

# The St. John Standard,

NEW BRUNSWICK, CANADA.

VOL. VIII, NO. 120.

TEN PAGES

FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST 11, 1916.

WEATHER — FAIR

PRICE TWO CENTS

## CZAR'S ARMIES PRESSING FORWARD IN GALICIA ARE ALMOST AT THE GATES OF STANISLAU

### STANISLAU NOW WITHIN RANGE OF RUSSIAN GUNS

#### Gen. Letchitzky Follows Up Victory at Tysmienitsa and Pushes His Advance to Within Six Miles of Stanislaw.

#### Launches New Drive Across the Kunopice, Closing in on Army of German Leader Von Bothmer—Brussiloff's Prisoners Since First Part of June Total Nearly 402,000.

Petrograd, via London, Aug. 10.—The town of Stanislaw, in Galicia, is already within range of Russian guns. General Letchitzky, losing no time to follow up his victory at Tysmienitsa, he has pushed westward along the railroad and northward along the wagon road, and in the latter direction has approached to within six miles of Stanislaw. Simultaneously he has commenced a drive across the Koropice river and the formation of a new line of advance north of the Dniester.

#### VON BOTHMER IN BAD PREDICAMENT.

Hitherto Gen. Count Von Bothmer had enjoyed more or less protection for his right on the Tarnopol position from the flooded Dniester. The appearance of an offensive north of the Dniester, which has already carried the Russians as far west as the crossing of the railroad at Niznif, twenty miles east of Stanislaw, injects an entirely new element into the situation. With Monaszycki seriously flanked, Gen. Von Bothmer finds himself with Gen. Letchitzky in the rear of his advanced position along the Stripa and in close touch. The Austrians are vainly striving to stem this new advance by desperate counter-attacks, in which the troops engage in hand-to-hand encounters, but apparently with the net result always favoring the Russians.

The total tally of General Letchitzky's prisoners during the ten days' operations shows that he has taken upwards of 15,000, and it is estimated that 10,000 more men were put out of commission. This would bring the grand total of prisoners to Gen. Brussiloff's credit since early in June to 402,000.

#### CZAR HONORS GEN. BRUSSILOFF.

London, Aug. 10.—The Russian Emperor has presented to Gen. Brussiloff a sword of honor of the Order of St. George, ornamented with diamonds, for his victories over the Austrians and Germans in Galicia and Volhynia, says a Reuter despatch from Petrograd.

#### RUSSIANS FORD ZLOTA LIPA RIVER.

Petrograd, via London, Aug. 10.—Russian troops have forded the Zlota Lipa river, in Galicia, east of Stanislaw, in the continuation of their progress westward along the Monaszycki-Niznif railway, says the official statement given out by the war office this evening. The statement follows:

"On the River Sereth, between the villages of Metenize and Nosovo, fierce fighting is going on, the Austrians and Germans making a series of counter-attacks against the woods we occupied in the foreground of these villages. Up to now we have captured 20 officers and 1,300 men.

"On the Monaszycki-Niznif railway line our troops have made some progress in a westerly direction, and have forded the river Zlota Lipa at some points, as the bridges over the stream have all been destroyed."

#### Occupy Right Bank of The Koropice.

Petrograd, Aug. 10, via London.—The official statement says today: "Our troops, who have occupied the right bank of the River Koropice, in developing their success, have reached the Monaszycki-Niznif railway, and advanced to the mouth of the Zlota-Lipa river.

"In the region of Tysmienitsa, our brave troops, following hard upon the heels of the retreating enemy, continue their movement to the north and to the west, having occupied in a westerly direction the right bank of the river near Stricy-Nadvorna. On the Nadvorno-Stanislaw line we captured the joint railway station of Kryplin. All the bridges over the river have been blown up by the enemy.

"In the region of Voroch and the Rivers Bialy Cherech and Sushava, our troops made an advance of several versts.

"On the Baltic Sea on August 9, an aerial fight took place between two of our seaplanes and three enemy seaplanes. Our Lieut. Gaskoyenko, drawing near an enemy machine, fired at it with his machine gun and forced the German to land on the shore. We suffered no losses or damage.

"Caucasus front: We repulsed the Turks' attacks in the region west of Gumchikhan. Fierce fighting is continuing north of the Mush-Bitlis line."

#### HALIFAX BANK CLEARINGS.

Halifax, August 10.—Halifax bank clearings for the week were \$2,469,387; and for the corresponding week last year, \$1,991,985.

Toronto Clearings.—Bank clearings week ended today, \$35,313,851; corresponding week 1915, \$34,177,544, and \$35,959,901 in 1914.

### AFFAIRS IN PERSIA ARE ON THE MEND

#### Most of German Agents Arrested and Hoped Financial and Other Questions will be Settled Soon.

London, August 10.—The general condition of affairs in Persia has recently shown a decided improvement, says Lord Robert Cecil, minister of war trade and parliamentary under-secretary for foreign affairs, in the House of Commons today. The arrest or dispersal of most of German parties and agents in the country, he added, gave good reason for hoping that the improvement would be maintained.

Lord Robert said he hoped that arrangements on financial and other questions would shortly be arrived at with the Persian government. Anglo-Indian officers would be engaged in officiating gendarmes in Southern Persia.

### PREPARING PEOPLE OF LEMBERG FOR THE ORDER TO EVACUATE

#### German Chief of Staff Issues Statement in Hope of Calming Population—Declares the Town is Not "Immediately" Menaced with Capture.

London, Aug. 11.—A Budapest despatch to the Morning Post says that, in order to calm the population in Galicia, General Bardeoff, who is General Count Bothmer's chief of staff, has issued a statement, through the newspaper correspondents attached to the Austro-German headquarters, that Lemberg "is not immediately menaced" by the Russians, and that whenever Lemberg is menaced the army authorities will take proper steps to care for the civilians.

The General conveyed the impression to the correspondents, according to this despatch, that the evacuation of Lemberg was not very distant.

### SINK ALL SHIPS CARRYING ANY KIND OF CONTRABAND, GERMAN ORDER

London, Aug. 11.—The German minister at Stockholm has issued, in behalf of his government, a revised list of contraband, says a despatch from that city to the Morning Post.

At the same time, it is announced that the commanders of German warships have been instructed to sink all ships bound for enemy ports carrying cargoes which consist wholly or in part of contraband, either absolute or relative.

The loss to Swedish commercial interests from the stoppage by Germany of timber exports to England and France, the despatch adds, is estimated at £5,000,000.

### "BITTER STEP FOR AUSTRIAN COMMAND" DRIFT IN MID-OCEAN IN SMALL BOAT

#### German Military Critic Endeavors to Belittle Importance to Italians of the Capture of Gorizia.

Munster, via London, August 11.—Major Morant, the military critic of the Berlin Tagblatt, discussing the taking of Gorizia by the Italians, says:

"The decision to evacuate Gorizia must have been a bitter enough step for the Austrian command, but it can be justified by the endeavor to avoid unnecessary losses, in view of a superiority against which nothing could be done at present. The town of Gorizia is as good as destroyed, and the Italians have gained no important military success."

Regarding the Italian claim to have also captured Mount Sabotino and Monte San Michele, Major Morant quotes the Austrian assertion that all attacks there have been repulsed, and says:

"We must wait until more light is shed on the result of the fighting, but for the present we can suppose that the Italian assault on the Isonzo will not make further progress."

57 SUPERNUMERARY OFFICERS TO BE SENT OVERSEAS.

Camp Borden, Ont., Aug. 10.—Headquarters has received authority from the militia department to send fifty-seven supernumerary officers overseas. There are about one hundred officers of this class or more in camp.

Quebec Clearings.

Quebec, Aug. 10.—Bank clearings week ended today, \$3,713,804; corresponding week last year, \$3,061,246.

### HUNGARIANS BITTER AGAINST ROUMANIA

#### Will Fight to End for Integrity of Hungary, Count Karolyi Says.

#### WANTS SPEEDY BUT A LASTING PEACE.

#### Leader of New Independent Party Wants Government to Declare Itself Regarding Peace Terms.

Amsterdam, Aug. 10.—A telegram from Budapest says that Count Michael Karolyi, leader of the new independence party, speaking in the Hungarian Chamber of Deputies, asserted it would be in the interests of peace if the government would make a declaration in regard to the war aims of the monarchy and the conditions demanded for terminating the struggle.

Although bad weather is hampering the British and French manoeuvres in the west, both the Italians and the Russians are keeping up their strong offensives against the Teutonic Allies, respectively in Austria and Galicia, and at last reports both had made additional important gains.

On the Isonzo front the Italians have continued to throw their forces across the river and have fought their way to the east of the captured city of Gorizia. In addition, southwest of Gorizia they have taken strong Austrian entrenchments near Monte San Michele and Monte San Martino, and also occupied the town of Boshini, giving them a freer hand for their operations in the region of the Dobrodo plateau and southward toward the Monfalcone sector. A large number of prisoners were taken in the fighting.

Vienna in admitting the loss of Gorizia, says the evacuation followed the repulse of Italian attacks on the Dobrodo plateau and that the straightening of the Austrian lines made necessary by the operation was carried out without molestation from the Italians. Vienna also reports that 4,100 Italians have been made prisoner in the recent fighting in this region.

In Galicia, the Russians have driven their forces farther westward in their endeavor to capture the central portion of the railroad running from Kolomea to Lemberg. Passing across the Monaszycki-Niznif railway they have forded the Zlota Lipa river, southeast of Hulch, and south of Stanislaw have captured the town of Kryplin, on the Stanislaw-Nadworna railway. Berlin says that along the front of Archduke Charles Francis in Galicia, southwest of Welesniev and south of the Dniester, new positions have been occupied by the Teutonic Allies in accordance with previously arranged plans. Russian attacks along the Struma and Stokhod rivers were repulsed with sanguinary losses to the Russians.

Another big battle has started near Brody, in Northern Galicia, against the French. Owing to the inclement weather in France, military activity has been confined principally to bombardments, which were somewhat heavy north of the Somme and in the Thiaumont sector, near Verdun. An attempted German advance against the British line south of Martinpuich was put down by the fire of trench mortars and machine guns, according to London.

Fierce fighting is still going on between the Turks and Russians on the Mush-Bitlis front in Turkish Armenia.

Bad Weather on Somme Front.

Paris, Aug. 10.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads:

"Except for a somewhat spirited cannonade north of the Somme and in the region of the Thiaumont Work, the day was calm along the whole front."

"Bad weather continues to interfere with the operations."

Belgian communications:

"There was some activity on the part of the German artillery at various points on the Belgian front. Our batteries carried out successful shelling of the sector of Steenstrate and further to the south."

No Change on British Front.

London, August 10.—The official says:

"The position is unchanged along the whole British front. Some parties of the enemy advancing against our line southward of Martinpuich were effectively dealt with by our trench mortars and machine guns, and no hostile attack developed."

"Our aeroplanes continued bombing operations against enemy billets and other points of military importance."

"In the course of many aerial combats yesterday several enemy machines were driven down in hostile territory. Three of our machines have not returned."

Allies Striking Hard.

Berlin, Aug. 10, via London.—Attacks by both the British and the French on the German lines in the Somme region yesterday and last

### TWO QUEBEC CHILDREN DIE IN FLAMES

Quebec, August 10.—Trapped in a rear room while sleeping, two children perished shortly after eight o'clock this morning in a tenement house fire on Hermitage street, this city. The dead are Roland Verret, four years, and Cecile Lemelin, six. The parents of the children had gone out to work.

### LANSLOWNE TO RESIGN?

London, Aug. 11.—The Daily Chronicle says this morning:

"There is reason to believe that the Marquis of Lansdowne is about to resign. His resignation has no political significance, being due solely to failing health."

The Marquis of Lansdowne is a member of the cabinet without portfolio.

### BAD WEATHER HALTS THE ALLIED DRIVE ON SOMME

#### Activity on British and French Fronts Yesterday Confined to Artillery Duelling and Attempted Attack on British Near Martinpuich which was Promptly Checked.

Although bad weather is hampering the British and French manoeuvres in the west, both the Italians and the Russians are keeping up their strong offensives against the Teutonic Allies, respectively in Austria and Galicia, and at last reports both had made additional important gains.

On the Isonzo front the Italians have continued to throw their forces across the river and have fought their way to the east of the captured city of Gorizia. In addition, southwest of Gorizia they have taken strong Austrian entrenchments near Monte San Michele and Monte San Martino, and also occupied the town of Boshini, giving them a freer hand for their operations in the region of the Dobrodo plateau and southward toward the Monfalcone sector. A large number of prisoners were taken in the fighting.

Vienna in admitting the loss of Gorizia, says the evacuation followed the repulse of Italian attacks on the Dobrodo plateau and that the straightening of the Austrian lines made necessary by the operation was carried out without molestation from the Italians. Vienna also reports that 4,100 Italians have been made prisoner in the recent fighting in this region.

In Galicia, the Russians have driven their forces farther westward in their endeavor to capture the central portion of the railroad running from Kolomea to Lemberg. Passing across the Monaszycki-Niznif railway they have forded the Zlota Lipa river, southeast of Hulch, and south of Stanislaw have captured the town of Kryplin, on the Stanislaw-Nadworna railway. Berlin says that along the front of Archduke Charles Francis in Galicia, southwest of Welesniev and south of the Dniester, new positions have been occupied by the Teutonic Allies in accordance with previously arranged plans. Russian attacks along the Struma and Stokhod rivers were repulsed with sanguinary losses to the Russians.

Another big battle has started near Brody, in Northern Galicia, against the French. Owing to the inclement weather in France, military activity has been confined principally to bombardments, which were somewhat heavy north of the Somme and in the Thiaumont sector, near Verdun. An attempted German advance against the British line south of Martinpuich was put down by the fire of trench mortars and machine guns, according to London.

Fierce fighting is still going on between the Turks and Russians on the Mush-Bitlis front in Turkish Armenia.

Bad Weather on Somme Front.

Paris, Aug. 10.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads:

"Except for a somewhat spirited cannonade north of the Somme and in the region of the Thiaumont Work, the day was calm along the whole front."

"Bad weather continues to interfere with the operations."

Belgian communications:

"There was some activity on the part of the German artillery at various points on the Belgian front. Our batteries carried out successful shelling of the sector of Steenstrate and further to the south."

No Change on British Front.

London, August 10.—The official says:

"The position is unchanged along the whole British front. Some parties of the enemy advancing against our line southward of Martinpuich were effectively dealt with by our trench mortars and machine guns, and no hostile attack developed."

"Our aeroplanes continued bombing operations against enemy billets and other points of military importance."

"In the course of many aerial combats yesterday several enemy machines were driven down in hostile territory. Three of our machines have not returned."

Allies Striking Hard.

Berlin, Aug. 10, via London.—Attacks by both the British and the French on the German lines in the Somme region yesterday and last

### OPINION DIVIDED OVER SALE OF DANISH WEST INDIES TO U.S.

#### Lower House of Danish Parliament Likely to Agree but Bill May be Killed in Upper Chamber.

Copenhagen, via London, Aug. 10.—The first reading of the bill providing for the sale of the Danish West Indies to the United States was taken up in the Folketing, the lower house of the Rigsdag, today and will be continued tomorrow. It is believed that the Folketing will adopt the measure, owing to the fact that the Radical and Socialistic parties, which have a majority, favor the sale.

On the other hand, the Lansting, or upper house, it is thought, is opposed to the measure, the left party having joined the Conservatives, who desire to postpone consideration of the matter.

During the discussion today there was much excitement in the house and some women among the spectators shouted "We will not sell."

Came from New York on Motor Cycle.

L. R. Richardson, the well known moving picture man who is to address the movie men in the city on Saturday, arrived in the city yesterday. He is accompanied by his daughter, Nellie, and the trip from New York was made on a motor cycle.



# GREAT BRITAIN FINANCIALLY AS SOLID AS EVER

### IN POSITION OF MAN WHOSE INCOME IS £5,000 AND DEBTS THE SAME, CHANCELLOR OF EXCHEQUER McKENNA SAYS -- CAN BORROW ABROAD ON LOWER TERMS THAN ANY OF THE BELLIGERENTS.

### Nations Total Indebtedness at End of the Present Fiscal Year will be Three and a Half Billions Sterling.

London, Aug. 10.—Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer, was subjected to criticism in the House of Commons today on the ground of over-reliance upon treasury bills, the critics arguing that the large amount of such bills outstanding constituted a danger, and that the government ought to have issued another war loan.

In the course of his reply, the chancellor claimed that Great Britain was able to borrow abroad at much lower terms than any other belligerent power. He estimated the nation's total indebtedness at the end of the present financial year to be £3,440,000,000.

From that amount, said the chancellor, the nation was entitled to deduct £800,000,000 lent to allies and dominions of the Empire, the sum left being a burden it could well sustain, as it was practically balanced by the present national income. In fact, he declared Great Britain was in the position of a man whose income was £5,000 and whose debts amounted to £5,000 which was not an alarming position.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

**Royal.**  
P A Guthrie, Fredericton; R J Strong, Auckland, New Zealand; E S Carter, Rotherham; V F Bradshaw, Toronto; T A Lacey, do; George J Clarke, St Stephen; A R Gould, Presque Isle; Martin Raskers, New York; J H Dickson, Fredericton; A J Gregory, do; J M Gordon, Toronto; T Cooke, R M S P Tyne; R Wallace, G Pratt, P G Mahoney, Melrose, N B; R F Eager, Halifax; A J Dickie, Toronto; R A Wood, Halifax; J P McPeake, Fredericton; E A Ledallais, Campbellton; B Wolfman, New York; Mary Hunt, Manley B Townsend, Mrs Mauley, B Townsend, Alice B Townsend, Nashua, N H; Miss G B Thorne, Boston, Mass; S McClure, do; E Brennan, Montreal; E L Philips, Halifax; Mr and Mrs Jas H Crockett, Fredericton, NB; Master Jim Tripes, do; E J Scully and wife, Montreal; A F Rodgers, Toronto; H J Wilson, Montreal; E Bustard, Philadelphia; Mrs Gilbert Elliott, New York; Mayer Israel, New Orleans, La; Fred T Tingler, Sackville; J M Dunn, New York; C F Williams, Bridgeport, Conn; T McClure, Jr, Miss A E McClure, Boston, Mass; Mrs H Emmons, Miss Thekla Emmons, Philadelphia; Miss McKoon, Miss A R McKoon, Boston; Mr Roberts and wife, Boston; J A Wupper, New Orleans, La; T R Williams, Boston; Ben Hepworth, Philadelphia; Harold Banker, Mrs J W Crawford, N Y; E Christie, Philadelphia; Mr and Mrs H S Briggs, Mrs F O Glover, Master and Mrs Griggs, Jacksonville, Fla; David A Hannigan, Portland, Me; R B Gobb, Peterboro, Ont; Dr W M Taylor, Boston; Mrs W E Holt, Jr, Lexington, N C; Mrs Geo D Jones, Charlotte, N C; Mr and Mrs Geo A Cameron, Chicago; Dr Farrar, Aldershot; Mr and Mrs Willard S Morse, Miss Giles, Montreal; Mr and Mrs J A Howe, Waterbury, Conn; H M Ferguson, Toronto; Mrs L A Pike and daughter, Melrose, Mass; C P Morrill, N Y; J E Barry, Moncton, N B; A C Baker, New York; Miss M A Meyers, Miss J W Brown, New York City; Wm H Anderson, Washington, D C; A Gobel, New York; G Brown, Lowell, Mass; A Archambault, do; R A Taylor, Summerside; P Pasano, Halifax; Mrs A E St Clair, Framingham, Mass; Louis F Ranlett, Auburndale, Mass; Mr and Mrs Geo E McMahon, Fall River, Mass; Mr G G Glegg, Fredericton; J H Stratton, Halifax; J E Barton, Boston, Mass.

**Prince William Hotel.**  
Miss D Williams, Moncton, N B; Mr and Mrs W H Clegg, Miss Clegg, Brooklyn, N Y; Miss Alden Strons, Miss Lorna Strons, Hudson, Mass; Miss S A Laska, Boston, Mass; Misses Doherty, Fredericton, N B; Mrs Chas N Harding, New York; Miss A McGregor, Halifax, N S; Mr and Mrs B F Killem, Edmonton, Alta; Miss Blanche Russell, Boston, Mass; Major and Mrs L F D Tilley, Rotherham; Miss Evelyn Munro, Winnipeg, Man.

**Victoria.**  
Geo Rideout, Moncton; Hon J A Murray, Sussex; Hen D V Landry, Buctouche; O B Price, Moncton; William O'Neill, Welsford; Sergt Evenave, Valcartier; W L Broad, Moncton; Mrs E R Harrett, Boston; W D Gillies, Springfield; C Mason, McAdam Jet; J Swamy, do; W J Nagle, Sand Point; H O Peters, do; J M Brody and wife, Montreal; R B Hanson, Fredericton; H W Barry, Sussex; G H Cove, Boston; W J Cooney, Megalloway; G H Saunders, Halifax; W T Pears, Providence, R I; E N McIntosh, Sag Harbor, N Y; N W Smith, Harvey Sta; H Burnham, do; W E Ball and wife, New York; R F Trumper, Boston; N B Howard, Boston; Mrs Frank Ripley, Seal Cove; Miss H L Clarke, Joggins' Mines; Miss E K Walker, do; F Chapman, McAdam; Arthur Zeduk and wife, New York; A M Dann, Hampton; H S Corcoran, Montreal; R E Browne, do.

**Dufferin.**  
Annie Watson, Charlottetown; J H Dow, Portland, Me; Arthur Preece, Sussex; B T Martin, Plaster Rock; Ross Thompson, Fredericton; F H

Richardson, Miss Nellie Richardson, New York City; A H Broit and wife, Malden; O V Tanner and wife and family, Bedford, Mass; James A Farley, Lubec, Me; P E Rogers, Boston, Mass; Dr and Mrs Stevens, Hampton; Geo H Dixon, Bridgetown; H R Harp, Philadelphia; E H Charles, Camden, N J; Dr and Mrs A N Biglow, Boston; Dr John H Borral and wife, Washington, D C; Dr Read, O C Jones, Digby; J H Chasem, Boston, Mass; Mr and Mrs M Robison, John Robison, Miss Margaret Chambers, Tibson, Tenn; W S McCart, Eastport, Me; J B Reed, London; P F Smith, B L Hanson, Toronto; H O Green, Montreal; G K Parker, Boston; A N St. James, N L McMurray and family, Detroit; S Payson, B K Manning, Halifax.

**Clifton House.**  
J T Willis, Halifax; H A Wark, Castlerock, Ireland; Mr and Mrs J W McLean, Halifax; W G Watson, Sackville; Miss Hineley, Montreal; T R Kent, St George; P R Glimmon, Catekill, N Y; E T Anthony, Cossackie, N Y; Mr W Farrar, Paul Farrar, Boston; M M Powell, P M Powell, New York; Miss M W Taylor, Miss C W Appleby, B Mato, Pa; M A Boyer, M D Philadelphia, Pa; Mrs Morran, New York City; Miss Durant, Boston, Mass; Leland C Walker and wife, Miss Ethel Currie, Portland; Arthur E Edmonds and wife, Boston; T S McNewell; Chas's Harbor, N S; Edward B Bryant and wife, Boston, Mass; F B Bishop, Truro, N S.

**Fish is Scarce.**  
Sal haddock could be had in the market yesterday at about 8c, but there was no fresh cod, and it was unobtainable. The recent supply of small salmon (siddlers) stopped, but there is still a limited quantity of harbor salmon bringing from 25c to 30c per pound. There has been no run of mackerel this season, but this fish can be had in its frozen state at from 25c to 30c, each. Smelt can be had in moderate quantity at prices usual at this time of the year.

### Children Cry for Fletcher's

# CASTORIA

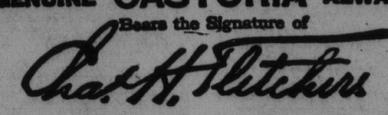
The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Beware against cheap imitations.

### What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrup. It is pleasant, it contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its use is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, stimulates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

### GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of



### The Kind You Have Always Bought

In Use For Over 30 Years

THE CENTRAL COMPANY, NEW YORK, N. Y.

### AUSTRIANS ARMED WITH WEAPONS OF BARBARIAN TYPE

Bludgeons 60 Centimeters Long and Fitted With Large Spikes.

NAMES OF OWNERS CARVED ON THEM

Italian Attack on Gorizia had Enemy Confused and Threw Them Completely Off Guard

Paris, Aug. 10.—A semi-official statement issued here says that the attack on Gorizia opened on Sunday, Aug. 6, at six a.m. with a violent artillery action along a front of forty kilometers, extending from the middle Isonto to the Adriatic, and that the cannonade lasted until three p.m., when the infantry attack was launched.

This attack was limited to a front of fifteen kilometers between Monte Sabotino and Monte San Michele, the Austrians not knowing at what point the main attack was to be delivered. The infantry took the four summits of Monte San Michele and swept down the other side of the mountain to Gorizia, making 1,200 men prisoner in two hours. The next day they took a batch of 250 prisoners, of whom no less than twenty-seven were officers, from which it was inferred that they had been abandoned by their troops. By evening the river was reached at several points, the actual advance being 2 1/2 kilometers.

"Among enemy weapons found on the battlefield," adds the statement, "there were many bludgeons, sixty centimetres long, rimged with iron bands from which jutted enormous spikes and at the extremity a still larger but thinner spike, in some cases twisted in the struggle. When the bludgeons were shown to Austrians they asserted they were simply alpenstocks."

This reply, says the statement, is "proof in Italian hands that they were used by the combatants, and dozens of them bear the names of their owners."

**NO DECISION REACHED.**

Special to The Standard.  
Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 10.—Chief of Police Rideout of Moncton had a conference with the police commission today but no decision was reached as to his accepting position of chief of police here.

### REAL CHARACTER OF THE MAN BROUGHT TO LIGHT IN TRENCHES

Maj. C. Geggie, Formerly M. O. of 10th Battalion, Gives Intimate Picture of Conditions on Firing Line.

"The boys then got into the game." With simple words like these Major Conrad Geggie, now of the 238th, formerly medical officer of the 10th Canadian Battalion, told of the heroic deeds that made that battalion famous at the battles of Ypres and Postubert.

Major Geggie spoke before a meeting of the Young Women's Patriotic Association held in the Loyal Order of Moose rooms last evening. On the platform were Miss Fairweather, vice-president of the society; Miss Royce Carter, 1st vice-pres.; Miss Jessie Church, secretary; Miss Ermine Gilmo, treasurer; Major Geggie and Colonel Guthrie.

After the singing of "O, Canada," the minutes of the last meeting were read. Miss Fairweather then called upon Colonel Guthrie, who made a brief speech, introducing Major Geggie. Colonel Guthrie told, in glowing terms, of the wonderful work this medical officer had done, of how many hours he had labored without rest and of how, ill and weak himself, he had helped Colonel Guthrie to a place of safety when the Hesperian was torpedoed and stayed behind to look after the women and children.

Major Geggie said he had not prepared any set speech but would just tell a few personal incidents which he had seen. One of the most wonderful things was the entire change in men in the trenches. Men who at home perhaps were even criminals—"fall birds" as we would call them, over there became not the kind of men they had been at home but the kind of men they were really meant to be. One man was known in the battalion as "The Murderer," and yet he was the very first to volunteer to go to rescue a wounded man though he had to go through a hail of bullets to do it. Speaking of the various classes of men who went in the 1st contingent Major Geggie said: "I was sitting in my dug-out one night when I heard a discussion going on outside. It got quite hot, the discussion. It was about the pyramids of Egypt and the two men brought forward such arguments and quoted such learned authorities that I grew curious. I stepped outside and said to the soldier—privates both of them: 'Where did you two chaps come from, anyway?' One was a Harvard professor, the other a bar-tender from Calgary."

**Sense of Humor Saves Many a Situation.**

The help that a sense of humor is to the men was most strikingly illustrated by several stories told by Major Geggie. The humor seems rather gruesome but "if we didn't laugh we'd go crazy," Major Geggie said.

He told one pathetic incident of a company of Canadians who were opposite a Saxon battalion. One of the Saxons was called Ludwig and it seemed that he was an entertainer and in some way this fact became known. For several days the Canadians called out for Ludwig and presently a voice answered that Ludwig would come out if they wouldn't shoot him. The promise was made and after that every day a voice would say "Here comes Ludwig," and a fat funny little man would appear over the trench, go through his little programme and go back safely. Unfortunately the Canadians were moved in the night and no one had time to tell the incoming battalion about their daily rambler performer, so when poor Ludwig popped up out of the trench he was promptly shot by the British. The Saxons called out: "Oh, a dirty trick, Canadians, to shoot poor Ludwig." However, much later in the war the same remnants of Saxons and Canadians were opposite each other and the Saxons put out a placard apologizing for the unjust accusation.

**Tribute to Late Major Duval.**

A beautiful tribute was paid by Major Geggie to the work of Major Duval. Every man in his battalion recognized him as a true soldier and he would ask no one to go where he would not go himself. He volunteered to go out for wounded to take them to the dressing station and it was a great loss to the Canadians when Dr. Duval was wounded.

Various interesting stories of Postubert and the sinking of the Hesperian closed a fine talk given in a most graphic and modest way.

Out of 23 men of Major Geggie's name 23 have enlisted, five perished in Flanders and Major Geggie goes back, not because he wants to go but for the reason that the other men return. The work of driving back the enemy is not yet finished and there are the losses of our Canadians to avenge.

A vote of thanks, moved by Miss Mooney and seconded by Miss McQuade, was tendered Major Geggie by a standing vote.

The society then voted \$25 to Mrs. P. R. Warren's appeal for St. Dunstan's Home for Blind Soldiers, and \$25 to the British Sailors' Relief Fund. The meeting closed with the National Anthem.

### INQUIRE ABOUT SHEEP RAISING POSSIBILITIES OF NEW BRUNSWICK

Superintendent of Immigration Receives Several Letters from Interested Ontario People.

The superintendent of immigration has received a number of letters lately from Ontario in regard to the facilities for sheep raising in the Province of New Brunswick. Yesterday he received one from Robert Sibbo, Midland, Ontario, asking if sheep raising was carried on to any extent in New Brunswick, what success had been met with, the amount of capital required and what the winter climate was like, as he would like to come to New Brunswick if conditions were at all favorable.

The superintendent furnished the required information and the probabilities are that in the near future this province will be a factor in the sheep raising of the Dominion.

### MARRIAGES.

An interesting wedding took place on Wednesday night at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. E. Parker Nichols, 460 City Lane, West St. John, when their daughter, Grace Lillian, was united in marriage to J. Dexter Poshay. The drawing room was tastefully decorated with cut flowers and ferns. A large number of relatives and invited guests were present at the ceremony, which was conducted by Rev. Craig W. Nichols, rector of Westfield, and uncle of the bride.

The bride, who was costumed in a white silk dress, and wore a white bridal veil and carried a bouquet of flowers, was ushered into the room on the arm of her father, who gave her away. Her sister, Edith, was bridesmaid, and little Miss Marion Nichols was flower girl. The bridegroom was a playmate of Mr. Poshay in T. McAvity & supported by Albert F. Nichols. After Sons' foundry, presented to him a case of silverware. After the wedding the bridal party drove to their future residence, 75 Queen street, city. Among the out of town guests were Mrs. L. J. Judkins and daughter, Ione, from Belfast, Me.; Mrs. Chas Johnston, Musquash, and Miss L. J. Maxwell, Fredericton.

## You Need Some of Those WINDOW SHADES

With Insertion  
**Special 68c. Each**

Take a Good Story to the country with you  
**58c. Each**

Get that Box Note Paper Now. **Special 28c. Box**

Now Is The Time For Bargains  
AT  
**D. McARTHUR'S**  
84 King St.



## A Tip for the Soldier Lads

Take the advice of seasoned chaps. They will tell you that the secret of keeping fit and hearty is—an occasional piece of

# WRIGLEY'S

THE PERFECT GUM

It's the best little refreshment a soldier can carry. The sealed package keeps it always full-flavored, fresh and clean.

The delicious mint flavors sweeten the breath, prevent acid mouth and make smoking doubly enjoyable.

It cleanses the teeth, aids appetite and digestion.

### Two flavors



Write Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co., Ltd., Wrigley Bldg., Toronto, for free copy of quaint "MOTHER GOOSE" book illustrated in colors.

**Chew it after every meal**





\$3.48 \$3.48 A Bargain For Men! This week we are offering the balance of our stock of MEN'S TAN AND BLACK RUBBER SOLED LOW SHOES AT \$3.48 A PAIR Regularly priced all season, \$4.50 and \$5.00 Rubber Soled Shoes make an ideal outing and sport shoe, and as the summer is just beginning, we anticipate immediate clearance.

Waterbury & Rising, Ltd. King St. Main St. Union St. \$3.48 \$3.48

Canada Brushes Win Most Modern Equipment, Skilled Workmanship and Best Selected Materials enable us to produce Superior Grade Brushes, which, we feel, will meet your entire satisfaction. Our Solid Backed Household and Dandy Brushes are daily winning preference, and we would especially draw attention to our STRAIGHT COMPRESSED VARNISH BRUSH so made that it absolutely will not flare. CANADA BRUSH CO. - ST. JOHN

Carriage and Wagon Accessories Driving Lamps 50 Sets of Carriage Lamps Oil or Candle Burning, at Reduced Prices to Clear M. E. AGAR - 51-53 Union Street Phone Main 818 St. John, N. B.

WASTE PAPER BALERS Page Wire Fence Co., St. John, N. B.

GRAVEL ROOFING Also Manufacturers of SHEET METAL WORK of every description. Copper and Galvanized Iron Work for buildings a specialty Phone M. 356. J. E. WILSON, Ltd., 17-19 Sydney St.

A. R. C. CLARK & SON, General Contractors Water and Sewerage Installations Wharf Building Concrete Construction Street Paving 51 Water St. St. John Phone M. 1320

The Union Foundry and Machine Works, Ltd. Engineers and Machinists IRON AND BRASS CASTINGS West St. John Phone West 15 G. H. WARING, Manager.

WM. LEWIS & SON Machine, Boiler and Forge Work Br. ain Street. Phone Main 736

Died at Hillsboro. Hillsboro, Aug. 9.—After a lingering illness from tuberculosis the death of Annie Bernice Tower occurred on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock at the home of her aunt, Mrs. George Osborne. She was in the 18th year of her age and is survived by one sister, Jessie Tower, of this place. Funeral services were conducted on Tuesday at 2 o'clock in St. Mary's church by Rev. D. H. Loweth. There were a number of floral tributes. The death of Dorothy, aged 2 years, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Irving Mawkes, occurred on Monday night at twelve o'clock after a brief illness. Funeral was conducted on Wednesday by Rev. Harry Pierce. Interment in Gray's Island Cemetery.

FIVE MEN SIGNED ROLL YESTERDAY

Three for No. 9 Siege Battery and Two for the Colored Battalion—Other Military News.

HONOR ROLL. H. Gay, St. Stephen, N. B. H. Grimmer, St. Stephen, N. B. P. Drayson, British Guiana, S. A. No. 9 Siege Battery F. Tyler, St. John, N. B. G. Albert, St. John, N. B. No. 3 Construction Corps.

Five men were found fit and willing to serve their country in her hour of trial, and signified their willingness by attesting their names to the honor roll at the recruiting offices yesterday.

P. Drayson, a native of British Guiana, which has contributed a goodly number of men to the cause for which the Empire is fighting, enlisted in the 9th Siege Battery. Lieut. R. McLean enlisted two more men in the colored battalion. The men have not yet been supplied with military clothing, but will be in a few days.

"Sir Sam's Own." Captain Joseph P. Peake, who is to become paymaster in the 25th Battalion, arrived in Fredericton last night. Capt. Peake has been invalided home on account of wounds received while at the front. He was met at the depot at Fredericton by Mayor Mitchell and the brass band, and escorted to the square, where a welcome address was read by the Mayor. Speaking of the work done by the New Brunswick boys who enlisted in the 12th and other units, the captain said that the boys had made a name which will live for posterity to come.

Special Company. All casualties, that is, men who have been medically unfit and unable to accompany the New Brunswick units overseas, will be transferred to the special company to be attached to the 25th Battalion and stationed in Fredericton. Some of these men will arrive next week and Capt. T. R. McNally, it is said, will be in command of the company. As the members of this company become medically fit they will be transferred to the 12th and other units.

Three recruits enlisted at Fredericton yesterday for the 25th. One of the recruits was D. Roy Murdoch, of this city. The other two were: Wellesly Everett, St. Mary's, and James Smith, of Boston. Private Milton C. Noble, 82 Stanley street, and Sergt. Major L. E. Brooke, Douglas Avenue, arrived in the city yesterday, after spending nearly two years at the front. Mr. H. S. Mayes, chairman of the Returned Soldiers' Committee, met them at the depot. Sergt. Major L. E. Brooke, a member of the valiant 24th Battalion, invalided home as the result of wounds received on the firing line, was wounded in the fighting of November 17th, 1914, when he was struck by shrapnel, which inflicted a serious injury to an arm and hand. Sergt. Major Brooke was sent to England for treatment, and after being confined in the Canadian Military Hospital, Shorncliffe, and several other institutions, was finally discharged from the Essex Hospital in June, and by orders of the Medical Examining Board, given leave to return to Canada. Previous to enlisting in the 26th, the returned soldier was a member of the staff of the General Accident Insurance Company and came here from New York to join the battalion. On his arrival yesterday morning he was met by friends at the depot and driven by motor car to Millidgeville, where he is the guest of Mrs. J. Fraser Gregory at her summer residence. Private Noble enlisted in the First Canadian Field Ambulance, under Major Duval, and spent thirteen months at the front. He took part in most of the big battles in Belgium. He received some injuries and on March the 11th, was sent to a hospital in England where he remained until he left for Canada on the steamship which brought him to Halifax. Pte. Noble has six weeks' leave of absence and then he will return to England. He hopes to return to the front again as soon as possible. Before he enlisted, Pte. Noble was in the employ of the C. P. R. in the passenger department.

Military Notes. Q. M. Sergt. Earle McDonald, who has been visiting his home at Newcastle, recruited five men for the 132nd Battalion while in that town. Lance Corporal Phillip Charles Leger of Moncton has been officially reported wounded and in a hospital at Calais. Corp. Leger was an I. C. R. fireman prior to enlistment and went overseas with the first contingent.

Captain H. R. Emerson, of Dorchester, who has recently been attached to the 219th Battalion, left for Aldershot camp to join his battalion. Wounded in Left Arm. Charles Leger of Moncton has been officially reported wounded and in a hospital at Calais. Corp. Leger was an I. C. R. fireman prior to enlistment and went overseas with the first contingent.

Letters received on Wednesday from Private Gerald Carter, who is at the front with the 1st Field Ambulance Corps, contain the information that his brother, Private Fred Carter, was

FIELD DAY ON BARRACK GREEN LABOR DAY

Patriotic Societies and Labor Unions Join Hands in Arranging Programme in Aid of Patriotic Fund and War Veterans.

A meeting of representatives of the various patriotic societies and the Trades and Labor Council, met in the Mayor's office yesterday afternoon to consider the question of holding a grand patriotic field day on Labor Day, September 4. The Trades and Labor Council had thought that no better observance of Labor Day could be held this year than an affair of this nature to raise money for the Patriotic Fund and suggested to the Mayor that he invite representatives of the patriotic societies to meet and talk the matter over.

At yesterday's meeting it was decided to hold a grand field day under the auspices of the Trades and Labor Council, assisted by the other societies. The total receipts will be divided between the Patriotic Fund and the European War Veterans' Association, 75 per cent. to the Patriotic Fund and 25 per cent. to the Veterans. The entertainment will be held on the Barrack Green and all the attractions which go to make a fair will be there; one feature will be the midway, and it is intended to have something worth while there.

Those present were His Worship Mayor Hayes, C. B. Allan, representing the Patriotic Fund; J. E. Tighe and C. H. Stevens, the Trades and Labor Council; J. G. Dryden, J. J. Donohoe and W. J. Coughlan, European War Veterans; A. H. Wetmore, Canadian Club; Mrs. John McAvity, Mrs. J. Dever, Miss May Travers, Mrs. F. J. Higgins, Mrs. W. W. White, Miss E. Skinner and Mrs. J. Boyle Travers, representing the various ladies' patriotic societies.

The following executive was appointed with power to add: J. H. Frink, chairman; C. H. Stevens, secretary; Mrs. J. Boyle Travers, treasurer; J. L. Surges and the presidents of the men's and women's Canadian Clubs, Soldiers' Wives' League, St. Monica's Society, the regents of the chapters of the I.O.O.F.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Russell, accompanied by Mr. Russell's mother and sister, have arrived in the city, having motored from Bangor, Me.

Miss Gladys Dowling left yesterday for Quebec to see her brother, Lieut. Guy V. Dowling, of the 140th Battalion, at Valcartier.

Miss Barbara White and her cousin, Miss Gladys Dowling, returned after spending a month with her aunt, Mrs. J. R. Pealy, at Kentville, and at Hall's Harbor, N. S.

wounded in the left arm, his elbow being shattered.

Mr. David Conley, 86 St. Patrick street, received official word from Ottawa yesterday that his son, Pte. Walter Conley, was a prisoner of war at Stenmin.

D. F. Graham, of Campbellton received word that his son, Pte. H. B. Graham has been wounded in the left foot and has been admitted to the Baldwin Hall Hospital, Hendon.

Mr. David Doucet, of Newcastle, received official word on Wednesday that his son, Pte. Alban Doucet, had been admitted to Ambulance No. 10, No. 4, on July 19, suffering from laceration, contusion to face and hands.

William Waddington enlisted at Fredericton yesterday for the 62nd Regiment.

CHOLERA INFANTUM

Cured By Using DR. FOWLER'S Extract of Wild Strawberry.

Cholera Infantum is one of the most common, and at the same time one of the most dangerous summer complaints of infants, and many children have died who could have been saved had the proper remedy been used on the first sign of this trouble. Cholera Infantum begins with a profuse diarrhoea; the stomach becomes irritated, vomiting and purging set in, and the child rapidly loses flesh, and becomes weak, prostrated and languid.

Mrs. B. A. Cirwell, Roseway, N. S., writes: "I can recommend, most highly, Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry. A friend of mine whose little daughter was ill with cholera Infantum was given up by the doctors. The little one's mother asked me to come in and see the child. I told her I had a bottle of Dr. Fowler's, and asked her if she would try it. When the bottle was half used the child was well. This cure was a miraculous one for I thought the child was dying at the time. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry has been on the market for the past seventy years. Any one who has ever used it will not accept a substitute. See that you don't. When you ask for 'Dr. Fowler's' be sure that you get it. The genuine is manufactured only by The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. Price 25c.

CHATHAM EN. CELEBRATION OF BISHOP BARRY

Golden Jubilee of Ordination to Priesthood Marked by Religious Ceremonies and Presentations from Clergy and Laity.

Special to The Standard. Chatham, N. B., August 10.—The celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the ordination of Right Rev. Thos. F. Barry to the priesthood took place here today with great religious festivities. The celebration began at 9 a.m. with Pontifical high mass celebrated by Rt. Rev. L. O'Leary, D. D., auxiliary bishop of Chatham, assisted by Rev. F. McLaughlin, deacon, and Rev. Elol Martin, subdeacon. Father Harie was master of ceremonies. Bishop Barry on the throne in magna cappa was assisted by Rt. Rev. L. N. Dugal, V. G. D. P., and Rt. Rev. Wm. Varrilly, D. P. Master of ceremonies at the throne, Rev. Father Sormany. The Bishop of Charlottetown preached a very eloquent sermon eulogistic of the life and work of the venerable bishop. At the close of the mass congratulatory addresses in French and English were read by Rev. Wm. Varrilly and Rev. S. J. Doucet, and a purse of \$1,000 in gold was presented to His Lordship on behalf of the priests of the diocese.

The Bishop replied very feelingly, expressing his thanks and asking a assurance of the cordial good will and friendship that has always existed between himself and clergy. At 12.30 o'clock a banquet was tendered his lordship in St. Thomas' College by the priests of the diocese, about sixty of whom were present. The health of the bishop was the only toast, and was spoken to by Rev. Fathers Cormier and Wheaton. Address and Purse from Laity. At 7.30 the parishioners of St. Michael's, Chatham parish, presented an address read by R. A. Lawlor, K. C., and a purse of \$1,000. This was followed by benediction and the singing of solemn Te Deum by the choir. His Lordship replied briefly, expressing his heartfelt thanks and gave his blessing. Many congratulatory messages were received including some from clergymen of other dioceses. His Lordship is enjoying very good health. There were very large congregations at both services.

MARRIAGES.

Mason-Coxford. An interesting event took place on Wednesday night at the parsonage of St. Columba Church, Fairville, when Mary Alice Coxford of Blythe, England, and Frank Hazen Mason of this city were united in matrimony by Rev. Mr. Townsend. The bride was charmingly gowned in Champagne silk with hat to match, and carried a bouquet

Thousands Are Ailing From Constipation

No condition causes so many diseases as constipation. It not only prevents proper kidney action, but causes Anaemia, Stomach Trouble and Indigestion.

Why not use Dr. Hamilton's Pills and get cured? This excellent medicine restores normal bowel action in one night; thousands say so.

Just think of it! Your system will be clean and clear. You'll be free from headaches, sour stomach, biliousness—in short, you'll have jovial spirits and perfect good health. Get a 25c. box of Dr. Hamilton's Pills today. At all dealers.

LOWE MY HEALTH

To Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Washington Park, Ill.—"I am the mother of four children and have suffered with female trouble, backache, nervous spells and the blues. My children's loud talking and romping would make me so nervous I could just tear everything to pieces and I would ache all over and feel so sick that I would not want anyone to talk to me at times. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Liver Pills restored me to health and I want to thank you for the good they have done me. I have had quite a bit of trouble and worry but it does not affect my youthful looks. My friends say 'Why do you look so young and well?' I owe it all to the Lydia E. Pinkham remedies."

—Mrs. ROBT. STOFFEL, Moore Avenue, Washington Park, Illinois.

We wish every woman who suffers from female troubles, nervousness, backache or the blues could see the letters written by women made well by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

If you have any symptom about which you would like to know write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for helpful advice given free of charge.

Free Demonstration in Your Own Home

HIRAM WEBB & SON Electrical Contractors 91 Germain St.

C.P.R. EXPECTS BUSY SEASON THIS WINTER

Will Require More Accommodation than Last Year, Capt. Walsh Tells Commissioner Russell.

Capt. Walsh, superintendent of the C. P. R. at Sand Point, passed through the city on Wednesday and speaking to Commissioner Russell said the C. P. R. would be in a position to ask for the necessary berths at Sand Point for the coming winter in a few days. They would require considerable more accommodation than last year as they expected a much larger volume of business.

The shelter for longshoremen at the Pettigall wharf has been completed by Commissioner Russell and the key handed over to the Longshoremen's Union. It has been nicely fitted up, has a stove on which they can heat their tea and has electric light. This shelter will no doubt be appreciated by the men this coming winter.

Removal Notice

We have removed our Branch Office from 245 Union St. Cor of Brunsells, to the Collins building, 35 Charlotte Street.

Boston Dental Parlors

Head Office Branch Office 527 Main Street 35 Charlotte St. Phone 683 Phone 38

DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor, Open 9 a. m. Until 9 p. m.

COAL AND WOOD.

WE ARE SELLING

Best Quality Hardwood Sawn or sawed and split at very low prices. Also Second Growth Hardwood at special prices, for furnaces.

Old Mine Sydney Coal

for stoves and grates. Best American Hard Coal All sizes. FILL THE BIN NOW

J. S. GIBBON & CO. Ltd.

No. 1 Union St. 6 1-2 Charlotte St. Tel. Main 2636

DOMINION COAL COMPANY

DOMINION COAL COMPANY Limited BRITISH STEAM GAS COALS GENERAL SALES OFFICE 112, ST. JAMES ST. MONTREAL

R. P. & W. F. STARR, LTD., Agents at St. John.

COAL.

LYKENS VALLEY EGG FOR FURNACES.

An Excellent Substitute For Scotch Anthracite. All sizes of AMERICAN HARD COAL and best grades of SOFT COAL always in stock.

R. P. & W. F. STARR, LTD.

49 Smythe St. - 159 Union St.

SOFT COALS

Now Landing SYDNEY AND MINUDIE—Fresh Mined, Screened—

James S. McGivern, Tel.—42. 5 Mill Street

LEHIGH COAL

Landing ex Sch. Charlotte T. Sibley, NUT AND EGG SIZES. Geo Dick, Phone M 1116, 46Brittain St.

ZEMACURA

Will Cure Any Curable Case of Piles

If not satisfied money will be refunded by The Royal Pharmacy, 47 King Street. Price 50c.

HAY, OATS and FEED

At Lowest Cash Prices

St. John Milling Co. Ltd.

Tel. West 8 Rodney Wharf

Removal Notice

We have removed our Branch Office from 245 Union St. Cor of Brunsells, to the Collins building, 35 Charlotte Street.

Boston Dental Parlors

Head Office Branch Office 527 Main Street 35 Charlotte St. Phone 683 Phone 38

DR. J. D. MAHER, Proprietor, Open 9 a. m. Until 9 p. m.

COAL AND WOOD.

WE ARE SELLING

Best Quality Hardwood Sawn or sawed and split at very low prices. Also Second Growth Hardwood at special prices, for furnaces.

Old Mine Sydney Coal

for stoves and grates. Best American Hard Coal All sizes. FILL THE BIN NOW

J. S. GIBBON & CO. Ltd.

No. 1 Union St. 6 1-2 Charlotte St. Tel. Main 2636

DOMINION COAL COMPANY

DOMINION COAL COMPANY Limited BRITISH STEAM GAS COALS GENERAL SALES OFFICE 112, ST. JAMES ST. MONTREAL

R. P. & W. F. STARR, LTD., Agents at St. John.

COAL.

LYKENS VALLEY EGG FOR FURNACES.

An Excellent Substitute For Scotch Anthracite. All sizes of AMERICAN HARD COAL and best grades of SOFT COAL always in stock.

R. P. & W. F. STARR, LTD.

49 Smythe St. - 159 Union St.

SOFT COALS

Now Landing SYDNEY AND MINUDIE—Fresh Mined, Screened—

James S. McGivern, Tel.—42. 5 Mill Street

LEHIGH COAL

Landing ex Sch. Charlotte T. Sibley, NUT AND EGG SIZES. Geo Dick, Phone M 1116, 46Brittain St.

ZEMACURA

Will Cure Any Curable Case of Piles

If not satisfied money will be refunded by The Royal Pharmacy, 47 King Street. Price 50c.

Frantz Premier ELECTRIC CLEANER Nine A. M. and the Day's Work Done! Just attach to any lamp socket. One hand guides it as it rolls easily over rugs and carpets. Free Demonstration in Your Own Home HIRAM WEBB & SON Electrical Contractors 91 Germain St.

# LATE NEWS AND VIEWS FROM SPORTING WORLD

## BIG HARNESS MEET AT F'CTON NEXT WEEK

Two Days Meet with a String of Fast Ones Entered for the Four Events.

Fredericton, N. B., Aug. 10.—Fredericton will have two days of harness races next week, official announcement having been made today that four of the events offered by Fredericton Park Association had filled satisfactorily.

Originally there were six races on the programme and three days' racing were to have been held, but with only four of the events filling the meeting will last for two instead of the three days.

It will be the first appearance of the harness stars in Fredericton for some time and a generous patronage is expected. Much interest will centre in the free-for-all, for which a purse of \$500 has been hung out, and it promises to be the feature event of the meeting despite the fact that there are but five entries.

Wednesday, Aug. 16th, and Thursday, Aug. 17th, have been named as the racing days, and Secretary Hugh O'Neill is busy notifying the horsemen of the transfers which have been made from the 2:15 trot and pace and the 2:30 pace, the two events which failed to fill, to the remaining events on the programme to which the horses involved are eligible.

That the 2:30 pace did not draw a large enough entry to make it a go will be a distinct surprise to the followers of the sport. It shows a marked scarcity of green pacers and makes it evident that there have been few importations of unmarked pacers good enough to send to the races this year in this district.

Two of the classes, however, will have large fields. The 2:19 class for trotters drew eight entries and there is the same number of entries for the 2:30 class for pacers. The free-for-all has five starters, while there are five entries for the 2:25 trot. There are no entries from the racing stable campaigned by Driver Thomas W. Raymond, who has been racing at other places on the New Brunswick circuit, but the local meeting will have several starters from Maine stables.

The Entry List.

The following is the complete list of entries:

Free-for-All, Trot and Pace, Purse \$500.

La Copia (2:09 1/4), b s. P. A. Bell, veau, Moncton.

Lella Burns (2:13 1/4), gr m. T. V. Monahan, Fredericton.

Dan Payne (2:15 1/4), b s. P. Doherty, Sydney, N. S.

P. K. (2:15 1/4), b s. C. Sargent, New castle.

A Game of Chance (2:13), br s. W. B. List, Fredericton.

2:19 Class, Trot, Purse \$300.

Orwell Bell, blk m. Ellis Pharmacy Company, Montague, P. E. I.

Cochato Lady, b m. F. G. Smith, Halifax, N. S.

John T. b s. Wm. Clark, Fredericton.

Alverton Boy, b s. P. Doherty, Sydney, N. S.

Ready Money, blk s. Charles George, Monticello, Me.

Bingen Light, blk s. E. Coates, St. John.

Norway W., c m. S. Boyle, Fredericton.

Charlie C. W. B. Lint, Fredericton.

2:20 Class, Pace, Purse \$300.

Harry L., b s. F. C. Smith, Halifax, N. S.

Northern Jack, b s. Bruce McBeath, Campbellton, N. B.

Pearl Bourbon, blk m. P. Doherty, Sydney, N. S.

Roy Volo, ch g. W. B. Lint, Fredericton.

Prince Baron, b s. T. V. Monahan, Fredericton.

Tryfast, b s. H. C. Jewett, Fredericton.

Bobby D., b s. J. W. Gallagher, Woodstock.

## BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Detroit 10; Philadelphia 4. Detroit, August 10.—Philadelphia wound up its western trip here today with a 10 to 4 defeat. The score: Philadelphia . . . 110101000—4 11 2 Detroit . . . 002050003—10 13 1 Batteries—Williams and Pinclich; Mitchell, James and McKee.

Cleveland 3; New York 2. Cleveland, August 10.—Cleveland today defeated New York 3 to 2. The score: New York . . . 200000000—2 6 0 Cleveland . . . 000101001—3 8 0 Batteries—Russell and Nunamaker; Lambeth and O'Neill.

St. Louis 4; Washington 0. St. Louis, August 10.—St. Louis shut out Washington today 4 to 0. The score: Washington . . . 000000000—0 4 1 St. Louis . . . 000010000—4 9 1 Batteries—Foster, Leonard and Cady; Russell, Danforth, Williams and Schalk.

Boston 11; Chicago 5. Chicago, August 10.—Boston strengthened its hold on first place today, and sent Chicago down to third place by winning the final game of the series 11 to 5. The score: Boston . . . 100220024—11 15 1 Chicago . . . 000020000—5 8 1 Batteries—Foster, Leonard and Cady; Russell, Danforth, Williams and Schalk.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE. Newark 4; Montreal 3. Newark, N. J., Aug. 10.—Newark beat Montreal today, 4 to 3. The score: Montreal . . . 000300000—3 7 1 Newark . . . 200200000—4 11 1 Batteries: Goodbread and Madden; Enright and Egan.

Providence 7; Rochester 1. Providence, Aug. 10.—Providence won today's game, 7 to 1. The score: Rochester . . . 000000010—1 6 1 Providence . . . 121100200—7 12 1 Batteries: Leverenz and Hale; Peters and Yelle. (Second game postponed, rain.)

Buffalo 5; Richmond 0. Richmond, Aug. 10.—Buffalo shut out Richmond, 5 to 0, today. The score: Buffalo . . . 220010000—5 9 0 Richmond . . . 000000000—0 0 0 Batteries: Tyson and Williams; Leake and Reynolds. Baltimore-Toronto, game scheduled for today was played yesterday.

PHILADELPHIA 1; CINCINNATI 0. Philadelphia, August 10.—Philadelphia shut out Cincinnati in the only National League game played today, 1 to 0. The score: Cincinnati . . . 000000000—0 5 1 Philadelphia . . . 100000000—1 1 Batteries—Toney and Wingo; Mayer and Killifer. Other National League games postponed, rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING. Won. Lost. P.C. Boston . . . 61 44 .581 Cleveland . . . 60 45 .571 Chicago . . . 61 47 .565 Detroit . . . 58 51 .523 St. Louis . . . 57 51 .524 Washington . . . 51 54 .486 Philadelphia . . . 20 81 .198

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING. Won. Lost. P.C. Brooklyn . . . 60 35 .632 Boston . . . 55 38 .591 Philadelphia . . . 57 41 .582 New York . . . 50 46 .521 Chicago . . . 46 55 .455 St. Louis . . . 46 59 .438 Pittsburgh . . . 41 53 .436 Cincinnati . . . 40 68 .370

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING. Won. Lost. P.C. Buffalo . . . 57 44 .564 Providence . . . 55 44 .556 Montreal . . . 51 45 .531 Baltimore . . . 52 48 .520 Toronto . . . 48 49 .495 Richmond . . . 47 56 .456 Newark . . . 41 58 .423 Rochester . . . 39 54 .419

Derby Lusty Only One of Favorites to Make Good in Pittsburg Grand Circuit

K—Two Sure—Sport me laln-K Pittsburg, Aug. 10.—Defeat of two horses that were regarded as certain winners, Peter Mount, in the three-year-old trot by Cochato Jay, and Lindsay, in the 2:17 trot by Sister Strong, featured the second day of the Grand Circuit racing at Brunel's Island this afternoon. Derby Custer in the 2:17 pace was the only favorite to make good.

Summary: Three-Year-Olds, Trotting (Three Heat Plan); Purse \$1,000. Cochato Jay, ro c. by Cochato, (Gosnell) . . . 1 1 1 Jack Mooney, b c. (McDonald) 2 2 2 Peter Mount, c h. (Muckles) 2 3 3 Time—2:13 1/2, 2:13 1/4, 2:13 1/4.

2:17 Class Trotting (Three Heat Plan) Purse \$1,000. Sister Strong, g m. by Strong Boy, (Valentine) . . . 1 2 1 Slippery Bill, b g. W. Carten, Fredericton . . . 2 2 8

2:28 Class, Trot; Purse \$300. Lady Belmar, b m. J. W. Gallagher, Woodstock. Schrab, b h. P. Doherty, Sydney, N. S.

James W. McKinley, blk s. W. Sharon, Fredericton. Don Arleigh, b s. W. McManemon, Houston, Me.

Charlie C. W. B. Lint, Fredericton. The programme showing the days on which the various events will take place has not yet been arranged, but it is expected that the Free-for-All will be carded for Thursday, the half-holiday. Announcement as to the name of the starter and other officials selected for the meeting is expected not later than Saturday. It is understood that Frank J. Downes, of Boston, Mass., will have the privilege, and some lively speculation is anticipated.

## THISTLES WIN FROM ROSES BY 11-5 SCORE

Last Night's Contest in St. Peter's League an Exciting One—Good Crowd Present.

Notwithstanding the fact that Hansen gathered up his best bunch of ball tossers for the game with the Thistles last night he failed to thwart the leaders of the league from their winning streak. There was more excitement and interest in the game last night than there has been for some time. This no doubt was due to the Samsonite line-up of both teams.

The Thistles found Hansen in the first inning and throughout the eight innings pounded him for fast balls. Hansen started the ball rolling in the first inning, registering a two-bagger. The Thistles took a number of chances on the bases which helped them materially to come through with a victory. Callahan was in uniform last night at his old position and handled it admirably. At the bat he makes them all look wick. In the game last night he had the spectators looking him from a sacrifice hit to a smarry-go-round.

Doyle was in the pit for the Thistles, and although the best batters in the league faced him, he only allowed them some hits, which were thinly scattered. Dever was on the receiving end for Doyle, but did not play a steady game. Probably he was too anxious to win. The star of the inner garden, however, was Gibbons. He never let up from the time he put on his ball togs until he took them off, working, coaching and playing all the time. He was brought to his knees by the tumultuous roar of his belligerent captain. He then settled down to play, and play he did, to save ruling his tricky and clever playing, he was unable to stem the tide of defeat from the hands of the slugger Thistles.

Joby Harrington was the bewitched ball artist last night. His fielding won the hearty support of the winners. Gee, but he should have attended the musical programme at King Square. To him can be given the credit of adding a number of runs to the Thistles score.

O'Toole was himself last night. There is no use in arguing, O'Toole can teach any catcher in the league a few wrinkles. The feature of his clear playing in the throwing line was catching mercury Gibbons and vicious Dever stealing second.

The box score:

Thistles. AB R H PO A E McAnulty, 1b . . . 4 1 1 6 0 0 Gibbons, 2b . . . 4 2 2 0 5 1 Dever, c . . . 3 3 1 5 1 1 Callahan, 3b . . . 3 2 4 1 0 0 Milam, ss . . . 5 1 3 5 0 0 Doyle, p . . . 4 0 4 0 2 1 White, lf . . . 5 0 0 0 0 0 S. Howard, cf . . . 4 0 0 3 0 0 A. White, rf . . . 5 1 1 0 0 0

Roses. AB R H PO A E Meyers, 2b . . . 3 3 2 3 1 1 Harrington, 1b . . . 4 4 9 9 0 1 Donnelly, ss . . . 0 1 1 4 1 1 McMurray, 3b . . . 4 0 1 0 0 0

DOUBLE QUOTATIONS IN LONDON AFTER NEXT MONDAY

Special to The Standard. London, Aug. 10.—The stock exchange committee has decided that on and after next Monday double quotations shall appear in the official list of the exchange. These quotations will be somewhat nominal because of the extreme midsummer dullness. On this ground there is some criticism heard of the decision as being premature, but the majority of the members of the stock exchange welcome the change as an evidence of further progress toward normal conditions. The market continues optimistic, the better sentiment being attributed to the Russian and Italian victories coinciding with the British progress. A considerable increase is noted in registrations of new companies, most of which have small capitalization. This ground indicates hopes of peace and foreshadows financial activity after the war.

## NEWS LETTER ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, Aug. 10.—The market opened strong today and most of our issues closed as high if not higher than last night. There was some reaction from the early high prices but this was only natural. The paper stocks are being picked up. Laurentide was in good demand and Wagsmack had a sharp advance. Civic investment and industrial was in good demand. This stock is being quietly picked up by investors as it is selling at an attractive price. The American market lost about half of the advance it made yesterday but we think this market is worth watching.

McDUGALL & OOWANS.

JUST TRY JOHN HAIG'S SCOTCH WHISKY — "Old and Tried" Established 1816. "Oldest Distillery in the World." "Not How Cheap, But How Good" John Haig's Gold Label John Haig's Dimple Boots John Haig's Glenlivet John Haig's Special Reserve

Try Red Ball Ale or Porter They are manufactured under the most hygienic conditions, and are put up in most convenient form in cartons containing one dozen quarts or two dozen pints. SIMEON JONES, LTD. BREWERS St. John, N. B.

WILSON'S "The All-Time Favorite" BACHELOR CIGAR Quality is responsible for the steadily increasing popularity of the "Bachelor" cigar. Largest sale of any high-grade cigar in Canada today. Clear Havana filler. Finest Sumatra wrapper. Sold everywhere. (ANDREW WILSON & CO. TORONTO MONTREAL)

New Links "Western National" "National Atlantic" SHORTEST ROUTE - QUICKEST TIME OBSERVATION SLEEPING CARS QUEBEC, LA TUQUE, AMOS, COCHRANE, WINNIPEG Dep. QUEBEC 2.00 p.m. Tues. Thurs. Sat. Dep. WINNIPEG 5.15 p.m. Sun. Tues. Thurs. Arr. LA TUQUE 12.00 p.m. " " " COCHRANE 7.15 p.m. Mon. Wed. Fri. " AMOS 9.44 a.m. Wed. Fri. Sun. " AMOS 1.31 a.m. Tues. Thurs. Sat. " COCHRANE 4.10 p.m. " " " LA TUQUE 3.50 p.m. " " " WINNIPEG 4.30 p.m. Thurs. Sat. Mon. " QUEBEC 8.10 p.m. " " " (WEST BOUND) "THE NATIONAL" (EAST BOUND) Dep. TORONTO 10.45 p.m. Tues. Thurs. Sat. Dep. WINNIPEG 5.15 p.m. Sun. Tues. Thurs. Arr. WINNIPEG 4.30 p.m. Thurs. Sat. Mon. Arr. TORONTO 12.50 p.m. Tues. Thurs. Sat.

## Bringing Up Father



## QUOTATIONS ST. JOHNS

Of several commodities during the past week the most noticeable are Flour, Manitoba \$1.55 per barrel, \$2.15 a week a barrel dearer than present quotations. Meal has advanced sugar is cheaper grades, Gasoline \$40. as against \$30. The following is the jobbing price here:

Sugar, standard Rice . . . . . Tapioca . . . . . Beans Yellow-eyed . . . . . White . . . . . Cornmeal, gran Cream of Tartar Currants, cleaned Molasses . . . . . Hax, split, bag Barley, pot, bag Raisins— Choice, seeded Fancy, seeded Salt, Liverpool, sack, ex store Soda, alk. stov. . . . .

Manitoba . . . . . Ontario . . . . . Oatmeal, standard Oatmeal, rolled Cornmeal, bag Best— Corned 2s . . . . . Corned 1s . . . . . Beans— Baked . . . . . String . . . . . Cans . . . . . Herring, kipper Oysters— Is . . . . . Pineapple— Sliced . . . . . Grated . . . . . Singapore . . . . . Peas . . . . . Peaches, 2s . . . . . Peaches, 3s . . . . . Pumpkins . . . . . Raspberries . . . . . Salmon . . . . . Plums . . . . . Cohoes . . . . . Red spring . . . . . Tomatoes . . . . . Strawberries . . . . .

Pork, Can. mes Pork, Am. clear Beef, Am. clear Lard, pure . . . . . Lard, comp. t. . . . .

Country . . . . . Butchers' . . . . . Western . . . . . Lambs . . . . . Veal, per lb. . . . . Mutton, per lb. . . . . Butter— Tub . . . . . Fat . . . . . Eggs, case . . . . . Cheese, Can. . . . . Fowl, per lb. . . . . Turkey, per lb. . . . . Chickens, per lb. . . . . Potatoes, blk. . . . .

Bloaters, boxed . . . . . Medium . . . . . Cod— Finnan haddie . . . . . Herrings— Gr. Manan, blk . . . . . Kippered, do . . . . . Haddock . . . . . Halibut . . . . .

Almonds . . . . . Bananas . . . . . Dates, new . . . . . Filberts . . . . . Lemons . . . . . Calif. Oranges . . . . . Onions, American . . . . . Peanuts, roasted . . . . .

Oats, per bush . . . . . Oats, car lots . . . . . Bran, car lots . . . . . Hay, car lots . . . . . Hay, per ton . . . . . Middlings, sm. . . . .

Lard Oil . . . . . Royalite . . . . . Premier motor . . . . . Turpentine . . . . . Hides— Shearings . . . . . Lambing . . . . . Wool, washed . . . . .

NEW YORK (McDUGALL & OOWANS) Jan. . . . . Mar. . . . . May . . . . . July . . . . . Dec. . . . .

WINNIPEG (McDUGALL & OOWANS) Oct. . . . . Dec. . . . .

# NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

## QUOTATIONS IN THE ST. JOHN MARKETS

Of several changes in the prices of commodities which have taken place during the past few days the most noticeable are increased figures for flour. Manitoba is now quoted at \$8.95 per barrel as compared with \$8.15 a week ago; Ontario is \$1 per barrel dearer than last Friday, the present quotation being \$11.00. Cornmeal has advanced slightly, standard sugar is cheaper. Bran is on the up grade. Gasoline is now quoted at \$4.00 as against \$3.50 about a week ago. The following are quotations are the jobbing and wholesale prices here:

Groceries.	
Sugar, standard	\$7.95 @ \$8.00
Rice	5.25 @ 5.50
Topioca	0.11 @ 0.12
Beans	
Yellow-eyed	5.75 @ 6.00
White	5.75 @ 6.00
Cornmeal, gran.	0.00 @ 0.25
Cream of Tartar	0.52 @ 0.55
Currents, cleaned	0.15 @ 0.16
Molasses	0.60 @ 0.62
Peas, split, bags	5.25 @ 5.50
Barley, pot, bags	2.25 @ 2.30
Rutains	
Chico, seeded	0.10 1/4 @ 0.10 3/4
Fancy, seeded	0.10 1/2 @ 0.11
Salt, Liverpool, per sack, ex store	1.05 @ 1.15
Soda, bicarb.	3.10 @ 3.20
Flour.	
Manitoba	0.00 @ 8.10
Ontario	0.00 @ 8.10
Oatmeal, standard	0.00 @ 7.00
Oatmeal, rolled	0.00 @ 6.50
Cornmeal, bags	0.00 @ 2.05
Canned Goods.	
Beef—	
Corned 2 1/2	0.00 @ 7.50
Corned 1 1/2	0.00 @ 3.50
Beans—	
Baked	2.00 @ 2.05
String	1.12 1/2 @ 1.15
Chickens	0.00 @ 4.85
Corn	1.12 1/2 @ 1.15
Herring, kippered	4.55 @ 4.75
Oysters—	
Is	1.70 @ 1.75
Is	2.50 @ 2.55
Pineapples—	
Sliced	2.12 1/2 @ 2.15
Grated	1.65 @ 1.70
Singapore	1.70 @ 1.75
Peas	1.12 1/2 @ 1.15
Peaches, 2 1/2	1.80 @ 1.85
Peaches, 3 1/2	2.40 @ 2.45
Pumpkin	1.30 @ 1.35
Pumpkin, Lombard	1.12 1/2 @ 1.15
Raspberries	2.47 1/2 @ 2.50
Salmon—	
Pilks	5.00 @ 5.25
Cohoos	7.50 @ 7.75
Red spring	9.00 @ 9.60
Tomatoes	1.37 1/2 @ 1.40
Strawberries	2.47 1/2 @ 2.50
Provisions.	
Pork, Can. mess	34.00 @ 35.00
Pork, Am. clear	34.00 @ 35.00
Beef, Am. plate	26.00 @ 27.50
Lard, pure	0.18 1/4 @ 0.18 3/4
Lard, comp. tubs	0.14 1/4 @ 0.14 3/4
Meats, Etc.	
Country	0.08 @ 0.10
Sutlers	0.11 @ 0.14
Western	0.14 @ 0.18
Lamb	0.18 @ 0.18
Veal, per lb.	0.08 @ 0.12
Mutton, per lb.	0.08 @ 0.12
Butter—	
Tub	0.22 @ 0.24
Roll	0.22 @ 0.28
Eggs, case	0.00 @ 0.30
Cheese, Can.	0.17 1/2 @ 0.18
Fowl, per lb.	0.20 @ 0.24
Turkey, per lb.	0.24 @ 0.28
Chickens, per lb.	0.22 @ 0.28
Potatoes, dbl.	2.50 @ 3.00
Fish.	
Bloaters, boxes	0.75 @ 0.85
Cod—	
Medium	6.50 @ 6.75
Small	4.75 @ 5.00
Man haddies	0.00 @ 0.08
Herring	0.00 @ 0.08
Gr. Manan, bbla.	6.00 @ 6.75
Kipper, boxes	0.00 @ 0.06
Haddock	0.00 @ 0.14
Halibut	0.00 @ 0.14
Fruits, Etc.	
Almonds	0.17 @ 0.20
Bananas	2.00 @ 2.00
Citrus	0.13 @ 0.14
Dates, new	0.07 @ 0.08 1/2
Filberts	0.16 @ 0.17
Lemons	7.50 @ 8.00
Calif. Oranges	5.00 @ 5.50
Onions, American	5.00 @ 5.25
Vegetables, roasted	0.10 @ 0.15
Oats, Feed, Etc.	
Oats, car lots, bush	0.57 @ 0.63
Oats, car lots, bush	0.57 @ 0.58
Bran, car lots, bush	25.00 @ 26.00
Hay, car lots, tons	16.00 @ 18.00
Hay, per ton, sm lots	17.50 @ 20.00
Middlings, sm. lots	27.50 @ 28.00
Oils, Etc.	
Lard Oil	6.00 @ 1.20
Royalite	0.00 @ 0.15
Premier motor gas	0.00 @ 0.34
line	0.00 @ 0.34
Palucine	0.00 @ 0.19 1/2
Turpentine	0.00 @ 0.68
Hides, Skins, Etc.	
Shearlings	0.45 @ 0.55
Lambskins	0.45 @ 0.55
Wool, washed	0.47 @ 0.50

## NEW CORPORATION TO HANDLE LOAN TO BRITISH GOVT

Credit will Likely Take Form of French Loan Recently Floated in United States.

Special to The Standard. New York, Aug. 10.—Several prominent financial interests in this and other large cities, it was learned from authoritative sources, have been approached by J. P. Morgan & Co., financial agents of the British government, regarding a new loan to that government of between \$150,000,000 and \$200,000,000. The negotiations thus far have been in the form of feelers as to how a loan of this sort would be taken in the near future. The credit, it was learned, probably will take a similar form to the French loan recently floated by the same institutions. Nothing definite could be learned regarding the terms.

## E. & C. RANDOLPH ON NEW YORK MARKET

(McDOUGALL & COWANS) New York, Aug. 10.—Public participation in the market failed to materialize, trading became dull again and the expected reaction occurred in the late afternoon. The pressure of stock from abroad, that has been the main retarding factor in the market for a good while past is still being felt. Any buying movement would have to work through a large supply of stock in nearly all the standard issues before it would have much chance of sustaining prices at any substantially higher levels. The entire list felt the effect of the afternoon's reaction. Outside of the declaration of some regular dividends and a rumor by way of Chicago that Austria would sue for a separate peace, the only news of the day was the Steel tonnage statement showing a much smaller reduction in unfilled orders than was expected and the reports of several of the Copper companies. The Rock Island for the past fiscal year is expected to report earnings of equivalent to 4 per cent on its \$75,000,000 stock. C. P. R. earnings first week Aug. increased \$1,198,000. Bonds, \$3, 176,000. E. & C. RANDOLPH.

## UPWARD TREND ON WALL ST. CONTINUED

Much of Progress, However, Surrendered in Last Half of Session.

## FLASHES OF ACTIVITY IN MUNITIONS STOCKS

U. S. Steel Report of July Tonnage Depressed Prices, Stock Closing at Net Loss of 7-8.

New York, Aug. 10.—Subject to the restraints imposed by a large and obstinate short interest, today's market made further upward progress, much of which was surrendered in the heavy profit-taking of the last half of the session. The improvement in speculative sentiment, engendered largely by the acceptance of mediation by the railway brotherhood, stimulated a demand for high grade issues, although the inquiry from this source, it afterwards developed, was not far-reaching.

## PRICE MOVEMENTS IN THE FORENOON

Price movements in the forenoon were slightly irregular, but gains predominated, with Reading again the leader, that stock adding 3-8 to yesterday's advance of almost seven points, but closing at a net loss of 1-4. Mercantile Marine also denoted further accumulation on the approaching publication of the re-organization plan, and United States Steel helped to inspire confidence by improving slightly upon its high price of the preceding day. During the intermediate stage there was considerable activity in the rubber issues identified with the motor industry, as well as Consolidated Gas, United States Industrial Alcohol and its related issues, Distillers Securities. There were intervals of strength in munitions and equipments, and General Motors was distinguished for its extreme gain of 25 points on a few transactions. Prices began to droop on publication of the United States Steel tonnage report for July, which showed a nominal decrease in unfilled orders, and made further headway on the failure of the Union Pacific directors to increase the present rate of dividend. Steel closed at a net loss of 7-8, and Union Pacific forfeited 1 3-8. Total sales amounted to 555,000 shares. Negotiations connected with the new British loan are approaching completion, according to intimations from authoritative quarters. The terms, it is believed, will embody certain attractive features which were lacking in the Anglo-French undertaking. Earlier tendencies were shown by sterling and francs in the stock quotations for foreign exchange, and markets were slightly firmer. Trading in bonds was restricted, with an irregular undertone. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$3,325,000. U. S. bonds were unchanged on call.

## CLEARINGS OF ST. JOHN BANKS SHOW BIG GAIN

Winnipeg has Spectacular Increase of 205 per cent. Over the Corresponding Period of Last Year.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 10.—The further improvement in Consolidated Smelters today to 36 here, and 3 1/4 in Toronto, was said to reflect a more comfortable position for the company in several respects, apart from the generally improved tone of the general market.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 10.—Bank clearings for the week again show well, with Winnipeg leading the van in point of gain over the preceding year. The local returns show an increase of upwards of \$16,000,000 or 12 per cent, while Toronto gained by upwards of \$1,600,000. The 205 per cent gain of Winnipeg was the most spectacular. Montreal clearings for the week ending today were \$61,521,428.

## PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, Aug. 10.—CORN—American No. 2 yellow, \$7 to \$8. OATS—Canadian western, No. 2, 57; No. 3, 56 1/2; extra No. 1 feed, 56 1/2. FLOUR—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, 8.20; seconds, 7.70; strong bakers, 7.50; winter patents, choice, 7.00; straight rollers, 6.50 to 6.40; bags, 2.90 to 3.00. MILLFEED—Bran, 24; Shorts, 26; Middlings, 28; Moullie, 30 to 34.

## TURNOFF OF TIDE FOR CONSOLIDATED SMELTERS

After Period of Unfortunate Events Affairs of Company Have Straightened Out and Stock Goes Up.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 10.—The further improvement in Consolidated Smelters today to 36 here, and 3 1/4 in Toronto, was said to reflect a more comfortable position for the company in several respects, apart from the generally improved tone of the general market. Recently the stock sold under 34, which represents a drop of over 10 points from the high of a few months ago, touched shortly after the shares were divided into quarter sections. Just when everyone was looking for a favorable market, labor trouble developed in British Columbia, things were not working very well at the new Zinc Smelter, one of the company's concentrators was swept away by a flood and later some uncertainty arose concerning the coke supply as the result of threats of a coal miners strike.

Within the past week or so a very marked change has come over the position of affairs. The labor situation no longer troubles the management, the zinc smelter is now giving splendid results, the lost concentrator has now been replaced, and the miners have settled their troubles, so that there is no trouble about coke. Now that the turn in the market appears to have been reached, the street is looking for a stronger and more active market for the shares, a great many intending investors having held back until matters got straightened out.

## RAILWAYS.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS FARM LABORERS' EXCURSIONS TO THE WEST Going Saturday, August 12. FARES AND CONDITIONS SAME AS IN PREVIOUS YEARS. Enquire of Ticket Agent.

**FORTNIGHTLY SAILINGS**  
Twin-Screw Mail Steamers  
ST. JOHN (N.B.) & HALIFAX (N.S.)  
WEST INDIES  
Excellent Accommodation for 1st, 2nd and 3rd Class Passengers  
Special Facilities for Tourists.  
BEST SAILING FROM:  
Halifax direct—  
R.M.S.P. Chignecto Aug. 24, 30, 36.  
St. John via Halifax—  
R.M.S.P. Chignecto Aug. 13, 19, 25.  
To be sent to:  
The Royal Mail Steam Packet Co.,  
47-55, Granville St., HALIFAX (N.S.)  
St. John (N.B.) at Messrs. Thomson & Co., Agents.

**DONALDSON**  
Glasgow Passenger-Freight Service.  
From Glasgow From Montreal  
SATURNIA Aug. 16  
CASSANDRA Aug. 22  
For information apply to Local Agents or The Robert Redford Co., Limited, 162 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC**  
ST. JOHN-DIGBY SERVICE  
C. P. R. S. S. "Empress"  
Leaves St. John Daily, except Sunday, 8.15 a. m. (Daylight). Return same Day.  
Day Excursions and Week-End Tickets Issued Wed. and Sat., \$2.25. Good in Either Direction.  
ORCHESTRA ON STEAMER.  
Table de Hote Service.  
Breakfast 50 cents. Lunch, 75 cents. Afternoon Tea, 25c.  
M. G. MURPHY, D. P. A., C. P. R., St. John, N. B.

**CHANGE OF TIME.**  
GRAND MANAN S. S. CO.  
Season 1916—Grand Manan Route.  
On and after June 1st and until further notice the Steamer "Grand Manan" will run as follows:  
Leave Grand Manan Monday at 7.00 a. m. for St. John via Campobello and Wilson's Beach. Arrive at St. John at 2.30 p. m.  
Returning leave Turnbull's Wharf, Tuesdays at 10.00 a. m. for Grand Manan via Wilson's Beach and Campobello. Arrive Grand Manan 5.00 p. m.  
Leave Grand Manan, Wednesdays at 7.00 a. m. for St. Stephen via Campobello and St. Andrews.  
Returning leave St. Stephen, Thursdays at 7.00 a. m. for Grand Manan via St. Andrews and Campobello.  
Leave Grand Manan, Fridays at 6.30 a. m. for St. John direct. Arrive at St. John 11 a. m.  
Returning leave St. John at 2.30 p. m. for Grand Manan direct. Arrive at Grand Manan 7.00 p. m. same day.  
Leave Grand Manan for St. Andrews Saturdays at 7.00 a. m. via Campobello. Arrive at St. Andrews at 11.00 a. m.  
Returning leave St. Andrews at 1.30 p. m. same day, via Campobello, Atlantic Standard time.  
SCOTT D. GUPTILL, Manager, Grand Manan.

**ST. JOHN-FREDERICTON**  
STEAMER HAMPSTEAD  
Will leave old May Queen wharf at 8.30 a. m. (St. John time) on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Fredericton and intermediate ports.  
JOSEPH WILLIAMS, Managing Owner, Phone M 2701

**The Maritime Steamship Co., Limited.**  
On March 3, 1916, and until further notice the S.S. Connors Bros., will run as follows: Leave St. John, N. B., Thorne Wharf and Warehousing Company, Ltd., on Saturday, 7.30 a. m., daylight time, for St. Andrews, N. B., calling at Dipper Harbor, Beaver Harbor, Black's Harbor, Back Bay or L'Etete, Deer Island, Red Store or St. George. Returning leave St. Andrews, N. B., Tuesday for St. John, N. B., calling at L'Etete or Back Bay, Black's Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Dipper Harbor. Weather and tide permitting.  
Agent—Thorne Wharf and Warehousing Co., Ltd., Phone, 2851. Mr. Lewis Connors.  
This company will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date without a written order from the company or captain of the steamer.

**Eastern Steamship Lines.**  
All-the-way by Water.  
INTERNATIONAL LINE.  
Steamships "Calvin Austin" and "Governor Dingley"  
Leave St. John Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m. for Eastport, Lubec, Portland and Boston. Also Saturday nights at seven for Boston direct.  
Return—Leave Central Wharf, Boston, Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 9 a. m. for Portland, Eastport, Lubec and St. John, and Saturday morning at 10 o'clock for St. John direct. (Atlantic Standard time permits departure of steamers from St. John.)

**MAINE STEAMSHIP LINE.**  
Direct between Portland and New York  
Steamships North Land and North Star. Leave Franklin Wharf, Portland, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 6.30 p. m. Also Mondays at 10.30 a. m. June 15th to Sept. 11th, inc.  
METROPOLITAN LINE.  
Direct Service between Boston and New York, 13 1/2 Hours.  
Route via Cape Cod Canal.  
Express Steel Steamships Massachusetts and Bunker Hill. Leave North Side India Wharf, Boston, week days and Sundays at 6 p. m. Same service returning from Pier 18, North River, at 10 o'clock for St. John City, ticket of Murray St., New York City.  
City Ticket Office, 47 King Street, A. C. CURRIE, Agent, St. John, N. B. A. E. FLEMING, T. F. & P. A. St. John, N. B.

**Francis S. Walker**  
Sanitary and Heating Engineer  
No. 18 Germain Street

**Agents Wanted**  
For each village or district where there is no one selling Saturday Evening Post, Ladies' Home Journal and Country Gentleman.  
LAWLOR & CO.,  
64 Princess St., or P. O. Box 655.

**BRIDGES**  
Buildings and All Structures of Steel and Concrete  
Designs, Estimates and Investigations  
T. CUSHING, M. Sc. (M. I. T. Boston),  
Civil Engineer,  
Creighton Ave., Grafton, Pa. U.S.A.  
Work in Maritime Provinces Specially Solicited

**MANCHESTER LINE.**  
From Manchester. From St. John.  
Manchester Corporation Aug. 10  
Aug. 5.—Manchester Miller Aug. 19  
Steamers marked \* take cargo for Philadelphia.  
WM. THOMSON & CO., LTD.  
Agents, St. John, N. B.

**FURNESS LINE.**  
The following first-class steamers will sail from London for Halifax and St. John, N. B., returning from St. John, N. B., for London via Halifax: S. S. Rappahannock.  
S. B. Kapwaha.  
S. S. Santaromo.  
WILLIAM THOMSON & CO., Agents, St. John, N. B.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**  
Notice is hereby given that Cape Spencer Light is fixed white. Necessary repairs will be made, and light put in operation as formerly without further notice.  
J. C. CHESLEY,  
Agent, Marine & Fisheries Dept., St. John, N. B., Aug. 10, 1916.

**CANADIAN PACIFIC**  
FARM LABORERS' EXCURSIONS  
AUGUST 12 AND 26  
St. John to Winnipeg  
Going, - \$12.00  
Returning, \$18.00  
M. G. MURPHY, D. P. A., C. P. R., ST. JOHN, N. B.

**An Investment of \$1,015.00 and Interest**  
will assure you a sure income of \$55.00 per year for ten years. This income will be payable half yearly, June 1st and December 1st.  
Do you know any way in which you could invest this amount and secure an equal income without there being the slightest worry regarding the safety of your principal?  
An investment in County of Cape Breton 5 1/2 p. c. Debentures will give this result. Drop us a line for full particulars.  
**EASTERN SECURITIES COMPANY, LIMITED**  
INVESTMENT BANKERS  
James McMurray, General Manager. Halifax, St. John, N. B.

**McDOUGALL & COWANS**  
Members of the Montreal Stock Exchange  
58 Prince Wm. Street, St. John, N. B.  
SECURITIES BOUGHT AND SOLD IN ALL MARKETS  
LISTED STOCKS TRADED ON MARGIN  
OFFICES:—Montreal, Quebec, Vancouver, Ottawa, Winnipeg, Halifax  
Connected By Private Wire.

**GILBERT G. MURDOCH**  
Established 1870.  
A. M. Can. Soc. C. E.  
Civil Engineer and Crown Land Surveyor  
Surveys, Plans, Estimates, Superintending, Blue Prints, Black Line Prints. Maps of St. John and Surroundings, 74 Carmarthen St., St. John.

**LONDON GUARANTEE & ACCIDENT CO. Ltd.**  
Assets \$6,897,890  
Employers' Liability. Automobile Insurance  
CHAS. A. MacDONALD & SON, Gen. Agents,  
49 Canterbury Street, St. John, N. B.

**THOMAS BELL & CO., St. John, N. B.**  
PUGSBY BUILDING, 48 PRINCESS STREET  
Lumber and General Brokers  
SPRUCE, HEMLOCK, BIRCH, SOUTHERN PINE, OAK, CYPRESS.  
SPRUCE PILING AND CREOSOTED PILING.

**FIRE INSURANCE**  
We represent first-class British, Canadian and American tariff offices with combined assets of over One Hundred and Sixty Million Dollars  
**C. E. L. JARVIS & SON, 74 Prince Wm. St.**

## MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS) Morning. Montreal, Thursday, Aug. 10th.—C. P. R.—100 @ 17 1/4. Steamships Pfd.—50 @ 26 1/4, 15 @ 26 1/2. Steamships Pfd.—5 @ 84 1/2. Brazilian—70 @ 88. Cement Pfd.—50 @ 119 1/2. Cement Com.—10 @ 58 1/2, 125 @ 60, 75 @ 59 1/2. Steel of Canada—360 @ 56, 355 @ 55 1/2. Dom. Iron Com.—51 @ 55 1/2, 50 @ 54 1/2, 75 @ 55. Canada Car Com.—180 @ 44, 35 @ 44 1/2, 5 @ 45, 25 @ 44 1/2. Toronto Railway—155 @ 91 1/4. Detroit United—50 @ 119 1/2. Con. Smelters—30 @ 35 1/2, 40 @ 35, 202 @ 36. Laur. Pulp—25 @ 184 1/2, 90 @ 185. Afternoon. Steamships Com.—15 @ 27 1/2. Cement Pfd.—30 @ 92, 4 @ 91. Cement Com.—90 @ 60, 150 @ 60 1/2. Steel of Canada—5 @ 56, 50 @ 55 1/2, 210 @ 55 1/2. Dom. Iron Com.—25 @ 54 1/2. Shawinigan—25 @ 130 1/4. Car Pfd.—60 @ 74. Cop. Smelters—60 @ 36 1/2, 50 @ 37, 25 @ 37 1/2, 25 @ 37 1/2. Detroit United—10 @ 119, 90 @ 119. Dom. Bridge—15 @ 217, 25 @ 215 1/2.

## CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE PRICES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS) Chicago, Aug. 10.—Wheat, No. 2 red, 1.44 1/4 to 1.48 1/4; No. 3 red, 1.42 1/4 to 1.45 1/4; No. 2 hard, 1.43 1/4 to 1.45 1/4; No. 3 hard, 1.40 to 1.44 1/4. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 57 to 57 1/4; No. 4 yellow, 55; No. 4 white, 54 1/2 to 55. Oats—No. 3 white, 43 1/2 to 44 1/4; standard, 44 to 45. Rye—Nominal. Barley—49 to 95. Timothy—3.50. Clover—7.00 to 14.50. Pork—27.00. Lard—18.55. Wheat, High. Low. Close. May . . . . . 155 150 1/4 152 1/2. Sept. . . . . 84 84 14 84 1/2. Dec. . . . . 150 145 1/4 147 1/2. Corn, High. Low. Close. May . . . . . 75 74 75 1/2. Sept. . . . . 84 83 84 1/2. Dec. . . . . 72 71 71 1/2. Oats, High. Low. Close. May . . . . . 51 49 1/2 50 1/2. Sept. . . . . 45 44 44 1/2. Dec. . . . . 48 47 47 1/2.

## NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)	
Jan.	High. Low. Close.
Jan.	14.63 14.40 14.43
Mar.	14.78 14.55 14.55
May	14.91 14.71 14.69
July	14.93 14.76 14.76
Dec.	14.58 14.32 14.36

## WINNIPEG WHEAT CLOSE.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)		
May	Sept.	Dec.
150 1/2	149	146
149	146	143
148	145	142

MUNICIPALITIES MEETING NEXT WEEK AT ST. STEPHEN

Mayor, Warden and County Secretary will likely attend - G.O.D. City to read a paper.

The meeting of the Union of New Brunswick Municipalities will be held August 16 and 17 at St. Stephen. The delegates will be entertained by the Board of Trade and the town council and it is expected that a very pleasant and profitable session will be held.

SHIPPING NEWS.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. (The time given is Atlantic Standard time, one hour slower than present local time.)

August Phases of the Moon. First Quarter... 13th 8h 5m pm. Full Moon... 20th 8h 53m am.

Table with columns for Date, Sun, Moon, and Water levels (High/Low) for various days in August.

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B. Arrived Thursday, August 10. Steamer Calvin Austin, Boston and Maine ports, E. C. Currie.

DEPARTURES. Danish schooner, 99 tons, Starke, Cardiff, deals.

DOMESTIC PORTS. Halifax, Aug. 9 - Arr'd schr Helvetia (term), New York, coal; St. John, Aug. 8 - Arr'd Hatfield Dunn (term), New York, coal.

BRITISH PORTS. Manchester, Aug. 8 - Arr'd stmr Manchester Hero, Montreal. Liverpool, Aug. 8 - Arr'd stmr Avri-tan, Quebec.

FOREIGN PORTS. Boston, Aug. 8 - Arr'd stmr Louisiana, for Louisiana. Boston, Aug. 8 - Arr'd schr Triton, Steuben; Lincoln, do; Melissa, Trask, Seal Harbor.

New York, Aug. 8 - Arr'd schr Frederick A. Duggan, Cardiff for Philadelphia (in tow of coast guard cutter Greaham); L. A. Plummer, Ingraham; Seth M. Todd, Passaboro; Leora M. Thurlow, Cabot; Donna T. Briggs, Stockton; J. R. Bokwell, Rockland; Charles W. Alcott, Stockton for New York; Silas F. Colwell, Boston; Warren B. Potter, do.

SEA CAPTAIN RETIRES. Capt. J. A. Read, recently in command of the schooner Melba, has retired from the sea and is at his home in Fredericton. He has been following the sea for fifty-five years, and has made up his mind to quit for good.

SCHOONER NOTES. The term schooner Mary Hendry sailed from Lunenburg Tuesday for Newfoundland, there to load pit props for a trans-Atlantic port.

A LONG VOYAGE. The schooner Frederick A. Duggan, which was towed into New York on Tuesday by the coast guard cutter Greaham, has been about three months crossing the Atlantic, having sailed from Lunenburg on May 2, bound for Philadelphia.

BREAD 9d. LOAF IN LONDON MONDAY

Wheat and Flour Prices Steadily Soaring—Advance of Four Shillings in Flour This Week.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Aug. 10.—The "Stars" London correspondence says: "There is a steady rise in the price of wheat and flour. Flour has risen in London four shillings this week, with the result that the price of bread will be increased on Monday from 8 1/2d to 9d."

"SISTER SUSIE" WILL POSITIVELY BE AT WESTFIELD SATURDAY

And has Secured Thousands of Souvenirs which She will Sell Personally—Note Low Excursion Rates.

Thousands are daily asking who and what is Sister Susie, some having secured an erroneous impression. So much interest has attached itself that it seems necessary to emphasize the fact that Sister Susie will be on the grounds and moreover she proposes to make money by disposing of several thousand very attractive souvenirs at a price to suit the buyer, after coming in contact with her exciting antics. There are so many important items in connection with Sister Susie's picnic that some will undoubtedly be mentioned, but one of the most important is the raffia for the four hundred dollar piano, now on exhibition in the window of the Marr Millinery Company.

TWO SCHOONERS ASHORE. Two schooners went ashore last week on the Madeline Islands, the James A. Garfield, an American fisherman, and a Canadian schooner, name unknown at present. The Garfield went ashore at Amherst bridge water and the Canadian to the west of that. The mate and crew of the Garfield came to Pictou by the S.S. Amelia. Both schooners are reported to be total wrecks.

HOW PNEUMONIA STARTS AND HOW OFTEN PREVENTED. You catch a little cold today, and by tomorrow it has reached the throat, next the lungs are affected and you wish you had used "Catarhose" which kills colds in five minutes.

SEA CAPTAIN RETIRES. Capt. J. A. Read, recently in command of the schooner Melba, has retired from the sea and is at his home in Fredericton. He has been following the sea for fifty-five years, and has made up his mind to quit for good.

SCHOONER NOTES. The term schooner Mary Hendry sailed from Lunenburg Tuesday for Newfoundland, there to load pit props for a trans-Atlantic port.

A LONG VOYAGE. The schooner Frederick A. Duggan, which was towed into New York on Tuesday by the coast guard cutter Greaham, has been about three months crossing the Atlantic, having sailed from Lunenburg on May 2, bound for Philadelphia.

OVER MILLION GAIN IN C.P.R. EARNINGS FIRST WEEK OF AUG.

Grand Trunk and Canadian Northern also Report a Marked Improvement Over Last Year.

Montreal, Aug. 10.—C. P. R. gross earnings for the first week of August show a gain of \$1,139,000 over the same week a year ago. Weekly gains during July ranged from \$950,000 to a week to \$1,324,000 for ten days.

A NEW ELECTRIC ELEVATOR FOR THE MIRAMICHI HOSPITAL

Newcastle, Aug. 10.—Miss Annie L. Bamford, of St. Estienne, head nurse at the Miramichi Hospital, has been appointed matron. The Miramichi Hospital is installing a \$3,500 electric elevator of the latest and best pattern.

Hairs Will Vanish After This Treatment

You can keep your skin free from hair or fuzz by the occasional use of plain delonine and in using it you need have no fear of marring or injuring the skin. A thick paste is made by mixing some of the powdered delonine with water.

Furniture At Residence BY AUCTION

I am instructed by S. T. Hatfield, Esq., to sell at his residence, No. 252 Princeps street, on Tuesday morning, August the 13th, commencing at 10 o'clock, the entire contents of his residence consisting of the following rooms completely furnished: Front and back parlors, dining room, upper and lower halls, bedrooms and kitchen, together with carpets, rugs, oilcloths, chowware, silverware, etc. Everything in good order and of the best quality.

BAILIFF SALE

At 109 Charlotte St., on Friday morning the 11th inst., at 10 o'clock, I will sell the contents of lodging house, consisting of furnishings of 18 rooms, halls, kitchen, dining room, etc. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer. T. X. GIBBON, Bailiff.

A quick to act, body-building and nerve-nourishing tonic and beverage combined. That is what

READY'S EXTRA STOUT

is, and it is perfectly harmless and easily digested by either sex, robust or frail.

Ask your doctor's opinion of GOOD Stout, and insist on this famous brand to make sure you get extra good Stout. Sold by the brewers, READY'S BREWERIES, Ltd., ST. JOHN, in quarts and pints, by barrel or case.

DO YOUR FEET BURN?

Then use Zam-Buk. There is nothing so soothing for tender, aching or blistered feet. It will soothe the burning, draw out the soreness, prevent blistering and give you perfect foot comfort.

ZAM-BUK IS SOOTHING!

Cocoon Oil Fine For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, be careful what you wash it with. Don't use soaps and prepared shampoos that contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle and is very harmful.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 16th September, 1916, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, over Harvey Station Rural Mail Route, No. 1, from the Pleasure of Postmaster General.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 16th September, 1916, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, over Manners Station Rural Mail Route, No. 1, from the Pleasure of Postmaster General.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 16th September, 1916, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week on the Chipman Rural Route No. 1, from the 1st October, 1916, next.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 16th September, 1916, for one and a half years, on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week on the Chipman Rural Route No. 1, from the 1st October, 1916, next.

Express Wagon For Sale

Smith's Fish Market Sydney Street Near Scribner's Corner Phone M. 1794

Classified Advertising

One cent per word each insertion. Discount of 33 1/3 per cent on advertisements running one week or longer if paid in advance. Minimum charge 25 cents.

SNAP-SPOTS FINISHED.

FREE DEVELOPING—When 1 doz. prints are made from one roll of film. Mail them to Wasnyca, 711 Main St.

ENGRAVERS.

F. C. WESLEY & CO. Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 89 Water Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 982.

EDWARD BATES

Carpenter, Contractor, Appraiser, Etc. Special attention given to alterations and repairs to houses and stores. 80 Duke St. Phone M. 786. St. John, N. B.

Musical Instruments Repaired

VIOLINS, MANDOLINS and all string instruments and Bows repaired. SYDNEY GIBBS, 81 Sydney Street.

Ivory and Sales Tables.

HORSES OF ALL CLASSES FOR SALE, guaranteed as represented. Terms to suit purchasers. Edw. Hogan, Union street.

NOTICE

THE SAINT JOHN & QUEBEC RAILWAY COMPANY. The Navigable Waters Protection Act, Section 7, Chapter 115, R.S.Q. The Saint John and Quebec Railway Company has deposited with the Minister of Public Works, at Ottawa, and the Registrars of Quebec and Kings Counties, respectively, plans and descriptions of the sites of the proposed bridges across the following streams on the line of its railway between Gagetown in the County of Queens, and Westfield, in the County of Kings, in the Province of New Brunswick:

Mile 41.2, Ottnabog Lake outlet, Parish of Hampstead, County of Queens. Mile 64.98, Devil's Back Creek, Parish of Gagetown, County of Kings.

Take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Saint John and Quebec Railway Company will apply to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for approval of the said sites and plans and for permission to construct the said bridges. SAINT JOHN & QUEBEC RAILWAY COMPANY. EDWARD GIROUARD, Secretary. Dated at Fredericton, N. B., this 8th day of August, 1916.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 16th September, 1916, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, six times per week each way, over Manners Station Rural Mail Route, No. 1, from the Pleasure of Postmaster General.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 16th September, 1916, for one and a half years, on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week on the Chipman Rural Route No. 1, from the 1st October, 1916, next.

MAIL CONTRACT.

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 16th September, 1916, for one and a half years, on a proposed Contract for four years, three times per week on the Chipman Rural Route No. 1, from the 1st October, 1916, next.

Express Wagon For Sale

Smith's Fish Market Sydney Street Near Scribner's Corner Phone M. 1794

HOTELS.

PARK HOTEL. American and European. Rates: \$2.00, \$2.50. Electric Cars Pass Door. KING SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N. B.

CLIFTON HOUSE. \$5.00 per \$2.50 per week. Corner Gormain and Princeps Sts. REYNOLDS & FRITCH.

"THE PRINCE WILLIAM". One of St. John's first class hotels for transient and permanent guests. Prince William Street.

ROYAL HOTEL. King Street. St. John's Leading Hotel. RAYMOND & DOHERTY CO., LTD.

VICTORIA HOTEL. Better Now Than Ever. 87 KING ST., ST. JOHN, N. B. SAINT JOHN HOTEL CO., LTD. Proprietors. A. M. PHILLIPS, Manager.

HOTEL DUFFERIN. Foster & Company, Proprietors. KING SQUARE, ST. JOHN, N. B. J. T. DUNLOP, Manager. New and Up-to-date Sample Rooms in Connection.

GRAND UNION HOTEL. Opposite Union Depot, St. John, N. B. Refurnished and renovated, heated by hot water, lighted by electricity, hot and cold baths. Coaches in attendance at all trains and steamers. Electric cars pass the house, connecting with all trains and steamers. Baggage to and from the station free. W. H. McQUADE, Proprietor.

WINES AND LIQUORS.

RICHARD SULLIVAN & COMPANY. Established 1878. Wholesale Wine and Spirit Merchants, Agents for MACKIE'S WHITE HORSE BOTTLED SCOTCH WHISKY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR SCOTCH WHISKY, SIMPSON'S HOUSE OF LORDS SCOTCH WHISKY, KING GEORGE IV. SCOTCH WHISKY, AUK'S HEAD BASS ALE, PABST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER, GEORGE SAYER COGNAC BRANDIES. Bonded Store, 44-45 Dock Street, Phone 838.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED—Salesmen \$50 per week, selling one-hand egg-beater. Sample and terms, 25c. Money refunded if unsatisfactory. Collette Mfg. Company, Collingwood, Ont.

MALE HELP WANTED.

AGENTS—Salary and commission, to sell Red Tag Stock. Complete exclusive lists. Specially hardy. Grow only by us. Sold only by our Agents. Elegant free samples. Write now to Dominion Nurseries, Montreal.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN—A first class general business, centrally located, in a beautiful country village, for particulars apply Merchant, care of The Standard, St. John, N. B.

SAW MILL PROPERTY FOR SALE OR RENT—Steam and water power plant in Victoria county is being offered at a very low cost for immediate sale. Suitable terms can be made for renting and sawing out this season's spruce and hardwood. Capable of about three million feet. For further particulars write P. O. Box 376, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.

Direct current motor, No. 6612. Shunt wound, type E. B., Class 2, 3 H. P. Speed, 1700, Amps 15, Volts 500, by Canadian General Electric Co., Ltd., Apply Manager, care of Sydney Post.

TO LET.

STORE TO LET—Large new up-to-date store on Moncton's business and residential street, near depot and high school, grand business opening. G. H. Beaman, 355 St. George street, Moncton, N. B.

TO LET—Offices of the late Judge Knowles, 82 Princeps street, St. John, N. B. Apply to Stephen B. Bustin, Barrister, 62 Princeps Street.

TO LET—Bright sunny flat in central location, good view, heated, electric light, gas stove, eight large rooms and bath, commodious closets, fully furnished and recently entirely renovated. Apply Box H. K. D., Standard Office.

TO LET—Nice Flat. Apply Geo. Godfrey, Havelock street, West End.

TO LEASE BY TENDER.

The ST. JOHN OPERA HOUSE with accessories as now running for a term of five years for legitimate, respectable show purposes. To highest acceptable bidder with bond for due performance. Tenders close September 15, 1916. Present lease expires February 1, 1917. Address: Marked Tender, St. John Opera House Co.

Contractors' Supplies

Drill Steel in round and octagon. All sizes in stock. Steam cranes, best kinds. Concrete Mixers, Ditching Machines, Steam and Air Drill Hoes, Wheelbarrows, Saws, Crane Dredging and Loading Chain, Steel Beams and Re-inforcing Steel. BERTY & CO., 48 Dock Street.

DRINK HABIT CURE.

Phone Main 1885, Galtin Institute, 46 Crown street—Will stop your drinking in 24 hours. Permanent guaranteed cure in three days. Treatment confidential. Terms easy. Address: Galtin Institute, 46 Crown street, 2nd party.

Here

WOME

King Honors

In the Court

The simple

casual for,

ber of the med-

reed, they shou-

R.C.—all, that

frat Canada, he

in several of the

plais, says Th-

Miss Charlson

Canada, and ca-

ments in May,

al, No. 2 Canada

port, and throu-

land, where he-

Quebec.

THE HOME THE WORLD

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES THE PLAYERS

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

Uncle Dick's Corner.

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World and on the Stage--Favorites and What They Say and Do.

WOMEN'S WORK

King Honors Canadian Nurses.

In the Court Circular this week appeared the names of three Canadian nurses decorated last Saturday at Buckingham Palace, with the Royal Red Cross, "for good work during the war."

The simple statement sounds so casual for, as a disinterested member of the medical service put it: "Indeed, they should all have had the R.R.C.—all, that is, who were with that first Canadian unit to land at Lemnos, where they bore hardships so bravely."

Miss Eleanor M. Charleson, of Ottawa, matron, who received the R.R.C. (first class), held important positions in several of the leading Canadian hospitals, says The Canadian Gazette.

Nursing Sister Janet Andrews, who won the Royal Red Cross (second class), enlisted at Calgary, Western Canada, and came over with reinforcements in May, 1915. Miss Andrews has served at Moore Barracks hospital, No. 3 Canadian General at Le Troport, and though transplanted to Canada, was born in County Galway, Ireland, where her next of kin resides.

Nursing Sister Ethel Marie Holmes, of Lansdowne Avenue, Montreal, came over Sept. 29, 1914, in the same contingent with Miss Charleson. Miss Holmes, who was decorated at the same time as the two mentioned above with the Royal Red Cross (second class) has worked in English hospitals, in French base hospitals, particularly No. 2 Canadian General, and is at present attached to the Westcliffe Eye and Ear hospital at Folkestone.

On the grounds of Mr. George Fleming a very pretty lawn fete was held by the members of the Valcartier Chapter. The weather man was kind and the day was all that could be desired. Miss Rosamond McDevity is regent of this chapter. The tables were looked after by the following ladies:

Candy table—Misses Doris Sayre, Edith Miller.

Home cooking—Miss Nita Carritte.

Ice—Miss Marion Moore.

Flowers—Miss Blanche Beatoey.

Tea—Miss Helen Russell.

The tea table was presided over by Mrs. George Fleming and Mrs. Holly.

A fortune-telling booth was looked after by Miss Miriam Knowlton.

The tables were out on the lawn and waited upon by the young ladies of the society. The proceeds are for patriotic purposes.

Sister Susie.

They say one of a woman's attractions is her atmosphere of mystery.

Surely Sister Susie must be the most attractive of her sex. We're all longing to make her acquaintance.

RECIPES

Strawberry Fluff.

This makes a nice emergency dessert, as it is so quickly prepared. Put into a large bowl one and a half cups of ripe strawberries, one cup of sugar and the white of one egg. Beat with wire whisk until stiff enough to hold its shape, pile lightly on a dish, chill and surround with macaroons. Serve with whipped cream sweetened and flavored with orange extract.

Cocunut Macaroons.

Beat the white of a perfectly fresh egg until stiff, fold in one cup of shredded cocunut and three table-spoons of granulated sugar flavor with vanilla, drop from a teaspoon on a buttered and floured tin, allowing plenty of space between each, and bake 15 minutes in a moderate oven. Remove from the tin when cool.

Deviled Beets.

Scoop out the centres from good-sized beets boiled tender, and fill with forcemeat stuffing. This may be highly seasoned ham or any good meat. Brush with an egg and brown before serving in a quick oven.

Art of Weaving Clothes Well.

You will often hear a girl bemoaning the hard fate which does not permit her to buy lots of pretty clothes. "If I only had the money I could be as stylish as Marie or as beautiful as Elsie. It's because I have cheap and shabby clothes that I do not get along."

This is tragedy to a girl. It would be well for her if she could know what persons who are looking at her are

thinking sometimes. So many girls of this kind, if they were suddenly to be given money, would look but little more stylish.

They are not used to wearing the clothes they have well. It is just as hard to wear expensive clothes to advantage as it is to wear cheaper ones.

If one does not stand well in their clothes, no matter how pretty they are, the effect is lost. It is very amusing to one who has to watch clothes all the time to see some favorite dress model from Paquin, Callot or other creative French house worn with varying degrees of style and charm.

In the present fashion of short dresses much care has to be taken to have spotless footwear. Another odd thing is the present lack of shoes. Boots and shoes sometimes look as if a girl were toting out too much, when she is only walking the natural way.

Another thing is crossing the knees; much more lingerie and stocking often shows than anyone has any idea of.

Learn to wear your simple, inexpensive clothes correctly, keeping them well pressed. Pressing adds 50 per cent to the looks of any garment, old or new. Then, when the fairy god-mother comes along, scattering the wherewithal to buy lovely clothes and hats, you will be ready to show your pretty clothes to good advantage.

Our Ugly Fashions.

I do not suppose that ever within the memory of even the most hardened man have the fashions been quite so ugly as at present. The hardened man above mentioned may deny it, but I simply refuse to believe him—he lies, and he knows it. Of course, if he happens to be Methuselah and remembers the late seventies and early eighties. But Methuselah hardly counts as a man; he is a sort of public monument, says Emerson in "The Bystander."

Our present-day dress has neither beauty, grace nor distinction. There is no dignity to it, nor yet seamliness. The most respectable matron fashionably arrayed looks like a superannuated fatter gone mad, and a gawky one at that. Other styles permitted a decent attenuation of age, often entire concealment if a woman happened to possess a good figure; not so the present mode. Figures count less than ever before, they have become entirely a figment of the imagination, what with panniers, bunched draperies, and high, thick-waisted basque bodices while the abbreviated skirt discloses pitilessly that betraying feature, the ankle. Comparatively few women past their first youth can boast perfection in the matter of ankles, as is only too evident by the strange and awful examples which meet the eye on one's walks abroad. A thick ankle or a leg deviating only slightly from the straight line is not an object of beauty, and should, by all aesthetic canons, be compassionately hidden from view. To thrust such things brazenly upon the public gaze argues either a callous soul or a simplicity beyond the powers of ridicule.

Dress may be either useful or ornamental, or both, but our present attire can hardly be called ornamental, while as for use—it has not even that to advert. What particular use is there in a skirt wider than it is long, corded or crinolined into a bell and overloaded with trimmings of some sort or other? From the economical point of view it is a failure, for, as we all know to our cost, it takes three or four times as much material as did its predecessor, while affording no greater warmth. It takes more space in packing, in these days of rapidly disappearing porters and elusive taxis. In fact, at this rate we shall soon be obliged to travel with nothing but the clothes we stand up in, unless we are prepared to emulate the women of Capri and carry our luggage on our heads. Think of that one could squeeze into a suitcase or trunk, but three years ago, while now—???

I daresay there is some compensation somewhere, but so far I have failed to find it, unless one is willing to accept as such the consciousness of being smart though a gyp. Personally, I find the reward a poor one. Why any woman grown to years of discretion should attempt to pass herself off as a schoolgirl I cannot imagine—or, rather, I could imagine it were the feat possible. Neither can I fathom the fond infatuation which causes her to picture herself as alluring when every stray mirror is ready and eager to inform her that she looks more like a dumpy hen on a windy day than any other object in creation.

Miss Lysa Graham is a dancer who was recently very popular at the Empire Theatre, London. She is now spending her weeks in making "ridges" for the soldiers in the trenches, and her week-ends in making munitions. Incidentally she was among the very first women to win the American War Medal.—Daily Sketch.

Women in the fashionable suburbs of New York, like Scarsdale, Bronxville, Pelham and New Rochelle are studying under the direction of the Red Cross and pledging themselves to care for a certain number of sick or wounded in case of national or local need. Pelham alone has two hundred and fifty girls and women pledged to the work.

TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.

"Tanned." Ethel—"Did you get tanned so much on your holidays?" Charlie—"No; mamma brought no slippers with her!"

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS.

Uncle Dick wishes many happy returns to the following kiddies who will be celebrating their birthday to-day: Willie Dixon, Sackville. William Swain, 228 Charlotte street, City.

Would Like Prize. Springfield R. R. No. 1.

Dear Uncle Dick: I wish to join the Corner, and I am joining in this contest, and would like very much to win the prize. Yours truly, IDA McCUTCHEON.

Wants to Join Corner. Seal Cove, Grand Manan, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick: I am a reader of the Children's Corner. I am 14 years of age. I like to read the letters. Would you let me join your Corner, I would like to join. Let me know what the rules are.

I will now close, with best wishes From CLARK FOSTER.

Has Brother in France. Welsford, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick: As I have not written to the Corner yet I thought I would write now. I have one brother in France. He is in the ammunition column, and he has been there a year and hasn't been wounded yet. My birthday is the 29th of this month.

Well, Uncle Dick, as my letter is getting long I guess I will close. I hope to see your letter in Saturday's paper.

From your nephew, FRANCIS SPEIGHT.

Reads the Daily Joke. 93 Somerset St.

Dear Uncle Dick: I have been reading the letters and stories and each day's joke in the Children's Corner, and I would like to join it very much. I am 13 years old, and am in the Seventh Grade, expecting to go into the eighth. My birthday is the 13th of April. I am enjoying my holidays very much picking strawberries and feeding the chickens.

Now as my letter is getting long I will close, with love to you and your Corner. MARY TURNER.

Interesting Letter. Long Reach.

Dear Uncle Dick: I am writing to you again. I received my button fine in the letter. I thank you for it very much and I wear it on my coat. I was sorry that I could not get any to join but they do not take The Standard. I have had the measles and I got over them fine. I was only a week sick. Mother and I took a walk down to our shore last Sunday. We have a beautiful beach and we call it Sand Point, as the sand runs out and forms a little point. We live straight across from Brown's Flats wharf and if you are ever up to the Camp Grounds be sure and come over; there is boats there. Our shore is lovely. We have shipped to St. John a lot of berries this year. I wish you were up here to get some strawberries while they are going. The people up here are having. I love raking hay. If you have time, well, I guess I will close because I am very tired to-day as I have done a lot of work. Please excuse my writing. So I will say good-bye. With love and best wishes, From your loving niece, Jessie L. McKiel.

ECZEMA

Flupies form. It is a watery matter which turns to crust, itching becomes painfully intense, and the disease spreads over the body. There are many variations of eczema, but all are cured by the persistent use of Dr. Chase's Ointment.

Relief from itching is obtained at once, and gradually the sores are healed. You can see with your own eyes just what is accomplished from day to day by this carefully healing, soothing ointment, and this will encourage you to keep up the treatment until cure is complete.

Dr. Chase's ointment

UNIQUE.

Charlie Chaplin in "The Vagabond." Expecting a comedy of the usual kind I think most of yesterday's audience were as surprised as I was to see Charlie Chaplin in a romantic part and playing the hero with much pathos. His work in the burlesque Carmen prepared us a little for this but "The Vagabond" gives him many opportunities for serious acting and must be a great pleasure to him to show what he can do. Those who enjoy his comedy (who doesn't?) will find plenty to laugh at. A very funny bit of business is the improvised tablecloth. Some of the fun is a bit coarse. He is funny enough without that and perhaps will learn to leave out a few things. The picture begins as a typical comedy and ends as a romance. Edna Purviance is very pleasing in the feminine lead. Others are Eric Campbell, Charlotte Misseu, and Lloyd Bacon. Chaplin wrote and directed the production.

The Promised Land.

At the Unique is a sweetly sentimental picture of small town lovers; a small town where they have parties at which they play "twirl the plate" and kissing games. Margaret Clayton, Edmund F. Cobb and Bryant Washburn are in the cast. Margaret Clayton is the sweetheart of Bryant Washburn and Cobb plays the gay city man who separates the lovers for a season.

The Way of a Woman's Heart.

Featuring Miss Eugenie Besserer. This is a play of stage life and shows the love of a woman for a man who loves another woman. The heroine gives up her dream of happiness and saves "Anna" from the stage career for which she is unfitted.

"Seeing America First" gives fine glimpses of the story. The National Park. There was also a George Ovey comedy, "Jerry's Big Haul," in which Jerry punches people, clubs them and pushes them into ponds.

Oakes and Dunn sing and chatter cheerily at the Lyric for the vaudeville act.

OPERA HOUSE.

"The Innocent Lie." "Peg O' My Heart," only her name is "Nora" and she comes to the house in New York by mistake. This is a very pretty picture. The story begins with her two brothers, Terry and Pat. Terry is an industrious fisherman but Pat was "born tired." Sick of life at home Pat goes to "Americiky." Later on war breaks. Terry enlists and goes to New York to be with Pat. Her first friend is a darling dog who figures largely in the picture later. The Irish parts are well pictured. There is the little cottage with the half-door, the pig, chickens and a dog who takes the O'Brien for drives in a decidedly home-made looking cart. The play is full of variety, for there are incidents on the fishing boats; at the home of Nira Owen, a daughter of a wealthy Irish family, a daughter of the village church, and then the more familiar New York settings. The time is "the present," and the war posters on the bill-boards give a most realistic touch.

Some of the up-to-date appliances for street cleaning were shown at the Opera House yesterday. The squads of men were seen at work in the streets of New York. The men are even instructed in the proper use of the broom with which the streets are swept.

A wonderfully photographed picture of snails was next given. This common animal's life story is most interesting, and the unique way he gets his house rent free is almost enviable. I may be slow, but I'd hate to only get any place at the rate of from 5 to 7 feet an hour. Mr. Snail keeps six months every year. He also likes damp weather. Think what a happy time he must have had this summer!

Half Dozen Features Coming to Mutual.

Six five-act features to be released in forthcoming months as Mutual Star Productions and Mutual Masterpictures are now in preparation at the American studios in Santa Barbara, California. They include Mary Miles Minter in "Youth's Endearing Charm," followed by "Dulle's Adventure," a Mutual Star Production; "The Sable Blessing," a Mutual Star Production featuring Richard Bennett; "The Three Pals," presenting Kolb and Dill, a Mutual Star Production; "The Land of Lizards," a Mutual Masterpicture starring Anna Little and Frank Borzage; and "The Torch Bearer," a Mutual Star Production in which William Russell is the featured player.

"Thais" Causes Trouble. It seems at the present writing very probable that the opera "Thais" is to cause a local fight in New York. The World Film Company is making preparations to produce the opera on the screen with Kitty Gordon as star, says "Motography." Herbert Brenon has also announced that he will produce the story, featuring Mary Garden. The question now is, who will have the

right to make film history of the noted grand opera piece?

One of the most important releases of Pathe will be "The Light That Failed," by Rudyard Kipling, featuring Robert Edeson.

Metro.

Edmund Breece, supported by Ormi Hawley, Clifford Bruce and Evelyn Brent, is at work on a story of the Maine Logging camps called "The Weakness of Strength."

Lonel Barrymore, who is nearing the final scenes in "The Upheaval," will start at once on a picturization of the short story, "The Woolworth Diamonds," by Hugh C. Weir.

Mme. Petrova is now at work on a new feature, as yet unnamed, which she wrote herself. Harold Lockwood and May Allison are at work in the Metro-York western studios at Hollywood, California, in "Mister 44."

Numerous unusual comedy situations have been worked into "Home Talent," the Vogue-Mutual two-reel comedy, of which Rube Miller is the director as well as the star, assisted by the laughable Ben Turpin.

William Burreas, now an actor in William Fox photoplays, once held down a telegraph key in one of the stations on the Pennsylvania Railroad, and he has a long list of stories gathered while his key was silent.

He tells one about a section foreman at a junction on the road, who used to give minute descriptions of everything he could think of, in his reports to the supervisor. The latter was a kindly old soul, but he objected to reading pages of inconsequential matter, the meat of which might have been put into a short paragraph.

"Make 'em short!" the supervisor ordered. "You're not writing a his-

tory of railroadings."

One week after the foreman received this order, came a great flood. The report said: "Mr. Supervisor: The river is where the railroad was. Yours truly."

Elsie Janis Coming Over.

From across the Atlantic I hear Miss Elsie Janis is coming over to England at the end of next month for a six or seven weeks' stay in London—but not to fill any engagement.

She is just keen on doing some good for war sufferers during her visit, and writes that she will "gladly lend her services for entertainments intended to benefit the men at the front and cheer up the wounded and those on leave. The boys always loved me, and I love them."—London Daily Sketch.

In a particularly villainous moment at the William Fox studios recently, Stuart Holmes perpetrated this: "The original sleeping sack must have been the knapsack." Even a villain does some things beyond pardon.

Oscar Apfel, William Fox director on the Pacific Coast, bought an automobile recently and he headed on high for San Diego, for a "test case." Across the border from the California city is a Mexican racetrack. Mr. Apfel thought he would take in the proceedings. He purchased a programme of the day's races, picked the horses he thought would come first, second, and third, wagered a few pesos on his judgment, and settled down to wait.

The race started and ended, but none of Mr. Apfel's horses "came through." Therefore, the director rose up in his seat and his wrath, and declared he was against all combinations for, as he said:

"My one, two, and three horses saw me and deliberately got together on the far turn and conferred. What is a man going to do in a case like that?" ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

IMPERIAL THEATRE TODAY Proffers Edgar Lewis' Masterful Production "THOSE WHO TOIL" Daniel Carson Goodman's Drama of Capital, Love and Graft FEATURING NANCE O'NEIL, Emotional Star Synopsis of the Story: Surrounded by a hunger-frenzied mob of her own people, who she has vowed to avenge for the wrongs which capital has inflicted upon them, Jane, the daughter of one of the oil workers, stands between her love for the millionaire son of her father's employer, and the trust of the striking laborers. It is his life or her honor! How she saves both—how she attains justice and fair dealings for the oppressed workers, and happiness for herself, makes for a photo drama of most absorbing interest.

OPERA HOUSE Today 2.15-3.45 7.15-8.45 BRAY ANIMATED FUN CARTOON VALENTINE GRANT IN "THE INNOCENT LIE" "Cleaning a Big City" The scenes are laid in Ireland and New York. There are some splendid Irish recruiting scenes and the story is unusually interesting. How the "White Wings" of New York keep the streets and public places neat and clean. Interesting to everyone.

THURS-FRI SAT UNIQUE See Him Today as a Romantic Hero "THE VAGABOND" CHARLIE CHAPLIN IN A NEW ROLE. All Kinds of Startling Adventures. The Essanay Co. present the 3-Act Play "THE PROMISED LAND" 3 Shows Tonight 7, 8.10, 9.15 SEE CHAPLIN! THURS-FRI SAT LYRIC Nellie Browne Duff's Play of Stage Life "THE WAY OF A WOMAN'S HEART" SELIG COMPANY. The Glacier National Park Pretty Glimpses of Scenic Studies. "JERRY'S BIG HAUL" Geo. Ovey in a Comedy of Smiles and Titters. VAUDEVILLE OAKES & DUNNE SONGS AND CHATTER.

INTERESTING CONTESTS For the Word-Makers and Artists

How would you like a beautiful doll, or a splendid meccano set for the best copy of this picture? It looks much harder than it really is. First make a large square on a big piece of white paper. Divide this square into eight squares on each side, or sixty-four in all. Count the number of squares down from the top to Eleanor's head and begin to draw the outline. Follow along to the right very carefully, watching where you cross your lines. Sometimes you go to the right, sometimes up, sometimes down.



As mentioned above, I shall award a lovely large doll, or a most useful meccano set to the kiddie who sends in the best result. The copy must be larger than the original, have the usual coupon attached and reach this office not later than Wednesday, August 16th.

UNCLE DICK, THE STANDARD, ST. JOHN, N. B. Whose decision must be considered as final.

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

Miss Lysa Graham is a dancer who was recently very popular at the Empire Theatre, London. She is now spending her weeks in making "ridges" for the soldiers in the trenches, and her week-ends in making munitions. Incidentally she was among the very first women to win the American War Medal.—Daily Sketch.

Women in the fashionable suburbs of New York, like Scarsdale, Bronxville, Pelham and New Rochelle are studying under the direction of the Red Cross and pledging themselves to care for a certain number of sick or wounded in case of national or local need. Pelham alone has two hundred and fifty girls and women pledged to the work.

**THE WEATHER.**  
 Fenestica  
 Maritime—Moderate winds,  
 mostly east southeast, fair;  
 not much change in tempera-  
 ture.  
 Washington, Aug. 10.—Fore-  
 cast: Northern New England  
 —Fair Friday and probably  
 Saturday; slowly rising tempera-  
 tures; moderate northeast  
 winds.

Toronto, Aug. 10.—Rain is  
 falling tonight over Lake Su-  
 perior and a few light showers  
 have occurred today in the  
 western provinces, otherwise  
 the weather has been fine gen-  
 erally.

**Temperatures:**

	Min.	Max.
Dawson	40	70
Prince Rupert	50	72
Vancouver	56	76
Kamloops	58	80
Calgary	38	62
Edmonton	32	53
Battleford	34	48
Prince Albert	38	52
Medicine Hat	44	60
Saskatoon	41	51
Winnipeg	58	68
Parry Sound	64	86
London	55	86
Toronto	61	80
Ottawa	53	76
Montreal	58	76
Quebec	60	78
St. John	56	76
Halifax	60	76

**Around the City**

**Pay your taxes on or before August 17th and save 5 per cent. discount.** Immediately after the 17th day of August executions will be issued for all unpaid taxes.

**Quartette of Drunks.** Four drunks were gathered in by the police yesterday.

**The Police Court.** There was a quick session in police court yesterday when two drunks appeared before the magistrate and were remanded to jail.

**Engagement Announced.** Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carson, of Rexton, announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen Bratt, to J. Herbert Irving of Buctouche, marriage to take place early in September.

**Municipal Council.** A special meeting of the municipal council has been called for August 29 to consider the matter of building a new power house at the General Public Hospital.

**Temple Band Concert.** One of the largest crowds of the season were present on the King Square last night, and listened with delight to a programme of music rendered by the Temple band, under the direction of William H. Jones. The programme was selected and proved to be the most pleasing given by this organization for some time.

**After Twenty-Five Years.** It was decided at a recent meeting of parishioners and friends of Rev. Charles Collins, who has been in charge of St. Rose's church, Fairville, for more than 25 years that as an act of appreciation of his good services he should be presented with an automobile. Arrangements are being made to give effect to the wishes of his friends.

**Exceeding the Speed Limit.** Just as the band concert finished last night and Charlotte street was filled with people a young man driving a car which contained two lady passengers speeded past the Dufferin Hotel at a rate of over twenty miles an hour. A number of persons were forced to jump clear to prevent being knocked down by the automobile which was exceeding the speed limit. There was a number of indignant citizens on the street, and the only thing that saved the furious driver from being reported is that he went past so rapidly that the number on his license tag could not be read.

**THIRTEEN YEAR OLD BOY KILLED IN RUNAWAY**

Yesterday afternoon Harold Trainor, a boy thirteen years old, who lived with his step-father, Leonard Smith, Marsh Road, died at the General Public Hospital as the result of shocking injuries received in a runaway. He was driving a milk team in the morning when the horse bolted and the lad was thrown out of the wagon. He sustained injuries to the chest, face and legs, the ankle of the right leg being broken. It was at once seen that there was no hope of saving the lad's life and he expired at two o'clock in the afternoon.

In an effort to stop the runaway James Cole, about sixteen years old, living at Red Head, was badly hurt and is receiving treatment at the hospital. Inquiry last night elicited the information that he will probably recover. He received a severe scalp wound, the lower jaw was fractured, and there were lacerations on the chin. Coroner Roberts said last night that in the circumstances no inquest would be held regarding the death of young Trainor, whose body was taken away last evening to the undertaking parlors of Miss O'Neill, Main street.

**TENDER OF MOONEY & SONS IS ACCEPTED**

To Supply 140,000 Granite Paving Blocks at \$65 per Thousand—School Finances Discussed by City Council.

The common council met in committee yesterday noon and discussed several matters. It was decided to recommend to the council the acceptance of the tender of B. Mooney & Sons for 140,000 granite paving blocks at \$65 per thousand. The members also expressed the opinion that while every necessary expenditure on account of the war would have to be made, other expenditure should be very carefully looked into before being made, especially if it involved a bond issue.

Speaking of proposed Bentley and Newman street schools, His Worship expressed himself as heartily in favor of providing every possible educational facility, but in view of hospital conditions and the Lancaster water supply he thought that at present it was a serious question further to increase the bonded indebtedness. He recalled that the city had assessed for a \$40,000 contribution to the Patriotic Fund and that next year's patriotic work might require an assessment of more than \$100,000. St. John was ready and willing to meet every demand of war conditions, but expenditures along other lines was a different proposition.

Commissioners Russell and Fisher believed the Mayor should attend the government meeting in order to learn the proposition put forward by the school board and the needs of the situation. Both commissioners agreed that the Douglas Avenue building was necessary this year. It was suggested that it might be possible further to extend the time when the city must vacate the present building on Douglas Avenue. Notice has been given that the building must be vacated on May 1 next, as provisions have been made for further use of the structure.

**Misepce Dam.** The question of the Misepce dam interfering with the movement of salmon towards the stream was brought up by Commissioner Fisher who, together with Commissioner Russell, believed that every effort should be made to find a way out of the deadlock which exists in regard to opening the dam and still preserving the rights of the city. The question will be given further consideration, probably on Tuesday.

Acceptance of an invitation from the Union of Canadian Municipalities, for the annual convention at Montreal on Aug. 22, 23, 24, was advised by the commissioners who were of the opinion that Mayor Hayes should attend as he was a member of the municipalities executive and vice-president.

**A ST. JOHN MAN SAW THE DEUTSCHLAND**

Michael Howard, of North End was in Baltimore when German "U" Boat Started for Home.

Michael Howard, 619 Main street, returned to the city last evening after spending a few weeks visiting some of the large cities of the United States. Mr. Howard was in Baltimore the day the Deutschland sailed on her return voyage. Mr. Howard said that he was unable to get very near to the submarine, but he could hear the callers shouting in German the usual farewells and good-byes. Mr. Howard said that the boat was a good deal longer than it appears in the picture. He said there were thousands of people on the street leading to the dock from where the submarine sailed. The most of them were hysteric Germans.

"Of course," said Mr. Howard, "all I could do was think, as it would be only nonsense for me to say anything with a crowd of Germans and German sympathizers around me." While away Mr. Howard also visited Philadelphia, Washington, New York and Boston.

**\$7,000 DRAZE IN NORTH END YESTERDAY**

Houses Owned by Thos. Hastings and Arch. Treacartin on Victoria St. Gutted.

ABSENCE OF WIND SAVED REST OF BLOCK

Tenants in the Two Houses Suffer Severe Losses—Part of Damage Covered by Insurance.

A fire which caused \$7,000 damage to the houses of Thomas Hastings and Archibald Treacartin on Victoria street and the furniture of the tenants in them occurred yesterday afternoon. If there had been any wind blowing the result would in all probability have been the wiping out of the entire block.

The fire started in a barn in the rear of the Hastings house and spread to the barn in the rear of the Treacartin house. The two barns were destroyed and the top floor of the Hastings house badly gutted. The shingles were nearly burned off the end of the Treacartin house, but the fire did not break through the boards. The tenants in the Hastings house had the greater part of their furniture destroyed by fire and water, but the damage to the furniture of those living in the Treacartin house will be mostly from smoke. The tenants in the Hastings house were: On the lower floor Frank Allaby, on the second floor William Woodside, on the third floor William Dalton; in the Treacartin house on the first floor, Howard E. Johnston, on the second floor Archibald Treacartin, on the third floor, John H. Lane.

The house of Thomas Hastings received the most damage, the ell was practically burned down and the top floor and roof badly burned, the contents will be ruined with the tons of water which were poured into the house and it will cost considerable to repair the damage. He estimates his loss at about \$5,000. He has \$2,000 insurance on the house.

William Dalton, who lives on the top floor, lost all his furniture on carried \$500 insurance, which will not nearly cover his loss. Mr. and Mrs. Woodside, who occupy the second flat, were both away, and it was impossible to ascertain if they had any insurance on their furniture, which will be nearly a total loss. Frank Allaby, who occupied the lower floor, was able to get some of his furniture out and the salvage corps covered what they could with rubber covers, but his insurance of \$300 will not cover his loss.

**Automobile Rescued.** Archibald Treacartin, who owns the other property which was burned, lost a barn in which at the time of the fire was an automobile owned by Mr. Johnston, which was saved; two tons of hay and a new rubber-tired carriage, belonging to Mr. Treacartin, were burned. The end of his house, although the fire did not burn through the wall. He estimates his loss at about \$1,000 with about two-thirds insurance.

John H. Lane, who occupies the top floor, estimates his loss at about \$200, mainly caused by smoke, and his loss is covered by insurance. Howard E. Johnston, who occupies the first floor, had no insurance at all and could not say what his loss was. The fire was first seen by either Mrs. Thomas Orchard, 48 Albert street, or Ralph Coleman, Metcalf street. Mr. Coleman, who was working around the yard of his home, noticed the flames through a window in the barn and ran to the box on the Alexander school, pulled the hook there. Mrs. Orchard raised the alarm when she noticed the flames and someone sent in an alarm from Box 123. Hazen Taylor, who was laying a cement walk for Mr. Treacartin, made his way into the burning barn and got out a horse belonging to Mr. Johnston.

The firemen quickly responded, but by the time they arrived and got water on the fire had gained great headway and it looked for a time as though the whole block would be wiped out. Those standing around claim that the water pressure at first was very weak, but when the firemen got to work in earnest they soon got the blaze under control. The first alarm was rung in about 4:50 and the fire was practically out at six o'clock, and the men deserve credit for confining the blaze where they did.

The fire was fought by hose companies Nos. 4, 3, 2; engines Nos. 5, 4 and the motor engine; the North End chemical, No. 1 and No. 2 ladder trucks, and No. 2 Salvage Corps; in fact the whole fire department was there with the exception of No. 1 Engine Company.

Fire in Manchester Residence, Manawagonish Road. About one o'clock yesterday afternoon fire was discovered in the front of James Manchester's residence, Manawagonish Road, but it was extinguished before any great damage was done. They are at a loss to account for the fire, as the only fire in the house was in the kitchen. Help was summoned from the surrounding

**GOVERNMENT TENDERS HERE YESTERDAY**

Tenders for Marsh Road Work Opened, but Considered Too High—Delegations from Patriotic Fund Executive and School Board Heard.

The provincial government held two meetings here yesterday. In the morning the tenders for the proposed work on the Marsh Road were opened; in the afternoon delegations were heard from the executive of the Patriotic Fund and the Board of School Trustees.

Tenders for the Marsh Road improvements were opened. Four tenders were received: Messrs. Kano and Ring, \$60,821; Carrillo, Paterson Co., \$95,944; Louis Corey, \$102,580, and A. R. C. Clark and Son, (Warrento process), \$104,908. As the distance to be surfaced is less than four miles it was considered that the prices were excessive.

The bidders were asked to submit modifications of the specifications to the road engineer at once. The government will decide within the next week upon some plan by which this important thoroughfare may be put in good condition and will proceed with the work at once.

**Delegations Heard.** A committee representing the patriotic fund was heard and they drew the attention of the government to the fact that there would probably be a large deficit in the fund at the end of the year. It was pointed out that the act passed last session gave the power to assess on the municipality, and the matter was left in abeyance until the amount of the deficit should be ascertained.

R. B. Emerson, representing the Board of School Trustees, and Mayor Hayes, representing the city council, were present and heard in regard to the request of the school board for permission to issue bonds for new buildings. The government decided to take no action in the matter until the school board and the city council confer and come to some agreement in the matter.

**WELD AT REQUEST OF WOODSTOCK POLICE**

Mrs. Lena Monahan Arrested Yesterday Wanted in Woodstock for Theft of Clothing.

Mrs. Lena Monahan was taken in custody last evening by Detectives Barrett and Briggs and is being detained at police headquarters on the request of Chief of Police Kelly of Woodstock. It is said that the woman is wanted in Woodstock on the charge of stealing clothing. This is not the first time that Mrs. Monahan has been in trouble here. Some months ago she was apprehended for taking a quantity of furniture from her husband's home on Golding street. At that time a team load of the furniture was taken to the police cells. An agreement was made between the husband and wife, so they could live apart, and the furniture was returned to the husband.

It is expected Chief Kelly will arrive in the city today to take the prisoner back to Woodstock.

**Hot Weather Dress Materials.** F. A. Dykeman & Co. are well supplied with cool dress materials. They have fine volles with plain grounds and seed and rice effects, in white and colors, ranging in price from 22c to 32c, per yard. With is from 38 to 40 inches. They have a special value in sand colored volles in plain and seed effect at 25 cts. per yard, regular price 40 cts. per yard. These cool dress materials are just the thing for these hot days.

**Purse Lost.** Lost from automobile in St. John, or between St. John and a short distance above Blagden station, on Thursday, a fine black leather purse, lined with green moire silk. Finder rewarded by returning to the Marr Millinery Co., Ltd.

Victoria "Wet Wash" Laundry is the best—they cleanse the clothes thoroughly. 2 to 10 Pitt street, Phone 330. Gundry's are showing a large range of small Diamond Rings at very low prices. One lot at \$12.00 is a wonder. These are nice clean white diamonds of good size set in 14kt. gold. They are bigger and better than you will get elsewhere for \$12.00.

**SISTER SUSIE'S PICNIC**

**WESTFIELD**  
**AUGUST 12 SATURDAY**  
**AFTERNOON AND EVENING**  
 UNDER THE AUSPICES OF  
**THE ROTARY CLUB AND THE WESTFIELD WILLING WORKERS**  
**Sister Susie will be on hand**  
 to show her Visitors to the Grounds, entrance to which will be without money and without price, the same as being charged for Susie's many laugh factories

**TICKETS FOR THE GRAND PIANO DRAWING**

**Sister Susie's Volunteer Fakirs**  
 including some of the city's leading business and professional men, in whom she has found a remarkable degree of latent talent,  
**WILL OPERATE A SCORE OF CONTRIVANCES**  
 ingenious for their laugh provoking and money extracting qualities.  
**An Excellent Supper WILL BE SERVED BY THE LADIES For a Moderate Price**

**THE GAMES ARE TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION**  
 But it might be noted that **SISTER SUSIE'S SOUTHERN MINSTREL SHOW** will introduce one of the most prominent lights on the American stage, who has not only come from New York at Susie's request, but has brought a company as well.

**READ THIS EXCURSION TICKETS**  
 Carefully

are good going Regular Trains—Daylight Time—9:30 a.m.; 1:10 p.m.; 5:05 p.m. and 6:10 p.m. Special Train at 2:30 p.m., stopping at all stations as follows: St. John 2:30; Fairville 2:40; Primcrest 2:45; Acamac 2:48; Ketepec 2:50; Morua 2:52; Martinton 2:55; Grand Bay 2:57; Pandemec 2:59; Epworth Park 3:00; Ingleside 3:02; Ononette 3:05; Hillandale 3:09; Westfield Beach 3:14. Returning Regular Trains 9:05 p.m. Special Train at 10:15 p.m. "Geneva" leaves Indiantown at 2:30, returning leaves the Westfield Wharf at 9:30.

**Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited**  
 Stores Open 8.30 a.m., Close 6 O'clock; Fridays 10 p. m., Saturdays 1 p. m.

**Popular Priced Suits for Men**

The growing importance of this department in the estimation of well-dressed men is evidenced by the greater than ever number of M. R. A. smart suits to be seen about town. And while our suits are famous for good fashion and correct interpretation of every new style detail, it is not necessary to pay high prices to take advantage of the fine appearance and exclusiveness of M. R. A. models.

See the new suits we are showing now at from \$13.50 to \$18.00. They are Mixed Tweeds in browns and greys, also navy blue serges. You'll be surprised at the fine effect of these suits and their perfect fitting qualities.

Prices from ..... \$13.50 to \$18.00  
 MEN'S CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

**Clearance of Blouse Waists and Middy Blouses**

This is a clearance of Waists that have become counter soiled; also a quantity of oddments in perfect condition. Waists in Volles, Striped Cottons, Piques, Madras, etc., in sizes from 34 to 42. Also a lot of Middy Blouses, slightly soiled, in a variety of styles. Sizes from 34 to 40. All have been very greatly reduced for this occasion.

Prices range from ..... 85c to \$1.50  
 BLOUSE SECTION—SECOND FLOOR.

**Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited**