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BRITISH COMMONS VOTES \$1,250,000,000 MORE TO HELP CARRY ON WAR TO SUCCESSFUL ISSUE

Vote Put Through Yesterday Brings Total Sum Allowed to Date For War Purposes up to \$4,310,000,000—War Costing Gr. Britain at Rate of \$13,300,000 Daily, Premier Asquith Says.

London, June 15.—The House of Commons this afternoon, voted another credit of £250,000,000, (\$1,250,000,000), making with previous sums, a total of £3,820,000,000 (\$4,310,000,000), already allowed for war purposes. After a general survey of the case the Premier referred to the construction of the new government. He declared he would not have been justified in taking the course he did in this regard under the pressure of outside influence or because of temporary embarrassment. The task was as unenviable as could fall to the lot of any man.

After paying a tribute to his late colleagues Mr. Asquith claimed both for himself and his new colleagues the staunchest adherence of their respective political parties. He admitted the word coalition had not a pleasant flavor in the vocabulary of British politics; previous departures from the British system of party government had been found wanting in dignity and success. Up to the last moment he had not been without doubt as to how he could best respond to the call of public duty.

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ARBITRATION BOARD'S OFFER TURNED DOWN

Chicago Traction Officials and Employes Refuse Intervention—City Still Without Street Car Service.

Chicago, June 15.—Virtually complete tie-up of all surface and elevated transportation lines marked the second day of the strike of Chicago street railway employes. Only a few minor acts of violence were reported during the day.

Prospects of the United States government overseeing the operation of the Oak Park division of the elevated system were seen in an order by C. C. Kohlsaat, judge of the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, directing Samuel Insull, receiver for the Chicago & Oak Park Elevated Railway, to resume operations at once, "employing such men as may be available for the purpose," and to report "any unlawful interference or obstruction by any persons whatsoever for such action as the court may deem proper."

Chicago's population today walked to work, or rode in automobiles, steam trains or buses, which included vehicles of all descriptions. Judge Kohlsaat's order was taken by the instance of B. I. Budd, president, and Samuel Insull, receiver of the Oak Park Elevated. The Federal Court has charge, through the receiver, of the operation of the road, and the employes of the road are thus the employees of the court.

Theatres and cafes and the baseball and amusement parks were the chief sufferers from lack of attendance as a result of the strike.

AN UNQUALIFIED FALSEHOOD, SAYS PREMIER BORDEN

Hon. Mr. Lemieux's Statement that Governor General Vetted Election Given the Lie by Prime Minister.

Ottawa, June 15.—"An unqualified falsehood," was the vigorous language which Sir Robert Borden used this morning in reply to the statement attributed to Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux at a political meeting held at Rigaud, Que., on Sunday, that the Governor-General had vetted the proposal to have a general election in April.

SENSE OF DUTY MADE CARSON JOIN CABINET

Irish Unionist Leader Declined Asquith's Invitation but Finally Accepted Through Sense of Public Duty.

London, June 15.—Sir Edward Carson, the Irish Unionist leader, like John Redmond, the Irish party leader in the House of Commons, did not want to join the coalition cabinet, said Premier Asquith today, in a speech of tribute to those who were according the government support.

"Sir Edward Carson at first declined when it was suggested that he join the administration," the Premier said, "and it was only strong pressure and his sense of public duty which made him associate himself with the government."

Mr. Asquith said he regretted extremely the absence of any Nationalist in the cabinet, but he said he had done all he could to obtain the cooperation of all.

John Dillon, in behalf of the Irish party, explained that their attitude meant no desire to oppose or to snipe the new government, which had their fullest cooperation; but that they joined it was wholly inconsistent with the obligation of the party. He felt that aid from the outside would be most valuable, and he regretted that other parties of Ireland had not adopted this method of Nationalist self-effacement.

URGES SPEED IN PRODUCTION OF MACHINE GUNS

London Daily Mail Advocates Placing Large Orders in England, Canada and the United States.

London, June 16 (2.57 a. m.)—The Daily Mail, in an editorial today, urges the government to hasten the production of machine guns by placing orders for unlimited quantities in England, Canada and the United States. "The Germans," says the editorial, "are virtually substituting men armed with machine guns for the old fashioned infantry armed with rifles. Experience is proving that an army which attempts to fight machine guns with rifles is committing the same mistake as the man who runs a foot race with a locomotive."

MINISTER OF MARINE TELLS WHAT CANADA IS DOING TO SUPPLY WAR MUNITIONS

Hon. J. D. Hazen in City Gives Warm Praise to General Sam Hughes—Reiterates His Denial of Telegraph's Report of His Retirement—How the Grits Have Flagrantly Violated the Political "Truce"—New Brunswick Bearing Well Her Part in War.

Looking the picture of health and announcing that his appearance was a correct index of his condition, Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, reached the city yesterday on the Maritime Express and proceeded to his home. During the afternoon he motored to Rothesay, where he attended the closing exercises in connection with Netherwood School. Unless recalled to Ottawa by state business, it is the Minister's intention to spend some time in St. John.

To a Standard representative, who saw him yesterday afternoon, Mr. Hazen referred to the general business outlook in Canada as encouraging. "Crop conditions in the West," he said, "were never better. There is a much larger acreage than last year and the outlook is indeed good."

THE MATTER OF MUNITIONS

Asked as to Canadian progress in grappling with the problem of supplying munitions of war to the Allied armies in Europe, the Minister said too much praise could not be given to Major General Hughes for the promptitude with which he had interested the manufacturers of Canada in the matter. "The Government," said Mr. Hazen, "appointed an absolutely non-partisan committee to handle the ammunition question and they are fully co-operating with the Minister of Militia. The report of General Bartram, himself an expert, shows what has been accomplished in this way. In his report he mentions that shells are being manufactured by 247 factories in seventy-eight Canadian cities and towns, the work providing employment for 70,000 Canadian workmen and at an estimated pay-roll in the vicinity of \$1,000,000 per week. "I have been informed," he continued, "that Earl Kitchener, in conversation with Col. Cantley of the Canadian shell committee, said that in the matter of war munitions, with the exception of factories controlled by the British government, Canada had risen to the occasion better than the manufacturers in the motherland; Major General Hughes grappled with the problem as soon as it presented itself to him and a very large share of the credit for what has been accomplished must, in fairness, go to him."

DENIES REPORTED RETIREMENT

His attention being called to Telegraph reports of his possible retirement from his office in the Borden cabinet to accept the honor of an appointment to the Supreme Court of Canada, Mr. Hazen laughed and said: "My friends of the Telegraph have always been solicitous for my future, and their latest effort to retire me from the cabinet and place me on the Supreme Court is not altogether news to me. The Standard's correspondent in Ottawa asked me concerning the rumor, and, even at the risk of disappointing the Telegraph, I was obliged to tell him it was unfounded. I feel there is for me in Ottawa a duty which I should perform. If I can be of service to the Empire in this crisis, I have no intention of evading that duty. I am not going to the Supreme Court, or to any other position, and now that my health has improved it will be a pleasure to devote myself to the work of the Empire even more vigorously than in the past."

In connection with the report, also from Telegraph sources, that work at Courtenay Bay was to be stopped, Mr. Hazen said the story was untrue. Any changes that might be made would be with the idea of accelerating construction on and speeding the completion of the contract. The Government had no intention of abandoning the project.

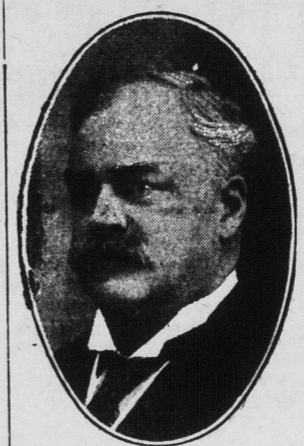
BUSINESS IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Reverting to business conditions, the Minister said, "Conditions of business in New Brunswick so far during the war have been the subject of favorable comment from business men in all parts of Canada. It was generally recognized that business in this province was on a stable foundation and this was in no small measure due to the policy of the Government, which had been the means of causing many large expenditures on public works in the province and of giving to manufacturers a generous share of orders for the Militia Department and the War Office."

"The Militia Department had been called upon to face the same difficulties which, in Great Britain, had resulted in the appointment of a Minister of Munitions, although these difficulties were not nearly so accentuated as in the case of the mother country. Neither in Great Britain nor in Canada had the war departments been equipped or organized before the outbreak of war to meet the extraordinary conditions that had arisen, but it is now understood on all sides that great satisfaction is being given by the committee dealing with the purchase of war supplies, and of which Hon. A. E. Kemp is chairman."

ONE MILLION PER DAY

"When we remember that the expenditures of Canada for war purposes are in the vicinity of one million dollars per day, the great responsibilities resting upon the committee and the Government generally will be fully realized. I have had advice from Great Britain, both private and public in character, bearing striking testimony to the fact that Canada's successful efforts in connection with this war, and the unparalleled heroism of the Canadian forces are fully appreciated by the Allies, and the subject of much approving comment. More than 60,000 Canadian troops have already crossed the seas and as many more are now ready to go forward. The enlistment, organization and equipment of such an army was an Herculean task which, however, has not proved too much for the Government. There is no doubt that before the war is over, Canada will have 150,000 troops serving with the expeditionary forces, all of whom will do their duty in the same courageous and heroic manner that distinguished our men at Neuve Chapelle and Langemarck. I am proud of the way the sons of New Brunswick have responded to the call to the colors in the past, and I feel sure (Continued on page 2)



HON. J. D. HAZEN

ZEPPELIN RAIDS ON LONDON BROUGHT TO ATTENTION OF U.S.

But no Request for Protest—Metropolis Practically an Unfortified Town and Non-combatants Have Suffered by Raids.

Washington, June 15.—German attempts to bombard London from aircraft were brought formally to the attention of the United States government today by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British Ambassador. No request for a protest to Germany was made. The Ambassador merely called at the State Department, and submitted to Secretary Lansing a statement of the facts from the British viewpoint.

After referring to the growing frequency of raids in sections of London by hostile aeroplanes, Sir Cecil declared that the great city practically was unfortified, absolutely so far as the residential sections were concerned. Millions of people were crowded in congested quarters, he said, and it would be impossible for British artillery men to defend these sections against aeroplane or Zeppelin attacks, because any shell sent into the sky towards aircraft almost certainly would work great destruction of life when their fragments returned to the earth in the crowded city.

The Ambassador also pointed out that a large number of Americans and other non-English people are resident in London, and that located there are the foreign embassies and legations, and many hospitals and charitable institutions, all of which are greatly endangered by the Zeppelin attacks. As aircraft usually operate in thick weather, at night, or above the clouds, Mr. Lansing was reminded their commanders can only approximate in the most general way the landing place of the bombs they drop.

The history of the German airmen's attack on England so far, the Ambassador asserted, is that they have had no effect whatever upon the army or defensive works, and that their destructive powers have been felt entirely by innocent non-combatants and private property.

GEN. MACKENSEN EXPECTS TO BE IN LEMBERG BY JULY 1

London, June 16.—General Von Mackensen has telegraphed the German Emperor that he hopes to capture Lemberg, the capital of Galicia, before July 1, according to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, from Amsterdam.

TEUTONS TAKE MOSCISKA; FIERCE FIGHTING IN WEST

ENEMY'S OBJECT SEEMS TO BE TO CLEAR GALICIA OF RUSSIANS AND GET BREATHING SPELL BEFORE AIMING CRUSHING BLOW AT ITALY—OPERATIONS IN WEST BELIEVED TO BE FAVORABLE TO ALLIES.

London, June 15.—The Austro-German rush in Galicia is on again. Both Berlin and Vienna officially lay claim to progress along practically the entire southeastern front, and Lemberg seems again to be in danger.

Mosciska, to the east of Przemysl, has been captured by the Austro-Germans, and, according to the German contention, the Russians are falling back south of the railroad connecting Przemysl and Lemberg. All the Russian counter-attacks have been repulsed, with gains for the Teutons from a point north of Przemysl into Bessarabia.

Far off as this front is from England and France, it is being watched more closely than the western front, because it would appear that these operations are being pressed in an attempt to clear Galicia of the Russians, preparatory to a breathing spell in the East, which is likely to be followed by a crushing blow aimed at Italy. The fighting is growing harder daily along the Austro-Italian frontier, and in view of past performances, it is considered reasonable to assume that Germany will throw a great mass of troops on this front and endeavor to sweep into Italy and hold ground there, just as she has done in Poland, Belgium and France.

The fighting in France, around Arras, while bitter and marked by daily attack and counter-attack, has reached the stage where the German and French official communications flatly contradict each other. On the whole, it is believed here, the advantage has been with the French.

That England is prepared for long siege operations in the Dardanelles is indicated in an official statement just issued, explaining the nature of the

ANOTHER BIG WAR ORDER FROM RUSSIAN GOV'T

For Army Saddles—Expected it will be Double the Amount of Last One.

Ottawa, June 15.—Expectation of a big Russian order for army saddles has brought here representatives of the Canadian saddlery manufacturers. The last Russian order amounted to \$1,500,000 and was divided among the manufacturers at a fixed price.

While the new order has not yet been placed with the Canadian war purchasing commission it is believed to be double in amount of the last but at a slightly decreased price per saddle. The saddlery manufacturers will probably form an association to better handle war orders. In fact the preliminary steps towards such a scheme have been taken. This would enable them to maintain representatives in England, France, Italy, Serbia and Rumania and orders would be divided in ratio to the capacity of the respective factories. This plan has worked successfully in other lines and increases chances of securing business of greater volume than the efforts of the individual concerns.

ST. JOHN SCHOONER IS STRANDED OFF MATENIC ISLANDS

A despatch from Rockland, Maine, says total destruction threatened the British two masted schooner Lous, Captain Merriam, which became stranded on the northwestern end of Matenic Island, near Matinec Island today. The schooner is owned at St. John, N. B., and was bound to that port from Boston, with a load of fertilizer. She was built in 1899.

K. OF C. STATE CONVENTION AT HALIFAX

Officers Elected—Resolution Expressing Loyal Support of Empire in Present Crisis.

Halifax, June 15.—The Maritime Provinces Convention or State Council of the Knights of Columbus opened in Halifax today. The business of the sessions showed the order to be in a flourishing condition throughout the Maritime Provinces. One of the most important features of the convention was the passing of a resolution unanimously approving of the action of subordinate councils to pay all fees and assessments of members who are on active service during the war. The state council also expressed their approval of what had been done toward various patriotic and charitable funds. The resolution was concurred in strong language expressing loyal support of the nation in the present strife.

The following officers for the Maritime Provinces were elected:—Past State Deputy, George J. Lynch, Halifax; State Deputy, E. C. Hanrahan, Sydney, N. S.; State Secretary, E. L. O'Brien, Bathurst, N. B.; State Treasurer, P. S. Bradley, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; State Warden, J. P. Gorman, Antigonish, N. S.; State Advocate, Louis Connolly, Lunenburg, N. S.; State Chaplain, His Lordship Bishop O'Leary, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Delegates to Supreme Convention at Seattle, Washington, August 2nd, 1915, George J. Lynch, Halifax; E. C. Hanrahan, Sydney.

AUSTRIA DOUBLE CROSSING HER ALLY? IS ENCOURAGING SERBIA IN ALBANIA, IS REPORTED

EARL BRASSEY, NAVAL EXPERT, GOING TO THE DARDANELLES

Is 79 Years Old, but Joined Royal Naval Division When War Started—Asquith Denies Rumors That Dardanelles Have Been Forced but Says Allies Will Keep Hammering Until Task is Accomplished.

London, June 15.—Earl Brassey, the veteran owner of the famous yacht Sunbeam, who joined the Royal Naval Division at the outbreak of the war, is under orders to proceed to the Dardanelles.

Lord Brassey who is 79 years old, is a well known authority on naval questions and the compiler of navy statistics. He has been Civil Lord of the Admiralty as well as secretary to the Admiralty, and has served on several Royal Commissions formed by the British government.

Straits Not Forced, But Allies Will Finish Their Task.

London, June 15.—There have been so many rumors recently that the allies had forced the Dardanelles that Sir James H. Dalziel, asked Premier Asquith this afternoon in the House of Commons if there was any truth in such reports.

"None whatever," was the reply. The Premier said that it was not in the public interest to say anything now about the Dardanelles.

"The operations are of the highest importance," he added, "and they will be pushed to a successful conclusion."

MANAGER OF TELEGRAPH COMPANY ON STAND IN MANITOBA CASE

Winnipeg, June 15.—James Russell, local manager of the Canadian Pacific Telegraphs, went on the stand this morning and produced telegrams bearing on the matters under consideration.

They were not read openly, but examined by the lawyers and members of the commission.

The C. P. R. Telegraph Company produced twenty-two messages, and after these had been inspected by the commissioners, only two were retained as relevant. They were put in as exhibits, but not read.

In answer to a telegram from Chief Justice Mathers, Z. A. Lash, president of the G. N. W. Telegraph Company, wired from Toronto that his company always regarded its relations with its clients as confidential and private, and protected them as far as possible. It was for these reasons that the messages the commission desired to obtain had been burned. Therefore the company was unable to produce them.

Ernest Todd, manager of the Royal Trust Company, said Dr. Simpson had a box in their vaults. Hon. G. R. Coldwell had sought access to this box, but not having the necessary authority was refused. Liberal counsel suggested the commission should look into it. Mr. Todd demurred and the Chief Justice said it would be retained under consideration at the meantime the Trust Company was to preserve the box intact.

A clerk in Dr. Simpson's office produced a bank book and told of calls by Horwood and Hon. Robert Rogers. The commission adjourned until Thursday.

Police Arrest Boys

Hunter Hampton, aged 10, and Leslie Warner, aged 12, were arrested at 2:30 o'clock this morning by Patrolmen Spinney and Cowan for wandering about Rodney street and not giving a satisfactory account of themselves.

MINISTER OF MARINE TELLS WHAT CANADA IS DOING

Quebec, June 15.—One of the buildings of the Fulminite Works, which was situated on the Plains of Abraham and utilized by the Dominion Arsenal authorities for the storage of ammunition, was struck by lightning this afternoon, and the result was the destruction of about half a million rounds of small arm ammunition which had been rejected by government inspectors, either on the score of being slightly overproof, or because of low velocity. There was no fulminate stored in the building at the time, and there was no loss of life, while there was only the one building damaged.

TOTAL CASUALTIES OF BRITAIN'S NAVAL FORCE

London, June 15.—Thirteen thousand five hundred and forty-seven officers and men of the British navy including marines and members of the naval division, have been killed or wounded or reported missing from the beginning of the war up to May 31, according to announcement made in London today. Of this total 8,245 were killed.

KARLSRUHE BOMBARDED BY AVIATORS

Karlsruhe, Baden, June 15, via London.—Five hostile airmen, who bombed Karlsruhe in forty-five minutes this morning. Several persons were killed or wounded.

A number of places suffered material damage, but the destruction wrought has no military importance. Karlsruhe is on the Rhine, at a distance of about seventy-five miles from the French frontier. It has a population of about 100,000 and a number of public buildings of importance.

WATERWAYS COMMISSION MEETS IN CALAIS ME.

Hear Application of Charlotte County Firms to Maintain Storage Dam on St. Croix River.

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, June 15.—The joint commission on international waterways held a session in Calais Me., with Judge Gardiner, J. A. Parony, R. B. Gilm and W. Klutz, secretary, representing the United States, C. A. Macraath, P. B. Miquill, H. A. Powell and L. P. Burpee, secretary, representing the Canadian government, in attendance, together with a brilliant array of counsel and distinguished engineers.

The hearing was on the application of the St. Croix Paper Company and the Sprague's Falls Manufacturing Company to erect and maintain a large storage dam on the St. Croix River at Grand Falls, above Woodland, where the former big corporation has a large paper mill. The dam has been erected and was almost completed before anyone connected with the undertaking had discovered that it was necessary to secure the sanction of the joint high commission. Now some opposition has developed because of the fact that it is intended to utilize the entire water power for the paper mill, which is on the United States side of the river and it is sought to secure a portion of the four to six thousand horse power developed for use on the Canadian side.

A number of witnesses were heard but the evidence was considered incomplete and an adjournment was made till October 3rd, when the session will be resumed at Ottawa. In the meantime the territory affected will be carefully surveyed by engineers representing both governments.

HALF MILLION ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION LOST

Had Been Rejected by Inspectors and Stored in Fulminite Factory Struck by Lightning.

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BERNSTORFF'S 'SPECIALENVOY' PUTS ONE OVER ON U.S. GOVT

New York Paper Says Dr. Gerhardt, Who Passed as German Red Cross Lecturer, was Chief of German Army Supplies Purchasing Department and Carries Valuable Information Back to Berlin with Him.

New York, June 16.—The Tribune prints the following: "Dr. Anton Meyer Gerhardt, German Red Cross lecturer, and Count von Bernstorff's special envoy to the Imperial government, who landed yesterday in Christiana, Norway, has perpetrated a gigantic hoax on the State Department of the United States, according to evidence now in the hands of the Tribune. He is none other than Dr. Alfred Meyer, Privy Councillor of the First Rank, Chief of the Department of Army Supplies of the Imperial German Ministry of War."

The real Dr. Anton Meyer Gerhardt has not been out of Germany since the beginning of the war, and has been reported among the wounded on the east front. His name was assumed by Dr. Meyer, and the prospecting mission of the Red Cross troops about him that his identity might not become known to those outside German officialdom.

"His much advertised Red Cross propaganda was a farce. He came here to purchase such war supplies as he could obtain, and, incidentally, to learn the condition of military preparedness in this country. He took to the German War Office information of great importance, which he has gathered in his dealings with various munition brokers and manufacturers. His Excellency's activities have been carried on with the knowledge and co-operation of Ambassador von Bernstorff. In fact they arrived together on August 24, 1914. Since then they have been in close communication. The scheme worked perfectly, and the State Department apparently has not had the slightest suspicion that Dr. Meyer Gerhardt was not Dr. Meyer. The French and British embassies at Washington did not issue a safe conduct guarantee, as in the case of Dr. Dernburg. But they are said to have made it plain that they would not interfere with an accredited representative of the Red Cross."

AUSTRIA ABETTING SERBIA IN ALBANIA CAMPAIGN?

Rome, June 15, via Paris (11:55 p. m.).—According to reports received by the Italian general staff, Austria is indirectly encouraging Serbia in her Albanian plan, the nature of which is indicated by the recent incursion of Serbian troops into that country. It is reported here that Serbia and Greece have reached an agreement respecting the partition of Albania, trusting that once it is accomplished, it will be ratified by the peace conference.

What appears unusual in the situation is that Austria, whose ultimatum to Serbia resulted in the war, instead of seizing the present opportunity to resume the offensive against Belgrade now that part of the Serbian troops are engaged in Albania, has removed some of her forces from the Serbian front to face the Italians.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT NOT LEAVING CANADA

London, June 15.—The rumor of the intended return of the Duke of Connaught to England, which is revived in a weekly paper, is given a denial in authoritative quarters.

It was suggested that the Duke was desirous of taking an active part in the war, and that Prince Alexander of Teck would therefore sail soon for Canada. The assurance is given that no such plan is known of here. The Duke of Connaught's rank as a Field Marshal would necessarily mean his acceptance of some high command, such as is not now open.

BURNING OF BODIES OF THOSE FALLEN IN BATTLE

Scientists Back After Experiments Made at the Front Say Plan Can be Carried Out.

Paris, June 15.—A special committee of doctors and scientists has returned to Paris from the battle front, where experiments in the burning of bodies of soldiers and dead horses were conducted. The committee reports that this method of disposing of the bodies of man and beast can be successfully carried out, and will indicate the manner in which it can best be done.

MARRIED.

MELVIN-KENNEY.—Yesterday morning, at St. James' Church, Broad Street, George Benjamin Melvin, of this city, and Miss Sadie Alberta Kenney, daughter of John Kenney, of this city, were united in marriage by the Rev. H. A. Cody.

DIED.

INGRAM.—At his residence 55 City road, on 14th inst., after a short illness, James Ingraham, aged 43 years, leaving a loving wife, two sons, two daughters, mother, four brothers and one sister to mourn. Funeral today from the residence at 2:15 o'clock. Service in St. Paul's Valley church at 2:30 o'clock.

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KEEPER OF THE KING'S CONSCIENCE HAS BEEN RAISED TO PEERAGE

London, June 15.—Sir Stanley Owen Buckmaster, who last month stepped from the post of Chief Censor to that of Lord High Chancellor in the newly organized British coalition cabinet, was raised to the Peerage today by King George. The new Peer assumes the title of Baron Buckmaster of Cheddington.

PROMOTED FROM RANKS

London, June 15.—The announcement in the London Gazette of the promotion of thirty-five qualified Canadian doctors from the ranks to temporary second lieutenancies in the R. A. M. C., comes as a surprise to many persons here, as no qualified doctors serve in the ranks of this corps. It being considered that the nature of their work requires the authority of either full lieutenant or the temporary rank of captain.

WANTS MORE CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHAPLAINS WITH CANADIAN FORCES

London, Ont., June 15.—Bishop Williams, in his charge to the Synod of Huron, which began its annual session here today, expressed the opinion that more Anglican chaplains should be appointed to the Canadian forces. Three out of every five Canadian soldiers in the overseas battalions were Anglicans, he declared.

CHOCOLATE SOLDIER SCORES ANOTHER HIT

Last evening's performance of the Chocolate Soldier was attended by an audience much larger than on the opening night and as was the case on Monday the attraction was very much appreciated. The principals were all in excellent voice while the chorus duplicated its former impression. Advance sales for the remainder of the week are heavy and indications are that capacity business will be reached.

WEDDINGS.

Melvin-Kenney. St. James' church was the scene of a happy event yesterday morning when Miss Sadie A. Kenney, daughter of Mr. John Kenney, the Factory Act Inspector, was united in marriage with Mr. George R. Melvin of the Maritime Mill Works staff. The wedding took place at 6 o'clock and despite the early hour many friends of the bride and groom were present to witness the ceremony. The bride wore a becoming travelling dress of navy blue with white leghorn hat with pink facings and a beautiful Gaura feather. Rev. H. A. Cody was the officiating clergyman. Mr. and Mrs. Melvin left on the Yarmouth on a honeymoon trip through the Annapolis Valley. On their return they will take up their residence at 37 high street. Many beautiful remembrances in cut glass and silverware bespoke the esteem entertained for bride and groom by their friends. A beautiful bronze statuette of Don Caesar was the gift of the bride's associates in the Telephone Company's operating room.

SEATS ON SALE NOW

Yarmouth, N. S., June 15.—The wedding took place this morning at the home of the bride's parents, Church Hill, of Miss Dorothy D. Weddleton, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weddleton, and Mr. Kenneth M. Sweeney, Rev. C. E. Crowell officiating. Only the immediate relatives were present. The happy couple left for Sussex, N. B., and will return via Lunenburg and South Shore towns.

IMPERIAL THEATRE TODAY

Charming English Comedienne in "THE CAPRICES OF KITTY" Written and Acted by ELSIE JANIS
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Fun to feel your pulses quicken when the plot begins to thicken. Fortune favors pretty Kitty, to outwit the—will in time. And the climax, as surprising, we will leave to your surmising. For the clever to endeavor't deliver it in rhyme.
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ITALY FC

Austria From To Stern

On the Italian Front the Italian army has been steadily advancing. The Italian army officers results which promise a victory in the Serbian front.

Paris, June 15, (Continued from page 1) typhus had been reported to a despatch here.

BRITISH CREDIT

(Continued from page 1) "The situation was in our history," the Premier said that it would energize the nation and the confidence in the other could not be by any precedent. But policy remains unchanged this war at any cost.

WANTS MORE CHURCH OF ENGLAND CHAPLAINS WITH CANADIAN FORCES

London, Ont., June 15.—Bishop Williams, in his charge to the Synod of Huron, which began its annual session here today, expressed the opinion that more Anglican chaplains should be appointed to the Canadian forces.

PROMOTED FROM RANKS

London, June 15.—The announcement in the London Gazette of the promotion of thirty-five qualified Canadian doctors from the ranks to temporary second lieutenancies in the R. A. M. C., comes as a surprise to many persons here, as no qualified doctors serve in the ranks of this corps.

CHOCOLATE SOLDIER SCORES ANOTHER HIT

Last evening's performance of the Chocolate Soldier was attended by an audience much larger than on the opening night and as was the case on Monday the attraction was very much appreciated.

WEDDINGS.

Melvin-Kenney. St. James' church was the scene of a happy event yesterday morning when Miss Sadie A. Kenney, daughter of Mr. John Kenney, the Factory Act Inspector, was united in marriage with Mr. George R. Melvin of the Maritime Mill Works staff.

SEATS ON SALE NOW

Yarmouth, N. S., June 15.—The wedding took place this morning at the home of the bride's parents, Church Hill, of Miss Dorothy D. Weddleton, the second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weddleton, and Mr. Kenneth M. Sweeney, Rev. C. E. Crowell officiating.

IMPERIAL THEATRE TODAY

Charming English Comedienne in "THE CAPRICES OF KITTY" Written and Acted by ELSIE JANIS
CAST: KITTY BRADLEY, GERALD CAMERON, an Artist, KITT'S GUARDIAN, MISS SMYTH, the Principal, MISS RAWLINGS, the Chaperone, ELANIE YERNON, an Artist's Model, ELSIE JANIS, Courtney Foote, Herbert Standing, Vera Lewis, Martha Mattox, Myrtle Stedman.

ITALIAN HEAVY ARTILLERY BATTERING DOWN FORTS THE AUSTRIANS SPENT WINTER PREPARING

Austrians Bring Troops From Serbian Frontier To Stem Italian Advance

On the Italian frontier, June 15, via Paris.—Looking over the situation on the Italian frontier, as a whole, there would appear to be reason to say that the Italians, for a day or two, have been left comparatively undisturbed. Consequently they have continued pounding away with their heavy artillery all along the Trentino, the Carnic and the Tyrolean fronts. They have been attacking forts which dominate important roads, forts that Austria has spent the winter in demolishing and strengthening.

Italian army officers claim that excellent results have been obtained results which promise to open the way shortly for an advance of Italian infantry in force.

Many of the prisoners falling into Italian hands say they come from the Serbian frontier. This would seem to indicate that Austria has sent men from the Serbian line for service on the Italian line.

TYYPHUS IN AUSTRIA.

Paris, June 15, (4.45 p. m.)—Three hundred and forty-two cases of typhus had been reported in Austria in the week ending June 5, according to a despatch received by the Temps from Berne, Switzerland.

Captured Town Proclaims

Loyalty to Italy's King. Udine, Italy, June 15, via Paris.—The mayor of the town of Grado, 22 miles southwest of Gorz, recently captured from the Austrians, issued a proclamation today declaring the loyalty of the population to King Victor Emmanuel. The re-union to Italy was impressively celebrated by the people. The inhabitants, driven from their homes by the war, are now returning to the districts captured by the Italians. In some places Italian names are being substituted in the streets for those bearing Austrian names.

BRITISH COMMONS VOTES WAR CREDIT OF \$1,250,000,000

(Continued from page 1) "The situation was without parallel in our history," the Premier said. "The demand which it would make upon the energies of the nation and upon the patience and foresight of the government and the confidence felt by the one in the other could not be measured by any precedent. But our national policy remains unchanged—to pursue this war at any cost to a victorious issue."

Mr. Asquith said he had decided, slowly and reluctantly, but in the end without doubt or hesitation, that what was necessary was such a broadening of the basis of government as would remove even the semblance of a one-sided or party character.

A Nation With One Purpose. He continued: "This would demonstrate beyond all possibility of doubt, not only to our people at home and across the seas, but to the whole world—that after nearly a year of war, with its fluctuations and vicissitudes, the British people are more resolved than ever with whole heart and one purpose, obliterating all distinction of party, to unite every personal and political, as well as every moral and material force in the prosecution of our cause."

Dealing with the situation since March, the Premier emphasized the importance of the accession of Italy to the cause of the Allies. He said it was impossible to overestimate the moral and material value thereof. In concluding his remarks, he said:

"In every speech I have tried to strike two notes—a note of warning as to the gravity of our task, and a note of confidence as to the ultimate issue. There is no discord between the two. We shall do well to continue to pay no heed to blind counsel or hysteria and panic. We have for the moment one plain, paramount duty to perform—to bring to the service of the state the willing organized help of every party of the community."

"There is a fitting place, a fitting work, for every man, every woman in the land. Be it sooner or later—it will certainly come—when our cause has been vindicated and there is once more peace on earth, may it be recorded on that proudest day in the annals of this nation that there was no home, no workshop in the whole of this United Kingdom which did not take its part in the common struggle and earn its share in the common triumph."

New Chancellor Counsels Economy. In the course of the debate on the new credit Reginald McKenna made his maiden speech as Chancellor of the Exchequer. The keynote of his remarks was the necessity of economy. Sir Frederick Banbury said he had heard the Chancellor purposed to rehabilitate the American exchanges by issuing a loan in the United States, a step of which he approved.

Godfrey Collins suggested the establishment of a central body to collect American securities in this country, which could be exchanged for Government script and securities sold in New York to pay for supplies received from the United States.

CONGREGATIONAL UNION WILL MEET HERE ON JUNE 23

The 68th annual meeting of the Congregational Union of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia will be held in St. John from June 23 to June 27. This will be the first time in thirteen years that the conference has been held in this city.

The conference will be in charge of the following committee: Rev. J. W. Cox, B. A., chairman; Rev. E. J. Thompson, secretary; Rev. W. J. Bevis, assistant secretary; C. E. MacMichael, treasurer; J. W. Flewelling, statistical secretary, and Rev. R. J. Haughton. The programme of the convention is as follows:

Wednesday Evening, June 23rd. 7.45—Devotional service, conducted by chairman. 8.00—Union called to order. Report of programme committee. Appointment of minute secretaries and nominating committee.

8.15—Address of welcome, Rev. R. J. Haughton. Response, Rev. C. C. Claris. 8.45—Address, "The Valley of Decision," Rev. W. J. D. Gibson. Offering for the Union.

Thursday Morning, June 24th. 9.30—Prayer service, led by Mr. J. W. Flewelling. 10.00—Business. Reading of minutes. Report of nominating committee. Roll call. Introduction of visitors. Recognition of honorary members. Transfers. Reports of officers, standing committees, etc.

10.45—Reports of the churches. 11.15—Paper, "The Home Influence and the Realization of the National Ideal," Rev. W. J. Bevis. Discussion.

Thursday Morning. 2.30—Report of business committee. Election of officers. 3.00—Address, "The Value of Pastoral Visitation," Rev. A. E. Mann. Discussion. 4.00—Address, Rev. W. T. Gunn, D. D. 7.45—Praise service, led by Rev. W. J. Bevis.

8.00—Chairman's address, "The Church and the Good News of Humanity's Regeneration," Rev. J. W. Cox, B. A. 8.45—Address, "The Challenge of the Church," Rev. C. C. Claris. Offering for the College.

Friday Morning, June 25th. 9.30—United prayer and praise service. 10.00—Union committee. 2.30—Union committee. Saturday Morning, June 26th. 9.30—Prayer service, led by Rev. J. H. Sulston.

10.00—Business. Report of business committee, special resolutions committee, recommendation of union committee, etc. 11.15—Address, "Methods of Persuasion," Rev. B. H. Penwarden.

Sunday Morning, June 27. 11.00—Annual union sermon, Rev. W. J. D. Gibson. The Lord's Supper. Rev. R. J. Haughton presiding.

Sunday Afternoon. 2.30—Mass social meeting, Capt. Geo. W. Doty presiding. Address, Rev. W. T. Gunn, D. D. Address, "Grasping Life's Opportunity," Rev. George Miller. Offering for Canadian Congregational Foreign Mission Society.

Sunday Evening. 7.00—Public worship. Preacher, Rev. E. J. Thompson. Offering for Canadian Foreign Mission Society. 8.00—Consecration service. Resolutions of thanks, etc. Adjournment. First annual meeting of the Nova Scotia and New Brunswick Branch of

'ARTILLERY OF THE ITALIAN ARMY' AT THE FRONT.



ITALIAN FIELD ARTILLERY GUN



A LIGHT MOUNTAIN BATTERY GUARDING A PASS

The Italian Horse and Field Artillery are armed with a 75-mm. Krupp quick-firing gun of a calibre of 2.95 in. Both the horse and field artillery are formed into divisions and then into groups or brigades. Each brigade has three batteries of six guns. The battery in its turn is divided into three sections of two guns and two wagons, each of which is drawn by six horses. The Italian field guns have an excellent apparatus for indirect laying, and as each battery is provided with two directors, one is always at the disposal of the battery commander, and consequently indirect fire is very frequently employed. Each battery commander has a telephone apparatus so as to establish communication with his group or brigade commander, and has also a megaphone for the issue of orders whilst the firing is taking place.

THE CANADA, CONGREGATIONAL BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Thursday Afternoon, June 24th, 1915. Meeting of the executive and superintendents of departments.

Friday Morning, June 25th. 9.30—Devotional service, led by Mr. C. E. MacMichael.

10.00—Organization, report of executive committee, roll call. Reports of officers and superintendents. Discussion. President's greetings, Mrs. C. C. Claris.

Friday Afternoon. 2.30—Devotional exercises and routine business. Address of welcome, Mrs. J. W. Flewelling. Reply, Mrs. L. P. Williams. Reports from committees. Business. Election of officers. Historical sketch of the W. B. M. of N. S. and N. B. Mrs. J. W. Cox. Question drawer, conducted by Mrs. C. E. MacMichael.

6.00—Tea served in vestry. Friday Evening. 7.45—Devotional exercises. Music. Address (illustrated), "Across Canada," Rev. W. T. Gunn, D. D. Toronto. Offering. Benediction. Adjournment.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER SUNK

London, June 15.—Advises received here from Stornoway, Scotland, relate that the Norwegian steamer Duranser formerly the Norwegian steamer Ceylon, has been torpedoed and sunk by a submarine off the Hebrides Islands. The crew of 21 arrived today at Stornoway.

The Duranser was 289 feet long, of 2,300 tons gross, and was built in 1888.

Mr. Craig has shown much originality in the design of the public room. The ceiling is in panel and beam effect while the lower part of the walls is wainscoted to a height of seven feet.

BOND'S NEW CAFE TO BE OPENED THIS AFTERNOON AT 2 P. M.

The formal opening of Bond's new cafe in Charlotte street will take place this afternoon at two o'clock when the members of the Soldiers' Wives League will take charge of the main dining room on the first floor. All the proceeds of this part of the establishment will be given over for Dr. MacLaren's base hospital in France. Messrs. Bond and Scott will supply all the food consumed.

The new cafe is considered one of the finest in Eastern Canada and from cellar to roof has been fitted up with all modern improvements and the rooms for the public have been elaborately decorated under the direction of R. S. Craig.

The ground floor has been divided into two parts. The front has been equipped for the sale of candies and confections while the rear has been fitted up for the serving of food. This room is decorated in white and old rose. The front store has been finished in mahogany with old bronze panel effect. The front of the store is one of the Kawneer latest designs with the glass set in aluminum casings. The fountain is one of the latest in this part of the country. The marble counter is sixteen feet long with modern equipment.

One of the features of the main floor is the orchestra balcony in the center of the store. It has been tastefully decorated with window boxes and flowers.

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Mr. Pinkerton leaves the first of July to enter upon his duties in his new parish in Chatham.

Closing of Art Classes. The art school of the St. John Art Club held its closing on Tuesday afternoon at the studio. There was a full attendance of the pupils and some friends. T. H. Estabrooks, Esq., in the absence of the president, W. S. Fisher, presented the various prizes awarded for the season's work in a very interesting address.

Prizes were presented to the advanced class first in life work to Miss Edna Everett. In the junior class prizes were given to Miss Sarah L. Cohen, first; Miss Helen Roberts, second, in all around work. In water color Miss Carolyn Page, first; Miss Marjorie Sancton second. A special prize to Margaret Page for a study of jug and lemon—very well done.

An enjoyable luncheon was served by the teachers, Miss Alice Hagarty and Miss D. R. Holt, and farewells for the season closed a pleasant function.

After The Fire. C. W. Flewelling & Sons are removing from the burned building 55 1/2 Prince William street to the Tidal building corner of Market square and South Wharf, and expect to have their Engraving and Printing plant in operation again in a short time, with the latest improvements in type and machinery and electric motor connections, to enable them to continue producing the fine class of work they have been turning out.

LUSITANIA SURVIVORS AT THE INQUIRY

Fifty of Those Saved in Disaster Present at Opening Session.

A FORMIDABLE ARRAY OF COUNSEL

Disappointment at hearing in secret of testimony regarding Admiralty's wireless to Lusitania's captain.

London, June 15.—Fifty survivors of the Lusitania disaster, together with relatives of passengers who lost their lives, and a force of privately-retained lawyers, attended the opening session today of the Board of Trade inquiry into the destruction of the liner, whose sinking by a German submarine, May 7th, caused a loss of more than 1,100 lives. The survivors and the relatives of the dead expressed disappointment at the fact that the testimony relating to the Admiralty's wireless instructions to the Lusitania were given in camera, since they now see small hope that any evidence will be forthcoming to show whether the officers of the ship exercised all precautions to protect the vessel and her passengers.

This hope was lessened further by the ruling of Baron Mersey, president of the court of inquiry, that he would pass personally on all questions put to witnesses by outside attorneys.

In addition to the survivors and relatives of the dead, there were about thirty witnesses and perhaps seventy-five other spectators in the gallery. The hall has seats for 1,000 persons, and the proceedings could not be heard distinctly, on account of the echoes.

Baron Mersey could be heard only by those close to him, while the remarks of Sir Edward Carson, the Attorney General, often were unintelligible. No robes or uniforms were worn. Everyone present, including Captain Turner of the Lusitania, was in civil dress.

Captain Turner was the principal witness today. He appeared to be in good physical condition and in full control of his nerves. His voice was hearty and firm, his manner brisk and his answers prompt.

"Interfering, I should say," was Captain Turner's answer to the question of Butler Aspinall, one of the Court Line counsel, whether the passengers were helping after the explosion; but when asked again if the passengers were doing the best they could

the captain replied: "Yes." It was Mr. Aspinall who wanted to know if the captain saw Alfred G. Vanderbilt. The reply was in the negative. "Competent enough, but they need more practice," was Captain Turner's opinion of the efficiency of the crew, in reply to the representatives of the Ship's Stewards Union.

A Canadian lawyer then came to the rescue of the witness by asking him if he did not think all modern seamen and stewards were inferior to those of the old sailing ship school. Captain Turner said he preferred the old school every time.

CHIEFLY TRENCH FIGHTING IN DARDANELLES

Turks Have Evinc'd Great Respect for Allies' Offensive and Take Advantage of Protection of Trenches

London, June 15.—The following announcement concerning operations at the Dardanelles was given out here officially today:

"The situation on the Gallipoli peninsula has developed into trench warfare. After our success on the fourth instant, the Turks have evinc'd a great respect for our offensive, and by day and night they have to submit to captures of trenches.

"On the night of the 11th-12th of June, two regiments of a British regular brigade made a simultaneous attack on the advanced Turkish trenches, and after severe fighting, which included the killing of many snipers, succeeded in maintaining themselves, in spite of bombs, in the captured position.

"On the morning of the 13th a counter-attack was made by the Turks, who rushed forward with bombs, but coming under the fire of the naval machine gun squadron were annihilated. Of the fifty who attacked, thirty dead bodies were counted in front of that part of our trenches.

"The situation is favorable to our troops, but is necessarily slow on account of the difficulties of the ground. The Turkish offensive has sensibly weakened."

FAMOUS INCIDENTS.

Among the famous incidents of great games played at the old South End grounds was Arthur Irwin's home run in a Boston-Providence game in the early 80s, when Arthur drove the ball through a small hole in the right field fence in front of Sullivan's Tower."

"Ping" Bodie made copy for the San Francisco scribes a week or so ago by knocking a home run through a foot-square hole in the clubhouse 350 feet away from the plate. This was on the San Francisco grounds and "Big Bill" Burns of Los Angeles had just relieved the old Boston pitcher, "Long Tom" Hughes, when "Ping" drove the ball into the "hole in the wall."

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ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, JUNE 16.

"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.

THAT POLITICAL "TRUCE"

In the light of statements by Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux at Rigaud on Sunday, Sir Wilfrid Laurier must either renounce his protest, who is also his former Postmaster General, or else revise his own opinions as to the sincerity with which his followers are observing that political "truce." Mr. Lemieux, in an impassioned speech, brimming with partisan references and the most inflammable sort of campaign material, declared that if it had not been for the action of the Governor General the Conservative Government would have gone to the country and planned the people of Canada into, what the Telegraph would call the "harmonic election strife." The Telegraph on Monday morning, by the way, did not publish the fact that the Liberals held a meeting at Rigaud on Sunday, and ignored the fiery statements of the former Postmaster General. This is but natural, for it would hardly serve the purpose of the Pugsley organ to tell the people that while it is preaching political peace, and while Sir Wilfrid Laurier is making parade of his alleged desire to maintain a truce during the period of war, his lieutenants are busily fanning the fires of political hatred and doing their best to arouse party strife.

The Montreal Gazette, of Monday morning, reports the meeting at Rigaud and while it says "the address delivered by the ex-Postmaster General was fairly non-political," it describes him as entering "into a criticism of the tariff, as adopted at the last session, saying that the war had given the Government an excuse for favoring the monopolists at the expense of the farmers and the consumers, and he held that the people as a whole were at the mercy of the manufacturers."

Further, we are told by the Gazette, that the ex-Postmaster General, in the course of his "non-partisan" address, admitted that Sir Robert Borden was an honest man and a high minded statesman and "had he been left to himself would never have dreamed of bringing on an election, but unfortunately the Prime Minister had been hypnotized by his Minister of Elections, the Hon. Robert Rogers, who assured him that the country would be carried in this manner. In April last there had been another alarm sounded, and Hon. Mr. Rogers had come to Montreal with many reasons why an appeal should be made to the people. Why were these plans not carried out? It was because of the veto of His Excellency, but it was the death of the noble sons of Canada at Langemark and St. Julien, the blood of those victims calling out as a protest against what would have been a crime."

The character of Mr. Lemieux' "non-partisan" utterances can best be judged from the excerpts quoted. Probably he thought it safe at Rigaud to indulge in what Sir Robert Borden declares to be "an unqualified falsehood," but after his own tribute to Sir Robert's honesty he should not be surprised if the Canadian people prefer to take the word of Borden the patriot, rather than that of Lemieux the partisan. But, on the same platform with Mr. Lemieux, speakers at the same meeting, and, doubtless, encouraged by his presence were Mr. Gustav Boyer, M. P. for Val-des-Ruilles and Mr. A. Verville, representative for Maisonneuve. Mr. Verville's opinion summed up in his remark that "The Minister, (Col. Hughes) may have in the militia a good many men, but I fail to see that they are what you call real soldiers, for this reason that, in the event of war, the great majority of them would not do much fighting." Langemark and Neuve Chapelle furnish sufficient rebuttal of Mr. Verville's statement, but in spite of this Mr. Lemieux was well satisfied to have this libeller of Canadian manhood occupy the same platform with him and address the same gathering.

Mr. Boyer's address was also violently partisan. In connection with the appointment by the Borden Government of a military supply commission, he, while complimenting the Prime Minister for appointing such a commission said "it was an admission from the prime minister that his min-

isters were unfit to do the business of the country, and had to hand over the purchase of goods to other men."

The utterances quoted furnish a fair indication of the non-partisan character of the meeting which was graced by the presence of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's lieutenant, and which was nothing more than a typical Grit talk-fest. Ordinarily the Telegraph would have lost no opportunity to spread its big type on what it would term a "scathing arraignment of an incompetent administration" but while that newspaper is trying to feed its readers on the false doctrine that Sir Wilfrid Laurier and his party are Simon pure advocates of a political truce, the man probably closest to the former premier, is preaching politics in company with two of the dirtiest birds in the Grit nest.

If the Telegraph is sincere in its professions of political peace it should repudiate the course of Mr. Lemieux and his associates; if Sir Wilfrid Laurier meant what he said when he made his alleged pledge to refrain from political discussions, binding by that pledge not only himself but the members of his party, then he should reason with his colleague and proceed. It is most annoying to the Telegraph and to the Grit patriots that newspaper supports, that a man of the standing in the Liberal party possessed by Mr. Lemieux should be engaging in political barn-storming tours in Quebec, and the Pugsley organ in St. John does not dare to publish the fact, if the ex-postmaster-general has no concern for the pledge of his leader, or for the truce itself, he should at least show some regard for the harrowed feelings of the Telegraph editor who is paid to preach peace while the "higher ups" in his party are busily furnishing the weapon of war and indulging in a pernicious brand of falsehood.

THE PURCHASING COMMISSION.

When it is considered that the expenses of the Dominion of Canada in connection with the war have reached an enormous total in the vicinity of one million dollars per day, the wisdom of the course adopted in the appointment of a purchasing commission composed of experts is at once apparent. It was the very action one would expect from an honest, well-intentioned government, grappling with an unprecedented situation where the services of experts would be the most valuable, and the fact is that the better people of the country have already expressed their appreciation of the policy. But Mr. Gustav Boyer, in company with Mr. Lemieux, who addressed that meeting at Rigaud, to which the Telegraph did not dare to refer, in the course of his non-partisan address contended that the appointment of the purchasing commission was an admission on the part of the Prime Minister that his own ministers were unfit to do the business of the country. Liberal newspapers have also attacked the government for the action on the ground that it has "abdicated its functions." The briefest sort of reflection will show the absurdity of the claim for the Government is responsible for the acts of the commission as much as for the acts of an ordinary civil servant. The three business men who have been called upon to buy the supplies will probably do the work with greater skill and economy than could be expected from the officials of any government department.

It is also interesting to know that in England scores of experts are employed for the same purpose, not such experts as Sir Wilfrid Laurier engaged to build the National Transcontinental Railway via a lawyer, a grain dealer and a paper bag manufacturer, but men of experience in the lines they are called upon to purchase. Yet no one in England has thought of blaming the ministry for this very wise and business-like action. In the case of the National Transcontinental Sir Wilfrid Laurier sought to excuse the graft and crookedness on the plea that he had a poor head for business. The Borden Government seeks shelter behind no such excuse. It is determined that Canada shall get the last dollar of value for all money spent and in its appointment of a purchasing commission places the spending in the hands of public-spirited qualified

business men, responsible to the Government and working in accord with the members of the cabinet, but who are able to give to the country the benefit of wide business experience. It is an altogether businesslike proceeding and attracts Liberal condemnation only because it is so radically different from the methods followed during the Laurier-Pugsley regime, when craft and ruse off were the principal considerations, and the country was treated to the Trent Valley scandals, the "sawdust" wharf deal and others of similar character.

ARCHBISHOP LANGEVIN DIED YESTERDAY

Head of Catholic Archdiocese of Manitoba—Came to Montreal to attend funeral of schoolmate.

Montreal, June 15.—The Most Rev. Louis Philippe Adolard Langevin, Archbishop of St. Boniface, Manitoba, died in the Hotel Dieu Hospital this morning at 8 o'clock. The deceased prelate had assisted only a few days ago at the funeral of his old schoolmate and friend, the late Judge Simon Heald, and his illness was not regarded as serious until late last night. He had been in poor health about a year. He was in his sixtieth year. He went to Winnipeg as rector of St. Mary's church there in 1893 and as Archbishop of St. Boniface in 1895. For twenty years the late Archbishop had been the leader of the agitation for an improvement in the Manitoba school situation affecting Catholics, working from a trip to the States in Rome. The remains of the late Archbishop Langevin will be taken to St. Boniface for interment. The body will remain at the Hotel Dieu until 3:30 on Wednesday afternoon, when it will be taken to the Cathedral. A service will be held there on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock, conducted by Archbishop Bruchési. The body will be carried to the C. P. R. Windsor station, and from there it will be taken west. Cardinal Begin and Archbishop Bruchési will accompany the body to Winnipeg.

PERSONAL.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson passed through the city this morning on his way to Rothesay to attend the closing exercises at Netherwood School. He returned in the afternoon to St. John. Mr. P. O'Regan returned from Montreal yesterday morning where he has been confined in a hospital for some time. He is greatly improved and his friends are giving him a hearty welcome. Dr. J. D. Walker returned to the city yesterday after spending the winter in Cuba, the Southern States and California, where he attended the Panama exposition. Mrs. J. D. Dunlop has returned from a trip to the fair and California. Dr. H. C. Wetmore, Deputy Receiver General, is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Canada, London, June 15: Mrs. Malcolm McAvity, wife of Major McAvity, 1st Infantry Brigade Headquarters, has arrived at Folkestone from St. John, N. B., to be near her husband. Mr. H. A. Powell, K. C., has been elected a member of the British Royal Colonial Institute. Mr. James McMonagle, of the Post Office staff, returned to his home on Acadia street this morning, after a stay of three weeks at the General Hospital, where he was undergoing treatment. Miss Maud Cunningham and Miss Lydia Simpson left on the Montreal train on Monday evening to take passage to England, where they will visit Miss Cunningham's brother, who left St. John in the 62nd detachment. He is a sergeant signaller, and despite repeated efforts to get to the firing line has been detained as an instructor by the military authorities. Lieut. Lionel Teed, son of Mr. M. G. Teed, of this city, has returned to St. John from Kingston, Ont., where he has been taking a course in the Royal Military College. Miss Dorothy Greene of Fredericton is the guest of Miss Vere Maxwell, Renfrew.

A card was received in the city yesterday from Richard L. McKee, son of Jas. L. McKee, of this city. The former reports that conditions at Valcartier where he is, with the 6th Canadian Mounted Rifles, are ideal.

OBITUARY.

James Ingraham. The death of James Ingraham took place yesterday at his home 55 City road after a brief illness. He was well known in the city and leaves a family of small children. His brothers, Hugh, William, Arthur and Harry, reside in the city. His sister, Mrs. William Bolton, also lives here. Mr. Ingraham was a member of the Canadian Order of Foresters and was highly esteemed by a wide circle of friends. The funeral will take place at 2:15 o'clock from his residence at 215 Paul's church at 2:30.

NEWCASTLE NOTES.

Newcastle, June 15.—The Newcastle Boy Scouts, J. J. Aude, scout master; Jack Nicholson, Hudson Street; Lawrence Fitzmaurice, Randall McLean

Little Benny's Note Book.

By LEE PAPE
Me and Puds Simkins eetch had a sent today, and we was standing outside of a big candy store looking at awl the different kinds of candy in the window, sum of them having sines awn saying how much they was a pound, but nua of them saying how much pieces you got for a sent.
Wat kind are you going to get, Puds sed.
Im going to get sum of those caramels, they look as if youd get a lot for a sent, I sed, wat kind are you going to get.
Im going to get sum of those littel chocklitt wuns, I bet you get moar of those for a sent than wat you do caramels, sed Puds.
I bet you dont, I bet you get 6 caramels for a sent, I sed.
Well, I bet you get 10 littel chocklitts for a sent, anyway, sed Puds.
And we went inside the store, beeing a rate big place full of looking glasses and having so much candy in it you woodent see how they cood ever vir sell it awl, with many of the awnler pieces you got for a sent.
I saw some caramels in the window but I dont see them in heer, I sed.
And I dont see the littel chocklitts, sed Puds. And he startid to hunt for the littel chocklitts and I startid to hunt for the caramels, taking us a lawn wife awn akount of the countir beeing so lawn, and after a wile we found them rite near eetch awn, and I pointid to the caramels, saying, How many of these do you get for a sent.
Nun, sed the lady, we dont sell a sents werth.
How many of these littel chocklitts do you get for a sent, sed Puds.
Nun, we dont sell a sents werth of anythins, sed the lady.
And me and Puds went out of the store agens Puds saying I woodent buy three old candy if they gave it away.
Neethir wood I, I sed. And we went around to Mommy Simlinses and eetch got a littel thinsful of jelly beans for a sent, me getting 13 jelly beans and Puds getting 14, Puds awlways beeing lucky as anythins.

by Prokos, and the latter says that he is sorry that Duffy, who was to have met him on Saturday night, injured a hand and thus disappointed the audience by not wrestling. Prokos said that Duffy might have stated that his hand was injured during the day, so the match could have been postponed, and if he had done so it would have saved considerable expense, as he returned to the fans. Prokos says that he will return again next fall, and it goes without saying that the St. John fans will always give him a warm welcome.

Jim Prokos the well known wrestler, who has made many friends in which city by the square manner in which he contested in the different matches here, left on the Boston train last night for Lowell, Mass., where he resides. Prokos first arrived in St. John last fall with an open challenge to meet all comers, and has been successful in defeating all who came near to meet him. Harry Ludecke, Emil Pons, Strangle Lewis and Charlie Allen were all quite easily defeated.

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REV. E. E. STYLES RE-ELECTED TREASURER OF S. S. COMMITTEE

Methodist Conference Session of Tuesday Opened By President.

DEVOTIONAL SERVICES Audited Report of Board of Trustees is Presented.

The sessions of the Methodist conference opened yesterday morning at 9 o'clock with President Ople in the chair. Devotional service was held during which the Rev. L. J. Mason delivered an address on "The Teaching of Jesus Concerning Prayer."

The report of the General Conference Fund was received, and owing to a deficiency of \$300 a discussion followed regarding the advisability of forcing circuits to pay their respective assessments. The treasurer reported that the amount paid into the fund were as follows:

St. John District	\$201.90
Fredericton District	96.30
Woodstock District	79.62
Sackville District	132.43
St. Stephen District	50.93
Chatham District	75.36
Charlottetown District	99.48
Summerside District	35.57

The total of \$842.99, less expenses of \$125, made the amount sent forward as \$717.99.

The report of the committee on church property recommended:

- That the request of the Hampton Board to sell a certain piece of land, the proceeds to be applied toward the erection of a hall, be complied with.
- That the request from the Trustees Board of the St. Andrew's church for permission to sell a piece of land in the town formerly used as a burial place, in view of the possibility of legal and other difficulties, be not complied with.

The Sunday school committee in submitting their report presented to the conference the following recommendation received by them from the Charlottetown district:

"Attention is called to the schedule heading, directing that the Sunday school year close on April 30, and the District recommends that the Conference make this date for the closing of the Sunday school year a standing order."

The committee also expressed regret at the decline in the numbers of teachers' training course, and recommended that superintendents of circuits be requested to give this aspect of the work special attention during the year.

The statistical comparisons with the last year are as follows:

Total Sunday school force	17,262
Decrease	291
Numbers joining church during the year	467
Increase	113
Numbers learning catechism	327
Increase	212

Number taking teachers' training course, 13. Decrease, 40.

Contributions to general Sunday school fund, \$664. Decrease, \$34.

The committee further reported that a communication from Rev. S. F. Bartlett, General Secretary of the Sunday School Department, was read, and that no recommendation with regard to this communication was deemed necessary.

Contributions to the general Sunday school fund are as follows:

St. John District	\$152.80
Fredericton District	67.49
Woodstock District	39.00
Chatham District	61.63
Sackville District	79.57
St. Stephen District	35.95
Charlottetown District	97.50
Summerside District	121.10

Total, \$655.04

Rev. E. E. Styles was re-elected treasurer of the Sunday School Committee.

The report of the committee on local preachers' class leaders and other lay agencies was presented by Rev. Arthur Whiteside and adopted.

The full report of the Contingent Fund presented by Rev. Thomas Hicks was adopted.

The audited report of the Board of Trustees was presented by the secretary-treasurer, Rev. G. A. Ross, and adopted.

The motion that the name of the Superintendent of the Gagetown Circuit be substituted for that of Rev. J. K. King in respect to the sale of church property to the Valley Railway was adopted.

The report of the Educational Committee was submitted, in which it was recommended that J. M. Palmer be elected Conference Treasurer. The committee further recommended that the following probationers be appointed to attend Mt. Allison University: G. Stanley Helps, W. J. Donville, G. T. Metherall, Robert Smart and John Whitman; that the account of Rev. A. D. McCully, secretary of the Board of Examiners, amounting to \$5.75, be paid.

The Rev. W. H. Barraclough was nominated as the representative of the Conference to the Congregational Union soon to be held.

The report of the Enrollment Committee was adopted. The committee reported that the attendance at this Conference had been the largest in years. The total attendance was 171, including 107 ministers and probationers, 56 laymen and eight visitors.

The report of the Laymen's Mis-

KAISER'S ENVOY AS HE BID FAREWELL TO AMERICA



DR. MRE BERNHARD DERNBURG GOING ABOARD THE BERGENSFJORD

His mission to America deemed an utter failure, Dr. Dernburg, self-styled Ambassador from the Kaiser, bade farewell to the United States by waving his hand from the upper deck of the Bergensfjord, the Norwegian American line, as the vessel left its pier at New York. There were only a few of the faithful present to speed him on his journey to Norway, whence he will proceed to his native land. Dr. Dernburg appeared cheerful, but pale of countenance. He carried with him a guarantee of safe conduct by the Allies. There were many Germans who pretended they did not know he would leave and who asserted the report that he had booked passage on board a Norwegian steamship was just a "newspaper yarn." However, he's gone.

Service Extension Is Discussed By Municipal Council

The Municipal Council in special session, yesterday, considered the matter of sewerage extensions in Lancaster, but after a discussion lasting nearly three hours, it was decided to allow further consideration to rest over till the next meeting on July 18.

G. G. Murdoch, C.E., presented plans covering the work to be undertaken and in a resolution Councilor O'Brien asked that the plans be adopted and that a bond issue of \$11,000 be sanctioned in order that the Lancaster Sewer Board might carry out the scheme. While the question was fully considered and many councilors spoke in favor of the work, the idea of putting further consideration over till the next meeting was generally favored and this was adopted.

Those present at the special session were Warden McLeellan, Councilors Prink, Wigmore, Russell, Potts, Golding, Dean, Black, C. Howard, Carr, Stevens and Bryant, with the county secretary.

Warden McLeellan explained that the meeting had been called solely for the purpose of considering the plans for sewerage extension in Lancaster, which had been brought up at the last regular meeting but on account of several of the city representatives being absent the matter was put over for a special meeting. In order to construct the sewer a bond issue would be necessary and that was especially at this time.

G. G. Murdoch, C.E., was present and the council went into committee to hear him and look over the plans submitted to the ministers who have helped them in the history of the work, where they had contributed in aid of the ministers. She ended with a further plea for co-operation on the part of the church with the society for the betterment of mankind.

Rev. James Allen.

Rev. James Allen, M. A., General Secretary of Home Mission, Toronto, was held in a very eloquent and pleasing address. He commenced by referring to the criticism of yesterday afternoon concerning the money spent on behalf of missions. Mr. Allen stated that the church was indeed justified in spending the money. If the money had not been spent in years gone by we would not have today men or money to carry on the work in the mission field. Quoting from a mission report of some years ago, he said, where once there were very poor missions, today these same missions are sending forth and contributing many men and thousands of dollars towards the kingdom of the church. He maintained money widely invested in missions would, in years to come, produce great results and blessings on the converted people. The great danger that we had in this land and chiefly in the west was that we made idols, seeking for advantage, to which the church had forbidden us to worship.

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SAYS MEN ROBBED HER OF HER MONEY WHILE SHE SLEPT

Three cases were heard in the police court yesterday afternoon. Rostie Magglio was the complainant against Mrs. Nasta Patrick, another Russian woman, who resides at 28 Long Wharf. The complainant testified that she had earned money while working on the stage, and on Friday last had met a brother-in-law of the defendant who took her to the defendant's house. There she met three or four men and they had a drink of wine together. Feeling sleepy she laid down on a bed and had at the time the sum of one hundred and forty-eight dollars in her possession. The men had left the house and the complainant said that she then found her money had been taken.

Detective McLaughlin gave evidence that the complainant had been in the police station on Friday last, and had with her the sum of money as mentioned above. She was allowed to go with the promise that she would leave the city on the Pacific express for Montreal. It was too late for her to catch the train, however, that afternoon and it was expected that she would go away on Saturday.

The defendant was sent up for trial, but was allowed out on bail being furnished by two brothers and the interpreter.

Frank Van Hazden of Britain street was before the court on the charge laid by Inspector Jones, for having two cases of liquor in his house. The defendant stated to the court that the liquor did not belong to him, but was the property of two men who intended taking it to Minto. The case was adjourned until 9:30 o'clock this morning.

Mrs. Annie Carlin was tried on the charge of attempting to defraud the Patriotic association of the sum of \$25. It was shown in her evidence that the check was sent by mail to Mrs. Craft, who resides in the same house as the defendant. Mrs. Carlin secured the letter and tried to cash the cheque, saying that she was Mrs. Craft. Mrs. Carlin pleaded guilty, and as the president and secretary of the association stated they did not wish to have the woman sent to prison she was allowed to go on a suspended sentence of two years in the penitentiary. She was given a warning, and it was pointed out that the next person who is found guilty of such an act will receive the full penalty of the law.

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Alcohol Gives Way to Tea.

The restriction of the sale of spirits in England has resulted in a greatly increased consumption of tea, and even though the new laws regarding the use of alcohol should be relaxed after the war a large percentage of people will have acquired a permanent taste for nature's stimulant—tea. Undoubtedly the consumption of tea is increasing throughout the world and will continue to increase at a greater rate during the next few years, and until the supply can cope with the demand higher prices for tea must be expected.

Women Are Loyal.

Mrs. Sanford, president of the New Brunswick branch of the Women's Missionary Society, followed with an address in which she referred to the loyalty of the women of the organization, which she represented, and the sacrifices they had made notwithstanding the war. She also paid a tri-

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Exercises at College St. Anne attended by friends and patrons - Winners and pass list.

Yarmouth, June 15.—The closing exercises at the College St. Anne, at Church Point, took place this afternoon. Many of the friends and patrons of the college were present who expressed their pleasure and satisfaction at the progress made by the pupils during the year.

Prize and Medal Winners. Numerous medals and premiums were presented to the most successful students. The gold medal donated by the Right Rev. E. A. LeBlanc, Bishop of St. John, and a former graduate of the college, was awarded to Charles Dumont, of Rogersville, N. B., for honors in the senior division.

The gold medal donated by the Right Rev. G. Blanche, vicar-apostolic of the Gulf Shore, was awarded to Charles Dumont, of Rogersville, N. B., for "Religious Instruction."

The gold medal donated by the Very Rev. A. LeDore, superior-general of the Congregation of Jesus and Mary, was awarded to Lin Dolron, of Pomquet, for English Essay in First Year Classics.

The gold medal donated by Monsignor A. B. Cote, P. D., was awarded to Charles Dumont, Rogersville, for philosophy.

The gold medal donated by the College Alumni Association was awarded to Camille LeBlanc, of Aboujane, N. B., for honors in the junior division.

Gold and silver medals and prizes were also given by Rev. Desjardins, J. M. Desautels, Melanson, J. Daly Comeau, P. Thibault, E. Bourneuf, Hon. J. W. Comeau, Doctore A. R. Melanson, Thomas Melanson, F. Deveau, Prof. U. Comeau and Dion, P. Theriault, all former graduates of the college, and also by Rev. N. Dion, pastor of St. Joseph's, Weymouth, and Messrs. A. F. Hache, Metzger, Gautherier, president of Les Artisans, and J. E. McDonald, Halifax, besides a large number of premiums donated by the college.

The Pass List. The pass list was a lengthy one and contained the following names:

Religious Instruction—Donat Robichau, Buctouche, N. B.; Joseph M. LeBlanc, Church Point, N. S.; Maximin LeBlanc, Grosse Coque, N. S.; Alban Bastarache, Buctouche, N. B.; Alyre Bastarache, Jucote Cotreau, Wedgeport, N. S.; Leonard Olivier, New Bedford, Mass.; Joseph Moore, Halifax.

First Year Classics. French composition and literature—Lin Dolron, Pomquet, N. B.; Thomas LeBlanc, Amherst; Luc Bourneuf, Haverhill, Mass.; Elie LeBlanc, Metzger, N. B.; Paul Lacaille, Montreal; Thomas LeBlanc, Amherst; Luc Gaudet, St. Bernard.

Greek—Thomas LeBlanc, St. Bernard; Thomas Aucoin, Margaree, C. B.; Elie LeBlanc, Metzger.

History (Ancient)—Lin Dolron, Pomquet, N. B.; Elie LeBlanc, Metzger; Thomas LeBlanc, Amherst.

English composition and literature—Leo Bourneuf, Haverhill, Mass.; Elie LeBlanc, Metzger; Lin Dolron, Pomquet, N. B.; Thomas LeBlanc, Amherst; Ulysse LeBlanc, Wedgeport.

History and geography—Lin Dolron, Pomquet, N. B.; Thomas LeBlanc, Amherst.

Mathematics—Lin Dolron, Pomquet, N. B.; Paul Lacaille, Montreal; Thomas LeBlanc, Amherst; Thomas Aucoin, Margaree, C. B.

Second Year Classics. French composition and literature—Arthur Stanton, St. John; Albert Boudreau, Pointe aux Esquimaux; P. Q.; Jules Comeau, Sault-au-Loup; August LeBlanc, Anse des Bellivue, N. S.

English composition and literature—Arthur Stanton, St. John; Edouard Bourneuf, Haverhill, Mass.; Maximin LeBlanc, Grosse Coque, N. S.; Jules Comeau, Sault-au-Loup.

Latin—Arthur Stanton, St. John; Jules Comeau, Sault-au-Loup; Joseph Comeau, Comeauville; August LeBlanc, Anse des Bellivue, N. S.; Wilfrid Cormier, Albert Boudreau, Pointe aux Esquimaux, P. Q.

Greek—Jules Comeau, Sault-au-Loup; Maximin LeBlanc, Grosse Coques, N. S.; August LeBlanc, Anse des Bellivue, N. S.

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That William J. Bryan did not have in mind when he resigned from the Cabinet any intention to split the democratic party or to make political capital out of the incident is the opinion expressed by Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the Interior. Mr. Lane declared that the resignation was not intended to fill the vacancy caused by Mr. Bryan's resignation he said he did not think the President would have to go outside the ranks of the democratic party. He took occasion to pay a glowing tribute to Robert Lansing, at present Acting Secretary of State.

English Essay and Literature—Adolphe Gaudet, Yarmouth; Theophile Mallet, Cheticamp.

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Science (Chemistry)—Harry German, Metzger; Olivier Bellefontaine, Cheticamp, N. S.

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Physics (First year)—Pierre Beliveau, Anse des Bellivue; Georges Landry, Pomquet.

Philosophy—Senior and Junior. Dissertation and history of philosophy—Charles Dumont, Rogersville, N. B.; Wilfrid Cormier, Glace Bay, N. S.; Gerald Lefort, East Taunton, Mass.; Alfred Leger, Aboujane, N. B.

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Gross earnings of all Canadian railroads reporting for May show a decrease of 20 per cent. as compared with the same month a year ago.

The Far West and North West—Sentiment is optimistic and an active fall trade is anticipated, should the cross receive no setback between now and harvest.

Montreal—A noticeable improvement in dry goods and quite a satisfactory movement of staple groceries is reported, but footwear is quiet and the movement of clothing is somewhat slow.

Quebec—Wholesale and retail trade continues to improve and merchants make little complaint regarding conditions.

Halifax—While trade conditions in Nova Scotia are not altogether satisfactory, they now show some improvement and taking everything into consideration, may be regarded as fairly active.

Toronto—Trade in wholesale lines has been in fair volume this week. War orders are numerous and there are not so many idle men, while the bright outlook for the crops is a stimulating factor, and the feeling is generally hopeful.

Winnipeg—While few lines display any great amount of activity, there seems to be a moderate but steadily increasing movement in foodstuffs, dry goods, groceries, hardware and other staples and prospects generally are regarded as much more favorable than a month or two ago.

Calgary—An improving tendency in both wholesale and retail trade is reported, though there is still some conservatism and merchants are inclined to proceed cautiously until the results of the coming harvest can be more definitely ascertained.

Vancouver—Business shows little change, the continued dullness in lumber having a generally depressing effect, although some encouragement is derived from the favorable fruit crop prospects.

Bradstreet's Report—Bradstreet's reports country districts in the eastern part of Canada are buying goods in a fair way, but on the whole movements seem to have receded. In the northwest, trade is very dull, and it is hard to make collections. Throughout Ontario, operations in leading lines, except war supplies, are much below normal. Payments are unsatisfactory. Credits are granted to only the best customers, and banks are averse to lending money for new enterprises.

The Canadian government has modified its embargo on shipments of wool to the United States.

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MONTREAL MARKET

Table with columns: Bid, Ask, Item (Brazilian L. H. and P., Canada Car, etc.), Price.

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The stocks moved contrarily throughout the session, war shares making further gains, while representative issues, particularly the railway division, were irregular with not heavy. Westinghouse Electric was the leader from start to

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Reading's heaviness, together with other shares in the international copper industry, large sales of the refined metal being again reported at 20 1/2 cents. Lead held steady at its new high price of eight cents and advances from leading steel centres quoted manufacturers of wire and machinery, except at an advance over current prices.

The bond market was irregular, with weakness in some of the convertible copper. Total sales, par value, were \$3,012,000.

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

New York, June 15.—The selling of stocks which stop the early rise in the market, continued to the end of the day as to produce pronounced weakness. It was much in evidence after rallies, and as long as the market was able to take sales without giving way under their weight. Reading was the first to meet tomorrow to act upon the dividend question, but, although the company has had a bad year, chiefly because the mild weather conditions last winter lessened the demand for coal it is not likely that a change will be made in the established 3 per cent. rate of distribution. The Westinghouse dividend meeting will also be held in the near future, and in this case an increase of the four per cent. paid on the stock, the company's profits are now much greater on account of the war orders that are being turned out, while still other war orders give an assurance of activity in the near future, and the copper market is a little easier as the most urgent wants of consumers appear to have been supplied. There was a violent break in exchange, demand sterling falling to a new low record at 47 1/8, and authorities on exchange matters, predict a further substantial decline, as the imports of gold from Ottawa are nearly at an end if the termination has not already been reached. This development in exchange will increase the difficulty of paying for the supplies being bought here, and the subject is one to which Wall street cannot afford to be indifferent. Sales 300,000. Bonds \$2,986,000.

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Late Gossip Of The Sporting World At Home And Abroad

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THE SCRIBES ARE AFTER CHOCOLATES

Well, there is going to be a baseball game on Thursday afternoon and it will be some game and well worth watching an afternoon off to witness. The members of "The Chocolate Soldier" company have accepted the offer of the Press Club to a duel, bats and ball and gloves being the weapons, 3.30 p. m. on Thursday the time and the battle field will be the Marathon grounds. Of course the newspaper boys have all the advantage, writing sporting events keeping a ball player in training, however, some of the fans in the ranks of "The Chocolate Soldier" read the sporting pages daily and at least two of them are known to have a bowing acquaintance with John J. McGraw and one of the girls has a friend who on one time rode on the same electric car with Ty Cobb. It is suspected also that there may be a ringer or two on the actors' team as a quiet tip has been passed around the Opera House that it will be perfectly safe to place a few bets on the Theatians. In fact, most of those on the inside know that the Scribes are in for a worse trimming than they received at the hands of the Revue company a short while ago. J. Frank Boyle has accepted the position of head coach on the base lines and will act also as field manager, when he hawks out the umpire, the latter party will surely know there is something doing and act accordingly. All the ladies of the company are going to attend and wear their best bits and tuckers for the occasion. It will be some day and event.

TWILIGHT LEAGUE BASEBALL

The Commercial and the Alerts went six innings in an exciting game on the East End League grounds last evening, the Commercial winning by a score of two to one. The winners scored their two runs in the fourth inning, while the only run gained by the Alerts was in the last inning. The official score and summary follows: Commercial. A B R H P O A E Gorman, ss.....2 0 0 0 2 0 0 Garretts, cf.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 Gaskin, 2b.....3 0 0 0 1 0 0 Pirie, c.....3 0 0 0 1 0 0 Ramsey, 3b.....2 1 0 1 1 0 0 McHugh, lf.....2 1 1 1 0 1 0 McKee, 1b.....3 0 1 6 0 0 0 Penderis, rf.....2 0 1 1 0 0 0 Sterlis, p.....1 0 0 0 1 0 0 Totals.....20 2 3 18 6 1 Alerts. A B R H P O A E Milan, 1b.....3 0 2 10 0 0 Graves, 2b.....3 0 0 1 3 0 0 Stewart, 3b.....3 0 0 1 1 0 0 Lightfoot, c.....2 0 0 2 0 1 0 Parlee, cf.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 Horton, rf.....2 0 0 1 1 1 0 Green, ss.....2 0 0 3 1 0 0 Harris, lf.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 Lawler, p.....2 1 2 0 3 0 0 Totals.....21 1 4 18 9 2 Score by innings—1 2 3 4 5 6 Commercial.....0 0 0 2 0 0 Alerts.....0 0 0 0 1 1 Summary—Commercial, 2; Alerts, 1; two base hit, Lawler; struck out by Sterling, 7; by Lawler, 1; base on balls by Lawler, 4; stolen bases, Ramsey, Penderis; hit by pitched ball, McHugh; missed third strike, Lightfoot; passed ball, Lightfoot, 2; Pirie; 1 hr., 10 min.; umpire, Jas. McAllister; scorer, Nixon.

LATE "HAP" HOGAN'S CAREER

Columns could be filled with stories of Hap Hogan, late manager of the Venice Tigers and 'tis a pity they can't be gathered and preserved in a book. Poems, too, with the beloved manager of the Coast League Tigers have come until there seems no end, all testifying to the hold he had on the hearts of the fans. One of the tales, out of the ordinary, as Hogan is made the goat rather than the hero, is by Roscoe Fawcett, of Portland. It runs thus: Ivan Olson, former Portland shortstop, now with the Cincinnati Nationals, was the author of one joke on Hogan that Happy always remembered. Venice was playing Portland at the time—it was back in 1909. Ivan Olson was on short for Portland and Ote Johnson on third. Hogan had been riding Olson all afternoon until finally Ivan determined to silence him forever. When Hogan stalked up to the bat on his next turn around the batting order, Olson trotted over to third and held whispered consultation with Ote Johnson. Fans were puzzled, but only for one moment. Hogan hit the next pitched ball on the ground squarely into Olson's fingers. Instead of whipping it to first, Olson picked up the ball, deliberately spat on it, turned and tossed to third, and Johnson relayed across the diamond to first base. Hogan was not what you might call a gazelle on the paths and the ball beat him to the bag by 20 feet. Happy took the joke good-naturally, but his close friends say he never really got over it. Hogan's last appearance in actual play occurred on Saturday, May 8, at Los Angeles, and it was typically Hogan-esque. In the fourteenth inning of a sensational 2-2 game between those bitter rivals, Venice and Los Angeles, Hogan showed his nerve by inserting himself into the fray as a pinch hitter. Kane was on third, Berger on second and Wilhoit on first; in other words, the bases were loaded. Hap stuck around the home plate and kidded Southpaw Burns and the umpire until they counted stood three balls and two strikes. Everything hung on one pitch of the pill. It was a delicate situation, because if the next ball was wild Hogan would walk and force in a run. If it was a groove ball Hogan was pretty sure to hit it somewhere successfully. That is exactly what happened. Hogan ordered a general forward movement of all base runners. With the move of Burns' left flipper they were all off on the jump. Hap chopped a high bouncer down to Terry at short. Kane was already over the plate and Berger was within a few feet of it. Terry saw it was too late to throw home, so he tossed to first base. The two runs counted and won the game for Venice 4-2.

WHITE IS A GREAT DRAWING CARD

If Charlie White continues to flatten his opponents at his present rate it will not be long before the Chicago Lightweight is the greatest drawing card in the ring. White's decisive victory over Charlie Thomas of Philadelphia, in eight rounds at Boston Tuesday night was his fifth straight knockout. This is a feat entirely out of the ordinary in these days of no decision tappers. While none of White's victims was ranked among the first flight, all were men of considerable experience. Thomas in particular was well thought of, having captured the lightweight championship of France. He had met many of the best men of his class and never had failed to answer the gong for the last round. Apparently White is beginning to find himself at last. He always was a great hitter, but he was handicapped by his excessive caution. White prevented him from showing his real form and cost him a lot of prestige. In fact it cost him the championship when he met Willie Ritchie in that bout at Milwaukee. Early in the fray White planted his noted left hook between the then champion's eyes. The blow not only partly blinded Ritchie but dazed him so badly that he would have been an easy victim had White followed up his advantage. However, White hesitated and Ritchie recovered and finished strongly, although well beaten. White made the same mistake when he met Leach Cross at Madison Square Garden a few months ago. White, a harder and more accurate hitter and a better boxer, allowed the veteran to hold him even because he waited too long. It was only the dentist's grit and determination that enabled him to hold his own. However, and probably would have stopped Cross had he been more aggressive.

FEDS AND ORGANIZED BASEBALL

New York, June 15—The dove of peace slowly is descending and soon will rest on the baseball world. Sixty days more, and, if nothing unforeseen happens, the Feds and organized baseball will be taking a few inhales from the same pipe of peace and buying each other champagne. There are some who still are skeptical about the probability of peace, but if they will only analyze the events that have transpired during the past six weeks they will not be skeptical any longer. With the exception of Benny Kauff, not one player has done any jumping either way since the season began. The Feds have not made a single effort to grab a ball player from organized baseball and the established organization has not tried to get back a single one of its jumpers. On the surface, the action of the National commission in returning Kauff to the Feds seems amazing. Even more amazing is the fact that it ordered the suspension for one year of Dick Kinsella, Giant scout, for inducing Kauff to jump. Fandom thought that Kinsella's achievement in capturing the greatest player the enemy had should have won him a raise in pay. And that's what Kinsella would have received were these still wartime days. The reason why Kinsella was penalized is because unconsciously he almost caused a renewal of the warfare. About six weeks ago Ban Johnson "spilled the beans" in an interview given out in Boston. Later Johnson repudiated the interview. He realized afterward that the time wasn't ripe for breaking the news to the dear old public. Some weeks ago Garry Herrmann prepared the folks for what is coming by saying that if peace doesn't come soon some of the magnates will be ready to join the ranks of paupers. The national commission, it will be remembered, rejected the demands of the Baseball Players' Fraternity some weeks ago. They did it with much regret. They did it as if they didn't fear the fraternity—and they no longer do. A year or so ago they granted the bulk of the fraternity's demands. Why? Simply because they knew that the players would jump to the Feds if they didn't. But this year they rejected them because they knew the players couldn't jump to the Feds for the simple reason that the Fed's barred the Feds from taking them. Many clubs in organized baseball let out to the minors some promising recruits and some real stars simply because they couldn't keep those men on account of the player limit rule. Did the Feds try to grab any of them? No, they didn't. The baseball war is over; the details of peace and consolidation are being arranged now, along with August 1 or 15 the public will be permitted to come in on the "know."

RACE FOR THORNE CUP LAST EVENING

The motor boat race for the Thorne Cup by boats of the St. John Power Boat Club was held last evening and proved very interesting to a large number of spectators. The race was open to boats with canopy tops with glass fronts and any horse power. The class was from a buoy off the public wharf at Indiantown to a buoy off Green Head and the course had to be done over twice. Five boats competed and the winner of the cup will not be decided for a couple of days when the time allowance will be figured out. On actual time, the White Heather finished first, the Caldonia, second and the Arcella, third. The winner of the race will receive the cup, the second boat a club burgee and the third boat five gallons of gasoline. A protest has been filed against the white Heather by the owners of the Caldonia on a classification claim and the result of the claim will be given out later by the racing committee. The following were the starters, with the time of the start, the first turn and the finish: Start—1st Turn Finish Caldonia.....7:21.45 7:46... 8:10.. White Heather.....7:22... 7:51... 8:20.. Arcella.....7:21.28 7:56... 8:21.. Mephisto.....7:21.28 7:56... 8:21.. The officers of the day were: Commodore E. P. Gerow, J. C. Chesley, John Thomson, Howard Holder and George E. Day, Judges. Rear-Commodore F. C. Tapley, starter. The officials were carried over the course by Acting Fleet Captain McMullin on his yacht Clayola. The next race will be on Tuesday next for the Mooney Cup and the class of boats will be cabin cruisers, thirty-five feet and under and towing a tender. The course will be to Brandy Point and return.

ROCHESTER 3, TORONTO 0 Toronto, June 15—Rochester shut out the Leafs today, 3 to 0. Manning, for the home club, was effective in all but the second inning, when the visitors bunched hits with errors and got in their three runs. The score: Rochester.....03000000—3 8 0 Toronto.....00000000—0 5 2 Batteries—Huenke and Williams; Manning and Kelly. Postponed Newark-Providence, rain. Buffalo-Montreal, rain. International League Standing Won Lost P.C. Buffalo.....22 13 .629 Providence.....22 17 .564 Rochester.....21 19 .525 Richmond.....21 20 .512 Montreal.....21 21 .500 Newark.....18 20 .474 Toronto.....19 23 .452 Jersey City.....15 26 .362

SOUTH END LEAGUE. In a four inning game last evening in the South End League on the Barrack Green, the Latics defeated the Curlews by a score of 7 to 5. The scoring was accomplished in the first two innings and the game which was witnessed by a large crowd, was most interesting. The official score and summary follows: Latics. A B R H P O A E Mooney, ss.....3 1 1 2 1 0 0 Donnelly, p.....1 2 0 4 6 0 0 Cregan, c.....3 1 2 4 3 0 0 Hanley, 1b.....3 0 0 3 0 1 0 Lawson, rf.....2 0 0 0 1 0 0 Lawrence, lf.....2 0 0 1 0 0 0 Anderson, 2b.....3 1 0 1 0 1 0 Murray, 3b.....2 1 0 1 0 1 0 Ullandale, cf.....1 1 0 0 0 0 0 Totals.....21 7 4 12 9 3 Curlews. A B R H P O A E L. McDonald, cf.....2 1 0 0 0 0 0 S. McKue, lf.....1 1 0 0 0 0 0 G. Hannah, 3b.....1 1 0 1 1 0 0 C. McKue, lf.....2 0 2 0 2 0 0 Lawson, rf.....2 0 0 0 0 0 0 W. McDonald, cf.....2 0 0 4 0 2 0 Price, ss.....1 1 0 0 1 1 0 Donovan, 1b.....1 0 1 3 0 0 0 Cromwell, p.....2 1 1 2 4 0 0 Totals.....15 5 3 12 6 4 Score by innings: Curlews.....2300—5 Latics.....1200—7 Summary—Latics, 7; Curlews, 5. Struck out by Donnelly, 4; by Cromwell, 3. Base on balls, off Donnelly, 3; off Cromwell, 4. Wild pitches, by Donnelly, 3; by Cromwell, 1. Passed balls, Cregan, 2. Hit by Donnelly, 2. Home run, Mooney. Time of game, 55 min. Umpire, F. McShane. Scorer, F. Watson.

THE MAINE ROAD BOOK. The New Brunswick Automobile Association has received the Maine Automobile Road Book for 1915, which was issued last week and is now being sent to members of the Maine Automobile Association and to tourists all over the United States. The new book is one of the finest that has been issued by any State association in the country. It contains 166 routes, covering every part of Maine and most of New Hampshire, much of Eastern Massachusetts, with the border routes in New Brunswick and the principal highway between the New England States and the city of Quebec. In addition the book contains the latest automobile facts about Maine, including those passed at the last session of the Legislature, which go into effect in July; the new fish and game laws of the State, the new forestry laws, rules for campers, a complete summary of notable facts about Maine, a list of the standard through routes of travel in the territory covered by the road book, including statements concerning some of the work which will be in progress during the summer, as well as the best ways to go from place to place; the new regulations for automobilists entering Canada, including the special war tax now in effect, and the announcement of the opening of Mount Desert Island to automobilists. The book this year has three new road maps, completely revised and redrawn and printed in colors, as a noteworthy feature of the volume. These include a general road map of all the automobile routes in the territory covered by the road book, a spokesman map showing the location of every sporting camp in Maine, together with the lakes, rivers and streams, and a Pine Tree Tour map. There are also city and other maps giving details about entering the cities and the best routes between points.

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A JUNIOR CHALLENGE. The Young Victoria baseball team wish to challenge any junior team in the city to a game of ball to be played on the Barrack Green on Thursday or Friday evening. The players must be under 16 years of age and the Vics wish an answer through the sporting columns of The Standard.

STEAMSHIP CO. Steamer Victoria After June 5th stmr. Cham-leave Public Wharf, St. John, and Thursday at twelve noon, and Saturday at 2 p. m. For Fredericton every Monday, and Friday at 7.30 a. m. For Victoria S. S. CO., LTD., H. G. Harrison, Manager.

Stream Steamship Co. MANAN STEAMSHIP CO. Atlantic Standard Time. June 1st, 1915, and until notice calls, steamer Grand will leave Grand Manan 3.30 a. m. for St. John, arriving 2.30 p. m. Returning leave Turnbull's Tuesday 10 a. m. for Grand Manan, and intermediate ports and alternate days, leaving alternate days, leaving St. John at 6 a. m. D. J. Purdy, Manager. Office No. 304.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Richmond 3, Jersey 1 Jersey City, June 15—Richmond came back at the Skeeters today and took the second game of the series, 3 to 1. Verbout, the "pitching staff," of the tall-enders, who has participated in four of the last six games, was hit hard by the Virginians, nine hits being gathered off his delivery. In six innings, when rain stopped the game. The score: Richmond.....110001—3 9 0 Jersey City.....00100—1 4 0 Batteries—Russell and Schaufele; Verbout and Reynolds.

AMERICAN LEAGUE New York 9, St. Louis 4 New York, June 15—Malsell's hard hitting enabled the New York Americans to make it a clean sweep over St. Louis, the Yankees taking the fourth game of the series by a score of 9 to 4. The score: New York.....00300510—9 11 0 St. Louis.....00110001—4 8 4 New York.....00300510—9 11 0 Batteries—James and Severoid; Warhop and Sweeney. Postponed Games Chicago-Washington, rain. Detroit-Philadelphia, wet grounds. Cleveland-Boston, wet grounds. American League Standing Won Lost P.C. Chicago.....32 19 .627 Detroit.....32 21 .604 Boston.....25 18 .581 New York.....25 22 .531 Washington.....22 22 .500 Cleveland.....20 27 .426 St. Louis.....19 32 .373 Philadelphia.....18 31 .367

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FURNACE LINE. St. John. Tobacco... May 19. Appellate... May 23. Messina... June 16. Cyprien... June 26. M. THOMSON & CO., Agents.

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts:
Maritime—Fresh southeast, shifting to southwest; cool and showery.

Toronto, June 15.—Showers have occurred today in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, and the temperature continues unseasonably low throughout the west. Rain has been almost general in Ontario and Quebec, being particularly heavy in the Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence Valleys, and the weather is cool in all districts.

Temperatures: Min. Max.

Dawson	50	56
Victoria	52	64
Vancouver	52	72
Calgary	44	58
Regina	38	48
Prince Albert	38	48
Winnipeg	38	48
Port Arthur	44	66
Toronto	54	69
Ottawa	58	66
Quebec	56	68
St. John	50	64
Halifax	48	56

Around the City

Spanish Products.
A firm at Palma de Mallorca, Spain, writes the Board of Trade asking to be put in touch with firms that might do business in Spanish products.

Will Meet Today.
On account of the special meeting of the municipal council yesterday afternoon, the meeting of the city commissioners was postponed until today. It is likely that the commissioners will be in session immediately after the noon committee meeting.

Gets Big Fine.
Magistrate Allan held court in Brookville last evening, when Max Morris was found guilty of selling beer at Cudbrook on Sunday last and was fined \$50 and costs. Max paid the fine and it took about all the profits that he made on the Sunday selling.

Edgell Church School.
The closing exercises of Edgell Church School for girls at Windsor, N. S., took place yesterday, in the school and on the grounds.
In the morning a delightful concert was given in the school hall, which was largely attended.
During the afternoon the diplomas and school prizes were presented.

Belgian Relief Fund.
Mayor Prink received the following subscriptions to the Belgian relief fund yesterday morning:
Mrs. J. K. Taylor \$10.00
Residents of Brockway, York Co., per Mrs. B. E. Boone 6.10
Mrs. Horace King 5.90
Mrs. W. W. Baird, Cleveland, Ohio 1.00

Moonlight Excursion.
Two or three hundred excursionists attended the moonlight excursion without the aid of a moon last night on the St. John river. The outing was under the auspices of the Temple Band, and the steamer May Queen carried the excursionists. Despite the fact that it was a dark night, which finished up with a rain storm, those who attended apparently enjoyed themselves.

The Regimental Fund.
The following subscriptions to the Regimental fund started by Mayor Prink for the 26th Battalion were received this morning:
Mrs. Fred Crosby \$ 5.00
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William S. Allison 10.00
Benjamin Mirey 1.00
J. C. Long 2.00
A. G. McMillin 1.00

Steamer D. J. Purdy.
The steamer D. J. Purdy arrived from Fredericton yesterday afternoon with a fair passenger list and a heavy cargo of hay, potatoes and live stock. Among the passengers were W. Frank Hatheway of this city, and Joe. Allingham of Gagetown.
The purser reports that a motor boat owned by John Denn made a passage from Douglas Harbor to Gagetown yesterday with a capacity cargo.

Comfort Association.
The Soldiers' Comfort Association of West St. John will meet in the Odd Fellows' Hall this evening at eight o'clock, and all interested citizens are invited to be present. The association members are hard at work in the West End gathering in comforts for the boys who are fighting in the trenches and it is expected that in a short time a large quantity of the things greatly needed by the brave soldiers will be sent to them.

Miss Retallick to Wed.
The wedding of James C. Robertson, accountant with the Ames Holden McCready Co., and Miss Helen Retallick, daughter of John Retallick, will take place this afternoon at 4.15 o'clock in the Carlton Methodist church. They will be unattended. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Robertson will depart for New York on a honeymoon trip. On their return they will reside in West St. John. Many handsome presents were received by the popular pair. A set of handsome inlaid oak chairs was received from the employees of the groom. Handsome pieces of silver were received from the members of the Calvin Presbyterian church choir, where Miss Retallick has been organist, and from the Moose Dramatic Club of which Mr. Robertson was a valued member.

ANNUAL MEETING OF PRESBYTERIAL OPENS IN ST. JOHN

Delegates Welcomed To This City by Mrs. R. C. Cruikshank.

WOMENS GATHERING Committee Will Present Their Various Reports On Thursday.

The twenty-sixth annual meeting of St. John Presbyterian, the women's gathering for the Presbytery of St. John which embraces the Maritime Provinces was opened last evening in the St. David's church.

The executive met this morning and this afternoon. Those present included the president, Mrs. C. T. Purdy of Moncton, Mrs. J. H. Thomson of Robbsey, Mrs. R. C. Cruikshank and Mrs. R. A. Jamieson of St. John, with Mrs. A. W. Thompson of Pictou, Mrs. Blackwood and Miss Wallace of Halifax, representing the general organization of the synod district.

The meeting opened last evening with devotional exercises, led by Mrs. J. H. A. Anderson.
An address of welcome was given in a very feeling manner by Mrs. R. C. Cruikshank in which she welcomed the delegates to St. John. A very charming reply was made by Mrs. Stephens of St. Stephen on behalf of the visiting members.

The appointment of committees followed next which resulted in the following:
Nominating committee—Mrs. J. H. Thomson, St. John, convener; Miss Stephens, St. Stephen; Mrs. Jas. Ross and Mrs. J. E. Anderson.
Finance committee—Miss Josephine Campbell, St. Stephen; Mrs. M. H. Marcell, Florenceville.

Resolution and courtesy committee—Mrs. Millar, McKensie Corner; Mrs. R. D. Ross, St. Stephen.
These committees will act during the session and will present their reports at the close of the session on Thursday.

In the secretary's report which followed, the secretary, Miss B. Walker, emphasized the spiritual side of the work and loyalty to our own undertaking, loyalty to the King of Kings and loyalty to our own women. It was a very excellent report and contained many practical suggestions.

Mrs. A. W. Thompson, Pictou, N. S., president of the general society, gave an address and in the course of her remarks spoke under four different heads as follows: Social influences, educational side of our own work, benevolence, and the scope of missionary work and the spiritual element in it. Mrs. Thompson's address was excellent and she urged the members to bear in mind all the practical suggestions given in the reports and addresses.

The programme for the session is as follows:
Wednesday, June 16th, at 9.30 a.m. Devotional exercises, led by Mrs. George McFarlane; minutes; reports of county vice-presidents; report of Home Mission secretary; deaconess report; discussion; paper, Mrs. A. R. Melrose; third session.
Wednesday, June 16th, at 2.30 p.m. Devotional exercises, led by Mrs. J. K. Flemming; minutes; greetings; report of secretary of young people's work; report of M. B. county vice-presidents; duet; paper, "Does mission hand work pay, and how?"; question box; president's address; fourth session.

Wednesday, June 16th, at 8 p.m. Devotional; music; introduction, Rev. J. A. MacKeigan; address, Rev. Principal MacKinnon; music; offertory; address, Rev. W. W. Malcolm; closing exercises; fifth session.
Thursday, June 17th, at 9.30 a.m. Devotional exercises, led by Mrs. J. H. Thomson; minutes; treasurer's report; dedicatory prayer; report of nominating committee; report of credentials committee; report of committee on resolutions and courtesies; place of next meeting; hymn 501, "God be with you till we meet again."

CLOSING EXERCISES OF NETHERWOOD SCHOOL FOR GIRLS

The closing exercises of Netherwood—church school for girls—Robbsey, were held yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large number of spectators and friends, many going to the closing from this city. The Rev. Canon Daniel presided and after the opening service the pupils gave a short musical programme, which included songs and piano solos by Miss Dorothy LeRoy. Miss Mary Henderson was valedictorian.

After the addresses by His Lordship the Bishop of Fredericton, and Miss Hubbard, Dean of Royal Victoria College, Montreal, and the presentation of diplomas and prizes by the Bishop, Dr. Walker and Miss Lillie Raymond, the guest, adjourned to Netherwood, where they were entertained by the school. The younger girls went through some Swedish drill and danced some pretty folk dances. The senior school presented scenes from the "Rivals" on the lawn, finishing up with a most graceful minuet danced by eight couples in old-time costume. Refreshments were served on the lawn and the city guests returned on the five o'clock train.

German Diary Says Canadians Will Attack And May God Help Us

That the soldier boys from Canada and especially from St. John are not given much to worry while fighting in the trenches against the Germans can be readily judged from the tone of the letters that they send home to friends. They all thoroughly understand that their position is most dangerous, but they have been well trained, have proven themselves equal to the seasoned fighters and are taking their work at the front as a matter of course. They are not afraid to fight, and now that they have well received their baptism of fire, it is a case of do or die with all of them. Many of them write home, telling about the horrors of war, of the hard times that they are having, etc., but there are others who mention war as a secondary consideration and despite the fact that their comrades are being wounded or killed by their side and the shells are bursting all round, these soldiers are thinking of what is looking on in their old home town. For instance, a few weeks ago Gunner Harry Pike, who is fighting with the heavy artillery, under the command of Major Magee, merely mentioned that they were having a hot time of it and then asked for information. "If there was any baseball played in St. John this summer?" Yesterday afternoon a member of The Standard staff received a letter which is not only interesting but rather amusing from "Sapper" Leo G. Quigg of Fairville. "Sapper" Quigg is attached to the second brigade headquarters of the signal section, first Canadian division. He writes from France on May 29th. He does not get any of the fighting, but is anxious that he and Corporal George F. Craft, also of Fairville, are not being wrongly judged by the fair sex in Fairville or St. John. He is looking forward to being killed but expects to be home again before many months, so any lady friends might read his letter with interest and take it for granted that the Fairville boy is happy and content. He is being constantly in the greatest danger of losing his life. The letter received is as follows:

Dear Sir:—
I met Bruce MacKinnon at the firing line and got my address from him. He has a home in Fairville. It is rumored around there that George Craft and myself got married in England. Don't you think that this is hurting our reputation with the ladies in the village and St. John? We wish that you could deny it for us in the columns of your paper, for it is not true. We are certainly giving it to the Germans now and we expect to be back home by Christmas. Please straighten out this little matter for us, and if we can do anything for you we will with pleasure.

Thanking you in advance, we remain, yours truly,
Spr. Leo G. Quigg
Corporal George F. Craft.

The letter is written on paper supplied by the W. M. C. A. with the words printed on the envelope and paper. "On active service with the British expeditionary force."
The Standard is very glad to inform all the young ladies in Fairville or St. John that the two soldiers mentioned are still single and hope that Sapper Quigg's prediction that he will return home safe and sound for Christmas will come out true.

Mr. William M. Campbell, care of Customs House, St. John, N. B., Can., received your letter of May 3rd and about one week ago but have just got around to answering it. My opinion of the war is this: The Germans are being driven back slowly but surely and the war will end just as soon as the Kaiser gets it pounded into his noodle that he can't capture anything we hold and that in time we will be in Germany. By all accounts there are very few troops in front of us but a machine gun can very soon get a charging battalion so you see we can't advance rapidly and have a little can't get through our lines for practically the same reason. The only way we have them licked in my opinion is with the bayonet and our boys love nothing better than to give the many all the steel they wish. I am enclosing some letters which I picked up last night in the trench which the Germans were in all winter. You most likely can get someone to translate them for you and they might be interesting. Don't worry about me being in the thick of the fight. My work is just on the spot where the shells are dropping and I don't think anyone in the whole army has such a nerve-racking job as a line man. The infantry charging and not subject to shell fire, despatch riders rush past all bad spots and the same with ammunition wagons but our poor beggars are always in the places where the shells are dropping as there is where our wire is cut. The Canadian Signal Company has been awarded six D. C. M.'s and there may be more. Those who deserve them most are the ones who do not get them. It seems Corporal Cassells of Montreal in No. 1 Section who worked on the line I was on has been given one and he did not do half as much work as some of us but the Brigadier saw him. Of all the line men who worked on the line another lance corporal and myself are the only ones who came out the first night, April 22, and stayed till Tuesday morning, May 4, without a rest except what we could snatch between breaks. The rest were either killed, wounded or lost their nerve and any of them whose nerves went cannot be said to have white livers as my nerves went more than once but I stuck. The poisonous gas is nothing. The Germans crucified a sergeant in the 48th Highland-

ers to the door of a barn with their bayonets and I know because my chum in the 48th saw him. The draughts that have come to us are trying to make people think that the fighting here is worse than Ypres but it is not one-tenth as bad. I guess they want people to think they have seen the worst but when 120 shells drop on about one and a half miles of road in one minute, and that was the road I was on all the time, and here about 120 per day you may be as sured it is here there will be another battle as terrible again during the war. I suppose you have heard before this that Harry Adams of Millidgeville avenue was punished in a house and if a shell had not burst and blown a hole in the brick wall of the room he was in he would have been burned alive but he did not get scratched. These narrow escapes are nothing. I miss the money that the war will be finished by Jan. 31, 1916, but I don't know what to think. We are moving forward all the time slowly but surely. I believe we will have La Basse by the time this letter reaches you. It is rumored we are going back a long way for a rest and refitting but I don't know how true it is. They will have to do something with us pretty soon or there will be nothing left to do any more. I have been fighting in the warmest parts. Well, I must close, as I am late watering and feeding my horse now. With very best wishes to you and all.
Your friend,
BOB.

Received the bunch of papers and your letter of May 17th. Many thanks. Let me tell you we are showing them all the way. Have just, a few days ago, shown the Irish and Coldstream Guards the way. Are they asking for drafts for the 1st contingent yet? We need I guess about 20,000 men to bring us up to strength again. I see by the papers that Lloyd's are offering even more money than the war will be finished by Jan. 31, 1916, but I don't know what to think. We are moving forward all the time slowly but surely. I believe we will have La Basse by the time this letter reaches you. It is rumored we are going back a long way for a rest and refitting but I don't know how true it is. They will have to do something with us pretty soon or there will be nothing left to do any more. I have been fighting in the warmest parts. Well, I must close, as I am late watering and feeding my horse now. With very best wishes to you and all.
Your friend,
BOB.

The following letter was received by E. W. Chase, 153 Hawthorn avenue, from his son, Charles Chase, who left St. John with the Divisional Ammunition Column, and is now with the 6th Battery:

Dear Mother:—A few lines to let you know I am well and hope this will find you all the same. I received your own eyes. They are using the gas again. I have seen Jack Nutall, he is a sergeant in the 10th Battalion; also William McLellan, he is with the field post office. I also saw Chris Graham yesterday and had a little talk with him. He sends regards. We are billeted in an old house, all the windows have been blown out and all of one side. Yesterday the Germans sent over about eight or ten shells where we were, but they did not damage.

CHARLES.

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