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SAINT ANDREWS, NEW BRUNSWICK. SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1918

NO. 11

### SEA-GULLS OF MANHATTAN

adventurers,

Fearless breasters of the wind and sea: In the far-off, solitary places. I have seen you floating wild and free.

Here the high-built cities rise around you. Here the cliffs that tower east and west, Honeycombed with human habitations, Have no hiding for the sea-bird's nest.

Toil and Tumult, conflict and confusion, Clank and clamor of the vast machine Human hands have built for human bond-

Yet amid it all you float serene-

Circling, soaring, sailing, swooping lightly

In your heritage of air and water. You have kept the freedom Nature gave HENRY VAN DYKE.

### **POLLYBAGLAN**

LONE it stood, outside the world A remote and desolate, washed by a sea of heather, just where the sluggish Forth, meandering slowly like a stream of oil through Flanders Moss, had formed a grassy link, but not of those which, as the saying went, were worth a knight's fee in the north.

In times gone by, the moss, which in most places marches with the Forth, leaving a narrow ribbon of green turf, had been drained off and floated down the stream, exposing in its place some acres of stiff clay and a dull, whitish scaur. In these the steading stood like some lacustrine dwelling on the river's edge, shut from the world by moss. Moss, moss, and still more moss, which rose piled like a snow-wreath to the west, and south, and east, whilst on the north the high clay bank sank steep into the flood.

The drumly water flowed between

banks of peat, through which at intervals streams which gurgled deep below the in miniature, and issuing out to join the river through a dense growth of bulrushes, rank-growing coltsfoot, and low alder bushes. The deep black pools, on which the foam brought by the current slowly whirled round and round before it took its course down steam, were menacing in their intensity of gloom. Rarely the its light never appeared to pierce the water, which seemed to turn it back again, as if the bottom held some mystery yoked to some pristine plough by ropes down in its amber depths. Perhaps in ages past some Celtic fishers, paddling their coracles, had chosen out the place to build their cottary, remote from all mankind and inaccessible. But having chosen, with the instinct of their race, they gave a name to it which, strange and incoherent to the Saxon ear, to them was typical of the chief feature of the place. Stream of the ragweed it was dubbed by the rude settlers, perhaps when all Moss

tongue past recognition by the Celt.

intervals rough farm gates barred the Menteith. when all the obstacles were overcome and your had reached your goal and slithered through the clay which formed the fields between the river and the moss, the world seemed leagues away. That is, the ancient world in which men plough and such as a landlord loves; but looking and solution and point and poin

reap and sow, watching the weather as a herman watches the shaking of his sail. possessed one, and real things resumed ONG-WINGED, tireless roamers and their sway, whilst agiotage and politics, with arts and sciences, fell to their proper value in the great scheme of life. The scanty crop of oats, growing like rice, in water which seemed to lie eternally in the depressions of the clay, although the dwellers in the farm averred that it "seeped bonnily awa' at the back en'." became as all-important as the Stock Exchange. The meagre turnips and potatoes, drooping and blackening with disease, between whose furrows persicaria and fumitory grew, moved one's compassion, and excited admiration for the men who, in the fight with Nature, wrung a livelihood from such unfruitful soil. Fences there naturally were none, but piles Down to glean your harvest from the of brushwood fastened with rusty wire to crooked posts did duty for them, whilst broken ploughs and carts which had seen weary service on the clayey roads, stood in the gaps and did as well as gates.

Some scattered drain-pipes lying in the fields looked like the relics of a battlefield of agriculture, in which the forces of the modern world had been defeated in the contest with the moss.

But road and drain-pipes, thatched farmhouse and broken fences, the stunted crop and wind-hacked ash tree growing by the farm, were but the outward signs, whilst the interior significance lay in the billowing moss, the sluggish river, and in the background of the lumpy hills, which from the steading seemed to rise sheer often in arrear, he laid up, so to speak, from the heathy sea.

Vaguely the steading and the cultivated land stood out for progress; the broken stretch out their hands to Charing Cross; gathering dust on the top shelf of some but moss and mountain, river flowing deep, the equisetum growing on its banks, and the sweet-gale, its leaves all wet with

times their worth fee-simple, to be sown in a fourfold rotation, or to have top scratched the surface of the ground, which cut into their chests, or harrowed with a thorn bush, and the broken implements which lay about but seemed to accentuate the undying presence of an man is set to live always proves stronger farm, though not a Highlander, had put on all the exterior and not a few of the interior graces of the Celt.

Tall and shock-headed, and freckled on Flanders was a forest, stretching to the the red patches of the skin which a rough sea. And still the ragweed grew luxuri- crop of beard and whiskers left exposed, crop of beard and whiskers left exposed. antly in the stiff soil, commemorating the his eyes looked out upon the world as if keen eyes of the first settlers, although he had a sort of second sight begot of the meaning of the name had been long whisky and of loneliness. His monstrous lost and twisted by the Anglo-Saxon hands hung almost to his knees, which in Lord Shaughnessy left last night on his their turn stuck forward in the way a annual trip of inspection of the Canadian The road, which wound about in the horse's hock sticks back; but for all that Pacific Railway, accompanied by four white clavey soil between the banks of he crossed the moss as lightly as a moun- Montreal directors of the company, Sir moss which shut out the horizon, was tain hare springs through the snow before Herbert Holt, Mr. R. B. Angus, Mr. C. R. laid on faggots, and in places drew so a collie dog. Although his feet, encased Hosmer, and Mr. E. W. Beatty, K. C. At near the river's bank that a cart's body in heavy boots looked more adapted for Toronto they will be joined by Sir long distance from Mr. Cossaboom, the British and American torpedo boat depassing seemed to overhang the stream. the muddy roads which wound through Edmund Osler and Mr. W. D. Mathews Such as it was, this track was the sole his domain than for the heather, he seem- while at Winnipeg Sir Augustus Nanton link with the unquiet world which had its ed to have become, during his lifelong so- will be added to the party. Mr. A. D. being on the far side of the great moss journ in the place, as light of foot as any MacTier, general manager of Eastern But that the quiet of the mossland farm clansman on whose feet in the old times lines, accompanies the train as far as Fort should not too easily be broken by swift the dun deer's hide was tied to form a William, after which Mr. Grant Hall. should not too easily be broken by swift mankind, the path ran up moccasin. The country people said that vice-president at Winnipeg, will join the Though his condition has been very seriand down to every house upon the moss, making strange zigzags and parabolas, till may have been some five-and-forty, or, on At Toronto the programme calls for an it emerged at last on the high road. he other hand, threescore, for nothing inspection of the new concrete railway Carts in the winter time sunk to their told his age, and that he was a "lightsome viaduct at North Toronto. axles, whilst in summer horses' feet stuck traveller"-not that his travels ever On the Westbound trip stops will be in the cracks formed in the sun-baked carried him more than ten miles from made at Fort William, Winnipeg, and the But though the road was bad, to make to walk. Withal a swimmer, an unusual Louise, where the C. P. R. has made excommunication still more difficult, at thing amongst the older generation in tensive improvements to the hotel build-

horse-back, when their schauchling hinges blast. I mind ae time I stoppit doon nigh Vancouver, and these will also be inspectand bad balance usually drove them on about half an hour. Maybe no just sae ed.

### THE FRENCH FARMERS SAVED THE DAY

The saving farmer is a national asset. Canadian progress to-day in all lines attests magnificently to the splendid qualities of thrift that have marked the farmers in all the provinces. The total returns from field crops and animal produce have been only possible because of the disposition to make use in an economical way of all the

wonderful gifts of Providence in this good land of ours.

The same was abundantly true after 1870 in France when the frugal, thrifty farmers of that fah land made it possible for the Republic to pay off that hated German war indemnity of two billion france levied against them. The same spirit of national thrift built up France for the extreme test to-day—a test that is being tried

Thanks be, French heroism is proving true. The line is holding. The blood of the farmers is flowing equally as well through the veins of France's daughters of the soil and so the national strength bends but does not break.

Canada is reaping her harvests of increased returns and money is being made as never before. Our farmers are earning the gratitude of all in their splendid efforts at production. That they will carry into their savings an equal foresight in conserving their surpluses against the future days of darkness and lower prices will be equally praiseworthy. He is well advised who saves his extra dollar until he sees which way the winds of to-morrow will blow. Adversity blows a chill blast where there is no dollar in the savings.

back into the past, although his rent was and quite unconsciously, a real treasure

one's library.

one's library.

And as the older life had entered into day. He replied: And as the older life had entered into "The association is operating under a the body of the Lowland "bodach," makDominion charter. As a body corporate mist reminded one that the forgotten ing him seem a Highlander in all but the Catholic Army Huts has powers and speech, so had it filled the air of the Deep in the soughing of the wind, oasis in the peaty moss, that the dry rights to erect, equip, and conduct army waving the heath with furrows and shak- reeds upon the river-banks were turned

towards the sea, cutting the Flanders the dwellers in the land appear as out of space which once had been a sea with place as a poor Indian, dressed in a torn waves of heather and bog asphodel. frock coat and with an eagle's feather Stretching from Meiklewood, it kissed surface of the ground, forming canyons stuck in a hard felt hat, looks in a frontier the Clach-nan-Lung. Lapping the edges of the hills upon the north and south The tussocks of the heather were not shores of the heathy sea, it put a peaty made for boots to tread upon, nor the few bridle on the Forth, and from its depths acres of poor soil, redeemed at many at evening and at morn rose a white vapor which transformed it into a misty archipelago, upon whose waves the lonedressing and bone manure shot from an ly steading rode, like the enchanted sun fell right upon them, and when it did agricultural machine upon their clay. A islands which old mariners descried, only pair of Highland garrons ought to have to lose again into the fog at the first shift of wind. Birch trees and firs reflected on the mirage of the mist floated like parachutes, and heath and sky were joined together by the vapory pall which brooded on the moss, billowing and boiling as if some cauldron in the bowels of the older world. But as the place in which a earth was belching forth its steam. Fences were blotted out, roads disappearthan his race or creed, the dweller in the ed, and from the moss strange noises rose, as Forth lapped sullenly up against the bank where Pollybagian stood.

> R. B. CUNNINGHAME GRAHAM in Scottish Stories. London: Duckworth &

## INSPECTION

Pollybagian; but then with us to travel is mountain resorts, such as Banff and Lake ings since the President's last visit. way. Hung loosely, and secured by rusty "Ye ken, man laird, whiles I just dive There is also the Connaught Tunnel back-band chains of carts, or formed of richt to the bottom o' a linn, and set doon under Rogers Pass, nearly five miles in barked and crooked oak poles stuck into there; ye'd think it was the inside o' the length, which has eliminated many snow horseshoes in a ragged post, they either Faisy Hill. Trooties, ye ken, and sheds from the route and has lowered the forced you to dismount and pull labor- saumon, and they awfu' pike, a' comin' gradients considerably. Large sums of iously each bar from its confining horse- round ye, and they bits o' water weeds, money have been spent recently on imshoe, or tempted you to open them on wagging about like lairch trees in the proving the terminals at Winnipeg and

### THE ARMY HUTS

for his laird, which, though moth may Knights of Columbus Army Huts' camland stood out for progress; the broken corrupt, no thief would waste his time by paign, was asked last evening to say something explaining the purpose of the big drive which is to be opened next Mon-

huts for Canadian soldiers, which shall

sociation. Not a cent of profit has been made on any transaction. The books of the association are regularly audited.

"The work overseas has been in operation slightly more than a year, when funds were first available and the chaplain service regularly organized.

"The aim of the association is to keep Canadian soldiers clean in soul and body. The huts are for the use of any and every soldier. All are welcome. These huts provide a place where men in Khaki, regardless of creed, may assemble for wholesome recreation."-St. John Tele-

### WHITE HEAD, G. M.

There has been much sickness on the Island the past week. John F.

Albert Cossaboom met with an almost teries and stop the boat, but not being afternoon. familiar with the engine he could not start it out again. The boat having got a from the stricken vessel to escorting people on board could render no assistance, but a small boy put out in a dory, and before Mr. Cossaboom went down for the last time, caught him by the hair soon on their way to a British port. and held him until Nelson Ingersoll came There was no sign of a panic on board in another boat and rescued him. ous, he is now able to sit up, and his complete recovery is expected.

Mrs. Scott Robinson and her friend, Mrs. Cunninghrm, have returned to

Mrs. Clement Wilson and her little son, Everett, have returned home.

Mrs. Archie Trecartin has gone to Eastport, where she has employment for

Miss Olive Morang, who has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. B. A. Cheney, has returned to Lubec. School has reopened for the fall term

inder the charge of Miss Cora Flagg, of Mr. Golden Frankland has returned

### **NEWS OF THE SEA**

Navy Department was informed to-day vessel ultimately can be salvaged. that the American steamship Lake Owens had been sunk by a submarine. Five members of the civilian crew are reported

The steamship, an army cargo carrier, of 2,308 tons, was sent down by gunfire in foreign waters, September 3. All members of the Naval Guard were saved, and one, chief boatswain's mate, H. W. Lincoln, is reported slightly injured. Except for the five missing, all members of The fourmasted schooner Governor ously wounded and six slightly wounded. Massachusetts coast after collision with The names of these were not given in an unidentified steamer early to-day. the disnatch.

-- Halifax, Sept. 7.- The schooner G. Donald Duff, of Lunenburg, on her way from the Barbados to Halifax with a -- Bridgetown, N. S., Sept. 11.-When Scotia. She was carried into Liverpool near the head of the Bay of Funday, the be repaired either at Liverpool or the to seek a shelter at Margaretsville breakschooner will be towed into Halifax for water, went ashore in the surf just east

----Amsterdam, September 8.--One of a squadron of German warships cruising off the coast of the Island of Meland Friday evening ran on a mine or was torpedoed, according to reports received here. The ship was seen suddenly to heel over and disappear.

--Plymouth, Eng., Sept. 8.-The American army cargo steamship Lake Owens, oi 3,308 tons, which was destroyed by a German submarine on Sept. 3, while returning to the United States in ballast, is described by the vessel's crew as hav- Parrsboro, a small part of which will be ing sunk within a few minutes. The sub- saved in a damaged condition. The marine is reported to have been equipped cargo was insured. with a six inch gun. Five of her crew were drowned.

waving the heath with furrows and shakreeds upon the liver-paules and shaking out its dry brown seeds on the black
to chanters, and gave out their laments
Catholic soldiers and recreation huts for
Austrian flag, was torpedoed and sunk on
John N. B., and was at one time owned soil, came the sighs of a race whose joys for the forgotten names of the land.

were tinged with melancholy, and in the work is under the direction of the mili as the result of attack on a course of the mili as the mili as the result of attack on a course of the mili as a whitish clay peeped out, like strata in a mine. Slowly it flowed in many windings the result of attack on a cargo convoy. The crew was saved.

Were tinged with melancholy, and in the milists which crept along the faces of the hills its spirit seemed to brood, making the result of attack on a cargo convoy. The crew was saved.

Well did they call it by the name work is under the direction of the milists which crept along the faces of the moss invaded the whole strath, filling the moss invaded the whole strath moss invad

the loss of the Missanabie, wes confirmed this afternoon by the Canadian Pacific Ocean Steamships Co. The steamer sailed from a British port on Sept. 8th with 59 soldiers and a number of passengers. She was torpedoed on Sept. 9. It is believed that none of the passengers were

The Missanabie was a fine twin-screw steamship, built at Glasgow in 1914 for the one-class cabin and third-class passenger trade of the Canadian Pacific steam ship lines between London and Montreal and had been taken by the Admiralty for carrying American troops to England. She was 12,469 gross tonnage, 500 feet long, 64 feet beam, 38 feet depth of hold, and had an average speed under favorable conditions of 17 knots.

-London, Sept. 11-A troopship with Morse is quite ill, and contemplates going 2,800 American soldiers on board has been to the Chipman Memorial Hospital in St. torpedoed. All hands were saved. The troopship was beached.

In order to save time, instead of launchfatal accident, and his condition is serious. ing the boats, the men clambered down He went to the mainland to have his ropes to destroyers, which swarmed hand treated for blood-poisoning, and around the stricken vessel, and came close when leaving Woodward's Cove on his alongside. This operation was greatly return home in throwing out some stone facilitated by the fact that the sea was ballast he fell overboard. His uncle, C. J. not rough. The troopship was a member Wilson, and wife, and wife's sister were of a large convoy approaching the English on the boat, but all Mr. Wilson could do coast. The vessel was torpedoed 200 was to disconnect the wire from the bat- miles from shore at 3 o'clock Friday Temporary light.—While the alterations

The transfer of the American soldiers stroyers was quickly made without injury to anyone. The soldiers escaped injury when the topedo exploded and they were and the admirable behavior of the men was especially gratifying to the officers, Many of the troops came from Chicago

and Cleveland, and a large percentage of them were factory hands of foreign extraction. Their behavior proved the fine soldiering spirit of the American soldier. Several soldiers told the Associated Press that they saw the German submarine lifted completely out of the water after one of the depth bombs exploded and then entirely disappeared. Something had gone wrong with the troopship's engines, which compelled her for a time to lag behind the rest of the convoy, but the trouble Trecarten. had been patched up and she was fast catching up with the other transports . A number of people from Welchpool when a torpedo hit her just forward of sailed over to Black's Harbor and spent the engine room.

bow. Many of the soldiers at the time number of Young folks at her home on were taking their baths. They did not Friday evening. wait to dress, but made for the deck with Mrs. Barney Justason and Children what little clothing they could hastily lay spent last wesk very pleasantly with their hands on. The water was rushing friends in Pennfield. in at such a rate that it was thought the Mr. and Mrs. Angus Holland, of Back the surprise of most of the soldiers the Sunday.

troopship did not sink. Some means were apparently found to check the inrush of the water and she got near enough to the -Washington, September 6.-The shore to be beached. It is hoped that the

> ---New York, Sept. 11.-The transport torpedoed off the English coast on September 6 with American troops on board, as reported in London dispatches to-day was the British steamship Persie, of the White Star Line, a vessel of 12.042 tons gross, according to reliable information received in marine circles to-day.

---Vineyard Haven, Mass., Sept. 11.the crew have been landed. Six are seri- Powers, was abandoned off the southern The steamer is supposed to have taken off the crew, although it is not definitely known that all hands were saved.

cargo of molasses, lost her rudder in the last night's gale was at its worst with a gale last Friday off the coast of Nova terrible sea running in the tidal waters by an American cruiser. The rudder will little schooner Lea D., while endeavoring of the new schooner on the stocks being built by J. A. Balcom & Co. It was feared at one time that it would hit the new schooner and much damage would result. However, she stuck at the only place in which the crew would be saved. This occurred at midnight, and it was impossible to get the men off until 5.30 this morning, the natives of the village rendering every assistance possible. Soon after the vessel struck the spars went by the board and the whole vessel is a total loss with no insurance. She was loaded with a general cargo from St. John for

The crew consisted of Captain Elmer Sabean, William H. Seabean, of Port ---London, Sept. 10-The American The Lea D. was built at Waterboro in Lorne, and Fred Neaves, of St. John.

### **NOTICE TO MARINERS**

NOVA SCOTIA

(157) West coast - Cape St. Mary -Change in character of light.

Previous notices.—Nos. 78 (204) of 1909 and 56 (154) of 1910. Position.—On Cape St. Mary.

Lat. N. 44° 5' 8". Long. W 66° 12' 40" Date of alteration.-About 15th Septem-

Alteration. - The alternating red and white light will, without further notice, be replaced by a flashing white catoptric light, showing two flashes, with an interval of 6 seconds between them, every twenty-four seconds, thus: Flash; 6 seconds interval; flash; 18

seconds interval. For half the time of revolution or 12

seconds, the light will be totally eclipsed; for the other half a light of 500 candle power will be visible, through which the stronger flashes will show. Power.-Naked light 500 candles; flashes

50,000 candles. Illuminant.—Petroleum vapor, burned under an incandescent mantle.

Lantern.-The tower will be surmounted by a new octagonal iron lantern, painted red.

are being made to the light, from about 15th August to about 15th September, 1918, a temporary fixed white light will be shown from an anchor lens lantern.

NOVA SCOTIA

(158) Bay of Fundy-Lurcher shoal lightship-Change in character of lights.

Change in characteristic of lights.—In the latter part of October, 1918, the characteristic of the light shown at each mast head of the Lurcher shoal lightship off Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, will, without further notice, be changed from occulting white to fixed white.

### BLACK'S HARBOR, N. B.

Miss Hattie Trecarten returned to her home at White Head after spending a pleasant month with her sister. Miss Irene

the day on Wednesday last.

The vessel at once began to sink by the Miss Rena Thompson entertained a

steamship would quickly flounder. To Bay, visited Mr. and Mrs. Theriault on

### Money Loose is Money Spent If you hope to rise above the dependance on daily earnings, you must learn to save money. Saved money means capital, and capital means ability to take advantage of opportunities offering, until some day you become independent. The Bank of Nova Scotia will welcome your Savings Account and give you every possible service and attention. Bank of Nova Scotia

are seeking other employment.

Mrs. Margaret Hawkins.

Spears' Mill one day last week.

his family there this week.

Basin Bar last Saturday.

on Monday afternoon.

visiting here, is seriously ill.

pent the week end here.

on Monday.

A jolly crowd enjoyed a

clam-chowder at supper-time, on

Miss Eula Hawkins left on Monday to

take charge of a school at Shannon, Queens

Several from here attended the funeral

of the late James Noyes, which was held

in the Catholic Church at Black's Harbor

Mrs. David Johnson is on the sick-list.

Mrs. Lord, of Boston, who has been

CHAMCOOK, N. B.

Mrs. Ronald Campbell, of St. George

Mr. and Mrs. Wm King and Miss Nora

King motored to Perry, Me., on Sunday.

Mrs. C. H. Newton has returned to

Mrs. Oscar Rigby is visiting her parents

Mr. Thomas Leland and Miss Lillian

Mrs. Mullevey spent Sunday at her

Mr. and Mrs. Beaney, of Lubec, spent

Sunday here with their son, Fred Beaney.

Miss Bessie Grimmer, Miss M. Mc-

Laughlin, Miss Freda Wren, and Mrs.

Goodchild made a collection here on

Mrs. Melvin Garnett will leave for St

John's, Quebec, to visit her husband who

is in the Engineer's Training Depôt there.

Miss Lucy Calder spent Sunday here.

ST. GEORGE. N. B.

The regular meeting of the Town

Council was held on Monday evening and

proved one of the most animated of the

season. The Pulp and Paper Company

presented affidavits signed by Manager

Murphy and A. C. Toy, accountant, in

the matter on the table, by Aldn. Frauley,

brought the fireworks, an amendment by

Aldn. Johnson, to settle the matter at

once, carried. The discussion over the

matter was somewhat heated. It was

finally decided to give Mr. Murphy a

hearing, and it was proposed that the

support of their claims. A motion to lay

Sept. 10.

Mr. Fred Beaney has gone to Lubec.

Lambert went to St. Stephen to-day,

Mr. and Mrs. John Greenlaw.

nome in St. Stephen.

York.

The three-mast schooner, Seavy, com-

nanded by Capt. Kelson, was in the har-

Miss Lila Hawkins, of Portland, Me., is

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Akerley and Mr.

### **CAMPOBELLO**

Sept. 9. The clergyman to attend the deanery meetings held here during the past week were Reverends Blackall, Spencer, Mason, Tobin, and Ven. Archdeacon Newnham, The Holy communion was observed on Wednesday morning at 8 a. m. The service on Tuesday evening was presided over by Rev. Mr. Blackall.

Mrs. Byrop, of Massachusetts, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Alexander. Those to visit Woodland, Me., from here last week were Mrs. J. F. Calder. Mrs. Winslow Townsend, and Mrs Leonard Calder and daughter.

The young people of the village gave a linen shower during the week for a certain party who intends participating in a very important event at an early date.

Mrs. Everitt Calder and Mrs. Thaddeus Calder were passengers to St. John on

Rev. Mr. Blackall will open the deanery meetings to be held here in connexion with St. Anne's church this week.

Among those recently wounded at the Godfrey L. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Matthews an family spent Sunday at North Roads.

Miss Margaurite Calder returned from St. Stephen last week. Mrs. Winslow Mitchell and Mrs. Her-

bert Kelley returned from Woodland on

Three new dwelling houses have been recently raised and are progressing rapidly viz:- Mr. Winslow Mitchell's, Mr. Everitt Calder's, and Mr. Victor Town

### CUMMINGS' COVE, D. I.

Mrs. Russel Fountain and young son of Machias Port., are guests of Mrs Elsmore Fountain.

Messrs. Eldon McDonald and Ronald Fountain, of Worcester, Mass., arrived home on Saturday last.

Miss Hazel Humphrey, of Mohannes, i a guest of her grandmother, Mrs. J. R

Mr. and Mrs. Webster Haskins, or Lubec, Me., spent Sunday here. Herbert Fountain, of Woecester, Mass

visited his mother, Mrs. Elsmore Fountain for a few days last week. Miss Viola Fountain visited her grand

mother for a week, at Eastport. Messrs. Albion Cummings and Edgar

Fountain spent the week-end with rela tives at Eastport.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simpson and little daughter, Gertrude, of Lord's Cove. visit. ed relatives here on Sunday. Thursday for the Navy League

Mrs. Allan Mosher spent last week with her husband at Bocabec.

Mrs. W. Hatheway Fountain spen Sunday at Leonardville. Mrs. E. V. Hooper is visiting her daugh-

ter. Mrs. Cleveland Barteau, at Portland

Master Leonard McNeill, who has been spending the summer here with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fremont McNeill returned last Saturday to his home in Worcester, Mass.

Miss Charlotte Chaffey, who has been claim that their taxes are too high, and the guest of her cousin, Miss Muriel Dixon for two weeks, has returned to her home

Miss Della M. Haney, of the Sentin Staff, Eastport, made a brief visit at her

### BEAVER HARBOR, N. B.

Mrs. Robt. Barry and Mrs. Herbert Town employ an expert to look into the Wright were appointed to solicit for the value of the property. The assessi Navy League on Sept. 5, and considering is now one hundred and twenty-five the number of appeals for funds, they thousand dollars, and the claim submitted

perty at fifty-eight thousand. A com nication was also read from Mr. E. A. Young, of St. John, West, in regard to the Young property on Carleton Street. The next meeting of the Aldermen gives promise of being a lively one.

A gasoline light has been placed on Main Street, at the corner of Clinch.

William Henry was severely, injured and narrowly escaped death on Wednesday last, when the blocks of a hav pitcher gave way, striking him, knocking him off a ladder near the peak of his barn to 'the or. His fall was broken by a hayrack. Mr. Henry, who is getting along in years, njured his back and has since been conned to the house.

Bobby, a young son of George Kerrighan, had his arm broken by a fall off a see-saw. The young lad had just finished his first day at school when the accident happened.

John McGrattan lost a valuable horse ast week at the meadows near Clarence Station. The horse had its leg broken in a railroad crossing. Joseph Brine, at Lake Utopia, also met with a loss, when a horse belonging to the Pulp Company, wandered too close to the Bluff and went over hundred feet into the lake.

The dance at Chamcook on Friday evening, was attended by several automobile parties from these parts. Prof. Mooney furnished the music.

A young son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brine, at "Bryn Derwyn," cut himself severely, on Sunday, on a broken window pane. Dr. Taylor was obliged to put seven stitches in the cut in his arm.

were very successful. Mr. Lyman Out-The marriage of Miss Mary McMullin, house kindly lent his car, and they were eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Mcthus able to go through Pennfield. The Mullin, and Mr. J. McGrattan, is announcamount collected was \$40.25 in Beaver. ed, to be solemnized the latter part of the Harbor, and \$20.75 in Pennfield, a total of

Vernon McAdam, Secretary of the Y The catches of fish here, still remain M. C. A., Montreal, is visiting his mother, very small, and many of the fishermen Mrs. N. McAdam.

Mrs. Smith and Miss Irene Betts, of 2St. John, are guests of Mrs. Jno. Mooney. O. V. Kennedy and wife have returned bor over Sunday. The schooner was from Cape Tormentine. loaded with lumber and bound for New

B. Maloney, of the Immigration Depart partment, Grd. Manan, spent the week spending her vacation with her mother, end in town.

Miss Lee, of Calais, was the guest last week of Miss Grace Doyle.

and Mrs. McDonald, of Boston, were Dr. H. I. Taylor visited his brother in week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry St. John, West, last week. Many friends here heard with deep regret of the death of one of the Taylor boys, and the wound-A number of young people enjoyed a ing of his brother, at the front. Both straw-ride to the blueberry plains at boys had visited St. George during past years, and made many friends

Pte. Roy Eldridge, who is taking a course Joseph McHugh has purchased the in engineering at Fredericton, is moving McDougall house from Miss Minnie Parks, and will occupy it soon.

Mrs. Bohanan and daughter, who have een guests of Mrs. Chas. Henry, left last week for their home in Boston.

Miss Margaret Hughes, of Woodstock, is visiting relatives in Town.

Gregory Watters, of Elmcroft, was in Town on Tuesday. J. E. Patchell, of Danforth, Me., is here

Miss Laura Brown, of the telephone staff, is visiting relatives in St. John.

in the interests of the Welshford Lumber

Miss Cohnan, of Calais, Me., was the guest of Mrs. Geo. Frauley, at Casa Laguna, Lake Utopia, over the week-end. Mrs. Emily Goodeil is visiting relatives in St. Andrews.

Another St. George boy has been vounded in France. Word was received by his mother that Louis Spinney was seriously wounded, and in a base hospital. Mr. C. Haycock and Mr. W. Warnock This is Louis' second wound. He is a were here on business from Eastport on member of the fighting 26th, and went

overseas in the 115th Mrs. Jack Thompson was visiting here Mrs. Mann is visiting her daughter Mrs. Geo. Boone, in Calais.

Mrs. Geo. F. Meating and daughter Ella, are guests this week of relatives in

The Spanish grippe has reached St George; quite a number are suffering from the disease.

Rev. Mr. Spencer, of St. Marks, is spending his holiday in Quebec, the guest of his brother, Rev. Dr. Spencer.

Thomas O'Halloran has been appoint Forest Ranger by the Local Government with headquarts in St. George.

### **INCREASE IN CANADA'S** REVENUES

OTTAWA, Sept. 9.-An increase over twelve and a half million dollars in the revenues of the Dominion for the first five months of the current fiscal year ending August 31st is shown by the financial statement for the month of August issued to-day by the Department of Finance.

The total revenue for the five months period is \$118,350,020 as compared with \$105,785,600 for the same period last

have totalled \$63,580,275 as compared with \$51,427,162 last year. For the month of August alone Canada spent \$19.571,723 on the war.

The net debt now stands at \$1,196,239,-346, as compared with \$864,143,590 on August 31, 1917.



O win this war every ounce of the strength of each of the allied nations must be put forth to meet the organized, trained and disciplined efficiency of the Central Powers—that gigantic, ruthless force which is the result of fifty years of planning and preparation.

And every ounce of every allied nation's strength is in the hands and brains and hearts of the individuals of each nation, because they are free peoples.

Now the individuals of each nation must live as well as fight, therefore a proportion of the effort and material of each nation must be diverted from war purposes to living necessities.

So the less each individual takes for himself or herself. for personal use the more effort will there be left for fighting and winning the war.

Every cent you spend represents that much effort because somebody must do something for you in order to earn that cent-somebody's effort must be given to you instead of to the war.

Therefore the less you spend—the less of somebody's effort you take for your individual use—the more will you leave in the national surplus for war effort.

The war can be won only by the surplus strength of the allied nations. The money each individual saves represents that surplus strength.

So the truly loyal Canadian will use less, spend less, and save more, to help to win the war.



### THE O. C. S.

TT is a characteristic of human nature that when we have escaped a serious danger we are careless rather than cautious in the face of a recurrence of it. There are signs that it may be so with the threatening shortage of fuel. If it is there will be serious and widespread suffering in the coming winter.

To meet the demands of the war wil take nearly one hundred million tons of coal more than was mined and transported last year. Increase in production and better transportation facilities cannot possibly make up more than half of it. The other fifty million tons we have got

Fuel, especially coal, is the very found ation of all our war activities. It takes coal to smelt iron ore, and coal to make steel, and coal to build ships and more coal to run them, and coal to move trains that haul coal, and still more coal to keep the factories going and make ammunition. One three-inch shell takes twenty pounds of steel, which takes eighty pounds of coal. Think of the million of three-inch shells that must be made! Then remember that a three-inch shell is only a little boy in this war, and see what it means.

Chieffy it means that we-and that is you, too-must save every pound of coal we can. Begin now, by having the furnace or other heating apparatus put in order. Have the fire box and the flues leaned: soot is a better non-conductor than asbestos. Cover the pipes, so that they will not radiate heat where it is not needed. Have the seams recemented.

with a little fire of wood in a stove, instead for the United States Shipping Board now, if you can get it. Large chunks of completion, be turned over to the Eastern hard wood are almost as good as coal. steamship lines which formerly operated Save the limbs that you trim from your the steamers between Yarmouth and about your place. When the cold weather which were commandeered, the Yarmouth need, instead of the whole house. Lin- St. John boats by the American Govern-Minard's Liniment for sale everyweere. coln grew up in a one-room cabin heated ment.-Fishing Gazette.

only by a wood fire, and there is no evidence that it injured him in mind or body-Be content with sixy-five or sixty-two. Learn how to fire your furnace and how to regulate the drafts. Heating engineers in the service of your local fuel administrator will show you how if you ask them. Put weather strips on your windows and

Finally, do not think you are saving coal by substituting gas or using more electricity. Gas is made from coal, and electricity is usually made by dynamos that are run by the power in burning coal There are many of us who are too old or too young or too weak of body to serve at the front, but there are very few

who cannot belong to the Order of the Coal Shovel .- The Youth's Companion.

### BRITISH CASUALTIES

LONDON, Sept. 7.—Casualties among the British forces reported in the week ending to-day totalled 20,240 officers and men, compared with an aggregate of 14-484 reported in the previous week. . The casualties were divided as follows: Officers. Men.

3.628 Killed or died of wounds 1.034 14,600 Wounded or missing

1,412 19,228 Totals

It is reported that Yarmouth and Si John may yet have direct and regular steamship connexion with Boston before the war is over. It is understood that several of the steamers now building in When the cool weather comes, get on the Maine and New Hampshire shipyards of a coal fire in the furnace. Lay in wood Emergency Fleet Corporation will, on trees, and all the "dead-and-down" timber Boston and from St. John to Boston, and comes, use only the rooms you really boats by the British Government and the

### PASSING OF THE PRIVATE CAR

Private cars are disappearing for the duration of the war. Some time ago, as active travellers on the track of the country, they became non-existent; dead storage claimed them very soon. Now howdoors, get a fireless cooker, and sift your ever, the Railroad Administration contemplates taking them out of camphor, ripping out all their beautiful mahogany, satin-wood, Circassian walnut interiors, and changing them into ordinary sleeping and chair cars. Mayhap, even, the special that once flashed the famous Death Valley millionaire across the continent to a world's amazement, will shortly accommodate the limbs of a lot of hard-fighting soldier boys. Your millionaires and rail road presidents will now admit that private-car travelling was always a bore, anyway. There is nothing like a seat in a really "thick" smoking car, listening to the tobacco-drenched gossip of the Average Man letting the world know what he thinks of his railway administration. Being forced to play Haroun al-Raschid will not hurt our railroad heads.

-The New York Evening Post

Mrs. Stebbins-"Tom is such a handy man around the house. Why, he made the cuckoo clock go again as well as ever -the only thing is it 'oos' now before it cucks." -- Boston Transcript.

### LAKE UTOPIA Camps to Let

Bryn Derwyn furnished cottages to let by the day, week or month. Ideal location on Beautiful shore near trout brook bridge. Good trout fishing, For terms apply to

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## The Secret Lonesome Cove

Samuel Hopkins Adams

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\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* "There, gentlemen and ladies." Simon P. Groot was saying, "there in that place of vast silences and infolding shadows I met and addressed one who was soon to be no more. 'Madam,' I said, 'you are worn. You are wan. You are weary. Trust the chivalry of one who might be your father. Rest Standing by the roadside, she drooped tike a flower. There is no rest for must away upon my mission."

"She vanished, that fair creature, into the forest. I looked at my watch—, the unerring, unwarranted, sixteen leweled chronometer which I shall presently have the honor of showing o you at the unexampled price of three seventy-and saw that the hour was exactly—for these timepieces vary not one fraction of a second a day-8:45. When next I looked at the face of Father Time's trustiest accountant, it was to mark the hour of the horrid shrick that shook my soul-precisely 9:31. And later, when I heard the dread news, I realized that my ears had thrilled to a death cry.'

Kent moved away, his chin pressed down upon his chest. He went to the office of Lawyer Adam Bain and spent an hour waiting, with his feet propped up on the desk. When the lawyer entered Kent remarked:

"You rather put our two official friends in a hole this morning."

"Just a mite maybe. But they've crawled out. I guess I spoke too quick."

"How so?" "Well, if they'd gone ahead and buried the body as it was we could have had it exhumed. And then we'd have seen what we'd bave seen."

"True enough. And you didn't see it as it was?" "See what? Did you?" "Suppose." Kent said, "you give me that the sheriff found something on

our impulsive friend, the sheriff." process. At the end of the time Kent argument, that there has been murder back to the square, where Simon P. Groot had been discoursing, trail and the nature of the crime by There he found the ornate wagon binding the body on a grating, would closed and its ornate proprietor whistling over some minor repairs that he had been making. An invitation to take a ride in Kent's car was promptly the dead woman's pocket?"

accepted. "Business first," said Kent. "You're tinctive mark." a seller. I'm a buyer. You've got some information that I may want. If identity of the body?" so I'm ready to pay. Was any of your talk true?"

"Yep," replied Simon P. Groot austerely. "It was all true but the frills." "Will you trim off the frills for \$10?" "Fair dealing for a fair price is my motte. You'll find it in gilt lettering

on the back of the wagon. I will." "What were you doing on Hawkhill

"Sleeping in the wagon." "And you really met this mysterious wanderer?"

"Sure as you're standing there." "What passed between you?" "I gave her good evening, and she spoke to me fair enough, but queer, and said that my children's children might remember the day. Now, I ain't got any children to have children, so I wouldn't have thought of it again but

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"Not afteen minutes after." "Did you tell the crowd here that?" rings on the strength and romance of and have him touch up the wagon a

bit where she's rusty." "And you heard the woman cry out less than an hour later?"

"That's a curious thing. I'd have alnost swern it was a man's voice that relied. It went through me like a harpened icicle." "All this was night before last.

What have you been doing meantime?" "Dreve over to Marcus Corners to trade vesterday. There I heard about the murder and came back here to make a little business out of it." Would it be worth \$5 to you, likely, a relic of the murderer?" suggested the old man. "Quite likely."

"Mum's the word, then, for my part n it. The next morning I followed her trail a ways. You see, the yell in the night had got me interested. She'd met somebody is a thicket. I found the string and the paper of the bundle she was carrying there. Then there was a light of some sort, for the twigs were

Adv. in the Beacon

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broken right to the edge of the thicken and the ground stamped down. One or both of 'em must have broken out into the open, and I lost the trail. But this is what I found on a hazel bush. Do

I win the five on it?" The car came to a stop. Digging into his pocket, Kent produced a bill, which he handed over and took possession of Simon P. Groot's "relic." It was an embroidered silver star, with a few torn wisps of cloth clinging to it.

CHAPTER VIII.

ACTS that contradict each othe are not facts," pronounced Chester Kent

Fumes of tobacco were rising from three pipes hovered about the porch of the Nook where Kent Sedgwick and Lawyer Bain were hold ing late council. A discouraged observation from the artist had elicited

Kent's epigram. Not all of them, anyhow," said Bain. "The chore in this case is to find facts enough to work on." "On the contrary," declared Kent-

facts in this case are as plentiful as blackberries. The trouble is that we have no pail to put them in."

"Maybe we could borrow Lep Schlager's," suggested the lawyer

We don't seem to be getting much of anywhere," complained Sedgwick. 'Complicated cases don't clear them selvés up in a day." remarked Kent. 'In this case we've got opponents who

now more than we do."
"Schlager?" asked the lawyer. "And Dr. Breed. Also, I think, Gansett Jim. What do you think, Mr. Bain, is the mainspring of the sheriff's

"Money," said the lawyer with conviction. "He's as crooked as a snake rith the colic." "Would it require much money to in-

"As much as he could get. If the case was in the line of blackmail, he'd hold out strong. He's shrewd."
"Dr. Breed must be getting some

"Oh. Tim Breed is Len's little dog. He takes orders. Of course he'll take money, too, if it comes his way. Like master, like man."

"Those two," said Kent slowly, know the identity of the body. For good and sufficient reasons, they are eeping that information to themselves. Those reasons we aren't likely to find out from them." "Murderer has bribed 'em," opined

Bain. "Possibly. But that presupposes the fullest possible character sketch of the body which led him to the murderer, which isn't likely. How improb-Half an hour was consumed in this able it is that a murderer-allowing for overlook anything like a letter incrim-

inating himself!" "What did the sheriff find, then, in

"Perhaps a handkerchief with a dis-"And that would lead him to the

"Presumably. Also to some one. we may assume, who was willing to pay roundly to have that identity con-

"That would naturally be the murerer, wouldn't it?" asked Sedgwick. "No. I don't think so." "It looks to me so." said the lawver

"He's the one naturally interested in oncealment." "I'm almost ready to dismiss the no tion of a murderer at all."

"Why so?" demanded both the oth "Because there was no murder prob-

ably." "How do you make that out?" que "From the nature of the wounds that

caused death." "They look to me to be just such for the man that came inquiring after wounds as would be made by a blow with a heavy club."

"Several blows with a heavy club might have caused such wounds. But the blows would have had to be deliv-"Yep. I sold two dozen wedding ered peculiarly. A circle on the skull six inches in diameter, impinging on that point. From my description they the right ear, is crushed in. If you allowed it was a painter man named can imagine a man swinging a base-Sedgwick. I thought maybe I'd call in ball but at the height of his shoulder repeatedly and with great force at the victim's head you can infer such a crushing in of the bone. My imagination hardly carries me so far."

"Beating down from above would be the natural way," said Bain. "Certainly. No such blow ever made

that wound." "Then how was it made?" asked Sedgwick. "Probably by a fall from the cliff to

And the fall broke the from the right wrist?" "The broken manacle was never on

the right wrist." "That's merely conjecture," said the ia wver. "No: it's certainty. A blow heavy enough to break that iron, old as it is.

just have left a mark on the flesh. There was no mark."

"Why should any one put one hand-cuff on a woman and leave the other "Suppose the other was not left dan-

"Where was it, then?"

"On the wrist of some other pe man had chained the woman to self?" said Sedgwick incredulously "More probably the other way

"That's even more unbelievable." 'Not if you consider the evidence You will remember that your mysterivisitor, while talking with you, car the subject. As he talked, sitting on

ried a heavy bundle. The manacles, were, I infer in that."

But what conceivable motive could the dead woman have in dressing herself up like a party, going to meet man and chaining him to herself?" "When you have a bizarre crime you

must look for bizarre motives. Just at present I'm dealing with facts. The iron was on the left wrist of the body; therefore it was on the right wrist of may I take you along: I am Alexanthe unknown companion. It is naturally der Blair." to perform a quick, deft act like snapping on a handcuff with the right hand. Hence, presumably, your visitor was the one who clamped the cuffs."
"And the man broke off his?"

doubtedly. If I could find a man with a badly bruised right wrist I should consider the trail's end in sight. You'll make inquiries, will you, Mr. Bain?" "I will; and I will keep an eye on

Len Schlager and the doc. Anything more now? If not I'll say good night." After the lawyer had made his way into the darkness Kent turned to his host. "This affair is really becoming a very pretty problem. Why didn't you tell me of your meeting with Simon P. Groot?"

The patriarch in the circus wagon. "Oh. I'd forgotten. Why, when I was trying to trail the woman I chanced upon him and asked if he had seen her. He hadn't."

"He had. Also he heard a terrified cry shortly after. The cry, he thought, was in a man's voice. Simon P. Groot isn't wholly lacking in sense of observation."

"A man's voice in a cry? What could that mean?" "Oh, any one of several hundred un-

thinkable things," said Kent patiently. "Wait! She must have attacked ome other man as she did me. She was going to a rendezvous, wasn't she? Then she and the man she went to meet quarreled, and he killed her by throwing her over the cliff." "And the handcuffs?"

Sedgwick's hands went to his head That, of course, is the inexplicable thing. But don't you think that was the way she met her death?"

"Then what do you think?" "Never mind that at present. The point is that Simon P. Groot naturally supposed you to have been mixed up in whatever tragedy there was going. You've an unfortunate knack of manufacturing evidence against yourself, Sedgwick. The redeeming feature is that the sheriff can't very well use it to arrest you." "I don't see why."

Kent chuckled. "Don't you see that the last thing the sheriff wants to do le errost anyhody?"

"No, I don't" fication is what he dreaded. Dan or identification is now over. If any one should be arrested the body would be exhumed and the danger would return in aggravated form. No; he wants you suspected, not arrested."

"He is certainly getting his wish." "For the present. Well, I'm off."

"Why don't you move your things from the hotel and stay here with me?" suggested Sedgwick.

"Getting nervous?" inquired Kent. "It isn't that, but I think I could make you more comfortable." Kent shook his head. "Thank you,

but I don't believe I'd better. When I'm at work on a case I need privacy. No house, not even a man's own, can possibly be so private as a strange

"Perhaps you're right," admitted the other with a laugh, then lapsing into pronounced gloom for the first time he said, "It seems pretty tough that should be in all this coil and tangle ! because a crazy woman happened by merest chance to make a call on me." Kent's pipe glowed in the darkness and silence before he replied. Then he delivered himself as follows: "Sedgwick"-puff-"try"-puff-"to forget if you 'can"-puff-puff-"that stuff about the crazy woman"-puff-puff-puff. "Forget it? How should I? Why should I?"

"Because"-puff-"you're absolutely on the" - puff - puff - "wrong track. Good night."

Sundayman's Creek road, turning aside just before it gains the turnpike to the Eyrle hotel to evade a stretch of marsh, travels on wooden stilts across a deep clear pool fed by a spring. The most rigorous constable could have found no basis for protest in the pace maintained across the bridge by a light electric car, carrying a short, slender, elderly man, who peered out with weary eyes into the glory of the July sunshine. At the end of the bridge the car stopped to allow its occupant a better view of a figure prostrate on the brink of the pool resently the figure came to the pos ture of all fours. The face turned upward, and the motorist caught the glint of a monocle. Then the face

turned again to its quest "Are you looking for something lost?" asked the man in the car. "I'm hoping to discover the eggs of certain neuropterous insects."

"Ah! You are an entomologist.

"So was I, once-when I had more time. Business has drawn my attention, though never my interest, away from it. I've entirely drepped my reading in the last year. By the way, were you here in time to witness the swarm of antiopas last month?

Rather unusual, I think." "No. I missed that. What was the feature, specially?" "The suddenness of the appearance.

You know, Helmund says that"-The stranger went on at some length. He appeared to be an interested rather than a learned student of

d, the other studied him, his quiet but forceful voice, his severely handsome face, with its high brows. harsh nose and chiseled outlines, from which the eyes looked forth, thoughtful, alert, yet with the gaze of a man in Presently he remarked very

"If you are going back to the hotel.

"Thank you. I'll be glad of a lift. My name is Chester Kent."
"Not the Professor Kent of the Ram-

sav case? "The same. You know, Mr. Blair Yes. But only after a struggle, un- I've always believed that you had more of a hand in Ramsay's death than I. Now, if you wish to withdraw your offer of a lift"-

"Not at all. A man who has been so abused by the newspapers as I can stand a little plain speaking. For all that, on my word, Professor Kent, I had no hand in sending Ramsay on that dirty business of his. The scientist considered him thought-

fully. "Well, I believe you," said he shortly, and got into the machine.

CHAPTER IX. Chester Kent Declines a Job. HIS meeting is a fortunate chance for me," said Blair presently. "Chance?" murmured Kent

interrogatively.

The car swerved sharply, but immedistely resumed the middle of the road. "Certainly, chance," said the motorist. "What else should it be?"

"Of course," agreed Kent. "As you "I said fortunate," continued the other, "because you are, I believe, the very man I want. There is an affair which has been troubling me a good deal. I haven't been able to look into it personally because of the serious filness of my son, who is at my place on Sundayman's creek. But it is in your line, being entomological and perhaps crim-

What is it?" asked Kent. "An inexplicable destruction of our stored woolens by the clothes moth. You may perhaps know that I am president of the Kinsella mills. We've been having a great deal of trouble this spring, and our superintendent believes that some enemy is introducing the pest into our warehouses. Will

you take the case?" When?" "Start tonight for Connecticut." Chester Kent's long fingers went to the lobe on his ear. "Give me until 3 o'clock this afternoon to consider. Can I reach you by telephone?"

"Yes, at Hedgerow house, my place." "That is how far from here?" Fourteen miles. But you need not "Why, he has the body safely buried come there. I could return to the honow. You'll remember that he was in tel to conclude arrangements. And I a great hurry to get it buried. Identi- think," he added significantly, "that

"Doubtless. Are you went acquainted with this part of the country, Mr.

"Yes; I've been coming here for vears." "Is there an army post near by?"

"Not within a hundred miles." "Nor any officers on special detail about?" "None so far as I know."

Kent produced from his pocket the silver star with the shred of cloth



"Yes, sir, It was inquired for only vesterday by Mr. Blair."

hanging to it. "This may or may not be an important elew to the curious death that occurred here three days

"It looks like the star from the collar of an officer. I should say positiveig that it was from an army or navy uniform." "Are you yourself an expert in wool-

en fabrics. Mr. Blair?" "I have been." "Could you tell from that tiny fragment whether or not the whole cloth is

all woot?" Without replying Blair, gave the steering handle a quick sweep, and the car drew up before a drug store. He took the star and was gone a few "Not all wool," he announced on

marked Kent

Why so?" "Because regulations require all his pocket and told of its discovery wool garments and get them. What "Sedgwick, what was it your visitor

"A fairly good mixture, from the very elementary chemical test I made.
"Thank you, Mr. Blair. You've eliminated one troublesome hypothesis for me. I'll telephone you before 3 o'clock. Good day."

From the woolen manufactures Chester Kent went direct to the Martindale Center library, where he inter viewed the librarian.

"Do you get the agriculture depart ment publications?"

"Have you a pamphlet issued by the bureau of entomology, Helmund on The Swarm Phenomenon in Lepidop tera?" "Yes, sir. It was inquired for only

esterday by Mr. Blair." "Ah, yes! He's quite interested in the subject, I believe." "It must be quite recent, then," said the librarian. "We haven't seen him.

here for a long time until two days ago, when he came and put in a morning reading on insects."

"So, Mr. Alexander Blair," said Kent. addressing the last fence post on the outskirts of the town, after a thoughtful walk, "that was a fatal break on your part, that mention of Helmund. Amateurs who have wholly dropped a subject since years back don't usually know publications issued only within three months. That casual meeting with me was well carried out, and you called it chance. A very palpably manufactured chance! But why am 1 worth so much trouble to know? And why does Alexander Blair leave a desperately til son to arrange an errand for me at this particular time? And is Hedgerow touse, fourteen miles distant and possessing just such an electric car as a woman would use in driving round the country, perhaps the place whence came Sedgwick's sweet lady of mystery? Finally what connection has all this with the body lying in Annalaka burying

ground?" Eliciting no reply from the fence post, Kent returned to the Eyrie, called up Hedgerow house and declined Blair's proposition.

Early that evening Francis Sedgwick came to the hotel, "Mr. Kent? I'm afraid you can't see him, sir. He isn't in his room,'

said the clerk. "Isn't he about the hotel?" The clerk hesitated. "I ought not

to tell you, sir, for it's Mr. Kent's strict orders not to be disturbed, but he's in his special room. Is it anything very important? Any new evidence-or something of that sort?" "That is what I want Mr. Kent to decide."

"In that case I might take the responsibility. But I think I had better take you to him myself."

walked. "Turned all the furniture out. Special lock on the door. Some kind of scientific experiments, I suppose. He's very quiet about it." Having reached the door, he discreetly tapped. No answer came. omewhat less timidity characterized

his next effort. A growl of surpassing savagery from within was his reward. "You see, Mr. Sedgwick," said the clerk. Raising his voice he called. "Mr. Kent, I've brought"-"Get away and go to the devil?"

cried a voice from inside in fury. What do you mean by"-"It's 1, Kent. Sedgwick. I've got to

There was a silence of some seconds. "What do you want?" asked Kent at length "You told me to come at once if anything turned up." "So I did," sighed Kent. "Well

chase that infernal beliboy to the stairs, and I'll let you in." With a wry face the clerk retired. Kent opened the door and his friend squeezed through into a bare room. The walls were hung and the floor was carpeted with white sheets. There was no furniture of any kind unless a narrow mattress in one corner could be so reckoned.

"Has it?" said Kent. "Lean up against the wall and make yourself a home. Man, you're shaking!" "You'd shake, too," retorted the art-

"It's happened!" announced Sedg-

ist, his voice trembling. "No; anger doesn't affect me that way. Wait! Now, don't tell me yet. If I'm to have a report it must be from a sane man, not from one in a blind fury. Take time and cool down. What do you think of my room?"

"What's the game?" asked Sedgwick, interested in spite of himself. "It dates back to our college days Do you remember that queer fresh man, Berwind?"

"The mind reader? Yes. The poor chap went insane afterward." "Yes. It was a weak mind, but a singularly receptive one. You know we used to force numbers or playing cards upon his consciousness by merely thinking of them."

"I recollect. His method was stand gazing at a blank wall. He said the object we were thinking of would rise before him visually against the blankness. Did you ever figure out how he managed to do it?"

"Not exactly."
"For years I've kept a bare white room in my Washington house to do my hard thinking in. When your affair promised to become difficult for me I rigged up this spot. And I'm "Exit the army or navy officer," re- trying to see things against the walls." "Any particular kind of things?" Kent produced the silver star from Sedgwick, what was it your visitor

said to you about Juniter?"

"She didn't mention Jupiter."

"No, of course not. Not by name. But what was it she said about the planet that she pointed out over the

"Oh, was that Jupiter? How did you know?" "Looked last night, of course," said Kent impatiently. "There's no other planet conspicuous over the sea at that hour from where you stood. That's not important, at least not now. What did she say?"

"Oh, some rot about daring to follow her star and find happiness and that perhaps it might lead me to glory or something."

A kind of snort came from Kent. "Where have my brains been?" he cried. He thrust the bit of embroidery back into his pocket. Then with

an abrupt change of tone: "Well, is your temper in hand?"

"For the present."

"Tell me about it, then." "You remember the—the picture of the face?" said Sedgwick, with an ef-

"Nobody would easily forget it." "I've been doing another portrait from the sketches. It was on opaque glass, an experimental medium that Tve worked on some. Late this afternoon I went out, leaving the glass sheet, backed against a light board, on my easel. The door was located with a heavy spring. There's no possible access by the window. Yet somebody came in and smashed picture to fragments. If I can find

that man, Kent, I'll kill him!"

Kent glanced at the artist's long, strong hands. They were clinched his knees. The fingers were bloodless. "I believe you would," said the scientist, with conviction. "You mustn't, you know. No luxuries at present. Anything else in your place damaged?" "Not that I noticed. But I didn't

pay much attention to anything else. came here direct to find you."
"That's right. Well, I'm with you for the Nook." Locking his curious room after him, Kent led the way to the hotel lobby, where he stopped only long enough to send some telegrams. The sun was

still a few minutes short of its setting

when he and his companion emerged

from the hotel. Kent at once broke into a trot (To be Continued)

### FIGURES THAT AGREE AS TO WAR'S END

The great question as to when the war will end has at last been solved, this time After the elevator had carried them by an unknown "seer" who has sent a to the top of its run. they mounted a letter to Assistant Paymaster J. D. Doyle, flight of stairs and walked to a far of the Great Lakes Naval Training Station corner of the building.

enclosing a table of figures based on the
"Nobody's been in here since he date of birth, first year of leadership,
took it." explained the clerk as they present age and length of office of eight leaders of the principal allies.

The informant is positive the war will end this year. He points out that the total for each leader is 3836, which, divided by 2, gives 1918.

Here are the uncanny figures, as published by the Great Lakes Bulletin:

President Wilson born 1856 1912 Was elected Years ruling 62 Years old 3836 President of France born 1860 1913 Was elected Years ruling' 5 Years old 3836 Total King of Italy born 1867 1900 Started to rule Years ruling 18 Years old 51 3836 King Serbia born 1844

Started to rule 1903 Years of ruling 15 Years old 74 3836 Total King of England born 1865 Started to rule 1910 Years ruling 8 Years old 53 3836 Total King of Belgium born 1875

Started to rule 1900 Years ruling 18 Years old 43 3836 Total Tsar of Russia born 1868 Started to rule 1894 Years ruling 24

Total 3836 Emperor of Japan born 1879 Started to rule 1912 Years ruling 6 Years old 39

Divide 3836 by 2 and the result is 1918,

hen the war will end.-From Baltimore

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3836

Years old

Total

NORWEGIANS VESSEL LOST

London, Sept. f .- Norway lost 13 vessels, aggregating 22,976 tons, through war causes in the month of August, according to an announcement made to-day at; the Norwegian legation here. Two Norwegian sailors lost their lives.

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### PROGRESS OF THE WAR

[September 5 to September 11] THE week under review, like the seven that preceded it, was an eminently successful one for the military forces of the Entente Allies, and augured well for the future.

Again the Weetern front wrs the scene of the greatest activity, and the Allies made further substantial gains over nearly the whole front from Ypres to Reims and though at places the retirement of the Germans was effected without resistance on their part, for the most part they frequently counter-attacked. From north of Armentières to the Somme southwest of St. Quentin the British forces opposed the enemy, gaining ground at all points, capturing thousands of prisoners, many guns and vast quantities of war material. and causing enormous casualties to the Teuton foe. The heavy rains of the last days of the week made fighting difficult, and at the week's close hostilities were practically at a standstill in consequence of the weather. From the right wing of the British to a point northeast of Soissons between the Aisne and the Vesle, the French forces were strenuously engaged throughout the week, and made steady and very great progress, especially from southwest of St. Quentin to near La side of the forest of St. Gobain in the direction of Laon. On their right flank they were joined by the Americans, who also made gains from Condé eastward to Glennes, south of the Aisne. The Americans also made some gains north of Ypres. There was activity at other points on the Western front, but it did

Little was heard of the Austro-Italian campaign till near the week's close, when it was reported that British troops had raided Austro-Hungarian positions on the Asiago Plateau, inflicting losses and capturing a number of prisoners and abundant war material. In the Monte Asolone region the Italian forces captured enemy positions, and held them despite violent counter-attacks; and in the magnate, born in Ontario, 1838; France at the Chipman Memorial Hospital. Laon, Valarsa, and Ornic valleys they abolished slavery throughout her posses took prisoners, and they occupied the island south of Ponte de Piave, annihilating the garrison. This activity foreshadows an offensive movement in force by the Entente Allies on this front.

The news from Russia was varied, though meagre. From an Entente point of view it was not wholly unsatisfactory. American troops were reported to have landed at Archangel, and Vologda was St. John's, Newfoundland, from French, said to have been taken by the Anti-Bolshevists, supported by the Entente Allies. Vologda is the point from which branches Canada, 1792; Dr. Frank D. Adams, Dean the railway to Archangel, 400 miles north, of Faculty of Science, McGill University, while Petrograd is only 350 miles to the born, 1859; Battle of Antietam, 1860; west. Seventy-five miles east of Petrograd, on the railway connecting that city writer, died, 1864; General elections in McKellar, who spent several weeks at with Vologda, is the town of Ivanka, from Canada, defeat of the Mackenzie Govern- Letite, have returned to their home which branches the railway to Kola, over ment, 1878; Alexander Mackenie, former Calais. 700 miles to the north, a port on the Arctic Ocean which is opened all the year round. Parliament of Canada dissolved, 1908. Over 400 miles of the northern part of September 18.—EMBER DAy. First Engthis railway is strongly held by the En- lish book printed, 1471; John Harvard, tente Allies, It would thus appear that it founder of Harvard College, died; 1638; is not improbable that the Entente forces Dr. Samuel Johnson, English writer and the Calais Red Cross Society, and were may reach Petrograd before long. From lexicographer, born, 1709; Matthew Prior, well rewarded, quite a sum of money was Siberia the news was most encouraging, English poet and diplomatist, died, 1721; collected. Through communication on the Trans- Chili declared its independence, 1810; J. Siberian Railway from Irkutsk to Vladi- T. Trowbridge, American author, born great success and a large attendance on vostok had been established, and the 1827; William Hazlitt, English essayist Tuesday. To-day, Wednesday, there are whole line between those points is in the and critic, died, 1830; Allison B. Connell. a great number of strangers in town, hands of the Czecho-Slovaks and the K. C., Woodstock, N. B., member of the Allies. The railway from Tchita to Public Utilities Commission, born, 1850; and early in the afternoon the Fair Vladivoslok, along the Amur river for a Oscar II ascended the throne of Sweden, great part of the distance, is probably 1875: Dion Boucicault, Irish dramatist, partly held by the Bolsheviki and released actor, and author, died, 1890; Earl of side sources of supply cut off, their posi- Archbishop of York, died, 1910. tion is hopeless and they must soon be overcome. A winter campaign in the Amur district, in spite of the intense cold is not impossible, or even extremely difficult. From Moscow and Petrograd the news of the condition of anarchy pre- Lord Sydenham, Governor of Canada, vailing, and the atrocities being perpetrat- died, 1841; James A. Garfield, President ed by the Bolsheviki discounts anything of United States, died from an assassin's recorded of the horrors of the French Revolution; and probably only a very small portion of the whole truth has been told. The sooner the forces of law and September 20.—Alma, 1854. DRLHI DAY weather is warm and pleasant.

be for unhappy Russia. The week was without news of military Henry Arthur Jones, English playwright, Mrs. Harry Epps, Miss May Epps, and

operations in any of the other theatres of born, 1851; Upton Sinclair, American Mr. Ray Hoyt, of Letite, spent Sunday at German submarines secured two important victims during the week in the White 1898.

Star Line steamer Persic, being used as a transport in conveying American troops and the C. P. R. steamer Missanabie which was in the service of the British Government as altransport. There seems to have been little or no loss of life in either case, but the loss of the vessels themselves is serious. With these two notable exceptions, the week's success of the enemy submarines was apparently, not great, and was probably below the

### THE WEEK'S ANNIVERSARIES

September 14-Holy Cross. Dante Alighi eri, Italian poet. died, 1321; General Montcalm, defender of Quebec, died, 1759-Alexander, Baron von Humbolt, German traveller and natural philosopher, born 1769: Moscow burned by the Russians. 1812; Aaron Burr, American statesman died, 1836; J. Fenimore Cooper, American novelist, died, 1851; Duke of Wellington, British military commander, died, 1852; First sod of E. & N. A. Railway turned at St. John, N. B., 1853; General Sir William Robertson, British military commander, orn, 1859; Lord Robert Cecil, British Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs born, 1864; Charles Dana Gibson, American artist, born, 1867; Alabama claims against Great Britain decided in favor of United States, 1872; Will Irwin, American afterwards returned to St. Stephen. novelist and war correspondent, born, 1873; William McKinley, twice President of the defended their positions stubbornly, and United States, died from an assassin's wounds, 1901.

September 15.—British, under General Howe, took possepsion of New York, 1776 First baloon ascent in Great Britain, 1784; J. Fenimore Cooper, American novelist, born, 1789; Laying of the corner stone of King's College (now the University of New Brunswick) at Fredericton, 1828: Slavery abolished in Mexico, 1829; General Porfirio Diaz, former President of Mexico born, 1830; Hon. Richard Olney, former U. S. Secretary of State. born. 1835. Johann Strauss, Austrian musical composer, born, 1849; W. F. Hatheway, prominent merchant in St. John, N. B., and Stephen. Cousul for the French Republic, born, 1850: Hon, W. H. Taft, former President Fere, and from Coucy around the south of the United States, born, 1857; Hon. G. W. Wickersham, former U.S. Attorney General, born 1828; Isambard K. Brunel, English civil engineer, designer of the steamship Great Eastern, died, 2859; W. B. Howard, District Passenger Agent of the C. P. R. at Toronto, born, 1877: Crown Prince Humbert of Italy born, 1904.

> September 16.-St. Ninian. Demosthenes. Greek orator, died by poison, 322 B. C. Samuel Adams, American statesman, born, 1722; Gabriel Dante Fahrenheit, guest of Mrs. Gilbert W. Ganong. German physicist, inventor of thermometer, died, 1736; Louis Kossuth, Hungari-American historian, born, 1823; William yea. Blackwood, Edinburgh publisher, died, sions, 1848; Rt. Hon. Bonar A. Law, British Chancellor of the Exchequer, born in New Brunswick, 1858; Hamlin Garland, American novelist, born, 1860; Alfred Noyes, English poet, born, 1880; St. Clair River tunnel, between United States and Canada, opened, 1891.

September 17 .- St, Lambert. French evacuated Quebec, 1759; British retook 1762; Constitution of United States adopted, 1787; First Parliament of United Walter Savage Landor, English poet and Premier of Canada, died, 1892; Tenth

German and Austrian prisoners, but with Aberdeen assumed office of Governor-

Waller, English Parliamentarian military versity opened, 1737; President Washington issued his "Farewell Addrees." 1796: wound, 1881; Suffrage granted to women in New Zealand, 1893.

order pressing on from the Arctic Ocean (1857). Owen Glendower, Welsh patriot, in the northwest and from Vladivostok in died, 1416; Robert Emmet, Irish patriot, the east, can effect a junction and can executed, 1803; Vice-Admiral Sir Thomas inspire confidence in the Russian people Hardy, Lord Nelson's flag-captain on the who have become disillusioned as to the Victory, died, 1839; First meeting of the aims of the Bolsheviki, the better it will American Association for the Advancement of Science held in Philadelphia, 1848:

Kitchener took possesston of Fashoda, Matthews.

### Up-River Doings

St. Stephen, N. B., Sept. 11. Miss Marion Straghan has returned from a visit of two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Gardner at their camp. McDougald

Prof. Frederick Goucher, of New York City, is in St. Stephen, the guest of his parents, Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Goucher, at the Baptist Parsonage.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Howard Whidden, of Ontario, have been visiting relatives in St.

Mrs. Hazen Grimmer, of St. John, and Mrs. Howard Grimmer, of St. Andrews, are in town for a short visit.

Miss Lillian Calder, of Campobello, is in St. Stephen to attend the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas R. Kent and party, of St. George, are in town to attend the Exhibition.

Mrs. George Smith, of St. Andrews, is visitor in town to-day

Mrs. W. F. Todd gave a very pleasant automobile ride to St. Andrews last Thursday afternoon. The guests were: Mrs. John E. Algar, Mrs. Percy Clarke, Mrs. E. M. Ganong, Mrs. Laura Bogue, and Miss Mary Abbot. The ladies on their arrival were entertained at supper

Rev. J. Wilson, Provincial Prohibition Secretary, was in St. Stephen recently and registered at the Queen during his stay. Miss Ruth Clarke is visiting Miss Grace

Thompson at Chance Harbor, N. S. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rawlings, of St. John, are visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bolz, and will remain until after the Exhibition in St. Stephen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Forsythe, of Ban- Child's \$.75 gor, are in St. Stephen to enjoy the pleasures of the Charlotte County Fair.

merside, P. E. I.

occupy the house on Veazie Street owned advanced in price, so if you want a Sewby Dr. J. W. Moore.

Mr. I. Foster Gill has been a recent vistor in St. Stephen. Miss Cora Shaw, of Montreal, is a guest

of Miss Kathleen Hill. Ven. Archdeacon Newnham has gone to price for cash is only \$22. Another one

two weeks. Christ Church will be closed makes, in good condition, \$5, \$7 and \$10. I keep Shuttles, Bobbins, Belts, Oil, Slides, Mrs. Josephine Lambe, of Boston, is the

Miss Ida Young, of Oak Bay, one of the new teachers on the Public School Staff. an patriot, born, 1802; Francis Parkman, is making her home with Mrs. S. R. Bel-

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCurdy are 1834: James J. Hill, American railway being congratulated on the birth of a son,

Miss Kate Nichols, of Portland, Me., is visiting her mother, Mrs. James Nichols

Miss Martha Harris, who spent the summer in Campobello, has arrived home, Wednesday was the Annual "tag day" for the Chipman Memorial Hospital.

It has been announced that the sum of money collected in St. Stephen, Milltown, and vicinity by the "taggers" for the Navy League, amounted to nearly thirteen hun dred dollars

Miss Florence Bean, who has been visiting Miss Muriel Newnham in Woodstock, has returned to her home in Calais.

Mrs. W. S. McKellar and Miss Gertrude

Mrs. William Boardman is visiting Boston friends.

In the Opera House in Calais on Tuesday evening, several young ladies dressed as Red Cross nurses, solicited money for

The Charlotte County Fair opened with coming from all points in automobiles, grounds were thronged with eager sightseers. There is a splendid assortment of fancy work, preserves, canned vegetables, fruits, and pickles, and all sorts of domes-Allied pressure from both ends, and out. General of Canada, 1893; Dr. Maclagan, tic work in the Women's Department. The exhibition of vegetables is exceeding-September 19.—Poictiers, 1356. General ly good; also the horses and cattle. The Mid-way provides amusement for all. commander, died, 1668; Göttingen Uni- There are some fine exhibits in the lower part of the Main Buildings, and also good restaurants where ice cream and eatables are sold. Miss Phoebe McKay is in are sold. Miss Phoebe McKay is in charge of the Gregory & Manuel booth, where pianos are exhibited, and her splendid singing and playing draw a continuous crowd. The Red Cross Society has a fishing pond in the grounds which is well patronized. It is expected that

### CHAMCOOK, N. B.

Mr. Melvin Garnett returned to-day Mr. and Mrs. Price Hatt spent the week

author and socialist, born, 1878; General the home of the Misses Hilda and Nina

Mr. Vernon and Miss Helen McNichol have returned to Letite. They have been pending a few days with the Misses

Miss Hilda Matthews motored to St. George to-day. Mr. Vernon McNichol has returned to Camp Sussex.

Miss Elsie Clinch has been visiting her ister, Mrs. Geo. McCoubrey,

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### Social and Personal

Miss Florence Whitlock has returned | to her home after spending a week with Mrs. R. Webb, Chamcook.

Professor Charles T. Copeland, who has are requested to attend. been spending his vacation at Kennedy's Hotel, left on Monday night for Cambridge.

Lady Shaughnessy has closed Fort Tipperary and, with the Hon. Mrs Beauclerk and the Hon. Marguerite Shaughnessy, has returned to Montreal.

Mrs. Bruce, of Malden, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Warren Stinson.

Mrs. Thos. Burton has been visiting in

visiting Mr. Jeffery Wheelock. Judge attractions this place affords. Grimmer left Monday night for Fred-

Misses O'Neill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Thompson have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Thompson. Miss Clara Thurber has returned from a visit to Bocabec and Deer Island.

Mr. Howard Rigby left on Saturday morning for the Miramichi to return with the Biological boat, Prince.

Mrs. C. F. Smith and daughter, Miss May Smith, of "Resemount Cottage," left for New York on Sunday.

A number of young friends of Miss F Small called at her home "Indiana Cottage," Thursday evening, Sept. 5, and presented her with a handsome cameo brooch. Miss Small, though taken by Christian Soldiers," "For All the Saints," surprise, proved herself a charming hostess "Hark, Hark My Soul," "O God of Love, The young folks enjoyed themselves with O King of Peace." music and dancing, and the party broke up at an early hour. Miss Small left on Friday morning with her mother for their home in Brookline, Mass.

Mrs. Goe. F. Smith, who has been occupying the "Anchorage," has returned to her home in St. John.

Miss Laura shaw, of Woodstock, ha been the guest of the Misses Rigby.

Mrs. Warren Stinson entertained at knitting party on Tuesday evening for her

mother, Mrs. Bruce. Miss Dorothy Lamb is spending her vacation in Bridgetown, N.S.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clark and child, of Watt Ict., have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. | Mrs. Charles Greenwood.

ter, Jean, of Sussex, are spending their of their aunt, Mrs. Charles Fletcher.

vacation at Kennedy's Hotel. Rev. Raymond McCarthy has returned from a visit to Woodstock.

Miss Phyllis Cockburn and Miss Margaret Mahon spent Fair Week in St.

Miss Villa Trafton, of Venceboro, has been the guest of Miss Annie Ross.

Mrs. McMullon has returned home after a very pleasant visit with friends in Fredericton and McAdam.

Mrs. B. McKenna is visiting Mr. and Mrs. McMullon.

Frank McMullon has gone to Toronto. Mrs. B. McKenna left by Thursday night's train for Fredericton.

Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Garden, of Woodstock, are visiting Mrs John S. Maloney.

Dr. Edward Elliott, who has been visiting Mrs. E. Odell, has returned to his St. John. home in Rock, Mass.

Mrs. E. Atherton Smith entertained on Wednesday evening. On Thursday evening Mrs. G. W. Bab-

bitt entertained for Mrs. Forsythe, of

Miss Bessie Wren is visiting in Lever. Mr. Albert T. Waycott, who has been spending the summer at the Algonquin, left Friday morning for Portland.

Mrs. Thompson and children, of Bangor, Me., are visiting Mrs. Gus. Rigby.

Mr. Henry Simpson is making his annual visit to St. Andrews, and is stopping at Kennedy's Hotel.

Mrs. Emory Hoar and Mr. D. B. Hoar, of Brookline, Mass., arrived on Monday, and are guests with Miss Mowat at Elm Corner. They have not occupied their beautiful residence on the St. John road den, Mass. for the past two seasons.

Mr. L. P. Simpson, of Welshpool, was in St. Andrews on Saturday last.

Mr. John Lillie, of Ricmond, England, and Mrs., and the Misses Lillie, who visited St. Andrews earlier in the season, re- Crichton, will be conducted in the Church turned on Wednesday evening, and are of the Heavenly Rest at Bocabec on Sunguests at Kennedy's Hotel.

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### Local and General

day evening at 8 o'clock. All members year of his age.

The Algonquin Hotel closed to-day, after a fairly prosperous season 'considering the war-time conditions prevailing. It is to be hoped that the war will be over before the Hotel opens next summer. The weather in July left much to be desired, from the point of view of those seeking rest and recuperation at a seaside resort, but August was delightful Mrs. Richard Owen, who has been visit- nearly throughout. September, so far, ing her mother, Mrs. Angus Kennedy, has has been more rainy and rather colder returned to her home in Edmundston, N. than usual. But whatever the weather Mary Kane, and a niece, Miss Margaret widows and orphans? Governments may be, the regular Algonquin guests Duffy, who resided with him, are left to make no provision for them, because the testifying in the most effective way their Catholic cemetery, Judge and Mrs. W. C. H, Grimmer and appreciation of the Hotel and its manage-Miss Lois Grimmer, of St. John, have been ment, and to their fondness for the many

The Charming Marine Scene (Saint Miss Agnes Lyons has been visiting the Andrews Island with Fishing Schooner near by) painted and donated by Mr. Horne Russell to Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, Regent of the "Royal Standard" Chapter I. O. D. E., for patriotic work, was drawn for at "The Algonquin," Thursday night, and the lucky number feel to F. M. Payue, Esq., of Amos, Nevada.

> On Sunday evening a most impressiv memorial service was held in All Saints Church for the late Quartermaster-Sergeant Harold Grimmer. The Rector, Rev. G. H. Elliot, preached a most eloquent sermon, with touching references to the sterling worth of the dead hero. The choir sang during the service "Onward

### 'NAVY LEAGUE TAG DAY

The amount realized from the Tag Day for the Navy League was over four hundred dollars. Great thanks are due the ladies who tagged, and the townspeople for their hearty response to the appeal.

### WILSON'S BEACH, C-BELLO.

Mr. and Mrs. George West, of Boston are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Searles. Mrs. Vaughn, of St. John, is a guest of

The Misses Campbell and Miss Vella

Mrs. George Seelye and Mrs. Howard Anthony, of Lubec, spent Labor Day here. Mr. Robinson Flagg, of Eastport, was an over-Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B

A baby girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Calder recently; and a sor to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Anthony.

Word came last week that Private Lymond Langmaid was suffering from gun-shot wound in his shoulder.

Mr. Leslie McLaughlin, of Malden, Mass., who was here for several weeks. has returned home.

Mrs. Elmer Cline has had the pleasure of entertaining two relatives from her old home in Nova Scotia, Mrs. Amoreau and Miss Mariorie Theirault.

Mrs. Emerson Brown returned last week

Mrs. Antoinette Harding and Mrs. Annie Dearborn, of Boston, were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H.

Mr. Fulton Babcock has beed appointed keeper of Wolves light and moved his family there this week.

Mrs. Sophia Lank, who was seriously ill for a number of weeks, is able to be about again, to the joy of her family and

friends. Mrs. Luther Brown and daughter, Neilie,

summer with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Forces have been supplied with coal, steel, Matthews, left here on Saturday for her oil, shells, guns, and all other necessaries home in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Holmes and family left here on Saturday for their home in Mal-

### ST. PATRICK AT SALUTE

A memorial service for the rich dead, Sergt. Fred Woodbury and Pte. Clarence day, September 15, at 3 p. m., by Rev. D. Miss Hazel Turner and brother, Mur- W. Blackall. Other services in St. Patrick of stores to the various fronts. chie, of St. Almo, are visiting friends in Parish are thus due:-Transfiguration at 11 a. m., and Christ Church, Elmsville, at

The tumult and the shouting dies-The captains and the Kings depart-Still stands Thine ancient sacrifice, An humble and a contrite heart. Lord God of Hosts, be with us yet, Lest we forget, lest we forget!"

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calls any where and any ters will be held in Paul's Hall on Tues- Joseph Richardson, Bayside, in the 55th

PATRICK GRACE St. George, Sept. 9-The funeral of Patrick Grace was held this morning from has added piracy to the other perils of the his home to St. George's church, where a deep in war time. All Germany's requiem mass was sung by Rev. Father methods of war-time barbarism have Holland. Mr. Grace died on Saturday failed to delay the sailing of one British after several months' illness. He was ship by a single hour. Death lurks in the born in Ireland, and came to St. George way of every ship. The submarine and when a small boy. During a long lifetime loathsome mine have claimed over 15,000 he was a resident of the town, well known of our merchant marine. They died for and highly thought of. A sister, Mrs. us! What of their dependents, the mourn. Interment was in the new merchant marine is not a recognized

MR. JAMES NOYES Black's Harbor, N. B., Sept. 11.-Our give liberally. The bulk of the money community was deeply saddened on Saturday afternoon, Aug. 7, when news funds for the benefit of the Sailors of the reached here of the sudden death of Mr Empire including our own Dominion, hand. James Nopes which took place at the The most important of these is King Chipman Hospital at three o'clock. Mr. George's Fund for Sailors. Part of the Noves was a native of Boston and came here about four years ago and established ers of war and for the assistance of himself as a grocer, and won a wide British and Canadian sailors and their circle of friends. He married Miss dependents, Sailors' Homes, Institutions. Lillian Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, of this place. Deceased was laid to rest in the Catholic Cemetery on Monday afternoon. Deep sympathy is extended to his young wife in the great loss she has been called upon

PTE. CLARENCE M. CRICHTON

The home of Mr. and Mrs. James Crichton, Bocabec Cove, was greatly saddened last week, by the announcement of the death of their eldest son, Clarence Milton, who was killed in action August 15, somewhere in France.

Pte. Crichton enlisted as a volunteer in the 115th Battalion in the winter of 1916, leaving for England the following summer, where he remained until May 1917, when he was sent to France and transferred to the 26th Battalion. He escaped serious wounds, until he had his leg badly bruised, which kept him at a base hospital for 14 weeks, but fell in action during the fierce fighting of Aug 16. He leaves to mourn five sisters and two brothers, besides his parents, and a host of friends whose deep sympathy is ex-

tended to the bereaved ones. The sisters are: Mrs. Stanley McCul-Mr. and Mrs. Forsythe and little daugh Chipman, of St. John, were recent visitors of their aunt. Mrs. Charles Fletcher.

The Misses Campbell and Miss Vella lough, of Upper Bocabec; Mrs. Wilfred Bryant, of Bartlett's Mills; Eleanor, King" the audience remained to consider Winnifred, and Hilda at home; and the the idea of forming a Navy League. brothers are: David and Howard, also at

### THE NAVY LEAGUE

MRS. E. ATHERTON SMITH'S ADDRESS.

On Wednesday evening, September in the Andraeleo Hall, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith gave a most interesting and instructive address for the benefit of the a large bunch of flowers at the conclusion Navy League. of her lecture.

Mrs. Smlth said:-At the outbreak of the war King George, in addressing his people used a phrase in reference to the British Navy which will live in history. He referred to it as "The sure shield of the nation." That term has steadily from a pleasant visit in Fredericton and gained in force, as the people of the Empire have realized more and more with each hour that has passed how immeasurable is the debt we owe to the brave sailors who have held the seas for over four years.

The silence, that is almost uncanny, is that, which broke only once off Jutland, has veiled the battle-squadrons of Great Britain from the gaze of the world, since the war began. And yet, protected by those great unseen ships, the commerce of the world has gone on. Troops from every dominion and British possession have sailed over thousands of miles, milare visiting Mrs. Brown's parents at lions of British soldiers have gone to France, Greece, Egypt, East and West Mrs. Augustus Bommer, who spent the Africa, Mesopotamia, and China, and the of war, as well as everything required for

their sustenance. The personnel of the navy has been raised from 145,000 men at the beginning of the war to 450,000. Its tonnage from 4,000,000 to 6,000,000. Since the outbreak of the war the original fleet has been supplemented by new units representing a force larger than the entire navy which Germany possessed in 1914.

During last year alone the British navy transported 7,000,000 men, 500,000 animals, 200,000 vehicles, and 9,500,000 tons

The daughter nations of Great Britain, inheriting her sea-going instincts, have played no mean part in the naval struggle. It was the young Australian fleet that swept the Germans from the Pacific, and the "Sydney" that brought that unscrupulous raider, the "Emden," to heel off Cocoo Island. The men of Newfoundland's Naval Force have rendered admirable service, first in the Dardanelles, and later in patrolling the Mediterranean and the North Sea. The other dominions have contributed in men and ships to the Imperial Navy,

But we must not fail to pay a wellmerited tribute to the "Fleets behind the

Dr. GOVE

The death occurred on July 31, at the Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia, Pa., of marine "The News British merchant profession in the town of St. Andmal times the life of the seaman is one calls any time, any where, and any full of peril and devoid of comfort. Dur- place in the country. Residence. ing war-time the hardships, terror, and the O'Neill house, Water Street. perils increase manifold. The risks of Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m., and 4 the seaman are multiplied in every director to 8 p. m.

## A Timely Word

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Ottawa September 4, 1918. A summary was issued to-day by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics as follows:

ISLAND (Charlottetown): Hay crop The southwestern and west central diswill be up to average. Small fruits tricts report that while the rains came medium; crop early. Harvesting started too late to increase the crop yields to any with indications of heavy crop. Slow great extent, yet the later sown grains growth in corn. Potatoes promise an will be greatly benefited and will result in ripening grain. A record yield of wheat prevailing; some rain late in month. carrots, parsnips, salsify, and turnips where not attacked by aphis.

Quebec.-ROBERVAL (Chicoutimi and Potato crop generally very late. are ripening well and promise a good and a fair crop is being reaped. Outlook yield, especially wheat. STE. ANNE DE in Peace River country very optimistic. LA POCATIERE: (Kamouraska): Weather somewhat irregular; considerfor seed will vary in different parts of
Weather conditions favorable for ripening able rain having fallen in many parts. Canada, but in most places it will be of cereals, the first sown of which are Outlook for the live stock problem prom- necessary to give them some protection. very good. Late sown cereals will probably not ripen. Potatoes injured by tate blight, and drought of late date lessens the lieved the feed situation materially. prospects of a general heavy yield. Europ- Later grain for threshing also filled better in small and in large quantities, except in guished. ean plums a failure; apples half a crop. than expected at time. LETHBRIDGE, the case of onions, which must be kept Cheapest because there are more Hay good. CAPE ROGUE: All grain The wheat harvest in southern Alberta dry, and stored in a cool place where very good, except barley, which is good. well advanced. In many localities, in there is little or no frost.

Early potatoes are extra; late potatoes drier districts, it is already completed, are commencing to suffer from blight. and threshing in isolated cases started. Apples are poor, and there are practically This part of the province will produce TEMPORARY BARRACKS IN no plums. Roots for stock are good, but enough wheat for seed pext season and corn for silage is the worst crop in years. have some to spare, but the oat and bar-LENNOXVILLE: Hay an average crop. ley crop is almost nil. The grain harvest is one of the best for British Columbia.—AGASSIZ: Unsatis-

oats, and spring wheat are well harvested; second cut clover and alfalfa has been cut. purposes, the buildings are divided into the yields and quality of grain are ex- Wheat, barley, corn, and roots very good; two units, the first consisting of four barcellent, and the straw is clean. Peas oats fair, SUMMERLAND: Apricots, racks, one mess building, two ablution good; beans fair; silo corn promising; peaches, plums, and pears exceed expec-buildings, 1 recreation room, Q. M. stores, early potatoes fair; late ones poor. Roots tations. Winter apples, owing to increas- and canteen, one battalion officers' buildare now recovering from drought, pas-tures are reviving. The labor situation of last year. Much hay was harvested in room; the second unit comprises the balduring harvest was nicely met. OTTAWA poor condition on account of rain, but ance of the structures. (Central Experimental Farm): The rain has helped dry farmers. Some farm. All the buildings are of frame construcharvesting of grain is about completed, ers who expected nothing will be able to tion, there being some slight variations and the threshing, yields are extra good, cut grain for hay. SIDNEY, V. I.: All according to the class of the different

being decidedly above average. The corn crops harvested in good condition. Twen-structures. In the case of the two story crop is not quite up to the average; it is ty-five per cent threshing done. Very dry, buildings, the exterior walls are to be of very good in some sections, particularly ploughing difficult. Pastures short: sup- 2x6 studding from the ground floor to the very good in some sections, particularly plementary feeding necessary for dairy first floor and from the latter to the rafter near Ottawa, but in other districts it is not cattle. Live stock being slightly reduced. so good, owing to the unfavorable weather Feed of all kinds high in price. of June and poor seed. Roots are a fair crop, recent rains having benefited turnips | HEAVY CUTS ON HIGH PRICES and mangolds very materially.

Farm): Probably fifty per cent. of the large returns, but light cattle and cuts in Farm): Probably fifty per cent. of the grain crops are already cut and nearly as cattle when the season has been fair, with face will be covered with waterproof much in stock. The heads are especially well filled and the kernels plump. The wheat crop will be above average in this wheat crop will be above average in this cattle when the season has been fair, with face will be covered with waterproof paper and wall board. The interior partitions are to be 2x 4 in. studding, spruce or hemlock, and the interior posts of section, with oats and barley bumper crops. No hail or frost injury, but first crops. No hail or frost injury, but fust price for the cattle as well. The Canada prevalent. Rust and wet weather have food Board and the British Purchasing combined to make harvest difficult. No threshing has been done. Potatoes promise to be a record breaker; certainly

400 bushels to the acre on this Farm. Many vegetables slow to ripen on account of cool weather and great rainfall.

Saskatchewan.—The Saskatchewan De-

of telegraphic reports on the condition of partment of Agriculture reports that the field crops in Canada at the end of August recent rains have changed conditions in the southern and central parts of the Atlantic Provinces.—PRINCE EDWARD yield will be higher than anticipated.

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## KEEPING BIENNIAL VEGETABLES

meant those which take two seasons to buildings have writing and game rooms, produce seed, writes the Dominion Horticulturist in a leaflet giving advice on the "Selection and Wintering of Biennial Vegetables for Seed" which can be had storys. The mass room is free from the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. The vegetables must be stored over the first are large ante rooms, kitchens, and store winter and replanted for seed production growth in corn. Potatoes profiles all wall be greatly beliefled and will be greatly beliefled an Potatoes and beans fair. Blight in eastern and the northern parts of the potatoes prevalent. Hay slightly below east central districts frost has inflicted nips. Seed from these can easily be baths.—The Contract Record. average, but cured in good condition.

Turnip feed ripening nicely. (Kentville):

Grains which are an excellent crop have

Grains which are an excellent crop have

east central districts flust ripened well, and considerable has been damage from frost, hail or rust reported harvested. Roots are looking well. from this district. Seventy per cent. of true to type, it will not be long before a Potatoes have shown considerable early wheat cut. Conditions have improved larger proportion of the crop will be not be losing me."—Detroit Free Press. blight. Apples a medium crop. NEW greatly and yield will be heavier than true to type; hence great care should be RRIINSWICK (Fredericton): Conditions first expected, while sample will be exgood for an average hay crop and for ceptionally good. SCOTT: Fine weather roots, typical of the variety, of beets, The Safest Matches and oats now assured. Corn is generally Wheat harvest well advanced, put ex- firm-headed cabbage true to type, firm a failure. Early potatoes of good quality tremely light; early out crop poor. Some stalked and disease-resistant plants of but vield is disappointing. Turnips good late crops will require three to four weeks celery, and firm, shapely onion bulbs, If free from frost. Barley improved celery, and firm, shapely onion bulbs, If this is done and varieties are kept far Also The Cheapest Quebec.—ROBERVAL (Chicoutimi and Saguenay): Hay harvest has been comparatively good. Frost in certain places Alberta.—The Alberta Department of Agriculture telegraphs that the harvest should compare favorably with imported has injured tobacco and potatoes. Cereals is in full swing throughout the province seed in regard to purity, as it does in

some time. Roots are promising; silage factory harvesting weather during Aug- 1 Ottawa, has prepared plans for a corn poor. MAKAMIX (Pontiac): Hay- ust. Precipitation 7.94 which is 5.3 in number of temporary barrack buildings ing done; quality fair. Yield of early ches more than average for twenty-seven at Fredericton, N. B. These consist of 8 sown grain probably 15 p. c. above aver; years. Grain badly discoloured; a quan-men's barracks, two men's mess buildings, age; late sown very poor. Vegetables tity which germinated in sheaf straw only tour ablution buildings, two recreation average, though potatoes badly frosted in fit for bedding. Roots promise good crop. buildings, the usual Quartermaster's Potatoes blighted. Second crop of clover stores and canteen buildings, two batta-Ontario.—The Ontario Department of much improved. INVERMERE: Crops lion office buildings, two sergeants' mess Agriculture reports that fall wheat is a generally under irrigation are very good; buildings, two guard houses, and an offififty per cent, crop of good quality. Barley, dry farming results poor. Heavy crop of cers' mess building. For construction

> of one story buildings are to be of 2x4 studding to the full height. All the studs are to be 16-inch on centres and doubled at the corners. These walls are to be sheathed on the outside with 7 in. T. and G. spruce or hemlock, while the interior wall board. The roof will be of heavy

The plans provide for 7 in. T. and G. spruce or hemlock for the floors; this is to be laid diagonally, covered with waterproof paper, and on top of this will be ? in. T. and G. spruce flooring.

In the kitchens, the cold storage rooms will be constructed of four thicknesses of Neponset insulating paper between each thickness of sheathing. The serving tables will be of spruce. Under all the ranges in the kitchens, concrete hearths will be built of two inches of concrete

The central portion of the men's mess buildings is occupied by four kitchens, two on each side of the ranges, which are in the middle of the building. At the sides of the kitchens are service tables, opening out into the mess rooms; the latter contain long rows of tables. At the rear of the kitchens is cold storage accommodation.

The ablution buildings have a number of closets, latrines, drying rooms, and shower baths.

In the recreation and canteen buildings, the men's recreation quarters. The battalion office buildings comprise

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other characteristics. The methods of wintering vegetables

timbers with 7 in. T. and G. board.

over beds of 6-inch steam cinders. The men's barracks are the largest of the structures. They consist mainly of dormitories, the partitions being made of 7 inch T. and G. spruce vertical sheathing to the height of within 3 ft. of the celings. The tops are to be filled in with heavy galvanized iron wire netting. On the ground floors are rooms for the sergeants, and on the second floors similar rooms

and offices, and pay offices.

provision is made for tailors' and shoemakers' and armourers' rooms. The N. C.O. recreation room and canteens are situated in the centre, and at the ends are

orderly rooms and accommodation for the adjutant, doctor, O. C., pay clerks, clerks, etc. The buildings have central corridors, with the rooms arranged on either side. kitchens, and cold storage. The guard houses consist of detention rooms, cells The officers' mess building is of two

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UNITED STATES CITIZENS of the description aforesaid who were IN CANADA ON 30th JULY, 1918, HAVE SIXTY DAYS EXERCISE AN OPTION TO ENLIST or set out substantially as follows:enroll IN THE FORCES OF THE UNITED

States; and THOSE WHO for any reason nor-in-Council on 20th August, 1918, MALE SUBSEQUENTLY BECOME LIABLE TO MILITARY SERVICE IN CANADA HAVE THIRTY DAYS FROM THE DATE of the accruing OF SUCH LIABILITY within which to exercise the like option. It is stipulated by the Convention also that certificates of diplomatic exemption may be granted within the optional periods aforesaid. EVERY CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES TO WHOM THE REGULATIONS APPLY is required to REPORT TO THE REGIS-TRAR under the Military Service Act, 1917, FOR THE province or DISTRICT WITHIN WHICH he is, in the manner by the regulations prescribed, WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE EXPIRY OF HIS OPTIONAL PERIOD and will be SUBJECT TO PENALTIES IF without reasonable excuse HE FAIL SO TO REPORT. For the information of those whom it may concern Sections 3 and 4 defining the requirements of registration, with which FROM THAT DATE within which TO it will be necessary strictly to comply, are

### REGULATIONS

3. EVERY MALE CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES WITHIN THE AGES for the time being SPECIFIED IN THE LAWS of the UNITED STATES prescribing compulsory military service, not including those who have diplomatic exemption, WITH-IN TEN DAYS AFTER THE EXPIRY OF THE TIME LIMITED BY THE CONVEN-TION within which the Government of the United States may issue him a certificate of diplomatic exemption, SHALL TRULY RE-PORT TO THE REGISTRAR BY REGIS-TERED POST, and in writing which is plainly legible, his name in full, his occupation and the date of his birth; stating also whether he is single, married or a widower; and if the latter, whether he has a child living; also if married, the date of his marriage; and stating moreover his place of residence and usual post office address in Canada; and, if he reside within a city or place where the streets and dwellings are named and numbered, the name and number of his street and dwelling; or if he reside in another place, the lot and concession number, section, township, range, and meridian, or other definite description whereby his place of residence may be located, having regard to the custom of the locality in which he lives: and IF WITHOUT REASONABLE PENALTIES provided in the last preceding EXCUSE HE NEGLECT OR FAIL TO

REPORT IN THE MANNER and with the particulars aforesaid within the time limited as aforesaid, HE SHALL BE GUILTY OF AN OFFENCE, AND SHALL BE LIABLE UPON SUMMARY CONVICTION to a penalty not EXCEEDING FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, AND TO IMPRISONMENT for any term not exceeding six months, and moreover he shall incur A PENALTY OF \$10.00 FOR EACH DAY after the time when or within which he should have registered during which he shall continue to be unregis-

4. EVERY UNITED STATES CITIZEN WHO HAS DIPLOMATIC EXEMPTION. although not otherwise subject to these regulations SHALL WITHIN TENDAYS after the granting of the same truly REPORT TO THE REGISTRAR, in like manner and with the same particulars as required by the last preceding section; and in addition he shall embody in his report a true and complete statement of the particulars of his certificate of diplomatic exemption. NEGLECT OR FAILURE without reasonable excuse to comply with the requirements of this section SHALI CONSTITUTE AN OFFENCE PUNISH-ABLE IN THE MANNER AND BY THE

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### CANADA FOOD BOARD EDUCATIONAL DIVISION

CANADA FOOD BOARD NOTES

Never perhaps since the opening of the of this last quarter of the year 1918. The of the war. enemy has been defeated in a succession of battles on the Western Front. His successes of the spring have been neutralized and his campaign upset. A million and a half men have been added to the Allies' Military resources from the United States. The submarine menace has greatly declined. The number of naturalized before the war, he points out ships for carrying supplies has been great- that all certificates granted since the war ly augmented. The efforts of this con- are now referred to a committee, presided tinent to keep the soldiers fed and stave over by a Judge, and if the committee until the new harvest became available ther, the harvest of Great Britain, of that class of people who ran to cover on earlier in the year by reason of weather should, Mr. Macmaster states, either be conditions and are being safely garnered by the help of women, boys, civilians from the cities, prisoners of war, and soldiers short periods. Greater than all these factors of success in "food fighting," will be the magnificant harvest being reaped by farmers of the United States. This year's harvest promises to be the greatest on record.

It cannot be be too emphatically urged, however, that the necessity for conservation of food and increased production of whose jobs they covet." food will continue in this country while the war lasts and for some time afterwards. The encouraging news as to the release of the strain which was viewed so seriously earlier in the year should not lead us to relax our efforts now, except in so far as the Canada Food Board may revise the food regulations as circumstances warrant from time to time. The results which have been obtained on this continent by the use of substitute foods for those required overseas are the basis of the optimistic outlook of the Allied food situation in Europe to-day. The situation of the immediate future is based on the continuation of those efforts. The food reserves of the world at war have been exhausted. The 1918 crops in Allied countries must be conserved for the future and our efforts to produce foodstuffs in greater abundance must not be

There is grave danger always when a crisis is passed, of falling back into the condition from which we have escaped, through the relaxation of our vigilance and our energy. The Food Controllers of the Allies have warned us of this er. We should be warned also of persons who well meaning, but neverthees in the interest of the enemy, urge that all such efforts to conserve and produce are now superfluous and that the danger is passed. The danger is not passed. But we have found a way of overcoming it and we must follow that safe path until the war is over.

### WHY FISH ARE HIGHER

One frequently hears the question Why are fish so high?"

Many people who accept the increased ost of meats, vegetables and other food, of clothing, rent and other essentials, as matters of fact, ask this question. Sometimes they add: "It costs nothing to pro-

It is true that fish grow unaided in the ocean. There is no cost for planting or cultivating. But to harvest fish, i. e., to catch them, does cost money. The folowing tables show briefly and eloquently the chief reasons for the increased cost of

BEFORE THE WAR Cost of vessel, \$10,000 to \$15,000. Cost of sails, \$700 to \$800. Cost of gear; \$3.50 per tub. Cost of ice, \$2 to \$3 per cwt. Cost of provisions, \$200 per trip.

Now Cost of vessel, \$20,000 to \$30,000. Cost of sails, \$1,600 to \$1,700. Cost of gear, \$11 to \$12 per tub. Cost of Ice, \$4 per cwt.

Cost of provisions, \$400 per trip. It costs the fishermen more to fish. also costs him more to support his family ashore.—Fishing Gazette. \_

### **AUTOMOBILE OWNERS** IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY

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### MR. MACMASTER ON THE WAR

THE TRUE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

At a meeting at Chertsey for the organization of the new Chertsey Division, a resolution was unanimously passed dewar have the Allies had more sound claring that the first object of the Nationeason for optimism than at the beginning al Unionist Association was the winning

At the invitation of the meeting, Donald Macmaster, the member for the present division, has issued a statement of his views on the war. In this he says that one of the important domestic questions growing out of the war is the presence of the alien in our midst. As to the alien off threatened starvation in Allied Europe reports that it is desirable that a certificate should be revoked, then the Secretary of has been gloriously successful. And fur- State must revoke it. This will cover all France and of Italy have, in some meas-1 the breaking out of the war. As to the ure, overcome the disadvantages reported ordinary unnaturalized enemy aliens, they deported or interned, and none should be employed in any confidential relationship whatever, although "there are some serreleased from active duty at the front for vices of a very special and delicate character on which it may be necessary to employ enemy aliens, but such employment should be invariably surrounded with the safeguards necessary to protect the public interest." As to aliens of neutral origin, "it is difficult to deny these the hospitality of our freedom, though it is done at the expense of our own citizens

> On the war situation generally Mr. Macmaster says:-"Our first duty as a endeavors to bring it to a conclusion. There is not the faintest sign of our being able to do so by negotiation. The enemy but to look at the conditions imposed on Russia and Rumania."

> which Germany is a partner? The true Nations that is now fighting against her brutal tyranny and rapacious greed. The day has come, and it has been long overdue, for the whole British family to stand together united and determined to maintain their common interests."-The Times

## KEEPING SCHOOL UNDER SHELL

Keeping school at Reims, under the fire of German guns, is naturally attended by peculiarly hazardous conditions. Some of the schools are in huge wine vaults, far underground; others are in buildings that have cellars, into which teachers and pupils flee for safety when danger impends. An article in the Atlantic Monthly describes the morning experiences of a teacher whose schoolroom was not of the subterranean kind.

The sessions begin as usual at half past eight, writes the teacher. I am giving a lesson in oral arithmetic, when, all of a sudden, my assistants, who have remained above, come rushing down the stairway-

"The bombardment is close by!" "Bring your children down instantly!" s my reply.

Suddenly a terrific noise deafens us. I'wo shells have fallen on a house close by. The little ones begin to tremble and cry. Aided by my teachers, I quickly form them in groups—encouraging them the while-in order to take them down

into the cellar. We have hardly begun to go down when we hear above our heads a tremendous crash, mingled with the noise shattered glass. Another shell has fallen on the building, penetrating the first two concrete layers and smashing all the windows. The children, who are a little way behind, are terriffed and begin to shriek. Some soldiers, who have taken refuge with us take them in their arms and quickly carry them down. The older ones, whom I am leading, remain perfectly calm, and go down quietly. Below, we gather them about us and comfort the most timid. My assistants meanwhile are comforting

Our stay in the cellar lasts two hours. It seems to us extraordinarily long. So far as most of the children are concerned, it is a surprise, and it ends by amusing them. At last, about twenty minutes past two, hearing nothing more, I go up to make sure that the bombardment is over. The pupils come up, two by two, each of the older ones leading a little one. I form them in line, and each of us takes, charge of a group. Then I dismiss them for the afternoon.'

### INCREASED FISH CONSUMPTION

The consumption of Atlantic fish in Ontario for the first six months of 1918 was 500 per cent. over that of last year. Mrs, W. L. Harvey, Woodward's In the western provinces the consumption of Pacific fish has also been vastly increased since the war, but Canadian fish consumption is still far short of the one pound per week standard recommended by the Canada Food Board in order to conserve meat supplies.

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may talk about peace, but his acts are all of Canada, in charge of Mr. H. F. J. Lamacts of war, and if we wish to contemplate bart, has been engaged in this vicinity on After the death of Dr. W. F. King, in the peace approved by the enemy we have the work of triangulation. The Geodeticsurvey was started some years ago by Dr. King, then Chief Astronomer of Canada Referring to the proposal for a League and His Majesty's Boundary Commissionof Nations, he asks:-"How is it possible er, with head quarters at the Dominion to contemplate a League of Nations in Observatory at Ottawa. The work of this new survey, which, by the way, had League of Nations is the League of been long delayed in Canada (being an institution which all countries of the world regarded as essential if accurate maps of a country are to be had), soon outgrew its accomodation in the Observatory and the Trafalgar Building, and, through the influence of Dr. King, a building all to itself was erected near the Observatory, and this the Survey now occupies.

> Its operations are two-fold, first, to solid rock, and by means of concrete piers. By the very accurate measurement of the angles of these innumerable triangles at night with a large instrument, and acetylene lamps to project a beam of light towards the angle where the observer is making the measurement, and by measured bases (each of which is very accurately measured side of one of these triangles) at long intervals across the country, the geographical position and the length of all these sides of triangles are determined. With this accurate data at their disposal it becomes an easy matter to coordinate all the maps of a country and to determine their true relative positions. This network of triangles extending for hundreds of miles across the country is subect to all manner of errors, some accidental and others of a permanent nature which are not sensibly apparent until checked up by reference to points, at stated intervals, astronomically determined and known as Laplace points. Secondly, the running of precise level nets, which are lines throughout the country over which very precise levels have been taken, and fixing the sea elevation of points

mean sea level. As was stated, this work has been in ted to revised regulations.

people is to be united and stedfast in our GEODETIC SURVEY OF CANADA progress for a number of years, until the which extends over most of the settled A S stated in our last issue, a number of the Staff of the Geodetic Survey of the Northwest, and have, as well, many thousand miles of primary level lines. spring of 1916, the positions of Chief Astronomer, His Majesty's Boundary Commissioner, and Head of the Geodetic Survey, remained unfilled till last winter. when Mr. N. J. Ogilvie, of Ottawa, became head of the Survey, Dr. Otto J. Klotz was given the position of Chief Astronomer, and Mr. J. J. McArthur that of H. B. M. Boundary Commissioner

Of late the feeling has been growing that the primary survey points should be made more accessible to the public, and with this in mind the work this summer along the Bay of Funday between St. John and St. Andrews has been carried out, and very accurately determined points have now been established. The cover the country over with what is called size of the triangles referred to is very a network of triangles, which is known great, the length of the sides varying are permanently marked on the earth's miles as the extreme limit. In the Passasurface by copper boards let into the maquoddy Bay the work has been in conjunction with some hydrographic work carried on by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey. In St. John the points will be immediately available for harbor use. On the summit of Chamcook Mountain is established one of the corners of one of the large triangles, and another is at the northern end of Grand Manan

### CANDIES MAKERS ON HALF RATION

Candy manufacturers in Canada have used, in the past, eleven per cent, of all the sugar consumed in Canada. This has been reduced to a maximum of 5½ per cent, by the Canada Food Board, owing to the sugar situation.

### **NEW SUGAR REGULATIONS**

New sugar regulations have been put into effect by the Canada Food Board by which restaurants are limited to two pounds of sugar for every 90 meals served. along those courses, and marking by while soda fountains and ice cream estabmeans of primary Bench Marks on which lishments are restricted to 25 per cent. of s stamped a number, the name of the the average monthly amount of sugar Survey, and, lastly, its elevation above the used during 1917. The various manufacturers using sugar have also been subjec-

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### ROBERT BRIDGES AND THE POETIC ART

A N artist writing on his art is always interesting. He speaks with an customed been." authority to which no mere critic can lay "I had seen his castle-flag to fall halfclaim. Whatever the Poet Laureate has to say about poetry must therefore engage One morn as I sat looking on the sea, our interest and attention; for very few When thus all England's grief came first of our poets have been more learned in their art. "The Necessity of Poetry" is Who hold my childhood favored that I the title Mr. Bridges gives to an address read to a Welsh audience of working men. So well the face that won at Waterloo." It is full of pregnant matter, such as could hardly come fully home to any audience at a single hearing. It is well that it should be printed, for it repays leisurely and careful reading.

Shelley wrote a "Necessity of Atheism" and a "Defence of Poetry." The first is said to have been a dry argument, the second is eloquent and impassioned. Mr. Bridges is more cordially persuaded of the human need for poetry than Shelley in his raw dogmatic youth could have been of the need for atheism; but he abstain from Shelley's glowing eloquence in vindication and praise of poetry and its function in the world; he aims rather at plain statement, but he cannot help saying fresh and illuminating things by the way.

thought of as an art but rather as a sort quoted, tells of his days at Eton. At that of spontaneous ebullition of emotion, with time Tennyson was in his heyday of something of an implicit antithesis be- triumphant fame; but Mr. Bridges even tween art and inspiration. It is true that then had a fine independence of judgea great artist like Milton can keep unfail- ment. He loved some of Tennyson's ing his noble style even when his mattter early lyrics, yet "when I heard 'The Idylls is not inspiring, while a poet like Words of the King' praised as if they were the worth, when he is not inspired, falls to final attainment of all poetry, then I drew prosy earth. Yet the greatest art has into my shell." "I was abhorrent towards most of inspiration, as we readily recog- Ruskin," he tells us, and "as for Brownnize in the case of music and painting; an ing, I had no leanings towards him." At inspiration which animates and shapes this time Mr. Bridges and some of his the entire work. And Wordsworth is not most intimate friends were strongly afa greater poet for being unsure and inter-fected by the Oxford Movement: he grew mittent in his art, which fails him when out of his Puseyism, and read science, but his inspiration also fails. I fancy that a naturally religious temperament colors English people, and people of Northern all his verse. At Oxford he was a noted race in general, are apt to believe that a figure among his contemporaries, but poet like Horace, whose art seems every- chiefly as a famous athlete: he stroked thing, would have been less of an artist if the Corpus and took it head of the river. he had been more of a poet. I do not After some fifteen years, in London, of think this is true. But it is certainly true the practice of medicine Mr. Bridges rethat a poet of this type, congenial to the tired to the country. traditions of the Latin races, can be a wonderful artist without having much of what is commonly associated with the poetic spirit; and the above-mentioned antithesis has this much of justification.

In the very interesting memoir of his school-friend Dolben, a young poet who died on the threshold of manhood, Mr. Bridges has told us how he first approached poetry. While Dolben regarded poetry from the emotional he regarded it from the artistic side. His friend liked poetry on account of the power it had of exciting his valued emotions. "What had led me to poetry was the inexhaustible satisfaction of form, the magic of speech, lying as it seemed to me in the masterly control of the material: it was an art which I hoped to learn. An instinctive rightness was essential; but, given that, I did not sup-temperament. Yet there was nothing pose that the poet's emotions were in any way better than mine, nor mine than an- sung so well of the happy hours; and this other's. . . . I think that Dolben im- perhaps is rather resented by those who

come of peculiar personal emotion. There is a point in art where these two ways merge and unite, but in apprenticehood they are opposite approaches." Mr. Bridges has never ceased to regard poetry village among the Berkshire woods and as an art, and long ago won the mastery downs. His house was the old manor he hoped for as a boy. The "peculiar house with a garden whose "spicy pinks" personal emotion" is not lacking in his are recalled to the memory of those who verse; but he does not rely for inspiration knew it in reading many of the poems, on the intensity of emotion, and of facile especially the beautiful "Garden in Sepor uncontrolled emotion he has, we feel, a tember." Here many a younger writer proud disdain. These characteristics may was invited to enjoy a kindly hospitality, explain why Mr. Bridges is not a "popu- which, with its talk and wine and music, lar" poet. The emotions he expresses are made one think of Milton's sonnet invitsuch as only finely organized natures can ing his friend to supper "in Attic taste" feel with; and his art is so delicate, so and music afterwards-warbling of "imabhorrent of easy effectiveness or vehe-mortal notes and Tuscan air." For the ment emphasis all that is commonly called "striking"—that its felicity and re- an encourager of adventure and experisource pass unperceived by many readers. ment. He keeps a boyish elasticity; likes None the less, every year adds to the number of those who find themselves turning again to the Shorter Poems with a pleasure that is ever fresh. The secret with which he is not loth to startle dull of the charm of Mr. Bridges' lyrics may company. He is very English. seem difficult to explain; there is an elusive simplicity about them; but we come the wooded hills above Oxford, where he to love them, as we love some English built himself a house overlooking the garden that we know, or some corner of English country; they do not force their beauties on our notice, they have a kind of shyness; but they yield an intimate delight, which, once found, is lasting. A perfect eincerity is matched by an exquision of the war the house was accidentally burnt down. Mr. Bridges walked up from Oxford one afternoon to find his home in flames. He has borne the loss philosophiperfect sincerity is matched by an exquisite truth and precision. And behind a certain austerity of manner we come to feel a deep reality of feeling. No English poet has given in his verse so true a taste of English country, its greys and greens, Hinksey. its silvery horizons, its rich quiet, its lanes

In some of his later poems Mr. Bridges
It was in 1890, the year of their first publication, that I first made the acquaintance

Worcester, and were known to but a few. odes associated with that office, a present of the proposed dent we may hope will be followed. It is formation as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen, and blank forms of gives us glimpses of his boyhood, at Wal
lication, that I first made the acquaintance perhaps characteristic that the two public Tender may be obtained at the Post mer on the Kentish coast. In one he of the Shorter Poems. I remember being addresses he has given since the war have Office of Moore's Mills and at the office of Moore's Mills and at the office describes the summer-house from which captured by the subtle charm of the verse, been delivered to working-class audiences. of the Post Office Inspector. he used to watch through a telescope the which differed so entirely from the Vic- The latest of these, the "Necessity of

Cloudless the sky and calm and blue the

As round Saint Margaret's cliff mysteriously Those murderous queens walking in Sab-

bath sleep Glided in line upon the windless deep;" whose white hairs in this my earliest scene had scarce more honored than ac-

to me

knew

In one of the Shorter Poems there is

"By such a stony breaking beach My childhood chanced and chose to be 'Twas here I played and musing made My friend the melancholy sea. He from his dim enchanted caves With shuddering roar and onrush wild

Fell down in sacrificial waves

At feet of his exulting child."

And in this latest pamphlet Mr. Bridges tells us of the singular fascination which music and musical instruments had for him as a boy. Unlike many poets, he has not only a passion for music but a learned understanding of musical art. The In England poetry is not commonly memoir of Dolben, from which I have

> The life of brutes that bask Than set myself a task And rather far enjoy The body, than invent A duty, to destroy The ease which nature sent; "And country life I praise And lead, because I find The philosophic mind Can take no middle ways: She will not leave her love To mix with men, her art Is all to strive above

" Far sooner I would choose

The crowd, or stand apart." A kind of lordly indolence combine with fastidious independence in the poet's morose in this retirement. Few have agined poetic form to be the naïve out- like to sorrow vicariously through their favorite poets.

> Mr. Bridges married in 1884 the daughter of Alfred Waterhouse, R. A., the architect, and settled at Yattendon, a pleasant

pass in climbing the hill from Nether

and flowers, above all its trees and singing and flowers, above all its trees and singing were issued from a private press, that of Laureateship. And as Poet Laureateship. birds; none has noted so unerringly the his friend Mr. Daniel, now Provost of has certainly spared us the perfunctory Worcester, and were known to but a few. odes associated with that office; a preceing in the roads; and how one noon torian poetry and its continuators. It Poetry," raises so many interesting quesin March Napier's fleet came on its way carried one back to the severer, simpler tions that I wish I had space to discuss St. John N. B. Aug. 21, 1918.

to the Baltic (it was the time of the Cri- style of older poetry, yet had a new flavor of its own. Here was a poet who evoked poetry—are discussed first as ideas, then pictures in the mind and who did not as sounds. There is a very suggestive acthink it necessary to moralize them by count of ideas in the mind, and the gradsome tagged reflection; they were to jus- ual formation of concepts: and it is main tify themselves by the mood their beauty tained that these concepts have a sponcreated. That was refreshing. Those taneous life and growth of their own; "a who craved for the urgent "message," for genius is a man whose mind has most of the vigor of rhetoric and epigram, or for a right spontaneous activity of the co the decorations of poetry, might find these cepts among themselves." Poetry uses And again of the Duke of Wellington, lyrics tenuous, almost impalpable, in their matter. But I could never understand the criticism, so common, that wants them." In the account of the values of poets to be different from what they are. Each true poet is unique; it is his uniqueness that is delightful. The Shorter Poems were unlike anything else in our poetry. Their distinguishing charm was their choiceness; a choiceness even of limitation, a chosen abstinence from stress and struggle, a chosen felicity. Even when the verse revived the grace of forgotten models, it was of models new to English poetry—forms or cadences chosen another reminiscence, tinged with a sort from Italian, Spanish, or old French. of mystical feeling not often found in the Famillarity with these lyrics and with "The Growth of Love," that noble series of sonnets which will gain more lovers as art, the absence of the amateurishness time goes on, makes me prize above all the wholeness of the texture which is the wholeness of the texture which is condone, the soundness of form and theirs, the inner beauty of form which of texture. This learned art leads comes, I suppose, from "instinctive rightness." Mr. Bridges, so English, in temperament, seems rather a Latin in the genius of his art. Taste is a positive ele-

ment in it, not merely an instinct of avoidance. You do not find loose workmanship in him, or loose thinking. The epithets are delicate and precise, never ornamental, never unmeaning. The rhymes are fresh, yet not strained or bizarre But above all it is the rhythms that are masterly and original. What a revelation was the first reading of the "Dead Child" and "London Snow" and "The Downs," poems now very well known and accepted with delight by innocent as by educated ears, but in those days a puzzle and a stumbling-block to the learned who insisted on scanning them. They were the revelation of a new world of rhythm to be explored. And the vounger poets of today, whether they are conscious of it or not owe a debt of liberation to Mr. Bridges. You see the leaven working everywhere now. It is the rich variety of speech-rhythms which Mr. Bridges has brought into verse with so salutary an effect: for such rhythms lend themselves to all sorts of themes and moods, and each poet will use them in his own way Swinburne's marvellous inventiveness in metre, on the other hand, has produced only imitations of Swinburnian manner.

A casual and superficial reader might think Mr. Bridges, with his fondness for certain archaisms and his aloofness from current fashions in the subject matter of poetry, rather old-fashioned and conservative. But in reality he has proved fruitful innovator. He is an advocate of drastic change in many things. He has the Latin gift of logical analysis, and was the first, I think, to expose the illogical compromise which English prosody, like most English institutions, embodies. He is also extremely alive to the degradation of the sounds of speech in the England of to-day. Mr. Bernard Shaw, you may remember, took hints from Mr. Bridges in portraying the professor of phonetics who is the hero of one of his recent plays. The translation from Virgil and other exercises in classical prosody were prompted by these interests: and the experiments. whether they please or not, "reveal a vast unexplored field of delicate and expressive rhythms hitherto unknown in our poetry." If readers would only take these poems in this spirit, they would at least find them interesting But most people prefer their prejudices and old habits to any new en-

Here I would like to quote one of Mr. Bridges' recent poems, not yet included in his collected works.

FLYCATCHERS Sweet pretty fledgelings, perched on the rail arow.

below Your parents a-hunting i' the meadow

grasses All the gay morning to feed you with flies. Ye recall me a time sixty summers ago When a young chubby chap I eat just so With others on a school-form rank'd in a

row, Not less eager and hungry than you, trow,

With intelligences agape and eyes aglow, While an authoritative old wiseacre flies.

Dead flies-such as litter the library south-window. That buzzed at the panes until they fell stiff-baked on the sill.

Or are rolled up asleep i' the blinds at sunrise. Or wafer'd flat in a shrunken folio.

"A dry biped he was, nurtured likewise On skins and skeletons, stale from top to

With all manner of rubbiah and all manner of lies."

For some years Mr. Bridges' poems Bridges unconventionally inaugurated his tract for four years, three times per week

our conceptions in their natural condition "it neither frims them nor rationalizes words, as sounds, an appeal is made to the magnificient results attained by the great poetic metres as sufficient vindication of the fact that poetry has confined itself to metre-though "the best prose is, in its rhythmic quality, superior to a poorly constructed poem." Lastly, there are passages on diction and the order of words, well worth studying and taking to heart by any young writer. But this indicates 18 Wed only the bare outline of the addrsss. If in this brief article I have had to cor

fine myself to certain aspects only of Mr Bridges' work it is because I wished t emphasize the value of his example for all poetic students: the devotion to his slovenliness which we all rather prone to some who have no real knowledge of Mr. Bridges' poetry to think of him as engrossed in externals of style; but he is anything but academic in reality. His work does not lend itself to telling quotations of single lines and phrases; but those who have learned to love it recog nize the inner beauty residing in it, the spontaneous invention, and behind these the tenderness of assured strength and BINYON, in The Bookman, for August.

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