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## Unhappy Rheims Again Suffers Severely From The German Shells

### Cathedral Struck Several Times; Many Buildings in Flames

### French Reply to Enemy and Artillery Duel Rages Across City—British and French Achieve Distinct Advantage on North Sea Coast

Paris, Feb. 23—Heavy damage was done to Rheims by the German bombardment of the city on Sunday and Monday. The Germans bombarded from the east and north, and the cathedral was struck several times. Many buildings were set on fire.

The Germans used their biggest going shells. The cannonade was opened on Sunday and continued on Monday. The cathedral was struck several times. Many buildings were set on fire.

During the darkness flames sprang up from burning buildings, lighting up the sky for many miles. This furnished an excellent target for the German guns, who made the most of it. On Monday the sky was overcast by a thick pall of black smoke, which rolled upward from the conflagration. After a brief lull, the German guns were again in action at dawn and shells began exploding in the streets all over the ruined city. The French batteries stationed behind Rheims replied to the German fire all day an artillery duel raged across the city.

The French trenches along the West, southeast of Rheims, were also shelled by the Germans.

Both the British and Germans are claiming a success East of Ypres, in West Flanders. On the North Sea coast the French and British artillery have achieved a distinct advantage over the German guns. Along the Meuse the French and Germans are fighting for the possession of new high ground in order to push forward their artillery support.

### GERMANS TODAY ON ALLOWANCE OF BREAD

London, Feb. 23—The Exchange Telegraph Company's Copenhagen correspondent says that a private message from Berlin states that today was the first "bread day." Every German received a ticket early in the morning entitling him to his supply.

### CALLING HOME THE OLDER ONES

Geneva, via Paris, Feb. 23—Germans up to the age of forty-eight eligible for service with the landwehr troops, have been recalled from Switzerland and it is reported here that those living in other neutral countries have also been directed to join the colors, not later than March 3.

Austria-Hungary has summoned from neutral countries men of the landwehr up to the age of forty-five. This order affects 2,000 living in Switzerland.

## PRESENTATION OF DRUMS TO THE 26TH BATTALION TODAY

### An Interesting Ceremony at the Armory—Gift of Women's Canadian Club—Local News of the War

The armory presented a gala appearance at noon today when the presentation of the drums to the 26th Battalion. The men in uniform were drawn up in a hollow square before an elevated platform on which were two drums, covered by a large Union Jack, loaned by M. E. A. Limited, while above them filling the balcony were women members of the club and others.

At the close of the exercises attending to the presentation, the general salute was given, and the new drums were used for the first time in the playing of God Save the King by the five band, the bugle band later joining. Lieut-Col. McAvity called for three cheers, and they were vigorously given, in honor of the members of the Women's Canadian Club.

The presentation of the drums was made by Mrs. G. A. Kuhring, president of the club. She spoke of the pride it gave the women to stand in the presence of such a fine body of men going forth to fight the battles of the empire. The Women's Canadian Club were especially proud in having the honor to make the presentation. They knew the battalion would reflect honor and credit upon the province. Mrs. Kuhring's address made a marked impression upon all who heard her. She then called upon Lady Tilley, patroness of the club, and Mrs. J. H. Frink, and one of the directors of the club, and they formally presented the drums.

The president next asked Mrs. E. A. Smith, honorary president, to address a few words to the battalion assembled, and she did so in a graceful speech, in which she congratulated the men who had already gone forward from Canada, and spoke in flattering terms of the officers and men of the 26th. They were going forward as soldiers, at men, and as gentlemen, fully recognizing the duties devolving upon them, and the courtesy they owed to women and children. She urged them to live up to the text "Watch ye, stand fast in the faith—gilt ye like men, be strong." Mrs. Smith closed with a few appropriate remarks concerning the drums just presented.

Lieut-Col. McAvity made a brief, soldierly speech expressive of the thanks and appreciation of himself and his officers to Lady Tilley, Mrs. Frink, Mrs. Kuhring, and Mrs. Smith as being active in the interests of the battalion, and said that the kindly acts of these ladies as well as of many others who had been considerate of the men of his command, were keenly appreciated. He was grateful for the gift of drums, and desired to thank the Women's Canadian Club for himself and in behalf of all the other officers and men.

In addition to the ladies mentioned others on the platform included Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. A. R. McInnes, Miss C. O. McGivern, Mrs. J. F. Robertson, Mrs. G. K. McLeod, Mrs. D. Hutchinson, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. John McAvity, and Mrs. Arthur Coster.

The recruits who have enlisted in the 26th Battalion, of the 4th Canadian Division, of the Third Canadian Trench, will start drill today. Among the recruits enlisted there on Saturday afternoon was Rev. G. T. Spriggs, rector of the Anglican Church at Zealand Station, who enlisted as a private. He is a native of Gosport, England, and came to Canada about eleven years ago. He was ordained into the ministry in Manitoba eight years ago, having studied at Wycklife College, Toronto. He spent five years in Manitoba and came to New Brunswick in the summer of 1911 as rector at Zealand. He attended Camp Sables one year since coming to Zealand as bugler of B Company of the 71st Regiment. He has one brother, H. J. D. Spriggs, who is paymaster on H. M. S. Berwick, while another brother, C. W. Spriggs, is with the Royal Engineers at Singapore. Rev. Mr. Spriggs is married and has two daughters. His family will remain at Zealand until after the war.

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**WEATHER BULLETIN**

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service.

**Can You Beat It? Think of a "BEAT" in a DAY LIKE THIS!**

Synopsis—A moderate disturbance is approaching the Great Lakes from the southwest and rain is falling in many parts of Ontario. In the other provinces the weather has been fair and comparatively mild.

Maritime, fair to mild today; Wednesday, easterly to southerly winds and becoming unsettled with showers.

New England Forecasts—Probably rain tonight and Wednesday; slightly warmer tonight, fresh east to southeast wind.

### WOULD INVESTIGATE BUYING OF HORSES



### BERNHARDT SUFFERS BUT CONDITION SATISFACTORY

Bordeaux, Feb. 23—The condition of Sarah Bernhardt, who right leg was amputated yesterday, was said late last night to be satisfactory, although she was suffering considerable pain.

## Judge Forbes in County Court Announces That He Will Retire From Bench Soon

### Present Session Understood to Be His Last—No Bill in Criminal Cases—Several Matters Disposed of Under Speedy Trials

In addressing the grand jury at the opening of the February sitting of the county court this morning, Judge Forbes made reference to his retirement, which he said would take place very soon.

"It is now over twenty years," he said, "since I first occupied the bench. During that time I have tried to discharge my duties faithfully and conscientiously, and I think I will have the confidence of the bench and legal profession. It is not possible for an official to carry out the duties of his office without stepping on somebody's toes. I have done this very often; but if I have erred it is on the side of leniency. But in all my experience only one boy allowed me to step on his toe. He was a young fellow named Deane Gorlick, who pleaded guilty to abandoning her two-year-old infant by leaving it on the Evangeline Home steps, were allowed to go on suspended probation."

James McIntyre was sentenced to three months in goal with hard labor on a charge of stealing \$30 from Roy E. Hatfield.

Walter Lacey was found not guilty of shooting Fred Wheat. The Lacey had been arrested on a warrant issued immediately after his discharge.

### HOWARD MCMANON STILL AT SALISBURY

A letter received yesterday by Mrs. J. H. McMahon, of 44 Mill street, from her son, Howard, with the first Canadian contingent told of the Canadians at Salisbury Plain having been inspected by King George prior to departure for France. Not all were to be taken he said, but some were to be left behind presumably until the second contingent arrived. He was one of these, as he was with a fatigue party now engaged in building huts for the later arrivals. Many soldiers had been transferred to other battalions, while others had already been selected to go to France. Young McMahon wrote that he was well and asked to be remembered to friends at home.

### REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate in Kings county have been recorded as follows:

B. S. Bonnell to O. S. Bonnell, property in Westfield.

Alice M. Clarke to F. C. Breen, \$150 property in Westfield.

T. G. Day to O. S. Bonnell, property in Westfield.

Lucinda C. Dymott to James Armstrong, \$1,600 property in Westfield.

F. T. Fenwick to Alice V. Fenwick, property in Stuhalm.

E. R. Polkins to G. B. Jones, \$500, property in Stuhalm.

Katie E. Humphreys to L. H. Hanlon, property in Westfield.

Isabel Holmes to Benjamin Holmes, \$400, property in Stuhalm.

M. H. Hannum to Iva M. Coates, property in Westfield.

Ethelbert R. Sharp to G. S. Whitcomb, property in Norton.

### PATRIOTIC FUND

C. B. Allan, secretary-treasurer of the Canadian Patriotic Fund has received a contribution of \$1 from Robert Boyer.

## ANOTHER NORWEGIAN GOES DOWN OFF DOVER

### The Steamer Regin Sunk by German Submarine or Mine Today—Washington Still Waits Official Reports—London Papers Show Impatience

London, Feb. 23—The Norwegian steamer Regin was sunk off Dover this morning by either a submarine or a mine. The crew of twenty-two men was saved.

The Regin, which was carrying coal from the Tyne to Bordeaux, sank ten minutes after she was struck.

LONDON PAPERS DISCUSS BLOCKADE

London, Feb. 23—Complaints at government delay in enforcing the blockade or whatever reprisals have been decided upon against Germany are voiced again in the editorial columns of morning papers. The Mail says the British nation is laboring under the delusion that Germany is being subjected to a strict blockade, while the very reverse is the fact, food and raw materials, the paper says, still are being imported into Germany.

The Graphic similarly complains that, while the British cabinet hesitates, a large part of Belgium has been reduced to semi-starvation by German military pressure.

The morning papers also discuss the sinking of the American steamer Evelyn and possible complications which may arise between the United States and Germany, because of the incident. The Graphic says that if the German people were guided by pure sense, they would try to discover some method of conciliating American opinion.

### CHILDREN, OLD MAN, A WOMAN BOMB VICTIMS

Calais, via Paris, Feb. 23—Warning of the approach of the Zeppelin which bombarded this city yesterday morning was given the sentries by the throbbing of the engine as the airship approached rapidly from the sea at a height of about 1,000 feet. It flew straight across the city toward the Fontenette station but dropped no bombs on the way.

The first missile fell when the Zeppelin was above the point where the railroad tracks intersect. It went through the foot-bridge and struck the track leading to Dunkirk. The airship then rose higher and dropped five bombs in rapid succession. All fell in the vicinity of the railroad. One burst in the courtyard of houses close to the grade crossing, demolishing a shed and breaking windows. The occupants of the houses, awoken by the explosion escaped without injury.

Other bombs fell in the garden and on the roof of a little house in the Rue Dognien. An old man and a little girl asleep in the garret and the family which occupied the cottage on the ground floor, consisting of the father, mother and two children, were buried in the ruins. All were killed except one child, a baby five months old, which was taken uninjured from the twisted mass of brick and plaster. The front of the house was cut off as cleanly as though it had been done by a gigantic knife. The violence of the explosion shook the neighboring houses to their foundations and broke all the windows within a wide radius.

After dropping the bombs, the Zeppelin disappeared rapidly over the sea. It evidently was manned by pilots well acquainted with the locality since it came from the sea directly to Fontenette, crossing the city at the point of its greatest width.

A long German pennant attached to a sea containing and was found on the roof of a house near one of these demolished and was handed over to the military governor.

### Zeppelin Kills All of One Family Except Babe

Missiles Dropped at Calais

Evidently Design Was to Wreck Railroad Property—Five Months Old Infant Taken From Ruins of Home

### ROBBERS RAID A GAMBLING HOUSE

Get No Money But Four Men Are Wounded in Revolver Fusillade

Tulsa, Okla., Feb. 23—Four men were wounded, two probably fatally, in a fusillade of shots that followed an attempt of three men to rob a gambling house here late last night.

The men entered the establishment and commanded all in the room, more than 100, to hold up their hands. The command brought a general exchange of shots. The uninjured robbers escaped; no money was obtained.

### SKIPPER SAYS HE SANK A SUBMARINE

Baltimore, Feb. 23—Captain J. W. White, who came into this port in charge of the British steamship Overdale, says he sank a German submarine off the coast of England on New Year's Day.

The captain said it was during a heavy snowstorm that his vessel collided with a submarine, which was submerged at the time, and passed over its deck. For a few minutes, according to Captain White, the Overdale was lifted out of the water and all on board thought she would break in two.

Caught on the crest of a wave, the big freighter came down with full force on the deck of the submarine, and it sank from sight. The Overdale with two blades of her propeller broken off and leaking slightly from damaged plates, made her way into Queenstown harbor, where she remained in dry dock for about three weeks undergoing repairs.

Captain White says that when he gets back to Liverpool he will claim the big reward offered to the first British captain to sink a German submarine.

### CHINESE IN CANADA WOULD GO TO WAR

Ottawa, Feb. 23—A company of naturalized Chinese in Canada would like to go to the front. Fifty of them from Edmonton have written the militia department offering their services in any capacity from riflemen, cooks and laundrymen. Some of the number have seen service in the Orient.

## Germans Were To Be In Warsaw Today

### Another of Kaiser's Boasts That Has Failed—Czar's Men Again Getting Upper Hand

Petrograd, Feb. 23—This is the day originally set by the German general staff for the triumphal entry of Emperor William's troops into Warsaw, according to officers captured by the Russians in northern Poland. The Germans, however, are still far from their goal.

Gains by the Russians in the Narw River region officially announced here are declared to have balked the German efforts to reach Warsaw from the northeast. The Germans have been thrust back from Lomza, it is said at the War Office, and the Russians pursuing them have recaptured Jedwabno and passed that town again advancing towards the East Prussian frontier. The inability to move reinforcements to help the Tenth Army when it was recently caught in the jaws of the trap, is no longer handicapping the Russians, as they are fighting close to their first line of forts. This is expected to turn the tide of victory to the Russians in the conflict now raging in northern Poland.

The Russian retreat from East Prussia was accompanied by a similar movement in northern Poland, south of the German frontier. This left Mlava in undisputed possession of the Germans, who pressed on Przasnysz. There, however, the Russians occupied positions prepared in advance and the Germans were halted. A battle has been raging at Przasnysz for five days, and at latest reports the conflict is a deadlock. The Germans are trying to swing their right flank through Racione and Pionsk, but thus far their efforts have resulted only in the Russians inflicting heavy losses upon the attacking troops, and also in taking many prisoners.

### SEVERAL SUCCESSSES BY RUSSIANS

Petrograd, Feb. 23—Reposures of the Austrians and Germans at several points on the western battle front are claimed by the Russians in an official communication issued last night. It is stated that in Eastern Galicia, Southeast of Stanislav, two brigades of Austrians were driven off with the loss of 1,500 prisoners including twenty officers, and several machine guns.

### TURKS ARE BEATEN

Petrograd, Feb. 23—The reinforced Turkish army that is renewing its offensive against the Russians has met with a rather reverse, according to official advice received from Tiflis today. The commander of the Russian army in the Caucasus reported to the War Office that the Ottoman troops had been repulsed in the Trans-Therokh region on Sunday, being thrown back across the City-Talav steve.

## French Airmen Fly Near Rhine; Damage Barracks of Germans

### Bombard Muelhausen—Reported Sight of German Airfleet Westward Bound—Another Zeppelin Said to be Lost

Belfort, France, Feb. 23—French aviators successfully bombarded the German barracks at Muelhausen, Alsace, on Monday morning. They made a flight as far as Freiburg-in-Breisgau, only eleven miles from the Rhine, and on their return dropped seven bombs upon the Muelhausen barracks.

According to reports received here, the bombs killed about a dozen German soldiers, and caused extensive damage to the barracks. All the French aviators returned safely to Belfort.

### NEITHER GREEK TROOPS NOR TURKS ALLOWED TO CROSS BULGARIA

Paris, Feb. 23—When tension between Turkey and Greece was greatest last week, says the Petit Parisien, the Turkish minister at Sofia asked the Bulgarian government if it would permit Turkish troops to pass through Bulgaria for an attack upon Greece, should war be declared.

Premier Radoloff replied, the paper asserts, that neither country would be permitted to transport troops across Bulgarian territory.

### SAYS ILLITERATES IN MONTREAL ARE MANY

Quebec, Feb. 23—That there are today in Montreal some 2,000 children growing up without any education whatsoever, was the startling announcement made by Howard Murray to the Protestant Committee of the Council of Public Instruction which met in one of the large rooms of the new wing of the parliament building here.

Mr. Murray in his report on the subject explained that the children in question are largely Lithuanians, Syrians, and members of the Greek and Russian churches, who do not come under the classification of either the Catholic or Protestant schools, and having been claimed by neither of these, are growing up practically illiterate.

The committee resolved to start the betterment of this state of affairs by taking the matter up with the government, and urging that something be done immediately to overcome the problem.

### DIED TODAY

The death of Miss Annie Vernicos, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Malloy of Fairville occurred today. She had been in failing health for about a year. Miss Malloy was a bright, popular young woman of twenty-four years. She is survived by her parents and four sisters Misses Irene, Agnes, Mary and Alice all at home and one brother, Daniel.

### Train Wreck in Colorado

Denver, Colo., Feb. 23—Denver and Rio Grande passenger train No. 15, was wrecked twelve miles south of Colorado Springs early today. The fireman is reported to have been killed, and several passengers injured.



**PROCLAMATION**

I hereby appoint Saturday, 27th February instant, to be Patriotic Day, and I invite all the Citizens to assist by decorating their places of business and residences with flags and bunting, and assist financially those collecting subscriptions for the Patriotic Funds.

JAMES H. FRINK, Mayor.

**PIECE OF GERMAN SHELL STRIKES SOLDIER PRIEST AS HE IS AT ALTAR**

Hasebroeck via Paris, Feb. 23.—A soldier priest was saying mass yesterday in a church at Elverdinge, near Ypres, when a German shell exploded over the building.

A portion of the missile came through the roof and struck the priest on the head. He was taken to an ambulance, where an operation was performed, and it is hoped he will recover, although his condition is serious.

Luxemburg Minister Resigns

Luxemburg, via London, Feb. 23.—The cabinet of the Duchy of Luxembourg had resigned but no reason has been given.

**JOY IN BABY BOY'S ARRIVAL SUBDUED BY SISTER'S DEATH**

While Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Johanson, 43 Peters street, were rejoicing in the birth of a son, which occurred on Sunday, their joy was turned to grief by the loss of another child, their little daughter Agnes Marie, aged four years, whose death occurred yesterday in the General Public Hospital following an attack of diphtheria. The funeral took place this afternoon.

**J. M. MURCHIE IS DEAD IN BOSTON FOLLOWING ACCIDENT**

St. Stephen, N. B., Feb. 23.—A telegram was received this morning by F. M. Murchie, tells that his brother, Joseph M. Murchie, who had met with an accident in Boston on last Saturday, had passed away early this morning. Mr. Murchie was seventy years of age and leaves his wife and two daughters, Mrs. Ralph Horton, of Calais, and Mrs. Tucker of Providence, R. I., and a son, Everett.

**CARLETON ASSAULT CASE**

Preliminary hearing in the case of George Mealy, arrested last night on charge of assaulting William Beckett and seriously injuring him by hitting him over the head with a shovel, was begun in the police court this morning. Beckett testified that he went to West St. John last night to see an engineer who was employed with the Maritime Dredging Company, and walked into one of the towers. Mealy, he said, was sitting in the tower. When he did not see the man he desired, Beckett said he made Mealy good evening and started to walk out, but had hardly done so when he was struck on the head with the iron end of a shovel and immediately after the defendant leaped upon him.

He was attended to by Doctor Kenney in the Emergency Hospital. He did not know Mealy, never had any dispute with him and knew of no cause for him to assault him. When questioned he said he was from Montreal and had been in the city eleven days. He denied having entered the tower and threatened to break the glass pane on the boiler, also that the defendant told him to get out. Dr. Kenney will be asked to testify when the case is continued tomorrow.

**WHAT TUMBLES.**

Chicago, Feb. 23.—Wheat prices took a big drop today. May delivery falling nearly five cents as soon as trading began, selling as low as \$1.53-4 and falling \$1.60-1.2 at the close on Saturday; July tumbled 4-8 to \$1.27.

**ROTARIANS IN HALIFAX**

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 23.—The St. John Rotarians arrived this morning and were met by a committee of the Halifax club and driven to the Halifax Hotel. Automobiles were ordered and the visitors were taken for a drive about the city. This afternoon they will enjoy curling and bowling and tonight will be entertained at a banquet.

**THE RIVER**

A countryman who arrived in the city this morning said that the river was practically open from Belyea's to Bon's Head and only a narrow strip of ice remains between that and Indiantown. From present indications the opening would be a record breaker. The ice, he said, was becoming honeycombed and with a little wind and rain should run out.

**THE NETHERLANDS**

In St. Matthew's church schoolroom in Douglas avenue last night, Rev. M. J. McCaskill gave an instructive lecture on "The Netherlands." It was much enjoyed by the members of the Young People's Society present.

**ST. DAVIDS Y. F. A.**

At the meeting of the Y. F. A. of St. David's church last evening, Otty J. Fraser gave an illustrated lecture on South America, and musical numbers were contributed by Mrs. T. J. Gunn, Miss Edith Cochrane, Dr. J. C. Leonard and Mrs. J. M. Barnes.

**BURIED TODAY.**

The funeral of Douglas Gordon, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Earle, took place today from his parents' residence, Rockland road. Rev. J. H. A. Anderson officiated and burial was in Fernhill.

**DR. A. W. CHASE'S GATARRH POWDER 25c**

Is sent direct from the manufacturer. Improved Blowers. Heals the throat. Stops droppings in the throat and relieves the cough. Cures Hay Fever, Colds, Bronchitis, and all other ailments of the throat and chest.

**P. J. BURNS DEAD**

Mayor of Bathurst and Prominent in North Shore Life

Bathurst, N. B., Feb. 23.—P. J. Burns, mayor of Bathurst, died early this morning. His death was unexpected as he was much better yesterday than for the last three weeks, when his illness began. Mr. Burns had for fifty years been one of the most prominent of Bathurst's business men. He was associated with his brother, the late Senator Burns and Hon. Sam Adams of New York, in the lumber business and had been named Burns and Adams about thirty years ago. This developed into the St. Lawrence Lumber Company which was replaced lately by the Adams Burns Company of which the late Thomas D. Adams was a member. A few years ago Mr. Burns retired from active business when the Adams Burns Company was bought out by the Bathurst Lumber Company and except for a short time when he managed the Nepesquit Lumber Company for the liquidators he had since been living quietly.

Mr. Burns was honorary president of the Bathurst Curling Club, past president of the C. M. B. A., and an active part in all phases of the life of the town. The funeral will be held on Thursday morning at ten o'clock. He is survived by his wife, three daughters, Mrs. C. P. Hickey, of Chatham, Misses Annie and Agnes at home, one son, Mr. V. of the Royal Bank Winnipeg, one step-daughter Miss Belle Mullins at home and three stepsons, John, Frank and Harry Mullins, who are also survived by three sisters, Mrs. Maria McKenna of Bathurst, two Sisters of Charity in Halifax, and a half brother and two half sisters in Bathurst. T. M. Burns and Miss Josie Burns and Mrs. Jacob White, Sr.

**THE JUDGESHIPS**

The intimation that the present session would be his last and that he is soon to retire from the bench, which Hon. J. G. Forbes made in the county court this morning, does not come as a surprise, as it has been more or less expected since the first of the year.

It has been generally understood that Judge Forbes would be succeeded on the county court bench by Col. J. R. Armstrong, the present judge of probate.

There is some speculation regarding Judge Armstrong's successor, and the names of those most prominently mentioned for the office Judge Forbes vacates include H. O. McInerney, registrar of probate, J. Roy Campbell, K. C., and E. T. C. Knowles, K. C. Dr. R. B. Quigley also is named in connection with the judgeships.

**PERJURY CHARGE MAY ATTEND ON THIS CASE**

A case against Howard D. Porter, charged with assaulting a Chinese, was disposed of. He was found guilty, as there was some conflicting evidence no fine was struck. L. P. D. Tilley, K. C., notified the court that he intended to lay a charge against the defendant for perjury.

Two Garnett brothers reported for assaulting and using threatening language to a fellow workman named Clive, at Sand Point, last night, were discharged in the police court this morning. Magistrate Ritchie said he did not consider the evidence sufficient, but he warned them that if they ever appeared before him again on a like charge he would consider it against them.

**DIED IN STATES**

News was received in the city today of the death of John Hayes, a former resident of St. John. He died in Roxbury, Mass., on last Sunday, aged about fifty-eight. He was a well-known resident of this city, where he conducted the Cumberland House. Besides his wife he is survived by three sons, John H., Rev. Brother Alphonus, and Gerard, and five daughters, Misses Mary, Mildred and Athalia, at home, and Mrs. J. H. Ross and Mrs. McErick. Mr. Hayes had been sick only about one week. It is about seven or eight years since he left St. John.

**NO SIGN OF PURSE**

No trace was found today of a purse containing \$17 and railway tickets lost last night by Mrs. Swift, a passenger from Boston, for Chatham, who had been called to the bedside of her dying mother. Generous persons who heard of her case promptly interested themselves in her welfare and an effort which may be successful is being made to raise a sum to help her on her journey with her three small children. Their plight last night was pitiful, but they were taken care of for the time being by Miss Hoyt of the Travellers' Aid. A gentleman called at the Times office this morning and left \$2 for the benefit of the family.

**MRS. JOHN D. GALLAGHER**

The death of Mrs. Catherine, wife of John D. Gallagher occurred at 99 Exmouth street today. She was a daughter of the late John and Catherine O'Leary of Westfield. Her husband she is survived by three daughters and seven sons. The daughters are Mrs. Daniel O'Brien of Fredericton, Mrs. Guy Smith, of Bangor, Me., and Miss Bertha, at home, while the sons are John C. Gallagher, of Presque Isle, Me., Frederick P. of Bangor, Me., and Felix W. of Carleton, Me., Cornelius O'Leary of this city is a brother, and Mrs. Ellen Collins of Ireland is a sister. The funeral will be held on Thursday at 2.30 p. m.

**THE STEAMERS**

The steamer Manchester Port arrived at Partridge Island this morning direct from Manchester with a general cargo. She docked this afternoon.

The steamer Manchester Inventor left Halifax this morning for this port.

The steamer Delimita arrived in port yesterday. She is consigned to J. T. Knight & Company.

The Furness liner Sachem is en route to St. John from Halifax.

**W. C. T. U.**

At a parlor meeting of the W. C. T. U. last evening at the home of Mrs. James McAvity in Harrison street, an interesting programme was given. The principal part were Miss Laura Myles, Mrs. Crowell, Miss Evelyn Huay, Mrs. Fanjoy, Mrs. W. H. Myles, Mrs. M. J. Corbett, and Miss Mrs. Kirkpatrick, and others. Refreshments were served.

**MAY RECOVER**

James Seymour, a Bulgarian, who was seriously injured yesterday at Courtenay Bay, is slightly improved today and hope is held for his recovery.

**PRESENTATION OF DRUMS TO 26TH BATTALION TODAY**

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Major Grey left yesterday for Minto, where he will endeavor to secure recruits. He is to return today and will leave for Stanley and Cross Creek on Wednesday, returning on Thursday. He will go to Bart's Corner and Millville for the last two days of this week. Major Grey has received orders to recruit four men and a cook for the 1st Company of the Composite Regiment at Halifax.

The total number of recruits who have passed the medical examination in Fredericton for the 40th Battalion is eighteen. Besides those whose names appear below there are four others that have signified their intention of enlisting.

Those who have been examined and passed are:

William J. Masten, Fredericton; D. Coates, Fredericton; C. H. Sawwood, Fredericton; A. J. Bearstou, Saint Marys; W. J. White, Marysville; L. C. Quarterman, Fredericton; William Pollock, Sussex; Hugh McDougall, Springhill; Wm. C. Laid, Marysville; Fred C. Sherwood, Norton, N. B.; Gilbert G. Brown, South Brook, N. S.; Leonard Low, Birmingham, Eng.; Barry S. Davidson, Moncton; Vernon Merchant, John Ryan, James Payne, Fredericton; Sydney Dale, Hayesville, N. B.; James Shields, Marysville; G. T. Spriggs, Zealand Station.

The class of provisional officers who have been taking the course in infantry instruction in progress here for the last six weeks or more were put through their final examinations today by Major

**STAR FEATURE TO CONCLUDE TONIGHT**

The Star Theatre put on another of its extra special three-reel features last evening and a large number of patrons enjoyed it to the limit. It was entitled "Garrison's Finish," a drama of the race-track with splendid views of one of the greatest racing-centres in the United States. The photo-play was from the novel by W. B. M. Ferguson and dealt with the adventures of a successful young jockey, Billy Garrison, and his favorite mount "Sis." Schemes and counter-schemes in which Billy's horse was doped, in which the most interesting love affairs pops up and the most dashing racing scene, took the 4,000 foot story of spell-binding interest to the very last. "Garrison's Finish" will be repeated tonight and on Wednesday, dramatic, tense and powerful sporting stories, it has a strong appeal.

**LOCAL NEWS**

Band at Queen's rink tonight.

All former class attendants and their friends are invited to attend the 2nd Cadet assembly, Thursday, Feb. 25th.

Men's all wool flannel blue and grey outing shirts, regular \$1.25; special 79c.—At the Clean Sweep Sale, 207 Union.

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Wanted—Pant maker immediately, at Hoffman's, Main street.

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**SOLDIERS' BOOTS**

Inquiry is Begun—Witness Says None Absolutely Followed Specifications

Ottawa, Feb. 23.—The soldiers' boot investigation was begun this morning before a special committee of the commons.

Edward Stephens, another member of the department board, when last fall made an inquiry into the same subject. He said that four witnesses from the militia department were also examined, but in reaching their conclusion the members of the board were not guided solely by the evidence, but by their knowledge of the shoe business.

Hon. Charles Murphy, who replaces Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux on the committee, questioned the witness on features of the reports, and as to the difference in the findings dated January 6 and 7. The witness said the board had been unable to get testimony from the soldiers at Valcartier, as they had gone away.

Edward Stephens, another member of the board, a retail shoe dealer, was examined by Sir James Alkern and brought out statements that the boots examined did not all come up to specifications. He did not find a single pair of boots provided with steel soles as specifications called for. Only two makers, he said, had dressed the boots to make them waterproof.

The witness said:—"There was not a single maker who absolutely followed the specifications." The worst offenders were those using glue leathers.

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**HE DIED INTESTATE IN 1912.** On the petition of Samuel W. Johnston, contractor, the only surviving next of kin, he was appointed administrator. There is no real estate. Personalty consists of a leasehold in Camden street, North End, valued at \$500. George H. V. Belyea is proctor.

The court also dealt with the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Kelly, widow of John Kelly, testator. She died intestate leaving one son Michael Kelly, music instructor; one daughter E. Blanche Kelly, and the children of a daughter Mary A. Britt, wife of Daniel J. Britt, life insurance superintendent, namely Joseph Edmund Lennie, John, Farrell Daniel and Constance Elizabeth Britt, all infants. On the petition of the son and daughter the probate was appointed administrator. There is no real estate; personally \$700. J. MacMillan Trustee is proctor.

In the matter of the estate of Edward McCarrick, farmer, there was return of a claim to pass the accounts of Patrick Fitzpatrick, the executor. The accounts were found correct and an order was distributed making the balance payable to the Sisters of Charity of St. John under the terms of the will. Mr. McCarrick left no next of kin. William J. Mahoney is proctor.

**BUYS HOME**

H. P. Hayward is returning from Montreal to take up his residence in St. John and has purchased F. G. Spencer's new residence in Prince street. He will take possession of it in May.

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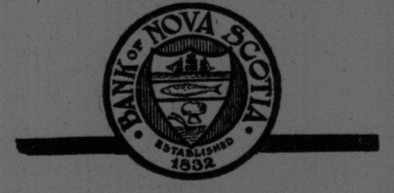
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The object of the bill is to place the power of appointment of the Commissioners of the Saint John Municipal Home in the said Council. It is intended that four of such Commissioners must reside in the Parishes of the County of Saint John and five in the City of Saint John.

Dated at the City of Saint John this eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1915.

JAMES KING KELLEY,  
Mayor.

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Paris, Feb. 22.—(Correspondence of Toronto News)—For some time there has been a forgerathering of Poles in Paris. They intend to keep in touch with their fellow countrymen in Great Britain and in America that they may have some plans for when they come into their own after the war. Three meetings were held here and there would have been more but the police refused to permit their continuance. I attended the third. The discussion was entirely in Polish, but much of it was translated for me. Their language did seem strange, as the speaker seemed to sneeze at the end of every word. I recognized the word conference, with a "ch" at the end of it. There, too, I learned the pronunciation of Przemysl, which sounds like Pree-mee-ahl.

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themselves and the suffering in consequence has been intense. Among the work of destruction by the Germans in Poland has been the raising of the old Polish church at Brakhef, where Chopin, the famous composer, was baptised. As a partial reparation for this insult, the Frederic Chopin Society in Paris went this week to Pere Lachaise and there placed wreaths on the composer's tomb.

The Poles are hoping that after the war they will enjoy freedom of government, religion and language and are expecting that Russia will carry out her promises in these matters. It is interesting to note that the Poles who are now fighting have had every chance to show their valor and that they have won promotion and decorations. Among themselves the Poles are more contented and hopeful than they have been for more than a century.

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THE WAR NEWS

Today's cables show that the British press is urging the government to take further steps to take in the nature of reprisals against Germany, in answer to the blockade which the latter has declared. It is pointed out that Germany has been permitted to get supplies of various kinds, and has also been permitted to pursue a policy which prevents Belgium from getting supplies necessary to save her people from extreme destitution.

GROSS MISREPRESENTATION

The Standard this morning in large type informs its readers that "unpatriotic gobs would rob Canada's soldiers of votes," and they are further informed in only slightly smaller type that "every conceivable objection to giving soldiers at front chance to vote in event of election is put forth by opposition."

LIAR AND BRUTE

Wanton Destruction By One of Kaiser's Generals Then Violently Attacked His Own Officers—A Promise to Protect Belgian's Property Flagrantly Violated

The following is the narrative of a Belgian nobleman, a refugee in Great Britain, who was the owner of a chateau in Belgium, in a part of the country now in the occupation of the Germans. "Not more than two months ago a German general killed himself and his staff upon me. I am a civilian, too old to take part in the war, and own the chateau where this incident occurred. I considered that it was my obvious and sensible procedure (looking upon it as the fortune of war), to endeavor to placate my country's enemies. I interviewed the German general on his arrival and told him that I was prepared to do anything in my power to make them comfortable.

posed to do. In this they strengthened the ministers' hands for the great work placed upon them."

If the British government should decide to place cotton on the list of contraband it would affect American trade but the United States government, in view of the action taken by Germany, would have no ground for protest.

It now appears that the cargo of the Norwegian steamer Belridge, which was torpedoed by a German submarine, was consigned to the Dutch government. Both Holland and Norway therefore have a just grievance against Germany.

The Canadian Art Exhibition in the rooms of the Art Club, for the benefit of the Patriotic Fund, will be continued to-day and tomorrow. Citizens who have not availed themselves of the opportunity to inspect these fine examples of the work of Canadian artists, and at the same time contribute to the Patriotic Fund, should hasten to do so.

That north end survey appears to have given the members of the city council another surprise. They thought it would show the ownership and area of lands, whereas it shows only the streets and roads with the houses marked. Apparently what the city does not know and cannot find out about lands and properties and incomes and assessment would fill a fairly large volume. The present discussion will be of value if it results in having necessary information secured and made available.

A considerable quantity of the equipment the Canadian contingent took to Salisbury Plain has been sent to the scrap heap. It may be hoped the story of the second contingent will make pleasant reading for Canadians. An Ottawa despatch to The Standard says the opinion is growing that Major-General Hughes will proceed to England with the second contingent as commanding officer. It may be assumed that if Major-General Hughes undertakes this task he will see to it not only that the equipment is all of the right sort, but that the conditions at the training camp in England are more satisfactory than the first contingent found them.

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A VETERAN WHO WAS WITH LORD ROBERTS

Laid Low With Rheumatism—But Cured By "Fruit-a-tives"

Chatham, Ont., April 6th, 1915. "I am a veteran of the Crimean War from the Royal Artillery into the Royal Engineers, and served under Lord Roberts during the Indian Mutiny, and am a pensioner of the British Government. Pierce hand-to-hand fighting and continual exposure left me a great sufferer from Rheumatism, so much so that my legs swelled up, making it impossible for me to walk.

LIGHTER VEIN

"What's the idea of using the pronoun 'we' so often in your articles?" "Well," replied the editor, "it's a matter of self-protection. In case anybody takes offense I want to sound as much as possible like a crowd."

In a certain village down south there was a physician noted for his reckless automobile driving. One day he answered the phone, a woman's voice asked him if he were going out driving that afternoon.

"No, I hardly think I will have time this afternoon," replied the doctor, "but why do you ask?" "Well," replied his anonymous questioner, "I want to send my little daughter down town for some things if you are not."—Everybody's Magazine.

ed officers who have been billeted upon you for the last ten days. I have walked back twelve miles to speak to you. I was brought before the general in your presence today. I am not a soldier by inclination, but by profession a solicitor in— We wish to tell you that none of us had any wish to devastate your property at all, as you had made us very comfortable at your chateau.

"Early this morning we had orders from the general personally to ruin your whole garden, out-houses, and trees, and yet, because we carried out his orders against our will, I have had my nose broken and several teeth knocked out. We loathe and detest our officers, who make life a burden to us, and who simply beat, bully, and even kill their men to further their own ends. We are absolutely sick of this war and all it has entailed, more particularly since it was not sought by the vast majority of the German people."

The Belgian says that this was only one example of many of which he had heard proving the brutality of the Germans, not only to inoffensive civilians, but also to their men.

French Make Effective Reply To German Hated of English

Brutality to the Wounded Vouched For By Doctor in Switzerland—Berlin Writer Now Admits the Worth of Tommy Atkins

In a letter to his sister in England, a young French officer on service in the neighborhood of St. Mihiel, recently prepared for gallantry on the field of battle, tells this story:

"The Germans could think of nothing better to do a few days ago than to put on the walls of their barracks at a large placard of white calico on which was written: 'Merci la brave France—une a l'Angleterre.' Our trenches are from sixty to ninety metres from those of the Boches and with glasses it was easy to read the placard. In the evening I was on patrol with three good fellows of my half section, and we crawled towards the German lines till we were within twenty-five metres or so, and we hid ourselves in a big hole made by a shell.

"I said to my men: 'I have given you some socks, gloves, cigarettes and other things. You know where they came from—they were sent from England. I want to see no more of that placard. Let us do away with it. We have our arms, let us put some shots through and destroy it.'"

"The thing was done. I gave the order to fire, and in three minutes only some shreds of the stuff remained. The word of it was that our fire provoked a terrible fusillade along the whole length of the trench. We dropped into the shell-hole and waited till the firing had finished—about half an hour—and then we regained our own trenches. My lieutenant greeted me with 'So it was you who started that fusillade.' And when I said 'Yes,' he asked me what for. I explained that I was half English, having married an Englishwoman, and added that I wanted to see no more of a placard which referred to that nation in such terms. He 'chipped' me for a bit but when we were relieved the story was told to the captain, who passed it on to the colonel. The end of it was a promise of my stripes as under lieutenant.

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"The English army has despatched many of the prejudices of the tacticians against mercenaries. In the British Isles there are plenty of professions bringing in good money. If a man voluntarily joins the army instead of becoming a clerk, agent, games-professional, or jobber, then he has done so because he likes it; it is pleasure in his work that raises a man's achievements above the average. On German soil England is still grimly hated, but the German warrior spirit, just in its appreciation, has over and over again praised the courage, stamina, and shooting skill of the English.

The beggars are artists. Show them two fingers above the edge of the trench, and they hit the mark. Dum-dum bullets? Certainly. Still, such things as bombs, splinters, arrows from the sky, and so on, ridiculous was on its way to us from the armory of pious knights. Tommy has amazed us. We thought that something ridiculous was on its way to us from the other side of the water. Now every one takes him seriously. Twice, three times wounded, he fights on. And when in a hand to hand struggle he has reached the end of his tether, he tears open his tunic and with bare breast flings himself on the glittering steel. Such fighting is worth the doing.

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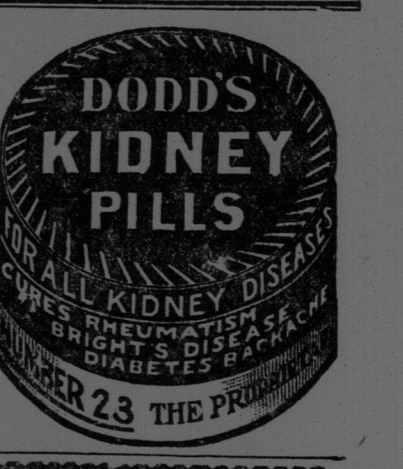
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TO LET—Upper Flat, 7 rooms, hot and cold water, seen 3 to 5 on Wednesday, right hand side, 120 Paradise Row.

22300-3-1

FLAT TO LET, brick house, 440 Main street, all modern improvements, double parlors, dining room, kitchen, hot and cold water, woodshed, on level with flat. Can be seen anytime. Enquire Miss Carson, 515 Main street.

22344-3-2

TO LET—From 1st of May, small flat No. 31 Crown street. Can be seen Monday afternoons. Apply Carter.

22292-3-1

TO LET—Flat 67 Waterloo, near Padock, 7 rooms and bath, can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Apply Christie Wood-Working Co.

22307-3-8

FURNISHED ROOMS, 6 Peters Street.

22330-3-3

ROOM With Board, in private family, 15 Orange. Phone 698-11.

22314-3-3

FURNISHED Room To Let, 303 Union street.

22292-3-1

ROOMS and Board, 23 Peter.

22294-3-23

FLAT To Let, 29 St. Paul.

22292-3-1

TO LET—Upper Flat 244 1/2 Union street; seen Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2 to 5. W. V. Hatfield, 92 Waterloo street. Telephone Main 1619.

22273-3-1

TO LET—45 St. Paul street, small flat and barn. Apply 61 Summer street.

22273-3-1

TO LET—Lower Flat, 90 Colburn street. Can be seen Tuesday and Thursday afternoons. A. M. Phillips, Victoria Hotel.

22244-3-27

TO LET—A flat of four rooms. Apply to Mrs. Dwyer, 74 Wall street.

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LOWER FLAT, 90 Peter, 8 Rooms, Tuesday, Friday, after 5. Apply 70 Dorchester, Upper Bell. 22211-2-27

UPPER Flat 240 King street East, 7 rooms, bath, hot water, lights. Seen Monday and Thursday. Apply 47 King Street East.

22212-2-27

TO LET—Lower Flat, 92 Winter street, 8 rooms, with hot water, bath, electric light; seen Tuesday and Friday afternoon, 3 to 5. Apply 97 Winter.

22201-3-27

TO LET—Pleasant Upper Flat, seven rooms, also den and bath. Seen Tuesdays and Fridays, two to four. Apply 48 Adelaide, lower floor. Phone 2294.

22294-3-27

TO LET—Pleasant lower flat, 6 rooms and bath, modern plumbing, electric furnace, gas in kitchen. To rent only to family of adults. Apply 96 Golding street, Tuesdays and Thursdays. Rent \$21.

22210-2-27

TO LET—Flat, 6 rooms, 289 Brassey street.

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TO LET—Upper flat, seven rooms, including bathroom, electric lights. Mrs. Foster, 242 Prince William street.

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TO LET—Ten rooms and bathroom, 97 Main street. Apply J. E. Cowan 69 Main.

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FLAT TO LET—Seven rooms and bath room, hot water heating, all modern improvements. Apply 120 Main street, Telephone 1825-41.

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SELF-CONTAINED Upper Flat, seven rooms and bath; corner City Road and Stanley, Tuesdays and Fridays, 2 to 4. M. Watt.

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FLATS TO LET—New house, corner Main and Cedar street; all modern improvements. Apply 120 Main street.

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MIDDLE Flat, heated; modern conveniences, 20 Kennedy street.

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TO LET—Flat 194 Carmarthen 2250; can be seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Splendid store Carmarthen corner Queen. Barn near corner Carmarthen and Queen. Stephen B. Austin, Barrister, 62 Princess St.

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LOWER FLAT 81 Carleton street; Lower flat, 29; Tuesdays and Fridays, 2 to 5. Apply Michael Donovan. Phone 690-81 West.

22175-2-27

TO LET—

1—Lower flat, 267 Charlotte street, kitchen, dining room, double parlors, two bedrooms, bathroom, electric lights, furnace, \$23.33 per month.

2—Self-contained house, 2249 1/2 street, double parlors, dining room, kitchen, bathroom, five bedrooms, electric lights, hot water heating.

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FLATS TO LET—New House, 424 Douglas Ave., latest improvements, hardwood floors, etc.; also flats 28 Dorchester street, with latest improvements in every respect; also flats 571 Main street and 84 Rockland Road, lower flats, 5 rooms, bathroom, electric light, small family preferred. Rental \$18 and \$11. Apply Garson, Water street.

22181-3-2

TO LET—Lower flat 89 Douglas Ave. with basement heated, suitable for professional man, containing four bedrooms with closets, double parlors, two offices, bath, all modern improvements, basement-kitchen, dining room, 2 bedrooms, cellar, store-room, set tubs, etc. Inspected Wed. afternoons. Mrs. A. Russell, 81 Main.

21683-3-11

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22310-3-2

BOARDERS WANTED, 85 Broad St.

22275-3-1

TO LET—May 1st, two furnished rooms, use of kitchen, dining room, parlor, phone, central, heated, electric, J. B. Times.

22292-2-24

DOUBLE Room, with board. Mrs. Kelly, 178 Prince street.

22261-2-27

ROOMS and Boarding, Mrs. Akery, 78 Sewell street; Phone 2217-21.

22203-2-27

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22194-2-27

TO LET—Large, sunny room, cheap, 40 Canon street.

22156-2-26

TO LET—Furnished room for light house-keeping, with stove and water.

22158-2-25

FURNISHED Rooms, bath, electric light and phone, 102 Waterloo.

8-11

FURNISHED ROOMS, 110 Elliott Row.

22090-2-24

ROOMS with Board, 101 Paradise Row.

21997-3-16

TWO FRONT ROOMS, first and second floor, with board, 37 Sewall.

21998-2-25

FURNISHED Suite, House-keeping, 160 Germain street.

21475-3-7

ROOMS with Board, 1 Elliott Row.

21750-2-25

ROOM and Board, 19 Horsfield.

2-24

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21050-3-10

FURNISHED ROOM, 70 Sydney St.

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22280-2-24

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22299-3-1

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22324-2-25

WANTED—Strong girl for housework. Reference. Apply Mrs. William Evans, 168 St. James street.

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WANTED—At 46 King Square, a maid or woman for general housework, 3 in family.

22250-2-27

WANTED—Girl for general housework, references required. Apply Mrs. H. J. Pratt, 376 Main street.

22153-2-24

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22274-3-1

GIRL WANTED for general housework. Apply 61 Summer.

22182-2-25

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22264-3-1

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TO LET—Large shop suitable for storage, workshop, light manufacturing, railway accommodation. Apply 257 City Road.

22204-3-27

HEATED ROOMS in Oddfellows Bldg., Union street, suitable for offices and meetings. For particulars Phone 1873.

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TO LET—Shop and apartments. Enquire mornings, 115 Carmarthen street.

22145-2-4

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2-24

STORE and FLAT TO LET. Apply Frank Garson 8 St. Paul street.

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21723-3-12

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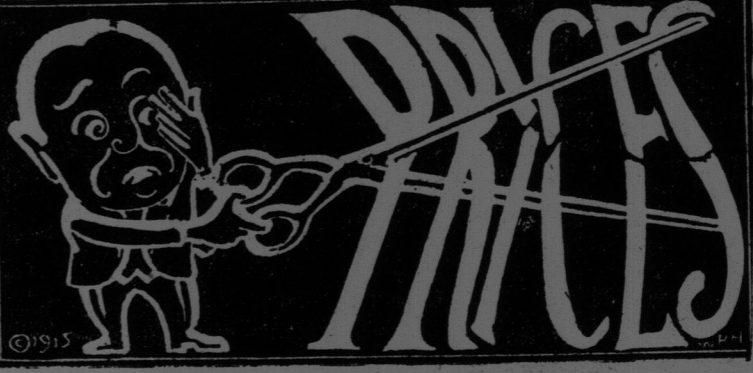
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LOCAL NEWS. At a meeting of the St. John Conservative Club last night, addresses were given by Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, Hon. J. E. Wilson, H. W. Woods, L. P. D. Tilley and others.

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New Brunswickers Not Yet In France

That the New Brunswickers in the infantry battalion of the First Contingent, including the St. John men, did not go to France with the Canadian division but have been held at Tidworth training camp as a reserve for the non-

ALLIES MAY AGT TOGETHER IN BLOCKADE MATTER

Almost coincident with the unofficial reports that Austria proposes to follow the example of her ally by making war on merchant ships in the Adriatic, came the announcement by Premier Asquith, in the British house of commons,

CANADA IN THE WAR

The work of completing the pictures seen of the 26th Battalion and the Army Service Corps in motion last week has been rushed and a private exhibit of the film was made yesterday in the

Nervous Prostration and Heart Troubles.

Nervous Prostration, or Neurasthenia, is one of the worst forms of nerve trouble and brings about a general weakness of the whole nervous system. The symptoms presenting themselves are headache, a feeling of depression, disturbed and restless, unrefreshing sleep, often troubled with dreams, fright when a crowded places, dread of being alone, horror of society, faint at travelling, muscular weakness, sense of fatigue upon effort, etc.



Every mother should realize that the skin of her baby is so tender that the secretions of the body often lead to rashes, eruptions, etc., all of which may be removed by Zam-Buk.

Mrs. L. Hood, of 478 Alexander Avenue, Winnipeg, says: "Some nasty sores broke out around my baby's mouth, and despite all the preparations used, they refused to heal. I took him to St. Boniface hospital and he remained there for two weeks. At the end of that time he was no better and was again taken home. I was then advised to try Zam-Buk, and obtained a supply. The effect of the first few applications was very gratifying, and I continued with the use of the balm. A little perseverance resulted in a complete cure."



IF BACK HURTS USE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS
Eat Less Meat if Kidneys Feel Like Lead or Badder Bothers

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have headache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

DAUGHTERS OF THE EMPIRE

Brunswick Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, yesterday afternoon voted \$100 for the patriotic fund, \$100 to be sent to Dr. Murray MacLaren for the benefit of friendless soldiers, and also organized a sewing circle to prepare a box of necessary articles to be sent for use in Dr. MacLaren's hospital.

GLAD NEWS TO ALL WITH BAD COLDS

Nothing Known to Science is so Invariably Sure to Cure as "Catarhozone"
Just Breathe Catarhozone!

ELECTION IS REFERRED TO IN COMMONS

Matter of Votes For Soldiers if There is Appeal to People—Some War Matters
Ottawa, Feb. 22.—The approach of an election seems to be felt at Ottawa, according to remarks from both sides of the house. The opinion was voiced yesterday by Liberal members that it should not be brought on during the war and Hon. Robert Rogers expressed a hope "that it would not be necessary" although it is known that he is hastening all his preparations for a general election.

LAND OWNERS TO FILE PLANS

Amendment to Assessment Law Recommended by Council—Proposal to Compel Merchants to Furnish Inventory of Stocks

Action at yesterday's council meeting attended by the board of assessors consisted of the adoption of a resolution authorizing the preparation of legislation to require owners of five acres or more of real estate in the city to provide and file with the assessors a plan of their property under pain of a penalty of \$500.

Safe Home Treatment for Objectionable Hairs

The electric needle is not required for the removal of hair or wax, for with the use of plain delatone the most stubborn growth can be quickly banished. A sugar and pour over it a half pint of boiling water; stir, cool and fill up the bottle with the syrup. Full directions for making and using are contained on each package. All good druggists sell it, or it can readily be obtained of their wholesaler. Thousands of families are using this because of its cheapness and thoroughness.

KEEP YOUNG

Some people are always youthful, full of vim and energy, but those who are the mercy of a weak digestion with its consequent loss of appetite—obtain severe dyspepsia—will become worn out before their time.

WILSON'S PORT

postpones the encroaching frigidity of advancing years. It is unexcelled as a vitalizing tonic as it is a blend of nourishing, building, irascible ingredients.

JAPANESE INVENTS PAPER LIFEBOATS

Manufactured From Fibre of The Mulberry Tree—Fireproof as Well

Mothers, Make This Home Made Cough Syrup

The good, tender, thoughtful mother can make a full pint of the quickest acting, permanent result giving cough syrup which can be used by the whole family for coughs and colds, thus preventing pneumonia, sore throat, diphtheria and other fatal maladies. Just obtain a concentrated fluid known as Essence Mentho-Lacene—at 2 1/2 oz. bottle, and empty it into a pint jar or bottle. Then take a pint of granulated sugar and pour over it a half pint of boiling water; stir, cool and fill up the bottle with the syrup. Full directions for making and using are contained on each package. All good druggists sell it, or it can readily be obtained of their wholesaler. Thousands of families are using this because of its cheapness and thoroughness.

MAGIC BAKING POWDER advertisement with image of product tin.

Keep Young advertisement with image of a woman.

Japanese Invents Paper Lifeboats advertisement with image of a boat.

Mothers, Make This Home Made Cough Syrup advertisement with image of a bottle.

Safe Home Treatment for Objectionable Hairs advertisement with image of a woman.

Hospitality Gold Cross Gin advertisement with image of a bottle.







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 WE SELL EASTMAN KODAKS  
 Free Stereo Demonstration at Our Store This Week  
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**TASTY DISHES FOR LENT!**  
 BOILED SARDINES ON TOAST  
 FISH CAKES WITH DROPPED EGGS  
 BRAISED MUSHROOMS ON TOAST  
 ASPARAGUS ON TOAST  
 LOBSTERS OYSTERS SALADS  
 COME IN TO-NIGHT. LOOK OVER THE MENU.  
**Bond's - 90 King Street**

**SURPRISE VISIT**  
 The home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Allan, Broad street, was the scene of a pleasant gathering last evening when friends called in the form of a surprise party to celebrate the birthday of their son, Stewart Strathcona. After presenting to him several very pretty and useful remembrances a pleasing musical programme was carried out. It included vocal solos, instrumental selections and a nautical singing of patriotic songs. A bounteous repast was served.

**MAN OF FASHODA NOW BRIGADIER-GENERAL**  
 Paris, Feb. 22.—Colonel Marchand, of Fashoda fame has been promoted to the rank of brigadier-general. He retired from the army some time ago, but offered his services at the outbreak of hostilities and was appointed a colonel, the rank he held upon his retirement. He has distinguished himself several times upon the field.

**In Choosing Milk for Family Use-- Remember--**

**SAFETY FIRST**  
 Milk-safety means purity and cleanliness which, in their turn, spell life and health, for diseased milk is worse than useless; it is dangerous and has been the cause of epidemics, besides having been responsible for many cases of tuberculosis.

**Primecrest Farm Pure Milk**  
 At 8 Cts. a Quart  
 is yielded by clean, healthy cows, handled by men who must be personally clean and healthy, and is scientifically cooled to keep it FREE FROM DISEASE, all cans, pails and bottles being sterilized. It is delivered, always, in sterilized, sealed glass jars.

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 Compound Mixture of Wheat, Corn and Rice  
 Delicious For Making Muffins, Gems, Waffles and Griddle Cakes. Try Some For Breakfast Tomorrow!  
 15 Cts. a Package - 2 For 25 Cts.  
**GILBERT'S GROCERY**

**The New Spring Hat is Here**  
 IN BOTH SOFT and HARD  
 Stiff Hats in the new high crown.  
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 OUR HATS HAVE THE STYLE  
 PRICES: \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00  
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 Children's Hats in Straw, Felt and Cotton  
 Men's and Boys' Hats and Caps  
 Furs and Fur Coats  
 GREAT BARGAINS AT  
**55 Charlotte Street.**  
 J. Grover Watts

**Rudyard Kipling Writes Of Death of K. C. Tapley; Condolences to Family**

The following letter in the personal handwriting of Mr. Kipling will be of interest to the friends of the late K. C. Tapley:  
 Burwash, Sussex, Feb. 4, 1915.  
 To Byron C. Tapley:  
 Dear Sir—I have received, with deep regret, the sad news you sent me of Kimball Tapley's death, and I beg that you will convey my sincerest sympathy to his family and relatives. He was very kind to me long ago when I visited St. John, and I have always retained the kindest remembrances of him through the years.  
 Believe me,  
 Very sincerely yours,  
 RUDYARD KIPLING.

**IS WELL STARTED**

**Lancaster Parish Red Cross Society Organized**  
 Yesterday afternoon a new patriotic organization to be known as Lancaster Parish Red Cross Society was formed at the residence of Mrs. J. V. Anglin and, judging by the enthusiasm and attendance, success is assured.  
 Mrs. Anglin opened the meeting with a statement of facts concerning this section which she said was quite large enough to support a society of its own. She stated that the Red Cross in Lancaster for which no credit had been received as it lost its identity, and in the opinion of the speaker it was time to strike out as an independent society to improve on what work and methods had been followed to date.  
 Mrs. Anglin's remarks were well received by the fifty or more ladies present and active organization was at once planned. Election of officers resulted in the following—President, Mrs. J. V. Anglin; first vice-president, Mrs. Cecil McKel; second vice-president, Mrs. Murray W. Long; third vice-president, Mrs. A. A. Conlon; secretary, Miss Bessie Compton; treasurer, Mrs. S. A. Worrell.  
 Other committees were appointed but only the convener's names are ready for publication. They are—Convener cutting committee, Mrs. Richard Cuning; convener knitting committee, Mrs. Hetherington; convener sewing committee, Mrs. C. B. Lockhart; convener buying committee, Mrs. Charles Barnhill; convener refreshment committee, Mrs. H. M. Stout.  
 The annual fees were placed at \$1 and each lady also agreed to earn an extra dollar for the funds. Meetings will be held in the assembly hall of the Provincial Hospital every Monday afternoon and evening alternately, the former from 2 to 8:30 and the latter, 7 till 10 o'clock.  
 Mrs. Murray Long sang two solos, "Apostrophe" coming in for well deserved applause. Refreshments were served by the hostess.  
 Scarcely had there been a more representative gathering in the parish. Each appeared willing to do her utmost for the good cause, and the charter members feel confident that the Lancaster Parish Red Cross Society will be a success. It should be interesting for a community of its size.  
 Mrs. Anglin outlined the purpose of the meeting, explaining that the residents of the district had been doing much work for the Red Cross and suggested the advisability of organizing their own society. This was agreed to and the organization completed. Meetings will be held every Monday in the afternoon and evening alternately. A brief musical programme was given and refreshments served by Mrs. Anglin before the close of the meeting.

**REV. C. S. McLEARN DEAD**

**P. E. Island Baptist Pastor Was Greek and Hebrew Scholar**  
 Charlottetown, P. E. I., Feb. 22.—Rev. C. S. McLearn, aged fifty-eight, pastor of the Baptist church at North River for the last three years, died this morning after an illness of a year. He was a native of Rawdon, N. S., a graduate of Acadia and Newton Seminary, and an excellent Greek and Hebrew scholar. The body will be taken on Wednesday morning to Middleton, N. S., for burial.

**THE BOYS' CLUB**

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Prince and Mrs. C. D. Howard were the guests of the Boys' Club last evening. The boys entertained the visitors with a novel act in boxing while sitting astride a rail. The boy first touching the floor with hand or body was out. At times great acrobatic ability was shown, when having lost their balance the boys clung to the rail with arms and legs, or hanging by legs only, tried to force the other fellow to touch the floor first. This afforded side-splitting fun for all present.  
 Mrs. Howard read a very interesting story of a trained dog, after which refreshments were served, and the evening's programme ended with a peanut scramble. A five-pound bag of peanuts was suspended seven feet from the floor, and a lad blindfolded batted the air with a long stick in his attempt to bust the bag. When the fourth boy succeeded in bursting the bag, and the peanuts scattered in all directions, the boys plunged into the fray each to capture his share.  
 The cue bowling tournament, which has been running for a month, closed last evening with the following results:  
 Class A—William Daley, 460 points; Tom Tracy, 427 points; John Donovan, 393 points.  
 Class B—Lyda Piers, 418 points; Allan Thompson, 269 points; William Tait, 268 points.  
 Byers Prince presented to the club several books for the library. Donations of boys' books are needed, and will be greatly appreciated. Anyone wishing to contribute to the library, please notify superintendent C. D. Howard.

**LETTER FROM SOLDIER**

Mrs. Teresa McMenamon, of Main street, yesterday received a letter from her son, Sergeant Thomas McMenamon, who is with the first Canadian Expeditionary Force, then at Havre. He said that he was in good health and was anxious to get to the front. The troops were all under canvas and were making final preparations before moving to the fighting line. He said that the St. John boys were all well and happy and none the worse for their long sojourn in the muddy plains.

**MORE CHANGES IN POLICE FORCE**

**Patrolman Garnett Has Sent in Resignation**

**WAS MOVED TO CITY BEAT**

**George Briggs Resumes Work and Policemen Covay and Merrick Are Relieved of Street Duty For Indoors in North End Station**  
 Policeman Wm. Garnett has resigned from the force owing to recent changes. On Monday morning he was taken off the Douglas Avenue beat and sent to do patrol duty in Brussels street. As there has never been a mark against him during his service on the force, he said he did not consider that he was being treated fairly, and therefore tendered his resignation to Chief Simpson. He joined the police force in December, 1912, and since that time had been doing duty in the North End under ex-sergeant Kilpatrick and Sergeant Smith. He made a large number of friends during that period of time and was considered a good reliable and conscientious patrolman—man who would not stop aside when duty called, but also a man who showed discretion. His many friends will regret to hear that he has resigned.  
 Another change took place during the last two days. Special Detective George Briggs, who was known as the plain clothes man in the North End, is now doing patrol in the Mill street beat. During his term as special detective he did good work.  
 Policemen Covay and Merrick will be relieved from their present patrol duties and will take turn about in the North End station at night. Chief Simpson said that he considered this move would be welcomed by the men, as they are not able to do the hard beat work required of them at the present time. Both policemen have served on the force for more than a score of years, and have been good, faithful custodians of the peace.

**ANOTHER GIFT TO BE CONVERTED INTO MONEY FOR BELGIANS**

**Leonard Frost of Hampton Brings Hat Rack to Mayor**  
 Mayor Frink had received another gift to be sold for the benefit of the Belgian fund. Leonard Frost of Hampton this morning waited upon His Worship with a present for the fund. It is a hanging hat rack with oak frame surrounding a picture of the Madonna and Child. The frame ornamented with cherry wood crosses in various designs and carrying six polished horns to support hats, etc. Mr. Frost made the article himself and evidently spent considerable time and money upon it. He offered it to His Worship to be disposed of in any way he saw fit, suggesting that some club might use it as a prize in a lottery for the benefit of the Belgians.  
 Mayor Frink has received contributions for the Belgian fund as follows:—Mrs. A. Carpenter, Bloomsd, Carleton county, per Mrs. R. Wilmot Ballock, Centerville, \$2; Methodist church, St. Stephen, per Mrs. G. F. Dawson, \$42.

**VICTORIA STEAMSHIP CO. PLANS FOR SEASON**

**Announced at Fredericton Meeting—Divorce Cases—Exhibition Financial Outlook Not Encouraging**  
 Fredericton, Feb. 22.—At a meeting of the Victoria Steamship Company here yesterday it was decided to place the Victoria on the St. John-Fredericton route as soon as navigation is opened.  
 G. Harrison, of St. John, was appointed manager with F. D. Clements as assistant. Ewart Atkinson, secretary of the company, will make the Carleton end of the business. Captain Weston will have command of the vessel. The company will use the wharf here belonging to the Carrey estate but it will not be available for other steamers.  
 Judge McKeown presided at the February term of the divorce court this morning. The case of Mary E. Kearney vs. Ernest H. Kearney was taken up. They were married in October, 1912 in Andover by Rev. A. G. Giberson and lived together until the following September. Divorce is sought on statutory grounds and Carlin Broad is named. F. B. Garvell appeared as proctor for the plaintiff and no defence was offered. Six witnesses gave evidence and the case was adjourned until next Thursday for judgment. Decision in a St. John case of Perry vs. Perry will be given at the same time.  
 At a meeting of the exhibition directors yesterday the report of a committee appointed to interview citizens to ascertain what assistance would be forthcoming for the proposed exhibition was submitted but was not very encouraging. Another meeting will be held next week to receive a further report.

**ANOTHER SOLDIER OF THE 26TH IS TO WED**

Fredericton, Feb. 22.—Mrs. R. H. Staveley of Fern Hill, announces the engagement of her daughter Anna N., formerly of Dublin, to Charles Darcus of the 26th Battalion, St. John, son of Solomon Henry Darcus of Kingstown, Ireland.

**TENDER ACCEPTED**

The assignee of C. H. Colwell, dealer in hay, oats and feed, has accepted the highest tender, that of Steen Brothers for the stock. Until the business is wound up and the debts collected it will not be known what the creditors will receive.

**Macaulay Bros. & Co., King Street, St. John, N.B.**  
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why you should see our stock before you purchase new furnishings for your home. The range of high-class furniture we are showing is the largest in the Maritime Provinces—selected personally at the factories and showrooms of Canada's leading manufacturers—while at the same time we have an immense variety of the more moderate-priced articles.

Just now, when many dealers have allowed their stocks to run lower than usual, the discriminating buyer will appreciate the fact that there is at our store a larger variety to choose from than ever before. Our prices will be found to compare favorably with those obtained elsewhere. In fact, if you will drop in and let us show you our stock, no further argument will be required to make you one of our customers.

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 of Spring Styles and Shapes in  
**SOFT FELTS AND CAPS**  
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 High Crowns with Well Contrasted Bands, Worn in Droop-Crown or Crease

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