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## WELCH COAL STRIKE LIKELY SETTLED TODAY; BRITISH PUSH FORWARD EAST OF YPRES

### LLOYD GEORGE RESTORES HARMONY BETWEEN COAL MINE OWNERS AND STRIKERS

**Ratification Today by Miners' Delegates of Agreement Reached Yesterday by Representatives of Both Sides Will Likely End Strike — Miners Obtain Nearly All Demands.**

Cardiff, July 20.—Subject to ratification by the miners themselves through delegates who will assemble tomorrow, representatives of the government and of the coal mine owners on the one hand and the executive committee of the South Wales Miners' Federation on the other agreed today to terms, which it is thought will end the coal miners strike which since last Thursday has tied up the South Wales coal fields and menaced the fuel supply of the navy.

The terms arrived at grant a substantial increase in wages and involve concessions to the strikers which are considered by their executive committee as tantamount to an admission of the miners' claims on nearly all the outstanding points. Tonight the delegates were visiting their districts canvassing the sentiments there preparatory to tomorrow's vote.

If tomorrow's meeting should bring a settlement of the strike the thanks of the country will go chiefly to David Lloyd George, the Munitions Minister, for it was his arrival here Monday night that paved the way for breaking the deadlock between the miners and the mine owners.

The chief cause of the miners' unrest was that they considered the excessive

profits the mine owners were making in the sale of their coal at war prices—profits in which they were not sharing. They also deeply resented enforced arbitration, as was authorized by the application of the Munitions Act to coal miners. Though it is now a law this measure was not actually invoked against the miners when they laid down their picks and no mention is made of its future scope in the proposed settlement.

If the vote tomorrow is favorable to ending the strike 200,000 men will return to work immediately and agree to abide by the terms of the settlement until six months after the termination of the war.

The hopeful turn of affairs has been received with a sigh of relief all over Great Britain, for the humiliation of the public that a strike should have taken place at such a time was keen. This humiliation was reflected in all sections of the press and there was growing talk of the government taking over the mines.

The agreement reached today provides that settling shall be penalized for the present dispute.

Mr. Lloyd George will remain in Cardiff tomorrow but will not address the miners unless they request him to do so.

### MR. JAMESON, M.P., CONTRIBUTES PRICE OF MACHINE GUN

For 40th N. S. Battalion—Regrets He Cannot Go to Front Himself.

Special to The Standard  
Halifax, N. S., July 20.—At a recruiting meeting in Annapolis Royal last evening, in the interests of the Fourth Nova Scotia Battalion, it was announced that Clarence Jameson, M.P., had sent his check for \$750 to the acting Minister of Militia to provide a machine gun for the battalion. This regiment was up to full strength some months ago, but five hundred men were drafted from it for reinforcements at the front, and now it is being recruited to bring it once more up to the full establishment. Four hundred men are still required. Mr. Jameson said he had felt that this could be easily accomplished and to show his confidence he had offered to defray the cost of a machine gun to be used by it at the front.

The greatest regret of his life, Mr. Jameson said, was that he could not accompany the gun to the firing line, because, owing to an injured knee, the doctors would not pass him for active service.

### INJUNCTION ISSUED AGAINST MONTREAL BOARD OF CONTROL

Montreal, July 20.—Mr. Justice LaFontaine in the Federal Court today ruled that an interlocutory injunction should be issued to restrain the board of control and the city council from further dealing with the Montreal Tramways Company franchise renewal question, until such time as the court should have been afforded an opportunity to enter upon deliberations as to the merits of the allegations and counter-allegations arising from the board adopting on the vote of Mayor Martin and Controller E. Napoleon Hebert and Thomas Cote on Controller Hebert's proposal of a thirty year franchise agreement with the company. An injunction was accordingly issued.

### STEAMER WITH 800 IMMIGRANTS ABOARD REPORTED AFIRE

Bound from London to Australia—Takes Fire in Indian Ocean.

London, July 21. (2.25 a. m.)—A Reuter despatch from Durban, South Africa, says that the Peninsula and Oriental line steamer Benalla, with 800 emigrants aboard, bound from London for Australia, is afire eight hundred miles east of Durban in the Indian ocean. The cargo in one of the steamer's holds is burning.

The steamer Otaki, 150 miles off, picked up a wireless despatch from the Benalla asking for aid and the Benalla is now steaming to meet the Otaki.

### PREMIER BORDEN LEAVES FOR FRONT

Met at Boulogne by Field Marshal French—Was Accompanied by Sir Max Aitken and R. B. Bennett, M. P.

London, July 20.—Sir Robert Borden, R. B. Bennett, M. P., and Sir Max Aitken accompanied by a staff officer of the War Office and a naval attaché, left this morning for France and were met at Boulogne by Field Marshal Sir John French.

Before leaving London Sir Robert conferred with Sir Edward Grey regarding Hon. Dr. Beland, M. P., ex-Postmaster-General of Canada, who is held as a prisoner of war in Germany, he having been in Belgium when the war started. The utmost efforts will be made to secure his release.

**ALGOMA STEEL STRIKE SETTLED**  
Sault Ste. Marie, Ont., July 20.—The strike at the Algoma Steel Company's plant, where 300 men walked out four days ago, has been settled and the men have returned to work. A superintendent against whom the men had a grievance resigned.

### FLEET OF 59 VESSELS SUNK BY RUSSIANS

Destroyed by Russian Torpedo Boats—Were Laden With War Materials for Turkish Army.

London, July 20.—A fleet of fifty-nine Turkish sailing vessels, laden with war materials for the Turkish army of the Caucasus has been destroyed by Russian torpedo boat destroyers, according to a despatch from Sebastopol to Reuter's Telegram Co. The sailing vessels were on a voyage to Trebizond, a seaport of Asiatic Turkey on the Black Sea. The crews of the Turkish ships were made prisoners by the destroyers.

**Russian Steamer Sunk.**  
London, July 20.—The Russian Steamer Radosky was torpedoed and sunk by a German submarine on July 17. Her crew of 22 were saved.

The steamer General Radetzky was a vessel of 2,118 gross tonnage, 278 feet long, 37 foot beam and 19 feet depth. She was built at West Hartlepool in 1889 and was owned in Riga.

Preventing Metal from Reaching the Enemy.

London, July 20.—As indicating the extent of Great Britain's efforts to keep metals out of Germany, the public has been officially requested to pack whatever food may be sent to prisoners of war in Germany in cardboard or wooden boxes; or if the provisions are such as are usually put up in tin boxes or cans that glass or earthenware be substituted. The export of tin already has been prohibited to the Scandinavian countries and Holland.

### EVACUATION OF LUBLIN ORDERED

Russian Governor Enjoins Male Population to Attach Itself to Retreating Troops.

Vienna, July 20, via London.—The Fremdenblatt prints under a Craeov date the following order issued by the Russian governor to the civil population of Lublin, a Polish city, ninety-five miles southeast of Warsaw, to evacuate the place:

"On the order of the chief commander of the army I call the attention of the inhabitants of the Lublin government that in future in case of a retreat of our troops the male population is to attach itself to the retreating troops."

(Signed)  
"GOVERNOR STERLIGOW."

### JULY SNOWSTORM IN SARNIA, ONT.

Sarnia, Ont., July 20.—The night patrolmen of the Sarnia police force declared emphatically today that for some two minutes around four o'clock this morning a fair sized snow storm raged in the city. They state that snow flakes fell on their uniforms as they were patrolling their beats.

### DAILY COST OF WAR INCREASING

Great Britain's Per Diem Expenditure for First 17 Days of July £54,000,000.

### NEW VOTE OF CREDIT FOR £150,000,000 ASKED

Premier Hints at Entry of New Allies Which Great Britain May Have to Help Finance.

London, July 20.—In moving the new vote of credit of £150,000,000 in the House of Commons today Premier Asquith announced that for the first seventeen days of July the war expenditure had been £54,000,000 and that the rate of expenditure showed daily a natural tendency to rise. The item of loans to allies of Great Britain might also, the Premier pointed out, grow with the admission to the allied cause of states not yet participating in the war. The Premier estimated that £100,000,000 would carry Great Britain to the end of September, but in view of possible contingencies he advised the House to increase the total to £150,000,000.

The Premier drew special attention to a change in the wording of the vote of credit, which, he pointed out, empowers the government to expend money in loans on grants to other states than those falling within the category of "His Majesty's dominions." The Premier significantly emphasized that the limitation was purposely omitted in this case.

"We think it desirable in the existing situation," he said, "that we should have rather wide powers in respect to countries or states to which advances may possibly be made, and I am sure that the House will agree that the government should have in this matter a freer hand."

Premier Asquith touched on the cotton question during the debate in the House of Commons on the new vote of credit.

"The government is not without hope," he said, "that we shall obtain a great deal of this material, which is a necessary ingredient in the manufacture of some very formidable kinds of ammunition, reaches the enemy, which ought not to reach him. On the other hand, we have to be very careful not to unduly infringe on the trading interests and legitimate susceptibilities of neutral powers with which we are on terms of perfect amity and with which we do not desire to provoke anything in the nature of unnecessarily gratuitous quarrel."

### ONTARIO GOV'T GIVES \$500,000 FOR MACHINE GUNS

Toronto, July 20.—Fully five thousand of all classes were present at the meeting held in Massey Hall tonight to stimulate recruiting for overseas service. Sir John Hendrie, Lieutenant-Governor, presided. The principal address was by Sir George Foster, acting Premier of Canada, who stirred his audience to great enthusiasm. Hon. W. J. Hanna, provincial secretary, announced that the Ontario government had set aside \$500,000 to provide 500 machine guns for the Canadians at the front, no matter what province they came from, and also \$25,000 for recruiting purposes.

Rev. Dr. Robertson, on behalf of the Ministerial Association stated that the organization had raised the amount necessary to purchase one machine gun.

Inspiring addresses were delivered by Lieut. Col. Currie, Captain Wake and George, F. F. Pardee, M. P., chief general whip; Sir Herbert Ames, and Col. Sweeney.

There was a brisk reply to the demand for recruits, nearly 100 men being enrolled. A Toronto recruiting league, and a woman's auxiliary to act with it, were organized.

### TEUTONS ALMOST WARSAW'S GATES

Within Firing Distance of Nowo Georgievsk, Key to Capital — Austro-German Armies Surging Forward, with Capture of More Towns Reported—Serbian Army Reorganizing to Take Offensive.

### BRITISH ADVANCE EAST OF YPRES

London, July 20.—Field Marshal Sir John French today made the following announcement in a report to the War Office: "Yesterday evening after successfully exploding a mine just west of the Chateau de Hooge, east of Ypres, our troops occupied about 150 yards of the enemy's trenches. This gain has since been consolidated. We captured fifteen prisoners, including two officers, and also two machine guns. Two other German machine guns were destroyed by the explosion. "Elsewhere on the front there is nothing to report."

London, July 20.—From the shores of the Gulf of Riga in the north to that part of Southern Poland back in to which they drove the Russians from Galicia, the Austro-German armies are still surging forward, and if Warsaw can be denied them it will be almost a miracle.

This seems to be the consensus of opinion, even among those in England who heretofore have been hopeful that the Russians would turn and deliver a counter-blow, and news of the evacuation of the Polish capital, followed by the triumphant entry of the Germans amid such scenes as were enacted at Premysl and Lemberg would come as no surprise.

The German official statement, beginning at the northern tip of the eastern battle line, records the progress of the German troops to within about fifty miles of Riga; then, following the great battle arc southward, it chronicles further successes in the sector northeast of Warsaw, culminating in the capture of Ostrolenka, one of the fortresses designed to shield the capital.

The acute peril to Warsaw is accentuated by the Russian official communication which says that German columns are within artillery range of the fortress of Nowo Georgievsk, the key to the capital from the northwest and only about twenty miles from it. The Russian official statement says that the town of Lublin has been captured or is in danger of falling into the grip of the Austro-Germans, the Russian commander-in-chief, having issued, through the Civil Governor, an order that in case of a retreat, the male population is to attach itself to the retreating troops.

There has been a dash of British activity in Flanders, without any appreciable change in the situation, and the British public is far more interested in the South Wales coal strike, which by virtue of David Lloyd George's flying visit to Cardiff seems to have been settled. It is understood that virtually all of the strikers' demands have been granted.

The Serbian armies are being re-equipped and re-organized according to semi-official advices reaching London, and will soon be in a position to resume the offensive.

**French Official Report.**  
Paris, July 20.—The following official report was given out today by the War Office:

"In the valley of the Aisne a fairly lively cannonade was reported and the town of Soissons was bombarded. "On the height" of the Meuse the company was a lively one, but without infantry action except near Calonne, where two German attempts to take a trench were easily repulsed.

"Four of our aviators dropped 42 shells on the junction station at Chalrange, to the southwest of Vouziers. "A squadron of six aeroplanes this morning bombarded Colmar station. Eight shells of 150 millimetres (six inches) each, and eight shells of 90 millimetres were dropped on railway buildings and trains. It has been established that damage was done both to the main station and freight station. None of the shells fell on the city. Our machines returned undamaged."

The following official statement was issued by the War Office tonight: "In Artois there have been artillery actions, but no infantry engagements. Rheims was violently bombarded, several civilians being killed. "Between the Meuse and the Moselle, at Les Eparges, in the region of Fay-en-Haye and Le Pretre forest

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### FIRE ABOARD NEW U. S. BATTLESHIP

Washington, July 20.—A fire last night aboard the new dreadnought Oklahoma at the yards of the New York Shipbuilding Company, in Camden, N. J., is believed to have originated in wooden supports and other inflammable material in the magazine space between the two forward turrets. Navy officials do not believe there is anything to indicate the work of an incendiary.

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### U. S. CANNOT TAKE ACTION

In Case of Plot Formed in the United States to Damage Property in Canada.

### PROBING CHARGES AGAINST DETROIT MAN.

Inquiry So Far Fails to Disclose Grounds on Which Alleged German Sympathizers Can be Prosecuted.

Washington, July 20.—Preliminary reports on investigation by United States District Attorney Webster at Detroit, Mich., of the charge that German sympathizers were responsible for the blowing up of a government munition factory across the Canadian border were received tonight at the Department of Justice.

While the inquiry had not been completed officials said that so far it had not disclosed grounds on which the United States could proceed criminally against any of the persons alleged to have been implicated since there was no statute to cover a conspiracy formed in the United States to commit such an act in Canada.

Mr. Webster has been directed to continue his investigation and to give particular attention to the question of whether the dynamite or other explosives used was transported on American soil. The law under which prosecution might be applied to transportation of explosives between the States and from a foreign country to the United States, but it does not touch transportation from the United States to a foreign country.

Mr. Webster reported the names of several persons alleged to be connected with the plot but the department declined to make them public.

This inquiry was ordered by the Department of Justice after the British embassy had informed the State Department that it had evidence that money to carry out the dynamiting plot has been furnished by a wealthy German resident of Detroit. The embassy inquired whether such a case did not constitute a violation of neutrality.

The factory at Beloeil, Que., of the Canadian Explosives Company was partially wrecked on Tuesday, July 6, when high explosives caught fire and burned so quickly that seven lives were lost. This, it was stated, was caused by combustion or by a spark, and officials of the plant deprecated the rumor that enemy influences were responsible. No other explosion in a munitions factory has been reported, and the foregoing despatch is believed to refer to attempts upon a clothing factory at Walkerville, Ont., and the Windsor armory, where bombs were found to have been placed.

### GEN. HUGHES PAYS VISIT TO CLIVEDEN

London, July 20.—Major-General Hughes, accompanied by Brigadier-General Carson, called upon Lady Eileen Roberts today at Ascot Hospital, and then upon Lady Roberts at Englemere. The Minister of Militia then proceeded to the Duchess of Connaught Hospital at Cliveden, where he was met by Mrs. Waldorf Astor and conducted over the buildings which have just been added. Yesterday he visited the Canadian wounded at several metropolitan hospitals, among the patients seen being Lieut. Tupper, grandson of the last surviving Father of Confederation. The minister then motored to Bexley Heath and called upon Sir Charles Tupper. "Sir Charles looks well and hearty," said Major-General Hughes afterward. "His head is as clear as ever, though he feels feebler in body."

### RIOTING AT STANDARD OIL CO. PLANT

Strikers Attempt to Charge Oil Works—Clash With Police and Several Shots are Exchanged.

New York, July 20.—Serious rioting occurred again tonight at the Constable Hook plant of the Standard Oil Company at Bayonne, N. J., when several hundred of the five thousand striking employees clashed outside the company's plant with more than two hundred special officers and policemen who were doing guard duty. The strikers apparently were trying to charge the oil works and the guards fired a number of shots into the air. The strikers immediately returned with a volley of shots and scattered. This was the second disorder of the day.

A third clash occurred near the plant when John Coldesky, a boiler-maker, on his way home tonight was mistaken for a strike breaker. He was attacked and severely injured before the police intervened. Goldesky was removed to a hospital. Two arrests were made.

Steamers and barges that were being loaded with case oil destined, it is said, for England, were towed into the upper bay and anchored near the Statue of Liberty. It was said that they would remain in the bay if the strike continued.

The strikers were augmented late today by 200 employees of the Bergenport Chemical Company, adjoining the Standard Oil works, who declared a sympathetic strike.

The men at the Tide Water Oil Company, another plant at Constable Hook, refused tonight to join the strike. The strike leaders, however, said that within 24 hours, the Tide Water workers would be out. The leaders also hope to call out the 600 men employed at the Bay Water plant of the Standard Oil Company.

The General Manager Gifford, of the Standard Oil said tonight that the company has no intention of giving in to the demands of the strikers.

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# NEW NOTE TO BERLIN WITHIN FEW DAYS

## U. S. CABINET APPROVES OF NEW NOTE

Refuse However to Discuss Contents — Ready for Despatch in Couple of Days.

Washington, July 20.—President Wilson and the cabinet after two hours' discussion today approved a final draft of the note to Germany. Cabinet officers refused to discuss its contents or to intimate how the insistence of the United States to obtain a definite answer to its representations on submarine warfare had been phrased.

## THEIR MAJESTIES PRAISE CANADIAN RED CROSS WORKERS

King and Queen Visit Duchess of Connaught Hospital at Cliveden and Congratulate Wounded on Their Bravery.

London, July 20.—Their Majesties the King and Queen honored the Duchess of Connaught Hospital at Cliveden by visiting it today. The Royal visitors arrived at three o'clock and spent two hours going over the fine riverside estate of Waldorf Astor, on which several additional wings have been built to increase the accommodation of the original hospital. In a quiet way the King and Queen moved from ward to ward, speaking to the patients, some of whom were lying on beds in the open air, and others in chairs on the lawn. Col. Hodgetts, commissioner for the Canadian Red Cross, and Col. Gerall, conducted their Majesties over the institution. The King and Queen expressed their warm admiration for the arrangements made, remarking the high standard of the Canadian Red Cross methods. They also congratulated the wounded men on their bravery and on the heroic deeds of the Canadian troops.

Quite by chance the King and Queen saw the hospital under strenuous conditions. Until today there were comparatively few patients, but just two hours before their Majesties arrived, 200 new patients fresh from the front were admitted, bringing the total number of inmates up to six hundred. Major General Hughes also arrived at noon.

## ST. ANDREWS SOCIETY AT FREDERICTON WILL DONATE MACHINE GUN

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, July 20.—Clyde Robinson, who was drowned near Hamilton, Ont., week-end, was a graduate of U. N. B. In the class of 1914 and was engaged to marry a Fredericton girl. The Fredericton Society of St. Andrews tonight decided to give machine gun to Canadian expeditionary forces.

SIR SANFORD FLEMING'S CONDITION IMPROVED. Halifax, July 20.—The condition of Sir Sanford Fleming, who was taken suddenly ill on Monday, was slightly improved tonight.

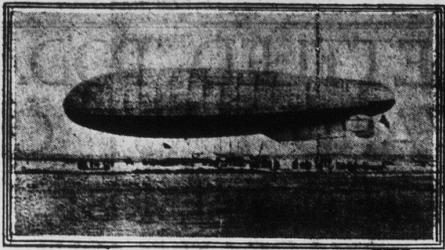
## DIED.

VINCENT.—At the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John T. Vincent, 330 Main street, Warren J. Vincent, leaving his wife and one son. Funeral from his late residence on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. DEATHS.—Cambridge, Mass., on July 20, Catherine Graham, widow of George Graham leaving two daughters to mourn. Notice of funeral later.

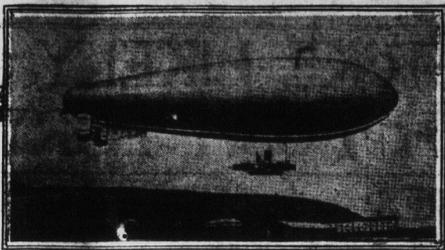
## I. O. F. FUNERAL NOTICE.

The members of Golden Rule Lodge, 446, are particularly requested to meet at their lodge room, West End, on Wednesday at 2:15 p. m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late BROTHER CHAS. M. NEWCOMBE. By order of N. G. JOHN F. BROWN, Recording Sec'y. Members of sister lodges invited to attend.

## THE POSSIBILITIES OF ITALY'S AIRFLEET IN WAR AGAINST AUSTRIA

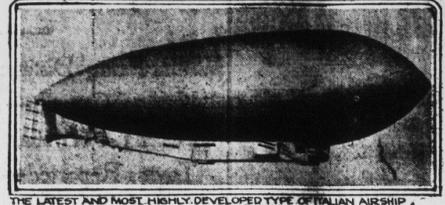


AN ITALIAN DIRIGIBLE DESCENDING



A LATER TYPE OF ITALIAN AIRSHIP

In most respects Italy ranks after Germany, France and Great Britain as an aerial power, for, though she has fewer aeroplanes than Russia, she is better equipped in dirigibles and she comes into the war with the experience obtained during the Tripoli campaign. A compact and very effective aeroplane force is now at Italy's disposal and she has a new fleet of aeroplanes which are among the best of their kind. In the illustration are shown some of Italy's airships. The picture in the upper left hand corner shows an early type, which is capable of carrying a crew of nine. The one on the right is unusually large and the engines are mounted at the rear. In the centre are



THE LATEST AND MOST HIGHLY DEVELOPED TYPE OF ITALIAN AIRSHIP

box planes for vertical steering. Undneath the cars are slung the fuel and water tanks. In the lower picture is the latest type. The car is built into the keel, making the ship very compact

are fitted. This vessel is perhaps the best model extant of the semi-rigid high speed airship. It reveals the Italian genius in airship design. The engines are the strong feature of the Italian airships, and they are well designed to afford high speed and reliable running. We may expect to hear a good deal about the Italian air fleet in the war against Austria, and these will be the first to be sent to the front. It is possible that Italy will be able to muster nearly a dozen effective airships against Austria, and these will be capable of raids across the narrow Adriatic and in other directions. The crews are experienced from their work in Tripoli, and we may expect some daring and successful exploits from them during the course of the operations against the Dual Monarchy.

## ARGUMENT OF COUNSEL IN MANITOBA PROBE

Winnipeg, July 20.—Concluding his argument today before the Royal Commission investigating the parliament buildings contract, C. P. Wilson, senior Liberal counsel, declared that the conduct of Sir Edmond Roblin and Dr. Montague in connection with these contracts was quite indefensible and their explanations most extraordinary.

J. B. Coyne, Liberal counsel, dealt with the evidence of G. R. Caldwell, which he asked the commission to discredit where it conflicted with other witnesses. H. C. Symington, Liberal, in his address, dealt with J. H. Howden, suggesting that the ex-Attorney-General had been definitely connected by the evidence given with the negotiations concerning William Salt.

At the afternoon session today A. J. Andrews, K. C., began his argument on behalf of the late government. He affirmed that the evidence showed that whatever wrong-doing might have been perpetrated his clients had no knowledge of it.

V. J. Howard, the former provincial architect, was the killy man, and could not expect to be believed if he said he had committed his crimes for the benefit of others. In this connection Mr. Andrews asserted both Howard and Elliott seemed to have been anxious to protect Kelly, but careless of how they hurt the government.

Earlier in the day Mr. Wilson, Liberal counsel, asserted that Horwood's evidence had been corroborated in a score of different ways, but the evidence of E. C. Shankland, the Chicago architect, was shakable. Mr. Andrews' argument will probably conclude tomorrow, but the commission will not wind up. It is still hopeful of securing the evidence of Thomas Kelly, and will remain in session as long as there is a chance to secure Kelly's appearance. Moreover, it has still to hear the technical reports of John Woodman and J. H. G. Russell on the parliament buildings, and Hugh Armstrong will give evidence with respect to the money which he obtained from the Home Bank on a check signed by J. H. Howden.

C. P. Wilson, in continuing his argument this morning, said the \$802,000 contract for the steel work of the dome, afterwards destroyed, called for fifteen hundred tons of steel more than was warranted, amounting to several hundreds of thousands of dollars. He spoke of the extraordinary amount of corroborative evidence in Dr. Simpson's strong box, of the story that Simpson was really the dictator in connection with these contracts for the purpose of raising campaign funds.

He recalled that Kelly cashed a check for eighty-one thousand dollars, and he asked the commission to assume that this money was handed over to Dr. Simpson. The evidence, he said, showed that these increases in the steel and calculation contracts were all directed by Dr. Simpson for the purpose of raising funds. Speaking again of the destruction of the plans and records of the contract, Mr. Wilson declared the "conduct of these two ministers (Messrs. Roblin and Montague) was absolutely indefensible, and their attempted explanation most extraordinary." The only inference that can be fairly drawn is that the contract was entered into for the purpose of enabling Kelly to get a much larger sum from the province than he was entitled to, and that the fear of detection of the contract

## SHELLS DROP AROUND MISSION HOUSE WHERE HUNDREDS TOOK REFUGE

New York, July 17.—Letters from the staff of the American Board of Commissioners for Foreign Missions who were in Van, the old Armenian city in eastern Turkey, during the recent troubles months, have just been received at the offices of the Board in Petrograd. They tell of the last desperate weeks before the Russians arrived, and as we proposed to open our premises to refugees, he urged placing a guard of fifty Turkish soldiers here. We at first consented to his suggestion, but the revolutionists said that experience had taught them that the soldiers could not be trusted, and for many reasons, which seemed to us valid, they declared themselves unwilling to allow the soldiers to come. We have been thankful many times since that they did not. That evening we consulted with Signor Sbardone, Italian Consul Agent, the only consul left in the city to represent our interests, and those of other foreigners, and it was midnight before our initial plans were made. That very evening neighbors began to bring in beds, carpets, boxes, and wheat, as those who realized the situation considered our premises, those of the Germans, and Sbardone's as the only safe places to hold.

"The next day was Sunday, and we had church services as usual, but all day long streams of people poured through the gate. Men, women, and children were loaded with their household effects. The rich hired camels to bring piles of bedding, and beautifully polished chests of clothing, and the poor hurried in with their little treasures of bare necessities. Little donkeys brought in large sacks of flour and wheat.

"Before we had dressed Monday morning we had a room full of refugees from half a dozen families, and by night we in our house had a regular hotel of over 70 people, while attic, woodroom, and halls were piled with goods of every description. The German compound reserved for our use, and Sbardone feeds between thirty and forty at his table.

Quarters Rather "Thick." "Of course, we are rather thick, but are so glad to be able to shelter a few. Our family are altogether in the middle bedroom, which is barricaded by a wall of large oil cans filled with earth. This one out of most of the sun light, but the windows are down from the top, and with three open doors we have good ventilation. The sitting-room windows are protected by large bags of flour piled up on the wide sills and a triple hanging of heavy blankets across the bay window to keep out the spray bullets. The need of such protection is evidenced by the many bullet holes in the walls, and the broken windows through which our balls have entered our living-rooms. Sometimes the air hums with the constant flying of bullets over and through the premises, and it is a miracle that so few have been hurt. An exciting moment was when an unexploded cannon-shell struck the wall of our house only ten inches above the head of the Mayor's wife, who was outside the study door, and fell harmless at her feet. The same morning another cannon-ball fell into the stable yard a few feet from where my son was standing. He brought the empty shell, still warm, in to show me.

Making War Munitions "The Armenians have shown wonderful ingenuity in making gunpowder, dynamite bombs, and serviceable bullets. They made a mortar to throw bombs, and now are at work on four cannons, the only weapon the Turks have which they have not. I visited their cartridge factory last week. It was most interesting to see the process from the start when discs of cop-

per were cut from plates to the finished product of a polished cartridge with even English lettering on the end. Everything was hand-made, but between two and three thousand cartridges is the daily output. I never imagined that I could be so interested in munitions of war, or hope so fervently that the Revolutionists should win, but it is now a question of saving the remnants of the people from massacre and starvation. The Armenians have lived and homes from feudal cruelty, and we exult over every advance of the little band and pray that in some way permanent help may come to them.

"After three weeks of fighting in the city the Armenians have the advantage. But in the defenceless villages the story is very different. There the tragedy is too awful to describe. It is nothing but wholesale and systematic massacre of as many as possible and the taking of many prisoners, and sending them later to the head of the revolutionists to be fed. In this way starvation will finish the slaughter. From the first most of our refugees were villagers, some from many miles away. When our premises could hold no more, the houses near by and protected by the positions held by the revolutionists were filled. It is estimated that at least 10,000 fugitives are being fed in the Gardens. It is impossible to do justice to their condition. Fleeing without time to collect even their food, they come to us ragged, barefooted, hungry, and sick from exposure and fear.

"Many of the regular Turkish soldiers are averse to this butchery so the lawless Kurds who are nothing loath to do his will. One morning forty women and children, dying or wounded from Turkish bullets, were brought to our hospital. Little ones crying piteously for their mothers who were killed while fleeing, and mothers mourning for their children, whom they had to leave behind on the plains. Some of our orphan girls ask us if God will forgive them for leaving one child behind when, as they were carried one and leading another, they could not manage the third. I could tell you stories which would simply break your hearts, but it is needless to harrow your feelings."

## The Daily Fashion Hint.



Afternoon gown of rose taffeta. It is adorned with heavy corded plaques on the edges and has frills of pink pleated tulle. Rose garlands on the skirt. The corsage is fitted and has the tulle outlining frills.

## THOUSAND MACHINISTS QUIT WORK

Union Leaders Find Trouble in Some Plants to Accomplish Their Aim.

Bridgeport, Conn., July 20.—While labor leaders announced that approximately 1,000 machinists employed in the Remington Arms and Ammunition Company and four sub-contractors had walked out on strike, indications were that difficulty in accomplishing the aim of the union men had been experienced in some of the plants.

An official of the Remington Company denied emphatically that any of the men in that plant had walked out. Rumor had it that Major W. G. Penfield had offered the machinists an eight hour day with an agreement, \$1 a day extra pay and that they had agreed to remain. Sub-contractors, on the other hand, admitted that all of their machinists had walked out.

Among the sub-contractors admitting that their men had struck were Gainer Manufacturing Company, making bullets for the allies and the Columbia Nut and Bolt Company. These concerns employ between them less than 200 men.

## D. A. THOMAS HAS NOT REACHED OTTAWA YET

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, July 20.—D. A. Thomas, the "Welsh coal king," who was expected here a week ago to confer with General Bertram, head of the shell commission, has not yet arrived and his whereabouts are unknown. His arrival is awaited with impatience, as pending a conference with the shell commission, the placing of new contracts for fixed ammunition in Canada is held up.

## The Stabbing Case.

The case against Mary Romey, charged with stabbing William Hanley, was taken up in the police court yesterday and several witnesses were examined. The story as given in The Standard was practically the same as the evidence submitted. The prisoner was further remanded. Hanley's condition was said to be unchanged yesterday. Strong hopes are held out for his ultimate recovery.

## NORRIS PROMISES A REFORMATION

Winnipeg, July 20.—In an appeal to the electors of Manitoba, Premier Norris says in part:

"The Liberal government stands pledged to put into effect as rapidly as possible the reforms, legislative and administrative, set forth in the platform adopted by the Liberal party at the convention held prior to the last election. That advanced and comprehensive programme represented convictions and desires of the Liberal party when it was in opposition. Now that it is in office it reaffirms its devotion to the reforms therein demanded. The platform of 1914 remains our programme for this election, except where it has been enlarged by the action of Liberal members at the recent session of the legislature when we substituted prohibition for 'banish the bar.'"

## ORANGEMEN MAKE GIFT OF MACHINE GUN

St. Thomas, Ont., July 20.—The Orangemen of Elgin County are subscribing to a fund for the purchase of a machine gun for one of the Canadian overseas battalions. Seven hundred dollars is the amount aimed at.

## OFFERS CUP FOR AN OCEAN RACE

Cape May, N. J., July 20.—Commodore William Griston Cox, of the Corinthian Yacht Club, has presented a cup, which will be raced for under the auspices of the club over a fifty mile course at sea on August 14. In presenting the cup and a memorandum of gift with it, Commodore Cox states the following conditions attending it: "The Cox-Hall cup shall be raced for annually by yachts of the motor cruiser class of the clubs of the New Jersey coast and the Delaware River over the course of the Corinthian Yacht Club off Cape May, on the date fixed for its open race by the Racing Association of South Jersey Yacht Clubs under the current rules of the A. P. B. A."

The new course laid out has been suggested by the South Jersey Yacht Racing Association. The Cape May clubs were the first clubs to run cruiser races outside, but the course was never more than fifteen miles, which gave the skippers very little actual sea work. The new course is intended to take up the better part of a day's time.

Midsummer Photo-Theatricals  
**Imperial Theatre Today**  
 BLANCHE SWEET  
 In a picturization of David Belasco's production of Wm. C. DeMille's famous civil drama.  
**"THE WARRENS OF VIRGINIA"**  
 Produced under the direction of Cecil B. DeMille.  
**CAST**  
 General Warren ... James Neill  
 Mrs. Warren, Mabel Van Buren  
 Agatha Warren, Blanche Sweet  
 Arthur Warren ... P. E. Peters  
 Ned Burton ... House Peters  
 Gen. Griffin ... Dick La Reno  
 Gen. Harding ... Sidney Deane  
 Blake ... Raymond Hatton  
 Zake Biggs ... Milton Brown  
 Bill Peavey ... Dick La Strange  
 Tom Dabney, Lucien Littlefield  
 Bob Warren ... Gerald Ward  
 Betty Warren ... Mildred Harwood  
 Sapho ... Mrs. Lewis McCord  
**SYNOPSIS**  
 AGATHA WARREN, daughter of the aristocratic Southern General Warren, has, before the Civil War, fallen in love with Ned Burton, of New York. With the beginning of hostilities, Gen. Warren takes command of many of the Southern troops and Burton, enlisting in the Union army, becomes a Lieutenant. The lovers being separated by their different sympathies. Most of the action of the drama takes place during the closing days of the war, when Gen. Warren's soldiers are suffering from the lack of supplies. Burton is forced by his superior officers to use his intimacy with the Warren family in carrying a race which leads to the defeat of the supply trains coming to the relief of the Confederate army. When he is captured, Agatha, still loving him in spite of herself, offers him the means of escape which he is too proud to accept. The timely surrender of Lee at Appomattox is all that saves him from being shot.  
**The Piccadilly Johnnies - Dancers**  
**Festival Orchestra**

**MATINEE OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT**  
**EMPIRE MUSICAL COMEDY CO.**  
 AND MIKE SACHS IN ENTIRE NEW SHOW  
**"IZZY OUT WEST"**  
 All New Features - Music - Costumes  
 THERE WILL BE A MATINEE TOMORROW  
 10-20-30c MATINEES 10-20c Children 5c  
 COMING MON. JERE McAULIFFE and Homan Musical Revue

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# WAR OF PIRACY AND MURDER NOT MODIFIED

## ATTACK ON THE ORDUNA PROVES INSINCERITY OF GERMANY'S ASSURANCES

### Specious German Fiction that has been Spread in the Last Week or so Exploded by the Attempt to Destroy Steamship Which Bore No Munitions of War, but Had Neutral Passengers Aboard.

The New York Herald publishes the several editorial comments of American newspapers relative to the unsuccessful attempt of a German submarine a few days ago to sink the steamer Orduna. Several torpedoes were fired at the steamer which escaped disaster by only a few yards. Aboard the Orduna were forty-odd Americans.

The following are the opinions of some of the papers as reproduced by the Herald:

**The New York Tribune.**  
The public here has been cajoled recently with a piece of fiction constructed for a purpose. That is the assurance that Germany has decided to live up to the obligations of international law and to the dictates of humanity of dealing with unarmed enemy merchantmen.

Several cases were recently reported in which German submarine commanders before sinking such merchantmen observed the rule of visitation and search and gave non-combatants on board ample opportunity to take to the boats. It was suggested that the faster and larger German submarines, which carry rapid fire guns on their decks, are now able to overhaul and seize a merchant vessel in much the same manner as a cruiser would. Improvements in construction were therefore said to have modified the German submarine campaign in the direction of greater regularity and fuller respect for the rights of non-combatants and neutrals.

The American public would be glad to believe that Germany has abandoned her lawless methods of warfare at sea. But it is clear that no orders have yet been sent from Berlin imposing compliance with the rules of international law on German submarine commanders. In the early part of last week a German submarine sank, without warning, the Russian steamer Leo, which carried three American passengers. They escaped with their lives. But that escape was in no way due to the good will of the correct procedure of the submarine's captain.

The latter took a chance that there were no neutral passengers aboard the Leo and torpedoed her without search or warning. The Orduna, which arrived in this port yesterday, narrowly escaped the Leo's fate. She also carried American and other neutral passengers, and according to their account a German submarine discharged a torpedo at her before attempting to stop her by signal or gunfire.

These happenings of the last week exploded the specious fiction that German submarine warfare has assumed a humane and more legitimate form. The attacks on the Leo and the Orduna were not accidental or careless leaps back to the methods of the original campaign of piracy and murder. They were in line with the still unmodified programme of the German Admiralty. They were exemplifications of the von Tirpitz policy of terrorism which represents Germany's purpose just as much today as it did on the day of the Lusitania massacre.

The policy of terrorism was avowedly fresh in the memorandum in which Germany offered to make reparation for the torpedoing of the Nebraska. It was avowed with the utmost ingenuously in these two sentences: "Since the commander of the submarine was obliged to assume from his wide experience in the area of maritime war that only English steamers and no neutral steamers traversed this war area without flag or markings, he attacked the vessel which he marked, in the conviction that he had an enemy vessel before him. . . . It results from this without a doubt that the attack on the steamer Nebraska was not meant for the American flag; nor is it traceable to any fact on the part of the commander of the German submarine, but is to be considered an unfortunate accident."

If the Orduna had been sunk and more American lives had been lost that would not even have been an "unfortunate accident." It would have been, in the German view, a meritorious performance on the part of the submarine commander, a performance which the government at Berlin would no more have disavowed than it has disavowed the slaughter of Americans on the Lusitania.

The German programme of outrage at sea is a continuous and continuing one. We shall not be able to escape its challenge to neutral rights until we secure a binding promise from Germany to observe the obligations of international law, so far as Americans are concerned, in her warfare upon unarmed merchantmen.

**The Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune**  
The story of the attack of the Orduna leads one to believe that a vessel showing the American flag was used as a screen for the operations of the submarine which launched the torpedo at the vessel, which escaped by a narrow margin. If an official investigation shall prove that the story is correct, it will be up to the Wilson administration to enter still another protest. Judging by what has occurred in the past, it will not be at all necessary for the German government to

## GREAT BRITISH DRIVE IN WEST NEXT MONTH?

### Kitchener's Army on Way To France, New York Tribune Correspondent Writes.

### BEEN PREPARING FOR PAST THREE MONTHS

### Two Million Men in New Army with 750,000 to follow within a short time

New York, July 20.—The Tribune this morning publishes the following: London, July 10. (From a special correspondent of the Tribune).—"The great British advance will begin about the first of August and England will then make her great throw in the war. It was the confident declaration of one of Kitchener's newest army, a man equipped with information, although he is only a private. A year ago he was a newspaper correspondent, as well known in New York as in London, although he is merely a man in the ranks of the Royal Fusiliers.

"We are off to the front next Wednesday (July 14)," he went on, "and we are almost the first of the new force. Kitchener's great army of 2,000,000 men is at last on the way. Within a couple of weeks, after that there will be another 750,000 British troops in France."

A glance at the speaker would convince one that he was the very type of a man needed for an officer, but he thought differently. "I, and many like me," he said, "want to get to the front and in the midst of the fighting as soon as we can. We don't want to wear the stars of an officer and train recruits. Us for France."

"This is the great move," he continued. "We are in London now for two or three days' farewell leave. Then we go on. We don't want to get the main body of Kitchener's army out of England by July 20. These plans have been in readiness for the past three months and the departure of the Gordon Highlanders for Flanders on July 4 was the match laid to the train."

These troops now departing include all those who enlisted between the outbreak of the war and last January. The remainder stay behind as reserves. No man is going out who has had less than six months of training. The remaining million will serve to fill up the reserves.

"The larger the army the greater the number of reserves necessary," is Kitchener's motto.

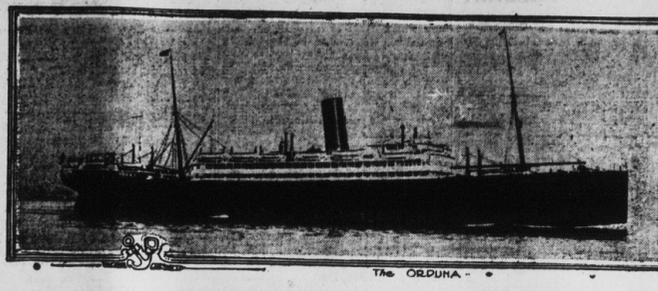
For the moment, Aldershot, Salisbury Plain and all the great training centres are deserted. They will be reserved for the new recruits, compulsory or otherwise, expected as soon as the national register, a half threat to compulsion, is completed. Meanwhile, those left in Kitchener's army are training harder than ever.

(English papers received on Monday state that the Irish division, raised and commanded by Lieut. Gen. Sir Bryan Mahon, (described in the article from the New York World, published by the Globe last week), has landed in France.

## No Trouble to Keep Skin Free From Hairs

(The Modern Beauty)  
There is no need for any woman to countenance superfluous hairs, because with a paste made by mixing some powdered delatone with water it is easy to get rid of them. The paste is applied for two or three minutes, then rubbed off and the skin washed. This treatment will rid the skin of hair without leaving a blemish, but care should be taken to see that you get real delatone.

## ATTACK ON ORDUNA UPSETS OFFICIAL WASHINGTON



ORDUNA PASSENGERS WEARING LIFE BELTS - News of the attack by a German submarine on the Cunard line steamship Orduna, bound for the United States without cargo, upset the hope of official Washington that Germany had changed her submarine policy in accordance with the wishes of the United States. One of the above pictures, taken on board the vessel during her flight from the submarine, shows some of the passengers wearing lifebelts in readiness to abandon the ship if a shell hit its mark. The other picture shows the vessel arriving at New York.

## BERLIN SAYS RUSSIANS STILL IN RETREAT

### Enemy using fresh Landstrum Troops who are under fire for the first time.

Berlin, July 20.—Further progress in the German drive toward Warsaw from the north and south was announced officially here today. The German war office reports the capture of Ostrolenka, on the Narew river, about sixty miles north of Warsaw.

In the south the Russians are in retreat. The statement follows: "After blowing up mines near Chateau Hooge, east of Ypres, the British made an attack on both sides of the road from Chateau Hooge to Ypres. Their attack collapsed before our positions. At some points the attack, with in range of our artillery could not be carried through. The British occupied an excavation made by an explosion.

"Near Souchez an attack with hand grenades was repulsed. After vigorous artillery fighting near Albert the French attacked during the evening an attack against our positions near Priscourt. They were repulsed.

"Eastern theatre of war: "In Courland the Russians were repulsed near Grosssharden, east of Tukum, and near Gendroff and Ustingen; east of Kurland the enemy also is retreating before our attacks.

"North of Novogrod, on the Narew, German troops captured enemy positions north of the confluence of the Skroda and Pissa rivers.

"Fresh Landstrum troops, who were under fire for the first time, especially distinguished themselves. North of the mouth of the Ekwa we reached the Narew. The permanent fortifications of Ostrolenka, on the northwest bank of the river, were occupied.

"South of the Vistula our troops advanced into hostile positions to Blonie and Grojec (Blonie is 17 miles west of Warsaw and Grojec 16 miles south of the city). In rear guard fighting the Russians lost 500 prisoners and two machine guns.

## PRIZE COURT WILL CONDEMN COTTON CARGOES

London, July 20.—A large part of the shipments of American cotton held up by England probably will be condemned by the prize court. This was indicated by a ruling made today by the government.

The ruling was announced by the Board of Trade, which holds that if the ownership of cotton shipped under the agreement with American exporters passes from the American shippers to enemy of Great Britain it will not be purchased by the British government under the terms of the agreement.

Washington Will Contest The Point  
Washington, July 20.—Any decision by a British prize court that would condemn and confiscate without payment cotton of American ownership destined to a neutral country or even to private consignee in Germany, Austria or Turkey, would be contested by the United States government.

Cotton not having been so far declared contraband of war, the State Department holds that under international law it is not subject to confiscation without compensation.

American order-in-council provides that non-contraband goods such as cotton, of neutral ownership, if destined for Germany and without a pass, must be discharged in a British port, but that the goods, if not requisitioned by the British government, must be restored to the owner upon such terms as the prize court deems just. The same rule applies to cargoes sent to other than German ports, but with an enemy destination eventually.

These provisions, aside from the general principles of international law, are regarded by State Department officials as sufficiently safeguarding the American owners of cotton from the confiscation of their goods. It is said at the department and also at the British embassy, however, that there is no record of ships carrying unmixed cargoes of cotton of American ownership, without suspicion of association with contraband goods, now under detention in Great Britain.

## THIRST QUENCHERS.

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## COM. CHANDLER RESUMES HIS INVESTIGATION

### Into Caribou Creek Bridge charges — Docithe Chaisson says he made false entries in Pay Sheets.

Fredericton, July 20.—Commissioner Chandler, who is conducting the enquiry into the charges made by P. J. Veniot, opened his court this morning. The charge in regard to the Caribou Creek bridge in the Parish of Shippegan, Gloucester county, was taken up. Mr. Veniot charges that P. F. Boudreau received \$42 for supplying lumber to this bridge and that the lumber was not supplied; also that E. D. Chaisson, a boy of ten years, received \$170 for work done on the bridge with a horse and cart.

Mr. Boudreau told of sending lumber for Caribou bridge to Martin Robichaud, M. L. A., and part, he said, he was told was used on the bridge and part on the ferry landing.

Commissioner W. B. Chandler continued his investigation into charges made by Mr. P. J. Veniot regarding Caribou Creek bridge in the Parish of Shippegan, Gloucester County, this afternoon.

Progress made was very slow. French-Canadian witnesses examined being unable to speak English, and an interpreter being necessary. Mr. P. Allan LeBlanc of St. John acted as interpreter for the commissioner.

Evidence given this afternoon showed that false entries had been made on pay sheets by Foreman Docithe Chaisson, who explained that he had done this in order to deceive Mr. Martin J. Robichaud, M. L. A., who had told him not to put too many men at work on the bridge. Foreman Chaisson also placed the name of his son, Edward, aged 10 years, on the pay sheets for work that had been done by his hired man, Cleophas Chaisson. Work was actually done on the bridge, but pay sheets did not always contain the names of those who had actually performed the work.

Docithe Chaisson's evidence conflicted somewhat with the testimony given by Eutrope E. Hachey. Mr. Hachey was called by Commissioner Chandler to verify a statement made by Chaisson that he (Hachey) had given Chaisson permission to secure an amount due Hachey. The latter said he had not given the foreman permission to do this but had received \$15 in advance from Chaisson, which amount Chaisson secured from Hachey to pay. The entire affair was considerably involved and showed some irregularities on the part of Chaisson.

Mr. P. F. Boudreau was recalled when court opened after noon recess and contradicted some of his testimony given in the morning. He stated that he had been told to secure lumber for the ferry landing at Shippegan only and did not hear about Caribou bridge until the fall of 1913. He said in contradiction to his evidence at the morning session that he had complained of the amount paid him by the Dominion government for lumber supplied for the ferry landing.

The proceedings have excited little interest, there being nobody other than those who had to attend present at any of the sessions of Commissioner Chandler's court.

## TY COBB IN COURT AGAIN.

A suit filed in the New York Supreme court against Ty Cobb indicates that as a ball player the Georgia Peach is not a successful cotton speculator. The suit is brought by the Guaranty Trust Co., as trustees for the creditors of the brokerage firm of S. H. P. Pell & Co., which assigned on July 31, 1914, to recover \$2,432 from Cobb.

The complaint states that between June 12, 1913, and July 31, 1914, Cobb gave certain orders to the brokers to buy and sell cotton futures and also contracts for future deliveries. On May 28, June 19 and July 29, 1914, Cobb bought 100 bales of 500 pounds each day. He owed the brokers \$18,770 for the cotton and at that time had a balance of \$880 with the firm.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JULY 21, 1915.

"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.

### SEND MACHINE GUNS.

Through the generosity of several well known citizens of St. John, the project to supply a number of machine guns to the Canadian soldiers made material progress yesterday, and funds sufficient to purchase several guns are already in sight. The need for an ample equipment of machine guns for the Canadian troops is urgent. There is an impression in some quarters that such gifts would not be appreciated, as it is the intention of the Government to supply all such weapons required. This impression is erroneous, the Government equipment will include only the standard military outfit, and any additional protection in the way of more machine guns will be very welcome.

Already other centres in Canada are doing well in this regard, and this city and province should follow suit. As the 26th, now in England, and the 56th, now in Valcartier, are peculiarly New Brunswick Battalions, it is to be hoped that all citizens who can do so will quickly contribute to the funds being raised. As to the need for this particular sort of weapon there is an abundance of testimony. Lloyd George, in a recent address, referred to Germany's advantage in this class of weapons and said: "The superiority of the Germans in material was most marked in their heavy guns, in their rifles and perhaps most of all her machine guns. These have proved to be the most formidable weapons in the war. They have almost superseded the rifle, have almost rendered the rifle unnecessary."

The Hamilton Spectator, in a recent editorial, quotes the views of several Canadian officers who have returned from the front, and they are of the opinion that machine guns constitute the greatest need if Germany is to be fought as she is fighting. The Spectator says: Dr. Gatling and Sir Hiram Maxim had many difficulties to surmount before they could convince either the American or the British government that there was any value in their method of firing rifle bullets in rapid succession by machinery. By the force of sheer merit the machine gun has won its way, till now it is actually beginning to supersede the ordinary rifle. Testimony on this head comes to us almost every day. For instance, Lieutenant-Colonel F. S. Meighan, of Montreal, who has just returned from the front for a brief holiday, to be utilized in giving the men still in training in Canada the benefit of his experience, speaking of the German soldiers, says: "I would not call them good soldiers. They are good chemists and splendid organizers. Their artillery work is wonderful. They have the range of every ditch and road in the country, and they can drop a shell wherever they please. They are fighting us now with the machine gun. They are supposed to have TWELVE TO A BATTALION, and they have separate battalions who have machine guns and nothing else. I hope that we will follow their example in this, as a FEW MEN WITH A MACHINE GUN CAN DO AS MUCH DAMAGE AS A HUNDRED WITH RIFLES. But as soldiers, they will never wait for a hand-to-hand conflict." Major J. Lightfoot, of the Winnipeg and Calgary regiments, who came on the same vessel, also says there is no possibility of getting the Germans to wait for the actual shock of battle. "They prefer to do it with shells and machine guns."

Letters from the front tell of the havoc the German machine gun fire has wrought on the attacking Allies. If the Canadian soldiers were equipped with a sufficient number of the same weapons the conditions of conflict would be more nearly equal and the result might be a great saving of valuable lives. To send a machine gun to the boys at the front is a good way of doing one's bit.

### AN APPEAL FOR RECRUITS.

An eloquent appeal for recruits is made by the London Free Press, the arguments in which will apply to New Brunswick as well as to Ontario. It seems that some sections of Ontario are finding as much difficulty in filling their battalions as is the case in this province and the Free Press refers to Earl Kitchener's latest request for men in these terms: "Lord Kitchener, in his address last

week, remarked upon the importance of keeping the extent of the new British army from the enemy. A German prince, he said, had ruefully spoken of his entire lack of knowledge as to the size of the British army. Probably no one but Kitchener and his immediate secretaries are aware of the number of men who have been recruited. England, it is well known, is full of soldiers. The demand is for more men, however, and the reason is explained by the secretary of war, who points out that the greater the army the greater the number of reserves from which to draw to make good the wastage. It is reassuring amid the call for recruits to hear from Kitchener that the dimensions of the new army already have reached a figure which only a short while ago would have been considered as utterly unthinkable.

Britain's Minister of War made this significant appeal in these words: "One cannot ignore the certainty that our requirements in this respect will be large, continuous and persistent; for one feels that our gallant soldiers in the fighting line are beckoning with an urgency at once imperious and pathetic to those who remain at home to come out and play their part."

"Here we have not really the appeal of the War Minister, but that of our brothers who have responded and who call out to us from the trenches of France and Flanders. These men need the help of every man who can respond. Their call is 'at once imperious and pathetic.' Can we heartlessly disregard the call? The young men of Canada who are fitted by age, physical ability and circumstance—it is to them that the call comes with especial directness. It is a call for help in a common cause. Can it possibly fall upon deaf ears?"

### THE ASSESSMENT COMMISSION.

It is to be hoped that the City Council, at the meeting called for this morning, will appoint as members of the assessment commission the citizens already placed in nomination by Mayor Frink. The gentlemen whose names have been submitted are all good citizens of wide business experience, men who can be depended upon to bring to their duties ripe judgment and business knowledge. Also, and what is equally as important, they will treat the matter fairly and without consideration for the interests of any one class in the community more than another. And fairness must be at the bottom of any system of assessment decided upon.

It must be remembered that it is only the function of the commission to investigate conditions and make a recommendation as to the measure they believe will best meet the needs. Their report must first be adopted by the Council and must then go to the Legislature for ratification, so there is ample safeguard against the adoption of any change which, though commending itself to the commission, might be deemed unwise by Council or Legislature. With the personnel of the commission as it has been nominated, however, there is little fear that it will make recommendations not in the interests of the citizens. The Standard believes His Worship's selection to be a good one and it is hoped the nominees will meet the approval of the Council and receive their appointment without additional delay.

### Current Comment

**IN ERROR.** (Vancouver Province.) From the dates of bombs, shells, guns, official printed notices and other munitions of war the Germans were prepared for the war in 1911—just about the time that the pacifists were declaring most loudly that the Germans were as harmless and peaceful as lambs, and that the talk of the German peril was a wicked effort to stir up strife!

### COTTON.

(Christian Science Monitor, Boston.) Cotton is said to be fetching 30 cents a pound in Germany at present, which is three times the price a syndicate could have bought it for in the United States about the time syndicates were quietly reaching out for the southern surplus last year. The quotation is particularly interesting in view of the general maritime situation. In fact,

if it were not for the general maritime situation, cotton would not be bringing 30 cents in Berlin.

### FOREGONE CONCLUSION.

(Springfield Republican.) It cannot be said that a return to atrocities long since left to pirates is the best of credentials for a great nation which declares itself to be fighting for the freedom of the seas; there could hardly be a more effective way of reconciling neutrals to Great Britain's maritime rule. If the world had a vote now as to which of these two nations could be better trusted with a navy, there can be little question as to the verdict.

### Germany's Colonies.

(New York Journal of Commerce.) Not only have the Germans failed to be successful colonizers, but their ruling powers have shown themselves incapable of understanding the elements of their problem. Judging by their own consciousness, as all men are apt to do, they made a serious miscalculation in precipitating a war in which Great Britain might be impelled to join. They believed it would be deterred by fear of revolt and revolution in the colonies, or, if not deterred, so far embarrassed and hampered in its action as not to be formidable in the European field. But the result speedily showed that being forced into the war not only united factions in Great Britain in support of the government, but rallied the colonies including India, to the defense of the Empire. There is every prospect that the war will leave Germany bare of such colonies as she had succeeded in acquiring, and devoid of the prestige of a world power at which she was aiming, while the British Empire will be relatively strengthened, with still greater regard for the consent of the governed in her policy.

### Futile Hatred

J. W. Bengough, in the Toronto Globe. Boldly they talk, these lunatics of hate. Of crushing Britain and the thing she means. For human-kind; but why should madness stop At such an enterprise? Why not aspire To wipe the old familiar sun from heaven. The flowers from the fields; the friendly clouds From the fair sky of springtime; the sweet thoughts Of home and liberty that haunt the mind. And are the substance and the charm of life. For souls of men? 'Twere just as possible. For these are, Britain!

Our inviolate isles. Enshrined within the fond-embracing sea. Are the deep centre of the conscious world. Of wide humanity; heart of the race That keeps the tides of hope and love. And swells with noble purposes of peace.

To think of Britain vanished and forgot Is to think chaos and the friendless still lives. A world bereaved and happiness eclipsed. In a barbaric gloom.

Let madmen rave Against the order of the universe. And brandish puny swords to bid the stars Cease from their orbits; let the war lords roar Their hatred 'gainst Britannia and her realm. And threaten her destruction. God still lives. And, while His righteous governance endures, Our Empire is immortal.

### To The United States

(A rejoinder) We've raised a statue in her name—Oh! Liberty. Her bronzed limbs and torch aflame Attracting by that conductive metal Jupiter Pluvius' fiery shafts centripetal. As well as upward shafts of satire By poet suffering from dog-days, hot-air, and humidity. While amid it be Ralls at "cupidity." Inspiring timidity. By his boldness and his wit—(Oh! it's so hard to find a word to fit with "Liberty!") So we've tipped the old girl off her block. Oh! Liberty. And with "warping souls" warped 'tongside the rock.

With shame, greed, dishonor and disgrace, We've hoisted you up in her place! For so our poet sings. In song that soars on satire's wings. Back to enemy, face to friend. With real that fester might some Flanders German seek to rend. Fatten the Liberty! TAPPAN ADNEY. Woodstock, July 19, 1915.

### When Grenadiers and The Guards Mixed It

A letter from a youngster who went to France with the First Canadian Contingent gives an interesting description of a ruined blockhouse near the writer's trenches. This blockhouse was pierced by the Germans who held it, for innumerable machine guns. The Grenadier Guards stormed the fortress, which was shelled by both sides, and encountered the Prussian Guards in one of the fiercest hand-to-hand

## Little Benny's Note Book.

By LEE PAPE  
Last nite I cam hoam with wun eye black and blue and getting blacker and blooder, and my nose awl bluddy, and pop and ma was in the setting room, ma seeing me first.  
Benny Potts, she sed lowd as anything, have you bin fiteing.  
No man, I sed.  
Henry, will you look at that boys face, and he sees he hasent bin fiteing, sed ma, just look at his face.  
Im looking at it, sed pop, at least. Im looking at such porphins of it as are still visibl in the rockidge, grate roof, that eye, those nose.  
The awdacity of him, to calmly wawk in heer loking like that and declare he hasent bin fiteing, sed ma.  
Let me have the witness a moment, sed pop. Benny wat do you meen by appeering befor yure innerent paronts looking like the ghost of the battill of Wattirioo and than informing us that you havent bin fiteing, if I find that you have bin telling us a falsehood, maimed and well nigh dismembered as you are, I fear there will haf to be anuthir battill.  
It wasent a fee, I sed.  
Then pray wat was it, sed ma.  
It was a slatsh, I sed, I loked him with out haff trying. G, you awt to see him.  
If he looks any worse than you I ask to be spared the site, sed pop, for the lay of Mars and Von Hindeberg, wen I look at the scene of carnidge and desolayshin befor me and thenerodeck that he sees it wasent really a fee, I no that the red blud of the ancient Pottees flows in the veins of my son and I d take awf my hat to him if I had it awn.  
And he took me in the bathroom and washed my noz and eye with hot wattr and I told him how the fite startid, wich was by Sam Krawas sticking his fingurs up to his noze at me and gettingt mad wen I did it back to him.

flights of the whole war. The Grenadiers and the Prussian Guards were on their metal. It was the test—Der Tag—to settle who were the better "Guards" with whom rested the honors of war. Inside the ruined blockhouse for an hour there was fighting with bayonets and the fists. The slaughter was grim and great. But the Grenadiers saw red that day and those Prussian Guards who were not wiped out had to pocket their pride of corps and take to their heels in a manner that would have given the Kaiser heart-spasms.

A huge brick memorial was built by the men of the Grenadiers inside the blockhouse, 30 ft. by 20 ft. over the grave in which they buried the heroes of the first regiment of British Guards who fell in that glorious fight that quenched the ardor of the Kaiser's Prussian Guards. The memorial is in the form of the regimental badge of the Grenadiers, and is planted all over and bordered with flowers and ferns. On the memorial is an inscription: "In memory of our successes here," and below appears a pious injunction to any regiments that follow after to keep watered and green the flowers memorial of "The Fighting Grenadiers." Every regiment that has moved up to those trenches has faithfully obeyed that command. The Canadians were scrupulous in their attentions and the youngster whose letter I am quoting declares with boyish enthusiasm: "It is splendid; I only wish you could see it." Close by this blockhouse is a little wayside shrine, at which, according to the young Canadian, who is obviously no theologian, the French and Belgians "go to the confession." It was near this shrine that Sergeant Michael O'Leary per-

formed the famous deed of capturing a body of Prussian Guardsmen single-handed, that won him the V. C.

In the note the government took the opportunity to express its high satisfaction over the recent efficacious intervention of the commander and officers of the United States cruiser Tennessee in Asiatic Turkey, to whose firmness, it is asserted, was due the rescue and departure from the country of many Italians.

**TURKS PREVENTING ITALIANS FROM LEAVING THE OTTOMAN EMPIRE.**  
Rome, via Paris, July 20.—The government has addressed a note to the United States government asking it to use its influence to protect Italian subjects in the Ottoman Empire, especially in Asia Minor, where the Turkish authorities are said to be preventing them from leaving.

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## NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, July 20.—Whitney Division, Sons of Temperance, have elected officers for the coming quarter as follows: P.W.P., Walter Adams; W. P., Arthur Adams; W.A., Mrs. J. W. D. Mann; F.S., Neil Rae; R.S., Mildred McColin; A.R.S., Harold Whitney; Treas., Addison McLean; Com. Wm. Parker; A. Con. Olive Mutch; I. S., Wm. Sheppard; O. S., George Sheppard; Chap., Mrs. Parker; Org., Anna Hyve.

Thos. Herbert returned home from St. John on Thursday where he underwent an operation for eye trouble. Mrs. John Edgett, of St. John, is spending a few days with her husband here, Mr. Edgett being superintendent of the new hospital construction.

Mrs. Charles Payne and her daughter of Fredericton are the guests of Mrs. Payne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Sullivan.

The engagement is announced of Miss Willa Grant Bell of this place to Mr. William R. Cummings of Montreal. The Newcastle band rendered a very enjoyable programme in front of the Hotel Miramichi last evening. Mr. Willis, the proprietor, has engaged the band to give a concert there every Monday evening during the summer months.

Misses Bessie Dick, Bessie Jeffrey and Beatrice Black are in Tabusintac this week visiting friends.

Miss Edith Black of Moncton spent Sunday in town the guest of Mrs. Thos. Jeffrey, Jr.

## SHEDIAC

Shediac, N. B., July 19.—The Red Cross Society of the Seaside town is in a thriving condition, and since its organization last fall, has done considerable work and has highly gratified at the funds received from time to time. For some months past it has been the idea of the society to hold home-cooking sales, and afternoon teas and the receipts have been in the vicinity of \$70 per month. A certain percentage of the money raised is being sent to Toronto for medical supplies, and money has been forwarded for soldier's comforts and to the fruit fund, etc. Money has also been sent to the hospital at Boqueville (\$50) and there is a bed known as the "Shediac, N. B." in the Cliverson Hospital. On Saturday afternoon last, members of the society served tea and sold home-cooking in Tipperary Hall. Thanks are due Mr. J. A. Kelly on this occasion for a generous donation of loaves. The receipts realized over \$35.

The ladies in charge of the tea tables included Mrs. James E. White and Mrs. A. Oulton, with a number of young lady assistants. Mrs. A. J. Webster and Miss Bray were in charge of the home-cooking. Other ladies assisting and tea-pouring and serving were Mrs. Gibson, Mrs. T. J. Belliveau, Miss Evans and Mrs. F. Foxworth. The following consignment was shipped to Toronto on Saturday: 75 face cloths, 3,000 worth wipers, 134 hospital dressings, 284 rolled bandages.

## OUT-OF-DOORS WEDDING AT ANAGANCE RIDGE

Anagance Ridge, July 19.—One of the most interesting weddings of the season was celebrated on Wednesday evening, July 14th, at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Asarah House of Corn Hill, when Miss Vivian Bessie Rouse was united in marriage to Frederick Rouse McPee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McPee of Kenebec Settlement. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Milton Addison and took place on the lawn under an arch composed of green foliage and decorated with white roses and carnations, the whole making an exceedingly pretty spectacle under the shade of the grand old trees which are an outstanding feature of the beautiful grounds surrounding the home. The fair young bride was charming when, leaning on the arm of her brother, she wended her way to the altar, while Gen. Grant's grand march was played by Mrs. Byron Keith.

The bride was gowned in white duchess satin with over-dress of shadow lace and wore a veil crowned with orange blossoms, carrying a beautiful bouquet of bride's roses and maiden hair fern. About one hundred guests witnessed the ceremony, nearly all being relatives of the contracting parties. After congratulations the bridal party repaired to the house where supper was served. The bride was the recipient of numerous and costly gifts consisting of cash, china, cut glass, furniture and silverware, etc., which testified to the popularity of both the bride and groom. The groom's gift to the bride was a pendant set with pearls and amethysts. The best wishes for a happy and prosperous life will follow Mr. and Mrs. McPee in their home in Kenebec Settlement.

### For the Soldiers.

A very pleasant afternoon may be looked forward to next Friday at "The Bungalow," Pleasant Point, when the Douglas Ave. Circle of the Soldiers' Comforts will serve a tea in aid of the funds. Tickets will be twenty-five cents. By taking the ferry from In-dianstown any time after three o'clock and a short walk up the hill will bring you to a beautiful view of the St. John river. No tickets have yet been sold. All will be welcome and twenty-five cents will be gratefully received in aid of the soldiers.

## FIRST MEETING OF WOMENS INSTITUTE OF HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, July 20.—Mrs. Ezra Doherty of Whitton, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. James Doherty of Miramichi, and expects to remain in the county for some weeks.

S. E. Logan of St. John returned yesterday after a few days spent in the county.

Mrs. Alex. Rogers and Miss Frances Rogers left today for a three weeks visit to friends in Dorchester.

G. D. Prescott, M.L.A., and Mrs. Prescott motored to St. John and back on Friday last. They found the roads good and had a very enjoyable trip.

The first meeting of the Hopewell Hill branch of the Women's Institute was held yesterday afternoon in the Public Hall basement, Miss Celia Peck presiding. After the singing of "O Canada" and roll call short addresses were given by the president and vice-president as substitutes.

The transaction of business Mrs. A. Rogers read an article on "Gott Star England." The president was elected as delegate to the convention to be held in Fredericton on Oct. 5, 6, 7, with vice-president as substitute. The meeting closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

The steamer May Queen will leave Chipman at 4 a. m. Thursday, July 22nd, making her start two hours earlier, not stopping at Gagetown, and will attend the Patriotic Picnic.

## HARTLAND

Hartland, July 19.—Mr. S. S. Miller, children and maid left by auto on Wednesday for the Lakes, Charlotte Co., followed on Friday's express by Mrs. Miller. The party will remain about six weeks.

Andover now has a tennis court and a club of 45 members. It is quite healthy and has already won a tournament from Grand Falls. The club is now seeking matches with Hartland, Woodstock and other places.

The Hartland Tennis Club has secured grounds just below the public school and will proceed at once to put them in shape. This club is only recently organized, but promises to be a live wire in the social activities of the place before long.

On Tuesday last Messrs. George Dionne, Charles Armstrong and George Sutherland of Perth started on a week's pleasure trip to Fredericton, going down the river in a motor launch.

Last week they passed away at Red Rapids one of the earliest residents on the Tobique, the person of Mr. Charles Roberts. He was 71 years of age and leaves thirteen children to mourn, most of whom were at the bedside when death claimed him. He was born at Red Rapids where his father, coming from Quebec, had settled many years ago. The funeral ceremonies were conducted by Rev. F. Conaghan of Johnville.

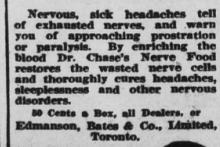
Mr. Howard Murphy of St. John last week was visiting his grandmother, Mrs. H. A. Howard, at Andover.

Quite recently a party of school children, in charge of Mrs. M. L. F. Carvell and Mrs. Marshall Armstrong of Perth had an enjoyable educational trip to Fredericton and St. John. While in St. John they visited the Foley Station, Simms' Brush Factory, York Colton Mills and various other points of interest, even the dome of the goal. They were well pleased with the trip and Mrs. Carvell, their teacher, expects to conduct a similar trip next year.

Master George Bedell of St. John is on a visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Tibbitts, at Andover. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tinker, who have been visiting at Andover, left on Tuesday for their home in St. John.

On the 11th instant at the Methodist parsonage, Andover, Rev. A. C. Bell united in marriage Mr. Bernard Larlee of Perth and Miss Mabel G. Hollins of Grand Falls.

Since the organization of the Perth and Andover Red Cross Society, last September, a large amount of work has been done. From various sources they have raised \$217. They have sent to headquarters for shipment to the front 450 pairs socks, 90 mufflers and knitted helmets, 60 pairs half-mitts and knee caps, 20 quilts, 140 respirators, in addition to hospital shirts, pyjamas, bed jackets, sheets, blankets, towels, pillow cases, etc.



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## HILLSBOROUGH

Hillsborough, N. B., July 20.—Mrs. Allan returned on Tuesday to her home in Somerville, Mass. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Warren Bishop.

Miss Lucy Duffy (Moncton) is the guest of relatives in the village.

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## FUNERALS.

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Elected at Annual Meeting held yesterday at Fredericton—Forty members of the profession present at meeting—Dr. Malcolm, of St. John, elected Secretary.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, July 20.—The 35th annual meeting of the New Brunswick Medical Society opened this morning at the City Council chamber. ...

ST. JOHN MAN TAKES BRIDE AT HOULTON, ME.

Louis Dalton and Miss O'Brien wed — Carleton County man suicides while temporarily insane

Special to The Standard. Woodstock, N. B., July 20.—A wedding which interested was solemnized at St. Mary's church, Houlton, yesterday when Miss Kathleen O'Brien became the bride of Louis Dalton, a native of St. John, later doing business in Woodstock and Houlton. ...

Thin Men and Women

Thin, nervous, undeveloped men and women everywhere are hearing the cry, "I can't understand why I do not get fat. I eat plenty of food, nourishing food." The reason is just this: You cannot get fat, no matter how much you eat, unless your digestive organs assimilate the fat-making elements of your food instead of passing them out through the body as waste. ...

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A STRONG ARM AT THE HELM.

young man of this city, and only child of Mrs. Fred. Devine, passed away yesterday morning at his mother's residence, 179 Prince William street. ...

Warren J. Vincent, a well known resident of the North End, passed away shortly after noon yesterday. He had been in poor health during the last two years. ...

Charles M. Newcombe, for many years first pilot on the steamship Calvin Austin of the St. John to Boston route of the Eastern Steamship Corporation, died at his residence 270 Tower street, West St. John Tuesday. ...

James Arthur Adams, a popular young man of this city, and only child of Mrs. Harriet McGuire, who died at Revere, Massachusetts, in August, 1911, leaving surviving her husband since deceased, and her sister Mrs. Harriet McGuire, and a nephew and niece who reside in Boston. ...

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DEATH TOLL FROM FLOODS IN CHINA IS ENORMOUS. From Eighty to Hundred Thousand perish in vicinity of Canton. Washington, July 20.—From eighty to one hundred thousand lives have been lost in the floods in the vicinity of Canton, China, according to a cablegram to the State Department today from Peking. ...

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# All the Latest News and Comment from the World of Finance

## CO-OPERATION HAS MADE ENORMOUS LOAN POSSIBLE

### British Loan, greatest in history, successful owing to co-operation between Treasury, Bank of England and People.

The British loan was subscribed for to the extent of nearly \$3,000,000,000—three thousand millions—three billion dollars. One needs to repeat the figures to get some idea of the enormous amount of money which has thus come in voluntarily to the aid of the British government.

The greatest financial operation the world has ever seen has thus been carried to a complete and with the greatest ease, by reason of the close co-operation of the Treasury, the Bank of England and the joint stock banks, and above all, through the enthusiastic response of the people.

Some idea of the spirit which prevailed may be gathered from the speech of the Prime Minister at the great meeting in London during the first week when the loan was announced. He said in part:

"We are making here in this United Kingdom, and throughout the Empire, a great national and imperial effort—unlike, supreme. The recruiting of soldiers and sailors, the provision of munitions, the organization of our industries, the practice of economy, the avoidance of waste, the accumulation of adequate war funds, the mobilization of all our forces—moral, material, personal—all these are contributing to the success of our war."

"It is not merely with us a question of self preservation, of safeguarding against hostile designs and attacks the fabric which has withstood so many storms of our corporate and national life. That, in itself, by itself, would suffice to justify all our diverse, yet concerted, endeavors. But there is something even larger and worthier at stake in this great testing trial of our people. There is not a man or woman among us who is not touched, though even in the faintest degree, with a sense of the higher issues which now hang in the balance, who has not, during this last year, become acutely conscious that in the order of Providence, we here have been entrusted with the guardianship of interests and ideals which stretch far beyond the shores of these islands, beyond even the confines of our world-wide Empire, and which concern the whole future of humanity."

"Is Right or is Force to dominate mankind? Comfort, prosperity, luxury, a well-fed and securely sheltered existence, not without the embellishments and concentrations of art and literature, and perhaps some conventional type of religion—all these we can purchase at a price, but at what a price! At the sacrifice of what makes life, national or personal, alone worth living. My Lord Mayor and citizens of London, we are now going to make that sacrifice. Rather than make it, we shall fight to the end, to the last farthing of our money, to the last ounce of our strength, to the last drop of our blood."

"Effects on the Money Market. The first 10 per cent on the subscriptions is due July 20th at which time full payment may also be made, and it is expected that a very large part will be so paid. This vast sum, gathered up from all quarters and concentrated in one receptacle, cannot fail to have considerable effect upon the general money market. Discounts are already advancing in London and the Bank rate is liable soon to be raised. Because of higher money rates there, further sales of American securities may take place—by individuals, and especially by institutions desiring to take advantage of larger returns on their funds. This selling will, however, probably be intermittent, with little possibility of a repetition of any such steady tide of selling as has taken place in the last few weeks—Bache's Review.

## FRENCH AND ENGLISH BANK REPORTS

The French government's appeal on July 2nd to the French people to bring in their gold to the Bank of France, promising each one a certificate of his country, is bearing fruit. Last week the bank's gold increased \$2,700,000. This week the increase is over three times as large and amounted to \$8,295,000. The bank now holds in its reserves nearly \$300,000,000 in gold. The Bank of England showed a decrease in gold holdings of about \$688,000. Its reserve was 17.57 per cent. This compares with 16.16 per cent on July 1st. Its private deposits increased \$300,000,000—evidently preparation for payments next Tuesday on the war loan. At least \$200,000,000 will be paid in, and probably a very much larger sum. The success of the bank's statement next week will be looked for with exceptional interest.

## WAR SHARES AGAIN TO THE FORE WITH SEVERAL LARGE GAINS

### Bethlehem Steel soars again making new high record at 198 1/2—Marked improvement in representative Railway Stocks.

New York, July 20.—War shares were again in the forefront today with new high records for Bethlehem Steel at 198 1/2, and American Can at 54. Other issues of this class were under further restraint, however. Crucible Steel especially showing the effect of yesterday's liquidation. Westinghouse, General Electric, Baldwin Locomotive and the Motor issues yielded one to three points in the early trading, with some uneven readjustment later.

United States Steel was strong in the face of steady offerings and metal shares made moderate gains to the accompaniment of an increased domestic demand. The improvement shown by representative railway issues seemed to have its origin mainly in more encouraging crop advices from western and northwestern sections of the country. Commission houses reported a fair inquiry for this grade of stocks from out of town sources.

Trading was most active in the first and final hours. It was in the latter trading that Bethlehem Steel and Am. Can. were at their best, most other stocks being neglected. Can's \$177,500.

## World's Shipping News

### MINIATURE ALMANAC. July—Phases of the Moon.

Last quarter	4th	1h	34m	p.m.
New moon	12th <td>5h <td>31m <td>p.m.</td> </td></td>	5h <td>31m <td>p.m.</td> </td>	31m <td>p.m.</td>	p.m.
First quarter	19th <td>5h <td>3m <td>a.m.</td> </td></td>	5h <td>3m <td>a.m.</td> </td>	3m <td>a.m.</td>	a.m.
Full moon	26th <td>5h <td>11m <td>p.m.</td> </td></td>	5h <td>11m <td>p.m.</td> </td>	11m <td>p.m.</td>	p.m.

### PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Tuesday, July 20, 1915. Stmr Governor Cobb, Clark, Boston, midse and pass. Stmr Calvin Austin, Mitchell, Boston via Maine ports, midse and pass.

### DOMESTIC PORTS.

Chatham, July 19.—Ard str W. H. Dwyer, McLeod, Portland, Me.; schr Rothsay, Inness, New York; bk Martha Fischer, Ireland; schr Karal, Sandberg, Lorient; bktn Valborg, Ramussea, Falmouth; stmr Norden, Sydney, N. S.

### BRITISH PORTS.

Glasgow, July 15.—Sld stms Casandra, Brown, Montreal; Lakonia, Mitchell, Newport News. Liverpool, July 19.—Ad stms Metagama, Montreal; St. Louis, New York. Leith, July 19.—Ard str Mackenzie, Montreal.

### PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, July 20.—CORN—American No. 2, yellow, 54 1/2 @ 55. OATS—Canadian Western No. 3, 64 1/2 @ 65; extra No. 1 feed, 64 1/2 @ 65.

### MONTREAL MARKET

Bradrian L. H. and P. . . . . 54  
Canada Car . . . . . 73  
Canada Cement . . . . . 84  
Canada Cement Pfd. . . . . 90 1/4  
Can. Cotton . . . . . 28  
Crown Reserve . . . . . 50  
Detroit United . . . . . 62  
Dom. Cannery . . . . . 31  
Dom. Iron Pfd. . . . . 82  
Dom. Iron Com. . . . . 31 1/2  
Dom. Tex. Com. . . . . 71  
Laurentide Paper Co. . . . . 160  
Minn. and St. Paul . . . . . 111  
Mt. L. H. and Power . . . . . 220  
N. Scotia Steel and C. . . . . 62  
Ottawa L. and P. . . . . 120  
Penman's Limited . . . . . 49  
Quebec Railway . . . . . 10  
Shaw W. and P. Co. . . . . 116 1/4  
Shear, Williams & Co. . . . . 55  
Spanish River Com. . . . . 34  
Steel Co. Can. Com. . . . . 15 1/2  
Toronto Ralls . . . . . 111  
Tuckett Tobacco . . . . . 29  
Winnipeg Elect . . . . . 180

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

New York, July 20.—The draft of the President's note was submitted to the cabinet meeting in the course of the afternoon, and while nothing of a definite nature was learned regarding the terms of the document, the market resumed its upward movement after the conclusion of the meeting, and new high records were made in some of the war stocks, notably Am. Can. and Beth. Steel. Regarding rise in Am. Can. it was said that the back dividends on the preferred stock amounting to nearly 9 per cent, would be paid off within the next few months, and that the common would be placed on a four per cent. basis about the opening of 1916, if not before.

The feature of the bond market at the opening, rallied, but it was in the industrial that the activity and strength were seen, the railroad issues showing no tendency to resume the advance which had been checked in them at about mid-day. The day's occurrences in the labor situation were not as unfavorable as the morning newspapers had predicted, and for that reason there was covering of shorts put out by traders early in the day. Total sales 436,125. Bonds \$1,788,000.

## STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

Open	High	Low	Close
Amal Cop . . . . . 72 1/2	74 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Am Beet Sug . . . . . 47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Am Car Fy . . . . . 56	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Am Loco . . . . . 48	48 1/2	48	48 1/2
Am Smelt . . . . . 78	79 1/2	78	78 1/2
Anacosta . . . . . 34 1/2	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Am Tele . . . . . 121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
Atchison . . . . . 100 1/2	101 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
Am Can . . . . . 49 1/2	54	49 1/2	54
Beth Steel . . . . . 183	188 1/2	183	198
Cops Gas . . . . . 128	128 1/2	128	128 1/2
Balt and O Co . . . . . 77	78 1/2	77	77 1/2
Crucible Steel . . . . . 41 1/2	42 1/2	41 1/2	42 1/2
Brook Rap Tr . . . . . 87	87 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
Cent Leath . . . . . 41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
C. F. I. . . . . 34 1/2	35	34 1/2	34 1/2
Chino . . . . . 46	46 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Chees and Ohio . . . . . 39 1/2	39 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Cons Gas . . . . . 128	128 1/2	128	128 1/2
Can Pac . . . . . 144 1/2	145 1/2	143 1/2	143 1/2
Eric Com . . . . . 25 1/2	26 1/2	25 1/2	26 1/2
Gr Nor Pfd . . . . . 116 1/2	117	116 1/2	117
Lehigh Val . . . . . 143 1/2	143 1/2	143	143
Is and N xl . . . . . 108 1/2	111	108 1/2	111
Press Bll Car . . . . . 48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Reading Com . . . . . 146 1/2	147 1/2	146 1/2	146 1/2
Rep Steel . . . . . 33 1/2	34	33	34 1/2
St Paul . . . . . 81 1/2	82 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Sou Pac . . . . . 84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Sou Ry Com . . . . . 13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Un aft. Com . . . . . 126 1/2	127 1/2	126 1/2	127 1/2
U S Steel Com . . . . . 63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
U S Steel Pfd . . . . . 111	111	111	111
U S Rub Com . . . . . 46	46 1/2	45	45
Westing Elct . . . . . 100 1/2	101 1/2	99 1/2	101
Sales—436,125.			

## MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(McDougall & Cowan.)  
Morning.  
Montreal, Tuesday, July 20th.—Dom Iron Pfd.—15 @ 82, 1 @ 80. Dom Iron Com.—5 @ 82. Shawinigan—25 @ 116. Montreal Power—20 @ 215 1/2. Bell Telephone—5 @ 144 1/2. Canada Car—30 @ 65, 10 @ 65 1/2, 25 @ 66, 25 @ 66 1/2, 75 @ 68, 25 @ 67 1/2, 85 @ 70, 10 @ 70 1/2. Detroit United—15 @ 82. Ouellet Com.—5 @ 118 1/2. Steel Co of Canada—15 @ 134. Merchants Bank—1 @ 180. Hollinger—50 @ 26 1/2. Dom. Bridges—10 @ 133, 60 @ 132 1/2. Shaw. Rights—824 @ 13, 25 @ 13 1/2.

Afternoon.  
Bradrian—5 @ 54. Shawinigan—5 @ 116 1/2. Canada Car—25 @ 70, 20 days; 80 @ 71 1/2, 5 @ 70, 20 days. Steel Co of Can.—60 @ 153. Car—30 @ 72, 15 @ 73. Crown Reserve—200 @ 50. Quebec Ry—10 @ 10 1/2. Pennmans—4 @ 82. Shawinigan Rights—10 @ 13, 70 @ 13 1/2, 13 @ 14. Steamship Com.—50 @ 93 1/2. Dom. Bridge—15 @ 132 1/2. McKay Pfd—20 @ 66 1/2.

## CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Chicago, July 20.—Wheat—No 2 red, 1 1/2 @ 1.16, No 2 hard, 1 1/2 @ 1.17. Corn—No 2 yellow, 78 1/2 @ 79 1/2. Oats—No 3 white, 54 1/2 @ 55; standard, 55 @ 55 1/2. Rye—No 2, new, 1.00. Barley—74 @ 75. Timothy—50 @ 6.50. Pork—14.50. Lard—8.00 @ 8.02. Ribs—9.50 @ 10.00.

## NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

High	Low	Close
Jan . . . . . 9.54	9.47	9.52
Feb . . . . . 9.58	9.52	9.57
Mar . . . . . 9.96	9.94	9.97
May . . . . . 9.73	9.66	9.68
Dec . . . . . 9.47	9.37	9.43

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PANAMA-PACIFIC EXPOSITION SAN FRANCISCO  
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Late Gossip Of The Sporting World At Home And Abroad

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

NATIONAL LEAGUE

St. Louis 3, New York 1. New York, July 20—After losing six straight games, St. Louis rallied today and won from New York by a score of 3 to 1.

Pittsburg 6, Brooklyn 2. Brooklyn, July 20—After winning seventeen of the last twenty-one games played, having lost three and tied one, Brooklyn today again struck a snag in the Pittsburghs, who had interrupted the winning streak by taking the first game of the double-header on Saturday.

Philadelphia 8, Chicago 6. Philadelphia, July 20—Bad pitching and fielding by Chicago in the eighth inning enabled Philadelphia to score six runs and win today's game, 8 to 6.

Boston 6, Cincinnati 2. Boston, July 20—Boston fell on Boston in the second inning today and scored five runs on three singles, a triple and two bases on balls, winning over Cincinnati, 6 to 2.

Chicago 10, Cleveland 3. Chicago, July 20—Joe Finneran allowed Chicago only three hits today and Brooklyn won, 10 to 3.

Cincinnati 6, St. Louis 0. Cincinnati, July 20—Ernest Shore today held Chicago to two hits, one a scratch, and Boston shut out the locals, 3 to 0.

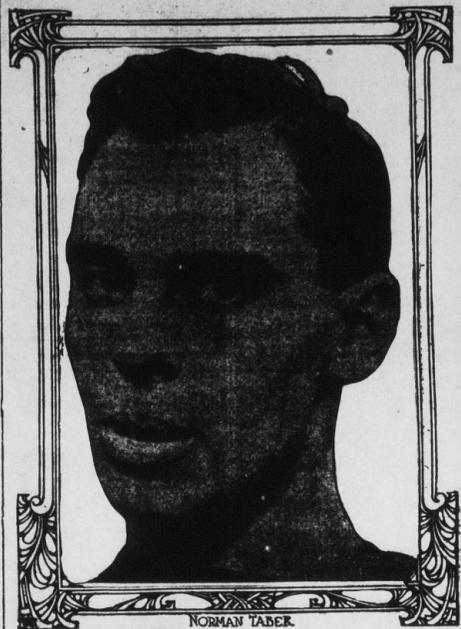
Washington 4, Cleveland 3. Cleveland, July 20—Cleveland defeated Washington, 5 to 4, in ten innings today, thus breaking its losing streak.

Philadelphia 5, Detroit 4. Detroit, July 20—Detroit made its fourth straight from Philadelphia today, winning a hard fought game, 6 to 5.

St. Louis 3, New York 2. St. Louis, July 20—By a batting rally in the ninth St. Louis took today's game from New York, 3 to 2, and divided honors in the four game series.

Buffalo 8, Pittsburg 5. Pittsburg, July 20—Buffalo won from Pittsburg today in the Federal league, 8 to 5.

RAN FASTEST MILE EVER RECORDED BY MAN



NORMAN TABER. The fastest recorded mile ever run by man was the athletic feat of Norman S. Taber, formerly of Brown University, at the amateur athletic meet in the Harvard Stadium at Cambridge, Mass. His time was 4m. 12.3-5a.

Taber ran under the colors of the Boston Athletic Association. The former amateur mile record was 4m. 14.2-5a., made on the same track by John Paul Jones, of Cornell, in 1912, Taber running second.

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Newark 6, Kansas City 0. Newark, July 20—Moseley held the locals to three scattered hits today Newark taking the final game of the series 6 to 0.

St. Louis 4, Baltimore 1. St. Louis, July 20—A pitchers' duel between Plank and Bender, in which neither walked a man, and which the home team won, 4 to 1, was the treat given St. Louis today in a double-header which the locals divided with Baltimore.

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Buffalo 3, Toronto 2. Buffalo, July 20—Buffalo defeated Toronto today 3 to 2. All the runs were scored in the seventh inning.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACING

Cleveland, Ohio, July 20—Bondella, the trim little daughter of Walnut Hall, was the sensation of today's programme of the Grand Circuit meet at North Randall track.

Summary: 2.19 Class Trotting; Purse \$1,200. Al Mack, b h, (Murray) 1 1 1. L. Blossom, ch m, (F. Childs) 2 2 2.

2.12 Class Pacing; Purse \$1,200. Judge Ormonde, bk h, (Valentine) 1 1 2. Peter Farren, b h, (Murphy) 2 2 1.

North Randall Sweepstakes, 2.18 Three-year-old Trot; Value \$1,570. Bondella, b f, (Murphy) 1 1 1. Colorado Range, b c, (McDonald) 2 2 2.

2.05 Class Pacing; Purse \$1,200. Lolla Patchen, bk m, (Snow) 1 1 1. Del Rey, b h, (Cox) 3 2 2.

American League Standing. Boston 52 29 542. Detroit 52 31 526. Chicago 53 33 516.

National League Standing. Philadelphia 43 34 558. Chicago 43 38 531. Brooklyn 43 38 531.

Federal League Standing. Kansas City 48 34 585. Chicago 48 35 578. St. Louis 45 35 563.

International League Standing. Providence 47 24 562. Buffalo 41 30 577. Harrisburg 39 34 554.

TWILIGHT LEAGUE BASEBALL

SOUTH END LEAGUE.

Curlews, 5; Lantica, 4. A large crowd of fans witnessed seven innings of good ball playing last evening in the South End League, when the Curlews won from the Lantica by a score of 5 to 4.

Summary: AB R H PO A E. Harley, lf, 3 1 0 3 0 0. McKiel, c, 2 1 0 2 0 0.

AB R H PO A E. Mooney, ss, 4 0 2 0 2 0. Cole, lb, 4 1 2 6 0 0.

Summary—Curlews, 5; Lantica, 4. bases on balls off Donnelly, 2; off McDonald, 2; struck out by Donnelly, 7; double play, C. Hannah unassisted.

AB R H PO A E. O'Regan, 3b, 2 1 0 1 1 0. McNulty, 2b, 3 0 1 2 2 1.

AB R H PO A E. Cullinan, cf, 3 0 1 1 0 0. Callaghan, ss, and If, 3 0 0 0 0 2.

AB R H PO A E. National League Standing. Philadelphia 43 34 558. Chicago 43 38 531.

AB R H PO A E. HAZEN AVENUE LEAGUE. Cuba, 10; Tigers, 2.

AB R H PO A E. Central League. C. P. R., 8; Bankers, 4.

LARRY M'LEAN RELEASED

New York, July 20—Larry McLean, the veteran catcher of the New York Nationals, who was serving a sixty day suspension for misconduct in St. Louis, was unconditionally released today by President Hemstead.

McGovern, cf, 3 0 0 1 1 0. Price, ss, 3 0 0 0 1 1. Donovan, lb, 3 0 0 1 0 0.

AB R H PO A E. The seconds of a boxer named John Elgin, of Mount Carmel, Pa., threw a pair of cold water on the boy just after he had finished a hard six-round bout.

AB R H PO A E. East End League. Glenwoods, 11; Nationals, 6.

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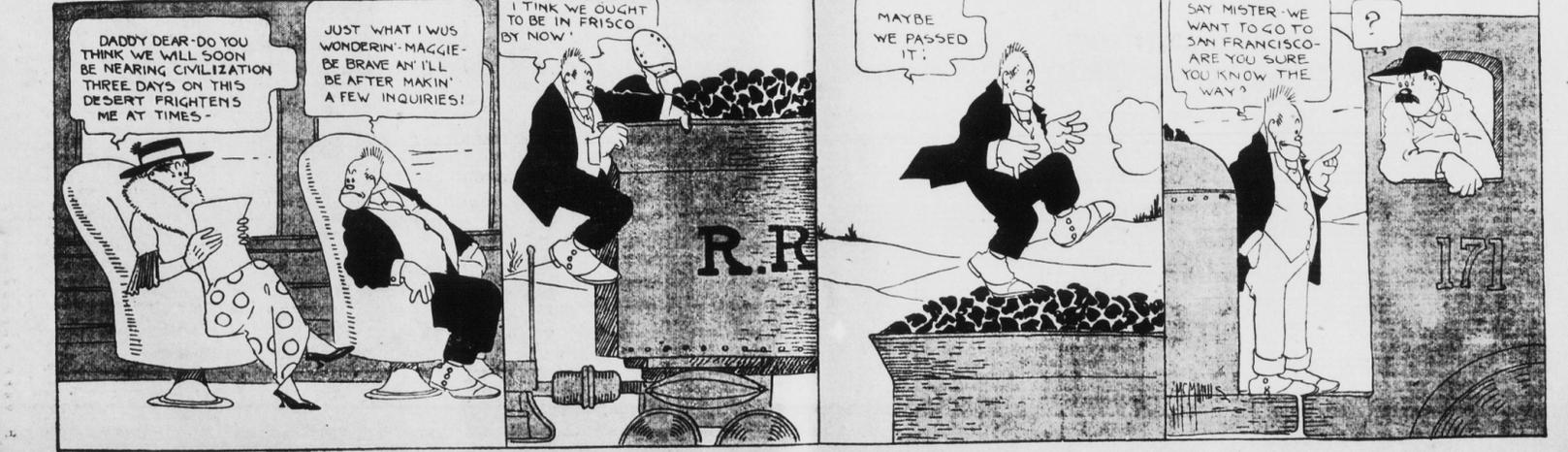
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Bringing Up Father.



Bringing Up Father. A multi-panel cartoon strip showing a man and a woman talking, with a train in the background.

**THE WEATHER.**

Maritime — Light to moderate winds and for the most part fair; not much change in temperature.

Toronto, July 20.—The pronounced area of high pressure has remained stationary over the northwest states, and a shallow disturbance is centered near the middle Atlantic coast. The weather over the Dominion has been for the most part fair with moderate temperatures.

Temperatures.		
	Min.	Max.
Victoria	58	88
Vancouver	56	86
Kamloops	56	82
Calgary	46	76
Medicine Hat	50	82
Battleford	56	76
Prince Albert	46	74
Regina	41	75
Winnipeg	52	78
Port Arthur	52	72
Parry Sound	48	76
London	53	74
Toronto	55	74
Kingston	52	74
Ottawa	52	74
Quebec	52	78
St. John	56	74
Halifax	58	72

**Around the City**

**Two Charges.**  
Henry Nason was arrested last evening on the charge of being drunk and using obscene language in the old burying ground.

**Charged with Assault.**  
George Wellington was arrested last evening on a warrant by Detective Barrett and is charged with assaulting Constable Williams.

**The R. K. Y. C. Fleet.**  
A report from the Royal Kennebecasis Yacht Club last night indicated that the yachts had arrived at Gagetown and everybody was in fine health. The yachts came from Grand Lake and had excellent weather. Today the fleet will proceed up the Belleisle.

**Horse Dropped Dead.**  
Quite a number of horses in the city are said to be suffering from distemper. One valuable animal, owned by Harry Short, who conducts a livery stable at 136 Princess street, died yesterday. The horse had been ill for some days and was being walked about for exercise when it dropped dead.

**More Machine Guns.**  
Eleven machine guns, the gifts of St. John men, are now assured and it is expected that within the next few days more will be subscribed. Beside those announced previously the following have offered their support in the movement: F. E. Sayre, one gun; D. C. Dawson, half a gun; E. L. Rising, half a gun, and D. C. Clark, half a gun.

**Soldiers Taken Back.**  
Sydney Lawrence and Ira Maher, two soldiers of the 55th Battalion, were taken to police headquarters last evening and detained on request of Sergt. Burns of the battalion. The men had overstayed the time given them from camp and last night were handed over to an escort who took them away on the late express to the camp.

**Slight Damage.**  
An alarm of fire from box 21 yesterday afternoon summoned the fire department of the home of E. J. Donald, 153 Orange street, where a slight blaze was found in a closet. It is not known what started the fire but it is thought by those in the house that one of the boys had carelessly thrown down a match. The fire was extinguished by the chemical and the damage was trifling.

**Government Meeting.**  
Consideration of the freight and passenger rates of the Kent Northern Railway was part of the business at the meeting of the government held last evening in the provincial parliament rooms, Prince William street. W. B. Cronk and R. B. Hanson on behalf of the railroad company, were heard and asked permission to increase the rates on the railway which operates from Kent Jet to Richibucto. Richard O'Leary, A. B. Carson and Dr. Bourque were heard in opposition to the scheme. The rates now, considering the small haul from the coast to the main line of the Intercolonial, were said to be too high. No decision was reached by the executive concerning the matter.

T. J. Carter, member for Victoria was present at the meeting and was heard with regard to stamper rates on the crown lands and the Blue Bell tract in that county. The meeting closed at 10.45 o'clock.

**Could Not Leave Sailors.**  
The captain of the steamer Eastington was in trouble yesterday. Before the ship sailed from Halifax some weeks ago the captain shipped a number of West Indies negroes as part of the crew. The ship's articles stated that the men must be paid off in a Dominion of Canada port. Monday night the captain wished to get through with five of the seamen and he sent them ashore. Yesterday morning when he went to pay off the men he could not do so as he stated that Immigration Agent Lantaulum would not allow the men to be left in the city. The ship was ready to sail at eleven o'clock yesterday morning, and it was five o'clock in the afternoon before the captain got matters straightened out and the ship steamed out of the harbor bound for Sydney. The Eastington has been purchased from the firm of Furness Withy Co. by an English firm.

**APPRECIATES ACTIVITIES OF HON. MR. HAZEN**

**Minister of Marine and Fisheries was instrumental in securing ship.**

In conversation with The Standard a few days ago C. J. Osman, manager of the Albert Manufacturing Company at Hillsboro, expressed his warm appreciation of the manner in which Hon. J. D. Hazen looked after the interests of the people in this province. It appears that some time ago the Albert Manufacturing Company had under charter two steamers of British register for transportation of plaster from their quarries at Hillsboro. Tonnage is very scarce and prices are high, and it was of the utmost importance that these vessels should make the trip.

A very short time before the first was due to arrive, Mr. Osman received word to the effect that the British government had requisitioned both of these steamers for military purposes, and that it would be impossible for them to load at Hillsboro. This would have had a very serious effect on the plaster business and probably would have resulted in loss of employment to a considerable number of persons depending on the plaster industry for their living. Although not anticipating that much could be done under the circumstances, Mr. Osman at once wired Hon. Mr. Hazen, explaining the situation, and received a reply to the effect that he would do whatever was possible. A few days later Mr. Osman was advised by the British Admiralty that in view of the urgent request of the Canadian Minister of Marine and Fisheries the first of these steamers had been released from Admiralty service for the purpose of making the trip arranged under charter. What disposition has been made of the second steamer is not yet known, but the release of the first has been of very great importance, and the efforts of the minister are highly appreciated by Mr. Osman and his associates in Hillsboro.

**TUBERCULOSIS HOSPITAL READY BY OCTOBER FIRST**

**Announcement Made at the Meeting of the Municipal Council Yesterday—An Electric Light Plant to be Installed—Summary of Accounts.**

The announcement was made yesterday at the meeting of the Municipal Council that the new tuberculosis hospital at East St. John would be open for the reception of patients on October 1. The council made a further appropriation of \$14,300 for the equipment and maintenance of the hospital until the first of January, 1916. A bond issue of \$3,500 was also authorized to equip an electric light plant for the institution and the cost of installing water and water mains was also ordered paid.

A detailed statement of the money so far paid out for the building was made and submitted to the council by H. B. Schofield, formerly city commissioner and now chairman of the St. John County Hospital Board.

The bonds for the construction of the building realized \$73,000 and of this there was a balance on hand of \$750. An appropriation had also been made for maintenance and of this \$4,690.47 was still available.

The architect's fees were \$3,800 with an additional \$600 for changing the plans. There was still a balance due him of \$1,800.

**An Electric Plant.**  
Mr. Schofield pointed out that the cost of running the electric lights would amount to about \$500 a year outside the cost of operating the pump and the elevator. The electric plant, if installed, would also be capable of supplying current for the Municipal Home and the Boys' Industrial Home.

It would require about \$30,000 a year to carry on the work of the institution.

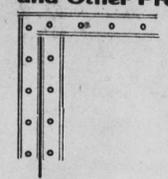
Councillor Frink said that this amount would be greater than the sum necessary for maintaining the Municipal Home. However since the council had undertaken to erect the building it was necessary to carry on the work and he moved that \$14,300 be placed to the credit of the Commissioner of the St. John County Hospital provided by making an overdraft from the Bank of Nova Scotia, to be paid at such time and in such amounts as the commissioners may request.

This was seconded by Com. Russell and carried.

**Financial Summary.**

Balance of Construction Account on hand	\$ 750.00
Balance of Maintenance account on hand	4,690.47
Total balance on hand	\$5,440.47
Furnishing and equipment estimate	15,000.00
Maintenance 3 mos.	
50 patients at \$1.70 per day	8,000.00
	23,000.00
Amount required to operate the hospital till January 1, 1916	17,669.53
Estimate for electric light plant	3,500.00
Total	\$22,069.53

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Summer days with the boys taking part in all kinds of games are hard days on clothes, but no matter how strenuous the play, M. R. A. suits are able to resist wear and tear to a surprising degree. Our suits for boys combine the essentials of durability, style and fit and are exceptional values at the prices asked for them.

**BOYS' THREE-PIECE SUITS**—Canadian and English Tweeds, Worsted, Saxony, smart colorings in stripes and mixed patterns, bloomer pants, some suits have two pairs; sizes 30 to 36. Prices range from \$4.25 to \$13.50.

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**Summer Furniture**  
For Indoor and Outdoor Needs

VERANDA SETTEES, Lawn Swings, Couch Hammocks, Camp Stools, Vranda Cushions in Matting. Special at 25c. each.

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**ECHOES OF TORNADO IN GRAND MANAN**

**More Damage Recorded on Different Parts of the Island.**

A message received by the agent of the Marine and Fisheries yesterday from the keeper of the Swallow Tail light on Grand Manan tells of the great damage caused by the tornado which struck that section of the island as well as North Head early last Sunday morning. The keeper says that he never in his life experienced such a storm. The tornado struck Swallow Tail in the vicinity of three o'clock in the morning accompanied by rain and hail. The woodshed was picked up and carried from the edge of the bank to the northeast, a distance of about fifty feet and when it struck against the house the woodshed collapsed in a pile of broken lumber. The landing at the light was constructed of three by nine inch planks, each plank twenty feet long. The landing was torn up and some of these heavy planks were carried a distance of one hundred feet. The entire eighty feet of landing was torn up and destroyed. The large flag pole was blown down and broken into pieces. The keeper also tells of the damage that was caused in the village and states that the damage done to the buildings in the village will easily exceed one thousand dollars. The lighthouse at Swallow Tail was not damaged.

**DRESSES FOR THE MERCHANTS' PICNIC**

F. A. Dykeman & Co. are putting on sale sixty children's dresses which they have bought as a clearing line from a manufacturer at one-half the usual price. They were made to be retailed at \$4.50, but this lot will be sold for \$2.39 each. They are very handsomely trimmed with fine embroidery and silk ribbon. The skirts have a double flounce and the body is made from a very fine lawn all-over. Sizes run from eight to fourteen.

**PANAMA HATS**

Today's special in genuine Panama hats at \$2.00 each. If you want to participate in this wonderful bargain do not delay. Panama hats, worth \$3.00 and \$3.50 each, rush bargain today, \$2.00 each.

**Change of Sailing**

The S. S. Victoria will not sail for Fredericton on Thursday, July 22nd, until 10.30 p.m.

Take the steamer Victoria on Saturday and spend the week-end up river, returning on Monday, one-way fare to all points.

There are so many attractions at the garden fete at Rothesay on the 21st beside the band that we couldn't begin to tell you of them. Come and bring your friends.

**WANT MAGAZINES FOR THE SOLDIERS**

**An Opportunity for St. John People to Help Soldiers on Firing Line.**

An opportunity is open to magazine readers in St. John to send their old magazines to the troops on the firing line. Letters were received in the city yesterday by T. H. Hutchinson, local Y. M. C. A. secretary, from Captain Will W. Lee, Y. M. C. A. secretary with the Canadian Overseas Expeditionary Force, in which he states that practically any kind of magazine or periodical containing light reading matter is most acceptable by the soldiers.

"A service which the association men on the firing line have been able to render has been the distribution of them of reading material of various kinds. Through the generosity of the Canadian War Contingent Association, co-operating with us, we have been able to send out 8,000 copies of weekly periodicals to our men, but still the cry is for more," said Capt. Lee.

Magazines which any of the St. John people send, will be greatly appreciated by the men.

Magazines should be sent to Capt. W. W. Lee, room 8 Westminister Palace Hotel, London S. W., England, where they will be divided and sent to the firing line for distribution. The postal rates for England is 8 cents per lb., and 2 ozs. for one cent.

**THE PICNIC SEASON**

Two city churches held their annual Sunday school picnics yesterday. Many took advantage of the ideal weather and enjoyed a day in the country. Both picnics were well patronized. The Douglas Avenue Christian church went to the Crystal Beach picnic grounds on the steamer May Queen. The return to the city was made about 3.30 o'clock and the outing was a decided success.

St. George's church Sunday school went to Westfield Beach. Two trains leaving the West St. John station, one in the morning, the other at noon, carried the crowds. The return to the city was made early in the evening. The usual programme of sports and base ball matches was carried out, while meals and refreshments were served in the pavilion. Both kiddies and grown-ups enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

**Found by Police.**

A pair of gloves found yesterday on the Queen Square can be had on the owner's application at police headquarters. A horse was found running at large on St. John street, West End, early yesterday morning and placed in a stable by the police awaiting the owner.

**TENNIS COURTS AT THE Y.M.C.A.**

**Formal Opening Took Place Yesterday Afternoon.**

The formal opening of the new Y.M.C.A. tennis court and quort pitches took place yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock a large gathering being present. Flags and bunting were displayed around the courts for the occasion. The president of the club, J. M. Roche, made a short address in which he referred to the splendid efforts of F. Neil Brodie, the man who had made the courts possible.

Three rousing cheers were given for Mr. Brodie. H. A. Porter and J. H. White also gave short addresses and the courts and pitches were declared formally opened.

The members of the Woman's Auxiliary and Young Woman's Guild served refreshments at the close of the speeches.

During the afternoon several games of quots and sets of tennis were played. The following quort matches were played: J. Henderson and F. C. Smith defeated F. N. Brodie and D. C. Clark 1-19. G. E. Barbour and W. H. White defeated H. W. Rising and J. Hunter White 2-15. W. H. White and J. Henderson defeated F. C. Smith and J. Henderson 2-18.

In tennis H. O. Bonk and W. K. Hay defeated H. A. Porter and S. L. Wilkinson 3-6, 7-5, 6-4.

The courts located on the south side of the Y.M.C.A. building have a clay and cinder top and together with the locker rooms, shower baths and swimming pool in the building, are among the finest in the city. Work was commenced on them in June and from that time until now men have been engaged preparing for the summer season. The club has a membership of fifty and includes many of the best players in the city.

It's only 25 cents for your tea and a lovely afternoon in the country at the garden fete at Rothesay, July 21st.

Rothsay Train Held Until 1.35

The regular 12.30 I. C. R. Suburban will be held today until 1.35 to accommodate those who wish to attend the Red Cross garden fete at Rothesay.

**Free Vaccination**

Each Monday and Tuesday, 9.30 to 11.30, at Board of Health rooms, 50 Princess street. Have arms well washed.

To Attend Merchants' Picnic

W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd. will close their stores tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon, in order to be present, with their staff, at the merchants' picnic.