12.—Sir Joseph Jonas, Lord Mayor of Sheffield, in 1905, and a steel manufacturer, was in Bow Street police court today on the charge that with various other persons whose names were not known he "did obtain and communicate certain information prejudicial to the interests of the enemy and information relating to prohibited places and things therein."

Sir Joseph was remanded for a week on bail.

Sir Joseph Jonas was born at Bingen-on-the-Rhine in 1845 and was educated at Bingen and Cologne. He was naturalized.

Geo. McCure. The treasurer's report showed total receipts for the year \$25,200.64. The matron's report showed 531 patients admitted to the hospital during the year.

JOHN T. HAWKE A DIRECTOR OF CANADIAN PRESS

Annual General Meeting of Daily Newspaper Represent- atives Held in Toronto—C. O. Knowles, General Man- ager, Succeeds Himself.

Toronto, June 12.—A representative gathering of daily newspaper publishers of Canada assembled here today, the occasion being the annual general meeting of the Canadian Press, Limited, the co-operative news-gathering and distributing organization of the daily newspapers of the Dominion.

A large amount of routine business was transacted, including the apportionment of assessments of cost for the next fiscal year. Directors elected were as follows:

Nova Scotia—G. Fred Pearson, Halifax Chronicle.

New Brunswick—John T. Hawke, Moncton Transcript.

Quebec—J. N. Chevrier, Montreal Star, and E. F. Slack, Montreal Gazette.

Ontario—John R. Bone, Toronto Star; J. F. MacKay, Toronto Globe; E. Norman Smith, Ottawa-Journal.

Manitoba—E. H. MacKlin, Manitoba Free Press; R. L. Richardson, Winnipeg Tribune.

Saskatchewan—W. F. Hermann, Saskatoon Star.

Alberta—M. R. Jennings, Edmonton Journal.

British Columbia—F. J. Burd, Vancouver Province.

At a subsequent meeting of newly-elected directors officers for the ensuing year were chosen as follows: President, E. F. Slack; first vice-president, E. H. MacKlin; second vice-president, G. Fred Pearson; secretary, C. O. Knowles, and assistant secretary, J. F. B. Livesey.

GERMANY WILL NOT PROPOSE PEACE NOW

In Forthcoming Statement of War Aims No Proposal to Entente Allies Will Be Made.

London, June 12.—In her forthcoming statement of war aims Germany does not intend to make any fresh peace offer, according to Berlin newspapers, says an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Amsterdam.

Amsterdam, June 12.—Judging from press comment telegraphed here from Vienna, the leading newspapers there interpret the official announcement regarding the decision of the Versailles Conference as an abandonment of the Czecho-Slovak war aims by the Entente nations.

The decision referred to in the above despatch was reached at the Supreme War Council which was held at Versailles last week. The text of this decision has not yet been made public. Upon his return to London, however, Premier Lloyd George said:

"The declaration agreed to by the British, French and Italian premiers bring the defined policy of the European powers into harmony with that of the United States on two very important points: namely, concerning Poland and the Czecho-Slovaks and the Jugoslavians."

VENIOT TAMMANY AXE FALLS IN RESTIGOUCHE

E. Rene Richard Removed As Magistrate of Town of Dal- housie—Swap in Charlotte.

Several changes among provincial officials have been made. E. Rene Richard has been removed for cause from the office of Clerk of Restigouche County Court, and sitting magistrate of the town of Dalhousie and clerk of the circuits for Restigouche.

M. Alonzo Kelly, of Campbellton, has been appointed clerk of the Restigouche County Court and clerk of the circuits for Restigouche.

N. Marks Mills and George M. Byron have exchanged offices. Mr. Mills now being appointed registrar of probate with a right to act as proctor in any and all matters before the Charlotte County Probate Court, and Mr. Byron becoming judge of probate.

Alex. Stratton is appointed judge of probate, clerk of the Circuit Courts, clerk of the County Court and Master of the Supreme Court for Victoria county, and the resignation of C. H. Elliott as judge of probate, clerk of the County Court, clerk of the circuits and justice of the peace has been accepted.

Frank R. Kelley, police and stipendiary magistrate for Parish of Brighton, is appointed police and stipendiary magistrate for the County of Carleton.

MAN DRAGGED TO HIS DEATH

Horse Runs Away in Queens County, Ending Life of One Armed Man.

Minto, June 12.—Gideon Corey was killed here yesterday afternoon while walking behind his horse along the road near his barn. He was apparently dead some time when his body was found.

It is supposed that he was either kicked by his horse or that he was dragged along the road, striking his head against a stone. Mr. Corey had only one hand and was in the habit of winding the reins around his wrist before starting to drive. The supposition is that the horse ran away, knocking him over, and that he struck his head against a stone. Dr. Hay, coroner, who was summoned, considered an inquest unnecessary.

MANUFACTURERS AND GRAIN MEN TO MEET

Effort Being Made To Get Clashing Elements Together.

Montreal, June 12.—The preliminary effort towards establishing an entente between western agriculturists and eastern industrial interests was made this afternoon when Roderick MacKenzie of the Grain Growers' Association of Winnipeg expressed at the meeting of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in their annual union at the Windsor Hotel, the hope the farmers and manufacturers would meet in conference and frankly lay their cards in regard to the tariff controversy on the table.

S. K. Parsons, president of the association, announced that it would be glad to meet the grain growers of the west and bring about a conference in Winnipeg.

CLAIM FIREWATER SOLD ON A TRAIN

Several Red Men Get in Trouble Through Two Bot- tles of Whiskey.

Newcastle, June 12.—Indian Police-man William Barnaby, of Bel Ground Reserve, recently arrested an Indian for drunkenness and brought him before Judge J. R. Lawlor, of Newcastle. The prisoner confessed that he got the liquor from another Bel Ground Indian, who had stolen it from a third Indian, who had purchased two bottles of whiskey at \$4 a bottle on the train between here and Campbellton from a white man coming from Montreal, who had liquor in his suit case. The Indians informed on were arraigned and fined.

THE WEATHER.

Toronto, June 12.—The low area which was over Northern Canada last night is now centered over the southern portion of Quebec, causing rain throughout that province, also in eastern Ontario and the Maritime Provinces. In the west, the weather has been fine and warm.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	52	80
Vancouver	50	78
Kamloops	52	82
Calgary	49	85
Edmonton	48	75
Battleford	52	80
Mooselaw	55	91
Winnipeg	44	75
Port Arthur	48	70
Parry Sound	44	54
London	43	74
Montreal	58	70
Quebec	48	58
St. John	42	58
Halifax	44	50

Forecasts:—Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate to fresh northwesterly; fair, with a little higher temperature.

Maritime—Strong southeast to southwest winds, with showers and local thundershowers.

AUTO CLUB MERGER

Quebec, June 12.—All the various individual auto clubs in Canada are to be merged, and an initial convention to that end will be held at Montreal on the 19th of June.

The local delegates will be the Hon. Frank Carrell, and Messrs. Auguste Pion, Lionel Beaupre.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years

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Farmers, Attention

The United Farmers of New Brunswick will hold meetings, for the purpose of organizing, in the following places:

St. Stephen, Friday, June 14, 2.30 p. m.

St. George, Friday, June 14, 1.30 p. m.

Hampton, Saturday, June 15, 2.30 p. m.

Apohaqui, Saturday, June 15, 7.30 p. m.

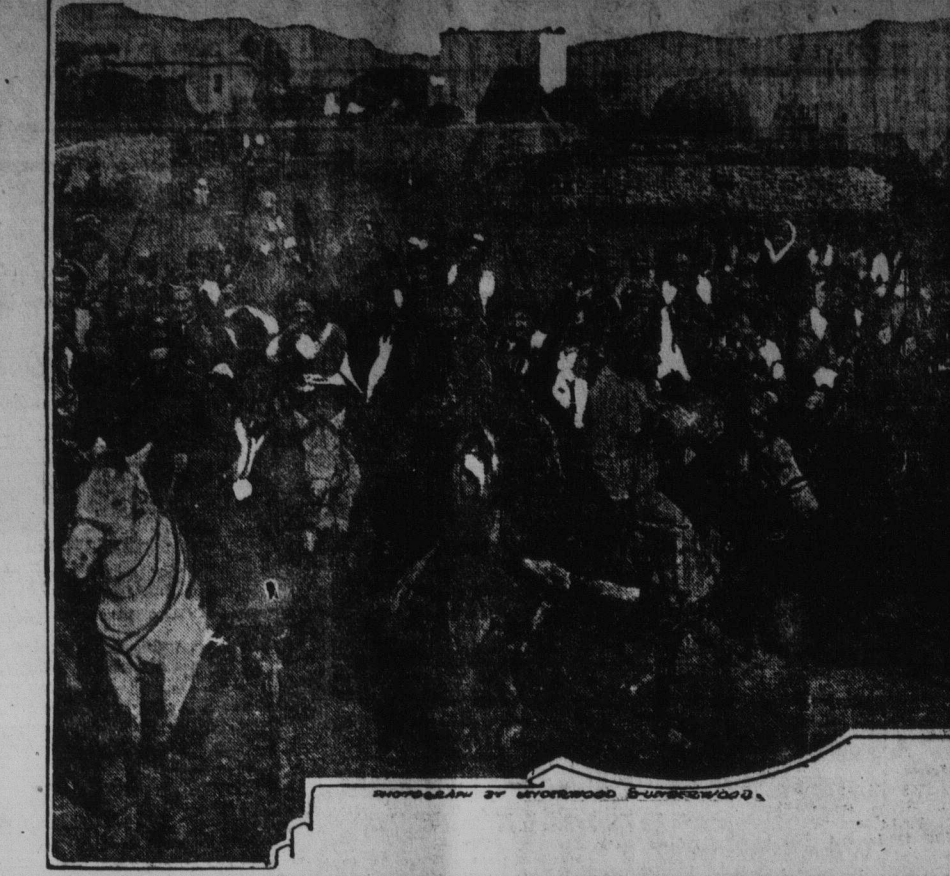
Sussex, Monday, June 17, 7.30 p. m.

Moncton, Tuesday, June 18, 2.30 p. m.

Sackville, Tuesday, June 18, 7.30 p. m.

Mr. C. L. Smith, President of United Farmers of New Brunswick and R. McDonald, Secretary of Canadian Council of Agriculture, of Winnipeg, will address these meetings.

Bloodthirsty Kurds (Turkish) Who Continue To Massacre Armenians.



Sweet Content Asks Jimmy's Help.

By EDITH HIXON.

(By Edith Hixon.)

Sweet content, our rosy-faced fairy, was baking sand tarts in her dainty rose and white kitchen. She wore a white frilled apron over her rose-petal gown, but her slender fingers, as well as the tip of her adorable nose, were covered with flour.

She had just pulled a pan full of crisp brown cookies out of the oven when the door opened and in came Golden Jacket, the big bumble bee. His black, shiny coat was dusty, his golden waistcoat rumpled and wet, while his tall silk hat was over one ear. She had never seen him so excited. He wiped the top of his bald head, as well as his spectacles, with a gorgeous red silk handkerchief, while he gasped for breath.

"What's the trouble?" begged Sweet Content.

"Cannibal Charlie is in Flowerland," he announced.

Sweet Content clasped her bony hands in horror. "Oh, no," she cried. "It can't be."

"Silver Star, the big seagull, saw him headed this way last evening, and Twinkle Toes and Betty Buttercup have not come back," he answered.

"They haven't," said our fairy, sitting down in despair. "Not since they borrowed my canoe to go to Watercross Farm?"

"That's just it," said Golden Jacket. "They must have been captured by Cannibal Charlie, for they should have been home last night."

Sweet Content shuddered. Cannibal Charlie was the worst horror in Flowerland. He was all this Sweet Content knew that his long, fingered hand on his right hand contained deadly poison.

"Isn't there anything we can do?" asked Golden Jacket.

"I'm going to try," answered Sweet Content. So she took off her white frilled apron, put on her soft green cap and hood and followed Golden Jacket out of the house. Just at this minute Jimmy, a little boy who lived in Cuddlytown, had a dream. (Ever since the day he had a first kiss, he knew that there were fairies he had wanted to see them.) He dreamed that the fairies were in danger from some cruel beast, and without waking, he got out of bed and walked out into the smooth, rolling meadow. He arrived in Rose Glow lane just as Sweet Content and Golden Jacket came from the house.

"Good gracious, look who is here," said our fairy. "Let's take him along; he might be useful."

"Yes," answered and followed Golden Jacket. "He would never even see Cannibal Charlie."

"I'll bewitch him," said our fairy, "for we really need three people to fight."

Golden Jacket consented, grumbling, as our fairy waved her wand saying:

"Wand made a moonbeam pay, Let me have this wish, I pray, May Jimmy become as small as me And go with us quite happily."

Immediately Jimmy became a fairy imp and opened his eyes. He was astonished.

"Am I dreaming?" he asked.

"No," of course not," said Sweet Content, "but we need your help. We must rescue Twinkle Toes and Betty Buttercup from Cannibal Charlie, which is his dinner-time."

"Can I really go with you?" asked Jimmy, in excitement.

"Yes," answered Golden Jacket crossly. "Sweet Content thinks that you will be of some use, though, for my part, I think you will be a nuisance."

"Let's hurry," said our fairy, for she saw that Jimmy was hurt.

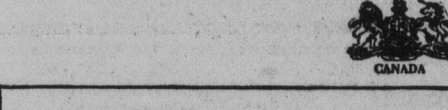
She clasped her tiny hands for Fluffy, her big white butterfly, who came flying over the fields. She got on to his back, with Jimmy beside her, picked up the golden spider web reins and drove to the edge of the Singing Brook. Golden Jacket was close behind. They borrowed a maple leaf boat, with maple seeds for paddles, which they muffled with bits of grass, and stole down the brook very quietly. But

close into the bushes and saw a green pointed slipper underneath the bushes, which belonged to Twinkle Toes. (His slippers were magic, and were not at all like other slippers.)

"If Twinkle Toes is not here, where did you find his slippers?" she demanded.

At her question Cannibal Charlie gave one leap and landed in the canoe scratching both Sweet Content and Golden Jacket with his wicked-edged nail. They became limp and white powerless to move or speak. With a triumphant snarl he picked them up and ran for the bushes, leaving Jimmy behind trembling.

He picked up the paddle and hurried back to Flowerland, where he aroused the fairies, telling them the



DATE OF REGISTRATION: 1918

CANADA REGISTRATION BOARD

CARD FOR FEMALES

TO BE FILLED IN BY DEPUTY REGISTRAR

1. Name in full (surname last)?

2. Address (permanent)?

3. Address (temporary)?

4. Nationality? can you speak English? French?

5. British subject? by birth? naturalization? marriage?

6. Are you single? married? widow? divorced?

7. How many children or wards will these children be recorded by another registrant?

8. Do your health and home ties permit you, if required, to give full-time paid work? (Registrants answering "NO" here, need not answer any of the following questions: if answering "YES" or, if in doubt, should fill up rest of card. All must sign affirmation.)

9. Do your circumstances permit you to live away from home?

10. What is your present main occupation? (a) If in business as employer, state number of employees. (b) If an employee, state name, business and address of employer. (c) If full-time voluntary worker, state name of Society served.

11. State particulars of each, if you have (a) Trade or profession? (b) Degree, diploma or certificate? (c) Special training?

I affirm that I have verified the above answers and that they are true.

Signature of Registrar.

Procedure of Registration

On June 22nd every person residing in Canada, male or female, British or alien, of sixteen years or over, must attend one of the registration booths located in his or her district, and there observe the procedure explained below.

Where to Register

Every person required to register has the privilege of registering at any of the public places provided for that purpose. The location of all such places will be specified in proclamations posted conspicuously.

In Cities and Towns, many of these places will be open for registration purposes prior to Registration day. Where such arrangements are made, the local papers will supply full information.

Large industrial and business concerns are being asked to provide facilities for registering their employees. Where they do so business will not be interfered with, and employees will suffer no loss of time.

How to Register

The procedure of registration is simple. The questions upon the registration card can be answered very easily, but they must be answered truthfully and fully.

The card shown in the illustration is a facsimile of the registration card for females. An advertisement showing the card for males appears in another paper.

Study the questions carefully so that you will be able to answer them promptly when registering. If you have any special qualification, or feel that your services would be more beneficial to the country in some other line of work, say so.

While all are compelled to register on Registration Day, it is not contemplated by the Government to force the sick, feeble and aged to turn out. If such persons will notify the Registrar prior to June 22nd of their inability to attend at a place of registration, an effort will be made to register them at home, provided the request is reasonable and justified.

Remember the Day—June 22nd—Remember the Hours—7 a.m. to 10 p.m. Register early and get your Certificate for your own protection.

Issued by authority of
Canada Registration Board

MEN'S SHIRTS

Good-looking enough for any man. No new suit need hesitate to close acquaintance with one of these shapely-cut Shirts, or handsome Silk Cravat feel ashamed to be on its smooth fitting bosom.

It is a fact that these new Shirts are very attractive. Priced from \$1.25 (some at \$1, stiff cuffs). Silk fronts and cuffs, \$2.25 and \$2.75. All silk, \$5.

Gilmour's, 68 King St.
Open Friday evenings
Close Saturday at one.

rapidly.

The fairy queen arrived, while the elves and imps were wringing their hands and sobbing (they thought our fairy was dead) and waved her golden wand, saying:

"Cruel spell, cruel spell, Vanish and leave our fairies well, And give little Jimmy a magic charm, To keep him safely from all harm."

Immediately Sweet Content, Betty Buttercup, Twinkle Toes and Golden Jacket sat up, looking pale and wet, but assuring the anxious queen that they were all right. In Jimmy's chin came a darling dimple, which is there to this day, and which has kept him safe from harm.

The fairies danced for joy, while Cannibal Charlie slunk away to his Dusty Musty Home in Webland.

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

June—Phases of the Moon.

Phase	Time
Last Quarter, 2nd	1h. 20m. a.m.
New Moon, 8th	7h. 3m. p.m.
First Quarter, 16th	10h. 12m. a.m.
Full Moon, 24th	7h. 38m. a.m.

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13 Thu.	42	9.06	3.24	16.00	10.00	22.22	
14 Fri.	5.42	9.06	4.23	16.50	10.46	23.08	
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Class C—79 Suits Sale Prices, \$13.69, \$12.73
Class D—46 Suits Sale Prices, \$10.79, \$8.59
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18 Coats \$16.13, and \$13.69
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Bargain No. 3—66 Coats \$12.73, \$10.79, \$8.59
Bargain No. 4—44 Coats \$6.98, \$5.79, \$4.89, \$3.78

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Snap No. 2—120 Pairs at \$5.19, \$3.98, and \$3.63
Snap No. 3—93 Pairs at \$1.98, \$1.43 and \$1.48

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53 Suits \$4.83, \$3.89 and \$2.89

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CHIEF INSPECTOR WILSON ADDRESSES THE METHODISTS

Tells Them Government Is Not Interfering With Enforcement of Prohibition — Appeals To Members of Conference For Support of Local Inspectors—Prof. Knudson of Boston Preaches — Ministerial Changes.

Special to The Standard. Sackville, June 12.—One of the chief features of interest in connection with today's sessions of the Methodist Conference of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island, now meeting in this town, was the visit of Chief Inspector W. D. Wilson who addressed the conference and was given a very hearty reception. Inspector Wilson is a man of honor of energy and resolution, pleasing in manner and approachable, and in the words of the president of the conference, who extended greetings, is "highly esteemed for his own sake and for the sake of the cause he represents."

When last he addressed the Methodist conference there were but six counties in New Brunswick which were under the provincial prohibitory law. Today practically the whole province is covered by the law. In the County of Westmorland the last to come under the provisions of the act the law came into effect yesterday.

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Gray, faded hair, though no disgrace, is a sign of old age, and as we all desire a youthful and attractive appearance, get busy at once with Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound and look years younger. This ready-to-use preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and not a medicine. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

A. Clare Motyer, John Witham, Earl E. Fytche Pastoral Address.

The last feature of the morning session was the presentation of the pastoral address by the Rev. H. B. Stoddard, M. A. of St. Stephen. This address is the time honored message of the conference to the churches within its bounds and is ordered to be read in the public congregations of the denomination after the rise of the conference. The address of this year is a well prepared, beautifully worded and timely document. The afternoon was largely occupied with the reading of the stationing committee met and considered certain changes in the first draft.

It is now proposed to send Rev. H. Stanley Young to Charlottetown as an associate pastor, Rev. A. D. McCully to Bucotouche, Rev. Ovid H. Peters to Sunny Brae, Rev. L. J. Leard to Almont, Rev. James Crisp to Stanley, Rev. J. B. Young to Apohaquit, and Rev. Wm. Lawson to Keswick.

Supernumerary Fund.

The general supernumerary fund committee met in the board room of the Ladies' College and received the report of the treasurer, Dr. J. M. Palmer, and considered the proposed changes in the constitution of the fund. If the conference concerned agree to the recommendations made these will be submitted to the general conference which meets in September in Hamilton, Ont. Most of the lay delegates have arrived in preparation for the general session which convenes in the morning.

This evening the first public service was held in the beautiful auditorium of the church when the Rev. Albert C. Knudson, D. D., professor of Boston University School of Theology, preached an eloquent sermon. It has been the custom of the conference to invite some distinguished expert to give a series of inspirational addresses during the conference session and Dr. Knudson worthily maintains the standard of former years. At the close of the preaching service the sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered.

WEDDINGS.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., June 12.—The marriage of Marion Davidson Russ, daughter of Mrs. J. B. Russ, of Summerside, to William Claude Sinclair, assistant manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. John, took place this morning at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. L. A. Wright, Summerside.

Rev. A. E. Wheeler, pastor of the Baptist church, officiated in the presence of immediate relatives. The bride, who was unattended, was given away by her brother, Charles B. Russ of Montreal. She wore a handsome tailored travelling suit of blue serge and carried a bouquet of American beauty roses. They left this morning on a two weeks' honeymoon trip through the Annapolis Valley and other points in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. The bride received many valuable wedding gifts.

Conlon-Pewer
A very pretty wedding took place at the Cathedral yesterday morning when Rev. William Duke united in marriage Miss Mary J. Power and Frederick O. Conlon. The young couple were attended by Miss Margaret Power and Charles J. Haseff. They left at noon for a wedding trip to Upper Canadian

stated. They will reside at 258 Pitt street.

MacNeil-McManus
At the Church of Assumption, West Side, yesterday morning Rev. A. J. O'Neill united in marriage Miss Julia McManus of this city and Hugh J. MacNeil of New Glasgow. After a wedding breakfast at the home of the bride's parents the happy couple left for a wedding trip to Prince Edward Island. They will make their home at New Glasgow.

Leonard-Robinson
The German street Baptist church was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday morning when the pastor Rev. E. S. Poole united in marriage Miss Jennie L. Robinson and Dr. John G. Leonard, both of this city. After a short honeymoon trip through the Annapolis Valley they will take up their residence in this city.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Catherine A. Jones
Moncton, June 12.—The death of

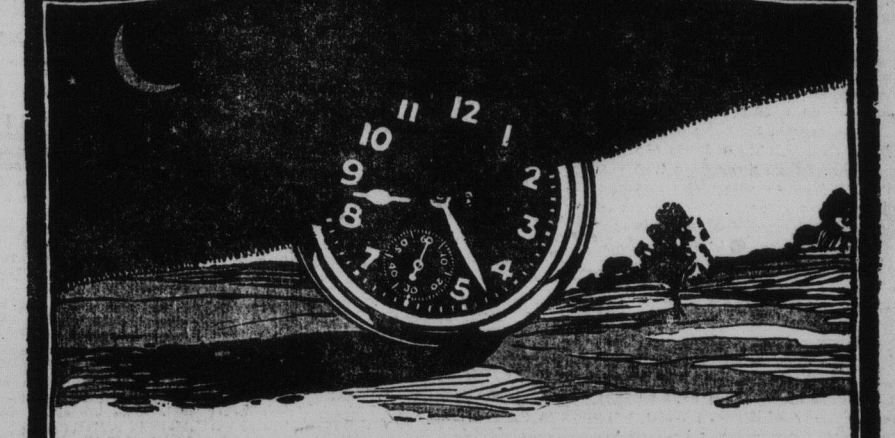
Mrs. Catherine A. Jones, one of Moncton's oldest and most respected citizens, occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. R. Mills, 621 Main street, this city, on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Jones had been in poor health for a number of years, but had been confined to her bed for only the past two weeks. The deceased lady was born in St. John in 1830. Her husband, Asa H. Jones, predeceased her 26 years ago, since which time she had resided with her daughter, Mrs. D. R. Mills. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Ephram Carpenter, Mrs. David Steeves and Mrs. David R.

Mills, all of this city, also by two sons, Emery, of Harrisville, N. B., and Norman, of Gladeside, N. B.

Pamphile Lemay
Quebec, June 12.—Pamphile Lemay, a noted French-Canadian poet, died yesterday at his home in Saint-Jean Des Chailions in his eighty-second year.

BONNET ROUGE CASE

Paris, June 11.—[Havas Agency]—The council of revision has rejected the appeals of the men convicted of treason in connection with the famous Bonnet Rouge case.



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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, JUNE 13, 1918.

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

JAPAN AND THE WAR.

The cables last night carried a brief item to the effect that the Japanese government will issue at once a statement setting forth Japan's position in regard to Russia and the lengths to which she may be willing to go in the way of intervention in the east. German progress in Russia, coupled with the failure of the Bolsheviks to give anything like a stable government, has been sufficient to cause some anxiety in Japan, as that nation has important interests that would be affected by permanent German domination in Russia, or even by a re-organized Russia more friendly to the Hun than to the Eastern Empire. Events close to the Manchurian border have also given Japan an opportunity to actively participate in the war in the east, and there is no doubt she would have done so long ago, if it had been the desire of the Entente Allies that she should.

The Russian situation is serious; also, it may be admitted that neither Britain, France, Italy or the United States can devote any attention to Russia until more important matters on the western front have been satisfactorily disposed of. With Japan, however, the case is different. She is reported to be willing to intervene in Russia, and probably at the present time is much better able to do it than any of her allies. In fact, an arrangement has not been reached whereby she should have acted before this, is one of the mysteries of the war that cannot be explained except through the winding channel of allied officialdom and, possibly, an explanation will never come from that source. It is to be hoped, however, that Japan will speedily enter into a new relation with her allies and one of the obligations of that relation will be an active participation in the east, in the west, on the high seas or wherever the splendid army and navy can be of service. Japan might well be invited to occupy Vladivostok at once and with it as much of Eastern Siberia as she can take. Certainly she would handle it better than Russia has done and would not display the pro-German tendencies of the Bolsheviks. She could even be invited to send her ships to the North Sea and her armies to co-operate with the British, French and American armies in France without outraging any of the so-called sensitivities of those who, in the past, hesitated about using yellow or brown troops against whites, even though those whites be Germans. In fact yellow and brown, and black troops have already been used against the Hun and have done splendid service. Therefore there can be no racial objection to the employment of the Japanese, and any hesitancy in regard to giving Japan a larger share in the tasks and glories of war than she has hitherto enjoyed must spring from a suspicion that she might be loath to relinquish an advantage she now gains.

There has been such a feeling in the United States, but it is not the feeling of the mass of the American people. Rather has it been promoted and fostered by men who, a few years ago were prone to talk of a Yellow Peril that never existed outside of the Hearst newspapers. There can now be no such peril and no such risk. Japan and Britain have always been on the most friendly of terms. When war broke out Japan did not hesitate to cast her lot in with the Entente, and her navy, in most workmanlike style, quickly wrote "finis" to the story of German jurisdiction in the Pacific. Also, when the history of the war is written it may be found that Japan's fighting ships were a considerable factor in the protection of Australia and other British possessions on the other side of the world.

When she was active on the side of the Entente Allies Japan did all she was requested to do and did it well. She was not dishonorable, she met her obligations and fulfilled her treaties, and in everything pertaining to war or peace displayed a spirit so far above and ahead of that shown by Germany that the two nations are not to be mentioned in the same breath. Japan has ever shown herself to be valiant, high-minded and brave and there is a growing belief the world over that she is the one nation on earth qualified to take hold of the Russian situation and so handle it as to win back from the Huns the very considerable advantages they have obtained there. May her intervention come soon.

AND ALL IN ONE YEAR.

The esteemed but sometimes feverish Times insists that the youth of the Foster government should stand as an excuse for failure to recognize the just claims of the school teachers of the province for an increase in their

government grant. The Times tries to draw the shimmering cloak of youth and innocence over the whole Frederickton outfit, and says that the administration headed by Hon. W. E. Foster has been in power a little over a year and, therefore, has had opportunity to do very little.

The Standard is prepared to admit that the Foster government has not had as long a term of office as its predecessors, and to go beyond that and say we do not believe it will ever attain that distinction. But we cannot join our gentle brother from Canterbury street in the belief that Premier Foster and his associates have any claim to be classed as ingenues. It is true, they have been in power but a little more than a year but even in that brief time they have succeeded in making quite a record of sorts. They have increased the public debt to a very considerable extent. They have given Hon. P. J. Veniot more than \$400,000 to waste on alleged permanent roads, and the expenditure in the hands of that sweet innocent has already produced one choice crop of scandals in Gloucester County. They have beautifully bungled the administration of the agricultural department of the province, by placing it under the control of a gentleman whose idea of the proper method of conducting an importation of seed was to bring in the seed, allow the province to pay for it, and then dispose of it to political friends without making any reasonable effort to collect payment. They have adopted a brand new system of collecting automobile fees, by appointing a dismissed and discredited official to an unnecessary office and paying him \$1,200 for work incidental to the collection of \$900. They have the only attorney general in captivity who, even with the assistance of two legal "crutches," was unable to bring his legislation before the House in a shape where it was intelligible to his own associates. Largely through the instrumentality of the premier himself they managed to put through a secret bond deal, unprecedented in this province, and by which the province lost thousands of dollars. And, lastly, though they have been in power but little more than a year, they have had the experience of being forced to appoint a commissioner to investigate serious charges of dishonesty against the highest official of the Legislature—one of their own appointees.

They have done all these things but they have been unable to give to the teachers of the province the attention that is their just due. Yes, the Times is right; the Foster administration has been in power but a little more than a year. Yet in that time they have managed to get several nasty blotches upon the pure political garments in which they garbed themselves during the last election. That government has made "excellent" progress along certain lines. Just give it time, and if it continues in the path upon which it has entered it will constitute a record which even the editor of the Times, case-hardened as he is, will experience difficulty in swallowing without stopping for breath.

WHEN THE TIDE TURNS.

A glimpse of what will happen when the tide turns is given by General Foch in the article he has contributed to one of the London journals. The supreme aim, he says, must be the destruction of the enemy's forces, and completely to achieve that aim the economy, a great reserve must be built up, and when the time comes that reserve must be hurled on the enemy in an action surpassing in violence and energy all other phases of the battle. Here is the key to the strategy he is adopting, says the Montreal Herald which also says that the General's article indicates why the Germans are so anxious to get him to bring his reserve into action, so that to a large extent it may be shorn of its force.

Of course, the same argument applies to the Germans. They are adopting the plan of hurling their reserve with unexampled violence against our lines. But so far they have failed of their object, which is the destruction of the Allies' army. If General Foch is able to continue to parry the German blows without eating too much into his army of manoeuvre, the time will come when the tide will turn. The moment he begins to hurl his reserve into the battle with surpassing violence and energy, he will be striking all on a single throw. It is easy to see how fatal it would be for the army leader's plan to be prematurely put into force by the pressure of public opinion impatient at the purely defensive tactics now being adopted.

GIRLS AS AVIATORS

(Mail and Empire). The employment of girls as aviators in the British flying corps is announced by the British minister of Labor. This rather startling departure, from the British policy of using only men in the fighting ranks, will attract much attention. The Tommycocks, the nursing staffs, and girl transport drivers and cooks have proved the value of women behind the lines, even almost up to the serried bayonets, but the entrusting of highly difficult and risky air corps duties to girls is an innovation whose value has yet to be proved. Girls can operate aircraft skilfully and with that has been proved by the long flights of Miss Ruth Law in the United States, and by other girl aviators. Just as girls have shown exceptional ability as chauffeurs in the war zone, so it may be expected that in the management of airplanes in the presence of enemy craft they will display courage and skill. The element of doubt is not respecting the ability or willingness of thousands of patriotic girls to qualify for a flyer's commission, but dread of their fate if they should fall into the hands of the unpeppable Huns. The experience of the Russian "Women's Battalion" perhaps fully substantiates this. If the girl flyers were intended for patrol duties not involving possibility of capture by the Germans the wider display of their services would be easily justified. As nurses, chauffeurs, cooks and stenographers behind the front, women are facing death from bombs as calmly as the bravest men.

Surely the supply of men for rough-and-tumble air fighting is not becoming so efficient as volunteers. Mr. Roberts' statement may reveal intentions of using girl aviators at service with only ordinary flying risks.

UNIVERSAL SERVICE

(Ottawa Journal-Press). Thirty-seven thousand recruits for the Canadian Expeditionary Force in May indicate that the volunteer service, Demagogic politicians endeavored to make our blood red, misrepresenting conscription as Prussian, and that the volunteer service, months of actual experience have shown that it is nothing of the kind. Conscription has shown itself twice as efficient as voluntarism, and a thousand times more just. Three years of the volunteer system brought enlistment inequalities, and with them cleavages between races, provinces and creeds. Six months of conscription have made sacrifice universal and created better feeling among our people than existed since the beginning of the war.

Today in Quebec alien indifference has given way to a spirit of war patriotism, far exceeding anything that most sanguine among us had hoped for. And as time goes on, and these young French-Canadians who are now the core of our army, learn the structure of patriotism and cherish it with their blood, a new feeling, a better and greater and more sympathetic cleavage between races, provinces and creeds. Six months of conscription have made sacrifice universal and created better feeling among our people than existed since the beginning of the war.

CONTRASTS IN COMMERCE

(Toronto Globe). Canadian trade has increased over one hundred per cent since 1913. This is an unusual showing, even though war purchasing is taken into consideration in the compilation of the returns. A recent article comparing the returns of 1913 and 1917 points out where Canada has benefited—commercially—as a result of the war. But it also points out that these returns are that some radical readjustment of trade will have to take place in order that Canada shall maintain her "favorable trade balance."

While much food and clothing is being purchased in Canada, it is acquired at a heavy cost. The goods will be between individual buyer and seller. This is where the problem affects Canada. It will her people be able to recognize the value of the trade so that instead of selling their goods to the Governments, which they obviously will not, they will sell them to the countries? While almost every country in Europe, and the United States on this side of the Atlantic, has developed a foreign trade organization that has the support of the Government, so far nothing has been done in Canada. It is not a question of building higher walls around ourselves but rather of inviting the other fellow to participate in reciprocal trade, so that both might benefit.

THE EDITOR'S MAIL

AN INJUSTICE.
St. John, N. B., June 12, 1918.
To the Editor of The Standard:
Sir—Your editorial on Teacher's Salaries is timely and the question should be dealt with at once by the Provincial Government; yet some of your readers may not agree with you that the blame for present conditions is altogether chargeable to the "Foster government," but it is the duty of the present government to handle the matter and not continue a manifest injustice, but see that adequate remuneration is received by our school teachers.

The public will not view with favor the recent action of the Board of Education requiring a bond from graduates of our Normal School that they will limit their sphere of public service to New Brunswick, should they find it to their advantage to go outside the province. The graduates of our free educational institutions are quite within their right to render service and earn a meagre livelihood in the open market in this free country, and the proposal to penalize our young men and women who are ambitious enough to save themselves the opportunity to secure an education for the teaching profession is, to say the least, short sighted and unjust. New Brunswick should be made an attractive province for educated people to live in, and the Board of Education should not be afraid of competition from outside.

Yours faithfully,
Q. B.

Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE.
We was eating supper yesterday and I had 3 helps of mash potatoes and asked for another one, and ma sed, No, if you eat any more mash potatoes you'll burst.
No I wont, ma, I never berated yet, I sed.
Wants wood be enuff, sed ma.
Give him more, give him all he wants, sed pop, the ony way to cure him is to let him eat all he asks for for jett wants, and then he will find out to his sorrow that there is such a thing as eating too much.
Well, as long as you take the responsibility, sed ma. And she put another big help of mash potatoes on my plate, and I ate them, saying, Can I have some more, ma?
Your father says you are to have all you ask for, sed ma. And she gave me some more, and I ate them, pop looking at me as if he didnt hardly think it was possible, and after I finished them I sed, Can I have some more, ma?
Which ma gave me some more, and pop leaned his elbows on the table and watched me eating them as if he was wondering which forkful would be the last. Which the last one was, and then I sed to ma, Can I have some more, ma?
Which ma was jest going to give me some more, and pop sed, in the name of food conservation, stop. Which ma stopped, and pop sed, At the present high cost of funerals I wood be doing myself an injustice if I allowed him to go on.
And I didnt eat anything more exsept dizzert, not feeling much like any more mash potatoes enyhow.

A BIT OF VERSE

BRITANNIA'S PRAYER
(From John Bull)
Roused to the dawn's reveille,
Aching from tip to toe,
Through many a blood-soaked alley
My tired battalions go.
Weared as driven cattle,
Weared as one that dies,
They face the front of battle
With their undaunted eyes.
Sons of the Sea-God's daughter,
Dauntless in hand and brain,
Their thoughts are turned to slaughter,
Their hearts are steeled to pain.
But I, but I, their Mother,
Watches from my land apart;
And pangs I cannot smother
Tear at my ancient heart.

Now, when the firm earth trembles
With thunder of the guns—
Now, when the foe assembles,
O God protect my sons!
All that we yearn and grope for,
All that we do and dare,
All that we have and hope for
Is put at hazard there.
The test of all the Ages,
The turning of our Fate;
Now, while the battle rages,
Breathless my people wait.
Blind to the Powers that take them
Before God's judgement bar,
Girl with the wrongs that break them,
The blind gods come to war.
But I, but I, that hearken
To thunder of the guns,
Pray, while the war-clouds darken:
"O God protect my sons!"
—JOHN FLINT.

A BIT OF FUN

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(Continued from page 1)
Renewed Attacks.
"On our right the Germans renewed their attacks along the Metz River. After several attempts, which cost them heavy losses, they succeeded in gaining a footing on the south bank in the village of Melcoocq and on the heights of Croix Ricard."
"East of the Gise our troops on Monday carried out a withdrawal on the line of Bally, Tracy-Le-Val and west of Nampcel under the protection of covering detachments, who masked our movement to the enemy. In the region of the Haute Braye we repulsed an enemy attack and took prisoners."
"South of Aisne desperate enemy engagements took place in which the fighting was hand to hand, between the river and forest Villers-Cotterets. Our troops offered spirited resistance to the attacks of enemy who made slight progress on the plateau west of the villages of Dommeries and

THE EDITOR'S MAIL

AN INJUSTICE.
St. John, N. B., June 12, 1918.
To the Editor of The Standard:
Sir—Your editorial on Teacher's Salaries is timely and the question should be dealt with at once by the Provincial Government; yet some of your readers may not agree with you that the blame for present conditions is altogether chargeable to the "Foster government," but it is the duty of the present government to handle the matter and not continue a manifest injustice, but see that adequate remuneration is received by our school teachers.

The public will not view with favor the recent action of the Board of Education requiring a bond from graduates of our Normal School that they will limit their sphere of public service to New Brunswick, should they find it to their advantage to go outside the province. The graduates of our free educational institutions are quite within their right to render service and earn a meagre livelihood in the open market in this free country, and the proposal to penalize our young men and women who are ambitious enough to save themselves the opportunity to secure an education for the teaching profession is, to say the least, short sighted and unjust. New Brunswick should be made an attractive province for educated people to live in, and the Board of Education should not be afraid of competition from outside.

Yours faithfully,
Q. B.

Curry. All his efforts against Ambly and St. Pierre Aigle failed.
"North of the Marne our troops occupied Montcourt, the small woods north of Eloop and the southern part of Bussieres."
"Our day bombing machines continued their operations yesterday, participating with their usual audacity in counter-attack launched by us on the Montdidier-St. Maur front. They attacked with bombs enemy divisions who had come up to sustain the shock of our troops against the right wing."
"Before this attack the enemy units were obliged to disperse, leaving dead on the ground; convoys were bottled up and heavy artillery batteries, under heavy punishment, were abandoned by the gunners, who ceased to fire. A convoy took fire and a great fire broke out in Aessons-Sur-Matz, where there was a large concentration of enemy troops. A total of twenty-six tons of projectiles were dropped with excellent results."
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CASUALTIES

Ottawa, June 12—Today's list of seventy-five casualties reports six Canadians killed in action, four died of wounds, one died, six presumed to have died, fourteen missing, one prisoner of war, twenty-nine wounded, ten gassed and four ill. Those from the Maritime Provinces and Quebec follow:
Infantry.
Presumed to have died:
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A. E. Carter, Canning, N. S.
Wounded:
E. I. Smith, Barton, N. S.
Ill:
L. Berryman, Point Tupper, N. S.
Cavalry.
Missing:
F. Ferguson, Broughton, N. S.
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FOSTER-POSS—At Trinity church, on June 12th, by the Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong, Jean Arnold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. O. Poss, to Frederick Lawton Foster, Lieutenant in the Royal Canadian Regiment, third son of the late Robert Patterson Foster.

HOYT-EVERS—At the residence of the officiating clergyman, St. John, on the 12th inst., by the Rev. Robert S. Crisp, Robert J. Hoyt to Miss Bertha M. second daughter of Mr. Rainford Evers, all of Hoyt Station, Sunbury county, N. B.

PERSONALS

Mr and Mrs. Herbert C. Creighton announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Margaret, to Samuel Robinson MacKillop, Dartmouth, N. S., of Brookline, Mass. The marriage to take place next month.

DIED.

ROBERTSON—At her residence, 28 Ekemouth Street, Mrs. Martha Robertson, widow of William Robertson, aged 72 years. Funeral Thursday afternoon at 2:30 from her late residence.

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President Parsons of Canadian Manufacturers' Association Delivers Vigorous Address At Convention of That Body—Grain Growers Accused of Violating War-Time Truce.

Montreal, June 12.—A vigorous defense of the present financial system for Canada, a protest against what was styled as the propaganda being waged against manufacturers and a denunciation of the alleged violation of the war time political truce by western grain growers, who are accused of agitating against the tariff, form the features of an address delivered this afternoon at the opening session of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in annual convention at the Windsor Hotel, by S. R. Parsons, Toronto, its president.

Mr. Parsons recommended the appointment of a trade board to confer with the government on all changes. A plea for a better relationship between labor and capital in the working out of after-the-war problems was also contained in Mr. Parsons' speech.

Tariff Committee In the report of the tariff committee

TWO SESSIONS IN POLICE COURT

Liquor and Stealing Cases Heard Yesterday—An Alleged Assault and Disagreement Regarding a Dog Aired.

Thomas Gallagher appeared in the police court yesterday morning on a charge of supplying the "ardent spirits" to Leo Walsh on May 13th. Walsh had made statements in court which caused the apprehension of Gallagher. When brought into the court yesterday he could not recall former statements he had made. His Honor warned the prisoner that an additional charge of perjury might be made against him and he was sent to jail until more witnesses could be procured.

The case of Pte. Edward Harrison, held on a charge of breaking with Joseph Cochran and entering the store of Mrs. Sadie King of Brooks street, and stealing a sum of money from the till, was continued.

A small boy testified of accompanying Cochran at one time and taking \$10 from a cash till. His Honor and Detective Biddiscombe questioned the witness, after which he was allowed to return to school. The defendant was remanded for further hearing.

Privates G. A. and Jas. Whatley, held on suspicion of stealing a telephone cash box from the drug store of George A. Cameron, Charlotte street, were again before the court.

Evidence was given in the case and the prisoners were further remanded. In the afternoon C. Creighton and L. Corey appeared regarding the ownership of a dog. No evidence was taken and the case was postponed until Friday.

A watchmaker of Rodney street, West Side, appeared to lay a complaint against C. Titus, who had entered his store and assaulted him. Titus created earlier in the day that he was ordered out of the shop and refused to go, then the keeper used violence and utilized a piece of wood.

The proprietor did not wish any damage suit, but charged Titus with assault. The case comes up again for hearing as Titus did not appear in court yesterday afternoon.

In spite of the fact that the dove is the emblem of peace, a couple of male birds of this deceitful species can give a very good account of themselves in a fight. The weapons they employ are their wings, which they use with terrific force.

MEDICAL COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS

Dr. R. E. Don Walker President — Dr. White of St. John and Dr. Vanwart, Fredericton, Honored.

Ottawa, June 12.—The medical council of Canada at its concluding sitting today decided to hold the next annual meeting in Ottawa on the third Tuesday of June, 1919, and elected the following officers for the current year: Hon. president, Sir W. G. Roddick, (re-elected); Montreal: president, Dr. R. E. Don Walker, New Westminster; vice-president, Dr. J. L. Donnell, Kingston, Ont.; registrar, Dr. R. W. Powell, Ottawa, (re-elected); general counsel, F. H. Chrysler, K. C. Ottawa; auditor, G. L. Blatch, K. C. Ottawa. The executive consists of the hon. president, the president and the vice-president, together with five members of the council as follows: Dr. E. P. Lachapelle, Montreal; Hon. Dr. R. S. Thornton, Winnipeg; Dr. W. W. White, St. John, N. B.; Hon. Dr. R. G. Brett, Edmonton and Dr. A. MacNeill, Summerville, P. E. I. The finance committee consists of Dr. A. McO. Young, Saskatoon; Dr. H. S. Griffin, Hamilton; Dr. G. Vanwart, Fredericton, N. B.

OBITUARY

Frank Fraser

Special to The Standard. Moncton, June 12.—Frank Fraser, prominent farmer of Charterville, near Moncton, died at his home this morning from cancer after being in failing health about a year. About two months ago deceased returned from New York where he had gone for expert treatment, but his condition was unimproved. He was 52 years old and is survived by a wife, formerly Miss Cochrane, sister of Geo. H. Cochran, of Moncton, two daughters and three sons. The eldest daughter, Miss Frances Fraser, is school teacher at Pleasant Vale, Albert Co. Mrs. William Hudson, Charterville, and Miss Jane Fraser, Moncton are sisters. Deceased was a member of the Knights of Pythias.

John J. Duggan Special to The Standard. Moncton, June 12.—The death of John J. Duggan occurred at his home here this morning after an illness of a few years. One son James, attending St. Thomas College, Chatham, N. S., William Duggan, Redith, Ont., Michael, a C. G. R. employee, Moncton, are brothers.



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THE FIREMEN AND POLICE OFFICERS RECEIVE INCREASE

Mayor's Action of Engaging John A. Sullivan of Boston Endorsed by Council Yes terday—Livery Stable Men Object To Proposed Tax.

As exclusively announced in The Standard same days ago, John A. Sullivan, of Boston, has been retained to act for the city in conjunction with Hon. Dr. Baxter, K. C., and Dr. Wallace, K. C., in the hearing of the application of the New Brunswick Power Company for permission to increase their rates for all services. This announcement was made at the council meeting yesterday morning by the mayor, and his action in engaging Mr. Sullivan was endorsed by the commissioners.

Mr. Sullivan, who is a former city solicitor for the city of Boston, has had considerable experience in litigation of this nature and has made a splendid record. A delegation of livery stable men and hack owners appeared to protest against the vehicle tax. L. P. D. Tilley on their behalf pointed out that the proposed tax would impose a big additional burden on the livery stable owners and men who had more than one carriage. The matter was laid over and Mr. Tilley and the Mayor will have a conference regarding it. The report of the committee of the whole as already published was adopted.

Commissioner McLellan then introduced his recommendation granting an increase of \$50 per year to the call firemen, \$10 per month to the permanent firemen, and \$10 per month to the police. He explained that he did not intend to place the older men on the force who were only fit for light duty, on the same basis as the younger and more active men. The recommendation passed.

Tenders for castings for the water and sewerage department were received from T. McAvity & Sons, James Fleming, McLean, Holt & Company, Union Foundry and St. John Iron Works, and referred to Commissioner Hilyard.

As no tenders had been received for coal it was decided that each commissioner should make the best arrangement possible for his department.

An application from William A. Smith for permission to remove a small building from Germain to Harding streets was referred to the commissioner of public works.

A communication from the minister of finance drawing attention to the fact that no municipality may proceed with new work except with the permission of the minister, and on condition that they are necessary for the public welfare, was referred to the mayor.

A communication from the council of London, Ont., asking the city to join in a petition to the federal government asking that life insurance be arranged for overseas soldiers, was referred to the mayor.

A report of the Town Planning Commission, submitting a plan prepared by Thomas Adams, for the lay-

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ing out of building lots of the city's land in Lancaster, was referred to the committee of the whole.

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German Efforts To Smash French Defences Be- tween Montdidier and the Oise Unsuccessful, But Serious Menace Faces Allies Between the Aisne and the Marne—French Successes Force Germans Into a Pocket.

London, June 12—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—
The newspapers state that it is foolish to attempt to mini-
mize the significance of the enemy's gains of ground, where
every kilometre is most valuable, but they point out that the
Germans are very far from achieving their programme,
while their sacrifices are greater than in any previous battle
of the war. For the first time, indeed, since March, they
have been effectively counter-attacked with a swiftness
which gives their storm troops no chance to rest.

Day War Summary.

German efforts to batter down the
French defences between Montdidier
and the Oise, begun on Sunday, seem
to have been checked on the third
day of the struggle.
On the western end of the battle
line the French have counter-attacked
and have regained important ground,
while on the centre and right repeat-
ed efforts by the enemy to exploit
his earlier success have been met
with stern resistance from the French
who claim that the Germans are be-
ing held.

At the moment, when the plunge
of the foe west of the Oise appears
to have met with a reverse, the front
to the southeast between the Aisne
and the Marne has again flamed up.
Striking the Allied line to the south-
west of Soissons, in the neighborhood
of Domniers, Chiry and south of Am-
brier the Germans have begun what
may be a very serious threat to the
security of the Allies north of the
Oise.

Important Attack.

The new attack would seem, for the
moment, to be almost of no impor-
tance to that east of Montdidier.
It appears to be an effort on the part
of the enemy to cut in south of Com-
piègne Forest, outflanking the Aisne
to the north and compelling their re-
tirement and a re-location of the whole
Allied line from Montdidier to Cha-
teau Thierry.
Except for the fact that heavy
fighting is in progress, nothing is
known of events in this new battle
area, but the struggle there will be
waged with some concern until
the magnitude of the German thrust
there is developed.

The French still hold the left bank
of the Oise, although they may have
readjusted their lines in the northern
sectors of the Ourcamp and Carle-
pontois forest. Their positions there
however, will become very awkward
should the German drive west of
Soissons and make considerable
ground.

French Successes.

The success of French counter-at-
tacks along the western wing of the
battle line has forced the Germans
into a sort of pocket bounded on the
east by the Oise river, and on the
west by the high ground lying to the
west of the Matz. Squared in front
of this wedge the French appear to
be holding the foe for the present at
least.
Although there has been a belief
that the German drive east of Mont-
didier was planned at least in part
for the purpose of drawing Allied re-
serves from the battle fields of Picar-
dy and Flanders, nothing has as yet
occurred to indicate that the Germans
contemplate an immediate attack at
Amiens or toward the channel ports.

TRAITORS SENTENCED

Boston, June 12.—Phillip H. Gros-
ner, a private at Fort Banks, was sen-
tenced to thirty years' imprisonment
at Fort Jay, having been found guilty
by court-martial of making disloyal
remarks and encouraging disloyalty
among soldiers. Army officials said
Grosner posed as a conscientious ob-
jector.

Oklahoma City, Okla., June 11.—Or-
ville C. Enfield, Socialist candidate for
congress against James V. McChicic,
seventh congressional district, was
found guilty in the federal court here
of indictments, charging conspiracy to
obstruct the selective service law, and
sentenced to twenty years in the fed-
eral prison at Leavenworth, Kansas.

TO SUFFER FROM HEADACHE Makes Life Miserable

Headaches seems to be habitual
with many people. Some are seldom,
if ever, free from it, suffering contin-
ually with the dull throbbings, the in-
tense pain, sometimes in one part,
sometimes in another, and then over
the whole head, varying in its sever-
ity to the cause which brings it on.
The varieties of headache most com-
mon are sick or bilious headache,
nervous headache, headache from
constipation, debility or indigestion
and spasmodic headache, and un-
doubtedly the cause must be removed
before permanent relief can be had.
Burdock Blood Bitters has been
on the market for over forty
years, removes the cause of the head-
ache, and not only does this but also
restores the entire system to healthy
action and buoyant vigor.

Miss Emily Smith, 204 Bellwoods
Ave., Toronto, Ont., writes: "I cannot
speak too highly of Burdock Blood
Bitters. For two years I was greatly
troubled with violent headaches, par-
ticularly in the morning. I tried every-
thing to cure me until a friend recom-
mended B.B.B. I tried it, and now I
am completely cured."
Manufactured by The T. Milburn
Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

FRENCH EVACUATE CARLEPONT WOOD, ANNOUNCES BERLIN

London, June 12—(Via Reuter's Ot-
tawa Agency)—Telegraphing from
Paris, Reuter's correspondent says
that the enemy's advance on the right
bank of the Oise is bound to fall on
the other bank. We will probably be
obliged to bring our positions on the
two banks into line. That is the only
advantage the Germans gained yester-
day.

Field Marshal Haig's report from
British headquarters in France to-
night says:
"The French troops carried out a
successful raid last night in the neigh-
borhood of Loree.
"Nothing of special interest occur-
red during the day on the British
front."
German Statement.

Berlin, via London, June 12—The
French have evacuated Carlepont
Wood on the east bank of the Oise,
according to the announcement by
general headquarters today, and the
Germans are making advances along
this important line.

The statement reads:
"There have been artillery duels of
varying intensity. The infantry ac-
tivity has been limited to reconnoiter-
ing engagements."
"Army of the German Crown
Prince—Yesterday, the hard fighting
army of General Von Hutler repulsed
an expected counter attack, for the re-
capture of a group of hills southwest
of Noyon, which was carried out in
strength by several French divisions.
The enemy was thrown back on the
whole of the front of the attack from
Le Pignon to Antheuil, with the
heaviest losses. His armored cars,
which were brought into action in
great numbers, are lying, shot to
pieces, on the battlefield."
Bitter Fighting.

"Between Mary and Belloy, where
the enemy assault was shattered by a
counter attack, bitter fighting lasted
until midnight. The west bank of the
Oise, north of the point where the
Matz runs into it, has been cleared of
the enemy."
"The number of prisoners brought
in by the army has increased to more
than 13,000."
"The loss of the heights southwest
of Noyon forced the enemy to evacu-
ate his positions in Carlepont Wood,
on the east bank of the Oise. In close
pursuit we followed the retreating en-
emy beyond Carlepont and Calense.

LOST CONTROL OF THE NERVES

Became Hysterical and Could Only
Sleep When Doctor Gave Narcotic
—Never Expected To Be Well
Again.

Clementport, N. S., March 31.—It
is possible that your experience may
be somewhat like that of Miss Bur-
rill, whose letter we publish today.
This letter, in well reading, reads
anyway, "for me was an extreme
case of nervous exhaustion and her
cure all the more remarkable on
this account."
You will notice that Miss Burrill's
statement is vouched for by Mr.
Alonso W. Daniels, J. P., so there can
be no question that the case will
stand the most strict investigation.
Miss Gertrude M. Burrill, Clement-
port, N. S., writes: "I have used Dr.
Chase's Nerve Food with splendid
results. For a number of years I was
afflicted with nervousness, and at
years ago had a complete breakdown.
I had no control of my nerves, and
had terrible hysterical spells. I could
not sleep, had night sweats, awful
dreams, and nightmare. My physician
gave me medicine to put me to sleep
every night, and another kind to take
every two hours during the day, but
it did not seem to do me any good
only while I was taking it. I never
really expected to get well. Reading
about Dr. Chase's Nerve Food one
day, I gave it a trial, and the results
from the first box encouraged me,
so I continued its use, and found my
nerves getting steady and stronger.
My appetite improved, and I
gained strength, ambition and flesh.
Now I am able to do considerable
work, and can highly recommend Dr.
Chase's Nerve Food as a good tonic
for the whole system."
(Alonso W. Daniels, J. P. says:
"It gives me great satisfaction to
vouch for the testimony of this young
lady and the benefit she has received
from your wonderful discovery.")
Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents
a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for
\$2.75, at all dealers, or Edmanston
Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do
not be talked into accepting a sub-
stitute. Imitations only disappoint.

TWO AUSTRIAN WAR SHIPS ARE DAMAGED

Italian Torpedo Boats Hit Bat-
tleships.

Rome, June 11.—At dawn on Mon-
day near the Dalmatian islands two
small Italian torpedo boats attacked
an Austrian naval division consisting
of two large battle ships of the Vir-
bus Unitus class, escorted by ten de-
stroyers. Our units, having boldly bro-
ken through the line of destroyers, hit
the leading battleship with two tor-
pedoes and the other with one and re-
turned to their base unscathed. One of
the destroyers which pursued them
was damaged seriously.

LABOR FEDERATION HEARS REPORTS

Conference Abroad Reported
On At Length.

St. Paul, Minn., June 11.—A report
giving in detail the results of its
meetings with English and French
labor leaders and recommending the
establishment of an International
Federation of Trade Unions, today
was submitted to the annual conven-
tion of the American Federation of
Labor by the American Labor Mission
which recently returned from Europe.
James Wilson of Washington, chair-
man of the mission presented the
report.
The conference held in various parts
of England and France extended even
to the battlefield proved of immense
value, according to the report, be-
cause of the opportunity they gave
for an exchange of opinions, view-
points and policies.

NEW MILITIA BOOK ISSUED BY GOVT

Ottawa, June 11.—The militia de-
partment has issued a book entitled
the "Returned Soldier's Handbook."
The main object of which is to give the
returning soldier information as to
the conditions under which he will
come upon his return to Canada. It
is also designed to serve as a guide
to the civil, medical or military offi-
cers, patriotic societies and returned
soldiers' associations.

GERMANY TO DECLARE HER WAR AIMS

Programme To Be Followed
Will Be Discussed With
Austrian Foreign Minister.

London, June 11.—A discussion is
taking place between the German gov-
ernment and the high army command
regarding a declaration of war aims
which the German government will
make in the near future, according
to a despatch received by the Central
News from Amsterdam quoting ad-
vices reaching Holland from Berlin.

LUMBER TRIAL

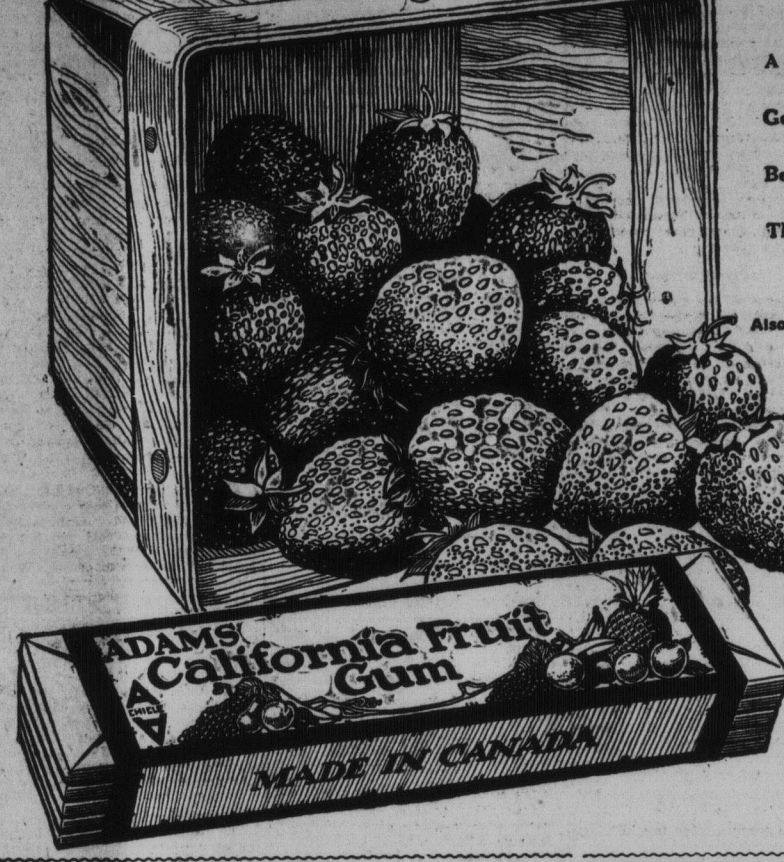
Fredericton, June 12.—Today, before
the appeal division, Supreme Court, ar-
gument was completed in the case of
Fisher vs. St. John Lumber Company
and Roy vs. St. John Lumber Com-
pany. M. L. Hayward, for the plaintiff,
moved to enter a verdict for the plain-
tiff or for a new trial, both cases being
argued together. W. P. Jones, K. C.,
contra. Court considers. This case was
tried before Judge Barry without a
jury.



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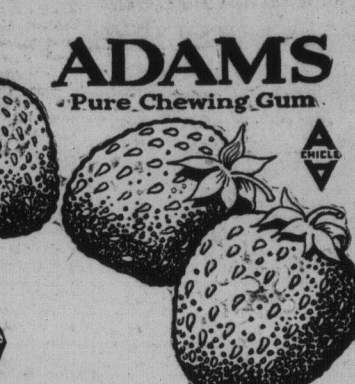
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- Pepper Talks—By George Matthew Adams.
- Rippling Rhymes—By Walt Mason.
- Private Danny's War Book—By Frazier Hunt.
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- Fashion Article on Local Lines.
- Full Page for the Children—By "Uncle Dick."
- Woman's Page of Special Features.
- Social News From All Parts of the Province.
- Fourteen Other Pages of Live News Matter contain-
ing among other things:
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Little Benny's Note Book.
Bringing Up Father—The Funniest Comic Feature
Published Today.
Full Page Sporting News.
Special Articles on Phases of the War by Wilbur For-
rest, Hilaire Belloc, Caspar Whitney, Frank H.
Simonds and others.

This magnificent newspaper is sold at the regular price of two cents per copy at all news stands and by boys on the street. Because of the excessive cost of procuring cable matter touching on the war situation outside our regular hours of publication, and the additional charge of over-time labor, special editions of The Standard hereafter will be sold in St. John at FIVE CENTS PER COPY.

THE HOME THE WORLD

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES THE PLAYERS

Here are Related Facts and Fancies Concerning the Activities of Individuals and Organizations, the Home, Fashions and Other Matters.

A RESOLUTION FROM CANADIAN OFFICERS

Major Cory, Well Known in St. John, Writes Canadian Red Cross Thanks For Parcels.

The following from the news letter published at the Canadian Red Cross headquarters, Toronto, will be of interest to friends of not only Major Cory in the city, but all who have personal interest in prisoners of war.

The society's best way of receiving information in regard to parcels reaching prisoners of war is through prisoners who have either escaped or been exchanged. The following is a resolution passed by some Canadian officers who are now interned in Holland after having been imprisoned in Germany for three years.

"Resolved, That we, the Canadian officers, recently translated from Holland to Heaven, deem it our duty and feel infinite pleasure in placing on record our most sincere thanks and gratitude for the never failing efforts and the far reaching benefits of the Canadian Red Cross Society towards the amelioration of our unfortunate condition during the past three years.

(Sgd.) "MAJOR CORY, 48th Highlanders."

SOME COMPOSITION. The teacher told his class that in writing compositions they should not attempt any flights of fancy, but only write what was in them.

As a result of this advice, a tenderfoot wrote the following composition: "We shall not attempt any flights of fancy, but write just what is in you, in me there is my rummick, lungs, liver, two apples, two cakes and my dinner."

WHO WOULDN'T BE SAD? "May I ask what is going on in the village?" inquired the stranger.

"We're celebrating the birthday of the oldest inhabitant, sir," replied the native. "She's 101 today."

"And tell me, pray, why does that little man by the old lady's side wear such a dreadfully sad countenance on such an auspicious occasion?"

"That little man, sir, is the old lady's son-in-law. He's been keeping up her life insurance for the last thirty years."

A TIMELY RECIPE. Clean greens and place in dish with 1 onion, thinly sliced over top of dandelions. Beat up an egg and add pepper and salt enough for greens. Add vinegar enough to make fairly sour.

2 tablespoons of sugar and 1 cup of water. Place tablespoon of bacon or ham grease in skillet, heat and add mixture and stir until it boils and pour over greens. This dressing is delicious with lettuce, head lettuce or endive.

SUFFERED WITH NERVES COULD NOT KEEP QUIET. Diseases of the nervous system are very common.

All the organs of the body may be sound while the nerve centres may be affected.

Many women become run down and worn out by household duties never ending, and sooner or later find themselves with their nerves shattered, and the heart action weakened.

On the first sign of any weakness of either the heart or nerves, flagging energy, or physical breakdown, do not wait until your case becomes hopeless.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will at once quieten the shaking nerves, strengthen the weak heart and build up the entire system.

Mrs. F. Bailey, 221 Earl St., Kingston, Ont., writes: "I was suffering very much with my nerves, so much so that I could not keep myself quiet at all. I was recommended to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills so I bought three boxes and I must say I have derived much benefit from them, so much so that my friends have all noticed the change in me."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c per box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

VOLUNTARY RATIONS FOR HOUSEHOLD USE

Meeting Held At Fredericton To Discuss Suggestions As To How To Work Out This Scheme - Mrs. J. V. W. Lawlor and Mrs. Richmond Hooper.

The two St. John ladies, Mrs. J. V. Lawlor, president of the Housewives' League, and Mrs. Richard Hooper, who attended the conference held on Tuesday at Fredericton to consider proposals regarding voluntary rations for household use, returned to the city yesterday.

The meeting, which was held in Dr. Kierstead's office, in Fredericton, was most successful, and if the suggestions adopted there are taken up it will be done, but the regulations will be made so that everybody can carry them out, and they will have far-reaching effects on conservation.

There were present at the meeting besides the St. John representatives, Mrs. W. B. Atkinson, of Moncton; Mrs. Everleigh, of Sussex; Mrs. Robert Randolph, Mrs. Havelock Coy, of Fredericton; Miss Hazel McCann, supervisor of Women's Institutes in N. B., and Miss Jean Peacock, teacher of Household Science at the Normal School. Suggestions of great value were received from Sackville, Woodstock and other places in the province.

The plans were thoroughly discussed from 2 p. m. till 6 o'clock, and the suggestions finally adopted, if approved by the board of food control, will be shown to be the result of deep thought and careful consideration.

WOMEN AID DRAFT BOARDS IN SELECTING ARMY MEN

Women in many states are helping in the work of the local draft boards. School teachers, who were already assisting, had not the leisure for all the work needed and, in response to an appeal from Provost Marshal General Crowder, the state councils turned to the divisions of the women's committee, Council of National Defense, to obtain clerical help.

The woman's committee reports that in Arkansas, one of the twenty-seven states in which it has taken an official registration of women for war service, the chairman of Pulaski county, was able to print in the local newspapers a list of more than 150 women volunteers, and next day telephone lines were kept busy by women answering the first call they had received from the government.

In Ohio Gov. Cox requested that the county units of the woman's committee furnish the necessary volunteers. Only five out of the eighty-eight units proved unequal to the call. Within a few days the work was completed. In Illinois the registration cards were used and women were asked to work in taking industrial histories from the draft questionnaires, which were then entered on occupational cards for transmission to Washington. The draft administration in Wisconsin has been using women for many months.

Treasure Trove. For some reason the Sunday school class had become interested in Methuselah. At their urgent request the teacher related all the authentic information recorded in the Bible about that amazing man, and various anecdotes gleaned from less reliable sources. In conclusion she said: "Now, is that all? Are there any further questions you would like to ask about Methuselah?"

"I'd like to know," said the most interested youngster of the lot, "where all his birthday presents are buried?"

WELSFORD W. I. At the June meeting of the Welsford Women's Institute a donation of ten dollars was received from Mrs. Mary Scott, one of the members, for Red Cross work. This was the proceeds from a yoke made and sold by Mrs. Scott. Ticket No. 70, held by Leslie Lunnin of South Bay, was the lucky one.

CHAPLIN MARRIES HIS LEADING LADY

Edna Purviance Becomes Wife of the Famous Comedian.

Charlie Chaplin is married. Secretly some time ago, he and Edna Purviance, his leading woman, became man and wife, and it was not until now that friends of the two knew of it. After their marriage Charlie and his bride went to Hawaii on a honeymoon, but for all the world knew, their trip was purely for the purpose of the making of a new movie film.

P. E. I. LADY GETS FINE POSITION IN U. S.

Miss Elsie McDuff, of Charlottetown, P. E. I. has passed the United States examination with high honors, and she now holds the position of clerk stenographer in the Adjutant General's office in Washington, D. C., at a salary of \$1,100 (eleven hundred) per annum to start on. Miss McDuff is a graduate of the Charlottetown Business College.

ANNA HELD WILL LIVE

New York, June 11.—Anna Held, the actress, who has been critically ill at a hotel here for many weeks, has "won her battle and will undoubtedly live," according to a bulletin issued tonight by her physicians, who added that "she still has a long, hard fight ahead."

CALL DELAYED

Ottawa, June 12.—Call to the colors of 19 year old men is delayed. It is now considered improbable that many if any of the men will be summoned before September or October. Up to the present 51,883 men of 19 years have registered for military service.

LETTER OF APPRECIATION

That the soldiers appreciate socks is amply shown by the following letter: Miss Helen H. Shaw, Secretary Girls' Branch, S. C. A., St. John, N. B. Dear Miss Shaw—In reply to your letter of the first instant, the Quartermaster informs me that the parcels of socks have arrived and will be distributed according to your wishes. Will you please convey to your Branch our appreciation for all they have done for our battalion.

Yours sincerely, A. E. G. MCKENZIE, Lt. Col., Commanding 26th Batt. (N. B. Regt.) Confession of an Amateur Gardener.

LEMON JUICE TAKES OFF TAN

Girls! Make bleaching lotion if skin is sunburned, tanned or freckled.

Squeeze the juice of two lemons into a bottle containing three ounces of Orchard White, shake well, and you have a quartet pint of the best freckle sunburn and tan lotion, and complexion beautifier, at very, very small cost.

Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply three ounces of Orchard White for a few cents. Massage this sweetly fragrant lotion into the face, neck, arms and hands each day and see how freckles, sunburn, windburn and tan disappear and how clear, soft and white the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless.

WAR ANNIVERSARY OFFERING ON AUG. 22 FOR RED CROSS FUND

Canadian Red Cross Needs Money To Carry On Its Work—Meeting of Special Appeals Committee, Provincial Red Cross, Held Yesterday Afternoon.

To carry on the work of the Canadian Red Cross, plans are being made for a special appeal to be made in the month of August. This was the decision arrived at yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the special appeals committee of the Provincial Red Cross, held in the Mayor's office and presided over by His Worship.

There were present Mayor Hayes, Lady Tilley, organizing president; Mrs. John A. McAvity, Mrs. H. Lawrence, Miss Alice Walker, Miss Clements, C. B. Allan, R. G. Schofield, F. A. Dykeman.

On motion it was decided that Mayor Hayes be requested to ask the representatives of the different societies of St. John to meet on Tuesday, June 25th, at the Board of Trade rooms, to consider the question of a Canadian Red Cross Appeal for funds to be made August 22nd, and to be called the War Anniversary Offering.

The amount which the C. R. S. S. hopes to raise is \$100,000, and with this fund they can successfully carry on their most important work in all its branches.

Already throughout the province many of the Red Cross societies have sent in funds and membership campaigns have been held which have increased not only the actual funds but local interest in the society.

STEAMER ASHORE

An Atlantic Port, June 12.—An American steamer, bound from Sydney, N. S., for a port not known here, ran ashore last night and will probably be a total loss. The crew have abandoned the ship and landed safely. The steamer's engine room is full of water.

AUSTRIAN PEACE IDEA

Vienna via Amsterdam, June 11.—Baron Burián, the Austro-Hungarian minister of foreign affairs, in an interview printed today in the Aeset said he still adhered to the policy of peace by understanding as expressed in December, 1916, and continued: "The dual monarchy seeks no annexation."

PECULIAR ACCIDENT

Charlottetown, June 11.—James Manderson a lad of twelve years is suffering from serious injuries, the result of a peculiar accident. While playing with other boys in an old cemetery on St. Peter's Road a tombstone fell on him breaking his leg and inflicting other injuries.

A government artificial limb factory at Wellington, N. Z., in charge of Mr. G. Tolhurst, manufactures artificial limbs, crutches, etc., for the use of returned soldiers free of expense to the individual.

THE RUMOR ABOUT ST. JOHN

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"What did you do?" "We buried him."



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EXTRAORDINARY. Europe and Africa are the only continents that have more women than men and the reverse was the case in Africa until within recent years.

Siamese natives obtain petroleum from the earth by digging pits about sixty feet deep and dipping it out with pails.

Electricity obtained from near-by waterfalls heats several Swiss churches economically.

In some parts of Russia gold has been mined without interruption since 1744.

Thibet is controlled virtually by the natives, who are a branch of the Mongol race, the Chinese government looking after foreign relations and maintaining small garrisons of Chinese troops.

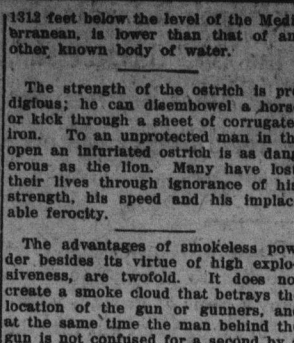
The waters of the Dead Sea in Palestine, are eight or nine times more salty than the ocean. Its surface, however, is lower than that of any other known body of water.

The strength of the ostrich is prodigious; he can disembowel a horse or kick through a sheet of corrugated iron. To an unprotected man in the open an infuriated ostrich is as dangerous as the lion. Many have lost their lives through ignorance of his strength, his speed and his implacable ferocity.

The advantages of smokeless powder besides its virtue of high explosives, are twofold. It does not create a smoke cloud that betrays the location of the gun or gunners, and at the same time the man behind the gun is not confused for a second by a pall of smoke that obscures the range of vision in the direction of the enemy.

Twelve thousand square miles—8,680,000 acres—constitute the rice land of Japan, which feeds a nation of about 50,000,000 people on an average of a pound a day for each person.

It takes 125 days to grow a crop of rice, and in Japan, the laborious work of cultivation is done almost entirely by hand.



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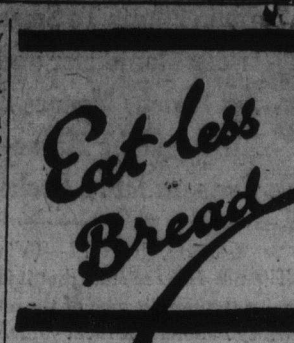
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"In all," says the statement, "fourteen tons of bombs were dropped. Fires were started in the Bruges docks, the Marliester airdrome and the St. Denis-Westrom airdrome. Four fires and two explosions were caused in the eastern basin at the Bruges docks. Two direct hits were observed on the Mole at Zebrugge. Heavy anti-aircraft fire was experienced and attacks by enemy air craft were driven off. All our machines returned."

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Around the City

WEATHER—SHOWERY

REPORTING FOR DUTY. Thirteen men arrived last evening to report for duty at the receiving depot. Two additional men were brought in under escort.

CARPENTERS' MEETING. The meeting of the carpenters, which was to have been held last evening, was postponed indefinitely, on account of the inclement weather.

CHURCH MEETING ADJOURNED. The annual business meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Wesleyan Methodist church in West St. John, was not held last night on account of the storm and was postponed for a week.

LEFT FOR HALIFAX. Wm. Quinn, of the city, left last evening on the Halifax train to continue his studies in the elder city. Mr. Quinn is taking a course in a mechanical school.

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT. A most successful concert and social in aid of the Local Red Cross was held Tuesday night at Barnesville and the splendid sum of \$104 realized. Steve Matthew acted as auctioneer.

MEETING POSTPONED. The meeting of the trustees, staged for last evening in Clayton's hall on Brussels street, was postponed until next Monday evening, on account of the inclement weather.

THE SHAMROCK GROUNDS. A movement is on foot to utilize the old Shamrock grounds for an athletic field and Harold G. D. Ellis and C. W. DeForest are looking into the possibility of obtaining this property for this purpose.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS. Several members of the Knights of Columbus in St. John left yesterday for Moncton to participate in the explanation of the third degree. They will return today.

VISITORS FROM THE CAPITAL. Among visitors from the capital yesterday were Chas. A. Sampson, secretary of the school trustees in the capital; J. J. Weddall of the Weddall stores; J. M. Lemont of Lemont and Sons, Ltd., and Howard Rogers, the furniture man of the capital.

A WELCOME VISITOR. Captain J. H. Pratt, a former resident of St. John, but whose home port is now New York, arrived in the city yesterday to visit his sisters in the North End. If anything the genial captain looks younger than ever and was kept very busy shaking hands and receiving a hearty welcome from his very many friends in the city. He left again on last night's express.

MORE MONEY NEEDED. A little over \$6000 has been subscribed toward the cost of balconies and fire escapes for the Home for Incubables but there is still needed \$1,000 to pay for the work. It is the hope of the Board that generous citizens will subscribe this amount so that it will not be necessary to encroach on the endowment.

ON OFFICIAL BUSINESS. Col. I. H. Cameron, Toronto; Col. J. D. Courtney and Major H. E. Paul, Ottawa, arrived in the city last night and are registered at the Royal Assed as to their mission in the city. Col. Cameron said they had nothing for publication. They were on official business and were not allowed to say anything about it.

THE ORPHANS' FRIEND. J. D. O'Connell, the orphans' friend, expects to arrive in the city some time in July and give the orphans of the city their usual outing. Mr. O'Connell has already left his home in Cuba and will come from Florida by automobile visiting Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Boston before coming to St. John. After giving the orphans of this city their annual picnic he will go to his summer home in Sussex for rest of the summer.

A WARM DRIVE. Two well known citizens were treated to a rather warm drive a few days ago. A lighted match on the butt of a cigar carelessly dropped in the bottom of their carriage was perhaps the cause of igniting a bag. O'Connell, the spark with the aid of the breeze caused the bag to burst into flames and although their legs were getting uncomfortably warm they were not aware that they were sitting over a real fire, and that smoke was streaming from the rear of the carriage, until their attention was drawn to the fact by a person who was walking along the road.

HE SAW SERVICE. Daniel Dugany, of Bathurst, left last evening on the Halifax train, having been in the city on military business. Mr. Dugany is an old member of the 15th Battalion, and saw two years' service in France. He is now employed on the Canadian Government Railways. Asked if he was wounded badly while in France, he retorted, "only 16 stitches necessary in one wound, caused by shrapnel." He alluded to the Y. M. C. A. and thought it was a good association, doing a noble work indeed.

THE PRICING OF ARTICLES

A recent issue of the Royal Gazette contains a rather drastic regulation with regard to the pricing of articles that can only be brought into the country by those holding a license to do business. It provides that the price shall not be any higher than it was before the prohibition of free import went into effect, without the permission of the government authorities, and imposes a penalty of a fine of \$500 or three months in jail for violation of the regulation.

Cafe Parlor Car Service. St. John, Moncton and Cape Tormentine. For the convenience of passengers between St. John and Prince Edward Island a cafe parlor car service is now being operated on the two through trains, No. 13 and 14, between St. John and Cape Tormentine.

CHIEF INSPECTOR RETURNS FROM WESTMORLAND

County Just Come Under the Act—Mr. Wilson Reports Everything Looking Well—Addressed Methodist Conference.

Rev. W. D. Wilson, chief inspector under the Prohibition Act, returned yesterday from a trip to Westmorland County which has just come under the act. Speaking to The Standard last night Mr. Wilson said his trip was very successful. Things were lining up well and he did not expect any difficulty in enforcing the law. While in the county he visited Moncton, Shediac and Sackville. He will present his recommendations for the vendors and inspectors at the next meeting of the government and until that time had nothing to say as to who might be appointed.

Yesterday morning Mr. Wilson addressed the Methodist conference. He gave a resume of the work done during the year and pointed out that one year ago only six of the counties came under the act while today fourteen had adopted it, and the last one would be in line by the first of July. The following resolution was unanimously adopted by the conference: "This ministerial session of the annual conference would desire to express its pleasure at the visit of Rev. W. D. Wilson to the conference, and its appreciation of the efficient and successful work done by him as chief inspector for the province under the Prohibition Act, and also its readiness to aid him in his work in all possible ways open to us."

HEAVY RAIN FALL YESTERDAY

Continuous Downpour All Day and Night—Lightning and Thunder Accompanied Rain Last Night.

After beautiful weather Tuesday night the sky darkened with threatening clouds in the early hours of yesterday morning, and it was not long before the rain began to fall. It was a quiet fall unaccompanied by very much wind. Towards the afternoon it was raining harder and from two o'clock right through till early this morning it was a steady downpour and the gutters on all streets were turned into rushing brooks. Commencing about seven o'clock last evening, and during the entire night, there was frequent vivid flashes of lightning accompanied by heavy rolls of thunder, and the rain fall was one of the heaviest experienced during the year. Only those persons who were really obliged to be out of doors braved the storm, but here and there could be seen a woman wending her way along the streets, for it is an old saying, that there is never a storm so hard that will keep some women within doors.

The theatres were all poorly patronized; several meetings scheduled for last night were postponed on account of the storm, and it proved one of those nights that citizens found their comfortable homes with some good reading matter the ideal place. At an early hour this morning it was still raining hard with very little sign of any letting up.

SIXTEEN MEN RETURN HOME

Party of Heroes Arrived in the City Last Evening—Six St. John Men Among the Number.

Upon the arrival of the train in the city last evening from Halifax, there alighted sixteen young men, who have been lauded home after contributing their physical strength and energy to the Empire in the fight against Prussianism. The new procedure was adopted again last evening in sending the men to the armoury, instead of the Discharge Depot, as was the usual custom up until a few weeks ago. Only men who arrive home on furlough are to be sent to the Discharge Depot in the future. The men proceeded direct to the armoury and after complying with the regulations, enjoyed themselves in the city. The St. John men were permitted to go home where they were warmly greeted by their relatives and friends. The St. John men to arrive were: B. Carvell, 20 Water street; L. W. Elmer, 10 Sydney street; B. Groundin, Glen Falls; J. Haley, 3 Victoria street; J. F. Swan and R. Laird, St. John. The following provincial men and others arrived: H. Chambers, West Bathurst; H. W. Crocker, Albert, Albert co.; C. Delong Champ, 1333 Cloud street, Verdun, Montreal.

A. Fraser, Prince William, N. B.; G. Shaw, Woodstock, N. B.; G. Whitehead, Chatham, N. B.; W. Letourneau, Campbellton, N. B.; J. Savoy, Chatham, N. B.; A. L. Coy, Upper Gagetown, N. B.; A. Nicholson.

PERSONALS

The many friends of Z. Peck of the Royal Hotel staff will regret to learn that he is quite ill at his home on Winter street. Rev. R. S. and Mrs. Crisp are leaving today for Moncton and Sackville. A. J. Fallows of Hampton, will leave tonight on a business trip to Boston and Maine points.

WANTS FOOD BOARD TO BE REORGANIZED

Winnipeg, June 11.—A complete reorganization of the Canada Food Board, including a change in personnel, is being urged by the Winnipeg Consumer Protective Association.

ALBERT SCHOOL SCHOLARS GIVE ENTERTAINMENT

Despite Storm Last Night Over 500 People Enjoyed Programme in West End City Hall.

The entertainment given by the scholars of the Albert School in the Carleton City Hall last night in aid of the building fund of the G. W. V. A., was well attended, there being about five hundred present despite the inclement weather, and was an unequalled success. The children, of whom there was more than one hundred, did credit to the work of the teachers of the school who had spent many hours of hard work in preparing the spectacle. The hall was nicely decorated and this work was done under the supervision of S. Harbert, master, who worked energetically to make the affair a success.

The entertainment was divided into two parts. The first part called the "Soldiers of the Roll" was given by the children of the primary grades and about fifty of the younger boys and girls took part. In this the features were the overall chorus by sixteen boys, the snare and apron chorus by sixteen girls, the middy girls and the boy scouts. The second part given by the boys and girls of the advanced grades was "The Key to Jack Canuck's Treasure House." The part of Canada was taken by Miss Olivia Bennett and she gave a splendid interpretation of the role. This consisted of choruses and dances, Indian maidens, and sailor lads, a maypole drill, and an exhibition by the Boy Scouts and the Cadet Corps. The Boy Scouts under their leader Allan Craig gave a splendid exhibition of first aid work, and the Cadets under Robert Orr made a good impression with their rifle drill.

In the intermission between the two parts F. J. Punter sang "Go To Sea," the sailor lads joining in the chorus. Little Lorna Waring was seen in two dances, the fairy dance and the sailor hornpipe. Mrs. A. J. Mulcahy pleased with piano selections. The programme closed with a tableaux, taken part in by about seventy-five children of Canada in the province guarded by the Boy Scouts and Cadets, and all stood at attention until after the playing of God Save the King.

DR. R. F. QUIGLEY CRITICALLY ILL

Taken Suddenly With Pains Tuesday Evening—Slight Hopes For His Recovery At Infirmary.

Much anxiety is being felt through out the city as to the outcome of the illness of Dr. R. F. Quigley, who is critically ill at the St. John Infirmary. Dr. Quigley was overtaken by an acute pain in the abdomen at the Knights of Columbus Hall on Tuesday evening and was hurried to the infirmary. His condition yesterday grew worse and last evening he was in a very weak state, the doctors holding but slight hope for his recovery. Yesterday one of his sisters, Miss P. Quigley arrived in St. John from Fredericton and has since been in attendance upon her brother.

THE PRICE KEEPS SOARING UPWARD

Tobacco Users Find Habit An Expensive Pleasure—Some Brands Have Almost Doubled in Price.

Owing to the recent regulations, which have resulted in the increase of the price of tobacco, there has been a decided change by the smokers in the character of the "smokes," and no few have laid down. Yesterday the gentlemen who use a certain brand of smoking tobacco were called upon to pay, at one store at least, with cigarettes, the price of this brand at one time sold for twenty cents. If the prices keep on soaring it may be necessary for the men to take to chewing gum, in order to soothe their nerves and clear their muddled minds when they desire to think and consider as a sage. Likewise with cigarettes, the price of the more popular brands has almost reached an unobtainable point for the average purse of the smoker and rather than pay twenty-five cents for Turkish cigarettes and fifteen for others containing Virginia tobacco, the indications are that fumes of cigarette smoke will not be so dense where the boys congregate. The dealers, however, report business good.

NEWCASTLE BOY BADLY WOUNDED

Newcastle, June 12.—Mrs. R. Blackstock Matheson, of Newcastle, has received the following letter by her son Archie, who went overseas with the 132nd and was recently wounded: "Dear Mrs. Matheson: "I regret to inform you that your son has been wounded and is now in 42 Casualty Clearing Station. His injuries are serious, but he is receiving every care and attention and we trust that he may be spared to you, though it will be several days before he is out of danger. If all goes as well he will be sent down the line as soon as he is able, and from that to England, where he is to be with you. The wound is in the back and necessitates his lying perfectly still, hence he is unable to write you himself. I shall let you know later of his progress."

Yours sincerely, "W. S. KIRKPATRICK, Chap. 42, C. C. S.," "B. E. P."

Halifax, June 12.—James White, a C. C. R. employe at Richmond, died yesterday as the result of injuries sustained in the great explosion of December 6. He was 63 years of age.

14 COLLEGE MEN EN ROUTE HOME FROM ST. ANNE'S

Closing Exercises Tuesday—The Medal Winners—Addresses By Monsignor Cote and Inspector D'Entremont.

In one hotel last evening were registered 14 college men en route home from Nova Scotia, where they had been attending St. Anne's College, having arrived on the steamer Empress yesterday afternoon. One of the young men stated to The Standard that all fit for military service had enlisted. He made mention of the closing of the college on June 11. Rev. Father Superior presided at the closing exercises. On the platform were seated the Very Rev. Monsignor Cote, of Meteghan, N. S., Inspector D'Entremont and a few ancient students, besides the faculty. A concert was given by the younger boys of the college.

Prizes were awarded to A. Gallant, a gold medal, for French literature; Theophilus Allard awarded silver medal for music. Among other prize winners were: E. Theriault, prize, "Selection of French and English authors," for efficiency in instrumental music. Gold medal for efficiency in Latin, awarded to Antoine Gaudreau, of St. Leonard's. Medal for Honor, Distinction and Tenacity, donated by the Duke of Devonshire, awarded to Louis E. Pothier, of Rogersville, N. B. After the presentation of the medals Monsignor Cote gave a short address. Inspector D'Entremont followed, giving a great address on "The Nation of Today in the Present War," and gave reference to the part those of French extraction were playing in this gigantic struggle. His address was well listened to and drew great applause. With the singing of the National Anthem and the Marsellaise the closing exercises were concluded. The college reopens again on September 11th.

St. Joseph's closing exercises are being held today and the students leave for their home on the C. P. R. at noon. Many local boys attending this institution arrive home this evening at 5.30 o'clock.

CLOSING AT ST. JOSEPH TODAY

Opening Exercises Held Last Evening in Lefebvre Hall.

St. Joseph's, June 12.—The annual closing exercises of the University of St. Joseph were begun tonight when St. Joseph's, June 12.—The annual closing exercises of the University of St. Joseph were begun tonight when the students of the University of St. Joseph were gathered in Lefebvre hall. Another subject was "The Transcontinental and the Government." The student speakers included Albert Lemenger, Frank L. Cunningham of Millstream, Moncton, and Eugene P. Raymond of Millstream. Addresses by visitors were given by Rt. Rev. P. L. Belliveau of Grand Digue and Mr. Justice Chandler. On tomorrow morning the degrees will be conferred and prizes distributed. F. L. Cunningham will deliver the valedictory in English and Jen F. Blivet in French. Bishop Le Blanc will preside.

NO INTERVENTION IN RUSSIA YET

Rt. Hon. Arthur J. Balfour Denies That Allies Have Reached Agreement—Japan To Announce Attitude.

London, June 12.—Rt. Hon. Arthur J. Balfour, secretary for foreign affairs, declared in the House of Commons today that there was no truth in the report that America and the Allies had entered into an agreement to intervene in Russian affairs. London, June 12.—As an outcome of recent conferences Japan is preparing a declaration defining her attitude toward Russia, according to a Tientsin despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

NO CONTROVERSY OVER CHURCH UNION NOW

Presbyterians Have First Session in Ten Years in Which Subject Not Agitated.

London, Ont., June 12.—A statement was given out here today by the Presbyterian Church Association, an organization of men opposed to church union, which declares, in part: "One of the fine features of this year's assembly is the absence of the church-union controversy. For ten years this has been a burning question, and even friendships were strained over it. It is delightful to be free from it for the period of the war. The only mention of the subject on the floor of the house was by Dr. H. S. Dougal, London, who brought greetings from the Methodist conference."

NEWSPAPER MAN INVOLVED IN PLOT

Silliman Evans of Dallas Held For Stealing Legation Seal.

Dallas, Texas, June 12.—The box bearing the legation seal for which federal authorities have been seeking in connection with the suspected plot to smuggle the Russian crown jewels into the United States, has been taken

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FUNERALS. The funeral of Mrs. Jennet I. Kindred took place Tuesday afternoon from her late residence, 13 Rodney street, West. Service was conducted by Rev. J. H. Jenner, W. R. Robinson and W. H. Howe. Interment was made in Greenwood. The funeral of Mrs. Edward A. Lincolnton took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 93 Adelaide street. Services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Williamson and interment was made in Cedar Hill. from Silliman Evans, a Dallas newspaper man, and formerly a clerk in the American legation at Copenhagen, it was learned here today. Federal officials would not state what the contents of the box were. Evans is in jail. JUNE WEDDINGS. —Notes of Fashion.— THE BLACK FROCKS OF SUMMER ARE INFINITELY CHARMING. Anything but sombre are these new modes, with their fluttering draperies and perhaps a relieving touch of white. The most desirable fabrics are representative and their quality assures service at its best. Among them are: Taffetas, Crepe De Chine, Georgettes and combinations of Taffetas and Georgettes. Each model is delightfully fashioned as to cut, finish, and adornment. From such minute details as a bit of twist stitching, to the cleverest of the new draped tunics. No new fashion tribute has been overlooked. Charming ette embroideries, Soutache Braids, are other decorative notes repeated in many ways. And there is a very extensive price-range between \$15.99 and \$42.50—shown at Dykeman's.