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WEATHER—MOSTLY FAIR

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TEUTONIC FORCES WITHIN 37 MILES OF BUCHAREST

ROUMANIAN TROOPS SERIOUSLY MENACED

Capture of Points on Serbian Border by Bulgarians and Germans Apparently Places Retreating Roumanians from Orsova and Turnu Severin Sections in Great Danger.

VON MACKENSEN CAPTURES GIURGIU, 37 MILES FROM BUCHAREST—SERBIANS MAKE GAIN—NOTHING BUT BOMBARDMENTS ON BRITISH, FRENCH AND ITALIAN FRONTS.

The operations of the Teutonic Allies in Roumania have brought them appreciably nearer Bucharest, and are still progressing from the north and the west and the south and southeast.

The northern bank of the Danube, in Roumania, extending westward from Giurgiu, on the railroad south of Bucharest, to opposite Vidin, a short distance from the Serbian border, is now in the hands of the forces of the Central Powers. The capture of points in this region opposite Vidin, Lom-Palanka and Rahovea by the Bulgarians would seem seriously to menace the Roumanian troops from the Orsova and Turnu Severin sectors, who were reported several days ago to be in retreat to the southeast.

The occupation of Giurgiu brings the line of Field Marshal Von Mackensen to within thirty-seven miles of Bucharest, on the south, while the capture of Curtes De Arges, eighty miles northwest of the capital, has evidently cleared the Popoif sector of Roumanians and given the invaders the railroad to the important town of Pitesti, the junction of the line running from Campulung to Bucharest. In the center the Teutonic allies are still driving eastward, having left the Alt Valley far in their rear. An unofficial despatch from Bucharest says the retirement of the Roumanians is proceeding in perfect order toward a new front already settled on for defense.

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BERLIN SAYS BRITISH LOST A CRUISER

Berlin, Nov. 28, via Sayville.—The British cruiser Newcastle is reported to have been sunk at the entrance to the Firth of Forth, Scotland, Nov. 15, by coming in contact with a mine, according to the Overseas News Agency. It is reported from Rotterdam, says the news agency, that the British cruiser Newcastle, on Nov. 15, in the North Sea, struck a mine and sank at the entrance to the Firth of Forth, while trying to reach a home port. The Newcastle, at the time of the disaster, was accompanied by two other cruisers.

Of the crew of the Newcastle 27 were killed and 47 wounded. The total losses of the British navy, with this loss, has as far as can be ascertained reached 121 ships, of 567, 950 tons, not counting auxiliary cruisers and auxiliary ships. The English patrol ship sunk during the raid of November 27, was the steam trawler Narval, which was engaged in the minesweeping service. The last report of the British cruiser Newcastle was in Sept., 1915, when she was reported leaving Callao, Peru, for Guayaquil, Ecuador.

EMIL VERHAEREN, THE BELGIAN POET KILLED

Paris, Nov. 28.—Emil Verhaeren, the Belgian poet, was crushed to death last night at Roden while endeavoring to board a train. The French government has been requested by Senator Marchand to hold a national funeral for Verhaeren. He suggests that his body be placed in the Pantheon, there to be held until Belgium is freed. Emil Verhaeren was born in May, 1859, at St. Amant, near Antwerp.

HUN U-BOAT FIRED UPON BY BRITISH

German Escaped by Submerging after Sinking Danish Steamer There.

Berlin, Nov. 28, via Sayville.—Experiences of a German submarine which sank the Danish steamer Theresia in the Bay of Biscay, and of the crew of the Danish vessel are published by the Copenhagen Politiken, says the Overseas News Agency. The Theresia, says the account, was sunk by an explosion of bombs during a storm. The crew of 19 men, of whom half were English, were taken on board the submarine, where they remained for 18 hours.

On the following day the submarine stopped a Norwegian steamer carrying coal from England to Italy. Since there was no room on board the submarine for the crew of the Norwegian vessel, the crew of the Theresia was sent on board the Norwegian craft, which was directed to take them to Brest. Meantime, says the account, a British steamer had approached. A British torpedo boat destroyer, which was hidden behind her, opened fire upon the submarine, which escaped by submerging.

NEW YORK WILL NOT BUY EGGS

New York, Nov. 28.—New York city's fight to reduce the high cost of living began in earnest today with a boycott on eggs by thousands of housewives. This was followed by a direct appeal by the National Housewife's League to President Wilson for the regulation of the country's food supply, and meetings of federal, state and city officials and investigating committees, as well as various civic organizations, were held at which resolutions were adopted looking to a speedy readjustment of conditions. Coincidental with the egg boycott there was a break in the poultry market, the price on turkeys dropping four to five cents a pound.

DESTRUCTION OF ZEPS AROUSES ENTHUSIASM

London, Nov. 28.—The destruction of the Zeppelins that participated in last night's raid caused great enthusiasm in the north-east coast towns, which had suffered so often in previous air raids. This morning the naval airman, who arrived to report the success of the British in their fight against the airship, which was making her way homeward when she was brought down, was given a tremendous ovation by the townspeople, who carried him shoulder high through streets crowded with cheering people, while the strains of the shipping shrieked triumphantly.

Regarding the report that the Germans used an airplane disguised as British, or one captured from the British, for today's raid on London, a member of the government said in the House of Commons that he had no information on this head.

GOVERNMENT ABANDONS BUCHAREST

Paris, Nov. 28.—The Roumanian government and diplomatic authorities have left Bucharest and gone to Jassy according to a Havas despatch from Bucharest. Jassy lies about 200 miles north northeast of Bucharest, near the Russian frontier.

HIS GRACE WELCOMED IN TORONTO

Toronto, Nov. 28.—The Duke of Devonshire and the vice-regal party spent a busy day on His Excellency's first official visit to Toronto today. Shortly after ten o'clock, escorted by a guard of honor from the 19th Battalion, the governor-general was received at the legislative buildings. Premier Hearst escorted the Duke and Duchess to the legislative chambers, where every seat was filled, those present being men and women prominent in social and government circles. Addresses from the government, the city, the board of education, and Toronto University were presented, and His Excellency made replies to each of these and a joint reply to many others from various bodies, including the United Empire Loyalists, Canadian Defense League, Catholic diocese, separate school board, Methodist church, Anglican church, St. Andrew's Society, Empire Club and St. George's Society.

NEW GERMAN FIELD MARSHAL APPOINTED. Berlin, via Sayville, Nov. 28.—Col. General Conrad Von Hotzendorff, formerly chief of the general staff of the Austro-Hungarian army, has been promoted to the field marshal, says the Overseas News Agency.

U. S. CAPTAIN AND GERMANS HAVE CLASH

American Flag Not Hauled Down, But Chemung Sent to Bottom by U-Boat.

Paris, Nov. 28.—(Censored)—A Madrid despatch by wireless announces the arrival at — of the crew of the American steamer Chemung, torpedoed in — by a German submarine. The commander gave the crew only a few minutes to abandon the vessel, not allowing them even to take their money and papers. The submarine towed the lifeboats in which the crew were placed to within five miles of the coast, where it abandoned them. The Chemung went down with the stars and stripes floating at her mast. A lively incident preceded the sinking of the vessel. The German commander gave orders that the American flag should be lowered and German sailors prepared to put them into effect.

Crew Resisted. They met with stubborn resistance on the part of the American Captain Duffy and his crew, who refused to haul down the colors, saying that if the ship had to be sunk it would be with the flag flying. Captain Duffy maintained his ground and so rapidly were the preparations to sink the Chemung made that further discussion about the flag ceased and after the captain and crew had been taken aboard the submarine a torpedo and three shells sent against the side of the American ship put her to the bottom.

Captain Angry. Although angry at the action of the German commander, Captain Duffy and his men had some measure of satisfaction in seeing the flag at the mast-head as the waves finally engulfed their ship.

The Chemung carried a crew of 24. They found a place in two lifeboats, and after a time on the open sea were picked up by a Spanish steamer, which took them to Valencia. Captain Duffy has made a long report of the incident to the American consul at Valencia, John R. Putnam.

WAR IN WORCESTER BETWEEN TWO RACES

Nine Injured and Property Damaged During a Slight Unpleasantness Between Turks and Armenians.

Worcester, Mass., Nov. 28.—More than a dozen Turks and Armenians are under arrest here for engaging in a riot in which nine men were injured, two seriously. Revolvers, knives and clubs were used by the combatants. A barber shop was wrecked and other damage was done. The riot was due to race hatred, the Armenians claiming that the Turks are endeavoring to run them out of Worcester.

N. B. MAN DIES FROM COLD AND EXPOSURE

Esac A. Jones, an elderly man, formerly of New Brunswick, was found lying on a door step in Milliswickton, suffering from a stroke of apoplexy. An officer took him to the fire station for warmth and shelter, but Jones died in half an hour. His death was said to have been caused indirectly by cold and exposure. Jones leaves a daughter in West Kennebunk, Me., and a niece in New Brunswick.

Shelton, Nov. 28.—Joseph A. Comer, proprietor of an express company to Ipswich committed suicide last night by shooting. Comer was born near Halifax, N. S. He was formerly a policeman.

UNITED STATES MAY AID COUNT TARNOWSKI?

Washington Receives Britain's Notification that Safe Conduct will Not be Granted.

New York, Nov. 28.—An Associated Press despatch from Washington today says: "Great Britain's official notification that safe conduct for Count Tarnowski, the new Austrian ambassador, would not be granted was received today at the state department. The reasons given substantially are the same as reported from London. The British note will not be made public, said Secretary Lansing. "Several courses are open to the United States. First, it may present the case in its own name. It was thought that while England might have refused the request on the ground that it came from an enemy state, it would not refuse on directly from this country. "There is the possibility that Count Tarnowski might start without a safe conduct and with the challenge to remove a diplomatic officer accredited to the United States. The United States holds the ambassador is protected by his diplomatic immunity, and any violation probably would involve this country in a dispute."

HUN PIRATES ENTER MOVIE PROFESSION

Paris, Nov. 28.—How six members of the crew of the British steamer Bernardo, bound from Philadelphia, had moving pictures taken of them on board the German submarine just before their ship was sunk by the underwater boat is related by one of the crew, probably the French supercargo, in the Temps today. The German officer when he boarded the vessel, noticed a man wearing an overcoat.

"Who is this gentleman?" the German asked. "The supercargo, a French citizen, representing the owners," replied the captain of the San Bernardo.

Kept as Hostages. "Let him come aboard the submarine with the five engineers," said the German. "I shall keep them as hostages."

The six men were kept in conversation on board the submarine by the underwater boat's commander while bombs were being placed on board the San Bernardo. When the steamer blew up there was a moving picture operation on the bridge of the submarine, and a picture of the entire proceeding was taken.

"You seem to be annoyed," said the German captain, in French to the supercargo, as the latter glanced to the operator of the camera. "Naturally I would rather be a hundred miles away from you," replied the supercargo, "but since you have, without regard to our feelings, taken our pictures Berliners will see that the English always have the smile."

WOMEN HOWL DOWN VISCOUNT HALDANE

London, Nov. 28.—Viscount Haldane the former secretary for war, and former lord chancellor, while speaking before the Royal Society of Arts tonight was subjected to a succession of violent interruptions from a number of well-dressed women, who excitedly accused him of being a traitor, pro-German and an enemy to his country, deserving of being sent to the tower.

The women had to be ejected from the building before quiet was restored.

MANY VESSELS SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINES

American Steamer Chemung and British Steamers City of Birmingham, Rhona Emylynderne and Jerseyman Among Those Sent To Bottom

PHYSICIAN AND THREE MEMBERS OF CITY OF BIRMINGHAM LOST—UNITED STATES NOT LIKELY TO ACT IN CASE OF CHEMUNG.

The German U-boats have been working overtime lately and as a result fifteen or more vessels have become their victims within the past few days. The Canadian Press despatches up to midnight showed that fifteen vessels have been encountered by Hun under-sea pirates. Fourteen of the number were sunk and one captured. The loss of life, so far as known was not great.

One of the sunken steamers was the United States steamer Chemung of New York, bound from that port for Genoa and Naples. As the Chemung carried contraband Washington will not make much fuss about her loss. The Dutch steamer Villemaas has been captured.

The other vessels sunk include British steamers City of Birmingham, Rhona, Emylynderne and Jerseyman, French sailing vessels Alfred de Courcy and Malvina; Greek steamers Christoforos and Michael, Norwegian steamers Tryn, Belle Ile, Viaborg, Banstead and Oifjel.

American Vessel Gone.

London, Nov. 28.—Lloyd's reports that the American steamer Chemung has been sunk.

The Chemung sailed from New York on Nov. 6 for Genoa and Naples and stopped at Patal, Azores, on Nov. 24. She was owned by the Hardy Steamship Company of New York, was built in 1888 at Buffalo and was 327 feet long, of 3,662 tons gross.

The crew of the Chemung have been landed at Valencia by the Spanish steamer Ulmer, says a Ruter despatch from Valencia today.

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UNITED STATES WILL TACKLE TURKEY NEXT

Not Only the Thanksgiving Bird Tomorrow, But the Unspeakable One.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Word that the Turkish government has rescinded its previous agreement to allow several hundred Americans to leave the Turkish empire, via Jaffa reached the state department today from Ambassador Elyus at Constantinople. The ambassador was informed that the Americans cannot be permitted to depart because of military necessity, and that the official who made the previous agreement spoke without authority.

Diplomacy seems to have been exhausted in the situation, and it is not known what action may be taken in an effort to bring Turkey to terms. The practical imprisonment of the Americans is a source of anxiety to their friends and indignation to the government. It is said to be an unprecedented situation which will require most delicate handling. The exact number of persons affected cannot be learned.

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THREE N. B. MEN WAR PRISONERS

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—Casualty list: Infantry. Previously reported missing, now prisoners of war—

E. Baker, R. R. No. 1, Little Shegogue, N. B. Lance Corporal Augustus Campbell, Base River, N. B. G. L. Lawson, Mundeville, N. B. Joseph Young, North Sydney, N. B. Wounded—

Wm. Tomlinson Stanley, Tay Creek, N. B. Sergt. G. B. Alexander, Fredericton Junction, N. B.

MIRAMICHI FROZEN OVER. Chatham, Nov. 27.—The Miramichi river between Nelson and Newcastle is frozen over and a bridge has practically formed here, although the ferry boat is still running. At Logville there is much drift ice, but it has not yet caught from shore to shore. Unless the latest warm period thaws out the river navigation will close a month and three days earlier than last year.

BERLIN ADMITS LOSING COUPLE OF AIRSHIPS

Berlin, via Sayville, Nov. 28.—A German official statement on the air raid on England says that one airship was shot down and that another did not return. The statement reads:

"On the night of November 27-28 several German naval airships successfully bombed blast furnaces and industrial establishments in middle England. At several places conflagrations were observed.

"An airship was shot down by the enemy near Scarborough and another has not returned, so that it must be considered lost. "The remaining airships returned and landed."

GRAND TRUNK ATTACHED IN \$6,000,000

Boston, Nov. 28.—John Marsh of Chicago, a contractor, has filed attachments against the Grand Trunk railroad and its subsidiaries, the Central Vermont and Southern New England for \$6,000,000.

The contractor is suing the roads for work done on the Southern New England road, a project never completed.

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GOOD WORK BEING DONE FIGHTING WHITE PLAGUE

Council Meeting Yesterday of St. John Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.

The annual meeting of the St. John Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis was held yesterday afternoon in the office of the Board of Trade, there being a good attendance. The president, J. A. Likely, was in the chair.

The secretary-treasurer, Miss Helen Sidney-Smith, read the annual report of work done since November 16, 1915. It was in part as follows:

The Dispensary.
The dispensary has been open fifty-eight days for children and 115 for adults, a total of 174 during the year. The attendance has been slightly larger than last year, more children and fewer adults, 209 of the former as against 92, and 378 adults as against 486, a total of 587 attendance, each one of which has been examined or treated in one way or another, and 170 prescriptions were filled. At the beginning of the year there were 28 children and 64 adults, a total of 92 on the books; 53 new children patients were added, and 115 adults, 9 children and 30 adults were sent to the County Hospital and 9 adults died leaving on the books at the end of the year 20 children and 68 adults, a total of 88, four less than last year.

During the year we have sent three patients to River Glade, one child and two women, who, except for help from the dispensary, would have been unable to go as we are at present sending another grown girl. We have no regular fund for helping such cases but have been helped by private subscriptions, and in some cases by the church which the patient attends.

Since our last annual meeting the County Hospital at East St. John has been opened and we have sent 39 patients there whose presence in their homes was a menace to those about them. The hospital is full, 57 cases being under treatment and 126 cases have been treated since the hospital was opened, and there have been 10 deaths. These figures speak for themselves and show the great need there was for such an institution.

Nurses.
Since our last meeting our nurse, Miss Sutherland, who was with us for some time has some overseas, and is now at the Duchess at Connaught's Hospital, Clivedon. We have been very fortunate in securing in her place Miss Sara Brophy, who has carried on the work most efficiently since last April.

In May last we had notice from the General Public Health Board that we were not to be able to lodge our nurse after July 1st, though they would continue to give her her midday meal. She is thus obliged to live at home, which necessitated an increase in salary.

Funds.
With regard to funds we have now a very efficient collector, Miss Barnes, and we have this year 364 subscribers. The total amount of collections was \$799.30. Early in the year we applied to the city commissioners for a grant of \$1,000 towards carrying on the work which has hitherto been supported entirely by private subscriptions, and received \$500. It cost \$1,100 to run the dispensary this year in the most economical way possible, not painting the rooms which ought to be done every year from a sanitary point of view. This is without the money spent on milk or board of patients at River Glade.

Dr. Legie's Report.
The report of Dr. A. Edward Legie was in part as follows:
In a great many cases the diagnosis is difficult, and any possible incipient cases are treated as such and given the benefit of the doubt, until the nature of the disease is established. All suspected cases are reexamined by Dr. Townsend, when, if sufficient funds are forthcoming they are sent to River Glade if necessary, and if there is a vacancy in that institution. A great many cases unfortunately apply at the dispensary too late and have to be treated at home.

CIRCUIT COURT
With Mr. Justice Crockett presiding the November sitting of the Circuit Court was held yesterday morning. No jurors were summoned either for the grand or petit juries, the absence on the docket of any case, civil or criminal, rendering the summoning of jurors unnecessary. It is thirty-five years since a similar condition prevailed.

The case of the King vs. Drift, in which the defendant was committed on Monday, was set over until next circuit.

New York, Nov. 28.—Miss Marion Clark, movie actress, is under arrest here charged with the larceny of \$25,000 of finery from stores. Miss Clark claims to be an heiress.

MARINES PASSING THROUGH CITY WILL BE ENTERTAINED

This was Decided at Meeting in Naval Recruiting Office Yesterday — Planning for Sunday's Meeting.

A representative gathering of citizens and representatives of the various patriotic associations, in company with Lieut. Del Woods, held a special meeting in the naval recruiting office yesterday afternoon for the purpose of completing arrangements for the concert to be held in the Imperial on Sunday night.

The question of entertaining marines passing through the city to points of embarkation was also discussed and plans laid for their entertainment while in the city.

The meeting was called to order at 8.30 with Colonel Sturdee in the chair. After suggestions and recommendations had been heard it was unanimously decided that the marines who pass through the city should be entertained at the recruiting rooms, which have been invitingly decorated.

It is proposed to hold the first concert tonight, should the marines arrive on the West India boat due today. Refreshments will be served to the marines by the ladies in charge in the recruiting rooms.

The main room of the building contains a piano, secured through the efforts of Captain A. J. Mulcahy, besides three reading tables, and numerous periodicals kindly donated by citizens. The lumber used in the erection of the stage is the gift of Christie Woodworking Company, while the nails, etc., were donated by McAvity's. Vassie & Company donated the flags and bunting used in fixing up the rooms. Lieut. Woods desires to thank those above and all others who have contributed in making the rooms cosy.

If it can be arranged marines due to arrive today will be kept in the city until Monday. It is generally thought that their presence would stimulate recruiting for the navy.

Among those present yesterday were Mrs. White, Miss Lois Grimmer, Colonel Sturdee, Captain A. J. Mulcahy, Mr. Hallimore, Mr. Adams, Mr. Daniel, R. E. Armstrong and the officer in charge of the depot, Lieut. Woods.

Friday Lieut. Woods will proceed to St. Stephen, where he will hold a recruiting meeting. On Saturday he is to speak at a meeting in St. George, returning here in time for the big meeting in the Imperial Theatre.

BODY OF LATE FRANZ JOSEPH IS REMOVED

Vienna, via London, Nov. 28.—The removal of the body of the late Emperor Francis Joseph from the Schoenbrunn Palace to the Hofburg chapel tonight was a most impressive spectacle. Tens of thousands of patient spectators, unmindful of the inclemency of the weather, stood in the cold dampness and filled the windows at every vantage point as the cortege passed through the streets, its way lighted by flickering torches.

SOLDIERS' WIVES AGAIN ASKED TO STAY HOME

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—The government has issued another appeal to wives of Canadian soldiers to remain in Canada and not go to England. It is pointed out that every additional person is a drain on the food supply there. In addition there is the prospect of difficulty in returning to Canada after the war, owing to scarcity of shipping and the tax on transportation facilities.

E. C. Crawford, assistant manager of the Prince William street office of the Bank of Nova Scotia, will leave for Toronto today, he having been transferred to that city.

MANY VESSELS SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINES

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The *Channing* was torpedoed near Cape De Gata, according to the despatch. The steamer foundered with the American flag flying. It is added, the captain having formally refused to lower the flag.

The submarine towed the crew to within five miles of the coast, the Valencia advices stated and then abandoned them.

At the end of the day they were picked up by the *Giner*.

Carried Contraband.
Washington, Nov. 28.—Official report on the destruction of the American steamer *Channing* by a German submarine was received by the state department late today from the American consul at Valencia, Spain. He said all on board had been landed safely.

The case appears to be similar to the destruction of the American steamer *William P. Frye* and the *Leelanau*, both carrying contraband, damages for which are to be awarded by diplomatic negotiations. As there was no loss of life nor apparent violation of Germany's pledges, the case is not regarded as alarming.

In the long-argued case of the *Frye*, Germany agreed that an American ship carrying contraband and sunk because a submarine could not get her into port should be paid for in full. The amount of damages is thought to be the only subject for negotiations in the present case.

Danish Steamer Taken.
London, Nov. 28 (4.50 p. m.)—Lloyd's shipping agency today announced the following:
"The Danish steamer *Villemoes*, of 775 tons gross, from Esbjerg for Grimsby, has been captured.

"The captain and crew of the Norwegian steamer *Belle Ile*, of 1,833 tons gross, have been landed and report that their steamer was torpedoed by a German submarine. The *Belle Ile* was last reported on November 2 as passing Ushant white bound from Gothenburg for Bilbao.

"The French sailing vessels *Alfred De Courcy*, of 164 tons gross, and *Malvina*, of 112 tons gross, have been sunk."

Steamer Rhona Sunk.
"The British steamer *Rhona*, of 640 tons gross, has been sunk.

"The captain and crew of the Greek steamer *Christoforos*, of 2,345 tons, of Piræus, have been landed, and report the steamer sunk by a German submarine."

The Norwegian steamship *Vishog*, of 1,311 tons gross, has been sunk, according to Lloyd's. The captain and crew of the vessel have been landed. The captain reports that the *Vishog* was sunk by a German submarine.

The *Vishog* was 245 feet long and built at Newcastle in 1885. She was owned in Haugesund, Norway.

City of Birmingham.
Lloyd's also announces that the British steamship *City of Birmingham* has been sunk.

Lloyd's reports that all the passengers and crew of the *City of Birmingham* were saved, with the exception of a physician and three members of the crew who were drowned.

Greek Vessel Sunk.
London, Nov. 28.—A Greek steamship whose name is given as *Mihal*, believed to be the *Michael*, has been torpedoed off Tinos Island, one of the Grecian Archipelago.

The Greek steamer *Michael*, 2,514 tons gross, and 300 feet long, was built in 1890, and owned in Andros. She was last reported at Piræus on October 21. There is also a Greek steamer *Michael*, 2,437 tons gross, owned in Syria. She sailed on October 24 from Cardiff, Wales, for Arsu, Algeria.

Braemar Castle Torpedoed.
Washington, Nov. 28.—The Lloyd's report received late today at the state department lists the *Braemar Castle* as torpedoed. It also reported the torpedoing of the Norwegian steamer *Osfield* and *Tryn* and the British steamers *Emlyndene* and *Jerseyman*. Dates were not given.

New Brunswick Kennel Club.
The New Brunswick Kennel Club held their ninth annual meeting last evening. The large number of members present was very enthusiastic about the programme for the coming year. Amongst the subjects brought up for discussion was that of holding small monthly shows during the winter. A committee was appointed to look into it and report at the next meeting of the club. The following officers were elected: President, H. Mont Jones; first vice-president, W. C. McKay; second vice-president, W. W. Laskey; secretary, Bliss A. Smith; treasurer, J. V. McLellan; executive committee, LeBaron Wilson, Charles Conway, James Sproul, Robt. Laskey, W. E. Neve and Geo. Gray. The club is in a very flourishing condition and has about seventy members at the present time.

WORK OF THE SOLDIERS' AID.
The provincial committee of the Soldiers' Aid Commission will meet in the offices of Secretary Robinson in the Bank of Montreal building this afternoon.

Secretary Robinson states that he is having good success in securing positions for returned soldiers. At the present time he has vacancies for two elevator men, one porter, one handy man with a civil engineer, two chauffeurs, and two bootshiners. Returned soldiers capable of filling these positions are requested to call at the office 49 Canterbury street.

Hot Biscuits for Breakfast

Only a few minutes to make and bake with the use of Royal Baking Powder, which insures superior quality and wholesomeness.

Light and flaky, with crisp, brown crust, broken apart and spread with butter, marmalade or jam, they are delicious and appetizing.

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Contains No Alum

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Serbian Advance.
The operations in Macedonia are somewhat befuddled by reason of divergent reports. Berlin says that north of Monastir renewed attacks by the Entente Allies failed, while the Serbian war office claims that in fighting along the entire front the Serbs at several points made advances of several hundred metres. Sofia, on the other hand, asserts that attacks on Hill 1050 and the village of Paralovo were put down by the Bulgarians and Germans, as likewise was a British offensive in the Vardar region, south of the village of Boroditza.

No Fighting in France.
On the front in France and in the Austro-Italian theatre nothing but bombardments have taken place. South of Divink, on the Russian front, artillery duels have been in progress. Considerable activity also has developed in the region of Riga. In the Carpathians the Russians have begun another attack against the Austro-Germans, and fighting is now proceeding there.

Petrograd admits that the Turks have occupied the towns of Adramed and Koshliogly, south of Van, Turkish Armenia.

Bombardments in France.
London, Nov. 29.—The British official statement on the campaign in France, issued last night, reads:
"There was considerable hostile shelling against our front on both sides of the Aisne. Our retaliations were prompt and effective.

"The enemy also bombed our lines south of Soissons, and his trench mortars were active south of Arras. Our artillery shelled the area of La Bassée.

"Yesterday much successful artillery and reconnaissance work was accomplished by our aircraft. Several places of military importance were attacked and bombed. In one instance a large explosion was caused.

"In aerial combats one hostile airplane was destroyed; another was driven down damaged. Two of our machines are missing."

Paris War Session.
Paris, Nov. 28.—The chamber of deputies met today in secret session. It is expected that many questions vital to the conduct of the war will be raised in this session, which is the second secret meeting since the beginning of the war. The general policy in the conduct of French operations and the question of effectives are among the subjects likely to be discussed, it is stated.

The bulletin issued by the war office tonight reads:
"There was moderate artillery activity in the region of the Somme and in the Douaumont sectors. Calm prevailed on the rest of the front."

Belgian communication:
"There is nothing to report."

Italian Statement.
Rome, Nov. 28, via London (5.05 p. m.)—Active artillery fighting is in progress along the Isonzo front, the war office reports.

"In the Trentino, from the Sars to the Adige valleys, enemy movements and artillery duels are reported," the statement says.

"On the Julian front the enemy's artillery and trench mortars were particularly active in the Piava area east of Gorizia.

"A few shells fell in the town, damaging some buildings. Our batteries replied effectively."

Little Russian News.
Petrograd, Nov. 28, via London (5.14 p. m.)—Today's war office statement announces that no report has been received of any change in conditions,

IMPORTANT NOTICE ISSUED AT OTTAWA

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, Nov. 28.—Persons desiring to communicate with the government on military matters of any sort, say an official announcement issued today, are now notified that they can facilitate action by addressing their letters direct to the department of militia, Ottawa. Delay is certain to result if letters are addressed to any other than the Minister of Militia and Defense, or the parliamentary secretary, Mr. F. B. McCurdy, M. P.

Entertainment at Boys' Club.
Mrs. Murray Long had charge of the entertainment for the Boys' Club last night and treated them to an excellent musical programme. R. B. Armstrong acted as chairman for the evening. The boys were out in large numbers and thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Songs were sung by Misses Marjorie Long and Florrie Johnson, Miss Amdur and Mrs. Murray Long, and a number of choruses were rendered in which the boys joined heartily.

Runford, H. A., Nov. 28.
Runford, H. A., Nov. 28, who had been in the hospital since he was shot in the stomach, was examined by Dr. Houghton, who has been in the hospital since he was shot in the stomach.

Two men dead in camp.
The two men dead in the camp of Leonard and Leonard were found dead in the camp. The cause of death was a French accident.

Monthly—Friends.
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Mr. Erwell Bolton, Wilton, Ont.
Mr. Erwell Bolton, Wilton, Ont., writes: "Last winter I was caught in a storm and had to stay in a barn all night. I caught a severe cold which several medicines failed to cure. I went to some of the best doctors but these failed to do me any good. A friend advised me to use Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I used three bottles and they gave me instant relief."

When you ask for "Dr. Wood's" see that you get the genuine, put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark and bearing the name of The T. Millburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. Price 25c. and 50c.

DIED.
RITONIE.—At McLellan's Beach, St. John, on November twenty-eighth, Grace Helen, wife of A. Chapman Ritchie, and daughter of the late Wm. and Annie Ewing.

Funeral service at St. Paul's (Valley) Church, on Thursday, 30th inst., at three p. m.

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ST. STEPHEN MAN IN THRILLING RACE WITH DEATH IN WOODS

Excellent Emergency Surgery and Devotion of Camp Mates Enable Frank McGlinchey who Shot Himself Seriously to Reach Hospital in St. Stephen.

From the wilderness of northeastern Washington county, Me., which adjoins Charlotte county, comes a thrilling story of a race with death for the life of a man, with devotion, wonderful vitality and endurance winning a victory over the grim reaper.

Frank McGlinchey of St. Stephen has lumbering rights in the wilderness between the St. Croix river and St. Stephen Lake, about thirty-five miles north of St. Stephen and about eight miles south of the Vancorbore division of the Maine and Central railroad. Two or three days ago a heavy rain put a stop to the work in the woods. McGlinchey and Carey of Wypitlock took their rifles and axes and went into the woods to get wood for ax handles. Deer are plentiful in that section.

Shout of Agony.

A short distance from camp the two men separated, Carson following a deer track in the rapidly disappearing snow and McGlinchey keeping on his way to a growth of hardwood which promised axe-handle material. As the story is told by the men in the camp, it was but a short time after they separated that McGlinchey heard Carson fire and immediately shout as if in great agony. Hastening in the direction of the shout he found Carson lying in the water-soaked snow with blood pouring from a bullet wound in his thigh.

The men were about two miles from the camp and McGlinchey made all haste possible to get to the camp and return with men to carry Carson in. Meantime a messenger had been dispatched to the nearest settlement for a physician. The messenger had eight miles to go over a road which was half road and half brook but he forced the big woods horse he rode to his utmost, finally reaching Lambert Lake station on the Maine Central telegraphed to Vancorbore for Dr. Stillman Johnston.

Got C. P. R. Freight.

Fortunately the doctor was at home and with equal good fortune he was able to connect immediately with a Canadian Pacific special freight west-bound out of Vancorbore, which landed

him at Lambert Lake twenty minutes after the telegram was sent. The doctor was taken to within five miles of the camp by team and covered the five miles in little over an hour, in places wading knee deep in water, leaping from rock to rock, and root to log, finally arriving at the camp as night fell.

The bullet had entered the back of the thigh, coursing forward and missing the great femoral artery by a hair's breadth, smashing the thigh bone and bringing splinters of bone out through the flesh with it in its passage.

Tramp in Dead of Night.

In order to save the injured man's limb and possibly his life, it was necessary to hospitalize him out of the woods and to a hospital as quickly as possible. To do this it was necessary to leave the camp at two o'clock in the morning and carry him on a stretcher over the five miles of tote road to the turnpike road where he could be placed on a wagon. The hardships of that trip can scarcely be imagined by one not familiar with the conditions that exist in the woods at this time of year.

Every man of the sixteen in camp took his turn at carrying the stretcher, moving with all the care possible, turning aside for nothing, wading nearly waist deep in water in places, straddling over sunken logs, picking his footsteps with what care he might to maintain a precarious footing and avoid jarring the injured man, for there was no telling when a sudden lurch might bring a splinter of bone in contact with the great femoral artery and start a hemorrhage beyond the power of the physician to stop. But the hardened muscles of the woodsmen and the great vitality of the injured man himself were equal to the terrible strain and after three and a half hours of bone-racking labor the injured man was deposited on a cot on a spring wagon and taken to Lambert Lake, where he was put aboard a train and taken to the St. Stephen hospital.

Carson claimed that he fell on the ice and accidentally shot himself.

GOVERNMENT'S NICKEL POLICY COMMENDED

Liberal Party Slowly Recognizing Soundness of Administration's Stand - Lindsay Holds on.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Nov. 28.—The Liberal party is slowly recognizing the soundness of the government's nickel policy, and following the declaration of confidence in the government's measures to conserve our nickel for the Allies by the Toronto Star, another leading Liberal journal, the Ottawa Free Press, admits that "Hon. Mr. Meighen has shown that the Canadian government has adopted every safeguard recommended by the British Admiralty for the preventing of Canadian nickel reaching the enemy."

Goes to Allies.

The same journal further states on this question: "But there is a still more satisfying answer. The bulk of the nickel output of the company is admittedly going to the Allies. If the enemy is getting any at all, it is, also admittedly and obviously, a very small quantity. Now, if the International Nickel Co. was German controlled or a pro-German organization, could it desire anything better than for Canada to shut down on the export of its nickel to the company. The money loss would be nothing because Germany would pay twice the \$40,000,000 capitalization of the company to stop its output of refined metal. Canadian nickel ore cannot possibly be refined anywhere else for at least a year. Stoppage in the supply of nickel from the International Nickel Co. would be one of the hardest blows that could be administered to the allied cause. It would, for instance, practically stop the manufacture of munitions in the United States and Canada."

The Free Press agrees with the Toronto Star that the continuance of the discussion of the nickel problem as it relates to the possibility of Germany getting some of Canada's supply will only tend to an unwarranted upsetting of the public mind.

How About Lindsay?

No steps have yet been taken by the Toronto Liberals to remove G. G. S. Lindsay from the presidency of the Toronto Liberal Association, although his scheme of commissions make J. Wesley Allison look like an amateur war profiteer.

TWO RAIDING ZEPPELINS ARE DESTROYED ON ENGLISH COAST

One, Discharged Cargo of Explosives on Yorkshire and Durham and Another Over the North Midland Counties—London Attacked by Airplanes.

London, Nov. 28.—Two Zeppelins were brought down on Monday night on the northern coast of England. The crews of both airships perished. The destruction of the airships was announced in an official communication issued by the war office.

Official Report.

The following official account of the raid was issued: "A number of hostile airships approached the northeast coast of England between ten and eleven last night. Bombs were dropped at various places in Yorkshire and Durham. The damage is believed to be slight.

"One airship attacked by airplanes of the Royal Flying Corps, was brought down in flames into the sea off the coast of Durham.

"Another got as far as the north Midland counties and likewise dropped bombs and guns and apparently damaged, but effected repairs after reaching the Norfolk coast and started for home at high speed and at a high altitude.

Naval airplanes were waiting her and with the aid of an armed trawler brought her down before she had gone many miles.

Attack on London.

Flying at a great height a German airship this morning passed over London and dropped six bombs on the capital. The British announcement says:

"This morning six bombs were dropped on London by a hostile aeroplane flying at a great height above the haze. Four persons were injured of whom one, a woman, was seriously hurt. The material damage was slight."

Lights Turned Off.

Official reports do not say how many airships crossed the aircraft guns, as

UNCERTAINTY AS TO NEXT ENGLISH LOAN

Special to The Standard.

London, Nov. 28.—The next loan to be floated here will probably depend as to date, term and rate of interest upon the degree of success attending the loan without collateral to be issued in the United States and upon the success of existing arrangements in New York which will suffice to support existing rates solidly and so permit the reduction of money rates here preparatory to the big public issue. Meanwhile dullness prevails except for a feature of which is Liverpool's demand for Cunard shares.

LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK CROSS, FEVERISH

When constipated or bilious give "California Syrup of Figs."

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breaths bad, has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhoea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax six children to take this harmless "fruit laxative"; they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

SARGOL THE FLESH BUILDER

Used successfully for eight years by thin men and women who want to put on flesh and increase weight. Eat with your meals. Pleasant, harmless and inexpensive. Sold in St. John by all leading druggists.

If you find a druggist who is unable to supply you with Sargol, send \$1.00 money order or registered letter to the National Laboratories, 74 St. Anthony street, Montreal, and a complete ten days' treatment will be sent you postpaid, in plain wrapper.



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With good health at your back you can do anything. If you are troubled with Head-ache, Dizziness, Biliousness and kindred sickness you can expect to accomplish much.

DR. WILSON'S HERBINE BITTERS

This "True Blood Purifier" has been proved, during the last fifty years, to be the one best remedy for those diseases. See a bottle at your store. Family use, five times larger, 1.00. The Brayley Drug Co. Limited, ST. JOHN, N. B.

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For information apply local Agents or The Robert Reford Co. Limited, General Agents, 162 Prince William St., St. John, N. B.

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Fortnightly Sailings by Twin Screw Mail Steamers from ST. JOHN, N. B. and HALIFAX, N. S.
Special Facilities for Tourists
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Daily Except Sunday.
Dep. St. John 7:00 a.m.
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Daily Except Sunday.
Dep. St. John 6:10 p.m.
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Eastern Steamship Lines.

All-the-Way by Water. INTERNATIONAL LINE Steamship "North Star."
Leaves St. John Thursdays at 9:00 a. m. (Atlantic time), for Eastport, Lubec Portland and Boston.
Return, leave Central Wharf, Boston, Mondays at 9:00 a. m. for Portland, Eastport, Lubec and St. John.

MAINE STEAMSHIP LINE.

Direct between Portland and New York. Passenger service discontinued for the season. Freight service throughout the year.
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Direct between Boston and New York. Express passenger and freight service throughout the year. Route via Cape Cod Canal.

Leave North Side India Wharf, Boston, week days only at 5 p. m., due New York 7:30 a. m. Same service returning.
City Ticket Office, 47 King-street. A. C. CURRIE, Agent, St. John, N. B. A. E. FLEMING, T. F. & P. A., St. John, N. B.

The Maritime Steamship Co., Limited.

On March 3, 1916, and until further notice the S.S. Connors Bros., will run as follows: Leave St. John, N. B., Thorne Wharf and Warehousing Company, Ltd., on Saturday, 7:30 a. m., daylight time, for St. Andrews, N. B., calling at Dipper Harbor, Beaver Harbor, Black's Harbor, Back Bay or L'Etete, Deer Island, Red Store or St. George. Returning leave St. Andrews, N. B., Tuesday for St. John, N. B., calling at L'Etete or Back Bay, Black's Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Dipper Harbor. Weather and tide permitting.

Agent—Thorne Wharf and Warehousing Co. Ltd. Phone, 2551. Messrs. Lewis Connors.
This company will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date without a written order from the company or captain of the steamer.

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From Manchester From St. John
Nov. 18 Manchester Citizen Dec. 13
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After Oct. 1st and until further notice S. S. Grand Manan leaves Grand Manan, Mondays 7:30 a.m., for St. John, returning leaves St. John Wednesdays 7:30 a. m., both ways via Campobello, Eastport and Wilson's Beach.
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Leave Grand Manan Saturdays 7:30 a. m., round trip St. Andrews, returning 1 p. m., both ways via Campobello and Eastport.
Atlantic Standard Time.
SCOTT D. GUFFILL, Mgr.

N. B. MAN IS ACQUITTED OF MURDER

Rumford, Me., Nov. 27.—George Gallant, a woodman, of Westmorland county, N. B., who has been held in jail here since Nov. 17 on a charge of murdering Joseph Leonard in a lumber camp at Ten Degree Sliding, above Houghton, has been acquitted by the municipal court. It was found at Bowdoin College Medical School, Brunswick, where Leonard's heart and stomach were examined, that he came to his death from natural causes.

The two men had a slight altercation in the camp during a drinking bout and Leonard was put into his bunk in an unconscious condition. He was found dead in the morning. Death was caused by a weak heart and not from a slight blow he received. Gallant is a French Acadian thirty years of age.

CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND.

Monthly—Friends (6 months) \$5; J. E. Ansevine (2 months) \$10; D. Lynch, \$11; A. McL. Lingler, \$1; O. G. Branscombe, \$1; A. Burnham, \$1; A. Morrison, \$2; F. J. Lynch, \$1; S. Marnie, \$1; A. E. Raymond, \$1; J. A. Johnston, \$5c.; A. E. Darling, \$1; G. R. Andrews, \$1; S. C. Hunter, \$5c.; Miss G. M. Hunter, \$5c.; A. G. Burnham, Sr., \$2; T. Likely, \$2; Z. G. Alwood, \$5c.; G. A. Smith, \$2; W. E. Darling, \$5c.; W. A. Henderson (2 months), \$4; W. R. Burdett (3 months), \$3; Mrs. T. W. Street (2 months), \$2; Mrs. W. Tobin (2 months), \$1; Mrs. Keleher (2 months), \$1; Can. Con. Rubber Co. Employees, \$23.50; D. McClelland, \$4; T. C. Cochrane, \$1; Mrs. G. Edward Cooke (5 months), \$5; Mrs. C. A. Robertson, \$2; E. T. Dykeman, \$1; J. B. Manson, \$2; Dr. F. S. Sawaya, \$2; L. G. Crosby (4 months), \$100.00; The McClary Mfg. Co., \$10; Dr. H. L. Spangler (2 months), \$20; Rotary Club, \$87; Telegraph and Times' Employees, \$17.
Single—Thomas Bell, \$1,000.00; D. R. Manser, \$10.

THE POLICE COURT.

The four seamen arrested for stealing parcel post packages from the steamship Corsican, were remanded to jail at the session of the police court yesterday. Several bags found in the quarters of the men are at the central police station. They contain handkerchiefs, ladies' blouses, sweaters, wrist watches, socks and other wearing apparel.
John Keboe for being drunk and fighting in the Union Depot was fined \$25.
Thomas Keating was fined \$16 for being drunk and using profane language.
Two drunks were fined the usual amount.

FIVE BOYS SMOTHERED

Baltimore, Nov. 27.—Five boys are dead as the result of the caving in of a sand bank at West Baltimore. The boys were playing when the bank collapsed. Only one of a party of six was taken out alive.

The "Live a Little Longer" Idea



IN Rochester, N.Y., there has been formed an association the object of which is to promote the "Live a Little Longer" idea. It aims to encourage men and women to give attention to their health, and by preventive methods to avoid serious disease and add years of happiness to their lives.

This idea is suited to people of all ages, but seems particularly applicable to persons of advancing years who feel their vitality on the wane. It is truly wonderful what is accomplished by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food under these circumstances.

By forming new, rich blood, and nourishing the starved, wasted nerve cells, it instils new life and vigor into the vital organs and enables them to perform their natural functions.

This means new strength and comfort, freedom from pain and disease, and longer life. This letter gives you some idea what old people may expect from the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Mrs. Sophia Baker, Tancook Island, Lunenburg Co., N.S., writes:—"I have been reading about people who have been cured by Dr. Chase's medicine, and as I have obtained great benefit from the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I want to tell you my experience. I am an old woman of 80 years. My sleep was very poor, I could not eat anything, and my nerves were in a bad state. Hearing about the Nerve Food, I decided to use it, and must say that the five boxes I took helped me wonderfully. I never expect to be like I was at 50, but this treatment has helped me to sleep well, improved the appetite and built up the nerves. Anyone who wishes can write to me for full particulars.

50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50, all dealers, or Edmanston, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Imitations disappoint.

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Live and Let Live—I want every wage earner in St. John, N. B., rounding country to come to me for treatment. I want them to understand that by coming to me they will get more for their money than they can get elsewhere; that their work will be the best. You will be surprised to find that one dollar with me will go as far as two dollars you will have to give the other fellow.

Full Set Teeth, \$5.00
Best Set Teeth, Red Rubber, \$8.00
22K Gold Crowns and Bridge Work, \$4.00 and \$5.00
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ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1916.

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

FOOD PRICES.

The price of food in St. John has not reached the stage where it is necessary to call public meetings to discuss it. The city council yesterday took all the steps that are at present required. The council decided to call upon the largest retail milk dealers in the city to submit statements of costs showing the ground existing for the proposal to boost the price to ten cents per quart from December 1st. When this information is received it is time enough to judge whether the dealers can justify their action, and if they cannot the members of the council can take further steps. The council also decided to write to the Department of Labor for information as to cold storage plants in this province. This is done as a preliminary to a possible investigation into the price of meats. Information will also be asked as to the wheat and flour situation and upon the nature of the replies will depend what action may be taken there.

It now seems as if the members of the council are thoroughly aroused over the matter of food prices and they are to be commended for their interest. In the matter of milk, which will probably be decided first, the city is fortunate in that one of the commissioners was formerly engaged in that business and should be fairly familiar with present day conditions as they affect it. It may be interesting to refer briefly to steps being taken in other cities on this continent to combat exploitation of food prices. In the United States authority to grapple with the food problem, such as conferred by the recent order in council passed by the Borden Government, does not exist in precisely the same form. There it is a matter of local rather than federal enactment but they find effective ways of dealing with those who unduly advance prices of the necessities of life. For instance, in the City of New York, Mayor Mitchell has appointed a special committee on food supply and Commissioner Joseph Hartigan is about to launch a city wide boycott on eggs, poultry and potatoes. In this he has the active support of the National Special Aid Society, the State Federation of Women's Clubs, the Consumers Housewives' League and the presidents of many retail associations. The plan is that for two weeks there shall be an absolute embargo on eggs as food, that poultry shall not be eaten for a similar time and that the consumption of potatoes shall be reduced to the lowest possible figure. In short the decision means two weeks loss of business to the dealers in these lines and it is estimated that such a loss will offset any profits they may make for the remainder of the season through undue price boosting.

The Standard does not suggest that any such campaign should be incepted in this city. At any rate not until after the city council has played its hand out. But suppose that, for two weeks, every adult in the city pledged himself to use no milk. It would mean that at the ten cent per quart rate each family taking a quart a day would require seventy days for the retail milk dealers to make up this amount by the extra two cents per quart which they intend to impose. As stated at the outset of this article there is as yet no necessity for a public meeting to deal with the matter of food prices. The commissioners have the machinery at hand by which undue price increases can be stopped. When it is shown that that machinery does not work to the satisfaction of the people it is time enough to take other measures.

INSIDE THE WALL.

Despatches from New York announce that the condition of the food supply in Germany is anything but promising. This, at any rate, is the story told by the wife of the third assistant secretary of the embassy at Berlin, Mrs. Aileen Winslow, who has just arrived in New York from Berlin via Copenhagen. This American lady has told the American press that "a piece of meat three inches in diam-

ter and one egg were allowed once a week." The question is, can such a dismal tale of German semi-starvation be accepted as a true statement of fact? Other evidence to hand is such as to indicate that it is open to grave doubt. Almost simultaneously with Mrs. Winslow's statement the current issue of the New York Outlook devotes six pages to a very readable and interesting article written by an American woman of German birth who has returned from Germany after spending several months in a close investigation of the facts of the food supply. The scolding of the Outlook's contributor is vouchered for by that publication and her story is very different from that told by Mrs. Winslow. She itemizes the various articles of food supply necessary to the comfort of the German household and points out that "wheat and rye bread are sold respectively at 4 1/2 and 3 3/4 cents per pound, as compared with the price of 5 cents per pound advanced in New York before the present change." She then adds with satisfaction that she "is deeply grateful to know that famine is not to be another ally of the Allies."

Throughout the whole war the Outlook has not hesitated to declare its sympathy with the allied cause and that fact adds importance to the views of its correspondent. If her article affords a true picture of conditions in present day Germany then it should cause much thoughtfulness elsewhere, particularly as she assures that publication that the people are far from feeling the pinch of hunger and are well fed from the youngest to the oldest. In the final analysis a well fed people are a contented people, and so long as the German government is able to feed its millions as well as it appears to be doing at the present time there will be no revolution within to weaken the forces which are facing the enemy from without. The German government, with all its sins as we see them, has at least succeeded in eliminating the grater from the control of the necessities of life and for this it cannot but be admired.

The history of nations shows that there is no other more fruitful breeder of discontent and revolution than starvation imposed upon the people by such powers as from time to time have had the daring to corner the necessities of life. It was such a cause that led to Louis XVI, and his beautiful but heartless wife losing their heads under the blade of revolution. Food prices unduly increased mean ultimately the malnutrition of the mass of the people, and such malnutrition is the inevitable precursor of physical weakness, breakdown and disease. This is demonstrated by the case of Belgium where the semi-starvation those brave people are forced to endure is now producing an outbreak of tuberculosis among children of 12 to 14 years of age. If food prices in Canada continue to soar until the people are unable to meet them and are in consequence improperly nourished then it is not unreasonable to expect increase in disease, especially among the poor. The Dominion Government has adopted the necessary legislation to control this evil and it is now up to the municipal representatives to take such steps as may lead to a thorough analysis of the whole question of high prices of food and the placing of the blame, if there be blame, squarely where it belongs. Wherever it can be shown that higher prices are the direct result of food shortage or arise from other legitimate causes, the mass of the people will accept the burden without complaint, but this is not the case where there is the suspicion that soaring prices are due to the efforts of trade manipulators.

It may be interesting to note that on Friday last in the city of Port Arthur "strictly fresh eastern eggs" were advertised at 40 to 42 cents per dozen. In St. John the best eggs were offered at 44 cents. It might be asked why the extra four cents? And where do Port Arthur's "eastern eggs" come from? The reports of the St. John Association For the Prevention of Tuberculosis as presented at yesterday's meeting showed that this society is doing

a great work. It is one of the local organizations entitled to every measure of public and private support.

The Teutons are now within thirty-seven miles of Bucharest. Unless the Russian Bear hastens in his advance to the relief of the Romanians he may find that the German hounds have evaded him after all.

On Friday last the Times announced as "reported about the streets" that Sir Sam Hughes would oppose Hon. A. E. Kemp's election. Yesterday Sir Sam Hughes quoted the report. Thus is punctured another Grit bubble.

PLANNING FOR THE CHRISTMAS FETE IN UNION CLUB'S ROOMS

Royal Standard Chapter I. O. D. E. Preparing to Add Another to Their List of Successful Undertakings.

A largely attended meeting of Royal Standard Chapter I. O. D. E. was held last night in the chapter room, Germain street. The regent, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, presided, and reports received from convenors for the different booths now being arranged for the patriotic Christmas fete at the Union Club rooms on December 12, showed that already much work had been done, and judging from the efforts made for the fete by the members of this energetic chapter it will be a grand success. The ladies deeply appreciate the splendid offer of the officers of the club in placing at their disposal the rooms for the day, and will do all they can in the way of pleasing the patrons of the fete.

One of the principal attractions will be the Christmas room where beautifully decorated Christmas trees bearing presents of all kinds will afford an opportunity for all to purchase suitable gifts. The military boot will be an object of interest to everyone and there will be on sale everything required for the boys in khaki, all ready to be sent by loving friends either overseas or to the boy who is in training yet in Canada. The fancy room will be stocked with useful and dainty articles moderately priced. The person with a sweet tooth has not been forgotten and the candy booth will have a stock of choice confections. The busy housewife need not worry about the Sunday meals, as the home-cooking booth will be able to supply her with the things she usually bakes on Saturday, and she can let the kitchen fire out and attend the fete.

The large dining room of the club will be under the charge of a most efficient committee, and they will be prepared to look after the wants of the inner man no matter how large the crowd or how hungry. Last but not least is the entertainment hall, and here the tired person may rest and be entertained at the same time. Taken altogether the whole affair promises not only to be a financial success but a most enjoyable social event. The fete will be held on Tuesday, December 12, from 3 to 12 p.m. Tickets may be obtained from Gray and Richey, Nelson's book store, and from members of the chapter.

Joined the 23rd. Arnold Belyea, son of James A. Belyea of Rothesay, has enlisted in the 23rd Klitites. Only recently he celebrated his eighteenth birthday and pursuant to this event he enlisted in the Klitites. This is the second son of Mr. Belyea who has donned the khaki. The other son was reported missing some months ago, and since no further word has been received.

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THIS WEEK
The Park Ave. News.
Weather. Partly unexpected.
Grate Scientific Discovery. Sid Hunt was digging for fun in his back yard and he found 3 funny looking bones which he thawed into the remains of some pre-historic animal until his fox terrier Teddy ran out and saw him with them and started to bark like anything.
SHORT STORY
The 75 Cent Football.
One down and 2 yards to gain!
Wat was that bang?
The bladder in the football went and exploded!
(The end).
Sisley's Notes. Miss Mary Watkins waked on Sunday skool with Mr. Sam Craws last Sunday and after Sunday skool she waked home with Mr. Lew Davis, Mr. Craws keeping on standing outside the Sunday skool door as if he hadnt expected to wawk home agen with her enyway.
Lost and Found Department. Lost by Ed Wernick—A tooth recently intracted wich he was saving for exhibition purposes. Large reward.
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Sports. A fat boy looking as if he woud be fine for the football team moved into the next block last week, but wen questioned he stated that he liked to watch it, but he thawt it was to ruff to play.
DISAPPOINTED IN LOVE.
Pome by Skinny Martin.
I rote a letter to my love,
By the lite of the old caken lamp,
But my love she never got it,
Because I didnt have 2 cents for a stamp.

DUO TO MISUNDERSTANDING THAT SOLDIERS WORKED

St. John, N. B., Nov. 28, 1916. To the Editor of The Standard, Sir,—At a meeting of our association, on Monday night, a protest was lodged and voted on unanimously by the members, that a protest should be made through the press to the effect that:
In the opinion of the European War Veterans' Association, the conduct of marching the returned invalid soldiers from off the R. M. S. Corsican on Monday morning from West St. John to the discharge depot in this city was a disgrace to the public eye. This in particular applies to the boys who were hobbling along on crutches the whole way, trying to smile like the heroes they were.
Now, Mr. Editor, we don't believe for one minute that if this is brought to the notice of the dominion government they would be mean enough to allow such a thing to occur again. Surely there is an old Red Cross wagon left in Canada yet that could give a little ease to the boys going to the depot for discharge.
On the other side the authorities think it an honor to do all they can to help the boys along.
A similar letter to this was sent to Capt. Bruce, in care of the discharge depot, although we are not casting any blame on him but we asked him to try and obtain better treatment for our brothers in arms that have been. It is not up to the civilian friends to do so; the military should provide an ambulance for them.
Thanking you, Mr. Editor, for past favors, we remain, yours truly,
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FUNERALS

The following funerals took place yesterday morning:

David O'Connell.
Of David O'Connell from 157 Waterloo street to the Cathedral where solemn requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Francis Walker, Rev. Miles P. Howland, deacon, and Rev. Harold Coughlan, sub-deacon. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc gave the final absolution. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. Relatives acted as pall-bearers.

Mrs. C. Crowley.
At 8:30 o'clock, of Mrs. Catherine Crowley from 449 Main street to St. Peter's church where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. Peter O'Hare. Burial was in the new Catholic cemetery.

R. J. Haley.
Of Richard J. Haley, from the residence of his mother, 39 St. James street, West Side, to the Church of the Assumption, where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. J. J. O'Donovan. Interment took place in Holy Cross cemetery, about 250 fellow employes in procession. There were many floral offerings, including a large wreath with New Testament in the centre from the C. P. S. checkers and also a floral piece from the officials of the C. P. S.

E. K. Snodgrass.
At 11 o'clock the body of Edwin K. Snodgrass was taken from his late residence, 62 St. Patrick street to the Union Depot to be sent by the noon train to Hampton for interment. Services were conducted by Rev. R. P. McKim.

William Clark.
Yesterday morning William Clark of the West Side passed away at the residence of his son-in-law, A. K. Horton, 9 Germain street, St. John west, at the age of eighty-one years. The deceased is survived by his wife and a daughter, Mrs. Horton. The funeral will take place at St. Martin's this morning.

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COUNCIL ACTS ON MILK PRICE AND WILL GET INFORMATION ABOUT OTHER NECESSARIES

Principal Milk Dealers will be Asked to Furnish Reasons at Once for Increasing Their Prices and Enquiry will Follow if Replies are Not Satisfactory—Other Business Transacted at Yesterday's Meeting.

The high cost of living was again the subject of discussion at the council meeting yesterday, and information will be sought from dealers in various lines of public necessities, looking toward an investigation into the need for the price asked. The city solicitor was present at the meeting and gave his interpretation of the order-in-council, and the steps necessary for the council to take in holding an inquiry under its authority.

After hearing his explanation it was moved by Commissioner Fisher and seconded by Commissioner Russell, that a communication be sent to two or three of the principal milk dealers in the city asking them to furnish the council with their reasons for the proposed increase in the price of milk, with a view to taking action under the order-in-council if the reasons given were not satisfactory, and that they be asked for an immediate reply to the communication. This motion passed.

Commissioner Wigmore moved, seconded by Commissioner Fisher, that the most dealers in the city be asked for a similar statement, and that the Minister of Labor be asked to obtain a report on the goods in all the cold storage plants in New Brunswick. This was adopted.

Commissioner Fisher said that he understood that coal had been sold at a lower price in Halifax than in St. John and suggested that a letter be sent to the coal dealers in reference to this, and also that they be asked to furnish a copy of the selling agreement which he believed existed between them, but did not make any motion so the matter dropped.

It was moved by Commissioner McLellan and seconded by Commissioner Wigmore that the common clerk write to the Minister of Labor for full information in regard to the wheat and flour situation.

Commissioner McLellan suggested that it might be advisable if the prices kept on advancing for the city to go into the market business and run a municipal market.

Finance.
The Commissioner of Finance and Public Affairs recommended that the salary of James Collins, assessor of taxes, be fixed at the rate of \$600 per annum; that the order of this council of the 7th instant, authorizing the payment of any bills which may have been already incurred or which may be hereafter incurred in entertaining the officers and men of visiting battalions be so far amended as to include officers and men of the Royal Navy. Adopted.

Public Works.
The Commissioner of Public Works reported that he has considered a letter from the manager of the Western Union Telegraph Co., asking permission to erect an electric sign over the entrance to the office at the corner of King and Prince William street, the sign to be a long perpendicular one like the one in use on the Telephone Company's building on Prince William street, and recommended that permission to erect the sign be granted subject to the usual regulations and conditions. Adopted.

Water and Sewerage.
The Commissioner of Water and Sewerage recommended that he be granted authority, in case he should deem it necessary, to remove the six-inch water mains on Germain street from Union street to King street with a larger pipe; that the tender of Vroom & Arnold to furnish 5,000 ft. of 24-inch cast iron pipe, according to specification, and 1,600 ft. of 34-inch cast iron pipe, according to specification at \$49.70 per ton net; special castings, \$85.00 per ton net, be accepted. Adopted.

Harbors, Ferries and Lands.
The Commissioner of Harbors, Ferries and Public Lands recommended that the administration of the estate of Charles E. Colwell be allowed to assign the lease of lots 9, 10, 18, 19, 20, in Guys Ward to the Colwell Fuel Company, which had been formed to carry on the coal business of the late

FATALITIES IN CANADA DECREASE

Safety First, Scarcity of Working Men and Decreased Activity in Certain Industries Cause.

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, Nov. 28.—A large decrease in the number of fatal accidents throughout the Dominion is reported. Some inactivity was experienced for the most part, says the annual report of the labor department in railway and building construction, steam railway service and public and municipal undertakings.

The increased activity in the metal trades during the last half of the fiscal year 1915-16, is reflected in the increased number of accidents in that direction.

Mines, metal workers and quarries lead in the number of fatal accidents with 169, steam railway service next with 117, agriculture 53; and navigation 50. In steam railway service 51 employees were killed by locomotives, and in the agricultural industry 18 were killed by falling from vehicles, and 18 by being kicked, bitten or otherwise injured by horses and cattle.

The fatal accidents for the year amongst work people engaged in their calling numbered 836, a decrease of 545.

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NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

WATCH THE MONEY SITUATION CLOSELY

Shrinkage in Bank Surplus and Firmness of Money Rates Features in New York Market.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
New York, Nov. 28.—The shrinkage in the bank surplus and the firming of money rates are arousing professional activity on the bear side again because of memory of what followed the strengthening of rates in the late slump in prices. Advice is being given by important and conservative financial interests to watch this money situation closely. The better class of calls are now in direct competition with high yield loans says an investment institution in explaining the backwardness of the railroad department and in referring to the labor difficulties of the carriers. Nevertheless, the buying of N. K. and Western, N. Y. C., Atchafalaya and U. P. on declines is reported to be very good. "There is no doubt that the stocks of the leading copper producing companies are worth intrinsically more than ever before in the history," says one of the best informed copper experts in the city.

There is a lull in the speculative activity of important market interests with regard to the copper shares so far as anticipation of higher prices in the immediate future is concerned. The purchase of the shares of Marine Co., Pacific Mail and Atlantic Gulf and West Indies is being recommended very emphatically by financial interests of the first magnitude quarters, which are vitally concerned in the future of the shipping business and which are making predictions that through the revival of shipbuilding in this country the American Merchant Marine will surpass the record of the past in this connection.

MONTREAL SALES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
Mornings.
Montreal, Tuesday, Nov. 28th—
Steel Canada Pfd.—115 @ 98 1/2
Steel Canada Com.—125 @ 77 1/2, 25 @ 77 1/2, 55 @ 77 1/2, 50 @ 78, 25 @ 77 1/2
Brazilian—10 @ 46 1/2, 50 @ 46, 85 1/4, 15 @ 84 1/2
Can. Cement Com.—35 @ 68, 25 @ 68 1/2
Can. Cement Pfd.—45 @ 84
Dom. Iron Com.—340 @ 73, 50 @ 73 1/2, 50 @ 72 1/2
Shawinigan—55 @ 133
Civic Power—200 @ 8 1/2, 10 @ 8 1/2
New War Loan—500 @ 99, 3,000 @ 98 1/2
Bell Telephone—72 @ 147, 10 @ 146 1/2
Can. Car Com.—85 @ 46
Can. Car Pfd.—50 @ 83, 80 @ 84, 160 @ 82 1/2
Detroit United—35 @ 118 1/2, 15 @ 118
General Electric—10 @ 121, 120 @ 120 1/2, 15 @ 120
Ridion—25 @ 144, 185 @ 143, 25 @ 142 1/2
Smelting—145 @ 38 1/2, 50 @ 38 1/2, 300 @ 38
Ontario Steel—5 @ 40 1/2
Wayagamack—125 @ 106, 150 @ 106 1/2, 10 @ 106 1/2
Scotia—50 @ 146
Quebec Ry.—135 @ 43, 140 @ 42 1/2
Spanish River Com.—100 @ 21 1/2, 15 @ 22
Dom. Bridge—50 @ 195
Ames Holden Pfd.—5 @ 63
Tram Power—35 @ 35 1/2
Can. Cotton—150 @ 62, 200 @ 61 1/2, 150 @ 61 1/2
Wayagamack Bonds—1,000 @ 87
Afternoon.
Steamships Com.—250 @ 41, 50 @ 41 1/2
Steamships Pfd.—25 @ 92 1/2
Brazilian—5 @ 45
Can. Cement Pfd.—10 @ 94
Can. Cement Com.—5 @ 67, 75 @ 67 1/2
Steel Canada—100 @ 77 1/2, 375 @ 77 1/2, 20 @ 78
Shawinigan—1 @ 133 1/2
Dom. Iron Com.—80 @ 73, 410 @ 72 1/2, 100 @ 72 1/2
Civic Power—80 @ 81, 20 @ 81 1/2
Bell Telephone—15 @ 147
Can. Car Com.—205 @ 45
Toronto Ry.—25 @ 79
Montreal Cotton—25 @ 57 1/2
General Electric—25 @ 120 1/2
Ridion—160 @ 143, 50 @ 142 1/2
Smelting—40 @ 38
Wayagamack—10 @ 105, 25 @ 106
Quebec Ry.—25 @ 42 1/2
Spanish River—55 @ 21 1/2, 45 @ 21 1/2
Forgings—225 @ 210, 50 @ 211, 25 @ 210 1/2, 25 @ 211 1/2, 25 @ 212, 25 @ 213, 50 @ 213
Dom. Bridge—50 @ 195
Can. Cottons—50 @ 61 1/2
Laurentide Power—25 @ 58

FINANCIAL PRESS.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
Journal of Commerce—"There is active selling in progress by substantial interests."
Wall Street Journal—"One factor which works for lower prices is nervousness over reports of pending U-Boat operations near American waters, and another is the higher rate for call money."
N. Y. F. B.

UNFAVORABLE FACTORS IN STOCK MARKET

Prices of More Active Issues Decline from One to Three Points on Wall St. Board.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
New York, Nov. 28.—The unfavorable factors in the market situation dominated today and prices of the more active issues were off from one to three points. The point made that the federal reserve boards warnings against investment by the banks or their liquid funds in foreign treasury bills was a reason for the decline in the munition stocks and there was heavy selling of those issues on the basis that this action of the reserve board would restrict foreign buying in this country.
England has lots of our own securities still, and a continuous supply of gold from the Transvaal as well as other methods of borrowing here with which she can finance purchases for herself and allies. United Fruit reported net earnings for the past fiscal year double those of the previous year and equal to over 24 per cent. on present stock outstanding. Southern Railway October showed increase in gross \$1,110,000 on top of increase of \$500,000 same month last year, and net gain \$554,000 on top of \$620,000 last year. The railroads are beginning to compare with large earnings for a year ago and establishing new records. Sales stocks 1,234,100. Bonds \$4,650,000.
E. & C. RANDOLPH.

STEAMER PRO PATRIA ONCE MORE AFLOAT

St. Pierre, Miq., Boat Only One in Distress off Coast of Nova Scotia—America Not in Trouble.

Halifax, Nov. 28.—The steamer which sent out S. O. S. calls early this morning which were picked up by the Sable Island wireless station was not the French liner Amerique, as reported, but was the steamer Pro Patria, which had been ashore at Flat Point, on the Cape Breton coast. The Pro Patria sent out the call just as she struck and in some way the steamer's name was confused with "Amerique" in transmission. The Pro Patria, according to word received by C. H. Harvey, marine and fisheries agent, today was refloated and is now at North Sydney.

MONTREAL MARKETS BEHAVE VERY WELL.

Montreal, Nov. 28.—Considering the tightness in money over the end of the month, the uncertainty of the German submarines in the Atlantic, and a holiday in Wall Street Thursday, the markets acted well.
The majority of Wall street houses, while believing that the market will ultimately sell higher, are looking for a reaction. The wheat and cotton markets had a violent reaction today. Peace will undoubtedly affect some securities, but the majority have put themselves in strong positions and have been kept down on that account, so we do not think they will be affected very materially. Most of the bond houses inform us that they have no blocks of bonds to offer at present, showing that the investment public have taken all that have been offered. After the first of the month we expect money to ease up locally.
McDOUGALL & COWANS.

Property Transfers.

Recent transfers of property in St. John and Kings counties have been recorded as follows:
St. John county—Mary and Frederick French to W. L. Walsh, property on Erin street; Edward Partington Pulp and Paper Co., Ltd., to Nashwaak Pulp and Paper Co., Ltd., property of the company in York, Carleton, Northumberland and St. John counties; J. M. Roche to R. W. Lawton, property at Lancaster; Sarah I. and O. D. Thomson to Florence I. Thomson, property on Duke street.
Kings county—Consolidated School to W. S. Saunders, \$45, property at Rothesay; Isaac Dobbin to Edw. Hogan, et al, property at Rothesay; Grace Fairweather to B. A. Carson, property at Westfield; T. B. Slison to S. H. White Co., Ltd., \$5, property at Sussex; Isabella A. McBeath to Grace Fairweather, property at Westfield; S. N. Patterson to O. A. Flewelling, \$25, property at Greenwich; R. W. S. Thim to F. L. Titus, \$5, property at Norton.

NEW YORK COTTON

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
Jan. 20.84 20.20 20.21
Mar. 21.01 20.52 21.52
May 21.21 20.72 21.71
July 21.18 20.71 21.52
Dec. 20.70 20.19 20.19

OCEAN TUG LOST.

All hope has been given up for the ocean tug C. W. Morse, which started in June for Africa. Capt. Jeremiah Meriveth, a native of Searport, was first officer.

ENGLISH BANK RATE MAY BE LOWERED

London Times Comment on British and French Treasury Bill Loans—Washington's Warning.

Special to The Standard.
London, Nov. 28.—"What effect the arrangements will have on the bank rate is a very interesting question here," says the Times today, in referring to the plan of J. P. Morgan and Co. to sell British and French treasury bills.
"It is anticipated," the newspaper says, "that the rate of discount on new bills will be about 4 1/2 per cent. It would obviously be more to our advantage to borrow in New York at that rate than to attract American money here to be invested in treasury bills at 5 1/2 per cent. discount."
"The new arrangement is a strong argument in favor of reducing the bank rate for it was raised to attract American money here. The necessity for attracting it here will no longer exist, provided American capitalists are kept properly fed with securities on the other side."
Washington's Warning.
Washington, Nov. 28.—Safety for America, Americans and British money behind the Federal Reserve Board warning, published today against undue loan expansion secured by foreign treasury bills, experts held.
Some declared a possibility of unsettled conditions ahead with the immediate motive for the warning.
Many read into the board statement an actual apprehension as to the outcome of enormous financing of the Allies, especially in view of the possibility that they are "biting off more than they can chew."
The board, however, disclaimed any intent of reflecting on or discussing the status of foreign nations involved. Its sole idea, said the statement, is to keep Americans' funds liquid and to avoid tying up funds through the purchase of foreign treasury bills under long time obligations. "The board deems it its duty to caution member banks that it does not regard it in the interest of the country at this time."
The order was taken as a reply to J. P. Morgan and Co.'s approval of loans contemplated under the treasury bills method.

CHICAGO PRODUCE.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
Chicago, Nov. 28.—Wheat—No. 2 red, 1.76 1/2; No. 3 hard, 1.78 1/2; No. 2 hard, 1.80; No. 3 hard, 1.78 1/2; Corn—No. 2 yellow, 92 1/4 to 94; No. 3 yellow, 88 1/2 to 91; No. 4 white, 89 1/2 to 91.
Oats—No. 3 white, 54 1/4 to 56; standard, nominal.
Rye—No. 2, 1.52.
Barley—90 to 1.25.
Timothy—3.25 to 5.50.
Clover—11.00 to 15.00.
Pork—28.50; lard, 16.87; ribs, 14.00 to 14.62.
Wheat.
High. Low. Close
May 181 170 175
July 149 139 144 1/2
Dec. 173 160 167 1/2
Corn.
May 93 90 91 1/2
July 83 80 80 1/2
Dec. 90 87 88 1/2
Oats.
May 59 56 56 1/2
July 55 52 52
Dec. 54 52 54 1/2
Pork.
Jan. 27.92 27.50 27.50
Dec. 27.50 27.35 27.35

ENGLISH POTATO CROP.

London, Nov. 28.—The board of agriculture estimates the potato crop of England and Wales for the current year with a decrease of 35,000,000 acres and 350,000 tons less than in 1915. It is, however, only 100,000 tons less than the ten years average.

NEWS SUMMARY.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
New York, Nov. 28.—Sears Roebuck declared regular quarterly dividend 1 3/4 per cent on preferred, payable January 1, stock record December 15th.
Northern Pipe Line declared semi-annual dividend \$5 per share, payable January 3, stock record December 13.
Chicago Great Western October net \$164,231, 4 months increase \$508,839.
Federal Reserve Board warns American bankers against accepting long term notes for foreign governments.
Villa reported to have captured Chihuahua City.
Wage increase of ten per cent. given to 6,500 steel and glass workers in Pittsburgh and Toledo.
Distilling Co. of America files articles of dissolution and will surrender its New Jersey charter.
N. Y. F. B.

INTERNATIONAL ISSUES DECLINE IN PRICES

Denial in Authoritative Quarters of Any Serious Peace Negotiations—Money Situation Mixed.

New York, Nov. 28.—The attitude of the federal reserve board respecting the further free acceptance by national banks of foreign securities based upon war emergencies was the all pervading subject of discussion in financial circles today. Various interpretations were placed upon this important act, and speculative sentiment was distinctly depressed.
Market-wise one of the direct results was observed in the lower trend of international loans floated in the country since the outbreak of the war. Virtually all issues of that description were heavy. Paris gilt declining 1 1/4 points to the low record of 96 3/8.
Denials from authoritative quarters of any serious peace negotiations were without beneficial effect upon foreign remittances, exchange rates to Germany and Austria undergoing further attrition, with a material easing of rubles.
Local and interior financial institutions were in accord in quoting higher rates for time loans, and call money rose to six per cent, duplicating the high rate of the year, albeit the inquiry for accommodations of this character diminished perceptibly.
There was no material diminution of operations, sales again approximating 1,230,000 shares, but the great bulk of the day's trading took place in the first and final hours, with intermediate periods of apathy. Lowest prices were made towards the close, the list then showing some unsettlement on rumors of another marine disaster involving possible international complications.
Extreme recessions of one to three points were registered by equipments, coppers and other metals, sugars, petroleum, motors and industrial commodities comprising the steel and iron class. United States Steel was relatively steady, but Bethlehem Steel fell 25 points on a single transaction.
Ralls were the backbone of the market, only nominal recessions occurring in that division, those being offset by the comparative strength of Reading and other coals.
H and L and industrial bonds were irregular on reduced dealings. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$4,650,000. United States bonds unchanged on call, but coupon 3/8 fell 3/8 per cent. on sales.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

Open High Low Close
Am Beet Sug 10 1/4 10 1/4 10 1/4 10 1/4
Am Can Ry 7 3/4 7 3/4 7 1/4 7 1/4
Am Loco 89 90 88 88 1/2
Am Sug 118 118 117 117 1/2
Am Sme 118 119 116 116 1/2
Am Steel Ry 6 1/2 6 1/2 6 5/8 6 5/8
Am Woolen 53 1/2 53 1/2 53 53 1/2
Am Zinc 123 123 122 122 1/2
Am Tele 98 98 98 98
Amex 123 123 122 122 1/2
H and L Pfd 76 76 74 74
Am Can 62 1/2 62 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2
Atchafalaya 105 105 105 105
Balt and Ohio 86 86 85 85 1/2
Bald Loco 83 1/2 83 1/2 80 1/2 80 1/2
Brook Rap Tr 84 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2
Butte and Sup 68 1/2 68 1/2 68 1/2 68 1/2
C P I 57 57 54 54 1/2
Ches and Ohio 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2
Chino 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2
Can Lath 112 1/2 112 1/2 110 1/2 110 1/2
Can Pac 168 1/2 168 1/2 168 168
Cris Steel 86 86 85 85 1/2
Erie Com 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2 36 1/2
Erie 1st Pfd 52 1/2 52 1/2 51 1/2 51 1/2
Good Rub 69 1/2 69 1/2 69 1/2 69 1/2
Gen Elect 179 179 179 179
Gen Oro 45 45 44 44 1/2
Indus Alcohol 134 1/2 134 1/2 133 1/2 133 1/2
Balt Gas 127 127 127 127
Inspira Cop 70 70 68 68 1/2
Kans City Sou 26 1/2 26 1/2 26 1/2 26 1/2
Kenne Cop 57 1/2 57 1/2 56 1/2 56 1/2
Lehigh Val 81 1/2 81 1/2 81 1/2 81 1/2
Mer Mar Pfd 116 117 115 115 1/2
Mex Petrol 108 1/2 108 1/2 107 1/2 107 1/2
Miami Cop 46 1/2 46 1/2 45 45
NY NH and H 57 1/2 57 1/2 57 1/2 57 1/2
N Y Cent 106 1/2 107 106 1/2 106 1/2
Nor and West 139 1/2 141 139 1/2 140
Nor Pac 110 1/2 111 110 1/2 110 1/2
Nevada Com 30 1/2 30 1/2 29 29
Ont and West 32 32 32 32
Penn 56 1/2 56 1/2 56 1/2 56 1/2
Press Stl Car 83 84 82 82 1/2
Reading Com 108 1/2 108 1/2 108 1/2 108 1/2
Repub Steel 88 1/2 88 1/2 86 1/2 86 1/2
St Paul 92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2
Son Pac 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2 100 1/2
Sou Rail 26 1/2 27 26 1/2 27
Studebaker 123 1/2 124 123 123 1/2
Union Pac 147 1/2 148 147 147 1/2
U S Stl Com 126 1/2 127 125 125 1/2
U S Rub 64 1/2 64 1/2 63 1/2 63 1/2
Utah Cop 123 1/2 124 121 121 1/2
United Fruit 161 1/2 161 1/2 160 1/2 160 1/2
Westhouse 63 1/2 64 1/2 62 1/2 62 1/2
West Union 103 1/2 103 1/2 103 1/2 103 1/2
U S Steel Pfd 121 1/2 121 1/2 121 1/2 121 1/2

BELIEVE GERMANY'S DEFEAT CERTAIN

Fall in Reichmarks and Kroner Indicates, However, That Peace is Not Yet in Sight, Say N. Y. Financial Men.

Special to The Standard.
New York, Nov. 28.—The fall in German reichmarks and Vienna kroner to the lowest quotations since the war broke out was used as a basis by some traders to controvert the "peace talk" in the stock market, says the Post. The foreign exchange market with the situation and with excellent first hand sources of information. There is no "public" to run away with the foreign exchange market. There is no expert opinion to distort it. And it is argued by those who contend that it reflects a prolongation of the war, that if peace were imminent British and French, and even German and Austrian, exchange would rise. Those who hold this opinion believe that Germany's defeat is already certain, and that a German victory merely prolongs the war. Hence they uphold the interesting paradox that with every German victory German exchange should go down.
WINNIPEG WHEAT CLOSE.
May 181 1/2
Nov. 188 1/2
Dec. 184 1/2

MONTREAL MARKETS (McDOUGALL & COWANS.)

Ames Holden Com. 22 23
Brazilian L. H. and P. 45 45 1/2
Canada Car 44 45
Canada Cement 67 68
Canada Cement Pfd. 94 94
Can. Cotton 61 61 1/2
Civic Power 81 81 1/2
Crown Reserves 53 50
Detroit United 118 118 1/2
Dom. Bridge 193 195
Dom. Iron Pfd. 96 96
Dom. Iron Com. 72 72 1/2
Dom. Tex. Com. 85 85
N. Scotia Steel and C. 144 144
Ogilvie 73 75
Penman's Limited 143 144
Quebec Railway 42 42 1/2
Shaw W. and P. Co. 133 134
Spanish River Pfd. 21 21 1/2
Spanish River Com. 64 64
Steel Co. Can. Com. 77 77 1/2
Steel Co. Can. Pfd. 98 99
Toronto Ralls 78 79

MONTREAL PRODUCE.

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Oats—Canadian Western No. 2, 69 1/2; No. 3, 68 1/2; extra No. 1 feed, 68 1/2.
Barley—Man feed, 1.03; malting, 1.30 to 1.32.
Flour—Man spring wheat patents, 10.30; seconds, 9.80; strong bakers, 9.60; winter patents, choice, 10.00; straight rollers, 9.50 to 9.80; in bags, 4.55 to 4.70.
Rolled oats—Barrels, 7.46; bags, 90 lbs., 3.60.
Maltfeed—Bran, 30; shorts, 33; middlings, 35 to 37; moultie, 40 to 45.
Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, 13.00.
Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 1.60 to 1.75.

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WIL. PRESIDENT WILSON "HOCH DER KAISER" YET?

Deutschland to Carry Head of United States Elaborate Christmas Present if She is Not Captured.

Geneva, Nov. 28, via London.—Emperor William will send to President Wilson, as a Christmas present, a de luxe set of American authors, specially prepared, printed and bound at the Royal printing works in Berlin, according to the Budapest newspaper As Est. The German submarine Deutschland, the newspaper says, will carry the gift to the United States on her next trip across the Atlantic. Emperor William's Christmas gift to Pope Benedict will be a Bible, magnificently illuminated and bound.

SHIPPING NEWS

MINIATURE ALMANAC.
November—Phases of the Moon.

First quarter	2nd—1h. 51m. p.m.
Full moon	9th—4h. 18m. p.m.
Last quarter	17th—6h. 0m. p.m.
New moon	25th—4h. 50m. p.m.

W	1.46	4.37	2.06	15.25	8.26	20.56
Th	1.48	4.35	2.02	15.26	8.22	21.53

PORT OF ST. JOHN, N. B.

Arrived Tuesday, Nov. 28, 1916.
Stems New Zealand and Moyuna, Transatlantic ports.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Halifax, Nov. 26.—Ard etmr Salerno, Liverpool.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Boston, Nov. 26.—Ard etmr Bay State, Liverpool; Lord Cromer, Liverpool; Baytjern, Newcastle, E.; schr Frank H. Adams, from Gloucester. Sid Nov. 26th, schr M. D. Chesny, (in tow), Bath. Vineyard Haven, Nov. 26.—Sid schr Harry W. Lewis, St. John, N. B. New York, Nov. 26.—Ard etmr Kroomland, Liverpool; Philadelphia, do. Portland, Nov. 25.—Ard schr Fannie Belle, Grand Manan, N. B., with 7,000 lobsters; star Gertrude, Grand Manan, N. B., with 5,000 lobsters. Sid Nov. 25, etmr Bratsberg, Johannessen, Marcellis. Cape Cod Canal, Mass.—Passed E. Nov. 26, schrs Neva and F. G. French. City Island—Passed Nov. 26, schrs Lisette J. Gail, south Amboy for Halliwell, Me.; Maggie Todd, Port Boston for Boston; Odell, Port Eaton for Boston; Ida B. Gibson, New York for Bangor, Me.; May E. Patterson, New York.

SCHOONER NOTES.

Tern schooner Margaret May Riley has completed loading lumber and laths for Barbados and will be ready to proceed at the week-end. Schooner D. W. B. will load deals at Point Wolfe. Tern schooner Charles C. Lester was towed from above the falls yesterday en route for Weymouth, N. S., where she will load for New York. Tern schr Moama will be towed to Stetson & Cutler's mill, Indian town, today, to load laths. Tern schooner Eva A. Dapenhower will proceed to Apple River to load piling for New York.

SCHOONER ABANDONED.

The schooner William Thomas Moore, Captain Publicover, which sailed for the United Kingdom from Halifax on October 27, deal laden, was abandoned at sea Nov. 13, in lat 40.05 N., long 37.56 W., crew saved. Earlier in the year the William Thomas Moore made a successful trip to the old country. She was built at Bethel, Del., in 1902. Last winter she went over on her beam ends and was towed into Halifax dismantled where she was purchased by B. H. Dunfield and refitted. She was considered a bit "cranky" and for that reason she was making the trip without topmasts.

ST. JOHN HAS UNION MEMBERSHIP OF 2,000

St. John Has 21 Local Unions and Halifax 25, According to Federal Labor Department.

St. John has a labor union membership of 1,578, that is as reported to the labor department. There are twenty-one local unions of which only seventeen however reported their membership. Halifax reports a union membership of 1,801, but it has twenty-five unions and only fourteen have reported.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal.
Grace P. Trappell, Montreal; Gertrude L. Mercer, Channel, Nfld.; Chas. E. Oak, Bangor; G. E. Stafford, Hamilton; J. H. Stratton, Hamilton; O. S. Crockett, Fredericton; P. S. Coombs, G. M. Howley, Hartford, Conn.; Wm. S. Shapiro, Montreal; Miss Helen Nelson, Halifax; W. H. Bladale, Boston; V. A. Barnwell, Pictou; W. G. G. Goodwin, W. H. Semple, Truro; W. E. Morrison, Cleveland; A. Milne Fraser, Capt. V. C. Johnson, Halifax; R. H. Chester, Montreal; Chas. E. Heustis, St. Stephen; E. L. Mitchell and wife, Barbados; A. E. Robillard, Montreal; K. M. Cameron, Ottawa; E. Nadeau, F. Battle, Montreal; J. M. Chalifour, Mr. Coutler, Ottawa; R. H. Blennerhassett, Montreal; S. A. Lindhal, C. M. Tompkins, Montreal; L. O. Clifford, Oshawa; J. R. Hannigan and wife, Chester W. Barreau, Deer Island.

Victoria.

Geo. O. Stratton, J. C. Snaagster, C. W. Milton, G. A. Hill, Moncton; Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Tozer, Campbellton; Percy B. Dolin, Oak Bay; C. Fraserelle, D. G. Givister, Glenwood; J. A. Murray, York Mills; Mrs. Weldon, Boston; J. C. Gillespie, Truro; F. H. Calder, Halifax; D. A. Seaman, T. McPherson, Moncton; G. A. Bacon, Campbellton; D. T. Lester, McAdam; Geo. M. Thorne, Ennisville; T. H. Brees, Montreal; A. G. Berry, Sussex; W. W. Ingram, Toronto; A. E. Trites, H. S. Currie, J. F. Clarke, H. F. Dibblee, L. C. Wetmore, Partridge Island; J. C. Jones, Petitcodiac; J. P. Calder, Campbellton; Wm. Lingley, Mr. Swanson, E. A. Haines, Campbellton.

Park.

J. Hunt, Fredericton; Thos. Gilbert, Moncton; R. Foley, J. Doyle, New York; M. Duff, Toronto; M. Foley, Montreal; R. Riley, Kingston; G. D. Gibbs, Fredericton; Jas. S. Roy, Newcastle; V. Bent and wife, Digby, N. S.; J. A. Hogan, Summerside, P. E. I.; G. W. Hopper, Truro; A. B. Locke, Jas. Baldwin, Halifax; Emory Twine, Hillsboro; F. W. Hope, Halifax; Thos. B. Carson, St. Martin's; F. Thomson, Hampstead; G. McGee, Hazen, McGee, Beck Bay; Herbert Carmichael, St. George; D. D. Porter, Meductic; A. E. O'Leary, Richibucto; Capt. M. Kiernam, New York; J. E. Binney, D. S. Giddens, Truro; R. D. Gaymor, M. Williams, McAdam; G. M. Gunter, Minto; C. E. Power, W. P. Eaton, T. L. Salterio, P. P. Guinan, Halifax; F. S. Date, Montreal; J. Wilson, J. Maher, Halifax.

Fire Chief's Car Here.

The runabout for the chief of the fire department has arrived in the city and last night the commissioner had it out for a trial trip. The machine attracted a good deal of attention, and was the subject of favorable comment on the part of those who examined it. As soon as the commissioner is satisfied that the auto is in good condition and up to specification it will be taken over and handed over to the chief for his use.

LOCAL BOWLING.

In the City League match last night the Sweepers took four points from the Beavers. The scores follow:

Sweepers.	
McIlveen	105 87 99 291 97
Gambila	99 103 93 295 98 1-3
Jenkins	94 88 109 291 97 1-3
Ferguson	94 116 92 302 100 2-3
Sullivan	101 83 75 259 86 1-3
493 477 463 1438	
Beavers.	
Cooper	93 88 93 274 91 1-3
Maxwell	92 86 94 263 87 1-3
Scott	95 86 86 267 89
Belyea	90 84 84 258 86
Carleton	104 91 96 291 97
474 435 443 1352	

The Specials and Whips roll to-night.

SLICK SWINDLER STEALS SCOTIA STEEL SALARIES

So Suspect of Slimy, Shady, Subtraction Sojourns in Stellarton Stronghold.

Special to The Standard.
New Glasgow, N. S., Nov. 27.—A man walked into the Nova Scotia steel works pay office just about the time the men were receiving their salary envelopes and called out two numbers and two names to correspond. The numbers called agreed with the names given and the envelopes were passed out to him. Later two workmen called for their pay and then it was found that the first man was an impostor. This afternoon ex-Chief Chisholm went to Little Harbor and arrested Allan McDonald of that place upon suspicion. It seems that McDonald is a brother of one of the men whose money was drawn.

MARRIAGES

Harris-Burke.
Yesterday morning at 6 o'clock in the Cathedral, Rev. H. L. Coughlan united in marriage Miss Frances M. Burke, daughter of Mrs. Teresa and the late Edward Burke, to John Harris, with nuptial mass. The bride was attired in a tailor-made suit of battleship grey, with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of pink carnations, with maiden hair fern. She was supported by her sister, Miss Sadie Burke, who wore a gown of black silk, and carried a bouquet of white and pink carnations. The groom had the assistance of Jack Ward. A dainty breakfast was served after the ceremony at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. James Parks 9 Douglas street. The bride was the recipient of many useful and ornamental gifts of silverware, cut glass and furniture. The groom's present to the bridesmaid was an amethyst ring, and to the groomsmen a pair of gold cuff links. Mr. and Mrs. Harris will reside on Chubb street. A reception was given in the evening at the home of Mrs. James Parks.

Bennett-Giles.

At the Mission church, Paradise Row, yesterday morning, Rev. Canon Smithers united in marriage Miss Edith Giles, of London, to Rev. Herbert Edward Bennett, of Upper James, with nuptial celebration. The Holy Eucharist taken by Rev. J. V. Young. The bride who was given away by Charles H. Lee, wore a light blue suit with large white hat. After the ceremony a reception was held at the Mission Church rectory. The happy couple will spend a few days in the city, after which they will leave for Upper James, where they will take up housekeeping.

McGraw-Hebert.

Private Maurice McGraw, of the 165th Battalion, St. John, and Miss Celestine Hebert were married on Monday morning at seven o'clock. The ceremony was performed in St. John the Baptist Church, Broad street by Rev. Captain J. Gaudet, chaplain. Michael Kelly supported the groom, and the bride was attended by Miss Gertrude Travis. The groom is a native of Portland, Me., and the bride a former resident of Lameque, Gloucester county.

DEATH OF LADY BURNED WHILE ASSISTING SON

Fredericton, Nov. 28.—Mrs. Frank Smith, who was severely burned while dressing her son's wound, in her home on Saturday, died in the Victoria Hospital today. She is survived by her husband and two sons, Harry of the Fredericton post office staff, who lost a leg while fighting in France, and Frank, at home; also one daughter, Georgina. Mrs. Smith was a daughter of Peter Quigley of Summerside. John Quigley of St. John, now overseas, is a brother. Her death has caused much regret.

TWO BOYS ALMOST PERISH ON BOX CAR

Boston, Nov. 27.—Weakened by hunger and thirty-six hours exposure to the cold, John Murray and Fred Hackett, aged 11 and 12 years, respectively, were taken from the top of a freight train last night and sent to a children's home to await the arrival of their parents from Springfield, Maine. The boys were in a serious condition, Hackett collapsing when taken from the car. The lads told the police they left home Saturday noon to come to Boston to sell papers.



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Wouldn't a little self-denial now be richly repaid by knowing, when the war is over, that you had done your part, and had saved precious lives for our unfortunate Allies?

Enroll your name to-day among those who are doing their bit in this way! Send your subscription weekly, monthly or in one lump sum to Local or Provincial Committees, or

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Bringing Up Father



C.P.R. POLICE NOW ON GUARD AT VANCEBORO

Canadian Soldiers Withdrawn from Bridge which Werner Horn Attempted to Blow Up.

Canadian soldiers who have been guarding the international bridge at Vanceboro for nearly two years, since an attempt by Werner Horn to destroy it with explosives, were withdrawn yesterday. It is stated that the Canadian Pacific Railway police hereafter will patrol the structure.

Horn is now in the Dedham, Mass., jail pending the outcome of his trial in the courts against conviction for unlawfully transporting dynamite.

Quite a Jail Bird. Since his arrest he has been in seven different jails. Horn said recently: "I'm going to write a history of jails when I get back to the Fatherland. I think I am in a pretty good position to do so. First they put me in Vanceboro—merely a detention pen—then to Bangor, then Machias, next to Portland, followed by East Cambridge, then down to Plymouth, now out here. Quite a record, eh?"

A short chat with Horn soon convinces the interviewer of his loyalty to Germany. His act he says was "an act of war" nothing else.

He is supplied with prominent German publications and reads considerably. He is master of at least six languages.

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OBITUARY Mrs. A. C. Ritchie. After a long illness Mrs. A. C. Ritchie passed away yesterday morning at her late home, McLaren's Beach.

The deceased was the last surviving daughter of the late Mrs. William Ewing and is survived by her husband, one son, an active service, and three brothers, William A. and George R. Ewing, of St. John, and R. S. Ewing, of Winnipeg.

Her death is sincerely mourned by a large circle of friends. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Edith Dixon Russell. The numerous friends of Mrs. Edith Dixon Russell were grieved to learn of her death which occurred at her home in Fort Fairfield after an extended illness.

Mrs. Russell was the daughter of the late James and Amelia Dixon of Grand Falls, and was about 48 years of age. She leaves to mourn a husband and one daughter, Miss Merinda, her mother, who was with her at the time of her death, four sisters and two brothers.

Hon. Sylvanus Smith. The death is announced in Gloucester, Mass., of Hon. Sylvanus Smith, the pastor of the American Fisheries. He was well known in the Canadian fish trade.

ST. JOHN MAKING MARK AS EXPERT AVIATOR U.S.

Royden Foley, of Westmorland Road, Assistant to United Army Officer, Appears with Latter in Series of Remarkable Evolutions.

Royden Foley, a St. John boy and an expert aviator and mechanic, is making his mark in experimental work in Uncle Sam's domain. The following description of a flight is given in the Philadelphia Press, which has been received by the young man's mother, Mrs. James W. Foley, of Westmorland Road, East St. John:

All South Philadelphia gasped and wondered yesterday afternoon when William C. Ocker, sergeant in the United States army, went up in his \$11,000 Marceau biplane and performed a series of beautiful evolutions 3500 feet in the air. Time after time the dark body of the big machine was outlined against the descending sun and time after time the great machine, whose purring was heard by great swarms like a giant but graceful bird. Then down she would come again in beautiful curves, sometimes describing perfect figure 8's at others making great scrolls in the sky.

The performance lasted just twenty minutes and then Sergeant Ocker descended gracefully in the parking place in League Island Park, near the lake, which he picked out for his machine when he landed after a trip Friday from Mineola, Long Island.

Vare Declines To Fly. Congressman William S. Vare came to League Island Park just before Ocker, 2108 South Twentieth street, and he was invited to be a passenger, but declined. Sergeant Ocker arrived at the park with his father, John Ocker, 2108 South Twentieth street, at whose home he had spent the night after "dropping in," as it were, on his parents in the afternoon.

The army sergeant began to cut capers when he was only a few hundred feet up. Soon he had the machine speeded up to an eighty-five mile an hour rate and going at this speed he put the biplane through a series of figure eights, spirals and giant dips, which half a dozen movie picture machines recorded.

Finally the airplane went swiftly over League Island in a great circle and over the Delaware to the Jersey shore before coming back and making a perfect landing.

It was the only flight Sergeant Ocker made during the day and he went just to "pass the time" while awaiting the arrival of Congressman O. D. Bleakley of Franklin, Pa., who is coming here to make the journey on the remaining lap of Ocker's test trip from Mineola to Washington.

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE PRESIDENT STANNAGE ADDRESSES MONTGONIANS

Moncton, Nov. 27.—Rev. Dr. T. Stannage Boyle, president of King's College, Windsor, N. S., formerly of Trinity College, Toronto, addressed the Canadian Club here tonight, his subject, "The Canadians of the Future," was highly interesting, dealing in part as it did with the situation after the war.

The address was given in the assembly hall of the Aberdeen school. The speaker was given a hearty reception by the club members.

SCOTCH THREAD CO. RAISES WAGES IN U.S.

Boston, Nov. 28.—The J. and P. Coats Co. Ltd., of Glasgow and Falkirk, Scotland, has ordered a general advance in wages of ten per cent. in its six thread mills in Pawtucket and Central Falls, R. I., employing 3,500 operatives.

The advance will also become operative in the three mills of Holyoke, Willimant, Glasgow, Conn., and elsewhere in New England Dec. 4.

The knitting mills and all the independent woolen mills of New England are posting notices of a ten per cent. advance this week as anticipated.

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N. B. Lobsters Shipped. The schooner Faunio Parnell carried the first shipment of New Brunswick lobsters of the season to Boston. The schooner took 3,800 pounds from Grand Harbor. Other vessels will follow. Wholesale prices in Boston range from 36 to 38 cents a pound.

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PILES OF HEALTH FOR DYSPEPTICS DIETING UNNECESSARY.

There are two ways by which people who suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia, sour stomach, flatulence, etc., can overcome the trouble. First, as practically all cases of the above are directly or indirectly traceable to acidity and fermentation, they can eliminate from their diet all foods which ferment and form acid, such as all starches and sugar and foods containing sugar, fruits and most meats. About the only safe foods are gluten breads, spinach and small quantities of white meat of chicken or turkey. This diet is almost a starvation one, but it is sometimes quite effective. The second way, which appeals especially to those who like to eat whatever is reasonably digestible, neutralize the acid and stop fermentation by the use of a good anti-acid such as bicarated magnesia, a teaspoonful of which in a little water immediately after eating, or whenever pain is felt, instantly neutralizes the acid, stops the fermentation and permits the stomach to do its work without pain or hindrance. Owing to its simplicity, convenience and effectiveness this latter plan is now being adopted, instead of the old-fashioned, expensive, weakening starvation process. In this connection it is interesting to note that since the widespread use of bicarated magnesia has been established, many druggists have arranged to supply it in 5-gr. tablets, 2 or 3 of which are equivalent to a teaspoonful of the powder form and are much more convenient to carry.

A Smooth, White Skin That Defies Weather

During the coming months of biting winds and snow, you who wish to keep your skin smooth, white and velvety, should use a skin cream that will remove a chapped, roughened or discolored surface. It gradually absorbs the weather-beaten cuticle, the complexion is kept in perfect condition, and even the beauty of expression appears more pronounced. Your skin, like blotchy, pimply, puffed-up, or over-red, why not shed it? One ounce of ordinary mercuric ointment, or any of the more youthful appearance, even after one application, will astonish you.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

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

600 POTS

ASSIGNEE SALE OF groceries, horse, harness, wagon, etc. I am instructed by the Assignee to sell on Wednesday afternoon, the 29th instant, at 2.15 o'clock at stable in rear of 112 Orange street, one horse, express wagon, pump, covered carriage and harness, and at 3 o'clock at the corner of Wentworth and Queen streets, the entire stock of first class family groceries belonging to the estate of James Macaulay.

Commercial Travellers

residing in the province of New Brunswick are urgently requested to attend the first annual meeting of the N. B. C. T. Patriotic Club, to be held on Friday evening, Dec. 1st, at eight p. m., in the Board of Trade Rooms, St. John. Officers and Board of Directors for the ensuing year will be elected at this meeting.

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THE HOME THE WORLD

NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

THE MOVIES THE PLAYERS

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

MARGUERITE'S WEEKLY CHAT.

On Christmas Giving. "What is this for?" said a lady in a shop as she picked a much be-ribboned article. "I don't know, madam," answered the clerk rather helplessly. "Just a Christmas present I guess."

RED CROSS HELP.

Don't letters like this make you want to help? It is just one of many such grateful letters which the Red Cross receives:

September 6th, 1916. Dear Madam—I have been in the hospital eight weeks, during this time I and a bunch of us Canadians here, have experienced many kindnesses from Miss M. S., who I believe, acts as representative for the Canadian Red Cross.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Tonight at the Y.M.C.A., the clerks of W. H. Thorne & Co. and T. McAvity & Sons will be the guests of the association and a splendid programme has been prepared for their entertainment.

OXO CUBES. An OXO Cube in a cup of hot water makes a delicious hot beef drink at the low cost of 2¢ cents while an OXO Cube in warm milk is splendid for growing children. A CUBE TO A CUP. This 10c and 25c.

Uncle Dick's Corner.

TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE. Its Hind Legs. Ethel (as baby brother tries to walk for the first time) "Mummy, quick, do look! Baby's walking on his hind legs!"

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS. Uncle Dick wishes many happy returns to the following kiddie who is celebrating his birthday today: Herbert Gaunce, Folsom P. O., Mill-street.

EXTRACTS FROM THE MAIL BAG. Other Members Her Friends. 281 Rockland street. Dear Uncle Dick: I am sending you this week's picture which I have colored. I would like to join the corner and would like to get a prize. I tried the word contest but did not succeed. I have a lot of little friends in the corner, Margaret Hayes, Greta Wetmore and a lot more. I shall have to close. Yours truly, Margaret Edgar.

Interesting Letter. Hampton, N. B. Dear Uncle Dick: I was sorry but I didn't get a chance to write you last week. I will write a long letter this time to make up for that. I go to school every day. I am there in Grade VII. Two years ago we came to Hampton, before that I had lived on a farm in Lower Norton. I liked the farm all right but I like up here best. There are more girls to play with and a much better school to go to. Down at Lower Norton there were about twenty scholars, going to school when I was there, while up here there are over two hundred and seventy-five.

On Wednesday of this week we expect to have an entertainment and supper to raise money for the Belgians. On Wednesday morning there was a committee appointed to canvass the district and tag people. Another girl and myself have from the school to the station to canvass. I did not hear whether I had the answer to that puzzle right or not. This week I tried the coloring contest. I am not an artist but I like coloring very much. I hope the corner will progress as rapidly as it has in the past. From your niece, Leah Frost.

Writes For Her Sister. St. Stephen, N. B. Dear Uncle Dick: I wrote this story down for my sister, Barbara, because she is only five and cannot write. She made up this story and I copied it down for her; at it just exactly as she said it. I am eight years old. I sent you something last winter I don't just know what it was but I got honorable mention. Barbara never sent in anything because she was too young. I think my letter is getting long so I will have to close. Muriel B. Vessey.

The Visitor. Prince William street. He is in love. How he came to fall in love with Miss Pussy I cannot tell, but I am sure he has fully made up his mind to tell her all about it. He has dressed himself in his best and by his look I think he feels sure Pussy will be delighted to have him come and proud to have such a fine beau. Really I hope he may be mistaken for he has no right to be so sure. The folks inside will be polite and treat him nicely. If he is a real gentleman and true he will no doubt win out in the end. —By Eileen Davis.

Busy Knitting For Soldiers. 64 Wright street. Dear Uncle Dick: I was down to Greta Wetmore's house tonight knitting and she wrote a letter to you. I'm sending two contests. Some girls of our school had a candy sale and made \$10.00. I think it was good because they did not think of it till Friday afternoon. Well, as it is late I will close. Your loving niece, Marjorie Shannon.

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World and on the Stage—Favorites and What They Say and Do.

"The Chattel." I had the pleasure of a view of "The Chattel," and it seemed to me a very wonderful picture. The photo graphy is almost perfect and it is certainly one of the best works as to directing and production. To see E. H. Southern on the screen is probably the best chance many of us in St. John will have to admire the work of this famous actor, as he is now on what is his farewell tour. He is giving the proceeds of this tour to the Red Cross. Peggy Hyland who plays opposite Mr. Southern is a very beautiful girl and wears many lovely clothes.

Made Stage Debut in 1902. Warren Cook, who portrays the role of the Earl of Dunstable in Mary Pickford's forthcoming Artcraft production, "The Pride of the Clan," started his career as an actor some twenty years ago in 1892. For the benefit of the statistician who will higger over the above statement we might add that 1902 was the name of the play in which Mr. Cook made his debut as an actor—the year.

"Little Mary" Honored by Edison. Mary Pickford has just received another valuable acquisition to her library, namely "Edison, His Life and Inventions" in two volumes, presented to her by the great inventor and containing his personal autograph.

Pawlowa's New Divertissement Crowning Feature at the Hippodrome. Charles Dillingham promises something new each week in his dazzling spectacle "The Big Show" at the Hippodrome and this coming week Anna Pawlowa will present a complete change of programme in the eighteen minutes allotted to her on the big bill, which already includes every imaginable style of amusement, from musical comedy and minstrelsy to the gayest sort of sea-acting diversion.

Pawlowa is altering her dances in order to present during the festive holiday season, a series of creations she has made popular and famous. The decision to do this was prompted by hundreds of requests asking her to permit Hippodrome patrons to see these charming solos, for which an admission price of five dollars has always been charged, during her previous New York appearances—a fact which deprived many of the privilege of enjoying them.

Her interesting "Request Programme" will include the Gavotte Pawlowa danced to Paul Lincke's music, "The Dragon Fly" by Kreisler, and a new number with A. Volinine called "Ole" by Bizet which has never before been seen in America. Other divertissements in which the entire ballet will participate are "Obertass," a Polish dance by Levadovski; the "Polka Piccata" by Drigo; the "Fandango" by Massenet; and the "Farandole" by Bizet. The list presents a rare array of variety and amusement for lovers of the ballet. The orchestra during this divertissement will be conducted by Theodor Stier, Pawlowa's personal conductor.

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plotted all round. As a matter of fact, the tea drinking public is not paying so much in proportion for its tea now with 1s. per lb. duty as it did when the duty was 8d. Wonderful value can be had at 2s. per lb., and the Government takes one shilling of this, so that with 10d. about lowest for fairly usable tea in Mincing-lane, it does not leave any enormous profit to the distributor after charges for manipulation, &c., have been taken into consideration. It was the 1s. 8d. canister then and the 2s. canister now. The consuming public has suffered far less over its tea than any other commodity in household use, while, as we have before pointed out, competition nowadays is so keen that no distributor can afford to drop the quality. On the contrary, they vie with each other as to which shall put the best tea into the blends. Blending has become a high art and the tea drinking public reaps the benefit. If tea had to be sold from the original packages, as it used to be years ago, nothing like the value could be shown at the money and it would never be twice as alike.—From London, England, Grocers' Gazette, Oct. 28, 1916.

Liquid Catarrh Remedies Useless. Only Relieve—Never Cure. They go direct to the stomach, have very little effect on the linings of the nose and throat and entirely fail to cure. Only by cleansing the air passages by relieving the inflammation and killing the germs is cure possible. No combination of antiseptics is so successful as Catarrhose. In breathing it, you send the richest pine balsams right to the seat of the disease. Irritating phlegm is cleared out, hoarseness, coughing and hacking are cured. For a permanent cure for Catarrh, nothing equals Catarrhose, get it today, but beware of dangerous substitutes meant to deceive you for genuine Catarrhose. All dealers sell Catarrhose, large size containing two months' treatment costs \$1.00; small size 50c.; sample size 25c.

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Opera House. The pictures of the 180th Battalion sports, taken at the Barrack Square, were viewed with much interest by a large audience last night.

Ella Hall, who was last seen in Bluebird Photoplays in "Little Eva" is so successful as Catarrhose. In Edgarton, will soon reappear in the same series, as star of "We Are French," a play written by Robert Davis, editor of Munsey's Magazine.

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APOHAQUI

Apoahqui, Nov. 28.—Mrs. George Sharpe of Los Angeles, California, is the guest of the Misses Sarah and Cornelia Sharpe.

Capt. D. T. Alexander of Alma, Albert Co., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James P. Connelly on Monday.

Ralph Pearson spent the week-end with friends in St. John.

A. B. McLeod of Truro, N. S., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harley S. Jones on Wednesday last.

Miss Edna McManus, St. John, was a week-end guest with Mr. and Mrs. Guy A. Adair.

Mrs. W. E. Moore, who has been the guest of her parents for a short time, returned on Thursday to her home in Point Wolfe, Albert Co.

A. E. Smye, bridge contractor, of Alma, Albert Co., spent the week-end at the Apoahqui House.

Mrs. John Manchester and Miss Katharine Manchester spent Sunday in Sussex, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mills.

The Misses Ethel Wright and Vera Wright, Spasser, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wright.

The many friends of Cyrus B. McCready are pleased to know he is recovering from his recent indisposition, having been unable to attend to business for some days.

Mrs. W. S. Fairweather and Mrs. Ralph Freeze and children, Spasser, spent Saturday with Mrs. Geo. H. Seard.

Rutherford Starkey, Cody's, will spend the winter with his grandmother, Mrs. John Little and is attending the Apoahqui Superior School.

Mrs. Walter Long, Snyder Mountain, was a Sunday guest of Mrs. Alfred Taylor.

Miss Martha McVey, primary teacher, spent the week-end at her home in Passakeag.

Collin King was a week-end guest with his sister, Mrs. Ogilvie.

St. John Man Thers. Rev. E. B. Hooper, rector of St. Paul's Anglican church, and family, were residing at Ramsgate, England, where a submarine raid was made a few nights ago. The damage done was slight. It is supposed Rev. Mr. Hooper and family are still at Ramsgate.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Maritime—Moderate to fresh winds, a few local showers, but generally fair.

Washington, Nov. 28.—Forecast: Northern New England—Overcast Wednesday, and Thursday with probable rain; moderate variable winds.

Toronto, Nov. 28.—A few local showers have occurred today in Ontario and some snow and rain in Quebec. In the west the weather has been for the most part, fair and comparatively mild.

Temperatures:

	Min.	Max.
Edmonton	22	36
Battleford	20	30
Prince Albert	16	24
Saskatoon	14	23
Calgary	11	23
Vancouver	38	46
Moose Jaw	30	32
Winnipeg	18	42
Port Arthur	16	26
Parry Sound	40	44
London	43	47
Toronto	43	46
Ottawa	36	42
Montreal	38	42
Quebec	26	34
St. John	35	48
Halifax	36	54

Around the City

A Still Alarm.
A still alarm was sent in last night to the North End fire station from the house of Michael Coll, 56 Douglas Ave., about seven o'clock. The chemical responded. No damage was done.

Suspected of Stealing.
A man named Sullivan was arrested on Mill street last evening on the charge of drunkenness. He is also held on suspicion of having stolen a pair of shears.

Policeman Assaulted.
County Policeman Saunders had a rather rough time of it about ten o'clock last night when he placed Mattson in a Dugout under arrest near the Municipal Home. Mattson was intoxicated and had insulted a couple of men. When placed under arrest he resisted violently, and during the struggle assaulted the officer. He was locked up in the county jail, and today will be taken before Magistrate Adams in the Brookville court to be tried.

Exhibition Association.
The following are the officers of the St. John Exhibition Association for the ensuing year: W. F. Burditt, president; C. B. Allan, 1st vice-president; E. L. Rimes, 2nd vice-president; H. A. Porter, secretary-treasurer; additional members of the executive, F. A. Dykeman, R. B. Emerson, R. O'Brien, R. R. Patchell, A. O. Skinner, F. C. Smith and W. H. White. The matter of looking for a new site for exhibition purposes has been referred to a committee for consideration.

New Motor Apparatus.
Two new pieces of motor apparatus arrived in the city yesterday for the fire department. One is for No. 1 Salvage Corps, and the other a muntz-horn for the chief of the department. The Salvage Corps motor is something that has long been needed owing to the fact that the amount of gear carried has been too heavy for one horse to haul, although excellent time has always been made. To arrive promptly at the scene of a fire on the sound of the alarm is one of the chief things needed in a fire department and the motor apparatus is the vehicle that fills the bill.

MacDonald-Thurrott.
A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized on Thursday evening, November 23, at five o'clock at the apartments of the bride's sister, Carleton street, Fredericton, when Miss Lois R., third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. McM. Thurrott, of Newcastle Bridge, was united in marriage to John F. MacDonald, of Boiestown. Captain the Reverend W. S. Godfrey, chaplain of the 236th Battalion, performed the ceremony in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends. The bride was charmingly attired in a dark blue travelling suit with black velvet hat. She was the recipient of many beautiful gifts, the groom's being a lovely pearl pendant. Immediately after the ceremony a satiny luncheon was served and the happy couple left on the I. C. R. express at 6.30 for their future home at Boiestown. The bride and groom are well and favorably known and have the best wishes of many friends.

Repairing Stopcocks.
Commissioner Wigmore took advantage of the fact that the water was turned off in City Road to repair stopcocks and last night he had a number of men at work replacing old stopcocks with new.

Shriners to Have Gala Night.
Tuesday evening, Dec. 5th, will be a night to be remembered by all members of Luxor Temple. A large class are preparing to take the journey over the Hot Sands and Pote G. E. Day has transportation all ready. See the new features.

Lecture Tonight.
Rev. A. L. Fleming of St. John's (Stone) Church, will lecture this evening in Trinity church schoolroom at 8 o'clock upon his work among the Eskimos. All are welcome.

**KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
THEIR COMRADES IN THE ARMY**

Captain George Keefe and Captain E. J. Mooney Guests of Honor at Banquet in Bond's Last Evening.

A banquet in honor of Major Cuthbert J. Morgan, Captain George Keefe of the 26th Battalion, and Captain E. J. Mooney of the 6th C. M. R., who have recently been, invalided home from the front, was tendered to these officers in Bond's restaurant last night by their fellow members of Local Council 837 Knights of Columbus.

Grand Knight Dr. W. P. Broderick presided and messages of regret at inability to be present were read from Bishop LeBlanc, Col. D'Almeida, of the 155th Battalion, who is ill, and Major Morgan, who at present is on his way west on a recruiting tour for the 236th New Brunswick Militia, with which battalion he is identified.

Seated on the chairman's right were Captain Keefe, Captain Mooney, Rev. Wm. M. Duke and W. J. Mahoney, past grand knight, while on the chairman's left were Mayor R. T. Hayes, Lieut.-Col. J. L. McAvity, Sir Thomas Esmonde and Rev. M. P. Howland. The banquet room was very tastefully decorated with bunting and flags, and about 150 guests were present. The menu was as follows:

- Oysters on the half shell
- Points of lemon
- Boiled white fish. Brown butter sauce
- Roast spring chicken
- Dressing
- Mashed potatoes
- Green peas
- Madeira jelly
- Whipped cream
- Baked apple pudding with cream
- Ice cream
- Canadian cheese
- Biscuits
- Celery
- Confectionery
- Coffee.

The first toast of the evening was that to the king, proposed by Grand Knight Broderick, which was responded to with musical honors.

The toast to the City of St. John was proposed by the chairman and responded to by Mayor Hayes.

John Keefe proposed the health of "Our Guests," which brought in spring replies from Captains Keefe and Mooney, and Major Legere of the 165th. Captain Keefe in his address told some of his experiences while at the front with the "Fighting 26th," and also spoke in the very highest terms of Col. James L. McAvity and the other men from St. John who were his brother comrades in that battalion. He also spoke highly of

**ONLY ONE ON
HONOR ROLL
YESTERDAY**

Albert Cole Signs On With 62nd Battalion—Promotions in the 165th—General Military Notes.

Recruiting had an off day yesterday. Only one man was accepted officially for service. Another applied for the Colored Construction Battalion but until eight o'clock had not been examined. The only recruit who passed the medical examination was Albert Cole, 62 Brussels street. He made application for the Canadian Engineers, but was unable to pass the stringent examination for that unit, so he signed on with the 62nd Regiment.

"B" Company of the 165th spent the greater part of the day yesterday in trench warfare. Major Gallant, who is in command of the company, is fast bringing it up a high state of efficiency, and it promises to be one of the best trained sections of the battalion. The remaining companies held a short march out in light marching order.

Lieut. Ruet, by ability and the interest he has taken in the 165th Battalion, especially in "B" Company of which he is a member, has been promoted to the rank of second in command of the company.

Twenty-four horses will be shipped from Halifax in the course of the next few days for the use of military officers in the province. This information was made known yesterday at headquarters. The steeds will be distributed as follows: Eight for the 165th Battalion officers, eight for the officers of the 236th, four to be used as draft horses at Fredericton, three for the headquarters staff, and one for the Army Service Corps.

Stables will be erected on the exhibition grounds.

A Military Funeral.
The officers and men of the 165th Battalion, as well as the relatives and friends of Private Alphonse Melanson, are today mourning his death which occurred yesterday morning at an early hour in the General Public Hospital. The funeral to the depot last night was attended by the 165th Battalion and the body of the deceased was put aboard the train as the last call was sounded. The firing party were also present at the depot. Private A. Melanson, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Melanson, of Petit Rocher, where interment will take place, enlisted in the 165th Battalion on July 1st. The deceased member was very popular with the officers and men of

the efficiency of the dressing stations, hospitals, doctors and nursing sisters, he having been treated for a number of months.

Captain Mooney spoke along similar lines, and of the good work being accomplished by the Canadian soldier in this great war. He said that while there were many hardships at the front there was also a bright side to life for the young man while on active service. He strongly advised all young men not now in uniform to enlist and assist the Empire in this great struggle.

Major Legere of the 165th told of the part taken in this great struggle by the French Acadians. He felt that the French as a whole had not been treated fairly for what they have already done, but said that a great deal had been told about what they had not done.

W. J. Mahoney proposed the health of the Canadian expeditionary force and this brought an interesting address from Col. McAvity, the officer commanding the military medal which has been invalided home. The colonel spoke of the officers and men under his command while at the front, and of the good work being done on the firing line by Canadians in general. In the course of his remarks he mentioned that Major Morgan had been recommended for the military medal an honor of which any soldier should feel proud.

Richard O'Brien proposed the health of Sir Thomas Esmonde. In reply to the honor conferred on him Sir Thomas gave an interesting address in which he paid a high tribute to the Canadian soldiers, and further said that while he was called Irish, and held a seat in the British Parliament he could claim a close kinship to the French, having been born in France. He paid a warm tribute to the sacrifices being made by all classes in France, and spoke enthusiastically of the work done by the Canadian, English and Scotch soldiers, not forgetting the Irish soldiers. He agreed with the remarks made by Major Legere and felt sure that the French Acadians at least had done their part nobly.

During the evening Mat Morris was heard a couple of notes, Steve Hurley recited and Arthur Godose presided at the piano. Music was also furnished by the restaurant orchestra.

**TWO HOUSES
WERE BURNED
EARLY TODAY**

Fire on Cranston Avenue Destroyed Buildings Owned by George Stevens and Christopher Wilson.

At 12.30 o'clock this morning fire was discovered in the partly finished residence owned by George Stevens on Cranston Avenue, and an alarm was sent in from Box 313, Rockland Road, which is a long distance from the fire. When the department reached the scene they found the burning building was so far away from fire hydrants that they could do nothing to save it. The fire at that time had such a hold that nothing could be done to quell it even if water could have been procured at the place where the building was situated is at the northern end of the avenue. The building was all in flames when the alarm was sent in and the sky was brightly illuminated. It was not long before the Stevens house was a pile of burning timber and the only fire apparatus that could work at the scene was the chemical and that was of no use. Mr. Stevens' loss will amount to about \$900.

The extreme heat from the Stevens house caused the three-story residence adjoining to catch on fire. This house which is occupied on the ground floor by Christopher Wilson, the owner, was also totally destroyed. The second floor is occupied by Michael Harley and the top story by James Coleman. Although Mr. Coleman's furniture was partially insured, his loss will be heavily felt, as he has been unable to work for some time on account of ill health. The firemen as far as the apparatus was concerned could do nothing, but with other men who responded to the alarm, a bucket brigade was formed and an endeavor made to save the house. Water was carried unavailingly but without avail, for the fire ran up the side of the building which before two o'clock was a mass of flames and doomed to destruction.

Mr. Wilson has \$3,000 insurance divided among R. W. Frink, Nixon & McLean and T. B. & H. B. Robinson. Mr. Coleman's loss is also largely covered by insurance, and it is believed that Mr. Harley has his furniture insured. Willing workers with members of the No. 2 Salvage Corps assisted in saving most of the furniture from this building.

At an early hour this morning the origin of the fire in the Stevens house could not be learned.

**RETURNED SOLDIERS
WERE WELL HANDLED**

Good Work Done in Sending Men Who Returned on S.S. Corsican to Their Homes.

The knowledge gained by the government and officers during the last two seasons' experiences in the handling and discharging of wounded men arriving at this port will greatly facilitate matters this winter. This has been clearly demonstrated by the arrival of the Corsican, which brought to this port over 200 men. Within four hours from the arrival of the steamer the men for the west were speeding on a special train, arranged for by Captain Bruce, for their homes beyond the St. Lawrence.

The men will leave as follows: On the 7.10 train this morning, S. P. Johnson, Campbellton; Frank Perry, Summerside; P. E. I.; K. Snalett, Summerside; P. E. I.; Corporal C. M. P. Dunca, Campbellton; J. A. McKenzie, Chatham, and J. G. McLean, Bathurst; Albert Applegate of Berwick, and A. B. Clark will leave the Digby boat this morning at seven o'clock. Corporal J. P. Jeffs of Florenceville, N. B., will leave tonight on the C. P. R. at 6.45. The following will leave for Halifax and other points east at 12.40, Pte. T. Bird, Halifax; Robert Dalton, E. Nickerson, John Roberts, P. Woods, all for Halifax; P. S. Price for Liverpool, N. S.; M. W. Sutherland, Oxford; H. Dunn Lawrence, W. G. Johns will leave tonight on the Montreal train at 5.50.

All the men have been supplied with transportation and meal tickets, and where necessary, a Pullman or sleeper.

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