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## NO CHANCE FOR DOUBLE MEANING IN U.S. NOTE; ANOTHER DEFEAT FOR TURKS NEAR ERZERUM

### THREE ATTACKS REPULSED BY FRENCH AT LES ESPARGES

#### Break Through French Line for 200 Yards, but Are Driven Out With Heavy Losses— Gain Possession of Stone Quarry at Hau- dremont.

Germany near Haudremont, northeast of Verdun, a bayonet attack in which heavy casualties were inflicted on the French, have captured a stone quarry, around which they gained a footing Monday.

There has been considerable artillery activity west of the Meuse on Hill 304, the French first lines between Dead Man's Hill and Cumieres. At Les Esparges the Germans, after three attacks, entered French trenches on a front of about 200 yards, but were immediately expelled from them, suffering serious losses.

Artillery duels are still in progress on the Russian front, but there has been no important change in positions. A Russian attack against Austrian positions on the Upper Sereth river, in Galicia, was repulsed.

The Italians have captured Monte Fume Pass from the Austrians and taken the extreme western peak of Monte Ancois, where the Austrian trenches were shattered with heavy casualties to their occupants.

Still another defeat of the Turks in the region of Erzerum is recorded by the Russians. Near Aschala the Russians, in a night attack, captured strongly organized hills and inflicted severe casualties on the Turks, who left hundreds of dead on the field of battle.

Germany's strength has postponed, in the opinion of the German government, the government's position with regard to conscription. The premier has told the House of Commons that unless the disagreement among the members of the cabinet can be amicably settled there will be a break up of the coalition ministry.

The reply of Great Britain and France to the American government protesting against their interference with maritime commerce has been cabled to Washington.

Greece has formally protested against the use by the Entente Powers of Salva Bay, island of Crete, for a naval base.

### ITALIANS TOO HAVE WON GROUND

#### Drive Out Enemy Forces from Monte Fume Pass, 3,408 Metres Above Sea.

Rome, April 19, via London, April 19.—The following communication was issued today:

"In the region of Adamello, Monday, our Alpine troops drove out the last remaining enemy detachments along the summit of the range and occupied Monte Fume Pass, 3,408 metres above sea level.

"In the Ledro Valley, with the destruction of the enemy's successive lines of resistance, we continue a gradual advance toward the summit of Monte Sperone.

"There is marked artillery activity from the region of the River Adige to Brenta. In the Sugana Valley Monday night renewed enemy efforts against our positions west of the Lagarina torrent broke down under our fire.

"The same night on Col Di Lana, in the upper part of Cordevole Valley, after wrecking the enemy's lines, with mines, we assaulted and captured the extreme western peak of Monte Ancois.

"Most of the enemy in the trenches here were buried under the debris or killed. Survivors of the Kaiserjaeger regiment, aggregating 164, including nine officers, fell into our hands. In addition we captured a large quantity of arms, ammunition and other war material.

"Wednesday morning an enemy column which was hastily proceeding toward Monte Siet was dispersed by our artillery."

### RUSSIAN ARMY OF CAUCASUS SCORES IMPORTANT GAIN

#### Takes Chain of Strongly Organized Hills West of Erzerum in Night Attack--Enemy Leaves Hundreds of Dead on Field.

Petrograd, via London, April 19, 9:30 p. m.—The official communication issued by general headquarters today reads:

"In the Divrik region, south of Gashunovka, during the night of April 18, the Germans poured a tremendous fire into one of our trenches at the village of Glorvka, then attacked and carried a trench, which we recaptured by a counter-attack.

"In the region west of Postavy our artillery dispersed enemy columns. Northwest of Kremenetz, and on the Upper Stripa the enemy exploded mines.

"In the Black Sea one of our submarines, although attacked by an enemy airman, succeeded in sinking a steamer and a sailing ship near the entrance of the Bosphorus under a heavy fire from the enemy's shore batteries. We captured four Turkish officers and more than 120 men. The enemy left hundreds of dead on the field.

"We annihilated some enemy elements which had recently been brought from Gallipoli, while the other Turkish troops which participated in the fight sustained heavy losses through our fire and bayonet charges."

Frank is now secured, permitting the advance of the central armies westward against Constantinople from the west, and express the opinion that the defeat of the Ottoman Empire has been brought decidedly nearer, which would mean that Russia and Great Britain could then release forces now coupled against Turkey and turn them against Germany and Austria.

### FIRE SECOND BEFORE CREW HAD CHANCE TO LEAVE

#### Survivor of British Steamer Chic Brings Another Story of Hun's Disregard of Laws of Humanity.

Shields, England, April 19 (1:45 p. m.)—Survivors of the British steamer Chic, which was recently torpedoed and sunk while on a voyage from Halifax for Manchester with a cargo of pulp, have arrived here. In an interview with the Daily Gazette the men say the steamer was fired upon without warning by a German submarine, two of the shots taking effect. The submarine then submerged.

Seventeen members of the crew of the steamer took to a lifeboat, which capsized and one of the men was drowned. The seamen say that while the captain of the Chic and his officers and part of the crew were still on board the steamer the submarine boarded took to a gig. The gig became separated from the lifeboat, with the other members of the crew during a storm, and is still missing.

### GERMANY MUST RESTRICT HER SUBMARINE WAR TO WARSHIPS

#### Upon That Rock Friendly Relations Between Her and United States Must be Rent— Note from President Almost Ultimatum— No More Parleying Until Berlin Agrees to Abandon Present Submarine Methods.

Washington, April 19.—President Wilson's long-expected final warning to Germany that the United States will break off diplomatic relations unless she abandons her present methods of submarine warfare, and immediately declares her intention to do so, was delivered today in a note to Berlin and was announced by the President in an address to a joint session of Congress. The President demands nothing else than the abandonment of submarine warfare against commerce.

The President's address and the note to Germany are virtually identical. Mr. Wilson declares, in equivocal terms, that only by Germany acceding to the demand can the breaking off of relations altogether be prevented.

The President considers that the next step depends solely upon Germany, and that three or four days constitute a reasonable time for a reply. He is willing to discuss how submarine warfare may be conducted within the limits of international law and humanity, after Germany abandons her present methods.

Diplomatic history records but one instance, as yet, where a breaking of relations between two first class powers has not eventually brought war—that which now exists between Germany and Italy.

Congress received the President's declaration of his course with mixed evidences of concern and approbation. Most of the leaders, Democratic and Republican, thought the President hardly could do less, and some expressed the opinion that his action would not lead to war. Republican Leader Mann, alone of all the opposition leaders, openly attacked the President for his stand. He characterized it as a political play.

President Wilson's words leave no opportunity for double meaning.

"Unless the Imperial government should now immediately declare and effect an abandonment of its present methods of submarine warfare against passenger and freight carrying vessels, the government of the United States can have no choice but to sever diplomatic relations with the German empire altogether. This action the government of the United States contemplates with the greatest reluctance, but feels constrained to take in behalf of humanity and the rights of neutral nations."

The destroyed liner, proves, beyond question, that she was torpedoed without warning.

In short, the United States presents the evidence as the capstone to an accumulation of evidence extending over a period of months which is held to prove irrefutably that Germany's assurances to the United States have repeatedly been wantonly violated.

Copies of the American note were sent to representatives here of neutral nations, on the assumption that they are as much interested as the United States in the protection of neutral rights. The document was not given to any of the belligerent diplomats, as the controversy is regarded as being solely between the United States and Germany.

Berlin Will Refuse?  
Count Von Bernstorff already had, reiterated to Secretary Lansing that, under no circumstances will Germany give up the submarine as a weapon of warfare, because she contends it is a retaliation for Great Britain's food blockade. The ambassador has declared, however, that his government will attempt to bring submarine operations within the law of nations. This, the United States is willing to discuss, after Germany has abandoned her present methods—not before.

Against that possibility stands the declaration in the American note that the United States has considered, from the first, that the employment of submarines for destruction of commerce is, by its very nature, "utterly incompatible with the principles of humanity, the long-established and incontrovertible rights of neutrals and the sacred immunities of non-combatants."

Clearly the President's demand is that the use of the submarine shall be restricted to operations against warships. Upon that rock the friendly relations between the two countries may be rent.

The crisis now resolves itself into the waiting stage during which Germany will have opportunity to accede to the American demands. Before another week begins settlement of the long-standing issue either will be assured or Count Von Bernstorff probably will have his passport, and Ambassador Gerard will be leaving Berlin.

The President had guarded his plans with most effective secrecy until ten o'clock this morning when he disclosed them at a conference with Chairman Stone and Senator Lodge, the ranking Republican of the senate foreign relations committee, and Chairman Flood, and Representative Cooper, the ranking Republican of the foreign affairs committee of the house. He outlined to them what he had said in the note despatched to Berlin last night, and what he proposed to say to congress today.

When the President had finished reading he looked up and, seeing Senator Stone's grave face, said:

"You look as sad as I feel."

The chairman's response was to inquire of the President if he had told them all he had to say. The conference thus ended.

The word of the President's plan spread quickly through congress, and when he took his seat at the clerk's desk in the hall of the house promptly at one o'clock, he was confronted by an assembly of gravely quiet senators and representatives, who greeted him with applause and later hung intently upon every word he uttered and cheered him heartily when he finished.

The President asked nothing of congress; he came only to inform it of his action. He did this in fifteen minutes, and congress went back to work, solemnly impressed with the situation which he confronted the country. The scene had been dramatically human. The President's demeanor reflected his state of mind, and an impartial observer would readily say the demeanor of congress, as a whole, reflected its sympathy.

The first actually crucial moment toward which the relations of the United States and Germany had steadily been drifting nearly a year had come and then passed, and the President had returned to the White House to await the next one. America counts the hours while Berlin decides

### LLOYD GEORGE CONTROLS THE SITUATION

#### Unionist Ministry with Him as Head Considered a Possibility in Event of Break-up of Present Government.

London, April 19.—After the ministerial conference this evening a more hopeful feeling that the break-up of the government will be avoided prevailed in the parliamentary lobbies. It was based on nothing tangible, however, and the general opinion among the public, owing to the unexpected grave nature of the Premier Asquith's statement in the House of Commons is that the life of the ministry hangs by a thread.

David Lloyd George, Minister of Munitions, controls the situation, and according to the best information, he can be proved to him that the useful men for service under the colors are not being sent to the front.

The unostentatious member of the labor party met tonight and resolved to ask the government to hold a secret session of parliament to discuss the recruiting problem, parliamentary members of the military authorities consider essential.

In the event of the conscriptionists carrying the day and breaking up the government it is possible that Premier Asquith might attempt the reconstruction of the cabinet with Liberals and Laborites, or he might appeal to the country by a general election. On the other hand, Mr. Asquith and the ministers favoring voluntarism might retire and recommend the King to summon Andrew Bonar Law to form a cabinet. In some quarters a Unionist ministry, with David Lloyd George as premier, is considered not impossible.

### GRUESOME FIND MADE BY KING'S COUNTY MAN

#### D. B. Keith, of Newtown, Finds Badly Decomposed Body Believed to be that of Sherman Constantine, Missing for Months.

Sussex, April 19.—A gruesome find made today by D. B. Keith, a farmer at Newtown, probably clears up a mystery which has excited the minds of many residents of that vicinity and adjoining parish for several months. Early last fall, some time in October or November, a young man 23 years of age, named Sherman Constantine, drove cattle from the farm of Beverley Coates at Havelock and delivered them to Fletcher Oldfield, Newtown. He started for Havelock again after a short visit at Oldfield's, some time during the afternoon, but never reached his destination, and although an effort made to find him no trace could ever be obtained of his whereabouts and his disappearance has been shrouded in mystery.

This afternoon Mr. Keith left his house and went to a meadow about a quarter of a mile distant to repair some fencing, and while engaged in cutting down a small tree he noticed the dead body of a man lying quite close to where he was working. He went back to his home and telephoned Chief of Police Asbell, who, accompanied by Coroner F. W. Wallace, drove to Newtown and brought the remains to Sussex. The body which was clothed in pants and overalls, jumper and red sweater, was very badly decomposed and unrecognizable, but the clothing corresponded with those worn by Constantine, and the general opinion is that it is his remains. An open jackknive was picked up near where the body was found, and in one of the pockets a purse containing a small sum of money. Mr. and Mrs. Talbert Constantine, parents of the missing man, who live at Dabon's Corner, are expected here tomorrow to, if possible, identify the remains now at the undertaker's morgue. A coroner's inquest will be held tomorrow with a view of having the body positively identified and bring to light any further information possible.

### London Press Comment On Wilson Note

London, April 20.—Although the text of President Wilson's message to congress did not reach London in time for the morning papers to comment fully, all devote considerable space to the American situation. The Daily Chronicle says editorially:

"It is difficult to suppose that the German government, elated by the submarine successes of the past six weeks, will accept President Wilson's terms. Diplomatic relations between Berlin and Washington will be broken off. The resulting situation will not be a state of war, but may easily develop into war."

"This is obvious to both parties. Mr. Wilson has counted the cost. Presum-

### KAISER DEGRATES COMMANDER OF "U" BOAT WHICH SANK THE SUSSEX

Paris, April 19 (4:25 p. m.)—Information was received from reliable sources today to the effect that Emperor William has degraded the commander of the submarine which is said to have torpedoed the Sussex. It is understood Washington has been informed of the degradation.

As soon as the Turks witnessed the Russian preparations to land beyond Trebizond they gave up all resistance and fled to the sea. The Russian forces, which, since the capture of the Turkish positions at Kara Dere, had penetrated to within striking distance of Trebizond without meeting serious resistance, and was accompanied by a steady bombardment from the sea.

Trebizond never before surrendered to Russian arms, although it was threatened from Balbut in 1829, and the moral effect of the victory, it is considered here, will be enormous. For centuries Trebizond has been the chief trading centre for Asia Minor with the important caravan routes in the interior of Turkey and Persia.

Russia's firm foothold on the Crimean plateau, it is contended by officials in Petrograd, will open up a brilliant prospect for the future operations of the Caucasian armies, whose right

### Three Attacks Repulsed.

Paris, April 19.—The official communication, issued by the French war office tonight says:

"West of the Meuse there was considerable artillery activity against Hill Mort Homme and Cumieres.

"East of the Meuse a violent bombardment was carried out in the region of Douaumont and Vaux.

"In the Vosges the day was calm in the sectors at the foot of the Meuse hills. At Les Esparges the enemy directed three successive attacks against our positions, but these were all repulsed. In the course of the last attack the enemy, who had succeeded in getting a temporary footing in our trenches on a front of about 200 metres, was immediately driven out by our counter-attack, which inflicted on him serious losses.

"There was no noteworthy event on the rest of the front."

The Belgian official statement says:

"Reciprocal artillery actions occurred, notably south of Saint Georges, in the neighborhood of Dixmude and near the Ferryman's House."

### On British Line.

London, April 19.—The British official statement, made public today says:

"Last night the enemy exploded a small mine east of Neuville-St. Vaast. Our trenches were not damaged. During the night the enemy attempted to bomb our posts in craters in the quarry sector, but were driven off.

"During the day there was heavy shelling northeast of Carnoy and about Carency, St. Etol and Voormeselle. The enemy was also more active in the quarry sector. We shell-ed the enemy's trenches at Halennes."

From Constantinople.

Constantinople, April 19, via London.—A statement issued today by the Turkish war office says:

"On the Syrian coast a seaplane which ascended from a ship off Gaza was pursued by two aeroplanes which opened machine gun fire and which also dropped bombs on the hostile ship."

"On Tuesday a hostile monitor fired a number of ineffective shots at Karash Point on the island of Kanak, near Smyrna."



# TERCENTENARY OF SHAKESPEARE NEXT SUNDAY

Anniversary of Death of England's Immortal Dramatist Will be Celebrated the World Over.

Stratford-on-Avon, His Birthplace, Will Observe Occasion by Fortnight's Performance of His Plays.

London, April 18.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—There will be widespread celebration of the Shakespeare tercentenary, notwithstanding that war has interfered with the more ambitious plans outlined by the committee two years ago.

April 22 (equivalent to May 3 under the new style calendar) will be the central date in the celebration. On that day 300 years ago, the great dramatist died at Stratford-on-Avon. His exact birth date is more obscure, but there is some ground for believing that he was also born on April 23, although the date may have been any where between April 22 and May 4, of the year 1564.

The National Tercentenary Committee, under the patronage of King and Queen, has arranged for Shakespeare services in practically all the churches of the kingdom on April 30, with the principal service in Westminster Abbey. On Monday, May 1, a meeting will be held in the Mansion House, with an address, it is hoped, by the Prime Minister, and other speeches by various notables celebrating the national memory of the poet.

On May 2, there will be a gala performance of Julius Caesar under Royal Patronage, at the Drury Lane Theatre, with all the great English Shakespearean stars as actors.

May 3 will be celebrated in the schools as Shakespeare Day. On the same day, Professor John W. Mackail of Oxford, will deliver the annual Shakespeare lecture at the British Academy, and a national committee will meet to arrange for a permanent memorial of the occasion in behalf of the school children of the nation. On Friday, the 5th, a pilgrimage takes place to Stratford-on-Avon, where the chief actors of the day will give a performance of scenes from Shakespearean dramas at the Memorial Theatre.

In London, a series of Memorial Lectures will be given by Sidney Lee, at London University, beginning March 14, while a similar course will be given at Gresham College by Professor Foster Watson.

The London Shakespeare League has arranged for the unveiling of a memorial in Curtain Road to mark the site

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## WITH THE BRITISH ON DESERT FRONT

"Somewhere in Egypt" as Army is Building Roads and Making Trenches.

Not an Easy Task to Reach the New Front—Turks no Nearer Their Goal Than Year Ago.

By Malcolm Ross.

The following written by Mr. Malcolm Ross, the Official Representative with the New Zealand Expeditionary Force, is issued by the High Commissioner for New Zealand:

The second season since the war began is in full swing at Cairo, but the tropic suits and gay gowns of the rich cosmopolitan tourists are conspicuous only by their absence. Khaki still reigns.

At present there is no fighting in our zone. The army is "somewhere in Egypt" doing desert marches, building roads and railways, laying pipe and telegraph lines, and making trenches. A Tommy writes home to his mother to say that he is in a strange country inhabited mostly by natives. He adds that where he is camped there are no shops—only sand. He walks out a mile or two and there is more—sand. He adds a line asking her to tell father that there is no use coming out to this country to grow rubber!

### ST. JOHN BILL RECONSIDERED.

Fredericton, April 19.—Committee room, April 19, 1916.

The municipalities committee met again this morning for the purpose of reconsidering the bill promoted by the County of St. John to enable a tax to be put upon outside labor brought into the county, which bill was agreed to yesterday.

F. R. Taylor, K. C., appeared to oppose the proposal. In course of his argument he said the principle of business was against restrictions on freedom of labor going about from place to place and before anything like the municipalities committee should be heard. No opportunity had been afforded them to consider provisions of this bill because it was sprung upon the legislature by the county secretary without any preliminary notice or advertisement of any kind. The only argument advanced in favor of the bill was that sometimes the county was put to expense when outside labor was left as a charge on the municipality. The C. P. R. for whom he appeared, were ready to assume responsibility of indemnifying the municipalities for any expense it was put to through any of its employees of this class becoming a public charge, and they were prepared to give the county secretary an undertaking to that effect. Such legislation as is contemplated by the bill was far reaching and important, and it should not go through without proper notice to parties who would be so largely affected, and the measure proposed was not calculated to effect the end the county secretary had in mind.

On this undertaking the bill was agreed to and amendments adopted yesterday authorizing the levy of a poll tax of \$5.00 per head and compelling employers to furnish collectors with names of all men in their employ were struck out.

Along the Canal.

Stripped on the banks ready for a bath, the overseas Apollons give us a friendly hail as we go by. Robed Egyptians, singing as they work, are quarrying stone and loading the dahabehs that are to carry it to the new roads into the desert. At other places they are busy with water-pipes and many other things that are needed in this strange campaigning. A big liner—you can hear the flop, flop, flop of her propeller and the slow beat of her engines—rounds the bend. She carries mail and merchandise, but

At Tussum a cross above the German officer's grave is a landmark of last year's abortive attack. Out in the desert a few huddled corpses—skin and bone and faded clothing—from which their covering of sand has blown away an stiff grimace reminders of the fight. The beams for a bridge lie further afield—evidence of dogged persistence and unwarranted optimism on the part of our friend the enemy. He failed miserably then; he will fail again.

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## SHELL INQUIRY HAS BEGUN

Counsel for Opposition will be Given Every Facility to Acquire Information Regarding Matters Under Inquiry.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, April 19.—The opening of the investigation into the charges made by G. W. Kyle, M. P., regarding contracts entered into by the old shell committee with two American companies showed that once more, as has ever been the case since this government took office there will be no restraint placed upon the counsel representing the opposition in their effort to acquire all information concerning the matters under inquiry. It was specifically stated by counsel for the government today that they would assist in every way to get at all the facts and when P. B. Carvell asked if he would be enabled to view the documents in the possession of the Imperial Munitions Board bearing upon the case, as well as all documents in the possession of the militia department, he was assured by Sir William Meredith that there would be no objection raised.

This is in marked contrast with the practice of the late government. Investigation after investigation was asked only to be refused, and when the then government thought it saw an opportunity to persecute and finally crush Sir George Foster, an investigation into the question of insurance in this country was held. Was it wide open, as every investigation on behalf of the present government has been? By no means. Even the questions allowed to be put by counsel for the individuals they were trying to persecute were limited. They could only ask what partisan counsel would allow.

One of the questions of the hour is the status of General Hughes. There is much debate upon this question but the Prime Minister made it very clear yesterday that the minister of militia would be a member of the government and that his retirement from the portfolio is temporary so that he will have an opportunity of giving his full time to the work of investigation.

Swiss Gov't Will Charter Fleet of Neutral Merchantmen

For the Exclusive Purpose of Carrying Products from the United States and Argentina.

Berne, April 19, via Paris.—The Swiss government has directed its commercial department to charter a number of neutral steamers, especially American, exclusively for Swiss importations from the United States and Argentina. The names of the steamers and the sailing schedule will be communicated to belligerents for the purpose of preventing erroneous attacks.

Switzerland is virtually dependent upon America for her food supplies, which have been greatly restricted by the recent use of such large numbers of merchant vessels for war purposes.

Petrograd, April 18.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press.)—An expedition sent out by the Department of Agriculture to study supply of fur-bearing animals has just returned from an exploration tour covering 7,450 miles of territory along the Yenisei river in Western Siberia. As a result of his investigations in chief of the expedition, M. Solovieff, recommends a prohibition of killing of the sable for an additional three years, the first period of three years, which will end in October, 1916, having proven insufficient to replenish the supply. Without such protection, in his opinion the sable will very soon become extinct in Russia.

The expedition suffered extreme hardship and encountered many perils, having set out in the late autumn, when the temperature was 40 to 60 degrees below zero, Fahrenheit, with

## MILLTOWN, N. B. MAN MURDERED

Ottawa, April 19.—The following casualties were announced tonight:

Infrantry.

Killed in action—Herbert Reginald Trowell, Vancouver; Corporal Richard Edgerton Warburton, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Missing—Lance Corporal Arthur Hilton Cook, Ohio, Yarmouth, N. S.; Ernest Ives, Joggins Mines, N. S.; George Ives, Sydney Mines, N. S.; Murray Wilson, Yarmouth, N. S.; Wounded—Flourant Archie Price, New Glasgow, N. S.; Basil Melburn Randolph, Liscombe, N. S.; Edward White, Amherst, N. S.; Charles Lewis Whitley, Milltown, N. B.

Artillery.

Killed in action—Driver Albert H. Green, England.

Wounded—Gunner Percy Wedge, England.

Mounted Rifles.

Wounded—John MacLeod, Scotland.

Infrantry.

Killed in action—Allen Duncan Day, England; Horace Fararak, England; Henry Garnet, England; Michael Hurley, Ireland; Thomas William Horwood, England; Fred V. James, England; Wm. Jamney, England; John Finlay MacLennan, Scotland; Lance Corporal Henry Matheson, Scotland; John McWilliams, Ireland; Alex. Moncrieff, Scotland; Robbin G. Palmer, England; Geo. Davidson, Patterson, Scotland; Archibald Rhodes, England; Wm. Henry Robson, England; Leonard Godfrey Rope, England; Andrew Ross, Scotland; Frank Elson Rowley, England; Richard Sherwood, England; Thomas Smith, England; Corporal Charles Woods, England; Geo. Handel Samuel Workman, England.

Died of wounds—John Morton, England; Samuel Orr, Ireland; Fred Sims, England.

Seriously ill—James Scott, England; Percy Stanley Sharpe, England.

Wounded—Geo. Gannon, Antio, England; Donald Barrie, Scotland; James Rennie Davidson, Scotland; Harold Everitt, England; Vivian Herbert Ervitt, England; James V. Fitzwarren, Paisley, Scotland; Wm. Walker Galloway, England; John Wm. Griffiths, England; Sgt. Charles Isaac Hitchcock, England; Joseph Henry Hoffman, England; Wm. Innes, Ontario; Herbert Hoarsham, England; Benjamin Huckle, England.

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Washington, April 18.—President Wilson this afternoon passed as Germany has failed to abide by her own duty to refrain from submarine war, the time has come when the representative of all neutrals to break off diplomatic relations with the two countries.

The President spoke as follows: "Gentlemen of Congress: A situation has arisen in the foreign relations of the country of which it is my plain duty to inform you very frankly.

"It will be recalled that in February, 1915, the imperial government of Germany announced its intention to treat the waters surrounding Great Britain and Ireland as embraced within the seat of war, and to destroy all merchant ships owned by its enemies that might be found within any part of the portion of the high seas, and that it was of belligerent ownership, to keep out of the waters it had thus prescribed or else enter them at their peril.

"The government of the United States earnestly protested. It took the position that such a policy could not be pursued without the practical violation of the law of nations, particularly if submarine crafts were to be employed as its instruments, inasmuch as the rules prescribed by the law of humanity and established for the protection of the lives of non-combatants at sea, could not in the nature of the case, be observed by such vessels.

"It based its protest on the ground that persons of neutral nationality and vessels of neutral ownership would be exposed to extreme and intolerable risks which it had no right to close any part of the high seas against their use, or expose them to such risks, could lawfully be asserted by any belligerent government in these matters.

"The government of the United States based its protest, is not of recent origin or founded upon merely arbitrary principles set up by convention. It is based, on the contrary, upon manifest and imperative principles of humanity, and has long been established with the approval and by the express assent of all civilized nations.

"Notwithstanding the earnest protest of our government, the imperial German government at once proceeded to carry out the policy it had announced. It expressed the hope that the dangers involved, at any rate the dangers to neutral vessels, would be reduced to a minimum by the instructions which it had issued to its submarine commanders, and assured the government of the United States that it would take every possible precaution to and to safeguard the lives of non-combatants.

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"What has actually happened in the year which has since elapsed, we know that the ships were not justifiably those assurances insusceptible of being fulfilled. In pursuance of the policy of submarine warfare against the commerce of the world, it has announced and entered upon by the imperial German government, in despite of the solemn protest of this government, the commanders of German submarines have with greater and greater activity, not only upon the high seas surrounding Great Britain and Ireland, but wherever they could encounter them, in a way that has grown more and more ruthless, more and more indiscriminate as the months have gone by, less and less observant of restraints of any kind, and have delivered their attacks without compunction against vessels of every nationality and bound upon every sort of errand.

"Vessels of neutral ownership, even when neutral port to neutral port, have been destroyed, along with vessels of belligerent ownership in constantly increasing numbers. Sometimes the merchantman attacked has been warned and summoned to surrender before being fired upon or torpedoed; sometimes passengers or crews have been vouchsafed the poor security of being allowed to take the rights of neutrals before she was sent to the bottom.

"But again and again no warning has been given, no escape even to the ship's boats allowed to those on board. What this government foresaw must happen has happened. Tragedy has followed tragedy on the seas in such fashion, with such attendant circumstances as to make it grossly evident that warfare of such a sort, if without it be, cannot be carried on without the most palpable violation of the dictates alike of right and humanity.

"Whatever the disposition and intention of the imperial German government, it has manifestly proved impossible for it to keep such methods of attack upon the commerce of the im

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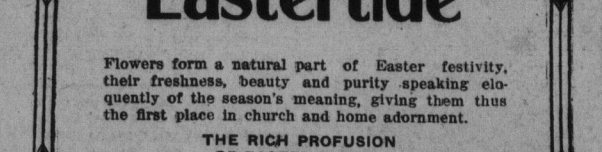
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Washington, April 19.—President Wilson this afternoon told congress that as Germany has failed to abide by her assurances in regard to the conduct of her submarine war, the time has come for United States as the representative of all neutrals to break silence and inform Berlin that unless Germany promises that present submarine methods are abandoned diplomatic relations between the two countries must be severed.

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Threw Caution to the Winds. "What has actually happened in the year which has since elapsed, however, shows that those hopes were not justified, those assurances inappreciable of being fulfilled. In pursuance of the policy of submarine warfare against the commerce of the United States which it has announced and entered upon by the imperial German government, in despite of the solemn protest of this government, the commanders of German submarines have attacked and sunk merchant ships with greater and greater activity, not only upon the high seas surrounding Great Britain and Ireland, but wherever they could encounter them, in a way that has grown more and more ruthless, more and more indiscriminate as the months have gone by, less and less observant of restraints of any kind, and have delivered their attacks with impunity against vessels of every nationality and bound upon every sort of errand.

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as given in entire sincerity and good faith, and has hoped, even against hope, that it would prove to be possible for the German government to so order and control the acts of its naval commanders as to square its policy with the principles of humanity, as embodied in the laws of nations. It has been willing to wait until the significance of the acts became absolutely unmistakable and susceptible of but one interpretation.

"That point has now unhappily been reached. The facts are susceptible of but one interpretation. The imperial German government has been unable to put any limits or restraints upon its warfare against either freight or passenger ships. It has therefore become painfully evident that the position which this government took at the very outset is inevitable, namely, that the use of submarines for the destruction of an enemy's commerce is, of necessity, because of the very character of the vessels employed and the very methods of attack which their employment of course involves, incompatible with the principles of humanity, the long-established and incontrovertible rights of neutrals, and the sacred immunities of non-combatants.

But One Course Left, Break Off Relations. "I have deemed it my duty, therefore, to say to the imperial German government that if it still its purpose to prosecute relentlessly and indiscriminately warfare against vessels of commerce by the use of submarines, notwithstanding the now demonstrated impossibility of conducting that warfare in accordance with what the government of the United States must consider the sacred and indisputable rules of international law and the universally recognized dictates of humanity, the government of the United States is at last forced to the conclusion that there is but one course it can pursue, and that unless the imperial German government should now immediately declare and effect an abandonment of its present methods of warfare against passenger and freight vessels, this government can have no choice, but to sever diplomatic relations with the government of the German Empire altogether.

"This decision I have arrived at with the keenest regret; the possibility of the action contemplated by me is all that I can do to check it all upon the destruction of ships of every sort.

Assurances All Disregarded. "Again and again the imperial German government has given upon its solemn assurance that no passenger ships would be sunk, and that it has again and again permitted its submarines to disregard those assurances with entire impunity.

"Great liners like the Lusitania and the Arabic, and more ferocious like the Sussex, have been attacked without moment's warning, sometimes before they had even become aware that they were in the presence of an armed vessel of the enemy, and the lives of non-combatants, passengers and crew have been sacrificed wholesale, in a manner which the government of the United States cannot but regard as wanton and without the slightest color of justification.

"No limit of any kind has, in fact, been set to the indiscriminate pursuit and destruction of merchantmen of all kinds and nationalities within the waters, constantly extending in area, where these operations have been carried on; and the roll of Americans who have lost their lives on ships thus attacked and destroyed has grown month by month, until the ominous toll has amounted to the hundreds.

"One of the latest and most shocking instances of this method of warfare was that of the destruction of the French cross-channel steamer Sussex, the steamer Lusitania, as so singularly tragic and unjustifiable as to constitute a truly terrible example of the inhumanity of submarine warfare, as the fact of its destruction, which vessels have for the past twelve months been conducting it. If this instance stood alone, some explanation, some disclaimer by the German government, some evidence of criminal mistake or willful disobedience on the part of the commander of the vessel that fired the torpedo, might be sought or entertained; but unhappily it does not stand alone.

"Recent events make the conclusion inevitable that it is only one of the most extreme and distressing instances of the spirit and method of warfare which the imperial German government has mistakenly adopted, and which, from the first, exposed that government to the reproach of thrusting all neutral rights aside in pursuit of immediate objects.

"The government of the United States has been very patient. At every stage of this distressing experience of tragedy after tragedy, in which our citizens were involved, it has sought to be restrained from any extreme course of action or of protest by a thoughtful consideration of the extraordinary circumstances of this unprecedented war, and actuated in all that it said or did by the sentiments of genuine friendship which the people of the United States have always entertained and continue to entertain towards the German nation. "It has, of course, accepted the successive explanations and assurances of the imperial German government

## THE BRUNSWICK LANDS FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

### GOVERNMENT'S PLAN, OULINED BY HON. MR. MURRAY YESTERDAY, IN THE LEGISLATURE—OPERATION OF THE SCHEME WILL BE UNDER ADVISORY BOARD AND FARM SETTLEMENT BOARD.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 19.—The provincial government's plan for aiding returned soldiers to settle upon suitable lands in New Brunswick after the war was placed before the legislature this afternoon by Hon. J. A. Murray. The minister of agriculture brought down in the House today a bill to provide for settlement of lands after the war. This bill is the result of a conference which was held in this city at the suggestion of Hon. Mr. Murray with the Lieutenant-Governor in the chair, and is in line with similar propositions adopted elsewhere throughout Canada. The operation of the scheme is to be under the direction of an advisory settlement board, which is to be constituted by bill, and the Farm Settlement Board and embraces preparation and establishment of distinctive colonies as suitable places. In outlining his plans Hon. Mr. Murray delivered a vigorous defence of the Farm Settlement Board, which he contended had been unjustly criticised by persons unfriendly to the government.

While supply, which was the order of the day for today, was stood over, the House resumed at three o'clock. The House submitted the report of the municipalities committee, The House went into committee and agreed to bills relating to Bathurst Lumber Company, Ltd. and Town of Brunswick Institute of Chartered Accountants, the latter with some amendments.

On order of day being called, Hon. Mr. Landry moved that supply be made order of the day for Monday. The House again went into committee, Mr. Murray in the chair, and took up further consideration of the bill relating to St. Croix Power Co., and agreed to the same with a provision that the company for use of water power should be 25 per centum home power.

The House again went into committee, Mr. Murray in the chair, and took up consideration of a bill respecting juries.

Hon. Mr. Baxter said that the law relating to juries generally needed considerable improvement, and he hoped next session, after consultation with the Barriers' Society, and perhaps some of the sheriffs, to be able to introduce a new jury act. The jury system needed development and he must make it more efficient and also save a good deal of time now wasted.

There had been, honorable gentlemen, he said, a number of well aware, many requests and representations in favor of an increase in pay allowed to jurors, and while no doubt it would be

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established under the ready-made farms scheme have been highly successful, for instance, Sedgwick, which has a group of settlers of which Western Canada may well be proud, but we are prepared to face all troubles. They had asked questions respecting duties to properties purchased by the Farm Settlement Board and there had never been a single instance where any defect in title had been found. The Farm Settlement Board had been doing a wonderful work in the interest of the province. It was true that in some cases properties had been purchased from the head of a family and transferred to other members of the family but in this way the board had been able to keep young men in this province when they had determined upon leaving New Brunswick and going to the west. This was one way of keeping within the province our own New Brunswick young men than whom there were none better in all the world.

Duties of Advisory Board. Continuing Hon. Mr. Murray said that the bill did not fix the number of persons who would constitute the body to be known as the Advisory Settlement Board, but it stated that their duties shall be to report to the Lieutenant-Governor-Council in all proceedings for borrowing of money, acquisition of lands and other property, fixing of general conditions for selling, leasing or otherwise disposing of said lands or property to settlers, terms and condition upon which money may be loaned to settlers, including terms of payment by such settlers and generally details of all projects connected with the carrying out of the purpose of this act. The bill also provides that the Farm Settlement Board shall act in such matters only in conformity with the general regulations or specific directions which may be made or given from time to time by the Lieutenant-Governor-Council, and shall be under supervision of the Minister of Agriculture. Services of the Advisory Board shall be gratuitous and honorary.

Purely Non-Political. Hon. Mr. Murray then read from a paper by Mr. Armstrong, secretary of the St. John Board of Trade, on the subject of settlement of lands by soldiers after the war, the object being to point out that what was now being suggested by the government was in line with what others who had given the subject careful consideration had advised also. The work to be accomplished in this connection was a matter of which politics cannot be allowed to have precedence. It was a work in which not only the government but every man, woman and child in the province of New Brunswick should be interested in and in which all should unite so that when the men who were now standing up and fighting for the Empire and giving their blood for the cause of liberty and justice should come to this country they would find a welcome such as they should receive awaiting them and a disposition on the part of the people of this province to do everything possible to make their burdens and to increase the happiness of their lives here. He would commend the bill to the most careful and favorable consideration of the House, and when it came up in committee would be pleased to give all details in connection with the working out of the plan.

The House adjourned at 5:15 o'clock.

The Police Court. Yesterday morning the Police Court Judge Quinn was fined \$24 for being drunk and using obscene language to Mrs. Costler in her house on Chapel street. Michael Mahoney, for being drunk and using obscene language, was fined \$16. Five drunks were asked to pay \$8 each.

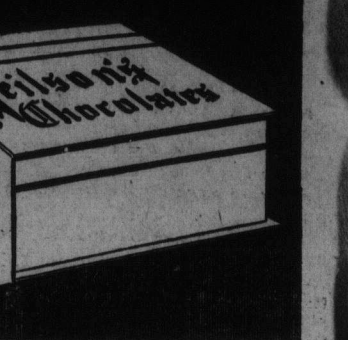
Afflicted with Lame Back. THREE YEARS AGO COULD NOT SWEEP THE FLOOR. Women are coming to understand that weak, lame and aching backs from which they suffer so much excruciating pain and agony are due to wrong action of the kidneys.

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### For Easter Morning



of three reindeer was assessed against the pair, the animals being killed and eaten on the spot by the members of the tribe.

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A considerable mingling of social classes occurs in our hill village, writes a correspondent, owing to the townfolk's practice of renting summer cottages in our midst and living there neighborly with the real working people for whom the places were built. In one such case the resident from town was an unmarried lady; the "gentle" cottager next door had a husband who, to put it mildly, was notoriously no blessing to her. Making a friendly call one day the wife was greatly impressed by the pleasant air of comfort and well being achieved in a cottage otherwise the duplicate of her own. She looked round with a mildly envious air and earnestly remarked, on a little sigh, "Se, Miss X—, you ought to be 'appy—no 'usband nor nothin.'"—Manchester Guardian.

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SEVERAL EXTREME LOSSES RECORDED

Wilson's Decision Came as Surprise - Bond Market Heavy Following the Trend of Stocks.

New York, April 19.—Although special stocks suffered general and severe reversals, impartial observers were of the opinion that today's market furnished striking proof of its inherent strength in the face of highly disconcerting conditions.

A FIRMER TONE AFTER FIRST HOUR

Sharp Break at Opening of Montreal Market Following News From Washington.

STEEL OF CANADA AGAIN FEATURE

Large Volume of Trading in that Stock—Textile Showed Great Strength.

LITTLE FAITH IN RUMORS ABOUT HOLLINGER MINE

Toronto, April 19.—Although rumors concerning the Hollinger Mine circulated in the market yesterday were fairly definite they all came from unofficial sources and received little credence.

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CLOSING LETTER OF N.Y. MARKET BY E. & C. RANDOLPH

McDUGALL & COWANS. Montreal, April 19.—It was some time after the reading of the President's message before there was any immediate resumption of selling pressure.

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

Table with columns: (McDUGALL & COWANS), Open, High, Low, Close. Lists various stocks like Am Beet Sugar, Am Car Py, Am Loco, etc.

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Table listing various produce items and their prices, including wheat, corn, and other grains.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE PRICES

Table listing Chicago grain and produce prices, including wheat, corn, and other commodities.

NEWS LETTER FROM MONTREAL EXCHANGE

Montreal, April 19.—Considering the international situation between the United States and Germany, and the weakness in the American market...

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

Table listing Montreal transactions, including various stocks and bonds.

MONTREAL MARKET

Table listing Montreal market prices for various commodities like steel, cement, and other goods.



Easter Excursions CANADIAN PACIFIC

From Stations on Atlantic Division Vancouver and East; also Digby, to Stations Vancouver and East, and St. John-Digby Service.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE. Brooklyn 7, New York 3. At Brooklyn. New York 3, Brooklyn 7.

LOCAL BOWLING LEAGUE RECORD BROKEN. Last night on Black's alleys the numbers not only captured three of the winning team...

ANOTHER WAR FREAK. A Briton has invented a fabric to be worn as a mantle or cloak for covering soldiers and rendering them invisible to the enemy.

SHIPPING NEWS

MINIATURE ALMANAC. April—Phases of the Moon. New Moon ... 2nd 12h 21m p.m. First Quarter ... 10th 10h 36m a.m.

FOREIGN PORTS

Boston, April 15—Arr: Sir Canopic, Genoa; Sch R B Harwick, Plymouth, N S.

SEAMAN DROWNED

Becoming entangled in the tow line, a seaman on the schooner General Laurier, Captain Matthews, who resides at Dartmouth, N.S., was drowned overboard and drowned at Delaware Breakwater recently. The seaman belonged to Barbados.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Notice is hereby given that the light on the automatic gas and whistling buoy, anchored off Point Lepreau, is not burning. Will be relighted soon as possible.

SCHOONER NOTES

The schooner Mayflower, Capt. Masters, sailed yesterday morning for Economy, N. S., to load lumber for New York at the record rate of \$7.00.

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Late Sport News

WED SOX AND
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BREAK EVEN
Y.M.C.A. MEN
IN ATHLETIC
COMPETITION

In Double-Header at Boston
Yesterday—Leonard Pitch-
es Shut-Out Game.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
New York 2, Philadelphia 1.
At New York.
Philadelphia ..... 10000000-1 3 4
New York ..... 20000000-2 8 1

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Brooklyn 7, New York 3.
At Brooklyn.
New York ..... 00012000-3 11 4
Brooklyn ..... 0100014x-7 9 2

LOCAL BOWLING
LEAGUE RECORD BROKEN.
Last night on Black's alleys the
Ramblers not only captured three
points from the Easterns, but Riley of
the winning team, made a single
string record for the league this ses-
sion when in the third string he had a
pin fall of 147. Riley had a total for
the three strings of 335, an average of
111.5. The individual scores follow:

McKee .... 123 91 88 301 109 1-3
Brown ..... 59 80 71 221 73 2-2
Garnett .... 96 92 99 287 95 2-3
Thurston ... 112 84 80 276 92
Robinson ... 93 92 108 293 97 2-3

ANOTHER WAR FREAK.
A Briton has invented a fabric to be
worn as a mantle or cloak for cover-
ing soldiers and rendering them in-
visible to the enemy. The new fab-
ric will, it is claimed, make the busi-
ness of the crawling sniper compara-
tively safe. The garment is one of
living grass. A piece of silk thickly
sowed with seeds is well watered. The
seeds sprout as grass and grow rapid-
ly. A garment of this kind can be
grown from flaxseed, oats or other
seeds, and if the foundation is good it
will hold together fairly well with care-
ful handling.—Indianapolis News.

NEW WAR SECRETARY
OF U.S. EX-MAYOR OF
PORTLAND, ME.

Washington, April 19—William M.
Ingraham, former mayor of Portland,
Maine, has been elected by President
Wilson for assistant secretary of war.
The nomination was signed today.
Mr. Ingraham will succeed Henry
Brechinridge, who resigned with for-
mer Secretary Garrison.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.
Royal.
F. Thompson, P. G. Stanley, Montreal;
N. Rogers, C. D. Weyford, G. F. York,
Toronto; T. F. Freeman, Miss Freeman,
R. Freeman, Mrs. A. S. Jones, Dover;

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cleanliness as the first requisite of our business.

BOSTON MAN
WINS MARATHON
Boston, Mass., April 19—Victors
honors in the annual American Mar-
athon road race were won today by
Arthur V. Roth, a youth of slight
build, who ran for the Dorchester Club
of this city. From the fourth mile of
the 26-mile course his speed kept in
his wake three score of the sturdiest
distance runners in this country and
Canada.
Less than eleven seconds separated
Roth from the sprinting second man
at the finish, Villar Kyrnoson, of the
Millrose A. A., New York, having run
almost to his heels out of a place in
the ruck at the half-way stage, Sid-
ney Hatch, the Illinois Athletic Club's
veteran, was third, and J. J. Corkery,
of Toronto, whose amateur status was
cleared only at the last moment,
fourth, his time being 2:30 1/2.
Roth's winning time was 2 hours, 27
minutes, 16 2/3 seconds, eleven min-
utes behind the record for the event.
Arthur L. Jamieson, Hamilton, Ont.,
flushed eighth in 2:41.09 4/5.

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no headway towards recovery. He
was forever talking about his "bonnie
Scotland," and the idea occurred to
the doctor that a Scotch piper might
arouse his spirits. After some hunting
around a piper was found, and it was
arranged that he should present him-
self outside the hospital that night and
pour forth all the gems of Scottish
music the pipes were capable of in-
terpreting. This he did. When the
astute doctor turned up the next morn-
ing he eagerly asked the matron:
"Did the piper turn up?"
"He did," replied the matron.

And how's our Scotch patient?
"Oh, he's fine; I never saw such a
change," said the matron.
"That's grand. It was a fine idea
of mine to get that piper," said the
delighted doctor.
"Yes," said the matron, sadly; "but
the other thirty patients have all had
a serious relapse.—The Bits.

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FOR A WALK IN THE PARK AND
REMEMBER- I SAID THE PARK-
NO WHERE ELSE!
I HEARD
WHAT
YOU SAID!
NO ONE IS
LOOKIN' SO I
THINK I'LL
SNEAK IN DINTY
MOORES FER A
MINUTE.
WELL- DID YOU
CARRY OUT MY
ORDERS?
I DID MAGGIE
I DIDNT GO ANY
WHERE BUT
THE PARK!
WHERE DID
POM- POM
GET THAT
PRETZEL?
I DONT KNOW-
MAGGIE I
WONDER IF IT
FELL OFF A
TREE?



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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, APRIL 20, 1916.

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

## UNITED STATES AND GERMANY.

Those who have complained that in his dealings with the German government, the President of the United States has lacked firmness and decision must revise their opinions in the light of the most recent note from Washington to Berlin. In that production President Wilson demands that Germany shall immediately abandon her present methods of submarine warfare, and states plainly that unless she receives an immediate declaration that Germany will accede to the demand diplomatic relations between the two countries will be at once severed.

It is plainly up to Germany. If Berlin wishes to avoid trouble with the most powerful of neutral nations she will at once abandon her inhuman policy of attacking unarmed vessels and use her underwater boats for the prosecution of war by legitimate methods. If, on the other hand, the Kaiser and his advisers feel that it is safe to longer attempt to bluff out of the situation they are quite likely to find that at last the representative of the American people speaks with every intention of enforcing obedience.

President Wilson has been brought to his latest stand largely by the torpedoing and sinking of the Channel steamer Sussex. Germany declared that she was not responsible for that outrage and submitted as evidence the statement of the submarine commander. The commander, while admitting that he attacked a vessel in the Channel about the time the Sussex was sent to the bottom, based his opinion that it was not the Sussex on his failure to identify a picture of that vessel as the one he attacked. There has been no report that another vessel was sent to the bottom at the time or in the locality of the Sussex tragedy, so it can be seen that Germany's defence is weak in its essential points, and her attempt to prove an alibi has resulted in failure.

Breaking off of diplomatic relations between first class powers is almost certain to result in war, and if it should become necessary for Washington to make good the threat contained in the President's most recent pronouncement it is a practical certainty that the next proclamation will announce a more serious condition.

There is general agreement that the United States is bound to insist upon respect for the rights of its citizens, no matter what measure may be found necessary to the attainment of that end, but, at the same time, there will be very sincere regret if events should so shape themselves as to embroil the American nation in this world racking conflict.

The Allies do not require the active military or naval aid of Uncle Sam to win this war, and would not be likely to soon receive it, for the severing of diplomatic relations, if followed by war, would undoubtedly precipitate an internal crisis which President Wilson may well seek to avoid, so it is very doubtful if, for some considerable time at least, our neighbors would be in a position to do more than they are now doing. While all will admire President Wilson for his present attitude, there will always be the opinion that a firmer stand in Washington earlier in the day might have avoided what is admittedly the most serious situation into which the American nation has been forced since the time of the Civil War.

## THE LIBERALS AND LOYALTY.

The Moncton Transcript hazards the opinion that "if there has been any lack of recruiting zeal on the part of the young men, it is due to the deliberate falsehoods which have been taught them for years by Tory newspapers in which a crazy effort was made to brand the Liberal party as disloyal and only the Tories as loyal."

With all humility we venture to point out to the erudite marvel who edits the Transcript that no Conservative newspaper, in this province at any rate, has attempted to brand the Liberal party as disloyal. There is a difference between a party as a mass and members of that party as individuals. To condemn the whole party for the ill advised actions of a few loud-mouthed politicians would be distinctly an error.

We believe there are thousands of loyal Liberals who have thought for

shame that such men as Senator Choquette, whose disloyal utterances have been condemned by many Liberal newspapers, should be regarded as among the party leaders. We also believe that the disloyal action of the majority of Liberal members of the Senate who strangled the Borden naval aid proposal has been regarded with disapproval by very many men who claim membership in the Liberal party. Even the slanders of Mr. Dark Lantern Brigadier Carvell in regard to Field Marshal Sir John French and the Canadian soldiers have not been unanimously endorsed by the rank and file of the Liberals, and if the men of that party were canvassed in regard to the policy of unpatriotic and pious criticisms followed by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his lieutenants in Ottawa all would not pronounce in favor of it. Yes, there are patriotic and loyal Liberals, hosts of them, who are ashamed of their unpatriotic leaders, and The Standard will be pleased to receive evidence that will justify us in including the editor of the Moncton Transcript in that classification.

## A STEP IN ADVANCE.

Any movement the aim of which is to provide an extra hour of daylight is so distinctly advantageous to the great mass of the people that the inconvenience of the few can well be overlooked. Some newspapers are complaining that advancing the clock by one hour will interfere with their ability to carry late news in their afternoon editions. Readers of those papers, however, will regard the added daylight as of more importance than the quantity of news that hour will represent, and will be quite ready to excuse the loss for the greater gain.

The city council of St. John and the Halifax council have gone on record in favor of the plan and the New Brunswick legislature has before it a permissive bill giving effect to the change when the people want it. An added hour of daylight leisure will be a great boon to all day workers while less favored mortals, such as morning newspaper workers, will at least have the pleasure of knowing that their more fortunate brothers and sisters are enjoying themselves. Any legislation in the interest of the worker is good and the organizations that have been trying to promote this timely reform have the welfare of the people at heart. While the plan may cause some slight inconvenience yet it is decidedly a step in advance and as such is worthy of general support.

## A POLITICAL STORY.

The Christian Science Monitor, of Boston, says: "Because of a misquotation, a characteristic story of one of the greatest men Canada ever had has been recalled to memory. The misquotation made Sir John Macdonald say: 'I want friends to stand by me when I am wrong or mistaken; anybody will stand by you when you are on the top wave of success.' That is too much like a cry for help to be the language of Sir John. Here is the whole story: A new member of parliament, desirous of impressing the Dominion-maker with his virtue and his importance, said: 'I will stand by you, sir, when you are right.' 'Oh,' replied the premier, 'the Crisis will do that. What I want is a man who will stand by me when I am wrong.' This is an old story. The version of it best known in Canada, and probably nearest right, is that the visitor said: 'I will always support you, Sir John, when you are right.' The old chieftain snapped his finger, saying: 'I wouldn't give a fig for a man who will only support me when I am right. The Crisis will do that. What I want is men who will support me right or wrong.' He had the Highland feeling that a leader must be able to count on the unwavering loyalty of his followers, even in his errors. And he was able to inspire such fealty."

## Who Sleeps.

(By Eleanor Alexander.)  
Midnight and England; in the curtain-room  
Shadow upon grey shadow creeps  
Till black, all conquering dominates  
the gloom,  
And darkness cries—who sleeps?

Who sleeps—the bride? She girl him for the fight,  
Gay when her happy warrior went,  
Now empty arms she stretches to the night  
With passionate lament.

Who sleeps—the old man? By the window's edge,  
The funeral of Lorimer G. Harrison took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mr. J. Magie, 35 Prince

He heard a brown battalion come,  
And all night long his weary worn  
old feet  
Keep measure with the drum.

Who sleeps—the mother Immortal throes  
Torture her heart and labored  
breath;  
This hour, it may be, her beloved  
gone  
Undaunted into death.

Who sleeps—the barren woman, for  
her breast  
-Passion, nor pain, nor rapture stirs?  
She wakes and watches for the first  
and best,  
A thousand sons are hers.

On desolated far-off fields, who sleeps?  
We know not, but through summers  
green,  
We know their rigid hands that hold  
will  
The flag of England clean.

Who sleeps? Faint and forsworn, no  
sentinel  
Between the trenches, snarling lips;  
Not one on guard where moonlit waters  
swell  
Under the battlehips.

They sleep not for whom furnace  
smoke-clouds roll.  
Nor they who forge for England's  
care.  
Armour laid on the anvil of her soul  
And hammered out with prayer.

Who sleeps—your God on His eternal  
hill,  
And Zion falls, and Rachel weeps?  
Captain of hosts and our salvation  
still,  
He slumbers not, nor sleeps.  
—From The London Times.

## Moisty Weather.

These in faith, are Irish days,  
Days of rain and days of haze;  
Misty, moist, spit and drool;  
Iv'ry street turn with its pool;  
Iv'ry hedge and ditch a-drip;  
Wather, sure, to float a ship.

Not a boreen, not a brick,  
Not a road and not a rick,  
Not a throat, and not a sty,  
Ye'll find, this day, in Ireland dry!  
—And all the hay-cropper's gold bad,  
But what can laugh like wather, lad?  
—ARTHUR STRINGER.

## ITALY'S SHERLOCK HOLMES.

In "My Own Past," Mrs. Maude M. C. Frouke relates a remarkable story of Cavaliere Luigi Frossali, who has the reputation of being the most astute detective in Europe. A Russian princess who was studying in Rome had her diamonds stolen, but all efforts to discover the perpetrators of the theft proved unavailing. After twelve months' patient search, the police eliminated every possible criminal, except a man who was then undergoing a sentence of imprisonment at Trieste.

The great Italian detective therefore incarcerated himself in the same prison, and passing as a convict thief, he managed occasionally to exchange a few words with his quarry when they were together in the exercise yard. It was during one of these conversations that Frossali remarked, "I say, your name reminds me of a poor fellow I knew in Rome, who was starving when I was bagged and brought here."

"A poor family?" queried the prisoner, whose wife and children, as the detective already knew, lived in Rome.

"Yes," said Frossali, "a woman and three young boys. They were almost penniless, but she was a proud soul, and she would not tell anyone what had reduced her to such straits."

"It is my Marletta!" cried the man; "my poor suffering wife."

And then he proceeded to confide in his fellow-prisoner. He told him that he had stolen the diamonds of Princess S—, and had buried them in a garden outside Rome, until it was safe to dispose of them. Each helmet is covered in the place where they had been so securely hidden, and they were eventually restored to their owner, who had by this time given up all hopes of ever seeing them again.

## WORK ON A FRENCH HELMET.

Sixty-four distinct operations are necessary in turning out one of the plain steel helmets worn by French soldiers. The first step is stamping out discs from large sheets of steel. A special machine is used for this purpose, exerting a pressure of 150 tons, and capable of cutting out 5000 steel discs a day. Each disc is placed under a shaping machine, which presses the disc into the form of a helmet with a broad rim. Polishing and cutting machines remove all irregularities in the helmet, after which holes are punched in the crown, some for ventilation purposes, other for fastening on the regimental crest. Each helmet is cleaned and dipped in a special mixture, which makes it a dull, inconspicuous, bluish gray. A lining and leather chin straps are then fastened on, and the helmet is complete. Since the French army has been protected with the helmets the number of deaths due to wounds in the head has decreased to a remarkable extent.—Pearson's Weekly.

## FUNERALS.

The funeral of Lorimer G. Harrison took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mr. J. Magie, 35 Prince

## Little Benny's Note Book

Today we folks played capturing Villa ded or alive, the only trouble being that nobody wanted to be Villa ded or alive, and while we was arguing about it Paul Stankovich slay cursing. Perry came around the corner, and Sid Hunt yelled, Hurray, here comes Villa.

And we all ran down the street yelling, Ded or alive, ded or alive, and before Perry could make up his mind whether to run or not, we had a hold of him and was pushing him up the street, ded or alive.

Stop it, do you hear, I don't want to play, I tell you, I don't want to play, ded or alive.

And he started to try to get away, keeping on saying he didn't want to play, and Sam Crawas sed, Hes tawking Mexikin, men, dont anser him.

We dont understand Mexikin, Villa, I sed. And we kepp on pushing him up the street to lock him in the fruit yard of the church, yelling Ded or alive, ded or alive.

You better look out, sed Villa, I no a tuff gang, and ill tell them to come around and lick you.

Lissen to him tawking Mexikin, sed Sid Hunt.

We dont no that louswidge, sed Ed Wernick.

Was tuff gang did you ever no, sayhow; sed Betty Merly.

And we pushed Villa in the church yard and started to shut the big iron gate, and Villa yelled, Cheese it, heer comes Gimpy, cheese it. Gimpy being the janitor and having a fearse disperition, and we all ran, yelling, Cheese it, and wen got to the corner we looked around and heer was Villa running down the other way to boost the band.

Gimpy wasn't there at all, I sed. And we all started to run after Villa, yelling, Ded or alive, ded or alive, but he exaped.

Services were conducted by the Rev. D. J. McPherson and interment was made in Fernhill.

The funeral of Francis Carney Gallagher took place yesterday morning from his late residence at Quispamass to Rothesay church, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Miles P. Howland. Interment was made in the church burying ground. Floral tributes were received from C. J. Cotter, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McFarlane, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Haley, Mr. and Mrs. William C. McParlane, Mr. and Mrs. J. Montgomery of Moncton, D. Magee's Sons, Limited; David Magee, Miss Bertha Higgins, Mrs. Howard Murphy, C. S. and Richard Gotham, W. T. Peters and others.

Newcastle, April 18.—The funeral of the late John Walter Miller took place Monday afternoon from his residence on Pleasant street. Rev. S. J. Methodist church, conducted the service. Mr. Arthur, assisted by Rev. Alex. Rennie and Rev. Dr. Harrison, of the sea at the house.

A special train took the body to Millerton, where interment took place in the Presbyterian cemetery there. Rev. Messrs. MacArthur and Rennie officiating.

The pall-bearers were Dr. Wilson and Messrs. Wm. Campbell, Jas. Robinson, W. A. Park, R. Corey Clarke and W. G. Thurber.

The floral offerings were many and beautiful. They included: Pillows, Mrs. J. W. Miller; pillow, Miller Tanning Extract Co.; spray, Dr. and Mrs. Roland Darnell; spray, Dr. and Mrs. D. N. Coburn; bouquet, Mrs. Clara A. Munyan and family; bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Crocker; bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Crocker; wheat and roses, Mr. and Mrs. John Betty; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. James Randle; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Henry MacLean and family; Easter lilies, Wm. and Ernest Sinclair.

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U. S. Investigating Charges. The United States authorities in Maine are investigating charges that the owners of a fishing schooner at Eastport had hired a crew in Nova Scotia in violation of the alien contract labor laws. Immigrant Inspector Charles Miller is enquiring into the case. It is claimed that the schooner could not find men in Maine and as she was being sent to the Magdalen Islands for a load of fish, the owners regard the infringement as largely technical.

Lumber Contractors Guilty. Three lumber contractors, Henry Wood, of Sawyerville, Que.; William H. Gates, of Cookshire, Que., and Frank Cottino of Coaticook, Que., have been found guilty by the United States district court of New Hampshire of violating the alien contract labor law in hiring men in Canada and taking them to the lumber camps of that state. Wood was fined \$100 and costs; Gates, \$1,000 and costs, and Cottino \$500 and costs. Twenty-two Canadians, held as witnesses, were ordered deported from the United States.

City Gets \$5,200 from Steamers. The heavy ocean traffic at this port during the past season since January 1, has brought to the city a revenue of \$5,200, a much larger amount than ever collected during a similar period. As soon as the water mains to the wharves are paid for the revenue from the steamers will be clear profit.

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Question in those who know how to use liquor hit to purchase it, and those who ever collected during a similar period. As soon as the water mats to the wharves are paid for the revenue from the steamers will be clear profit.

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OUR COMPETITIONS For Boys and Girls WORD-MAKING CONTEST This week's contest is an old favorite and I shall expect a great number of entries. "Write out carefully and neatly all the words you can make out of the letters in the word "interesting." To the boy or girl, not more than fifteen years of age, who sends in the greatest number of words, as found in a standard dictionary, giving the number at the end of the list, together with the usual coupon correctly filled up, not later than April 26th, 1916, I shall award a beautiful story book, and to the sender of the next longest, a similar prize.

ST. JOHN DRUGGISTS PLEASE CUSTOMERS. MARRIED. An interesting wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the residence of Frank Pales, 60 Sydney street, when Miss Ethel Pales was united in marriage to William George Estabrooks. The bride was attired in a suit of white silk crepe with bridal veil and carried a bouquet of carnations. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Hutchinson. Mr. and Mrs. Estabrooks left last night on a honeymoon trip to America.

Gray-MacMahon. At the home of Sergeant Frank J. Armstrong, Sussex, on Tuesday, at 10 o'clock, Private Corey E. Gray was married to Miss Jeanne May MacMahon of St. John. The ceremony was performed by Captain Lawrence, chaplain of the 14th Battalion. The pipe band of which the groom is a member, was present.

Good Friday Suburban Train. For Good Friday the C.P.R. has arranged for special trains to leave depot at 9.30 a. m., local time, for Welsford and intermediate stops. Returning leave Welsford 7.30 p. m.

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MYSTERY OF LONE CHILD WITH INDIANS White Baby Boy Abandoned by N. B. Mother Five Years Ago. A lone white waif from "Somewhere in New Brunswick" is a ward of the Passamaquoddy tribe of Indians at Pleasant Point reservation on the banks of the St. Croix. The child was abandoned by its parents five years ago and has since been cared for by the hospitable descendants of the red children of the forest. Who the child is, who her parents are, where they came from, where they are now, or why they deserted their offspring, are problems which form a rare mystery.

Left by Unknown Boatman. On April 10, 1911, a lone New Brunswick boatman, whose name is not known to the Indians; as a fictitious name at the time was given, came to the Indian village early in the evening in a small gasoline boat and made a call at some of the neighboring homes of the tribe where he stated he wished to leave a baby girl for a short time until called for and was willing to pay its board. He finally reached the home of Mrs. Alice W. Mitchell, widow of the late Peter Mitchell, who died of the Civil War, who died about twenty years ago. Mrs. Mitchell is an intelligent French woman who came to the Indian settlement from Aroostook county and married the soldier.

STANDARD CHAPTER GRATEFUL TO KING ALBERT'S DAY WORKERS Mrs. E. Atherton Smith Tells of Vast Amount of Work Done and Praises all who Assisted. The total receipts as a result of the excellent work done throughout the province on the birthday of King Albert of Belgium, \$6,302, will be augmented, as there are still two or three places to be heard from.

Escapes from THE AUTHORITIES. The authorities along the border have been notified to watch for Freeman Nadeau, the so-called French-Canadian outlaw of the Aroostook and adjacent sections. Nadeau, an escapee from the Bangor state hospital, where he was under observation, following an indictment for attacking his wife and children. Nadeau last January was amuck at his home near Shin Point, Me., and during the disturbance his house was burned. He was arrested by a posse and taken to the jail at Bangor. While there he attempted to commit suicide.

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CHEAP RATES FOR THE SOLDIERS VISITING HOMES Single Return Fare On All Government Roads, Hon. Dr. Reid Announces in the House of Commons. Ottawa, April 19.—Hon. Dr. Reid announced that the government has decided to grant a single fare return rate on all government railways to all soldiers visiting their homes.

Helped One of His Employees in Series of Thefts—Latter Confesses and Sent Up For Trial. Special to The Standard. Hartland, April 19.—Colby Swin, of Stikiney, has been sent up for trial on the charge of stealing buckwheat from the grist mill of James Rogers, and his employer and companion, Ruel Hallett, is a fugitive from justice, it being reported that he has crossed over to the State of Maine to escape punishment.

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CARLETON CO. MAN WANTED FOR THEFT CROSSES BORDER. Platoon in Charge of Lieut. McDougall Arrived Yesterday—Town Loses Prominent Citizen by Death of Perley B. Shaw. Special to The Standard. Hartland, N. B., April 19.—Hartland's ambition has at last been realized. It is now a military depot and the khaki uniform is freely sported over the streets. Today Lieut. McDougall and a platoon of soldiers arrived from Perth and took up quarters in the armory.

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# A Column Which is Supposed To Be Of Interest To Women

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

**NEWS OF WOMEN'S CLUBS.**

We are always pleased to receive any news of Women's Societies, fashion notes, new or tried recipes, etc., which may be of interest to our readers and we will publish same when suitable. All communications for these columns to have name and address (not for publication), and to be addressed to the Editor, Women's Column, The St. John Standard, St. John.

**MARGUERITE'S WEEKLY CHAT.**

**Frilliness.**

It may be well for some of us to stop and think about this virtue. Are we polite or are we merely not actually rude? When you go through a swinging door, do you stop and see if someone is behind you, and do you say: "Thank you," audibly to the really polite person who holds open the door for you. Are you early at the theatre, so that you can see all the play, or are you considerate enough to dislike spoiling other people's views of the pictures? When an elderly person talks to you, do you really listen with interest, or do you say yes, and no, and get away at the earliest opportunity. It is impossible to think of manners without going to the root of the matter, which is of course consideration for others—a grace which is too often lost sight of in these days of hurry and good works. Old-fashioned politeness and respect for our elders are too few things to be pushed aside even by Red Cross work, or missionary zeal.

**Turning to Good Account Edinburgh's Waste Paper.**

A systematic collection of waste paper is made by Edinburgh Corporation, and all the material is brought to the depot at Powderhall, where it is arranged and sorted out by women workers, and then pressed into bales and made ready for dispatching to the paper mills. In a recent month the collection of wastepaper, when sold, realized as much as \$220.

(The Red Cross Society has some such plan for St. John.)

**Queen Elizabeth of Belgium is an extremely warm-hearted woman. It is told of her that long before the war, learning that a young artist, a violinist was desperately ill in hospital surroundings, the queen went to her and being herself a fine violinist, played all the girl's favorite music, repeating the visit daily until death made her visit unnecessary.**

**Many Mansions.**

The Father's house has many rooms and each is fair: By silent stair: But he keeps house, and makes it home: Whichever way the children come.—E. C. K.

**Women at Lloyd's.**

A new departure was taken recently in respect of signing policies at Lloyd's, says the Daily Express. In the old days the matter of securing the signatures of the various underwriting syndicates took weeks and sometimes months to carry out, but all this will now be altered, as premises have been opened at Great Winchester street, and a staff of women will do their best to show what the sex can do when it invades the precincts of the city office sacred to man.

**Brokers will have a distinguishing number, and as soon as the underwriters have initiated the slips accepting**

risks, these will be taken to the bureau with the policies and signatures attached at once. About thirty of the more prominent syndicates have expressed their willingness to support the venture, and no doubt if success awaits the undertaking others will follow.

**Care of the Teeth Brush.**

The care of the toothbrush is not sufficiently observed. In our houses, a writer very properly remarks, they stand in their cups or hang on their racks above the stationary wash bowls day and night, absorbing any disease germs that may be floating about. They should be washed frequently—at least about twice a week—in some antiseptic solution, strong salt water or bicarbonate of sodium and water being too good and readily provided cleaners. Tooth washes and pastes should also be kept carefully covered.

**Furnished a Good Grip.**

"The cave-dweller would set a woman by the hair and drag her to his den," commented the best man at the wedding.

"Yes," replied Miss Cayenne. "In those days hair was more natural, and furnished a reliable grip."

**Blue Cross.**

A blue cross on a white ground stands for help for animals, as the Red Cross does for people. The windows of the old Oak Hall are full of potted plants in full bloom and the window showing the Blue Cross emblem is particularly lovely. Mr. W. Pederson is giving a percentage on the sale of flowers. Tuesday Miss Catherine McAvity was in charge of this fragrant Spring show, assisted by Miss Will Lockhart and Mrs. MacKelgan. Yesterday Miss Dorothy Bizzardi, assisted by Miss Helen McAvity, Miss Gertrude Phillips and Miss Catherine McAvity sold the flowers and report good sales. The whole enterprise is under the direction of Miss Violet Whitaker. To help dumb animals is a privilege and buying a flower is a pleasure, so anyone can assist this good work by making a purchase.

**Yarn for the boys in the trenches.**

The West Side Soldiers' Comfort Association, Mrs. A. W. Fraser, president.

**PERSONAL.**

Lieut. T. H. Lunney, M. D., of the Medical Corps, who was stationed at Malta for some time, has returned to London.

Waldo P. Lowell of this city is visiting in Bangor.

F. W. Pickles of Annapolis and Mrs. Pickles were at the Royal yesterday.

Mrs. J. Edgett and daughter, Miss Hazel, left for a visit to Boston last night.

Miss M. V. Rogers of the City Road left last evening to spend Easter with friends in New York.

R. Walker of the Bank of British North America has been transferred to the St. Catherine's street branch, Montreal.

H. A. Galley of Marysville was a guest of the Dufferin yesterday.

F. Peacock of Fredericton was at the Dufferin yesterday.

H. R. Lawrence of St. George was at the Dufferin yesterday.

W. A. L. Melanson of Moncton was at the Victoria yesterday.

George N. Kilburn of Fredericton was at the Victoria yesterday.

C. V. Burpee and E. R. Teed of Woodstock were at the Victoria last evening.

L. H. Webber of River Glade was at the Victoria yesterday.

A. J. Brooks of Sussex was at the Victoria yesterday.

E. J. Scribner of Hampton was at the Victoria yesterday.

R. M. Gross of Pettitodiac was a guest of the Victoria yesterday.

Leont. Col. L. C. Dingle of Moncton was at the Victoria last evening.

H. B. Hay of Chipman and Mrs. Hay were guests of the Royal yesterday.

Fred Condon of Moncton was at the Royal yesterday.

A. W. Bennett, K.C., of Sackville, was at the Royal yesterday.

**FEEL FINE! TAKE "CASCARETS" FOR LIVER BOWELS**

Spend 10 cents! Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy, constipated.

Can't harm you! Best cathartic for men, women and children.

Enjoy life! Your system is filled with an accumulation of bile and bowel poison which keeps you bilious, headachy, dizzy, tongue coated, breath bad and stomach sour—Why don't you get a 10-cent box of Cascarets at the drug store and feel bully. Take Cascarets tonight and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing ever experienced. You'll wake up with a clear head, clean tongue, lively step, rosy skin and looking and feeling fit. Mothers can give a whole Cascaret to a sick, cross, bilious, feverish child any time—they are harmless—never gripe or sicken.

**CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND.**

Single—Wm. Crawford, \$10; L. Thompson, \$5; Mrs. W. O. Slipp, \$5.

Monthly—Sydney Francis (two months), \$4; V. J. Woodrow, \$1; Mrs. Thos. Ferguson, \$1; R. Balmann, \$5c; A. E. Murray (two months), \$6c; Mrs. John Robson (two months), \$5c; A. C. Evans (two months), \$5c; W. H. Fuller (three months), \$5c; Mrs. Thos. McKenna (two months), \$1; R. McDonald, \$5c; John Carlson, \$5c; T. Mitchell (two months), \$1; Samuel Fox (three months), \$5c; Mrs. Michael Hayes (two months), \$5c; C. A. Owens (two months), \$10; A. B. Hood (three months), \$3; Dr. G. G. Melvin, \$5; J. H. G., \$2; A. B. McIntosh, \$1; T. C. D., (three months), \$15; David S. Betts, \$1; Dr. N. R. Colter, \$13; E. T. C. Knowles, \$15; F. H. Brennan, \$2; P. McGowan (two months), \$4; E. L. Jarvis, \$2; W. G. Sancton, \$1; Taylor & Swenney, \$2; R. P. Church, \$2; Edgar H. Fairweather, \$5; L. A. Conlon, \$2; W. T. McShane (two months), \$1; R. C. Elkin, \$20; W. M. Ryan, \$1; City of St. John, \$1,000; D. G. Lingley, \$5; W. J. Ambrose, \$10; Mrs. W. J. Ambrose, \$5; Wm. H. Bell (two months), \$4; Mrs. L. R. Webb, \$5c; H. M. Lattimer (two months), \$1.

Ladies! during the busy days of moving and house cleaning, do not worry about your sewing but come to the "Practise Boys' Hall on Tuesday, April 25th, where we will have our sale aprons, dust caps, boys' suits, blouses, children's dresses and underwear at the lowest possible prices. Also serve an up-to-date supper for a quarter (25c) from five to eight p.m. The proceeds of this sale is to buy

**SCHOONER BADLY DAMAGED.**

The British schooner Alcaz from Fort Medway, N. S., passed City Island Tuesday and reported that 45 miles east of Cape Cod Saturday morning, April 15, during a heavy gale, she lost 35,000 feet of lumber and a small boat and broke her main boom. The cabin became filled with water, the hull was damaged and the vessel is leaking.

**STEAMER ST. ANDREWS.**

The steamer St. Andrews, Capt. William Grant, began on the St. Croix route this week from Calais to Eastport, making three round trips a week, with stops at Robinson and St. Andrews. Steamers now arrive from Boston on Tuesday and Saturday for a short time when the summer schedule of three round trips a week will commence.

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# Children's Corner

Letters Received by Uncle Dick From His Boys and Girls

**TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.**

"Uncle," said young Joe, "I bet I can do something you can't."

"Well, what is it?" smiled Uncle.

"Grow," replied the youngster, triumphantly.

**EXTRACTS FROM THE MAIL BAG.**

Always Plenty of Room. Kentville, N. S.

Dear Uncle Dick:— I have been reading the Children's Corner for some time, and would like to join the Corner if there is room, as there are so many nice and helpful letters. I am sending in the answers to the Flower Competition and hope I will be successful. I like reading very much, and have read a great number of your books. I must close now.

Your niece, Yula Dennison.

An Interesting Letter. Carletonville, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick:— Have been very interested in reading the Children's Corner, and would like to join the Corner, if there is room, as there are so many nice and helpful letters. I am sending in the answers to the Flower Competition and hope I will be successful. I like reading very much, and have read a great number of your books. I must close now.

Your truly, Harold M. Gaunce.

Try Every Contest. Sackville, N. B.

I thought I would try the contest again this week. I do not try the contest every week, for I suppose you don't want every one to try in the contest every week. I go to school every day, and I am in grade five. I am very interested in Uncle Wiggly's stories. I have two kittens, one is tortoiseshell, the other is gray. I think I will close now.

With love, Minnie Estabrooks.

Likes the Corner Very Much. Welford Station.

Dear Uncle Dick:— This is the first time I have wrote to you. I like the Corner awful well. I like the Uncle Wiggly stories too. I found quite a few names out of the word "interesting." I guess I will close with good wishes to you and the Corner.

Your niece, Olive R. Willis.

# News of The St. John Theatres Told in The Right Way

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

**IMPERIAL.**

Yesterday the Imperial gave us one of those fine Metro productions featuring Hamilton Revelle and Lois Meredith. "An Enemy to Society," one of the handiest men on the stage, as he is called, takes the part of Steven Adams, a sort of modern Robin Hood, who steals from the rich to give to the poor. There is one rather amusing scene on board ship where "Adams" cheats "Janissary," a very rich merchant, out of a large sum of money at cards, afterwards handing the check over to Janissary's ward for a model tenement house. The story is partly on the lines of "Alias Jimmie Valentine," in that it is the influence of "Decima" (Lois Meredith), who turns Adams from a sneak thief to the straight path and also in that he returns to do evil that good may come. Steven Adams is called at one time "the finest crook in the world," a very characteristic speech coming from a gang of thieves. The story has some good surprises and the methods used by gamblers and thieves are shown as most ingenious. Certainly people in picture plays all seem to live in beautiful palaces, the home of Janissary being a very grand mansion indeed.

A well managed picture is the party at a gambler's house where revelry is going on and yet the scenes are kept free from vulgarity. Hamilton Revelle is surely good looking and I hear we are to see him in quite another character later. Lois Meredith is a dainty little actress, looking prettier in her street clothes than in fairs, I thought. She cries real tears in one scene which seems to be almost a common accomplishment in these motion picture days.

The delayed Paramount travel pictures were also shown yesterday and they comprised some very fine views of Rio de Janeiro which made me regret to go to Rio, really down to Rio, some day before I'm old. The city looked most beautiful and interestingly different from northern cities. Buenos Aires was also shown with quite wonderful horse races where millions are won and lost by betting. The Universal Weekly and Zeppelin raids on England, pictures of Welsh flag day with girls in the quaint costumes selling Welsh emblems, troops at Hendon, hospital supplies for the war department, a fine big bear named John L. Sullivan, and the armor-plated dinosaur being hauled through New York streets are an argument against preparedness (and a mighty poor argument, too).

While her admirers were applauding Mary Pickford in "Poor Little Poppin'," she was hard at work in "The Eternal Grind" where she appears as a factory girl.

The Standard editor of these columns had the pleasure of meeting Mr. Louis B. Mayer, now of New York City, who is in St. John visiting his parents. Mr. Mayer is one of the directors of the Metro Pictures Limited, and left last night for Boston. He had some very interesting things to tell about the stars of Metro and there will be more and more good pictures for us to enjoy later.

Signor Manetta is able to sing again and got his usual fine reception. The blending of the two voices in the final duet was very delightful.

The author, who is using a New York publisher for selling the motion picture rights of a 400-word story which he sold to the magazine ten years ago for \$250, reserving the dramatic and book-publishing rights.

Cleo Ridgely and Wallace Reid will begin rehearsals shortly on an original scenario by Cecil B. DeMille and Jeanie Macpherson, entitled "Behind the Mask," a Paramount picture.

**MATINEE OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT**

**"THE BIRTH OF A NATION"**

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With Mr. Revelle as Stephen Adams, the kidnapped son of a modern king of finance, taught by his captors to steal, and Lois Meredith as Decima Duran, the girl who changed his manner of living, the unusually strong story receives most artistic treatment. A galaxy of conspicuous playpeople surround these stars. Both the English leading man and his winsome partner are noted for their personal charm and dramatic ability. In the large centres Mr. Revelle is a veritable matinee idol. The play is staged and costumed with the Metro's untiring attention to detail and richness.

**THE MANETTA DUO IN SONG**

EXTRA! We Will Show SOUTH AMERICAN TRAVELOGUES Taking the Watcher Roundabout Buenos Ayres, Argentina.

**ALSO UNIVERSAL ANIMATED WEEKLY**

**THE UNIQUE THEATRE** takes great pleasure in presenting as its special feature today

**THOS. H. INCE'S** late success—"THE MATING," having as its star the celebrated beauty of the screen, Miss Bessie Barriscale, who won such laurels in "The Cup of Life" and other well-known productions. Miss Barriscale is conceded to be one of the most popular emotional actresses on the screen, and in "THE MATING," a five-part Mutual masterpiece, she is seen as an ambitious school-girl who is socially neglected. Her work is very commendable and the interest of the story is well sustained by her efforts. "THE MATING" deviates somewhat from the themes of most plays, being unique in both plot and dramatic effect.

**THE COMEDY** is a delightfully amusing Falstaff number—"AMBITIOUS, AWKWARD ANDY"—the most prominent characters being impersonated by Mr. Walter Hies and Mr. Riley Chamberlain.

**THIS PROGRAM** is a representative one, selected for the Easteride, and will surely please.

**USUAL MATINEES**—Special Performances Good Friday. SEND THE CHILDREN Saturday afternoon.

Selected Features for Easter Time

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# The Broad

### "Which Way?"

(Continued from yesterday.)

"Let be," said I to myself, turning away, "let be. I am as I am, and shall be hereafter in my very true village blacksmith—and content so to be—absolutely content."

At sight of me Charman burst out laughing, the which, though I had expected it, angered me nevertheless. "Why, Peter?" he exclaimed, "you look like—"

"A very low fellow!" said I, "say a village blacksmith who has been at his abolition."

"If you only had rings in your ears, and a scarf round your head, you would be the image of a Spanish brigand—or like the man Minna whose exploits The Gazette is full of—a Spanish general, I think."

"A guerrilla leader," said I, taking my place at the table, "and a singularly cold-blooded villain—indeed I think it probable that we much resemble one another; is it any wonder that I am shunned by my kind—avoided by the ignorant and regarded askance by the rest?"

"Why Peter?" said Charman, regarding me with grave eyes, "what do you mean?"

"I mean that the country folk hereabout go out of their way to avoid crossing my path—not that I suppose they ever heard of Minna, but because of my looks."

"Your looks?"

"They think me possessed of the Evil Eye, or some such folly—may I cut you a piece of bread?"

"Oh, Peter?"

"Already, by divers honest-hearted rustic, I am credited with certain unfortunate pigs, with having found hand to hand with the hosts of the nethermost pit, and with having sold my soul to the devil—may I trouble you to pass the butter?"

"Oh, Peter, how foolish of them!"

"And how excusable! considering their ignorance and superstition," said I.

"Mine, in the main, are not open-blacks eyes, but black eyes, in common with dogs and horses, that divine attributes which, for want of a better name, we call 'instinct,' whereby they love or hate for the mere tone of a voice, the glance of an eye, the motion of a hand, and the love or hate once given, the prejudice for or against, is seldom wholly overcome."

"Indeed," said Charman, "I believe in first impressions."

"Being a woman," said I, "being a woman," she nodded; "and the instinct of dog and child and woman has often proved true in the end."

"Surely instinct is always true!" said I—"I thank you for another pig, but, strangely enough, dogs generally make friends with me very readily, and the few children to whom I've spoken have neither screamed nor run away from me. Still, as I said before, I am aware that my looks are scarcely calculated to gain the love of man, woman, or child; not that it matters greatly, seeing that I am able to hold very high converse with either."

"There is one woman, Peter, to whom you have talked by the hour together—"

"And who is doubtless a weary enough of it all—more especially of Epictetus and Trojan Helen."

"Two lumps of sugar, Peter?"

"Thank you, women! very like flowers—I mean."

"That is a very profane remark, sir!—more especially coming from one who has studied and known woman-kind so deeply."

"Is it so very chasty, indeed? I should be allowed to waste their sweetest on the desert air."

"And philosophical blacksmiths, Peter?"

"More so if they be poor blacksmiths."

"I said 'philosophical, Peter.'"

"You probably find your situation horribly lonely here?" I went on after a pause.

"Yes; it's nice and lonely, Peter."

"And, undoubtedly, this cottage is very poor and mean, and—or—humble?" Charman smiled and shook his head.

"But then, Charman Brown is a very humble person, sir."

"And you haven't even the luxury of mirrors to dress your hair by?"

"Is it so very chasty dressed, sir?"

"No, no," said I humbly, "indeed I was thinking—"

"Well, Peter?"

"That it was very—beautiful!"

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"Surely instinct is always true!" said I—"



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# The Broad Highway

Jeffery Farnold

"Which We Call Life"

(Continued from yesterday.)

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"Why, Peter!" she exclaimed, "you look like—"

"A very low fellow!" said I, "say a village blacksmith who has been at his anvil."

"If you only had rings in your ears, and a scarf round your head, you would be the image of a Spanish brigand—or like the man Mins whose exploits 'The Gazette' is full of—a Spanish general, I think."

"A guerrilla leader," said I, taking my place at the table, "and a singularly cold-blooded villain—indeed I think it probable that we much resemble one another; is it any wonder that I am shunned by my kind—avoided by the ignorant and regarded as a man of the past?"

"Why Peter!" said Charman, regarding me with grave eyes, "what do you mean?"

"I mean that the country folk hereabouts go out of their way to avoid crossing my path—not that I suppose they ever heard of Mins, but because of my looks."

"Your looks?"

"They think me possessed of the Evil Eye! or some such folly—may I cut you a piece of bread?"

"Oh, Peter!"

"Already, by divers honest-hearted rustics, I am credited with having cast a deadly spell upon certain unfortunate pigs, with having fought hand to hand with the hosts of the nethermost pit, and with having sold my soul to the devil—may I trouble you to pass the butter?"

"Oh, Peter, how foolish of them!"

"And how excusable! considering their ignorance and superstition," said I, "Mins, I am well aware, is not a man who wins the heart of man, woman, or child; they (especially women and children) share, in common with dogs and horses, that divine attribute which, for want of a better name, we call 'instinct,' whereby they love or hate for the mere tone of a voice, the glance of an eye, the motion of a hand, and the love or hate once given, the prejudice for, or against, is seldom wholly overcome."

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"Surely instinct is always true?"

"I'd thank you for another cup of tea—yet, strangely enough, does generally make friends with me very readily, and the few children to whom I've spoken have neither screamed nor run away from me. Still, as I said before, I am aware that my looks are scarcely calculated to gain the love of man, woman, or child; not that it matters greatly, seeing that I am likely to hold very little converse with either."

"There is one woman, Peter, to whom you have talked by the hour to gether—"

"And who is doubtless a weary enough of it all—more especially of Epictetus and Trojan Helen."

"Two lumps of sugar, Peter?"

"Thank you, I am well aware, is not a flower," I began.

"That is a very profound remark, sir!—more especially coming, from one who has studied and known a woman, kind so deeply."

"—and it is a pity that they should be allowed to 'waste their awesiveness on the desert air.'"

"And philosophical blacksmiths, Peter?"

"More so if they be poor blacksmiths."

"I said 'philosophical,' Peter."

"You probably find your situation horribly lonely here? I went on after a pause."

"Yes; it's nice and lonely, Peter."

"And, undoubtedly, this cottage is very poor and mean, and—er—humble?" Charman smiled and shook her head.

"But then, Charman Brown is a very humble person, sir."

"And you haven't even the luxury of a mirror to dress your hair by?"

"It is it very clumsily dressed, sir?"

"No, no," said I hastily, "indeed I was thinking—"

"Well, Peter?"

"That it was very—beautiful!"

"Why, you told me that last night—come, what do you think of this morning?"

"With those leaves in it—it is—er—more so!"

"Charman laughed, and, rising, swept me a stately courtesy."

"After all, sir, we find there be exceptions to every rule!"

"You mean?"

"Even blacksmiths!"

And in a while, having finished my breakfast, I rose, and, taking my hat, bade Charman "good morning," and so came to the door. But on the way, she had risen, and stood leaning with one hand on the table; now in the other she held the breakfast, and her eyes were upon mine.


"And lo! wonder of wonders! once again, but this time sudden and swift—up from the round, full column of her throat, up over cheek and brow there rushed that vivid tide of color; her eyes grew suddenly deep and soft, and then were hidden 'neath her lashes—and, in that same moment, the knife slipped from her grasp, and falling, point downwards, stood quivering in the floor between us—an ugly thing that gleamed evilly."

Was this an omen—a sign vouchsafed of that which dark and terrible, was, even then, marching to meet us upon this Broad Highway? O blind, and more than blind!

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It will be the first party, by the way, which has ever been organized to go as far west and north as this party will reach, Skagway, Alaska, and en route the members of the party will travel in the greatest luxury and comfort. There will be a special train from Toronto to the Prince Rupert, some eight days on a magnificent Grand Trunk Pacific steamer, and returning east a special train from Vancouver to Detroit, Mich., and thence by water to Niagara Falls.

The Standard has made arrangements whereby New Brunswick will be represented in the membership of the party and a delegation will be sent from this Province to share in the wonderful delights of the outing. In fact all of the Provinces of Canada, and a dozen of the American States will be represented by delegations who will have the pleasure of travelling together for a month, exchanging impressions and discussing with each other the interesting problems of the day.

It is a splendid movement so far as Canada is concerned for a hundred representatives from the United States to travel across our great Dominion, and will be made far more interesting from the fact that there will be almost an equal number of talented Canadians who will mingle with the party and be able to give the guests from the other side of the International boundary lines interesting facts and in formation regarding our great Canadian land.

En route the New Brunswick party will have an opportunity to visit Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Edmonton, the thrilling Canadian Rockies, Prince Rupert, Vancouver, and returning will get a chance to do some sight-seeing in Seattle, Portland, Ore., Spokane, Glacier National Park, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

The Runch Bowl Falls - Jasper Park, Alberta.

# See the Rockies at their Best

### Offered By The Standard To Its Friends

A more complete or wonderful outing could not be arranged. In addition to the special train trip taking in the cities just mentioned, there will be eight days on a Pacific Coast steamer which will be the striking feature of the entire outing. The party will sail from Prince Rupert for Ketchikan, Juneau, and Skagway, Alaska, and returning down the coast will have some 1,200 miles to Vancouver.

No description can do justice to this Pacific Coast trip. It is all in that famous "Inside Passage" the mainland on one side and the islands on the other, so that it is not unlike a trip up the St. John river with this distinction, that the Pacific Coast trip is through the world's most stupendous scenery. From the deck of the steamer, so close that a stone can be thrown to the shore at times, there is a constant succession of the most thrilling scenery. Gigantic mountains going up one and two miles into the air, great glaciers, lovely valleys, majestic rivers, and in fact a succession of thrilling scenery, so that no description is so accurate as that of a great moving picture.

This trip has been called sailing through the "Norway of America" and when it is taken into account that the scenery far out-rivals anything that Norway in Europe, or Japan, or New Zealand has to offer in the way of scenic splendor, some idea may be gleaned of the pleasures which await the newspaper party this summer. The "Inside Passage" is so protected that rough water and sea sickness are unknown there.

The entire outing will be free to the members of the newspaper party. All the expenses are paid by the newspapers from start to finish. The Standard will leave the matter of selecting the members of the New Brunswick party to its readers. That a splendidly representative party, one that the entire Province will be proud of is assured. New Brunswick should be represented by a delegation who will command the respect and admiration of the American guests, who will be able to give a good account of themselves and create a splendid impression for the Province.

Educationally the outing is the finest that has ever been offered a delegation of Canadians. To travel across this great Dominion and see it as the members of this party will see Canada in all her glorious extent will be an education in itself.

Full particulars of the wonderful outing will be published from day to day, and tremendous interest will be manifested in the make-up of the party selected to represent this Province.

leave; It's the beauty that thrills me with wonder; It's the stillness that thrills me with peace. The members of the newspaper party who visit Alaska this summer will enjoy sharing in the greatest history trip of the century. It will be the most satisfied party that has ever visited Alaska.

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**THE WEATHER.**

Forecast.

Maritime—Moderate westerly and northerly winds, fair and comparatively cool.

Washington, April 19.—Forecast: Northern New England—Cloudy, Thursday and Friday rising temperature; moderate variable winds.

Toronto, April 19.—The disturbance which was over the southwest states last night is moving slowly toward the Great Lakes, and showers have occurred in the Peninsula of Ontario. Local showers have also occurred in the Maritime Provinces and in Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

**Temperatures.**

City	Min.	Max.
Victoria	40	48
Vancouver	40	50
Kamloops	34	52
Calgary	30	54
Medicine Hat	26	62
Edmonton	30	50
Battleford	34	36
Prince Albert	30	38
Moose Jaw	30	44
Regina	34	50
Winnipeg	38	58
Port Arthur	32	46
Parry Sound	26	50
London	30	52
Toronto	34	50
Kingston	30	58
Ottawa	32	54
Montreal	36	52
Quebec	34	46
St. John	34	48
Halifax	32	44

**COME FROM IRELAND TO DON UNIFORM**

**Thomas R. Hunt Anxious to Do His "Bit"—Three Men Enrolled Yesterday.**

**ROLL OF HONOR.**

Thomas R. Hunt, Dublin, Ire.  
H. P. Oakes, Fairville.  
Allen E. Smith, Fredericton.

Three men were signed on yesterday at the German street rooms but only one was for the 115th. One man, Thomas R. Hunt, came all the way from Ireland to enlist, he arrived on the Metagama, and made for the recruiting office yesterday as soon as he landed. Forty men are wanted for No. 7 Overseas Siege Battery, they must be 5 feet, eight inches in height. Two blacksmiths and one wheelwright are needed for this unit.

The King George has sent out a request that no salute be fired on his birthday, as no public dinners held, as he feels that this is not a time for such things, while the Empire is fighting for its existence.

**HEAVY VOTE EXPECTED ON MONDAY NEXT**

**Candidates Have Many Friends Working Throughout the City.**

The aspirants for civic honors in next Monday's election were busy yesterday. From present appearances an immense vote will be polled. Quite a number of voters who are out of the city will be coming for Easter and most of these will probably go to the polls. This class of voters does not include the commercial travellers of the city who have voted. It is expected that more commercial travellers and more soldiers will vote on polling day than at the primaries last Monday.

Then there are 1,700 ladies who can exercise the right of franchise. Whether these will vote at the immediate members of their families advise or for the best looking candidates is one of the unsolved problems of the campaign.

The officials at the polling districts will be practically the same as on April 10. Clerk Wardrop is in charge of the work of manning the polling booths and will have a conference with polling officials probably on Saturday. An the vote will undoubtedly be much heavier Easter Monday than on April 10, the returns may be later although there are no votes on the form of government to count.

Mayor Pritch and Commissioner McLellan expect to be re-elected, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Fisher, Mr. Sharp and Mr. Sugrue are also confident. The friends of all the candidates are exerting their utmost to get the vote for their favorites, and it is expected that there will be much campaigning work done, a large part of it in a quiet way, between now and polling day.

**CHEERS GREET THE SOLDIERS ON METAGAMA**

**Hearty Reception for Returned Heroes who Landed Yesterday—26th Men Aboard.**

The men who arrived on the Metagama were given a great reception yesterday morning when they landed. A guard of honor was drawn up and formed a lane from the gangway to the train and cheer after cheer was sent up as the boys passed through. The band of the battalion was also present and played a number of patriotic airs. The Soldiers' Welcome Committee were also out in force distributing reading matter and treats among the boys.

Lieut. Col. R. H. Simpson, former provincial treasurer in the Roblin government in Manitoba, and whose name has been mentioned in connection with the Kelly matter, was a passenger on her and was one of the medical officers in charge of the party. He refused to say anything in regard to this matter other than that he was going to Winnipeg as soon as he had taken his men to the discharge depot. He said the boys at the front were enjoying themselves and they were all right.

26th Men Home.

Several Maritime men returned on the Metagama, two of whom were members of the Fighting 26th; they were Alexander Anderson of this city and K. C. Storey of St. Stephen, P.E. Anderson was in considerable of the fighting done by the 26th and was lucky enough to escape wounds, but he was taken sick and had to come home on that account. He was sorry to leave the boys but it could not be helped.

Pte. Storey took a hand in the famous crater fight. He was one of a party in the trench throwing smoke bombs to hide the advance of the storming party. He was in the trenches when Major Belyea was wounded and Lieut. Lawson killed. The battalion had had a warm time of it since they went into the trenches and he was sorry to hear that they had suffered so severely of late. When told that they were out for a rest he said they had sure earned it if anybody had. St. John ought to be proud of the 26th and the record they had made.

**Look Up Your Fishing Tackle**

It wants, now, but few weeks of the time when you'll be making ready for your May fishing trip, and, as you look forward to sport with Rod, Reel and Fly, you will be wise to spend your earliest leisure in overhauling your fishing kit and noting just what is needed, that nothing be missing the day you start out. In our sporting department you will find the finest and most complete line of Angling Requirements in town, including Forest's famous Trout and Salmon Flies, Mallard's Fly Boxes, Trout Reels and Salmon Reels, Bristol's Steel Fishing Rods, also a full range of Fishing Tackle from other reliable makers.

LET US SUPPLY YOUR NEEDS.

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**Around the City**

**Arrested Last Night.**

A half dozen drunks were arrested last night by the police. Two of the number are Austrians.

**Found by Police.**

A pair of gold-rimmed spectacles found by the police on a Charlotte street last night await the owner at police headquarters.

**St. John Clergyman Returning.**

Word was recently received from the Rev. H. E. Thomas that owing to ill health he expected to soon return to St. John.

**115th.**

Yesterday morning was spent by the men of the 115th in routine work around the barracks. The afternoon was spent in route marching under company commanders. Today Lieut. Allingham will be orderly officer, the officers of the guard will be Lieuts. Price and FitzRandolph, the picket officer will be Lieut. Clarkson. The day will be spent in routine work.

**140th.**

Yesterday the battalion was inspected by the O. C. Lieut. Col. Beer and came through the ordeal with flying colors. Today the officer of the day will be Lieut. C. P. Grauman. The battalion will have a route march and field day, they will start out in the morning, take their dinners with them and be away all day.

**MUSICAL SERVICE AND PRESENTATION**

A large congregation was present last night at the special Holy Week service in St. John (Stone) Church, in which was included Stainer's "The Crucifixion." The soloists were Mrs. G. K. Bell, Mrs. S. H. Hartson, T. Guy, C. A. Munro, A. G. Burnham and W. H. Holder. "The Prelude to Parsifal" (Wagner), was rendered with fine effect by Prof. D. Arnold Fox, the mixed quartet, so characteristic of Wagner, sang Prof. Fox a splendid opportunity to demonstrate the quality of the magnificent instrument over which he presides, and his command of it, an opportunity of which he took full advantage. All the soloists were in splendid voice, and the chorus were of the choir could hardly be improved on. A silver offering was taken for the organ fund.

A particularly interesting feature of the evening was the presentation to G. Burnham of a handsome silver ring, in appreciation of his long service of forty-six years in the choir of the church. During all that time Mr. Burnham has been very faithful in his attendance at his duties as a member of the choir and has rendered valuable service in the musical activities of the church.

**Campbellton Man.**

Dennis Young of Campbellton was in the 2nd Brigade, C.E.A. He spent fourteen months on the firing line and would be there yet only for the fact that a German shell which burst near him affected his hearing so badly that he was unable to hear an order given three feet away. This same shell killed a number of his comrades.

Speaking of the work of the artillery he said they were busy all the time and were firing three shells to every one sent over by the Germans. At the point where he was they had three guns so well concealed that the enemy dropped a shell now and then among them. He believed that the artillery of the Allies would decide the day in their favor on the western front. His only regret was that he had not been able to stay and be in at the finish.

**Pre-Easter Specials in Trimmed Hats**

**SURPASSING VALUES**

Every day brings us fresh arrivals of the smartest New York productions in Feminine Headwear for Easter and the spring season, and we have just opened a special importation—chosen expressly for this week—which now awaits your inspection.

It needs no telling that our Trimmed Hats, (in which we specialize), while following closely Fashion's latest fancies, possess those points of difference so much admired and sought by particular dressers.

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**Shipbuilders Wanted.**

The Board of Trade has received a communication from an Upper Canadian firm asking for the names of reliable shipbuilders from this city.

**Presentation at the Royal.**

Miss Kew, who has resigned her position as housekeeper at the Royal Hotel, was presented with a handsome travelling bag and other useful articles by the staff.

**New Schedule in Effect.**

The steamer Calvin Austin, Capt. Mitchell, sailed yesterday for Maine ports and Boston on the new bi-weekly schedule. The steamer will leave here next Saturday night for Boston direct.

**Jordan Mill to be Rebuilt.**

The Jordan Lumber Co.'s mill at Milford, Me., which was burned last week, is to be rebuilt. The boiler and engine room were not destroyed. The loss is \$20,000 and is covered by insurance.

**Dalhousie Child Drowned in River.**

Bernadette Senette, of Dalhousie, aged five years, strayed away from her home on Monday afternoon and was found drowned later in the day by a searching party. She had gone to the beach and had ventured on broken ice.

**Y.M.C.A. BOYS ENTERTAIN 140TH**

The boys of the Mosonas Bible Study Class of the Y. M. C. A. hiked over to the military Y. M. C. A. rooms of the 140th Battalion on the west side last night and gave a splendid entertainment. The young men were assisted by the young ladies of the Carleton Methodist church, who took part in the musical portion of the programme and also distributed refreshments.

Charles Cronwell gave an exhibition of club swinging and Mr. Barnall, a musical bell solo. Alexander McIntosh gave a recitation and several of the young ladies sang.

One of the features of the evening was a humorous sketch on life at the front. Those who took part were Clinton Regan, Laurence Manning, John Jordan, Sam McCavour, Arthur Clark, Horace Watmore and Alexander McIntosh.

The attendance was large and the entertainment was greatly appreciated by the boys of the 140th.

**\$500 BLAZE IN FRAME BUILDING ON MARSH ROAD**

Fire was discovered in a rear room on the upper floor of Charles F. Fenell's two-story dwelling at 333 Marsh Road, about one o'clock yesterday afternoon. The house is situated near the premises of the Crosby Molasses Co. Ltd. A still alarm was sent in to No. 4 fire station, City Road, and the motor chemical engine again demonstrated its value. Being driven at top speed the big engine was soon at the scene of the blaze. The flames were confined to the upper portion of the dwelling and after a hard fight the flames were extinguished. The damage by fire and water will amount to about \$500 and Mr. Fenell wishes to thank the fire department for the valuable services of the engine and crew. It is stated that if the engine had not been available there were good chances of the building having been destroyed.

**Other Maritime Men.**

Corporal N. Bailey of Dartmouth, N.S., enlisted and went over with the 25th Battalion. He was one of the boys who were in the front trench one day waiting for something to happen, when along came a big German shell which struck the parapet and exploded. When the dust cleared away a number of them were wounded and buried in the ruins. When they dug them out a few were dead and the rest were sent to hospital where most of them recovered. Corporal Bailey was at one time in the Imperial army and belonged to the Royal Engineers. Other Maritime Province men were Pte. James McKinnon of Glouce Bay, of the 40th Battalion; Pte. W. R. Andrews, of Elmstale, N. S.; 2nd Pioneer Battalion; Pte. A. Nicholson, of West Harbor, N. S.; 25th Battalion, and Pte. J. E. McKinnon of Bear River, N. S.; 17th Battalion, discharged and sent home on account of illness.

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**COL. DAIGLE TELLS OF RECRUITING WORK**

Lieut. Col. Daigle of the 165th (French Canadian) Battalion, who was at the Victoria last night, said that he had six hundred men on the pay roll. Major J. A. Leger has been recruiting in Madawaska during the past fortnight and has done very well. Col. Daigle said "Transfers of Acadians from other battalions to the 165th have been authorized and will probably be made within a short time."

Capt. Langis, formerly connected with a bank at Moncton, has been appointed regimental paymaster. Capt. Ruth Arsenault is acting adjutant of the battalion.

The Acadian people of Moncton, Shediac and other places are contributing funds to equip a band for the 165th. Capt. John Malenfant, who is a noted musician, and other musical members of the unit, are enthusiastic and expect to organize one of the best militia bands in the province.

**On the River.**

The steamer Champlain came down yesterday bringing quite a large freight. She only went as far as Neters wharf as the ice is still solid at the head of the Belleisle and it will be Saturday before she is able to reach Hatfield Point. The Majestic arrived from Oromocto with a quantity of freight. The captain reports very little ice running in the river.

**Bibles Will Be Higher.**

And now is the Bible which is affected by the high cost of raw materials. The American Bible Society announces that the prices of Bibles have been increased generally because of the heavy cost of paper, ink, cloth, type metal and other materials that are used in book making. Many publishing houses are considering the advisability of raising the prices of other publications.

Bell boy wanted. Apply at Clifton House.

**JUVENILE COURT**

Three boys, charged with breaking and entering and theft, pleaded guilty in the Juvenile Court yesterday morning. They claimed that a fourth boy, who had not been captured was the leader. Two of the youngsters were allowed to go with their parents. One boy, who had been in court on four previous occasions, was detained. The prisoners will appear in court again this afternoon.

Today is Maundy Thursday. Extra services will be held today in the Roman churches and some of the Episcopal churches of the city. In the churches of the former denomination the Blessed Sacrament will be carried from the high altars and placed in a repository until Saturday. Stainer's oratorio, "The Crucifixion," was sung at the Stone church last evening.

Will you take time to examine our diamond display and compare our prices with those offered by Toronto, Montreal or local houses. Will you accept an invitation to stop in and permit us to show you what we have and what we can do in the way of diamonds? Allan Gundry.

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**LADIES' SUITS FOR EASTER.**

Most ladies like exclusive styles, that is something that they can call individual. Very often they have to pay dearly to get this, but at F. A. Dykeman & Co's in suits ranging from \$25.00 up a lady can select one there and feel assured that she will not see duplicates on a person that she would not like to be classed with. The lines that they sell they usually control for St. John and the styles are right up to the minute. This is without doubt the place in St. John to buy ladies' suits. Their prices run from \$11.95 to \$35.00.

**140th Band Fund.**

The Standard has received from a member of the 140th Battalion a contribution of \$1.00 towards the band fund. This brings the total up to \$1,231.32. It would appear that individual subscriptions have not reached their limit. The remaining few hundred dollars necessary to secure the complete equipment will be raised in other ways.

Great removal sale of millinery at Mrs. I. Brown's, 38 Sydney street. Latest style millinery at greatly reduced prices.

**Manchesters' Easter Blouses**

This is a fine showing of Easter novelties in Blouse Waists offering a wide range of new and exclusive designs in all the most popular materials and fashionable styles and affording exceptionally good opportunities in the way of values.

CREPE DE CHINE BLOUSES in Ivory, fresh maize, navy, Copenhagen. Sizes 34 to 44. Each ..... \$3.00 to \$5.75

GEORGETTE CREPE BLOUSES in Ivory, flesh, navy. Sizes 34 to 42. Each ..... \$5.75 to \$6.75

JAPANESE SILK BLOUSES, Ivory, in a variety of styles. Sizes 34 to 44. Each ..... \$2.10 to \$4.25

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SUEDE GLOVES, Black, Tans, Greys. Pair ..... \$1.90

CHAMOIS GLOVES, White or Natural. Pair ..... \$1.35 to \$3.25

LONG WHITE GLOVES. Pair ..... \$1.75 to \$3.25

SILK GLOVES, Two-dome Fasteners in Black, White and colors. Pair ..... 75c. and \$1.00

SILK GLOVES in Black, White and colors. Pair ..... 95c. to \$1.50

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LAWN HANDKERCHIEFS in White and colors. Each ..... 10c. to 20c.

CREPE DE CHINE HANDKERCHIEFS, assorted colors. Each ..... 20c. to 75c.

LACE EDGE HANDKERCHIEFS. Each ..... 40c.

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CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS. Each ..... 5c. to 25c.

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, three in box for ..... 25c.

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