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RAPID PROGRESS BY THE AMERICANS IN DRIVE

Eight Mile Gain on South Side; Are Far Beyond Old Line—So Far 9,500 Prisoners and Sixty Guns Captured

London, Sept. 12.—(By the Associated Press, 1.30 p. m.)—General Pershing's forces in their attack on the southern side of the St. Mihiel salient have advanced for a distance of eight miles. The assault was made on a front of fourteen miles.

The Americans this morning were making rapid progress in the continuation of their drive.

German prisoners say the American attack was expected, but that it was delivered so rapidly that they had no time to put up a stubborn resistance when they were ordered to Panzer, which was energetically defended by the Germans, was easily captured by the Americans.

The Americans are reported to have captured Vigneulle, seven and a half miles north of Xivray, through which the former line ran.

General Pershing's troops also are said to have captured Bency, Haidcourt and the Bois de Thilcourt.

If these places really have been captured the neck of the St. Mihiel salient line has been narrowed to less than six miles, and if the two German divisions reported last night to be in the salient still are there, it is decidedly improbable that they will be able to get away.

General Pershing's troops so far have taken sixty German guns.

The Germans are blowing up the ammunition dumps at Hattoville and Dombour.

On the west side of the St. Mihiel salient, where the country is much more difficult and where the German resistance has been more determined, the Americans have made an advance of three miles on a twelve mile front.

Washington, Sept. 12.—American troops operating in the St. Mihiel sector made considerable gains yesterday said General Pershing in his communique to the war department late last night. Already 8,000 prisoners have been counted, and the movement still is in progress.

FIRST STROKE BY AMERICANS AS INDEPENDENT ARMY

London, Sept. 12.—The assault on the St. Mihiel salient dominates the news columns of the newspapers today, which feature it with the biggest head lines.

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LOYD GEORGE BETTER THIS MORNING BUT ENGAGEMENTS FOR DAY ARE CANCELLED

Manchester, Eng., Sept. 12.—Premier David Lloyd George, who became ill last night, was reported this morning to be getting better.

Engagements made for him today in his four of Lancashire, however, have been cancelled.

Last night's announcement stated that the premier was suffering from a chill and had a high temperature.

ANOTHER GERMAN SPEECH FOR PEACE

Amsterdam, Sept. 12.—The postponement of peace prospects and the likelihood of a fifth winter of war weigh equally on all belligerents and not on Germany alone in the opinion of Friedrich Von Payer, imperial vice-chancellor of Germany, in a speech at Stuttgart.

"Our state debts," the vice-chancellor said, "are everywhere reaching fantastic heights and everywhere we struggle against the encroachments on our personal liberties. All the belligerents of Europe must admit, if they are not blind, that the longer the European peoples persecute each other the more certainly will the historical and paramount position of weakened and impoverished Europe be lost in favor of cleverer and more calculating peoples."

Herz Von Payer said that for four years the middle of the line has been almost entirely on enemy territory. He admitted that the submarine war had not worked so quickly and surely as had been hoped. The enemy, he said, was still unable to compensate their losses by new construction and declared that the robbery of neutral ships almost without parallel by the Entente could not be repeated.

"The more troops the United States sends," he said, "the greater will be the need of shipping for reinforcements of munitions and provisions. The killing up of the enemy army by Americans therefore bears in itself its limitations."

He argued that the loss of shipping would become fatal to Great Britain after the war because it would lose its shipping superiority to the United States and "the hope of compensating themselves from the German fleet, which still has to be conquered, will surely be adequate comfort only for the very imaginative Britainers."

SEVENTY-EIGHT MILE CORDON OF ALLIED SHIPS WAITING FOR HUN

American Congressman Says There Will Be Slaughter for Germans if Fleet Ventures Into North Sea

New York, Sept. 12.—Confident prediction that a naval battle between the German sea forces and the Allied fleets would result in "a marine slaughter" for the Teutons was made by Representative Daniel Roraback upon his return to New York yesterday after an inspection of American naval activities abroad.

"The protection that is being afforded merchant vessels and transports is improving by the hour," he asserted. "The U-boat was a peril. Now it is simply an annoyance. Very soon it will be obsolescent."

"We were pretty anxious to get some idea of the reception that has been prepared for the German navy should it happen to come out. We saw the armor plated reception committee from the deck of a destroyer and it was a sight that will live in my memory forever."

"Stretched about the point where the German fleet must emerge was a seventy-eight mile cordon of Allied warships—British, French, Italian and American—their men on their toes, steam up and guns ready. It took us seven hours to pass this huge flotilla. For us it was the most magnificent spectacle in the world. The crews that man these vessels are waiting, hoping, longing for the light that I do not think they ever will see."

CHIEF SAYS HE HAS 3 MEN FOR TODAY

Twenty-eight Policemen Dismissed—Delegation Presents Case Before Commissioners

Chief of Police Simpson, speaking this morning of the police situation, said that although he had only twenty-one members of his force left last night, yet all the beats in the city were covered. The twenty-eight policemen who were dismissed and did police duty during the night. The chief said that he so far has had offers from citizens to assist in police duty if their services were required. By this evening he said that he expected to have three of the vacancies filled. Special policemen were being sworn in and he expected by tonight that every beat would be patrolled as usual.

Before Council Committee the dismissed policemen were laid before a committee of the council at a special meeting at 10 o'clock today in city hall by Messrs. Kemp and Suggs of the Trades and Labor Council and J. A. Barry, their solicitor. Three of the former members of the force were present, but took no part in the discussion. As the mayor is out of the city and Commissioner McEllen was not present, the committee did not constitute a quorum and it was explained, could take no action. Consideration of the case of the dismissed policemen will be taken up at a meeting of the council, after consultation with the city solicitor. It was reported that the council might be called for Saturday morning.

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REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers in real estate have been reported as follows:

St. John County

A. J. Armstrong et al to St. John Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Co., property in St. John.

Andrew Blair to W. E. A. Lawton, property in Orange street.

F. T. B. Blair et al to E. A. Lawton, property in Orange street.

A. C. Blair to W. E. A. Lawton, property in Orange street.

W. H. Bradshaw to J. H. Bradshaw, property in Vaughan Creek road.

Isaac Gaudin to Robert Thompson, property in St. John.

Arsantina Wetmore to W. W. W. Carmichael, property in Kingston.

Edith E. Waddell to James Marshall, property in Kingston.

IS RECORDING

It is good news that William McLeod of 55 King street, West End, is recovering after his very severe injuries sustained in the Grant & Home shipyard, when a piece of timber fractured his skull. The accident occurred some weeks ago. Dr. F. H. Neve, who is attending him, said today that he was improving and now was practically out of danger.

GIANTS VS. COULTRAYS

Weather permitting the Giants are to work out on the West Side diamond this evening in preparation for their double-header against the Coultrays tomorrow afternoon and evening. A magnificent silver trophy which is to become the property of the champions is on exhibition in W. Thorne's office and will later be displayed in West St. John.

HOME FOR BURIAL

The body of Capt. James Clarke, who passed away in Sydney, N. S., will be brought here on the 5.30 p. m. train today and will be taken to his late residence, Cliff street. Funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

DEATH OF CHILD

Mr. and Mrs. James Hamley of 289 Chesley street, will have the sympathy of friends in the death of their little daughter, Annie Marie, aged two months.



Germans Evidently Giving Up Lille

London, Sept. 12.—Numerous fugitives from the city of Lille are reported by Belgian newspapers to be arriving at Malines and Antwerp, according to a despatch from Amsterdam to the Central News Agency. Apparently Lille is being evacuated by the Germans.

R. THOMAS AND K.S. BANGAY HAVE GIVEN LIVES

Further News of Casualties Reaches St. John Relatives of Soldiers

Mrs. R. Thomas of 15 Drury Lane received word from the director of records, Ottawa, informing her that a cablegram had been received from England stating that R. Thomas, who was previously reported dead of wounds, is now officially reported killed in action on June 26. Mrs. Thomas received word of her husband's death about July 1. He was a member of the original members of the N. B. battalion and was both wounded and gassed while fighting in his ranks. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. David Thomas of South Wales, Eng., and was twenty-five years of age.

Mrs. Archie Horton of 51 Hilyard street received a letter this morning informing her that her son-in-law, Pte. Kenneth S. Bangay of Lockport, N. S., was killed in action on August 8. He enlisted with the Nova Scotia Highlanders last year and crossed to France in November. He leaves a wife and five small children.

Ottawa List

Ottawa, Sept. 12.—Casualties:

Infantry.

Wounded.

E. J. Jefferson, Round Hill, N. S.; H. H. Richardson, Indian Harbor, N. S.; H. Le Bru, address not stated; P. O. Schuchman, N. B.; D. A. McDonald, Bridgeport, N. S.; W. H. Jollimore, Halifax; T. J. Evans, address not stated; E. H. MacDonald, Pinder, N. B.; J. W. Harcourt, Dalhousie; H. Furlott, Jacques River; H. Ross, address not stated; K. R. Mitchell, Dartmouth; J. A. McNeil, Grand Narrows, N. S.; D. D. McCrae, Truro; P. Dugay, Pigeon Hill, N. B.; J. H. Powers, St. John; P. Ledger, Moncton.

J. P. Delisle, Deschambault, Que.; G. Clayton Clarke, Cornhill, N. B.; G. W. Cousins, Sydney, N. S.; C. G. Connors, Bass River, N. B.; J. Allain, St. Louis, P. E. I.; J. Jeffrey, Halifax; H. Murphy, Westville; H. Muise, East Quinlan, N. S.; J. A. McDonald, Chatham, P. E. I.; Captain R. P. MacLachlan, St. John; Lieut. R. A. MacGillivray, Halifax; J. H. Brown, Alberton, P. E. I.; E. W. Black, Amherst.

D. Nicholson, Rose Valley, P. E. I.; E. J. Gallant, Maximville, P. E. I.; A. Buchanan, Grand Marois, P. E. I.; R. H. Bernard, Waterville, N. S.; R. V. Hartley, St. Stephen; R. A. Ongeroff, North Head, N. S.; H. Godsoe, High Bank, P. E. I.

Died of Wounds—

H. Harlow, Black Point, N. S.; J. J. McNeill, Alberton, P. E. I.

Ided—

X. Hagerty, St. Isadore, N. B.

TORONTO FAILURE

Toronto, Sept. 12.—H. O'Hara & Co., a well known house connected with the Toronto Stock Exchange, has made a voluntary assignment to G. T. Clarkson. The firm was established more than thirty years ago by the late Henry O'Hara, who died a short while ago, after a long and honorable business career. It is not thought that the failure will greatly affect the street.

HEAD OF BRITISH PRIZE COURT DEAD

London, Sept. 12.—Sir Samuel Evans, president of the British prize court, died today at Brighton.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, H. F. Sturpart, Director of meteorological service

Synopsis—The disturbance has moved very little since yesterday and showers have occurred throughout Ontario and Quebec. In the western provinces the weather has been fine and warm.

Forecasts.

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Moderate west to northwest winds, a few scattered showers, but mostly fair today and on Saturday, not much change in temperature.

Ottawa Valley and Upper St. Lawrence—Occasional showers, but partly fair today; Saturday, westerly winds and showers, but mostly fair today and on Saturday.

Lake Superior—Moderate west to northwest winds, fair and cool tonight and on Saturday.

Lake Michigan—Moderate west to northwest winds, fair and cool tonight and on Saturday.

Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta—A few scattered showers, but for the most part fair and cooler today and on Saturday.

New England—Rain tonight; Saturday, probably rain in eastern Maine; moderate to fresh shifting winds on the coast.

"NOT GUILTY" IN WHITZMAN CASE

In the case of the King vs. Whitzman, in which the defendant was charged with stealing goods from W. H. Thorne & Co. Ltd., the jury after being out two hours returned a verdict of not guilty. Daniel Whitzman, 45, appeared for the defence and George H. V. Belz and C. Ferguson for the prosecution.

Goes in By Acquittal

Edmonton, Sept. 12.—Hon. A. G. MacKay, minister of municipalities and public health, was elected by acclamation in Athabasca yesterday.

British Gain Holmon Wood

Jeancourt in Haig's Hands and Gain Also Made in Flanders--Huns Try in Vain to Recover Havrincourt

London, Sept. 12.—German troops last night delivered an attack, with the cooperation of airplanes, on the town of Havrincourt, southwest of Cambrai, recently taken by the British. The attack was repulsed with great loss, so Field Marshal Haig announced in the official statement today.

Further south, on the front opposite St. Quentin, the British have gained possession of Holmon Wood.

A German attack opposite Moeuvres, on the canal line west of Cambrai, failed completely.

British troops have captured the town of Jeancourt, in the St. Quentin sector, north of Vermand.

In Flanders the British made progress pushing ahead west of Audry, in the La Bassee region.

WIN HIGH GROUND CLOSE TO THE HINDENBURG LINE

With the British Army in France, Sept. 12.—(By the Associated Press)—British troops stormed their way today into the shell-shattered town of Havrincourt, which lies on a dominating ridge within the forward defences of the Hindenburg line, and at latest reports were maintaining their hold on this highly important place.

A little to the south they also carried the high ground, thereby gaining a still firmer grip on the high ground dominating this region. Fighting was still proceeding this afternoon and about 800 German prisoners have been sent back to the cages.

The attack was begun this morning in the midst of rain, which had been falling intermittently for several days. Because of the elevation of this ridge, however, the ground was not in particularly bad condition.

ENEMY ATTACK ON ITALIAN FRONT

London, Sept. 12.—A despatch to the Daily News from Rome says the impression prevails there that the Austrians are preparing an attack in force on the Italian front, and there is reason to believe they will begin their offensive before the summer is over.

GORKY JOINS BOLSHEVIKI

Stockholm, Sept. 12.—Reports from Petrograd state that Maxim Gorky, Russian author and revolutionary, has accepted the post of director of Bolsheviki propaganda. The reports add that Gorky has declared that he will support the Bolshevik government, and that he will cooperate with the Bolshevik government.

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COULD NOT FIND REJECTED VOTES

Commission to Hold Session in Ottawa on Matter of Quebec Soldiers' Ballots

St. John, Que., Sept. 12.—An unsuccessful attempt to prove that the non-inclusion had no right to appoint the royal commission now holding an investigation into votes cast by soldiers in St. John barracks during the last general election was made today by Bernard Rose, K. C. Montreal. He was acting for Captain Campbell, whose name appeared in the Hansard report of a speech made in the House of Commons by Joseph Archambault, M. P. for Chambly-Verchery, in which allegations of irregularities on the part of officers in connection with the voting at the barracks which favored his opponent, Hon. J. Ralston, were mentioned.

It was found that Francis Chawick, deputy clerk of the crown in Chambly, ordered yesterday to produce card-index containing the ballots cast in Chambly barracks. He has been able to find only the names of the voters. The rejected ballot papers are essential to the inquiry it was decided to meet in Ottawa on Monday to take evidence as to their whereabouts.

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WHY NO MOTORING IS ASKED FOR NEXT SUNDAY

It is now officially stated from Ottawa that there is vital urgency in the appeal for economy in the use of gasoline. If that appeal is to be answered in a patriotic way, next Sunday there will be a total absence of joy-riding and unnecessary motoring.

There is another aspect to this question besides that of saving gasoline. By saving gasoline we are exercising thrift, and thrift is greatly needed in Canada at the present time. Money can be saved by saving gasoline and motor wear and tear, with the result that the surplus savings of the people may be increased against the day when they will be needed. It is conservatively estimated that \$150,000 can be saved next Sunday in Canada if motoring is reduced to absolutely necessary travel.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

BANG-UP NEW BILL AT THE OPERA HOUSE
Another big vaudeville programme is opening at the Opera House tonight...

SEE IT TONIGHT

Tonight at 7.15 and 8.45 last times for "The Gracie" the notable William Churchill story which the Gem is showing...

LOCAL NEWS

IS IN ENGLAND. A cable has been received in the city from Private William McAnally...

MISS GRACE ORAM. Miss Grace Oram, daughter of the late John and Mary Oram, died this morning...

ELECTRIC LIGHTS IN ARTIC. Eskimos Also Get News of Outside World by Wireless.

TO BORDER TOWN. The Temple Band left this morning to take part in the St. Stephen fair...

POST OFFICE EXTENSION. Tenders have been called for by the Dominion public works department...

SUSSEX MAY HAVE FLOUR MILL. A meeting of Sussex and St. John Agricultural Society is called for Monday evening...

ENGAGEMENTS. Mr. and Mrs. William G. Carleton of Sussex announce the marriage of their daughter, Miss Annie Vaughan Carleton...

A TRANSPORT OFFICER. Sussex Record—Capt. Harry Black has been appointed a transport officer...

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

CLARKE—Suddenly, at Sydney, N. S. James Clarke, chief engineer of C. G. S. Lansdowne.

MARRIAGES. HILL-EDISON—A quiet passage wedding was solemnized last evening by Rev. R. H. W. Pinket...

DEATHS. ORAM—In this city on the 18th inst. Grace, daughter of the late John and Mary Oram...

DEATHS. HANLEY—In this city on the 18th inst. Annie Marie, aged two months, infant child of James and Catherine Hanley.

DEATHS. BITTS—At South Brewer, Me., on Thursday, Sept. 12, 1918, Sarah J., widow of the late Henry Betts...

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Paris, Sept. 12.—The American attacks in the region of St. Mihiel are continuing successfully, the French war office announced today.

Rome, Sept. 12.—Italian troops have penetrated the Austro-Hungarian positions at Frasburg. A enemy assembly party on Monte Asolone was put to flight.

Berlin, via London, Sept. 12.—"We are now standing on our new lines which have been prepared," says the official German statement.

Col. T. G. Loggie, deputy minister of lands and mines, expects to leave soon on a trip to western Canada.

Miss Mabel Marvin of Sussex Corner has accepted a position on the teaching staff at Mount Allison Ladies' College, Sackville.

The death of John C. Parent took place at his home in Queensbury on September 11 at the age of eighty-eight years.

At Midgie on Wednesday morning, Mrs. Elizabeth Noorvik, died at the age of four years.

Quebec Election Inquiry. Judge McLennan, chairman of the commission, decided for the legality of the election.

My wife, Margaret A. Baxter, having denied me admission to my home and having elected to live separate and apart from me, I hereby give notice that I will not be responsible to any person for debts contracted by her.

Cash Specials For Friday and Saturday. ONIONS, 5 lbs. for 21c. Mixed Pickling Spice, 40c. quality. Only 30c. lb. Pickling Onions, Green and Red Peppers.

WINTER FURS AND COATS. Surely these days suggest yearly buying of winter wearables. You'll find here a complete line of Winter Coats and Furs at our usual low prices.

J. Goldman, 26 Wall St. Near Winter.

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TIMBER SALE. The lands which were advertised for sale on the 28th of September, 1918, and postponed, will now be held at the Crown Land Office, Fredericton, N. B., on Thursday, the 13th day of October, 1918, commencing at 12 o'clock noon.

L. L. Sharpe & Son. Jewelers and Opticians. 21 KING ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.

USE THE WANT AD WAY. Walter Gilbert.

PERSONALS

Miss Margaret Foley, Princess street, has arrived home after spending the last three weeks at the Maplehurst Hotel, Sussex.

Mrs. Minnie Johnston of Cambridge, Mass., accompanied by her niece, Miss Gertrude Conroy, after spending four weeks with her brother, Joseph Conroy, West Side, left by train for their home in Cambridge.

Mrs. W. C. Sinclair will receive for the first time on Tuesday, the 17th inst., at her residence, 197 Douglas avenue.

George Gregory of Mattapoiset, Mass., who was in the city on a visit to his niece, Mrs. Theodore Vallis, of 42 Metcalf street, and other relatives, has returned to his home.

Mrs. J. M. Young, of 42 Metcalf street, left last evening for Boston and Newport, R. I., where she will visit relatives.

Many friends will regret to hear that Winifred Waters, daughter of Edward Waters, of the Canadian Government Railway staff, is very ill at her home 46 Metcalf street.

Miss Edna Whelpley of Carter's Point left last evening on a visit to her sister Mrs. C. E. Fowler in Detroit.

CANT READ OR WRITE. Sussex Record.—If the military service act accomplished no other purpose, it has demonstrated pretty conclusively that for years past the educational system of this province left much to be desired.

The calling of young men to the colors brought to Camp Sussex scores of youths, from 20 to 22 years of age, who are unable to sign their names to their enlistment papers.

BUYS MILL IN WEST. Elwood Burt, who has conducted a mill and lumber business at Bart's Corner, has purchased a mill in the Columbia, where he has recently purchased a large mill, and will go into the manufacture of long lumber.

The mill is situated in the vicinity of the King Lumber Co., which is a New Brunswick company. The mill at Bart's Corner will continue under the management of Roy Burt. The company has recently secured permits calling for a season's cut of five million.

TO VISIT THE WEST. Col. T. G. Loggie, deputy minister of lands and mines, expects to leave soon on a trip to western Canada.

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L. L. Sharpe & Son. Jewelers and Opticians. 21 KING ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.

USE THE WANT AD WAY. Walter Gilbert.

LOCAL NEWS

WHERE ARE THE POLICE? We must have someone to guard our entrance, because of the crowds who are visiting our store to inspect our complete lines in ladies' and gents' suits, coats and dresses.—Brager's, 185-187 Union street.

CITIZENS PLEASE LEAVE BOOKS FOR LIBRARY FOR SOLDIERS. River Glade, at Calvin Hall today and tomorrow morning.

THE STRIKE-BREAKERS. We always consider the man who stands for right, success, and the merchant who has such a large and complete stock as we, should have your patronage. Brager's, 185-187 Union street.

SAVE MONEY. Buy your rifle and shot cartridges at the 2 Barkers, 100 Princess street.

WHO SAYS TIME? We have it for the man or woman who is honest and looking for credit. We shall be pleased to explain to you our way.—Brager's, 185-187 Union street.

Mrs. Isa Blaine wishes her customers and the general public to know that she is ready to resume her work of dress and mantle making at her old residence, 116 Metcalf street. Phone N. 3714-15.

THE 2 BARKERS, 100 PRINCESS STREET. Are telling shot cartridges and rifle cartridges much less than wholesale prices.

BAG DEPOSITORY HERE. A postal bag depository for the maritime provinces is to be established in St. John and will be in operation after September 25. All unused bags had to be returned to Montreal and all regulations will make for much prompter service and will save a great deal of transportation to the lower provinces and Montreal. A bag railway department will be operated in connection with the depository.

PROBATE COURT. In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth A. Leonard, letters of administration have been granted to Francis Patrick Leonard, Urban J. Swenney is executor.

South African Wool Crop. London, Sept. 12.—(Canadian Press dispatch from Reuters' Limited)—Reuters' correspondent at Durban cables: "The associated chambers of commerce of South Africa report that the union government is in open negotiations with the imperial government in an endeavor to secure the rights of the wool-growers for such portion of this season's wool crop as may be registered at a given date."

FREDERICK AND THE EXPRESS STRIKE. Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 13.—The Dominion Express Company has four messengers from Toronto, who arrived here on Wednesday and with their messengers, Frederick to St. John and Fredericton to Fredericton Junction. The Fredericton-News service still is without a messenger and the same is true of the service on the Gibson branch of the C. P. R.

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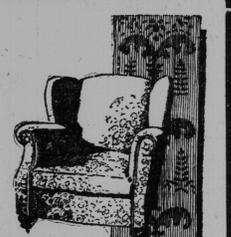
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A visit to MARCUS' is absolutely essential to your future homes, both from an artistic and economical point of view.

J. Marcus, 30 Dock St.

ARRESTED IN MONCTON ON CHARGE OF THEFT OF \$250

Moncton, N. B., Sept. 12.—Detective Kennedy of Halifax arrived here this morning to take back Joseph Bush, apprehended in Moncton on Thursday afternoon. The prisoner is wanted in Halifax on a charge of theft of about \$250. The police say he had in his possession \$187.75 and that he had taken the same by a motor vehicle to take him to Truro where he boarded the Ocean Limited.

RECOMMENDED AS NEW WEST SIDE POSTMASTER

Postmaster Sears has recommended to Ottawa the name of John Edward McKinley for appointment as postmaster in West St. John. To fill the vacancy Mr. McKinley, who is a son of James McKinley the appraiser of the customs house, is a returned soldier who was invalided home after being severely wounded in the battle of Somme. Before going overseas he had been engaged as chauffeur of the late Mr. Sears. He has been working at Westford.

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The delegation included John Kemp, president, and J. L. Sugrue, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council; J. A. Barry, solicitor for the men, and J. J. Sheehan, S. J. Spinary and N. M. Straight, representing the policemen's union.

Mr. Kemp explained that the delegation was present to lay before the council the action of the police authorities in dismissing the men who sought affiliation with the Trades and Labor Council. He regarded this as unnecessary and an infringement of the rights of the policemen. He hoped the council would be able to settle the matter, if not they would have to take it to the minister of labor.

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Train 123, leaving St. John 9.15 a. m. Train 125, leaving St. John 1.10 p. m. (Wednesday and Saturday only.) Train 129, leaving St. John 10.15 p. m. Train 134, arriving St. John 11.50 a. m. Train 136, arriving St. John 4.00 p. m. (Wednesday and Saturday only.) Train 138, arriving St. John 9.15 p. m. will be discontinued commencing Sept. 19. Last trip of all these trains on Sept. 18.

Train 127, leaving St. John 6.10 p. m., and train 130, arriving St. John 7.45 a. m., will be continued, if travel warrants, until general change of time, Sept. 29, on which date they will be cancelled.

TORONTO TELEGRAM CRITICIZES HOLDING OF INQUESTS ON AIR CADETS

Toronto, Sept. 12.—Reviewing the inquests into many deaths of Royal Air Force cadets from all parts of Canada in training camps here, the Telegram says editorially today: "The coroner's inquest in this district proved itself a waste of money, a waste of time and an agency that does more to blacken the memory of an ill-fated cadet than to brighten the jury's understanding of the true cause of that cadet's death."

N. B. CONTRIBUTION \$5,000

C. B. Allan, treasurer of the Canadian Red Cross, is sending today to headquarters, Toronto, the sum of \$5,000 which is New Brunswick's contribution to the France's Day appeal. It shows a very substantial increase over the contribution of last year.

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A Difference In Teeth

(C. Douglas Kissack in London Daily Mail)

One thing about the American soldiers and sailors must strike English people when they see these gallant fighters, and that is the soundness and general whiteness of their teeth.

It is all the more striking in that it is such a contrast to the teeth of the British people. The "Yank" was at one time laughed at for his hygienic theories, but most of us now realize that there is a great deal in them.

From childhood the "Yank" is taught to take care of his teeth. He has "tooth drill" thrice daily and visits his dentist at fixed periods, say, every three or four months. If by chance a tooth does decay, the rot is at once arrested by gold or platinum filling. American dentists rarely extract a tooth. No matter how badly decayed it may be, they save the molar by "crowning" it with gold.

The result of all this is that our United States cousins, besides adding to their appearance, gain in health by having good clean teeth, and when war came very few men were turned down by the American military authorities for having decayed teeth. So daily we see them, their faces tanned, smilingly exhibiting perfect sets of teeth. It is a distinctive mark of the American—as distinctive as his uniform or his slang.

Now take our own case. Daily you see young boys and girls with mouths full of decayed teeth. British parents have

neglected their children's teeth too long. Bad teeth hinder digestion, and indigestion is the curse of many a man's life. Mothers should see to it that their children use their tooth-brushes daily, after every meal if possible. Sweets will not decay teeth if the latter are thoroughly cleaned at frequent intervals. The first teeth will fall out themselves. It is with the second set that most care should be taken. Once these decay, then

ill-health and needless expense follow. The United States soldiers have set us a splendid example in this matter. They fairly shame the ordinary "Tommy" by the brilliance of their molars, but they will do so no longer if young English mothers will only wake up to the fact that bad teeth cause bad health and that doctors' and dentists' bills will be saved by the regular use of the tooth-brush.

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MADE SECOND ATTEMPT TO COMMIT SUICIDE. George Minette who, as reported in The Times last evening, attempted to commit suicide on Wednesday night by cutting his throat while a prisoner in

the county jail, made a similar attempt last night. On the second occasion he used the cover of a tin box as a weapon and succeeded in making a jagged cut in his throat. A doctor who was summoned reported that the prisoner's life was not in danger and dressed the wound. Minette is in jail awaiting sentence on a charge of criminal assault to which he had pleaded guilty.

SPECIALS. That Will Interest Every Housekeeper. BROWN'S GROCERY COMPANY. 443 Main Street Phone M. 710. 86 Beausata Street Phone M. 2666. 267 King Street, west Phone W. 166. 24 1/2 lbs. Quaker Flour, \$1.59. 24 lb. bag Purdy Flour, \$1.65. 3 lbs. Oatmeal, 25c. 3 lbs. Cornmeal, 25c. 1 lb. can Baking Powder, 25c. 2 lbs. Split Peas, 25c. 2 lbs. Rice, 25c. 3 lbs. Barley, 25c. 2 cans Vegetable Soup, 25c. 2 pkgs. Cornstarch, 25c. 36 Beausata Street Phone M. 2666. 267 King Street, west Phone W. 166. 24 1/2 lbs. Quaker Flour, \$1.59. 24 lb. bag Purdy Flour, \$1.65. 3 lbs. Oatmeal, 25c. 3 lbs. Cornmeal, 25c. 1 lb. can Baking Powder, 25c. 2 lbs. Split Peas, 25c. 2 lbs. Rice, 25c. 3 lbs. Barley, 25c. 2 cans Vegetable Soup, 25c. 2 pkgs. Cornstarch, 25c. 36 Beausata Street Phone M. 2666. 267 King Street, west Phone W. 166. 24 1/2 lbs. Quaker Flour, \$1.59. 24 lb. bag Purdy Flour, \$1.65. 3 lbs. Oatmeal, 25c. 3 lbs. Cornmeal, 25c. 1 lb. can Baking Powder, 25c. 2 lbs. Split Peas, 25c. 2 lbs. 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FOCH STRUCK YESTERDAY ON A PORTION OF THE WESTERN FRONT THAT HAS BEEN QUIET SINCE 1916. THE BLOW IS AIMED AT THE ST. MIHIEL SECTOR IN LORRAINE, AND IS SUCCESSFUL WOULD ENABLE THE ALLIES TO CONDUCT OPERATIONS AGAINST THE BRIEY IRON DISTRICT, WHICH HAS BEEN OF IMMENSE VALUE TO THE ENEMY.

TO THE AMERICANS HAS BEEN GIVEN THE HONOR OF STRIKING THIS BLOW, WITH THE COOPERATION OF THE FRENCH; AND GEN. PERSHING'S MEN ADVANCED FIVE MILES YESTERDAY, TOOK EIGHT THOUSAND PRISONERS, AND WERE STILL DRIVING BACK THE ENEMY TODAY.

MEANWHILE THE BRITISH IN THE NORTH ARE NOT IDLE. THE BRITISH CARRIED BY STORM YESTERDAY POSITIONS WHICH THE FORWARD DEFENCES OF THE HINDENBURG LINE AT HARTMANSRUDE AND TRESCAUT. THEY TOOK MANY PRISONERS.

THE KAISER HAS A PECULIAR FACULTY OF SAYING THE WRONG THING. IT MAY APPEAR TO HIM GOOD POLICY TO PAY COMPLIMENTS TO THE GERMAN PEOPLE, BUT TO BRAND THE ANGLI-SAXON RACE AS INFERIOR AND ENVIOUS WILL NOT HELP TO SHORTEN THE WAR, INDEED IT NERVES THE ANGLI-SAXON TO A MORE VIGOROUS PROSECUTION OF THE CAMPAIGN THAT HAS OF LATE PROVED SO DISASTROUS TO THE GERMAN ARMIES.

THE TROUBLE WITH THE KAISER IS THAT HE IS BEING FOUND OUT. THE THEORY THAT HE IS THE DIVINELY APPOINTED RULER OF A PEOPLE DESIGNED BY GOD TO LEAD THE WORLD IS BEING SHATTERED BY THE GUNS OF THE ALLIES. "ON WITH GOD FOR THE EMPEROR AND THE FATHERLAND" IS NOT AS GOOD A RALLYING CRY AS WHEN THERE SEEMED A PROSPECT OF UNLIMITED LOOT AT THE END OF THE KAISER'S JOURNEY.

THE NEW POLICY. Hon. E. A. Smith, minister of lands and mines, is making a bold experiment in regard to the 400 square miles of timber lands recently offered for lease to lumber operators.

ENOS FRUIT SALT. The Gentle Laxative. Image of a bottle.

La Tour Flour. Best A vitoba Government Standard Spring Wheat. Image of a flour barrel.

LIGHTER VEIN. Defining Politics. A politician who is a great walker was out enjoying his favorite recreation.

MONTREAL TO TAKE OVER RECRUITING FOR R. A. F. IN ST. JOHN. Montreal, Sept. 12.—With a view to centralizing their work in the eastern provinces, it has been arranged that the Montreal recruiting officers of the Royal Air Force, under Captain J. E. MacKay, R. C. vice-president of the Bar Society, the oath being administered in open court.

Y.W.P.A. HAS HAD VERY BUSY MONTH. Besides transacting a large amount of business in connection with its various patriotic enterprises, the Young Women's Patriotic Association had the pleasure of listening to a very interesting description of a western trip and a visit to Alaska by Miss Hazel Winter, one of the newer members of the Y. W. P. A., when it held its regular meeting last night.

Saturday Specials. Our leader for this week is a Ladies' Nut Brown High Out Boot with Neolin sole and rubber heel, all sizes, at... \$5.98.

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NEWCASTLE GIRL IS ADMITTED TO THE BAR IN HALIFAX. (Halifax Echo). The admission to the bar of Nova Scotia of the first lady lawyer in its history took place in the supreme court today.

How Much Longer Can Germany Fight?

We must beware of being too happy over the trouncing Germany is getting on the Western Front. Victory is coming, but the earlier we expect it the later it will arrive.

The New War Taxes Americans Must Pay To Win The War

An Explanation of the New U. S. Revenue Tax Bill, and How It Will Affect Every Man, Woman and Child in the Nation. Forging a New Hammer for Foch. Defeatism Growing in Germany.

"The Digest" Serves At Home and At the Front

A recent despatch from Canadian headquarters in France described the boys in the trenches as eager for news of the war, so much so that a dozen or more crowded together to read a single paper narrating the progress of the battles.

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We already have a choice selection of Colored Boots for ladies with high and low heels, and would advise your early inspection and purchase of these, as later in the season there will be a scarcity of them. Some of the shades we will be unable to get further deliveries of.

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To the Editor of The Times:

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As to the other queries, why barges cannot be brought to St. John and why cars are unnecessarily delayed in unloading; it is just as simple. It is because it does not suit the purpose of the parties interested, the government, the coal barons or the retailers, to import hard coal in barges or otherwise. They figure to import just enough for a certain class and to unload soft coal on the poor people.

Aside from the question of the balance of trade between the United States and Canada, it is an indisputable fact that the more coal that is consumed the more there will be mined; therefore the government will reap a larger revenue in royalties besides keeping the money in Canada and it does not require much discernment to see where the retailers will benefit by selling soft coal at hard coal prices.

I have great sympathy for the favored class that are getting robbed to the extent of \$2 a ton as it would pay their gasoline and oil bills, but I have far greater sympathy for the thousands that cannot get hard coal at any price.

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MINISTER OF LABOR IS TAKING A HAND.

That the minister of labor is doing everything in his power to prevent continuation of the Dominion Express Company's strike was the message received last evening from Hon. F. B. Carvell by John Kemp.

The teamsters held a meeting last evening and agreed not to haul a pound of goods for the company while the strike is on. They extended their entire sympathy towards the strikers.

Ask Intervention.

At a joint meeting of the city council and board of trade of Moncton, which was held last evening, a deputation was present from the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees requesting the board of trade and the council to ask the government for a board of conciliation to consider the dispute between the Dominion Express Company and its employees. A resolution was passed petitioning the prime minister and minister of labor to grant a board of conciliation.

YARMOUTH WEDDING OF INTEREST

Yarmouth, N. S., Sept. 13—A very interesting event took place at 7.30 o'clock yesterday morning in Wesley church, when Miss Hazel Keith, daughter of Mrs. Etta Ryder, was married to Wilbert Vought Hoyt, cable electrician in the W. U. offices at North Sydney, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Hoyt of that place. Rev. W. H. Langille, pastor of Wesley church, officiated, assisted by Rev. Dr. Bambrick, rector of Holy Trinity. The church was elaborately decorated in green and white. The bride was given in marriage by her mother and was very prettily gowned in a traveling suit of blue serge with large picture hat and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. Both bride and groom were unattended. Immediately after the service Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt, with their immediate relatives and young lady friends, returned to the home of the bride, where breakfast was served, after which they left by the D. A. R. express for a wedding trip to upper Canadian cities, returning to North Sydney, where they will reside.

Mrs. Hoyt for the last eight years has been an operator in the W. U. offices in various parts of the maritime provinces and by her kindly way has made many friends who will join in wishing her many years of happiness. There was a brilliant array of presents. Out of town guests were Chas. Hoyt, the groom's father, and Mrs. Catherine Fitzhugh of Weymouth.

SOCIAL SERVICE COUNCIL FORMED

At a meeting of the social service workers in Moncton yesterday, with Canon Stann presiding, it was decided to organize a local service council. Provisional officers were elected as follows: Rev. W. H. Bambrick, president; the various local pastors, Salvation Army officers, and Secretary MacWilliam of the Y. M. C. A., vice-presidents; Mrs. Capt. J. E. Marsters, treasurer; William Kingston, secretary.

SHAUGHNESSY EXPECTS WAR TO END WITHIN YEAR

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"G. A. G." chaplain with the Fifth Field Artillery, A. E. F., somewhere in France, in which the clergyman, who had been doing missionary work for ten years among the negroes in an Eastern city before he volunteered for service abroad, gives first-hand testimony of the worst savagery of the Hun. It is forwarded to the Review by Dr. Henry Harton Jacobs, of Newport, R. I. It speaks for itself, and it speaks volumes.

My Dear Dr. Jacobs: It is one of the joys of being over here to be freed from dependence upon the reports of commissions concerning the illness of the Boche, and get the facts first hand and then, when you get them, if you are a normal human being, they tear your soul, and your religion is expanded to the inclusion of a contempt and loathing for them that is beyond anything else you had before, or else you lose your religion. Fortunately, mine has not, and I am willing to add a clause of belief in the extinction of the Boche, and regard it as orthodox and as necessary for my soul's salvation as any other great truth of our religion. All that you have here in America about them does not approximate the truth.

There are little children right here in France with their little stumps of hands - there were some not far from my last camp, and young men with all the fingers of their right hand cut off. The City of Berlin girls into their front-line trenches, and tortured them until their screams made the Scotch and Canadians cry out that they would go over into the machine-gun nests which the Boche had set up, using the women's

screech as a decoy, and I have it on the word of a British officer that they have stood - the officers - with guns leveled at their men to keep them from going over when the women scream, and being needlessly slaughtered. I cannot tell you what the soldiers told me they found when they drove the hell hounds out of one of these positions - it is too awful to think about.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that under and by virtue of the power and authority contained in a certain Indenture of Leasehold Mortgage dated the thirtieth day of August A. D. 1909, and made between Charles E. Colwell, of the City of Saint John, in the Province of New Brunswick, Book-keeper, of the first part, and John Colwell, of the said Province, of the second part, and duly recorded in the office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the City and County of Saint John in Book 106, pages 168 to 171, No. 82887, default having been made in the payment of the said principal sum as well as the interest thereon, there will be sold at public auction, at Chubb's Corner, in the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John, and Province of New Brunswick, on Saturday, the fourteenth day of September next at twelve o'clock noon, the leasehold lands and premises particularly mentioned and specified in said Indenture of Mortgage as follows: - All that lot of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Saint John aforesaid and bounded as follows: Beginning on the eastern side of Adelaide Road at a point distant sixty-five feet eight inches southerly from the southern end of the railing of the Adelaide Road Bridge; running thence easterly at right angles to Adelaide Road until it strikes the old Adelaide Road; thence southerly along the same fifty-seven feet; thence westerly and parallel to first bounds to the Adelaide Road; thence northerly along the same fifty-two feet more or less to the place of beginning. Being the lot of land demised by Count Robert Visart deBury and Lucy Gertrude, his wife to one Thomas Brown, by Indenture of Leasehold Mortgage, the twenty-eighth day of November A. D. 1894, and duly recorded in the Office of the Registrar of Deeds in and for the City and County of Saint John in Book 85, page 67. Together with all the buildings and improvements thereon, for the purpose of realizing the principal money and interest secured by the said Leasehold Mortgage.

Dated this sixth day of August A. D. 1918.

JOHN COLWELL, Mortgagee.

J. STAR TAUT, Solicitor.

I also have it on the word of one of the greatest French abbots that the Boche were especially instructed to destroy convents and kill or outrage the nuns, and he says that all through France and Belgium are ruined convents, and that the nuns were given to the soldiers to be outraged in the camps. These are not isolated cases, nor abnormal conditions, which prevailed here and there where troops were drunk or without any moral restraint. Go along the French and British front, and the only conclusion you arrive at is that they are just the ground principles of Boche efficiency in action. I don't believe there is one of us here who would not be glad to be at home, but there is not one of us here, I believe, who does not want to see Boche-land devastated from one end to the other, with Berlin a blackened ruin, and all, before we come home. There is a French postcard which shows two tired, weary polus standing knee deep in the mud of the trenches.

Ordered to Destroy Convents.

The civilians. . . . We must get harder - the kind of hardness that our dear Lord showed when He set His face steadfastly toward Jerusalem. The kind of hardness He showed when He refused the stupefying drink as the Cross - the kind of hardness that saw clearly all the suffering ahead, and met it unflinchingly, yes, greeted it and grasped it as the very end and aim of life. And it is only when you in America are ready and eager to suffer - and to accept suffering as the source of strength and the inspiration and end of national life - then and then only can we have hope of winning the war and then and then only can we feel that America is ready to stand fast, to pay the cost, and be worthy of the victory. . . . I am billeted here in what is left of some building that was once home for some poor old souls, in the remnants of an old building next to me there is an old French woman - nearly ninety. She ought to have gone long ago, but she hangs on because it has been home, and there isn't anything left for her but memories.

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET. (J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members Montreal Stock Exchange.) New York, Sept. 13.

Table of stock market prices including Am Car & Fdy, X, Am Locomotive, Am Beet Sugar, etc.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS.

(J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members Montreal Stock Exchange.) Montreal, Sept. 13.

Table of Montreal stock transactions including Bank of Montreal, Merchants Bank, etc.

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DR. JAMES CHRISTIE GOES TO BROOKLINE TO LIVE

Many friends will regret the departure from the city of Dr. James Christie, who went last week to reside with his daughter, Mrs. K. Bostwick, in Brookline, Mass. He had a long and extensive practice here and many will miss him from his home in Wellington Row. His friends will hope that he may enjoy his usual good health for many years where he has gone to live.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for Alterations and Additions, Power Plant, St. John County Hospital," will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Friday, September 20, 1918, for the alterations and additions to power plant, St. John County Hospital, St. John, N. B.

Plans and specifications can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Chief Architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and of the Superintendent of Dominion Buildings, St. John, N. B.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the forms supplied by the Department and in accordance with the conditions set forth therein.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted cheque on a chartered bank payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to 10 per cent of the amount of the tender. War Loan Bonds of the Dominion will also be accepted as security, or war bonds and cheques if required to make up an odd amount.

By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, September 6, 1918. 9-18

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned, and endorsed "Tender for New Extension, Post Office, St. John, N. B.," will be received until 12 o'clock noon, Friday, September 20, 1918, for the construction of New Extension at Rear of Post Office for Mail Delivery, St. John, N. B.

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By order, R. C. DESROCHERS, Secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa, September 10, 1918. 9-18

NOTICE TO MARINERS

Notice is hereby given that the light on the buoy to the eastward of Partridge Island is reported not burning. Will be re-lighted as soon as possible. J. C. CHESLEY, Agent, Marine and Fisheries Dept. 9-17.

POOR DOCUMENT

MC 2035

THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1918

DEBS FOUND GUILTY ON THREE OF CHARGES

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 13.—Eugene V. Debs, charged with violating the Espionage Act, was found guilty by a federal jury today.

Talking to newspapermen after the verdict, Debs said: "It is all right. I have no complaint to make. It will come out all right in God's good time."

Of the original ten counts of the indictment, but four remained when the jury retired to consider the evidence. The verdict found him guilty of three, and not guilty of one. He was found guilty of attempting to incite insubordination, disloyalty, etc., in the military and naval forces; attempting to obstruct recruiting and uttering language tending to incite, provoke and encourage resistance to the United States, and to promote the cause of the enemy. The one on which he was adjudged innocent charged that he opposed the cause of the United States.

Judge's Charge Falls.

Counsel for both sides said that they



considered Judge Westenhaver's instructions fair. They were exhaustive and couched in simple language and delivered in a kindly manner, required one and a half hours.

ANOTHER N. B. UNIT AT THE FRONT

The legitimate grievance of New Brunswick that the number of the troops contributed by that province were not adequately represented by distinctively New Brunswick units in the field, because its drafts largely went to reinforcing western battalions, is now in process of redress, as a battalion hitherto recognized as Manitoban though with a preponderance of "Blue Nooses" is now set aside for that province. All New Brunswick drafts will go there and in process of time the Manitoba members will be drafted out into other Manitoba battalions.

Join the Great Outdoor Crowd

—be one of the legion who enjoy the freedom of Canada's silent forests and open places. Even a single day out for ducks will give you a taste of life as Nature intended you to live. And

Dominion Shotgun Shells

will make the pleasure of that day complete. Leave the nerve-racking life of city or town—shoulder the gun and hike for the place where the ducks are in flight.

Slip Dominion Shells into the breach of the old gun and watch 'em drop.

Dominion Shells have accuracy and dependability that is backed by the big "D" trademark.

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The United States Government has conscripted the entire output of our U.S. factories in order to supply the "Yanks" with AutoStrop Razors as part of their regular equipment.

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SINCE that time millions of fat, chubby legs and dimply bodies have rejoiced in showers of Mennen's.

When does a baby outgrow Talcum? Never! For the adult skin enjoys the comfort of a silky Talcum just as much as a baby does.

After your bath a sitting of Mennen's over your whole body keeps you cool and refreshed for hours.

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There's a variety to satisfy every personal choice.

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For the more serious skin troubles here's the new Mennen **KORA-KONIA**

Somewhat similar to Talcum but contains in addition several medicinal ingredients to heal chafing and soreness quickly.

Here's the Complete Mennen Line:

Shaving Cream	Violet Talcum	Cold Cream
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The Clarton Call HELP!

THERE is a call reaching Canada NOW. It comes from the bloody fields of France; from the lips of our loved ones "Over There." It is to YOU—to every big-hearted, loyal Canadian in every rank of our great Nation.

The pick of our man-hood, the pride of our hearts, are NOW, this minute, enduring all the anguish of a man-made hell. They are wounded, bleeding, dying that YOU might live. They have fought, suffered, given all, feeling that every heart they left behind would gladly come to their rescue to comfort and relieve the agonies of their illustrious sacrifice.

We are carrying to you, from out the awful abyss of battle, their plea for YOUR support, YOUR encouragement, YOUR assistance. By circulars, by announcements, by personal solicitations during the week of September 15th to 23rd, we are bringing to you their appeal for help which they so badly need. We know that YOUR response will be fully worthy of the loyal hearts for whom our heroes fight.

September 15th to 23rd

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

Dominion Wide Army Hut Appeal

Canadian Headquarters, 95 Laurier Ave., West, Ottawa, Ont.

The CALL

"We have rallied around the flag with complete fullness of devotion, with loyal hearts and sturdy arms, ready to place all that we have and all that we are at the service of our Country. WILL YOU help us carry on the work?"

THAT IS THE CALL FROM THE OVERSEAS WORKERS

All Soldiers Welcome

Most everybody is familiar with McCormick's Jersey Cream Sodas—wholesome and economical.

But have you tasted McCormick's Rich Butter Biscuit with its special English flavoring?

Or McCormick's Maple Leaf with the real Maple Syrup flavor?

Try them—you'll find them delicious.

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U. S. TROOPS GAIN GROUND IN FAMOUS ST. MIEHEL SALIENT

New York, Sept. 12.—The Associated Press tonight issues the following: The American First Army under command of General Pershing is in motion against the Germans on a twenty-mile front on the famous St. Mihiel salient in Lorraine, which had stood a sharp wedge in the French line southeast of Verdun since the commencement of the war.
In the preliminary thrust ground was gained on both sides of the triangle and at St. Mihiel and at last accounts the Americans with some French troops are brigaded, were fast sweeping across the salient in an effort to close the mouth of the big pocket before the German can get out.
Although the advance of the Americans was swift and sure and gains in excess of four miles on the southern side of the battle area were made, the cavalry far outstripped the tanks and footmen operating along the railroad near Vignelles, almost in the center of the salient and northeast of St. Mihiel and also northwest of Fort-A-Housson, through the forest and along the railway line running northward to Metz, the great German fortress, the southern outer fortifications of which are less than ten miles distant.

Thiancourt, Boulliville, Panes and several other towns in the south were captured in the initial dash. The fighting front at the commencement of the battle aggregated twenty miles. Eight miles on the western side and twelve miles on the southern side. The fighting proceeded by an extremely heavy artillery bombardment, and the troops and tanks advanced under barrage which was carried out with mathematical precision.
From the maps it would seem almost possible for the Germans to evacuate his salient, as they apparently are trying to do, although they are offering resistance with machine guns and artillery, suffering huge losses with men and material.

In the north Field Marshal Haig is still hard after the Germans in the region of Cambrai where he has advanced his front, penetrating into the old British front line, across the Canal du Nord north of Havrincourt, taking Havrincourt and another section of the Hindenburg line and thousands of German soldiers to the British prisoner cages in the rear. The Germans fought hard at Havrincourt to stay the British but their counter-attacks were beaten off.
Further advances for the British also are reported in the region south of La Bassée Canal and northwest of Arras.

JOHN MITCHEL'S BURNING WORDS

Quoted in the Recruiting Campaign in Ireland—A Scathing Indictment

The following is one of the appeals recently issued in Dublin to encourage recruiting among the Irish people:
An Irish Rebel's Opinion:
Almost in the spirit of prophecy John Mitchel wrote:
"No family of professional burglars, burglar father training up the burglar son—has ever been so unreluctantly bent upon living on the plunder of others, and coming by that plunder through all possible and conceivable means, and without regard to the blood of the innocent." The Prussian policy is to prepare very actively in secret for some unjustifiable aggression to effect friendship with the last moment, to employ military and engineering spies on an immense scale, thereby preparing for the customary spring of Prussia.
We are either for the rights and privileges of mankind or else for the pretensions of an insolent monarchy, and aristocracy which pretend to ignore and deny all human rights whatsoever. The Prussians have no notion of any kind of rights of constitution."
John Mitchel's grandson has just died in the service of the aviation corps of the United States. When he was mayor of New York he had the city decorated with the French and British flags and declared, acting faithfully on the principles of his grandfather, that for the freedom of the world the Prussians must be defeated.

Kink in the Back

You bend over and can scarcely get straightened up again. This comes on you so suddenly you can't understand it.
That is lumbago. Like backache and rheumatism, it is the result of poisons in the blood. The kidneys are deranged, and the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney Pills will soon set them right. The pains and aches will disappear with the poisons when the kidneys do their work properly.

HOW A YOUNG GIRL SUFFERED

And Was Restored to Health By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—Told By Her Mother.

Brooklyn, N. Y.—"I cannot praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound enough for what it has done for my daughter. She was 17 years of age, very sickly and pale and she had to stay home from school most of the time. She suffered agonies from backache and side aching so I didn't know what to do. I read the papers about your wonderful medicine so I made up my mind to try it. She has taken five bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and doesn't complain any more of her back and side aching. She has gained weight and feels much better. I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to all mothers and daughters."—Mrs. M. FROBER, 515 Mary Ave., Brooklyn, N. Y.
For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

Chief Engineer James Clark of the government steamer Lansdowne died on Wednesday evening in the Marine Hospital in Sydney from heart trouble. He was son of the late Captain John Clark and a brother of the late Captain Thomas Clark, both of this city. He is also survived by his wife, Alice, and two sisters, Mrs. P. McDonald and Mrs. D. J. O'Neil of St. John; one son, Walter, and a daughter, Cora, also of this city. The body will be brought here for burial. Many friends will be sorry to learn of Mr. Clark's death.

Mrs. Archibald S. Mitchell died at her home in Halifax yesterday afternoon. She was a daughter of Hon. W. B. Vail and is survived by her husband and three children.
Martin M. Erb, of Hampton, passed away on Monday after a three weeks

PUT CANADIANS IN TIGHT CORNER AND THEY STICK

Bishop Richardson Quotes Words of British Officer

BIG MEETING IN TORONTO

His Lordship Speaks of the Church and the War—Says Spirit of Materialism Has Gripped Religious Life

Toronto, Sept. 10.—Between 3,000 and 4,000 persons attended a meeting last night in connection with the Anglican synod under the auspices of the laymen's missionary movement, to hear Right Rev. J. N. McCormick, D. D., Bishop of Western Michigan, and Right Rev. Bishop Richardson of Fredericton. They were welcomed briefly by Mr. Justice Hodgins of Toronto and Archbishop Worrell of Nova Scotia.
Bishop Richardson declared that the Canadian troops had made the name of Canada synonymous with strength, steadfastness and courage. A high British officer had said to him, "Put those chapmen in a tight corner, and they stick." "That is the characteristic of the Allies," added the bishop, "they stick."
There was nothing in the old country today the Canadian soldier could not have for the asking.
Speaking of the moral conduct of the troops, he declared that while in England and France, he had seen only one case of a man showing signs of intoxication, and General Currie had told him in three years not a single Canadian soldier had been charged with a crime against a woman.

THE TIME HAS COME

When people cannot afford to accept anything but the very best for their money, Zam-Buk has been proved by thousands to be the best obtainable for skin ailments. You take no chances when you buy Zam-Buk. Only the really good things are imitated! Proof of Zam-Buk's superiority is provided by the great number of imitations and substitutes which have been put on the market. Don't be deceived, however, by anything represented as "just as good." There is nothing "just as good" as Zam-Buk. All druggists, 50c. box, \$ for \$1.25, or direct from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. Send 10c stamp for postage on free trial box.

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Two very fine pictures have recently come to the New Brunswick Tourist Association and have been much admired. One is a picture of the province, beautifully colored and handsomely mounted and showing the valley of the St. John river and the celebrated salmon rivers of the province. The other is a splendid picture of the province of Newfoundland, in a soft brown tint and artistically framed. The pictures were presented to the tourist association by the C. G. R. and are from the studios of Notman & Son and executed with that firm's good style and finish.

illness. He was forty-four years of age and is survived by his wife, three brothers, one half-brother and one sister.

Mrs. Lydia Tingley of Hopewell Hill died on Monday at the advanced age of eighty-five years. She is survived by one son and one daughter.

Miss Beulah Marr, formerly of Norton, was killed by a car on Wednesday. She was practicing her profession as a nurse when the accident happened. She is survived by her father, five brothers and three sisters.

John C. Parent died at his home in Queensbury on Wednesday at the advanced age of eighty-four years. He is survived by one daughter and two sons.

Rheumatism

A Home Cure Given By One Who Had It

In the spring of 1898 I was attacked by Muscular and Inflammatory Rheumatism. I suffered as only those who have it know that, for over three years. I tried remedially after remedy, and doctor after doctor, but such relief as I received was only temporary. Finally, I found a remedy that cured me completely, and it has never returned. I have given it to a number who were terribly afflicted, and even bedridden with Rheumatism, and it effected a cure in every case.
I want every sufferer from any form of rheumatic trouble to try this marvelous healing power. Don't send a cent; simply mail your name and address and you will send it free to try. After you have used it and it has proven itself to be that long-looked-for means of curing your rheumatism, you may send your price of it, one dollar, but understand, I do not want your money unless you are perfectly satisfied to send it. Isn't that fair? Why suffer any longer when positive relief is thus offered you free? Don't delay. Write today.
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Lives Given In Country's Cause

The names of four New Brunswick men appear in the midnight casualty list. They are as follows: Wounded—Alec-Thomas E. P. J. Travis, St. John's; C. G. Gillis, Fairville; A. L. Hoffman, Woodstock; G. J. L. Parker, Campbellton.

Mrs. Robert W. Jeffrey, of private Frederick Sullivan, has died of wounds.

Mrs. Martin Doyle, 54 Brook street, has received word that her brother, Private Daniel Astley, had died of wounds.

Another brother, Private Albert Astley, was killed at Vimy Ridge.

Major F. L. Buchanan, of the pension board, spent yesterday in the city in connection with the work of the pension office, under Lieut.-Colonel A. J. Markham. Major Buchanan paid a tribute to the work of the pension office.

A SIDE SHOW MAN.
Some time ago a fire occurred in a house in Ballinroy, and the staircase was in flames before the blaze was seen. The man who was in the house at the time of the fire, was seen to descend the stairs by means of a rope. Next day the companion to an elderly lady was reported to her the newspaper report of his son, who stated that the man had been seen to descend the stairs by means of a rope.

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HIS VISIT IN FRENCH CANADA

Francois Veulliet's Letter to Committee in Paris—Problem of War Participation Settled

La Verite is the one French paper to reproduce Francois Veulliet's letter to his committee in Paris on his Canadian wanderings. That paper declares that the reproduction is only as a document. The French clerical exponent thanks the Canadian Canadian, the Archbishop of Montreal, and all the religious orders and communities visited for their great kindness and he says: "In Canada I discovered a French and Catholic people, and by this fact alone is one of the clearest evidences of the designs of Providence on our race. But the people will ask, and in fact I posed the question myself, whether they or their successors will be the responsible of the future of the country. I hope for the future of the country. In order, however, to discuss this matter right up to the end the responsibilities of both camps must be considered. Amongst the French who represent most bitterly our Canadian brothers with a lovelessness towards the old mother-land I notice those of very advanced ideas in an ecclesiastical policy and that of before the war. Do they really and sincerely believe that such a line of conduct was proper to ex-press the sympathies of a people profoundly attached to its priests and to the religion? In conclusion, says Monsieus Veulliet, the French-Canadians do not merit the reproaches with which certain people seek to cover them. If their voluntary participation in the war has been less than we would have wished, first, it was much more serious than we were led to expect. Neither could they expect any greater success in reviving the old campaign against which every Frenchman should protest with energy. The loyalty of the French-Canadians to the British crown cannot be contested, yet no less a fact is their unreluctant towards the English people. This is a point, fact, yet it is true all the same. I am with all my heart and soul with those

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SOCIAL REFORMS NEEDED HERE

At the meeting of the Children's Aid Society, last night, the president, A. M. Belding, spoke of social reforms which are greatly needed at the present time. He based his conclusions on revelations made in the report of the society's agent, Rev. George Scott, in cases he had dealt with during the past month. Among these the most pressing need was a vigorously enforced compulsory school law for the county of St. John and the province generally. Another is an institution for the care of the feeble minded. A third is the need of some system of mothers' pensions. This last was emphasized by two cases now being dealt with by the society, in which widows have been left with large families without adequate means to support them. In both instances the homes had to be broken up and the children placed in institutions. Another matter, he pointed out, was the need of a provincial institution where fathers who are recalcitrant in the duty of supporting their families could be placed and compelled to work, and where delinquent women could be given an opportunity of redeeming themselves and at the same time earn their living. Another matter touched upon by Mr. Belding was the recent refusal of the senate to change the age of consent from fourteen to sixteen years. He advocated a continued agitation with the object of

having the senators reconsider their decision.

A hearty vote of thanks was passed by the board to Mrs. J. W. Smith for her kindness in entertaining the children in the shelter, accompanied by the matrons, Mrs. Festina, and her assistant, Miss Pools, at her summer home in Hillendale. The party left the city in automobiles, kindly provided by Mrs. Smith, E. R. Machum and Frank L. Peters. The day was a most enjoyable one.

SOVEREIGN GRAND PRIORY IN ST. JOHN NEXT YEAR

Bellefleur, Ont., Sept. 12.—The next annual session of the Sovereign Grand Priory of Canada will be held at St. John (N. B.). This was the decision reached at the closing session today of the thirty-fifth annual session.

The following officers were elected: Grand marshal, James A. Norris, Toronto; grand registrar, Dr. W. H. Wright, Toronto; grand provincial prior (Eastern Canada), Quebec district, A. T. Cooper, Quebec City; Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island, J. L. Alexander, New Glasgow; New Brunswick district, A. M. Rowan, St. John. Grand councilors, H. A. Porter, St. John (N. B.); A. H. E. Eckhardt, Montreal.

Hon. W. E. Foster's many friends throughout the province will regret to learn that he is at present indisposed owing to the fact that he is suffering from an ulcerated jaw. The indisposition is, happily, not serious and the premier expects to be about again in a day or so.

BALLY TO ARMY HUTS

Lieutenant-Governor Pugsley Commends Object of Next Week's Campaign to the People of New Brunswick.

St. John, N. B., Sept. 12, 1918.

To the People of New Brunswick: My attention having been called to the campaign which has been launched in this province by the Knights of Columbus for the purpose of erecting Army Huts, I deem it my duty to urge upon you as strongly as possible the desirability of giving a generous response to this appeal, which is for a most patriotic and praiseworthy object.

The campaign will close on Monday, the 23rd instant, and it is hoped that at least \$75,000 will be raised in this province.

The Knights of Columbus in the United States have proved most helpful to our great ally in this war, and their splendid work has elicited strong approval from President Wilson and members of his cabinet.

Other provinces are responding nobly to the call now being made, and I am confident that in proportion to its population and wealth, New Brunswick will not be behind the others.

I am, yours faithfully,
WILLIAM PUGSLEY,
Lieutenant-Governor.

E. N. STOCKFORD NATIONAL CHIEF

A session of National Grand Lodge, I. O. G. T., was held last evening in Thorne Lodge Hall, N. C. T., William Davis, of Montreal, presiding. Routine business occupied the most of the session, reports being received and committees being appointed. The work throughout the whole jurisdiction, the dominion, was reviewed and presented a good condition considering the general depression in organized work.

Plans were laid for greater efforts in the immediate future and from the enthusiasm shown prospects look bright for a renewed usefulness in the social advancement that the order stands for. The following officers were installed:

- National C. T.—E. N. Stockford, St. John.
- N. Co.—D. C. Fish, St. John.
- N. S. J. W.—J. A. Simpson, Amherst.
- N. V. T.—Mrs. B. L. Kirkpatrick, St. John.
- N. Secretary—William Davis, Montreal.
- N. E. S.—J. H. Roberts, Montreal.
- Chap.—A. E. M. Lawson, Fredericton.
- N. S. T. E.—D. S. Wilkinson, Montreal.
- N. Mar.—A. D. Shaw, Charlottetown.
- N. D. M.—Miss Florence Johnson, St. John.
- N. A. Secy.—Mrs. W. Davis, Montreal.
- N. P. C. T.—Rev. Thomas Marshall, Fairville.
- N. Treas.—P. W. Robertson, Edmonston (Alta.).
- N. G.—Thomas Browne, St. John.
- N. S.—J. E. Mitton, Moncton.
- N. Mess.—Bruce Wood, St. John.

NEW I. O. O. E. CHAPTER

The Imperial Daughters of the Empire in the city added one more to their chapters on Wednesday evening when the Junior Flanders' Field Chapter was formed at the residence of Miss E. Newcombe in West St. John. The chapter has chosen a striking motto, "Keep Faith," and plans to hold meetings every first and third Tuesday in the month and at those meetings it hopes to accomplish great things. The executive which will govern the new chapter is as follows: Regent, Miss Gertrude Lawson; first vice-president, Miss Eva Newcombe; second vice-president, Miss Marion Smith; secretary, Miss Constance Coster; treasurer, Miss Florence Ord; Educational and Echoes, Miss Beatrice Cameron; standard bearer, Miss Irene Duval.

Y. M. C. A. TO GET \$400,000.

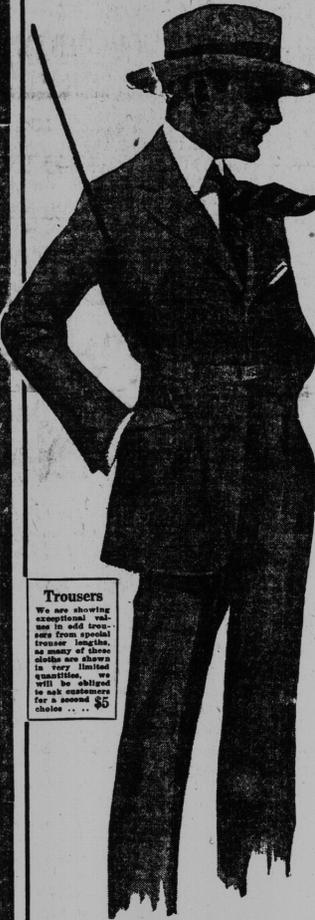
Surrogate Orders Payment of Part of Butterfield Legacy.

Cold Spring Harbor, N. Y., Sept. 12.—Surrogate J. B. Southard of Putnam county has filed an order directing the executors of the estate of Julia Butterfield of Cold Spring, widow of General Butterfield, to turn \$400,000 over to the international committee of the Y. M. C. A., the residuary legatee.

The organization, which has been trying for five years to collect its legacy, says that it needs the money to carry on war relief work. The estate has been in litigation since the death of Mrs. Butterfield.

The order directs that \$100,000 in cash be turned over to the Y. M. C. A., and the rest in mortgages.

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The fabrics we are showing now were made for us back in 1915 and 1916, and the fact that while the market value of our stocks of woollens have advanced 50% to 100% we have not taken advantage of the fact, but have preferred to increase our circle of customers by offering a Made-to-Measure Suit or Overcoat at \$17, a value that cannot be duplicated elsewhere at double our price.

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NOTICE TO UNITED STATES CITIZENS IN CANADA.

By the United States Military Service Convention Regulations, approved by the Governor-in-Council on 20th August, 1918, MALE CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES IN CANADA, WITHIN THE AGES for the time being SPECIFIED BY THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES prescribing compulsory military service, except those who have diplomatic exemption, ARE MADE SUBJECT AND LIABLE TO MILITARY SERVICE IN CANADA, AND BECOME ENTITLED TO EXEMPTION OR DISCHARGE THEREFROM, UNDER THE CANADIAN LAWS AND REGULATIONS. The regulations governing this liability are published in the Canada Gazette (Extra) of 21st August, 1918; copy whereof may be obtained upon application through the post to the Director of the Military Service Branch of the Department of Justice at Ottawa.

UNITED STATES CITIZENS of the description aforesaid who were IN CANADA ON 30th JULY, 1918, HAVE SIXTY DAYS FROM THAT DATE within which TO EXERCISE AN OPTION TO ENLIST or enroll IN THE FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES, OR TO RETURN to the United States; and THOSE WHO for any reason SUBSEQUENTLY BECOME LIABLE TO MILITARY SERVICE IN CANADA HAVE THIRTY DAYS FROM THE DATE of the accruing OF SUCH LIABILITY within which to exercise the like option. It is stipulated by the Convention also that certificates of diplomatic exemption may be granted within the optional periods aforesaid. EVERY CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES TO WHOM THE REGULATIONS APPLY is required to REPORT TO THE REGISTRAR under the Military Service Act, 1917, FOR THE province or DISTRICT WITHIN WHICH he is, in the manner by the regulations prescribed, WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE EXPIRY OF HIS OPTIONAL PERIOD and will be SUBJECT TO PENALTIES IF without reasonable excuse HE FAIL SO TO REPORT. For the information of those whom it may concern Sections 3 and 4 defining the requirements of registration, with which it will be necessary strictly to comply, are set out substantially as follows:—

REGULATIONS

3. EVERY MALE CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES WITHIN THE AGES for the time being SPECIFIED IN THE LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES prescribing compulsory military service, not including those who have diplomatic exemption, WITHIN TEN DAYS AFTER THE EXPIRY OF THE TIME LIMITED BY THE CONVENTION within which the Government of the United States may issue him a certificate of diplomatic exemption, SHALL TRULY REPORT TO THE REGISTRAR BY REGISTERED POST, and in writing which is plainly legible, his name in full, his occupation and the date of his birth; stating also whether he is single, married or a widower; and if the latter, whether he has a child living; also if married, the date of his marriage; and stating moreover his place of residence and usual post office address in Canada; and, if he reside within a city or place where the streets and dwellings are named and numbered, the name and number of his street and dwelling; or if he reside in another place, the lot and concession number, section, township, range, and meridian, or other definite description whereby his place of residence may be located, having regard to the custom of the locality in which he lives; and IF WITHOUT REASONABLE EXCUSE HE NEGLECT OR FAIL TO

REPORT IN THE MANNER and with the particulars aforesaid within the time limited as aforesaid, HE SHALL BE GUILTY OF AN OFFENCE, AND SHALL BE LIABLE UPON SUMMARY CONVICTION to a penalty not EXCEEDING FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, AND TO IMPRISONMENT for any term not exceeding six months, and moreover he shall incur A PENALTY OF \$10.00 FOR EACH DAY after the time when or within which he should have registered during which he shall continue to be unregistered.

4. EVERY UNITED STATES CITIZEN WHO HAS DIPLOMATIC EXEMPTION, although not otherwise subject to these regulations SHALL WITHIN TEN DAYS after the granting of the same TRULY REPORT TO THE REGISTRAR, in like manner and with the same particulars as required by the last preceding section; and in addition he shall embody in his report a true and complete statement of the particulars of his certificate of diplomatic exemption. NEGLECT OR FAILURE without reasonable excuse to comply with the requirements of this section SHALL CONSTITUTE AN OFFENCE PUNISHABLE IN THE MANNER AND BY THE PENALTIES provided in the last preceding section.

ISSUED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, MILITARY SERVICE BRANCH.

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NEWS OF THE DAY; HOME AND ABROAD BALL South End League. Franklins defeated the Buffaloes...

THE STAR TODAY WM. S. HART In a Rousing Western Drama "Horns and Hoofs" Two Thrilling Reels

LOCAL NEWS Temple Band left this morning St. Stephen where it will render its services at the St. Stephen exhibition...

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FIELD COMFORTS FAIR ere was a very large attendance at the Field Comforts Fair in the curling rink...

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LOCAL NEWS

NOVELTY SHOWER.
A novelty shower was tendered Miss Willie Smith at her home, 179 Douglas avenue on Wednesday evening. A very pleasant evening was spent in music and dancing after which refreshments were served.

LINEN SHOWER.
A linen shower was tendered Miss Helen Rodday last night at the home of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Rodday, 179 Douglas avenue, in honor of an interesting evening which will take place soon. The evening was spent in games and dancing. The presents were numerous. Luncheon was served and the gathering dispersed with best wishes for the bride-to-be.

MRS. GEORGE WILLS.
Friends in St. John and elsewhere will be sorry to learn of the death of Mrs. Edna J. Wills, wife of George Wills, which occurred at three o'clock this morning at her home in Golden Grove. Beside her husband she leaves five daughters, Mrs. Harry Gale of Millford and Mrs. John Dillon, Mrs. N. Harr, Mrs. C. F. F. in France, has enlisted and been accepted for the Canadian Siberian force.

TO HELP THE KNIGHTS.
At the regular meeting of the A. O. H. Division, No. 1, held last evening, Vice-President Stanton in the chair, a resolution was passed to render all possible assistance, individually and collectively, to the Knights of Columbus in next week's drive for Catholic army hats. The chairman gave an interesting address on a recent visit he made to St. Anne de Beaupre and other Catholic religious institutions in Montreal and Quebec.

GELDART-MCMANUS.
A pretty wedding took place in St. John's Episcopal church, Highfield, on Wednesday, Sept. 11, when Miss Ada S. McManus, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McManus, became the bride of Pte. H. D. Geldart of St. John. The bride entered the church with her father. She was attended by her sister, Miss Eva McManus. The groom was supported by Charles Myers. The marriage was solemnized by Rev. C. A. S. Warford. The ushers were Pte. Walter Pearson and Stewart McManus, brother of the bride. The church was tastefully decorated, the bridal party standing beneath a canopy of flags. After the service a reception was held at the bride's home. The bride looked very wise in her wedding gown of white crepe de chine with veil and orange blossoms and carried a bouquet of white sweet peas and maiden hair fern. The bridesmaid's dress was of pale blue crepe de chine and she carried a bouquet of pale pink asters and maiden hair fern. Many beautiful gifts were received.

MEMBERS SERVED AT THE FRONT UNTIL 1916 UNTIL HE RECEIVED WOUNDS WHICH PREVENTED HIM BEING INVOLVED HOME. HE HAD BEEN WOUNDED PREVIOUSLY BUT HAD RECOVERED AND RETURNED TO THE FRONT. HE NOW IS WEARING TWO WOUND STRIPS.

EXTENSION OF THE STRIKE TALKED OF

Rumor of Canadian C. E. Employees Going Out This Afternoon—Supt. Branscombe Arrives

Additional interest was aroused today in the strike of the Dominion Express Company's employees as rumors were current about the city that the employees of the Canadian Express had decided to go out at three o'clock this afternoon. The employees of the company, when interviewed by a Times reporter, said that they were in sympathy with the employees of the Dominion Express and were ready to quit work so soon as notified by him in charge. Up to noon today they had not received any word that they were to go out this afternoon.

There was also a report that on Monday, if the strike was not settled satisfactorily by that time, the Brotherhood of Railway Employees would go out. This would mean a tie-up of the Canadian Government Railway in addition to many other organizations affiliated with the brotherhood.

At noon today the employees of the Dominion Express Company who are on strike assembled at Union Station and watched the incoming train. There was no demonstration of any kind. F. W. Branscombe, superintendent of the Dominion Express for Atlantic Division, arrived in the city on the Montreal train. When he stepped off the train he walked down as far as the express car and stood talking to some friends. To a Times reporter he said that he was here in connection with the strike and expected to remain in the city for some days. He said that the sea of trouble had shifted from Montreal to St. John, and that was the reason why he came here. He said that the company was getting along very well despite the handicap caused by the strike. He said that in Montreal the situation was well in hand and yesterday the company had forty-five trains in the streets. He said that only a small percentage of employees were on strike and he intimated that the company would fight the issue to the last. G. D. Gibbs, president of the local branch, said that he received a telegram from Montreal this morning informing him that the entire system was still tied up and that all of the members of the union were standing out firm. He said he received similar messages from all parts of the country which their union covered. He also received the following telegram from R. L. Borden: "Canadian Brotherhood Railway Employees:—Your telegram of the eleventh received. Notwithstanding your statement I am still informed that a board of conciliation was not unconditionally refused. Such a board may still be established if asked for, showing to represent majority employees."

BELIEVES FORMER EMPRESS AND HER DAUGHTERS DEAD
London, Sept. 12—The Daily Telegraph says that, although the report of the death of the former Empress of Russia and her daughters is not confirmed officially and details are lacking, there is no doubt it is true.

THROUGH WAR WITH 26TH; NOW FOR SIBERIA

Stanley E. Adams Adds To Great Family Record

Two Brothers Killed, Another Loses Leg and Himself Twice Wounded While With Gallant N. B. Battalion

Stanley E. Adams of this city, after serving with the C. E. F. in France, has enlisted and been accepted for the Canadian Siberian force.



PTE. STANLEY E. ADAMS.

Two of Private Adams' brothers have been killed in action at the front. Private Jerome Adams, who went over with the Scottish Black Watch battalion from Montreal, met death in the last battle of Vimy Ridge. Pte. G. B. Adams, who went over with the 140th, was killed at the same place twelve days earlier while serving with the Princess Pats to which battalion he had been transferred. A fourth brother, Phillip, who enlisted with the 118th, received injuries at the front which involved the loss of one of his legs. He now is in Toronto to have an artificial limb fitted.

ROADS LITTERED WITH WAR MATERIAL LEFT BY FLEEING GERMANS

President Poincare Pays Visit to Ground Won Back From the Enemy

Paris, Sept. 12—President Poincare has paid a visit to the front to observe the condition of the troops in the zone newly liberated and particularly those regions where the enemy carried out systematic destruction before retreating. Accompanied by General Foch and General Humbert he inspected Chauny, Noyon, Nesle, Guise and Ham.

LIQUOR CASES

George Curran was before the police magistrate this morning on a charge of supplying liquor to John Lane on July 15. Curran pleaded guilty and was fined \$200. He said that he was given a suit case by a man to be delivered at the home of Lane. He did as he was asked. The suit case, it turned out, had in it nine bottles of liquor. Lane on the following morning took a bottle with him when he left the house and after drinking for some time was arrested. It was through Inspector McAluish that the arrest of Curran was made today. The inspector has been working on the case for the last week.

GET \$1,000 AT PICNIC FOR THE K. C. DRIVE

Grand Falls, Sept. 12—The K. C. army but drive for Victoria County has opened and yesterday a picnic was held on the grounds of George M. Taylor, Folsome Road, which was attended by a large crowd and about \$1,000 realized. There still remains \$4,000 to raise in this county and those in charge feel satisfied when the campaign closes the full allotment will have been subscribed.

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Clothes have been continually increasing in cost and becoming harder to procure. Mr. Pauley, manager of this department, has been fortunate in receiving a large shipment of cloths that were bought a long time ago, so that today he can show you an exceptionally fine range of Suitings and Overcoatings at prices which are considerably below today's normal prices.

The predominating suiting patterns this season are Fancy and Plain—Greens, Greys and Browns.

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