

# Petain Makes Triumphant Entry Into Reconquered German Fortress of Metz

### One of the Most Picturesque Demonstrations in History Carried Out When Petain, Appearing for the First Time as a Marshal of France, Was, With a Group of Allied Officers, Formally Received Into Lorraine's Most Famous Fortress, and That Which Formed the Pivot for Germany's Attack on France.

### People Who for Long Heard but the German Tongue, Brushed up Their French — Monuments Erected by Germany Had Been Destroyed Over-night and All Signs of German Occupation Obliterated — Everyone Wanted to Shake Hands With the Victorious Soldiers.

Metz, Nov. 20.—When Marshal Petain entered the city yesterday he stood before the statue of Marshal Ney and reviewed his troops. The municipality and local societies welcomed the marshal at the city hall, and the vicar general greeted him at the cathedral, where Te Deums were sung. A prefecture has been established by French Commissioner Tirman. General Meunier has issued a proclamation greeting the people of the city. "The regime of oppression and vexation ended with the German defeat. The republican army brings liberty and justice. France opens widely her arms to all her children." The historic event accomplished at two o'clock this afternoon when Marshal Petain, commander-in-chief of the French armies, made his entry into Metz, the greatest stronghold of Lorraine and the pivot of Germany's effort to crush France, may be said more than any other happening to consecrate the victory of the Allies in this war. The occasion, in which the French commander figured for the first time as a marshal of France, also gave rise to one of the most picturesque demonstrations ever carried out by the people of Lorraine.

## STATED 105,000 SOLDIERS WISH TO TAKE UP LAND ON RETURN

### This Explodes the Theory That Men Will Not Feel Inclined to go in for Farming—Definite Requests Received by Interviewing 230,000 of the Overseas Forces.

### Ontario Most Highly Favored by Applicants, While Out of the Total New Brunswick Will Hear from 2,831 and Nova Scotia 3,533.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Over 105,000 members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force have expressed the definite wish to take up farming in Canada after the war. This figure was obtained by interviewing 230,000 members of the forces overseas, and indicates that 43.9 per cent. of these men wish to go on the land. The actual number of men returning after the war would be much greater. If it should be for example 245,000, on the assumption that the same proportions hold true, the number of men desiring to go on the land will be 157,500.

These facts and a great many details bearing on them have been compiled by the statistical division of the department of soldiers' civil re-employment from the cards issued by the National Service Council to members of the Canadian forces overseas and signed by them. The facts given represent the men's own statements of their intentions, and in most cases there can be no doubt of their sincerity, as perusal will show.

## LIVESTOCK MEN FINISH THEIR MEETING

### Are Convinced That Demand Will Continue Stronger Than Ever for Some Time to Come.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—At the conclusion of their conference this afternoon the following statement was issued to the Canadian Press Limited by the joint meeting of livestock breeders, packers and officials of the Dominion Department of Agriculture:

Having had an opportunity of investigating particulars as to the European situation in regard to markets for our livestock products, we are of the opinion that demands for overseas shipment to Europe will be insistent and urgent for a long time to come. The depletion of livestock in Europe since the commencement of the war is enormous, and many years will elapse before they can build up their livestock to its former numbers. In the meantime the stock raisers of Canada have an excellent opportunity, not only to fill the European demands, but to establish this great industry on a firm and enduring foundation in the Dominion of Canada.

John G. Armour, of Chicago, and other authorities have expressed the opinion that the prices of livestock will not materially decline for a number of years, and taking into consideration the large number of people dependent upon us, the outlook is more satisfactory than at any time during the life of the industry.

## Hear! Hear! Brer' Hawke

Moncton, Nov. 20.—The action of the Provincial Board of Education in refusing to pay several Moncton teachers for time lost during last winter on account of overcrowding of the schools, came in for strong criticism tonight at a meeting of the Moncton School Board. As the teachers lost time through no fault of theirs it felt the government allowance should not be held back. Considerable correspondence has passed between the Moncton Board and Dr. Carter, Chief Supt. of Education, who in his latest reply read tonight reiterated the refusal of the Board of Education to allow teachers pay for lost time.

Chairman J. T. Hawke severely criticized Dr. Carter and the Board of Education, terming Dr. Carter's action that of a despot. At his request the Moncton Board deferred taking any further action to allow Chairman Hawke to take the matter up with the Provincial Government. Mr. Hawke decided if the teachers' pay was not forthcoming, at the next meeting he would move a resolution of censure on the Board of Education. He held the local government responsible for the action of the Board of Education and as a supporter of it would vote to censure, unless matters were arranged before next meeting.

## BRADY LIKELY TO BE GENERAL MANAGER

### Mr. Hayes Leaves for the West—Much Speculation in Moncton as to Other Possible Changes.

Moncton, Nov. 20.—The appointment of C. A. Hayes, general manager of the C. G. R., to general traffic manager of the C. G. R. system from coast to coast with head office at Toronto, has given rise to much speculation as to future possible changes in the management and officers affecting the C. G. R. eastern lines. While nothing official can yet be learned it is generally accepted that P. P. Brady, manager of the N. T. R., with headquarters at Cochrane, is to become general manager of the C. G. R., with headquarters at Montreal. Mr. Hayes left this afternoon on a trip to the Pacific coast to enter upon his new duties.

Through trains from Montreal are continuing to be considerably delayed by floods at Quebec. The Ocean Limited from Montreal arrived here five hours late.

## 5,500 British Prisoners Missing

London, Nov. 20.—A "white paper" on the treatment of British prisoners in Turkey, issued today, says that of 13,883 prisoners taken by the Turks, 5,500 are reported to be dead, while no traces can be found of 2,225 others and it is believed they have perished. These latter prisoners were all captured at Kut-el-Amara, so it is certain they passed living into Turkish hands, but no word has been heard from them.

The Kut prisoners were forced to march across the desert to Asia Minor without food or medical attention. As a result, the white paper says, "parties of men were lying exhausted under any shelter they could find in all stages of dysentery and starvation, and it is some dead, half clothed and without boots, having sold everything to buy a little milk."

## KING ALBERT ENTERS BRUSSELS

### Given a Great Reception by the Enthusiastic Population.

Brussels, Sunday, Nov. 17.—Huge crowds thronged the streets of Brussels this morning, the last detachment of German troops having left the capital during the night. Acting Burgomaster Le Monier's proclamation inviting the people to greet the welcome of the victorious troops and the Belgian King and Queen was placarded throughout the city. The streets were profusely beflagged with the Belgian and Allied colors. The first troops to arrive were greeted with intense enthusiasm. The ceremony proclaiming the liberation of Brussels was performed in the Grand Palace at ten o'clock. The square was packed with people and former prisoners, while the windows and balconies were crowded with on-lookers. Newsboys were shouting the names of newspapers which had been suppressed by the Germans and which re-appeared today.

Burgomaster Le Monier heretofore a fanatic of trumpets, appeared at the Leon Staircase, accompanied by an alderman, and announced the liberation of the capital. His speech was continually interrupted by cheers from the crowd, who swore that the murders and robberies committed by the Germans would never be forgotten.

The Belgian flag was then hoisted over the Hotel De Ville while the grand mass of the people in the square waved the national colors. The Brabantonne was then sung and this was followed by the playing of the national anthem. The excitement of the people reached its zenith when a procession was formed. It was headed by an old band of the revolution of 1830, a symbol of Belgian liberty. The procession, ever growing larger, marched to the Place Des Martyrs, where there is a monument to the heroes of the revolution of 1830. Here Burgomaster Le Monier made a patriotic speech.

All day long the streets were thronged with immensely enthusiastic people.

Antwerp, Nov. 20.—King Albert made his entry into Antwerp today. His progress into and about the city was enthusiastically cheered everywhere.

# Premiers Consider Plans for Providing new Land on Easy Terms To Settlers

## King's Victory Speech

By A. S. Draper. (Special to the N. Y. Tribune and the St. John Standard.)

London, Nov. 20.—A picturesque ceremony was accomplished yesterday afternoon, when the King made his victory speech in the Royal Gallery at the House of Lords to the assembled Lords and Commons. The King and Queen were accompanied by the Prince of Wales and Princess Mary. The King's address was made in the presence of the ministers and the Lord Chancellor, in their state robes of black and gold. The speaker also wore the state robe as did the Archbishops of Canterbury and York. The ceremony is without precedent in the history of Great Britain. The notable absentee from the brilliant scene was the Prime Minister, who is confined to 10 Downing street with a cold. Lloyd George never properly recovered from his recent breakdown at Manchester, and the strenuous Versailles meetings with the rough sea passages and the turmoil of the coalition meeting at Leicester next Saturday. The supporters of the Premier feel anxious as to what his health will stand the strain of the coming campaign.

## CANADIAN GUNNERS' GREAT EXECUTION

### Bolsheviki Who Attacked at Archangel Were Swept Out of Existence—Were Driven Back Into the Swamps.

Archangel, Thursday, Nov. 14.—In their attack on November 11, the Bolsheviki advanced to the gun positions of the Canadian artillery. The guns continued to fire at point blank range and the ground before them soon was heaped with enemy dead. The Allied infantry then counter-attacked and swept the Bolsheviki back into the forest, where patrols pursued them throughout the night. The enemy losses on that day were exceptionally heavy, while those of the Allies were small. The Bolsheviki bombardment continued on the 12th, but the British and American troops repulsed all infantry attacks, and drove the enemy back into the swamps and the forest. Airplanes obtained several direct hits on Bolsheviki gunboats in the river.

### Eastern Provinces Unite in Presenting a Request That if Western Provinces Are Given Possession of Their Natural Resources, There Shall be Compensation to the Others in the Way of Additional Subsidies—This Has Now Gone Before the Government for Early Consideration—British Columbia Asks for the Railway Belt Land.

### Hon. J. A. Calder and Hon. Arthur Meighen Present Plans Under Which Lands Shall be Acquired by the Various Provinces on Easy Terms and Re-sold to Soldiers or Other Settlers—In Such a System the Federal Government is Prepared to Co-operate Financially and Also to Share in Any Losses Which May be Sustained

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Provinces other than the prairie provinces have specifically defined their attitude in regard to the transfer of western natural resources. In a memorandum which they submitted to the inter-provincial conference this afternoon, they requested that in the event of natural resources being transferred by the dominion government to private individuals, other provinces be given additional subsidies from the federal treasury. The question now lies before the dominion government for decision. The memorandum was drafted at a meeting of provincial premiers preceding the regular sitting of the conference. Hope had been expressed that all the provinces would agree on a common basis for submission to the conference. This course was not adopted, however, and the memorandum was submitted to the conference on behalf of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and British Columbia. While there is no specific mention in the memorandum, it is understood that British Columbia desires also claim that they should receive from the dominion government the railway belt land in that province with retention of their subsidy in lieu. The greater part of the day was spent in discussion of problems of land colonization. At the morning sitting, Hon. J. A. Calder, minister of immigration and colonization, submitted a comprehensive scheme for bringing undeveloped land, especially land held for specific purposes, under cultivation. He was followed in the afternoon by Hon. Arthur Meighen, minister of the interior, who outlined plans for giving additional aid to returned soldiers desirous of settling on the land. In a sense, the latter scheme was a development of the first. Under Mr. Calder's scheme money would be lent by the dominion to the provinces for purchase of private land, intended for settlement by returned soldiers purchasing from the province must be prepared to furnish twenty per cent. in cash, or possess that amount in personal property. Easy terms are to be granted to the settler for payment of the balance. In case of loss on the transaction, it will be borne jointly by the dominion and the provinces. Mr. Meighen's plans, as laid before (Continued on Page 7.)

## TEN THOUSAND OF OUR MEN ARE COMING BACK TO CANADA AT ONCE

### RECONSTRUCTION CONFERENCE

### Federal Gov't Works Hand in Hand With Special Committee—Meeting in Ottawa on Nov. 26th.

Montreal, Nov. 20.—The federal government and members of the reconstruction committee of the privy council, who are busily engaged in handling the after-war problems of industrial Canada, are going to take a prominent part in the conference of Canadian building industries which will be held at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, on November 26, 27 and 28. The chairman of the committee, the Hon. A. K. McLean, has wired to the executive that if this meeting had not already been planned he had intended requesting such a gathering, and he expressed the hope that every responsible building contractor and supply dealer would attend. He promised to co-operate as far as possible in all reconstruction matters.

The Hon. Mr. McLean will address the convention at their first luncheon on Tuesday next, the minister of public works, the Hon. F. B. Carvell will speak at the lunch on Wednesday. The Hon. Mr. McLean will address the convention at their first luncheon on Tuesday next, the minister of public works, the Hon. F. B. Carvell will speak at the lunch on Wednesday. The Hon. Mr. McLean will address the convention at their first luncheon on Tuesday next, the minister of public works, the Hon. F. B. Carvell will speak at the lunch on Wednesday.

### Two Shiplads of Five Thousand Each Will Leave England Before the End of the Month on the Steamers Aquitania and Olympic—Women and Children Also.

### This First Contingent Will be Handled by the Military Districts Already Existing and Not Under the New Demobilization Arrangement.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Ten thousand soldiers of the Canadian Expeditionary Force overseas will sail for Canada before the end of this month, according to an announcement made by the department of militia and defence today. Present indications are that approximately 5,000 will sail on the Aquitania about November 20th, and 5,000 on the Olympic a few days later. Thus two of the largest boats on the ocean are to be used to bring the first detachment of Canadian home. These troops are being dispatched to Canada in advance of general demobilization, and are therefore not within the classes described in the general policy respecting demobilization which has been published in the press, nor will they be dealt with according to the procedure outlined.

They will be handled through military districts in the same way as troops which have been returned to Canada previously, and not through the disposal areas which have been constituted to deal with the army as a whole. The present movement will also include a large number of wives and dependents of soldiers serving overseas. This war, and we must save the children of France if she is to have a future," said Mrs. Valentine Schuler, of New York, a representative of the American Committee for devastated France, as she addressed a large number of women at the luncheon of the Parkdale branch of the Liberal Association at noon today.

# Gathering of Victory Loan Workers Marks End of Great Campaign

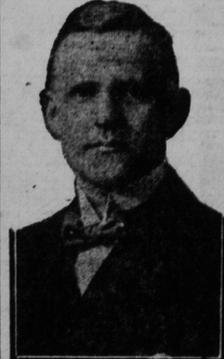
The dinner given at the Royal Hotel last night to the canvassers and workers in the Victory Loan campaign was one of the most enthusiastic gatherings ever held in this city. It was easy for anyone present to tell why the district of St. John went over the



T. H. ESTABROOKS, Provincial Chairman.

placements of the band of workers, and by Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, who dwelt on the incentive the task already accomplished should be to further efforts in the re-construction period which was just upon us. In closing the latter made an eloquent plea for Maritime Union, in order that this part of the Dominion might be in a position to demand its rightful place in the councils of the nation. Only two toasts were on the list, "The King," and "The Ladies." During the serving of the dinner the proceedings were enlivened by the singing of popular and patriotic songs by all hands, the leader in this part of the programme being G. Heber Vroom. Music was supplied by an orchestra and D. Arnold Fox, the old reliable, was on hand to act as accompanist to the singers.

Back of the head table was spread the big flag with the crown which has been won by the district and which will today be hoisted by His Worship Mayor Hayes on the court house. Seated at the head table were the members of the central committee and S. A. Thomas, provincial secretary, and Col. Richard O'Leary of Richibucto. When the dinner, served in the style which only the Royal can do, had come to an end the chairman proposed the toast to "The King."



S. A. THOMAS, Provincial Secretary.

was responded to by the singing of the National Anthem. Before beginning his address the chairman read a telegram from L. C. Armstrong and E. J. Terry, who were at Halifax, expressing their regret at not being able to be present, and

The object of the conference is to organize into one strong body the whole Canadian building industry, with a view to investigating building conditions, securing the standardization of materials, and the encouragement of building operations as far as possible. It is aimed to have all the best contractors of the dominion into a dominion-wide organization, with local branches to cover the whole country, whose object it will be to assist in the reconstruction work, or rather the readjustment of industrial conditions in Canada.

Toronto, Nov. 20.—"France has lost one generation. Practically all her men between the ages of 15 and 30 have been wiped-out of existence in

top in such grand style and made the records it did. Two short addresses were delivered by S. E. Elkin, M. P., chairman of the central committee, who referred to the splendid accom-

plishments of the band of workers, and by Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, who dwelt on the incentive the task already accomplished should be to further efforts in the re-construction period which was just upon us.

PRISONERS ARE TURNED LOOSE AND COMPELLED TO SHIFT FOR THEMSELVES

Reports Still Being Received of Americans Making Their Way Singly and in Groups to Allied Lines—Some Complain That They Were Treated Very Brutally, While Others Were in Fair Physical Condition.

American Headquarters in France, Nov. 20.—American prisoners released by the Germans are making their way singly and in pairs across the line at various points. The German authorities appear to be unable to carry out the withdrawal plans agreed upon owing to the disturbed and disorganized conditions of transportation within that country.

HERE'S A CHANCE FOR OUR LIVE CANADIAN MANUFACTURERS

Requirements of Europe Are Expressed in Very Big Figures—Raw Material and Finished Products of All Kinds Will be Needed and Needed Soon.

Rochester, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Belgium will need raw materials, machines and railway equipment; France will need a million plows and other agricultural machines and England and America and all the other nations which have been opposed to Germany will need tens of thousands of houses.

These in brief were the immediate construction needs of the principal Allied nations as stated by their representatives tonight, at the opening session of the national municipal league conference on reconstruction.

Belgium's loss from German occupation was placed by Professor Paul Van Den Ven, of the Belgian embassy, at between four and six billion dollars.

The nation has plenty of labor, he said, but looked to America for machines and raw materials. Lieutenant Maurice Boyer, of the French high commission, estimated that six hundred million dollars of labor would be required to reconstruct the devastated portions of France, whose losses by German occupation he estimated at ten billion dollars.

ALLEGED LEADER OF WESTERN OUTLAWS PLACED UNDER ARREST

Dr. Gervais Caught While Asleep—Police Watching the Dugouts Where Others of the Gang Are Hidden—Will Use Dynamite to Bring Them Out Today—Believed the Criminals Are Evaders of the Military Service Act.

Prince Albert, Sask., Nov. 20.—When night closed in on the scene of today's exciting man-hunt for the desperado who murdered James McKay at Steep Creek last Friday afternoon, a stock taking of the events showed that Dr. Joseph Gervais, the alleged leader of the gang, was under arrest. Charles Horsley, one of the soldier posse had been killed and two of the desperadoes were still uncaptured. It is believed that they are with the gang in some of the dugouts at the river at the Gervais farm in Pitted.

When Corporal Horsley was shot, while lifting the trap door which covered the handout, both men rushed out, one of them again shooting Horsley through the heart, though he had already been wounded and was lying on the ground. As the majority of the posse were at that time about on the bank, they only saw in a confused manner what actually happened, and some of them were under the impression that the bandits ran along the bank of the river while others thought they went back into the dugouts. The posse, however, was not to be deterred by the nighttime police and the posse will keep watch for the fugitives until they are captured. It is believed that the fugitives will not escape. John Dr. Gervais, alleged leader of the gang, said to be a former Montreal practitioner, was arrested at day-break today by Sergeant Klustrup, who entered the house while the doctor was still sleeping, and placed handcuffs on him. He made no resistance, and said he knew nothing of the McKay murder, or of the presence of other men on his place. So far the names of the other two bandits are not known, but it is believed that they are evaders of the Military Service Act. McKay and joined Dr. Gervais in the lonely retreat which he established twenty-six miles east of Prince Albert, where the South Saskatchewan flows into the great river of that name. It is a wild place, without telephone communication, and the roads are unusually bad. McKay's automobile has been recovered in a hole which the bandits had dug in the side of the embankment. It was at first thought that it was in the water, but searchers today found it covered with rubbish. McKay's body after the murder was shored out on the ice to an open place, and as the river is now frozen over, it may be spring before it is recovered. Mr. McKay was a well known one-time manager of the Empire Theatre. He is survived by his wife and one little daughter. It is believed that an officer coming to arrest them under the Military Service Act, and opened fire upon him. McKay was at the time of the shooting at the farm of Gervais to put into effect a writ for \$150.00 for a team of horses, which Gervais had bought from a neighbor and had refused to pay for.

VERSAILLES IS PREPARING FOR THE PEACE CONFERENCE

Room Where the German Empire First Saw the Light Will Also be the Scene of its Downfall—Many Historic Associations and Many Picturesque Incidents Have Occurred There—Eastern Countries Will be Well Represented.

Paris, Nov. 20.—The city of Versailles is preparing to receive the delegates to the peace conference. The deliberations are expected to be held in the Grand Trianon, part of the Chateau de Versailles, once occupied by Marie Antoinette.

The picture galleries and furniture, removed to a place of safety during the course of hostilities, are now being replaced. The gardens are being restored and the camouflage coverings on the statues and fountains removed. The waters of the grand canal, which also have been camouflaged, are being restored to their natural condition.

LUMBERMEN TO EMPLOY 10,000

Making an Effort to Utilize That Many of Our Men and Help Relieve the Anticipated Labor Surplus.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—A favorable aspect of the labor situation is expected as an effort of the Canadian Lumbermen's Association to give employment to 10,000 men. The association in circular letters to its members says: "The Dominion government has called upon this association to assist in a demobilization scheme and the proposition is to find employment for ten thousand men, which is the number estimated can be absorbed in lumber camps throughout Canada east of Port William."

"We have intimated to the government that to be of any use at all for this purpose, the men must be forthwith released within a week or ten days at the outside. "Please get into communication with the munition plant nearest to you for your purpose. The going wages for lumbermen are to be paid, if the administration's board of labor that this would be carried out. The matter is urgent. Please act at once."

NEW EXPRESS RATES TO MEET HIGHER WAGES

Changes from U. S. Points to Canada Are Advanced from 10 cts. to 15 cts. per Hundred With Certain Exceptions.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Increased express charges were announced in a government order issued today. The new order, effective January 1, will raise about \$24,000,000 additional revenue, half of that amount, before it was taken over entirely by the government, had planned to distribute among employees in higher wages. The question is now before the railroad administration's board of wages and working conditions. Specifically, the express rate order provides that rates in the east, or rates on shipments of 16 or 17 cents per hundred, originating in the east will be advanced to 18 or 19 cents per hundred, and that elsewhere this increase be approximately 12 cents. Local differentials vary somewhat about these averages.

Merchandise rates to Canada are raised 15 cents per 100 pounds, and commodity rates, with many exceptions, are to be raised 10 cents per 100 pounds. Milk and cream rates, interstate and intrastate, are to be advanced 25 per cent. above the rates in effect last January 1st. Goods and other commodities to be shipped by express to cities, will take the new rates of the classes in which they fall. Intrastate scales and classifications are abolished.

WANT GENERAL STRIKE CALLED AS PROTEST

Some Unions Exercised Over the Prospective Execution of Thos. J. Mooney.

Seattle, Wn., Nov. 20.—Telegrams today by the Seattle Metal Trades Council to the American Federation of Labor asked that a general nationwide strike be called as a protest against the execution of Thos. J. Mooney, convicted murderer of a San Francisco bomb explosion. The federation was requested to ask British labor leaders to call a similar strike in England and every legal resource for Justice in the Mooney case has exhausted, organized labor in Seattle and elsewhere to prevent its execution, even if the wheels of industry must be stopped, read a statement issued by James A. Hanson, secretary of the International Labor Council. The Central Council meets tonight to consider the strike proposal.

ON INSPECTION TRIP

Mr. Thomas Duff, president, D. R. Pratt, general manager, and J. W. Bell, consulting engineer of the St. John, consulted with the secretary of the Y.W.C.A. and the Travellers' Aid Society in the city yesterday. Col. Duff when seen last night, said they were only on an inspection trip. Ask whether they intended to take up the matter with the common council, he said, "We do not intend to approach the council again. Our proposal is before them and the next move must come from them."

before Japan occupied the port at the onset of the war. The size of the delegations doubtless will be left to the various countries, but voting strength will not be dependent upon the size of the delegations. However, the same voting strength for all countries is considered open to objection, as giving Haiti, Montenegro and countries of that size France, the United States and the other great powers. These are among the practical details likely to be adjusted before the session among the Allies. It is probable that the representatives of the Central Powers will be called in for the arrangement of the details. It is expected that all the Central Powers will be represented, for which armistices were signed separately with Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey. It is not anticipated that separate congresses will be necessary.

It is believed that the final conclusions will be embodied in two treaties, the first one to be concluded early covering the essential and the second covering the larger general questions after a more thorough discussion. The presence of China probably will have a bearing on the future of Kiaochow which has undergone a change since China declared war on Germany, thus cancelling the lease whereby Germany held Kiaochow.

LARGEST SCHOONER EVER BUILT IN PARRSBORO WAS GIVEN THE DIP WEDNESDAY

Fine Four-Master, the Governor Parr, Built for C. T. White, Has Been Sold to Bridgewater Parties—The Builders, Huntley & Son, Start at Once on Two Others—Another Four-Master Launched at Scott's Bay, and Still Another at Port Greville.

Special to The Standard. Parrsboro, N. S., Nov. 20.—The handsome four-masted schooner, "Governor Parr," the largest vessel ever built at this port, was successfully launched this afternoon from the shipyard of W. R. Huntley & Son, in the presence of many spectators. The new schooner has a length of 100 feet, a beam of 26 feet, and a depth of 18.5 feet, and she registers 972 tons. She is built of oak, spruce and pine, and is a classed vessel in Bureau Veritas. Her sparker mast is 96 feet long and the other three masts are each three inches shorter. Her four topmasts are 53 feet high and she spreads five thousand yards of canvas. Her outfit is up to the minute in every particular, and includes the DeLco system of electric lighting, steam power engines for hoisting and pumping. The "Governor Parr" was built for C. T. White & Son, Limited, and they have sold her to Archibald Davidson, and others, of Bridgewater, and Capt. Angus Riddell, of La Have, who will command her.

GATHERING OF VICTORY LOAN WORKERS MARKS END OF GREAT CAMPAIGN

(Continued from Page 1.) The man of the central committee had come altogether from the efforts of the men who had worked so faithfully and achieved so entirely due to the enthusiasm which had been manifested all through the campaign.

The chairman then called upon Hon. J. B. M. Baxter. On rising Mr. Baxter was given a warm greeting. He said the present was a happy occasion to gather together. They were celebrating not alone the acquisition of the flag which spoke of the great success of their time, but also the fact that the world was broken and our boys would soon be coming back to us, and to the land which they loved the best in all the world.

The district had put on some records which were a credit to the Y.W.C.A. With an objective of \$5,000, the sum of \$6,523,650 had been subscribed by 1,180 persons. The average per capita was \$5.53; the average per capita was \$120, and the average subscription per capita was 4.6, those figures being based on the official census figures of the Dominion.

The Imperial headquarters and Travellers had been responsible for about 1,170 subscriptions, and the Y.W.C.A. and the Travellers had returned in between 2,200 and 2,300 subscriptions. The Y.W.C.A. had done great work and they had brought a lot of applications which would have been lost. In the last week of the campaign they had gone over the city extensively and canvassed it, and the figures showed that it had been a real move to ask their assistance. The work of the Y.W.C.A. and the Travellers was equal to the best work in the city.

Mr. Elkin then made an appeal for the work of the Y.W.C.A. and asked all present to aid in the campaign for funds for the home which it was carrying on to establish in this city. St. John was one of the few cities on the American continent which did not possess a home of this nature for girls. The men would not be asked to go out and get the money for this object, but they would be expected to do what they could when the call came to them for funds. In closing, Mr. Elkin said he had been receiving congratulations on all sides, but he felt the success of the campaign was due altogether to the support he had received from the co-workers. If he had been able to put any enthusiasm into the workers he was glad, and thanked them all for the help they had so willingly given.

At the close of the address, Mr. Elkin sang "For He's a Jolly Good Fellow," and gave three cheers for the most efficient chairman. The next number was a solo by F. J. Punter. Following this the chairman announced that today at five minutes to one, if the day were fine, the honor flag would be presented to Mayor Elkin at the court house which would hold it and asked that as many as possible be present at the ceremony. Mr. Elkin then called on Mr. Lucas, a visitor to the city, who had on a couple of occasions made addresses on the square in front of the Imperial. Mr. Lucas said he esteemed it a great honor to be present and could hardly find words to express his delight. He had had the distinction of helping out in two loan campaigns. Just before coming to St. John he had assisted in the Liberty Loan campaign in the United States, and now in the Victory Loan here. One thing which appealed to him was not only the splendid spirit put into the campaign but the splendid spirit which had been manifested all through the campaign.

BRETON ARROW COLLAR CLOSE MEETING CUT UP FRONT SHOWING A BIT OF CRAVAT BAND. Chest, Peabody & Co. of Canada, Limited

It was a time of reconstruction in Europe by the elimination of waste and he believed if the men before him would take up this matter of the amalgamation of the three Maritime Provinces into one mighty power, which would be able to make itself felt, they would have accomplished something worth while and prosperity of the province which all loved so well.

ROOSEVELT REGRETS HE COULD NOT FIGHT

Thanks Paris Council for Message of Sympathy and is Glad His Boy Was a Participant in Freeing France.

Paris, Nov. 20.—Henri Rousseau, vice-president of the municipal council of Paris, has made public the following message received from Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, replying to one of the municipal council of Paris in the name of the municipal council of Paris. "I am profoundly touched by the cablegram you sent me in the name of the municipal council of Paris. Thank you for your sympathy. The death of our son is a bitter affliction, but this affliction would have been more bitter if our boy had not had an ardent desire to face death for such a noble cause. You will not forget that he was given the name of French aviator who left France 225 years ago."

ARMY OF OCCUPATION

Paris, Nov. 20.—The official on the advance of the French troops says: "Our troops today, moving on their left beyond Givet, pushed their advanced posts on the line of Wancennes, Fromettes and Massoude. Eight thousand Allied prisoners were captured central was found there, including batteries, tanks and machine guns. "Further east we occupied the town of Neuchateau and Etalle, where our entry was greeted with great manifestations of sympathy. "The line reached the heads of the columns today is marked by Verlain, Longlier, L'eglise and Habay Lavielle. "In Lorraine we pushed forward detachments to St. Avold, Kochern, Forbach and Sarrebruck. "In Alsace our troops have reached Obermay, southwest of Strasbourg, and have left bank of the Rhine we have occupied Neuf Brisach and Huningue St. Louis. Everywhere there were joyful manifestations of friendship and the attachment of the populations to France."

CONFERENCES ON UNEMPLOYMENT

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—The conferences on unemployment which are being held before officials of the Labor Department and representatives of the various provinces, were continued today. The matters under discussion day. The minutes to those considered at the conference yesterday, tending to more satisfactory co-operation between the provincial employment agencies and left until tomorrow evening, after which a statement will be given out.

SHIPPING LOSSES

The British shipping losses in October were less than in any month since May, 1916, and probably lower than in any month since the beginning of the war, as the total for the five months of 1914, and also for the five months of 1916, the British losses for September due to enemy action and marine risk were 151,595 tons, compared with 170,484 in August. The September total, it was announced by the British admiralty, was considerably below the record of June, the previous lowest month of this year, and also below the monthly average in 1916.

NEW YORK, NOV. 20.—Declaring that "the postmaster general proposes to make a heavy profit out of the postal lines," which will be used to pay his losses on the Western Union line, Clarence H. MacKay, president of Postal Telegraph Company tonight stated that he would go to the court today to fight the government's contention compensation award announced today from Washington.

A Few of the Good Points About These Overcoats

They hug the neck. Self, velvet and convertible collars. Pockets slashed, patch and regular. Handsome grays, blacks, browns, blues and fancy mixtures. Models—Chesterfield, slip-on, trench, ulsters, etc. Prices \$20 to \$45—Special selections at \$25, \$30, \$35 and \$40.

Good choosing now in Christmas Mufflers. Gilmour's, 68 King St.

NOVEMBER—PHASES OF THE MOON. New moon, 3rd 5 2m. p.m. First quarter, 11th 11h. 12m. p.m. Full moon 18th 3h. 32m. a.m. Last quarter, 25th 6h. 26m. a.m.

THE WEATHER. Toronto, Nov. 20.—Pressure is to west tonight of the Nova Scotia coast and highest in the western provinces. Rain has fallen today in Quebec and Maritime Provinces and a few light showers of rain or snow are reported in Ontario.

Min. Max. Prince Rupert 28 48. Victoria 42 48. Vancouver 42 44. Kamloops 40 46. Medicine Hat 20 28. Edmonton 22 28. Battleford 22 26. Swift Current 20 26. Winnipeg 30 34. Parry Sound 30 38. London 35 43. Toronto 32 36. Kingston 30 36. Ottawa 30 36. Montreal 34 38. Halifax 40 44.

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SENSATION DISTURBANCE MYSTERY Steep Creek Member Killed—From Over-Fren Outlaws Vern Albert

Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, Nov. 20.—The investigation of the murder of James McKay at Steep Creek was not completed today as the bodies of the two men who were shot were not found. The bodies were found in a ditch near the Steep Creek farm. The investigation is still being conducted.

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SENSATIONAL MURDER CASE  
DISTURBS PRINCE ALBERT, SASK.;  
MYSTERIOUS DOCTOR INVOLVED

Steep Creek Farmer Shot from Ambush and a Soldier, Member of the Posse Searching for the Murderer, Also Killed—Mysterious Doctor Who Wields an Influence Over French-Canadian Settlers is Head of a Party of Outlaws Who Are in an Entrenched Position in Northern Alberta.

Princo Albert, Sask., Nov. 20.—Charles Egan, a soldier of the posse hunting the Gervas bandits who murdered James McKay, at Steep Creek, was shot from a bush by the bandits today as he was attempting to enter a dugout covered by a brush. The body has been brought to this city. It is reported that Gervas is captured but that the other two are still holed up in an underground tunnel. Discovery of the crime was made yesterday when Sergeant Klstruk, one of the provincial police, was sent out to make a search for the McKay, whose unexplained absence since last Friday had caused anxiety at his home and the sheriff's office. Sergeant Klstruk found a system of trenches which had evidently been constructed for the purpose of human defence and represented what might be found on a modern battlefield. There were a number of dugouts which command strategic points in the locality and it was from one of these that Mr. McKay was shot. Investigation in the neighborhood disclosed the fact that the people of Steep Creek have been living in terror of three men, one of whom is alleged to be "Doctor" Gervas, who came to this district some time ago and with whom the two men who are alleged to have committed the crime, lived. It is said, however, that the doctor was absent at the time and that the shooting was done by the other two. The assertion is made by the boy who witnessed the shooting that after the crime the doctor returned and gave the instructions to have the bodies buried in the same country since the war began.

People here scout the idea that it is possible to regard the former Kaiser on the same plane as Napoleon at Waterloo. "St. Helena for this pigmy," cries Gustav Horve, "would be too enormous a pedestal. If we hand over to a bandit who has killed a single man, what ought to be done to one who has twenty million corpses on his conscience?" Horve urges that if the former emperor is to be punished in his own person, justice ought to be meted out to him by his own people. "Otherwise," he adds, "if we hang him or guillotine him or merely put him in a cage the Germans will be raising statues to him twenty-five years from this time."

GEN. MANGIN AT HEAD OF HIS  
ARMY WILL ENTER STRASSBURG

Honor of Occupying the Redeemed City Falls to Officer Who, by His Memorable Victory Over the Crown Prince's Army in the Marne Salient in July, Began the Series of Defeats Which Resulted in the German Collapse.

By Bampton Hunt. (Tribune Cable Service. Copyright, 1918, by N. Y. Tribune, Inc.)

Paris, Nov. 18.—It is announced here tonight that the French troops which will occupy Strassburg will be of the army of General Mangin who will enter the reconquered city at the head of his magnificent divisions which earned immortal glory by their victory over the Krouprins' armies in the Marne salient in July and thus began the series of victories which ended in the final defeat of Germany. The feeling is growing here that the Allies must be handed over to the Kaiser for trial. The essential fact in the situation is that the fallen emperor sought refuge in Holland before the armistice was signed. Under ordinary laws of war therefore he must be regarded as liable to internment as a prisoner of war and subject to delivery to the victorious Allies in exactly the same way as any airman, sailor or soldier who has been interned in the same country since the war began.

PLACE OF CONFERENCE EITHER  
VERSAILLES OR BRUSSELS

Chances Are Greatly in Favor of Versailles, for There the Monstrous Danger to the Peace of Europe in the Form of the German Empire Had Its Birth After the Collapse of France.

(By Bampton Hunt.) Special cable to The N. Y. Tribune and St. John Standard.

Paris, Nov. 18.—Nothing yet has been settled as to the place where the peace conference will be held. It may be taken for granted, however, that it will most probably be in Versailles. The French opinion is unanimous that it is the only fit and proper place for the Allies to determine the conditions under which the world will live in the future. It was at Versailles the monstrous danger of the European peace in the form of the German Empire had its birth, therefore it would be only poetic justice that in the grand mirror paneled hall of the magnificent former palace of the French kings the sentence should be pronounced that will declare the German empire has ceased to exist as a constant threat to the world's peace. Paris scouts all idea that the conference should get any neutral country for reasons which need not be mentioned here.

The only possible second choice at the present so far as the general public is concerned is Brussels. There is every reason to believe that the ultimate selection lies between the two centres named, the odds being greatly in favor of Versailles. The delegates who will represent the various Allied countries have not yet been definitely settled on. It is generally admitted that Colonel House will head the American delegation, but the decision is still awaited as to the other nations. The French plenipotentiaries will probably number four. It is expected these will be Briand, author of the Salonica project which did so much to make victory possible, and perhaps next to Clemenceau is the most able living French statesman. It is regarded as unlikely that Clemenceau himself will be named among the French representatives, from the fact that his duties

ARMY AVIATOR  
BURNED TO DEATH

And Companion Seriously Injured When Airplane Took Fire at Trenton, N. J.—Victim's Home Was in New York.

Trenton, N.J., Nov. 20.—An army aviator was burned to death, and his companion seriously injured, when their airplane burst into flames, and plunged to earth on the outskirts of this city today.

The injured aviator is Hobson Tupper, of the Aero Squadron, at Mineola, N.Y. The name of the dead man could not be immediately learned.

The aviators, assisting in the United War Work campaign here, had been dropping pamphlets in the streets and were circling at a low altitude, when the machine was seen to dive toward the ground. When it was less than 100 feet in the air the plane burst into flames, and crashed to earth. (Bulletin) Nov. 20.—The aviator killed at Trenton, this afternoon, it was stated at the headquarters of the United States Aero Service here, was Lieutenant Ellisworth Gossett, 7th Aero Squadron. His home was in New York City.

HOW TWO CANADIANS  
WON VICTORIA CROSSES

Lieut.-Col. Peak of Manitoba Made a Personal Reconnaissance Under Machine Gun Fire—Sergeant Knight of Alberta Tackled a Machine Gun Section Alone.

London, Nov. 18.—In its issue of Saturday, the London Gazette records the awarding of fifteen new Victoria Crosses, of which four went to Canadians. The splendid exploits of two are thus officially described:

Lieut.-Col. Cyril Wesley Peak, D.S.O. of a Manitoba regiment, for the most conspicuous bravery and skilful leadership when in attack under intense fire. His command quickly captured its first objective, but progress to further objectives was held up by enemy machine gun fire on his right flank. The situation being extremely difficult, Lieut.-Col. Peak pushed forward and made a personal reconnaissance under heavy machine gun fire across a stretch of ground which was heavily swept with fire. Having reconnoitered the position, he returned and reorganized his battalion, and, acting upon knowledge personally gained, pushed them forward and arranged the protection of his flanks.

He then went out under the most intense artillery and machine gun fire, intercepted the tanks and gave them necessary directions, pointing out where they were to make for and thus have a way made for a Canadian infantry battalion to push forward. To this battalion he subsequently gave the requisite support by his magnificent display of courage and fine qualities of leadership. He personally led the advance and caused it to be continued, although always under heavy artillery and machine gun fire, and contributed largely to the success of the brigade attack.

Acting Sergeant Arthur George Knight, late of an Albertan regiment, was awarded the Victoria Cross for the most conspicuous bravery, initiative and devotion to duty when, after an unsuccessful attack, Knight led a bombing section forward under very heavy fire of all descriptions, and engaged the enemy in close quarters. Seeing that his party continued to be held up, he dashed forward alone, bayoneting several enemy machine gunners and trench mortar crews, and forcing the remainder to retire in confusion. He then brought forward a Lewis gun and directed fire upon the retreating enemy, inflicting many casualties. Serg. Knight, in the subsequent advance of his platoon in pursuit, sent a party of about 30 of the enemy enter a deep tunnel which led off the trench. He again dashed forward alone, and having killed one officer and two non-commissioned officers, he captured twenty of other ranks.

SANK SUBMARINE;  
WON VICTORIA CROSS

Lieut. Harold Auten Lured a German Submarine to Approach His Vessel—Captain of Fishing Smack Fought Submarine Until His Ammunition Was Exhausted.

London, Nov. 20.—Details are published in the Official Gazette of acts for which naval officers and men were awarded the Victoria Cross for bravery in sinking an enemy submarine in a manner similar to that in which Lieutenant Sanders, of the Prize participated. Another in which a "patriotic party" lured a German submarine to approach a vessel with disastrous results for the enemy, was that of H. M. S. Stockforce, in command of Lieutenant Harold Auten. Lieut. Auten was awarded the Victoria Cross on September 14, 1918.

The Victoria Cross also was awarded posthumously to Skipper Crisp, of the smack Nelson, who, although terribly wounded, continued to engage a submarine until his ammunition was almost exhausted, and his vessel sinking.

One of the new models shown at H. Mont Jones, Ltd. 92 King St.

Annual November Sale of Men's and Boys' Overcoats THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. This important Sale of Overcoats comprises Odd Sizes left over from the season's selling, yet in looking them over we find we have every size in both Men's and Boys' Coats. All garments are from our regular stock, in the season's latest styles, and dependable fabrics. MEN'S OVERCOATS are in Tweeds, Whitneys, Naps and other soft finished cloths. They are in fancy mixtures, stripes, checks and plain materials, in shades of Grey and Brown, and tailored in different lengths. Slip-ons, Belted Backs, Full Backs and Trench Styles with Shawl or Convertible Collar, are all here to choose from at Big Bargain Prices. Coats that were formerly \$15, on sale at \$11.95. \$18.50 Coats for \$14.80 \$23.50 Coats for \$18.80 \$25.00 Coats for \$20.00 \$30.00 Coats for \$24.00 \$26.50 Coats for \$21.20 \$28.50 Coats for \$22.80 For the more Conservative Business Man we are showing Melton Cloth Coats in medium and dark grey and black in "Chesterfield" style with fly front and Velvet Collar. Big reductions as follows: \$21.00 Coats for \$16.80 \$23.50 Coats for \$18.80 \$25.00 Coats for \$20.00 EXCELLENT OPPORTUNITY FOR MOTHERS to outfit the boys just when they will begin to need a Winter Overcoat. JUVENILE OVERCOATS in ages from 3 to 9 years. They are made in Tweeds, Fancy Mixtures, Whitneys and Naps, in a large variety of colorings and styles. Some Coats with Belted Backs, others have all around Belts, and many fancy models becoming to very small boys. They are Splendid Bargains. Coats that were \$5.75 and \$6.00, on sale at \$4.80 Coats that were \$6.50 and \$6.75, on sale at \$5.40 Coats that were \$7.50 and \$8.00, on sale at \$6.40 Coats that were \$9.00 and \$9.50, on sale at \$7.60 \$10.00 Coats for \$7.95 BARGAINS IN OVERCOATS FOR LARGER BOYS From 9 to 16 years. Made in good wearing Tweeds, Cheviots, Whitneys and Soft Brushed Cloths, in plain colors, fancy weaves, and mixtures. Mostly Browns and Greys. These are very stylish models. Some have belted backs, others all around belts, slash pockets and shawl or convertible collars. \$ 9.50 and \$10.00 Coats . . . for \$ 7.95 \$12.00 and \$12.50 Coats . . . for \$ 9.95 \$13.00 and \$13.50 Coats . . . for \$10.80 \$15.00 Coats . . . for \$12.95 \$16.50 Coats . . . for \$14.45 SALE THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY No Appropriation. No Exchange. Men's Clothing Dept., 2nd Floor. Manchester Robertson Allison Limited KING STREET GERMAIN STREET MARKET SQUARE

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	Min.	Max.
Sept 20	28	48
Sept 21	42	48
Sept 22	42	44
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Sept 24	20	28
Sept 25	22	28
Sept 26	23	26
Sept 27	23	26
Sept 28	22	26
Sept 29	30	34
Sept 30	30	38
Oct 1	34	43
Oct 2	36	43
Oct 3	32	36
Oct 4	30	36
Oct 5	30	36
Oct 6	36	38
Oct 7	36	38
Oct 8	40	44

A FAMILY NEEDS A FRIEND. Sarsaparilla, taken before meals three times a day, and Hood's at night as needed, are sure to keep a family in good health and prove to be reliable and ready friends. They purify the blood, relieve and prevent biliousness, constipation, build up on treatment at once.

REFERENCES ON UNEMPLOYMENT. Nov. 20.—The conferences employment which are being convened officials of the Labor and representatives of the provinces, were continued today. The discussions are held to those considered at reference yesterday, tending to satisfactory co-operation between the provincial employment and will conclude tomorrow after which a statement will be out.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. THE PR...

CIVIL SECTION OF MILITARY POLICE IS DISBANDED. Ottawa, Nov. 20.—The order disbanded the civil section of the military police, composed of from 800 to 900 men, who have been engaged in rounding up defaulters under the Military Service Act since the Act went into force, is now being issued to all branches from Militia headquarters. The men will be given fifteen days' extra pay on the day of their discharge.

CHEST OF SILVER FOR MR. C. A. HAYES. Railway Officials in Moncton Unite in Honoring General Manager Before He Leaves for Toronto. Moncton, N. B., Nov. 20.—At the general offices of the Intercolonial section of the C. G. R. here this morning leading officials generally from the section met and presented Mr. C. A. Hayes, general manager, and Mrs. C. A. Hayes, with a chest of silver. The presentation on behalf of the staff was made by Mr. D. A. Storey, general freight agent. Mr. Hayes suitably replied expressing his appreciation of the presentation and paying a high tribute to the loyal co-operation he had received from the staff generally. Mr. Hayes leaves Moncton this afternoon for Toronto and Western Canada to assume the duties of general traffic agent of the Canadian Government Railways from ocean to ocean.

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BOLSHEVİK PLOT FOUND IN VIENNA. Several Hundred Persons Have Been Placed Under Arrest on the Charge of Conspiring With Red Guards. London, Nov. 20.—Several hundred persons have been arrested in Vienna on charges of conspiring with the Red Guards to proclaim a Bolshevik government, according to advices received in Copenhagen and transmitted by the Exchange Telegraph Company. The alleged conspirators, among whom was Paul Friedlander, leader of the Communist party, also planned to occupy the government buildings and to arrest the cabinet.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 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.

## POLITICS.

The political cauldron is commencing to simmer. It has not yet reached the bubbling stage and a great deal more fuel must be applied before it really comes to the boiling point. But Sir Wilfrid Laurier is making speeches and Hon. W. S. Fielding is writing letters, while in the Western Provinces the farmers are getting their heads together and trying to find out what they think. As a matter of fact, they don't know. Mr. Fielding doesn't know just yet, and as for Sir Wilfrid, he seems still possessed with the one idea—that of holding on to what little authority now remains with him as a party leader. We read about the somewhat chaotic conditions of politics in England where, under Union Government, one has developed through the country numerous small opposing parties, none of them with any definite policies and none of them entitled to such strength as would make their existence a matter to really seriously consider.

And in Canada the feelings of the people generally are somewhat the same as in England. It is recognized everywhere that Union Government has made good—exceptionally good—in its handling of war work. The only criticism offered of that Government as it now stands is that it has not originated such new policies or announced such new plans as people were led by their own thoughts to imagine might be done. Why we got the idea that any Government, composed of human beings, benefited with the strain that has been under since its organization could spare the time for the promulgation of new policies, is a mystery. Perhaps this idea developed in each individual mind, for certainly that Government, although composed of men who were regarded as the best available in the two principal political parties, are still nothing more nor less than human beings, and it is apparent to all who have been following the course of events that these men have had their hands full since taking office. Departmental work, always heavy, has been increased very greatly over normal conditions because of the excess strain put upon it through the war requirements, and those who are devoting their time to this extraordinary work cannot readily be expected to grapple with fresh minds with those problems requiring consideration which many realize are entitled to attention, and which must receive early consideration.

We hear occasional expressions of disappointment in the Union Government administration, but this feeling, when boiled down, may be found to be almost wholly due to the fact that we have expected too much, and that the members of the Union Government have been so preoccupied with the duties imposed upon them that they cannot honestly accomplish much more than has been done.

At the same time there runs through this feeling an unexpressed belief that before very long party lines in Canada will be more clearly defined, than in the past. Union Government has been looked upon as a temporary arrangement. It may be made permanent. The opposition to it is coming from the personal followers of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The policy of that party has not commended itself to the best thinking people of Canada, and whether Sir Wilfrid will be able to retain at his side even the comparatively small number of representatives who formerly supported him, is a very doubtful question. There are other phases of the matter which will be considered before very long, particularly in the West, where there seems to be a growing feeling that greater attention should be paid to the requirements of Canada's agricultural population. This sentiment, so far as can now be ascertained, will not, however, exert itself in opposition to the Union idea, but rather in the way of pressure upon the Government to remodel the tariff and other national policies more in accordance with the requests of those in the West.

## THE OTTAWA CONFERENCE.

The noticeable feature in connection with the inter-provincial conference, now being held at Ottawa, is the apparent intention of the Federal Government to deal most favorably with any reasonable request which these provinces may make. This is not by any means the first gathering of this kind that has taken place. On numerous previous occasions, representatives of the provinces have met to discuss claims for increased subsidies for road work, and for other al-

lowances of different natures to which they thought they were entitled because of various conditions detrimental to their welfare. In every such instance those provinces have had to fight, and fight pretty strenuously, for what they considered their rights, and in certain instances when their requests have been complied with the allowances granted to them have not been as generous as they anticipated, nor have the provinces ever felt entirely satisfied with these settlements. Today, however, certain of the premiers, or other representatives, are in Ottawa, not only for the purpose of discussing matters of inter-provincial importance with their contemporaries from other provinces, but to request from the Federal Government arrangements of a far more generous nature than have ever before been asked. And the strange part of it is that the Federal Government, which, by the way, had nothing whatever to do in arranging this gathering, has voluntarily offered to give all these requests early and favorable consideration. Previous settlements were patch work. They were sops to the provinces to keep them from crying for more. From advance reports the outcome of the present conference will be a really definite and generous settlement, which will make the financial pathway of the smaller provinces—those suffering from lack of crown lands and other assets enjoyed by some—much easier in the future, and will enable those provinces to carry on works of importance without subjecting their people to an unnecessary strain in the way of taxation.

## WASTE.

In yesterday's mail The Standard received no less than seven large envelopes or packages sent out from various departments of the Federal Government. Some of these weighed as much as three ounces. Others contained only a couple of sheets of printed matter. The whole lot together must have weighed between one and a half and two pounds. In all the assortment received there was not one item of news or information which The Standard considered of sufficient value to this community to justify publication. Everything it contained was dumped in the waste, and it may be said that this is done practically every day in the week, although the volume of trash so received varies from day to day. If every other newspaper in Canada is plagued to the same extent by having to open and examine such quantities of worthless printed matter, it will be readily apparent that the waste of white paper, and of labor in composition and printing, and in carrying and sorting this stuff through the mails, must amount to a very great sum of money in the end of a year.

The Standard certainly believes in the policy of educating the people by means of the newspapers, and in other ways, along every possible line of activity, but there can be no excuse whatever for the wastefulness displayed in this connection where this printed matter is so generously distributed from Ottawa. The worst feature of it is, that not content with sending one proof sheet of each article these various departments address as many as four or five envelopes to the same person. For instance, in the bunch referred to yesterday, no less than four copies of a fruit report were received from the Department of Agriculture, each carrying a one cent stamp, each in a large envelope, and each containing exactly the same material.

## THE FEEDING QUESTION.

The Standard prints today the first of the letters received in connection with its request for opinions as to whether the Germans should be fed, and fed generously, by the Allies. We hope to receive many other expressions of opinion, and prefer that the letters be made as brief and concise as possible. In this connection it is very gratifying to note from today's despatches that the British Government has notified Germany of its intention to inflict whatever punishment may be necessary if the treatment accorded released prisoners is not very greatly improved.

## MR. C. A. HAYES.

The departure of Mr. C. A. Hayes, General Manager for the Canadian Government Railway systems, will be a matter of keen regret, not only to the people in Moncton, but in all the Maritime Provinces. Mr. Hayes has shown himself to be not only a particularly competent railway man, but a gentleman whom it is a pleasure to know, and one by whom the interests of the

public are always given first consideration. Since he was appointed to the government service he has seen a very great expansion in the mileage controlled by the railway department. The position of general traffic manager which he will in future fill, from the head office in Toronto, is one of far greater importance than has been that of general manager of the railway as it has existed in the recent past. No better appointment could be made to that office, for Mr. Hayes is essentially a traffic man. He is still young, and will go far in railroad work.

## THE EDITOR'S MAIL

### FEEDING THE GERMANS.

St. John, N. B., Nov. 20, 1918.  
Editor of The Standard:  
Dear Sir—read in last issue of your paper that you would be pleased to publish any letters on the question of feeding the Germans. Will you feed the Germans who are responsible for stranding the ocean bed with corpses of innocent women and children, and millions in gold and treasure, and millions more in American and Canadian produce? Have the devils that celebrated the sinking of the Lusitania and the murder of those 1,300 innocent people, have the devils that assembled their British prisoners on the deck of their submarine and then submerged them to drown, have the cowards who shot Edith Cavell, who ravished the women of Belgium and murdered little children, and who crucified Canadian soldiers and spat in the faces of Canadian prisoners of war, and mocked and made sport of drowning British sailors, have they any claim whatever on our food supply? I say no, they have not. And, as the German people are not a better race, they are repented for their unlimited number of cowardly outrages, and the fact that the new German government is controlled by men who were, and I believe, are still tools of the Kaiser, I say let them feed themselves or starve.

### EQUAL RIGHTS.

### A BIT OF VERSE

Ol' m' s'ittin' on the sthoylo, Fraulein,  
An' the sthoylo is not contented,  
'Tis stuffed wid golden coronets,  
An' me 'n' nat'ion is dinted.  
Ol' m' s'ittin' on the sthoylo, Fraulein,  
An' m' might' proud Ol' m' feelin',  
'Tis music to me ears, Fraulein,  
To hear thim divils squealin'!

Ol' m' s'ittin' on the sthoylo, Fraulein,  
'Tis a velvet, silk an' fur mule,  
Brocade is piled about me,  
An' 'tis six an' hooley 'n' ermine.  
Thee 's'omethin' in the sthoylo, Fraulein,  
It feels like Julius Sayer,  
Or else 'tis hooley 'n' ermine,  
'Poor old Nebecindayzur!

Ol' m' s'ittin' on the sthoylo, Fraulein,  
I think it is his spurs, Fraulein,  
'Tis thim th'ro' the cushion pushin',  
Ol' m' s'ittin' on the sthoylo, Fraulein,  
'Tis thim th'ro' the cushion pushin',  
Ol' m' s'ittin' on the sthoylo, Fraulein,  
Och! come an' sit beside me!

### A BIT OF FUN

Suppose It Had Been Eve!  
They were putting on a play in which one of the maid of Orleans was the daughter of Noah or not, was asked to play Joan of Arc.  
'Goodness!' she exclaimed, 'they want me to dress that far back!'

### Take a Holiday.

The young American had taken an English girl to a baseball match. The girl had never seen the game played before and the 'Sammy' was getting ready to air his knowledge.  
'Now if there is anything you want explained, just ask me, my young 'Sammy.' 'I suppose some things are meaningless to you.'  
'Everything I've seen and heard so far is meaningless,' said the girl.  
'Some of the things are positively silly.'  
'For instance?'

'Why do they call the seats the stands?'

### What's the Use?

A girl student in a cookery class was asked if she washed fish before cooking it. 'Why, what's the use?' was the reply. 'They have lived in the water all their lives.'

### The Real Thing.

Beacon—'What's the matter over there?'

Esbert—'They're having a garden party.'

### His Difficult Job.

Lady—'Can't you find work?'

Tramp—'Yes, sir; but every one wants a reference from my last employer.'

### Art and Practice.

Jack—'Anybody here know anything about drawing?'

Marcel—'I do, sir. I used to be an artist before the war.'

Jack—'Here, take this bucket and draw me some water.'

### Checkedmate by His Own Move.

A woman journalist was a witness in a will suit listened intently to the severe and rather bullying cross-examination of the witness by counsel, who frequently impressed upon his victims that they must say nothing which was merely hearsay and not actually within their own knowledge.

## Little Benny's Note Book.

BY LEE PAPE.  
Me and my cousin Artie was up in my setting room after supper, and pop was laying on the sofa taking a nap, and all of a sudden he started to snore, sounding just like thunder far away going ferrier, Artie saying, 'Wat do you say we partent we are out in the woods in a forest storm, and Tadio Will can be the thunder.'  
Wich we started to do, turning up our coat collers and putting all the chairs close together and wawking around between them as if they was trees, pop keeping on being the thunder without knowing it, Artie saying, 'Wat do you say, males.'  
'I'll be a wat morning, too, if it dont stop, I sed. Wich jest then the door bell rang, being Puds Simkins and Leroy Shooster to see if I was in and they both came up stairs and got in the game, being almost as many people in the woods as wat there was trees, me saying, 'Ive saw many a rain, men, and many a snow, but this storms got them both beet.'  
And pop kepp on making the thunder, making some of it close coming closer but most of it far away going ferrier. Puds Simkins saying if it didnt stop out of this storm alive I'll never go back agin, blewe me. Wich jest then pop made the thunder come close and Leroy Shooster quick pushed a chair over, saying, 'G, darn if it didnt nock down a tree.'  
The tree making pritty loud of a noise wen it fell, and the thunder stopped a little while and then started agin, us waiting for it to come close agin, wich the next time it did we all pushed over a chair, and the 4 trees made such a ferse noise that the thunder quick sat up, saying, 'Wat the mischief, wat the doose, and I sed, 'We was any playing a game, pop, shell we go out now?'

All but you, sed pop. Meaning Artie and Puds and Leroy Shooster, and they quick snuck out, and pop made me fix the trees the way they belong without knowing they was trees, and then he started to make thunder agin and I sat there all alone hessening to it without enjoying it.

GREAT WRITERS.  
Of all the poets of Great Britain, Robert Burns is the best beloved. It was north of the Tweed that the singer arose who wrote the world over has kindled an affection withheld even from Shakespeare, as well as from every other bard in the long line from Chaucer to Hardy. Find a family of Scottish blood in America, Africa, or Australia, and as in Caledonia itself, you will come upon a well-thumbed copy of Burns, and very likely, or a bust of the poet. His countrymen praise him, quote him, and sing his songs with a glow that no other verse can inspire. To many not of Scottish strain this enthusiasm may seem overdone and unwarranted. But this impression fades out of the mind of any reader who will peruse Burns from cover to cover, and especially in an edition with a glossary and notes. When the last leaf is turned, the reader will exclaim, 'Burns over-praised! Burns is not praised enough. He is a vastly greater poet than his admirers declare him to be. The deepest feelings of human nature were never voiced with more searching power than in his poems.'

Putting aside, once for all, nonsense as to the 'miraculous' in this poet, let us trace the springs of his mastery. To begin with, he was well born. His mother was richly endowed with emotion, fond of fun and of romance, of all that could bring sunshine into a household otherwise none too cheerful. Many a wild tale she told of fairy and goblin, of wrath and ghoul, wherewithal to startle and amuse her black-eyed boy, with his blue-pup memory. This good and gifted woman was just the mother Burns would have chosen, had a choice been granted him. In his father he was less fortunate. William Burns was a man of good character, and his talents included some facility with the pen. But his temperament was gloomy, and his failure as a farmer embittered his spirit. Yet poor though he was, he gave his son teachers who were worthy of their pupil. They broke ground for his sturdy feet so that he had only to continue in the path they set before him, that of literature really great. They introduced him to authors of mark and to no others, so that from boyhood he knew how to choose good literature and all other writing. Nor was drill in language omitted; he was required to turn verse into prose with terseness and precision. His mother was just the mother Burns read much, read with discrimination, and therefore with zest and profit. From youth he was in command of a wide and close-fitting array of words, with a firm grip of those standards which brooked no admixture of dross in their gold.

Having been a faithful apprentice in the art of writing, he came the question, what themes to choose? His daily toils and cares gave him themes enough and to spare. He followed the plow until his shoulders were rounded for life. And the bread he sweated for was scanty and hard. He knew what it was to be balked by a drought, an early frost, by the striver barrenness of the soil he tilled. But there were lights as well as shadows a-field. Thrushes trolled to each other in the boughs overhead; there were sunrise gleams and sunset glow; the majesty and threat of storm and tempest. All these were to be echoed and pictured in his verse. More than these above all else, were the friendships and love flame in his heart, often unwisely flamed, and testifying to warm blood at high tide.

Burns never underwent the discipline of a scholar, so that at his desk he is transparent, with none of the mystery that comes of the question, what themes to choose? His daily toils and cares gave him themes enough and to spare. He followed the plow until his shoulders were rounded for life. And the bread he sweated for was scanty and hard. He knew what it was to be balked by a drought, an early frost, by the striver barrenness of the soil he tilled. But there were lights as well as shadows a-field. Thrushes trolled to each other in the boughs overhead; there were sunrise gleams and sunset glow; the majesty and threat of storm and tempest. All these were to be echoed and pictured in his verse. More than these above all else, were the friendships and love flame in his heart, often unwisely flamed, and testifying to warm blood at high tide.

The Board of Health Permits Schools to Re-open Monday, Nov. 18th. St. John has escaped very lightly compared with most other places. We had a good long rest and will welcome old and new students on the 18th, or as soon after that date as they can come.

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Nestled close to the Vale stands a house and ing by in the trains see ice flag fluttering from embossed with three M signifying that this family members doing their bit country. Three stalwart gone out from this home Louis Clarke, who went of the 1st Contingent; Fig D. Clarke of the R. F. C. on with the 58th Howitz and Gordon Clarke, in En Signaller Louis Clarke the commencement of he has been in most of the ments on the western front the battles of the Somme Ridge, whose he received wounds necessitating his England for hospital treat a year's forced journey he returned to go to the fall and was busy in help the Huns from France a when the armistice was s Allan Clarke joined up 68th Howitzer Battery wounded shortly after France. Upon recovery commission in the R. F. gazetted a lieutenant on of this year

Gordon Clarke was so a crack at the Huns that der age, he joined up with and went to England with true age being discovered he not allowed to go to he kept in England much may.

Below is appended a 1 Louis Clarke that gives a of the recent activities of ern front:

Dear Mother and Father: We pulled out on the ago, and are at present rego, in one of the many we have chased the Huns a few days ago.

Fritz commenced to week ago, and since then have been closely following with the artillery. Fritz tried to hinder our destroying bridges across by blowing a huge gaping hole cross road as he retired. Engineers had new bridges built craters filled in in double of crossing the bridges that in so short a time were a client strength to allow the or transports to cross, but guns were enough to follow it did not take much long engineers to have bridge enough for the heavy stuff day, marching through vil had hardly been touched except that the Germans the inhabitants back with taken everything of value could lay their hands on, on both sides of the road along had many roof crops for harvesting in the vil in so short a time were a client strength to allow the or transports to cross, but guns were enough to follow it did not take much long engineers to have bridge enough for the heavy stuff day, marching through vil had hardly been touched except that the Germans the inhabitants back with taken everything of value could lay their hands on, on both sides of the road along had many roof crops for harvesting in the vil in so short a time were a client strength to allow the or transports to 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THREE HARVARD BOYS HAVE FOUGHT FOR KING AND COUNTRY

Lewis, A. D. and Gordon Clarke are in the Service—Writing from France Lewis, a First Contingent Man, Gives Interesting Account of Chasing Huns and Capturing Villages.

Nestled close to the track at Fair Vale stands a house and people passing in the trains see a large service flag fluttering from the piazza... Three stalwart sons have gone out from this home...

Signalier Louis Clarke joined up at the commencement of hostilities and has been in most of the big engagements on the western front...

Gordon Clarke was so eager to get a crack at the Huns that, though under age, he joined up with them... He went to England with them...

Below is appended a letter from Louis Clarke which gives a good idea of the recent activities on the western front:

Dear Mother and Father: We pulled out of action two days ago, and are at present resting in billets...

Fritz commenced to evacuate a week ago, and since then our infantry have been closely following them up... Fritz tried to hinder our progress by destroying bridges across a canal...

We went along splendidly the first day, marching through villages that had hardly been touched by the war... The French have heard many a story of how the Huns treated the inhabitants...

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EMPIRE IS ROOT OF EVIL, SAYS HANITAUX

Work of Bismarck, He Says, Should be Destroyed by the Entente.

The work of Bismarck must be destroyed—that is one of the important tasks of the Entente, says Gabriel Hanitaux in the "Figaro" of Paris, writing on the task of the Allies. He says:

"A fact exists, it is before us, it has been created during our time, by Bismarck. It is the military empire, which has subjugated Germany to Prussian domination. This empire, born of war, lived for war, and perished by war. The empire must be destroyed and the ferment of war—that is, militarism, will be destroyed; but if it should be spared, even only the roots, it will grow till the fatal hour when a new war will break out."

"Germany had a century long life as a confederate state. During that time there was no question of Prussia or Prussianism. It things should run their natural way Germany would return to her ethical and historical form. The chains must be broken and she will be free. The old sovereign countries and municipalities will return to their independence, which they never have lost entirely."

"It will be their own affair to arrange their contradictions and quarrels, which must be destroyed to avoid the evil! President Wilson declares it is necessary to destroy the arbitrary power which could disturb the peace of the world. This power which must be destroyed is the empire, the work of Bismarck."

THE COUNTY COURT CASES YESTERDAY

C. P. R. Employees Are Being Tried for Stealing Freight from Cars—Witnesses Give Evidence.

The case of the King vs. Durden, charged with stealing from the C.P.R. at Fairville, was taken up in the County Court yesterday morning...

Emile Greulier, of Montreal, a checker for the C.P.R., explained to the court the shipping bill for the car, and Percy Noble, another C.P.R. checker, testified that he checked the car in question. He stated that he had bills for 60 cases of wine, but only 39 cases were received, the rest could not be accounted for.

The case will be resumed at 10 o'clock this morning. William H. Ryan is appearing for the defence.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows: St. John County. G. W. Badgley to Mary A. McKell, property at Courtenay Bay Heights. John Douglas to H. I. Grosaron, property at Black Settlement.

HONOR ROLL.

Pte. Eidon E. Elston. Mrs. A. H. Allen, of Westfield, has received official advice from Ottawa that her son, Private Eidon E. Elston, was killed in action on October 10, 1918.

Pte. John Burns. Mrs. George Caples, 36 Pond Street, has received word that her son, Pte. John Burns, was wounded on November 8. Pte. Burns enlisted with the Army Service Corps, and went to France with Lieut. Col. Massie.

Gnr. L. T. Tracey. Mrs. Ellen Tracey, 193 Princess Street, has been notified that her husband, Gnr. L. T. Tracey, was seriously ill with influenza at the Mid-dlesex war hospital. Gnr. Tracey enlisted with No. 4 Siege Battery.

REAL VETERAN FANS.

In Boston they have an organization of fans that antedates the National League. It was formed in 1873 and was named the Junior Baseball Players Association, its membership then being young ball players. When the National League was organized in 1876 it became an organization of fans rather than players and has maintained its status since. The youngsters have become old men, but they still meet to "fan." Recently the annual reunion was held in Boston, with some 39 of more of the original members in attendance.

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HEART DISEASE CAUSE OF DEATH

Inquiry into Cause of George Kimball's Death Concluded—Deceased Should Have Been Shown More Consideration by Officials.

"We the jury empaneled to inquire into the death of George H. Kimball, do find that the deceased died on October the Seventeenth, in the year of our Lord, 1918, in the City of Saint John, from Heart Disease."

"We conclude from the evidence that the said George Kimball should not have been transferred from an 'in' patient to an 'out' patient of the General Public Hospital."

"We further believe that George H. Kimball should have been shown more consideration by the Police, the Court, and the Jail Officials."

"Signed—N. S. Springer, foreman; P. A. Armour, Ira B. Keirstead, Robert McAfee, Wm. A. Stepler, George G. Wetmore and William E. Craft."

The above verdict was arrived at last evening at the inquest before Coroner Kenney, regarding the death of the late George H. Kimball. Evidence in the inquest was of short duration.

Two witnesses were called, Samuel Clifford, turn-key of the jail, and William Duncan, former city detective. Samuel Clifford stated that he remembered the deceased coming into the station and of his locking deceased in a cell. This was before dinner, about the hour of 11 o'clock. Deceased asked witness if Duncan remained up. Dr. Bishop, witness told deceased that he had, as Duncan had told witness previously that he had called up to the doctor, and that Doctor Bishop was in the room with the deceased. Kimball told him that his throat was sore and he wished the doctor would come. Witness asked the deceased later if the doctor had yet visited him. He said that the doctor had not, he suggested to the deceased that the jail physician visit him.

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COMMON COUNCIL SPECIAL MEETING

Recall Petition Certified as Correct—Election Day on December 30—A Contract Cancelled on East St. John Work.

At a special meeting of the Common Council held yesterday morning, Common Clerk Wardroper certified that the recall papers on Commissioners McLellan and Hilyard were correct, and the date of the election was set for December 30. Commissioner McLellan asked that the names on the petition be pushed in the newspapers at the cost of the city, but action on this was deferred until this morning.

In connection with the extension of the water main to East St. John, Contract Tobias was before the council and expressed his willingness to cancel the contract as he could not finish it on time. The contract was cancelled, and Commissioner Hilyard and G. Carmel and J. J. Herbert, representing the Bedford Construction Co., offered to finish the work by December 30 on a cost plus 15 per cent basis. They were asked to submit an estimate of the cost and the matter will be taken up this morning.

The city engineer was instructed to notify the contractors at Lake Fitzgerald to suspend operations for the winter, and the question of responsibility for the pipe was left to the city solicitor.

BOWLING RESULTS.

Y. M. C. I. Alleys. The bowling activities at the Y. M. C. I. took off an added aspect of enthusiasm last evening when some good scores were pulled down. The Robins and the Owls battled for the honors and high averages were rolled by Creary, Fitzpatrick and McDonald of the aggregation of the "Men from the East." The other team was outclassed in every feature, the Owls running away with three points.

Tonight the Falcons and Eagles meet and the great tug of war is expected, while the Robins intend to even up things a bit when they meet their opponents at last evening.

Following is the score of last evening's game:

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Score. Includes Robins, Owls, and various individual scores.

The Commercial League. Black's alleys will be the scene of great warfare during the coming winter. Already the fans have come together in a bowling league. The teams enrolled are the following:

Table with 2 columns: Team Name and Score. Lists various bowling teams and their scores.

WEDDINGS. Vaughan-Chase. A very pretty quiet wedding took place last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Chase, 123 Hawthorne Avenue, when their eldest daughter, Edith M. Chase, was united in marriage to Warren W. Vaughan. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Dr. Hutchinson of St. John's Baptist Church. A number of friends and relatives were present. Numerous gifts testified to the popularity of the bride. The bride looked charming in a gown of duchess satin with overdress of georgette crepe, trimmed with rhinestones. She wore a wedding veil caught with orange blossoms. Miss Ethel Vaughan, sister of the groom, attended the bride and Bugler Wilmet J. Chase was the best man. After the ceremony a dainty supper was served in the dining room which was prettily decorated in pink and green. After a short honeymoon trip through the Maritime Provinces Mr. and Mrs. Chase will reside at 7 Pine street, St. John. Among the presents was a silver flower basket with mirrored tray from the M. S. A. staff of which the bride was a member. The groom's present to the bride was a substantial cheque, to the bridesmaid a string of pearls and to the groomsmen a pearl stickpin.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE. PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. November 21, 1918. Arrived Yesterday. Coastwise—Sch Viola Pearl, 22 tons, Capt. Wm. Dewey, from Wilson's Beach; sch Bear River, 29 tons, Capt. Woodworth, from Bear River, N.S.; stmr. Granville, 60 tons, Capt. Calkins, from Annapolis, N.S.; sch James Barber, 85 tons, Capt. Whippley, from same.

In for Harbor—Am. stmr. Pejepscot, 79 tons, from Belfast, Me., for St. Martins; sch. General George C. Hogg, 467 tons, from Disby, export cargo for South Africa loaded at St. John; in for repairs.

Cleared Yesterday. Coastwise—Sch. Granville, 60 tons, Capt. B. S. Collins, for Annapolis, Royal; sch. Bear River, 29 tons, Capt. Woodworth, for Disby, N.S.; sch. Viola Pearl, 23 tons, Capt. Dewey, for Beaver Harbor; sch. James Barber, 80 tons, Capt. Whippley, for St. Martins.

American Ports. Portland, Me.—Arr Nov. 17, sch Lavola, St. John; Nov. 19, sch Vinyard Haven—Arr Nov. 17, sch John Bracewell, Apple River, N. S., for New York.

New York—Arr Nov. 17, sch Nettie Sherman, New York. Passed City Island, Nov. 17, sch. Anne Lord, South Amboy for St. John. Memoranda. S. S. Lake Manitoba, which on Sunday night sent out a wireless stating that she was in distress off Sable Island on Monday night was taken into Halifax on Tuesday and went into dry dock. She had a decided list. The Lake Manitoba was formerly owned by the Canadian Pacific, and was bound from the Great Lakes to Halifax. For the past few years she had been doing duty on the Great Lakes and was once damaged there. She has

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe. Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.

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MONTREAL SALES. (McDougall and Cowans.) Montreal, Wednesday, Nov. 20. Morning. Can Loco 15 @ 65 1/2, 125 @ 65 1/2, 80 @ 55. Can. Cem. Pld. 5 @ 93 1/2. Can. Cem. 20 @ 60 1/2. Steel Can. Com. 180 @ 60 1/2 @ 60 1/2, 130 @ 60 1/2, 100 @ 60 1/2. Dom. Iron Com. 100 @ 61 1/2, 100 @ 61 1/2, 200 @ 62, 520 @ 62 1/2, 300 @ 62 1/2, 20 @ 62 1/2, 25 @ 62 1/2, 100 @ 62 1/2, 50 @ 62 1/2, 25 @ 62 1/2. Shawinigan 3 @ 82 1/2 @ 82 1/2. 1937 War Loan 300 @ 96 5/8, 1,000 @ 96 1/2, 1,000 @ 96. Can. Car Pld. 35 @ 83. Maple Milling Co. 75 @ 138, 25 @ 138 1/2. Scotia Pld. 1 @ 102. Glass 40 @ 25. Brompton 100 @ 68. Ames Holden Pld. 2 @ 67. Merchants Bank 2 @ 167. Can Loco 25 @ 66 1/2, 175 @ 66 1/2, Brazilian 485 @ 55. Dom. Textile 25 @ 97. St. Paul 4 @ 62, 140 @ 61 1/2. Steel Can. Com. 25 @ 60 1/2, 160 @ 61. Dom. Iron Pld. 10 @ 94 1/2, 63. Dom. Iron Com. 250 @ 62 1/2, 50 @ 63, 125 @ 62 1/2, 300 @ 62 1/2. Civic Power 50 @ 82 1/2, 10 @ 82 1/2. Can. Car Pld. 100 @ 83. Asbestos Pld. 25 @ 60 1/2. Brompton 10 @ 58 1/2. Nor. Amer. Pulp 25 @ 3. Bank Nova Scotia 17 @ 248. (McDougall and Cowans.) Bid. Ask. Ames Holden Com. 27. Brazilian L. H. and P. 31 1/2. Canada Car 31 1/2. Canada Car Pld. 83. Canada Cement 61 1/2. Dom. Iron Com. 62 1/2. Dom. Text. Com. 97. Laurentide Paper Co. 180. Lake of Woods 153. Mt. L. H. and Power 82 1/2. Ogilvie 196. Penman's Limited 206. Quebec Railway 18 1/2.

MONTREAL PRODUCE. Montreal, Nov. 20.—OATS, extra No. 1, feed, 85. FLOUR, Man. spring wheat, new standard, 11.25 to 11.35. BRAN, 37.50. SHORTS, 42.25; Meal 68 to 70. HAY, No. 2, per ton, car lots, 25.00 to 26.00. POTATOES, per bag, car lots, 1.70 to 1.75.

MARKET WAS UNCERTAIN Everything Seemed to be Irregular, But Trading Was a Little Better Than on the Previous Day.

New York, Nov. 20.—The uncertain trend of prices during the greater part of today's stock market session offered cumulative evidence of confusion existing in speculative and investment circles. Trading showed a moderate expansion of movements over the previous day, but operations were exceedingly irregular, even in issues of the same class. Pools dominated various specialties, the list hardening appreciably at the end.

A forecast of the post-war period was furnished by the break of five to fourteen points in the several issues of the Maxwell Motor Company, following announcement that the dividend on the first preferred stock is to be suspended because of readjustment conditions.

Irregularity in the beginning was occasioned by the heaviness of Marine Preferred, which broke over five points as a result of the order from Washington holding up the plan for the sale of the company's British tonnage.

United States Steel and affiliated stocks gave a better account of themselves than at any recent time, but copper was under pressure, ignoring reports of the formation of a combination for the export of metals on a huge scale. Rails played little part in the day's business, the final closing showing no trend until the final minutes, when Pacific hardened.

Sales amounted to 550,000 shares. Domestic bonds were irregular on the break of 1 to 2 per cent. in rails and Marine Sixes. Liberty issues were steady with the international group. Total sales (par value) aggregated \$1,175,000.

GERMAN DEAD ARE NEARLY 1,500,000

Copenhagen, Nov. 20.—Up to October 31, 1,500,000 German soldiers were killed, and the fate of 260,000 was not known, the Vorwaerts of Berlin says in an reliable authority. Four million soldiers had been wounded, some several times. The newspaper adds that there were 490,000 German prisoners in hostile countries.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

(McDougall and Cowans.) Corn. High. Low. Close. Jan. 134 1/2 130 131 1/2. Nov. 133 129 130. Dec. 131 128 129 1/2. Oats. Jan. 75 73 73 1/2. Nov. 76 75 75 1/2. Dec. 74 73 73 1/2. Pork. Jan. 46 1/2 46 1/2 46 1/2. Nov. 46 1/2 46 1/2 46 1/2. Dec. 46 1/2 46 1/2 46 1/2. Chicago, Nov. 20.—Corn, No. 2 yellow, old, 1.50; No. 3 yellow, old, 1.49 to 1.50; No. 3 yellow, new, 1.42; No. 4 yellow, old, 1.38 to 1.42; No. 4 yellow, new, 1.32 to 1.34; oats, No. 3 white, 74 1/2 to 76; standard 75 1/2 to 76 1/2; rye, No. 2 1.74 to 1.75; barley 98 to 1.00; timothy 7.00 to 10.25; clover nominal; pork nominal; lard 27.05. Ribs nominal.

CLOSING STOCK LETTER

New York, Nov. 20.—Maxwell common and first preferred stocks broke 7 and 12 points noon after noon on the passing of the first preferred dividend causing sympathetic declines of 1 to 4 points in other motor stocks. The reason given by the company was not deficient earnings but a desire to conserve resources against contingencies still absorbs most of the immediate output so that the mills have not begun accepting commercial orders on a large scale. Probably the question whether peace demands will keep the mills fully occupied cannot be answered for some weeks. The Iron Age credits the idea that the foreign demand will fill the gap. It says that labor is already in a little better supply and less exacting. Sales, 541,000. E. and C. RANDOLPH.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

(McDougall and Cowans.) High. Low. Close. Jan. 27.30 26.65 27.25. Mar. 26.55 26.20 26.65. July 26.40 26.05 26.55. Dec. 28.05 27.35 27.99.

NOT BECAUSE SHE CHANGED HER VIEWS, BUT BECAUSE SHE KNEW SHE WAS ABSOLUTELY BEATEN

That, Declares Earl Reading, is Why Germany Quit—Prospective Peace Delegate Issues a Warning to Allied Countries to Be Very Watchful of Utterances of German Statesmen—We Must Remember in Peace as in War the Lessons of the Past and Continue to be Watchful and Wary.

London, Nov. 19.—Germany in the end gave way, not because she changed her views, but because she knew she was absolutely beaten, declared the Earl of Reading, who has been mentioned as one of the British peace delegates, in a speech in London today. Lord Reading uttered a warning and said the Allied countries should continue to be watchful of Germany and the utterances of her statesmen.

"The German which is now anxious to fall in with the views of our country," he said, "have yet to show by her actions and not merely by one day or two days or a year or two years, that the whole spirit of Germany has changed as we wish it to change, before we can ever believe in her hearts that Germany has changed from what it was before the war."

THINK THE LID WAS LIFTED TOO SOON

Fredericton People a Little Bit Afraid That the Flu Will Spread Itself Again from Suburban Districts. Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Nov. 20.—Several city physicians are of the opinion that the schools, churches and other public places have opened the door to the flu in now well under control in the city proper, but there are a large number of cases at the Victoria Mill section as well as at Devon and Westville. People from these places are allowed to come to the city and frequent churches, theatres and other public places, although similar institutions in their own sections are closed.

NAVAL CONVOY FOR PRES. WILSON

Washington, Nov. 20.—Navy officials said today that President Wilson and the American delegation to the peace conference will cross the Atlantic on one of the big army transports, conveyed by a Dreadnought and a fleet of destroyers. Plans for the trip have not been completed, but it is regarded as certain that the vessel carrying the official party will be one of the great passenger liners taken over for the movement of troops.

VETERAN BOXER NOW WORKS FOR UNCLE SAM

Jack Root, who retired from the ring more than ten years ago, is coming back. The famous veteran has been appointed boxing instructor at an training station in California. "I have retired from the squared circle Root has been living in the Northwest and has made quite a piece of money in the moving picture business. The last important battle Root engaged in was with Marvin Hart. The promoters of the contest advertised the show as a "world championship" and their agent engaged Jim Jeffries to referee. It was held in an open air arena at Reno, Nev., on July 3, 1905. The public was informed before the contest took place that Jeffries, who was then the retired champion, would turn his title over to the winner, but when Hart knocked out Root in the twelfth round Jeff failed to give the victor his title. When the public learned that Hart did not receive Jeff's title they demanded an explanation.

KELLEHER'S SAD CASE

Jack Kelleher, infielder formerly with Indianapolis and Denver, and who was on the Brooklyn club's list when he joined the Army, arrived in France recently to find a message awaiting him telling of the death of his wife. She had died in Denver, so the contest took place that Jeffries, who was then the retired champion, would turn his title over to the winner, but when Hart knocked out Root in the twelfth round Jeff failed to give the victor his title. When the public learned that Hart did not receive Jeff's title they demanded an explanation.

LAURIER'S BIRTHDAY

London, Ont., Nov. 20.—Scores of telegrams congratulating Sir Wilfrid Laurier on the attainment of his 77th birthday were received by the Liberal leader this morning. Receptions at the Tecumseh House were held by Sir Wilfrid during the morning and afternoon. At noon he was the guest at an informal luncheon given by Mr. Arthur Little, at "The Kennels." A large number of Liberals were invited.

SUCCESSFUL SALE IS ANTICIPATED

First Distribution by Stock Breeders' Association, at Fredericton Today, Attracts Wide Interest.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Nov. 20.—A. E. Frites, of Salisbury, president of the Maritime Stock Breeders' Association; F. L. Fuller, of Truro, secretary of the same organization, and Thomas Colwell of Florenceville, are the valuers for the breeders' consignment sale of live stock which will take place at the exhibition buildings here Thursday. The valuers are at work this afternoon classifying the large number of animals which have arrived for the sale. They will have charge of the ring tomorrow. James Brown, district representative for Northumberland County, will be in charge of the stables.

Success is in prospect for the sale, the first of its kind ever held in New Brunswick. Many prospective buyers already have arrived and others are expected. Among those who have consigned stock to this sale are John Hughes of Pettitocoe who specializes in Ayrshires; McIntyre Bros., of Sussex, who specializes in the same breed; Harder Bros., Welsford, who have sent a consignment of Holsteins; L. M. Anderson of Middle Sackville, who has two head of short horns, and R. L. Hicks, of Dalhousie, who is a specialist on milk record tests.

GETTING READY FOR PARLIAMENTARY SESSION

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Preliminary steps have been taken for the calling of parliament. To all public departments instructions have gone forth that estimates are to be prepared in readiness. It is not expected, however, that members will actually be summoned to Ottawa before January, although decision on this point has not yet been reached by the government.

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Washington, Nov. 20.—An order making effective government possession and control of marine cable systems of the United States, proclaimed by President Wilson under date of November 2, was issued today by Postmaster-General Burleson. It directs that until further notice cable companies shall continue operation through regular channels, and asks the co-operation of officers and employees of the companies, and of the public.

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### HUNS TURN BELGIANS OUT OF BED TO PLUNDER THE HOMES

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The German marines were the first to leave Zandvoorde, after having blown up the electric power plant and the coke ovens and destroyed the water supply pipes. In Thourout the Germans took a last chance to exercise their instincts for thieving and destruction; during the night they broke many of the inhabitants' homes and made them leave their homes, for fear they said, of accidents, since they were about to set off a mine. When they had got the dwellers out of their houses, they stole everything they wished before exploding the mine, which destroyed the church. Many posters left behind in villages by the Germans bear witness to the severity of their treatment of the civil population of Belgium; fines and imprisonment were threatened for failure to hand over grain, cattle, tobacco, etc.

One of these posters at the entrance to a moving picture house, run by the Germans, narrates as a warning, the shooting of four Belgians, whose names are furnished, for not having halted when challenged by the patrol.

The above is a dispatch from an official eye witness with the Belgian army in the field, and is but one instance of the wanton destruction carried out

by the Germans before they were forced to quit each town and village before the oncoming Allied armies. In almost every village and town in Belgium the same story can be told. Homes, factories, public buildings, workshops and municipal plants have been stripped of their machinery and senselessly ruined. Fields have been laid in waste, farm stock has been carried off, agricultural machinery broken and rendered useless, in short everything the Germans could do to cripple Belgium for years come has been done. Belgium today must begin all over again to build up her industrial and agricultural life, the homes of her people have been levelled to the ground and the furniture carried off, all these, too, must be replaced, and Belgium cannot help herself, and cannot help her people. She has been left destitute, torn and suffering, and it is to outside countries that she today turns for help.

Food and clothing and building material is being sent into Belgium from the countries allied with her, but not in sufficient quantities to relieve the great tension under which her people are straining. More help is needed to give these people back what they have lost.

### Metz Makes Triumphant Entry Into Reconquered German Fortress of Metz

(Continued from Page 1.) On the other hand flags were flying from the status of French heroes still standing in Metz.

These preparations were made last night after the departure of the Germans, and today every inhabitant of the city, with the exception of those of German origin, was out early in readiness to receive Marshal Pétain.

The marshal made his triumphant entry together with a staff of Allied officers at the head of the famous 9th Army Corps. Following was a long procession of Lorraine soldiers and other groups, including a great number of girls in the national costume of Lorraine.

This procession met the marshal at the Port de France, where he conducted him in triumph to the esplanade where, surrounded by a remarkable group of generals and other high officers he received the troops that had earned the honor of contributing to the victories of the Allies on almost every battle field of France.

The day was one of notable enthusiasm throughout, which first faded to diminish. Bands with torches appeared as soon as the light began to fade, and jubilant processions continued gaily to circulate through the town, until a late hour. Meanwhile, from the French lines all around the fortress there was a brilliant display of fireworks, which brightly lit the sky, signal fuses and star shells serving as sky rockets.

It would be untrue to say that all Metz was gay today. A certain number of Germans still remain here. Some of these tried to put a good countenance on the situation and join in the throngs out of doors, but their glum faces were mostly seen from open windows, peering out with curiosity mingled with interest.

These Germans that were met within the crowds were treated with a consideration that prevented incidents. While the crowds were waiting the arrival of the marshal, the citizens gave free voice to their sentiments in their newly-recovered freedom, and practiced their newly-acquired French in vociferous acclamations of the French army and the Allies. Signaling the approach of the marshal and his accompanying cavalcade, airplanes began flying over the town about one o'clock, and the air was soon full of miniature tri-color flags which the airmen dropped. A little later the

canon of the forts round about the city, which had just been taken over by the French artillery, began firing a salute of three hundred rounds. The famous cathedral bell, the motto on which reads "I announce justice," gave the signal for the other bells in the city to peal forth a welcome to our liberators," as the people of Metz, with one accord call the French and the Allied armies today.

When Marshal Pétain appeared on the esplanade, mounted on a fine white charger, and followed by the entire general staff, with American and British officers attached, a shout went up that drowned the whirr of the dozen or more airplanes flying overhead, and the crowd surged forward, breaking the line of guards in places.

Still mounted, Marshal Pétain, surrounded by a most brilliant group of generals and superior officers, took up his position in front of the statue of Marshal Ney to review the troops comprising the 38th Division of Infantry, with its artillery under General Pottier, a detachment of the First Corps of Cavalry under General Feraud; other mounted troops under General De Boissieu; two escorting squadrons from the First Moroccan Division and a detachment of tanks.

The staff of the Tenth Army, which General Mangin was prevented from heading because of the accident he had met with, was lined up directly in front of the marshal, while General Fayolle, commanding the central group of armies stood near the commander-in-chief just in front of the Ney statue, which the various superior officers saluted in passing.

Enthusiastic cheers of "long live France" greeted every flag as it appeared. The dignity of the reviewing ceremony, however, prevented the people from giving free play to their joy. The case was different in their contact with the troops in the streets after the column had left the esplanade. Then there were three columns, two of which were of citizens marching on either side, hand-in-hand with the soldiers, in the centre, Pretty Lorraine girls brought a blush to the cheeks of many a pollu with unexpected embraces. Aged women, who had known Metz when it once before was French, threw kisses and cried out thanks to their liberators from open windows along the line of march.

The ambition of every child in Metz appeared to be to shake hands with every man in a French or Allied uniform and to give him a cordial greeting in French which, though often deficient, was never misunderstood.

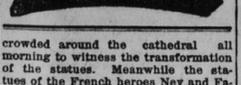
The people of Metz, the majority being Roman Catholic, know Latin if they are not strong on French. They

### WRONG BOTTLE AGAIN

Mr. Thomas Wade, of Ains, N.B., accidentally applied some ointment to his face, thinking it was the ointment he had bought. Writing of the effect, he says:

"The acid burned deep into my face and set up a poison, causing me intense pain. I really thought I should lose my leg, but a friend advised me to try Zam-Buk. I did so, and the effect was marvellous. Zam-Buk very quickly ended the pain and drew out the poison. Eventually it completely healed the sore place."

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crowded around the cathedral all morning to witness the transformation of the statues. Meanwhile the statues of the French heroes Ney and Fabert (Abraham De Fabert, Marshal of France in 1658) were decorated with flowers and bunting. French military engravings appeared as if by magic in the windows of art stores and an oil painting of Napoleon was hung out from a conspicuous window, where it would be in full view of the incoming hordes.

Preparations for the reception of Marshal Pétain were made Sunday evening at the first public meeting in forty-eight years at which the people of Lorraine could meet freely and converse in French without running the risk of being sent to prison. All classes of citizens participated, including returned exiles, and excluding only that element of the population descending from immigrants. All were out early this morning in long processions along the line of entry of the French troops which were approaching the town in three columns along the Moselle to units at Montigny.

Paris, Nov. 20.—It was General Leconte who headed the Tenth Army on the occasion of the entry into Metz. It was probable that there will be no occasion for a solemn entry into Strasbourg next Sunday.

Another French general is to be promoted to the rank of Marshal. It is rumored that before long the baton of a marshal will be conferred upon other generals, perhaps three of them.

Paris, Nov. 20.—General Mangin was injured by being thrown under his horse while reviewing a brigade of French troops on Monday, the day before the French army entered Metz.

The general's horse, a thoroughbred and unused to noise, was frightened by a band of trumpets. The animal reared and fell on its rider. General Mangin was unconscious when picked up, having been injured about the head and legs.

The Intergovernmental says the office after being taken to a hospital remained in a state of coma for twelve hours but news from the institution this morning is to the effect that no more uneasiness need be felt. It is said the general is making excellent progress and that no after effects are feared.

Grand Falls, Nov. 20.—Mrs. Archie Cote died at the emergency hospital tonight after a short illness from influenza. She is survived by her husband and eleven children. A particularly sad feature of the case is that every member of the family is down with the prevailing epidemic.

Thomas Mulhern is confined to his home suffering from an attack of the "flu." His many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Magistrate James T. Kelley, who has been ill with influenza, is recovering and is expected to be able to resume his duties in a few weeks.

In the town itself the epidemic is pretty well wiped out but in some of the outlying districts it still quite bad, but on the whole there is a decided improvement in conditions.

### WILL CARRY ONLY NEUTRALS

Holland-American Line, Notwithstanding Armistice, Adheres to Policy Which Has Prevailed for Four Years.

New York, Nov. 20.—The Holland American Line announced today with the departure of its steamship Nieuw Amsterdam for Holland that the company still adhered to its rule of carrying only passengers from neutral countries, notwithstanding the signing of the armistice. This policy was adopted during hostilities at the suggestion of the German government, which promised immunity from submarine attacks if the rule was followed.

The Nieuw Amsterdam, bound for Amsterdam, carried 156 passengers, most of whom were Dutch government employees, and three sisters, the Netherlands from Dutch possessions in the Far East.

### Premiers Consider Plans For Providing New Land on Easy Terms to Settlers

(Continued from Page 1.) The conference, presided at the lead is to be sold to the returned soldier on a payment of ten per cent, and that if necessary partly in cash and other assets. In addition, it is proposed that the federal government shall advance to the returned soldier on loan, at an ordinary rate of interest for a short time, if by reason of the development of his property he is in a position to offer security for it. The general aim of the scheme is to assist the returned soldier to purchase a farm and to set up in business.

Plans were also outlined for giving training to returned soldiers. In development of the general scheme of land settlement it was suggested that the federal government should comprise the minister of immigration and representatives from each province. The further suggestion was made that the federal government should be established in connection with the department of immigration and colonization.

It is expected that the conference will convene tomorrow afternoon. Hon. Frank Carroll, minister of public works, is presiding.

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—The conference of dominion and provincial ministers was resumed this morning in the senate chambers with a large attendance of representatives of the federal and provincial governments. When the conference adjourned yesterday the request of the western provinces that the natural resources, including lands, should be placed under their control, was the subject of discussion.

It is understood, some natural differences of opinion had developed which it was thought better for the delegates to themselves discuss amongst themselves. As a consequence of this yesterday afternoon's gathering was attended by representatives of the provinces only.

Apparently there is little doubt of the intention of the dominion government to give the western provinces their natural resources, but the appointment of a commission to investigate the representatives of the eastern provinces that in the event of this being done the older provinces should receive something additional in the way of subsidies.

When the ministers resumed their sittings this morning, Hon. J. A. Calder, minister of immigration and colonization, submitted a land colonization scheme, which is distinct from soldiers' settlement. Its chief object is the development of undeveloped land now held for speculative purposes. Mr. Calder proposed that the dominion should lend money to the provinces for the purchase of privately-owned land, which would be sold to intending settlers. The purchasers would be expected to put up in cash, or in personal value, security amounting to twenty per cent of the value of the land bought. The settler would then secure the land on easy terms.

It is proposed that the land will be sold to the settler at a slight advance over the purchase price in order to insure against possible loss. In the case of loss, it is proposed that it be equally divided between the dominion and the province. According to a calculation submitted to the conference by Mr. Calder, there are from fifteen to twenty million acres of undeveloped land near the railways in the western provinces. The question of assisting the provinces to settle on farm lands in the eastern provinces was also before the conference this morning, the discussion not being concluded. The conference adjourned at one o'clock, the premiers of the various provinces remaining in session for the purpose of drafting a proposal covering the handling over to the western provinces of their natural resources.

OBITUARY. Frederic Hewey, — Mrs. Geo. Oickle. Bear River, Nov. 20.—Mr. Frederic Hewey, aged 27 years, and Mrs. George Oickle, aged 25 years, died at two homes in Victoria, N.S., very recently, the result of Spanish "flu" and pneumonia combined. Mr. Hewey leaves a mother and several brothers. Mrs. Oickle was a sister to Mr. Hewey, and leaves a husband and three children, a fourth being born while she was sick, and dying with her. Great sympathy is extended to the sorrowing relatives by their many friends.

William Russell. Newcastle, Nov. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. George Russell, of Northville, who lost their eldest son, Howard, aged 21, from pneumonia, November 2nd, heard from Ottawa yesterday of the death from the same disease of their second son, Private William Russell, of the Canadian Engineers overseas. Deceased was about 19 years of age. He was a young man beloved of all, and the bereaved family has the sympathy of the community in their great loss. Deceased is survived by his parents, three sisters, Mary, Muriel and Adelaide, and one brother, Norman, all at home.

Thomas Peters. Reston, N.B., Nov. 20.—Thomas Peters, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Peters, of Peters' Mills, passed away at his home there on Monday

### CONSTANT PAIN AFTER EATING

The Tortures of Dyspepsia Corrected by "Fruit-a-Lives"

St. Martin's, N. B. "For two years, I suffered tortures from Severe Dyspepsia. I had constant pains after eating; pains down the sides and back; and horrible bitter stuff often came up in my mouth. "I tried doctors, but they did not help me. But as soon as I started taking 'Fruit-a-Lives,' I began to improve and this medicine, made of fruit juices, relieved me when everything else failed."

MRS. HUDSON MARSHBANK. 50c a box, 4 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-Lives Limited, Ottawa.

evening of epilepsy. He had spent several days at Westport, Canada, and returned home after the death of his brother Stanley, who died in France about two years ago. He is survived by his parents, one brother, Roy, of Cape Tormentine, and one sister, Mrs. Richard Macbeath, of Peters' Mills. The funeral will take place this afternoon to the Methodist Cemetery at Richibucto.

A. H. Fearon. Reston, Nov. 20.—The death occurred Saturday night at his home at Main River, of Albert Havelock Fearon, son of Joseph Fearon, at the age of 22 years. Death was due to tuberculosis. He is survived by his parents, six brothers and three sisters. The funeral took place yesterday. Interment was made in the C. of E. Cemetery at Brown's Yard.

Mrs. John LeBlanc. Reston, Nov. 20.—Mrs. John LeBlanc died at her home at Crookfish Bay on Sunday, of influenza and pneumonia. She is survived by her husband, who is at present in the lumber woods, and who could not be communicated with before the funeral, which took place at St. Anne.

Mrs. Cyrille Richard. Reston, Nov. 20.—Mrs. Cyrille Richard, of St. Anne, died at her home there on Friday at the age of 67 years. She leaves her husband, three daughters and one son. Mrs. Richard was formerly Miss Maria Blanche Allain, of Black River (Buctouche). The funeral took place at St. Anne de Kent. Rev. Father Joseph officiated.

Miss Kathleen Mooney. The death of Miss Kathleen Mooney, who was severely burned on Monday evening in her home on Orange St., took place at an early hour yesterday morning. It was feared from the first that a fatal result might follow the accident, for Miss Mooney's injuries were very serious, and death during the night was not unexpected. Miss Mooney had been a proctress on the Globe for several years, and was highly esteemed by all the staff and her co-workers. She was a very active member of the Young Women's Patriotic Association, and was always ready to share in that organization's work, and she had a host of young

### ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND WANT TO GO ABROAD

Great Rush for Permission to go Overseas by Curiosity Seekers—No Passports for Foreign Travel Will be Issued.

New York, Nov. 20.—More than 100,000 persons have applied since the armistice was signed for permission to go abroad, according to custom officials here, who announced that no passports for foreign travel would be issued except in cases of necessity. Applicants who can show that their proposed trips are to visit dying relatives or friends, to conduct business which cannot be handled except by personal contact, or who have missions for the American or Allied governments would be permitted to sail, it was stated.

CASUALTIES. Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Casualties: Infantry. Cancel Report Missing—B Graham Upton, Que. Died—J. Samson, Sherbrooke, Que. F. Cleveland, Port Hill, P.E.I. C. A. Windsor, Miscou Harbor, N.B. Wounded—Lieut. Malcolm Amos, Lower Derby, North Co., N.B. Lieut. Fred Lawrence, Economy, N.S. Lieut. A. S. Creighton, Dartmouth, N.S. F. Smith, Springhill, N.S. H. LeBlanc, Poulamou, N.S. J. Pinaude, Sydney, N.S. W. Gavel, Brasill Lake, N.S. C. Ward, Halifax. William Harris, Yarmouth, N.S. R. Fulton, Great Village, N.S. W. Gavel, Brasill Lake, N.S. C. Giles, not stated. E. Deal, Halifax. A. David, Bois France, Que. David Dent, Amherst, N.S. J. Canavan, Sackville, N.B. W. Morrison, Boulardarie, N.S. Carl Baker, Barrowfield, N.S. A. Arsenault, Abouasis, P.E.I. F. Worthyak, Pictou, N.S. W. Wrathall, Middleboro, N.S. John Garrick, Charlottetown, P.E.I. E. J. McLeod, St. Rose, N.S. V. McQuaid, Kelly's Cove, N.S. J. Sarty, Barker's Cove, N.S. W. Sampson, Larois, N.S. A. C. Ferguson, Florence, N.S. D. Fater, Parraboro, N.S. A. Lamey, Glenora, N.S. E. Johnson, Truro, N.S. A. McDonald, Albany, P.E.I. Prisoner of War—J. McPherson, Glace Bay, N.S. Gassed—Harold Horne, Pleasantville, N.S. Ill—H. Taylor, Grand Falls, N.B.

friends who will be pained to hear of her death. Miss Mooney is survived by her father, P. J. Mooney, the well known contractor, and her stepmother by one sister, Miss Beatrice Mooney, and by four brothers, Capt. Edward J., who was overseas for some time and is now provost marshal at Halifax; Bernard, in the Royal Flying Corps, London, Thomas and John P., at home.

Washington, Nov. 20.—General increases in express rates were announced today by Director General McVico, of the railroad administration.

### 70,000 PEOPLE

Die every year from bronchitis! A large proportion of these could be saved by direct treatment, but in order to heal the bronchial tubes a remedy must be taken which will get there direct. Peps can. Peps is a breathable remedy which goes right to the seat of the trouble—Prevents its mortal success in cases of bronchitis.

Dissolve a Pep in your mouth. The medicine contained is turned into vapor and carried by the breath to the bronchial tubes and the minute air passages. The inflamed lining is heated, the pain ended and the cough stopped.

Miss Mary Weston, a graduate nurse living at 457 Victor Ave., Winnipeg, says she owes her health to Peps. She writes: "When I finished my hospital training I was suffering with chronic bronchial trouble, and I was told it would not be able to continue nursing. I used Peps so perseveringly, however, that I was finally entirely cured. I am quite sure that I would not be following my profession to-day if it had not been for Peps."

### PEPS

H. McCloskey, St. John, N. B. Artillery. Died of Wounds—D. Price, Moncton, N.B. Fred Layton, North Sydney, N.S. James Harris, Moncton, N.B. Arthur Youell, not stated. C. Clodan, McAdam Jct., N.B. M. Armstrong, St. John, N.B. Ill—E. Henderson, St. John, West. J. MacDonald, Charlottetown, P.E.I. E. Henry, Brookfield, N.S. Gassed—W. Colwell, Upper Jemseg, N.B. B. Voinet, Lunenburg, N.S. A. Tulupue, Lower Jemseg, North Co., N.B. Mounted Rifles

Wounded—E. Baker, Moncton, N.B. Ill—Charles Johnston, Charlottetown, P.E.I. Wounded—J. Arsenault, Bathurst, N.B. E. McLeod, Newcastle, N.B. Cavalry. Died of Wounds—H. Newton, Truro, N.B. Ill—Captain W. MacDonnell, Sydney, N.S. Forestry Corps. Died—R. Wounded—R. Roushoun, Truro, N.S.

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### High Tension Work

To understand the work of the girl at central is to sympathize with her—for hers is a continuous high nervous tension. At these critical times, when help is so scarce and the wires so busy, the task of the telephone operator is made doubly trying on her nerves.

How like her own nervous system is the complicated electrical equipment which she manipulates. The central station may be likened to the brain, and the cables and wires, which go out from it, correspond to the spinal cord and intricate nerve fibres which branch off to the members and organs of the body.

The electric current is similar to the nerve force in the human system, for without this nervous energy the human mind and body would be just as dead as a telephone system without electricity. The continuous strain to which the brain and nerves of the operator are subjected exhausts the nervous energy at an enormous rate, and starved nerves cry out for nourishment with headaches, neuralgic and sciatic pains, nervous indigestion and sleeplessness.

come weak and irregular, as is shown by the feeble action of the heart and the tardiness of the liver and bowels. It is comparatively easy to restore exhausted nerves if Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is used regularly when these early indications of trouble are apparent.

This food cure is also effective in the treatment of nervous prostration, and even in many cases of locomotor ataxia and partial paralysis, but when these ailments develop it is usually necessary that considerable patience and persistence be applied, as recovery must necessarily be a tedious process.

On this account we always like to look on Dr. Chase's Nerve Food as primarily a preventive treatment—a means of restoring feeble, wasted nerves while there is yet a foundation to build on. Rest, gentle exercise out of doors, cheerful companions help the sufferer from nervous exhaustion, but there must be additional nourishment supplied to the nervous system, and the ideal way to supply the essential elements is by the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Look for the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., on the box you buy.

SEWARD ANCHOR HOR-DONALDSON... BOSTON TO LIVERPOOL... BRISTOL... HALIFAX, NEW YORK... PORTUGAL, SPAIN, SWITZER

TEAM BOILERS... Vertical 50 H.P. 54" dia... Horizontal Return Tubular, 60 H.P. 14'-0" long... MATHESON & CO. LTD. BOILERMAKERS, GLASGOW, NOVA SCOTIA.

Maritime Steamship Co. Limited. TIME TABLE... Grand Manan S.S. Co. CHANGE OF TIME... SCOTT D. GUPTILL, Manager.

DOMINION COAL COMPANY... BEST QUALITY REASONABLE PRICE... P. & W. F. STARR, LTD. LANDING SYDNEY SOFT COAL. JAMES S. MCGIVERN, 6 MILL STREET.

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TRAVELLING? Passage Tickets By All Ocean Steamship Lines. WM. THOMSON & CO. LIMITED. Royal Bank Bldg., St. John.

The After Effects of Spanish Influenza. This terrible scourge leaves in its wake weak hearts, shattered nerves, impoverished blood, and a general run-down, debilitated condition of the system. Thousands of people throughout Canada are just now needing the timely use of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. They will stimulate and strengthen the weak heart, bring back the shattered nervous system to a perfect condition, renew the lost vitality, build up the strength, and enrich the blood. Price 50c. a box, at all Dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

# NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

## ANNIVERSARY TO BE CELEBRATED

King's Daughters Held Meeting Last Evening—Programme Arranged.

A committee meeting of the King's Daughters was held last evening at the home of Mrs. G. Wilfred Campbell to arrange the programme for the semi-annual meeting which is to take place next week.

## THE SEVEN SEAS HOLD GIFT SHOP

The Gift Shop now being held by the Seven Seas Chapter, I. O. D. E., at 62 King street, is being well patronized and there are numerous dainty and pretty articles for sale.

Mrs. Lloyd Estey, the regent, is in charge. Mrs. Brochanna was convener of the advertising committee.

## MRS. JEAN MULDREW MAY COME TO ST. JOHN

Mrs. Jean Muldrew, a member of the Canada Food Board, whose visit to St. John this summer will be remembered by those who heard her speak, is at present in Halifax.

## COUNT FIFTY! NO RHEUMATIC PAIN

Don't suffer! Instant relief follows a rubbing with old "St. Jacobs Liniment"

Stop "dosing" rheumatism. It's pain only, not one case in fifty requires internal treatment. Rub soothing, penetrating "St. Jacobs Liniment" right on the "tender spot," and by the time you say Jack Robinson comes the rheumatic pain and distress "St. Jacobs Liniment" conquers pain!

## Washing Won't Rid Head of Dandruff

The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

## WOMEN TO BE ON BOARD OF HEALTH

Many Important Matters Discussed at Meeting of Local Council of Women Held Yesterday Afternoon.

A number of matters of important business which had accumulated during the influenza epidemic were discussed at the regular meeting of the Local Council of Women held yesterday afternoon in the King's Daughters Guild.

The meeting opened as usual with the reading of the Lord's Prayer. The first interesting report was given by Miss Grace Leavitt, describing the entertainment provided for Mrs. Sanford, president of the National Council of Women, during her visit to St. John.

Mrs. David McLellan spoke of Mrs. Sanford's gratification upon the reception given her and Miss Leavitt was congratulated upon the excellence of the arrangements made.

Mrs. David McLellan told of the visit of Mrs. Sanford, Miss Carl Michael, of Picton and herself to Sackville, where a branch of the Local Council was formed.

Miss Haley, corresponding secretary, read a communication from Mrs. Fairbairn regarding the postponement of the publication of the yearbook which is owing to the scarcity of paper.

Mrs. Smith spoke of the bereavement recently suffered by Miss Alice Estey, the valued treasurer of the council, in the loss of her sister.

The committee in charge of the negotiations regarding the purchase of Calvin church to be used as a building for the use of women societies, reported upon their inspection of the building and stated that in their opinion it was not suited for the purpose.

The offer of the president, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, to deliver her splendid lecture on "A Trip to the Yosemite Valley," was gratefully accepted, the proceeds of the lecture to go for council work.

A committee consisting of Mrs. J. W. V. Lawlor and Mrs. W. Edmund Raymond were appointed to try to arrange for a suitable place where this lecture may be given.

It was decided by the Local Council some time ago that the 1st of December, Queen Alexandra's birthday, should be celebrated by an effort to assist in the conservation of child life.

Mrs. Smith made the proposal that a tag day should be held on the 30th of November in aid of the Children's Aid Shelter. The funds furnished by the Rose Day held last year were of the utmost assistance in this valuable work, and as the society have moved into a new home there are many needs for which money is required.

After some discussion it was decided that the time was unfavorable for a tag day, and it was postponed until after the New Year.

## S. C. A. WILL STILL CARRY ON

Decision Made at a Meeting of the Executive Held Yesterday Afternoon.

That they will carry on until further orders, was the decision arrived at by the executive of the Soldiers' Comfort Association at a meeting held yesterday afternoon in the S. C. A. Depot, German street.

The president, Mrs. H. A. McKeown was in the chair. It was decided to go on with the work of providing comforts for the soldiers until instructions come from England that the comforts are not needed.

Several letters of thanks were read by the corresponding secretary, the letters telling of parcels and socks received by the soldiers and expressing gratitude to the St. John branch of the S. C. A.

A large consignment of comforts to go overseas was received at the S. C. A. depot from St. Stephen. This consisted of 285 pairs of socks filled with Christmas gifts and 186 pairs of socks besides.

There are at the rooms a large number of parcels sent in from the various circles which will probably be shipped next week.

Amsterdam, Nov. 20.—Hugo Preuss has been appointed secretary of the interior in the German cabinet, according to an official telegram from Berlin. The post of secretary of the interior in the new people's cabinet of Germany was assumed by Friedrich Ebert, the premier.

## To Relieve Catarrh, Catarrhal Deafness And Head Noises

Persons suffering from catarrhal deafness, or who are growing hard of hearing and have head noises will be glad to know that this distressing affliction can usually be successfully treated at home by an internal medicine that in many instances has effected complete relief after other treatments have failed.

Secure from your druggist 1 oz. Parmitin (Don't be deceived by cheap imitations). Take this home and add to it 1-4 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day.

Parmitin is used in this way not only to reduce by tonic action the inflammation and swelling in the Eustachian tubes (Don't be deceived by cheap imitations) but to correct any excess of secretions in the middle ear, and the results it gives are nearly always quick and effective.

Every person who has catarrh in any form, or distressing rumbling, hissing sounds in their ears, should give this recipe a trial.

## Let Nature Clear Your Blood

With pure, rich blood—a healthy stomach—your complexion will be bright and clear, and you may laugh at disease, and you may have all three by taking

**Dr. Wilson's HERBINE BITTERS**  
This splendid blood medicine—made of old fashioned herbs—gives the system a regular "spring house-cleaning"—stimulates liver and bowels—cleanses the blood of all poisonous matter—tones up the nerves—and gives strength, vigor and a feeling of good cheer to the whole system.

## "NOW YOU ARE FREE, YOU CAN GO AS YOU LIKE, WHEN YOU LIKE"

This is the Manner in Which Allied Prisoners Are Released from Germany—British Government Warns Germany That Unless the Cruel Treatment Which Allied Prisoners Are Receiving is Discontinued the Allies Will be Compelled to Inflict Punishment.

London, Nov. 20.—In any question of provisioning Germany, the British government will be obliged to take into account the condition under which British prisoners in Germany are being released, unless the cruel treatment which such prisoners are receiving is discontinued, the German government was warned in a wireless message today.

The message sent by the British government reads: "Information reaches His Majesty's government of a shocking lack of organization in the release of British prisoners in German territory, and of their return march on foot, miserably clothed, without food or transport, and with no escort or guides, to the Allied lines with the result of a lamentable suffering and heavy mortality."

"His Majesty's government cannot tolerate continuation of this cruel treatment and must insist on adequate arrangements being made, in all the above respects by the German authorities with whom the responsibility lies. Otherwise we shall be compelled to take this we shall be in any question of re-estimating the German population."

"His Majesty's government are ready to lend all available assistance by forwarding food, clothing and transport to prisoners' camps and they are not otherwise forthcoming, and are addressing Allied commanders in this sense: "Please acknowledge receipt."

Since Sunday military or civil prisoners have been constantly brought to Paris by eastern railway trains.

Nine hundred arrived on Sunday, 1,000 on Monday, 300 on Tuesday morning and many more today. Ten thousand are reported to be on the way. Among the military prisoners are French, English, Belgians, Americans and Italians. The civil prisoners are French or Belgian. They hail from all parts—some from the invaded departments, others from Alsace-Lorraine, Belgium, Wurttemberg and even Germany.

Some of these men say they were only given their liberty after going through minute formalities. Others availed themselves of the slackened vigilance of their wardens to escape from the camps in which they were interned or the places where they were working. Yet others were requested to go by their guards when the latter learned that the armistice was signed. They were disarmed with the words "now you are free; you can go as you like and when you like."

Many of these men are in extremely poor physical shape and in a state of extreme mental depression, one being able to see, at a glance that they have suffered terribly from hunger.

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Some of these men say they were only given their liberty after going through minute formalities. Others availed themselves of the slackened vigilance of their wardens to escape from the camps in which they were interned or the places where they were working. Yet others were requested to go by their guards when the latter learned that the armistice was signed. They were disarmed with the words "now you are free; you can go as you like and when you like."

Many of these men are in extremely poor physical shape and in a state of extreme mental depression, one being able to see, at a glance that they have suffered terribly from hunger.

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## RICHIBUCTO.

Richibucto, Nov. 15.—Mr. and Mrs. Barrow of Sackville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Long this week. Louis Lanigan of Campbellton spent a few days in town last week. Miss Jessie Hannah is recovering from an attack of influenza. Mrs. Ann Lesley of St. John is visiting her mother, Mrs. Jos. Hains. Mrs. Frank Graham Harrison and Mrs. Edwin Graham, motored from Main River on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Pine and daughter Edith who have spent the summer here returned to their home in Long Island, N. Y., on Wednesday. Miss Margaret Murray, who has been visiting relatives here for the past few months, returned on Wednesday to her home in Truro, N. S. Miss Margaret Murray, who has been visiting relatives here for the past few months, returned on Wednesday to her home in Truro, N. S. Miss Margaret Murray, who has been visiting relatives here for the past few months, returned on Wednesday to her home in Truro, N. S.

Mr. Ernest O'Neill of the K. N. Ry. Depot, is recovering from an attack of influenza. Mrs. A. Ferguson and Mrs. W. F. Humphrey, of Moncton, motored to town on Wednesday. On Monday morning when the news of the signing of the armistice was received, the people of the town began to prepare for a celebration which would far outdo the one previous. All stores and public buildings were closed and everyone given a holiday. These buildings and many private residences were decorated with bunting and flags. At 2.30 p.m. a religious service was held in the Square in front of the court-house on Water street. Rev. Mr. Cardigan, Rector of St. Mary's Episcopal church acting as chairman, who opened the meeting with a few well chosen words. The hymn "Oh God Our Help in Ages Past," followed by address by Rev. Father J. McLaughlin. Mrs. H. H. James presided at the organ. The meeting then broke up, and the parade, headed by Rev. O'Leary's car, which was beautifully decorated, in which were all the others in the parade. These cars were filled with people determined to make as much noise as possible. After the parade the town they went to Reston, where a similar service was held. In the evening an enormous bonfire was held on the old pier known as the "saw-dust wharf." This was followed by an open-air meeting on the Square in front of the post office. The speakers were A. L. Legere, M.P., Colonel R. O'Leary and Senator Bourque. The day will be one long remembered by the people of the little town who have given so many of her sons to the cause of humanity.

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**HILLSBORO.**  
 Hillsboro, Nov. 19.—The funeral of Mr. John Campbell whose death occurred on Friday, Nov. 15, was held on Sunday at 1.30 p.m. Deceased was 82 years of age, and was one of the oldest and highly respected residents of Edgemoor Landing, and will be greatly missed by young and old. He was also a member of the Valley United Baptist Church for a number of years. He is survived by his wife and three sisters, Mrs. S. Roper, and Mrs. Joseph Doushy of North Abington, Mass., and Mrs. Howard P. Steeves of Edgemoor Landing. The service was conducted by Rev. H. W. Cunn of the First Hillsboro Baptist church. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages" and "It Is Well With My Soul." The pallbearers were four nephews of deceased, H. J. Steeves, R. F. Steeves, E. A. Steeves and G. R. Steeves. Interment was made at Greenside cemetery.

While the residents of Hillsboro were enjoying the privilege of church service and Sabbath school for the first time in seven weeks, five young boys, ranging in age from twelve to seventeen years, burglarized the store of the late A. E. McLaughlin & Co. The boys entered the store by forcing the lock of the warehouse door, which is attached to the rear part of the building, and from there through a trap-door to the main part of the store. They carried off with them two watches, two boxes of cigars, chewing gum, candy and other articles. Through the efficient efforts of police constable Joseph Irving the young culprits, with the remainder of their loot, were arraigned before Magistrate Blight today.

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 Great Shemogue, N.B., Nov. 19.—Mrs. Eliza Spence is spending a week with friends at Bayfield. Mr. Victor Allen, of Port Elgin, spent Thursday at his home here. Friends of Mrs. Jennie Read will be sorry to learn that she is confined to her bed through illness. Mrs. James Cadman spent several days with friends at Shediac. Mr. J. W. Read, of Port Elgin, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Walter Turner, spent Sunday with friends here. Mrs. Rebecca Davis and Miss Marjorie Davis, of Davis Road, were guests of friends here last week. Miss Roslyn Cadman, of Moncton, spent the week end at her home here. Mr. James Tremblin spent last week at the Upper Cape. Mr. Tremblin has purchased a farm in that locality and intends moving there in the early spring. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Seaman, of Bay Verte, spent several days here this week.

**WANTED**  
**CARPENTERS AND LABORERS FOR WORK AT EXHIBITION GROUNDS.**  
**APPLY KANE & KING, 85-1-2 KINCE WIL ST.**  
 WANTED—A Second Class Teacher. Apply stating salary to Alex. McMillan, Black Point, N. B.  
 EXPERT BRUSH MAKER wanted to take full charge of factory at station, making hair floor brooms, and other solid back brushes. Only capital party need apply. Applications strictly confidential. Advertiser, 2504 Mance Street, Montreal.

**FITTERS WANTED** for Automatic Sprinkler work. Apply to F. St. Pierre, foreman, Roub Engineering Works, Ltd., Amherst, N. S.  
**WANTED—Young women**, to be trained in Training School. Apply to a permanent. Christ Hospital, Jersey City, N. J.  
**WANTED—Harness Makers,** Campbell or Union machine or raters, and club of makers. Apply High Caron Company Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

**WANTED—Second hand** Perfection kerosene oil stove with two burners and without oven. Call 276 Main Street, in rear.  
**WANTED—Experienced** sprinkler fitters. Apply F. St. Pierre, Sprinkler Foreman, Roub Engineering Works, Amherst, N. S.  
**WANTED—Second Class** Engineer for District No. 1. Apply stating salary to A. D. Case, Secretary Wickham, Queens Co., N. B.  
**WANTED—Teacher** for District No. 4, Parish of Hantsport, of Hantsport. Apply stating salary to Beth DeLong, secy., Hantsport, U. of Hibernia, Queens County, N. B.

**WANTED—Bright, active boys** in every village and town in New Brunswick to earn pocket money by a pleasant occupation. If you are ambitious write at once to Opportunity, box 1109, St. John, asking for particulars.

**AGENTS WANTED**  
**AGENTS WANTED—Agents** \$5 a day selling medals, which mends granite, hot water bags, rubber socks, reservoirs, boilers, metal tubs and tinware without cement or solder. Sample ten cents. Collette Mfg. Company, Collingwood, Ontario.

**FOR SALE**  
**FARM STOCK FOR SALE**—Wishing to reduce our stock we will sell for cash, 3 cows, 3 heifers due to calf next month; 3 steers, one year old; 10 ewes, 4 rams, bred if desired; 3 registered purebred horses, 2 colts. Can be seen Wednesday, Thursday and Friday week of October 25. Lonewater Farm, Nerepis, Kings Co.

**SALESMEN WANTED**  
 SALESMEN—Highest grade advertising line on the continent. Copyrighted designs in Calendars and specialties all manufactured and controlled exclusively by us. Entire new line—full of quick selling patriotic hits—ready for the opening of our thirty-second season December 26th. Permanent year round employment with vigorous and intelligent cooperation from the oldest and largest house in the business. Liberal commissions with weekly remittances. The constantly increasing yearly sales of our big organization demonstrates the possibilities of a successful career to men of selling ability and experience. Give age, experience and references first letter. Please state whether married or single and send photo if possible. The American Art Works, Coshocton, Ohio.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**  
 Notice is hereby given that the Light on the Black Point gas and whistling buoy is not burning. Will be relighted as soon as possible.  
 J. C. CHESLEY,  
 Agent Marine and Fisheries Dept. St. John, N. B., Nov. 14, 1918.

**NOTICE**  
**FURNITURE SALE AT RESIDENCE**  
 We are now prepared to bill orders for sales of household furniture at residence. Our experience in handling furniture enables us to get the highest prices for goods of this kind and it is important that you bill your sales as soon as possible to secure good dates.  
 F. L. POTTS,  
 Auctioneer and Real Estate Broker, c/o 96 Gormala Street.

**Baskatchewan Teachers' Agency**  
 Established 1910, 1861 Scarth, Regina, secures suitable schools for teachers. Highest salaries. Free Registration

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Around the City

RAIN OR SLEET

TENDERED SHOWER. A number of friends of Miss Dorothy Whipple called on her Tuesday evening and tendered the young lady with a shower as she is soon to be a practical in an interesting event. Her friends gathered at the home of Mrs. Arthur Botta, Whipple Row, where a very pleasant time was spent in games, music and dancing.

REPRESENTS ASSOCIATION. L. E. Oulmet, general manager of the Specialty Film Import, arrived in St. John on Tuesday. Mr. Oulmet is a vice-president of the Motion Picture Board of Trade of Toronto which is formed of all importers of films and was chosen to represent this association before the St. John city council. Mr. Oulmet stated that the Standard last evening that he did not wish to discuss the matter at present.

SYMPATHY EXPRESSED. The sympathy of many friends will be extended to Quartermaster Sergt. Harry, new in "Kenswood," and Mrs. Sellin, of 141 Brittain street, in the loss of their youngest son George James, aged three years, whose death occurred Tuesday evening. He leaves beside his parents, two brothers, Charles and Wellington, and one sister, Viola, all at home. The funeral will take place this afternoon from his parents' residence.

A PRETTY WEDDING. A pretty wedding took place last evening at the residence of David Foley 254 Duke street, when Douglas H. Cawley, of Penfield, was united in marriage to Miss Helen K., eldest daughter of Thomas Carroll of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. S. Crisp, in the presence of immediate friends. The couple were unattended, and the bride received many beautiful presents. Mr. and Mrs. Cawley will reside in Penfield, Charlotte County.

CONFERENCE HELD. A conference of the film men and the mayor was held yesterday afternoon at the office of the latter. L. E. Oulmet, representing the Picture Film Board of Trade of Toronto, presented the case for the film men. They ask that instead of being assessed on their gross income a license fee be charged. After a full discussion it was decided to take up the matter at the meeting of the council this morning and come to a decision in the matter.

SCHEDULE OF RATES. A meeting of the committee appointed by the Board of Trade to take up with the harbor commissioner the proposed schedule of rates was held yesterday afternoon at the office of Commissioner Bulcock. All intendants except the lumber have now been heard and the Commissioner will now prepare his revised schedule and expects to submit them to the council in a week or ten days. Commissioner Bulcock reports that he expects a prospective purchaser for the Ludlow to be in the city in a day or two to examine the boat.

GENERAL COURT MARTIAL. A general court martial will be held at Fredericton today at which there will appear for trial a Quartermaster Sergeant, a returned man, on the charge of desertion. The court martial will be conducted by Colonel W. C. Good, Major Bertram Smith, Major Cuthbert Donald, Major George Keefe and Major C. R. Merseur. The prosecution will be conducted by Captain R. M. Keswick, and Captain W. E. Logan will appear as Judge Advocate. A number of other officers will be in attendance for instructional purposes.

THE PRIZE WINNERS. There was a fair attendance at the Prentice Boys' Fair held at the West End last evening and the following are the prize winners: Door prize—Mrs. D. A. Gallivan, Bag-O-Tell—V. M. Joyce, Ladies' Excelsior—Mrs. D. A. Gallivan, Gent's Excelsior—Stuart McAfee, Bean Toss—Mrs. J. T. McCormack, Ring Toss—F. Wilson, Ladies' Air Gun—Mr. J. T. McCormack, Gent's Air Gun—R. Joyce, Ten Pins—Oscar Taylor, Nine Pins—B. Craft. The fair will be continued throughout the week.

THE ROYAL MAIL STEAM PACKET COMPANY APPRECIATES ITS N. B. CONNECTION. This company's London office have advised agents at St. John Messrs. William Thomson & Co., Limited, to apply for \$50,000 in the Victory Loan. Unfortunately the cable message has been delayed by congested wires, but nevertheless the New Brunswick committee are very glad to get this additional amount.

ALLAN J. LANDRY DEAD IN HALIFAX Was the Youngest Son of the Late Chief Justice Sir P. A. Landry—A Victim of the Flu.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, Nov. 20.—Word was received by friends here tonight of the death in Halifax of Allan J. Landry, youngest son of the late Sir Pierre A. Landry, of Dorchester. Death was due to pneumonia following an attack of influenza. Deceased was employed as government analyst at Halifax. He was a graduate of the University of New Brunswick, and McGill, and had also studied some time in Paris. He is survived by five brothers, Dr. L. R. Landry, of Moncton; Hector L. and John, barristers, at Edmonton; Harry, with the Royal Air Force, in France; William, Captain, of the Royal Air Force at Deseronto, and one sister, Mrs. William Poline, of Dorchester. Deceased was twenty-seven years old. The funeral will be held at 10 a.m. tomorrow.

AIRPLANE FACTORY TO OPERATE HERE

Captain B. M. Hay, Royal Air Force Officer, Expects to Have Machines on Trade Route Within Six Months.

"Within four months a factory manufacturing aeroplanes will be in operation in St. John and within six months aeroplanes will be operating on trade routes, carrying passengers and freight." This was the statement made to The Standard yesterday by Capt. B. M. Hay, late of the Royal Air Force, who is the moving force behind the proposition.

When asked about the matter Capt. Hay said it was true a company for the manufacture of aeroplanes, balloons and dirigible airships, had been formed and expected to start operations in a short time. Two or three sites for the factory were under consideration and a decision as to the one to be used would be made in a few days. Letters of incorporation had been applied for. Among the men who would be on the board of directors were S. E. Elkin, M. P., E. A. Schofield and Major S. S. Wetmore. Capt. J. R. Miller would act as secretary-treasurer and Dr. J. Roy Campbell, K. C., was solicitor for the company.

At present all parts of the aeroplanes with the exception of the engine would be manufactured here but eventually it was intended to manufacture the engines as well. In about four months the manufacture of the machines would commence and in six months they would be on the routes which had been already selected, carrying passengers and freight.

The company have bought the Canadian rights of the Avro Company, who built the first all British machine to be placed on the market, and if the permission of the parent company could be obtained the new company would be called the Canadian Avro Company. The Avro was first placed on the market in 1908. It was capable of carrying a load of ten tons, about one-third the capacity of the ordinary freight car, and could carry forty passengers. Dirigibles could be built that would carry fifty tons of freight.

Capt. Hay said the initial trade routes had already been chosen but until such time as the necessary quarters had been secured no public mention would be made of what they were. Speaking of the future of air traffic, Capt. Hay pointed out that it had passed beyond the experimental stage and that in Europe commercial routes were already established and making a success. Using airships for the carrying of freight and passengers saved time. For instance, Halifax, which was nine hours away by train could be reached by the air route in one hour and a half. New York or Montreal, practically twenty-four hours away by rail, were only four hours away by aeroplane and Vancouver instead of six days as required by the train.

WINTERPORT SEASON OPENS Steamers Montcalm and Tydens Arrived at Sand Point Yesterday—Two Other Ships Due Today.

The winter port season of 1918-19 opened yesterday with the arrival of the steamers Montcalm and Tydens. The Montcalm docked at No. 3 and Tydens at No. 2 and today the Holbrook and Dunbridge are due. The Holbrook will dock at No. 4 and the Dunbridge at No. 1. On Friday the Tunisian, the first mail steamer of the season, is due and she will dock at No. 6. These are all C. P. O. S. liners.

KING'S COLLEGE LAW SCHOOL Officers for Ensuing Year Elected Last Evening—Arthur Carten is President.

The students at King's College Law School held a meeting last evening in their rooms, Canterbury street. The meeting was called to elect the officers of the school for the ensuing year, as well as to discuss the probabilities of holding a debate in the near future. Discussion arose over the latter, but on account of the absence of a number of the students a full meeting was decided to call a full meeting of the students in the near future to discuss the latter issue. The election of officers then ensued resulting as follows: President, Arthur Carten; vice-president, J. Francis Frauley; secretary-treasurer, E. Chambers; editor of the College Paper, E. Hewson. Each of the officers elected made a neat speech, thanking their fellow students for the confidence which they placed in them, and Dame Rimor says that the officers elected last evening ensure that the coming year of King's College Law School will be up to the average of all former years, and it may be that activities in that year will surpass all previous reports. This is the "Ainsi Soit Il" of the present students.

GIANTS RECEIVE THE SILVER CUP

Presentation by Commissioner McLellan to West Side Ball Champions Last Night—Prizes Offered for Next Year.

Last night was a gala occasion for the West Side Base Ball League, and especially so for the Giants, who were made the recipients of a fine silver cup by Commissioner McLellan in the assembly hall of No. 7 Engine House. In presenting the cup to the winners of the West Side League series, Commissioner McLellan spoke a few words of appreciation to the Giants for their close team work and hard efforts which were instrumental in their winning the series, and he referred to the Courtneys who, he said, took their defeat like good sports.

Commissioner McLellan stated that he regarded baseball, bowling, football and curling as the four cleanest sports, as they went a long way in stamping out ruffianism and rowdiness, which would otherwise prevail. Every healthy young man generation more steam that he can normally throw off, so that this surplus must be got rid of either by acts of rowdiness or by engaging in some clean sport.

He stated that as far as the West Side playgrounds were concerned he was prepared to see through a proper baseball and athletic ground, as he believed that each portion of the city was entitled to playgrounds. The athletic field on the West Side could be put into shape with little expense and inconvenience. While congratulating the winners he also congratulated the losers because they were good sports whether they won or lost. The cheapest money spent by any city is the money spent on playgrounds.

One statement made by Commissioner McLellan elicited vigorous applause from his hearers. He stated that as long as the West Side league was in existence he would be very glad to donate a cup every year to the winning team and, naming that the room was minus a piano, he added that he would see that a piano was installed for the year for the use of the members of the league.

In closing he spoke of the splendid work of Capt. Jack White of the Giants, and Capt. Edward Ramsey of the Courtneys, and their efficiency in managing their respective teams. Capt. White accepted the cup on behalf of the Giants and, in a neat speech, spoke his appreciation. Capt. Ramsey spoke, congratulating the Giants on the honor conferred on them, and Commissioner Hilyard, who was present, made a short address of congratulation. Chief Clarke, of the West Side Fire Department, made an interesting announcement, when he stated that he would offer a prize next year to the team having the best batting average.

During the evening a splendid impromptu programme given by those in the gathering was enjoyed, as follows: Solo, Robert Johnson, Edward Tobin, Jr., Edward Ramsey, Timothy Donovan, Walter Ring, Joseph Murphy, Michael Morrissey, Dennis O'Keefe, Walter Gray, Andrew O'Brien, Colby Gardner; step dance, Reginald Tobin. During a ten minute interval between the numbers the phonograph was pressed into service. At the conclusion of the programme refreshments were served, Walter Gray of No. 7 Engine House acting as the head waiter, and he was ably assisted by Dennis O'Keefe. After a general sing-song the gathering broke up with the expectation of another social evening soon.

Genial Jack Haley acted as chairman, and master of ceremonies during the evening, and he performed his duties to the satisfaction of everyone.

THE AMBULANCE AND THE PATIENTS Young Lady of V. A. D. Gives Further Details in Manner Some Sick Persons Were Handled.

In reference to the statement made in The Standard on Wednesday morning regarding the method in which influenza patients are conveyed to the hospital, the young lady, a volunteer nurse, states that she was obliged to leave the family of seven patients, after the mother and three children had been conveyed to the hospital, but that a kind neighbor remained to assist the father, the sick nurse, and one child into the ambulance. When the driver returned from the first trip it was necessary to dress the man, whose temperature had that morning dropped from 103 to 100 degrees, and then he had to walk down the long flight of stairs and into the ambulance. It was raining, and it is said that when he got into the ambulance he practically fainted. When the driver arrived with the ambulance he was asked where was his assistant, and he replied that he had no assistant, and that the patients had to walk. The young V. A. D. and another volunteer carried the mother out to the head of the stairs on the stretcher, when fortunately a man arrived who helped the driver carry the stretcher down the stairs. The young lady, who had so bravely gone to the assistance of this family, who were in such deep distress, and had spent the time from nine o'clock at night until three o'clock the next day attending to the sick people, said it was very hard to work over patients to try to save their lives and then to find that they must walk out into the pouring rain to be taken to the hospital.

Mrs. Grover C. Dykeman (nee Currie) will be home to her friends on Thursday and Friday of this week from 2 to 5 p. m. at her home Upper James.

BACK TO CIVILES FOR THE SOLDIERS

Ninth Siege Battery May Demobilize Today—Men Will be Discharged Tomorrow—The Depot Battalion Follows.

Today may see many of the members of the Ninth Siege Battery in the civiles, according to the information given out yesterday at military headquarters. Tomorrow marks the big day when most of the boys in the overseas section of this unit will be granted discharge from the service. The preliminary instructions regarding demobilization have been received at this centre, and everything is in readiness to dispatch the several units at quick notice, when such orders are received from Ottawa.

Colonel Aulman, Inspector of Artillery, with headquarters at the sister city, accompanied by Major Gibson, Inspector of Ordnance, reached the city yesterday, and made an inspection of the quarters at the Barrage Island—that of the Ninth Siege Battery. Such inspection, it is understood, however, did not hinge on the proposed demobilization of the battery. It is further understood that the Depot Battalion will in all probability be the next unit to be demobilized, when the Seventh Canadian Garrison unit will be reconstituted in comfortable quarters of the Depot Battalion.

RETURNED MAN'S STRONG OBJECTION

Sgt. Gosline's Wife Had Been Entertained by Andrew Hazlett—Latter's Life Threatened by the Soldier.

Sergeant Fred Gosline appeared in the police court yesterday to answer the charge of threatening the life of Andrew W. Hazlett, a returned man. Mrs. Hazlett testified that the defendant came to her residence on Adelaide street last Saturday night and had been with her husband, saying at the same time he intended taking her husband's life if he ever caught him on the street again with his, defendant's wife.

Mrs. Hazlett testified that on the information received from his wife he laid the charge against the defendant, acknowledging at the same time that he had been to dances with the wife of the defendant and had frequently visited her in the absence of her husband at the front, being there to help her in her business affairs. The defendant was then bound over to keep the peace at the conclusion of the evidence.

CITIZENS MUST ANSWER QUESTIONS

Robert Brown Was Fined \$40 for Threatening to Strike District Commissioner Arthurs.

That the questions of the district commissioner must be answered was found out by Robert Brown yesterday when in the police court a fine of \$40 was struck but allowed to stand. On Saturday morning Commissioner J. E. Arthurs called at the home of Mr. Brown and asked for the information required by the law. Mr. Brown, according to the testimony of Mr. Arthurs, called him "cheap guy" and threatened to hit him. The magistrate fined Mr. Brown \$40 but allowed the fine to stand. Chairman Olive of the Board of Assessors in speaking of the incident has it was the intention of the board to carry out the law and those refusing to give the necessary information would be dealt with according to the law.

LOG CABIN CLUB ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Log Cabin Fishing Club, Ltd., was held last evening at the Charlotte street. From the treasurer's report the club was shown to be in good financial standing. The following directors were elected: W. F. B. Paterson, C. A. Gurney, E. W. Paul, K. J. MacRae, J. H. Noble, W. A. Ganter, George M. Dunlavy. After the meeting the directors met and elected the officers as follows: President, W. F. B. Paterson. Vice-President, George M. Dunlavy. Sec.-Treasurer, E. W. Paul. Committee of management, W. F. Paterson, J. H. Noble, W. A. Ganter. Auditors for the year, John Ross and C. A. Gurney.

THIS YEAR EVERYTHING POINTS TO CELEBRATING A GOOD OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS.

Many homes have been planning to make this year a holiday celebration take the shape of a good old-fashioned Christmas. Practically the war is over. The cause of right and justice has triumphed, so surely that there never was a time when Christmas could be more enthusiastically celebrated than this year. To that end hundreds of people are already busied in their Christmas and gift shopping. "Dykeman's" never was a better Christmas store than it is today. Christmas stocks are here full and fine and the store organization, in training and enthusiasm, is keyed up to carry out Christmas idea, which is to make gift shopping at Dykeman's always pleasant and satisfying. Make up your list now, and start your shopping now. The store is prepared to give you such Christmas service as it has never before, and those who can shop early will find that morning hours have special advantage all their own. Dykeman's, the store with the Christmas spirit.

Dreadnaught Tire Chains advertisement with image of a tire chain and text: "although they cost you less than some other kinds, they are made to a quality standard that is unexcelled, without regard to price. IMPERIAL GRIPS are excellent value, and are highly recommended for light cars. AVOID FROZEN RADIATORS. Johnson's Freeze-Proof positively prevents frozen radiators. It won't evaporate, is harmless to radiators, and won't corrode metal. ONE APPLICATION DOES THE TRICK. Motor Car Supply Dept., First Floor. W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD."

22nd ANNIVERSARY advertisement for Marr Millinery Co., Limited. Text: "Anniversary Sale in progress throughout the store. Super sale, super values in Millinery that is new, up-to-date and just what the ladies require and desire for present and winter wear. You will have to see these hats to realize the variety and importance of the saving opportunities of this sale. SEE OUR SUPER SALE VALUES TODAY. Trimmed Velvet Hats \$2.50. Tailored Felt Hats 75 cts. Trimmed Made Velvet and Chenille Hats \$3.00, \$5.00, \$7.00. Tailored Velvet Hats \$1.00. All Hats on Sale—Most Remarkable Bargains. Marr Millinery Co., Limited"

Safety Razors advertisement for Emerson & Fisher Ltd. Text: "For a smooth, safe shave use a Safety Razor. You can enjoy the comforts of self shaving without a possible chance of even scratching yourself. Gillette Safety Razors. Auto Strop Safety Razors. Star Safety Razors. Extra Blades, Automatic Stoppers, Razors, Shaving Soap, Shaving Brushes. Emerson & Fisher Ltd. STORES OPEN AT 8.30 A.M. CLOSE AT 6 P.M. SATURDAY, 10 P.M."

Already the Christmas Spirit Is in Evidence advertisement for MRA. Text: "Come in and see where you can find so many PRACTICAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS. Our Christmas Room is now open and in full swing, ready with everything our small boys and girls have been writing for on those long lists to Old Saint Nick. We have DOLLS of all kinds, Big Ones and Little Ones, Dressed and Undressed, and some regular beauties with real hair, also Unbreakable Dolls and the prices range from 25c. to \$6.00. Then there are TOYS of all descriptions, PONY CARS with paddies, in three sizes, at \$2.75, \$3.75 and \$4.00. SANDY ANDYS at \$1.25 and \$2; Automatic Sand Cranes at \$2; Tom Twists at 45c; Bizzy Andy Trip Hammer at 90c; Pile Drivers at \$2; Construction Toys at \$6.50; and Games, Books, Blocks, Toy Dishes, Pencil Boxes, Work Baskets and other delights too numerous to mention. For the Grown up Boys and Girls there are Ornaments from 40c. to \$3.50 each. Mahogany Smoking Stands, from \$1.75 to \$3.50; Trays from \$1.75 to \$4.75; candle Sticks, Brass Jardinieres and a great variety of Framed Pictures. CHRISTMAS DEPT.—GERMAIN STREET."

Many Beautiful Gifts Await Your Selection in the Art Room advertisement for Manchester Robertson Allison Limited. Text: "Handsome Electric Lamps for Living Room, Drawing Room, Library and Boudoir. Mahogany Clocks, Sewing Stands, Book Racks, Smoking Stands, Nut Bowls, Serving Trays, Photo Frames, and Candlesticks, Brass Jardinieres, Umbrella Stands, Serving Trays, Smoking Sets, Kettles and Dinner Gongs. Cut Glass Vases, Compotes, Nappies, Baskets and many beautiful designs in Frappe Glasses, Silver Services, Bakers, Fern Dishes, Casseroles, Vases, Sandwich Trays, Pie Plates and Community Silver in "Patrician," "Georgian" and "Sheraton" patterns. Ivory Toilet and Manicure Sets, Hair Receivers, Puff Boxes, Jewel Cases, Clocks, Hat Brushes, Candlesticks, Trays, and Photo Frames, Scrap Baskets, Puff Boxes, Hair Receivers, Handkerchief and Glove Boxes, Portfolios and Tie Racks, Eight Stock Patterns in Limoges China. Bargain Sale Thursday of Slightly Damaged Blankets. These Blankets are of very soft warm plaid velour. The colors are pretty shades of Pink, Fawn and Gray. BIG BARGAINS AT \$2, \$3 and \$3.75 PER BLANKET. Also a few pairs of slightly soiled blankets to be sold at very special prices. HOUSE FURNISHING DEPT.—2ND FLOOR. Refer to Page 3 for Sale of Men's and Boys' Clothing."

Manchester Robertson Allison Limited advertisement with address: KING STREET, GERMAIN STREET, MARKET SQUARE.

THREE HANDY THINGS TO HAVE ABOUT THE HOUSE THESE DAYS advertisement for D. Magee's Sons Ltd. Text: "A CAP: Your cap purchases need not be flavoured with caution here. Good Caps from \$1.00 to \$4.50. GLOVES: Everything in gloves. Capes, Suedes, Mochas, Woolen, Pigskin, Buckskin. From \$1.25 to \$8.00. AN UMBRELLA: You surely can buy Umbrellas here for every price mostly. \$3.00 up—or down. YOU'LL BE GLAD WE REMINDED YOU LATER. D. MAGEE'S SONS LTD. EVER SINCE 1859. 63 King Street, St. John, N.B."