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Word Of Death Of Two More Soldiers

Gunner Vernon McLaskey and Pte. Eugene Kent

NEWS RECEIVED TODAY Former Was Accountant With J. M. Humphrey & Co. — Mayor Pays Him Tribute — Private Kent Only Fortnight at Front After Being On Wounded List

Word was received this morning that Gunner Vernon McLaskey, who was killed on the battlefields of France while fighting against the Germans. The sad news was received by Walter Barker, who was a member of the Red Cross and who had been in touch with the family of the deceased.

Private Eugene Kent, who enlisted in St. John with a battalion stationed here for a time, was killed in action on May 14, according to official reports which have been received by Miss Myrtle Galbraith of 242 Pitt street, a distant relative.

On reaching the front, his proficiency with the rifle won him the dangerous honor of being selected for duty as sniper. He was wounded in last September but recovered and returned to the firing line only a fortnight before he met his death.

Gunner Gaskin Killed Moncton, N. B., May 29—John W. Gaskin, of Cotivacville has received word of the death of his son, Gunner Cyrus W. Gaskin, who was in his twenty-fifth year, was formerly a fireman with the Canadian Government Railways.

Ottawa Statement Ottawa, May 29—In today's casualty list, 118 names, there are forty-five killed, six died of wounds, and nineteen missing.

Killed in Action. H. J. Sutherland, East Branch, River John (N. S.). C. H. Thompson, Bloomington (N. S.). F. S. Matthews, Olney (P. E. I.).

FIVE GRAIN TABLET WOULD WRECK NEW YORK'S BIGGEST BUILDING

Doctor Announces Accidental Discovery of Explosive 10,000 Times More Powerful Than Dynamite

New York, May 29—Dr. DeWaltoff, vice-president of the American Medico Pharmaceutical League, announced at the annual banquet of the league here last night that he and his son, Mortimer, had discovered an explosive so powerful that a five grain tablet would suffice to wreck the tallest building in New York.

BELGIANS ARE KEEPING UP STOUT WORK ON THE YSER

Fighting Gallantly And Making Their Own Munitions

ARMY NOW EIGHT DIVISIONS Solid Defence Important in Giving British and French Liberty of Movement On Other Parts of The Line — A Proud Record Made

Headquarters of the Belgian Army, which has been fighting the Yser since the first day of the war, has issued a statement of its own activities.

The Belgian army has six divisions of infantry and one division of cavalry left to hold a line of approximately eight miles, or just about four men to the yard.

The Belgian army has had to work incessantly to keep up its breakthroughs and at the same time put up an unrelenting defense.

Belgium lost all her manufacturing establishments and all her resources of raw materials in the defeat of the allies at Charleroi and in the retreat from Antwerp.

The Belgian army is now in nearly every feature. Of the 200,000 men in the field, 60,000 men who garrisoned the forts, 30,000 fell into the hands of the Germans at Liege, Namur, and in the retreat.

Unable to call a session of parliament to revise rearmament laws to accord with the new situation, the government could only appeal to the patriotism of the people in England and France.

SALVATION ARMY TO SEND AMBULANCE UNITS WITH AMERICANS

New York, May 29—Miss Evangeline Booth, head of the Salvation Army in the United States, announced at a meeting of officers of the army here last night that the organization's war board had decided to raise \$100,000 to organize and equip ambulance units for the new American army.

STEEL FREIGHTER LAUNCHED

New York, May 29—One of the first steel freighters to be built in an American shipyard since the United States entered into the war is the 9,000 ton twin screw steel freighter Scandinavia, which is to leave the ways at a shipyard near here late today.

British and French Beat Back Enemy; Bad Day For German Airmen

London, May 29—Hostile raiding parties were driven off during the night southwest of Lens and west of Messines, says today's official statement.

Paris, May 29 (Conte)—The French have captured a German post north of Valenciennes in the Verdon region, according to an official announcement issued by the French government.

FEARING U-BOATS, MAY NOT GO TO GRAND BANKS

Lunenburg Fishermen It Is Said, Will Stay Home NEWFOUNDLANDERS ARE GOING

New York, May 29—An Associated Press dispatch from St. John's, Nfld., today says: "Newfoundland fishermen do not share the fear expressed by some followers of the sea in Nova Scotia that German submarines may be in the Atlantic and work havoc in the fishing fleets gathered on the Grand Banks."

GERMAN INFLUENCE BEING USED TO KEEP MEN FROM SERVICE

Washington, May 29—German influence to encourage resistance to army registration and the selective draft, uncovered in Texas by a federal grand jury investigation, already have resulted in eleven indictments.

ANTI-CONSCRIPTION PLOT IN CHICAGO IS ALLEGED; SEVERAL ARRESTS MADE

Chicago, May 29—Three men and two women are held today for investigation on a charge of conspiracy to defeat the conscription law on June 5, and other arrests are expected to follow soon, according to Hinton G. Clabaugh, chief investigator here of the federal bureau of investigation.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. E. Stewart, director of meteorological service

Synopsis—The disturbance which was over Ohio yesterday morning is now centered near New York and showers have occurred in the southern part of Ontario.

Maritime—Fresh to strong easterly winds, becoming showers. Wednesday, fresh winds, occasional showers. New England—Cloudy tonight. Wednesday fair, warmer on mainland, moderate to fresh winds, mostly northwesterly.

Public Accounts Being Probed

Committee Of The Legislature At Work

PROBABLY SOME ST. JOHN BOYS IN THESE GAMES

Soldiers' Baseball League — A Match at Vimy Ridge With General Horse One of Spectators

British Headquarters in France, May 29, via London—(From a staff correspondent of the Associated Press)—The old adage of "all work and no play" has its application in war as well as in peace.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows: St. John County: S. H. Ewing et al to Janice M. wife of D. McP. Henderson, property in Simonds.

DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE IN NATIONAL SESSION

Victoria, B. C., May 29—About 250 delegates in attendance at the annual meeting of the national chapter of the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire.

KILLED BY SOLDIER ON GUARD AT MANUFACTURING PLANT

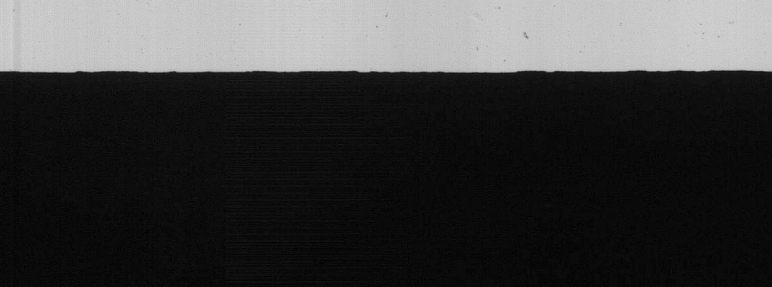
New York, May 29—S. P. Biderman, fifty-one years old, a canal boat captain, was shot and killed by Private Herbert Taylor, a nineteen-year-old infantry man at Long Island City today.

HEADS INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY TELEGRAPHERS

Seattle, Wash., May 29—H. B. Petersen of St. Louis was re-elected president of the International Order of Railway Telegraphers at the biennial convention held here last night.

MARTIN RE-NOMINATED FOR THE REGINA SEAT

Regina, May 29—The Liberals of the city of Regina have re-nominated Premier Martin as candidate for the legislative seat.



GOVERNMENT OFFERS TO PAY HALF COST OF ADDITION TO THE COUNTY HOSPITAL

This if Dominion Pays Rest—Aid For Returned Tubercular Soldiers—Officials of Hospitals Commission in Fredericton

Fredericton, May 29.—Lieut-Col. Sharples of Toronto, representing the Military Hospitals Commission, and Dr. Thomas Walker of St. John, interviewed the provincial government last night with regard to assistance in the matter of the tubercular returned soldiers. It was decided that the province would guarantee half the expenditure on an addition to the St. John County Hospital up to a certain amount if the Dominion government would guarantee the other half. A similar promise was made with regard to the Jordan Sanitarium at River Glade, but the maximum expenditure will be less.

Col. Sharples has communicated the proposition to the Dominion authorities and is expecting a reply today. When it is received a definite announcement concerning the policy of the military hospitals commission in this province will be made. This afternoon Colonel Sharples and other officials of the M. H. C. will inspect the old government house with a view to ascertaining whether or not it is suitable for use as a home for convalescent men. B. Kitcher of Ottawa, formerly director of manual training for New Brunswick, and Prof. F. H. Scaton of Halifax, who are officials of the M. H.

This Buckle is found only on genuine President Suspensives REFUSE IMITATIONS.

LOCAL NEWS

The Soldiers' Club wish to acknowledge the following subscriptions to the coal account.—A. W. Adams, \$5; Barnes & Co., \$5; Marr Millinery, \$5; W. Daniel & Co., \$5; E. A. Dykeman & Co., \$5. With thanks, E. L. Bisinger, treasurer.

GLADYS HULETTE IN "HER NEW YORK"

This Pleasing Feature Heads The Star Theatre's Programme for the First of the Week

Gladys Hulette is fast becoming one of the most popular stars in motion pictures. "The Shine Girl," and "Prudence the Pirate," each totally different from the other, have been greeted as masterpieces of their particular kind. However, in "Her New York," now being shown at the Star Theatre, Miss Hulette surpasses her other Gold Roster plays. The story is by Agnes C. Johnston. There is a little brown hen that diligently lays the eggs that make it possible for Phoebe to buy a ticket to New York, where Philip, who has fallen in love with her during his vacation, is trying to write poems and sell them, so that they can get married. It is to her that Phoebe says, "You've laid an egg for a New York man; ain't you proud?" There is also an adopted baby, "Johnny," found on the dumb-waiter.

The Famous 28th means a great deal to owners of Victrolas. It is the date on which the new list of Victor Records are JUST OUT. The surprises this month lead off with three wonderful ten-inch, double-sided Victor Records—90c for the two selections.

Wonderful Dance Records 90 cents for the two selections "PIETRO'S" BEST RECORD. Winner Medley—Fox Trot, Dandy Medley—Fox Trot, You're in Love—Medley Fox Trot, This Way Out—One-Step.

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RECENT DEATHS. Jessie and Frances, of Bangor, Me.; Viola, Irene and Nellie, at home, and George Kitcher, who is serving with the troops overseas.

COMING. Special St. John issue Buffalo Sunday Times. Watch out for it. 6-1.

MAKING HIGH SCORES. Although the end of the bowling season is rapidly drawing to a close, interest in the game does not seem to lessen to any great extent and daily large numbers of men visit the Victoria Academy and roll a few strings both for the pleasure derived and the exercise afforded.

CHOCOLATTA. You will be glad to drink Chocolatta regularly once you know its splendid qualities. For Chocolatta contains all the stimulating powers of alcohol, without the bad effects, and all the food value of the essential elements of chocolate, milk and sugar in easily digestible, soluble form.

IS NINETY-EIGHT YEARS OLD

Robert A. Anderson is lying critically ill at his residence on the Woodstock Road, near Fredericton. Mr. Anderson was born in Quebec in the year 1819. In the old homestead where he lived for seventy years, there are no less than four generations, Robert Anderson, Jr., a son, who has two daughters, Mrs. Berkeley Thompson and Mrs. A. M. Harris, each of whom have a son, the young boys being great grandchildren of Robert Anderson, Sr. Mr. Anderson celebrated his ninety-eighth birthday on the 24th of March last, surrounded by his immediate family. Another grandson, George, is a resident of the west.

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

ANITA STEWART CHARMING BRIDE. Makes Beautiful Picture in Flower Bedecked Chancel.

The flower-bedecked chapel was crowded to the doors with the fashionable society guests. At the altar, banked with ferns and palms with garlands of roses entwined about the rail, stood the old minister. Each stately matron in new fashion and garlands of roses hung from pillar to pillar. Through the stately, dying rays of the day's sun. Suddenly the organ pealed forth the wedding march and the bridal party entered the sacred portals of the church. The bride, beautiful in a white satin gown with silk tulle overskirt and carrying a showy bouquet of lilies of the valley made a beautiful picture, orange blossoms peeping out of her chestnut locks here and there. Before her scattering rose petals in her path were the radiant petals in the color, while her attendants consisted of four bridesmaids in orchid and a maid of honor in white. All society stretched forward anxiously as the beautiful bride released her hold on her old friend's arm and took her place beside the man of her choice. Kneeling on the pink satin cushion under the minister's benediction the couple clasped hands and the congregation was awed in reverent silence as they were pronounced man and wife. Then the bride, who was no less a personage than the dainty star, Anita Stewart, and groom, Charles Richmond, arose and marched down the aisle once more to the waiting limousine outside. But fear not, movie fans—it was only a movie wedding which was filmed for the society drama, "The More Excellent Way," in which Miss Stewart is starred with Mr. Richmond as leading man and which is the attraction at the Imperial Theatre tomorrow.

MILITMEN WANTED. Wanted at once, lathe sawyers and all kinds of millmen to go to our Quebec mill. Apply on mill office, Marble Cove, St. John, N. B.—Murray & Gregory, 5-31.

A GOOD LAUGH. Everybody wanting a good laugh can have same at Queen square comedy Thursday evening; excellent comedy-dramas well rehearsed. Tickets 25c. Comedy sale during intermission.

THE PLUMBERS STRIKE. Master plumbers today said there was no change in the strike situation. The journeymen plumbers were holding out for the closed shop and for forty cents an hour, and from indications neither side would give in. Some of the master plumbers in the city are willing to grant the increase in wages, but refuse the demand for the closed shop.

PERSONALS. Mr. and Mrs. William A. Tobin announce the engagement of their daughter, Agnes Catherine, to Vincent Francis Perry, both of West St. John; the marriage to take place June 6.

Pulp Mill at Edmundston. In Edmundston construction work is being rushed. The work on the new pulp mill is making good progress and new sewerage construction is in progress.

Crossing—Mitton. At the home of James Mitton, Sackville, on Wednesday evening, Miss Violet May, daughter of James Mitton, was united in marriage to Murray C. Crossman.

THE GEM'S PLANS. There will be an entirely new bill at the Gem tomorrow afternoon so there are only two more chances, tonight at 7.15 and 8.45 to see the present excellent programme. Two entertaining vaudeville acts and a stirring big Fox picture feature "The Love Thief," full of action and gripping interest.

AN AUTO CASE. A case against L. J. Phillips, reported for not sounding his auto horn at the corner of Mill and Main streets on May 17 set over from Saturday, was taken up this morning. Policeman Hogg made the report. Mr. Phillips said that his innocence on this occasion. As for the alleged violation on May 17 he had no recollection. Asked by the court what kind of a car he drove he said he did not drive a car he drove a Ford. "No Ford car?" asked the magistrate. "No, Your Honor, it is less than a car," was the answer given. The fine was struck but allowed to stand.

MacMillan at Etah. New York, May 29.—Donald MacMillan, explorer, and other members of the Crocker Land expedition, which went into the Arctic in 1913, are back according to a cablegram received today by the American Museum of natural history.

WHEAT HIGHER. Chicago, May 29.—Wheat prices developed strength today owing to decided gains in the value of coarse grain. At first, however, the market was inclined to sag somewhat on the receipt of a large estimate from Missouri. Trade was only of a scattered character. Opening prices, which showed an unchanged figure to 2 1/2 lower, with July at 20 1/2 to 20 3/4 and September at 18 1/2, were followed by a rise all around to well above yesterday's finish.

WAR NOTES. An attack by Russian and Roumanian troops is expected, says today's official Berlin report. The Italians in the Piava sector yesterday drove the Austro-Hungarian forces to the end of the valley east of Globna. The French line steamer Meuse was torpedoed at sea on last Thursday while bound for Havre from New York with a war cargo.

THE OTTAWA SITUATION. Ottawa, May 29.—(Montreal Star)—No conscription bill and no announcement of government changes predicted upon it are expected before Thursday. It depends upon when the bill is got out of the way.

RUSSIAN SAILORS AT IT. Petrograd, May 29.—(London)—Russian sailors of the Russian Black Sea fleet yesterday made a landing at Chibi, on the Asiatic coast, destroyed the Turkish post there, and burned a store of grain and two large sailboats. Two other vessels were taken to Trebizond.

PROHIBITION. The bill calling for the prohibition of the manufacture of alcoholic beverages in Canada is expected to be before the House of Commons at Ottawa today and temperance people throughout the Dominion are using their influence to secure its passage. From St. John and other parts of this province telegrams and letters from temperance organizations and individuals have been addressed to the parliamentary leaders and the local members urging their support of the bill.

GETTING BETTER. Albert Wallbank continues to show steady improvement in the General Hospital today. His chances for recovery are now regarded as bright.

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Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS. NELSON.—On May 28, to Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Nelson, 89 Sydney street—a daughter. (Stillborn).

DEATHS. JONES.—At Musquash on May 25, Elizabeth, wife of George Jones, aged seventy-five years, leaving her husband, two step-daughters and one step-son, at the front, to mourn. Burial took place Sunday.

THOMPSON.—At the residence of her son-in-law, Ralph C. Bonnell, 206 St. James street, on May 29, Martha, widow of William Thompson, leaving five daughters and two sons to mourn. Funeral Thursday afternoon at 2.30.

BENJAMIN.—At Wolfville, May 28, S. Percy Benjamin, son of the late Stephen P. Benjamin, leaving his mother, wife, two children and two sisters to mourn.

IN MEMORIAM. PRIDDLE.—In loving remembrance of Walter M. Priddle, who departed this life May 29, 1915.

Lone are the paths and sad the hours. When thy sweet smile has gone. But, Oh, a brighter home than ours in Heaven is now thine one. MOTHER.

WORDS.—In loving memory of our dear mother, Annie S. Worden, who departed this life May 29, 1916. A precious one from us has gone. A voice we loved is still. A place is vacant in our home, Which never can be filled. CHILDREN.

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BALFOUR'S MESSAGE

The message of the Rt. Hon. Arthur J. Balfour to the people of Canada should be carefully read and pondered by every citizen of this country. Addressing the Canadian parliament yesterday, in that singularly clear and simple style which marks his every utterance, he set in vivid contrast the respective aims of Germany and the nations arrayed against her, and the danger that threatens the great cause of democracy, which is the cause of human liberty, infinitely more important than all the jarring claims of faction in this or any other country. Mr. Balfour pointed out that democracy from its very nature caused differences and difficulties which do not exist under an autocracy, when the occasion rises to throw all the forces of the nation into one supreme, united effort; but, said he, "when democracy really takes the task in hand, I hold the faith most firmly that it will beat all the autocracies in the world." And that is the task in hand today, in which Canada as well as the other democratic countries is engaged. Autocracy has made the issue. It has attempted and is now attempting to strangle democracy. This is Canada's war because Canada stands for liberty and democracy. Not part of Canada, but all of it, is virtually concerned in the outcome of the struggle.

Mr. Balfour has thrown down a ringing challenge to the Canadian people. The same challenge was thrown down by M. Viviani of the French delegation. Parliament has heard and cheered the great Frenchman and the great Englishman. It has given them the unqualified assurance that Canada will not fail in her duty. What will be its first act to redeem the pledge? Is the country to be rent by faction and confused by the babel of discordant tongues, or are we to have a leadership worthy of the hour and the crisis in our history? More than ten days ago Sir Robert Borden announced conscription. For more than ten days he has failed to translate words into action, while all over the world the forces opposed to conscription have been carrying on a diligent agitation, making his task a thousand-fold more difficult. Let us hope Mr. Balfour's visit to Ottawa will help to overcome the inertia of the government and inspire parliament with a new and wider vision. Every day, every hour of the day gives a greater advantage to the element which would paralyze the arm of leadership by diverting the minds of the people from the real issue and dragging them into the realm of local bickerings unworthy of a free people.

THE NATION'S TASK

The disposition of the average man at this crisis in Canadian affairs is perhaps to take counsel of his prejudices, political, social or religious, and to give greater or less extent to them. And yet in each case lies the supreme danger of the hour. The worst that could happen Canada today and for the future would be to have a cleavage on racial or religious lines, or to have the affections of the people divided by the selfishness of their party. We are to face with a situation full of unpleasant possibilities. If the people will but take the broad view, realizing that Canada is indivisibly bound up with Britain and her Allies in the struggle for the very existence of democracy in the world, and that whatever weakens the arm of Canada in this war is a crime against liberty, they will see that ordinary prejudices and party slogans are pitifully small and out of place. Are there some in Canada who do not want Canada to do her duty? Then it is the duty of every other citizen to be the more zealous and determined, and at the same time wise enough not to drive any one out of the ranks who ought to remain. The attitude of the extreme partisan newspapers on the side of the government is such as to arouse resentment among Liberals, whose loyalty is beyond question and whose sons are facing death or already have given up their lives in defence of Canada and the Empire. The attempt to lay upon the Liberal leader or party the blame for the shameful misuse of partnership. So long as a Nationalist sits at the elbow of Sir Robert Borden it does not lie in the mouth of any Conservative to assail Sir Wilfrid Laurier. So long as Lieut. Col. Armand Lavigne is free to breathe disparagingly the people will place the responsibility where it belongs. But what the great mass of the people of Canada desire today is a leadership that will not weigh partisan against national considerations, or elect the patronage committee as the chief engine of war. They are ready to respond to such leadership, and it is the business of the prime minister to give it to them or give place to a man who has the courage and the will to thrust difficulties aside and march straight to the goal. Canada must send more men to the front, to fill the fast thinning ranks, but she must have much more. More conscription of men will not do. The situation is admirably presented by the Toronto Star, in the following article.

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His Example.
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"He winked his alter ego."

Did He Get It?
New Lodger (sarcastically)—Is this the soap there is in the room?
Landlady (decidedly)—Yes, sir—all I can allow you.
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—"World," New York.

ILL THROUGH NEGLECT

There are many people—including most women—who will take far more trouble about anyone else's health than their own. This sort of unselfishness is not really kind—it is not right. A person's health is always a burden rather than something to be proud of. To save others from becoming a burden, and allow one's own to become an invalid, is neither wise nor generous.

Science shows that nine-tenths of the ill that afflict mankind, and women especially, are due to poor, thin, watery blood. This is the condition which doctors call anaemia, and it can only be overcome by making the blood rich, red, and pure. The remedy is in your own hands. You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, which will put an end to many ailments, and you can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, which will put an end to many ailments, and you can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People, which will put an end to many ailments.

RESULTS OF PROHIBITION

The Editor of the Times-Star:

St. John's is to vote on prohibition of the liquor traffic next November, and the liquor interests keep warning the people through the press of the dreadful results that will follow if they vote for it. They frequently refer to a dreadful example of the effects of prohibition. The chief cities in Kansas refused to enforce the law until a few years ago, but that did not prevent the liquor interests from representing it as a prohibition city. Collier's Weekly tells the story thus:

"Wichita a few years ago was the Gibraltar of the saloon in Kansas. Its saloons were running years after the Kansas law went into effect. Deals were made at state conventions, and nominations were secured for Wichita. The protest was long in coming, but arrived, and several other cities in Kansas refused to enforce the law until a few years ago, but that did not prevent the liquor interests from representing it as a prohibition city. Collier's Weekly tells the story thus:

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passed examinations to enter the employ of the railway. During the last year he has been engaged in relief work on the road and was about to receive a promotion. He was born at East Scotch Settlement twenty-two years ago, and was a son of the late Malcolm King and Mrs. King. The funeral is to take place on Wednesday morning. Service at the Presbyterian church at Stewarston of which he was a member. Interment in Stewarston cemetery.

Mrs. Charles Evans.
Moncton, May 28—(Special)—The death of Mrs. Charles Evans occurred this morning at the city hospital, following an operation. Mrs. Evans leaves, besides her husband, two small children, her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Colborne; three brothers, Lawrence Colborne of Moncton, John Snow of St. John, and James Snow, of the 160th Battalion, now in England; and five sisters, Mrs. Philip White, of St. John; Mrs. Albert Boudreau, of Moncton; Mrs. Annie Farnon, of Moncton; Mrs. Joshua Cassidy, of Irishtown, and Miss Mabel Colborne at home. The deceased was 29 years of age and leaves a large number of friends who will bear her demise with regret.

Mrs. E. H. Wetmore.
The death of Mrs. E. H. Wetmore occurred at her home at Smithtown (N. B.), where she had resided for most of her life. She is survived by her husband, her mother, Mrs. Charlotte Bell, three brothers, Thomas, John and Newport Rawley, all of whom reside at Smithtown. The late Mrs. Wetmore was twenty-nine years of age and her early death is sincerely mourned by many friends.

SETH LOW LEFT \$1,225,000
With Transfer Tax Appraiser.

Mount Kisco, May 28—A statement by the attorney for the estate of Seth Low, who died at his country home in Bedford Hills, has been filed with Transfer Tax Appraiser W. C. Clark. It shows assets of practically \$1,225,000. The final appraisal is expected, with the estate worth considerably more.

Barbers Demand Higher Wages

More pay and shorter hours are the demands to be made today by the journeymen barbers of the city. The barbers held a meeting last night, the president, J. B. Smith, in the chair, when the new working agreement to be presented to the "bosses," was decided upon, to go into effect on June 1. The chief reasons presented for the changes are the high cost of living, and shorter hours in sympathy with the general movement to give men an opportunity for home gardening.

Today the men will hand their employers the new agreement, which calls for shops to open at 8 a.m., and close at 7:30 p.m., half an hour earlier than at present, and, on Saturday, to close at 10 p.m., an hour earlier than they are called for by the existing schedule. They are getting a salary of \$14 per week and half of all over \$22 that they take in, while at present they are getting \$12 and have over \$18 receipts.

At present the barbers have matters prepared for the legislature at Fredericton. These concern the licensing of barber shops. That, his legislation would require that a man must secure permission first from the board of health before opening a store, that his premises must first be inspected as to sanitation, etc., that his employers must be free of contagious diseases, that he, of three years' experience, and that no shop shall have more than one apprentice.

RECENT DEATHS

S. Percy Benjamin.
The death of S. Percy Benjamin occurred yesterday at his home in Wolfville (N. S.) after a lingering illness. He was a son of the late Stephen P. Benjamin and is survived by his mother, his wife, who is a daughter of G. H. Waterbury, of this city, and two children, also two sisters. The sisters are Mrs. Edgar Smallman and Mrs. William Smallman, both of Wolfville.

Colin M. King.
Apoquav, May 28—Colin McKenzie King passed away at the home of his sister, Mrs. M. P. Ogilvie, during last night. Having been rather indisposed he had come to stay a few days with his sister, hoping to gradually improve his health, but he gradually became worse and the attending physician diagnosed his case as typhoid fever. He leaves a wife and two children, Mrs. Malcolm King, of East Scotch Settlement; one sister, Mrs. M. P. Ogilvie, of Apoquav; and three brothers, Stirling and Rutherford King, of Scotch Settlement and Walter, of the 19th Machine Gun Company, now overseas. Three years ago Mr. King came to this village and entered the W. U. Telegraph office as a student, and in due time qualified

ARE PROPRIETARY MEDICINES FRAUDULENT?

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INCREASE FOR COTTON WORKERS.

It is probable that there will be a general increase in the wages of thousands of employees of the Canadian cotton mill this week. Notices were posted today in the York and Cornwall cotton mills of this city announcing an advance of five per cent and a bonus which will make the raise ten per cent. This alone will effect almost 2,000 operatives. It is given owing to the high cost of living. There is also advances at the cotton mills at Milltown, Marysville and in several throughout Maine. It is understood that there will be a general boost all over Canada.

Oris M. Straight, formerly of Lower Jenesse, now a member of the local police, was united in marriage to Miss Annie V. Johnson, of Gasquetown, last night, at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Dr. Hutchinson.

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Balfour Calls On Canada For Great United Effort For One Common Purpose

STIRRING APPEAL MET WITH RINGING RESPONSES FROM PARLIAMENTARY LEADERS

Foreign Secretary Discusses Responsibility for War and Necessity for Co-operation to Bring it to Victorious Conclusion—Prouder of British Allegiance, Says Sir Wilfrid Laurier

"I shall carry back from this meeting the message that has been entrusted to me. . . I shall be able, I hope, however imperfectly, to convey to my friends in the Motherland that the spirit which animates their children here is not less ardent, not less resolute, not less firmly devoted to final victory than that which animates themselves."

"Now in this, the greatest self-governing dominion of the empire, these defects of democracy will be met and solved and the purpose of our people will be maintained until the cause for which Canada entered this war has been abundantly secured and safeguarded."

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Ottawa, May 28.—Parliament today heard the reasoned appeal of a great imperial statesman for united effort by the whole people of Canada, members of parliament and electors, French and English speaking, in the final contesting and triumph of freedom and democracy over militarism and autocracy.

Why We Fight and How. Mr. Balfour spent fifteen minutes in a brilliant summing up of the reasons why we are fighting. The other fifteen minutes of his speech was devoted to laying down the fundamental principles as to how we should fight, namely, with a whole-hearted, common effort that coordinated democracy might triumph.

Reply in French. Speaker Rhodes read the common address of welcome. The address of the speaker, read a similar address in French. With happy tact and diplomacy, Mr. Balfour opened with a few well-chosen paragraphs in French, referring to the fact that Canada was created by the genius of two races, English and French, each race retaining her language, her religion and her national spirit.

Self-Sacrifice Unexpected. "I do not believe that anything more unexpected to the outside world has ever occurred than the enthusiastic self-sacrifice with which the great self-governing dominions of the empire have thrown themselves into this contest. The calculations of the ordinary foreign politician, and especially a German politician, would have been that the British empire was but a fair weather device, very imposing in sheer magnitude, in the sheer surface of the globe which it occupied, but quite unready to carry on in common any great civilizing work, but one and all they are mere pawns in the German game, moved as the German government and the German military party desire."

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cause the world has discovered that, wherever you find a free democracy, wherever you find the spirit of self-sacrifice on national lines there you will find friends of the Allies and there you will find enemies of the Central Powers.

Democracy Equal to Test. While Mr. Balfour had referred to the inherent difficulties of democratic government in such a crisis, Sir Robert declared that he was supremely confident that now in this the greatest self-governing dominion of the empire these defects of democracy will be met and solved, and that the purpose of our people will be maintained until the cause for which Canada entered this war has been abundantly secured and safeguarded.

Experiment Proves Successful. "Even those of us who most thoroughly believe that the British empire is not only what it certainly is—a new experiment in the long history of world governments, even we who felt convinced that it would fail, when we were going to succeed—those who like myself took the sanguine view of the future, how different to the one which was going to be, so vast were the areas it covered, so difficult did it seem to us."

Comparison With Germany. "It is interesting to compare the picture of the world as it is, with the picture drawn by the British democracies working together each under its own institutions, each according to its light and in a common end, a common and unselfish end—to compare that with what is happening in the world as a whole."

Message From Canada. "The message which you have asked me to convey to the Motherland, the message that Canada is with the Allies to a final and triumphant end, I shall certainly give, and in the truth of that message I firmly believe."

Premier Borden's Reply. Right Hon. Sir Robert Borden, on rising to reply, was greeted with prolonged cheers. In opening Sir Borden said: "It is not necessary for me to say that this parliament of Canada has listened with the most profound interest and intense appreciation to the message which has just fallen from the lips of the secretary of state for foreign affairs of the government of the United Kingdom."

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Proceeding Sir Robert said that probably of his generation as yet hardly appreciated the full historic significance of the events that had brought about Balfour's visit to this continent. Probably coming generations would see in the visit something greater than we could foresee.

"We have welcomed," said Sir Robert, "the advent of the great neighboring nation to participate in this fight for the liberties of the world. I have before alluded to the fact that thousands of citizens from the United States are already fighting side by side with our men and I am sure the parliament and people of Canada will be not only disposed but anxious to co-operate in every effective way with the government of the United States."

"There was no hesitation whatever, on the part of the people of Canada," he said, "that the purpose of our people will be maintained until the cause for which Canada entered this war has been abundantly secured and safeguarded."

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held in the affairs of the Motherland. "Great as the name of Balfour undoubtedly is, it is associated with one even greater," said Sir Wilfrid, "the name of England, England, champion of liberty, the mother of living nations."

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Lieut.-Colonel A. E. G. McKenzie
Tells of 26th at Vimy Ridge

The following letters have been received by Lieut.-Col. J. L. McAvity from officers of his old unit, the "Fighting 26th." The first is from Lieut.-Col. A. E. G. McKenzie, D. S. O., and tells very graphically of the part that his unit played in Vimy Ridge. He states that the men knew the German trenches so well that they went over in perfect order, "as on parade." It was comparatively easy to obtain their objective, the difficulty being to hold on in the face of weather conditions, snow, rain, hail and sleet. That they did it is now a matter of history and one of which all citizens of St. John may well be proud.

Dear Colonel— I have been trying to summon enough energy for about a week to write to you. I am with the "conscientious objectors," which means those who were not in the line for the first show. Major Brown and those who were not in the Vimy show are in now. About the Vimy show it was a fine scrap. Our chaps went over on parade. We were in the first wave and "kicked off" on schedule time. We were four waves in all with the 25th behind us. Our training was so complete over the "tapes" that we knew the German trenches as well as our own. We were the company commanders in the show and all came through safely except Shand, who was wounded after we got out of the assembly trenches, was a great sight.

OBJECT WAS GAINED ON MINUTE.
On the zero hour everything opened and within three minutes the Hun had his barrage going. On the minute our flares announced that our objective had been gained. It was almost like a parade, but I do not know how we ever found the trenches first, second, third and fourth line which was our objective as the artillery had practically obliterated them. Anyway, as usual, we did our job. I wonder if our friends at home realize what a battalion they have sent out here as their representative? This was the easiest getting our objective. To hang on under the weather conditions as we did was most trying on everyone. Snow, rain, hail, sleet, and our men had no overcoats or blankets. Well, the people at home be proud of the New Brunswick battalion. However, our work was not yet done. Later we had to push on and we "dug in" in a trench which is now called "New Brunswick" trench, 2500 yards farther than any point on the Canadian corps front, which we held until relieved, for 48 hours.

It was some inspiration to us all to look back on Vimy Ridge from the German side. Our men opened in the early morning and dug in in its splendid style, all of them realizing they were making history.

DEATH OF LIEUT. M. MULLANEY.
Their work was magnificent. In the first show we lost Mullaney killed. You probably know him. He comes from the North End. He was a good chap and a good soldier and we miss him very much. We mourn him as a brave soldier who did his work faithfully and well. We had four others slightly wounded, among whom Major has just this minute reported for duty. Major Brown and his army are still in the line and I have a note from the G. O. C. that the battalion has again done well. The situation has developed down to a semi-open warfare and we must expect heavy casualties in the future, although we have had very few casualties during the past show. Those of us who are out of the line are having a fine quiet time in splendid weather. Reinforcements are coming in gradually. Our pipe band is developing slowly as it is a very difficult job to get pipers and of course the old units get them as they have been getting our New Brunswick men since we came over here. It is something someone will have to answer for that our New Brunswick men who should have gone to us have been sent by the hundreds to Montreal and other battalions.

MARITIME PROVINCES USED SCURVILY.
"The maritime provinces have been made the 'hewers of wood and the drawers of water' for other battalions when we have got reinforcements from everywhere except where we should have got them. It seems to me that Canada does not extend beyond Montreal or Quebec—the maritime provinces are only places to get lighting men from staff officers. You will realize we are 'fed up' with our treatment but it really does not concern us very much except in the abstract. Conditions as to reinforcements are improving as we are now getting New Brunswick men and we got a fine draft yesterday of which only five were not from New Brunswick but P. E. Island. It might be interesting for you to know that our chaps captured a quantity of Canadian tobacco which evidently had been consigned to Canadian prisoners of war in Germany. The Germans are evidently stealing the soldiers' comforts sent from Canada to our prisoners in Germany.

About Lieut. Bell, I have made inquiries and have written Colonel Fowler to send him over. Of course we can't ask for officers personally. I think this is about all for this sitting. Everybody is quite well and happy.

Yours sincerely,
A. E. G. MCKENZIE.
FROM MAJOR DIDMUS.
The letter from Major Didmus follows:

Dear Colonel— Awfully glad to hear from you on the 3rd. Lieut.-Col. A. E. G. McKenzie is writing you to tell of our Vimy Ridge experience. I assure you that all ranks are chattering on you as they always have done. We are all wish to be remembered to you and Mrs. McAvity and send all our best wishes and to assure you that you are not forgotten.

Affectionately,
R. T. DIDMUS, Major.
was an address after adjournment by Captain Best, of the overseas Y. M. C. A.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale replied to the enquiry concerning the purchase of a horse for the Provincial Hospital. Mr. Baxter said he desired to say a word in explanation as there was something in the answer just given that might perhaps be construed as a reflection upon a gentleman who was not now able to speak for himself and in regard to whom he did not think any member on either side of the house would desire to reflect at all. He referred to the late Hon. G. Clarke. He (Clarke) had frequently discussed that case with him (Baxter) and it appeared that the man Pooler, who had been referred to was some sort of relation of Canning's, and as such he took possession of the latter's property and arranged for the employment of counsel to defend him and attendance in court. Mr. Clarke and Mr. Canning were not able to find out anything about it until after it was too late, and the money had been spent. There could be no doubt whatever to any fair-minded man but that the money had been paid away with a most lavish hand and the fees charged were in many instances most exorbitant.

Mr. Clarke did his best in the matter, and it was only just to his memory to say so.

A Minister's Evidence

That Piles, or Hemorrhoids, Can Be Quickly Cured - A Justice of the Peace Cured Many Years Ago.

Toronto, Ont., May 28.—There have come to us recently these two letters from prominent men who bear unquestionable testimony in regard to Dr. Chase's Ointment as a prompt and lasting cure for piles.

These men give their evidence freely because they know what it means to suffer from the tortures of piles and then be cured. They feel it a duty and a pleasure to let others know how they too may be cured.

Mr. W. B. Thomas, J. H. Alderside, Alta., writes: "It was twenty-eight years ago that I became acquainted with the merit of Chase's Ointment, and would not be without it on any account as it never fails to do its work. I was first induced to try it for piles. Less than one hour cured me and I have never been troubled since. That was twenty-eight years ago, so I think the cure is permanent. It is good for sore lips and hands, chafing and in fact, all sorts of sores. You are at liberty to use this statement for the benefit of others."

You can put Dr. Chase's Ointment to the test in any case of piles with the utmost assurance that you will obtain relief from suffering and ultimately lasting cure. 60 cents a box, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

vehicle or in any public place on any sign or billboard and it was proposed to extend this prohibition to include newspapers published in the province, posters and circulars. Provision is also made for the issuing of licenses by the chief inspector for the sale of drinkable liquids containing less than two per cent of alcohol. Also in order to bring what is known as the Doherty act of the dominion parliament into force, section 184 of the original prohibition act is repealed. This will prevent transactions in liquor taking place between parties outside the province and parties within it.

Hon. Mr. Veniot presented the petitions of the town of Bathurst in favor of their three bills, one relating to the transfer of the upper portion of the old Miramichi road in the town of Bathurst to the Bathurst Lumber Company, another to permit the town council to issue \$74,000 debentures, and the other to authorize them to borrow not exceeding \$10,000 on a temporary loan.

Hon. Mr. Veniot introduced a bill to provide a fund for the construction of permanent highway. In explanation, he said it was proposed to fund the fees received from automobiles and to allow half a million dollars to be laid out on the construction of permanent roads. The money when borrowed was left in the hands of the lieutenant-governor-in-council to be drawn upon as the department required it.

Hon. Mr. Foster introduced a bill to amend the succession duties act which he said was to repeal the section permitting the attorney-general for the time being to collect a commission of 5 per cent upon the amount of succession duties received by the province.

Hon. Mr. Smith introduced a bill to amend the act passed in 1908 relating to boom companies.

Hon. Mr. Foster introduced a bill to provide for the appointment of a deputy attorney-general.

Hon. Mr. Byrnie laid upon the table of the house some new rules of court. The house went into committee with Mr. Leger (Westmorland) in the chair and took up the consideration of the bill to provide for ex-officio members of the legislative library committee.

Hon. Mr. Byrnie said that the bill had not been changed since it was last before the house because no amendment had been submitted on that occasion. The hon. member for St. John county (Baxter) had then stated that he was not opposed to the principle of the bill and had suggested that the chancellor of the university might be made an ex-officio member. He (Byrnie) had given the matter some thought and had decided to act upon the suggestion. The other ex-officio member would be the professor of English literature and modern history at the university. He explained that the object of the bill was simply to prevent duplication in the purchase of books for the legislative library and normal school. Personally he could not see what objection there could be to the chancellor of the university and professor of English literature serving on the committee. He moved an amendment that the chancellor of the university be substituted for the chief superintendent of education.

Hon. Mr. Byrnie pointed out that the county of York now had a bill before the house to provide for the appointment of an auditor who was not a taxpayer of the county or a British subject, thus changing the law which had been in vogue for many years. In the previous discussion on the bill some reference had been made of an unopinioned nature to a former professor at the university. The gentleman referred to was not a German but a Swede.

Mr. Baxter—He did not want the Allies to win.

Mr. Byrnie continuing said that the hon. member was not speaking from personal knowledge and had no right to make a charge which he could not substantiate.

Mr. Crockett said that if the object of the bill was to prevent duplication, the principal of the normal school should be

vice-president; Mrs. R. C. Cruikshank, recording secretary; Mrs. W. E. McIntyre corresponding secretary. A board of trustees to act as an advisory committee was formed as follows: Mrs. George F. Smith, G. A. Henderson, E. L. Rising, Alexander Watson. The house committee consists of Miss Louise Parks, Mrs. R. A. Corbett, Miss Hazel Clark, membership committee, Mrs. I. A. H. Warren, Miss Alice Fairweather, Mrs. R. J. Hooper, Mrs. Flagler. On the finance committee were Mrs. W. E. Foster, Mrs. William Pagnier, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Mrs. Jas. F. Robertson. The Y. W. C. A. have engaged a flat in Union street and hope to install a house mother. It is to be a transient home with reading rooms and recreation rooms to which all women and girls are invited.

Y. W. C. A. MEETING.
The first monthly meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held in the King's Daughters' room yesterday for the election of officers and committees, the business having been heretofore managed by a provisional committee. The officers elected were: Mrs. John A. McAvity, president; Mrs. Jas. F. Robertson, first

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The hostility is at bottom religious and is directed toward France, not Great Britain. In many instances, particularly in the small towns, the villages and the country districts, church influence has kept men from enlisting. Supplementing this more or less openly hostile influence has been the indifference resulting from the nationalist movement headed by Henri Bourassa. The adoption of a law providing for universal service with conscription doubtless will bring Quebec's quota up to what it should be, and without trouble. The French-Canadian is patriotic and he will obey the law.

"Do you tell your husband everything?" "No; he won't listen to me more than three or four hours at a stretch."

Redpath SUGAR
If better sugar is ever produced than the present REDPATH Extra Granulated, you may be sure it will be made in the same Refinery that has led for over half a century—and sold under the same name—REDPATH.
"Let Redpath Sweeten it."
2 and 5 lb. Cartons—10, 20, 50 and 100 lb. Bags. Canada Sugar Refining Co., Limited, Montreal

Canada AND HER "SLACKER" PROBLEM
(N. Y. Herald, editorial)
In large measure Canada's "slacker" problem is the problem of Quebec—in

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The Victory Won—our task but well begun!

The summit of the hill at last has been won after countless futile charges. Shouts of jubilation proclaim victory. The last German has fled. Flushed with success, the soldiers' caps are flung high in the air, but the old veteran captain shouts, "Off with your tunics, boys, and dig in for your lives! The victory is yet not ours—this summit must be held!"

For half a century the people of New Brunswick have fought the Demon Rum for possession of the province. The summit of the last commanding position is won. The Prohibition Law in New Brunswick was finally consummated when it went into effect May 1st, 1917. Let us not shout "Victory" too fervently. We have won only the means to a final Victory—the power to enforce province-wide freedom from the Traffic. The real fight is yet to come.

Are we going to leave to a few zealous and sincere officials the whole brunt of the fight? Or, shall we let them know that they have behind them, in their duty of enforcing the New Prohibition Act, a whole province full of reserve power and vigilant enthusiasm that will help and encourage them to consolidate this glorious heritage of Prohibition for ever!

Help to Enforce Prohibition

Licensing of the liquor traffic has had a fair trial for many years. Within a comparatively brief period New Brunswick must vote again and decide for or against a permanent Prohibition law. In the meantime, the Prohibition law must demonstrate its worth beyond doubt. Brief though the testing time may be, we believe the people will, by their hearty and sincere co-operation, make the result decisive. Never again in New Brunswick shall the enemy gain a foothold!

Dominion Temperance Alliance

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Auto Fees Go to Build Roads

Important Legislation Introduced at Fredericton
Will Abolish Commissions
Attorney-General No Longer To Profit From Succession Duties—Deputy to be Appointed—Probation Amendments

Fredericton, May 28.—Abolition of the commission upon the collection of succession duties, authority to appoint a deputy attorney-general, the funding of the automobile licenses to enable the province to begin the construction of permanent roads and important and necessary amendments to the prohibition act, were some of the important government measures introduced in the legislature this evening.

For years the fees from succession duties, amounting to thousands of dollars annually, have gone into the pockets of the attorney-general instead of into the revenues of the province. The present government proposes to do away with this, and at the same time seeks authority to appoint a deputy attorney-general.

The introduction of the bill to fund the automobile license drew applause from both sides of the house and the minister of public works remarked that in funding the automobile licenses the government was simply carrying out the promise made when in opposition.

The amendments to the prohibition act make the measure more workable and were prepared carefully by those interested in manufacturing industries which require a greater supply of alcohol than was permitted. There are several amendments providing for the sale of beer and protecting nurses in the discharge of their duty when giving liquor medicinally.

Isn't This True?

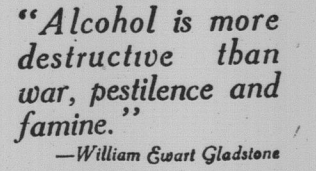
When you "feel mean"—dull, tired, nervous, bad digestion, no appetite—
Don't you find out, afterwards, that your bowels were not acting freely and naturally?
Due, of course, to a liver gone on a strike.
Take two or three pills—once. After that, only one, until you're all right.

CARTER'S IRON PILLS
Genuine Bears Signature
Colorless faces often show the absence of iron in the blood.
CARTER'S IRON PILLS will help this condition.

Nervous Periodical Headaches

This trouble commonly called "headaches" is said to be due to the retention of bile in the system. It is a sign of a poor condition of the blood in a case of bile stagnation, or that of a nervous condition; and in certain cases, no doubt this is so.

Where treatment is demanded, it is more for the pain than for the cure, and A. F. Beilichmidt of Louisville, has found such a remedy in the form of a powerful and salutary relief. It is the "Pain-Expeller" which he says, and the patient should go to bed, and the patient should go to bed, and the patient should go to bed.



"Alcohol is more destructive than war, pestilence and famine."
—William Earl Gladstone

THE CANADA TEMPERANCE ACT

The policy of the Dominion Alliance is to encourage the repeal of the Canada Temperance Act (Scott Act) in counties in which it has been operating. Where this is done the new Provincial Prohibition Law would then become effective. It is always easier to enforce one uniform law. The New Brunswick Government cannot put its new law in effect in Scott Act counties, as the latter is Dominion legislation, which has precedence over provincial legislation. Friends of temperance who live in Scott Act counties are, however, asked to cooperate in the more thorough enforcement of that Act so long as it continues in operation.

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Hon. Robt. Rogers In Conspiracy

Scathing Arraignment by Mr. Justice Galt

Startling Charges Made

Dominion Minister of Public Works Conspired to Defraud Province of Manitoba as Frank Statement of Commissioner

Winnipeg, May 25.—Mr. Justice Galt, sitting as a commissioner investigating the circumstances attending the construction of the Manitoba Agricultural College, has rendered a second interim report, a document of 77 pages, which deals principally with the contracts of Thomas Kelly & Sons.

Says Rogers Selected Land

Dealing with the purchase of the site for the college, the commissioner finds that 461 acres were acquired in September, 1910, at \$350 per acre, with an additional sum of \$31,056 for clearing it.

Howden and Caldwell Interested

"The Hon. J. H. Howden and the Hon. G. R. Caldwell, then ministers of the crown, took interests in these lands. Owing to the absence of Sir Rodmond Roblin from Winnipeg when this evidence was being taken he was not available as a witness."

"A Fraudulent Conspiracy"

Continuing, the report of the commissioner says: "I find that shortly after the site for the new Agricultural College was acquired a fraudulent conspiracy was entered into by the Hon. Robert Rogers and Thomas Kelly, senior member of the firm of Thomas Kelly & Sons, contractors."

"The objects of this conspiracy were, among other things:

"(a) To provide moneys for the Conservative fund, for use in both Dominion and provincial elections, from Thomas Kelly & Sons and others who should be contractors for the various buildings comprising the new college.

"(b) To provide Thomas Kelly with funds out of the provincial treasury over and above what he might legitimately earn.

President Wilson's cabinet are to contribute eight sons to the various arms of the nation's service in the war with Germany.

War Wedding

War Bride (who has eloped)—Oh, Jack! It's a telegram from papa, Bridegroom (eagerly)—What does he say?

War Bride—Do not come home and all will be well.—London Opinion.

A Daily Treat

Tea, Sealed Packets Only - Black or Green

BANGOR BARBER JOINS THE KILTIES

Saw Action in The Trenches and Was Wounded in Knee

Bangor is a busy place, but not busy enough for William Wilson, an Ontario boy, who has been working as a barber in Exchange street, and who, after spending a year in the trenches, and then a year in Bangor, decides that he prefers the activity of the trenches. He has just enlisted in the 28th Canadian Kilties.

He was wounded in a bloody fight "somewhere in France" in which his company charged directly against a nest of German artillery which belched shrapnel at them. He and many others were hit, his injury being in his bare knee—exposed a la Highlander. Six months in a hospital and then he came to Canada, then to St. Stephens, and he has been in Bangor since August, 1916. Now the war fever has got him again and he has enlisted in the 28th.

Scottish kilt costumes are not so frequently seen in Bangor streets that they do not attract attention, and Mr. Wilson, since he came back to his home town in his new rig has been stared at considerably, but he doesn't seem to mind it. "Don't your knees get cold?" he was asked by a curious friend. "No," he answered—they get just as tough as my face and I never think of their being cold. We wear this costume in the bitterest weather, too.

It is indeed picturesque—the feather cap, the kilt colored ribbon flying from the jaunty cap, the gray plaid skirts, the spats, the golf hose, the pince-nez, the waist, brass buttons and fixings—just like a soldier out of a picture book—the survival of the gaily ornamented fighting man of ancient times, who in these sober efficient days has been succeeded by men wearing the most inconspicuous clothing that can be found, with brass buttons dulled—ever—by the knee—so that he pointed to an unobtrusive little button on his sleeve.

"War is no fun—it is horrible, but it's fascinating just the same, and for those who believe in the justice of the allied cause of liberty and freedom as the majority of men do—it is duty and also a game that calls for real men. Over there, you have to get the Germans when it comes to a fight or they will get you. I have driven my bayonet so deep into a German that I had to put my foot onto his body and pull hard to get it out. Yes, it killed him. I thought I was done for when the shrapnel got me, but the knee—so that he pointed to an unobtrusive little button on his sleeve.

Also in the 28th regiment is Private Johnson, who is a postal telegraph employee in Bangor.

CABINET MINISTERS GIVE EIGHT SONS

Washington, May 28.—Six members of President Wilson's cabinet are to contribute eight sons to the various arms of the nation's service in the war with Germany.

Wm. B. Wilson, secretary of labor, has three sons in the service; William Wilson, Jr., is in the field artillery of the regular army; James Wilson, another son, is in the service; and another son, Joseph B. Wilson, is a candidate for the Officers' Reserve Corps.

Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the interior, has a son, Franklin K. Lane, Jr., in the army aviation service.

Joseph Daniels, secretary of the navy, has a son, Joseph Daniels, Jr., training for the marine corps.

David Franklin Houston, secretary of agriculture, has a son bearing the same Christian name, enlisted in the navy.

Wm. C. Redfield, secretary of commerce, has a son, Humphrey Redfield, in the naval reserve.

The last to volunteer his services is William G. McAdoo, son of the secretary of the treasury, who has joined the naval militia.

Soldiers In Awe Of Little Omens

Superstition Coming Back as Result of the War

Black Cat Held Lucky

Canadian is "Joshed" for Putting on His Left Shoe First

London, May 1.—Superstition of the ancient black witch sort is coming back into its own as a result of the war. Not only England but all the other European countries report the same conditions.

All units leaving for the front have some kind of a pet or mascot, usually a cat or dog, and the lives of these pets are guarded with extreme care. An Australian artillery battalion which got into action early in the Dardanelles campaign had a black cat which made its first appearance during the battalion's first engagement. Men on every side of the unit were killed, but not a casualty occurred among those protected by the cat. Thereafter the commanding officer kept the cat in his quarters and each day sent his orderly out with the cat while it had its airing.

There were no chances taken of the mascot getting into danger, for whenever the orderly sallied forth on the constitutional officer made him tie a string around its neck to prevent it from wandering off. The cat was replaced by other units upon the order being given to the Dardanelles campaign had a black cat which made its first appearance during the battalion's first engagement.

Little Omens that seem ridiculous to the average man are revered by those who are about to face death. In an infantry regiment from Canada there was a private who boasted that by putting on his left sock and shoe first he invariably had good luck. The others were continually "joshing" him about his superstition and one morning before his big push in July of last year they used some picturesque Saskatchewan profanity, but he announced his surety that his happenings were pending. Sure enough, when he and his comrades were in the trenches and the enemy's machine gun fire was heavier than any of the nearby units, the private's every man who survived religiously put on the left shoe and sock before touching the right.

Another superstition common among the fighting forces is that by rubbing spilled wine or spirits back of the ears brings good luck. It is believed that this sign spread among the British forces in contact with the French, who were making the open retreat. Just before the start of a raid or dash over the parapet the English forces were served a portion of whiskey or brandy, and in every case the men quietly gathered around the one who pours out the stimulants, holding their hands under the jug to catch the drip and rubbing the little they catch back of their ears.

Reverence for Signs

In nearly every British newspaper may be seen advertisements of lucky omens. One especially popular is an imitation of a little Montmartre pocket piece carried by an Anzac who went through unnumbered dangers in Gallipoli through unnumbered dangers. One company has secured a patent on this crazy-looking little image, and from all reports is making a fortune on its sale. Besides these images, the men going to some place in their kit for good luck and a piece of dried potato to keep away rheumatism. Some of the French troops have gone to France fairly plausibly with good tokens given them by their people at home.

The spirit of reverence for the signs and superstitions has been played upon extensively by fortune-tellers and clairvoyants, who just at this time are under the ban of the law in London and elsewhere in England. It is a sorry reflection on the United States that a good many of these alleged psychics and clairvoyants come from across the Atlantic. Despite the activity of the police and the newspapers, the fortune-tellers, clairvoyants and those who still doing a thriving business by pretending to place bereaved relatives in communication with men killed on the fields of France or in other fronts. There are even some who pretend they can get into touch with British prisoners in Germany.

"Kamerad" Plea Fully Avenged

Deception Brought Grim Results From French Foreign Legion Fought Hand-to-Hand Melee

With the French Army, May 29.—I found myself yesterday in a village which is the headquarters of the Foreign Legion. I had a talk with some of the officers and men who took part in the furious fighting which resulted after six days' struggling in the capture of Mont-Saint-Eloi, the rest of the front between Morvauxville, Massif and Auberville. A network of irregular little patches was the scene of violent combats always under the eternal rain of shells, sometimes at the rate of 3,000 an hour on the columns of the German language and avowedly pro-German press. The Toronto "Globe" says:

The scandal of war profiteering is an indelible stain on the character of the nation. Millionaires have sprung up like mushrooms in a single night, and no state-making effort has been made to tap these sources of revenue and to curtail the excessive profits. While mammoth fortunes have been accumulated by the privileged few, out of the necessities of the allied armies other profiteers have been growing rich by grinding the faces of the poor. Food prices have reached a point that makes it impossible for the average family in receipt of fifteen to twenty dollars weekly to do more than eke out a bare existence. Flour soars and the bakers promptly increase the price of bread.

Canada has not levied so we shall avoid one pitfall thus described by the Toronto "Globe":

Reports are circulated of Canadian patriots who demand excessive profits from the imperial government, and who refuse to pay the British tax on excessive profits on the ground that they are

STARTING RIGHT (N. Y. Commercial, editorial.) We know that Canada has done her bit in this war, but when we read the Canadian papers we find that charges of profiteering are more common there than here, and that some newspapers of prominence attack the Dominion government with more bitterness than we find on this side of the line outside of the columns of the German-language and avowedly pro-German press. The Toronto "Globe" says:

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FRESH HEATED AIR Follow the arrows and see how fresh heated air, used only once, circulates freely around the bread and bakes it from all sides at once. Proper oven ventilation prevents "sogginess."

THE IMPERIAL OIL COMPANY Limited BRANCHES IN ALL CITIES

Raw Sugar Direct from British West Indies

The raw cane is brought direct to our refinery docks at Halifax where one of the most modern sugar plants in the world makes it ready for market.

ROYAL ACADIA SUGAR

The 100-pound bag was never a more advisable purchase than now because of economy and convenience. Royal Acadia Sugar is also obtainable in 2 and 5 pound cartons, 10, 20 and 100 pound bags, half barrels and barrels.

ACADIA SUGAR REFINING CO., Ltd. Halifax, N. S. Canada.

\$100 Reward, \$100 The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Catarrh being greatly induced by constitutional conditions requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the System thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in the curative powers of Hall's Catarrh Cure that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address: F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists, 75c.

PURITY FLOUR advertisement with image of flour barrel and text: "The greatest strength of the world's best wheat is in the bread baked from PURITY FLOUR"

NEW PERFECTION OIL COOK STOVE advertisement with image of stove and text: "FRESH HEATED AIR Follow the arrows and see how fresh heated air, used only once, circulates freely around the bread and bakes it from all sides at once."

Mutt and Jeff cartoon strip by Bud Fisher. Panels show Mutt and Jeff fishing, with dialogue: "AW I DON'T BELIEVE THERE ARE ANY SUBMARINES COMING AROUND FOR US TO CHASE, SO I'M GOING TO CATCH A MESS OF FISH WHILE I'M LOOKING OUT FOR 'EM", "YE GODS! JEFF MUST HAVE FALLEN OVERBOARD. HE'S SUPPOSED TO BE MANUVERING THAT GUN AND I KNOW HE WOULDN'T DESERT HIS POST!", "WHY ARE YOU STANDING BY YOUR GUN, YOU SNEAK? WHAT COULD YOU DO IF A SUBMARINE CAME ALONG WHILE YOU ARE SITTING THERE LIKE A BOOB WITH NOTHING BUT A FISHING POLE IN YOUR HANDS, HEY?", "WHY, I COULD JUST PULL UP MY LINE AND SINKER!"

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

Thistles And Maples Play a Tie Game

Interesting Yet Weird Contest Played Last Evening in St. Peter's Y. M. A. League

The uncertainty of baseball was demonstrated last evening in St. Peter's Y. M. A. league when the Thistles and Maples battled for four innings to a tie. Till the first of the fourth inning it looked as if the Maples were going to win, but a faulter of his changed the aspect of things and the Thistles netted seven runs before they were retired.

It is doubtful if there ever was a wilder or more weird inning than the fourth. With two men out and a margin of three runs to the good it looked like a sure victory for the Thistles, but the unlooked-for balloon ascension was not taken into consideration. A couple of passes, a couple of wild leaves, a scorching hit, an error and other things combined to upset the dopesters' reasoning and before the Thistles alighted from their trip to the realms above the Maples had tied the score. With a man on second and things looking decidedly black for the champions, Hansen was retired to the box in an endeavor to get that third man. A ball was delivered to Dever and he in turn snapped to second and caught one of the Maples trying to steal and the game was over.

In the first inning the Thistles failed to score and took the field with McKenzie on the mound. It was his initial appearance since 1915 and while he had lots of stuff on the ball he had trouble finding the plate and from that till the eventual fourth there was nothing doing. In the meanwhile the Thistles were not connecting with the ball and as a result they failed to get a run across the plate until the first of the fourth when they got away to a good start. With a lead of four runs the third batter deliberately took the out and the last inning was on. When the teams staged their sensational support of both teams cheered lustily. While it was not a stellar board of baseball it was brim full of the unexpected and any snappy plays were made on both sides.

Hegarty and Dever registered the big hits for the Thistles while Lennan, McAnulty, O'Connor and Mooney were fingered with timely drives. Moore and Jobery were the only members of the Maples to place the ball in safe territory.

The box score of the game follows:

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
Dever, c	2	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Mooney, 3b	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Hegarty, r	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
Hansen, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Lennan, ss	1	1	1	1	2	0	0	0
McAnulty, lb	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
O'Connor, cf	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Howard, of	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
McKenzie, p	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	20	7	6	12	4	1		

*McKenzie replaced by O'Connor, who in turn gave way to Hansen in box.

	A.	B.	R.	H.	P.	O.	A.	E.
E. Harrington, lf	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0
P. Howard, 2b	3	1	1	1	0	0	0	0
McGuire, rf	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	0
H. Dever, lb	3	0	0	1	2	0	0	0
Moore, cf	2	0	1	1	0	1	0	0
Doherty, c	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Connolly, ss	1	1	0	1	0	1	2	0
McAnulty, 3b	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
J. Harrington, p	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
	16	7	2	12	3	5		

There will be no game this evening, but tomorrow the Thistles and Shamrocks will meet in a rattling good game is anticipated. Elliott or Knudson and O'Toole will form the battery for the Shamrocks and Hansen and Dever will perform for the Thistles.

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BASEBALL

No Major League Games

For the first time in years there were no major league ball games yesterday owing to weather conditions. Four games were scheduled in the National League and one in the American, but rain prevented any of them being played. In the International League one game was played between Buffalo and Montreal on the latter's grounds. The Bisons won by a score of 6 to 3. Engle and Onslow formed the battery for the winners and Duffey and Madden performed for Montreal.

Cancel Inter-League Series

The inter-league series between the International and American Association has been cancelled. Such was the information conveyed by President McCaffery last night. The International clubs were willing to go on with the series, but five of the eight American Association owners were against it. This means that the International League will finish the season in September instead of in August. A new schedule will be drafted and no doubt President McCaffery will not get his Civic Holiday game.

HOCKEY

Well Known Player Exits

Vancouver, May 28.—Among the latest recruits to join local forces for service in Europe is Big Jim Seaborn, of the Vancouver hockey team, of the Pacific Coast Hockey League. Seaborn threw in his lot a few days ago with the Mechanical Transport Service.

BASKETBALL

Schoolboys' League

In the Y. M. C. I. yesterday afternoon a game was played to decide the championship of a series in the schoolboys' league. The contesting teams were A and B, and the former won by a score of 15 to 5.

Team A	Forwards	Team B
Dwyer	Cunningham
.....	Wall
.....	Driscoll
.....	Centre
Powers	Campbell
.....	Backs
Kane	McBriarty
Gomell	Cornier

Perhaps a Setting Hen.

The teacher had recited "The Landing of the Pilgrims." Then she requested each pupil to draw from imagination a picture of Plymouth Rock. Most of them went to work at once, but one little fellow hesitated, and at last raised his hand.

"Well, Willie, what is it?" asked the teacher.

"Please, ma'am, do you want us to draw a hen or rooster?"

More Peace Negotiations.

"Your boy licked my Johnny. You should lecture him for hitting a boy smaller than himself."

"Is that so? Well, you just go back and lecture your kid on the impudence of talking sass to a boy bigger than he is."

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FREDDIE WELSH LOSES HIS TITLE

World's Lightweight Championship Now Held by Benny Leonard—A Decisive Victory

New York, May 28.—Benny Leonard won the world's lightweight championship by knocking out Freddie Welsh in the ninth round of a ten-round match here tonight.

Welsh's downfall came at the end of a series of rushes by Leonard that drove him from corner to corner. The champion had begun to tell when the going for the ninth round sounded.

Leonard, fresh as the moment he entered the ring, jumped from his corner and met the champion as he was leaving his corner with a shower of lefts and rights to the face and head, and Welsh, vainly trying to ward off the blows, worked his way into Leonard's corner, where Leonard succeeded in reaching him with a smashing right on the jaw. Welsh fell on one knee and hugged the ropes. His strength gone, Welsh strove weakly to strike a fighting pose. As he left the ropes Leonard landed and Welsh hit the floor. He struggled to his feet twice more, but each time he was met by Leonard's rights to the face and head, and again he fell to the floor.

The champion took the count of nine before he arose, from the last knock-down. He tried to stand, but fell across the ropes.

It was only a question of moments when he would have fallen and been counted out. At this point Referee McPherson leaped between the two men, pushing Leonard away, carried the defeated champion to his corner.

A score of men occupying ringside seats jumped into the ring and lifting the new champion to their shoulders, carried him in triumphal procession around the hall.

While the crowd was cheering itself hoarse, Welsh sat in a daze in his corner. When he had recovered somewhat and was told by his handlers of his defeat he refused to believe them, and fought fiercely to return to the centre of the ring.

Leonard All the Way.

It was Leonard's fight throughout. He took the offensive in the first round and held it until the end. There was never a moment that he was in danger and although the champion fought valiantly and succeeded in landing many blows they appeared to have little effect. Welsh seemed to have lost his judgment of distance, for he missed repeatedly.

From the first going Leonard tore into the champion with ruthless persistence. He landed rights and lefts to the face and head at will. Welsh, at first disconcerted by his opponent's tactics, seemed worried when the round ended. In all of the succeeding rounds Leonard concentrated his efforts on Welsh's body and succeeded in whipping his right repeatedly to the champion's stomach.

Leonard weighed in at 133 pounds; Welsh at 126 3/4.

Freddie Welsh won the world's lightweight championship by receiving the referee's decision after outboxing Willie Ritchie, the American title-holder, in a 20-round bout in London, July 7, 1914. Previous to tonight's contest Leonard and Welsh met twice in no-decision ten-round bouts.

Leonard was born in New York city in 1896. His recent knockout of Ritchie Mitchell, of Milwaukee, caused him to be regarded as a contender for the world's title.

Leonard, the new world's champion lightweight, will not wait for conscription, but will enlist in the United States army after a six-round bout in Philadelphia next Monday night, his manager, Billy Gibson, announced after the fight.

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Last Chapter CRIMSON STAIN MYSTERY Who is Pierre La Rue?

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"The Romance of the Redwoods," a Western Thriller Staged Amid Magnificent Scenery

The Cecil B. DeMille and Jenie MacPherson eight-reel photoplay, "A Romance of the Redwoods," written for Mary Pickford and produced by the Artcraft Pictures Corporation, is bound to stir up controversy regarding its closing episodes. A story of the rush to California for gold in '49, it moves along well and fast, but the last two reels give the star many effective moments in a character skillfully adapted to her personality. At the finish it introduces a situation that will please many of Miss Pickford's admirers immensely; others will regret its use in a picture with which she is connected.

The DeMille-MacPherson tale has for its heroine a young girl from New England, who goes to California in search of her uncle after the death of her parents. When she arrives at "Strawberry Flat" she discovers that her uncle has been killed by Indians, and that a handsome but unkempt road agent has assumed his name, for purposes of personal safety. Circumstances force the girl to accept the road agent's protection, and she takes up her abode in his cabin. Her innocence awakens the spark of good that is still slight within him, leads to his promise to abandon his unlawful occupation and the two fall in love. Failure to keep his word causes him to be captured by a vigilance committee and, as a last desperate means of saving his life, the girl indicates, by means of some clothes hastily stripped from a large doll, that he is the father of her unborn child. The trick succeeds and the pair are married on the spot by the sheriff. After they have departed, the committee learn of the trick that has been played upon them, and accept their defeat at the hands of "one small woman." It is hardly necessary to add that the acting and the personality of Mary Pickford make the situation without actual offense. The exceedingly romantic nature of the entire plot removes most of the objection to it, on the ground of its improbability.

The list of the drama's indisputable points of merits is a long one. To begin with, scene after scene is a revelation of the grandeur and beauty of the California redwoods. Other views have been snap-

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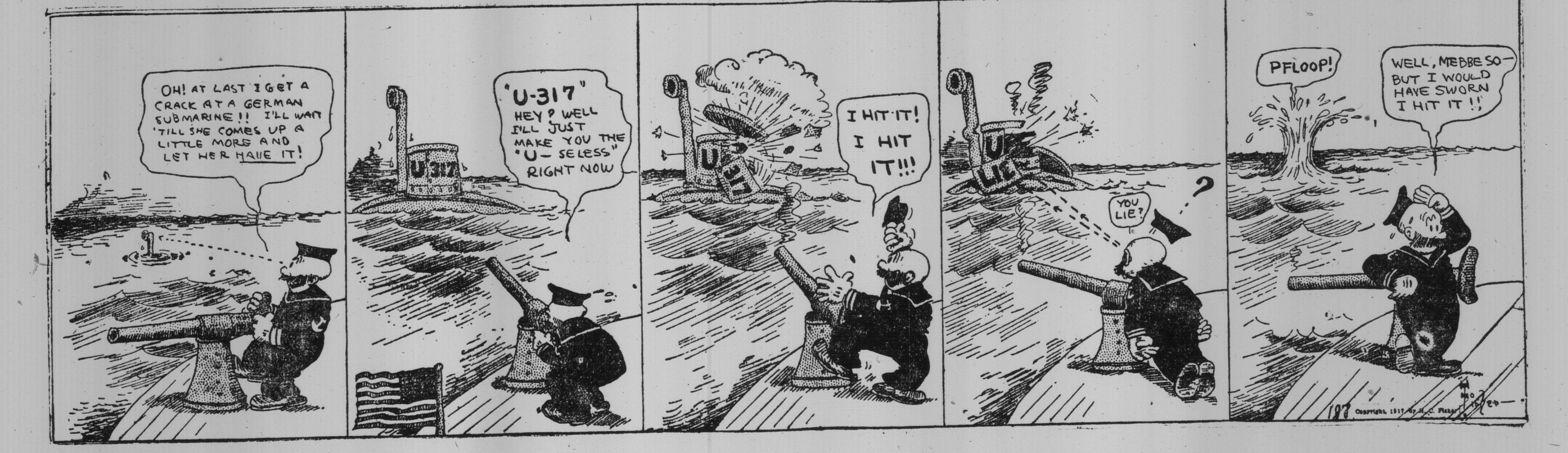
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MRS. MARTHA THOMPSON

The death of Mrs. Martha Thompson, widow of William Thompson, occurred this morning, after a short illness, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ralph C. Bonnell, 256 St. James street. Mrs. Thompson was a native of St. John and had resided here all her life. She was held in high esteem by a large circle of friends and her death will be sincerely mourned. She is survived by five daughters—Mrs. LeBaron Wilson, Mrs. George McKee, Mrs. Ralph C. Bonnell, all of this city; Mrs. P. Arthur King of Hartford, Conn., and Mrs. Fred T. Francis of Pittsfield, Mass., and two sons, H. G. Thompson of this city and William O. Thompson of Hingham, Mass. Two sisters, Mrs. George McAfee of Red Head and Miss Margaret Osborne of this city, also survive. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from 256 St. James street.

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LOCAL NEWS

SOAP DEARER
The prices of soap are still on the advance and the indications are that soap will have to be retailed at seven cents a cake. Today the wholesalers of the city were advised that Gold soap and naphtha had advanced from \$5.50 to \$5.75 a box. Ivory soap advanced from \$4.50 to \$4.80 a box.

A NEW SPEEDWAY
It does not take the auto speeder very long to locate a new piece of good pavement. The new paving in Mocklenburg street, from Westwick to the bridge, was completed only last week but already there are complaints from the residents of the district that drivers are sending their cars along this stretch at the rate of forty miles an hour—and going out of their way to travel over the new pavement.

MRS. GEORGE JONES
Mrs. George Jones, of Musquash, died at her home on May 26, following an illness of a year. She was seventy-five years of age and leaves her husband, two step-daughters, Mrs. H. Amos and Mrs. H. Melanson, both of this city, and one step-son, George Jones, now overseas. Mrs. Jones was a native of Musquash and was well known and respected in the community. Her death removes one of its oldest residents. Burial took place on Sunday at Musquash.

NOVELTY SHOWER
The young ladies of the "Room For One More Class" of the Central Baptist Church, met on Friday evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Helen Dowrie, in Harding street, and tendered a novelty shower to one of their members, Miss Nettie Thorne, in honor of an interesting event of the near future. During the evening she was made the recipient of many useful and valuable gifts. Refreshments were served and the gathering broke up, offering the guests many good wishes.

THE ANTI-CONSCRIPTIONISTS
That the agitation against conscription in Montreal is confined chiefly to the rougher element and that the present opposition is not receiving the support of the better class of French-Canadians is the impression gained in Montreal by H. B. Short, general manager of the Canadian Fish Corporation, who returned yesterday from upper Canada. Mr. Short said that the opposition seeming to come largely from men who were looking for excitement rather than from persons who were defending a principle.

JOHN MCGILL BATTERY
Howard B. Bustin, late president arts 30 McGill University, having completed one year at that institution, enlisted on May 9 as a gunner in the 1st Battalion, 2nd Brigade, 1st Division, Canadian Expeditionary Force. Mr. Bustin has a high record of achievement on the field of honor and the present draft contains several officers who recognized their commissions, enlisting as privates in order more quickly to reach the front. At the time of the publication of the McGill Annual of '18, 185 of its students had, in foreign lands, laid down their lives for humanity. The young recruit is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen B. Bustin of this city.

HOME TO ENLIST
A clean cut apt looking chap stepped smartly off a train at the Union Depot yesterday at noon. He was dressed in civilian clothes. His striking figure and manly carriage attracted much attention as he walked through the train shed. "Where can I see a recruiting sergeant?" queried the stranger. "Come with me," said an officer from whom the information was elicited, "and I will sign you." The two walked soldierly-like out of the station and on the way to the recruiting headquarters the young man told the officer that he was about to be "taken in" in the states and, seeing that it was a case of fight, he came back to the land of his birth, as he preferred to fight under the flag of his own land. He has been absent from Canada since a boy.

FUNERALS
The funeral of the late Whalen took place this morning from his late residence, 274 Waterloo street, to the Cathedral, where high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. William Duke. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Thomas Reed took place this afternoon from his late residence, Prospect street, Fairville, to the Church of the Good Shepherd, where services were conducted by Rev. Walter P. Dunham. Interment was made in Greenwood.

The funeral of C. Jarvis Warden took place yesterday morning from his late residence, Douglas avenue. Services were conducted at the house on Sunday evening by Rev. N. J. Macaulay. The body was taken to Brown's Plats for interment.

CASE GOES TO TRIAL
John Jones was committed for trial in the police court this morning on charge of obtaining money under false pretences. Jones, it is charged, posed as a representative of a Canadian publication and collected the sum of \$216 from Mrs. B. H. Cochrane, 19 Murray street, and also secured money from several other people. The general manager of the circulation department of the publication said that at one time Jones was connected with the concern but towards the latter part of November, 1916, he was dismissed. Cross-examined by the defendant, the witness said that Jones had worked for the publication in Halifax some four years ago, and had given general satisfaction there. He was prompt and full. Asked by the court why the defendant was dismissed, the witness said that about two weeks previous to the time he was discharged he had failed to make his returns, had become careless and was irregular in communicating with the head office. The defendant in answer to the charge said that his orders were always taken straight forwardly and the premiums he held out were legitimate offerings of aid allowed by the committee.

SAID TEMPERANCE DRINK DID IT

One prisoner was before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning charged with drunkenness. A feature of the case was that the man said he became intoxicated from drinking what is regarded as a temperance drink. Sub-inspector Crawford secured some information from the prisoner. The case will likely be investigated as nothing more than two per cent. is supposed to be intoxicating and therefore is allowed to be sold under the new act.

Detective McAlain said that he noticed the man in a team with two others. The defendant then showed signs of intoxication. The team came from the direction of Main street and continued along Mill up Union and through some of the main thoroughfares. Two of the occupants got out, he said, and the defendant took the horse and wagon to a livery stable in Union street. The witness said that he then noticed the prisoner in the street and he was very much under the influence. He placed him under arrest.

The prisoner admitted to the court that he and the two men had been out driving and that he had secured the refreshment in the vicinity of Spruce Lake. He was remanded pending some enquiries.

TIMES MEN SPEED ANOTHER GALLANT ONE ON THE WAY TO WAR

Address and Presentation to S. H. Fry, Who Has Joined the Killies

Stephen H. Fry, a linotype operator for the Times, until he enlisted in the 80th Killies Battalion, was the central figure of an informal gathering in the composing room on Monday afternoon after the day's work was over. His former associates had taken advantage of his presence in the city on furlough to bid him farewell and extend their best wishes, accompanied by a more tangible token of their esteem. On behalf of the members of the Times' Chapel, F. W. Stanton presented to Mr. Fry a set of pipes and a stock of tobacco, accompanied by the following address:

Brother Stephen—

"We call you to join us today to be able once more to gaze upon a kind, genial and loving friend, one we no doubt will miss, but as duty has called you to arms to fight for your king and country, we feel it a great honor that we should be able to leave our ranks to enter the ranks in the field of battle. And as you are about to leave us to join this great rank, we feel we cannot let you go without showing in some way our kind appreciation of your good fellowship and as a remembrance I here, on behalf of the Times' Chapel, present to you this little token, and in it are our best wishes that you will be spared through your trials and tribulations to meet and join us again. Our only wish is that when you come in contact with this little token you will not forget the members of the Times' Chapel. Smoke Up, Old Steve, Smoke Up!"

Mr. Fry made a suitable response, and the final handshake was preceded by complimentary remarks from other members of the staff and a few appropriate songs.

"Steve" will have the best wishes of a large circle of friends when he leaves for overseas duty.

TWO WOMEN WERE THROWN FROM CARRIAGE

Horse Became Frighteased by Locomotive And Ran Away

Residents of Hillyard street were horrified last evening to see a horse attached to a light driving carriage come dashing down the street at a mad clip and two women in the carriage thrown out into the street. They had been enjoying a drive when an engine came around the curve near the corner of Bentley street and frightened the animal. The women were unable to control the horse and it got the bit between its teeth and started away at a rapid rate. The carriage kept swerving from side to side and people thought that the women would be killed. As the horse neared the corner of Simonds street the carriage gave a lurch and both women were thrown to the street. They were picked up and assisted to their homes in Murray street and Dr. J. T. Dalton summoned. Although both had received a bad shaking up and several bruises, neither was seriously injured. It was later learned that the women were Mrs. Andrew Garnett and her mother-in-law, Mrs. James Garnett.

IMPORTANT MATTERS AT COUNCIL MEETING

Some important matters are to be dealt with at the meeting of the common council this afternoon. Commissioner Wigmore will present his recommendations for the renewal of the Lancaster water main at an estimated cost of \$80,000, and will also submit his programme for other renewal work, the value of which is estimated at \$19,000. Caledonian street improvements will be taken up again, Commissioner Fisher having promised to submit his recommendations today. It is possible that the council may be in a position today to deal also with the problem of paving Union street, West End, with or without the car rails being raised.

Several matters connected with city leases will be brought up by Commissioner Russell, and he will report on the progress of the city's public gardening operations in Lancaster.

IS IN MONCTON

Chas. Robinson, secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Aid Commission, is in Moncton today attending the trial of a returned soldier who was arrested here a few days ago on a charge of bigamy.

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