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NEWS OF BATTLE OF AISENE RIVER MEAGRE; ALLIES HAVEN'T WEAKENED IN ANY PLACE

GERMANS DRAWN UP FOR FIGHT ON LINE FROM NOYON TO BOIS FORGES

How the Enemy is Situated in Great Battle Now in Progress—Right Wing Now Seventy Miles Further Back Than Two Weeks Ago—Aisne River in Front, Hills of Rheims, and Forest of Argonne, Make German Position More Favorable for Defence—Being Reinforced—Cover Several Lines of Retreat to the North—Their Only Chance of Escape in Case of Repetition of Marne Defeat—Right Wing Reinforced and Allies Will Find it Hard to Envelope it.

London, Sept. 16, 9.30 p. m.—The German army, which less than a fortnight ago was at the "gates of Paris," and the right wing of which then extended to the southeast of the French capital, is tonight drawn up on almost a straight line, extending from the neighborhood of Noyon, in the west, to Bois Forges on the Meuse, north of Verdun, with its left resting on the German fortress of Metz.

GERMANS IN STRONG POSITION.

That the Germans intend to give battle on this line, with the Aisne river in front of their right, the hills of Rheims facing their centre and the mountains and forest of Argonne on their left, there seems to be little doubt. They went back steadily before the French and English armies, fighting only rearguard actions until their right, in command of Gen. Von Kluck, got across the Aisne. Then they turned and delivered several counter attacks, which, however, according to the British official report, were repulsed, the Germans leaving 200 prisoners in the hands of the British.

These counter attacks were doubtless delivered in the hope of giving the troops of the right wing, exhausted by the long advance, followed by an almost as long retreat, the opportunity of resting and preparing positions from which they could await reinforcements before taking up the offensive again.

The Germans are in the hilly country around Noyon, on the plateau north of Vic-Sur-Aisne and Soissons, and north of Rheims, where they are digging strong entrenchments and receiving reinforcements.

But even here this right wing, which has up to the present borne the brunt of the fighting in the advance and the retreat, is not altogether safe, for the French army operating from Amiens clings to its flank, while the British and French forces continue to press in front.

It is essential, however, that they should hold their positions, for they cover the lines of retreat to the north, which would be the only way out, if defeat should be their lot. That they realize this is shown by the fact that they have been contesting every foot of the ground with the allied armies, the last two days, and that both sides have suffered heavily.

BRITISH TAKING FULL SHARE OF THE FIGHTING.

The British army, as had been its lot since it landed in France, is taking its full share in this fighting, which on the front has been particularly severe, since the Germans crossed the Aisne and made their first determined stand in the retreat from Paris.

The German centre, which in the last few days has come more in line with the two wings, now stretches from the heights north of Rheims to the western foothills of the Argonne ridge, dipping a little south to touch Ville Sur Tourbe, just northeast of Camp De Chalons. This is all high, rough ground, in many places covered by heavy forest, which may by this time have been destroyed.

The German left has been driven back a little further than the centre, and holds the ground from west of the Argonne hills, north of Verdun, which the French have re-occupied, to the Meuse, which it crosses at Conservey, and thence southward to Metz.

ENEMY COVERING LINES OF RETREAT IN CASE OF ANOTHER ROUTE.

The crossing of the Meuse, which the Germans have selected at Conservey, is just out of range of the fortress guns of Verdun, so that, as far as the battle now pending is concerned, they have not to reckon on any help from that direction.

MARNE BATTLE IN PROGRESS YET BERLIN SAYS

Berlin, Sept. 16 (via Rotterdam London, Sept. 17, 1.20 a. m.)—The battle of the Marne, according to reports received from general headquarters, is still in full progress along the whole front, from Paris to Verdun. There has been no decisive result, and thus far the action is said to be stationary generally. A staff officer declared today that it might take several days of hard fighting to decide the issue.

Last night's bulletin showed that the armies of Gen. Von Kluck and Von Buelow were in engagements Sunday and Monday, and that the other armies yesterday joined in the general action, including that of the Crown Prince of Germany, who hitherto has had his hands full with Verdun.

Most of the newspapers refrain from commenting on the war. The North German Gazette today published the text of President Wilson's call to the people of the United States to be impartial with regard to the war. Though issued August 19 it has only now been made public in Germany. Commenting on the call, the North German Gazette says:

"It is with satisfaction that we learn of this noble and worthy announcement."

Referring to assertions made by the foreign press concerning peace the newspaper declares:

"Our German people will not lay down their arms in the war until the guarantees necessary for Germany's future position in the world have been secured in the struggle."

ANOTHER THOUSAND FOR PATRIOTIC FUND IN ST. JOHN

Ottawa, Sept. 16.—The Imperial Oil Company of Canada has completed arrangements with Hon. Mr. White, minister of finance, and treasurer of the Canadian Patriotic Fund, whereby it will make the handsome contribution of \$15,000 to the fund. Having decided on giving this amount, the company consulted Mr. White as to its apportionment, and on his advice the \$15,000 is to be spread over the various divisions of the Canadian Patriotic Fund administration as follows:

Halifax, \$1,000; St. John, \$1,000; Montreal, \$2,500; Toronto, \$2,500; Winnipeg, \$2,500; Regina, \$1,000; Saskatoon, \$1,000; Edmonton, \$1,000; Calgary, \$1,000; Vancouver, \$1,500. The contribution is to be local to these centers in its application, however, payment simply being made to these divisions for distribution as the national Patriotic Fund Committee sees fit.

The company has placed the money in the hands of this committee without any stipulations, desiring that all parts of the country should share alike.

It is expected that this donation will prove to be the foremost of a series of similar ones from large Canadian manufacturing concerns.

TWO FAVORITES LOSE IN RACING AT HALIFAX

Halifax, Sept. 16.—Nearly 4,000 persons witnessed the horse races on the Exhibition track today. The weather was beautiful and the racing good. Two of the favorites went down to defeat.

In the 2.30 trot Lloyd Achille took the first heat and then dropped back. R. M. T., New Glasgow, took the three succeeding heats. Alverston Roy, Sydney, won third money, and Alfred K., Charlottetown, fourth.

Best time—2.21 1/2.

Prince Wilkes, Halifax, won the 2.15 pace in straight heats. Dan Falan, Sydney, second, Harry Mack, Fred.

JOFFRE STILL MASTER OF SITUATION

May Again Adopt Plan of enveloping Enemy—Russian Grand Duke's Strategy Turned Tables on the Germans.

(By J. L. Garvin, Editor Pall Mall Gazette.)

London, Sept. 16.—There is still no sign of hurry on the part of Gen. Joffre. He has the grip now and he means to keep it. He has not yet taken his next battle move, so much the worse for them. He does not General Joffre with a couple of days rest for the bulk of his troops and with every available man of France concentrated for the second struggle and the more decisive, if it goes well with the allies, will be to perfect his plans.

If he can keep up the Crown Prince's army on the allies' right and capture the position between the Middle and Upper Alsace he might inflict a fatal disaster on the enemy and with his name on the list of the great captains. Instead of attempting the Napoleonic stroke he may trust to the enveloping operation on the allies' left that would probably lead to the case of another German defeat on a still more serious and decisive front.

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Harwich, England, via London, Sept. 16.—The submarine boat E9, which sank the German cruiser Hela off Heligoland, Sunday morning, arrived today and was cheered by the crews of the warships as she entered the harbor. The submarine fired two torpedoes at the Hela, one striking her bow and the other hitting her amidships. The Hela immediately burst into flames.

A number of German merchant ships which were in the neighborhood went to the Hela's assistance, and it is believed that a majority of her crew were saved. The Hela sank within an hour after being hit.

"OUR COUNTRY FIRST" MOTTO OF UNIONISTS

London, Sept. 16 (via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—Mr. F. E. Smith, K. C., one of the leaders of the Unionist party, in an interview tonight, emphasized that though the Unionists might justly resent the putting of home rule on the statute book, their firm and single determination was to support the government to defeat the common enemy. The government represented a united empire. When the sword was sheathed it was time enough to resume home affairs. Mr. Smith added:

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NEWS OF GREAT FIGHT GOING ON IS MEAGRE

What Little is Given Out, However, is Encouraging—German Cruiser Sank Within Hour After British Torpedo Boat Attacked Her.

Paris, Sept. 16.—The French official communication issued tonight announces that headquarters sends no new details of the action now being fought along the Aisne River.

The text of the announcement follows: "This evening general headquarters has communicated no new information about the action going on along our front."

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THE ROUT IN GALICIA COMPLETE—HUNDRED THOUSAND PRISONERS AND 400 GUNS TAKEN BY RUSSIANS WHO ARE STILL PURSUING ENEMY IN HOPE OF STRIKING ANOTHER BLOW BEFORE GERMANS AND THEIR ALLY CAN RE-FORM—SERVIANS AND MONTENEGRINS CONTINUE ADVANCE INTO BOSNIA—BRITAIN'S NAVY NOT IDLE.

London, Sept. 17, 12.25 a. m.—The official press bureau issued the following announcement tonight: "It is stated from Russian official sources that the rout of the Austrian army in Galicia is complete, though full details have not been received. The Austrian loss since the taking of Lemberg is estimated at 250,000 killed and wounded, 100,000 prisoners and 400 guns, many colors and vast quantities of stores.

"The Germans made desperate efforts to save the Austrian army, but failed completely.

"At one point the Germans lost thirty-six pieces of heavy artillery, and at another several dozen pieces of siege artillery."

Russians Cut Communications Between Cracow and Przemysl

The losses in Galicia and Poland, where fighting has been going on incessantly for more than three weeks, are even greater than those in France, and, according to official reports, the Russians are still following the Austrian and German forces, in the hope of striking another blow before they can re-form.

One report from Petrograd says that the Russians have severed communications between Cracow and Przemysl, the two fortresses for which the Austrians and their German allies are heading, and have begun an advance to sever communications between Galicia and Budapest.

Meanwhile, the Russian General Rennenkampf, who, according to Russian reports, invaded East Prussia to compel the Germans to withdraw troops from the west, and thus relieve pressure on the allies is having some difficulty in extricating his army from a difficult position. He has been compelled to fall back to fortresses on his own frontier, where he is waiting for the Germans, under Gen. Von Hindenburg, whom, some reports say the German Emperor has joined.

OUTRAGES OF GERMANS IN BELGIUM, IF STORIES TRUE, WORTHY OF BARBARIANS

Shocking Details of Brutality of Soldiers in Belgium Towns Given Out by Commission of Inquiry Appointed by King—Left Trail of Ruin and Sorrow in Towns they Captured

Washington, Sept. 16.—A resume of the findings of the Belgian commission of inquiry, appointed by the King of the Belgians to investigate the alleged atrocities committed by German troops by the Belgian legation here, was made public today, after the report had been presented to President Wilson. A partial summary follows:

"German cavalry, occupying the village of Lisameau, were attacked by some Belgian troops and two policemen. A German officer was killed by the Belgian soldiers during the fight. None of the civilians had taken part in the fight, nevertheless, the village was invaded at dusk on August 10th, by a strong force of Germans.

"In spite of the formal assurance given by the Burgomaster that none of the civilians had taken part in the fight, two farms and six outlying houses were destroyed by gun fire and reduced to ashes. No recently discharged fire-arms were found. Nevertheless, the invaders divided the male peasants into three groups. Those in one group were bound, and eleven of them placed in a ditch, where they were afterwards found dead, their skulls fractured by the butts of rifles.

"During the night of August 10th, German cavalry entered Veim in great numbers; the inhabitants were asleep. Without provocation the Germans fired on Mr. Deglimme's house, and broke into it. They destroyed most of his property. They carried off Mme. Deglimme, half naked, to a place two miles away. She was then released, and as she fled, was fired upon without being hit, however. Her husband was carried to a point in another direction and fired upon; he is dying.

Aged Man Hanged, Then Burned Alive

"Farmer Jef Dkerckx, of Neerhespen, is an eye-witness to the following acts, committed by German cavalry at Orsmuel and Neerhespen on August 10th, 1914.

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THE WAR SITUATION.

That another great battle is imminent in France, which may be the most decisive of the campaign to date, and that the Russian armies have practically completed the rout of the Austrian forces, are the outstanding features of the war news during the past twenty-four hours.

Success of the allies has been so marked during the past ten days that if a reverse comes now it should not be regarded as discouraging. Reverses must come as in all wars but they cannot affect the ultimate result.

Because British people were rather slow to respond to the appeal for assistance to the dependents of British soldiers ordered to South Africa, Rudyard Kipling wrote a poem which has taken rank with the most notable in the history of English literature.

There is no further news of the fleet, but the fact that communication with Great Britain is uninterrupted, and that steamers are passing and repassing between the Motherland and all parts of the world, except countries with which we are at war, affords sufficient evidence that all is well in that quarter.

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If the Times can bring its nimble wit to bear on the question it might inform its readers today how it likes the appreciation of a newspaper which was stalwartly upholding the banner of Liberalism when the Times was condemning Mr. Pugsley and dubbing him "William the Magician" because he came to New Brunswick on the occasion of a provincial election.

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The Awakening

(By William Watson) Behold, she is risen who lay asleep so long. Our England, our Beloved! We have seen The swelling of the waters, we have heard The thundering cataracts call. Behold, she is risen, Lovellier in resurrection than the face Of vale or mountain, when with storming tears, At all her portals knocks the importunate Spring.

We watched her sleeping. Day and night we strove. With the dread spell that drowned her heart. And thrice In the unrest of her sick dreams she stirred. Half raised herself, half opened her lips and lids. And thrice the evil charm prevailed, and thrice She fell back forlorn. But behold, she is risen, The Hope of the World is risen, it is risen anew.

O England! O Beloved! O Re-born! Look that thou fall not upon sleep again! Thou art a star among the nations yet! Be thou a light of succor unto them That else are lost in blind and whirling seas. Around them is the tempest; over them, Cold splendors of the inhospitable night. Augustly unregarded; thou alone Art still the North Star to the laboring ship. In friendless ocean and befriending orb, And if thou shine not, whither is she? Shine in thy glory, shine on her de- spair, Shine lest she perish—lest of her no more Than some lone flossam of mortality Remain to catch the first auroral gleam. When, in the East, flames the reluctant dawn.

Canadian Battle Song, 1914

Dedicated to Sir Henry M. Pellatt, The Call of The Empire. Canada, the storm is breaking. Over continents and seas. Kings are fighting, thrones are shaking. Men are slaves or men are free.

Have ye heard the Lion's thunder "Round the world reverberate?" "Stalwartly, ruthless slunder: One I love and one I hate."

Have ye heard the call of Albion? "Sons of Mother, to arms!" Proudly answer: This Dominion Falters not at war's alarms.

"Hear our answer, Mother! Britain! Queen of Empires! womb of kings! Never shall thy throne be smitten! Canada her legion brings!"

Light the camp-fires on Valcartier, Guardians of our country's name; Call our men from frontiers— Sons of lion-hearted fame.

Loose the war-dogs of the nation, Raise the banner of our flag; Firstfruits of Confederation: Union's offerings to the world.

Haste ye to the field of glory, Sons of Anglo-Saxon sires; Freedom spells our country's story, Shall we yield to base desires?

Cheer, as swords flash free from scabbard, British cleavers that far out-ring; God and freedom! to the standard! Fight for Empire, home and King! (Copyright)—Charles Levesconte Brine.

Paris Now and in 1870

(Boston Transcript, Tuesday) Forty-four years ago today, on Sept. 15, 1870, the siege of Paris began. The first fighting of any moment did not occur until the 19th, but the 15th is commonly reckoned as marking the beginning of the investment. Ingress and egress were prohibited without the permit of the military authorities of Paris from the 15th, and the city settled down to endure a long, formal bombardment. We know how well Paris held out, the capitulation not coming until the 28th of January, 1871, more than four months after the German advance guard began the operations preliminary to the siege.

ser than any Molke ever handled, but it lacks a real Molke to handle it to the utmost advantage. It is on the defensive now and when it assumes that position the power of the initiative passes from it and goes over to the Allies.

THE SILENT JOFFRE

(From L'Espresso Correspondence of the New York Evening Post) Like William the Silent and Molke, who was "silent in seven languages," General Joffre is notably taciturn, and he has been silent through a laborious military career of forty-four years. He is now sixty-one, but still in the full vigor of his strength of body and mind—and by far the most noteworthy figure which this surprising war has so far disclosed.

The public knows little of persons; but it knew that the law of three years' compulsory service, which has saved France, was due largely to General Joffre's foresight. And these three weeks of his command have made confidence in him universal. Time will tell how far his silence will lead to victory; but, until now, no newspaper correspondent, even where General-in-Chief Joffre and his headquarters were placed yesterday or today, or shall be tomorrow. "Joffre's headquarters" said a military man who may have known and may not; "it's a monastery!"

The Pope who his died would have liked that figure of speech, for he more than once expressed his opinion that even his monks talked too much. Perhaps this all but universal war will deride suffering humanity towards a new era where silence shall be appreciated as strength. And this time, as it is noted while it lasts, the silent man is the Frenchman.

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nomination of general-in-chief had to be made by the Higher War Council, General Pau, who lost his arm at Sedan, pointed with his remaining hand to Joffre—and the nomination was unanimous.

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Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Innes are in jail at San Antonio, Texas, on charges of the murder of their son, Victor E. Innes, Jr., who was killed in a shooting on the night of August 15 last on a warrant charging them with responsibility for the death of the young man. The charge was made by Mrs. Innes, who was formerly Assistant District Attorney in Carson City, Nev. Mrs. Innes left an estate valued at \$100,000. Mr. Innes left an estate valued at \$100,000. Mrs. Innes left an estate valued at \$100,000. Mr. Innes left an estate valued at \$100,000.

WEDDINGS.

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Fairville, when son of Lorneville, was married to Miss Lena Miller at the wedding on the night of August 15 last on a warrant charging them with responsibility for the death of the young man. The charge was made by Mrs. Innes, who was formerly Assistant District Attorney in Carson City, Nev. Mrs. Innes left an estate valued at \$100,000. Mr. Innes left an estate valued at \$100,000. Mrs. Innes left an estate valued at \$100,000. Mr. Innes left an estate valued at \$100,000.

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COUPLE HELD FOR THE DEATH OF TWO SISTERS



MR. AND MRS. VICTOR E. INNES

Mr. and Mrs. Victor E. Innes are in jail at San Antonio, Texas, awaiting a hearing. It has been intimated in the offices of the District Attorney that the State believes it has sufficient evidence to convict Mr. and Mrs. Innes of having caused the death of Mrs. Eloise Nelms-Dennis and her sister, Miss Patricia Nelms. Mr. and Mrs. Innes were arrested in Eugene, Ore., on August 18 last on a warrant charging them with responsibility for the disappearance of the two women. The charge was made by Marshal Nelms, brother of the two women. Mr. Innes was formerly Assistant Deputy United States District Attorney in Carson City, Nev. Mrs. Eloise Nelms-Dennis and her sister, Miss Patricia Nelms, were in the company of Mr. Innes when they mysteriously disappeared from Atlanta charging that they had been hypnotized by Mr. Innes, and that they had given him \$10,000 to invest in Mexican land. Mrs. Innes said that her daughters had left Atlanta to go to New Orleans and Texas, and that she had heard nothing further of them.

WEDDINGS.

Spergh-Wilson.

A wedding of much interest to many friends took place yesterday afternoon at three o'clock at the residence of Thomas Wilson of Charles street.

The bride was beautifully gowned in cream satin with chiffon overdress and pearl trimmings. She wore a veil of orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Hattie Spergh, sister of the groom, made a very charming bridesmaid and was dressed in pale silk with shadow lace overdress and carried a bouquet of pink asters. Little Miss Martha Wilson, niece of the bride, made a pretty flower girl. She was dressed in white and carried a bouquet of pink sweet peas.

City Morgan of St. John was groomsmen. Following the ceremony a dainty wedding luncheon was served and Mr. and Mrs. Spergh left on a brief honeymoon trip. The best wishes of a host of friends was extended to the newly wedded couple. The bride's going



DEPARTURE OF RUSSIAN TROOPS

BRITISH AMBASSADOR AT VIENNA SAYS AUSTRIA AND RUSSIA HAD ABOUT REACHED AGREEMENT OF AUSTRO-SERBIAN DISPUTE.

London, Sept. 16.—The foreign office issued this evening in the form of a White Paper, the report of Sir Maurice De Bunsen, late British ambassador at Vienna on the rupture of diplomatic relations with Austria, in which the ambassador declares that Austria and Russia had about reached an agreement on the Austro-Serbian dispute when their conversations "were cut short by the transfer of the dispute to the more dangerous ground of a direct conflict between Germany and Austria."

"From now onwards," says the ambassador, "the tension between Germany and Russia was much greater than between Austria and Russia, as between the latter an arrangement seemed almost in sight, and on August 1, I was informed by Count Schebeko, the Russian ambassador, that Count Sazonoff (Austrian ambassador at St. Petersburg) had at last conceded the main point of issue by announcing to M. Sazonoff, the Russian foreign minister, that Austria would consent to submit to mediation the points in the note to Serbia which seemed incompatible with the maintenance of Serbian independence."

M. Sazonoff had accepted this proposal on conditions that Austria would refrain from actual invasion of Serbia. Austria, in fact, had fully yielded, and that she herself at this point had good hopes of a peaceful issue is shown by the communication made to you on the first of August by Count Mensdorff (Austrian ambassador at London) that Austria had neither 'banged the door' on compromise, nor cut off communications."

"Count Schebeko to the end was working hard for peace. He was employing the most conciliatory language. Count Von Berchtold, and he informed me, that the latter, as well as Count Forgach, had responded in the same manner. Certainly it was too much for Russia to expect that Austria would hold back her armies. But this matter could probably have been settled by negotiations, and Count Schebeko repeatedly told me that he was prepared for the acceptance of any reasonable compromise. Unfortunately these conversations at St. Petersburg and Vienna were cut short by the transfer of the dispute to the more dangerous ground of a direct conflict between Germany and Russia."

"Germany intervened at the meeting of her double ultimatum to St. Petersburg and Paris. These ultimatums were of a kind to which only one reply was possible, and which was declared war on Russia August 1 and on France August 3."

"A few days delay might, in all probability, have averted the outbreak of one of the greatest calamities in history."

The ambassador then refers to the rupture of diplomatic relations between Austria and the allied powers, the details of which have already been published.

away dress was of navy blue with hat to correspond. The happy couple were the recipients of many presents. On their return they will reside in Charles street, Fairville.

Ledingham-Watson. A very pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Watson, of Hampstead, N. B., when their eldest daughter, Lillian Alberta, became the bride of Thomas C. Ledingham of E. MacMichael & Co. of St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, minister of the Baptist church, at twelve o'clock, very soon after the arrival of the up river boats. The bride was dressed in a gown of ivory satin with veil and orange blossoms and carried a handsome bouquet of white roses, white and asparagus ferns. Miss Jean N. Slipp, wearing pink silk and carrying a bouquet of crimson roses was bridesmaid, while Jean W. Ledingham, little niece of the groom, carrying a bouquet of flowers acted as flower girl. Immediately after the ceremony the guests enjoyed a bountiful repast. The young couple are very popular, and the large number of gifts received gave evidence of the fact. Among the gifts was a very handsome silver tea service from the firm of Baird & Peters, Ltd. Mr. and Mrs. Ledingham came by auto to Westfield where they boarded the train for Boston and New York. On their return they will reside on Elliott Row.

HOPEWELL HILL. Hopewell Hill, Sept. 15.—Charles A. Stewart, of Moncton, is spending a couple of days in the village.

Mrs. Ellen Bishop of Mass., who has been the guest of Mrs. Allen Robinson for some weeks, motored to Moncton today, accompanied by Mrs. Robinson. Mrs. Bishop is returning to her home and his ill health is causing her friends much anxiety.

Rev. Thomas Stobblings returned on Friday from a trip to Quebec, having accompanied his sister and daughter, the Misses Elizabeth and Winifred Stobblings that far on their return to England.

Mrs. Thomas Jamieson and Mrs. Chapman Smith of Curryville, left last week for Fairfield Centre, Maine, on a visit to their sister, Mrs. Albert Stiles. They were accompanied from Moncton by Mrs. William Hear.

The married wife of George B. Peck of Hillsborough, were very pleased to see him in the village yesterday, looking so well after his recent illness from appendicitis.

ROYAL YEAST CAKES ARE USED, AND ALWAYS GIVE PERFECT SATISFACTION



SAYS THE GALICIAN INFORMED RUSSIANS OF AUSTRIANS' MOVEMENTS

London, Sept. 16, 3.30 p.m.—Samuel Renner, whose address is given at 24 East Fifty Eighth street, New York City, arrived in London today, from Halicz, a town of Austria-Hungary near the Austrian border, after having seen much of the fighting between the Austrians and Russians. Renner was visiting a brother, a farmer, when the war began. He says that the Galicians are so friendly to the Russians, and unfriendly to the Austrians, that they showed the Russian army all the roads in the province, and gave full information concerning the Austrian troops and their movements, enabling the invaders to make successful excursions. Finally the Austrian generals removed the Slav troops from Galicz, replacing them with soldiers who are bitter enemies of the Russians.

"The fighting became so bad that my brother and I decided to take a team and drive away from the line," said Renner. "We saw fighting at Halicz, Nieszow and several other towns. The Austrians were unsuccessful because the Russians seemed to have complete information every where about their movements. Even after the Austrian troops which sympathized with Russians were replaced by others, the Russians continued the Russian army scouting in small detachments. Their information was so complete that they seemed able to evade the Austrians."

He added that there is great terror throughout western Austria-Hungary because of the Russian advance. Vienna is quiet, though there is fear that the Russians will over-run the capital. The food supply probably is somewhat limited as the dealers permit a single person to have only a small quantity of flour at one time. This applies also to other staples. The price of food in Vienna are very high.

SWISS GOVT OPENS BUREAU FOR EXCHANGE OF CIVILIAN PRISONERS

Paris, Sept. 16, 4.10 p. m.—A Havas Agency despatch from Berne says that the Swiss government has established a bureau for the exchange of civilian prisoners. Representatives of the bureau will go to places where such prisoners will be brought together for exchange, with certificates showing the number for exchange, and personally conduct these to the frontiers of their own country. The expense must be borne by the countries benefited, the red cross and not come from the public charity funds.

ST. JOHN MUSICIANS OFFER TO GO TO FRONT WITH 71ST REG'T BAND

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Sept. 16.—An effort is being made in some quarters to prevent the 71st Regiment Band going to Valcartier this week as planned to join the first Canadian contingent. The grounds for the protest are that the band is not composed of what the objectioners declare to be the proper channels, and it is even urged by the acting commanding officer of the regiment that members of the corps by going on foreign service have forfeited all rights as members of the 71st regiment and that the officers are the legal and proper instruments which they helped to pay for being taken away.

The band held a meeting tonight and the complete band of 25 musicians including several members of the 62nd Regiment Band of St. John have volunteered to leave on Friday.

Mr. J. W. Wood, Hon. J. E. Wilson and Hon. Dr. Landry are here for the meeting of the government. Hon. Geo. J. Clarke and Hon. J. A. Murray arrived this evening on the late train from St. Stephen, where they took part in the formal ceremonies of the Charlotte county exhibition today. Hon. John Morrissey is expected from Newcastle in the morning.

SOLDIERS' FAMILIES NEED ASSISTANCE

May be helped until men at Valcartier receive their first pay.

Members of families of soldiers who have gone to Valcartier have made application to the Citizens' Patriotic Committee for assistance, pending the first day pay to the soldiers. Some of those who volunteered for war service left their families without much money, and it is feared that some have been too proud to ask for assistance, and may be in bad circumstances pending the receipt of any money from the soldiers.

The officials of the Patriotic Committee have written the Minister of Militia, asking when the soldiers would receive their pay.

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Mrs. Thos. Allan, R.F.D. 3, Sombra, Ont., writes:—"Five years ago I suffered a complete breakdown, and frequently had palpitation of the heart. Since that illness I have had dizzy spells, had no power over my limbs (locomotor ataxia) and could not walk straight. At night I would have severe nervous spells, with heart palpitation, and would shake as though I had the ague. I felt improvement after using the first box of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and after continuing the treatment can now walk, eat and sleep well, have no nervous spells and do not require heart medicine. I have told several of my neighbors of the splendid results obtained from the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food."

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SOME OF CHANNEL APPROACHES TO THE RIVER THAMES CLOSED

Ingoing vessels flying Foreign flags must be conducted by Licensed Pilot—How Canada's wheat yield can be increased.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Sept. 16.—The Colonial Secretary has ruled that for purposes of national defence certain channels in the approaches to the Thames have been closed. All incoming vessels flying foreign flags and all British vessels from foreign and colonial ports must call at the new pilot station now established in the vicinity of the Tonque light vessel, or at one of the established pilot stations, viz., the Sunk light vessel Margate Deal and Dover, and be conducted to their destinations by a licensed pilot.

All outgoing vessels of the same description must before sailing obtain the services of a licensed pilot to conduct them to sea. Incoming vessels not included in the above before leaving their port of departure for the Thames and all similar outgoing vessels must obtain instructions from the nearest customs authorities as to the channels to be used.

In a special appeal to the farmers of the prairie provinces, with a view to securing the greatest possible production of wheat next year, Hon. Martin Burrell, Minister of Agriculture, urges that particular care be taken to get both summer fallow and stubble land into good shape this fall by ploughing and harrowing, then to be all ready for early seeding in the spring, the work being done well and only the best seed being used. The wheat yield, he says, can be increased millions of bushels in this way.

LONDON, ONT., GIVES GENEROUSLY TO THE PATRIOTIC FUND

London, Ont., Sept. 16.—London's Patriotic Fund will far exceed the \$100,000 aimed at, while complete figures will not be available for many hours, contributions continue to pour in. Some of the principal ones are \$1,000 each, D. S. Perrin (Principal one), John Labatt, George Robinson, London Street Railway Company, Robinson, Little Co., and Helena Costume Co.

The London Loan Company gave \$1,200; Italian citizens, \$551, and the following \$500 each, C. R. Somerville, Edward Adams Co., Hunt Bros., Ltd., Sherlock, Manning, Pines Co., Sterling Bros. Shoe Company, McLeod, Nolan Company, D. H. Howden Company, Hyatt Bros., R. C. Steuthers, Green, Swift, Ltd., T. F. McCormick, McMahon, Granger Company, and the Empire Brass Company.

BRITISH STEAMER LEFT AMERICAN PORT WITHOUT WIRELESS OUTFIT

Baltimore, Md., Sept. 16.—In opposition to a ruling of the United States department of commerce, that United States laws cannot be altered by the regulations of any foreign nation, the British steamer, Rosburg, today left Baltimore for Bordeaux, France, without being equipped with a wireless outfit, as required by the federal law. The maximum penalty for violation of this law is \$5,000.

GRAUALLY GETTING BACK TO NORMAL

New York, Sept. 16.—Financial attention was drawn today to the effect of the European war on the trade of this country, as illustrated by the import and export figures for August, compiled by the Department of Commerce at Washington. Merchandise imports for that month, \$29,440,000 against \$37,652,000 the same month last year. Exports aggregated \$110,328,000, against \$188,000,000 in August, 1913.

With these adverse conditions in mind, it appeared to be the consensus of financial opinion that much headway had been made in the process of re-establishing normal conditions between this country and Europe.

PROGROGATION OF BRITISH PARLIAMENT TOMORROW PROBABLY

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, Sept. 16.—Over eight thousand people paid admission to the Charlotte county exhibition today, and it was long after the closing hour (about 10 o'clock) that the last of them could be persuaded to leave the grounds. It is expected that all records of attendance will be broken tomorrow for the exhibition, when the legislature meets, to ask it to validate any gift that may be made to any patriotic fund by any municipality in the province.

WILL NOT CANCEL THEIR PATENTS FOR PRESENT

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Ont., Sept. 16.—The Hon. Martin Burrell has by order-in-council been given power under the war measures act, passed at the emergency session in parliament, to deal with the question of patents held in Canada by aliens. No general cancellation of these patents is contemplated at the present time, and the provisions of the order are substantially the same as the rules passed by the Imperial War Measure, which states that patents may be suspended during the war and for six months after its conclusion.

Individuals desiring the right to manufacture an invention covered by any such patent must make special application to the Minister of Agriculture, who will grant it only when he is satisfied that it is in the public interest that he should do so.

The minister is given absolute power of discretion as to the terms on which the application is to be granted. All applications for patents made by alien enemies are for the present being held in abeyance.

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LEDINGHAM-WATSON—At Hampstead, N. B., on September 16th, by Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, B.A., Thos. C. Ledingham to Lillian Alberta Watson.

DIED.

PARKER—In this city, on Sept. 14th, Penwick W. Parker, leaving a widow, one son, father, mother, two brothers and two sisters to mourn. Funeral this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his late residence, City Road.

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**THE ROYAL COMMISSION
LOOKED INTO COMMERCIAL
SIDE OF FOX INDUSTRY**

Some Testimony Given Before the Men From the Different Parts of the Empire on Their Recent Visit to Prince Edward Island.

The commercial side of the fox industry in Prince Edward Island was keenly scrutinized by the financial experts among the members of the Dominion Royal Commission at their meeting in Charlottetown last month.

Sir Langemann of South Africa questioned Mr. Dalton on this phase of the industry and here are the questions and answers.

Sir J. Langemann: Will you tell me what relation the working capital bears to the capital of the companies? What relation does the capital subscribed bear to the actual capital of the company?

Mr. Dalton: Do you mean the expense of carrying the company?

Q.—Suppose you float a company for twenty thousand dollars, how much represents cash and how much foxes?

A.—Ten thousand dollars of equipment would look after one million dollars' worth of stock. That is why it is so different from industrial enterprises; and the present tightness of money won't injure us as it will the industrial world.

Q.—From my point of view it appears to be a risk?

A.—But you would not buy one fox. Statistics show a certain mortality, and if we take twenty pairs we feel perfectly safe with our money in this.

Q.—What is the mortality?

A.—Exceptionally low—about 1 in 100. I think that was what it was last year. There is no great mortality among young foxes.

Q.—What is the percentage among the young?

A.—About 5 per cent. It brings the increase to one and a half any way.

Q.—Do you sell any pelts at all?

A.—We exported one last year. That fox died in a combat between himself and his mate. It was in April, a month later than that in which the fur is prime. The skin sold for \$20, which was the fifth highest price on the market then.

Q.—The only revenue you get today is from the progeny?

A.—Yes.

Q.—How do you get the pelts? You kill the foxes for the sake of the skin?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Don't you think it is a rather cruel process? In Europe they are prohibiting the slaughter of birds for the sake of the feathers. You must have that in view also, that some day they may stop the introduction of furs.

Mr. Cameron: I don't anticipate that furs will be a big thing. The birds' feathers are only ornamental.

Foster Mother

How the Valuable Animals are Reared When Their Own Mothers are Not Available.

NEW OYSTER COMPANIES.

Among the latest applications to the Lieut. Governor of P. E. I. for incorporation by letters patent are two in regard to new oyster companies which are being formed in Prince County. One is to be known as the "South West Malpeque Oyster Co., Ltd." and the other as the "South East Malpeque Oyster Co., Ltd." The proposed capital of each is \$18,000, divided into 1,800 shares of \$10 each, the chief place of business of both to be located in Summerside. The applicants for incorporation in the case of the first named company, who are also to be its provisional directors, are Dr. Alexander McNeill, J. S. Allen and A. C. Saunders of Summerside, and Messrs. Robert and Joseph Barrett, farmers, of Lot Sixteen; while in the case of the South East Company are Dr. McNeill, Messrs. J. S. Allen and A. C. Saunders of Summerside, Messrs. Kelly, Daniel Rayner and Palmage Montgomerie, fishermen, of Traveller's Rest.

INTERESTED.

A prominent New Yorker who, as the result of a visit to Prince Edward Island and a personal investigation of the fox industry, is anxious to become substantially interested in it, is evidently so convinced of the stability and profitableness of the business that he is ready to buy stock at ten and even twenty-five points above par. This it is to be noted, at a time when hardly any other investment anywhere else can realize its par value.

JOYFUL MESSENGERS.

The Charlottetown Guardian representative, on calling at the Royal Investment Exchange, yesterday had the pleasure of finding the staff busy preparing the circular letters and accompanying cheques to the various shareholders of the Provincial Silver

NEW FOX BUSINESS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

A Prince Edward Island Man Has Interest in Fox Industry in West.

James Pendergast, of Kensington, the well known P. E. Island athlete, returned Monday evening from an interesting four months' trip through Western Canada. While in British Columbia he with two others, Messrs. Hyland and Vickery, formed a partnership for the purpose of carrying on the fox business in that province. They have secured twenty-five black and forty-one cross foxes, which they are rearing in the vicinity of Creek, B. C., and which promise to become the nucleus of a flourishing fox industry in the Pacific province. Mr. Pendergast is well acquainted with the fox business and should his venture in that line be as successful as the Tallegrah Creek ranch will be a big factor in the fox world. His many friends will wish to see him when he returns in his new departure—Charlottetown Guardian.

LIKE READY MONEY.

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MORE FOXES.

Application is being made to the Lieut. Governor-in-Council of Prince Edward Island for letters patent for the incorporation of another new fox company, to be known as "The Equity Silver Black Fox Co. Ltd., with a capital of \$20,000, divided into 200 shares of \$100 each; the applicants for incorporation, who are to be the provisional directors, being Messrs. W. A. Brennan, A. R. Brennan and Wilfred Tanton, all of Summerside, where the head office of the company is to be located.

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FINANCIAL

WHEAT MARKET IN LARGE PORTS

WINNIPEG QUIET

Winnipeg, Sept. 15.—Trading on the wheat market was quiet and only a few jobs in futures were transacted. Prices opened fairly steady following Monday's collapse and were strong generally, ranging from 1/2¢ to 1 1/4¢ over opening values. Oats opened 1/4¢ to 1/2¢, flax unchanged and ending 1/4¢, later on both months. At noon October wheat was 105 1/2, Dec. 106 1/2, May 113 1/2. The cash demand for wheat was again poor today, the only grade wanted being No. 1 Northern and offerings were quite equal to the demand. There was a fair demand for cash oats, and No. 3 barley, while cash wheat supporters were doing nothing practically.

Inspections on Monday totalled 1,442 cars, as against 1,202 last year, and in sight were 1,200 cars.

The weather has improved somewhat, a few scattered showers have occurred, and frost at some points in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Cars inspected for Monday, Sept. 14:

Wheat	1294	1813
Oats	126	57
Barley	19	96
Screenings	0	0
Totals	1442	1100

C. P. R., 805 cars; C. N. R., 577 cars; T. P., 115 cars; Calgary, 21 cars; Duluth, 24 cars. Total, 1,442 cars—amount of Commerce.

REAL ESTATE.

Property transfers recorded this week in St. John were:

Mrs. Emily M. Appleby to Mrs. J. H. P. wife of J. A. Barry, property in Lunenburg.

Mrs. Fanny Barry to S. T. Walters, property in Gullford street, west.

Eastern Terminal Realty Co. to W. Baldwin, and another to G. E. S. body, both properties in Simonds.

S. H. Ewing et al to Hillsboro Woodworking Co., property in Simonds.

F. G. Spencer et al to W. G. Thomson, property in Simonds.

W. G. Thomson to Jas. O'Leary, property in Simonds.

Kings County

A. F. Murphy to Joseph Murphy, property at Greenwich.

Joseph Murphy to A. F. Murphy, property at Greenwick.

T. N. Vincent to G. C. Allan, property at Rothsay.

World's Shipping

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

September phases of the moon

Full moon	4th 10h 1m a.m.
Last quarter	12th 1h 48m p.m.
New moon	19th 5h 35m p.m.
First quarter	26th 8h 3m a.m.

Day of week

Day of week	High water, a.m.	Low water, a.m.
1st	10 27 5.22	21.41 3.15 15.28
2nd	11 10 5.22	21.41 3.15 15.28
3rd	12 23 5.22	21.41 3.15 15.28
4th	1 6 5.22	21.41 3.15 15.28
5th	19 5.22	21.41 3.15 15.28
6th	31 5.22	21.41 3.15 15.28

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Sailed Sept. 15

Star Calvin A.	to St. John
Sarkentine An.	to St. John
St. John, Me.	to St. John
York.	to St. John

BRITISH

Manchester, S. J. Nancy Lee, Wainwright, Sept. 15, to St. John, Sept. 16, to St. John, Sept. 17, to St. John, Sept. 18, to St. John, Sept. 19, to St. John, Sept. 20, to St. John, Sept. 21, to St. John, Sept. 22, to St. John, Sept. 23, to St. John, Sept. 24, to St. John, Sept. 25, to St. John, Sept. 26, to St. John, Sept. 27, to St. John, Sept. 28, to St. John, Sept. 29, to St. John, Sept. 30, to St. John, Sept. 31, to St. John.

FOREIGN

Salem, Mass. Omaha, Waters. ton. Evans, Sept. Fickles, Pensacola. Perth Amboy, echr Lavonia, St. Baltimore, Sept. (Nor), Sydney, Mobile, Sept. Port Spain. Hainaut, the latter sea, along the territory was the heavy machinery and would regulate it at the first opportunity.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL NEWS

WHEAT MARKET IN WINNIPEG QUIET

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Wheat	1914	1613
Oats	1294	928
Barley	128	87
Screenings	19	96
Totals	1442	1108

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HAD NO AUTHORITY FOR MAKING STATEMENT.

Washington, Sept. 16.—Assurance was given Secretary Bryan tonight by the British ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, that Sir Lionel Gordon, former British minister to Mexico, had not been authorized to make the statements attributed to him today in an alleged interview with the American ambassador, Mr. Clegg. The ambassador, moreover, declared he was certain Sir Lionel had not authorized any such interview, and would regulate it at the first opportunity.

World's Shipping News

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

September phases of the moon

Full moon	11h 10m a.m.
Last quarter	12h 1h 45m p.m.
New moon	19h 5h 33m p.m.
First quarter	26th 8h 3m a.m.

Days of week

Day	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	7th	8th	9th	10th	11th	12th	13th	14th	15th	16th	17th	18th	19th	20th	21st	22nd	23rd	24th	25th	26th	27th	28th	29th	30th	31st				
Day	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Sailed September 16, 1914.

Star Calvin Austin, Mitchell, Boston via Malpe ports, A. E. Fleming.

Barkentine Antonio of All Stockton Springs, Me., to load shooks for New York.

BRITISH PORTS.

Manchester, Sept. 12.—Ard star Nancy Lee, Waite, Chicoutim.

Partington, Sept. 4.—Ard star Manchester Merchant, Manchester.

Cardiff, Sept. 4.—Ard star Bursfield, Montreal via Avonmouth.

Leith, Sept. 12.—Ard star Cairntorr, Purvis, Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Salem, Mass., Sept. 12.—Ard schr Omaha, Waterside, N. B., via Boston.

Havana, Sept. 7.—Sid schr Edna V. Pickett, Pensacola.

Perth Amboy, N. J., Sept. 14.—Sid schr Lavonia, St. John, N. B.

Baltimore, Sept. 14.—Ard star Rags (Nor), Sydney, C. B.

Mobile, Sept. 4.—Ard bqt Skoda, Port Spain.

Tampa, Fla., Sept. 14.—Ard star Zeta, Santos.

Philadelphia, Sept. 14.—Ard bark Matanzas, St. John, N. B.; star Parkman, Glasgow via St. John's, Nfld.

City Island, Sept. 14.—Sid schr Ponhook New York for Halifax, N. S.; J. O. Bowers, New York for Hingham, Rothessay, Perth Amboy for Chatham, N. B.; Hartney W. Guttenberg for St. John, N. B.; Lavonia, Perth Amboy for St. John, N. B.; Paris A. Colwell, Guttenberg for Bathurst, N. B. (Last two schooners came to anchor Charles H. Trickey, New York for an Eastern port; Coral Leaf, Port Johnson for Yarmouth, N. S.)

New York, Sept. 14.—Ard schr F. C. Lockhart, St. John, N. B.; Zwicker, Newcastle, N. B.; Ronald, do.; Rebecca W. Walls, Ingramport; Bayard Barnes, Bathurst; Ambition, Bathurst.

Old Sept. 14, schrs Harry W. Lewis, Dexter, Perth Amboy; Peris A. Colwell, Hagen, Bathurst, N. B.; Margaret M. Ford, Webster, Newark.

Vinoyard Haven, Sept. 14.—Ard schr Silver Spray, New York; Edward Stewart, Halifax; Carrie A. Lane, Dalhousie.

Boston, Sept. 14.—Ard schr Evelyn, Shulze.

Old Sept. 14, schrs Lillie E. Melanson, Meteghan, N. S.; Annie Selmon, River, N. S.; Princess, Barton, N. S.; Sid Sept. 14, schr F. G. French, Apple River.

HAS ARRIVED SAFE.

Steamer Ottawa (Nor), Lied, from Blyth for New York, which it was rumored, had been sunk in the North Sea by a mine has arrived safely.

DANGERS TO NAVIGATION.

Steamer Manchester (Br) reports (Br) reports Aug. 21, from Greenly Island to Belle Isle, passed numerous large and small icebergs; Aug. 22, lat 52 50, lon 45, met a large berg; lat 52 55, lon 45, saw two bergs to the northward.

Steamer Franconia (Br) reports Aug. 24 passed four ice bergs in the following positions:—Lat 46 54 lon 47 12; lat 45 30, lon 47 20; lat 45 10, lon 47 46; lat 42 39, lon 50 10; Aug. 27, lat 47 00, lon 46 54, passed two large bergs.

Steamer West Point (Br) reports Sept. 2, lat 46 27, lon 47 41, passed an iceberg about 150 feet high and 250 feet long.

Steamer Sicilian (Br) reports Sept. 5, from lat 51 55, lon 54 30, 40 Bell's Is., saw numerous bergs and growlers; in the Strait of Belle Isle sighted six bergs and six growlers north of the track.

Steamer Oscar II (Dan) reports Sept. 6, lat 45 15, lon 48 20, passed

LARGE PORTION OF SUGAR PRODUCING AREA IS DIRECTLY IN WAR ZONE

Now is season for best harvest, but nearly every available man is at the front — Russia's crop probably will be least affected.

New York, Sept. 15.—"Facts About Sugar" says: The war map of Europe today is the sugar map of yesterday. Comparing the territory devoted to sugar growing with the areas of war operations, it appears at once that the two are nearly identical. Such a comparison in itself is sufficient explanation of the worldwide disturbances that has taken place in the ordinary adjustment of sugar supply to sugar demand.

The normal sugar crop of Europe is a little over 6,000,000 long tons. In the past year the number of tons produced in the countries now engaged in war was as follows:

Germany	2,738,000
Russia	1,750,000
Austria-Hungary	1,710,000
France	800,000
Belgium	230,000
Serbia	6,500
Total	7,234,500

As will be seen from the above, nearly 90 per cent. of Europe's sugar usually is grown by the nations that have abandoned implements for weapons. The entire sugar crop of the globe last year was 18,500,000 tons. Six of the European countries now at war normally produce 40 per cent. of all the sugar grown in the world. In the latter part of July, just before the outbreak of hostilities, it was estimated by F. O. Licht, the foremost sugar statistician of Europe, that the probable crop of the Continental countries for the coming year would be \$2,450,000 tons. The season for the best harvest is now on, and in most of the contending nations every available able-bodied man is being called to the colors. The labor of tending and harvesting the beets may be performed in ordinary times throughout Europe, but the lack of men to perform the heavy labor in the fields and the skilled work in the factories is certain to be felt severely.

Fighting in Sugar Fields.

Much of the sugar-producing area is directly in the zone of war operations. The principal beet-growing districts of France lie to the northeast of Paris, between that city and the Belgian border. This is the ground over which two of the greatest armies ever assembled have been fighting for the past several weeks. In Belgium the most important sugar-growing provinces are Liege, Brabant and Hainaut, the latter lying south of Brussels, along the French border. This territory was the theatre of the first heavy fighting of the war, and Germany is the greatest sugar-producer.

Imports from Britain

England—Imports from England included nearly twenty million dollars worth of cotton goods, comprising thirty-six million yards of cloth, five million pounds of yarn, and nine million dollars worth of lace and edgings; nine million dollars worth of chemicals, among which were thirty-four million pounds of bleaching powder, thirty-seven million pounds of ammonium sulphate, ten million pounds of glycerine, two million dollars worth of coal tar products, and considerable amounts of acids, gums, and other miscellaneous manufactures such as chinaware, linens, gloves, linoleum, precious stones, and silk and worsted goods.

Germany is our chief source for imported chemicals. Its contributions thereof exceeding twenty million dollars value. Last year's imports included coal tar preparations, alizarin, salting salts, indigo, potash, quinine, and other drugs to the value of 21 1/2 million. Other important articles were thirteen million dollars worth of cotton goods, one million tons of potash salts, used largely as fertilizers; 150 million pounds of wool put, thirty-five million pounds of palm and palm kernel oil, eight million dollars worth of toys, and numerous manufactures, including machinery, cutlery, antifriction balls, gloves, silks, paper goods, and clover and sugar beet seed. Certain food products were also imported from Germany in large quantities, the leading items being sixty-five million pounds of rice flour, seven million pounds of crude cocoa, and two million dollars worth of spirits, wines, and malt liquors.

High Prices Seem Inevitable.

Whatever is shipped from these countries to Great Britain or the United States must be withdrawn from other accustomed trade channels, however, that a part of competing goods scarcity and high prices would seem to be inevitable so long as the war continues and possibly for a considerable time after its close. Unless the hostilities end before next spring, when the season for planting next year's best crop arrives the scarcity for the following year is likely to be more marked than during the coming twelvemonth, while the exhaustion of beet-seed supplies under such circumstances would result in a lowered output of beet sugar for several years to come.

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PRODUCE PRICES IN CANADIAN CENTRES

Montreal, Sept. 16.—CORN—American No. 2, yellow, \$9 to \$9. OATS—Canadian Western, No. 2, 61 to 62; No. 3, 60 to 61. FLOUR—Man. spring wheat, patens, \$6.75; winter, \$6.25; straight rollers, \$6.50 to \$6.75; straight rollers, \$6.00 to \$6.25; bags, \$3.10 to \$3.15. WHEAT—Man. 27; shorts, 27; middlings, 25; moultie, 23 to 24. HAY—No. 2, per ton, car lots, \$18 to \$19.

Department of Trade and Commerce at Washington Compile Interesting Statistics Showing Export Business of Some Countries at War.

Washington, Sept. 12.—Europe, which in recent years has supplied about seventy per cent. of the manufactured goods imported into the United States, showed, in the fiscal year which ended June 30, 1914, a smaller gain in its contributions of general merchandise than any other grand division except Africa. According to official figures of the Department of Commerce, imports from Europe were three million dollars greater than in the previous year, compared with a gain of five million in imports from South America, five million in those from Oceania, ten million in those from Asia, sixty-five million in those from North America, and a loss of seven million in those from Africa. France, Italy, Germany, Switzerland, and Spain showed gains, while the United Kingdom, the Netherlands, and Russia were among the important European countries the imports from which decreased during the past year.

Competition for Sugar Supplies

Great Britain and the United States are the two greatest sugar-importing countries of the world. They are in the latter part of July, just before the outbreak of hostilities, it was estimated by F. O. Licht, the foremost sugar statistician of Europe, that the probable crop of the Continental countries for the coming year would be \$2,450,000 tons. The season for the best harvest is now on, and in most of the contending nations every available able-bodied man is being called to the colors. The labor of tending and harvesting the beets may be performed in ordinary times throughout Europe, but the lack of men to perform the heavy labor in the fields and the skilled work in the factories is certain to be felt severely.

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Daily September 19 to October 17. Good for thirty days.

General Change Tim: Sept. 27

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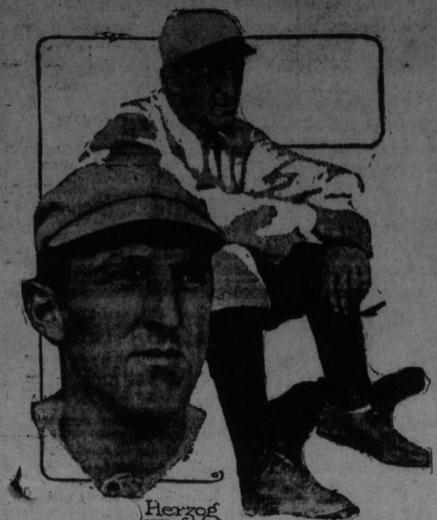
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HERZOG AND THE GIANTS



There is one man who would be glad to see the Giants beaten out of the championship this year, and he is Charles Herzog, the manager of the Cincinnati Reds, and at two separate times in his career a member of the New York club. He feels very bitterly toward his old team, and every time the Reds have faced the Giants this season he has driven the Reds to death to beat us, and with fair success.

Men on other clubs have said that Herzog is so anxious to see the Giants lose that he has informed contenders who he thought the weaknesses of the club and of the men on it are, as he believes he knows them, Herzog, was never very bitter toward the Giants until there was some kidding and forth during the first series between the two teams this season. "Mike" Donlin, on the coaching lines, kept after Herzog pretty hard, and it got under the skin of the Cincinnati manager. Then he also was a little touchy over the fact that he had sat on the bench part of last season when he was replaced by Shaffer, and he was tickled to death when Shaffer threw the club down this year.

If McGraw had not been in the middle of the Pacific ocean last winter when the opportunity for Herzog to manage the Reds, if a trade could be swung, bobbed up, Charley would even now be a member of the Giants, and the team would be well in front of the present race, too, I believe. McGraw left instructions that Herzog was not to be traded to Cincinnati unless there was a trade that Shaffer would report. There was a misunderstanding, and the impression existed in New York that McGraw had said Shaffer would report.

The Giants' manager had a talk with the temperamental third-baseman when the world's tourists were in Los Angeles, but could get no definite answer out of Shaffer at that time.

During the league meeting, when Herrmann offered Herzog the Cincinnati job, "Charley" was anxious to get it, and pushed the deal hard. He was finally traded, and then Shaffer came along with his announcement that he was through with baseball for good. McGraw was not at all satisfied with the deal.

"It looks," said he when he returned from his trip around the world, "as if I had been traded right out of a third-baseman. It would be a fine thing if we lost a championship because of it." Therefore, it is only due to the fact that the Pacific ocean could not be penetrated and McGraw could not be reached on the storm-tossed steamer which carried the world's tourists across that Herzog is not now wearing a New York uniform and pulling for the team to win the pennant. It has always been McGraw's policy not to stand in the way of veterans of his club when they have a chance to get a better job by taking charge of a team. He helped Roger Bresnahan to land in St. Louis and he did not try to hold Wilbert Robinson when he was offered the job in Brooklyn, although he would have liked "Robbie" to handle his pitchers again. But Herzog was comparatively young in the game. He got his first start with the Giants in 1908, and McGraw thought that there was time enough ahead for him to go to managing, especially as the deal left him very shy of a third-baseman.

RESULTS OF THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis 2; Chicago 1.

At St. Louis—First game:
Chicago 00100000—1 7 1
St. Louis 01000001—2 8 1
Batteries—Scott and Schalk; Hamilton and Agnew.

St. Louis 3; Chicago 1.

Second game:
Chicago 00000001—1 7 8
St. Louis 00000000—3 9 2
Batteries—Wolfgang, Faber and Kohn; Baumgardner and Agnew.

Detroit 2; Cleveland 3.

At Cleveland:
Detroit 01000151—6 13 2
Cleveland 00000111—3 7 2
Batteries—Oldham and McKee; Carter, Hagerman and Coumbes, Basler.

American League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Philadelphia	88	46	.657
Boston	79	53	.599
Detroit	73	63	.536
Washington	68	63	.519
Chicago	63	71	.470
St. Louis	61	72	.459
New York	60	75	.445
Cleveland	48	92	.349

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

New York 8; Cincinnati 1.

At New York:
Cincinnati 00000010—1 3 2
New York 50002100—8 13 1
Batteries—Ames, Flitely, Glockson and Gonzales; Demaree and Meyers.

Brooklyn 7; Chicago 2.

At Brooklyn:
Chicago 00000200—2 6 2
Brooklyn 01600000—7 9 2
Batteries—Lander, Pierce, Smith and Archer; Allen and McCarty.

Boston 6; St. Louis 3.

At Boston:
St. Louis 01101000—3 9 1
Boston 10020000—5 9 1
Batteries—Perrit, Griner and Snyder; Tyler and Whaling.

Philadelphia 6; Pittsburgh 2.

At Philadelphia:
Pittsburgh 01000010—2 6 2
Philadelphia 12000000—6 11 1
Batteries—Cooper, Conselman and Gibson; Rixey and Killifer.

National League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Boston	78	56	.580
New York	78	59	.568
St. Louis	71	63	.526
Chicago	64	64	.500
Pittsburgh	62	69	.473
Philadelphia	62	71	.466
Brooklyn	59	78	.427
Cincinnati	58	76	.434

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

Baltimore 3; Kansas 2.

At Baltimore:
Kansas City 00010100—2 7 2
Baltimore 02000100—3 7 2
Batteries—Adams and Eastery; Suggs and Jacklike.

Buffalo 7; St. Louis 3.

At Buffalo:
St. Louis 10002000—3 6 2
Buffalo 01110110—7 17 3
Batteries—Keupper and Simon; Moore and Allen, Lavigne.

Chicago 7; Pittsburg 4.

At Chicago:
Chicago 02401000—7 10 1
Pittsburg 00003100—4 8 2
Batteries—Johnson, Lange and Wilson; Knetzer, Leclair, Adams and Berry.

Indianapolis 2; Brooklyn 0.

At Indianapolis:
Indianapolis 11000000—2 7 2
Brooklyn 00000000—0 1 2
Batteries—Moseley and Riardon; Laattie and Owens.

Federal League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	75	59	.560
Indianapolis	69	59	.539
Baltimore	70	60	.538
Brooklyn	67	68	.518
Buffalo	67	63	.513
Kansas City	62	70	.470
St. Louis	58	75	.432
Pittsburg	52	77	.403

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Buffalo 2; Rochester 1.

At Buffalo:
Rochester 10000000—1 9 1
Buffalo 01100000—2 7 2
Batteries—Upham and Williams; Fullenwelder and Lalongo.

Toronto 3; Montreal 2.

At Toronto:
Montreal 01000100—2 6 1
Toronto 00000010—0 1 2
Batteries—Reuter and J. Smith; Hearne and Kritchell.

International League Standing.

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Rochester	86	58	.597
Providence	86	58	.597
Buffalo	84	57	.596
Baltimore	71	68	.511
Toronto	69	63	.518
Newark	63	76	.456
Montreal	55	85	.393
Jersey City	48	85	.362

GIANTS' NOTED TWIRLER STRONGER THAN EVER.



"Christy" Mathewson, famous pitcher of the New York Giants, has entered July with the best percentage he has known at this date for a long, long time. In fact, "Matty" has rarely known a better early record in all his fourteen years of campaigning, and with him in such good form the Giants are confident of capturing the National League pennant.

WHAT LEAGUE PILOTS THINK OF THEIR CHANCES

GEORGE STALLINGS (Manager of Boston Braves).
Everyone knows I am a little superstitious in baseball, so I am not claiming a flag, but I will say there are only two clubs the Braves must beat. These are the Giants and Cardinals. I do not figure the Cubs in the running. I have three pitchers who have worked wonders for the last six weeks. They are not showing signs of being under strain. We have moved 25 per cent. faster than the Giants for the last month. Invariably we can beat any club in the league on a few runs, and we have been getting these.

JOHN JO MCGRAW (Manager of the Giants).
We have been meeting with some hard luck; have played some bad baseball and frequently have had not a break in the game. All these factors have hit us hard and we have lost games which we should have won. I am not to the habit of making predictions on pennant races. I never have made one, but I am confident that in the supreme test the Giants will not fall to show that the light is in them, which has carried them through for three years. We will keep going right along at the best and hardest pace which we can set in the struggle for the flag.

MILLER HUGGINS (Manager of St. Louis Cardinals).
I do not like to say what chances Paul Revere, Jackson, . . . 5 dis
Time—2:14; 2:20; 2:21; 2:21.
2:12 Trot and 2:15 Pace.
Thomas S. Reed 6 11 1
Lady Fondly, Love 1 3 2 3
Roland Leslie, McKay 2 2 2 3
Outlaw, Boyer 3 dis
Time—2:14; 2:14; 2:17; 2:17.

IN A TANGLE.
To the Sporting Editor of The Standard.
Speaking as one interested in horse racing, permit me to say that much credit should be given to the promoter of the Park Matinee Driving Club for their enterprise this season in trying to revive and keep up the horse race game in St. John. Those who ever they may have taken upon themselves much responsibility, not

the means of getting them together strong for a final test that will meet with the approval and the patronage of the public.

I am, yours,
A KEEN OBSERVER.

Rome, via Paris, Sept. 15 (6.55 p. m.)—Telegraphing from Avion, Albania, the correspondent of the Mercurio says:
"Famine and smallpox are raging among the population, especially the refugees from the outlying villages who are in fear of massacre by insurgents in Epirus. Many of those killed in the fighting with the insurgents are carried long distances on donkey-back and then merely buried under a light covering of earth. This, it is said, led to the pestilential outbreak."

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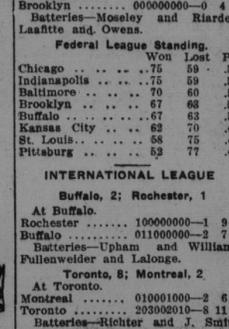
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GREATEST BOUT EVER FOUGHT ON IRISH SOIL

Ireland has many patriotic shrines commemorating the glorious deeds of valiant heroes of a fighting race, and at one of these, on the Curragh of Kildare, many sons of Erin undoubtedly gathered Sept. 14th to celebrate the centennial of the greatest battle ever fought on the sod of the Emerald Isle. It was there at Curragh, on September 14, 1814, that Ireland triumphed over England. The battle was fought with runs, and no cannon thundered on that glorious day, for it was a bout with bare fists on bare flesh, with Dan Donnelly, wearing a belt of green, pitted against George Cooper, England's chosen gladiator. And right well did the mighty Dan acquit himself that day, for in eleven rounds, lasting twice as many minutes, England's pride was stretched upon the turf, and Donnelly's arm was raised in signal of victory. And then how the Irish cheered—howed a yell of triumph, by the saints, we could hear the noise they made beyond Dublin and Cork. Not far from the battlefield, treasured by Irishmen as a sacred shrine, is the grave in which rests all that is mortal of the illustrious Dan. Nearby is the birthplace of Jack Dempsey, the battling "Nonpareil," who in his youth often listened to the old man's endless tales of the great Dan's prowess, and who was thus inspired to become a fighter, and, eventually, the middleweight champion of the world. It would be a foolhardy man who would go into a shebeen anywhere in County Kildare and express the opinion that Dan Donnelly was not the greatest pugilist in history. For five years after whipping Cooper, Dan remained on the top of the heap as a fighting man, and although Tom Cribb nominally retained the title of British champion, Dan was fully entitled to the belt by reason of his victories over England's best boxer. The climax of his fighting career came in 1819, when he went to England and whipped Tom Oliver. All of sporting Ireland accorded Dan on that pilgrimage and washed their last shillings, and even their clothes, on the Irishman. The soyl house and half the noble families of England and Ireland were represented at the ringside, and the betting was the highest in the history of the game. It is estimated that the backers of the Irishman cleaned up a million dollars on this fight, and the British king was one of the losers. Here's a toast to the immortal Dan, Ireland's greatest fighting man—to be drunk in got still booze or buttermilk, his favorite beverages.

PLAYER WHO HAS RECORD FOR ANSWERING ROLL CALL



In the last three years "Sam" Crawford has taken part in more than seven hundred games and now is entering the somestretch of a record for continuous baseball that establishes a new mark among the modern stars. The Tigers' slugging outfielder, who is generally credited by pitchers with hitting a ball harder than any other man now in the game, has not missed an American League game with the Tigers this season or last.

In 1912 Crawford was out for very brief periods with injuries, but he missed only five games, and forced his way limping into others of the 149 he engaged in under Hugh Jennings. During the winter of 1913-14 Crawford played in New Orleans and in the spring of 1914 he was one of the first players to get their eye on the ball in the exhibition games. "Sam" didn't seek any vacation, and after completing a season without missing a game Crawford went around the world with the tourists a year ago.

"Sam" hasn't been absent from a league game this season, and continues to pound out hits for extra bases. Measured by actual service in behalf of the Tigers, "Sam" Crawford, one-time Nebraska barber, is the most valuable player in the Detroit camp.

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St. Stephen, Sept. 16.—The horse racing today was the best seen in this section for many years. The feature was the first heat in the twelve trot and 15 pace, when Lady Fondly captured the first heat in 2:14 and lowered the track record. She won the record but only got as far as second money. The summary of the races follow:
2:20 Trot and 2:30 Pace.
Baron Patchen, Kaye 3 2 1
Redara, Reed 1 4 3 2
Don C. Jackson 2 2 2 2
Allegro, Boyer 4 2 4 4

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Light to moderate winds, fine and warm.

Washington, Sept. 16—Forecast: Northern New England Fair Thursday and Friday.

Toronto, Sept. 16—Fine weather has prevailed today throughout the country, exclusive of British Columbia. It has been warm from Ontario eastward and cool in the west-ern provinces.

Temperatures.

Place	Min.	Max.
Victoria	45	54
Vancouver	48	60
Kamloops	36	55
Calgary	34	54
Edmonton	30	50
Battleford	35	54
Prince Albert	32	48
Medicine Hat	34	55
Moose Jaw	20	61
Winnipeg	32	60
Port Arthur	56	80
Parry Sound	56	80
London	45	80
Toronto	49	78
Kingston	42	74
Ottawa	40	74
Montreal	50	74
Quebec	48	72
St. John	56	76

Around the City

Tidal Gauge.
H. W. Jones of the marine department is in the city, installing a new tidal gauge.

Apple Crop.
A. G. Turney, provincial horticulturist, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Turney said that so far as quality went the apple crop of the province this year was excellent, though in some sections the quantity raised was not as large as the bloom in the spring promised.

A Greek Service.
Satisfactory arrangements having been made Rev. Mr. Spyropoulos will hold public service for the Greek people of the city in the church of St. John the Baptist in Paradise row at nine a.m. today.

No Danger.
The burning of brush in the vicinity of East St. John caused quite a lot of excitement in the city last evening. It was reported that several houses had been burned but this proved untrue. The fires were carefully watched and no property was endangered.

Generous Help.
E. W. Cross of Denver Harbor has more than \$100 which he has collected for the Patriotic Fund. Some days ago Mr. Cross put a notice in the window of his place of business at Beaver Harbor that subscriptions would be received by him and very generous responses followed. Mr. Cross is holding the money until such time as a provincial committee is organized and prepared to receive contributions.

Greek Wedding Today.
A very interesting event will take place at the home of N. G. Alotis, 84 Germain street, this evening at nine o'clock when Rev. Theophilus Spyropoulos, D. D. of Lynn, Mass., will unite in holy wedlock Jeanne M. Miris and George P. Pittson, both of this city. The young couple have many friends in the city who wish them much happiness. They will make their home in Fredericton, N. B.

Will Go to Bermuda.
Mrs. Nell McLaughlan, wife of Rev. Nell McLaughlan, formerly pastor of the Methodist church in this city, and her two sons, Kenneth and Donald, are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Vass. Mrs. McLaughlan and family, who have been spending the summer near Westfield, will leave for Bermuda in about two weeks to join Rev. Mr. McLaughlan, who is now at his pastorate there.—Fredericton Gleaner.

A GIFT TO WOUNDED START SHEDS NEXT WEEK

The New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association will send a specially selected shipment of prize New Brunswick apples to England with the province's gift of 100,000 bushels of New Brunswick potatoes to the British Empire.

The apples will be given freely by the 160-odd members of the Association and there will probably be upwards of 100 barrels of the pick of New Brunswick fruit so far as the steamer from St. John about the middle of October.

These apples will be consigned to the Imperial Government with the desire expressed that they be sent to the hospitals and given to the wounded British soldiers and sailors. There is an unusually large apple crop in New Brunswick this year and the fruit sent to England will be only of the very best varieties and practically perfect samples in every respect. Because of the war the Association has decided not to hold its annual fruit show this fall at St. John.

WEDDINGS

Day-MacDonald.
A pretty wedding took place yesterday afternoon at four o'clock at 102 Victoria street, when William Purvis Day was united in marriage to Miss Beattie MacDonald. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. H. Nobles, pastor of Victoria street Baptist church. Mr. and Mrs. Day left on the Boston train last evening for New York where they will reside. Mr. Day is employed on a steamer running out of New York.

PROCLAMATION FOR GERMANS AND AUSTRIANS

Will Retain Liberty in Canada if They Do Nothing Injurious to Empire.

In the Royal Gazette yesterday there appeared a proclamation relative to Germans and Austro-Hungarians in Canada and their status in the country.

The proclamation states that there is no need for apprehension on the part of those who are quietly carrying on their regular avocations that they will be deprived of their freedom to hold property or to carry on business.

The proclamation recites the Federal Government's policy relative to these Germans and Austro-Hungarians to the effect that "restrictive measures will be taken only in cases where officers, soldiers or reservists of the German Empire or of the Austro-Hungarian monarchy attempt to leave Canada or where subjects of such nationalities engage or attempt to engage in espionage or acts of a hostile nature, or to give information to or otherwise assist the King's enemies. Even where persons are arrested or detained on the grounds indicated they may be released on signing an undertaking to refrain from acts injurious to the Dominion or the Empire."

GYMNASIUM FOR SOLDIERS

Arrangements Being Made By City to Equip Physical Department at Partridge Island.

The members of the artillery corps stationed at Partridge Island will likely soon be provided with proper apparatus for taking exercise for the purpose of building up their bodily vigor. The matter of proper equipment was discussed by the city commissioners at their meeting on Monday. As a result of this Mayor Frink and Commissioner Russell visited Partridge Island and made an inspection of the facilities there. It was found that at present there was hardly means for the men to obtain the exercise necessary to place them in the best physical condition, but there was ample room for such apparatus as would be necessary.

It was pointed out at the meeting Monday that the city was not under obligation to supply the equipment, but it was thought that the city might voluntarily provide something along these lines.

There are several large rooms in the buildings on the island and these could be equipped with weights, bars and other physical apparatus.

After viewing the conditions Commissioner Russell made arrangements for the physical instructor of the Y. M. C. A. to make suggestions for the proper equipment to be placed for the use of the soldiers, and it is likely that he will soon make a trip to the island in order to ascertain the nature of the equipment that could be installed.

It is likely that the men now stationed on the island will be sent to the front for active service and it is necessary that they should be in the best physical condition possible. With this end in view the city fathers will consider the matter and it is probable that at the next meeting of the council something of a substantial nature will be done.

Maritime Dredging and Construction Company continues work on schedule—Making progress.

The Maritime Dredging and Construction Company are making satisfactory progress with their wharf building work on the West Side, and are well up to their schedule. The next week work will be started on the temporary sheds, which are to be erected on the Connelly Wharf, in order to assure extra accommodation next winter. To hasten the reclamation work, the company has installed another derrick with a clamshell bucket.

D. C. Clarke who is doing the crib work is well up to his programme, and the contractors for the concrete work are making a good showing. Already about 1,500 lineal feet of concrete superstructure have been built.

LATE SHIPPING

New York, Sept. 16—Ard: Strs. Meamouth, London; Padia, Marcellis, Queenstown, Sept. 16—Ard: Strs. Arctic, Boston; Merion, Philadelphia. London, Sept. 16—Ard: Str. Ascania, Montreal. Quebec, Sept. 16—Ard: Str. Moewana, Newfoundland.

ADVOCATES THE NOTE FOR ALL WOMEN

Mrs. Livingstone Urges W. C. T. U. to Work Toward This End—Last Session of Convention.

The eighth annual convention of the Women's Christian Temperance Union closed last evening after a most successful series of meetings. Delegates from different parts of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island were present, and all derived great inspiration for the work of abolishing the liquor traffic from this country. It was pointed out at the different meetings that the women were forwarding the movement for prohibition in all parts of the country and generally they were meeting with success.

Mrs. Debora Knox Livingstone, who was present at the greater number of the meetings, helped to keep up the interest and through her efforts the members saw more clearly than ever the great good that was being accomplished through their efforts in all parts of the world.

Mrs. Livingstone was the chief speaker at the public meeting in Centenary church last evening and showed by examples taken from different parts of the country that with the coming of the franchise for women the bar was doomed. Her idea was that all women should be given the vote and that the Women's Christian Temperance Unions throughout the country should strive with this end in view. Mrs. Livingstone held the attention of her audience for nearly two hours and brought home in a new light many of the facts concerning the liquor traffic and the enfranchisement of women.

The Officers.

During the sessions yesterday the election of officers for the ensuing year was held with the result that Mrs. James McWha of St. Stephen was re-elected president. The other officers are as follows: Mrs. J. S. Perry, Summerside, P. E. I., vice-president; Mrs. Luther R. Hetherington, Newcastle, N. B., corresponding secretary; Mrs. C. Laidlaw, St. Stephen, recording secretary (re-elected); Mrs. A. C. M. Lawson, Fredericton, treasurer (re-elected). During the sessions yesterday many interesting papers were read by the different delegates. The themes dealt with present day conditions and the remedies that were available.

Among the speakers yesterday were Rev. W. H. Barracough of Centenary church, and J. Willard Smith, Mrs. R. Norton Smith, Mrs. T. H. Bullock and Mrs. Howard Sprague were also among the speakers.

Anti-sarcotics was the subject of an interesting report given by Mrs. T. A. Clark. Mrs. Clark referred to the evil effects of ailments on the human system and described in pointed terms some of the methods being employed to eradicate intemperate habits.

At the conclusion of the report the delegates entered into a discussion of the subject and many expressed their opinions on the subject.

The work among the lumbermen and ranchmen was dealt with in an interesting manner in a report by Mrs. A. C. M. Lawson of Fredericton. The meetings have aroused more than ordinary interest and were all well attended by many people other than delegates. All were greatly impressed by the efforts of the women to accomplish reforms in these provinces.

The subject of Mrs. Livingstone's address last evening was Womanhood and Citizenship. During the course of her remarks she made a strong appeal for the vote for women and cited incidents where the women had, by their votes, been the means of bringing about many reforms. This was particularly the case in connection with the liquor trade and the white slave traffic. She hoped soon to see women given the vote from one end of this country to the other.

During the evening Mrs. Livingstone was presented with a handsome bouquet. She will leave this morning for Houlton, Me., where she will address a meeting.

WILL IMPROVE WATER SYSTEM OF THE CITY

Commissioner Wigmore Has Busy Programme Ahead—Provide Work For Men This Winter.

Wrought iron water pipe for the different works to be done about the city has arrived in the city and is being stored in the Water and Sewerage Department yards in Lelster street. Commissioner Wigmore has underway many improvements for the city water service and this work will be carried along in order to give employment to as large a number of men as possible. The city council has authorized the renewal of old water mains in several of the streets and at a recent meeting authorized Commissioner Wigmore to purchase 4,000 feet more of water pipe and several meters.

When asked concerning the influence of the war on the Water and Sewerage Department work, Commissioner Wigmore said he considered that the city should provide as much work as possible. For his part he intended to have water and sewerage work continued. He had had a considerable surplus last year, but he hoped to be able to use this in making much needed improvements in the city water distribution system. He thought that the city would be much further ahead by making work for the citizens than in distributing charity. Unless there was work provided during the coming winter it was likely the city would have to give assistance to many. So far he had had no difficulty in securing men for the carrying on of the work of his department. During the present winter Commissioner Wigmore hopes to have work for a large crew of men. Of course trenching in earth would be practically impossible during the cold weather, but he hopes to have some rock work done and this can be carried on at all times. During last winter and the winter before work of this nature was carried on in his department.

Plans are now being prepared for the work for the coming cold season.

CARPENTERS' UNION IN EXCELLENT SHAPE

General Organizer in interesting address to local members—Sees very bright future.

At the meeting of the Carpenters Union last evening, J. E. Potts, general organizer of the International Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, was present, and delivered an interesting address. He said that in spite of the industrial depression which had recently prevailed in the United States and Canada, the Carpenters' Brotherhood had made substantial progress, increasing its membership and in some cases increasing wages. He spoke optimistically about the future.

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FIRE IN BEDROOM

Last evening, shortly before seven o'clock, an alarm of fire was sent in from box 3 on Union street for a blaze in the Stanley House, 190 Union street occupied by Mrs. Doyle.

The fire was found in a room that had been occupied by one of the boarders. The upper hall and rooms were filled with smoke but the fire was put out before a great deal of damage was done. The only damage was to the room in which the fire started. A few other rooms on the upper floor were damaged by smoke. The fire was extinguished by Chestnut No. 1.

A bureau was destroyed and the paper on the walls of the room was damaged. The fire was confined to the one room and the damage will be small.

LOST—On Wednesday evening between Westfield and West St. John a gentleman's passbook was lost. Finder will be rewarded on returning the same to Standard Office.

ST. JOHN SHOULD NOT BE BEHIND OTHER CITIES IN RENDERING ASSISTANCE—Much comment.

A good deal of comment is being made about the city in regard to the amounts contributed by St. John citizens towards the Patriotic Fund. It is claimed that so far St. John's contribution has been small, in view of the fact that some communities have already raised amounts equal to one dollar or over per capita. As against this criticism it is pointed out that the number of volunteers for foreign service from St. John has been considerably larger in proportion to its population than the number of volunteers sent from many other communities in Canada. Although it is generally recognized that at this juncture, when the Empire is engaged in the greatest war in history, the most important contribution that could be made is that of men to fight the Empire's battles, to some citizens this is a very fact that St. John has contributed an exceptionally large number of volunteers is only another argument why the old Loyalist city should further justify its title by making its monetary contribution to the Patriotic Fund commensurate with its contribution of soldiers.

A gentleman who has himself made a very substantial contribution to the fund suggests that it might be a good thing to call a public meeting to discuss St. John's duties in the emergency, and arouse the people of the city. In the present circumstances, to a greater sense of responsibility. It is pointed out that the contribution made by the city is insignificant, compared with that of the city council of Halifax which has voted \$25,000.

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