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REPORT SAYS THE RUSSIANS HAVE OCCUPIED CZERNOWITZ

Capture of Dobronovtze Gives Color to Rumor That Czar's Men Have Occupied Capital of Bukovina—Austrians Rally Forces and Fight Stubbornly, but Unable to Check Russian Steam Roller—Germans May Launch Drive in Northern Section in Hope of Offsetting Russian Successes in South.

DRAW TEETH OF PRESENT GREEK GOV'T

Expected in Athens Allies will Demand Demobilization and New Head of Police Department.

Athens, June 12, via London—There is a divergence of opinion here over the holding up by the Entente governments of the presentation to Greece of their conditions on which the blockade will be raised. They probably will be presented tomorrow. It is believed that the conditions will call for a demobilization of the Greek army, and a change in the chief of police, thus drawing the teeth of the present government.

The American legation is being bombarded by protests from American business representatives in all parts of Greece against the blockade. Tobacco valued at \$2,500,000, belonging to American firms, is being held up at Kavala.

40 RECRUITS AT AMHERST LAST WEEK

Cumberland County, N. S., Making Splendid Showing—Gen. Hughes Inspects 150th French Battalion.

Amherst, June 12.—While recruiting may be slow in other portions of the Maritime Provinces, no fault can be found with Amherst and Cumberland county in this respect. Despite the fact that nearly three thousand men have enlisted from the population of forty thousand, exclusive of men on home service duty, more are still coming forward. Today's returns from the recruiting office by Major W. A. Fillmore gave the fact that forty men enrolled last week for the cause of King and country. Thirty of these men signed on for active service. The remaining ten are entering the detention camp as guards to the German prisoners. On the previous week over twenty men joined the colors.

Gen. Hughes Reviews the 150th Battalion.

Arriving in Amherst at six o'clock this P. M. General Sir Sam Hughes reviewed the 150th French-Canadian Battalion, under the command of Lieut.-Col. Barre, in the midst of a driving rain storm. Sir Sam, who was accompanied by General Benson, Adjutant General Winters, and Major Jones, of Halifax, was received with a general salute, by the assembled nine hundred men and officers, who were drawn up in two lines upon Station street.

Speaking to Lieut.-Col. Barre, the head of the military department announced himself to be perfectly satisfied with the 150th.

"I have heard much about your battalion, and considering the short time that your men and officers have been under arms, find myself agreeably surprised with the speedy proficiency in mastering the initial arts of warfare."

AUSTRIANS IN REREAT BEFORE RUSSIANS AT SEVERAL POINTS

Gen. Brusiloff's Offensive Still Unchecked, Although Enemy Counter-attacked Fiercely—1,700 Officers and 114,000 Men Captured to Date by Russians.

Petrograd, via London, June 12.—A rumor is in circulation here that the Russians have occupied Czernowitz, capital of the Austrian crown land of Bukovina.

The rumor lacks official confirmation, but it has been given color by the capture of Dobronovtze, a commanding point ten miles to the northeast. The Russian line here extends to Okna. From both these points good roads lead direct to Czernowitz, and, according to military authorities, they are the only points in this direction capable of defence.

A telegram received from Bucharest, Roumania, says the Austrian army has evacuated Czernowitz and moved to a line four miles to the west.

The continued successes of the Russians, recorded in today's official communication, are the more surprising as the Austrians, after the first shock of the Russian advance, appeared to have rallied their forces and offered extremely stubborn resistance. This is indicated by the fact that they were able to mass sufficient forces in the vicinity of Kolki, north of Lutsk, to cause the Russians to retire across the Stry river.

Not only here, but at other points of the Volynian front, furious counter-attacks characterized the last 40 hours of fighting, but without being able to check, except momentarily, the force of the Russian advance.

It is not believed here that the Germans are sending many troops to aid the Austrians. It is pointed out that only in one instance—during Russia's spectacular Carpathian campaign—did Germany send any large number of men to the relief of the Austrians. Instead it has always been their practice to undertake an offensive on some other line in an endeavor to draw off the Russians. It is the opinion of observers here that it is not improbable the Germans are more likely to attempt an offensive on the northern section of the Russian front than to risk weakening their lines by detaching any number of men for the purpose of stiffening the Austrian defence.

Prisoners Total More Than 114,000.

Petrograd, via London, June 12.—The number of Austrians captured by the Russians in the new offensive operations have been increased to more than 114,000. In many sectors of the front, the statement says the Russians are still pursuing defeated Austrians. The statement follows:

"Owing to storms in South Russia and consequent temporary rupture of telegraphic communication, reports are delayed and news of our armies is restricted. Nevertheless, it is confirmed that Gen. Brusiloff's offensive continued yesterday. In many sectors of the front we are still pursuing the defeated Austrians and in some places we attacked him hotly. He counter-attacked with desperation. "The total of our prisoners now amounts to 1,700 officers and 113,000 men."

The following details of the fighting have been received:

"In the course of the engagement near Rejtche (on the Stry, near Lutsk) mentioned yesterday, one of our recently formed elements captured eighteen officers and 1,185 German soldiers and twenty-six officers and 742 Austrian soldiers, as compared with the round figuring of 2,000 given yesterday. South of Lutsk, on the Ikyva front, the enemy beat a hasty retreat. We are pressing closely on his heels.

German Troops Taking Part. "In Galicia in the region of the villages of Ghidji and Verobivka, north of Tarnopol, the enemy attacked repeatedly and furiously, but was repulsed on the morning of the 11th. In this section our artillery distinguished itself by sustained gusts of fire with which it met all the enemy's attacks.

"In the region of Bobulintse, to the north of Buczacz, the Austrians, assisted by German forces brought to this region, desperately opposed us with a series of counter-attacks, to which our troops replied by further attacks, but were forced to give ground a little at this point. The fighting continues with ever increasing desperation. In the region south of the Dniester our troops were yesterday already near the Zaleszczyk bridgehead, fighting for the suburbs of Czernowitz, where heavy explosions were observed. The enemy

blew up a bridge near the village of Mahaly, east of Czernowitz. "The total number of prisoners made by General Lechitzky is 20,000, all belonging to Hungarian infantry and cavalry.

"On the right wing of the Riga fortress the Germans opened an offensive north of the Tirul marsh and were repulsed after which our troops made a fresh advance.

"On the whole front of the Jacobstads positions, on the morning of the 11th, the Germans opened a sudden violent artillery and rifle fire. Enemy columns then began to advance at some places, but everywhere were driven back to their trenches by our fire.

"On the night of the 11th, strong German forces, after artillery preparation, took the offensive south of Drisvity, but in the face of our concentrated fire were obliged to retire. "In the region south of Krevo the enemy on the night of the 11th opened a violent artillery fire and then took the offensive with considerable forces. South of the village of Kotschany enemy detachments succeeded in penetrating the wood west of Kotschany, but under our artillery fire and a hail of hand grenades were compelled to evacuate the greater part of the wood.

"On the banks of the Jastoldia river we repulsed an enemy offensive. "Caucases front: The situation is unchanged."

THE ITALIAN FORGES PUSH FORWARD

Brilliant Work by Two Infantry Units in Face of Superior Numbers of the Enemy.

Rome, via London, June 12.—A continued advance by the Italians in the Arsa Valley, in the Pustico sector, and along the Postina-Astico line, in the southern Tyrol, was announced by the war office in tonight's official statement.

The text of the statement follows: "In the Caonina Valley and in the Giudicaria Valley there have been artillery duels and skirmishes between small detachments.

"In the Campina Valley the enemy strongly bombarded our positions at Conto Gogna.

"In the Val D'Avia and Pustico sector and along the Postina-Astico our infantry yesterday continued to advance, although hampered by violent artillery fire and in the higher some by snow and gales.

"Two enemy counter-attacks in the direction of Forni, and in the Campina zone, were repulsed with very heavy enemy losses.

"On the plateau of Setti Communi, southwest of Asiago, our advance detachments, having passed the Canaglia Valley, pressed on towards the southern slopes of Monte Condo and towards Monte Marco and Monte Busbollo.

"Later details show a brilliant success for our artillery in the fighting of June 10 on Monte Lomero. Our valiant Forty-third and Forty-fourth Forth Infantry bravely sustained the assaults of enemy masses which succeeded in reaching our positions, but were dispersed and pursued at the point of the bayonet.

"In the Supana Valley, we advanced toward the Maso torrent, repelling two counter-attacks near Scurelle.

"Along the remainder of the front there have been artillery duels and bombing activity.

"Enemy airmen dropped bombs on the Vienna military hospital, and on Trieste, Venice and Mestre, causing little damage."

GEN. HUGHES AT DALHOUSIE

Inspects Company of the 132nd and Compliments Men—Takes Newly Caught Salmon as a Souvenir.

ROOSEVELT NOT TALKING

Refuses to Talk on the Political Situation when Questioned by Newspaper Men.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., June 12.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt remained secluded at his home on Sagamore Hill today except for a two hour horse back ride, which he took this afternoon with Mrs. Roosevelt. A newspaper man, on watch for him on his return asked if he had anything to say in regard to the political situation.

"Nothing at all, sir," he replied, "nothing of any kind."

MORE LIGHT THROWN ON THE ELUSIVE "ROGERS"

Lt.-Col. C. Seymour Bullock Hits Straight From The Shoulder and Aims His Blow At F. B. Carvell.

Officer Commanding 237th Overseas Battalion Repeats Startling Story he Told to Ottawa Free Press and Supports it by Copies of Affidavits from Man Concerned—What Part Did Carvell and Kyte Play in this Plot?

Lieut. Col. C. Seymour Bullock, officer commanding the 237th Overseas Battalion of the Canadian Expeditionary Force, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Digby and Halifax and will be here today.

Col. Bullock was last in St. John on June 6th and in calling attention the following morning to his visit 'The Standard' recalled that he had given an interview to the Ottawa Free Press in which he shed some light on the methods pursued by the promoters of the fuse charges in their search for evidence against Sir Sam Hughes and the Shell Committee.

The Times at once jumped to the front with a miserable and scurrilous attack upon Col. Bullock, in the course of which it intimated that he had come to New Brunswick "with a chip on his military shoulder," that he had made unwarranted and unsubstantiated attacks against an "honored leader" of one of the great political parties, and altogether that he had gone beyond the duty of a soldier and was unworthy of confidence. It was the privilege of a Standard representative to present to Col. Bullock last evening a copy of the Times' attack and to ask him "What have you to say to that?"

Col. Bullock did not appear a bit frightened at having aroused the wrath of the purchasable Times, but said: "I shall go to the editor of that newspaper tomorrow and give him my explanation. As he attacked me after I had left the city he should at least give me the opportunity to reply. This, I am sure he will do as he is evidently a believer in the British ideal of fair play."

To 'The Standard', in amplification of his Ottawa interview, and in reply to the Times' statement that he had attempted to interrupt Mr. Carvell at the Moncton meeting, Col. Bullock said:

"In the first place let me say that I know next to nothing of persons or issues in New Brunswick's local or Dominion-wide politics, and at the present time I am engrossed in weightier matters; so I care even less. Whatever courtesy may have been shown me at the time of Mr. Carvell's meeting in Moncton, to which the Times refers, came, not because I was a Liberal or a Conservative, but because I was a stranger in that city waiting for my connecting train to carry me to Halifax where I was to report for duty.

"If my presence on the platform from which Mr. Carvell spoke was in any way disconcerting to him the blame should not be put to my charge. With what Mr. Carvell might or might not have to say at a meeting in connection with a bye-election campaign I had not the least concern.

"But when the Times charges that I gave circulation to scurrilous anonymous attacks upon Mr. Carvell I am concerned and must make my defence. That defence can best take the form of a recital of the simple facts concerning Mr. Rogers, which are as follows:

THE FACTS ABOUT ROGERS.

"When I returned from a trip to the Pacific Coast, during which I had launched the organization of two overseas battalions to be composed wholly of men born in the United States, or born of parents from the United States, I was met by Charles B. Rogers, who told me that he

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DRIVE AGAINST BRITISH LINE HAS STOPPED FOR TIME

No Infantry Attacks During 24 Hours and Operations Confined to Artillery and Mining—Thrusts at French Line Keep up but Futile in Face of French Curtain of Fire.

London, June 13.—The British official statement issued at midnight reads:

"There were no infantry actions in the past twenty-four hours. The operations were confined to artillery and mining. The most noticeable occurrence was a heavy mutual bombardment between Hill 60 and Hooge this afternoon.

"South of Loos and La Boisselle we effectively bombarded a hostile work with heavy artillery. Mining was especially active near the Neuville-St. Vaast-Loos salient. The weather was cold and rainy."

Drive Against French Line Continues. Paris, June 12.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads:

"On the right bank of the Meuse, after powerful artillery preparation, the Germans directed all day successive attacks against our positions north of Thiaumont fortification. Despite the importance of the objectives and the violence of the assaults our curtain of fire and the fire of our infantry everywhere stopped the enemy, whose losses were very serious. "The bombardment extended, besides, to the whole region west and south of Fort Vaux and to our second lines in the Southville-Tavannes sector.

"On the left bank an artillery action occurred in the region north of Chateaucourt, but no infantry action. "The usual cannonading was carried out on the rest of the front."

"The Belgian communication: "There was slight activity on the Belgian front."

DAY TURNED TO NIGHT BY SMOKE OF BATTLE

Antigonish Clergyman Eye-Witness of Part of Recent Fighting Near Ypres.

THUNDER OF THE ARTILLERY DEAFENING

Rev. Capt. MacDonald Conducted Parade Services at Cambridge on Sunday—Guest of Trinity College.

London, June 12.—The Rev. Captain R. C. McGillivray, of Antigonish, chaplain of an Ontario brigade, calls for Canada this week on a short leave of absence owing to his father's illness. He was an eye-witness at a distance of the great battle which lasted two days recently.

The thunder of the artillery was deafening, though some miles away, and a great cloud of smoke by day and fire by night, filled the sky.

Burials were impossible, but ambulances with stretcher bearers plied the line of barrage at great peril from time to time succeeded in getting many of the wounded to the base hospitals.

Captain McGillivray had a good word to say for the 22nd. He said the best of understanding prevailed between the officers and men, all having displayed great courage under very trying ordeals.

He also spoke of the warm appreciation of the Soldier's Gazette, and he said the men liked nothing better than to be kept informed of home doings. The men also were grateful for the tobacco from the Gazette tobacco fund and crowd around with expectant eyes when they see a keg of chewing tobacco.

Captain Stafford has once more gone to the front for duty, relieving Vice-Capt. Joskin, who had returned to England for hospital duty. Capt. Stafford states that the recent despatch making him a major was an error.

The Rev. Father W. B. Carleton of Ottawa has gone to the front.

The Rev. Captain MacDonald of New Brunswick conducted parade services at Cambridge yesterday, he being the guest of Trinity College.

The detailed story of the third battle of Ypres appears today in all London papers from representatives of the British headquarters, the story in the Daily Express, written by Major Beckles Wilson being a fine contribution.

The name of temporary Lieut. E. V. Sullivan, of St. Stephen, N. B., appears in the list of wounded. He was transferred from the Canadian contingent to the R.A.M.C. last July.

FAVOR MILITARY REGISTRATION.

Toronto, June 12.—The Toronto Methodist conference this afternoon, passed a resolution calling upon the Dominion government to establish national registration for military purposes and assume full responsibility for recruiting.

NO. 7 SIEGE BATTERY FROM ST. JOHN ARRIVED SAFELY IN ENGLAND

Ottawa, June 12.—It is officially announced, through the chief press censor's office, that the following troops have arrived safely in England:

38th Battalion, Ottawa; 88th Battalion, Calgary and Red Deer; 90th Battalion, Winnipeg; 92nd Battalion, Toronto; 93rd Battalion, London; 7th New Brunswick Siege Battery, St. John, draft and details.

CONFESSION OF THE MAN CHOSEN TO STEAL PRIVATE DOCUMENTS TO "GET" SIR SAM HUGHES

More Evidence Concerning That Grit Guerrilla Plot in Which it is Alleged Carvell, Kyte and Others Were Implicated--The Idea Was to Obtain Possession of Correspondence Which it Was Hoped Would Compromise Minister of Militia and Shell Committee--Affidavits of Charles B. Rogers and August J. Trost--Copies of Telegrams from Kyte and Carvell to the Man Who Confessed.

The affidavits to which Col. Bullock refers in his statement to the Standard are published herewith. They would seem to show the following serious facts:

1.—That there was a conspiracy with one C. B. Rogers to get possession by discreditable methods of confidential documents from a private file in a New York office.

2.—That Mr. Carvell is alleged to have been associated with such methods of obtaining evidence, by Mr. Goddard, head of the "Liberal Information Bureau," Ottawa, and by F. S. Markey, well known Liberal lawyer from Montreal, who was associated with Carvell before the Meredith-Duff Commission whose sessions closed on Friday last.

It has previously been stated that Mr. Carvell, in the course of his efforts to obtain evidence against the Shell Committee, actually enlisted the services of a law firm, whose head is not only a confessed German spy, but also an employee of Von Briesen, noted German-American agent of the Kaiser, but who is at the present time retained by Carl Buesz, head of the Hamburg-American line, indicted by the United States government for violating American neutrality in the interests of the Kaiser; and one of whose members is Isidor Kresel, an Austrian by birth, and who is reported to have been seriously involved in the disclosures which led to the recall of Dr. Duma, the Austrian ambassador from Washington. But this is another chapter in the story of Carvell's "fishing" trip in New York.

Following are the affidavits referred to: City and county of New York.

CHARLES B. ROGERS, being duly sworn, deposes and says: On or about April 12th I was in the city of Toronto and a guest at the Hotel Tremont, when I received a telephone communication from Mr. Carvell, member of parliament, requesting that I call and see him at the Ontario Club. I called at 9 a. m., and I went over and met Mr. Carvell at the Ontario Club and we had quite a conversation in regard to what I knew about the shell committee and its dealings with the American manufactory. He asked me what I knew about Mr. Craven, Mr. Youkam, General Sir Sam Hughes, Mr. Grant Hugh Browne, and did I know Lieutenant. He asked me did I know Mr. Browne and seemed to know that I knew him very well and asked me could I get correspondence between Mr. Browne and the shell committee, Allison and Hughes and others, and my reply was that I COULD get the correspondence. Mr. Carvell said that he had the Massey-Harris people to put in a bid to make fuses at \$3.50 and he did not see how the shell committee could have given the contract to an American concern who did not have any plant, at a price of \$4.25.

HE also said to me that THIS WAS A POLITICAL FIGHT, that Mr. Kyte and himself would bring the charges and do the showing up and that the public would do the rest. I may say that when I met Mr. Carvell he knew that I was in Toronto endeavoring to get an appointment as quartermaster with the rank of captain with one of the battalions that was then being organized, and he said to me early in the conversation: "If you will help us in this matter I will see that the commanding officer in Montreal takes care of you." He then suggested to me that I go to New York city and stop at a good hotel; he said that he stopped at the Belmont when in New York city, I told him that I preferred to stay at my home when in New York. He suggested that I leave as early as possible. I said that my home address and how I could be reached by telephone and he said that somebody would communicate with me. I left Toronto and came to New York.

In the afternoon of April 15th I received a telegram reading as follows: "Ottawa, Ont., April 15, 1916.

ROGERS. "G. of C. Brooklyn--Representative will call on you at address given presently." (Signed) KYTE.

On Friday, April 21st, about 4 p. m. I received a telephone communication requesting that I call at the Belmont Hotel and see Mr. Carvell between 8 and 11 p. m. I arrived at the Belmont about 9 o'clock and met Mr. Carvell and Goddard in the lobby of the hotel where we conversed along much the same lines as in Toronto. Mr. Carvell asked me if I had succeeded in getting the correspondence from Mr. Browne's office referred to in our conversation in Toronto, and I replied "no." They said they would be down again next week. Mr. Carvell then left the room, bag and baggage and went to Boston. Goddard stayed there and I went home.

On Sunday, April 23rd, I received a message from Mr. Goddard asking me to be at the Belmont hotel that evening at five o'clock. I arrived at the Belmont Hotel and went to his room. There was only a short conversation of no consequence except that he made the statement that "the officer commanding in Montreal would take care of me." This was the first that I knew that Mr. Goddard had knowledge of Mr. Carvell's promise to me regarding my military appointment. We left Mr. Goddard's room and he took me in a taxicab and drove to the Engineers' club. En route he explained to me that he wanted me to meet a gentleman at the Engineers' club and the reason he was going there was that he suspected being introduced to Mr. Markey, a lame man, who, I was given to understand, was a lawyer from Montreal.

Mr. Markey brought us into the library room and there we sat down. Mr. Goddard apparently had explained to Mr. Markey the negotiations that had been on between Messrs. Carvell, himself and me. Mr. Markey expressed himself as being quite disappointed that I had not yet been successful in getting the papers from Mr. Browne's office. The conversation drifted to general topics; he asked me what I knew about the private and public life of Allison, Youkam, General Hughes and members of his staff, the shell committee and others. I was not able to give him any information about them. After leaving the library we went down into the grill room where we had a drink, and when separating Mr. Markey impressed upon me the importance of getting the papers as THEY needed them badly. I went direct home leaving them at the door of the Engineers' club.

On the morning of April 29th I received a telephone communication from Mr. Goddard telling me to come to the Belmont hotel at 11.30 a. m.

I told him I would not be able to do that as I was going to Mr. Browne's office. He then said "we are going downtown; meet us in the lobby of the Equitable building near the telephone booths at eleven sharp."

At eleven a. m. I was in the lobby of the Equitable building near the telephone booths and met Mr. Carvell and Mr. Goddard. Mr. Carvell asked me if I knew a Captain Pease. I told him I had heard of him but did not know him personally. Mr. Carvell then asked me if I had got the papers yet. I told him "no." I telephoned Mr. Browne's office from the telephone booths above mentioned but Mr. Browne was not in. I went to 115 Broadway and arriving at the express elevator saw Mr. Markey, the gentleman I had met at the Engineers' club, standing there. He apparently saw me and did not speak. I waited for the next car and went up and on arriving at Mr. Browne's office found he was not yet there. His secretary was there but she was busy and I went home to lunch. After lunch I came back to 115 Broadway; I found no one there but August Trost and asked could I wash my hands. When I was leaving the office I had in my possession certain papers from a private file located in the washroom from the file marked "Shell." Before leaving the building I gave these papers into the possession of August Trost, a confidential clerk of Mr. Browne's.

Leaving 115 Broadway I went home and at six o'clock p. m. I went to the Belmont hotel and met Mr. Goddard and Mr. Carvell just coming out. Goddard said "We have no time to see you just now as we are taking a military man to the Cafe Des Beaux Arts to dinner. He then asked me if it was a good place to go and I told him it was as good a place as any in New York. He then asked me to be back at the hotel at ten o'clock when Mr. Carvell and Goddard would see me.

I had dinner and about nine p. m. was at the hotel and about ten o'clock Mr. Carvell and Mr. Goddard arrived. I went up to their room and they asked me if I had succeeded in getting the papers. I did not reply yes or no, but said there is nothing there. They seemed quite disappointed. Carvell told me to leave New York that night, go to Hamilton and notify either him or Mr. Kyte at Ottawa as to my exact whereabouts. I left from the Grand Central station at 11.30 p. m., Saturday, April 29th, arrived in Buffalo on Sunday afternoon and at Hamilton Monday morning and registered at the Royal Hotel. Monday morning I put in a telephone call for Mr. Kyte at the House of Parliament, Ottawa, and succeeded in getting Mr. Kyte some time later. He apparently was expecting to hear from me and I told him where I was stopping. He asked me how long I would be there and I told him, as per Mr. Carvell's instructions, until he communicated with me. He said "alright; stay there and you will hear from us."

From Monday, May 1st, until Saturday, May 6th, I held several conversations with Mr. Kyte and Mr. Carvell. I was speaking up and down from the Royal Hotel in Hamilton to the House of Parliament in Ottawa. Some of the conversations the charges were reversed and accepted by Mr. Carvell. I repeatedly asked them when they would send the representative to see me. Mr. Kyte told me to wait and I would hear from them later. On Saturday, May 6th, I received telegrams as follows: "Dear head telegram from Great Northwestern. "Ottawa, Ont., May 6th, 1916.

Charles E. Rogers. Royal Hotel, Hamilton: "Unless to telephone further. I gave you final answer in Belmont Hotel, New York, Saturday evening, April 29th." (Signed) CARVELL.

I left Hamilton and returned to New York. CHARLES B. ROGERS. Sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1916.

A. L. FERGUSON, Commissioner of Deeds, New York City, Residing in Manhattan; Term Expires Nov. 17th, 1916. N. Y. Co. No. 1025, N. Y. Co. Reg. No. 16092; Kings Co. No. 100 Kings Co. Reg. No. 6076; Bronx Co. No. 93, Bronx Co. Reg. No. 6083; Queens Co. No. 1107.

STATE OF NEW YORK. City and County of New York, ss: AUGUST J. TROST, being duly sworn, deposes and says: At about three o'clock on the afternoon of April 29th, 1916, while I was busy in the office of Grant Hugh Browne, on the eighteenth floor of No. 115 Broadway, Charles B. Rogers came in. He had called on the telephone about a half an hour before that and asked me to wait and said that he had SOMETHING VERY IMPORTANT that he wished to see me about. He was very pleasant and when he came in invited me to go down stairs and have a drink with him, which I declined. After a while he said his hands were very dirty and asked if he could wash them. I told him where to go and after he had been in the wash-room a long time, I began to wonder what he was doing, but kept on with my work and paid little attention to him. He came out after awhile and his coat was bulging out on the sides, so far that I became very suspicious. I asked him if he was carrying chickens around with him and if he would let me see them. He passed it off as a joke and went out. I became nervous and followed him. Instead of going down in the elevator he started to walk down stairs. I caught him at the fourth floor and asked him to let me see what he had in his pockets. He said it was A BUNDLE OF BRITISH DOCUMENTS. I wanted to see them and insisted, but he acted as if he was drunk. He wanted me to go down to the National Surety company with him and he said he would show me what he had. I suppose this was to impress me but I did not see where I was wrong, so I stuck to him. We went into the National Surety company's suite on the tenth floor, that is, into a little filing room at the stair entrance. I thought he was going to fight me, but after a while he dove down into his pockets and took out four or five folders. He wanted to look at them, but I would not let him. He finally laid them down and I picked them up and put them into my pockets. I was sure he had more, but not how many more, and I asked him for the rest. After a lot of talk he gave me everything he had. I now have every folder he took. They were the "Shell" folders, as follows:—

S-1-C to S-4-C (inclusive). S-6-C to S-11-C (inclusive).

I stuck to him for quite a while after that and even succeeded in getting him to come back to the office to make sure that he had nothing more. He then wanted to know what I was going to do about it. I told him that I would tell everything to Mr. Browne, and he said he would get me into trouble if I did so; that he would call up the British embassy if I did not change my mind. I sat down and wrote a note to Mr. Browne telling him what had happened and what Rogers wanted to do. I thought Rogers might want to make it unpleasant for me and that is why I wrote at once. He tried to telephone to the British embassy, but he did not succeed in getting them. I made up my mind that he was trying to bluff me, and I became angry and told him to get out of the office. He went away expressing himself about Mr. Browne, but not in a very distinct manner. I then telephoned Mr. Browne in Goshen, and told him the whole business, because I thought the affair might be much deeper than I could comprehend and that Mr. Browne ought to know about it as soon as possible so that he could do what he saw fit. I am sorry that this should have happened while I was alone, because I feel that I might be accused of carelessness, but am glad that he did not succeed in getting away with anything.

AUGUST J. TROST. Witnesses: E. H. Todd and Dennis Quigley. Sworn to before me this 16th day of May, 1916. CLAYTON M. HEISLER.

Notary Public, Bronx County, No. 51. Certificate filed in New York County, No. 290. Bronx County Register's No. 841. New York County Register's No. 8247. Commission Expires March 30, 1916.

SPEEDING UP MACHINERY FOR EXAMINING MAIL

Delays About Which American Gov't Protested Due to Poor System Which Has Now Been Greatly Improved.

London, June 12.—Delays in the examination of mail which are due to faults in administration have been corrected, according to the British foreign office, which is working in conjunction with the French government in the preparation of a reply to the American note on the subject. The framing of this reply is likely to take some time, as a number of specific details set forth in the American note must be investigated.

However, the authorities of the foreign office feel that the chief American complaints are due to the application of the principle involved, rather than to any divergence of opinion as to the right of the Allies to examine mails; and that the specific instances lie in the past.

At present, mails taken to Kirewall require from four to five days for examination and forwarding while those taken to Palmyra go through the process in a shorter time.

Except for the very brief summary cabled at the time the American note was made public in Washington, none of its contents has yet been published in England.

PREMIER BORDEN ACCEPTS RESIGNATION OF SPEAKER LANDRY

Ottawa, June 12.—Sir Robert Borden's letter to Senator P. A. Landry, in which the latter's resignation as speaker of the senate was accepted by the Prime Minister is a short but interesting document, and, as he said, he could get no satisfaction out of the government on the bilingual school issue.

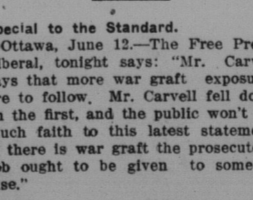
His resignation was "a public and sincere protest," as he stated in his letter, to Sir Robert Borden, "against the doctrine of the non-intervention of the federal authorities which has alarming effects as much on the future of the country as on the future of the race."

He stated that he wished to give all his time to the bilingual school cause and "as a protest against all those whose love for power gives them indifference or who are kept in a false security by ministerial favors."

Premier's Reply. Sir Robert Borden accepted Speaker Landry's resignation in the following letter: "My Dear Senator Landry: I beg to acknowledge your letter of the 11th inst., which has just reached me upon my return to Ottawa. You will pardon me if I feel called upon to comment on the statements in your letter, many of which I do not consider either just or well founded. Under the circumstances I have no hesitation in accepting your resignation as speaker of the senate."

AFTER LAST FAILURE CARVELL'S NEW THREATS WON'T CARRY MUCH WEIGHT

Ottawa, June 12.—The Free Press, Liberal, tonight says: "Mr. Carvell says that more war graft exposures are to follow. Mr. Carvell fell down on the first, and the public won't pin much faith to this latest statement. If there is war graft the prosecutor's job ought to be given to someone else."



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Statement of Liabilities and Assets at 29th April, 1916.

LIABILITIES.	
1. To the Shareholders:	
Capital Stock paid in	\$ 7,000,000.00
Rest or Reserve Fund	7,000,000.00
Dividends declared and unpaid	175,542.50
Balance of Profits as per Profit and Loss Account submitted herewith	250,984.12
	\$14,426,526.62
2. To the Public:	
Notes of the Bank in Circulation	\$ 7,486,906.00
Deposits not bearing interest	17,181,959.18
Deposits bearing interest (including interest accrued date of statement)	54,995,069.97
Balances due to other Banks in Canada	363,799.39
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents in the United Kingdom and foreign countries	877,399.91
Bills payable	877,399.91
Balances due to Banks and Banking Correspondents in the United Kingdom not included in the foregoing	—
	\$96,361,363.07

ASSETS.	
Current Coin held	\$ 3,681,854.13
Deposit in the Central Gold Reserve	1,000,000.00
Dominion Notes held	8,186,240.25
Notes of other Banks	702,006.00
Cheques on other Banks	2,754,968.95
Balances due by other Banks in Canada	2,554.32
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents in the United Kingdom	207,226.65
Balances due by Banks and Banking Correspondents elsewhere than in Canada and the United Kingdom (in U.S. \$3,839,597.24)	3,892,026.83
Dominion and Provincial Government securities not exceeding market value	2,480,446.72
Canadian Municipal Securities, and British, Foreign and Colonial public securities other than Canadian	5,251,321.38
Railway and other Bonds, Debentures and Stocks, not exceeding market value	5,655,106.27
Call Loans in Canada on Bonds, Debentures and Stocks	5,175,048.49
Call Loans elsewhere than in Canada	2,651,044.32
	\$40,960,486.94

Other Current Loans and Discounts in Canada (less rebate of interest) 48,835,565.38
Other Current Loans and Discounts elsewhere than in Canada (less rebate of interest) 203,125.72
Liabilities of customers under letters of credit as per contracts 1,029,702.00
Real Estate other than bank premises 177,186.29
Overdue debts (estimated loss provided for) 164,363.18
Bank Premises, at not more than cost, less amounts written off 4,507,782.34
Deposit with the Minister for the purposes of the Circulation Fund 345,000.00
Other Assets not included in the foregoing 138,151.32
\$96,361,363.07

K. W. BLACKWELL, Vice-President. E. F. HERBEN, General Manager.

Report of the Auditors to the Shareholders of the Merchants Bank of Canada.

In accordance with the provisions of Sub-sections 19 and 20 of Section 56 of the Bank Act, we report to the Shareholders as follows: We have examined the above Balance Sheet with the Books of Account and other records of the Bank at the Chief Office and with the signed returns from the Branches and Agencies. We have checked the cash and verified the securities of the Bank at the Chief Office and at a different time during the year, and found them to agree with such entries. We have also attended at some of the Branches during the year and checked the cash and verified the securities held at the dates of our attendance and found them to agree with the entries in the books of the Bank with regard thereto. We have obtained all the information and explanations we have required. In our opinion the transactions of the Bank which have come under our notice have been made in the powers of the Bank, and the above Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Bank's affairs according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us and as shown by the books of the Bank.

VIVIAN HARCOURT, of Deloitte, Pender, Griffin & Co., Auditors. J. REID HYDE, of Macintosh & Hyde. Montreal, 22nd May, 1916.

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MEN HAVE IMPORTANT DUTY TO PERFORM

Natural Production must be as Great as Possible. Mr. White Declares, if Canada is to do her Part.

The Standard, June 12.—The Minister of Agriculture today expressed to the press that it was in the highest degree important that the agricultural production of Canada should be as possible this year and that efforts should be made to that effect. Canada's ability to support the war rests upon her ability to credit both at home and abroad in large measure.

Efforts to increase the agricultural production of Canada at this time of the year is a patriotic effort in the strictest sense of the term, is opinion of the Minister.

AROSTOOK

Book Jct., June 10—Officers of the 140th Battalion, total in 3 platoons, under the command of Captain E. E. Smith, marched from barracks at Andover at 7.10 p. m. yesterday, and reached Aroostook in 1 hour 15 minutes, the distance being 6 miles.

The morning baseball match at the house of the C. P. R. officers, and at noon, officers and men were paraded by their officers at the Union Church, where dinner had been prepared for the Aroostook Red Cross. After dinner, sports of various kinds were indulged in, and a very smart game of boxing was given by J. J. MacDonald, who gave an exhibition of his skill by boxing with another, disposing of his opponents in short order.

After sports were over, the Red Cross gave another exhibition of their skill, to the immense satisfaction of the visitors, and after the men were paraded by their officers at the Union Church, where dinner had been prepared for the Aroostook Red Cross. After dinner, sports of various kinds were indulged in, and a very smart game of boxing was given by J. J. MacDonald, who gave an exhibition of his skill by boxing with another, disposing of his opponents in short order.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, JUNE 13, 1916.

"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.

RUSSIA STRIKES HARD.

The reports from Petrograd continue to tell of wonderful successes of the Russian army. Last night's report stated that the total number of prisoners taken since the inception of the new offensive was well over 114,000 officers and men.

If the reports can be relied upon, and Petrograd in the past has not been given to exaggeration, then the Russian advance is the worst disaster which the enemy has suffered at any stage of the war.

The Russian success dated from the start of the latest offensive; the Czar's troops had no reverses to overcome, which leads to the opinion that the movement was very carefully planned and not undertaken until those directing it were satisfied they possessed the power to drive it home.

The effect of the new Russian campaign cannot be too highly estimated. If it continues as it has commenced it means disaster for Austria, and with Austria removed from consideration Germany must send hundreds of thousands of men to the Eastern front if she would not have the Muscovite troops roaming at will over her territory.

agents without reserve or equivocation. For the moment at least his resolute and aggressive attitude has impressed the country. He has qualities which appeal to the masses, but aside from sympathy for the minister there is a feeling that the Government has great tasks in hand and should not be distracted by charges which arise out of conditions which no longer exist."

COL. BULLOCK AGAIN.

Lieut. Col. C. S. Bullock, officer commanding the 237th Overseas Battalion, was a clergyman before he donned khaki and undertook the organization of special units to serve the Empire in the war against oppression.

A week ago the Times made an unwarranted attack upon Col. Bullock because he had dared in the Ottawa Free Press to make certain allegations concerning the manner in which the promoters of the fuse charges attempted to secure their evidence. In these allegations the names of Mr. Carvell and Mr. Kite appeared. If the statement was untrue it is reasonable to believe that these gentlemen would have demanded satisfaction from the man who made them. Yet there has been no record of action by Mr. Carvell or Mr. Kite in connection with the matter.

It remained for the Times to brand Col. Bullock's statements as untrue and to make scurrilous attack upon him. But Col. Bullock arrived in the city again last evening and to a Standard representative, who interviewed him, he repeated his story in detail, and also supplied this newspaper with copies of affidavits made by the man who claimed to have been engaged to "get" certain documents from a private letter file in the office of a New York concern. How he performed his mission is told by himself in his sworn statement which The Standard prints in full.

The Standard presents Col. Bullock's statement just as he made it. It speaks for itself, and beyond doubt the matters with which it deals will be made the subject of investigation before long. At present this newspaper is willing to leave it to the Telegraph and Times and the other Carvell organs to explain away the impression conveyed. An explanation certainly is required.

TODAY'S VISITOR.

Major Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia and Defence, will be in the city today and should be the subject of a great reception. No member of the Canadian Government has borne the burden of the Empire war to as great an extent as the Minister of Militia. Not only has he had to contend with the heavy duties of his department but he has also been compelled to defend himself and his work against the most scandalous form of partisan attack and has just emerged triumphant from that ordeal.

Sir Sam comes to St. John not as a member of the Conservative party, but as Canada's war minister, as the man who accomplished the seemingly impossible feat of organizing, mobilizing, training and equipping the first Canadian contingent and having it in England within six weeks after the outbreak of war. If for no other reason than this he is entitled to full credit from every Canadian and should receive it.

Attempt to Steal Wagon. James Starkey was arrested last night, having been given in custody by Harry Short, of Brussels street, who charges him with attempting to steal a wagon from Short's yard. It is claimed that Short caught Starkey in the act.

Free Swimming Campaign. Yesterday was the first day of the free swimming campaign in the Y. M. C. A. In the afternoon twenty school boys were present, and in the evening, twenty-two employed boys took advantage of the lessons. All boys who are unable to swim are invited to come and share in the benefits of this campaign. The slogan is "Every boy in St. John a swimmer."

N.B. AND P.E.I. METHODIST CONFERENCE

Final Drafts of the Station Sheet Shows Few Changes.

ORDINATION SERVICE HELD SUNDAY

Two Hundred and Thirty-Nine Methodist Ministers in Canada Have Joined the Colors.

Special to The Standard.

Summerside, P. E. I., June 12.—The morning session of the Methodist Conference of New Brunswick and P. E. Island on Saturday considered chiefly the report of the social service committee and the final station sheet in which the following changes were made from the original draft already published: The president of conference, Rev. Thomas Hicks, goes to Zion church, St. John, and becomes ex-officio the chairman of the St. John district. Rev. Robt. S. Crisp returns to Carmarthen street, St. John, and Rev. T. Spencer Crisp goes to Newton. Rev. B. O. Hartman goes to Welsford, Rev. A. Whiteside to Grand Lake, Rev. C. W. Squires to Newcastle, Rev. E. Rowlands to Derby, Rev. C. F. Stebbings to Harcourt, Rev. H. E. Thomas to Sackville, Rev. W. J. Donville to Montague, P. E. I., and Rev. R. M. Brodie to Cape Wolfe and O'Leary, P. E. I.

The officers of the various districts were elected on the first ballot. The chairman and financial secretaries are as follows: St. John District, Rev. Thomas Hicks and Rev. Hammond Johnson. Rev. H. C. Rice is Sunday school secretary. Rev. W. Lane, social service secretary, and Rev. Gilbert Earle, missionary secretary. Frederick District, Rev. Thomas Marshall, chairman, and Rev. H. Harrison, financial secretary. Woodstock District, Rev. S. Howard and Rev. J. B. Gough; Chatham District, Rev. F. A. Wightman and Rev. G. M. Young; Sackville District, Rev. R. Ople and Rev. C. K. Hudson; St. Stephen District, Rev. W. Wedall and Rev. D. R. Chown; Charlottetown district, Rev. J. L. Dawson and Rev. E. S. Weeks; Summerside District, Rev. Geo. F. Dawson and Rev. J. M. Rice.

Supernumerary Fund.

The afternoon session was taken up with the consideration of supernumerary matters. Rev. Dr. Steel, secretary of the supernumerary fund, reported that he had succeeded in raising \$20,000 for this fund. A resolution of appreciation of the excellent work of Dr. Steel was passed. In the evening Epworth Hall was filled Saturday with an attentive and appreciative audience to listen to an illustrated lecture on a hundred years of Methodism in America given by Rev. W. H. Barnaclough, of Centenary church, St. John, under the auspices of the Historical Society of the conference.

Sunday was a wonderful day, from early morning the successive services were well attended. At 9:30 a. m., the time-honored love feast was held in Epworth Hall under the leadership of the veteran, Rev. J. C. Berrie, who many years ago was the popular and successful pastor of Summerside Methodist church. The ordination sermon at 11 o'clock was preached by Rev. Dean Birney of Boston. This talented orator took as his text John 10 and 23, and preached one of the most impressive sermons ever heard at conference. Revs. Robert Smart, W. J. Godfrey, G. Stanley Helps and W. J. Donville were ordained by the laying on of hands to the work of the Christian ministry. Rev. Thos. Hicks, president of conference, conducted the service.

Conference assembled on Monday morning at 9 o'clock. The report of the supernumerary fund drew attention to the injustice being done to the aged and retired ministers of the conference.

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I don't no, you awt to see me eat at picnicks, sed Skinny Martin, and Ed Warnick sed, Anybody can eat a lot at picnicks, sed Skinny Martin, eat suppr rite after I get throo dinair.

I can eat till I get to big for the top of my pants, sed Sid Hunt.

I bet nobody can beat me eating hot doggy sanwitches, sed my cuzza Artie.

I bet I can, sed Sam Craws, I ate 8 of them rite after each uthar yeastidday.

And everybody started to talk about how meny hot doggy sanwitches they thawt they cood eat, and I sed, Lets have a hot doggy sanwitch eatins contest, lets all go around the corner and start buying hot doggy sanwitches from the Italn, and whoever eats the most wins.

G, all rite, sed everybody. And we all jumped up and started to run down the street, and wen got pritty near to the corner we all thawt of sumthing at the same time and stopped.

How about the money for it, sed Reddy Merfy.

G, we all sed, And we all felt to see how mutch money we had, weather we had any or not, and Sid Hunt sed Skinny Martin and my cuzin Artie cetch had a sent and the rest didnt have anything.

Lets us get up a game of baby in the hat, I sed. Wich we did, the hot doggy sanwitch eating contest being postponed on account of the ixpense.

ference in paying them but eighty per cent. of their very meare annuity. Heroic efforts are to be made to wipe out that deficiency by a special appeal to the various circuits and missions before the first of August. Rev. Dr. Geo. Steel and Dr. J. M. Palmer, Rev. G. M. Young and Mr. J. A. Brace were elected to the general supernumerary board.

Mt. Allison Report.

The report of Mount Allison Institutions was presented by the treasurer, Dr. J. M. Palmer, and the president, Dr. B. C. Borden. In spite of the war the finances of the institution show improvements. The loss in revenue due to decreased attendance is in some measure offset by economy in maintenance and administration. Two hundred and ninety-two Mr. Allison students have enlisted for overseas, a larger number proportionately than given by any other college in Canada.

The report of the Missionary Committee followed and the closing address of Dr. Endicott. A memorial service was held at 4 p. m. out of respect to the ministers who had died during the year. Revs. J. F. Estey, Isaac Howe, Dr. Douglas Chapman and Stephen H. Rice. Many of the brethren paid tribute to the respect and esteem in which these departed pioneers were held by those who had been associated with them.

It was decided to join hands with the other conferences in the great Canadian Methodist family in the printing of the year book. Hon. Capt. Rev. H. E. Thomas presented the report of the Army and Navy Board of the church which showed that from the records furnished that office 16,080 Methodists had enlisted in the Canadian expeditionary forces, and upwards of a 1,000 from within the bounds of this conference which is the smallest of the conferences in point of numbers. Two hundred and thirty-nine ministers of the Methodist church in Canada have enlisted for overseas service. Eleven of them were from New Brunswick and P. E. Island, 36 Methodist chaplains are serving the forces of the King.

The evening session received the reports of the Sunday school and Ep-

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MARRIAGES.

A quiet wedding of interest took place Friday evening, June 9th, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Ferris, 207 Rockland Road, when their daughter, Jessie Beatrice, was united in marriage to Private Ernest Milton Heutsis, of the 115th Battalion, St. John, and late of Upper Jemseg, by Rev. F. H. Wentworth. The bride was becomingly attired and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses. She was given in marriage by her father, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church among which was a purse of gold from the bride's brother Private H. Bernard Ferris, and a china dinner set from Private and Mrs. Wilson.

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Word-Making

As we have not had a word making letting you have one this week. Out of "Kitchen" make as many words as you in the word, such as "kitchen," not "kitch."

To the boy or girl sending in the June 21 I shall award a beautiful Box of next in order of merit receiving a splendid

At the end of each list state how many the usual coupon, filled in and address to

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To the kiddie who makes the most of the UNION JACK, in pen and ink, color a VALUABLE FOUNTAIN PEN, and the of merit, a beautiful STORY BOOK will

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Full Name..... Address..... Age..... Birthday.....

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Word-Making Contest

As we have not had a word making contest for some time I am letting you have one this week. Out of the letters in the word "Kitchen" make as many words as you can, only using the letters in the word, such as "kitchen," not "kitchens," as there is no letter "s." To the boy or girl sending in the longest list, not later than June 21 I shall award a beautiful Box of Colors, the sender of the next in order of merit receiving a splendid story book.

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Drawing Contest

To the kiddie who makes the most correct and neatest drawing of the UNION JACK, in pen and ink, colored if desired, I shall award a VALUABLE FOUNTAIN PEN, and the sender of the next in order of merit, a beautiful STORY BOOK will be awarded.

All attempts must be accompanied by the coupon, filled in, as given herewith, and reach this office not later than June 14th addressed to

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For Boys and Girls

Full Name.....
Address.....
Age..... Birthday.....

WHY NOT WIN A CAMERA?
To the Active Member of the Children's Corner, of The Standard who succeeds in getting the largest number of other kiddies to join the Corner by June 30th, will be awarded a splendid Camera, complete with one film.

Besides, every Active Member who introduces four or more new members, will receive one of the new "Uncle Dick" buttons, (Kindly donated by the Condon Studio.)

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal.
Miss G. Fraser, Oxford; J. Urquhart, A. T. Grant, J. O'Brien, Halifax; E. Shore, J. M. Lowe, Montreal; L. Gov. Wood, Sackville; J. R. Goldsmith, Smith Falls; K. S. Piekard, Sackville; W. P. Lowell, Calais; H. T. Whalton, ...

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MISS FLORENCE V. STOUT WINS THE \$50.00 PRIZE

TENDERS FOR COAL SUPPLY FOR THE CITY

Offers for Services Controlled by Safety Department Received Yesterday—Fisherman Wants Damages.

The City Council met in committee yesterday at noon. The mayor presided and all the commissioners were present. A claim for \$25 damages done to a net belonging to W. Hodd, by the ferryboat running into it, was referred to the commissioner of ferries. The invitation of the Evangelical Alliance to the mayor and commissioners to attend a memorial service for the late Earl Kitchener was accepted.

A commissioner from Montreal was received by the mayor, proposing a patriotic fund for sailors, and the general principle was agreed to. The following tenders for the supply of coal were recommended by Commissioner McLellan:
Fire department—80 tons broken anthracite, City Fuel Co., \$8.90; 40 tons nut anthracite, J. S. Gibson & Co., \$9.40; 6 tons chestnut, George Dick, \$9.50; 120 tons bituminous, R. P. & W. F. Starr, \$6.
Police department—70 tons broken anthracite, City Fuel Co., \$8.90; 10 tons nut anthracite, George Dick, \$9.50; 23 tons run of mine, R. P. & W. F. Starr, \$5.
Market department—12 tons nut anthracite, J. S. Gibson & Co., City Fuel Co., and George Dick, \$9.50.
City Hall—38 tons broken anthracite, City Fuel Co., \$8.90; two tons run of mine, R. P. & W. F. Starr, \$5.

Miss Hazel Winter, of Fredericton, Takes Second Place and Captures the \$25.00 — Several Other Members of The Club Were Very Close in the Running—Relative Standing is Somewhat Changed Today — Only Two Weeks Remain for Effective Work.

First Prize Miss Florence V. Stout, St. John
Second Prize Miss Hazel Winter, Fredericton

The above is the result of the special prize offer in The Standard Travel Club which closed on Saturday evening, June 10th. The vast amount of business which came in during that portion of the competition was checked up yesterday morning and results ascertained. Miss Stout, who previously has been down in eighth or ninth position, jumped to second position in the list by reason of the remarkably effective work which she accomplished during the past week or ten days. Miss Winter, who is carrying on her campaign under a rather splendid handicap, has done really splendid work and now holds third position, although the difference between her and those ahead of her is very slight. The heartiest congratulations should be extended to Miss Murray, Albert; Miss Newton, Grand Manan; Miss Porter, Westfield; Mrs. Lee of Woodstock, and others who were in this special competition to win and who made a remarkably fine showing. Unfortunately for these they just missed the prizes, and possibly a few minutes more work than they put on the competition would have earned them the special cash prize money.

TODAY'S LEADERS

- 1. Alice Lockhart, City 37,327
- 2. Florence V. Stout, City 35,357
- 3. Hazel Winter, Fredericton 34,467
- 4. Mildred Murray, Albert 30,976
- 5. Hazel Newton, Grand Manan 29,191
- 6. Mrs. Geo. W. Lee, Woodstock 21,129
- 7. Myrtle Porter, Westfield Centre 18,159
- 8. Marjorie Calkin, City 15,617
- 9. Annie A. Stewart, Newcastle 15,075
- 10. Mary Roberts, Codys 13,379

LIST OF MEMBERS.

- Miss Helen G. Alton, Hartland, N. B., 1,019
- Miss Venus Burke, 3 Silver St., Amherst, N. S., 1,009
- Miss Leah M. Bissett, 200 Queen St., W. St. John, 4,966
- Miss Dorothy L. Brewster, Hampton, N. B., 1,350
- Mrs. T. G. Barnes, Hampton, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Dora Barton, The Range, 1,286
- Miss Pearl Brown, Brown's Flats, N. B., 1,234
- Miss Gladys Brown, Woodstock, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Marjorie Calkin, 109 Wentworth St., St. John, 15,617
- Miss Kate Halling, Belleville, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Mary Dysart, Cocagne, N. B., 1,304
- Leo J. Doucet, Nigadoo, N. B., 1,003
- Miss Katie Dorkis, East Florenceville, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Ethel Davis, Sussex, N. B., 1,103
- Miss Annie Doan, Lorneville, N. B., 3,000
- Miss Nellie Davis, Harvey Station, N. B., 4,043
- Miss Elizabeth F. Dixon, 114 Mecklenburg St., St. John, 11,193
- Miss Nina Fillmore, Sackville, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Ella Fraser, Chipman, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Lydia Govang, Riverside, Albert Co., N. B., 1,003
- Mrs. William Gesner, 68 Havelock St., Amherst, 1,000
- Miss Lydia Giberson, Bath, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Ruby Goggin, Elgin, N. B., 1,334
- Ambrose Higgins, 201 City Road, St. John, 1,000
- Miss Florence P. Hawkins, Pennfield Ridge, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Violet Harkins, Grand Bay, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Hazel Henry, Westford, N. B., 9,852
- Willard G. Hornbrook, Logville, N. B., 2,674
- Ambrose Higgs, Pearsonville, N. B., 11,651
- Miss Alice T. Lockhart, 272 St. John St., St. John, 37,327
- Mrs. Geo. W. Lee, Woodstock, N. B., 21,129
- Miss Helen Matthews, 51 Railway Ave., Moncton, 7,805
- Miss Elsie Morrison, Albert, Albert Co., N. B., 30,876
- Miss Mildred Murray, Norton, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Edith Meyer, Sussex, N. B., 1,000
- Frank Mills, Penobscot, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Mary Murray, R. F. D. 1, Millstream, N. B., 1,736
- Mrs. Elwilda J. Mason, River Louisa, N. B., 4,541
- Miss Bessie Murchie, 91 Dominion St., Moncton, 1,000
- Miss Inez McLean, McAdam Junction, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Mabel McDonald, Brown's Flats, N. B., 6,770
- Miss Frances E. McKelvie, Grand Falls, N. B., 2,678
- Mrs. G. A. McMillan, Penobscot, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Alice McLeod, Blackville, N. B., 2,053
- Miss Etta MacDonald, Newcastle Creek, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Mary McMan, Nashwaak Bridge, N. B., 1,008
- Miss Gertrude M. McGivney, Lower Millstream, N. B., 8,134
- Miss Emma McKnight, Main St., St. George, N. B., 6,810
- Miss Helen McMullin, Grand Harbor, Grand Manan, 29,191
- Miss Hazel Newton, Hillsborough, N. B., 3,224
- Miss Vera Osborne, Westfield Centre, N. B., 18,159
- Walter Pidgeon, Main & Bridge Sts., St. John, 1,900
- Miss Martha Pierce, Norton, N. B., 3,545
- Miss Nettie Robinson, Dalhousie, N. B., 13,379
- Miss C. C. Raymond, Kouchibouguac, N. B., 2,794
- Miss Margaret Ross, Richibucto, N. B., 1,013
- Miss Audrey Troy, Marysville, N. B., 1,000
- Mrs. Nicholas E. Stewart, Hatfield's Pt., N. B., 3,833
- Miss Maud Short, Fugusley Bldg., St. John, 35,337
- Miss Florence V. Stout, Box 38, Newcastle, N. B., 15,075
- Miss Annie A. Stewart, Hoyt Station, N. B., 1,000
- Mrs. F. C. Taylor, Chance Harbor, N. B., 1,000
- Freewick Thompson, Dalhousie, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Audrey Troy, Tracey Station, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Carrie E. Tracy, Dalhousie, N. B., 1,000
- Miss Alice Tilley, Jacksonville, N. B., 3,004
- Miss Mary Tapley, 233 Douglas Ave., St. John, 5,900
- Miss Grace Vermette, Campbellton, N. B., 7,450
- Miss Hazel Winter, Fredericton, N. B., 34,467
- Miss R. Pearl Walte, Andover, N. B., 3,550

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ST. JOHN CO. HEADED LIST LAST WEEK

Eighteen Recruits Secured Here—Restigouche Second and Westmorland Third—How the Province Shows.

- St. John county contributed eighteen men to the Canadian army last week. This is the largest number of recruits enlisting in this county for a number of weeks. Restigouche county was second with seventeen. The following is a list of the recruits for the province for the week ending June 10th.
- St. John—
For 145th Battalion 1
" 115th Battalion 5
" 140th Battalion 3
" 237th Battalion 1
4th Pioneer Battalion 1
3rd Regiment, C. G. A. 6
67th Regiment 1
- Restigouche—
For 132nd Battalion 3
" 65th Battery 11
" 165th Battalion 13
- Westmorland—
For 65th Battery 1
" 145th Battalion 11
" 165th Battalion 3
- Albert—
For 145th Battalion 12
- Victoria—
For 145th Battalion 1
" 115th Battalion 1
" 140th Battalion 3
" Detention Force, Amherst 3
- Madawaska—
For 145th Battalion 1
" 165th Battalion 11
- York—
For 115th Battalion 3
" 140th Battalion 1
" 145th Battalion 3
- Carleton—
For 65th Battery 6
- Northumberland—
For 132nd Battalion 4
" 4th Divisional Train 1
- Queens and Sunbury—
For 115th Battalion 1
" 145th Battalion 3
" Composite Battery 1
- Charlotte—
For 65th Battery 2
" 140th Battalion 1
" 237th Battalion 1
- Kent—
For 145th Battalion 2
- Gloucester—
For 165th Battalion 1
- Kings—
Total 112

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50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

LUCIA PORTER FLOATED.
The tern schooner Lucia Porter ashore on the flats at Swampscott, Mass., was floated Sunday evening last. Repairs will occupy about six weeks at a cost of about \$12,000.

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THE POLICE COURT.

Yesterday in the police court Military Policeman Reagally and city Police Constable Gorman were committed for trial on the charge of accepting bribes to refrain from doing their duty.
Louis Jones, charged with attempting to jump off the ceiling about a mile from the northeast and a high sea was running. The Virginian struck near the Hotel Dennis. So high were the waves that she was carried to within 75 feet of high water mark. The Virginian was loaded with cordwood for Lynn, much of which was washed overboard. She is valued at \$3,500, and there is a partial insurance. It is believed the vessel will be a total loss.

SCHOONERS WRECKED.

The two-masted schooner Josie, bound from Machias, Me., for New York, was wrecked on Plum Island on Friday afternoon and will be a total loss. Capt. Mitchell and his crew were rescued by Captain E. Stevens of the Plum Island Coast Guard Station, near which the wreck had occurred.
The two-masted schooner Virginian, from Clementsport, N. S., was driven ashore at Salsbury Beach Friday evening after efforts to work her out of the Bay had failed. The wind blew a gale from the northeast and a high sea was running. The Virginian struck near the Hotel Dennis. So high were the waves that she was carried to within 75 feet of high water mark. The Virginian was loaded with cordwood for Lynn, much of which was washed overboard. She is valued at \$3,500, and there is a partial insurance. It is believed the vessel will be a total loss.

CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND.

- Single: Dr. G. R. J. Crawford, \$10.00; Monthly: W. A. Cunningham, \$2.00; J. A. Galbraith, \$1.00; Rev. E. A. Westmorland, 50c.; W. J. McGiffin, 2 mos., \$10.00; J. A. Coster, \$2.00; Miss Grace W. Coster, 50c.; John Kimble & Sons, \$30.00; Prov. Chem. Fertilizer Co., \$20.00; The Asseco Mfg. Co., \$5.00; S. G. Olive, \$5.00; A. W. Sharp, \$10.00; H. S. Bell, 2 mos., \$2.00; Ward C. Hazen, 3 mos., \$30.00; W. J. Simpson, 2 mos., \$10.00; G. D. Martin, 5 mos., \$10; E. Murray Olive, 6 mos., \$6.00; Fred Hargrave, \$5.00.

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LATE NEWS AND VIEWS FROM SPORTING WORLD

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Providence, 10; Newark, 7.
Newark June 12.—Providence and Newark divided a double-header today. The Grays took the first game, 10 to 7, and Newark the second, 7 to 5. The score:
First game—
Providence . . . 05040010—10 13 1
Newark . . . 003030010—7 10 1
Batteries: Tincup, Eayres and Blackburn; Ehmann, Schacht, Enright, Pieh and Egan.
Newark, 7; Providence, 5.
Second game—
Providence . . . 20210000—5 8 1
Newark . . . 01000005—7 12 1
Batteries: Peters and Yelle; Pieh and Schwert.
Baltimore, 10; Richmond, 1.
Richmond, June 12.—Baltimore had no difficulty defeating Richmond today, 10 to 1. The score:
Baltimore . . . 10502200—10 15 1

Richmond . . . 00001000—1 6 1
Batteries: Tipple and McAvey; McHenry and Reynolds.
Buffalo, 6; Rochester, 4.
Buffalo, June 12.—Buffalo got but a sliver off hill today but they bunched them with Rochester's errors and won, 6 to 4. The score:
Rochester . . . 001010101—4 9 2
Buffalo . . . 20031000x—6 6 2
Batteries: Hill and Hall; Bader and Onslow.
Montreal, 5; Toronto, 3.
Toronto, June 12.—Montreal hit the ball consistently throughout today's game and won from Toronto, 5 to 3. The score:
Montreal . . . 021002000—5 11 1
Toronto . . . 101010000—3 6 1
Batteries: Cadore and Howley; Herbert and Kelly.
NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Chicago Has a Sweet-Fest.
New York, June 12.—Chicago bat-

ted Anderson and Tesreau for 15 hits, totalling 26 bases here today and defeated New York for the first time this season by a score of 5 to 3. The score:
Chicago . . . 021102000—5 18 2
New York . . . 100000010—2 6 1
Batteries: Packard and Archer, Fischer; Anderson, Tesreau, Schauer and Rairden, Kocher.
Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburg, 1.
Philadelphia, June 12.—The home team defeated Pittsburg 2 to 1. The score:
Pittsburg . . . 000000001—1 5 1
Philadelphia . . . 01000100x—2 5 0
Batteries: Mammaux, Jacobs and Gibson; Alexander and Killifer.
Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 1.
Brooklyn, June 12.—Brooklyn defeated St. Louis here today by a score of 3 to 1. The score:
St. Louis . . . 010000000—1 5 2
Brooklyn . . . 00000210x—3 9 0
Batteries: Sallee and Gonzales; Cheney and Meyers.
Boston-Cincinnati, rain.

McDONALD WON HARD BOUT WITH RIVERS IN THE RINK LAST NIGHT

Boxing Show Well Managed and Fans Were Satisfied—McDonald Won on Points.

The boxing bout held in the St. Andrew's curling rink last night drew a good crowd. There were fully 500 people around the ropes.
In the preliminary Young Sullivan of St. John outgrew Grey to such an extent that Billy Donahue was obliged to call the bout at the end of the second round.
The main bout was well worth the price of admission. It was between Joe Rivers of Gloucester, Mass., and Roddy McDonald, "the pride of Cape Breton." From the tap of the gong until the referee raised Roddy McDonald's right arm as the winner there was not an idle moment.
McDonald forced the fighting all the way and nothing but the clever footwork and guarding of Rivers saved him from the hay mow. In the first round both men were travelling at a fast clip and a number of ugly short jabs were recorded. This was McDonald's best round during the earlier part of the fight but in the ninth and tenth Rivers was forced to clinch to save himself from punishment.
Round two was about even, both men missing a number of good openings. Rivers was blocking McDonald's upper cuts in great style.
Round three was McDonald's. He forced the fighting all through, using right and left jabs effectively.
Round four was strongly in favor of Rivers, but he failed to hand over the "sleep producer." Both men were going strong when the gong sounded.
Round five gave both men about the same number of points, McDonald missing an upper-cut on the right.
Round six was in McDonald's favor. He forced Rivers to the right hand corner of the ring and drove in a couple of good blows.
Rounds seven and eight were even, both men looking for an opportunity to land an effective blow.
From the eighth up to the end of the bout McDonald was the aggressor, forcing Rivers to clinch.
McDonald seemed to carry a hard punch in both hands and it looked as though he was going to put in the fatal one but Rivers, using his head managed to come through suffering defeat only on points.
When the referee announced that the final round was the twelfth a number of spectators thought that it was only the eleventh. In fact, they expressed such an opinion by standing up and shouting it was the eleventh. However, according to the count which the referee took he announced it as the twelfth.
Both boys will be well received by the boxing fans if they perform again in St. John.

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AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Cleveland, 3; Philadelphia, 1.
Cleveland, June 12.—Cleveland made it three straight from Philadelphia, winning three to one. The score:
Philadelphia . . . 000001000—1 6 0
Cleveland . . . 20010000x—3 7 1
Batteries: Galla, Shaw and Henry; Benz and Schalk.
Chicago, 3; Washington, 0.
Chicago, June 12.—Joe Benz held Washington to three hits today and Chicago won its third straight game over the Nationals, 3 to 0. The score:
Washington . . . 000000000—0 3 3
Chicago . . . 00001200x—3 8 2
Batteries: Fisher, Shaw and Henry; Benz and Chapman.
St. Louis, 4; Boston, 3.
St. Louis, June 12.—With the scored tied and two out in the ninth, Austin doubled, scoring Plank and St. Louis took today's game, from Boston 4 to 3. The score:
Boston . . . 000003000—3 7 1
St. Louis . . . 200100001—4 9 1
Batteries: Gregg and Thomas; Park, Plank and Chapman.
Detroit, 8; New York, 6.
Detroit, June 12.—Fielding, misplays and uncertain pitching marked Detroit's 8 to 6 victory over New York today. The score:
New York . . . 021002100—6 11 3
Detroit . . . 20130001x—8 13 1
Batteries: Fisher, Love, Shawkey, Chulop and Nunamaker; Hamilton, Boland and Stange.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Boothbay Harbor, Me., June 8.—Ard schrs Rhoda Holmes, Apple River; Flora Condon, Economy; Alcaza, Halifax; Laura C. Hall, B. I. Hazard.
Cld June 8, stmr Manchester Spinner, Caldwell, Liverpool; sch Hartney W. Wasson, Yarmouth, N. S.; barges Canada, Cochran, Windsor, N. S.; Wildwood, Morris, Windsor, N. S.
Perth Amboy, N. J., June 8.—Ard stmr Gyp, Huelva; schrs Percy B. New York; Avola, do; Harry Miller, do; Glyndon, do.
Sld June 8, schrs Eliza A. Scribner, New York; Francis Goodnow, St. Stephen, N. B.
Portland, June 8.—Ard schr Vineyard, Noel for New York.

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MINIATURE ALMANAC.

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First Quarter . . . 8th 7h 59m. p.m.
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Date	W.	Sun	Rises	Sets	W.	M.	W.	M.	W.	M.
13	Tu	4.2	8.06	9.13	21.33	3.03	15.26			
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18	Sun	4.1	8.08	0.58	13.27	7.24	19.49			

BRITISH PORTS.

Bermuda, June 12.—Sld stmr Chignecto, St. John.

THE "NEW PERFECTION" OIL SUPPLY SYSTEM INSURES A STEADY EVEN FLAME

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WHAT KIND OF BOOKS?
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GRACIOUS - HAS HE BEEN IN JAIL?
MANY TIMES -
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WHY?
I GOT SIX MONTHS OFF FOR GOOD BEHAVIOR!
HE'S A GRAND BOY - JUST LIKE HIS FATHER!

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

(McDUGALL & COWAN.)

Date	High	Low	Close
Jan.	13.18	13.11	13.17
Mar.	13.31	13.28	13.30
May	13.44	13.25	13.47
July	13.52	13.75	13.75
Oct.	13.97	12.88	12.93

NEWS AND VIEWS

MONTREAL STREET BEGINS WEEK WELL

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Montreal, June 12.—The continuance of some upward price movements in specialties, which was under way when the stock market closed last week, combined with the good news imparted by the buoyancy in Wall Street, which was regarded as the direct outcome of the favor with which the political turn of events was received there, gave the local market a generally strong appearance today although the bulk of the list was quiet and steady.
Attention was mainly directed to such specialties as Lyall, Canada Steamships, General Electric and the Steel issues, all of which had a good market and worked considerably above last week's closing prices.
Steamships was one of the foremost in the trading and the preferred went to a new high at 87½ compared with 86½ to 86¼ on Saturday. The Street was somewhat mystified and not a little skeptical about the circumstances of rise in Lyall, probably because little was known about anything which might justify the advance. There was some talk of large additions to the portion of the plant handling munitions. After reaching 90 on Saturday it went to a new high today at 93 and later reacted a point.
General Electric had a good rise last week, reaching 117½ and today it opened at 118½ and rose to 120½.
The Steel Group had a good rally, Steel of Canada going to 64 after opening at 63, compared with 62½ at the close last week, subsequently only reacting a fraction.
Iron was also strong, opening at 57½ compared with 57 on Saturday and later going to 58½ closing at noon at 57 1/8.
Scotia opened at 120 but reacted on the quiet. The local list was on the quiet side in the afternoon but prices held mostly close to the early high.
Iron was among the most active, 57½ to 58 while Cement was fairly prominent at 71½ to 71 with General Electric strong at 120 to 119½.
Brazilian was 61¼; Steel of Canada, 63½; Power, 241¼ to 241; Detroit, 116¼ to 116; Lyall, 92½ to 92; Scotia, 128; Locomotive, 63; Foresters, 205 to 213; Steamships pfd, 87¼ to 87 1/8; Smelters, 40¼; Toronto Rail, 102¼; Bridge, 235; Shawinigan, 132.

REVIEW OF THE HARDWARE AND METAL MARKET

Although business continues good, there has been some falling off recently, more particularly in general lines of hardware rather than heavy goods, the latter being in good demand in the country districts. The cool and unfavorable weather has affected business to some extent, especially in the paint trade. The outlook, however, for business, continues favorable and the situation generally is satisfactory, considering the abnormal conditions which prevail. Although the upward movement in prices is not so pronounced as was the case a few weeks ago there is no sign of any weakness in the market and it is very probable that the present high levels will obtain for some considerable time. There is little possibility of any material reduction in prices while the war lasts, but rather the reverse, as indications point to further advances in some lines, particularly in those goods composed of iron or steel. There is no improvement in the situation as regards the shortage of the country all agree that there is already a scarcity of some lines of hardware and the situation will undoubtedly become more serious, as conditions show no sign of improvement. The principal price changes this week include tin plate, boiler tubes, loaded shot shells, fancy butts, sash cord, ship augers, white mop wringers, hoes and staples. Fewer price changes are also reported from Winnipeg, but further advances in some lines are looked for. Business in the West continues brisk with favorable prospects. The ingot metal markets have a weaker tendency, copper being the only metal to show any strength. In the paint market, both linseed oil and turpentine have declined. The linseed oil market is unsettled and the demand continues very light.

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Sudden Call Arrives, but Men Equal to the Occasion - Made Many Friends During Stay.

Special to The Standard. Hartland, June 12.—The members of the 140th, who have been here for about two months left on a special train at 7 o'clock tonight for St. John.

When the platoons from Perth and Andover arrived on the special, the men were in waiting and practically the entire population was at the depot. The Hartland band was present and played patriotic airs until the train started, when the National Anthem was rendered.

FIRE IN DOMINION PULP MILL, BUT ONLY SLIGHT DAMAGE

Shipping Brisk Along North Shore - Heavy Frost Last Week; May Prove Serious to Farmers.

Chatham, June 12.—A fire occurred in the chip room of the Dominion Pulp Company's mill opposite Chatham at 3 o'clock Sunday morning, doing slight damage to the building but destroying a large conveyor belt that takes the chips to the digesters.

Rev. R. G. Fulton, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., occupied his former pulpit in St. Luke's here on Sunday evening, and was greeted by a very large congregation. He is eloquent and forceful speaker. His former parishioners and friends were glad to see him.

The ladies connected with the patriotic societies here a sale of homemade cooking in the Snowball Co. store on Saturday, which was well patronized. A patriotic ice cream sale on the lawn of the Bank of Montreal was not so successful, owing to the coolness of the weather.

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"C" COMPANY OF 140TH LEAVES FREDERICTON

Civic Address by Mayor and Great Send-off for Men Before Leaving for St. John.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 12.—C Company of 140th Battalion, under command of Major F. A. Good, left here by special C. P. R. train about 6:30 o'clock tonight for St. John.

OBITUARY

Death of Only Child. Mr. and Mrs. John O'Neil, 150 Victoria street, will have the sympathy of their friends in the loss of their infant daughter and only child, Lorraine Bernice, whose death occurred Sunday.

Many friends will be sorry to learn of the death of James Watson, who took place yesterday. Mr. Watson was forty-four years old, son of the late James and Hannah Watson. He numbered many friends. He is survived by his sister, Mrs. S. C. Phillips, and brother, Frank Watson.

The death of John O'Brien occurred early yesterday morning. Mr. O'Brien, who was in his eighty-third year, was a lifelong resident of Main street. His father, the late Henry O'Brien, was one of the first undertakers in St. John.

FUNERALS

The funeral of William J. Donaldson took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, 20 Simonds street, to Cedar Hill cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. John Hardwick.

THE BEST THING FOR DYSPEPSIA

WHY PEPsin, PANCREATIN, ETC. SO FREQUENTLY FAIL.

An international specialist whose articles on stomach trouble have been printed in nearly every language, recently stated that to treat the average case of stomach trouble, indigestion, dyspepsia, etc., by doctoring the stomach, killing the pain with opiates, or by the use of artificial aids to digestion such as pepsin and pancreatin, was just as foolish and useless as to attempt to put out a fire by throwing water on the smoke, instead of the fire.

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THE SITUATION ON WALL ST. AS SEEN BY RACHE & CO.

Market Highly Professional - Copper Stocks Advance Demands Alluringly, but Prices of Stocks Fail to Respond.

The market is highly professional. The public is doing little. Copper stocks advance their dividends abundantly, but prices of copper stocks do not respond. That is because professionals do not buy on good news out, but wait for the public to do so, thereby advancing prices, when the professionals sell.

COURT OF APPEAL JUNE SESSION

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 12.—In the Supreme Court, Court of Appeal, June session, 1916.

Appeal paper, County Court. 1. Fawcett vs. Hatfield et al. Mr. J. C. Hartley, K. C. for defendants to support appeal from Westmorland County Court. McCain Produce Co. Ltd. vs. Land, Mr. M. L. Hayward for defendant to support appeal from Carleton County Court.

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A Column With Be Of Interest

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MARGUERITE'S WEEKLY CHAT

Now many people have to board and are a comfortable home where meals are provided and they feel their responsibility ends. I would and just let my readers judge between them. I could give you names but I want to be good morning to the people sitting next to my day's work and I could not be bored with silly strangers.

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A Column Which Is Supposed To Be Of Interest To Women

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

MARGUERITE'S WEEKLY CHAT ON BOARDING.

Now many people have to board and are very thankful to find a comfortable home where meals are provided for them—and there they feel their responsibility ends. I would like to cite two cases and just let my readers judge between them. They are both true. I could give you names but I won't.

The first—I've boarded for two years and I never said even a good morning to the people sitting next to me. I was tired after my day's work and I could not be bothered with silly chatter of perfect strangers.

The second—I met little Miss So and So when she was here staying at the boarding. She used to come in tired after her work and I had a fire in my room, so she seemed to enjoy coming to see me and we used to get up little suppers together. Her mother wrote me afterwards thanking me for my kindness to her daughter. She said I had made a little bit of home for her girl, in a strange land.

It was only a pleasure to do it.

Which do you think followed the Scriptural injunction about hospitality to strangers?

There is of course a happy medium between silly chatter and some kindly interest, but one can soon see which of your neighbors like to be talked to and those who prefer to rest their minds. But it is ten chances to one that the stranger will be grateful for being met with kindness and interest.

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Gagetown W. I.—An Annual Contest took place at the March meeting in which the majority of members took part and thoroughly enjoyed. For May a general discussion took place on improving the condition of the Temperance Hall. Some of the time was spent in cutting out night-shirts for the soldiers.

Glasgow W. I.—Arrangements were made at the May meeting to plant trees on Arbor Day. A luncheon was served for ten cents and a short programme carried out. The Blind Auction netted \$17.00 to carry on the institute work.

Benton W. I.—The June meeting will be a public meeting, and each member is to ask her husband or a gentleman friend. The Red Cross Society recently received 16 pairs of socks from this institute.

Chance Harbor W. I. continues doing good work for the soldiers. Plans were made at the May meeting for holding a picnic July 1st.

Settlement W. I. will celebrate its first birthday June 4th. Has a membership of forty-six. Three boxes containing a substantial supply of

MADE UP GARMENTS for the soldiers and Red Cross supplies have been received by the Provincial Chapter of the I.O.D.E. The programme for the year, printed in the form of a wall-card, hints of most entertaining meetings. In April the members responded to their names by giving a quotation on "Spring" then following a splendid paper on "Growing Dahlias." Rural school improvement is also receiving the attention of this busy institute.

"God calls our loved ones— But we lose not wholly What He hath given; They live on earth, in thought and deed, as truly As in His Heaven."

J. G. Whittier.

Rothsay Red Cross.

The conservation of waste paper is being well looked after in Rothsay by members of the Red Cross Society. A committee of four young ladies have arranged to call on certain days to collect the newspapers, cardboard, etc., which would otherwise be wasted. People are asked to tie the paper in flat bundles. These are gathered together and by the time a cartload is obtained a good price is given by paper mills.

A Chapter of the I. O. D. E. in Ottawa made such a large sum of money from the sale of old paper that they

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Who's Who and What's What in the Picture Game and on the Stage— Film Favorites and What They Say and Do.

TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.

"I saw your father taking you to the woodshed yesterday morning, Tom. What had you been doing?"

"Oh, he just took me out to meet a soldier friend of his!"

"A soldier. Who was he?"

"That fellow, Corporal Pupishment, he's always talking about!"

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS.

Uncle Dick wishes many happy returns to the following kiddies whose birthdays take place today:

John De Witt, Frederic Jct. Ronald E. Bates, Springfield. Muriel Gunter, 115 Leinster St.

WANTED A KITTEN.

By Estella I. Fox, Children's Corner Member.

"Yoo-hoo; Merry, Merry."

Puppy Leeman perched herself on the low wooden fence, and called to her little chum, Merri Day, who lived next door. The screen door of the next house opened, and a little brown-haired figure appeared on the back veranda.

"Oh Merry," Popsy called, eagerly. "Come over quick. I've got something so sweet to show you. Hurry! Do."

Merry ran over to her and climbed over the fence.

"What is it? Do tell me, Popsy."

"No, no, wait till you see her."

"Her," cried Merry, bewildered. "Why, it can't be your cousin from the country."

"No," answered Popsy, as she reached her back door. "Come right in and the two entered the kitchen. A little white kitten was playing with a bit of twine that hung from the table.

"Here she is," Popsy exclaimed, catching up the kitten. "Isn't she sweet!"

Merry stood with wide open eyes, gazing at the new-comer for a few minutes.

"Don't you like her," asked Popsy, gently.

"Do I like her?" began Merry, but the next minute she burst into tears and rushed out of the room, like a small whirlwind.

"Why what can it mean, mamma," Popsy said, in surprise.

"Why, I don't know," Mrs. Leeman said, looking out of the window at Merry's fast retreating figure. "The poor child must be ill."

Meanwhile, Merry ran into her kitchen, crying softly.

"Her mother rushed to her side. "What, dear, what is wrong," she said fondly.

"Oh! mother, Merry sobbed, brokenly. "Popsy got a kitten, and I don't like it, and Merry cried louder than ever.

Mother sighed.

"Well, dear, I don't know. You see Ethel hates cats and—"

"And Ethel just thinks of herself all the time," Merry cried, rebelliously. "Oh mother, I do want a kitten so."

"There, there, dear, don't cry. Mother will see what she can do."

"So Merry dried her tears, tho' all that day she stared away from Popsy's and whenever Ethel, her big sister, came near her, she gave her a cross look.

"Mother, what is wrong with Merry today," Ethel asked that evening.

"Well, I'll just tell you," mother said. "Popsy Leeman, next door, has a little kitten and you know Merry has always wanted one, and now she feels so bad about it."

Mother said this in a pleading tone, but Ethel just left the room saying, "And I can't bear to think of having any abominable cats around me."

Mother sighed and said to herself, "Poor little Merry."

(To be continued tomorrow.)

IMMENSE CAKE IN UNIVERSAL PICTURE.

Universal City, Calif., May—One of the interesting scenes in "The Doctor's Demise," being filmed by Director Lynn Reynolds at Universal City, was a birthday dinner of which a huge cake is the central figure. To put absolute realism into the scene Director Reynolds, through Manager of Productions Charles Rankin, ordered a real cake which was made by the leading confectioner of Los Angeles.

The cake was ten inches in depth and measured seventy inches around. There were many Universalites who looked longingly upon the cake, but after it had served its purpose, Manager Rankin ordered it sent to one of the local charitable institutions.

Alma Hanlon Rouses Pity Under False Pretences—She Isn't Dumb.

Alma Hanlon, the miniature Lillian Russell, who comes from the "Superba" Hanlons, of undying fame, is known as the "Little blonde mouse" around the William Fox studios, at Fort Lee, N. J.

In fact, so very uncommunicative is little Miss Hanlon that a visitor to the studios—a woman philanthropist—remarked, the other day, that the movies had accomplished a great service, in giving beautiful girls who are afflicted with dumbness, a remunerative occupation.

Miss Hanlon happened to overhear the observation—and thereupon there issued from her lips a shriek that convinced the philanthropist lady that there are some women who can keep quiet even though they are not dumb.

Imperial.

"Rosemary," like "Sweet Lavender." This name brings visions of old-fashioned gardens and all the romance connected with them. The sprig of "Rosemary" for remembrance which Dorothy Cruikshank (Marguerite Snow) gave Sir Jasper (William Clifford) is the incident from which this picture takes its name. And it is one of the prettiest pictures I have seen. It has romance, thrills, comedy and the charm of being the story of a picturesque period. The Quality producers have not failed to take advantage of this fact, and the character light candles, sit in winged chairs, while the men smoke, "church wardens," and drive four-in-hand coaches. There is a lovely garden, a beautiful house (collectors would go wild over those old vases, the kind that come in pairs); an ancient inn with a flagged floor and a bevy of maids that show courtesy as the traveller enters, also a wonderful storm effect.

Miss Snow, who is Mrs. James Cruise in real life, is very winsome as the heroine, and the garden walks with Sir Jasper make pretty pictures. It was pleasant to see William Clifford as a good man, and he takes the part of the honorable gentleman in this picture.

Paul Gilmore is well known in St. John, having played here in "The Mummy and the Humming Bird," and other plays, so it was interesting to see him in the screen as William Westwood.

Little Miss Cruise, who figures in the last scene, is really Julie Cruz, and her mother took great satisfaction out of the fact that she could have her own picture.

The Metro people said that they thought "The House of Tears," "Rosemary" and "The Yellow Streak" would compare most favorably with any other production. Certainly it would be hard to beat Rosemary as a picture.

Unique.

Carmen and Carmen and Carmen, but Theda Bara's Carmen is more beautifully worked than the others. The whole production is on a larger scale than the Farrar is, and no incidents are introduced to round out the story. Don Jose does not kill himself with the dagger, but leaps a high cliff on horseback and drowns.

Theda Bara's conception of "Carmen" is peculiarly her own and she makes the most of her opportunity. Her fight in the cigarette factory and her death-scene are triumphs of dramatic skill. She displays throughout the wonderful facial control that has made her famous in the moving picture world.

Of the skill of which the pictures are posed, the excellent fitness with which each type of character is cast, the amazing daring displayed in the fighting scenes, and above all in the full fight, moments of breath-taking realism and marvelous photography nothing but the highest praise can be said.

The realism of James A. Marcus is the chief of the smuglers, his enormous meal is startling. Carl Harbaugh ideally types the Matador for whom Carmen dies, and Elmar Linden (the Dan Jose), William Fox sent a photographer to Spain to get views, and several spies returned with the camera man and completed the picture in the Fox studio.

Lyric.

This is a Western, a crook play and a problem play rolled into one. The story may be divided into three periods. First they show a migrant, French family traveling in a prairie schooner across the plains in search of a homestead. An Indian uprising takes place, and the Redskins (the Penzmore Troop) massacre the parents, while Mary and Dick, the little boy and girl, escape.

Next we see the children in their twenties, the wards of a Western town sheriff in his give an opportunity to introduce the dance and gambling hell, broncho busting and other frontier amusements, irrelevant perhaps, but vastly entertaining to those who like to see that woolly, pioneer times re-enacted on the celluloid.

sheriff is doing his best to catch the reckless lone bandit who is terrorizing the community. The hold-up artist is finally shot, but escapes. It appears that he is none other than Dick, the sheriff's ward. Accompanied by Mary, Dick takes a train for the East, and to avoid suspicion, they register at a hotel as man and wife. But Dick is captured and sentenced to twenty years.

Next we see Mary married to a self-made man who enjoys the gay life of a big city, so we have elaborate views of cabarets, etc. Trouble comes, but Dick is straightened out through Dick's confession.

Edythe Sterling, Norbert Myles and Murdock MacQuarrie, the principals, have fair support, and their own efforts show considerable care.

The vaudeville at the Lyric in the McPhersons, a duo of Scotch songs and jokes, the Scotch couple being attired in kilts and Highland costumes.

Opera House.

There is just one word to my mind to describe the photoplay of Hall Caine's novel "The Eternal City" and that word is—magnificent. The scenes, taken as they were in Rome, give the picture such an air of reality that it is hard to remember and appreciate the wonderful acting of the entire cast. The Vatican gardens, the Coliseum, St. Peter's, the Castle of St. Angelo, so familiar to us in paintings, are used as a background for the drama of love and tragedy and forgiveness which centers round David Leone and Donna Roma. Pauline Frederick is beautiful as a penitent, more so to my mind than in the part of Bella Donna, and the remembrance of her black-robed figure, with trailing draperies slowly moving before huge stone pillars towards the Vatican, will long remain with me. Those who miss seeing "The Eternal City" will have omitted a chance of viewing a very fine picture.

A word must be said about the music at the Opera House. It was Italian, and so most appropriate to the picture, while a solo of "The Roseary" was beautifully sung at a fitting moment.

Still Acting at Seventy-Nine.

The oldest actress still before the public, Miss Genevieve Ward, who was seventy-nine last March, gave a splendid performance of Queen Margaret in a revival of "Richard III." at His Majesty's Theatre last night, says the Daily Express. Miss Ward declaimed her denunciations of Richard, that "abortive, rooting hog," and

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"troubler of the world's peace," with wonderful fire.

Carmen, the William Fox feature starring Theda Bara, was cancelled in a little California town, last week for a most peculiar reason, according to the proprietor of the motion picture house there. He wrote the Fox branch manager as follows:

"Please send us another feature instead of Carmen. Some of my regular patrons have just told me how glad they are that I have booked a photoplay dealing with conductors and no-tornmen and that they hoped they would see a good strike."

This film is at the Unique today and tomorrow.

There probably is none of the stars now appearing on stage and screen in the United States who are so completely American as Miss Pearson. She is a Louisville beauty, as the many noted women of Kentucky state, member of the famous southern family, the Calloways. In this actress' veins is the blood of American pioneers and a long line of artists and literary folk of old England.

Early in her womanhood she was compelled, like so many daughters of aristocratic southern families, to gain her own livelihood. Miss Pearson always had loved books, and her first employment was as assistant librarian of the Booklovers' Library at Louisville. She had been well educated in the public schools and at a business university at her home city.

Then she became "stage struck," and entered her dramatic work under Henry W. Savage. Within a year or two she was established as a stock actress of unusual promise. She played in stock at the New Theatre in Washington, D. C., getting good, sound training in Shakespeare's and other classic productions, and she was seen on the boards of the Gaety Theatre in New York City. She next entered moving picture work with the Vitagraph company.

Virginia Pearson's private life is unusually interesting. She is one of the few actresses who like both athletics and those more feminine fads which run to house decorations and fine rooms. She excels at swimming, dancing, horseback riding and dress. Miss Pearson has originated many vogues in freak decoration and dress which have traveled like wildfire across the continent. Many a woman does things in the way invented by Miss Pearson and one not know it—ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast. Maritime—Light to moderate winds; a few scattered showers, but generally fair, stationary or higher temperature. Washington, June 12.—Forecast: Northern New England—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday, slowly rising temperatures, light variable winds. Toronto, June 12.—A few scattered showers have occurred today in the Maritime Provinces and in the vicinity of Lake Ontario, otherwise generally fair, moderately warm weather has prevailed over the Dominion. Temperatures. Min. Max. Dawson 42 76 Prince Rupert 48 64 Victoria 52 76 Vancouver 46 74 Kamloops 50 78 Calgary 38 70 Edmonton 34 64 Battleford 46 56 Medicine Hat 44 70 Moose Jaw 45 69 Regina 48 68 Winnipeg 52 70 Port Arthur 45 64 Parry Sound 50 70 London 47 74 Toronto 49 70 Ottawa 56 72 Montreal 54 70 Quebec 52 72 St. John 48 62 Halifax 48 60

BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA SUITS IN SUIT OF F. DEL. CLEMENTS

Jury Returned Early This Morning, Submitted Answers to Court and Judge Barry Found for Defendants.

The special jury in the case of F. Del. Clements vs. the Bank of Nova Scotia, Robert G. Wallace and Edward S. Crawford, retired at 9:20 o'clock last night and returned to the Supreme Court at 12:30 o'clock this morning and submitted their findings to Judge Barry with the result that the judge after reading the answers to the questions submitted gave judgment for the defendants. The questions submitted to the jury and their answers are as follows: No. 1. Was the charge against the plaintiff in the St. John police court made bona fide and in the honest belief of the bank officials that the charge was true? Answer. Yes. No. 2. Was such belief based upon an honest conviction of the existence of the circumstances which led the bank's officials to the conclusion that the charge was true? Answer. Yes. No. 3. And were the circumstances so believed and relied on such as amounted to a reasonable ground for belief in the guilt of the plaintiff? Answer. Yes. No. 4. Was the charge against the plaintiff in the police court commenced only on the advice of competent counsel and after all the facts had been submitted to such counsel? Answer. Yes to the first, and No to the last part of the question. No. 5. Or in laying the matter before counsel did Mr. Wallace and Mr. Crawford, or either of them, withhold any material facts necessary to be disclosed in order to a complete understanding of the questions involved? Answer. Yes. No. 6. Did the defendants act bona fide on the advice of their legal advisers believing there were proper grounds for the prosecution of the plaintiff? Answer. Yes. No. 7. In commencing, in the police court, the prosecution against the plaintiff, was Mr. Wallace, the manager, or Mr. Crawford, the assistant

MINISTER OF MILITIA WILL BE HERE TODAY

Major General Sir Sam Hughes Will Arrive on Special Train at 11:30 and Inspect Local Units.

Sir Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia, who is making an inspection tour through the Maritime Provinces, will arrive in St. John at 11:30 o'clock this morning. He will be the guest of Col. H. H. McLean at a military luncheon at Cliff Club before inspecting the quarters of the local units. Besides the Lieut. Governor and the military officials, Mayor Hayes and several other prominent citizens will be present at the military luncheon. Sir Sam will present the instruments to the 140th Battalion at Seaside Park this afternoon and take a prominent part in the presentation and consecration of the 115th Battalion colors, which are to be presented by Lieut. Governor Wood. The brigade parade which will take place this afternoon at Seaside will be in charge of Col. McLean, assisted by his staff of officers. Both battalions will line up in front of the saluting position in the field at the park where they will receive the general salute from the Minister of Militia. Then the presentation will take place. Before leaving St. John this afternoon Sir Sam will make an inspection of the barracks on Sydney street and on the West Side. C and D Comps. of the 140th, which have been stationed at Fredericton and Andover, arrived in the city last night in order to be here for the inspection. C Company arrived about 9:30 with Major Good in charge. The Minister of Militia will leave St. John immediately after the inspection of the battalion quarters which will be sometime during the evening.

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Emerson & Fisher Ltd. Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited. Stores Open 8.30 a.m., Close 6 O'clock; Fridays 10 p. m., Saturdays 1 p. m. Remnant Sale of Colored and Black Dress Goods and Suitings Will Start This Morning in Dress Goods Department.

Great Remnant Sale House Furnishings. MANUFACTURERS' ENDS OF CHINTZ, CRETONNES AND MARQUISSETTES AT HALF PRICE AND LESS COMMENCING THIS MORNING. This will be a grand opportunity for economical housekeepers to secure up-to-date materials for home beautifying at one-half and less than one-half the regular prices. These are manufacturers' ends in lengths from one to eight yards and over, including: CHINTZ AND CRETONNES, handsome floral patterns in pink, blue, yellow and combination colors; small, dainty designs in good variety. To be sold at half price and less. Per remnant, from - 20c to \$1.65 PLAIN MARQUISSETTES, in white, cream and ecru, 36 to 50 inches wide. Lengths 1 to 8 3/4 yards. MARQUISSETTES, with drawwork borders, white and beige, 40 inches wide. Lengths 1 1/4 to 9 1/2 yards. SELF-COLORED MARQUISSETTES, in brown and green, 40 inches wide. Lengths 1 1/2 to 5 yards. All at half-price and less. Per remnant - - 20c to \$2.00 To get these wonderful bargains you must come promptly. The sale will start at 8.30. HOUSE FURNISHING DEPT.—SECOND FLOOR. Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

Around the City

Old Offenders Arrested. A man and a woman who have often been arrested were last night taken in custody by the police for being drunk together on Erin street.

European War Veterans. The European War Veterans' Association will meet at their hall, 53 Charlotte street this morning in uniform at 9:30 for the purpose of meeting the train bringing Sir Sam Hughes Minister of Militia.

Estey Case in Boston Today. Wesley H. Estey, formerly of this city is being held in Boston where he was arrested charged by John P. Trant, British vice-consul, with being a fugitive from justice in Canada. The case comes up for trial today. Estey is wanted in St. John on the charge of stealing \$2,262 from Charles A. Clark, his employer.

A. C. Smith & Co. Creditors Meet. At a meeting of the creditors of A. C. Smith & Company an offer to sell a certain portion of the assets for \$18,400 was made. If the offer is not accepted these assets with all other assets will be offered for sale at public auction. The arrangements were left in the hands of the assignee and the inspectors.

Passed "A" and "B" Portions. After successfully passing "A" and "B" portions in the military school of instruction in the Army, the undermentioned probationers of the 140th Battalion have been struck off the strength and returned to their unit at the request of their officer commanding. The men are: W. P. Lawson, A. R. Canam, J. L. Quinn, H. W. Havens, C. F. West and H. M. Nicoll. These men will return to the school at a later date to take the "C" portion of the course.

Board of Trade Notes. The Board of Trade has been advised that cable communication with San Domingo via Ponce and wireless is interrupted except for San Domingo city, also that San Pedro Marcoris route via Bay St. is interrupted except for Puerto Plata and San Domingo city. Also that on account of interruption of the direct cable service communication with Curacao and Venezuela messages would be sent partly by wireless, such messages being subject to United States censorship.

Rotary Club Luncheon. The Rotary Club were addressed by W. S. Fisher at their noon meeting yesterday. He spoke on conditions as he had found them on his recent trip through the west, making special reference to the fine streets and sidewalks to be found in the cities and towns there. He expressed the opinion that the citizens of St. John should see that a more rapid building of permanent street work was undertaken. Rotarian Wigmore announced a harbor luncheon and excursion next Monday, and an afternoon off and a motor trip to Sussex the following Monday with dinner at Hampton on the way home.

Visitors at New Brunswick Office. The following visitors called at the New Brunswick office in London recently:—Private S. Morton Olive, 26th Battalion, St. John; Sergt. E. Drury Allen, C. P. A., Moncton; Capt. J. D. McNaughton, Chatham; Lieut. R. A. Major, 5th Battalion, St. John; Bombardier S. B. Bray, 2nd Battery; Miss Anna Gamble, C. A. M. C. S. S. S. Gunner J. M. McAdam, 1st Canadian Battery, Fredericton; Lieut. W. C. Lawson, St. Stephen; Miss Mabel E. Lewis, C. A. M. C. Benton; Capt. C. E. Edgett, C. A. V. C., Moncton; Lieut. C. Cedric Ryan, R. H. A., Vancouver; Lieut. L. Dec MacIntosh, R. A. M. C., Hartland; Lieut. H. B. Lawson, R. A. M. C.; St. Stephen; Private H. A. MacDonald, 8th C. P. A., Newcastle; Private J. Lynch, 48th Highlanders, Newcastle; Staff Sergt. J. McMullen, C. A. S. C., St. John.

DR. W. S. CARTER ADDRESSED THE SCHOOL BOARD

Superintendent of Education Referred to Technical Education—Other Matters at Board Meeting.

The monthly meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held last night in the board rooms. Those present were Chairman Emerson, Trustees Mrs. Dever, Mrs. Taylor, Russell, Green, Manning, Ingraham, Nagle, Day, Coll and Superintendent Bridges. After the reading of the minutes the chairman announced that Chief Superintendent of Education, Dr. W. S. Carter was in the building and would address the board on the coming Teachers' Institute. Dr. Carter was introduced and made a plea for as large an attendance as possible of the trustees at all the meetings of the institute, and particularly the public meeting in the Opera House, which was to be addressed by the Superintendent of Education, Education Smith of the State of Maine, on "The Citizen and His Schools." He referred to the need for technical education in the public schools and said the rest of the province was looking to St. John to lead in the matter. After Dr. Carter had retired the business was proceeded with. Mrs. Dever asked the permission of the board to offer a medal to the pupil in grade 11, making the highest marks in matriculation examination in English language and literature. The offer was accepted and the thanks of the board tendered Mrs. Dever for her kindness, the superintendent saying that this medal would fill a long vacant niche. Resignations were received from the following: Miss Henrietta Barlow of Winter street school, Miss Ethel B. Smith of Winter street school, Miss M. Regina Mitchell of the Good Shepherd and Miss Elsie Murdoch who has been on leave of absence for some time. These were accepted. Miss Maud Gibson of the Winter street school asked for one year's leave of absence on account of ill health. This was granted with half pay in consideration of the fact that Miss Gibson had been on the staff of the Winter street school for 18 years, and has given good service. The following applications were received and referred to the teachers' committee: Miss Rhoda J. McDougal, Miss Reta M. Inch, Miss Florence G. Perry, Miss Freda M. Wier, Miss Alma K. Gale, Miss Mary McLeod, Miss E. V. Law, Miss Greichen M. Bates and Mr. H. C. Reicker. A certificate from Dr. Ruddock to the effect that Miss Eliza Hargraves was too ill to attend to her duties as teacher in the Partridge Island school was referred to Superintendent Bridges and Trustee Day. A communication from Miss Mary G. Gunn in reference to a small organ which had

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Machum, of Westfield, announce the engagement of their daughter, Elva, to Captain Ronald V. Bennett, of Hopewell Cape. The wedding will take place on June 28th.

Remnant Sale of Colored and Black Dress Goods and Suitings at M. R. A.'s. Commencing this morning in the Dress Goods Department, there will be a bargain sale of Remnants in lengths from 1 1/4 to 5 yards, consisting of Tweeds, Serges, Poplins, Broadcloths, Gabardines, etc. Ends suitable for young ladies' costumes and dresses, girls' skirts and dresses, small ladies' costumes, also many short lengths, just the thing for boys' suits. The sale will start at 8.30.

Great Remnant Sale of House Furnishings at M. R. A.'s. This will be a quick disposal of a large quantity of manufacturers' ends at one-half and less than one-half of regular prices. All are desirable remnants in lengths from one to more than eight yards, consisting of Chintz and Cretonnes, floral designs in dainty colors and color combinations, also plain Marquisettes, Marquisettes with drawwork borders and self-colored Marquisettes in brown and green. The sale will start at 8.30 this morning in the House Furnishing Department, second floor.

Lovely Shirtwaists. The daintiest shirtwaists that have been shown in St. John for a long time are now on exhibition at F. A. Dykeman & Co. The Candy Stripe styles with dainty colored embroidered collar to match material of waists, are very attractive and are priced at \$1.20. The all-over embroidered waists made of very fine Swiss Muslin with rich orandie collars is priced the same as above. They also have a lot of fine Voile Waists with Swiss embroidered yokes on sale at 97 cents each.

Married. Huestis-Ferris—At the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ferris, 207 Rockland Road, on June 9, by the Rev. F. H. Westwood, Private Ernest Milton Huestis, of 115th Battalion, St. John, to Jessie Beatrice Ferris, of the above address.

Died. Jordan—In this city, on June 11th, Gilbert Samuel Jordan, aged eighty years. Funeral from his late residence, No. 5 Paradise Row, Tuesday afternoon. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

Request for Papers. The Mayor received a letter yesterday from the Red Cross Society, 14 Cockspur street, Trafalgar Square, London, requesting that papers from St. John, Halifax and Kingston, Ontario, be sent to them for the use of soldiers in the hospitals in and around London, as a great many men from these places were asking for them. Papers to be addressed as above and the society would look after the distribution.