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## CHINA AND BRAZIL LIKELY TO ENTER WAR; LITTLE FIGHTING ON EVE OF VICTORIA DAY

### CHINA LIKELY TO GO TO WAR AGAINST HUNS

President Li Yuan Hung Dismisses Premier Tuan Chi Jui.  
DR. WU TING FANG NOW THE ACTING PREMIER  
Brazil Also Expected to Take Sides with the Entente.

**BULLETIN.**  
Peking, May 23.—President Li Yuan Hung has issued a mandate dismissing Premier Tuan Chi Jui from office and naming Dr. Wu Ting-fang, former ambassador to the United States, as acting premier, and empowering him to form a new cabinet.  
This action probably will end the deadlock in parliament and make possible a declaration of war by China against Germany.



Rio Janeiro, May 22.—(Delayed in transmission)—The government has received official confirmation of the report of the torpedoing of the Brazilian steamship *Ajuba*.  
The message of President Braz, recommending cancellation of the decree of neutrality in the war between the United States and Germany was read today in the chamber of deputies. The diplomatic committee of the chamber met in secret session to consider the message. The council of ministers also held a conference. It is believed in parliamentary circles that, in view of the torpedoing of the *Ajuba*, congress will declare in favor of more vigorous measures than those considered previously.

**Stands By Constitution.**  
The provisional military governors who were attempting to disband parliament left Peking before the president took action against Tuan Chi Jui, as the president had positively announced that he would disregard their demand for a dissolution of the legislative body. The president declared that parliament must not be coerced in any way and announced his intention to conduct the government in accordance with the provisional constitution at any cost.

**Brazil on Verge of War.**  
Washington, May 23.—Brazil's entry into the war is regarded here as a question merely of days.  
Those who have watched South American developments closely believe that the sinking of the steamer *Ajuba* may provide the incident required to place the more pacific members of the Brazilian congress into the list of those willing to vote for active hostilities against Germany.

President Braz asked congress yesterday to revoke the declaration of neutrality and if congress accepts his suggestion a formal declaration of war, probably will follow immediately. Brazil was one of the first South American countries to sever relations with Germany.

### REVOLUTIONARY CONSCRIPTION IS ENFORCED

Montreal Newspaper Man Threatens Things at Protest Meeting.  
SAYS LAURIER WILL OPPOSE CONSCRIPTION

Another Fire-Eater Declares "Borden Has Come Here to Murder."

Editor Marcell War-Like.  
Mr. Tancredi Marcell, proprietor of a local French daily, *La Liberte*, said he had received a letter from Sir Wilfrid Laurier in which the Liberal chief said he would oppose, and would resist, the proposed conscription.

Mr. Marcell said the French-Canadians were ready to do their duty as volunteers to defend the empire, but they did not want conscription, especially conscription imposed by a government which has had no mandate from September, 1916. "We claim," said he, "general elections so as to put an end to this government."

**ITALIAN MISSION IN CAPITAL OF THE U. S.**  
Prince Udine, Sig. Marconi and Others Will Confer with Government.

Washington, May 23.—The Italian official mission arrived here today, headed by the Prince of Udine.  
Received by high American government officials and escorted by troops of cavalry, the visitors were taken to the house of Joseph Letter, which will be their home while they remain in Washington.

**BALFOUR TO ADDRESS PARLIAMENT MONDAY**  
Ottawa, May 23.—Canadian Press.—Right Hon. A. J. Balfour will address the two houses of the Canadian parliament in the common chamber on Monday afternoon next. Sir James Loughheed announced in the senate this afternoon.

### SIR WILFRID'S LEADERSHIP IS MENACED

Liberal Party Situation Growing More Acute Every Day.  
ANTI-CONSCRIPTION STORM IN QUEBEC

Several Conscription Liberals May Possibly Enter Borden Cabinet.

**Special to The Standard.**  
Ottawa, May 23.—The government tonight gave formal notice that two bills, one to introduce compulsory military service, and another to extend the life of parliament, would be introduced in the House next week.

The political situation so far as it affects the opposition is growing more acute every day. A storm of anti-conscription feeling appears to be sweeping over Quebec and elsewhere. It is not yet clear whether the indications now are that they will present a solid block against them. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's attitude is still undefined and uncertain. His position is exceedingly difficult and dangerous. Support of conscription threatens his hold in the one province where he is strong. Opposition to conscription would stamp him as a sectional not a national leader. Which ever step he takes his leadership will be menaced.

**Dismissing Liberals.**  
There is some talk in the corridors tonight about the possibility in the event of Laurier's surrendering to the anti-conscriptionists of the government of three or more of the patriotic Liberals to enter the administration as a sort of coalition. In this connection the names of Dr. Michael Clark, A. K. MacLean and Hugh Guthrie are mentioned. This suggestion of course is entirely unofficial though not outside the realm of possibility. Precedent for it can be found in the inclusion into the cabinet of Sir Thomas White as a representative of the Liberals who put country before party in 1911, also in the inclusion of Hon. Mr. Morrissey as a representative of the New Brunswick Liberals in the Hazen government of New Brunswick in 1908. The government's rapid handling of the big question is astonishing.

**22 DUTCH VESSELS WILL COME TO CANADA AND U. S.**  
The Hague, May 23, via London.—The Hague, May 23, via London.—The minister of agriculture has requisitioned, under the shipping law, twenty-two Dutch vessels, which will proceed to the United States by way of Halifax in ballast, to bring back 100,000 tons of grain.

### A MOIST, WINDY AND UNSETTLED OUTLOOK FOR THE HOLIDAY.

Rain and more rain, with plenty of wind and muddy country roads, are the "cheerful" prospects in view for Empire Day. Many have, however, excursions will be keenly disappointed and glum, if the weather experts are to be believed.

**TEN BILLIONS MAY BE USED BY ONE MAN**  
Gigantic Plan of Entente to Purchase Supplies Through Central Bureau.

Washington, May 23.—A programme under which the American government virtually would pool its purchases for the sake of attaining maximum efficiency with that of all the allies, is being considered in many lines world it as cogwheels, and place one man in charge of the whole gigantic enterprise, is under consideration and fast assuming definite outline. This man would be the world's super-buyer. Into his hands the nations at war with Germany would place approximately ten billion dollars a year, a store of money exceeding the fabled fortunes of the ancient Incas, and with no parallel in modern history.

**ITALIANS WIN IN VALLEY OF TRAVIGNOLO**  
Austrians Penetrate Defending Lines but Are Repulsed.

Petrograd, May 23, via London.—The repulse of a German raiding party before the Russian lines in the region of Kravoy, southeast of Vilna, is announced in today's war office report. In Persia the Kurds are continuing their surprise attacks on Russian camps and sentries.

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### SUBMARINE SITUATION IMPROVES

Only Eighteen Large British Merchantmen Sunk Last Week.  
HUN U-BOAT VICTORY LONG WAY OFF

United States Destroyers Assisted in Repressing Marine Attacks.

London, May 23.—Eighteen British merchantmen of more than 1,600 tons were sunk by submarines last week. The statement follows:  
"For the week ending Sunday—Arrivals: All nationalities, 2,664; sailings, 2,759. British merchantmen of 1,600 tons or over sunk by mine or submarine, 18; under 1,600 tons, 9. British merchantment unsuccessfully attacked, 9."  
"British fishing vessels sunk, 2." The week's figures of vessels sunk by submarines showed that the allied navies are keeping up the good work of the previous fortnight, and the American unit, although still a small one, shares the credit for excellent work. Not only are the sinkings being kept at a fairly low figure, but the offensive against U-boats also continues to show favorable results. The actual figures in this respect, however, are not known.

**Admiralty Pleased.**  
The British admiralty this week wears a pleased smile at the mention of the submarine campaign, for the results of the naval work in the past two weeks are regarded as really indicating an important victory over the Germans. The German naval people throughout the early months of the ruthless campaign predicted that England would be "on her knees by June" and "gloomy pictures were painted of grim famine certain by that date for the people of Great Britain and France."  
June 1 is almost here, and German victory in the submarine warfare seems as far distant as ever. There has been a constant improvement in the methods of the allies in opposing and suppressing U-boat activity and these methods have become more and more successful with longer days and finer weather and increasing familiarity on the part of the skippers of merchantmen with the methods of naval control.

**NO COMPULSION FOR MEN LESS THAN TWENTY**  
Special to The Standard.  
Ottawa, May 23.—The government has decided that no man under the age of twenty years shall be called for compulsory service. The following statement is issued:  
"In connection with the preparation of the government measure for compulsory military service, the question as to what should be the minimum age for such service has been not the least difficult of solution. Under the system of voluntary enlistment men have been accepted on reaching their 18th year. The young man has offered himself promptly on attaining his 18th birthday and in the distribution of credit, too large a share cannot be given to this heroic class of young men."  
"The experiences of the war have however shown that men of this age do not so well resist the varied and tacking hardships as those of more mature years. As a consequence it has for some been the practice to retain in England all under the age of nineteen, thus, in effect, raising to that minimum the age of those who face the actual ordeal. There are many who believe it would be wisdom to place still higher the age at which our soldiers should be called upon to serve."

### FRENCH REPEL AN ATTACK BY THE GERMANS.

Enemy Delivered Ineffective Assault Against Mont Haut.  
VON HINDENBURG SAW HIS FORCES DEFEATED

Army of France in Possession of Many Observation Points.

Paris, May 23.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads:  
"On the Compeignes: No infantry action occurred during the day. Enemy troops bombarded the new positions we occupy in the region of the Compeignes plateau. The number of prisoners taken in the operations of yesterday exceeded four hundred."  
"In Campagne there was spirited infantry activity on the part of the enemy to the south of Moronvillers. The Germans finally delivered against Mont Haut an attack which our fire broke down before it was able to reach our trenches."  
Von Hindenburg Present.  
On the French Front in France, May 23.—(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press)—Von Hindenburg himself is understood to have been a spectator of the defeat which the French inflicted on the Germans yesterday evening on the Moronvillers range which resulted in the capture of several lines of German trenches and a number of important observation points.

His presence is supposed to have been connected with an attack on the French lines which the Germans intended to deliver on Tuesday morning. The French forestalled them and after demolishing German machine gun nests and other defenses with artillery, launched an assault which was so brilliantly successful that more than 1,000 Germans were captured. At the same time the French obtained elbow room beyond the ridge for future operations.

**Many Points Captured.**  
As outlined to the correspondent today, the operations in this region developed into a "struggle for observation points," possession of which is absolutely indispensable for success in the methods of the German in their forward drive on the Moronvillers range the French captured all those positions dominating the surrounding territory. The heights of Carville, Blondu, Haut, Casque and Teton and the Moronvillers hills are now in their possession, and from them they are able to watch the movements of German supply columns and reinforcements, and thus harass them, making precarious the German tenure of the Rheims plains.

**Hun Cannon for Canada.**  
Cannon of smaller calibre captured by the Canadians at Vimy Ridge have been shipped to Canada and should arrive in time to add interest to the fall fairs. The larger guns which require the use of mechanical power to get them over the ridge could not be brought out in time for the first shipment. Not a few of them are still in use, the stores of abandoned enemy ammunition still being available.

**Three St. John Men and Two Yarmouth Soliders in Yesterday's Casualties.**  
Ottawa, May 23.—In today's casualty list of 262 names, there are 24 killed, 16 died and 21 missing. Private Everett Mackie, of Lunenburg, N. S., and Private George Hill, of Winnipeg, previously reported killed, are now reported alive. Private A. E. West, of Welland and Private John Nelson, Montreal, previously reported missing, have been located.

**Died of Wounds—**  
N. H. Cobham, St. John, N. B., Artillery.  
Killed in Action—  
P. R. Allaby, St. John, N. B., J. Amos, St. John, N. B., Infantry.  
Missing—  
N. H. Goodwin, Yarmouth, N. S., W. Jefferson, Bridgetown, N. S., G. S. Sturges, Yarmouth, N. S.

### DEFENCE LINE OF GERMANS WEAKENING

Oppy Line in Front of La Coulette is in Very Bad Condition.  
YESTERDAY QUIET DAY ON BATTLE FRONTS

Cannon Captured by Canadians Will be Sent to this Country.

London, May 23.—The British official communication issued this evening says:  
"Nothing of special interest occurred during the day, owing to the unfavorable weather conditions."  
"There was less activity in the air yesterday, and little fighting. One German airplane was driven down out of control."  
Fritz Chopping Trees Again.  
Canadian Headquarters in France, May 23.—(By Stewart Lyon, Special Correspondent Canadian Press)—Following the penetration of the Hindenburg line in the region between Bullecourt and Arras, the enemy has resumed the putting down of trees along the roads in the country north of the Scarpe river. Were the Hindenburg line south of Arras to become untenable the Mercur-Oppy trench system between the Scarpe and Lens would be equally so. Already the British troops are inside the German wire at Gavrelle and the enemy has been under the necessity of constructing a new defensive system to the east between Gavrelle and Arras where the wire ends in a maze of mine buildings.

**Oppy Line Weak.**  
The Oppy line is in bad condition in front of La Coulette. Both trenches and wire have practically disappeared. The Germans are at work under cover on new defences along the rising ground to the east of that village. On the Arras sector the wire protecting the enemy seems pretty thoroughly cut before the capture of Fresnoy early in the month. The village passed again into German hands, but the Oppy line there may be said not to exist. All along the front from the Souchez river to the Scarpe river the enemy's defences are daily becoming weaker despite his efforts to maintain wire and trench systems. This morning the enemy was busy repairing the breaches in his wire.

**Two Reported Killed Now Found Alive**  
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# THINGS ARE GOING BAD IN THE GERMAN EMPIRE

## WHOLE GERMAN REGIME THREATENED, SAYS AGUERO

### Late Cuban Minister to Berlin Tells of Conditions in Kaiser's Empire—No Prospect of Improvement in Food Situation.

Geneva, May 23. (via Paris)—Things are going badly in Germany, and the imperial regime is threatened, according to Dr. Aristides Agüero, recalled Cuban minister to Berlin, who has arrived here on his way to France, Doctor Agüero said.

The Cuban and German ministers left Berlin together. They were accompanied by a German colonel who never let them out of his sight and they were not allowed to leave their train at any station on the way to the frontier. Their meat and bread cards were taken away from them. Doctor Agüero declared that there was no prospect of immediate improvement in the food situation in Germany. He said that no help could be expected from the occupied parts of Roumania as the lack of man power made a cultivation of the fields impossible.

## WILLIAM H. FOWLER, WELL KNOWN MILLER DIED LAST NIGHT

### Succumbed to Attack of Pneumonia After Short Illness—Prominent in Masonic Fraternity.

The death of William H. Fowler, one of the best known business men in the city, occurred last night at the infirmary after a week's illness from pneumonia. Mr. Fowler, who had reached the advanced age of 75 years, has been identified with the milling industry here for over 40 years, first manufacturing cornmeal and later branching out into the milling of wheat. He was born in Sackville and in 1870 emigrated to this country and settling in St. John about 45 years ago. He was prominent in the Masonic order and an active member of the Elks and Royal Arcanum.

## ITCHY SALT RHEUM

Sometimes Called Eczema—Removed by Hood's Sarsaparilla. Salt rheum is one of the worst and unfortunately one of the most common of all diseases. How it reddens the skin, itches, oozes, dries and scales, and then does this all over again! Sometimes it covers the whole body with inflamed, burning patches and causes intense suffering, which is commonly worse at night.

## FATAL COLLISION ON TORONTO STREET R. R.

Toronto, May 23.—Arthur Darrant, a street car conductor, was instantly killed in a street car collision at the corner of Bloor and Yonge streets today. The trolley pole of his car became disconnected as it turned down Yonge street. He alighted to replace it, and a Yonge street car coming in the same direction struck him almost severing his body. The vestibules of the two cars were shattered in the collision.

## TASTEFUL SATISFYING KING SOLE TEA

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## INDIA WILL BE CLOSER THAN EVER TO EMPIRE

### Contemplated That Representative of That Country in Imperial Cabinet Will Be Indian.

London, May 23.—Austin Chamberlain, secretary of state for India, told the members of the House of Commons this afternoon that the position of India inside the British Empire had been considered at the Imperial war conference, and that the principle of reciprocity had been accepted. Under the new plan, the secretary of state said, India will be represented by a member of the Imperial war conference, and that the principle of reciprocity had been accepted. Under the new plan, the secretary of state said, India will be represented by a member of the Imperial war conference, and that the principle of reciprocity had been accepted.

## LOGGIEVILLE

Loggieville, May 22.—The fever situation in this place is causing much anxiety among the citizens. Several more cases have recently developed. Although the disease, up to the present time, has been confined to one portion of the town, yet there is great fear that with the summer season rapidly approaching, if something is not done immediately to prevent its spread the matter will be serious for the whole community. As yet, none of the cases have proved fatal, but some of the patients have been hovering between life and death, for some time past. Arrangements have now been made that Dr. J. B. McKenzie give a lecture, on the typhoid situation—in the Temperance hall on Tuesday evening of this week, and it is hoped, that as a result of the information so freely and willingly given by the doctor, the citizens may be benefited, and the progress of the disease prevented.

Friday was Arbor day in the schools here. The teachers and scholars celebrated the day in the usual manner. George McIntyre was called to Eucalyptus last evening owing to the serious illness of his sister. The weather conditions at present are preventative to the farming industry but better things are hoped for soon. Some of the farmers fear that the late sowing of the grain will result in a poor harvest. The local increased production effort to offset the real and Southern America. There are men from every British colony, from all the countries in Europe, Asia and Africa, and also a number of Frenchmen.

## HUN SPIES IN SWITZERLAND

Geneva, via Paris, May 23.—The police have discovered in one of the principal hotels of Geneva a nest of German and Austrian spies. Eight arrests have been made thus far, including the correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung. A number of compromising documents have been seized.

## Austrian Premier's Slayer on Trial

Despatches from Vienna report that the trial is in progress there of Dr. Friedrich Adler, the Vienna newspaper editor and radical socialist, who last October shot and killed the Austrian premier, Count Karl Sturgkh. Charged with the murder of the premier, say the accounts of the trial, Dr. Adler pleaded in defence that he was guilty in the same way that an officer was guilty who in wartime killed or ordered the death of another man.

## DIED.

FOWLER—Died on Wednesday, May 23rd, William H. Fowler, 213 German street. Service at 2.30.

## TITUSVILLE.

Titusville, May 23.—Services in the Salina Presbyterian church and adjoining fields opened for the summer on Sunday last with Mr. F. H. Anderson, student in charge. It is the second summer for Mr. Anderson on this field he is no stranger and his many friends are giving him a hearty welcome.

Rep. Mr. Worden, the newly appointed pastor for the Baptist congregations held services in the church at this place Sunday afternoon. Miss Nina Love, St. John, spent a few days with Mrs. Jas. Campbell. Mrs. David McAllister is slowly improving from an attack of tonsillitis. The family of Mr. Wilfred Carson are very sick with a severe attack of measles. Miss Beattie Tays is seriously ill with pneumonia. Little hopes are held out for her recovery. Mrs. Chas. Titus and Mrs. Fred. Abott and baby spent Saturday afternoon with friends in Passaic. Farming in this vicinity is very backward on account of the very cold weather.

## VETERANS TO JOIN IN "HUB" CELEBRATION

### Number from This City Going to Boston to Take Part in Military Observance of "Fourth."

St. John veterans of the great European war will likely occupy a conspicuous place in the observance of the Fourth of July in Boston. The local veterans have been invited by the committee in charge to go to Boston for the "doings" which, this year, will be of more than ordinary significance owing to the recent entry of the United States into the war. Members of the local association told The Standard last evening that they were planning to make the trip, wearing their overseas uniforms for the event.

## HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell, May 23.—J. S. Hayward, who spent the winter months in St. John, returned to his home in Riverside last week. Mr. Hayward has been quite ill but is now recovering.

Fred Powers of the 25th Klitter Battalion is spending a few days at his home. Rev. Mr. Logan is here for the summer months to be in charge of the Presbyterian church, Riverside. He is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Barbour. Miss Heulah, Steeves of Salem is visiting at Mrs. P. Chester Peck, Albert. Walter S. Jones has purchased a car from St. John parties.

Miss Edna Hayward went to St. John Saturday for a few weeks. Harold Tingley, the four year old son of Roy Tingley, fell off a board while playing on Saturday morning and dislocated his elbow. Dr. S. C. Murray, Albert, rendered the necessary aid.

At the close of the regular Sunday evening services of the Methodist church, Weldon Stevens united with the church, the baptismal and reception services being conducted by the minister, Rev. Richard Opie. Rev. Mr. Whitman of Amherst has been called to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church, Riverview, and will commence his duties on Sunday, May 27th. Rev. E. B. McLatchey has supplied since the departure of Rev. H. C. DeWolfe.

A very interesting session of the W. I. has held this afternoon, and despite the showers, nearly all the members were present and three visitors. Roll call was answered by "Current Events." The secretary read several communications, including the letter from headquarters asking the members to observe the seventh anniversary of the inception of the Women's Institutes in New Brunswick by raising funds for the Belgian relief.

It was decided to ask for a lecturer from the department during the coming months. An appeal for greater production was also read and a prize will be given by the Institute to any girl or woman exhibiting four quarts of beans of her own raising at the agricultural fair held in the fall. A letter was read by one of the members from Pie. C. J. Saunders, Canadian war prisoner, expressing his pleasure on the receipt of communications and supplies from the members. The election of officers will take place at the next meeting, June 15th, the roll to be answered by rhubarb recipes. Refreshment committees are Mrs. Christian Steeves and Mrs. Robert McGorman. The meeting closed with the National Anthem, followed by delicious refreshments served by Mrs. Rogers and Miss Archibald. Miss Mabel Steeves is spending a few days in Moncton.

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## PEEL

Peel, May 23.—Mrs. Pearl Brown and children of Toronto are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCrea. Mrs. John Golding spent the weekend in Hardland, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Percy Barrie. Mrs. Allison Harmon of Woodstock is visiting friends here this week. Mrs. Lee Golding returned home last week from Presque Isle where she was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Knowles. Miss Lucia McCrea spent the weekend with friends in Woodstock. Mr. John Corey returned home recently after spending several weeks in Boston.

Gertrude spent Sunday in Lansdowne with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ross. A memorial service was held in St. John's Hall on Sunday afternoon in memory of Guy Tompkins, who was killed in action. Rev. P. J. Quigg and Rev. M. H. Manuel conducted the service.

## NEW ENGLAND FOREST EXPERTS FOR BRITAIN.

Washington, May 23.—An agreement with the British war office under which the six New England States will soon send ten portable saw mill units, comprising four hundred expert woodmen, to aid the British armies in France, was announced tonight. The members of the expedition will serve as civilian employes of the British government.

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QUEBEC BRITS MORE GAINS BY ENTENTE CONSCRIPTION

Young Liberals of Montreal Make Heated Statements at Mass Meeting.

PARTIZANS TALK MUCH TOMMY-ROT

One and All French-Canadian Liberals Rely on Laurier to Save Their Skins.

Montreal, May 21.—"Borden is taking your sons by force and sending them away to be killed. We have done well by sending four hundred thousand soldiers to the front. All of whom have gone of their own good will, but for my part I do not want my sons sent to fight by a partisan government when England has a national government in power."

It was practically a young man's smothering, each one of whom gave an explanation as to why Quebec had not done better and the audience was anti-conscription from the start.

Mr. A. De Bellefeuille spoke long and earnestly, declaring that just as sure as Joffre was the victor of the Marne, David Laurier would be the victor of Jacques Cartier.

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MORE GAINS BY ENTENTE CONSCRIPTION

Both British and French Successful Against Teutons in North France.

PARTIZANS TALK MUCH TOMMY-ROT

One and All French-Canadian Liberals Rely on Laurier to Save Their Skins.

London, May 23.—"Last night the enemy again heavily bombarded our positions on the Hindenburg line in today's official statement. "Our artillery replied vigorously. No hostile attack developed. We made a successful raid early this morning south-east of Gavrelle. A number of Germans were killed without any casualties among our troops.

Paris, May 23.—Successful attacks were made by the French last night on three parts of the front, the war office announces. The attacks were made on the Aisne front. In the region of the Calonne plateau the French captured observation points dominating the Allette valley. Pro- gress was made on the northern slopes of the heights east of Chev- reux. Three lines of German trenches east of Chevreaux were captured dur- ing the night.

General debility is a term used to describe a weak and run-down condition of the system. Debility may come from a number of causes. The after-effects of acute illness, lack of nourishment due to poor digestion, overwork or worry, or anything that makes the blood thin, thereby preventing it from carrying nourishment and health to the tissues of the body.

The symptoms of debility vary, but weakness is always present, often a tendency to be easily fatigued, spots passing before the eyes, weak back, dizziness, wakefulness caused by inability to stop thinking, and unrefreshing sleep.

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Arrested for Stealing. Detectives Duncan and Briggs yesterday arrested Peter Petchoff, a Pole, on the charge of stealing a quantity of bags from the sugar refineries. The bags have been recovered by the police.

Speaker, was very cautious, and while expressing himself against conscription before the government was sure that the people would it, he said he had at yet received no intimation as to his leader's decision, which would no doubt, be reached at a party caucus to be held in the near future.

He referred to the idea of a national government, expressing the belief that it would be unwise for a partisan government like the one in power at Ottawa imposing enlistment by force. He eloquently described the signing of 400,000 men to fight for liberty on the plains of France and Flanders and believed that patriotism and justice would finally prevail.

Women's Ailments Come From The Heart And Nerves. Young girls budding into womanhood who suffer with pains and headaches, and whose face is pale and blood water, will find Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills build them up.

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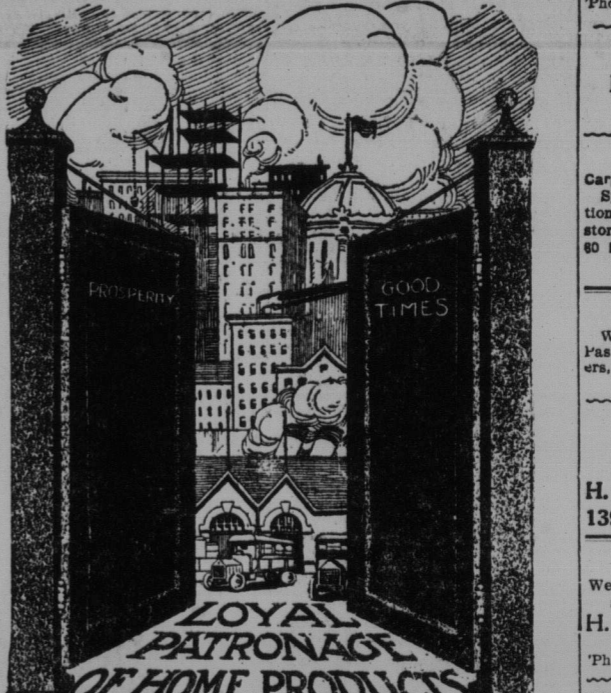
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CANADIAN SHIPBUILDING.

In Parliament on Tuesday Hon. J. D. Hazen made an interesting and highly valuable statement on shipbuilding in Canada. Pressure on space prevented The Standard from publishing the full text of this important communication in yesterday's issue, but we presented a summary of it, which showed among other things that the war had materially improved prospects for the establishment of successful shipbuilding industries here.

Prior to the outbreak of war labor was much cheaper in Great Britain than in Canada and other conditions contributed to make shipbuilding in this country an enterprise the success of which was doubtful. Now, however, wages in Britain have advanced to the point where Canada can successfully compete. At the present time the opportunity seems to be particularly good. The war has created a great demand for tonnage of all kinds, a demand that will continue for many years after the declaration of peace.

While in England Mr. Hazen interested himself in this important subject, and in interviews with Sir Joseph McLaughlin, British Government controller of shipping, laid particular stress on what Canada could do to meet the demand. From Sir Joseph, probably the most eminent authority in the world on shipbuilding matters, Mr. Hazen gained much information, while the Canadian minister's able presentation of Canada's case was accorded a sympathetic response. It is believed that the general purpose vessel of the future, in the building of which Canada can best engage, will not exceed 3,000 tons, or, if of wood, 2,000 tons. The business that is bound to offer for years to come will be much greater than any number of such vessels can care for, so there will be ample room for the establishment of such industries on a large scale.

At the present rates of freights, which rates are also likely to continue, such vessels can pay for themselves in two or three voyages, which makes the industry unusually profitable—a fact of interest to all Canadians.

The larger shipyards in Canada at present are all working at full capacity on the construction of large vessels of steel and wood, while in the Maritime Provinces alone forty-eight smaller craft are now under construction. The facts being as they are it is expected that shipbuilding will speedily become one of Canada's greatest industries for all conditions are favorable to it. We may be sure that with such an able and eloquent advocate as Hon. J. D. Hazen the province of New Brunswick and the city of St. John will receive its full share of all the business and prosperity a revival of shipbuilding will bring.

A GOLDEN HALF CENTURY.

The present month is notable in the business history of St. John by reason of the fact that one of the city's largest, most enterprising and most highly esteemed houses is celebrating the golden jubilee of its career.

Fifty years ago, in May, 1867, Hon. W. H. Thorne founded the business which today bears the name of W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., and which has grown from small beginnings to one of the great wholesale and retail hardware and iron establishments in Canada. It falls to the fortune of few firms and, still fewer business men, to record history of fifty years unbroken success, but for the Thorne concern the half century has been one of growth and expansion, and there is every indication that this fine old house will continue in its proud position for many years to come.

Through all the past half century the president of the company, Hon. W. H. Thorne, has been most active in the conduct of the establishment which bears his name, and its marked success is a distinct tribute to his keen business acumen and integrity. He has, moreover, found time to devote to other interests, and has always been one of St. John's foremost citizens and a leader in the Conservative party. Though never a candidate for office Hon. Mr. Thorne's ability and standing in the community are so generally recognized that it is safe to say at any time during the past half century he could have been elected to any position in the gift of the people of St. John. Four years ago he was called to the Canadian Senate and has proved a distinct acquisition to that body.

Senator Thorne's friends, and they are legion, will join with The Standard in extending to him personally, and to the other members of the firm of W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., heartiest

congratulations upon the attainment of a notable period in their business career. THE REMEDY APPLIED. The Standard learns with pleasure that the publicity given yesterday to the unsatisfactory condition existing in the quarters of the Special Service Company at West St. John resulted in a speedy effort to improve it. Work of cleaning the quarters was commenced during the day and arrangements have been made whereby a new issue of undergarments will be supplied to the men at once. There still are other matters to which the military authorities here, or at Halifax, can give attention. This newspaper can learn of no good reason why men should be kept waiting for nearly two months for their discharge papers, or why they should be forced to wait for pay which they have earned and which should be forwarded at the earliest possible opportunity. The responsibility for conditions in all quarters occupied by troops rests with the District Quartermaster General and his staff. The responsibility for failure to get discharge papers promptly executed rests either with the local discharge officer or the department at Halifax to which he must report. Ottawa authorities are responsible only for the general conduct and administration of the staffs under them and do not deal with individual cases. It is not to be imagined for a minute that any responsible official at Federal Government headquarters was aware of the conditions of the quarters to which The Standard yesterday referred, or knew that there has been unnecessary delay in securing discharges for the men entitled to them. The very fact that publicity in one case brought a partial improvement in a few hours and is expected to completely improve the condition today is the best sort of evidence that the remedy was nearer at hand than the Federal capital.

A TRIBUTE TO CANADA.

Under the heading "It Is An Honor To Live Next Door To Her," the Baltimore Sun in a recent issue has this to say of Canada and Canadians: "Kipling called Canada 'Our Lady of the Snows,' but the story which our staff correspondent is telling of her war record shows that when her pride, her loyalty and her affections are enlisted she is the Vesuvius of nations. Every American ought to read the narrative of Canadian sacrifice and Canadian heroism. It is an epic which Homer might have been proud to tell. We confess that, when we compare this splendid enthusiasm, this eager devotion, this unquestioned and magnificent courage and selflessness with certain manifestations of American indifference, half-heartedness and calculating prudence, we feel a sense of humiliating moral inferiority." "Some fool Americans before the war used to talk about annexing Canada and extending to it the blessings of republican government. Unless we raise ourselves to the spiritual level of these great-souled people, the best thing that could happen to us would be to get Canada to annex us to her. But we hope these letters will thrill our hearts with admiration and will stir us to a generous emulation. To be a Canadian must be for the next generation, at least, equivalent to being one of the elect of the earth."

WHERE IS IT NOW? The Standard may be pardoned if it asks: What has become of the local Social Service Council, of which the editor of the Times is president? That organization was particularly active before and during the recent provincial election and had all sorts of reforms to urge upon the Murray Government. In the election of February 24th, the political party supported by the Times was successful and Mr. E. S. Carter's representative was called upon to form a government. That government has been in power for almost two months, yet none of the suggestions of the Social Service Council have been brought before it. In fact The Standard has not heard that the council has met since election day. If the reforms demanded were so urgently necessary while Hon. J. A. Murray was in power at Fredericton, are they not as necessary now? Or has the success of Mr. Carter and his friends changed the condition which called for improvement? The Standard approves of Social Service, but holds to the somewhat old-fashioned principle that it should be above and beyond politics.

This is the Buckle PRESIDENT That identifies Genuine President Suspenders Refuse Imitations.

WHO PAYS?

Two particularly interesting little despatches came to this office on the same sheet of "press" last night. One was to the effect that John D. Rockefeller the Standard Oil king had given another \$25,000,000 to the Foundation Fund bearing his name. The other chronicled the important information that the Standard Oil Company had advanced the price of gasoline two cents per gallon. Question—Who really pays the twenty-five million.—Rockefeller or the gasoline users?

CONSIDER PLANS OF F. M. HODLEY AND WILL CALL FOR TENDERS

General Public Hospital to Have Up-to-date Heating and Lighting Plant.

The commissioners of the General Public Hospital and the committee from the municipal council met yesterday afternoon to consider the plans submitted by F. M. Hodley for the boilers and electrical equipment for the new power house and laundry. Together with F. Neil Brodie, architect, they went over the plans which provide for three 130 horse power boilers with induced draft system of firing; a 50 kilowatt generator and switch board and necessary equipment to supply light and power. They also had before them a communication from the New Brunswick Power Co., offering to supply light and power.

It was decided to call for tenders for the heating and lighting plants, tenders to close June 11. They will also ask the New Brunswick Power Co. to submit a statement of what they can supply the light and power for. This will be considered at the same time.

Those present at the meeting were: Dr. Thomas Walker, Senator Daniel, Dr. Christie, J. King Kelley, Councilors O'Brien, Carson, Howard and Fisher, Architect Brodie and Mr. Hodley.

GOT BLOOD POISONING WHILE DOCTORING COW

Special to The Standard. Sussex, May 23—Isaac Gaunce, of Millstream, while helping a neighbor to doctor a cow, became infected through a small cut on his hand with poisonous matter of some kind, which caused blood poisoning. He suffered very greatly for several days and it was thought the case would prove fatal, but he is now coming around all right again. Dr. McAllister was in attendance.

Couldn't Keep Back Tears

When the Nervous System Broke Down—Queer Feelings in Back of Head Caused Much Alarm. Midland, Ont., May 23—Collapse or breakdown of the nervous system leaves one in a most pitiable condition. Strong, healthy-looking women and men, too, will weep from helplessness and despair.

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Dident he, sed Mary Watkins, and I sed, No, and she sed, Wy didnt he? He had a stumnick aka, I sed. O, you nawty boy, sed Mary Watkins. Wy am I, I didnt give it to him, I sed. You awntent to say sutch a thing, now you haff to ipologize to me, she sed. G, I know a mutch wesar way than that to say it, I sed. Are you going to ipologize, sed Mary Watkins, and I sed, Wy, you have them, dont you? Im going rite in, sed Mary Watkins. Wich she got up and started to do, and I quick sed, Ill ipologize, Ill ipologize, he had a pane in the insides. Thats better, but the next time you can jest say, Ho had a pane, without saying waw, sed Mary Watkins. And she sat down agen, and we kepp on tawking.

OBITUARY

The death of Mrs. E. A. Begg occurred at Calgary on the 17th inst. of pneumonia. Mrs. Begg was formerly Miss Lavinia T. Golding, daughter of the late Gilbert N. and Robie A. Golding of Wickham, Queens county. Mrs. Begg was a lady of noble character and her genial manner always has left its mark upon the memory of her friends. She leaves one son and two daughters and husband in Calgary and one brother, Stephen E. Golding, of Wickham, Miss Susy Case, Miss Mattie Case and Mrs. D. McKendrick of St. John are cousins of Mrs. Begg.

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**Farmers Are Not Responding.**  
James Gilchrist of the provincial immigration office, in an interview with The Standard yesterday stated that the farmers were not as desirous of getting help as the young men and women were of giving help. He said that more applications were coming into his office from people asking for work on the farm than he could find positions for. During the harvest time in July in thought the farmers would need extra helpers to take in the crops.

**ANOTHER N. B. MAN IN THE CABINET OF B. C.**

Victoria, B. C., May 23—J. W. DeB. Farris, a young Vancouver lawyer, was this afternoon sworn in as attorney-general to succeed Hon. M. A. MacDonald, who recently resigned. Mr. Farris was also attached to the portfolio of minister of labor, a new department.  
Mr. Farris is the son of a former cabinet minister of New Brunswick.

## POINTS OUT THOUSANDS WILL NEED HOW THE GOVT. CAN ASSIST ASSISTANCE

**H. H. Blanchet Enthusiastic Over Possibilities for Ship-building in New Brunswick—Suggests Provincial Guarantee.**

"New Brunswick has great opportunities for ship building. With ships so essential in the life of the Empire, this province should be busily engaged in concentrating its energies to build the largest possible number of wooden ships," said H. H. Blanchet of Toronto, who has been associated with the advancement of ship building in Canada for several years.  
"I think that the New Brunswick government would do well to follow the lead of British Columbia and guarantee 55 per cent. of the cost of the ships. This would afford an incentive to builders to go ahead with such work. The fact that the government was behind the business would make it much easier to interest capital.  
"The Empire is at present involved in a life and death struggle for its existence. There has been such a great shipping loss that we must of necessity, take steps to build all the vessels possible."  
Wooden ships are feasible in New Brunswick. Peter McIntyre who is going ahead with his building without any government assistance, is deserving of genuine congratulations. He is the ideal citizen in the present crisis.  
Mr. Blanchet has made a study of the possibilities in Canada for ship building. He believes New Brunswick has opportunities second to none. He would like to see men with money give freely of their wealth for the prosecution of the industry. He feels assured of the fact that the venture would be a successful one.  
Mr. Blanchet has just returned from Pittsburgh where he went in connection with securing steel for the International Steel Ship Building Corporation of Montreal. He reports that steel ship building is impracticable at present owing to the absolute impossibility of securing steel.

**Military Hospitals Commission Not Only Caring for Invalided Men but Looking to Future.**

Ottawa, May 23—The report of the Military Hospitals Commission was presented to the senate today by the president of the commission, Sir James Loughheed. The report says: The Military Hospitals Commission was formed by order in council on June 30, 1915, to provide convalescent homes for soldiers returning invalided from the front. The work has been carried on in close co-operation with the department of Militia and Defence.  
The commission is composed of well known public men throughout the Dominion who receive no pay except an allowance for travelling expenses.

**Sixty Forty Institutions.**  
The commission now has forty institutions under its direct control and uses or has available thirty-two others. There is a mental hospital, and also a limb factory. The other institutions are convalescent hospitals and sanatoria for tubercular men. Accommodation is being steadily increased for all classes, but active treatment hospital accommodation is now as great as it will probably ever need to be. "Where active treatment is required civilian hospitals are generally utilized. But electrical apparatus has been installed in a number of convalescent homes."

Further convalescent accommodation is under way at Fredericton, Montreal, Guelph, Edmonton and Vancouver.  
The M. H. C. Command is divided into ten units, corresponding roughly to the Military Districts. There are also three discharge depots at Quebec, Halifax and St. John, which serve as clearing hospitals. Quebec has over 800 beds, Halifax 550, and St. John 500. Portion of these institutions are equipped for active treatment cases of all kinds, insane, tubercular, contagious diseases, etc. The command has entire charge of the soldiers upon their landing in Canada until their discharge to civilian life, except for the medical treatment which by recent arrangement with the Militia Department is in the hands of the Army Medical Corps.  
The number of invalids on the M. H. C. C. at March 31, 1917, was 4,976.

**Permanent Homes.**  
The commission has under consideration the question of the establishment of one or more permanent homes for men who are totally disabled. If they are established, three classes of patients will have to be cared for: (1) Incurable Tuberculosis; (2) Paralytics and others unable to wait on themselves; (3) Mental cases.  
To date only twenty Canadian soldiers have been blinded, a majority of whom have been treated at the National Institute for the Blind, London. Nine blinded soldiers have returned to Canada.

**Employment for Many.**  
"A few of the directions in which steps may be taken to prepare for peace can be summed up by a reference to the following:  
1. Employment will have to be found for many thousands of men.  
2. It will be necessary to engage in public works such as the building of a transcontinental highway.  
3. A policy of assisted land settlement should be put into operation, both Federal and Provincial.  
4. It will be necessary to create and subsidize new industries.  
5. The possible immigration of British and other ex-soldiers and sailors as soon as transportation facilities are available, should be considered.  
6. The creation of a healthy public sentiment in relation to the employment of returned soldiers and to the after-war conditions is desirable.  
7. As the soldiers themselves are forming a Dominion-wide organization for purposes of self protection, something should be done to advise and help the men especially interested, so that they may direct this movement along right lines.  
8. Co-operation between Federal and Provincial governments is absolutely essential.  
"It must be borne in mind that about one hundred thousand men were out of employment at the outbreak of the war, and that demobilization will mean throwing out of employment thousands of men and women who are at present employed in various activities in Canada."

**Public Utilities Commission.**  
The regular meeting of the public utilities commission was held yesterday. No new matters were brought to the attention of the commission, and after transacting some routine business the commission adjourned.

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**Automobile Owners Will Now Proceed to Enthuse Over Rockefeller Foundation.**

New York, May 23.—A new donation by John D. Rockefeller of \$25,000,000 to the endowment of the Rockefeller Foundation was announced tonight. The new gift increases the resources of the foundation to \$125,000,000.

**Up It Goes.**  
New York, May 23.—The Standard Oil Company today advanced the price of gasoline two cents per gallon.

**PERSONALS**  
The engagement is announced of Mary Evelyn, daughter of Mrs. E. P. Doherty, Montreal, to Mr. Joseph A. Sutton, of Cochrane, Ont., son of Mr. John Sutton of Montreal.  
Mr. and Mrs. I. Newton Coy, Montreal, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Flora Isobela, to Mr. Percy Ernest Cudmore, of Canaan, the marriage to take place early in June.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cameron have announced the engagement of their daughter, L. Maud, to J. Albert Godard, of this city, the wedding to take place in June.  
Mrs. C. D. Dykeman, of Jemseg, announces the engagement of her daughter, Lottie C., to Burpee L. Elgee, of Jemseg. The marriage to take place in June.  
Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch Steeves, of Hillsboro, announce the engagement of their daughter, Thelma Wintrose, to Burnes E. Trites, of Moncton, marriage to take place in June.  
J. O. Pichette of Campbellton was in the city yesterday and registered at the Dufferin Hotel.  
Hon. John E. Wilson, deputy receiver general, returned last evening from sackville where he had been attending the closing exercises of the educational institutions, at which Mr. Wilson's daughter, Miss Mildred, has been a very successful student.  
J. D. McNeil, an employe of Canadian Pacific Railway, left yesterday to enjoy a few days fishing near McAdam.

**FUNERALS.**  
The funeral of Rev. John F. Floyd, whose body was brought from Troy, N. Y., Tuesday noon, took place yesterday afternoon at three o'clock from Chamberlain's undertaking rooms. Rev. A. T. Hodges conducted the services and interment was made at Cedar Hill cemetery.  
The funeral of Mrs. Ellen Sullivan took place yesterday morning at 8.45 o'clock from her late residence, 294 Germain street, to St. John the Baptist church, where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. F. J. McMurray. Relatives acted as pall-bearers and interment was made at the old Catholic cemetery.

## HIGH HEELS PUT CORNS ON TOES

Tells women how to dry up a corn so it lifts out without pain.

Modern high-heeled footwear buckles the toes and produces corns, and many of the thousands of hospital cases of infection and lockjaw are the result of woman's suicidal habit of trying to cut away these painful pests. For little cost there can be obtained at any pharmacy a quarter of an ounce of a drug called frezzone, which is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus without the slightest danger or inconvenience.  
A few drops applied directly upon the tender, aching corn stops the soreness and shortly the entire corn, root and all, lifts right out. It is a sticky substance which dries the moment it is applied, and thousands of men and women use it to remove the corn shrivels up and comes out without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. Cut this out and try it if your corns bother you.

**HILLSBORO**  
Hillsboro, May 22—Mr. Paul S. Duffy of Moncton is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duffy, this week.  
Rev. Mr. Hall of St. John will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church on Sunday, May 27th, both morning and evening.  
Miss Mable Calhoun of Hopewell Cape is the guest of Mrs. Winnet Calhoun this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Irving Woodworth and son, Davis, left this week for Boston, Mass., where they will reside.  
Mr. George W. Chapman of Kingston, N. B., spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Steeves.  
Mrs. Stahell was in St. John last week.  
Rev. Caleb Steeves of Penobscot, N. B., occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist church on Sunday last, both morning and evening.  
Mr. Lloyd Jonah returned this week to Moncton, having spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Jonah.  
Mr. Charles O'Hanley returned on Saturday to Fredericton to resume his studies at the Provincial Normal School there.  
Mrs. Lavinia Duffy of Moncton is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Duffy this week.  
Miss Annie Bray of St. John, N. B., is the guest of Miss Jennie Taylor this week.

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NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

UNITED STATES STEEL TOUCHES RECORD MARK

Morgan Stock in Strong Demand at 129 3/4 Highest Record Ever Attained.

New York, May 23.—Trading in United States steel was again the feature of the stock market today, that stock making an extreme advance of 2 1/2 points to 129 3/4, thereby duplicating its previous high record attained in the later part of 1916. Steel Car received forward with it virtually the entire list, the movement being almost of the runaway variety until the last hour, when there was about reversal and prices declined two to three points with the maximum of the mid-session. The demand for steel, until the late setback of two points, seemed almost insatiable, comprising about 30 per cent of the total turnover of 1,200,000 shares.

Other equipments and handouts that moved with leading industrials on the up grade included all the independent steel and iron issues at gross gains of one to three points, copper at 1 to 2 points, about reversal and shipplings, which made related advances.

Among the motors, leathers and papers, advance of one to two points ruled for a time, but the more speculative stocks were the first to lose ground, closing at no material change. Rails were a negligible factor throughout, a few inactive stocks like Colorado and Southern First preferred and Pittsburgh, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis, rising sharply on nominal dealings.

Union Pacific and Reading were strong at times, the latter, however, making a net loss. New Haven was under pressure and fell 3/4 to the new low record of 39 3/4, subsequently rallying half way.

Strength of convertible issues in the bond list was offset by easier tendencies in more representative bonds and further heaviness in Denver and Rio Grande refunding 3/8 which lost three points. Total sales, par value, \$2,875,000. United States coupon 3's were 1/4 per cent. higher on call.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

Table with columns for stock names and prices. Includes items like Am B Sugar, Am C Fdy, Am Loco, etc.

MONTREAL PRODUCE.

Table listing Montreal produce prices for items like Corn, Oats, Flour, etc.

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MONTREAL SALES.

Table listing Montreal sales for various commodities like Wheat, Corn, etc.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

Table listing Chicago produce prices for items like Wheat, Corn, etc.

MONTREAL MARKETS.

Table listing Montreal market prices for various goods.

C. N. R. GROSS EARNINGS.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, May 23.—C. N. R. system gross earnings week ended May 21, 1917, \$86,400. Same period last year \$89,100, increase \$1,700.

Advertisement for Old Smuggler Scotch Whisky, featuring a bottle image and text: 'HERE IS ONE FINE OLD SCOTCH WHISKY'.

Advertisement for Applications for Telephone Service by The New Brunswick Telephone Company, Ltd. Includes details about the new telephone directory and application process.

Large advertisement for CORBY WHISKIES, featuring the brand name in large letters and a bottle image.

Detailed advertisement for Corby Whiskies, including a price list for various bottle sizes and special offers, and contact information for H. Corby Distillery Company.

Advertisement for RIGA laxative, featuring an image of a person and text: 'SAFETY FIRST—HEED THE DANGER SIGNAL'.

Advertisement for City of St. John Short Term Bonds, offering \$37,200 of bonds at a yield of over 5 1/2 per cent.

Advertisement for A Prudent Man, a trust company service provided by The Eastern Trust Co.

Advertisement for McDOUGALL & COWANS, members of the Montreal Stock Exchange, located at 58 Prince Wm. Street.

Advertisement for FIRE INSURANCE by The British America Assurance Company, established in 1853.

Advertisement for Lockhart & Ritchie -- Insurance, offering prompt and experienced attention.

Advertisement for IN SICKNESS OR IN HEALTH, featuring Four Crown Scotch Whisky as a medicinal beverage.

Advertisement for Bona-fide Personal Use Orders for Wines and Spirits, solicited by Exporters Limited.

Advertisement for NEW YORK COTTON, listing prices for various cotton grades.

Advertisement for CUNARD LINE, offering passenger service between Montreal and London.

Advertisement for Steamer Champlain, providing details on routes and schedules.

Advertisement for The Maritime Steamship Co. Limited, offering shipping services.

Advertisement for GRAND MANAN S. S. CO., providing information on their shipping line.

Advertisement for TRAVELLING? by WM. THOMSON & CO., offering passage tickets by All Ocean Steamship Lines.

Advertisement for G. ERNEST FAIRWEATHER, an architect located at 84 Germain Street.

Advertisement for FRANCIS S. WALKER, a sanitary and heating engineer.

Advertisement for Paul F. Blanchet, a chartered accountant and telephone connection specialist.

Advertisement for TUBES FOR STEAM BOILERS, listing various boiler specifications.

Advertisement for I. MATHESON & CO. Ltd., boiler makers in New Glasgow, Nova Scotia.

Advertisement for J. LEONARD ARCHITECT, located at 84 Germain Street.

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FIRE SHOT AT POLICE CHIEF OF SUSSEX

Daniel Baskin of Mechanic Settlement in Hampton Jail Charged with Several Offences.

Special to The Standard. Sussex May 22.—Daniel Baskin, of Mechanic Settlement, who was recently sentenced to two years in the penitentiary at Dorchester for an offence against morality, was allowed his liberty by Judge Jones on promising to join the Forestry Battalion, in again in the toils. Baskin joined the Foresters as agreed, but deserted shortly after his doing so. Chief of Police Asbell got wind of his whereabouts and drove to his home and placed him under arrest, but in doing so had a narrow escape from losing his life, as the man he was after, fired a shot at him from a rifle, which narrowly escaped its intended mark. Baskin is now in Hampton jail, and is, besides serving his suspended sentence, is called on to answer the charge of shooting with intent to kill, and desertion from the Foresters. He will not doubt regret breaking the promise he made Judge Jones to go overseas in the service of his King and Country.

BABY'S OWN TABLETS USED TEN YEARS

Mrs. W. J. Wilson, Carp, Ont., writes: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for the last ten years and can highly recommend them for babyhood and childhood ailments. My baby boy was very delicate; in fact we never thought he would live but thanks to the Tablets he is now a fine healthy boy." Baby's Own Tablets should be kept in every home where there are small children. They regulate the bowels and stomach and never fail to cure the minor ills of little ones. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE. Chicago, 2; Washington, 1. Chicago, May 23.—Chicago defeated Washington 2 to 1 today in the first game of the series. Score: Washington... 00000—1 4 3 Chicago... 0100100—2 6 0 Batteries—Shaw and Almsmith; Cicotte and Schalk. Boston, 3; St. Louis, 2. St. Louis, May 23.—Boston bunched nine of their hits in three innings today and with the help of four St. Louis errors won 3 to 2. Kooib got his first hit since 1915. Boston... 020300300—3 10 1 St. Louis... 00001000—2 7 5 Batteries—Sfere and Agnew; Kooib, Bothorn and Severoll. At Detroit—Detroit-Philadelphia game postponed, cold weather. At Cleveland—Cleveland-New York game postponed, cold weather.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

New York, 5; Chicago, 3. New York, May 23.—New York defeated Chicago in the first game of a four game series here today by a score of 5 to 3. It was the fifth straight defeat for the visitors. Score: Chicago... 00000000—1 5 2 New York... 31000100—5 7 2 Batteries—Vaughn, Hendrix and Wilson; Schupp and McCarty, Harted. Philadelphia, 5; Cincinnati, 1. Philadelphia, May 23.—Alexander's pitching and hitting featured the game which Philadelphia won from Cincinnati today 5 to 1. The score: Cincinnati... 01000000—1 5 0 Philadelphia... 00100400—5 12 0 Batteries—Tomoy, Ellner and Winigor; Alexander and Kilfiter. At Brooklyn—Brooklyn-Pittsburgh game postponed, cold weather. At Boston—Boston-St. Louis, wet grounds.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

At Toronto—Toronto-Buffalo, cold weather. At Montreal—Montreal-Rochester, rain. Other clubs not scheduled.

The Police Court.

Magistrate Ritchie left for St. Stephen on the morning express yesterday, and held a session in the police court before he left. A boy charged with stealing and Alfred Kirkman charged with lying and luring in the C. P. R. freight sheds, and breaking windows in Mrs. Gaynor's house, North street, were both remanded to jail.

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FEVER SITUATION IN LOGGIEVILLE BAD

Special to The Standard. Loggieville, May 23.—There is much anxiety here over the typhoid fever situation as it is feared the serious outbreak may become worse when warm weather arrives. Several new cases have developed in town recently and a number of persons have been sent to hospital. Dr. J. B. McKenzie gave a public address in the Temperance Hall last night on the typhoid situation, telling how to guard against contracting the disease, its care and of the necessity of taking rigid sanitary precautions. The disease first appeared here about a month ago.

SHIPPING NEWS

MINIATURE ALMANAC. May—Phases of the Moon. Full Moon, 6th... 10h 43m p.m. Last Quarter, 13th... 9h 49m p.m. New Moon, 20th... 8h 49m p.m. First Quarter, 28th... 1h 35m p.m.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived Wednesday, May 23, 1917. Schr. Ida May, River Hebert, N. S.; str. Centreville, Sandy Cove, N. S.; schr. Wilfred D. Jiggins, N. S.; schr. Mildred K. Parrsboro, N. S.; schr. Fred and Norman, Grand Harbour, N. B.; str. Valinda, Digby, N. S.; str. Harbinger, River Hebert, N. S.; str. Bear River, Bear River, N. S.

TWO SERIOUS FIRES IN EUROPEAN VILLAGES

Amsterdam, May 23, via London.—A fire which started in a peat bog in the province of Drenthe has swept over four villages and is still burning. Some people have been burned to death and more than 100 houses destroyed. The Dutch province of Drenthe borders on Prussia and is mainly devoted to the live stock industry. A Budapest despatch says the Hungarian town of Gyonyos has been devastated by fire, 1,000 houses being destroyed and 240 still on fire. Several thousand persons are homeless and seven deaths have been reported.

Old Dutch The Hygienic Cleanser Keeps the Sink immaculate and the taps brilliant. Includes an illustration of a hand using the cleanser on a sink.

MARRIAGES

Yesterday morning at nine o'clock in St. Patrick's church Golden Grove, Daniel F. Gilson and Miss Catherine McGuire were united in marriage by Rev. A. J. O'Neill of Silver Falls. The bridemaid was Miss Josephine Hogan, while the groom was supported by Hugh Gilson. The honeymoon will be spent in Prince Edward Island, and the couple will reside in Quispamsis.

Twelve Hundred Houses Destroyed and Number of Persons Burned to Death.

Back to Nature

For common ills that flesh is heir to, old Mother Nature gives us the cure in her simple, healing herbs. When the liver gets sluggish when the blood becomes laden with impurities and that miserable dragged-out feeling comes over you—then it's time to go back to Nature for the remedy and take Dr. Wilson's HERBINE BITTERS. This reliable tonic and blood purifier contains the curative principles of Dandelion, Mandrake, Burdock and other medicinal herbs that clean, purify and enrich the blood and build up the whole system. 25c. a bottle. Family size, five times as large, \$1. At most stores. The Brayley Drug Co. Limited, St. John, N.B.

PHARMACEUTICAL EXAMINATION

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Examiners of the New Brunswick Pharmaceutical Society will meet for the examination of candidates for registration in the city of St. John on Wednesday and Thursday, 6th and 7th June, 1917, at 9.30 a. m. Candidates must give notice to the Registrar, J. Benson Mahoney, at St. John (N. B.), in writing of their intention to present themselves for examination at least TEN DAYS BEFORE THE DAYS FIXED FOR EXAMINATION.

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PIERCE-ARROW. Any careful man can make good money in the automobile renting business. Here is a seven passenger car in good condition, newly painted and a handsome brewster green, which would make a splendid car for this purpose. The equipment is very complete, including top, seat covers, large headlights, side and tail lights, tool box, etc. We Will Sell This Car for \$550.00. In good running order, with easy terms, if desired. This car cost new, \$4,800.00.

SINGER SIX. If you are looking for a roomy powerful six cylinder car in good first-class running order, overhauled and newly painted, this car should meet your requirements. It is equipped with self starter and electric lights, horn, chark seat covers, tires, and powder tire pump. The motor is the six cylinder T head type, 40 H. P., multiple disc clutch, three-speed gear shift, full floating axle, tires good. Price \$750.00.

FLANDERS. There are many people in St. John who have been looking for a car which, while not in running order, could be bought cheaply, and which they could fix up themselves in spare time. This Flanders car is a small five passenger with an economical engine, and at the price we are asking it is a good buy; in fact, if you do not wish to fix it up, the motor would be suitable for a motor boat, and the rest of the car would sell for more than the price we are asking. Price, for Quick Sale, \$125.00. This car when new cost over \$800.00.

1916 OVERLAND. This car was purchased from us on June 16, 1916, and has had the best of care. It is now being overhauled, and is now being newly varnished and painted and cannot be distinguished from a new car. It is only for sale because the owner has purchased a larger Overland. This car is a Model 88B Overland, has a powerful 35 H. P. motor, and the equipment is most complete, including electric lighting and starting, top, slip cover, speedometer, complete tool outfit, etc., as per catalogue specifications. The Price \$700.00.

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FORD. We offer a splendid Ford Touring Car for \$360.00. This car is in good shape, completely equipped.

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UNSEEN VALUES. It is the invisible value in an used car that you should buy, and you MUST take some man's word for that. Finish, tires, top, leather, lines—they are all worth considering, but the real element of value in a used car is the unseen, invisible and practically unknowable inside conditions. Since it is purely a matter of confidence and buying on an established reputation, why take chances? We cannot afford to overstate or misrepresent in any way. That is why you are safe in buying a used car from us. We will trade in the car you now own as part payment on one of these used cars, if it is in good condition. You can pay the difference in cash or on terms.

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Mr. VIVIANI AND JOFFRE HOME

Paris, May 22.—Marshal Joffre and former Premier Viviani arrived at Brest last night on their return from America. They reached Brest at midnight and each Paris tonight. Washington, May 22.—Former Premier Viviani, Marshal Joffre and the French mission sailed from New York on May 16, unknown except to a few officials and many American newspapers, which usually kept the secret so that the distinguished guests of the nation might not be unnecessarily endangered by German submarines. The party slipped away on the same steaming which brought them over and convoyed by a French warship.

WANTED

WANTED—A bell boy. Apply Prince William Hotel.

WANTED—Boy for office work. Apply W. F. Hatheway Co., Ltd., 16 Ward street, city.

WANTED—One first class teacher for the advanced department of the Jaquet River school. Apply stating salary to W. E. Lutes, secretary, Jaquet River (N. B.).

WANTED—Pressman, one capable of running Cylinder Press, Optimus or Mellicie. State wages required. Steady employment guaranteed. The Maritime Publishing Co., Sussex, N. B.

WANTED—Resident man to cover Maritime Provinces with line of Children's and Misses' headwear and ready-made garments. Commission basis, connection ready to work up. None but competent and reliable men need apply. Box 171 are of Standard.

WANTED—100 Girls as Chocolate Dippers—experienced and girls to learn. Good wages, steady positions. Board furnished for a reasonable amount. Ganong Bros., St. Stephen.

WANTED—Principal for Carleton County Grammar School at Woodstock. Apply stating salary, references and experience to E. K. Connell, Secretary.

FREE—A copy of Holman's big bargain catalog—140 pages, 25,000 big values—Clothing, Furnishings, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Headwear, Hardware, Crockery, Furniture, House Furnishings and Groceries. Freight paid on \$10.00 orders. Satisfaction guaranteed. Write for free copy. R. T. HOLMAN, LIMITED, Summerside.

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TO LET. TO LET—Furnished rooms with or without board, 98 St. James street.

FOR SALE. FOR SALE—Young Pigs. Write us at 37 Charlotte street, or phone Main 3458. Pacific Dairies, Ltd.

LOST. LOST—A yellow collie pup. Finder will be rewarded if returned to 58 Orange street.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. Notice is hereby given that Grindstone Island Light will be discontinued for approximately three weeks commencing May 24th, for the purpose of installing a new alarm plant. When completed will resume operation without further notice.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. Notice is hereby given that the light on Yarmouth South West Fairway Gas and Whistling Buoy has been reported not burning, nor bell sounding properly. It will be attended to, soon as possible.

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THE HOME THE WORLD

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES THE PLAYERS

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

EMPIRE DAY, 1917.

Our loved Dominion bless With peace and happiness From shore to shore And may our Empire be United, loyal, free True to herself and True For evermore.

PRUSSIAN WOMEN GIVE HAIR FOR MACHINERY.

(By Cable to the Associated Press.) Copenhagen, Friday, via London.—The Women's Patriotic League of Solingen, Rhenish Prussia, Germany, is making a collection of women's hair, from which to weave helms for use in munition works.

WOMEN IN NEW BEDFORD MILL WEARING OVERALLS.

New Bedford, May 23.—The management of the Butler mill announced Friday that it had provided all its women workers in the mill with overalls and that they are wearing them at their work.

WHAT MARGUERITE SEES AND HEARS.

That—"The Rink" with Charlie Chaplin is advertised as "A reasonable production."

One would think the flowers would be discouraged and go back to the warm earth.

Instead of ducks outing hats and muslin dresses for the holiday furs and sweaters and ulsters would be more appropriate.

It is within the memory of the oldest inhabitant that it was once hot on the 24th of May.

Any news story might well begin "It was a bit-ery cold day in May."

A pretty prose poem on bulbs had to wait weeks till the bulbs came up.

HARCOURT

Harcourt, May 22.—J. C. Hutchinson who has been spending a few weeks in Bathurst, arrived home last week.

J. N. Wathen was a visitor in Moncton last week. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pettley, formerly of Smith's Corner, arrived in the village last week and are residing in the house belonging to D. C. Clark, situated on the lower part of Main street.

Mr. Allan Irving of Moncton spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. Wilson of Campbellton was the guest last week of friends in the village.

Mr. Gerald Buckley of Gloucester Jct. spent a few days of last week with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Buckley.

Rev. J. R. Mackay of this place and Rev. A. Craigs of Bass River spent last Wednesday in Moncton.

A congregational meeting was held on Friday evening in the Presbyterian church.

Mr. Frank Ward of Campbellton was in town on Friday.

Word has been received that Pte. L. J. Smith of Grandville, is officially reported wounded while serving his country in France.

The monthly united service of the Methodist and Presbyterian congregations was held in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

M. B. Dunn, who has been attending the U.N.B. in Fredericton spent the week-end in town with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunn left on Monday night's Maritime for the northern part of the province where they will spend a few weeks.

HAMPTON

Hampton, May 22.—A patriotic entertainment and social was held in the Lakeside school building on Friday evening. The program was conducted by the teacher, Miss Ethel Brittain. The evening proved a decided success, over thirty-two dollars being realized.

Last fall Miss Brittain conducted a social and entertainment in the school and realized over sixty-two dollars for the Belgian relief fund. Great credit is due Miss Brittain, as she has had to work against difficulties to make the evening a success.

Altogether \$166 has been realized at Lakeside School for patriotic purposes. Miss MacFarlane having raised the sum of over \$72 when she was teacher there.

WHITE'S COVE

White's Cove, May 23.—Mrs. E. Young went to White's Cove on Saturday to see her son, Walter, who is very ill in the hospital.

Fred Heardon came home on Saturday for a short visit. He has been working at the winter port.

Miss Cassie Stewart, who has been visiting friends in the city, came home on Thursday.

Mrs. Bernard Kelley of the city is here visiting her sister.

Rev. Mr. Whiteside, who has been very ill in Moncton hospital, has resumed his work on the circuit.

Frank E. Straight, who has taught the school here for the last year, has sent in his resignation.

Rev. Mr. Clarke has service in the Baptist church Sunday afternoon.

Blair Kennedy and family of Portland, Maine, have rented a house at Mill Cove from Lee Knight and will reside there.

The May Queen made her first trip on the lake Saturday.

Vernon and Seelye McLean spent Sunday at White's Cove.

Farming has begun in earnest and everyone is busy getting in the seed.

LOGGIEVILLE

Mrs. Schofield's many friends regret to learn of her intention of leaving town. Mrs. Schofield has been here for some time and has made many friends during her stay.

She will be missed from Loggieville. A report is now current that relatives of Pte. Ben Thompson, of Napain, one of the 132nd Battalion, had recently been wounded in the heavy fighting at the front.

"Ben" Thompson, a popular and humorous friend in this town regret to learn of the above fact, and hope that he will recover speedily.

OUT OF THE RUNNING AT 40 YEARS OLD

Men at 40 should be doing their best work. This is impossible unless health is good. Many a man at 40 thinks he is getting old and out of the running because his back aches, his joints are swollen and sore, or he is the victim of rheumatism.

We have records on file of men who felt just like this but who took Gin Pills and quickly regained the young spirit and energy that goes with good health.

So much depends on the kidneys, whose function is to carry away the poisons from the blood stream. If the kidneys are not working right, though a man is only 40, the poisons will make him feel old before his time. Don't delay if you have a sore back, cannot lift weights, limp with rheumatism, suffer from kidney or bladder trouble, lumbago, inflammation of the bladder, brick-dust deposits, or other urinary disorder. Try Gin Pills.

Gin Pills are noted, too, for their pleasant action as a laxative. If you are troubled with constipation, here is the remedy.

Try Gin Pills. We will refund your money if you fail to get results. All good druggists and dealers sell Gin Pills. Sample free upon request to the National Drug and Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, Toronto.

HAD INDIGESTION Could Keep Nothing on Stomach.

Indigestion is one of the worst forms of stomach trouble. The stomach becomes upset and you have a raw, debilitated feeling in it.

After a meal you feel that you must rid of that nasty, bilious, burning sensation; that souring and rising of the food which is so unpleasant and in many cases very painful.

It is not necessary for you to be troubled with indigestion when Burdock Blood Bitters may be so easily obtained. This old and well-known remedy, which is a combination of nature's best roots, herbs, barks and berries, will cure indigestion and all stomach troubles.

Mr. Lazare Savor, Pokemouche, N. B., writes: "About two years ago I was troubled with indigestion that had I could keep nothing on my stomach. I was sorely disappointed in everything I tried to relieve me. At last a friend advised me to try Burdock Blood Bitters. I took four bottles and can now eat anything that is set in front of me."

That grand old medicine, B. B. B., has been on the market for the past forty years, and we claim, without any fear of contradiction, that it is the best cure for all stomach troubles.

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IMPERIAL

Those Without Sin.—The personality of a star is purely a matter of taste, and if you think Blanche Sweet attractive, as I do, you will enjoy this picture more than those who do not admire her type.

The story, a war-time drama of the North and South, is well worth seeing if only for the settings and quality costumes worn throughout the story.

The picture is an opportunity to open the grand-dames (say it in French, it sounds so much grander) in their crinolines or hoop-skirts. I don't know just which is the correct name, showing the same jealousy and spitefulness that is sometimes displayed nowadays in a modern tailor-made dress.

The picture is lightened up with several humorous touches, such as the so-called "wall-flowers" turning into real plants, and the way in which gossip repeated grows worse with each telling. The grand feathering of the villain is new and realistic.

Several very pretty scenes and light effects were given, which with the orchestra's playing of Southern melodies gave the correct atmosphere. It is sometimes since we have had a love story of war days upon the Swanee River, so to speak and I liked it.

Real pictures and most interesting ones were those showing the hero of the picture, a young man, in the trenches in Montreal and Ottawa. These show the enthusiasm with which General Joffre was received in Montreal, the flags waving and crowds out to greet him. Touching pictures of war veterans bring a thrill of pride. I believe these noted French prefer recruits to complaints.

A Fox comedy with much water slushing about ended the programme.

THE VICAR OF WAKEFIELD.

A few prominent citizens and Theatre Managers were given the opportunity of witnessing in the Imperial Theatre, last evening, a private screening of the Vicar of Wakefield, presenting Mr. Frederick Warde.

This production is heralded as a Motion Dramatic triumph of the year. Mr. Frederick Warde is well known for his famous stage career in Shakespeare and other classics, which has covered a period of over thirty years.

The photoplay is the result of months of painstaking artistic efforts in the Thanhouser studios at New Rochelle. Not only are the settings of unusual costliness, but there is evident a determination to be complete in the little details. This is particularly noticeable in the modest vicarage of the Reverend Primrose later his financial collapse at Wakefield.

Many people may feel that this story, being a classic, will not prove very interesting as a picture. This idea may be a contradiction as it is undoubtedly a picture of great interest. Mr. Warde, as the Vicar, will prove a joy to lovers of Goldsmith's classic novel. He is supported by a remarkable strong cast.

It is to be hoped that the Theatre going public of St. John will have the opportunity of seeing this production shortly.

WHAT IS WRONG WITH CRITICS? ASKS BRENON.

Herbert Brenon last week in a short talk deplored the fact that, although the public has taken motion pictures most seriously, the dramatic critic does not.

"Although he sees thousands of people walking into a beautiful theatre for the opening night of a dignified photoplay, he will consider it beneath his dignity to witness and criticize," said the director.

Mr. Brenon has not met the Theatre critic of the St. John Standard evidently!

"Peter Ibbetson" at Republic Theatre.

"Peter Ibbetson," John N. Raphael's dramatization of George du Maurier's famous novel, which the Messrs. Shubert are presenting at the Republic Theatre, has proved a "lightning striker." The big brother of "Tribby" has served to fill the Republic Theatre to capacity at each performance. It can be judged of the extraordinary interest in this play, "Peter Ibbetson" will undoubtedly equal, if not surpass,

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

the remarkable stage career of George du Maurier's other masterpiece, the immortal "Tribby." It is generally conceded that the acting of "Peter Ibbetson" is the best that the New York stage affords. John Barrymore's performance of the hero of the play is unquestionably this young actor's greatest achievement. It is a brilliant performance. Constance Collier as the Duchess of Towers has repeated in New York the great success achieved by her in the same role in the London production. Laura Hope Crews is the charming Mrs. Deane. Lionel Barrymore's return to the stage as Colonel Ibbetson has proved a triumph for this brilliant character actor. Other characters of the play are in most capable hands, the most important of which are Alice Wilson, Viva Berkitt, Martha Noel, Barbara Allen, Mme. R. Bogislav, Mme. Nina Varese, Catherine Charlton, Madge Evans, Wallis Clarke, Montague Weston and Eric Hudson, Alexander Loftus and Master Joseph Eagles.

Billie Burke Production Is As Mysterious As Its Name.

"The Mysterious Miss Terry," the first production in which Billie Burke will be starred by the Famous Players Company, is heralded as a story as unapproachable as the title indicates.

The story was written by Gelett Burgess, the well-known author.

J. Searle Dawley, who has been directing Marguerite Clark's most recent Famous Players' successes, is staging this production for Miss Burke.

CURTAIN FLASHES

Carlyle Blackwell plays a fighting parson in "The Crimson Dove," the next WorldPicture. Brady-Made in which he is to participate. The clergyman, who is assigned to a lumber camp which is the toughest of the tough, fights his way to absolute control and incidentally wins the love of the girl of his heart, who is personated with irresistible charm by the lovely June Elvidge.

At least The Duchess and Bertha M. Clay have courageously refrained from demanding "green and poster credit."

The appearance of Stuart Holmes in a new film and novel role is announced by Fox to take place shortly. The picture is entitled "The Broadway Sport." Rapid progress is also being made on Yvonne's Saratog's next photoplay.

Letters in the movies may be essential in order to make the plot clear, but they should be as brief as possible.

Henry B. Walthall's houseboat, on which he will cruise the Mississippi river this summer, has been christened the "Sarah Ann."

ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

Opera House. The Opera House will offer a splendid holiday programme today, with the good vaudeville acts, including the Randalls in their sensational sharpshooting, Peppino and Perry in a high class musical offering, Bert and Lettie Walton in a comedy singing and dancing skit, Stacey and Norton in bewildering hoop and hat spinning, Betty Webber, comedienne, and the next to the last chapter of "The Grimson Stain Mystery" serial photo drama. Two shows this afternoon, at high class musical offering, Bert and Lettie Walton in a comedy singing and dancing skit, Stacey and Norton in bewildering hoop and hat spinning, Betty Webber, comedienne, and the next to the last chapter of "The Grimson Stain Mystery" serial photo drama. 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THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Maritime—Strong winds, cool and showery.

Washington, May 23.—Forecast: Northern New England—Cloudy Thursday with rain in Maine; Friday fair; fresh to strong northwest and west winds.

Toronto, May 23.—The disturbance is now centered over Northern Ontario and another of moderate intensity has developed off the New England coast. The weather is cool from the Great Lakes eastward and snow and rain have occurred in Ontario while rain has been general in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. It has been fair in Manitoba and Saskatchewan and showery in Alberta.

Table with columns: Location, Min., Max. Rows include Dawson, Prince Rupert, Victoria, Vancouver, Kamloops, Calgary, Edmonton, Medicine Hat, Battleford, Prince Albert, Moose Jaw, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, London, Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Quebec, St. John, Halifax.

Around the City

First Tourists. The first of the summer tourists called at the Board of Trade rooms yesterday enquiring about trips and ways of seeing the country.

Soldiers Home From Front. Corporal McDonald and Private Dumbly, both of Fredericton were among the arrivals of returned men at Halifax. They passed through the city last night enroute to Fredericton.

Municipal Bills Committee Meet. A meeting of the bills committee of the Municipal Council was held yesterday afternoon to consider the protest from the bills committee of the legislature regarding the county bill which they claimed were three bills in one. It was decided to have the county secretary prepare three bills if the legislature would not pass the bill as it is.

St. John Market. Quotations given yesterday show that during the past seven days there has been a drop of seven cents in sugar; an advance of 30 cents per sack in salt; a drop of 50 cents per barrel in Ontario flour; an increase in codfish; a jump of 50 cents per crate in California oranges. There were no changes in other articles.

Brings Results. Following The Standard's frank statement of conditions obtaining in the quarters of the Special Service Company on the West Side, Lieut. Col. Powell and Capt. Wilson, M. O., made an inspection yesterday morning and steps were at once taken to improve matters. It is also understood that an order was issued for new underwear for the men and this will be supplied to them immediately.

The Fish Market. The run of fish has been good this week and the market is well stocked. Shad is coming in a little better and is selling for 50c. to 75c. each. A few salmon have been seen on the market but they are still scarce. The fish dealers are expecting material to make its appearance soon. Prices for the week are as follows: Haddock and cod, 14c. pound; flounder, 15c. a pound; gaspereaux, 35c. a dozen; kip-pers, 4c. each; smoked gaspereaux, 3c. each; clams, 25c. quart; oysters, 50c. quart; lobsters, 10c. to 50c. each.

Anniversary of Serious Fire. Today is the 43rd anniversary of a serious fire which destroyed many buildings of Pond street on the life where at present the four sheds are situated. While fighting this fire a wall fell and one man was killed and several badly injured. One of the injured was William A. Smith, a city marshal, and speaking of the occurrence yesterday he said that when the wall fell Robert Greer of Number two company was killed; Samuel Dunlop, district engineer of number three company and John Jackson, captain of the Hook and Ladder Company were badly injured, while Marshal Smith himself had both legs broken, a broken collar bone and a dislocated shoulder, and it was necessary for him to remain in the hospital four months. Mr. Smith said that he never would forget that fire on Sunday evening, May 24th, 1874.

Instructive Lecture at Y. M. C. I. The auditorium of the Y. M. C. I. was filled to capacity last night to hear Rt. Rev. Monsignor Barnes deliver his address on "Catholic Education." Dr. Broderick acted as chairman, and seated on the platform were Bishop LeBlanc and several of the local clergy. In his address Monsignor Barnes made an eloquent plea for more specialized education in the schools and universities, as he contended the purpose of the school was not to teach the child a lot of subjects which were of no use in after life, but to give to the student the things which would be of assistance in the battle of life. True education consisted in teaching the pupil to make a better use of the mind which God had given and all studies should be based on the needs of the individual. A hearty vote of thanks was extended to the speaker for his very interesting address.

RETURNED SOLDIER ARRESTED HERE ON CHARGE OF BIGAMY

Chester C. Trenholme Taken Into Custody Last Night—Prisoner Has Two Wives—One Engaged in Overseas War Work for Y. M. C. A., and Other Still Lives in Moncton—"Wife No. 1" Learning of Second Marriage Returned to Canada and Caused Arrest.

Chester C. Trenholme, a returned soldier, was arrested on King street about eleven o'clock last night by Chief of Police Rideout of Moncton and locked up at police headquarters with the serious charge of bigamy booked against him. The chief was accompanied by Detectives Briggs and Duncan when the arrest was made.

Before being taken into custody Chief Rideout gave the usual warning to Trenholme to the effect that anything he might say would be used against him and then when the chief said he was going to place him under arrest for bigamy the prisoner said he had "been expecting that to happen for some time."

Today being a holiday and no session of the court, Trenholme will be held at headquarters until Friday morning when the Moncton chief can get his warrant backed by Magistrate Ritchie. The prisoner will then be taken to the railway town. Chief Rideout leaves for Fredericton this morning to spend the holiday.

Has At Least Two Wives. It is alleged that Trenholme has at least two wives, and according to number one, it was more than ten years ago that she was married to him. She gives her name as Mrs. May C. Trenholme. At the time of her marriage she was a resident of Belleisle Creek, Kings county, some miles back of Norton. With her husband she moved to the United States, where they lived for some time together.

Trenholme left his wife and came back to New Brunswick about ten years ago. When he returned he was married in Amherst, N. S., to Margaret Wall. With wife number two he resided in Moncton and three children were born. While they resided there Trenholme was regarded as a hard working man. He was engineer on the Moncton city steam roller when he enlisted with the New Brunswick battalion and went overseas.

First Wife Takes Up War Service. Mrs. May C. Trenholme, wife number one, had not learned much about her husband as she remained in the states from the time he left her, but being a true Canadian, when the war broke out she felt she should do something for her country.

While in Moncton Trenholme and family resided on McDougall Avenue. He is a native of Melrose, Westmorland county, and is between forty-five and fifty years of age. His second wife and family are still in Moncton.

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Fifteen men added new life yesterday to the recruiting situation in this city. This is the best day St. John has experienced for months and it looks as though the young men of the province are not going to wait until they are drafted overseas. The Canadian Engineers secured five of the total. These will be sent to St. John, Quebec, in the next draft, which is soon to leave.

No Orders Yet to Recruit. The military authorities have received instructions that recruiting on the other side of the border is not permissible as yet, and any units having men seeking British subjects for enlistment in the United States are ordered to recall them immediately. Arrangements are being made with the United States government for this privilege, but they have not been completed.

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