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RUSSIANS SCORE ANOTHER STRIKING VICTORY; EIGHT KILLED IN ZEPPELIN RAID ON LONDON

LAST LINE OF AUSTRIAN DEFENCES ON STRIPA HAVE BEEN PIERCED BY RUSSIA

Czar's Army Routes Three Austrian Divisions Inflicting Hard Blow On Enemy in Eastern Galicia — One of Strongest Points of Austro-German Right Flank Stormed — No Change in West.

Petrograd, Oct. 13, via London.—Another striking victory has been won by the Russians on the southern front in Eastern Galicia. They have pierced the last line of Austrian defences on the Stripa river and stormed one of the strongest points on the Austro-German right flank.

London, Oct. 13.—The Near East, with the Austro-German and Bulgarian invasions of Serbia, the Anglo-French landing at Saloniki, the promised active intervention of Russia and the diplomatic possibilities in Greece and Roumania, continues to be the centre of interest throughout the belligerent countries.

The Serbians, although greatly outnumbered by armies with superior equipment, are making a stubborn defence of their country, and while the Austro-German progress is steady, it is very slow and probably will become slower still when the mountains where the Serbians are strongly entrenched are reached.

Of the Bulgarian campaign nothing new has been received since Nish reported the repulse of the invaders; while the movements of the Anglo-French and Russian forces have thus far been kept from the knowledge of the public. The Russians have no easy task before them if they intend to land in Bulgaria. Varna and other Bulgarian ports on the Black Sea, where a landing might be made, have been strongly fortified under the direction of German officers and are protected by mine fields.

The Russians could sail down the Danube, as that is an international waterway, but it is doubtful if they have the necessary transport; while to come through Roumania would require the consent of the government of that country which, although considered friendly to the Entente Powers, might not wish to risk the displeasure of Germany.

Some disappointment is expressed here at the decision of Italy not to participate. Italy has laid claim to great influence in the Balkans and is known to have aspirations in Asia Minor which the junction of Germans and Turks, it is pointed out, would virtually bring to an end. With superior forces and excellent transport facilities, the view is held in London that Italy is in a better position than any of the Allies to lend a hand and the hope is expressed that she will yet do so.

No Change in West.

In the meantime the Allies are closely watching developments in the internal situation in Bulgaria, where many of the people are averse to fighting against the Allies, particularly Russia. It is reported from Paris tonight that Gen. Savoff, former Bulgarian minister of war and former commander-in-chief of the Bulgarian army, has resigned his command rather than fight against Russia. It is thought that the landing of Russians in Bulgaria might result in a change in the policy of that country even thus late in the day.

There is little or no change on the western front, the fighting again being for the trenches, with fluctuating successes. The Allies maintain all their larger gains and are pressing the Germans in Flanders and Champagne.

In the East the Russians have won an important victory in Galicia, routing three Austro-German divisions on the Stripa river.

In the north they have pushed Field Marshal Von Hindenburg several miles farther west of Dvinsk, and are again approaching the Dvinsk-Vilna railway. The activity of the British submarines in the Baltic continues and Germany is now conveying her steamers to and from Sweden.

Fierce German Attacks Around Souchez and Vimy. Paris, Oct. 13 (10.50 p. m.)—Strong German forces attacked the French lines around Souchez and Vimy today. A violent bombardment preceded the infantry attacks, which were renewed from time to time and desperately carried out. The Germans succeeded in penetrating some of the trenches which had been badly shelled by the shells, but according to the French official statement issued tonight, were repulsed everywhere else with heavy losses.

The text of the communication follows:

"The enemy renewed today, with strong forces, his attacks to the north-east of Souchez against the wood 'Le Bois de Hache', to the east of the road from Souchez to Anghes, against our positions on the approaches to the five highways on the crest of Vimy, against the small fort previously taken by us in the Givenchy woods, and the neighbouring trenches.

"Despite the extreme violence of these attacks, despite the desperate nature of the renewed assaults, the enemy was able to penetrate only some parts of the trenches, in the Givenchy wood which had been completely shattered by shells of heavy calibre. Everywhere else we coped with our positions and repulsed the assaults of the Germans, who suffered very heavy losses.

"Artillery actions of particular intensity are reported to the south of the Somme, in the sector of Lihons, in Champagne, to the north of Soissons and Massignes; in Aronne, to the north of La Harazee, and between the Meuse and the Moselle, to the north of Filirey.

"In the Vosges we dispersed, by our fire, an enemy attack against our positions in the valley of La Lauche.

The Belgian official statement reads: "The enemy artillery has displayed much activity along all the front, bombarding Furnes, Pervyse, Rousdamme, Caeskerke, Reninghe, Noordschoote and Oostveltern. Our batteries retaliated on the entrenchments at Saint Pierre Capelle and Bulchook. They dispersed groups of enemy foot soldiers at divers points on the front. A minor infantry attack was easily repulsed by our fire."

Berlin Reports Progress Against Serbia. Berlin via London, Oct. 13.—The Austro-German invasion of Serbia is making progress, the war office announced today, although the Serbians by their resistance are interfering to some extent with the advance. A village and other positions south of Belgrade have been captured.

The war office communication in regard to the Balkan campaign follows: "The resistance of the Serbians was sufficient to hold up only slightly our forward movement. South of Belgrade the village of Zalesnik and the heights east of the village, on both sides of Topiderska, were stormed."

Shelling German Communications. London, Oct. 13.—The correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung at the German main headquarters on the western front telegraphs that the artillery duel in the Champagne is continuing with great violence, says a Reuter despatch from Amsterdam.

The French, the correspondent says, are particularly attempting to disturb the lines of communication of the Germans by the fire of heavy calibre guns. Salient points in the German position, such as Tabure and Somme-Fy, are suffering heavily, he says.

Russian Report. Petrograd, Oct. 13, via London, Oct. 14.—The following official communication from general headquarters was issued tonight:

"On the western front, in the Riga region, east of Lake Babite, we captured a German hydro-aeroplane. On the front of the Dvinsk region all our attacks were repulsed. An engagement in the region of Schlossberg, west of Ilnouk, ended in our occupation of the heights northwest of this village.

"During the night, the Germans attempted to recover the positions lost but failed. The cannonade continues on the whole front. The Germans repeatedly attempted to re-establish their positions in the region of the village of Talski, south of Lake Demen, but after suffering severe losses gave up the attempts. In the region east of the village of Gavrentsky, the

Germans twice attacked us but were repulsed. "Notwithstanding the violent German fire our troops by fighting gained their way across the isthmus between the lakes south of Dreviaty. In the region between Lake Narotche and Vichnevolok there have been lively artillery duels."

SIR EDW. CARSON DENIES STORY OF RESIGNATION

Reported He Disagreed With His Colleagues in Regard to Balkan Policy.

London, Oct. 13.—A report having become current today that Sir Edwin Carson, attorney-general in the British cabinet, had resigned, the attorney-general this evening issued a denial of the report of his resignation.

The report, which was circulated in the lobby of the House of Commons, had attributed the attorney-general's supposed action to a divergence of opinion with the cabinet in respect to its Balkan policy.

GREECE REFUSES TO HELP SERBIA AGAINST BULGARS

Treaty of 1911 Does Not Cover Present Situation, Government's Reply to Serbian Note Says.

Athens, Tuesday, Oct. 12, via Paris, Oct. 13.—The Greek reply to Serbia's representations that the Bulgarian attack on Serbia completes the act of aggression contemplated under the treaty of alliance between Greece and Serbia, and asking if the Greek government is ready to enter action against Bulgaria, was delivered today.

Beginning with the declaration that "the royal government greatly regrets that it is unable to accede to Serbia's request," the reply explains that the alliance of 1911, while foreseeing Bulgaria's aggression, was limited to preserving an equilibrium among the Balkan States.

"The preamble of the treaty," the reply continues, "defines it as of purely Balkan character not applying to a general confederation. Both the treaty of alliance and the military convention completing it prove in the first article, that the contracting parties contemplated only isolated attacks by Bulgaria against one of them."

The note minutely argues that the treaty does not cover the situation which has arisen today—a situation in which "Greece might destroy herself without hope of saving Serbia, which cannot wish such a result."

It is added that "common interests demand that the Greek forces still be kept in reserve for a better use later." The note concludes with the declaration that Greece intends to remain an armed neutral, and "assures" Serbia that Greece will continue to give her every assistance and facility, compatible with Greece's exclusively international position.

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BULGARIAN DIVISION ALMOST ANNIHILATED BY SERBIANS IN FIERCE BATTLE

Bulletin—Paris, Oct. 14.—Private advices are to the effect that the Bulgarian division was almost annihilated in a fierce battle near Krageyevatz, Serbia, says a despatch to the Havas Agency from Bucharest, dated Tuesday and delayed in transmission.

Paris, Oct. 14.—A despatch to the Havas Agency from Turnu-Severin, on the Danube in Western Roumania, dated Tuesday, says:

"The Bulgarians bombarded a Serbian train laden with munitions yesterday between the stations of Badjiltza and Zalcar. They destroyed the station at Tabacovatz and a number of wagons. Another Bulgarian attack in the Vrato-region is reported."

MORE ECONOMY BY INDIVIDUAL IS NECESSARY

Civil Population Must Stint Itself and Rearrange Whole Mode of Living to Help Bear War Burden, Financial Secretary of British Treasury Says.

London, Oct. 13.—The man who did not study the idea of having half his income available for the state was not doing his duty, said Edwin Samuel Montagu, financial secretary of the treasury, in replying in the House of Commons today to criticisms of the new taxes imposed by the budget of Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer. Mr. Montagu, in his speech, dwelt upon the magnitude of the burden cast upon the country by the war.

"We have had to keep and continue to keep," said Mr. Montagu, "an impregnable navy. We have paid and continue to pay for an army which has increased from a few thousands of men to an army which runs into millions. We are financing by loans to our great dominions part of their expenditure on the contingents which are helping us to fight. We are paying, as regards India, the whole cost of the Indian contingents, except their normal peace expenditure.

"We have advanced to the Allies such a sum as it was estimated would equip and maintain in the field 3,000,000 of their soldiers. We have a right to an amount of our share, and we ought to be proud of the way in which the proposals for meeting the war expenditure have been received by all classes."

Mr. Montagu added that the country had not yet bent itself to the task of meeting the obligations imposed by burdens which involved an expenditure amounting to not less than two-thirds of the entire estimated national yearly income. Therefore it followed, he said, that every citizen ought to be prepared to put not less than half his current income at the disposal of the state, either by tax or loan.

Individual Must Cut Down On Luxuries. To do this, Mr. Montagu continued, the civil population must stint itself and rearrange its whole life with regard to the consumption of luxuries and foreign purchased goods. There would, however, be still more money left in the pockets of the people that would have to be got later by loan taxation, and this had caused a feeling of relief and given an assurance that the country could continue to finance the war.

Mr. Montagu said, in conclusion, that the chancellor of the exchequer intended to develop with all possible rapidity a compulsory taxation system for the country, but that this in itself would not be adequate to the case, and voluntary savings were essential to an ultimate victory.

Mr. Alfred Mond and other free traders protested against the import duties imposed by the budget, while

ZEPPELIN RAIDERS ADD ANOTHER TO LIST OF FAILURES

Destruction of Innocent Lives Only Result of Latest Attack on London—Material Damage Slight and Raid Useless from Military Standpoint.

London, Oct. 14 (12.30 a. m.)—Zeppelin airships have made another raid over London, dropping bombs, eight persons are declared to have been killed, and about thirty-four injured. The material damage done is said to have been small.

The Home Office, shortly after midnight issued the following report on the raid:

"A Zeppelin raid was made yesterday evening over a portion of the London area, when a certain number of incendiary and explosive bombs were dropped. The material damage done was small. A few fires resulted, but they were quickly put out by the fire brigade. The Admiralty will issue a statement today, when particulars are available."

"At present it is only possible to say that no public buildings were injured, and that the casualties, so far reported, number two women and six men killed and about 34 injured. With the exception of a soldier killed, all these were civilians. "These figures include all the casualties reported at 11.45 o'clock Wednesday evening."

Serbians Charge Thro' Clouds of Gas and Drive Back Austrians

BRITISH JURIST HONORED BY U.S. SUPREME COURT

Baron Reading, Lord Chief Justice of England, Occupies Seat on Bench Beside Chief Justice of United States.

Washington, Oct. 13.—For the third time in the memory of court officials a foreign jurist today had the honor of sitting with the supreme court of the United States. The visitor was Baron Reading, Lord Chief Justice of England, in America as chairman of the Anglo-French financial commission.

When the court convened for the afternoon session Baron Reading walked in with Chief Justice White, who ushered him to a seat at the right of his own place in a chair placed on the bench for the occasion. For an hour and a half the head of the English law courts listened to arguments on the constitutionality of the North Dakota tax on express receipts.

RATE OF EXCHANGE HURTING CANADIAN WAR CONTRACTS

Special to The Standard. Sussex, Oct. 13.—Two recruits were secured for the 88th Battalion at a meeting held at Hatfield's Point last night. The men who signed on were: Elmer Cole and James Lester Cowan. Several others will join later. Rev. M. E. Courton and J. D. McKenna were the speakers. Meetings will be held next week as follows: Monday night, Penobscus; Tuesday night, Upham; Wednesday night, Newton; and Thursday night, Head of Millstream. Seventeen men went from Collins Corner yesterday to join the 88th at Sussex.

Winnipeg, Oct. 13.—Dolores, the fourteen months old daughter of John McGillis, telegraph operator at Greenbush, Northern Manitoba, was huggled by a pet bear and died of a fractured skull.

Don Marks After Enemy Bombarded Their Positions with Asphyxiating Shells and Put Austrians to Route.

Nish, Tuesday, Oct. 12, via Paris, Oct. 13, (Delayed)—The official statement of the situation in the Serbian war theatre, covering October 11 and the night of October 11-12, follows:

"On the Danube front fighting occurred south of Gradiste and southwest of Semendria. Semendria was evacuated in the direction of the village of Lipa. Near Semendria a fierce engagement was fought. The enemy succeeded in occupying Lipa, but at heavy cost.

"There has been no action since, as the enemy had such heavy losses; the battlefield is covered with bodies. The enemy also attacked near Belgrade, at Veliki, Mokri, Lous and Touriak.

"On the Save and Drina front there is nothing of importance to report."

The official statement, referring to previous actions, says:

"On the ninth, in the fighting north of Pojarechec (Pozarevac), one of our battalions reached an enemy battery but was unable to bring the captured battery back to our lines. Our troops dismounted the guns and brought back all the machine guns except two; the men carrying the latter were killed on the way.

"On the 10th the enemy opened a violent bombardment of our positions at Zabrezze. He used asphyxiating shells, which, however, caused no disorder. Our soldiers immediately donned masks, and a detachment charged the enemy through the cloud of gas. Taken by surprise, the enemy retreated, some of the troops even recrossing the Save. Three hours later the enemy renewed the attack, preceding it by a further bombardment of gas shells, but when the enemy troops charged, our men not only repulsed them but captured an officer and thirty soldiers."

HUGGED BY BEAR LITTLE GIRL DIES

BULGARIAN RAID ON GREEK TERRITORY

ANOTHER MEMBER OF 26th IN THE CASUALTY LIST

Pte. Alex. McDougall, of P. E. Island, Reported Wounded — Lt. Col. Casgrain, Brother of Postmaster-General, Seriously Ill in Hospital in Egypt.

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—The serious illness of Lieut. Col. H. R. Casgrain, of Windsor, Ont., a brother of Hon. T. Chase Casgrain, the Postmaster-General, is recorded in the casualty list issued at midnight. Col. Casgrain is in command of one of the Canadian stationary hospitals on duty in the Dardanelles.

Wounded. Major D. A. MacRae, 42 Duncan street, Halifax, N. S., Oct. 9, returned to duty Oct. 10. John Ashworth, 45 Prospect street, Reading, Mass.; John MacKenzie, Scotland.

PANIC-STRICKEN PEOPLE FLEEING FROM BELGRADE SHELLED BY CERMANS

Nish, Serbia, via Paris, Oct. 14.—A statement issued by the official press bureau says: "The bombardment of Belgrade, an open city, was undertaken by the enemy because he had failed to demoralize the Serbian troops by shelling their positions on the Save and the Danube."

Paris, Oct. 13.—The difficult reconstruction period after our Civil War is still remembered by all who had to do with the Southern States at that time. Whole departments of France have similarly to be reconstructed.

MELBA CONCERT IN AID OF RED CROSS LIKELY TO REALIZE OVER \$10,000

Montreal, Oct. 13.—The receipts from the concert given by Madame Melba in the Arena tonight in aid of the Red Cross Society funds will probably total about \$11,000. The seat sales amounted to something over \$10,000 and the sale of flags and programmes several hundred dollars.

DUMBA STAYS ABOARD SHIP AT FALMOUTH

Falmouth, Oct. 14.—Dr. Constantine T. Dumba, the former ambassador of Austria-Hungary to the United States, whose recall was requested by President Wilson, has arrived at this port on board the steamer Nieuw Amsterdam. He did not come ashore.

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MAKING OVER WAR-SCARRED COUNTRY

France Rapidly Rebuilding Sections Devastated by German Shells.

ASTONISHING RESULTS ALREADY ACCOMPLISHED

Houses Spring Up as if by Magic and Villages Resume Ssemblance of Ante-Bellum Appearance.

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WHAT THE PEASANTS FOUND

So it was through the whole stretch of hamlets and villages and towns and smiling farms which were swept over in those few September days by the Fourth German Army, commanded by Duke Ruprecht of Wurtemberg.

CATTLE AND FODDER PROVIDED

The next thing was to provide them with cattle and horses and fodder and wagons. One uninvaded department furnished 200 oxen. Another, in Brittany, gave 70,000 bushels of potatoes.



GENERAL CADORNA AND GENERAL JOFFRE STUDYING MAP FROM THE SPHERE

This picture was taken during General Joffre's visit in Italy, where he was presented to King Victor Emmanuel. In a tour of the front with the King and General Cadorna, commander of the Italian armies, the French chief was able to observe the progress made against the Austrians and the fine appearance and superb bearing of the Italian troops.

LIVELY ELECTION FIGHT IN PROGRESS IN SOUTH AFRICA

Chief Contests Between Both's Followers and Nationalists Who Opposed Sending Union Forces to Europe.

Cape Town, S. A., via London, Oct. 13.—A lively and most interesting campaign for the election of members of the House of Assembly of the Union of South Africa is being waged throughout the country.

Throughout the Rand it is a contest between the Unionists and the Laborites, both of whom support Gen. Botha's war policy, but are divided on internal questions.

LECTURE ON CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

George Shaw Cook, C. S. B., Member of the Board of Lectureship of the First Church of Christ, Scientist, Boston, Mass.

DISASTERS

Ship Seleren (Nor), Johannessen, from Clyde for Savannah, sank after collision near Torr Head.

GREECE MAY BE FORCED TO FIGHT IN SELF DEFENCE

London, Oct. 14.—A Rome despatch to the Daily Chronicle says: "To avoid the possibility of a conflict, Greek troops were recently withdrawn from proximity to the Bulgarian frontier."

Italian Success Along Tyrol Front Rome, Oct. 13, via Paris, Oct. 14.—The official statement of the Italian general headquarters, dated today and made public tonight, says: "The activity of our troops continues along the Tyrol frontier especially in the section between Lidge and Brenna, where information from different sources agrees in showing that the enemy suffered noticeable losses."

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VOTE SALONIKI NOT A HA FRENCH

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Paris, Oct. 13.—The resignation of Theophile Delcasse, the foreign minister of France, was announced at noon today after the cabinet ministers had held a meeting under the presidency of M. Poincare.

One of the main reasons assigned for the retirement of the foreign minister at this time is that he is suffering greatly from fatigue, culminating in a recent sick spell and amounting to nervous exhaustion which has resulted from the burden of anxieties in directing France's foreign policy.

There were cries in various parts of the chamber of "read the letters." Premier Viviani answered: "No one can obligate me to read that letter, affirm that no records have occurred between the minister of foreign affairs and his colleagues."

Chamber Votes Confidence in Government "We do not," he said, "take responsibility for the expedition to Saloniki. It is the government which has taken France has taken some engagements that it cannot deny. It is, therefore, simply a question of co-ordinating our military efforts in order to spare the blood of our soldiers."

The chamber of deputies this evening adopted a resolution of confidence in the government. The vote was 200 to 8.

Deputy Jules Delahaye mounted the tribune and made an appeal for harmony.

"The Republic has two perils," he said. "They are the Germans and our own political quarrels. For forty-five years you have been seeking a man to govern you."

"Whom will you have—an Orleans or a Coburg?" a voice called out.

M. Delahaye pleaded with the members to lay aside their differences in order to bring about a final victory. His discourse was continued amid much confusion.

President Deschanel, president of the chamber of Deputies, attempted to restore peace.

"It is an immense responsibility to undertake to overthrow the ministry in the face of the enemy," said M. Delahaye. "Their successors are obliged to bring about an immediate victory, under penalty of being overthrown in their turn."

President Poincare asserted the foreign affairs, army and navy committees were in agreement last August and had warned the president of the Republic and the premier that Germany and Bulgaria were preparing to co-operate, and that step should be taken to prevent it, also that adequate measures should be taken to force the Dardanelles and capture Constantinople.

VOICE OF CONFIDENCE IN FRENCH GOV'T

SALONKI EXPEDITION NOT A HAPHAZARD AFFAIR, FRENCH PREMIER DECLARES

Replies to Criticism Levelled at Government—Emphatically Declares There Was No Friction Between Delcasse, Retired Minister of Foreign Affairs, and His Colleagues—Vote of Confidence in Government.

Paris, Oct. 13.—The resignation of Theophile Delcasse, the foreign minister of France, was announced at noon today after the cabinet ministers had held a meeting under the presidency of M. Poincare. Premier Viviani presented the resignation of M. Delcasse at the conference and his resignation was sanctioned. An official announcement issued in connection with the change in the ministry stated that Premier Viviani would take the portfolio of foreign affairs with the resignation of Delcasse. Foreign Minister Delcasse's resignation aroused widespread comment in diplomatic and parliamentary quarters in France, owing to the prominent part he had taken in shaping the foreign policy of the government since the first months of the war, when he resumed his old place at the head of the foreign office. His retirement at this particular moment when the Balkan crisis has become acute caused some surprise, though those closely identified with governmental affairs were not entirely unprepared for the change.

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Premier Viviani answered: "No one can oblige me to read that letter. I affirm that no disorders have occurred between the minister of foreign affairs and his colleagues. All the decisions have been taken in perfect accord and I have nothing more to say to the chamber."

Premier Viviani then took his seat and Professor Paul Painleve said he was saddened to hear the premier express in veiled language a divergence between the cabinet and its minister of foreign affairs. Prof. Painleve spoke as president of the committee of foreign affairs, and committees of the army and navy.

Some of his colleagues in the chamber did not wish to have public discussion of these questions, but asserted that upon them depended the very life of the country. They had a weighty influence upon the army. Tomorrow the army would be discussing the Balkan situation and the resignation of M. Delcasse. Why, he asked, should not the representatives of the people discuss them.

Renewed disorder broke out, particularly among the Socialists, who resented a remark by a member on the right that some things should have been thought of before the war. This speaker was alluding to the opposition of the Socialists to greater military preparation.

President Deschanel finally restored order. Professor Painleve concluded his remarks by saying that if feeling were running high it was merely on account of anxiety that the French landing expedition should be organized properly.

Premier Viviani Replies

The members resumed an attentive silence when Premier Viviani arose. The premier began by saying that he did not wish to see the debate degenerate into "political pugilism," and he declared that this was no longer the time for discourse, but for brief, clear explanations.

Continuing, he said that while the government wished to act with parliamentary committees, it was acting also with the allies of France.

"I understand why the chamber poses questions," he said, "but neither here nor anywhere else, where the interests of France are not alone in question, is it possible to reply to every interrogation, no matter how legitimate."

"The government has no longer the right, nor the possibility of explaining military and naval plans of an expedition undertaken in common with our allies. It appears to us impossible to let Serbia be assassinated, either from in front or from behind."

The premier replying to Prof. Painleve said: "Pauls have been committed, but the government has not only to take into account the suggestions of commissions, it must also arrive at an understanding with its allies. If we were unable to act quicker, it was because our action was subordinate to other duties."

"Yes," continued the premier, "intervention was necessary, but in accord with the general staff and without

forgetting the essential duty; without weakening the French front. Come what may, it is on the French front that the decision will rest. We knew we were not weakening our front when we were to Salonki.

"The landing was made and continues, but it is undesirable to state the exact military plans. The government gives formal assurance that all the plans were prepared carefully and methodically by the general staffs of the allies and insofar as preparation is concerned they were in perfect accord and believe the results will be successful."

No Right to Betray Military Secrets of Allies.

"Then, what do you want? It is time to speak clearly and only in public session. I have no right to bring here diplomatic or military secrets, for I hold them from chancellors which confide them to the government to be used but not to be revealed."

The question now is whether, through the general assurances given, the government may leave here with your confidence. Under these tragic circumstances, you must say if the government has or has not the confidence of the chamber. I ask for a vote of confidence."

After the premier had concluded, the attacks on the ministry were resumed by Deputy Charles Chaumet.

M. Chaumet said that if the Salonki expedition was in the same hands as that to the Gallipoli peninsula the chamber had reason to distrust its results. Prof. Painleve and M. Renaudel, a Socialist member, expressed themselves as not satisfied with the government's utterances, which they regarded as inadequate to enable the members to bear their responsibilities.

M. Renaudel concluded by asking the chamber to go into secret session so that a letter concerning the Dardanelles, in the possession of Prof. Painleve, might be read for the information of the members. While the vote was being verified by tellers the sitting was suspended.

The proposal for a secret session was found when the vote had been verified to have been defeated by 303 against 290 for.

The resolution of confidence was then proposed in the following form: "The chamber, confident in the government, and approving its declarations, passes to other business."

The vote as it proceeded was followed with great interest.

NOVA SCOTIA MILL BURNED

N. S. Underwear Co. Plant in Pictou Wiped out by Fire—Insured for \$150,000.

Halifax, N. S., Oct. 13.—The Nova Scotia Underwear Companies mill, situated at Eureka, Pictou County, was totally destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The fire originated in the picker room, but how, is unknown.

About 50 men were at work at the time, the flames had got into some oily material and spread rapidly, and within a couple of hours the plant was in ashes. A considerable quantity of goods were removed, but two carloads of wool were destroyed.

There was \$150,000 insurance. One hundred and fifty men were employed who had been working night and day on war orders, and only yesterday garments valued at \$20,000 were shipped to the Canadian government.

CONFERENCE OF MEAT PACKERS AT OTTAWA

Discuss with Minister of Agriculture Possibility of Facilitating Export of Dressed Beef in Europe.

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—A very important conference was held today at Ottawa in which the Canadian meat packers discussed with the Minister of Agriculture and his officers the question of securing the sale to the British War Office of large quantities of frozen beef, which will be available for shipment within the next three or four months. Owing to shortage of refrigerated steamers and to the very high rates asked for ocean space, Canada has been practically unable to take advantage of the European markets for dressed beef, and has been obliged to permit the export of her surplus cattle across the American border, at a price discouraging to the producer.

As it has been impossible to secure an outlet through the shipment of live cattle to Great Britain, either in a finished or an unfinished condition, the endeavor to secure sale for the surplus produce as frozen beef has received general support. As has already been announced the minister, through Sir George Perley, the acting High Commissioner, has learned that the British War Office would consider tenders from Canada and Mr. Burrell is accordingly making strong representations to the imperial government with a view of obtaining a satisfactory outlet for our available supplies.

The packers in conference are determining upon what basis of operation tenders may be presented and it is expected that the offer will be made subject delivery at the Canadian port where the meat may be loaded on refrigerated steamers. This would relieve the trade of the worries and anxieties of transportation risks and charges and would, it is believed, impart confidence to the business which might develop as a result of these negotiations. If, as is hoped, a contract is secured for Canada an outlet will be provided for our surplus cattle and at the same time it should serve to establish business relations with the Mother Country and her Allies, which will fully justify steadily increased production of high class cattle in this country.

CLOSE ONTARIO BARS AT 8 P. M.

Fourteen hundred hotels in Province have selling time curtailed by three hours.

Toronto, Oct. 13.—Premier Hearst this evening made the anxiously awaited announcement regarding the decision of the cabinet in the matter of liquor restriction. Commencing November 1, and until the close of the war, all bars in the province will close at 8 p. m. instead of 11, as at present. The closing hours on Saturdays are unchanged. Social clubs and shops are not affected. Fourteen hundred hotels in the province will thus have their selling time curtailed by three hours.

EVERY THREE MINUTES ONE DIES IN THE U. S.

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SOUTH NELSON MAN BACK FROM FRONT GIVEN PUBLIC RECEPTION

Newcastle, Oct. 13.—Private W. Richardson, No. 22629, P.P.C.L.I., discharged from the medical board as unfit for further military service because of a bayonet wound in his right arm, arrived home at South Nelson Saturday, and was given a rousing public reception in South Nelson rink, Monday night.

The death of Wm. John Howe of Boom Road, occurred on Saturday after a lingering illness. He was 42 years of age and leaves a widow, formerly Miss Morrison, and five children. The remains were interred in the Presbyterian cemetery at Whitneyville, Rev. J. F. McCurdy presiding.

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SUPREME COURT JUDGE

Ottawa, Oct. 13.—C. A. Master, K. C., Toronto, was formally appointed today a judge of the Supreme Court of Ontario to succeed Judge Teetzel.

CHAMBER VOTES CONFIDENCE IN GOVERNMENT

"We do not," he said, "take responsibility for the expedition to Salonki. It is the government which has taken France has taken some engagements that it cannot deny. It is, therefore, simply a question of co-ordinating our military efforts in order to spare the blood of our soldiers."

The professor said the chamber of deputies was entitled to explanations from the government upon the measures taken for making the French armies effective upon all fronts. He also alluded to the Balkans and their importance in relation to the German campaign.

Premier Viviani virtually has been directing the foreign affairs of the country in the last five days since it was announced that M. Delcasse was indisposed.

The government at today's cabinet council determined to hold itself ready to answer inquiries in the chamber of deputies this afternoon and it was decided that Premier Viviani should then for the first time speak both as president of the council and as minister of foreign affairs relative to the Balkan situation.

The chamber of deputies this evening adopted a resolution of confidence in the government. The vote was 212 to 9.

Deputy Jules Delahaye mounted the tribune and made an appeal for harmony.

"The Republic has two perils," he said. "They are the Germans and our own political quarrels. For forty-five years you have been seeking a man to govern you."

"Whom will you have—an Orleans or a Coburg?" a voice called out.

M. Delahaye pleaded with the members to lay aside their differences in order to bring about a final victory. His discourse was continued amid much confusion.

Paul Deschanel, president of the Chamber of Deputies, attempted to restore peace.

"It is an immense responsibility to undertake to overthrow the ministry in the face of the enemy," said M. Delahaye. "Their successors are obliged to bring about an immediate victory, under penalty of being overthrown in their turn."

Professor Painleve asserted the foreign affairs, army and navy committees were in agreement last August and had warned the president of the Republic and the premier that Germany and Bulgaria were preparing to co-operate, and that steps should be taken to prevent it, also that adequate measures should be taken to force the Dardanelles and capture Constantinople.

President Deschanel cautioned the speaker against mentioning President Poincare, as this is contrary to the rules. Prof. Painleve said the cabinet should not have been taken by surprise by Bulgaria's decision to join with Germany while Roumania and Greece remained neutral. He conceded

SUGGESTS SOLDIERS HELP HARVEST THE WHEAT CROP

Winnipeg, Oct. 13.—B. McKenzie, secretary of the Manitoba Grain Growers' Association, estimates that about thirty per cent of the grain in Manitoba is threshed. He says there is a shortage of farm help already, and suggests that soldiers in training be released again to give assistance in taking in the crop.

SAMUEL DRISCOLL AND WM. SMITH SENT UP FOR TRIAL

In connection with shooting fatality at Lakeville Corner last week.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Oct. 13.—At Burton, this afternoon, Samuel Driscoll, of Lorneville, was sent up for trial by Magistrate Isaac Stephenson on the charge of manslaughter in the death of Artemus Randall, and William Smith on the charge of wounding Henry Rogers in a shooting fatality at Lakeville Corner on the 6th instant, while the defendants were on a hunting trip. The cases will come up on Wednesday, 20th, at Sanbury Circuit Court, and in the meantime an application for bail will be made to a Supreme Court judge.

DOMINION TRUST WILL ASK GOVERNMENT HELP

Vancouver, Oct. 13.—Deponents of the defunct Dominion Trust Company, last night passed a resolution calling on the provincial government for prompt financial assistance. It is intended to ask the government to pay deposits out of the two hundred thousand dollars lodged with it by the company as a guarantee.

APPEALS TO WOMEN TO MARRY WOUNDED HEROES

London, Oct. 13.—The Rev. Ernest Houghton, a Bristol rector, has started an appeal to patriotic women of the nation to give their lives to ameliorate the condition of maimed heroes of the war by marrying them. He has launched a "League for the Marrying of Broken Heroes."

Rector Resigns.

At a meeting of the wardens and vestry of Trinity Church, Kingston, on Saturday evening, Rev. C. Gordon Lawrence tendered his resignation to accept an appointment as chaplain of the 88th Battalion. The wardens, Roy H. Foster and Col. O. W. Wetmore, were authorized to make arrangements for keeping up the service until a new rector can be secured.

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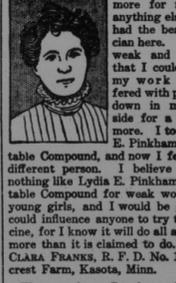
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"We are fighting for a worthy purpose, and we shall not lay down our arms until that purpose has been fully achieved"—H. M. The King. TO THE PEOPLE OF THE EMPIRE—Every fighting unit we can send to the front means one step nearer peace.

THE CAMPAIGN IN THE BALKANS.

The feeling that Italy should take an active part in the fighting in the Balkans is gaining ground in France where there is a strong belief that French arms should not be sent to meet the foe in Serbia until the Teutonic forces have been driven entirely off of French soil.

Those who take that view, and the list includes such eminent citizens of the French republic as the former Premier Georges Clemenceau, and the former Minister of Foreign Affairs Senator Pichon, hold that the other members of the Quadruple Entente are concerned more than France in the result of the Balkan operation. These gentlemen declare that the war will be won or lost on the western and eastern fronts and on both of these lines the Allies have now reached a strength where the Germans can do no more than hold their positions.

Should the Germans succeed in getting through to Constantinople, which is their aim, the fighting on the west and east fronts would still continue until the Kaiser's forces, unable to maintain the pace, would be driven back on their own territory. This result must be achieved no matter what happens in the Balkans, and the French view that it would be folly for France to weaken her western lines for the sake of the Balkan operation finds much to commend it.

At the same time serious reverses in the Balkans would undoubtedly have an effect upon the attitude of Roumania and Greece, and even if this political aspect of the question were not to be considered, Great Britain and her Allies must save Serbia. On no account can the Germans be permitted to repeat there the scenes of slaughter that marked the early campaign in Belgium.

That it is an absolute necessity to meet the German invasion of Serbia is admitted by the foremost minds in France, Britain and Russia, the only point over which there is any difference of opinion being where the chief responsibility for that campaign ought to rest. The French view is that Italy should do it and, in support of this, it is pointed out that the progress of the Italians against the Austrians has been disappointing. Italy is claimed to have half a million men under arms who could be easily spared for the Balkans, and her situation gives her the advantage of being able to effect a landing more expeditiously than any of the other powers. The triumph of the Teutons in the Balkans would endanger Italy's position, not only in the Adriatic, but in the Mediterranean. Consequently she has interests at stake.

France has done valiantly in her own sphere of fighting. The campaign in the Balkans should be more particularly the concern of the other members of the Entente Alliance. Already Great Britain and Russia have thrown themselves into it with the wholeheartedness that has characterized every move of the war. Italy has yet to be heard from, and it is the opinion of the observers that she will immeasurably strengthen her position if she at once engages in the campaign against the Germans in the Southern area. She is well able to muster the men and arm and equip them. That she has not already done so is a subject of much comment in London, Paris and Petrograd.

RUSSIA'S SUCCESS

There will be general rejoicing over the evidence that the Russian armies are once more getting into their stride and now hold the Germans in check along the greater part of the eastern front. The burden of war has probably fallen more heavily on Russia than on the other first class powers in the ranks of the Allies, but no complaint has been heard from Petrograd. Always the predominating note has been one of complete confidence in the ability of the Tsar to overcome his enemies.

Early in the campaign when the Russian armies were making great progress the opinion was freely expressed that they would be the first to reach Berlin. Conditions have changed since then. It is not at all apparent now that any conquering

army will go to the Prussian capital, rather the impression is gaining that the Germans will yield before that occasion arrives. But if it falls to the lot of any to march in triumph through the streets of the Kaiser's capital there will be much support for the view that Russia, in that procession, is entitled to rank with the best.

The Muscovite armies have fought a masterly campaign throughout, their successes have been well merited and they have not been slow to admit temporary reverses but always with the added expression of confidence that the tide would turn and, in the end, the cause for which the Tsar is fighting as zealously as any, would be triumphant. Success to Russia comes at an opportune time, for from now on the Tsar's forces should find a valuable ally in the colder weather. The rigors of a Russian winter proved the undoing of Napoleon and this, coupled with the spirit and ability of the reinforced Russian armies may bring about a surprising repetition of history.

THE PATRIOTIC FUND.

Efforts to add to the sum in the treasury of the Patriotic Fund have been fairly successful, but New Brunswick has not yet reached the limit of her resources in this respect. An idea how far short of that limit this province stands can be gleaned by reference to the fact that at the last census the population of New Brunswick was almost 352,000. If every man, woman and child in the province contributed one dollar per year to the Patriotic Fund sufficient money would be realized to meet all its needs.

Surely it is not too much to ask that each man in New Brunswick should contribute annually one dollar for himself and for every member of his household. It is a very small price to pay toward the support of the women and children of those who volunteer for active service.

A systematic canvass will be made in the near future in the city of St. John, when it is expected that every resident will be called upon to aid this most commendable of all funds. The appeal should meet with a prompt and generous response, for the needs of the Patriotic Fund surely overshadow all other objects for which one's contribution can be asked.

Greece admits her duty to Serbia, but claims the treaty of alliance between them was not intended to cover such a situation as has arisen. Which is another way of saying that the glory of old has departed from the Hellenes. In ancient days they were first in war as well as peace. Today, they seek to evade their responsibilities. The Teutonic powers can be crushed without the assistance of Athens but the new Greek Premier may well consider the position his government will occupy when the war is over and the map of Europe is redrawn.

The Telegraph's "heavy artillery" has withdrawn from the defence of the Laurier paper and leaves it to the "machine gun" of the Times which opens its campaign with the remark, "All Sir Robert Borden has done since 1903 has been to offer to borrow money to build three Dreadnoughts to be manned and maintained by the mother country." It may be asked what Sir Wilfrid Laurier does except to make speeches advocating the independence of Canada and eulogizing the Emperor of Germany as a great force for a world's peace.

The bulletin boards where the world's baseball series scores were displayed drew the usual crowds this year and young men were more in evidence there than at the recruiting meetings. Of course, all those young men who are not in khaki have a good excuse for their inactivity. It is so much more comfortable to stay at home and study the score boards than to take one's turn in the trenches.

Election Talk Subsides

(London Free Press.) Election talk is again very quiet in Canada, and it seems to be generally expected that the country will not witness a contest at least until next year. Parliament will meet during

the winter, and some arrangement is likely then to be reached whereby the Government will continue in office until the close of the war. Its term expires in September, 1916, but the Opposition will in all probability agree to some plan for extending the term during the period of the war. This will be satisfactory to the Government, which will accept the confidence thus expressed in its conduct of the affairs of the nation during these trying times.

That there was a strong desire and intent upon the part of political adversaries of the Government to divide the country during the war there is unfortunately plenty of evidence to show. The cry of scandal upon a colossal scale is still echoing in the ears of the people, coming from the chamber of the House of Commons. But no longer does anyone repeat these charges and imprecations. An Opposition newspaper occasionally raises its voice concerning the few spavined and derelict horses which were bought in the name of the Government, but the wholesale charges of graft have been silenced, and the confidence of the country in the Government's conduct of its affairs remains unshaken.

This has been brought about through the masterful handling of the situation by Sir Robert Borden and his ministers. So right are the inspections, contractors complain. A London firm received back a quantity of caps in which a few stitches had been neglected. It was held that the work of completing them would have been less than the trouble and cost of returning them. This was not the point, however. It was rather that the contractors might understand that no defects, however slight, will be permitted to pass. The effect is seen in the absence from the Liberal press of all the craft discussion and insinuation which prevailed when there seemed a chance of placing the Government in an awkward position.

Marching Through Russia

(Toledo Blade.) Let's scan the good old atlas now, for light upon the way— Let's learn the road to Warsaw so old Balkanovsky; Anticipate the Germans as they goose-step to the fray— While they go marching through Russia.

(Chorus:— From towns of seven syllables or more Comes daily news with consonants galore— Pafok! Slobodsk! Tzarevouchansk! While they go marching through Russia.

See the terrible words they've set to a good old Yankee tune— Ivanovo-Vosnesensk—let's hope the end comes soon— If they ever take Zvonzyk we'll simply have to swoon— While they go marching through Russia.

O, Kaiser, please, take Hvitvits next; let Krassavsky, Pronouncing Wihndilvitsk doth twist our jaw-bones so. We pray you'll let that town go hang, nor tattle Wzko— While they go marching through Russia.

Tavastehus is easy; there's Kimpaa waiting near, And if the Kaiser takes them we'll never shed a tear. But Malovitcherskaia that's where he'll go, we fear— As he goes marching through Russia.

BROTHERS MEET IN FRANCE.

Corporal Walter Wilson of the Cycle Corps, 1st C.E.F., has written to his brother, Thomas L. Wilson, Chesley street, under date of 24th September. He says, "The days are growing short and the winter season is approaching. There will be but little snow, but the climate is very wet and cold. Canada is certainly doing her share in the war. I am sending you the nose of a shell which burst fifteen yards from me, killing one man and wounding three horses. Best regards from all the St. John boys I have met, including W. Logan, H. Andrews, W. McCann and Johnnie Wright."

BRITISH SIDELIGHTS ON WAR

Lord Kitchener having expressed his wish that Major-General Ivor Phillipps, D.S.O., M.P., should return to military duty, the latter has relinquished his temporary appointment as Parliamentary Secretary (military) to the Ministry of Munitions of War, in order to reassume command of his division.

In reply to parliamentary questions by Mr. Ronald McNeill, Mr. Tennant, speaking in the House of Commons on behalf of the War Department, declared that every effort had been made to supply telescopic sight sights to riflemen in the field, and every known source of supply of suitable pattern had been investigated and utilized. A large number had already been sent to the various theatres of war. He was aware, he added, that Parliament had provided themselves with some of these sights, as their purchases had competed with the War Office supply and interfered with the distribution which had been, and it was thought

Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE.
My cousin Artie asked me if I wanted to hear a good wun today, wich I sed I did, and he sed, its a riddil, you tell peopl youve got littel white things that bite in yure hed, and they think its sumthing feare, and then you tell them its yure teeth.
G, thats awi rite, I sed, And wen I went hoam ma was in the parler tawking to the minister, and I stood thare a wile lisenning to them and then I sed, Mr. wat do you think.
Dont you see im bixzy, sed ma.
Yuse mamma is occupied, littel man, sed the minister.
And they kepp awn tawking and pritty soon I sed, Wat do you think I got in my hed, ma.
I think you had better go out agen and play, sed ma.
I got littel wite things that bite, I sed.
Benny Potts, sed ma.
As I was sayng, very few ladys realize the gravity of the question, sed the minister.
I got them in my hed, I sed.
Wile awn the utthr hand, the men I have spoken to seem to have a better grasp of the problem, sed the minister.
Bunny, did you heer me tell you to teeve the room, sed ma.
No ma, I sed.
Well you heer me now, leave it immedidly, sed ma.
Yes mam, I sed. And I startid to go out, sayng wen I was haff way to the door, Wat do you think they are, ma, littel wite things in my heq that bite.
Hevvin preserve us, well, as I was sayng, as I was sayng, sed the minister. Wlech est then ma got up and startid to come after me and I sed, Thare my teeth, ma, there my teeth, its a riddil, And ma quick sat down in anuthr chare as if she was to weak to stand up, sayng, Well, wy didnt you say so. And the minister took out his hankerchiff and wiped his forehead and I kepp awn going out.

could be, left in the hands of the commanders-in-chief. As many perils, comers, suitable for artillery, as could be procured, had been sent out to the various fronts.

"The war has broken down a good many fixed beliefs. One of these," says an English naval writer, "is the scientific theory as to the life of a naval gun. For years past it had been held that when a battleship had fired one hundred rounds from one of her heavy weapons the piece had reached the limit of its effectiveness, and was worthless until it had been re-tubed. There are ships still taking part in the Dardanelles operations which have fired two and even three times that number of rounds from their turret guns, and I am credibly informed that no reason can be seen as yet why they should not continue their shooting for an indefinite time to come."

Capt. Alexander Adam Seaton, killed in the Dardanelles fighting, was a classical scholar of considerable repute at Cambridge, where he obtained a first-class in the Historical Tripos in 1907. He was Lightfoot University scholar in 1908, and was elected to a fellowship at Pembroke College in 1910. Though devoted to his work as a tutor and lecturer on history, when the war broke out he offered his services to the War Office, and was commissioned last October. He soon marked his mark as a soldier, and was promoted captain a few days before his death. "Not a soldier by inclination," wrote his C. O., "he left his peaceful life as a fellow of Pembroke solely because he conceived that his duty lay that way, and that the hour had come for every man to strike a blow for his country."

The University of Oxford also has lost a distinguished historical teacher and writer by the death at the Dardanelles of George Leonard Chesneau, fellow of New College. Coming to New College from Winchester, he had taken two firsts before he gained his fellowship, and had since specialized in Roman history and archaeology, on which he was a distinguished authority. Recent years he had published a book on the Roman army. He was among the first to respond to the call to arms on the outbreak of war, and held a commission in the Hampshire Regiment.

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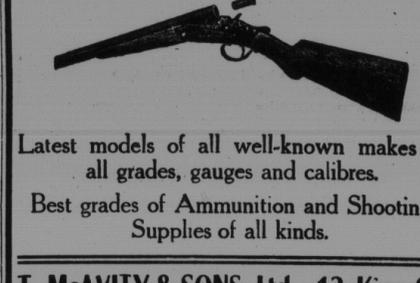
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PROBATE COURT.
The trustee of the estate of John S. Nickerson has filed his accounts of a citation was issued for the estate on November 3 next, calling upon the administrators to show cause why such administration should not be revoked. The probate is S. W. Palmer.
Administration of the estate of the late Barillid Vanwart of this city, merchant, has been granted to his widow, Mrs. Christiana Vanwart, and his son-in-law, E. J. Fleewood of Ames, Holden, McCready, Limited. The estate consists of the summer home of the deceased at Brown's Flat and personal property valued at \$3,000. Administration of this estate was in May last granted to two of the next of kin and a citation now issues, returnable on November 3 next, calling upon the administrators to show cause why such administration should not be revoked. The probate is S. W. Palmer.

CIRCUIT COURT.

Mr. Justice Barry yesterday morning, sentenced four of the prisoners tried at present Circuit Court as follows: William Thomas, five years in Dorchester penitentiary; Albert Daigle six months in jail; Mary Romley, one year from the 15th of July last in the common jail, and Margaret Hazelwood, six months from the 15th of August last in common jail.
Thomas, who was a soldier, was convicted of a serious charge on a fourteen year old girl named Lillian Gray. Daigle pleaded guilty to escaping from the chain gang; Margaret Hazelwood pleaded guilty to a statutory offence; Mary Romley was convicted of common assault on William T. Hanley.

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IN THE COURTS.

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The trustee of the estate of John S. Nickerson has filed his accounts and a citation was issued for the passing of them, returnable on October 25. The proctor is Dr. J. Roy Campbell, K. C.

The will of Mrs. Annie Dibblee, late of this city, has been proved by the executrix, Mrs. Sadie Phillips, to whom letters testamentary have been granted. The estate consists of some lots of land in Sackatoon valued at \$2,000 and personal property valued at \$3,000. Administration of this estate was in May last granted to two of the next of kin and a citation now issues, returnable on November 3 next, calling upon the administrators to show cause why such administration should not be revoked. The proctor is S. W. Palmer.

Administration of the estate of the late Barrill Vanwart of this city, merchant, has been granted to his widow, Mrs. Christiana Vanwart, and his son-in-law, E. J. Fleetwood of Ames, Holders, McCready, Limited. The estate consists of the summer home of the deceased at Brown's Flat and personal property. The probate value is \$11,463.00. The proctors are Barrill, Ewing and Sanford.

The court adjourned until this morning at 11 o'clock, when Chas. V. Stackhouse, who pleaded guilty to theft, and Sydney Hart, a confessed bigamist, will be sentenced.

CHANCERY COURT.

The trial of the case of Levi Downey vs. the Commissioners of Sewers for the Parish of Hopewell, Albert County, et al, was commenced in the Supreme Court of Chancery Division, yesterday morning before Mr. Justice White. A long drawn out dispute which arises over the management and control of nine districts of marsh lands originally reclaimed from the sea in the Parish of Hopewell will probably be finally adjusted as a result of this suit. By an old statute passed in 1854 the management of these marsh lands was placed in control of a board of commissioners, one to be elected from each district. For some time many disputes have arisen as to the control of the marshes and various steps were taken by different factions among the marsh owners. Most of the ratepayers have refused to pay the assessments made upon them and the management now appears to be in a state of chaos. The plaintiff's claim in this suit is for \$827 for work and labor done by the dykes and abattoirs, materials provided and money advanced; and also for the appointment of a receiver to collect all the assessments; and an order to compel the ratepayers to pay and also for a declaration as to the rights of the parties.

Messrs. M. G. and J. Teed are the plaintiff's solicitors, and Dr. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., and M. E. Dixon, K. C., are appearing for the defendant.

Dr. O'Doed ntm hrshrdiu shrd has no jurisdiction to award such a remedy. Charles N. O'Regan, secretary of the Board of Commissioners, was on the stand yesterday and his examination will be continued this morning. M. G. Teed, K. C., and J. F. H. Teed appeared for the plaintiff and Attorney General Baxter and M. E. Dixon, K. C., for the defendants.

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Mr. Justice Barry, yesterday morning, sentenced four of the prisoners tried at present Circuit Court as follows: William Thomas, five years in Dorchester penitentiary; Albert Dalgle six months in jail; Mary Romley, one year from the 15th of July last in the common jail, and Margaret Hazelwood, six months from the 15th of August last in common jail.

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SERGEANT INSTRUCTOR DEAN COMING

It has been definitely announced that an evening class in signalling will be held in St. John commencing on the 18th of October. The class will be conducted by Sergeant Instructor Dean of Halifax, who instructed the class held here last spring. Instruction will be given in Morse flag, semaphore and lamp signalling, and the class will be for members of the signalling section of the 3rd Regiment (C. G. A., 62nd Fusiliers, and No. 2 Sec. No. 6 Co., C. S. C. As the signal corps is somewhat under strength young men wishing to obtain instruction in signalling have an opportunity to join and attend the class. It is probable that there will be a good opening for trained signallers to go to the front, and those wishing merely to prepare for home defence will find this an interesting branch of the service. Anyone wishing to attend the classes which will be held at the Armory for one month in the evenings, commencing October 18th, is requested to send in his name to Lieut. R. A. Davidson, 76 Dorchester street.

NEW OFFICERS FOR AUXILIARY

Ladies of Natural History Society in annual meeting — Season's activities.

The annual meeting of the Ladies' Association of the Natural History Society of New Brunswick was held in the Museum yesterday afternoon. The president's address and other reports showed another year spent in successful endeavor when the association not only carried on their usual educational and philanthropic work, but have also given liberally of their means to the aid of various patriotic societies. This year it will be necessary to raise funds for the work of the association, but even so, a part of the proceeds of the lecture course will be devoted to this worthy cause.

The resignation of the president, Mrs. Geo. F. Matthew, was received with the deepest regret. A large part of the success of the association has been due to her powers of organization and her ready wit and tact.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:—President, Mrs. J. V. Ellis; Hon. President, Mrs. Geo. F. Matthew; Vice-presidents, Mrs. John A. McAvity, Mrs. John H. Thomson, Mrs. Wm. Neale, Mrs. J. R. McIntosh, Mrs. J. H. Frink; Treasurer, Miss Grace W. Leavitt; Recording Secretary, Mrs. F. B. Cowgill; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Edith M. Kee.

The members of the executive are as follows: Mrs. J. P. Bullock, Mrs. W. F. Burditt, Mrs. J. A. Coster, Mrs. T. H. Estabrook, Miss Alice Estey, Miss E. B. Homer, Mrs. J. R. Hooper, Mrs. Harold Lester, Mrs. R. B. Leavitt, Miss Longmaid, Mrs. C. A. Macdonald, Mrs. A. MacRae, Mrs. F. W. Murray, Mrs. Wm. McIntosh, Mrs. Wm. Raymond, Mrs. J. P. Robertson, Mrs. C. A. Robinson, Mrs. J. E. Secord, Mrs. John Sealy, Mrs. Wm. Shaw, Miss J. G. Sadtler, Mrs. G. F. Smith.

Mrs. Geo. U. Hay, who for many years has been an active member of the association, was appointed an elected a life member of the society in recognition of her valuable services.

The annual conversations will be held on the evening of November 2nd. Mrs. Chas. A. Macdonald was appointed convener of the committee in charge.

Arrangements were made for the lecture course, "Musical Sketches," Oct. 21—Poland, Miss Homer, Mrs. Kent Scovill.

Oct. 28—Folk Songs of various Nations, Mrs. G. F. Matthew, Mrs. Wm. Shaw, J. J. A. Matthews.

Nov. 4—Music of Shakespeare, Mrs. F. B. Ellis, Mrs. J. M. Barnes.

Nov. 11—Italy, Mrs. C. A. Robinson, Miss Louise Knight.

Nov. 18—Russia, Miss Beidermann, Mrs. Wm. Bowden.

Nov. 25—Oratorio, Mrs. John Sealy, Miss Hea, Miss Wilson.

The address of the retiring president showed that philanthropic work had not escaped the attention of the ladies' branch of the society, and that all the future efforts of the organization there would be still the same idea of maintaining the standard of efficiency and love inseparably from good effort. "I need hardly repeat my assurance of entire confidence that every one of the members of our society will loyally and lovingly support the incoming officers, and make this coming year one of the most successful we have ever had," said Mrs. Matthew.

ANNUAL FAIR AND CATTLE SHOW PROVED HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL

Horses, Cattle and Produce of the best quality draw much praise—Proceeds will be given to Patriotic Funds—Many from city present.

The annual fair and cattle show of the Simonds and Loch Lomond Agricultural Society was held in the hall at Loch Lomond yesterday. The weather was all that could be desired, the entries in the horses, cattle, swine, produce and other lines were large and the grades were rated as being better than previous years. The Loch Lomond Fair has been held annually for over thirty-four years and members of the society yesterday expressed the view that yesterday's fair was about the most successful ever held.

From all appearances the farmers in St. John County are taking more pride in the raising of stock and produce and the different exhibits shown yesterday were rated by the judges as good, if not superior to any of the lines shown in the provincial fairs. It is a question if there is any superior to be seen in the Dominion. During the time the judges were busy awarding the prizes, an efficient committee of ladies was hard at work among the crowd selling chances on different articles, the proceeds to be given to the Patriotic Fund. Among the articles donated by the ladies for competition were a pair of silk slippers, a cut glass dish, a silver butter knife, a butter dish, a large fruit cake, which goes to the person guessing nearest to its weight, and a handsome cut glass dish for the person who guesses the nearest to the number of beans in a jar.

During the afternoon Commissioner Rupert W. Wigmore mounted the steps of the Agricultural Hall and auctioned a number of articles that were donated by members of the society, who wished the proceeds to go to the Patriotic Fund. The first thing auctioned was a Jersey calf, donated by William Thomson, who presided over the society. One dollar was the first bid and at last the calf fell down when the auctioneer sold it for the sum of nine dollars. The next to be offered for sale was a large pumpkin and this brought five dollars. A bushel of carrots brought one dollar, while bushels of potatoes and beets were sold from fifty cents up to seventy-five cents a bushel.

In the evening a patriotic dance was held in the hall for which tickets were sold at fifty cents each, and like all other money taken in at the fair, it goes to the Patriotic Fund. For a number of hours the music kept up and the ladies and gentlemen greatly enjoyed the dancing. During the intermission A. F. Johnston, the secretary-treasurer of the society, acted as chairman and Attorney-General J. B. M. Baxter, H. B. Alward, Dr. Fred Johnston, R. W. Wigmore, K. J. MacLellan and Walter Foster, who gave brief patriotic addresses which were received with loud applause.

The fair was a large number of people attending the fair from the county districts, while the attendance from the city was larger than ever before. Among the gentlemen from the city were: Attorney-General J. B. M. Baxter, Commissioners Wigmore, McLellan and Potts, Wm. A. Quinton, Charles Nevins, C. H. Jackson, J. K. Story, Clark, H. B. Alward, Dr. Fred Johnston, M. McGuire, J. Collins, Jeremiah Donovan, Dr. H. Bourke, W. Gregory, T. Dear, R. J. Wilkins, Thos. Gorman, D. Love, Wm. Johnston, Frank Smith, Joseph Lee, M. Davidson, H. Wood, K. MacRae, E. A. MacAulay, Dr. P. Hoan, Fred MacNeill, D. Arnold Fox, Wm. McDonald, Walter Foster, A. LeBlanc, H. B. Peck, H. G. Weeks, Harry Barry, Roy Potts and G. D. Coles. In addition to these there were even many ladies from the city and all voted it one of the best times of the season.

The Ben Lomond House was the headquarters for the visitors to the fair and Mrs. Barber with a large number of assistants were kept very busy during the day taking care of all in her usual excellent manner. The members of the society wish to publicly thank the ladies who conducted the guessing contests and the committee who had control of the patriotic ball. The following are the prize winners:

- Produce.**
- Best bushel of oats, black—1st, James McFarlane; 2nd, James McFarlane; 3rd, Thos. Henderson.
 - Best bushel of oats, white—1st, James McFarlane; 2nd, James McFarlane; 3rd, Robert Bowes.
 - Best bushel of Buckwheat, yellow—1st, John A. McFate; 2nd, John A. McFate; 3rd, Thos. Henderson.
 - Best bushel of Peas—1st, 2nd and 3rd, Jas. McFarlane.
 - Best bushel of Beets, long blood—1st and 2nd, Austin Baker; 3rd, Fred Watters.
 - Best bushel Beets, Egyptian—1st, Austin Baker; 2nd, Fred Watters.
 - Best bushel Mangolds, long red—1st and 2nd, Fred Watters.
 - Best bushel Mangolds, globe—1st, Austin Baker; 2nd, Fred Watters.
 - Best bushel Carrots, L. orange—1st and 2nd, Austin Baker.
 - Best bushel Carrots, intermediate—1st, Fred Watters; 2nd, James McFarlane; 3rd, Robert Bowes.
 - Best bushel Carrots, cross—1st, Fred Watters; 2nd, Albert Stephenson.
 - Best bushel Carrots, white—1st, 2nd and 3rd, Fred Watters.
 - Best bushel of Carrots, chestnut—1st, Albert Stephenson; 2nd and 3rd, Fred Watters.

ZEPPELIN RAIDS ON THE EAST COAST

An interesting account of action of people when Airship arrives.

An interesting letter was received in the city recently, containing an account of the Zeppelin raid on the east coast of England. The person writing says that the family had just gone to bed when the Zeppelin drew near and began to circle around in the sky over the town. This was about ten minutes after eleven. Not long after the airship came in sight, a bomb was dropped into the home of the writer, falling into a bed where two small children were sleeping. The bomb exploded, killing the children, and setting fire to the room. The fire did not amount to much, but the children were very badly burned, as well as being poisoned by the fumes of the explosive. They were immediately rushed to a hospital, but died shortly after. The inmates of the house had to go out into the garden for safety. This was considered the safest thing to do, for when a bomb falls into the soft earth, in nine cases out of ten, it merely buries itself in the earth, and does not explode. The police took the bomb to their headquarters, and would not let the family go into the house till after four in the morning. The whole town had a very narrow escape from destruction by water, for a bomb fell and exploded only a few yards from the lock gates, and if the gates had been destroyed, the whole town would have been flooded, and most of the people drowned, for most of them were in bed at the time the raid was made. In all nineteen bombs were dropped on the one town.

It is the custom there when a Zeppelin appears to blow factory whistles, when the people are supposed to go for their safety into their gardens. They are not allowed to return to the houses again till the military authorities give them permission.

- Albert Stephenson.**
- Grades.**
- Best Cow, 3 years or over—1st, Albert Stephenson; 2nd, Jas. Desmond; 3rd, Albert Stephenson.
 - Best Colt, 2 years old—1st, John A. McFate; 2nd, Fred Watters; 3rd, Austin Baker.
 - Best Heifer, 1 year old—1st, Jas. Desmond.
 - Best Stallion for Agricultural purposes, 3 years or over—1st, Jas. McFarlane.
 - Best Pair Horses for A. P.—1st, Jas. McFarlane; 2nd, Crawford Johnston.
 - Best Single Horse for A. P.—1st, Crawford Johnston; 2nd, Jas. McFarlane; 3rd, Crawford Johnston.
 - Best Brood Mare—1st and 2nd, Jas. McFarlane; 3rd, Fred Watters.
 - Best Colt, 2 years old, for A. P.—1st, Jas. Desmond; 2nd, Crawford Johnston.
 - Best Colt, 2 years old, for A. P.—1st, Thos. Henderson.
 - Best Colt, 1 year old, for A. P.—1st, Jas. McFarlane; 2nd, Fred Watters; 3rd, Samuel Watters.
 - Best Spring Colt for A. P.—1st, Jas. McFarlane; 2nd, Frank Boyle.
 - Best Stallion for driving purposes 2 years or over—1st, W. J. Alexander; 2nd, Brood Mare—1st, Fred Baker; 2nd, Jas. McFarlane; 3rd, Frank Boyle.
 - Best Driving Horse, 2 years—1st, Fred Baker; 2nd, Crawford Johnston; 3rd, Jas. McFarlane.
 - Best Colt, 3 years old—1st, Frank Boyle; 2nd, Crawford Johnston; 3rd, Edward Owens.
 - Best Colt, 2 years old—1st, Crawford Johnston; 2nd, Fred Watters; 3rd, Frank Boyle.
 - Best Spring Colt—1st, Frank Boyle; 2nd, Jas. McFarlane; 3rd, J. P. Worden and J. P. Lynch.

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FUNERALS.

The funeral of Edward Goodens took place from Chamberlain's undertaking rooms to Cedar Hill cemetery, Rev. W. P. Dunham conducted the services. There was present a large delegation from Marlboro Lodge, Sons of England, six of whom bore the pall. A number of floral tributes were received, including a beautiful piece from the Sons of England Lodge represented.

The remains of George W. Stackhouse, of Moncton, arrived at noon yesterday, whence they were taken to Fernhill cemetery for interment. The remains were accompanied here by a large number of Orangemen, the widow and two sons of the deceased and a number of friends. Numerous floral tributes were received, including pieces from the Moncton Masons and Orangemen. Services at the grave were conducted by Rev. T. P. Drummond, St. John's church, Moncton; Rev. J. H. A. Anderson of this city, and the visiting Orangemen.

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Upham, Oct. 11.—Mr. Roy Reid, who spent a few days at his home here, has left for Petticoat...

GRAND FALLS

Ronald Kerton went to Quebec Wednesday to accept a position with the Ross River Company...

HILLSBOROUGH

Hillsborough, Oct. 11.—Mr. Herbert Irving Lawrence, Mass., is visiting relatives in town...

SALISBURY

Salisbury, Oct. 12.—Mrs. A. E. Trites is in Montreal visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Trites...

WASHADEMOAK

Miss Hazel McKeen, of Cumberland Bay spent Thanksgiving holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thorne...

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Indianapolis Mayor Acquitted by Jury. Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 13.—Mayor Joseph E. Bell was today acquitted...

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NFLD. MAN DROWNS FROM MINE SWEEPER

Another from Ancient Colony killed when vessel hits mine in North Sea.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal. M. V. Blissett, S. L. Lawther, Toronto; J. T. Cornell, Asbest; R. E. McKenzie, St. John; J. Sullivan and wife, Boston; E. Bally, F. A. Boddington, Montreal; P. Parker, Oshawa; J. B. Mitchell, Quebec; C. B. Everett, St. Andrews; J. L. Heath, J. M. Whopley, A. O. King, Toronto; H. S. Arnold, W. J. Ingles, W. R. O. Bowie, Montreal; R. C. McEwan, E. E. Sillick, F. J. Ward, Halifax; A. S. White, Sussex; J. A. Morrison and wife, Fredericton; H. N. Osborne, Montreal; F. S. Rosalter, London, Ont.; A. P. Weldon, Moncton; Mrs. O. P. King, R. Connelly, Great Salmon river; M. H. Day, Montreal; P. Bessford, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Curry, Amherst; C. S. Bellhouse, Salisbury A. Kingman, F. H. McKean, C. R. Rogers, H. R. Hamilton, M. Sessanewin, C. W. Knighton, Montreal; G. W. Shafer, Hamilton; Mrs. Agnes Avar, Mrs. W. Milne, Sackville; P. H. Carpenter, Boston; J. T. Hallisey, Truro.

Dufferin. J. O. Notman, St. Catharines; A. Richardson, St. Kitts; Dr. F. X. Morris, Fairville; L. C. Huestis, Mrs. W. P. Murray, Mrs. J. B. Crane, Sussex; J. C. Calhoun and wife, Mrs. Tiste, Moncton; J. C. Mcintosh, Mrs. Mcintosh, Glasville; D. T. Lister, McAdam Jet.; E. Craudlemier, Vancouber, Me.; H. A. Gibson, New York; Geo. M. Thorne, J. Fred Perry, Codys; J. W. Mercer and wife, H. F. Puddington, John Kennedy, A. McLean, Salisbury; Mr. and Mrs. Prouse, Sydney; A. A. Almas, D. Jones, Toronto; Fred Rogers, Montreal; L. A. Putnam, Moncton; H. W. Woods, Welsford.

Victoria. E. Briggs, Sheffield; F. C. Fillmore, Moncton; C. C. Smith, Halifax; E. Hines, Montreal; M. E. Brooks, Boston; D. Long, New York; F. B. Foster, Toronto; G. A. Halstead, R. C. Vanwart, Fredericton; Samuel Farley, St. Martins; F. P. Hunter, St. Stephen; John Mcintosh, Mrs. Mcintosh, Glasville; D. T. Lister, McAdam Jet.; E. Craudlemier, Vancouber, Me.; H. A. Gibson, New York; Geo. M. Thorne, J. Fred Perry, Codys; J. W. Mercer and wife, H. F. Puddington, John Kennedy, A. McLean, Salisbury; Mr. and Mrs. Prouse, Sydney; A. A. Almas, D. Jones, Toronto; Fred Rogers, Montreal; L. A. Putnam, Moncton; H. W. Woods, Welsford.

SELLING FIREARMS

J. W. Andrews, employed by Robertson, Foster & Smith, was fined \$10 in the Police Court yesterday for selling a revolver to Victor Cobham, a boy who had been sent by the police for the purpose of making the purchase. H. F. Puddington, who appeared for the firm, protested that they were ignorant of the law, and he would undertake to see that no firearms of this description were sold in the future.

OBITUARY.

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THE TIMES' PROPHET VERY MUCH MISTAKEN

There is no talk of Election in Government circles.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Oct. 13.—Lieutenant Governor Wood received official notification from Ottawa this evening that passports had been handed to the Bulgarian minister today and diplomatic relations broken off between Great Britain and Bulgaria.

The Board of Education was in session this afternoon and passed upon applications of school districts to make loans and other routine matters. This evening the Provincial Government is in session. The despatch appearing in the St. John Times this evening, and alleged to have been sent from Fredericton, forecasting an early general provincial election, is regarded as a joke here in government circles there has been no talk of an election.

WEDDINGS.

Elliott-Theall. Bloomfield Station, Oct. 12.—A very pretty home wedding took place on Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 12th, at four o'clock, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. Bayard Theall, when their oldest daughter, Minnie Hazel, was united in marriage to George Clifford Elliott, Point du Chene. The bride entered the parlor on the arm of her father, and was attired in a beautiful dress of white brides' satin with pearl and lace trimmings; she wore a bridal veil with wreath of orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of carnations, roses and maiden hair fern. She was attended by her sister Miss Lottie Theall, who was becomingly gowned in pink silk voile. Mr. Jas. Elliott, cousin of the groom, acted as best man.

LATE HAVANA PRICES.

A Havana circular of Oct. 8th reports: In spite of the fact that arrivals are rather small, the prices for coffee and hake in drums have not improved, as the lack of activity in the demand still continues. A better request has prevailed for haddock and as a consequence the price advanced. We quote codfish at \$7.25, haddock at \$8.50 and hake at \$5.25 cents per pound. As the demand for cases codfish has been more animated, enabling holders to maintain their prices, we can quote Norwegian cod at \$11.25 and that from the United States at \$8.25 to \$9.25 per case. With a rather limited demand for herring sales are being made at \$1.50 per large box. The market for potatoes continues advancing with the same active demand in evidence. We quote at \$4 per barrel and 2-3 cents per pound of those packed in bags.

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B. A. KELLY. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 50c. At dealers or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

A quiet wedding took place yesterday afternoon at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Wellington Camp, pastor of Leinster street Baptist church, when Frederick H. Thomson, of Hampstead, was united in marriage to Miss Edna M. Ried also of Hampstead. The groom has enlisted for overseas service.

PRESENTATION TO TWO OVER 700 OFFICERS

KING'S CO. MEN WHO HAVE JOINED 88TH AT MUSKETRY SCHOOL

Whitehead, Kings Co., Oct. 11.—On Friday night at the home of Mr. Wm. J. Haslett, Hazel Brook Farm, took place a very agreeable surprise party and dance, there being present upwards of 150 people. Mr. Wm. J. Haslett called on Mr. John T. Nuttall to make the presentation of wrist watches and fountain pens to Ernest H. Haslett and Roland A. Haslett, who enlisted in the 88th Battalion for overseas service. The young men replied feebly, and both said that when occasions come they would endeavor to do honor not only to the home of Whitehead but also their King and Empire. After the singing of the National Anthem refreshments were served and dancing indulged in.

Annual See Day.

The auxiliary of the Women's Missionary Society of the Carleton Methodist Church held its annual See Day in the vestry of the church on Tuesday evening, the president, Mrs. J. O. Beattie, presiding. A varied and interesting programme was carried out. Among the numbers were a solo by Mrs. Murray Long, a duet by Mrs. Long and Mrs. Vincent, a much appreciated reading by Mrs. Westmorland, and a very instructive and helpful address by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Westmorland. At the close of the meeting and after the National Anthem had been sung a social hour was greatly enjoyed. Refreshments were served and the sum of \$36.60 was contributed by the members.

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Ottawa, Oct. 13.—No fewer than 736 officers have taken the course at the school of musketry this year. The school closes on Oct. 21st. The officers are trained in the use of machine gun and rifle. Lieut. Col. R. A. Heimer of Ottawa is in charge with Major Butcher of Toronto as his assistant.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE FOR TAXES

Public notice is hereby given that the parcels of real estate hereinafter mentioned and more particularly described in a schedule filed in my office, on the first day of July, A.D. 1915, will be sold by me at Chubb's Corner in the City of St. John, in the City and County of St. John and Province of New Brunswick, at 12 o'clock noon, on the first day of November, A.D. 1915, upon a claim by the Municipality of the City and County of Saint John for taxes and assessments due as detailed in such schedule and for school and highway taxes.

Table with columns: Schedule No., Parish, Street or Highway, Estimate of Acres, Person Assessed or Taxed, Amount Claim and Nature of Claim. Lists various parcels of land for sale, including Great Marsh Rd, Golden Grove Road, Loch Lomond Rd, etc.

Interesting Contests For Boys and Girls

A COMPOSITION CONTEST

As many of the boys and girls who read the Children's Corner each week are continually asking for a contest in which they may be allowed to write an essay, or story, I have decided to let you have same. Write an essay or story about any subject you wish, such as "A trip in a submarine," "How I spent my holidays," or any other subject you think of. Use only one side of the paper, and enclose with your attempt ONE coupon only. All essays must reach this office by Wednesday, October 20th. To the boy or girl who sends me in what I think is the best written essay, I shall award a BEAUTIFUL WATCH, or any other prize of a similar nature you may prefer. I shall also publish the winner's story.

UNCLE DICK, THE STANDARD, ST. JOHN, N. B.

STANDARD COMPETITION. For Boys and Girls. Full Name, Address, Age Last Birthday.

HANDWRITING CONTEST

As many of you have shown by your letters to me that you are splendid writers I am letting you have a chance to compete in same. Write the following questions out, together with the answers, on a piece of white paper using one side only, attach three coupons and send in to me not later than Wednesday, October 13th. Both boys and girls may compete in this contest but must not be older than 15 years of age last birthday. To the boy or girl who sends me in the most neatly written sentences, together with the correct answers I shall award a prize of a BEAUTIFUL WATCH, or NICE STORY BOOK whichever they may desire.

WHERE IS PETROGRAD? WHO IS THE KING OF BULGARIA? WHO IS KING GEORGE'S ELDEST SON?

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JAMES KING KELLEY, County Secretary

LATEST FINANCIAL AND SHIPPING NEWS AND NOTES

SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.
 October—Phase of the Moon.
 Last Quarter . . . 1st 5hr. 44m. p. m.
 New Moon . . . 8th 5hr. 42m. p. m.
 First Quarter . . . 15th 5hr. 52m. p. m.
 Full Moon . . . 22nd 5hr. 16m. a. m.
 Last Quarter . . . 29th 5hr. 40m. p. m.

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MARINE NOTES.
 STEAMER CHARTERED.
 Chartered for October, steamer, 1,475 tons, coal, Norfolk to St. John, N. B., thence to West Britain or East Ireland, deals, private terms.

WRECKAGE WASHED ASHORE.
 Charlottetown, P. E. I., Oct. 13.—A quantity of wreckage was washed ashore at Bayfield and Rockburn, on the north side of the island Sunday and Monday night, indicating that a large steamer had sunk in that vicinity. The wreckage strewn along the shore for two or three miles consisted of about 20 hatches, some of them 12 or 14 feet long, a door, pieces of ship's rail, wicker baskets. On some of the parts there were metal figures inset in the wood, such as S. I. M. S. The wreckage is supposed to be part of the Dominion Coal Company's collier Kronprinz Olat, which has been missing for two weeks, having left Sydney for Montreal.

EXTENSIVE FOREIGN SELLING BRINGS SPECIALTIES AGAIN INTO FRONT LINE

Railway and other high grade Shares fall back—Bethlehem Steel jumps sixteen points to 467—Bond Market strong.

New York, Oct. 13.—Specialties resumed first place in speculative importance today, rails and other high grade shares falling behind, mainly as a result of it was said, of extensive foreign selling. In fact, the market's professional tone was at decided variance with recent days, when the strength of seasoned stocks offered hope of a revival of interest from investment sources.

A majority of the better known railways were one to two points lower. Reading again showing greatest heaviness. That stock and the Pacific, Erie and Graniers were offered for European account to the extent of fifty thousand shares. According to general belief these sales represented profit-taking.

War shares were foremost in the list of the specialties. The Balkan situation evidently being regarded as a bullish incident for that class of stocks. Bethlehem Steel rose sixteen points to the new high record of 465, and Studebaker also broke all previous records with a gain of 19 to 104. The Maxwell Motor issues rose three to

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Wheat, No. 2 red, 1.15 to 1.18; No. 3 red, 1.10 to 1.13; No. 4 hard, nominal; No. 3 hard, 1.07 to 1.11.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 63½ to 64½; standard, 38½ to 40.

Oats—No. 3 white, 35½ to 37; standard, 38½ to 40.

Rye—No. 3, 99 to 1.00.

Barley—52 to 60.

Timothy—6.00 to 7.50.

Clover—12.00 to 19.00.

Pork—15.07; lard, 9.62; ribs, 9.75 to 10.25.

Wheat. High. Low. Close.
 May 109½ 106½ 109½
 Dec. 108½ 105½ 108½

Corn. High. Low. Close.
 May 61 59½ 61
 Dec. 59½ 57½ 59½

Oats. High. Low. Close.
 May 40 39½ 39½
 Dec. 38½ 37½ 38½

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, Oct. 13.—CORN—American No. 2 yellow, 78.

OATS—Canadian western, No. 2, 51; No. 3, 50.

FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat patents, 5.85; second, 5.35; strong bakers, 5.15; winter patents, choice, 5.40; straight rollers, 4.70 to 4.80; bags, 2.20 to 2.30.

MILLFEED—Bran, 23; Shorts, 25; Middlings, 30 to 31; Mouille, 30 to 33.

HAY—No. 2, per ton, carl ois, 17 to 18.

POTATOES—Per bag, car lots, 90.

LOST SALES.
 The British ship Almsdale, McKowin, from New York July 15 for Adelaide, has put into Rio Janeiro with rigging strained and loss of some sails.

STEAMSHIPS.

Crystal Stream Steamship Co.
 ST. JOHN-FREDERICTON ROUTE
 The steamer D. J. PURDY will sail from North End for Fredericton and intermediate points every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY at 4.30 a.m., returning ALTERNATE DAYS, leaving Fredericton 7.30 a.m.
 The "D. J. Purdy" and "Majestic" can be chartered at any time for excursions and parties.

ST. JOHN-WASHBURN ROUTE
 The steamer "MAJESTIC" will sail from North End for Cole's Island and intermediate points every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY at ten a.m., returning alternate days, leaving Cole's Island at six a.m.
 D. J. PURDY, Manager.
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Majestic Steamship Co.
 Steamer Champlain
 On and after Oct. 12, stmr. Champlain will leave Public Wharf, St. John on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at ten o'clock for Hatfield's Point and intermediate landings. Returning on alternative days at 1 p. m.
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RAILWAYS.

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STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)
 Morning
 Montreal, Wednesday, Oct. 13th—
 C. P. R.—31 @ 167½, 25 @ 166½, Cedars—70 @ 68.
 Steamships Com.—35 @ 141½, 25 @ 14, 50 @ 144.
 Steamship Pfd.—65 @ 68½, 25 @ 68, 65 @ 67½, 20 @ 68.
 Cement Pfd.—7 @ 90½.
 Cement Com.—195 @ 33½, 100 @ 33.5-8, 4 @ 33, 100 @ 33.5-8, 25 @ 33½.
 Cement Bonds—1,000 @ 93½.
 Dom. Iron Com.—150 @ 48½, 60 @ 48.
 Shawinigan—275 @ 136, 75 @ 136½, 95 @ 135½, 225 @ 136½, 25 @ 135½.
 Montreal Power—10 @ 224½.
 Steel Co. of Canada Com.—285 @ 33½, 135 @ 35, 50 @ 35½, 10 @ 35.1-8.
 Steel Co. of Canada Pfd.—10 @ 88½.
 Bell Telephone—140 @ 141½.
 Canada Car Pfd.—100 @ 123½, 100 @ 124, 50 @ 123, 25 @ 122½.
 Detroit United—215 @ 62.
 Laur. Pulp—270 @ 193, 25 @ 193½, 300 @ 193½, 50 @ 193½.
 Crown Reserve—1,000 @ 39½.
 McDonalds—85 @ 10.
 N. S. Steel—10 @ 87½.
 Quebec Ry.—5 @ 14½, 5 @ 14½.
 General Electric—15 @ 103.
 Dom. Bridge—5 @ 159½, 60 @ 169½, 25 @ 169, 25 @ 168½, 175 @ 167, 60 @ 166½, 10 @ 166½, 50 @ 168½, 35 @ 170½, 50 @ 170.7-8, 150 @ 171, 50 @ 170½.
 Ames Holden Com.—100 @ 15½.
 Bank of Montreal—40 @ 234.
 Royal—2 @ 221¼, 1 @ 221¼.

Afternoon
 Cedars—95 @ 68, 35 @ 67½, 15 @ 68.
 Steamships Pfd.—3 @ 67½, 2 @ 68, 60 @ 68½.
 Textile—2 @ 75, 5 @ 74½, 51 @ 74.
 Cement Com.—186 @ 24½, 210 @ 34.
 Dom. Iron Com.—110 @ 48, 100 @ 48.3-8.
 Shawinigan—1 @ 134, 35 @ 145½, 25 @ 135.
 Steel of Canada Com.—25 @ 35½, 120 @ 35½, 50 @ 35½.
 Dom. Bridge—5 @ 159½, 60 @ 169½, 25 @ 169, 25 @ 168½, 10 @ 167½, 64, 50 @ 63½.
 Oglivies—75 @ 156.
 Lake of Woods Pfd.—10 @ 120.
 Laurentide—5 @ 191, 25 @ 190.
 N. S. Steel—75 @ 87.
 Smart Woods—55 @ 35½.
 Quebec Ry.—25 @ 13½.
 General Electric—25 @ 103, 3 @ 102.
 Illinois Traction Pfd.—10 @ 91.
 Dom. Bridge—90 @ 170½, 110 @ 170½, 100 @ 171.
 Ames Holden Com.—50 @ 15½.
 Penmans—25 @ 53½, 25 @ 54, 20 @ 54½, 50 @ 55.

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 ST. JOHN, N. B.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)
 Morning
 Montreal, Wednesday, Oct. 13th—
 C. P. R.—31 @ 167½, 25 @ 166½, Cedars—70 @ 68.
 Steamships Com.—35 @ 141½, 25 @ 14, 50 @ 144.
 Steamship Pfd.—65 @ 68½, 25 @ 68, 65 @ 67½, 20 @ 68.
 Cement Pfd.—7 @ 90½.
 Cement Com.—195 @ 33½, 100 @ 33.5-8, 4 @ 33, 100 @ 33.5-8, 25 @ 33½.
 Cement Bonds—1,000 @ 93½.
 Dom. Iron Com.—150 @ 48½, 60 @ 48.
 Shawinigan—275 @ 136, 75 @ 136½, 95 @ 135½, 225 @ 136½, 25 @ 135½.
 Montreal Power—10 @ 224½.
 Steel Co. of Canada Com.—285 @ 33½, 135 @ 35, 50 @ 35½, 10 @ 35.1-8.
 Steel Co. of Canada Pfd.—10 @ 88½.
 Bell Telephone—140 @ 141½.
 Canada Car Pfd.—100 @ 123½, 100 @ 124, 50 @ 123, 25 @ 122½.
 Detroit United—215 @ 62.
 Laur. Pulp—270 @ 193, 25 @ 193½, 300 @ 193½, 50 @ 193½.
 Crown Reserve—1,000 @ 39½.
 McDonalds—85 @ 10.
 N. S. Steel—10 @ 87½.
 Quebec Ry.—5 @ 14½, 5 @ 14½.
 General Electric—15 @ 103.
 Dom. Bridge—5 @ 159½, 60 @ 169½, 25 @ 169, 25 @ 168½, 175 @ 167, 60 @ 166½, 10 @ 166½, 50 @ 168½, 35 @ 170½, 50 @ 170.7-8, 150 @ 171, 50 @ 170½.
 Ames Holden Com.—100 @ 15½.
 Bank of Montreal—40 @ 234.
 Royal—2 @ 221¼, 1 @ 221¼.

Afternoon
 Cedars—95 @ 68, 35 @ 67½, 15 @ 68.
 Steamships Pfd.—3 @ 67½, 2 @ 68, 60 @ 68½.
 Textile—2 @ 75, 5 @ 74½, 51 @ 74.
 Cement Com.—186 @ 24½, 210 @ 34.
 Dom. Iron Com.—110 @ 48, 100 @ 48.3-8.
 Shawinigan—1 @ 134, 35 @ 145½, 25 @ 135.
 Steel of Canada Com.—25 @ 35½, 120 @ 35½, 50 @ 35½.
 Dom. Bridge—5 @ 159½, 60 @ 169½, 25 @ 169, 25 @ 168½, 10 @ 167½, 64, 50 @ 63½.
 Oglivies—75 @ 156.
 Lake of Woods Pfd.—10 @ 120.
 Laurentide—5 @ 191, 25 @ 190.
 N. S. Steel—75 @ 87.
 Smart Woods—55 @ 35½.
 Quebec Ry.—25 @ 13½.
 General Electric—25 @ 103, 3 @ 102.
 Illinois Traction Pfd.—10 @ 91.
 Dom. Bridge—90 @ 170½, 110 @ 170½, 100 @ 171.
 Ames Holden Com.—50 @ 15½.
 Penmans—25 @ 53½, 25 @ 54, 20 @ 54½, 50 @ 55.

MONTREAL MARKET

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)
 Bid. Ask.
 Ames Holden Com 15 15½
 Ames Holden Pfd 55
 Brazilian L. H. and P. 54
 Canada Car 110 111
 Canada Car Pfd 122½ 123
 Canada Cement 34½ 34½
 Canada Cement Pfd. 90½
 Can. Cotton 27 28
 Crown Reserve 39 39½
 Detroit United 62½ 63½
 Dom. Bridge 170½ 171
 Dom. anners 31
 Dom. Iron Pfd. 48½ 48½
 Dom. Iron Com. 92 94
 Dom. Tex. Com. 120
 Laurentide Paper Co. 190 191½
 Lake of Woods 140
 MacDonalds 9½ 10½
 Minn. and St. Paul 120 122
 N. S. Steel 87 88
 Ottawa L. and P. 120
 Oglivies 137
 Penman's Limited 54½ 55
 Quebec Railway 13½ 14
 Shaw W. and P. Co. 135 135½
 Shaw Williams Co. 61 65
 Spanish River Com. 4½ 5
 Steel Co. Can. Com. 35½ 35½
 Toronto Rails 111
 Tucketts Tobacco 29
 Winnipeg Elect. 180

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)
 High. Low. Close.
 Jan. 13.08 12.76 12.78
 Mar. 29 13.00 13.00
 May 47 .16 .16
 July 43 .18 .18
 Oct. 12.60 12.22 12.27

SCHOONER OVERDUE.
 The British schooner Bravo, from Perth Amboy Sept. 18 and Vineyard Haven 24th, is overdue at Sydney, C. B.; she has not been reported as having arrived at any of the ports along the coast.

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

New York, Oct. 13.—There has been heavy realizing during the day, but stocks in general have been very firm and in a few issues large advances have occurred. This has been particularly the case in the steel selling and Baldwin although the latter eased off from its best figure in the afternoon. Bethlehem Steel made a new high record and reports of plans for the formation of new steel mergers have been current, although they have all been vague and based to a great extent on imagination. The strength of U. S. Steel was one of the most significant features, the steel selling a higher level than in any other year of its existence with the exception of 1909 and 1910. It is considered practically certain that dividends will be resumed before month's end, the only question now being whether the action will be taken at the May meeting of the board two weeks hence or left over till the last Tuesday of January. The statement showing that on Oct. 1, only 88,000 freight cars were idle in the U. S. and Canada, compared with 191,000 on Sept. 1 gave an indication of the extent to which railroad business has improved. The time is not far off when the roads will be confronted with an actual shortage of equipment. Sales 1,203,000. Bonds \$5,102,000.
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The Steamer Victoria

Will leave St. John (Old Main Quay wharf) every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8.30 a. m. for Fredericton; will leave Fredericton every Monday and Wednesday and Friday at 7 a. m. on and after Wednesday, Oct. 13.

THE VICTORIA & G. CO. LTD.
 Warehouse H. G. Harrison
 Phone M. 2680. Manager.

CHANGE OF TIME.
 Fall and Winter Time Table of the **GRAND MANAN S.S. CO.**
 Grand Manan Route—Season 1915-16
 After October 1st, 1915, and until further notice, a steamer of this line will run as follows:
 Leave Grand Manan Mondays at 7.30 a. m. for St. John, via Eastport, Campbell and Wilson's Beach.
 Returning leave Turnbull's Wharf St. John, Wednesdays at 7.30 a. m. for Grand Manan, via Wilson's Beach, Campbell and Eastport.
 Leave Grand Manan Thursdays at 8 a. m. for St. Stephen, via Campbell, Eastport and St. Andrews.
 Returning, leave St. Stephen Fridays at 7.30 a. m. for Grand Manan, via St. Andrews, Eastport and Campbell.
 Leave Grand Manan Saturdays at 7.30 a. m. for St. Andrews.
 Returning same day, leaving St. Andrews at 1 p. m., calling at Campbell and Eastport both ways.
 Atlantic Standard Time.
 L. C. GUPTILL, Manager, Grand Manan.

Eastern Steamship Lines

INTERNATIONAL LINE
 Steamships Calvin Austin and Governor Cobb
 Leave St. John, Mon., Wed., and Fri., at 9 a. m., for Lunenburg, Eastport, Portland and Boston, return leave Central Wharf, Boston, Mon., Wed. and Fri., at 9 a. m.

MAINE STEAMSHIP LINE.
 Steamships North Land and North Star
 Leave Franklin Wharf, Portland, Tues., Thurs. and Sat., at 6.30 p. m. City Ticket Office, 47 King street.

A. E. CURRIE, Agent, St. John, N. B.
A. E. FLEMING, T. F. & P. A.
 St. John, N. B.

Eastern Steamship Lines

FALL EXCURSIONS
 INTERNATIONAL LINE
LOW FARES
ST. JOHN to PORTLAND AND BOSTON
 On Sale Until Oct. 29.
 Return limit 30 days.
Portland, . . \$6.50
Boston, . . \$7.00
 Tickets and staterooms at City Ticket Office, 47 King St., also at Wharf Ticket Office.

THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO. (LIMITED.)
 Until further notice the S. S. Connors Bros. will run as follows:—
 Leave St. John, N. B., Thorne & Gray and Warehouse Co. on Saturday, 1.30 a.m., for St. Andrews, calling at Dipper Harbor, Beaver Harbor, Black's Harbor, Back Bay, or Letete, Deer Island, Red Store, St. George's, returning leave St. Andrews Tuesday for St. John, calling at Letete or Back Bay, Black's Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Dipper Harbor, tide and weather permitting.

AGENT—Thorne Wharf and Warehouse Co., St. John, N. B.
 Phone 2581. Manager, Lewis Connors, Black's Harbor, N. B.
 This company will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date without a written order from the company or captain of the steamer.

FURNESS LINE

From London. From St. John.
 Oct. 7—Fraser River
 Oct. 14—Messina Oct. 23
 Rates subject to change.
WM. THOMSON & CO., Agents.

MANCHESTER LINE

From Manchester. From St. John.
 Sept. 7 Man. Exchange, Sept. 23
 Sept. 18 Man. Engineer Oct. 3
 Oct. 2 Man. Miller Oct. 10
WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

WORLD

RED SOX'S BAT BRING BOSTON

In Another Whirlwind Ninety from Phillies, Clinch Hammer Out Three

Philadelphia, Oct. 13.—To Harry Hooper, native son of California, but earning a tidy little sum each summer playing field for the Boston Red Sox, goes the honor of bringing another world's championship to his team and the American League.

"Colonel" Ephraim Rixey of Charlottesville, Va., was hurling for the Phillies, and there was one out in the ninth inning, when Hooper faced the erratic southpaw. The "Colonel" made the batter look foolish as he broke two fast curves over the plate for called strikes, and the home router evidently made Rixey over-confident, for a moment later he grooved one. There was a swish, a crash of hickory against horsehide and a white streak headed for the centre field stands.

The ball fell to the ground and then with a long, looping bound, it went into the crowd and Hooper trotted around the paths.

The Phillies still were due a turn at bat, but there was not a soul among the more than twenty thousand crowded in the park who did not know that the series was over, and that the Boston Red Sox had won another championship of the world—four games to one. Flustered, but still fighting, the standard bearers of the National League went through the formality of completing the last inning, but not a man could get to first.

This last game of the series was one to stir the blood. It was a battle from the jump, with the issue ever in the balance. Twice it seemed that Philadelphia had a winning margin, but twice the Red Sox hammered their way to the recount.

Filling up three runs in the eighth and ninth innings they got the decision, five to four.

It was a battling bee in which the Phillies got an early start. Their big war club, bearing rings and banners, the Red Sox determined to take a hand in the fray. From that time forward there was a crashing, clanging chorus that sounded a sweet symphony in the ears of the fans. For the first time in the series the hum of the homer was heard in the land. The Boston hitters got the range of the short field stands in centre, and sent the balls hurtling there for the circuit. Hooper got two of the home runs, and then Lewis another for Boston.

The local battlers, who had their hair slightly trimmed off the stands and close-set fences long before the series began, valiantly tried to meet the invaders at the home run game. Luders lifted one high over the right field wall in the fourth, but here the heavy firing of the home folks ended, and for the last five innings there was never a threat of Philadelphia tallies.

All through this world's series the Red Sox have been just good enough to win. They lost their first meeting

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Bringing Up



THE WEATHER

Forecasts

Maritime—Moderate to fresh southwesterly winds; fair and warm.

Toronto, Oct. 13.—Showers have occurred today in the western portions of Ontario and in British Columbia, while in other parts of the Dominion the weather has been fine and warm.

Temperatures	Min	Max
Prince Rupert	42	52
Victoria	48	58
Vancouver	50	62
Kamloops	50	56
Calgary	53	58
Medicine Hat	28	50
Battleford	24	58
Edmonton	28	60
Prince Albert	26	48
Moose Jaw	27	60
Regina	24	60
Winnipeg	26	60
Port Arthur	36	48
Parry Sound	50	68
London	48	69
Toronto	48	70
Kingston	54	68
Ottawa	44	70
Montreal	48	70
Quebec	40	66
St. John	48	56
Halifax	42	68

ONE HUNDRED APPLICATIONS FOR POSITIONS IN RANKS OF THE NEW SIEGE BATTERY

Seven Men Secured Here Yesterday for the 88th Battalion—Recruits Coming in from All Parts of the Province—More Meetings Tonight.

YESTERDAY'S HONOR ROLL.

Frank Walsh, St. John.
 Frank Doucet, Bathurst.
 Hugh Steeves, Miramichi.
 Edmund H. Scott, Dorchester.
 J. W. Stackhouse, St. John.
 Th. Armstrong, St. John.
 Edward Clarke, England.

Seven men were secured yesterday at the local recruiting office for the 88th Battalion and in Sussex seventy-six new men have signed on for this unit. There has been a great response to the call for men for this battalion and there is every indication that the ranks will soon be filled. Many young men have signified their intention of enlisting in the heavy siege battery and to date more than one hundred applications have been received for this unit. Nineteen names were handed into the recruiting office here yesterday for this battery and it is estimated that the full complement of 218 men will be recruited in short order.

At the meeting in the recruiting rooms last night there was a large audience. R. E. Armstrong, secretary of the Board of Trade, presided. John Keefe, Lieut. F. del. Clements and Private D. Walter Shaw delivered short addresses and a musical programme was carried out. Vocal selections were furnished by Walter Pidgeon, Robert Carson and G. H. Mayes. Messrs. Johnson and Shaw performed on the mouth organ, while Roscoe Bond officiated at the piano. The speeches were short and businesslike. The audience gave a respectful hearing and at times became very enthusiastic. Recruits who passed upstairs for examination while the meeting was in progress, were all given a hearty cheer.

John Keefe told the young men of

RAILS PLACED AT APPROACH TO NEW BRIDGE

Street Railway service across Bridge soon—Rails being placed in position.

Work on the street railway approach to the new bridge at the Falls is well underway. Already the rails have been placed in position from the end of the bridge to the watchman's house, and it is expected that a few days more will see the completion of the rails and the inauguration of the street car service across the bridge to Douglas Avenue.

The rails and sleepers for the connecting of the rails on the bridge with the system of West St. John are on the ground and a large crew of men is at work getting things in shape. As soon as the rails are in place it is expected that the street cars will run across the bridge to a point just west of the C.P.R. tracks, thus making a short transfer. As soon as the diamond crossing arrives it will be installed and then the city and West End services will be continuous.

In anticipation of the increased traffic the street railway company has placed double tracks at Tilson's Corner, thus making the West Side system double tracked throughout.

WILL INVESTIGATE HERRING FISHERIES

Hon. Mr. Hazen has arranged to secure full particulars of habits of fish.

The Minister of Marine and Fisheries has asked the superintendent of fisheries at St. John to investigate the herring fishery of the Bay of Fundy, with a view to discovering the ocean haunts of the herring that do not come in on the shores. The fishermen have many theories respecting the herring which frequent the Atlantic coast and which furnish the supply of sardines which are found in such large quantities in the Passamaquoddy district and along the northern shore of the Bay of Fundy as far as St. John. It has been contended that these young fish come from the larger schools which have their spawning grounds at the southern end of Grand Manan Island, and that the herring which are found along the eastern shore of New Brunswick and in the Gulf of St. Lawrence are spawned at the Magdalen Islands. Outside of these two groups of fish there has always been an idea among the fishermen that somewhere in the adjacent waters of the Atlantic ocean immense schools of large herring existed, and that it was from these ocean schools that our coastal waters were supplied. The result of the present investigation will be awaited with a good deal of interest. The herring fishery is one of the most valuable assets of the Maritime Provinces. In the last fiscal year, the herring catch in New Brunswick amounted to 197,297 cwt., while the sardine catch amounted to 141,384 barrels.

Around the City

No Council.

Owing to the absence of several of the commissioners the city council did not meet yesterday.

Will be Over \$20,000.

Latest reports indicate that the Patriotic Auction receipts will be over rather than under \$20,000—a splendid result.

Noisy Boys.

About 7:30 last evening Policeman Jas. Merrick was called to the corner of City Road and Stanley street to disperse a crowd of disorderly boys.

Obstruction Removed.

The concrete in Main street, which blocked one track of the street railway has been removed and the roadway is now ready for the placing of sleepers to support the rails. It is expected that the rails will be replaced and the car service to Liantown resumed within a few days.

Carleton Band Ready.

The members of the Carleton Cornet Band are hourly awaiting orders to report in Sussex for duty with the 88th Battalion. The band has been accepted for service and it is expected that orders for going to Sussex will be received some time today. It is generally believed that the band will be in Sussex for Sunday.

War Souvenir.

An interesting war souvenir is on exhibition in the window of W. Scarr's shoe store on Main street. It is a Flemish prayer book, which was picked up on the field at Ypres by Corporal H. Bonneville, of Main street. It was found on May 2nd, just after the Canadian troops had advanced a piece after a heavy engagement.

A Prominent Divine.

There arrived on the Atlantic express yesterday morning Rev. John Morrison, of Sarnia, Ont. Rev. Mr. Morrison is a prominent minister of the London Conference of the Methodist Church and a lecturer of note. He will be the guest of Rev. W. H. Barracough and will doubtless be heard in some of the city churches before leaving St. John.

Art Club Executive.

The St. John Art Club held an executive meeting yesterday afternoon to arrange plans for the annual meeting which is to take place this evening. It was expected that the president, W. S. Fisher, would be present, but as he is away from the city he will be unable to attend, so William Brodie will preside. The election of officers will be held at this meeting. Refreshments will be served, and a full attendance is expected.

"Bud" Tippetts Given an Office.

As an evidence that those who are injured in their country's service will not be forgotten when the memory of their brave deeds passes into history, comes the news that "Bud" Tippetts, of Fairville, who was wounded in the fighting in Flanders, has been appointed to the Customs service. The many friends of the returned soldier will be glad to hear that he has been so promptly taken care of.

What Are You Doing?

The Committee on Defence and Resources is making good progress with the work here. The members have been instrumental in securing many recruits for overseas duty, and have a list of about sixty men who have signified their willingness to join the local militia. A number of subscriptions for the various funds have been received by Colonel Wedderburn, and turned over to the proper authorities. The registration of those willing to do something for the Empire is not meeting with the success expected. The business men have not responded as freely as the committee had hoped and they feel that all who are desirous of helping in any way should communicate with them, so that the lists can be properly classified.

THE PREMIER WILL SPEAK IN THE IMPERIAL

Sir Robert L. Borden will address Patriotic gathering Tuesday night.

Arrangements are being completed for the reception of Sir Robert L. Borden, who will address a patriotic meeting in the Imperial Theatre, Tuesday evening.

A telegram from Sir Robert, yesterday, in which he accepted the invitation to come here, was received by Judge Forbes. The message was as follows:

"Thanks for invitation. It would be both a pleasure and an honor to address the people of St. John on the great question which you suggest on Tuesday evening, October 19."

"R. L. BORDEN."

ANXIOUS FOR PLACE ON THE FIRING LINE

Former member of Imperial theatre staff writes from France.

Henry Young, of the local police force, received a letter yesterday from his brother, W. L. Young, who is a driver with the Divisional Ammunition Column of the Second Canadian Division. Driver Young was, before enlisting in St. John, a member of the Imperial Theatre staff. He writes from some place in France and states that like all of the St. John boys he is in excellent health and is enjoying every inch of a soldier's life.

The letter is dated September 25th and he said that a couple of days previous to that he had been up to the firing line and from what he saw he has an idea what he may expect when the division in which he is a member gets in close holds with the Germans. Driver Young says that all the boys are anxious to get a crack at the Germans and will not be happy until they receive the word to advance to the firing line. He wishes to be remembered to all his friends in St. John.

FALL RESULTED FATALLY.

The death of William H. Smith of 47 Sewell street, who was injured on last Friday by falling about ten feet down the elevator shaft in the warehouse of J. S. Frost, Smythe street, occurred in the General Public Hospital yesterday morning. It was at first supposed that his injuries were not serious, but his condition became more critical and death followed.

The accident occurred while he and John W. Murphy, acting officer, were in the elevator. The breaking of a cable was said to have been the cause. Mr. Smith, who was about fifty-two years of age, was in the employ of the National Drug Co., as teamster. For many years prior to going with them, he was in the service of George S. de Forest. He is survived by his wife and one son, Joseph, now in France with the Army Service Co. Friends will extend heartfelt sympathy to them in their bereavement.

PERSONAL.

Rev. Gordon Dickie returned to the city on the Montreal train yesterday morning.

Lieut. F. del. Clements, recruiting officer in Queens county, returned to the city Wednesday.

A. M. Phillips returned to the city on the Montreal train yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Walker returned yesterday from Boston.

LECTURE TONIGHT.

"That Boy" is the subject of a lecture to be given by the Rev. John Morrison, of Sarnia, Ont., in Centenary Hall tonight at 8 o'clock. Don't miss it. Admission, 25c.

WORK ON SHEDS AT SAND POINT GOING AHEAD

Materials on the ground and lines laid down—In full swing Monday.

Workmen were busy yesterday taking levels and preparing material for the new sheds that are to be erected on the West Side. By Monday next the work will be in full swing, and a large number of men will be employed so that the buildings may be completed in time for the winterport business.

The three sheds to be built on Piers Nos. 7, 14 and 15, will total about 600 feet in length, and will be from 60 to 90 feet in width.

Hon. J. D. Hazen has used his influence to have the work rushed and the sheds will be ready at the earliest possible moment. A large business is expected through this port this winter and the increased warehouse room will greatly facilitate the handling of freight.

PROPERTY TRANSFERS RECENTLY REPORTED.

St. John County.

P. S. Applegate to C. H. Lennox et al, \$1, property at Simonds.

Charles B. and J. Archibald to J. E. Anderson, \$1, property on Gullford St., Carleton.

G. W. Belyea to Rose A., wife of G. H. West, \$1, property at Lancaster.

R. W. Carson to Carson Real Estate Co., \$1, property on City Road.

William Cunningham to Annie M. wife of A. M. Rowan, \$50, property at Millidgeville.

J. H. Magee et al to H. E. Dobson, \$1, property at Simonds.

Mary A. McArdle to Wm. Roberts, \$1, property at Simonds.

Kings County.

Wm. Fitzgerald to Ellen Barrett, \$200, property at Studholm.

G. C. C. T. and F. M. Hamm, to Annie M. Rowan, \$7, property at Westfield.

J. A. Patterson to G. B. Jones, \$7,000, property at Studholm.

T. N. Vincent to C. B. D'Arcy, \$1, property at Rothesay.

T. N. Vincent to G. B. Weaver, property at Rothesay.

A twilight recital will be given in Centenary church next Saturday afternoon at four o'clock in aid of the Doorkeepers' Circle of the Kings' Daughters. Those taking part in the recital will be announced later. A silver collection will be taken.

Keep Your Horses Warm and Comfortable

It is scarcely needful to remind you that, as the days grow cooler, your horses—if you are to get the best from them—should be properly protected with good, warm blankets, especially if they have to stand for any length of time.

You will find, in our HORSE BLANKET SECTION, a very large and complete range, which come in good serviceable coverings of fute and cotton, with heavy wool linings, all having safety surcingle attached, at the following

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From All the Best Canadian Manufacturers

All bought before the great advance in wool and cannot be duplicated again this season at the prices we are selling at.

The Largest and Best Assorted Stock in the city, in the various qualities of the different makes now being shown.

THE SHAW-WOOD BRAND—White Combination or Union Suits, high neck, long sleeves, ankle length .. 90c. and \$1.25

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O. S. and EX. O. S. VESTS AND DRAWERS .. \$1.25 a garment

WATSON BRAND—White all-wool vests and drawers from .. \$1.25 to \$1.75 a garment

PEN ANGLE BRAND—White and natural unshrinkable vests and drawers. All sizes at \$1.25 a garment

TURNBULL'S—Unshrinkable, white and natural vests and drawers at .. 50c. and 60c. a garment

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MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S VESTS AND DRAWERS, fine ribbed.

"TURNBULL'S UNSHRINKABLE" MAKE, all sizes.

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