

THE WEATHER.
Maritime—Fresh northerly to westerly winds, fair, not much change in temperature.

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ASQUITH GIVES PEACE TALK QUIETUS; FRENCH NOW ATTACKERS AT VERDUN

GEN. HUGHES FIGHTS HIS ENEMIES TO STANDSTILL

Opposition Counsel Haven't Word to Say After Minister of Militia Finishes Evidence Before Meredith-Duff Commission—Charges Enemies with Hiring Agents to Steal Documents in New York—Carvell Silent as He Sees His Schemes Shattered and Himself Discredited.

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, May 31.—With the conclusion of the evidence of General Sir Sam Hughes, this afternoon, there was brought to an end one of the most spectacular exhibitions that has been staged for many a year in any Canadian court. For a soldier, General Hughes made a great witness, and though faced by one of the keenest legal minds in the Dominion, Mr. Johnston, K. C., a discriminating audience gave the verdict to the soldier. A significant feature was that when Mr. Johnston had finished not one of the remaining quartette of opposition lawyers headed by Mr. Carvell had a single question to ask. The Minister of Militia had fought them all to a standstill.

CARVELL SILENT.
All eyes were turned towards Mr. Carvell, but he sat still in his place. He had no questions to ask and nothing to say. His fighting inclinations all seemed to have vanished and the crowded court-room was surprised. Mr. Carvell had threatened General Hughes in the House of Commons with what he was going to do to him in the way of exposure. In fact he had hinted that he would no longer be Minister of Militia when he would have done with him. But the member for Carleton, N. B., failed to make good his threats.
The Minister of Militia lived up to his reputation of courage and fair fighting. Mr. Johnston trained all the big shot at his command on Sir Sam, but the latter never flinched. In fact he had Mr. Johnston on the defensive many times. He told his lawyer opponent that one of his questions was "trifle" and insisted on him straightening out and revising many of the questions before he would answer them.
Sir Sam plainly showed his impatience at being compelled to sit in a witness box and hearken back in memory to dates and incidents of nearly two years ago. He was chafing at the bit and it was very evident that he wished to be back again at his work, organizing, equipping and transporting Canadian soldiers to the theatre of war.
Standing room was at premium during all the time that Sir Sam was in the witness box, and the atmosphere was at tension point all the time. Sir William Meredith and Mr. Justice Duff seemed to enjoy and appreciate the situation as much as any spectator in the court and while the Minister of Militia needed no protection, it was evident that the commissioners would not allow opposition counsel to take any advantage of the minister's desire to tell all he knew about the matters under investigation.

NO DESIRE TO WITHHOLD FACTS.
In fact Mr. Justice Duff was objecting to Mr. Johnston placing certain correspondence on file but the Minister of Militia stated that he had no objection to its being read and put on file as far as he was concerned and that he had nothing to fear.
The climax to his evidence came when Sir Sam charged his enemies with hiring men to steal documents in New York and while Sir William Meredith was indignant at such tactics being employed the minister seemed to regard it as part of the game. He gave and took no quarter, and was thus true to his whole career as a fighting man.
It is plain that the inquiry cannot last much longer as there are very few more witnesses to call and another four or five days should see the conclusion of the investigation. Unless Mr. Johnston and Mr. Carvell spring something sensational, it is not probable that much new ground will be broken until the end. The chief feature of the whole investigation has been the striking evidence of General Bertram, Colonel Carnegie and General Hughes which revealed for the first time to the Canadian public the magnificent and patriotic work performed by the old shell committee who in return received abuse and have been attacked on all sides. The work of Mr. Helmuth, K. C., as government counsel has been the subject for praise on all sides, and much of the cross examination has lost its sting by the complete manner in which Mr. Helmuth conducted the direct examination.

Ottawa, May 31.—It was a quiet afternoon with the Meredith-Duff case inquiry. Sir Sam Hughes' evidence was concluded after two sessions brimful of warm exchanges between the minister and counsel, and some sensations in the way of evidence. The general was apparently undisturbed as he quit the stand.
The commission resumes tomorrow.

T. A. Russell on Stand.
Mr. T. A. Russell, of the Russell Motor Car Company, of Toronto, followed and was in the witness box all afternoon. His evidence consisted largely of repetitions of that given by Mr. Lloyd Harris, his associate in business, but covered less ground, and the cross-examination had not been reached on adjournment for the day.
Russell dwelt on the unsuccessful efforts of his company to secure a fuse contract about the time the orders were placed in the United States, but said that later his company had secured a contract for fuse fuses. On this order there had been a time extension, the witness said, partly owing to a change in the gauges by the war office. Figures were introduced showing the deliveries on the amended order. About \$70,000 worth of the work had been done outside of Canada, Russell said, and the "loading" is to be done in the plant of the Imperial Munitions Board at Montreal.
Mr. Russell stated that his understanding was the same as his partner's in regard to Col. Carnegie's statement that no advances had been made to the American contractors, but said that he and the colonel had had a conversation last November and had agreed to "bury the hatchet." He accepted Col. Carnegie's denial that advances had only been given on the cartridge case contract.

ALL-CANADIAN FLYING CORPS MAY BE FORMED
London, May 31. (Montreal Gazette cable)—Canadian aviators with the Royal Flying Corps are advocating the formation of an all-Canadian flying corps. They say that over sixty would join at once, and that the strength of the corps would be largely increased from the graduates of the aviation schools in Canada and the United States, where a large proportion of the pupils are Canadians training for war service.

CHURCHILL'S CRITICISM ANSWERED

Speech on Military Matters Last Week Dealt with in Commons.

ASQUITH'S GLOWING TRIBUTE TO "K. OF K."
Premier Backs Up Grey's Statements on Peace Question and Sounds Death Knell of Premature Peace Idea.

London, May 31.—Premier Asquith stated in the House of Commons today, in answer to a question put by Sir Arthur B. Mackinnon, Liberal member for the Mansfield Division of Nottinghamshire, that there was nothing in the statement made by Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, that indicated Germany was prepared to consider terms of peace which would safeguard the interests of the Entente Allies and the future peace of Europe.
The premier said he did not think he could usefully say anything to the speech made last week by Sir Edward Grey.
Sir Arthur's question apparently was designed finally to set at rest any suggestion that the Allies were prepared to accept intervention in putting his question he referred to the fact that in the German reply to the latest American note it was pointed out that Germany had twice announced her readiness to make peace. He then asked whether the Allies were prepared to avail themselves of the good offices of a neutral state in order to communicate to the German government definite terms on which they would be willing to make peace, provided the German government were prepared to make in the same way and at the same time a communication to the Allies of definite terms on which Germany was willing to make peace.
The premier's reply was received with cheers.
The vote for the salary of Earl Kitchener as secretary of war, being before the House of Commons today, the members had an opportunity to discuss the general conduct of the war. In introducing the vote Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary secretary for war, replied to the speech made last week by Winston Spencer Churchill, in which he said the post continued on page two.

GERMAN AND BULGAR CAMPS AT GIEVGLI BOMBED BY ALLIES

New York, May 31.—According to a Journal desceit from Saloniki today, French aeroplanes have bombed the German and Bulgarian encampments at Gievglis. There were numerous casualties. There are important movements of Bulgarian troops in Greek Macedonia, but the military authorities state there has been no further fighting in the region of Demir Hisar.

Attacking Columns of Austrians Mowed Down by Italians

Rome, via London, June 1.—The official statement from general headquarters, issued today, reads: "On the heights north of the Valley of the Ledro and in the Riva some numerous enemy movements were evident, with unaccounted activity in defensive work."
"In the valley of Lagarina violent enemy attacks were renewed with great bravery, after intense artillery preparation with guns of large calibre, but were repulsed, with the annihilation of the attacking columns. The fighting was of the fiercest around Col Di Buole, where the gallant infantry of the sixty-second Regiment, Sicilian brigade, and the two companies and Seventh Regiment, Taro brigade, repeatedly made sallies from their trenches, pursuing the enemy with the bayonet."
"In the Passubio sector there was an artillery duel. An enemy attack in the direction of Foral Alti was repulsed."
"Between Postina and the Upper Astico the battle is developing, the enemy concentrating particularly in the Astico Valley. We repulsed a morning attack in the Campiella zone."
"Further east the concentration of the enemy artillery fire compelled us to evacuate a position on Monte Prial-Fo-A, but a desperate counter-attack regained the position for us. Nevertheless, owing to the violent enemy artillery fire, our troops withdrew slightly on the southern slopes of the mountain."
"On the plateau of Asiago we evacuated Punta Corbin, but continue to withstand the enemy pressure along the remainder of the front."
"In Carnia and on the Isonzo there has been intermittent artillery activity, more intense in the Upper But in the San Martino zone. Our infantry made a bold raid into the enemy's lines."

GENERAL SUP'T OF G.T.R. DIES SUDDENLY IN PRIVATE GAR

Hugh F. Coyle Passes Away While Returning After Visit to Son at Meadville, P. A.

Jamestown, N. Y., May 31.—Hugh F. Coyle, general superintendent of the Grand Trunk Railway, died suddenly on his private car, attached to an Erie train for Buffalo, near Kenady station, about six o'clock this afternoon. Death was due to heart trouble. He had been visiting his son, E. B. Coyle, chief dispatcher of the Erie, at Meadville, Penna. Mr. Coyle was formerly an Erie official at Meadville, but had been with the Grand Trunk many years.

GERMAN "U" BOAT CHASED BY FREIGHTERS

Berlin Yarn Says Submarine Back in Home Waters After Thrilling Experiences in the Atlantic.

Berlin, May 31, via London, June 1.—The following official communication was issued today: "A submarine has just returned from the Atlantic, where it was pursued and fired upon by two freighters it had attempted to halt. The first steamer was a 3,000-ton vessel, without neutral distinguishing marks, which the submarine tried to stop, May 2, near Ushant (Department of Finistere, France), by firing a warning shot. After a few minutes the steamer opened fire from a five centimetre gun. The U-boat escaped by putting on high speed."
"The afternoon of the following day the same submarine pursued a big steamer and fired a warning shot at a great steamer, whereupon the steamer opened fire from a 10 or 15 centimetre gun. The U-boat escaped by putting on high speed."

COUNT TISZA ON THE PEACE PROSPECTS

"Strong Man" of Dual Monarchy Makes Hair-splitting Distinctions.

DECLARES ENTENTE HAVE MISCALCULATED

Convinced to Own Satisfactory Past is Willing for Peace.

Berlin, May 31, via London, June 1.—Count Tisza, the Hungarian premier, known as the "strong man" of Austria-Hungary, in an interview accorded to a correspondent of the Berlin Tageblatt, expressed himself very cautiously with regard to the prospects for peace and on the situation so far as the readiness of Germany and Austria-Hungary is concerned.
"But," said Count Tisza, "the Entente is yet unwilling to draw the consequences from this situation."
The premier made a sharp distinction between subjective and objective pre-conditions for peace conditions, saying: "The objective pre-conditions for peace conditions, which I have been existing for the Central Powers, have undoubtedly been strengthened during recent months. The final event which we could desire to happen before embarking on peace negotiations is now occurring—the expulsion of the Italians from Austrian soil."
"An improvement in the objective premises is also registered in the enemy camp, where there is no longer talk of smashing up Germany and that subjective pre-conditions of peace exist, although I fall to see whereon our enemies still base their hopes. The expectations they based upon the entrance of Italy into the war, the attitude of Roumania and the United States and upon the Balkan adventure, have proved erroneous. Now, as before, it depends solely upon our enemies when peace is restored."
"From the moment when we destroyed the aggressive intentions of our adversaries, we made no secret of our willingness for peace. Like Von Bethmann-Hollweg and Grey I, too, desire a peace which will assure to Europe permanent quiet. The history of this war shows where Austria-Hungary must seek security for such a peace, and it is unnecessary for me to express myself upon the extent of the guarantees necessary for this."

BELIEVE AUTO BANDITS ON WAY TO CANADA

Wanted for Murder of Two Policemen in St. Louis—Authorities Expect they Will Try to Enlist in Ontario.

London, Ont., May 31.—The London police department is in receipt of a communication from the chief of police at St. Louis, Mo., warning the local authorities to be on the watch for three auto bandits, wanted in St. Louis for the murder of two policemen there.

It is believed by the St. Louis police that the men, whose names are given as Frank Lewis, Ora Lewis and Roy J. Lewis, and are alleged to be brothers, have escaped to Ontario and will endeavor to enlist in some of the overseas battalions preparing to depart for the front.

FRENCH DEAL HEAVY BLOW ON ENEMY AT MORT HOMME

In Spirited Attack Drive Hun's from Strongly Organized Positions, Capture Seven Machine Guns and 225 Prisoners—Hill 304 Again Under Fire—British Push Still Further into Interior of German East Africa.

The French troops northwest of Verdun, in the region of Le Mort Homme, have turned on the offensive against the Germans, and in a spirited attack have captured a strongly organized position on the slopes southwest of Le Mort Homme. Seven machine guns and 225 prisoners were taken in the attack, which was the only infantry fighting on Wednesday reported in the latest French official communication.
The towns of Avocourt and Hill 304, in this immediate vicinity, are under a heavy bombardment, and shells of large calibre are being used. Bombardments also are in progress north of Verdun, from the Meuse river to Fort Vaux, and up in the Vosges mountains, in the Hartmannsweller-Kopf region.
On the Asiago-Artenico sector of the Austro-Italian front the Austrians have taken additional points of vantage from the Italians, and put down attempts by King Emmanuel's men to recover lost ground. According to the Austrian communication during the present offensive the Austrians have captured 31,083 Italians and 293 cannon. The Italian war office admits the occupation of positions at Monte Pratoro and Puntocroce, on the Asiago plateau.
The lake region south of Drivack, on the Russian front, is again the scene of heavy bombardments, probably the prelude to more infantry fighting. Farther south, on the Volynian front and along the Besarezian border, there is increased activity by the Teutons and Russians.
Petrograd reports the capture of a Russian position in the region of Diarbekr, but says the Russians, in a counter-attack, ejected the invaders.
Nothing new has come through concerning the invasion of Greek Macedonia by the Bulgars and Germans, but on the extreme western part of the Balkan front the Austrians along the Vovussa river, in Albania, have pursued Italian patrols.
The British invasion of German East Africa continues, and has reached a strongly entrenched German position between the Egaru mountains and the Banagi river, where a fight seems probable.

Hill 304 Still Under Fire.
Paris, May 31.—The official communication issued tonight by the war office reads: "On the left bank of the Meuse there was a violent bombardment with shells of large calibre in the region of Avocourt and Hill 304."
"In the afternoon in a spirited attack, our troops gained possession of a German work strongly organized on the slopes to the southwest of Le Mort Homme. We took 225 prisoners, including 5 officers and captured seven machine guns."

Russian Counter-Thrust Successful.
Petrograd, via London, May 31, 9.02 p. m.—The following official communication was issued today: "In the lake region south of Drivack the enemy artillery has been active at many points. Enemy aerial reconnoissances are increasing in activity over the whole front. One of our aeroplanes fought an enemy Albatross with a machine gun. The Albatross was brought down northwest of Baranovitch, enveloped in smoke."
"In the Caucasus region, in the direction of Diarbekr, on Sunday the Turks opened an offensive from the direction of Gghnote on Margabazar, and a portion of their forces occupied Geniret. Our troops then took the offensive and ejected them."

British Success in German East Africa Keeps Up.
London, May 31.—The British invasion of German East Africa has been carried further into the interior, and one of the British columns is now confronted with a German army which has taken up strong defensive positions. The following official statement in regard to this campaign was given out here this evening: "Gen. Smuts (the British commander) reports that our columns, which are advancing down the Banagi river reached the south end of the Egaru mountains on the 29th and located the enemy near Nkolobeh, occupying a strong entrenched position on a narrow neck between the mountains and the river."

Will Take An Inventory Of Wool Supply
Merchants and Manufacturers Must Furnish Government with List of Supplies of Over 5,000 lbs.

London, May 31.—The war office has issued a notice ordering merchants and manufacturers to furnish it with a list of all wool and wool products in quantities exceeding 5,000 pounds in weight in their custody or control. The information must be furnished before June 6, under penalty of a violation of the defence of the realm act.
It is understood that the result of the census will influence a decision on pending questions concerning the control of the exportation of wool from South Africa and the United Kingdom to the United States.

AMHERST GIVES MEN OF 193RD FINE SEND-OFF
Special to The Standard.
Amherst, May 31.—Marching through streets gay with flags and bunting, B Company of the 193rd Battalion, who have been quartered at Amherst for the past winter, entrained at noon today for Aldershot. The 160th French Canadian Battalion acted as a guard of honor and lined the streets while the company of "Amherst Best" paraded for the final time. Mayor Moffatt read Major McLean, officers and men of the company a farewell address, to which the officers replied with a few words. All along the line, the Amherst company will be joined by detachments from Cumberland.

The Springhill detachment, numbering seventy in all, entrained for the Nova Scotia military camp this morning and met the Amherstonians at the Junction.

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12 NEUTRAL SHIPS TORPEDOED UP TO APRIL 30

"CRANK" BOMBARDS WM. K. VANDERBILT'S HOME WITH ROCKS

Tells Police Thought it was Rockefeller's, Whom He Blames for Sufferings of the Poor.

New York, May 31.—Carrying a leather bag filled with stones, Saerbas R. Forwicks, a wood carver of Yonkers, N. Y., stopped in front of the home of William K. Vanderbilt in Fifth avenue, today and began to hurl stones through the windows. A policeman arrested him as he was throwing the fourth stone.

The police said that Forwicks declared that he believed he was throwing the stones at the home of J. D. Rockefeller, who he said he held responsible for the sufferings of the poor. The policeman who made the arrest said Forwicks admitted that he and a friend had plotted to kill "Mr. Rockefeller" and that his associate had promised to meet him in the district of the supposed Rockefeller home.

Evidence that Forwicks had been an inmate of an asylum was furnished by a physician. He was held until the district attorney should decide whether he wanted the man recommitted.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Victoria.
Miss V. Fowles, Halifax; J. C. Gillespie, Truro, N.S.; D. F. Lister, McAdam Junction; J. M. Brady, Montreal; H. P. Morton, Penobscot; N. W. Evesleigh, Sussex; D. Blue, Montreal; E. H. T. M. M. C. Scott, Amherst; J. A. Legere, Conception; W. S. Curtis, Summerside; P. E. J. Brown, Toronto; W. Dunn, D. W. MacDonald, Moncton.

Royal.
D. W. Burns, Stratford, Ont.; A. B. Fortier, Toronto; Jas. Leblond, Detroit, Mich.; Geo. W. Maynard, E. Sudbury, Toronto; Geo. E. McGowan, Montreal; D. S. Crockett, Fredericton; C. Robac, Houston, Me.; J. B. McNeill, New York; A. D. Poiras, Montreal; H. N. Grant, Canterbury, N. B.; Theo. E. Cuffe, London, Eng.; E. J. Miles, Fredericton; Herbert Sanders, Ottawa; J. Stewart Neil, Fredericton; S. J. Walker, Ottawa; A. J. Macdonald, Moncton; J. G. Rainnie, Halifax; H. V. Clements, Toronto; H. T. Deplock, Montreal; John Kennedy, Antigonish; L. Gardiner, Halifax; Wm. P. Gibson and wife, Minneapolis, Minn.; J. A. Burbridge and wife, Halifax; H. O. Henschel, I. Stern, Montreal; W. W. Near, Toronto; A. M. Mosley, Guelph, Ont.; A. W. Taylor, Halifax; Jas. Poulos, Ottawa; G. W. Badley, Montreal; J. McTaggart, St. Marys, N. B.; W. H. Barnes, Montreal; J. Rosendahl, Lavick, Norway; D. Townsend, River Glade.

Dufferin.
S. V. Skillen and wife, St. Martins; Joe Maggs, Boston; Chas. C. Sadler, Dr. A. H. Tully, Kentville; Chas. Allen, Fredericton; Lewis MacDonald, Charlottetown; Harry M. Johnston, Calais, Me.; W. J. Kirk, Toronto; L. A. Demers, Miramichi; C. H. Shaw, Toronto; W. Dione and wife, Perth; J. P. Long, Montreal; H. R. Day, Digby; C. D. Cooke, Halifax; W. S. Harding, Hammond River; A. S. Howe, Boston; J. D. Metcalf, Montreal; Gibson and wife, Vancouver; Stella McDonald, Campbellton; Mrs. C. H. Steele, Presque Isle, Me.; J. E. Deon and wife, Meteghan River; L. A. Richardson, Wolfville; M. P. Reid, Marysville, N. B.; Geraldine Reid, Wolfville; D. Stewart, Dr. Geo. D. Prescott, Albert; J. Dallas, Boston, Mass.; A. R. MacKenzie, St. Stephen; G. W. Dennison, Houlton.

DIED.
LOCKHART.—In this city, May 30, Mary Earle, wife of George A. Lockhart, aged thirty-one years, and third daughter of the late J. Morris Robinson.

Funeral Friday at three p.m. from the residence of Mrs. J. Morris Robinson, 36 Queen Square.

A sanitary ice box prevents many illnesses—keep yours sanitary with

Old Dutch



Old Dutch Cleanser

NORWAY LOST SIXTY-TWO VESSELS THROUGH ACTIVITY OF SUBMARINES

Washington, May 31.—Official figures published by the British embassy show that up to the end of April neutral nations had lost 121 ships sunk by submarines. Although the state department has had a vast amount of diplomatic correspondence on this subject, in the list appears the name of only one American ship—the Loran, sunk July 25 last year.

Norway was by far the heaviest sufferer, with 62 ships lost. Denmark lost 22, Sweden 20, Holland 7, Greece 6 and Spain 4 ships.

A SAMPLE OF HELL LET LOOSE

German Socialist Paper thus Describes Scenes During the Recent Food Riots in Berlin.

A first-hand account of some of the recent happenings in Berlin is now available through the medium of a copy of the Socialist journal "Vorwarts," which escaped confiscation in transit through the mail. It shows that the Kaiser's capital is in a state of desperation bordering on actual revolution; that the rapacity of tradesmen is goading the population into acts of lawlessness and violence only comparable with a condition of civil mutiny, and that constituted authority is set at absolute defiance by a people on the verge of starvation.

"Hell Let Loose."
The "Vorwarts" story is evidently told under great restraint, but more than enough is said to show the temper of the people. The Socialist journal may well describe the scene as "a sample of hell let loose."

Last night hundreds of women had been waiting for hours in front of the Blesold stores to purchase meat. The shop remained closed, and eventually a placard made its appearance in the window bearing the inscription, "Meat sold out." A great murmuring arose among the crowd, which threatened to develop into something more active than mere rumbles, when it occurred to two of the women to proceed to the police station and induce the police to make an inspection of the store.

Before long two officials arrived on the scene; they ordered Frau Rosa Blesold, the proprietress, to open the door of her shop. The police entered and descended to the vast refrigerating chambers, where they discovered thousands of pounds of bacon, hams, sausages, fresh beef and pork, salt beef, great cakes filled with dripping and tallow, and many other wares; while in Frau Blesold's villa residence were found huge stores of poultry, cheese, eggs, etc.

The news spread like wildfire throughout the district, and within an hour the Wilhelmstrasse and all the adjoining streets were rendered impassable by the immense crowds of would-be purchasers who surged up and down in their excitement like ocean waves in a storm.

Gutting the Shop.
In the midst of the turmoil there came a great shout, "Down with the shameless ones!" and in an instant the cry was taken up by thousands:—Wave upon wave of agitated, mostly feminine, and all struggling, humanity flung itself against the front of the Blesold establishment. The people were knocked down, and the entrance hall became gorged with the wriggling panting, shouting human torrent. The storm raged throughout every part of the building. From the vaults below great joints of beef and veal, carcasses of pigs, etc., were dragged up the narrow stairs by the puffing women with a masterful agility, while from the upper windows strings of sausages, hams, and sides of bacon were flung into the street on the heads of the agitated throng.

When the premises had been emptied and several of the attacking party lay in a dead swoon in the street, and when five of them had received serious

injury in the fearful crush in the hallway and passages, a force of mounted gendarmes arrived on the meat-and-sausage-strewn battlefield, and the mob was forcibly dispersed, many bearing the spoils of battle in triumph to their homes.

Thus at length did Berliners effectually take into their own hands the punishment which the established authorities should long ago have meted out to all those who perpetrate usury with the people's food.

AUSTRIANS CLAIM 30,333 PRISONERS FOR PAST 2 WEEKS

Berlin Report of Fighting on Italian Front Does Not err on the Side of Modesty.

Berlin, May 31, via wireless to St. John.—The Austrian official statement says:

"Italian front: Austro-Hungarian troops under the command of Crown Prince Charles Francis have made further conquests in the regions of Asiago and Arseno. In the district northeast of Asiago our troops drove the enemy from Gallo and stormed positions on the heights to the northward. Monte Baldo and Monte Fiora are in our hands. West of Asiago our front to the south of the Asse Valley was consolidated as far as the captured works at Punta Corbin. The troops which crossed the positions captured Monte Prato. Renewed and desperate efforts of the Italians to capture our positions south of Bettle resulted in failure.

"During the fortnight since the beginning of our offensive we have captured 30,333 Italians, among whom are 614 officers and have taken 298 cannon."

"This morning several naval aeroplanes dropped numerous bombs upon the railroad stations and military establishments at San Giorgio and Dinara. Four hits were observed on a railroad station.

"Balkan front: North of the Lower Vovusa (in Albania north of Avlona) our troops pursued Italian patrols. The situation is unchanged."

A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY FOR CANADA

Farmers Can Prepare for the Future and Reap Substantial Profits Now by Giving More Attention to Live Stock Raising.

There is no branch of agriculture in which increased production is more desirable than in live stock. In both Canada and the United States, despite the ever progressive invasion of artificial means of locomotion, horses have grown in numbers since the beginning of the century. Cattle and swine have increased in Canada to some extent, but not in anything like equal proportion with the percentage that has been added to the population. Sheep, a most economical animal to keep and breed, have decreased materially. In the circumstances it is hardly strange that prices of meat, of wool, of dairy products, are in the ascendancy, and well maintained. That they will go higher yet is the opinion of all who have studied the situation. In their report the Commissioners of Inquiry into the cost of living tersely describe the state of affairs in this fashion:

"The increased cost of live stock is due to a number of causes. The increase in cattle has not kept pace with the increase in population in the principal cattle-raising countries, excepting Australia.

Farmers tell us they have found dairy work and some other productions of the farm, more remunerative than raising live stock, and that those conditions have tended to a falling off in the supply of cattle."

The conditions here described are more marked in the United States. There between 1900 and 1913 the population increased 24 per cent, while the cattle decreased 30 per cent. In Russia, Argentina and Brazil there were also decreases. In France, Germany, the United Kingdom, and Austria-Hungary there were slight increases, but only in France at the same ratio as the population. In Australia alone was there a relatively greater growth in the number of cattle than of people. In Canada the population during the period mentioned increased 35 per cent, but in cattle only 20 per cent. Those facts are surely pregnant with significance of the opportunity that lies before Canada in the breeding of cattle. The same state of things exists, only in a more emphatic way, as regards sheep, and even as regards swine the depletion last year was of such extent as to produce a certain measure of scarcity this year. While prices fell in 1915, owing to an overstocked market and the demand for money, this year for hogs and all bacon products there has been a marked rise.

With the foregoing outline of home matters before them, it is hard to believe that breeders will fail to recognize the profit that will likely accrue from increased production in all lines of live stock. If, with the present facilities of shipment overseas, the market is buoyant, it is surely reasonable to expect that its activity will be greatly accelerated when the war nations shall have reached an

THE 58TH LEAVES FOR CAMP TODAY

Organized Only 3 Months Ago, Now Among the Best—Maj. Fisher in Command—St. John Company Incorporated.

Fredericton, May 31.—W. S. Allison, W. E. Fisher, Guy A. Fitzrandolph, of St. John, N. B.; R. F. Randolph, S. B. Wass and Ross Thompson, Dr. W. J. Weaver and Lt. F. Del Clements of Fredericton have been granted letters patent of incorporation as the Grey Reilly Company, Limited. Authorized capitalization is \$50,000 and the head office is to be in the parish of Simonds, St. John county.

At Victoria Hospital today it was stated that Private George Butler of "C" Company of the 104th Battalion was in a serious condition. He was taken to the hospital this week suffering with pneumonia.

Private McEachern of "C" Company of the 104th Battalion was taken to Victoria Hospital this afternoon also suffering from pneumonia.

The 58th Howitzer Battery are to leave Fredericton tomorrow. The 58th Howitzer Battery has been organized in Fredericton less than three months and is easily one of the finest artillery units raised in this section of Canada.

Major Fisher said today that his unit was pretty well up to strength, only five more men being needed. He expects to secure these within a few days after arrival at Petawawa, where members of the battery will complete training before they leave for England. Major Fisher is a son of W. S. Fisher of St. John.

PERSONAL.

K. McLagan of St. Marys was a guest of the Royal yesterday.

Mrs. Joseph Rubins, Gagetown, announces the engagement of her oldest daughter, Louise Allen, to Hewlett Winslow Scovell, Queensboro. The marriage will take place on June 13th.

Mrs. A. M. Rowan left last night for Boston for a short visit. While there she will attend the graduating exercises of the Newton Hospital, her daughter, Miss Elsie Hatheway, being a member of the graduating class.

The Art Club Exhibition. For the benefit of the parents of pupils and others who were not present at the Art Club exhibition last night, it was decided by the club to have the rooms open tonight so that those who were unable to attend yesterday might have the opportunity of viewing the exhibits.

agreement, and decimated flocks and herds have to be renewed and revived. When that good time arrives, not only the twenty million men under arms, but a large part of the general population of Europe will hail with eager anticipation the chance to once more enjoy fresh-killed beef, mutton and pork. Breeders, too, will hasten to restock their vanished or decimated stocks. A dozen countries will then clamour for cattle, sheep and pigs. Canada with her channels of supply open, with her nearness to the sources of demand, will then be in the most favored position to avail herself of the situation to the full, and to obtain a reputation that will last. Canada must build up her reserves now. Her farmers will find it necessary to exert to the limit of industry and judgment in improving and increasing their stocks. They will need to maintain a steadfast eye upon the best. They will have to practice the most utmost and wisest assiduity that thrift for which they have always been noted. In meeting these conditions they will enjoy the happy satisfaction of knowing that in serving themselves they are serving their country. They will also be taking advantage of a golden opportunity.

The Racking Pains of Sciatic Rheumatism

Were Well-nigh Unbearable—After Five Years of Suffering Cure was Effected by Dr. Chase's Medicines.

For downright excruciating pain few ailments can be compared to sciatic rheumatism. Storing this condition of the sciatic nerve denotes exhaustion of the nervous system, the logical cure is found in the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to nourish the sciatic nerves back to health and vigor.

Reports are continually coming in to us regarding the splendid results obtained in the treatment of sciatic rheumatism by using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food with each meal and Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills occasionally as a means of arousing the action of the liver, kidneys and bowels and thereby keeping the system freed of pain-causing poisonous impurities.

Mr. W. J. Talbot, Edenwood, Sask., writes:—"It is a great pleasure for me to recommend Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills and Nerve Food as a cure for Sciatic Rheumatism. The pain I

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at 50 cents a pound (BLUE LABEL) costs about a fifth of a cent a cup and is of superlative flavor. \$206

CLEARINGS OF CANADIAN BANKS FOR LAST MONTH

QUEBEC CLEARINGS.
Quebec, May 31.—Bank clearings for the month ending May 31, were \$17,167,382; corresponding month last year, \$12,524,396.

Montreal.
Montreal, May 31.—Montreal bank clearings for the month ended today established a new high record at \$333,428,627, compared with \$203,618,435 for the corresponding period in 1915, and \$234,782,296 in 1914.

Toronto.
Toronto, May 31.—Bank clearings for month of May, 1916, were \$20,467,743, as compared with \$18,270,291 last month. A year ago they were \$19,852,850; in 1914 they were \$19,771,533.

Winnipeg.
Winnipeg, May 31.—Winnipeg bank clearings for May exceed those of the corresponding month last year by \$76,500,000, and are \$48,500,000 greater than those of May, 1914. The figures are: May, 1916, \$169,157,252; corresponding month, 1915, \$92,622,141; corresponding month, 1914, \$120,647,216.

Ottawa.
Ottawa, May 31.—Bank clearings for the month ended May 31, 1916, were \$284,431, as compared with \$17,433,467 in May, 1915.

MONTREAL BANK CLEARINGS SHOW A NEW RECORD

Special to The Standard.
Montreal, May 31.—The record of bank clearings in Montreal for May enjoys the distinction of having created a record not only for the month but also holds the daily and weekly records. The total was \$333,428,627 against \$203,618,435 a year ago, and \$234,782,296. There is a gain of \$29,810,192 over May, 1915, and \$63,482,879 over April last. The previous record was established in October, 1912, at the height of the business boom in that year at \$283,733,037, so that the previous record is topped by \$49,695,590.

DOMINE MINES CO. ELECT OFFICERS

Special to The Standard.
Toronto, May 31.—At the annual meeting of the Dome Mines Company, Ltd. a letter of the president was read to the effect that it was too early to speak definitely regarding the option on the Dome Extension property. It was stated, however, that one body of land at the height of the business boom in that year at \$283,733,037, so that the previous record is topped by \$49,695,590.

Officers were elected as follows: J. R. Delamar, of New York, W. S. Edwards of Chicago, T. M. Jamieson of Chicago, Alex. Fasken of Toronto, J. S. Wilson of Massey, G. C. Miller of Buffalo and R. W. Pomeroy of Buffalo.

An Easy Way to Increase Weight

Good Advice for Thin Folks.
The trouble with most thin folks who wish to gain weight is that they insist on dragging their stomachs and stuffing it with greasy foods; rubbing on useless "flesh creams," or following some foolish physical culture stunt, while the real cause of thinness remains untouched. You cannot get fat until your digestive tract assimilates the food you eat.

There is a preparation known to reliable druggists almost everywhere which seemingly embodies the missing elements needed by the digestive organs to help them convert food into rich, fat-laden blood. This modern treatment is called Sarsol and has been termed the greatest of flesh-builders. Sarsol aims through re-energizing re-constructive powers to lax the stomach and intestines to liberally soak up the fattening elements of your food and pass them into the blood, where they are carried to be stored, broken-down cells and issues of your body. You can readily picture what result this amazing transformation should produce as with increased weight the cheeks fill out, shoulders expand, and fatness creeps over the body. Sarsol is absolutely harmless, inexpensive, efficient. All leading druggists of this vicinity have it and will refund your money if you are not satisfied, as per the guarantee found in every package.

If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you, send \$1.00 to the National Laboratories, 74 St. Antoine Street, Montreal, and a complete test-tube treatment will be sent you post-free.

NOTE—Sarsol is recommended only as a flesh builder and while excellent results in cases of nervous indigestion, etc., have been reported, care should be taken about using it unless a gain of weight is desired.

3 MILLIONS TO DEVELOP AERIAL ARMY FOR U. S.

Washington, May 31.—The proposal to establish a government plant for the manufacture of armor plate at a cost of \$11,000,000 was approved today by the House, sitting as the committee of the whole, by a vote of 190 to 125.

The House adopted by a vote of 129 to 103, an amendment increasing the appropriation for aviation from \$2,000,000 to \$3,500,000. This was proposed in the Republican minority programme.

WHITMONDAY BANK HOLIDAY IN ENGLAND POSTPONED TO AUG. 12

London, May 31.—Whitmonday, bank holiday, falling on June 12, has been officially postponed until August 8 for all classes. Premier Asquith made this announcement in the House of Commons today, stating that owing to the urgent munitions requirements it was proposed, by proclamation, to postpone the holiday. The banking interests were accessible to the arrangement, he said.

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"I had bearing down pains in my back for two days, so I took the balance of the pills unused to the druggist and told him to give me Doan's Kidney Pills as they would stop the pain in twelve hours at the outside. He told me he was sorry I did not use more of the pills, and lenient the time to await result. I told him there was no need waiting with Doan's Pills; they go right to the spot. No substitute for me."

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Class of 1908 scholarship for highest average in sophomore year—Ruth Woodworth.

Sir Frederick Borden prize for best essay on question of public interest to Canada—S. W. Stackhouse.
A. M. Wilson prize to English student making highest average on second year of course—J. S. Arbuckle.
A. L. Wood prize to English student making highest average on course of more than two years—William Moore.

O. P. Goucher prize to winner of sophomore declamation contest—H. E. Titus.

THE DOMINION IS WELL REPRESENTED

London, May 31.—(Montreal Gazette cable)—Appointments made in the assemblies in the Scottish churches, now in session, show several Canadian associations. Rev. Sir George Adam-Smith, the new moderator of the United Free Church, was a visitor to Canada in 1896, and while at Ottawa was the guest of Lord Aberdeen, the governor-general of the Dominion. Rev. Dr. John Brown of Belahouston, Moderator of the Church of Scotland, is an ardent imperialist, and has invited Rev. T. Hunter Boyd of the Canadian Presbyterian church to act as his assistant. The latter is a Canadian deputy to the Scottish Assemblies for the sixth year in succession. The new moderator of the general assembly of the Free Church, Rev. Angus MacKay of Kingussie, was born in Canada, and spent twenty-two years in the ministry there.

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

GERMAN PEACE PROPOSALS.

There is a distinct revival of the reports that Germany is ready for peace and as on former occasions there is no disposition to regard them with any measure of acceptance.
On the other hand, if one is to judge from opinions expressed by some British newspapers and public men there is rather a feeling of resentment over the reported unwillingness of the Kaiser and his advisers to "take their medicine."

Twenty-two months ago Germany could have had peace for the asking and the world would have been saved from the terrible deluge of blood and tears. At that time the whole world except Germany was for peace, for it is doubtful if Austria would not have been willing to take reasonable measures to avoid a world war. Germany, however, would have none of it. Her determination was to draw the sword and by its power win world domination.
After twenty-two months of war she has fallen. Beaten, frustrated in her plans of conquest, all but conquered, she is now willing to "accept peace" if it is offered to her.

The savage brutality of the German campaign is well set forth in the graphic story "My Home in the Field of Honor." That story tells how in offensive people of Belgium were butchered and their homes destroyed, how tribute was laid on terror-stricken non-combatants and evils unprintable were the lot of thousands who stood in the way of the invading despots. The young men of Belgium have for the most part passed on the field of honor but the old men, the women and children of that martyred nation will live to execrate the Hun with their every breath.

After these things, after the slaughter of the Lusitania victims, after the deeds of butchery by land and sea, the violation of the most sacred pledges of nations and men—after all these things German apologists come with unblushing effrontery and announce that their nation is prepared to "accept peace."
The suggestion should but increase the determination to prosecute this struggle to a finish, until the nation responsible for the world's grief shall be made to drink to the last bitter dregs the cup of misery she has to the lips of the world. Then—but not before—Germany's insolent suggestion may find acceptance.

A "DRY MANITOBA."

The Macdonald Act, which becomes operative in the Province of Manitoba today is much like the New Brunswick Prohibition Act in its general features although it permits more liberties than the legislation which has been placed on the statute books of this province to go into effect on May 1st next.

The provisions of the Manitoba Act as summarized by the Winnipeg Free Press are as follows:

WHAT CANNOT BE DONE.

Liquor cannot be kept nor consumed in private rooms in hotels nor in bachelors' quarters.
When a home where liquor is kept and consumed becomes a public nuisance because of drunkenness, gambling, rows, or disorderly conduct, the householder can be charged with an offence under the Temperance act and one conviction automatically causes the place to lose its status as a private dwelling house for the purpose of this act.
No one can buy liquor at wholesale or commission houses.
Wholesale and commission businesses cannot be carried on in the same quarters. They must be separate.
Wholesale houses cannot occupy the same quarters with any other business.
Commission houses cannot purchase liquor and then resell it under the guise of having taken an order.
Wholesalers cannot accept an order from a visiting resident of another province and ship the liquor out of the province. The entire transaction must take place inside the province. One of the parties to the deal must be outside the province.

WHAT CAN BE DONE.

Any quantity of liquor can be kept in any private dwelling.
In a private home friends can be treated.
Supplies of liquor can be ordered by mail or wire from outside the province and shipped in. Orders can be placed with local commission houses.
Druggists can sell liquor only on a doctor's prescription, and also for scientific or sacramental purposes.
Regulations regarding patent medicines, tinctures, etc., will remain as at present.
Wholesale liquor stores may receive and fill orders from outside the province. They may import and carry stocks of liquor for export purposes.
Commission merchants can take orders for liquor, have the order filled from outside the province.
Brewers can continue their manufacture, but their sales must be outside the province.
All legitimate business using alcohol, such as vinegar and extract manufacturers, can continue as before, as the act merely aims at the abuse of drinking and will be administered with that idea in view.

THE RESULT IN WESTMORLAND

(Moncton Times.)
The result of the by-election in Westmorland is a triumph for the Liberal party, and now that the heat of the campaign is past we believe there will be genuine sympathy with Mr. Mahoney, even among many who were induced for one reason or another to vote against him. Mr. Mahoney has been a faithful representative. He is a capable business man of the highest personal integrity and would have given the province honest administration in the public works department. His selection as Minister of Public Works preserved the Irish-Catholic representation in the provincial cabinet, but this may not be disturbed by his defeat. It does, however, deprive the Irish-Catholics in Westmorland, for the time being, of their representation in the Legislature. The arrangement or understanding has been that the county should be represented by two English-speaking Protestants, a French-Canadian and an Irish-Catholic. This with the city represented by an English-speaking Protestant was a fair division. The opposition selected as their candidate an English-speaking Protestant and this may have operated to some extent against Mr. Mahoney, though there were other causes. The three eastern parishes of Sackville, Westmorland and Beauséjour were represented by a somewhat larger majority than four years ago, while his vote in Shediac, Dorchester and Salisbury was quite equal to the expectations of his friends. The only notable turnover was in the parish of Moncton, where a majority of 200 for Mr. Mahoney and his ticket four years ago was converted into a majority of nearly 200 for Dr. Smith. The cause or causes for this should be carefully enquired into and a remedy provided. The result may be unpleasant for some people.
It is needless to say that the election was bitterly contested, while the opposition resorted to tactics far from creditable and which will operate against them in the future, when the facts are better known. A party does not gain anything in the long run by reckless assertion and the government is not by any means defeated. Mr. Mahoney will doubtless give up his portfolio, a successor will probably be appointed without unnecessary delay, and Mr. Mahoney will have his vindication, if he should desire to be a candidate, at the next general election.

AFTER THE BATTLE.

The Daily Telegraph yesterday was a peculiar mixture of crowing and crow-eating in about equal proportions. The Telegraph screamed with delight over the result in Westmorland, canonized Mr. Organizer Carter and Mr. P. J. Veniot, and incidentally took opportunity to praise Mr. Carvell. The Telegraph also retracted its statements against Hon. J. A. Murray, rather than go into court with that gentleman, and published the following interesting letter:

Montreal, May 29, 1916.
The Daily Telegraph, St. John (N. B.):
Gentlemen—We have received instructions from Prudential Trust Co., Ltd., to notify you that the statement contained in your issue of the 28th instant in the article headed "Bombshell in Westmorland" . . . etc., to the effect:

"That the said Hon. J. K. Flemming received the sum of \$9,000 from the Prudential Trust Company of Montreal" is absolutely false, and Prudential Trust Co., Ltd., has instructed us to give on its behalf an absolute and unqualified denial to such an allegation.

We would ask you to give to this denial the same publicity as you have given to the article referred to.
Your obedient servants,
BARNARD, MCKEOWN & CHOQUETTE,
Attorneys for Prudential Trust Company, Limited.

It is characteristic of the Telegraph's tactics that it did not have the decency to do justice to Mr. Murray or to the Prudential Trust Company until after the Westmorland by-election in which the slanders circulated by our contemporary had the expected effect.

It is also interesting to note that A. W. Bray has written to the Moncton Times in connection with the Fullerton farm matter to the effect that the assignment of mortgage to ex-Governor McClellan was recorded on May 18th of this year.

This furnishes refutation of the third Telegraph slander.

In all probability the last has not been heard of these matters.

"OFFICERS PAY AND EXPENSES."

Under the above heading the Toronto Mail and Empire deals with a subject of much interest and importance to young Canadians who have donned the khaki and taken commissions in the King's army. The Mail and Empire says:

"Canada's army is founded upon the British tradition, and that tradition is followed even when it ought to be discarded. For instance, the British tradition is that the officers should all be 'gentlemen,' in the narrow, technical sense of that word. It is taken for granted that they belong to families of wealth and influence. In the old days men who rose from the ranks were not only unwelcome, but steps were taken to prevent any but men of private means from serving, as officers' commissions were not earned, they were bought, and only a man with an independent income could afford to buy a commission and afterwards live on his pay. In deference to a growing spirit of democracy, the practice of purchasing commissions was abolished. They have now to be secured by passing a competitive examination, or by distinguished services in the field. Nevertheless, the abolition of the practice of selling commissions has not made it greatly easier for a man of little or no private means to live as an officer in the army. It is not much easier in Canada than in England."
"In the Canadian army a lieutenant receives \$2 a day and is allowed 60c

a day as sustenance; a captain gets \$5 and a sustenance allowance of \$30; a major, \$4 and \$1; a colonel, \$5 and \$125. Considering the qualifications and responsibilities of the officers the pay and sustenance allowances are small. The officers have to buy their own uniforms; they have to buy their own boots; they have to buy even their own binoculars and their own revolvers. Fortunately, they are not compelled to buy their own ammunition. Since a pair of boots may cost \$15, a revolver \$30, and a pair of binoculars \$65, it is obviously impossible for a lieutenant to keep himself well equipped out of his pay and his sustenance allowance. In other words, an officer who has not some private means finds it hard to make ends meet. In fairness, the officers ought not to be forced to pay for the privilege of fighting for their country. The least the nation should do is to supply the officers as well as the men with everything needed for their comfort and their efficiency."

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ANOTHER OPINION.

(Sackville Post, May 31).
The by-election yesterday in Westmorland was a fair division. The return of Dr. E. A. Smith of Shediac by a majority of about seventy-six votes. The final count may change this slightly, but at this writing there seems no doubt that these figures are approximately correct.
The contest was undoubtedly one of the most notable ever held in the county; and the defeat of the Government candidate, came as considerable of a surprise, not only to those who worked for and supported Mr. Mahoney, but to an equal extent, we believe, to the opposition themselves. They hoped no doubt to reduce Mr. Mahoney's majority of four years ago, but that they really expected to win the election is extremely doubtful.
We believe Mr. Mahoney can attribute his defeat largely to lack of proper organization in the different parishes. After the sweep of the Government forces four years ago, the organization was practically dropped and when the present contest was brought on, there was not time to properly reorganize. On the other hand the opposition forces have been quietly perfecting their organization for some time, and the campaign that ended yesterday found them better prepared than their opponents.
It was the late Mr. Tarte who declared on one occasion that elections cannot be won by prayers; it is also true that they can seldom be won without proper organization, and yesterday's election should bring this fact home to the Government forces everywhere. To what extent Mr. Mahoney owes his defeat to the opposition slanders is uncertain at this writing. In Sackville parish it seemed to have little effect, judging by the returns. Mr. Mahoney's majority here was slightly larger than in 1912. That the more or less serious charges of our opposition friends had some effect in the county as a whole, is probably true. Many more or less independent voters doubtless felt the Government was altogether too strong in the house, and that they should be taught a lesson, and Mr. Mahoney was consequently sacrificed. Lack of proper organization on the part of the Government forces coupled with the scandal charges were no doubt responsible for Dr. Smith's election.
While we regret exceedingly the defeat of Mr. Mahoney, a regret that will be shared by hundreds of his

Little Benny's Note Book

My Dollar Watch.
O I've got a dollar watch
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And if I wind it hard enough
It sometimes goes all day.
O Its hour hand is hole
But its mint hand is half,
And I throw it way up and catch it again
To make the fellows laugh.
O wants it had an accident
Being wen I failed to catch it,
And to find out why it wouldn't go,
I took off the back with a hatchit.
O I poked its wheels with a screw driver
And pored sewing machine oil all three it,
And though I didn't quite repair it,
I properly made it easier for the man in the clock store to do it.
O no matter what time the rite time is,
Its either slow or fast,
And shares 31 cents in the back of it
And it sell it cheap if I das.

friends in every part of the county; yet if his defeat yesterday results in a better organization of the Government forces, not only here in Westmorland county, but all over the province, it will not have been altogether in vain. It is mighty poor politics to blame the opposition organization in an election campaign. If the Government party in Westmorland had had good organizers of their own Mr. Mahoney would have been Minister of Public Works today.

"No Heroes Wanted"

According to a Berne message, the chief of the Italian General Staff, General Cadorna, has a strong objection to "showy" officers who risk their own lives and those of their men in acts of bravado which have no real military value.
"We have no use for heroes of romance," he says. When Peppino Garibaldi, who is noted for his reckless courage, sought a commission in the Italian army, after having served in the earlier part of the war as a volunteer in France, he was recommended by D'Annunzio as "one of our bravest."
"That is bad," retorted General Cadorna tersely.
"He sings and laughs amid a hail of enemy explosives," continued D'Annunzio.
"Bad, bad," replied General Cadorna.
"At the mere sight of him his men become seized with an enthusiasm

PERSONAL.

Miss Stella McDonald of Campbellton was a guest of the Dufferin yesterday.
George D. Prescott of Albert was at the Dufferin yesterday.
L. A. Richardson of Blacks Harbor was at the Dufferin yesterday.
H. F. Morton of Penobscot was at the Victoria yesterday.
N. W. Eveleigh of Sussex was at the Victoria yesterday.
J. A. Levere of Moncton was at the Victoria yesterday.
W. Dunn and D. W. Macdonald, also of Moncton, were at the Victoria yesterday.
B. Frank Smith, M. L. A. of East Florenceville, is a guest of the Victoria.
A. J. Macdonald of Moncton was at the Royal yesterday.

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Not later than June... To the Boy or Girl... result, I shall award... AND A BEAUTIFUL (For the Girl.) A F... solution prize.
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OBITUARY

The death of Mrs. Jose... Land's End, Kings... Tuesday morning after a... ness. She leaves besides... two sons, Arthur and J... home; six daughters, Ma... Amy; Hattie, Olivia, at... Mrs. Sullivan, of New... funeral will take place... St. Alban's church at 1... Ivory W. Jord...
The sad news of the d... W. Jordan, United Stat... inspector, has been receiv... in St. John. For the las... years Mr. Jordan had v... continued at his duty w... a few weeks ago. Owin... he returned to his home... and his death occur... May 25. He was a brill... intelligent young man, and h... will be sincerely regret... feature of his death is... he was married only in

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STITCH STONE FEATHERS VENTURE UNTIL TO-MORROW TIME WINE BIRD BEFORE BIRDS MAKE NOTHING FINE TODAY ROLLING CAN NEVER LOOK DONE FEATHER LEAP BUSH WORTH NOTHING MOSS NO PUT A PUT IS OFF A TOGETHER IN SAVES IN WHAT BE FINE YOU GATHERS THE IN OF TWO WIN BIRDS FLOCK A HAND THE

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To the Active Member of the Children's Corner, of The Standard who succeeds in getting the largest number of other kiddies to join the Corner by June 30th, will be awarded a splendid Camera, complete with one film.

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OBITUARY.

The death of Mrs. Joseph Baxter of Land's End, Kings county, occurred Tuesday morning after a lingering illness. She leaves besides her husband two sons, Arthur and John, both at home; six daughters, Margaret, Eliza, Amy, Hattie, Olivia, at home, and Mrs. Sullivan, of New York. The funeral will take place on Friday from St. Alban's church at Day's Landing, Ivory W. Jordan.

The sad news of the death of Ivory W. Jordan, United States Immigrant Inspector, has been received by friends in St. John. For the last five or six years Mr. Jordan had been running between St. John and Vancouver and continued at his duty until taken ill a few weeks ago. Owing to ill-health he returned to his home in Hope, B. C., and his death occurred there on May 25. He was a bright and intelligent young man, and his early death will be sincerely regretted. A sad feature of his death is the fact that he was married only in last December.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of William McCutcheon took place yesterday morning from his late residence, Sea street, Bay Shore, to the I.C.R. station. The body was taken to St. Martin's for burial. Services will be held there on Friday by Rev. Father Hannigan.

The funeral of George Kathlin took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, 19 Delhi street. Services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Champlin and Rev. T. J. Delmstadt. Interment was made in Fernhill.

Lecture Tonight.

Dr. Mary Crawford of New York, will this evening deliver an interesting lecture in the Centenary church school room under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club. During the course of the lecture a large number of excellent views will be shown of hospital and other scenes in France. The lecture will be open to the public.

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A BRAVE YOUNG SOLDIER TELLS OF ADVENTURE

Private W. Waite of Brown's Flats Writes to Mother of Heavy Fighting in Which He Was Engaged.

Private W. Waite, an eighteen-year-old soldier, whose home is at Brown's Flats, on the St. John River, has been wounded and is now in the Duke of Connaught Hospital, Taplow Barracks. He was a member of D Company, 24th Battalion, when wounded, and in a letter recently received by his mother, he has given an interesting account of some hard fighting he has gone through. The letter in part is as follows:

Dear Mother:

I just received three welcome letters from you. You need not worry about me now. I am in England, I have lots to say, and I don't know how to start. I have had a hot two months in France and Belgium. I was at Kemmel, Vermelles, Scottish Wood, St. Elol and Ypres, at Kemmel I got a small piece of shrapnel in my head. At Ypres I got three wounds from shrapnel in the back of my left hand, but they are all healed. The night before I came out of the firing line, three of my chums were buried up with soil, mud, sandbags, etc., the cause being a German coal box burst about twenty or thirty feet from us. Two of my chums are badly wounded in the head, arms, shoulders, chest and legs, the other fellow and myself never got a scratch, except a few bruises and a shaking up. The next night they sent me out with rheumatism, which caught me from the ankles up to my shoulders. I was three weeks up to my waist in soft mud and water. That was at St. Elol, the last place I was at. From there I went to Dickebusche, Outterdam; Renninghelz, Poppinghe, Etaples, Boulogne, Southampton and Taplow.

There is about half of our 76th draft killed and wounded. My poor chum is missing and I don't know where he is. I and he were transferred to the 24th Battalion, Victoria Rifles. It is in peace time, a regular battalion in Montreal, Canada.

I have lost the use of my legs, but will regain the strength again after a few months rest, so the doctor says. I am twenty-one miles from London, in a Canadian hospital.

We took a trar at St. Elol the night before I was buried. Our Company, D, took it with two hundred men and when we got it there were only sixty of us left, to say nothing of the Hun losses. Our bombers gave them a good bombing, then our artillery gave them a shelling, we did the rest with the bayonet. Of course what was left of the Hun was the bayonet and artillery routed them, we charged on them, they bombed us, and shelled us, and gave us rifle and machine gun fire. Of the sixty of us left out of the two hundred about thirty never got a scratch, but our clothing was all torn and covered with mud and blood. I never got a scratch except on my left leg with a bit of barbed wire. My field dressing bandage, and a pocket on the right side of my tunic were torn clean off with shrapnel. Our platoon officer was killed.

While I was there they never used poisonous gas. We would watch a duel in the air nearly every day between our planes and the Huns, and it was a great sight.

While in the hospital here a lady comes and teaches us needlework and embroidery. I have made a table centre and will send it home as soon as I am able. I am now making a waist belt with a Union Jack in the centre and the Allies' flags on each side. Then I will start and make a cushion cover.

Bob Black has joined the 119th Battalion.

I am told by the nurses that I won't go back to the front again on account of the rheumatism. They say I will get a good job for the duration of the war.

With lots of love, I remain,
Your ever loving son,
BILLY.

STANDING OF CLUB MEMBERS IS PRACTICALLY UNCHANGED

Miss Mary Roberts of Cody's Takes the Tenth Place in the List, and Miss Stout of St. John Moves up to Ninth — Everybody Working for the Cash Prizes Offered for New Subscriptions

There were a few slight changes yesterday in the standing of the members of the Travel Club. Miss Florence V. Stout, who was the tenth on the list has moved up to ninth position and Miss Mary Roberts, of Cody's, whose name did not previously appear among the leaders now holds tenth place. Ambrose Higgs, of Sussex, a returned soldier, who will no doubt be heard from very emphatically a little later on, has lost his position among the leaders, but will, no doubt, be climbing again in the course of a day or two.

After the efforts of last week it would appear that many of the members who had sent in all the business they had collected are holding back for a few days, and are devoting their time to the winning of the two prizes which we are offering for work turned in between June 5th and 10th. This fifty dollars is well worth having.

Remember, The Standard offers two prizes of fifty dollars and twenty-five dollars to the members of the club turning in to this office between June 5th and 10th the largest number of new yearly subscriptions to The Daily Standard at five dollars per year in the city, and three dollars outside of St. John. No subscriptions

TODAY'S LEADERS

1. Alice T. Lockhart, City 35,204
2. Hazel Winter, Fredericton 25,050
3. Mildred Murray, Albert 24,012
4. Hazel Newton, Grand Manan 23,066
5. Mrs. Geo. W. Lee, Woodstock 14,197
6. Marjorie Calkin, City 14,095
7. Annie A. Stewart, Newcastle 13,575
8. Myrtle Porter, Westfield Centre 12,814
9. Florence V. Stout, City 12,432
10. Mary Roberts, Codys 11,738

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Miss Helen G. Alton	Hartland, N. B.	1,019
Miss Venus Burke	3 Silver St., Amherst, N. S.	1,009
Miss Leah M. Blissett	200 Queen St. W., St. John	4,294
Miss Dorcas E. Brewster	Chipman, N. B.	1,550
Mrs. T. G. Barnes	Hampton, N. B.	1,000
Miss Dora Barton	The Range	1,286
Miss Pearl Brown	Brown's Flats, N. B.	1,234
Miss Gladys Brown	Woodstock, N. B.	1,300
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Miss Mary Dyeart	Cocagne, N. B.	1,304
Leo J. Doucet	Nigadoo, N. B.	1,003
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Miss Annie Dean	Lorneville, N. B.	3,000
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Miss Clara Grant	591 City Road, St. John	1,000
Miss Florence F. Hawkins	Pennfield Ridge, N. B.	1,000
Miss Violet Harkins	Grand Bay, N. B.	1,000
Miss Hazel Henry	Welsford, N. B.	6,600
Willard C. Hornbrook	Loggieville, N. B.	2,874
Ambrose Higgs	Pearseville, N. B.	15,009
Miss Alice T. Lockhart	272 St. John St., St. John	35,204
Mrs. Geo. W. Lee	Woodstock, N. B.	14,197
Miss Helen Matthews	51 Railway Ave., Moncton	7,555
Miss Ollie Morrison	Chipman, N. B.	1,334
Miss Mildred Murray	Albert, Albert Co., N. B.	24,012
Miss Edith Myers	Norton, N. B.	1,000
Miss Nellie Myers	Sussex, N. B.	1,000
Miss Mary Murray	Penobscus, N. B.	1,000
Mrs. Elvilda J. Mason	R. F. D. 1, Millstream, N. B.	1,736
Miss Beattie Marchie	River London, N. B.	1,500
Miss Alice Macdonald	91 Dominion St., Moncton	1,000
Miss Mabel McDonald	MacAdam Junction, N. B.	1,000
Miss Frances E. McKel	Brown's Flats, N. B.	6,458
Mrs. G. A. McMillan	Grand Falls, N. B.	2,878
Miss Alice McLean	Penobscus, N. B.	1,000
Miss Eliza Macdonald	Blackfhe, N. B.	2,945
Miss Mary McMann	Newcastle Creek, N. B.	1,000
Miss Gertrude M. McGray	Nashwaak Bridge, N. B.	1,008
Miss Emma McKnight	Lower Millstream, N. B.	5,722
Miss Helen McMullin	Main St., St. George, N. B.	6,523
Miss Hazel Newton	Grand Harbor, Grand Manan	23,066
Miss Vera Osborne	Hillsborough, N. B.	3,224
Miss Myrtle A. Porter	Westfield Centre, N. B.	12,814
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Miss Martha Pierce	Norton, N. B.	3,545
Miss Alice Plagdon	Hatfield's Pt., N. B.	3,781
Miss Netta Robinson	Dalhousie, N. B.	1,000
Miss C. C. Raymond	Kouchibouguac, N. B.	2,494
Miss Margaret Ross	Richibucto, N. B.	1,013
Mrs. Nicholas B. Stewart	Marysville, N. B.	1,000
Miss Maude Short	Hatfield's Pt., N. B.	3,781
Miss Florence V. Stout	Pugsley Bldg., St. John	12,432
Miss Annie A. Stewart	Box 38, Newcastle, N. B.	13,575
Mrs. F. C. Taylor	Hoyt Station, N. B.	1,000
Frederick Thompson	Chance Harbor, N. B.	1,000
Miss Audrey Troy	Dalhousie, N. B.	1,000
Miss Carrie E. Tracey	Tracy Station, N. B.	1,000
Miss Alice Tilley	Jacksonville, N. B.	3,004
Miss Mary Tapley	233 Douglas Ave., St. John	5,900
Miss Grace Vermette	Campbellton, N. B.	7,450
Miss Hazel Walker	Fredricton, N. B.	25,050
Miss B. Pearl Walker	Andover, N. B.	3,550

DR. KATHLIE TRAVIS TO ARRIVE SATURDAY

New Brunswick Lady who Represented American Red Cross in Serbia will be Welcomed by Women's Canadian Club.

Dr. Kathline Travis, a native of Hampton, N. B., and who has been rendering such splendid professional service under the American Red Cross Society in Serbia, will arrive in the city on the boat from Boston Saturday afternoon. The Women's Canadian Club are organizing a welcome to her which they hope will be in some proportion to the honor that Dr. Travis has brought to her native province by her heroic achievements in that war-stricken country during the war. It is hoped that all of the patriotic societies of the city will join with the Canadian Club in this undertaking and the citizens are generally invited to be present on the arrival of Dr. Travis. The Citizens' Reception Committee

The Recruiting Committee has cleared. Of this number nine, or about thirty per cent, were loaded at the new wharves which were prepared through the foresight of Hon. J. D. Hasen, minister of marine and fisheries. The revenue from the city wharves shows an increase over May of 1915, of about 50 per cent, the figures being: 1915, \$8,225.26; 1916, \$12,229. Prospects are bright for June, as there now eight steamers in port and several more are known to be on the way here.

Another Port Record.

The month of May has established another record for shipping through the port of St. John, no less than thirty-two steamers being loaded and

TO WORK AGAIN TO FILL 115TH

Citizens' Recruiting Committee will Help Lt.-Col. Wedderburn to Complete Battalion.

The citizens' recruiting committee have jumped into harness again to help Lt.-Col. Wedderburn finish the recruiting of the 115th Battalion. This was the decision arrived yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the committee held in the Board of Trade rooms, at which there were present T. H. Estabrook, Lieut.-Col. Sturdee, Captain Tilley, John Keefer, E. A. Schofield, Capt. Mulcahy, Captain Miller, Rev. Ralph Haughton, Douglas McArthur and S. H. Mayes.

There was a general talk as to the methods to be employed, and committee members were made an effort to fill the ranks of the 115th. It was decided to make some feature which would once more awaken the interest in recruiting. It is hoped to endeavor to arrange some demonstration on the afternoon of the King's birthday, which is a public holiday, and also to link up forces with the ladies who are holding a garden party at Seaside Park on the 16th inst.

It was also decided by the committee to be present and assist in giving a reception to Dr. Kathline Travis who will arrive from Boston on Saturday afternoon.

LONG EVENINGS FOR WHOLESALERS DURING THE SUMMER

Will Close at Five O'clock Each Evening in This as in Other Summers.

The wholesale grocers of the city will close at five o'clock instead of six, beginning Monday, June 5, for the months of June, July and August, thus giving to their employees two extra hours of daylight in which to enjoy themselves.

This has been their custom for the last two years, but it was not known whether they would do so this year on account of the change in time. However, they have decided to continue the custom. They are the pioneers in shorter hours for their employees in the city, having started the Saturday half holiday nearly thirty years ago and kept it up ever since. This will be good news for those who are employed in these establishments, and will give them practically a half day of daylight after supper.

Talking with one of the largest wholesalers in the city on the subject, he said that he had found that the more privileges they could give their employees, the better work they did, and they got as much work done in the eight hours in summer months as they did in the nine in winter. The extra hour was appreciated by the employees, and if necessary they were willing to work a little harder to get the shipments out.

FRIENDS FAREWELL BOER WAR MEDALLIST

Complimentary Dinner to Color Sergeant A. Dean at Wannamaker's Last Evening.

The friends of Color Sergeant A. Dean, of the Canadian Signalling staff, gave him a dinner at Wannamaker's last night previous to his departure for Nova Scotia. Sergeant Dean yesterday completed his work as instructor with the 115th and 140th battalions, and after rejoining his family at Halifax will proceed to Aldershot, where he will perform similar duty with the Highland Battalion. Sergeant Dean has conducted several classes in St. John, and his services here have been much appreciated by the commanders of two units and the classes under his instruction. The sergeant is a native of Lancashire, where he joined the Lancashire rifles in 1889. He served seven years in India and was in the South African war, where he won two medals for bravery in action.

After the conclusion of the war he was transferred to the Fifth Garrison regiment, which he sent to Halifax. Before his departure he was presented with a gift by his friends.

LETTER FROM MEMBER OF "FIGHTING 26TH"

Lt. Sturdee in England on Sick Leave—Col. McAvity in Hospital, but Expected Back Soon.

A letter dated Somewhere in France on May 19th, was received yesterday from a member of the Fighting 26th Battalion, and in part the writer says:

The Colonel has been in hospital since April 12th. The Battalion was taken into the new section, and up to the time of writing has been kept busy. We had seven days of fighting the last time, but were very fortunate as far as casualties went—three killed, about sixteen wounded. It is not one of those places you would call a snap, but luck was with us. Sturdee got a "blizity." It was not expected that he would get beyond the dressing station, but he sailed right through to England. We have been out for nine days now. The Colonel has sick leave until the 26th of this month, maybe in a couple of weeks he will feel much better and will come back again.

We have a very pleasant camp this trip out, plenty of green grass, and the officer commanding manages to get a band to come round once and awhile and give us some music. We have been relieving some of the other battalions in the division. Of course you have heard about Captain Frank Lockhart. I'm hoping against hope that he is still alive. I know from what I have heard that he and his gun crew stuck to their post a long time after they must have known their situation was hopeless. When they fought with their rifles against overwhelming odds. If he is dead, he died as he lived, game to the last. But I have not given up hope yet."

ASQUITH TO ASK VOTE OF MONEY TO SEND RELIEF TO SHACKELTON

London, May 31.—A committee has been appointed by the Admiralty to give information concerning the measures necessary for the relief of Lieut. Sir Ernest Shackleton and those of his men who are marooned in the Antarctic. Premier Asquith informed the House of Commons today of this development, and said parliament would be asked to provide money for the relief expedition.

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Monday, May 31st—

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Correspondents' Corner.

HILLSBORO

Hillsboro, May 30—Mrs. A. E. McLaughlin is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Patterson, St. John.

Miss Emma Lewis attended the closing of the Acadia Institutions at Wolfville last week.

Misses Marie Erb and Mary O'Hanley visited friends in Sussex, recently.

Prof. Paul Duffy of Moncton, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Duffy, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Peck were in Wolfville for the Acadia closing.

Mrs. James Blight visited in St. John this week.

Lieut. Geo. W. Chapman and Mrs. Chapman of Moncton, were week-end guests of Mrs. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Steeves.

Mrs. H. E. Graves and daughter, Miss Evelyn Robinson of Moncton, were guests in town last week.

On Sunday, Rev. E. B. McLatchy of Moncton, occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist Church, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. G. W. Schurman, who preached for that day in Sydney, C. B.

Mrs. Dickinson of Amherst, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. James Blight.

Miss Edgett has returned from Moncton.

A. J. Gross and Miss Edna Randolph of St. John, spent this week-end, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lander.

Miss Ella Sears visited in Moncton last week.

Clifford Price has resigned his position in the store of J. Lewis Peck & Co., and has gone to Sussex, where he has secured a good position with Hills-Eveleigh, general merchants.

For this week-end, Mrs. J. P. Beatty and Miss Annie Sharp, were guests of friends in Dover, N. B.

Misses Julia Brewster and Mina Stiles on Sunday were guests at their respective homes, Hopewell Hill and Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Barnett of Moncton, visited in the village last week.

Mrs. Harry Pierce has gone to St. John, where she will attend the annual meeting of the W. M. S., which convenes at that city in the Queen Square Methodist Church.

G. P. Steeves left today for Sussex, where he is expected to be residing. Many friends regret to hear of his departure, and he and Mrs. Steeves will be greatly missed in the community, especially in the First Baptist church in which they were both active and highly esteemed members.

A. E. Leavey has gone to Sackville to engage in work for the Tribune Printing Company.

At the Baptist Parsonage, Surrey, on Wednesday evening, May 24th, Miss Lola M. Steeves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harris M. Steeves, was united in marriage to Mr. Henry S. Jones of Nahant, N. H., the ceremony being performed by Rev. E. Elliott, pastor of the Valley Baptist Church, and assisted by the Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church, met on Wednesday last at the home of Mrs. Wm. McAllister. Officers as follows for the ensuing year were chosen:

President, Miss Mary Blight.

Vice-President, Mrs. Alex. Beatty.

Second Vice-President, Mrs. King.

Secretary, Mrs. Wm. Robertson.

Treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Beatty.

Asst. Treasurer, Mrs. S. Woodworth.

Ex. Comm., Ella Beatty, Mrs. Blight, Mrs. Thistle, Mrs. W. P. Kirby, Mrs. Pierce, Miss Lucinda Beatty, Mrs. Bartlett.

Cutters, Mrs. Wm. McAllister, Mrs. Blight, Mrs. J. P. Beatty, Miss Mina Stiles.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the retiring officers for good work done during the year. Refreshments were served.

Empire Day was fittingly observed in the schools of the village. Interesting programmes were nicely carried out in both the High School and the Surrey School. In the High School the following programme was enjoyed by a large number of visitors:

Chorus, "Keep the Home Fires Burning."

Recitation, "Our Flag," Frank Locke.

Physical Drill Exercise, Boys of Grades 4 to 5.

Exercise, "Hurrah for the Flag," Grade 1.

Recitation, "The Union Jack," Ronald McLaughlin.

Chorus, "Good Luck to the Boys of the Allies."

Exercise, Girls of grade 5.

Drill, Red, White and Blue, girls.

Essay, "Great Britain's Part in the War," Marion Steeves.

Flag Drill.

Chorus, "O Canada."

Speeches by Hon. C. J. Osman, Rev. S. W. Schurman and Rev. H. D. Loweth.

Nation Anthem.

The teachers and pupils of the Surrey School are to be congratulated upon the pleasing programme which was prepared for the occasion. Rev. H. Pierce addressed the school in a few well chosen and instructive remarks.

BLOOMFIELD

Bloomfield Station, May 29—Miss Hazel Millican, was the week-end guest of friends in St. John.

Mrs. S. L. T. Wiggins spent Monday in St. John.

The Woman's Auxiliary met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Boyd A. Wetmore.

Miss Peris Colwell was the guest of friends in St. John for the 25th.

Miss Marion Peters, St. John, spent a few days the guest of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Wetmore.

Mrs. Medley Provan and little daughter, Freda, are guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Purdy, Lakeside.

Miss Eleanor Dickson spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cochran.

Miss Mary McLeod, who has been visiting Miss Jennie Campbell, has returned to her home in St. John.

Mrs. Elliott left Saturday for Moncton, where she will remain for a short time.

Miss Lottie Theall, St. John, spent the holiday at her home here.

Mrs. Archie Seaton and little daughter, were holiday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Hayes.

At a recent meeting of the vestrymen of the Anglican Church, which was held at the residence of Mr. John Raymond, it was decided to retain the present rectory. Some improvements will be made and a general cleaning and repairing done to fit it for occupancy.

Miss Zeta Williams, Hampton, spent Sunday at her home here.

Members of Happy Home Lodge, I. O. G. T., who took part in the entertainment given here, May 19th, are to go to Norton on Friday, June 2nd, where they will repeat the entertainment, several new pieces are to be added to the program. The proceeds are to be used for the benefit of the Canadian prisoners of war.

Mrs. Charles Peters and little child, accompanied by Miss Annie Peters, of Elmhurst, were guests of relatives and friends in Bloomfield and Hampton, on Saturday.

Messrs. C. Hyson, and K. Brown, St. John, were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Wilson.

Miss Pearl Williams, was the guest of friends in Hampton for the holiday.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, May 29—Rev. Mr. McLeod who has been holding evangelistic services in the Baptist Church, Albert, baptised nine candidates at German Brook, on Sunday afternoon, and they were received into church membership at the evening service by the pastor, Rev. Herbert E. DeWolfe.

The marriage took place on Saturday evening of Miss Myrtle McCuspy, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel McCuspy of Chemical Road, to William Hawke of the same place at the Methodist parsonage, Albert; Rev. Richard Ople officiating. The young couple will reside at Chemical Road.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Prescott and Miss McLean of Albert, have returned from an auto trip to St. John.

Mrs. Robert McGeenan was called to Moncton on Saturday, owing to the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. Lutz.

Mrs. Whiteman Mibou of Albert Mines, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James O'Boyle of Chemical Road.

Mrs. William Milton is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Edw. Cowie, at the home of her brother, W. L. Peck.

Mrs. Alex. Rogers returned yesterday from a trip to Moncton and Dorchester.

Mrs. William McGorman is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Harper Allan, Moncton.

CENTRAL GREENWICH MAN SUFFERS A HEAVY LOSS BY FIRE

Central Greenwich, May 30—George S. Bacon was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bacon; he left for St. John on Monday, May 29th to spend a few days before returning to his school at Glasville, Carleton Co.

Sadie M. Hines has returned to St. John, after several weeks visit with her parents.

Rev. F. T. and Mrs. Bertram were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Bacon.

The weather has been very favorable for the farmers in this vicinity this spring.

Dr. Bogle met with a sad loss on Saturday morning, when his house and all buildings attached were consumed by fire; no insurance insurance, loss estimated at about \$2,000.

Mrs. T. H. Bacon is visiting her son, Warren L. Bacon and wife, of the 140th Battalion, West St. John.

THE POLICE COURT.

In the police court yesterday Wm. McDonald for being drunk, profane and resisting arrest, was fined \$24 or six months jail.

Edward R. Morton, charged with using profane language, was remanded.

Fred Bell, charged with stealing eleven bags was remanded to jail.

One drunk was fined eight dollars.

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WHEREAS Saturday next, the third day of June, is a statutory holiday, being the anniversary of the birth of His Most Gracious Majesty King George the Fifth, I do therefore hereby give notice that the said day will be observed as a Public Holiday at the City Hall and in all civic offices, and I do invite all our citizens to observe such day by closing their places of business.

Given under my hand at the Mayor's office in the City of Saint John this thirty-first day of May in the year of Our Lord one thousand, nine hundred and sixteen.

ROBERT T. HAYES, Mayor.

SPECIAL SALE OF TYPEWRITERS.

Owing to the large amount of new business resulting from the sale of our New Model No. 8 Silent L. C. Smith Typewriter which has necessitated the taking in exchange of numbers of other makes including Underwoods, Remingtons, Smith-Premiers and other makes, we are now offering the same at a special price, and are prepared to offer some exceptional bargains, and will guarantee each and every machine to be in perfect good order. Write or Phone 121. SOLELY TYPEWRITER CO., LTD.

NOTICE.

The application filed this day with the Board of Commissioners of Public Utilities by the City of Moncton, praying that the schedule of rates filed by The New Brunswick Telephone Company, Limited, on or about the Eighteenth day of August, 1910, be amended so as to provide that the rates for Wall Telephones used by the City of Moncton shall be Twelve Dollars per year, payable half yearly in advance, will be heard on Wednesday, the 28th of June next, at half-past eleven of the clock in the forenoon, at the Government rooms in the City of Saint John, when all parties interested may attend and be heard. And it is further ordered that the said notice be published once a week for three successive weeks in the following newspapers, that is to say, in The Saint John Daily Standard, The Saint John Daily Telegraph, The Moncton Daily Times, and in L'Evangeline. Dated this 17th day of May, A. D. 1916.

By order of the Board,
FRED P. ROBINSON, Clerk.

TO BUILDERS

SEALED TENDERS, MARKED "Tender for Exchange," will be received by the undersigned up to noon of Monday, June 5th, for a Brick Building on Duke St., West, for the N. B. Telephone Co., Ltd. A certified cheque equal to 5 per cent. of the amount of the bid to be enclosed with each tender.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

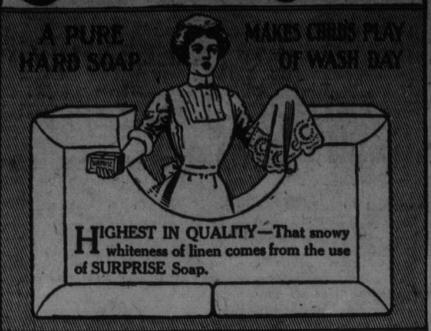
Plans and Specifications at the office of G. ERNEST FAIRWEATHER, Architect, 84 Germain St.

Mill Supplies

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NAVIGABLE WATERS PROTECTION ACT

R. S. C. Chapter 115.

The New Brunswick Provincial Department of Public Works hereby gives notice that it has under Section 7 of the said Act, deposited with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and in the District Registrar of the Land Registry District of Queens County, N. B., a description of the site and the plans for the proposed new Upper James Bridge over the James River, Parish of Cambridge, Queens County, N. B.

And take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the New Brunswick Provincial Department of Public Works will under Section 7 of the said Act, apply to the Minister of Public Works at his office in the City of Ottawa for approval of the said site and plans, and for leave to construct the said Bridge.

Dated at Fredericton, N. B., this 29th day of April, 1916.

JOHN MORRISSEY, Minister of Public Works Province of New Brunswick

MUNICIPALITY OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF SAINT JOHN.

Tenders for Concrete Walls.

The Highway Board of the Parish of Lancaster invites Tenders for the laying of concrete sidewalks, in accordance with plans and specifications to be seen at the office of the Engineer, No. 74 Carmarthen Street.

Tenders will be accepted for the work in Sections as shown in the Specification or for the whole.

A certified cheque must accompany each bid as stated in the Form of Tender.

All Bids must be addressed to William Golding, Chairman of the Board, who will receive tenders until 6 p. m. of Thursday, the first day of June, A. D. 1916, when they will be publicly opened in the Court House in the presence of the tenders.

No bid will be considered unless on the form specified and in the envelope supplied, at the office of the Engineer. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all tenders.

St. John, N. B., May 27, 1916.

GILBERT G. MURDOCH, Engineer.

WILLIAM GOLDING, Chairman.

ESTATE SALE.

There will be sold at Public Auction on Saturday, the 3rd day of June next, at the house of the undersigned, the hour of twelve o'clock noon, the Leasehold Property, situated at No. 84 Forest Street. Ground rent \$24.00 per annum. For further particulars apply to Hamilton & Hamilton, Solicitors at Fredericton, N. B.

T. T. TANTALUM, Auctioneer. Office 45 Canterbury Street. Phone 769.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the District. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency) on certain conditions.

Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years after settling on the land, or a habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$100 per acre.

Six months residence in each of three years after settling homestead pre-emption patent may be obtained on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$100 per acre. Duties—reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 60 acres and erect a house worth \$50.

W. W. COLE, Deputy of the Minister of Interior, N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—6422.

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A Column Which Is Supposed To
Be Of Interest To Women

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

MARGUERITE'S WEEKLY CHAT-CHAT.
Maude Adams in Barrie's play "What Every Woman Knows."
"Charm is the bloom upon a woman. If you have it, you don't
have to have anything else. If you haven't it, all else won't do
you any good."

Methodist W. M. S.
The ladies of the Women's Metho-
dist Society held a business meeting
yesterday morning in the Queen's
Square Methodist church, when the
officers of the society read reports for
the year. Following the usual open-
ing exercises the reports of the dis-
trict organizers were presented for
the consideration of the members.

Pupils Exhibit at the Art Club.
It was a delight to see such excel-
lent artistic work as the pupils ex-
hibited at the Art Club rooms yester-
day, and to many visitors were amazed
and delighted at the progress made
and talent shown by some of our
young people in St. John. Miss Alice
Haggerty and Miss B. R. Holt have
every reason to be proud of the re-
sults of their tuition. Since Christ-
mas living models have been drawn
and the following young ladies have
made most splendid sketches in
charcoal:

Miss Marion Terry, several fine
sketches of soldiers, one silhouette
of Canada. Apart from this the
Allies Aid is an incentive to the young girls
to learn many things which will be of
service to them in after life. It also
brings them a personal relation
to the great war presently being waged.
Persons desiring to form branches
of the Allies Aid should contact Miss
Olive McKenna, Sussex, N. B. secretary
of the Sussex branch. In writing
please enclose stamp for reply, in order
to eliminate any possibility of
"house-clearing" was the subject
of a study of apples and vase, and a
winter landscape being very good.
Miss Gretchen Skinner's work in
composition landscape was much ad-
mired.

Women's Institutes.
Harcourt W. L.—The roll-call for
March was answered by a receipt
which later led to a talk on cake mak-
ing. "House-clearing" was the subject
for April and "The Flower Garden"
for May. Fortnightly teas are to be
held during the summer, three ladies
to cater at each tea. Several of the
members are sending boxes to the
Rees, a Canadian prisoner of war.

Ludlow Street Relief.
The yearly business meeting of the
Ludlow Street Relief Society was held
at the home of Mr. C. B. Reid, Duke
St., West, on Tuesday evening, report-
ing a very successful year's work. The
following officers were re-elected for
the ensuing year.
Mrs. C. E. Belyea, president.
Mrs. W. Lord, vice president.
Mrs. Ernestine Cochrane, secretary.
Refreshments were served at the
close of the meeting.

Strong—easy to handle
PURITY FLOUR
More Bread
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STOMACH TROUBLE
Felt Wretched Until He Started
To Take "Fruit-a-tives"

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"For two years I was a miserable
sufferer from Bilemurtium and Stom-
ach Trouble. I had frequent Dizzy
Spells and when I took food, felt
wretched and sleepy. I suffered from
Rheumatism dreadfully, with pains in
my back and joints, and my hands
swollen.
A friend advised "Fruit-a-tives" and
from the outset, they did me good.
After the first box, I felt I was getting
well and I can truthfully say that
"Fruit-a-tives" is the only medicine
that helped me."
LOUIS LABRIE.
60c. box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size, 25c.
At all dealers or sent postpaid by
Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

Children's
Corner
Letters Received
by Uncle Dick
From His Boys
and Girls

TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.
" 'What is the meaning of the
word 'tantaling'?" asked the
teacher.
" 'It means,' spoke up a small
boy, 'a battalion of soldiers
passing the school, and the pu-
bils not allowed to look out.' "

EXTRACTS FROM THE MAIL BAG
Dear Uncle Dick:—
I would like very much to join your
Corner. I like your Jumble Word Con-
test very much, and I am sending my
answer in today. You will get from
me some day a ray little bag, which I
will bring to you myself.
With much love from
Phyllis Adair Barker.

A New Member's Letter.
Freepont, N. S.
Dear Uncle Dick:—
I am a new niece. I would like to
join the Children's Corner. One of
my schoolmates has asked me to. My
father does not take the St. John
Standard, but I thought I would very
good, and I think I will answer some.
I will be fourteen years old the 14th
of August. I think I will close. But
I will write a longer letter next time.
Yours truly,
Alma Israel.

Interesting Letter From Kentville
Nipscot,
Kentville, N. S.
Dear Uncle Dick:—
I have been a member of the Corner
for some time, but have not written
regularly, and I have not entered every
contest, because some were painting
or drawing, and I cannot paint nor
draw good.
All winter there has been parts of
the 112th and the 219th battalions
here, and I have not entered every
contest, because some were painting
or drawing, and I cannot paint nor
draw good.

Dear Uncle Dick:—
I am very much pleased to see my
name on the list of honorable mention,
as that is not too bad for the first
time. I am very much pleased with
the Children's Corner, and the host
of kiddies that belong to it.
I have a brother in the 115th Batta-
lion at St. John, who has been sick
for some time, but he is now quite
well.
I would like to read the Standard on Sat-
urday, especially the Children's Cor-
ner and its very interesting letters.
With heaps of love to you Uncle
Dick and the members of the Child-
ren's Corner.
I remain your sincere niece,
Gladys E. Holsnell.

Soldier's Kiddie Joining Corner.
Jordan Mt., N. B.
Dear Uncle Dick:—
Will you admit a soldier's little girl
in your lovely Children's Corner, Uncle
Eldon wants one to write so he can
get your picture on a button. I am
Ora's sister, perhaps I am too young
to join yet, but I will try. I will close
now, with best wishes I remain
Your new niece,
Nora K. Taft.

News Of The St. John Theatres
Told In The Right Way

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

Imperial.
Miss Valli has been very happy in
her motion picture work. Her first
picture was a great success. It was
"The Highroad," now known over the
whole country as one of the pictures
of the Metro series, that introduced a
new epoch in the history of photoplays.
She is frankly proud of that success.
She likes the studio work, and hopes
for even bigger things in it. Physi-
cally she is admirably equipped for
motion pictures. She "screens" well,
without any effort on her part, and
when she adds the effort as required
with the art that is her own, the result
has an irresistible appeal.

Abounds in Stir.
The adequate filming of "The Bar-
rier," by Rex Beach, which is to be
undertaken by the Lubin Company,
will doubtless require a multiple reel
production. Edgar Lewis, who has
the direction, is at present figuring on
a screen feature of eight or nine acts.
The no padding rule, however, will be
strictly observed. On the other hand,
it will call for skillful direction to com-
press into even an eight-act feature
the many stirring scenes of "The
Barrier."

Aeroplane has become one of the
popular diversions among members of
the Balboa Studio force. Several not-
ed aviators, wintering in Long Beach,
have developed quite a business tak-
ing passengers up into the air at the
rate of one dollar a minute. Suffice
to say that they are getting rich. One
of the first to take advantage of the
opportunity was William Conklin, the
manly leader of Balboa. He did five
dollars' worth of sky riding one morn-
ing before work and said it was fine.

Lucille Taft, heroine of the Rialto
Star Features on the regular Mutual
program, is an expert horticulturist
and enjoys a large annual income from
her profession.
Toronto exhibitors raised objection
to the showing of the "Heine and

Opera House
MAE MURRAY and WALLACE REID
IN MARY JOHNSON'S FAMOUS STORY
"TO HAVE AND TO HOLD"
TOPICAL BUDGET
VITAL PICTORIAL NEWS FROM
ABROAD
PARAMOUNT-DRAY CARTOON
AND SPLENDID ANIMAL STUDIES
FROM WILD LIFE.

UNIQUE LYRIC
THOS. CHATTERTON
and All Star Cast in the Drama of Love,
Intelligence and Devotion
"SILENT SELSBY"
3 ACTS
LAST TIME TONIGHT
Chas. Chaplin in
"Dough and Dynamite"
Keynote Comedy
"DIRTY WORK IN A LAUNDRY"
SATURDAY MATINEE
SOUVENIR PATRIOTIC BROTHERS
to the Boys and Girls in Honor of
The King's Birthday

Here's the Case of a Girl Who Chose the
Weaker Brother!
IMPERIAL THEATRE TODAY
Valli Valli, Noted English Star, and George
LeGuerre in the Society Story
"THE TURMOIL"
The Famous Novel by Booth Tarkington
--- A METRO PRODUCTION DE LUXE ---
A MOST ABSORBING ANIMATED WEEKLY IN THIS BILL
British and Allied War Pictures, Comedies, Orchestra

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts.

Maritime—Fresh northerly to westerly winds, fair, not much change in temperatures.

Washington, May 31.—Northern New England—Fair Thursday; Friday cloudy; moderate north winds.

Toronto, May 31.—A few local showers have occurred in the west, and showing in the Maritime Provinces. Elsewhere the weather has been fine.

Temperatures.	
	Min. Max.
Prince Rupert	46 68
Victoria	46 68
Vancouver	46 68
Edmonton	40 66
Battleford	44 62
Prince Albert	44 66
Moose Jaw	37 67
Port Arthur	36 60
Parry Sound	48 62
London	43 68
Toronto	45 65
Ottawa	42 64
Montreal	48 66
Quebec	46 64
St. John	46 62
Halifax	46 66

F. P. GUTELIUS IN CITY TO DISCUSS ELEVATOR MATTER

General Manager of Government Railways Conferred Last Evening With Civic Authorities—Tenders for Million Bushel Elevator to be Called for Soon.

F. P. Gutelius, General Manager of the Government Railway System, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon in his private car, attached to the Pacific Express, and left again for home on the Halifax Express last night. It is understood that he came to the city for a conference with the city commissioners in regard to a site for the proposed new elevator to be erected here.

VANGUARD OF 115th CHOSEN TO PROCEED TO VALCARTIER

Officially Announced Neither of the Battalions Now in St. John Will Leave Here This Week—Brig. Gen. H. H. McLean Returned Yesterday from Halifax.

Brigadier Col. H. H. McLean has returned to the city after paying an official visit to headquarters at Halifax.

It was officially announced yesterday at the headquarters of the N. B. command that neither the 115th or the advance guard of the 115th Battalion will leave St. John this week. The reason for the delay can be attributed to the scarcity of cars available for transportation.

The advance guard from the 140th will probably be selected from "C" Company at Fredericton.

Both battalions have received orders to be ready to leave at an hour's notice.

104th Not to go to Halifax.

The members of the 104th, stationed at Fredericton will not proceed to Halifax as formerly reported.

115th.

Yesterday was spent by the battalion in the regular routine work. The slow march is forming an important part in the day's syllabus.

Private Gilbert has been transferred from the 140th to the 115th and has been promoted to lance corporal.

Today the members receive their pay while in St. John.

The usual work will be carried on today with Lieut. Dyer as orderly officer.

Lieut. J. S. Scott, recently appointed transport officer of the battalion, is away for the purpose of recruiting thirty teamsters.

An advance guard consisting of 10 men will leave St. John Monday or Tuesday for Aldershot to make arrangements for the provisional school of infantry now being instructed in St. John.

Sergeant A. Reid, who has stoken at recruiting meetings on several occasions throughout the province will likely have charge of the advance party.

G. G. Tufts and J. T. Person have been discharged from the military hospital and will resume their instruction in a few days.

Five recruits signed on yesterday at the recruiting office on Prince William street. The names are—Alex. Smith, Anagnone; C. M. Arnold, Fairville; G. L. Reading, Hatfield's Point; Henry Neal, St. John, N. B.

The Maritime Provinces will send 10,000 troops to Valcartier this summer. Most of the battalions are up to full strength, and those requiring men are gradually obtaining the number required.

The 112th Battalion, now stationed at Windsor, N. S., and the 106th, two of the strongest maritime battalions will probably go to Aldershot for the first period of training, afterwards proceeding to Valcartier.

About twenty-five soldiers who have been away on pleasuring and seedling passes returned to the city last night. The 58th Field Battery leaves Fredericton today at 11.30 for Valcartier. Arrangements have been made to give the boys a send off in which the military men stationed at Fredericton will participate.

PRIMECREST OPENS FINE NEW DAIRY ON CHARLOTTE STREET

Premises Formerly Occupied by Bank of N. S. Converted into Up-to-date Sales-room for Primecrest Products.

Just facing the entrance is a large refrigerator show-case the woodwork of which is handsomely finished in early English style, and having an inset panel of white tiling. The highly polished mahogany top is covered with a display case of plate glass with nickel-trimmed. The serving counter, immediately adjoining, is similarly finished, excepting, of course, the glass show-cases.

At the rear of the laboratory is a refrigerator-equipped silent salesman also finished in early English style, the front being fitted with alternate panels of British plate mirror and bevelled plate glass. The interior is white enamel lined and provided with plate glass shelves mounted on nickel-plated brackets.

The ice cream cabinet, which provides for four different flavors, is nicely finished in polished golden oak. The woodwork finish of the Primecrest laboratory is of polished oak, the burled-covered walls being daintily tinted in robin's egg to a height of eight feet where a moulding of oak divides it from the upper portion which is finished in white tile effect to the ceiling which is also finished in white. The flooring is of matched A retail dairy laboratory, said to be second to none in Eastern Canada, is thrown open to the public today at 37 Charlotte street, the premises formerly occupied by the Bank of Nova Scotia, by the management of Primecrest Farms.

The interior has been thoroughly renovated and now stands foremost among the finest establishments in the city's business section.

The equipment, throughout, is of the most advanced modern, sanitary type, designed expressly to conform to the fullest extent, to the company's policy of purity, cleanliness and safety in the production and care of their milk, cream, butter, buttermilk, cheese and Country Club Ice Cream, and the proper protection of their every product until it is placed in the consumer's home.

The appointments are luxurious, even to the smallest detail, and one is immediately impressed with the air of purity and cleanliness, and with the prompt, courteous service.

Each department is constantly open to public view, the smiling patron is to have a full knowledge of what they are purchasing.

In the fine, roomy display window facing Charlotte street, is an electrically operated churn in the shape of an expert dairymaid seated in an immaculate white duck suit, and who, in full view of the public, conducts the manufacture of the famous Primecrest Special Butter, noted for its superior richness, distinctive flavor and safety.

Excellent taste has also been displayed in the selection of the electric light fixtures which are of bevelled brass, and the ceiling suspending huge milk-white globes which are also used very effectively in the lighting of the windows. The wall lights are shaded by plain, but artistically designed bellows of cut glass.

It may not be amiss to add, just here, that both fixtures and equipment were personally chosen by the firm's manager, Mr. L. C. Prime, to whose enterprise and unwearied efforts are due the origin and remarkable success of Primecrest Farms, the largest and finest of their kind anywhere in Eastern Canada today.

A dairy competition to the general effect at Primecrest laboratory is imparted by the attire of the lady attendants who are clad in nurses' costumes.

Gracefully fashioned vases of bright fresh-cut flowers lend a final finishing touch to Primecrest Farms city laboratory which should be favored with a liberal and continually growing share of public patronage.

YOUNG WOMEN WANTED.

Merchants and bankers now find it extremely difficult to obtain competent office help owing to the fact that stenographers and bookkeepers in large numbers have enlisted for service at the front. More young women are needed to take the places of the men, but they must be trained. The Currie Commercial Institute, Oddfellows' Hall, 37 Union street, offer half rates on any course to young women only who will make arrangements for a course during the coming week, and will guarantee positions to all. No objection will be made to taking young men on this offer, provided they are not eligible for military service. School in session both night and day.

PALM BEACH SUITS.

When you buy your mid-summer suit be sure to get it made from the pure wool Palm Beach cloth. Those on sale at F. A. Dykeman & Co.'s are made of neatest that will give extra good service and are just a little bit better made than the other kind. The price is \$11.50. Those shantung silk suits with the Norfolk coat are only \$8.50. This silk suit will wash and will give the best of wear. It is in natural color only.

The City Market.

The market will be closed on Saturday but will be kept open until 10 o'clock Friday evening.

H. B. McLELLAN, Commissioner of Public Safety.

Make Luscious Frozen Desserts "White Mountain" Way

Open Friday till 10 p.m. Closed All Day Saturday, which is The King's Birthday

Ice Cream is a Quicker, Easier Dessert than Pie or Pudding, when Properly Made, with a Triple Motion Freezer

You can't prepare pies for the oven in less than forty minutes, then they must be baked, and you have to fuss and work over a hot range in warm weather.

THINK OF THE DIFFERENCE

In less than twenty minutes you can have smooth, delicious home-made Ice Cream, if you make it properly with a "White Mountain" Triple Motion Freezer which we can furnish you at the following PRICES

One Quart, \$2.20; Two Quarts, \$2.75; Three Quarts, \$3.55; Four Quarts, \$3.90; Six Quarts, \$4.80; Eight Quarts, \$6.30; Ten Quarts, \$8.00; Twelve Quarts, \$10.15; Fifteen Quarts, \$12.50; Twenty Quarts, \$15.90; Twenty-Five Quarts, \$20.40.

MARKET SQUARE W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD. KING STREET

Children's Trimmed Millinery From New York

White, Cream, Tuscan, Pink and Blue open work Hats trimmed with ribbon bows.

The cutest Hats you ever looked at \$1.50 and \$2.00 each.

Panama Hats, Leghorn Hats, White Milan Hats, trimmed and untrimmed.

Georgette Crepe Hats in White, Pink, Pale Blue, Saxe Blue, Navy, when you cannot find the shade you wish in your Hat call on us.

MARR MILLINERY COMPANY, LIMITED

Tennis Goods

Now is the time to select what Tennis Goods you may require.

"AYRES" and "WRIGHT and DITSON" MAKES—(The Standard in England and America.)

"AYRES" RACKETS—S. N. D., Wonder, Superior and Standard

"WRIGHT and DITSON" RACKETS—Ward and Wright, Columbus, Sears and Park.

TENNIS BALLS, TENNIS NETS, RACKET COVERS, Presses, etc.

Saturday, June 3, our store will be closed all day. Open Friday Evening.

Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

As usual during June, July and August Stores will be open every Friday Night Until Ten o'clock, closing every Saturday at one p. m., but Next Saturday, our King's Birthday, M. R. A. Stores will be Closed all day.

Grand Opening of Summer Millinery Continued Today

SALE OF BOYS' WASH SUITS IN RUSSIAN AND SAILOR STYLES FOR TODAY AND FRIDAY

Just at the beginning of the wash suit season here is opportunity to save money. This two days' sale presents Russian and Sailor styles in Gingham, Galateas, Linens and Prints, neat stripe and check patterns, in various shades, white and blue grounds with colored stripes, also plain tan, white and blue. Many are made with sailor collars in contrasting shades and braid trimmed, others button to the neck.

This is the balance of our stock of these styles to be sold at three special prices—

98c, \$1.25, \$1.60

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

New Graduation Dresses

Dresses for graduation have just been received, and they comprise very charming styles in sizes from 16 years to 38-bust measurement.

White Voile Dresses, with full tucked skirts, embroidered and large sailor collars. Prices \$5.50 to \$12.00

White Net Dresses, with flounced skirts, full overskirts. Prices \$14.00 to \$24.00

COSTUME SECTION—SECOND FLOOR.

Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

Around the City

Market Will Close Saturday. Saturday having been proclaimed a holiday, the market will be closed, but for the convenience of the public will be open until ten o'clock Friday night.

The Dishonor Roll. The police gathered in three men yesterday for drunkenness and these are the only names which decorated the dishonor roll at police headquarters.

To Have Charge of Stores. Quartermaster-Sergeant Spalding arrived in the city yesterday to transfer the charge of No. 2 Sec. No. 6 Co., C. S. C. stores from Lieut. Davidson, who is going overseas, over to A. G. Hoar of the 5th Regiment.

Building Permits for May. James Carleton, building inspector, reports that building permits issued for the month of May this year are \$164,100; building permits for the month of May, last year, were \$76,900. Total for year to end of May is \$245,700; total for corresponding period last year was \$141,850.

Board of Health Inspection. The inspectors of the Board of Health are making their rounds and they report that they find conditions much improved over those of last year. Every year more people are cleaning up and seem to be taking more pride in having a cleaner and therefore better city to live in.

Break in the Inch Main. A leak was discovered in the 36 inch main just this side of the One Mile House, yesterday morning. Immediately on the discovery the water was shut off this main and had no noticeable effect on the general pressure, and the people on the highest level did not know there had been a break.

Still Searching for Boy's Body. Diver H. E. Poland continued his search for the body of Ernest McLean all day yesterday but without success. He has gone over the bottom in the bedroom thoroughly and will now try around some of the wharves in the vicinity, in the hope that the body may have been caught and held there.

A Child Scalded. Little Adeline Hughes, who fell into a pail of hot water and was scalded quite badly, at her parents home, Adelaide street, yesterday morning, was resting fairly easy at the hospital last night. The case is not considered a serious one and it is expected that the little one will soon be at home again.

To Engage in Business in Halifax. Sam J. Richey, one of the best known commercial men "on the road," and who for many years has been travelling representative for A. & I. Isaacs of this city, has severed his connection with that firm to become a member of the firm of Glenn & Brown, cigar manufacturers of Halifax. The new firm will be known as Glenn, Brown & Richey. The two former are practical cigar men, both natives of this city, and have been located in Halifax for some years. Mr. Richey is also a St. John man, so that is another case of St. John enterprise in Halifax. Mr. Richey will be the road representative of the firm, while the other two members will be in charge of the factory.

Advance in Price of Biscuits. The Biscuit Manufacturers advance the price of all sweet goods half cent per lb., also a slight advance in price of package sodas, June 1st, 1916.

Sharpe, 7 Mill Street. When the wife has gone to the country, get your mid-day lunch with Sharpe, you will never be disappointed.

NOTICE! Hunt's store will be closed all day Saturday, the King's Birthday. Open for business Friday evening till eleven o'clock. The big spring sale of clothing and furnishings still going on. See our advertisement with prices in today's Times. Hunt's busy up-town clothing store, 17-19 Charlotte street.

Show your patriotism June 10th, Seaside Park, Brunswick Chapter.

Patriotic carnival Seaside Park, June 10th.

STANDARD MAN WILL WED TODAY

J. W. L. Hennigar and Miss Jeanne Hazel Maxwell Principals in Interesting Event This Afternoon.

An interesting event will be solemnized this afternoon at the bride's home, 385 Union street, when Jeanne Hazel, daughter of Mrs. Pamela T. Maxwell and the late Hon. Robert Maxwell, will be united in marriage to Mr. Joseph Wilson Lawrence Hennigar. The bride is one of the popular young ladies of this city. Mr. Hennigar is advertising manager of the Daily Standard and is the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hennigar.

The house is prettily decorated for the occasion. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. W. H. Barraclough, pastor of Centenary Methodist church. The bride will be given away by her brother, C. T. Maxwell. The wedding march will be played by Miss Vera T. Maxwell. Miss Maxwell's gown is of crepe de chine over tulle with shadow lace corsage and a Juliet cap and bridal veil of Brussels net and orange blossoms. She will carry a shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. The ceremony will take place in the presence of only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties. Following the ceremony supper will be served. Mr. and Mrs. Hennigar will leave on the Maritime express for Upper Canada and the States.

On their return they will reside at 185 Princess street. A magnificent array of beautiful and costly presents have been received, among them a case of silver and a beautiful electric parlor lamp from The Standard.

We have recently received a 12oz delayed shipment of wrist watches from Switzerland.

While these last we can give you unprecedented values. Really reliable watches from \$6.50 up.

Ladies' Gold Filled Bracelet Watches, \$11.00, \$12.00, \$14.00, \$16.00 and \$20.00.

Ladies' Solid Gold Bracelet Watches from \$25.00 to \$80.00. Allan Gundry, 79 King street.

Victoria "Wet Wash" Laundry is the best—they cleanse the clothes thoroughly. 2 to 10 Pitt street. Phone 390.