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WEATHER—GENERALLY FAIR

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## BRITISH TAKE SECTION OF OVER ONE MILE ON HINDENBURG LINE

### GENERAL HAIG'S MEN TAKE STILL MORE GROUND IN VICINITY OF BULLECOURT

Succeed in Establishing Themselves on Front of Over a Mile on Hindenburg Line Between That Town and Fontaine Lez Croiselles

### ENEMY SUFFERS HEAVY CASUALTIES IN STRUGGLE

British Heavy Guns Smash Teuton Attack Near Epehy, to the Westward of St. Quentin Canal—Five British Airplanes Missing.

London, May 20—"As a result of our early morning attack," says the official report from British headquarters in France tonight, "our troops established themselves in a further section of the Hindenburg line, on a front of over a mile between Fontaine Lez Croiselles and Bullecourt. The enemy made several unsuccessful attempts to shake our hold on his positions and fierce fighting occurred in this neighborhood throughout the day. Heavy casualties were inflicted on the enemy and a number of prisoners were taken. The fighting continues in our favor. Hostile raiding parties were driven off yesterday in the neighborhood of Oppy and southwest of Wytschaete. We made a successful raid south of Armentieres.

"Three German airplanes were brought down yesterday in the air fighting, one landed in our lines. Five other hostile machines were driven down out of control. One German observation balloon was destroyed. Four of our airplanes are missing."

**Attack Repelled.**  
London, May 20—British heavy guns last night smashed an attack launched by the Germans near Epehy, to the west of St. Quentin canal, says an official statement issued this afternoon by the war office. Near Fauquissart the British captured a few prisoners in patrol encounters this morning. The text of the statement follows: "An attack attempted by the enemy during the night against our advanced posts southeast of Epehy was broken by our artillery fire.

"We captured a few prisoners early this morning as the result of patrol encounters in the neighborhood of Fauquissart."

London, May 19—The official communication from British headquarters in France, issued this evening: "Hostile artillery was active during the day northeast of Epehy and on both banks of the Scarpe. Nothing else of special importance occurred during the day.

"One German airplane was brought down in air fighting yesterday, and another was shot down by gunfire from the ground, and two hostile observation balloons were destroyed. Five of our airplanes are missing."

### WAR MINISTER OF RUSSIA TO GO TO FRONT

New Coalition Government has Confidence of Workmen and Soldiers.

Petrograd, May 19, via London, May 20—War Minister Kerensky received representatives of Petrograd and Moscow newspapers today and announced that he was about to leave for the Russian fighting front. He said that he would be in a position to completely dissipate pessimistic impressions that prevail now, even in military circles, regarding the condition of the Russian army.

"I have no doubt, whatever," the minister of war added, "that the army of free Russia will know how to fulfill its duty to the Fatherland, and also that the Fatherland will do everything possible to support the army, with all its moral and material resources."

The provisional government today ordered the return to their homes of all men of non-Slavic origin who were mobilized by the former administration for defense work at the front and behind the firing line.

The council of workmen and soldiers' delegates passed a resolution of confidence in the new coalition government.

### HUN TRENCHES CAPTURED BY THE FRENCH

Latter Storms Teuton Defences Near Laffaux Mill with Success.

Paris, May 20—Troops of the German Crown Prince, after strong artillery preparation, last night attacked the French positions in the salient of La Bovelie, north of "The Ladies Way," but were easily repulsed, says the official statement issued this afternoon by the war office. Twelve miles to the westward of this sector the French stormed the Teuton defences near Laffaux Mill, and captured some sections of trenches.

**Text of Statement.**  
The text of the statement reads: "In the region of the Chemin-Des-Dames the artillery fighting became very violent toward the end of the night near the line of La Lovelle-Corny. We easily repulsed every attempt on the salient of La Bovelie.

"To the northeast of the Moulain Laffaux a small action enabled us to take a few elements of trenches.

"In the Champagne two enemy surprise attacks in the region to the north of Mesnil Les Huris failed. There was nothing to report on the rest of the front."

**Italians Successful.**  
Rome, May 20, via London—Following is the official statement today: "In the area north of Gorizia our troops yesterday extended their positions on Hill 652, on the Vodice. Dense masses of the enemy, preceded by a heavy barrage fire, counter-attacked in an attempt to stop our progress, but each time was driven back with heavy losses.

"In the evening the enemy withdrew his infantry and concentrated a strong artillery fire on the last positions. These were finally maintained.

"We captured two four-inch guns, two six-inch mortars, trench mortars and machine guns and a large quantity of arms and ammunition.

"In the area east of Gorizia our troops broke into the enemy's line and took some prisoners. During the day we captured 254 prisoners, including four officers.

"On the Trentino front the enemy attempted a diversion by a heavy bombardment and by local infantry attacks without success."

### Canada To Have Full Voice In Empire's Foreign Policy As Result of World War

The Dominion to Stand in New and Higher Relation to the Motherland, Says Dr. George R. Parkin in Interview with Standard.

Imperial Conference and War Cabinet Did More to Bring About Real Empire Federation than Could be Achieved in Half a Century of Peace—Noted Imperialist Sounds Warning Against Wastage of Food—The Rhodes Scholars and the War.

### CANADA AND THE EMPIRE

"An English Prime Minister said to me nearly twenty-five years ago that he feared only a great war would unify the Empire. The war has come and the great end is in sight."

"British statesmen are now prepared to admit the Dominions into a full share in the foreign policy of the Empire."

"Conscription for Canada is good. You would have had it earlier had it been necessary."

"The thing that has impressed me most since I returned to Canada is the manner in which you have been waiting for it. In England we have been voluntarily living with tightened belts for months."

"After this war is over things will never be the same. The old order will pass. It has passed in the battles in which Canadians have borne such a splendid share. Canada will be closer to the Motherland than ever before, but it will be a voluntary movement. I cannot discover in England the slightest wish to interfere with the complete autonomy of the Dominion. The only question is how far the Dominions are willing to accept the fuller citizenship and responsibilities of the Empire."

Dr. George R. Parkin, to The Standard.

Dr. George R. Parkin, imperialist, author, educationalist, passed through the city on Saturday evening on his way from Northern New Brunswick to Toronto. He is fresh from England where he has had the opportunity of coming into closest and most intimate touch with the leaders of the Empire. He brings a message of Empire wide significance, but of particular interest to Canadians.

It is that the British government is so well pleased with what Canada has done, is doing, and will do, in the way of war effort that in future this Dominion will be closer than ever to the Motherland. But it must be a voluntary movement. If Canada is to fully share the foreign policy of the Empire Canada must be willing to do so. "I cannot discover in England the slightest wish to interfere with the complete autonomy of the Dominion," said he.

**The War Conference.**  
Dr. Parkin expressed unbounded pleasure at the very satisfactory result of the War Conference held in London, and in which representatives of all parts of the Empire participated. Canada being represented by Sir Robert Borden, Hon. J. J. Hazen, Sir George Perley and Hon. Robert Rogers. It has certainly effected more for the unification of the Empire on a sound basis, and of which will command approval in the dominions as well as in the Motherland, than any preceding conference. The circumstances were, of course, singularly favorable and the method of consultation adopted marks an entirely new phase in imperial development.

"The British war cabinet, representing only the government of the United Kingdom, and the Imperial War cabinet, which included all the representatives of the dominions and India, met on alternate days. The one was responsible for its conclusions only to the people of the United Kingdom, the other to all the communities represented. This seems to indicate to me the lines on which further constitutional progress will be made, providing at once for concerted action, and securing local autonomy."

**The Old Order Will Pass.**  
"After this war is over things will never be the same. The old order will pass, in fact it has passed in the battles in which Canadians have borne such a splendid share. Canada is destined to be closer to the Motherland than ever before, but it must be a voluntary movement. I cannot discover in England the slightest wish to interfere with the complete autonomy of the Dominion. The only question is how far the Dominions are willing to accept the fuller citizenship and responsibilities of the Empire."

**A Real Federation.**  
"In old days, when I first advocated the Federation of the Empire, I used to say that we would make up some day and, to our surprise, find that we were already federated. That is not far from being the case now. Lloyd George has announced that the meeting of what is now the Imperial War Cabinet, will be called together for consultation annually. That opens the way for such steady and continuous national consolidation as circumstances make advisable. Thus many old dreams are being changed into substantial realities, and you can understand what satisfaction it gives me to find his early faith confirmed."

**A Unified Empire.**  
"An English prime minister said to me nearly twenty-five years ago that he feared only a great war would unify the Empire. The war has come and the great end is in sight. Terrible as the sacrifices have been we may yet come to feel that they are justified by the results. At the end of the struggle we shall probably have one-quarter of the world's population under our flag. The liberty and welfare of all these masses of people are involved in this struggle. If supreme sacrifices are required supreme interests are at stake for the quarters of the world for which we are and will be responsible."

**Commercial Preference.**  
"Another great stage in our national organization is reached by the formal adoption of commercial preference within the Empire. The beginnings may not be as great as some desire, but the beginnings counts for a great deal and opens the way to the wide expansion of national interests, trade, industry, emigration and profitable employment of capital. An immense industrial effort will be necessary after the war in order to deal with the burdens which it has brought and the policy of preference will prove a great assistance."

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### FIFTY-ONE KILLED BY SUBMARINE

French Steamer Colbert, with Military Men, Sunk.

FRANCE ALSO LOSES A SMALL WAR VESSEL.

Naval Hero Lieut. Commander Melin Killed on the Colbert.

Paris, May 19—The French torpedo boat destroyer Colbert was sunk by striking a mine in the naval engagement between Entente and Austrian vessels in the Adriatic on May 16, according to a semi-official statement today.

French Steamer Sunk.

Paris, May 20—The French steamer Colbert, carrying a number of French military passengers, was torpedoed and sunk in the Mediterranean April 30, by a Teuton submarine. Fifty-one persons, including the commander of the vessel, lost their lives. Announcement of the sinking of the Colbert was made this afternoon by the French admiralty.

The official statement says: "The steamer Colbert in the service of the admiralty and having on board a certain number of military passengers was torpedoed in the Mediterranean on the morning of April 30 by a submarine. Fifty-one persons were killed, among them being Auxiliary Naval Lieut. Commelin, who was in command of the ship and who had been turned over to the army. He was made a chevalier of the Legion of Honor for defeating a submarine attack on the same day, April 30, a year ago."

The Colbert was a passenger vessel of 5,394 tons gross. She was 377 feet long and had a beam of 47 feet. In April, 1916, the vessel was attacked by a submarine in the Mediterranean but escaped her aggressor by superior speed. At that time she was shelled by a U-boat without preliminary warning.

### SIMS OF D. & H. MAY MANAGE INTER-COLONIAL

Mr. Gutelius Has Definitely Severed Connection with Canadian Government Railways.

Ottawa, May 20. (Special wire)—Mr. F. P. Gutelius has definitely severed connections with the Canadian Government Railways, and has accepted the general management of the Delaware and Hudson Railway.

Vice-president Sims of the Delaware and Hudson Railway is mentioned as the probable successor to Mr. Gutelius.

### HOW FUNNY ARE YOU?

Our second Jiggs and Maggie Dialogue Contest, as may be seen by reference to page five, closes on Thursday of this week. In the first contest many competitors were late. See that your entries are received on time. Five dollar prizes offered by every merchant.

### BRITISH SITUATION IN NORTH FRANCE IS MOST SATISFACTORY JUST NOW

Germans Are Menaced All Along the Line Where Pressure is Being Kept Up Against Them Despite the Pause in Infantry Operations.

Enemy, Puzzled and Restless, Attempts Raids from Ypres to St. Quentin in Effort to do Something.

(From a Staff Correspondent of the Associated Press.)  
British Headquarters in France, May 20, via London.—With the fall of Bullecourt, the capture of the Chemin-Des-Dames, the occupation of Roer and the general evening up of the British line, the first phase in the new British offensive in France is over. For four days now the infantry practically has marked time. The artillery activity, too, has been considerably reduced. Various sectors of the front which a few days ago were spouting fire like volcanoes, now are only intermittently shelled.

**Germans Puzzled.**  
The Germans today manifest wonderment as to what General Sir Douglas Haig can have in mind by sending a spasm of shells first here and then there, as if at a loss exactly what to do, yet fearing not to do something. This uneasiness also is manifested in attempted raids from Ypres to St. Quentin and by officers noticeably appearing at vantage points behind the enemy lines eagerly studying the British position.

The Prussians apparently are recon-ciled at the loss of Bullecourt, threatening Quent at the end of the Drocourt-Queant support line and also the remainder of the Hindenburg line though it does, for since the Prussian Guards fell back during the night of May 16, the ruins of the village have been fairly quiet after a fortnight of some of the bitterest fighting of the war.

Thus during the short breathing spell the British situation is satisfactory. The Germans are menaced all along the line where pressure is being kept up against them despite the pause in the infantry operations. What infantry activities have developed among the Germans in the last few days have been feebly and easily dealt with by the British artillery.

### ARMY OF FRANCE REPULSES ENEMY IN SPIRITED FIGHTING

Germans Suffer Severe Losses and Gain Only Slight Footing in Advanced Position on Front of About 200 Metres.

Paris, May 20—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads:

"On the Chemin-Des-Dames the enemy's artillery activity was very violent from the middle of last night and again increased this morning from east of Huertobis to the region north of Cerny. The Germans directed against our positions a drumfire of heavy shells and asphyxiating projectiles, but under the power of our counter-propulsion the general assault which they were ready to launch was aborted over the greater part of the menaced front. The German troops massed for the attack were not able to leave their trenches.

"At various points where they were able to reach our lines very spirited fighting took place which ended to our advantage.

"The enemy who suffered heavy losses both by our barrage fire and our counter-attacks, gained a footing east of Cerny on a front of about 200 metres. Everywhere else our positions were maintained."

**Saturday's Operations.**  
Paris, May 19, 10.25 p. m.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads: "There was no infantry action during the day. The artillery fighting at times was violent along the Chemin-Des-Dames, in the sector of Bovelie-Huertobis and on the Calonne plateau. There was an intermittent cannonade on the rest of the front.

"Lieutenant Delator, has brought down, up to today, nine German airplanes. There was no action in the Eastern theatre, May 18.—On the Struma front the Bulgarians, after having fought heavily, attacked the positions recently captured by the British troops; they were repulsed. A surprise attack, attempted by the enemy under cover of the fog near Lake Presba, failed. In the region of Lymnitsa we have captured a new trench."

### FRENCH AND HUNS CLASH IN CHANNEL

One French Torpedo Boat Damaged in Encounter with German Flotilla.

Paris, May 20—French torpedo boats had an encounter early this morning with a German flotilla in which one of the French warships suffered some damage, though all returned to port. An official statement issued today reports the incident as follows: "A patrol of four French torpedo boats, about 1 o'clock this morning encountered a flotilla of German destroyers, making towards port. After

### R. C. CLERGY IN A PEACE MOVEMENT

Those of Germany Inaugurate Powerfully Organized Campaign to End War.

Amsterdam, May 19, via London, May 20—The Deutsche Kirchen Zeitung states that the Roman Catholic clergy of Germany has inaugurated a powerfully organized peace movement.

A brief engagement the enemy flotilla retired at full speed in the direction of its base. Our four torpedo boats returned. One of them suffered some damage."

# GETTING THE MASTERY OF SUBMARINES

### Kennedy Jones, Director of Food Economy, Says New Plan May Hasten End of the War.

London, May 20.—Kennedy Jones, director of food economy, expressed the belief that the German submarines were beginning to be mastered, in an address delivered at Edinburgh last night on the necessity of economy in food consumption, Mr. Jones said: "We have been able by the ingenuity of the admiralty and the skill of our sailors, to make attacks by a new method on the German U-boats, which so far have been attended by success. I think that success will continue. It would trump another trick, and might produce an earlier termination of the war than those in high command allow themselves to hope for."

## QUOTATIONS IN THE ST. JOHN MARKET

Groceries.	
Sugar, standard	\$8.75 @ \$8.80
Rice	7.75 @ 8.00
Flour	0.13 1/2 @ 0.14
Beans—	
Yellow-eyed	8.75 @ 8.80
White	9.25 @ 9.30
Green	1.70 @ 1.75
Herring, kippered	0.00 @ 0.00
Cream of Tartar	0.51 @ 0.54
Currants, cleaned	0.20 @ 0.21
Molasses	0.62 @ 0.63
Peas, split, bags	9.00 @ 9.50
Barley, pot, bags	5.75 @ 6.00
Cornmeal, gran.	0.00 @ 0.00
Maltins—	
Choice, seeded	0.11 1/2 @ 0.12
Fancy, seeded	0.12 1/2 @ 0.13 1/2
Salt, Liverpool, per sack, ex store	1.25 @ 1.35
Soda, bicarb.	3.40 @ 3.45
Flours.	
Manitoba	0.60 @ 1.50
Ontario	0.00 @ 15.75
Oatmeal, standard (No quotation)	0.00 @ 0.00
Oatmeal, rolled	0.00 @ 0.75
Commeal, bags	3.35 @ 3.40
Canned Goods.	
Beans—	
Baked	2.40 @ 2.75
String	1.45 @ 1.80
Beef—	
Corned 1s	3.00 @ 3.50
Corned 2s	7.00 @ 9.00
Pineapple—	
Sliced	2.40 @ 2.45
Grated	2.30 @ 2.35
Peas—	
Peas, 1s	1.40 @ 2.10
Peas, 2s	2.50 @ 3.00
Pears, Lombard	1.30 @ 1.45
Raspberries	2.70 @ 2.75
Salmon—	
Pinks	6.50 @ 7.00
Cohoos	9.25 @ 9.50
Red Spring	10.00 @ 10.25
Clams	6.35 @ 6.75
Oysters—	
Is	1.75 @ 1.80
2s	2.75 @ 2.80
Tomatoes	2.35 @ 2.40
Strawberries	2.50 @ 2.55
Provisions.	
Pork, Can. mess	51.00 @ 52.00
Pork, Am. clear	53.00 @ 54.00
Beef, Am. plate	38.00 @ 39.00
Lard, pure	0.29 1/2 @ 0.29 1/2
Lard, comp. tubs	0.22 1/4 @ 0.22 1/4
Meats, Etc.	
Beef—	
Country	0.09 @ 0.14
Butchers	0.14 @ 0.18 1/2
Western	0.16 1/4 @ 0.20
Eggs, case	0.33 @ 0.35
Eggs, fresh	0.36 @ 0.40
Cheese, Can.	0.22 @ 0.28 1/2
Turkey, per lb.	0.25 @ 0.29
Lamb	0.17 @ 0.20
Pork	0.18 @ 0.20
Veal	0.19 @ 0.12
Mutton	0.12 @ 0.16
Butter—	
Tab	0.35 @ 0.40
Roll	0.37 @ 0.40
Chickens, per lb.	0.35 @ 0.38
Fowl	0.60 @ 0.69
Potatoes, bbl.	7.00 @ 7.50
Fish.	
Cod—	
Medium	8.60 @ 8.75
Small	5.50 @ 5.75
Flannan haddies	0.09 @ 0.12
Herring—	
Gr. Manan, bbls.	6.75 @ 8.50
Haddock	0.00 @ 0.10
Halibut	0.00 @ 0.15
Fruits, Etc.	
Almonds	0.21 @ 0.22
Bananas	2.50 @ 2.50
Walnuts	0.18 @ 0.19
Dates, new	0.90 @ 0.13
Filberts	0.19 @ 0.20
Lemons	4.00 @ 4.50
Calli. Oranges	3.50 @ 4.00
Bermuda Onions	6.00 @ 3.25
Peanuts, roasted	0.17 @ 0.20
Oats, Feed, Etc.	
Oats, per bushel	0.55 @ 1.00
Oats, car lots, bags	47.00 @ 48.00
Hay, car lots, ton	14.50 @ 16.00
Middlings, sm. lots	50.00 @ 52.00
Oils, Etc.	
Lard Oil	0.00 @ 1.35
Royalite	0.15 1/2 @ 0.20
Primer motor gas	0.00 @ 0.24 1/2
Hue	0.00 @ 0.24 1/2
Palatine	0.00 @ 0.24 1/2
Turpentine	0.00 @ 0.73
Hides, Skins, Etc.	
Hides	0.20 @ 0.21 1/2
Calfskins	0.00 @ 0.20
Lambskins	1.50 @ 2.00
Wool, washed	6.41 @ 6.60
Yellow	0.00 @ 0.15

## HISTORIC CATHEDRAL OF RHEIMS DESTROYED BY GERMAN SHELLS



CATHEDRAL OF RHEIMS DESTROYED BY THE GERMAN BOMBARDMENT

## CANADA TO HAVE FULL VOICE IN EMPIRE'S FOREIGN POLICY

(Continued from page 1)  
Dr. Parkin does not agree with the opinion that the changed industrial conditions will bring even a temporary depression in Canada. "For years your export trade will see a greater expansion," he said. "Devastated Europe will present a great demand for the things you have to sell, and the manufacture of those things should provide employment and take the place of your present munition industry. There will not be any great influx of immigration for some time. Workmen who might be tempted to come from Britain and France to Canada will find too much employment at home for the restoration of the devastated countries of Europe will give workers all they can do."

Conscription is good. Asked for his opinion of conscription for Canada he said: "Conscription for Canada is good. It will tend to simplify the provision of men for the army and will assist in the complete fulfillment of the necessary task. You would have had it sooner had it been necessary." He was pleased at the entry of the United States into the war and expressed the opinion that it would prove of the greatest assistance not only in the task at present to be performed but in the solution of problems which must arise after peace has been declared.  
"After the war there will be a new era all over the civilized world. This will come to Canada with mighty force for the men who have served at the front and who have visualized the importance of the Empire problem will return with new ideas of living and dying. It will mean a great uplift for the race.  
"One thing that has impressed me unfavorably since I returned to Canada is the prodigious way in which you waste food. There seems to be no change here while in England we have been voluntarily living with tightened belts for months. In every good household in England the food supply for the week is carefully apportioned every Monday morning. Englishmen realize that they have a task on hand and they are willing to make every sacrifice for it. Winning the war is the one thing worth while there."  
Dr. Parkin also said there should be no political differences in Canada at this time. The Canadian government and the Canadian people have done splendidly and this fact is recognized in England. "A general election at this time would not be in the interest of the Empire and, therefore, most unwise."

**University Men at War.**  
The distinguished visitor also had a tribute to pay to the splendid spirit shown by the Canadian soldiers. "No sacrifice is too great for them," he said. Another thing with which he was greatly impressed was the number of university men who had thrown aside their studies when the call came and put the need of Empire in first place. The fifty-four universities in the Empire which are eligible to participate in the Rhodes Scholarship fund have sent from 60,000 to 70,000 men into the army. That is a noble thing."  
Speaking more particularly of the Rhodes Scholarship work, of which he is Imperial commissioner, and in whose interests he will remain in Canada and the United States for the next six months, Dr. Parkin said it has been decided to extend to American Rhodes scholars the same privilege as their British confederates, their standing would be maintained during their absence on war service. He also said that since the outbreak of the war twenty-six Rhodes scholars had been killed in active service.  
Dr. Parkin was in St. John but a

day morning to Toronto. He will return to Ottawa during the present week to attend the Win-the-War Convention and also to be present at a gathering of University presidents. From Ottawa he will proceed to Washington where he will have much business of an important character during the next few months.  
Those in New Brunswick who have the pleasure of Dr. Parkin's acquaintance—and they are many, for he is a native of this province, being born at Sableburg in 1846—will rejoice to learn that despite his age (71 years) he is in excellent health and looks forward to many more years of effort in the promotion of the imperial idea.

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## POSTMASTER RESIGNS AFTER SIXTY YEARS

Mrs. Margaret Mills, of Lewisville, Moncton, Holds Notable Record.

Special to The Standard.  
Moncton, May 20.—Mrs. Margaret Mills has resigned as postmistress at Lewisville, Moncton parish, after holding the office over sixty years, something of a record. She filled the position until well over eighty years of age.

## CASUALTIES

Ottawa, May 20.—Saturday's list: Killed in action—W. Blain, Flatlands, N. B.  
Died of wounds—D. Dionne, Edmundston, N. B.  
Wounded—W. E. F. Driften, Derby Jct., N. B.; R. B. Chesley, St. John, N. B.  
L. W. Smith, Grangeville, N. B.; F. D. Pring, Salina, Kings Co., N. B.  
MOUNTED RIFLES.  
Wounded: O. C. Smith, Harrieville, N. B. Artillery.  
Driver A. Grant, Hawkeshaw, N. B.

## MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR PRIVATE POWERS

Special to The Standard.  
Moncton, May 20.—Local Orange-men today held a Memorial service in the First Baptist Church for Private Powers, a Moncton man who gave his life for the Empire at the front.

## 3 SWEDISH STEAMERS TORPEDOED

Stockholm, via London, May 20.—News that the Swedish steamers Vesterland, Aspen and Viken, laden with grain from England, had been sunk by German submarines, has been received here and caused much indignation. Ten men were lost.

## SHIPPING NEWS

MINIATURE ALMANAC.  
May—Phases of the Moon.  
Full Moon, 6th ..... 10h. 48m. p.m.  
Last Quarter, 13th ..... 8h. 48m. p.m.  
New Moon, 20th ..... 8h. 49m. p.m.  
First Quarter, 27th ..... 1h. 32m. p.m.  
Date. Do of W. Sun Rise. Sun Set. H. Water a.m. H. Water p.m. L. Water a.m. L. Water p.m.  
21 Mon 4.53 7.48 11.53 ..... 5.48 18.04  
22 Tue 4.53 7.48 0.07 13.38 6.33 18.49

## For the Holiday

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Semi-fitting, Pinch-back or Slip-on. Others, ..... \$12.50 to \$25

**A New Suit, \$22.50**  
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VICTORIA DAY.  
Escurion.  
Steamer Hampton will leave her wharf, Indiantown, May 24, 9 a. m. for Hampton and Intermediate landings. Leave Hampton 3 p. m., arriving 7.30. Return tickets, Hampton, 75c. Intermediate, 60c.

# CONSCRIPTION

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Hon. J. Douglas in House of Commons  
Cheerful at the Credit to Canada

Ottawa, May 19.—After the submarine question a city of shipbuilding. Hon. J. Douglas in the House last night converted the stories of a tour of Canadian soldiers and went on: "The Prime Minister (Sir Robert Borden) visited us here to see the Canadian lines there and the work carried on in the headquarters of the Canadian construction corps under command of General (Sir) John Stewart. The Prime Minister in the House of Commons in four days, which engineers said would take built.

Complete Destruction  
"We travelled over a day the battle had been raging every foot of land for miles had been utterly torn to pieces whole villages had been that not a vestige was to be seen. The railway was travelled over by the British explained by the British wonderful work had been construction of these what splendid service the corps from Canada had cause for which we were "One could not be weary of with the wonderful of the men at the front, full plique and the women they are doing. I never in the trenches—who had about anything. They were about their duty for the honor and of Canada.

Wounded Men  
"I went to some of the pits to inquire for our officers, and I think I must to thousands of them in same spirit of cheerfulness. As far as I could judge from observations, and from the made to me by the most reliable, the Canadian hospital one that is a credit to this country and those friends at the front about satisfaction of knowing their friends will receive in a hospitals the very best of All these hospitals are equipped with instruments as modern as the best hospitals in Canada. The best of Canadian doctors are there, and Canadian nurses. And a land in England are found of Canada in the hospitaling to the wants of our unfortunately, have been

Sons of M. P.'s  
"Let me tell a little about the spirit of the Canadian the front. One night I found a young man was in the General Hospital, and the I was given was he had flesh wound in the leg, the tion was serious, but he got getting along very well. I information to his father a morning, being Sunday, I hospital to inquire, and a full boy I never saw. Lying next to him was the brother of this house, the brother wounded, but I am glad seriously. And lying in the

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## Hon. J. Douglas Hazen Makes Important Address in House of Commons — Found Canadians Cheerful at the Front and in Hospitals and a Credit to Canada.

Ottawa, May 19.—After dealing with the maritime question and the necessity of shipbuilding, Hon. Mr. Hazen in the house last night completely controverted the stories of the misbehavior of Canadian soldiers in England and went on to "The Prime Minister (Sir Robert Borden) referred to a visit we had made to France and to the Canadian lines there, where we saw the work carried on at the Canadian headquarters and the British headquarters. He referred to the wonderful work being done by the Canadian construction corps under the command of General "Jack" Stewart, a member of the firm, Foley, Welch & Stewart. The Prime Minister told the house of the railway Gen. Stewart built in four days, which the army engineers said would take six weeks to build.

**Complete Destruction.**  
"We travelled over a district where the battle had been raging, and where every foot of land for miles and miles had been utterly torn to pieces, where whole villages had been wiped out so that not a vestige was to be seen. We travelled over that railway, and it was explained by the British officers what wonderful work had been done in the construction of these railways, and what splendid service the construction corps from Canada had rendered the cause for which we were fighting. "One could not help feeling impressed with the wonderful cheerfulness of the men at the front, their wonderful physique and the wonderful work they are doing. I never met a man in the trenches who had a complaint about anything. They were trying to do their duty for the honor of the Empire and of Canada.

**Wounded Men Cheerful.**  
"I went to some of the various hospitals to inquire for our Canadian soldiers, and I think I must have talked to thousands of them. I found the same spirit of cheerfulness prevailing. As far as I could judge from my own observations, and from the statements made to me by the men in the hospitals, the Canadian hospital service is one that is a credit to the people of this country and those who have friends at the front, should have the satisfaction of knowing that their friends will receive in our different hospitals the very best of treatment. All these hospitals are equipped with operating rooms, X-ray apparatus, with instruments as modern as can be found in the best hospitals in Canada. The best of Canadian surgeons and doctors are there, and the Canadian nurses. And all over the land in England are found the women of Canada in the hospitals, ministering to the wants of our soldiers who, unfortunately, have been wounded.

**Sons of M. P.'s Wounded.**  
"Let me tell a little story illustrating the spirit of the Canadian boys at the front. One night, about an o'clock, after I had returned from a visit to the military camp at Shoreham, I found a cable from a member of this house, telling me that he had information that his son had been wounded, and asking me if I could ascertain where he was, and what was his condition. It was just after the battle of Vimy Ridge, and many wounded were being brought across the Channel. I at once inquired by telephone among the different hospitals, and at length I found that this young man was in the first London General Hospital, and the information I was given was he had received a flesh wound in the leg, that his condition was not serious, and that he was getting along very well. I wired this information to his father and the next morning, being Sunday, I went to the hospital to inquire, and a more cheerful boy I never saw. Lying in the bed next to his was the brother of a member of this house, the hon. member for Centre (Mr. Wallace), who was wounded, but I am glad to say, not seriously. And lying in the adjoining

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## MR. VENIOT BROUGHT TO TASK

### Minister of Public Works Attempts to Introduce Small Politics in House.

Special to The Standard, Fredericton, May 20.—Hon. J. A. Murray, leader of the opposition, brought Minister of Public Works Veniot sharply to task in the House Friday evening when the latter attempted to introduce small party politics into the debate on the report of the Standing Rules Committee. Premier Foster, the nominal leader of the government, also agreed that members should eliminate politics and discuss such matters without branching off in abuse of one another because of political differences. The Standing Rules Committee through their chairman, Mr. Burrell, a government supporter, presented their report soon after the House assembled in the afternoon. The committee is composed of members from both the government and opposition benches, and it was their unanimous wish that the practice of introducing municipal bills embodying more than one subject in one separate measure should be discontinued. However, the committee brought the matter to the attention of the House and asked for the decision of the members.

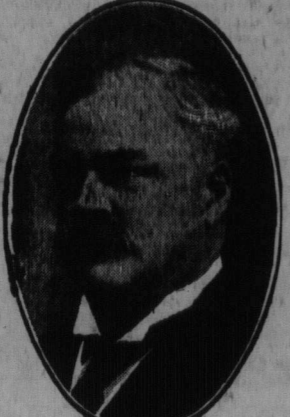
Hon. Mr. Veniot's heated address followed some remarks from the honorable member from St. John, Mr. Potts, in which the latter expressed his differences of opinion with the Attorney-General's viewpoint. Mr. Potts also spoke strongly against the practice of passing legislation which had not been sufficiently advertised. The Minister of the Public Works is the stormy petrel of the government forces, perhaps he is the best tailor in the Carter-Postor administration, but he is rather impetuous. The wonder to most members of the House has been that the erstwhile organizer of the Liberal party has not been on his feet before. But the new minister broke loose today. He made an attack on opposition members for not agreeing with his view, and was especially bitter in reference to the remarks made by Mr. Potts. The minister, however, forgot to say anything of a critical character against the members of the Standing Rules Committee, both government and opposition supporters, who shared the same views as the member for St. John and were against the incorporation of more than one matter of legislation in one bill.

## FOUR SONS OF REV. MR. ROSS NOW IN KHAKI

### William A. Ross Receives a Commission — Alexander, Another Brother, Promoted to Sergeant.

William A. Ross of Kettle & Ross, barristers, has returned to the city after successfully completing a course in field artillery at the training school at Kingston. He expects to leave in a few days for Woodstock, where he will be attached to the 6th Battery, in which unit he formerly served as a gunner. Lieut. Ross is a son of the Rev. James Ross of East St. John. All four sons of the reverend gentleman are now in khaki. Word was recently received that Alexander Ross, a former McGill medical student, who had enlisted as a private, had been promoted to the rank of sergeant on the field. Don Ross, who went over with the last draft from No. 9 Siege Battery, about two months ago, is already on the firing line, having volunteered to accompany the first draft from England to the front. The youngest son, George, is now a gunner with the Siege Battery under Major P. V. Watmore. Rev. Mr. Ross has reason to feel proud of the excellent war record of his family. All four boys had excellent opportunities here and they gave up much to join the colors.

After some further discussion the matter will be left with the Standing Rules Committee. This committee will no doubt decide on the principle of separate bills. The House adjourned until the evening of Monday, May 28.



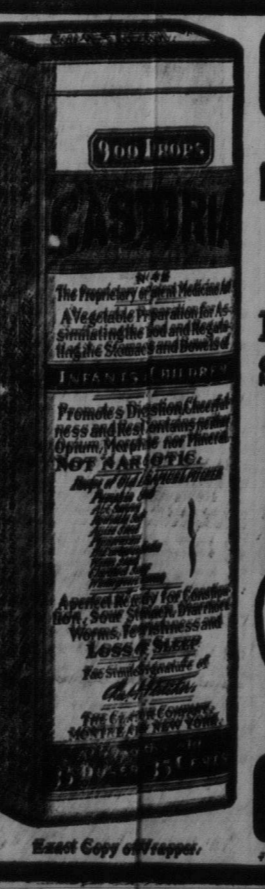
HON. J. D. HAZEN.

**Sons at the Front.**  
"Many members of this house have sons at the front. I think that every man who has a son of military age has that son serving at the front. Some have unfortunately lost their sons in the war. The Prime Minister referred to the fact that arrangements had been made that the graveyards in which the Canadian soldiers are buried would be kept in proper condition for perpetuity at the expense of the British government, and the governments of the overseas dominions, through the agency of a commission of which the Prince of Wales is chairman. That, I have no doubt, is gratifying to most of all the members of the house as it is gratifying to myself.

**Feeling of Sacrifice.**  
"Although the Canadian forces on every front I touched that feeling of comradeship, that feeling of affection for one another, that feeling of sacrifice and I felt as I looked over towards Vimy Ridge from Mount St. Eloi and was told that in a short time four Canadian divisions would be hurled against it, it would be little less than a crime if we in Canada did not see that these divisions were replenished, that all wastage was made good and that men would be kept going from Canada to sustain and strengthen the arms of those who had been fighting for our cause over there so valiantly. Whilst at the outset of the war I thought that the effect of men voluntarily coming forward to serve their King and country without any compulsion at all was a much grander and more inspiring sight than would be men being brought forward and under compulsion. I have also made up my mind and I have come to the conclusion that if the voluntary system failed it would be our bounden duty as Canadians to adopt methods similar to those which have been adopted in practically every other country in the world and to see that every man went forward from Canada to fill up the ranks of those who had fallen in the afternoon, a policy which this government intend to stand or fall by in the estimation of the people of this country."

## Their First Communion.

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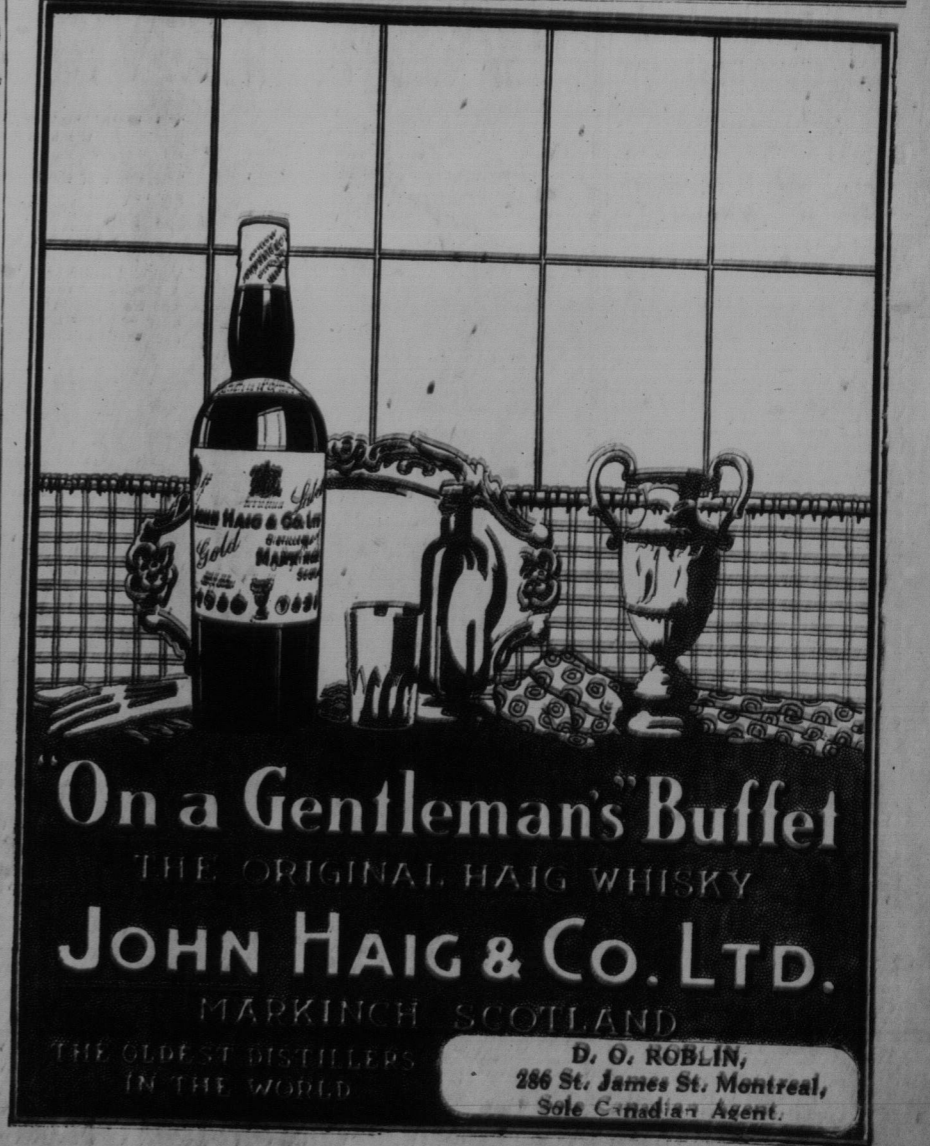
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## CARTERITES TOO BUSY WITH AXE

Hon. Mr. Veniot, Therefore  
Hasn't Time to Compile  
List of Road Supervisors  
Guillotined.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, May 20.—To such an extent has "the business man's" government wielded the axe in decapitating the heads of provincial officials that Hon. Mr. Veniot brought down an answer in the House last week that the department did not have the time to compile a list of the road supervisors who had been dismissed. However, he promised to answer the inquiry from the Hon. B. F. Smith relative to this matter as soon as the list was compiled.

The government also gave a very lame excuse for not calling on the by-election in Carleton county. They said that the county being an agricultural one it would be unwise to have an election, although they might have informed the House that the real reason for the delay was their conviction that no chances for the success of a candidate of the Carter-Poster administration existed. As a matter of fact with polling booths centrally located throughout the county it would take an elector but one or two minutes to cast his ballot and he could return promptly to his agricultural pursuits.

Friday Boss of the Job.

Mr. E. S. Carter is apparently boss of the job for the new government. The minister of public works in answer to an inquiry from Mr. Jones, told the House that Mr. Carter acted as the agent of the government in connection with the purchase of the gasoline ferry which is now running between Goudalia Point and Reed's Point.

The nominal leader of the government, Mr. Foster, told the House that the government had not decided to proceed with the completion of the Valley Railway this year. The further construction of the railway, he said, would depend on financial conditions.

The government supporters have been making some inquiries during the week. One of them attempted to connect a payment by the old government to the purchase of the purchase price of road machinery with the date of issuing of the writs in the recent provincial elections, rather insinuating that the transaction was an improper one. The impression sought to be created probably was that the money was used for political purposes. This is positively untrue. Notices and answers to inquiries are not desirable, but the matter will be explained fully and satisfactorily by Hon. Mr. Smith when the proper time arrives. Other inquiries from the government members were equally ridiculous.

## HARLEY WATSON KILLED IN ACTION WAS NEWS RECEIVED BY PARENTS

Enlisted in Woodstock—Parents  
Reside Here—Corp.  
Markham Wounded—  
Other Casualties.

Word was received in the city yesterday that another St. John man had been killed "Somewhere in France," when Mrs. Watson of Ludlow street, was notified that her son, Harley Watson, had paid the supreme sacrifice.

Pte. Watson has been living in Woodstock for a number of years and leaves a wife and three children living there.

The first intimation the family received that anything had happened to the father was the return last Tuesday of the last box sent by his wife and all his personal belongings, but no word as to why they were sent. Mrs. Watson immediately wired Ottawa and they reported that Pte. Watson's name was not on the casualty list but they would make enquiries. On Saturday afternoon his wife received a wire from Ottawa containing the official notice of his death and yesterday morning she telephoned his mother here the sad news.

Pte. Watson enlisted in Woodstock and had been nearly two years on the firing line.

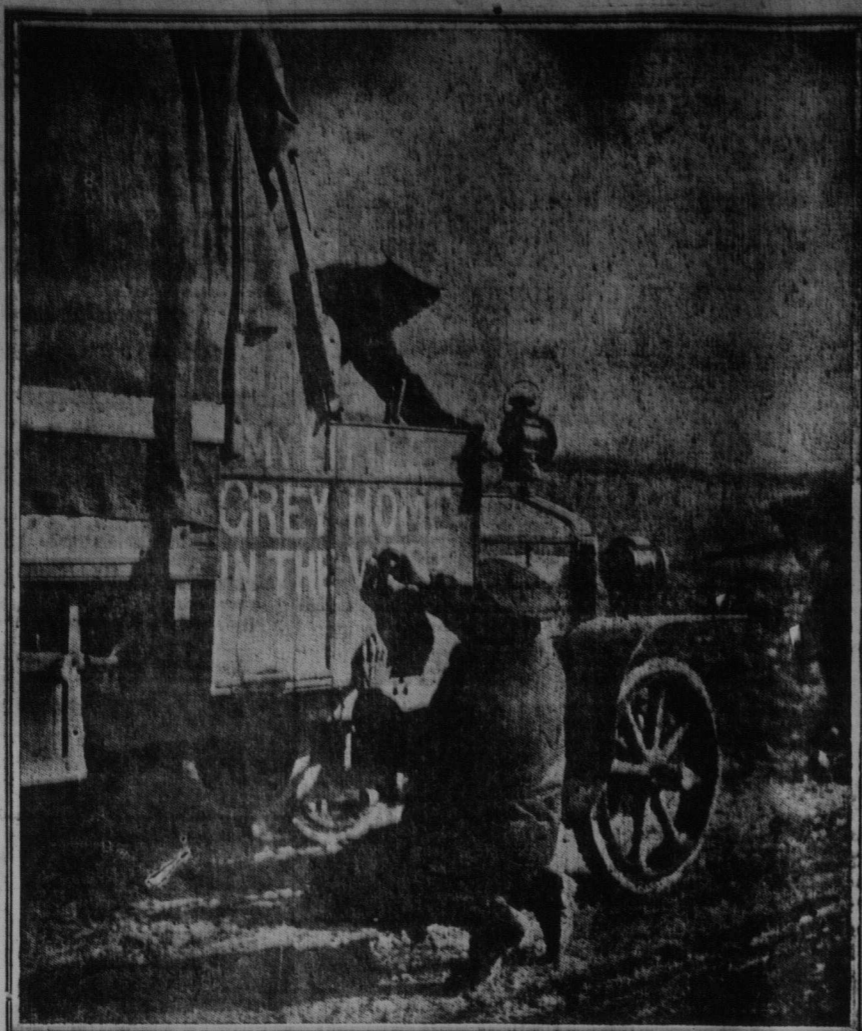
Corp. Markham Wounded.

Major and Mrs. A. J. Markham received word on Saturday that their son was admitted to No. 14 General Hospital, Winooski, suffering from a gunshot wound in the shoulder. Pte. Ralph Corporal Turnbull Markham enlisted in a local battalion and has seen considerable fighting at the front.

J. E. Duplisse Killed.

The name of J. E. Duplisse appeared last week in the casualty list. It is now certain that this is the young man who was for some time pianist at Dreamland Theatre, Moncton. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Duplisse, who resides in St. John, also by one brother, Benjamin, of Chatham, and five sisters—Mrs. M. Melville, Moncton; Mrs. Wm. Blake, Nova Scotia; Mrs. Gagan, Mrs. Jamieson and Mrs. Arsenou, in St. John. Joe Duplisse was well known in Moncton and had many friends who will sincerely mourn his loss.

## A "LITTLE GRAY HOME" BEHIND THE FIRING LINE.



A "LITTLE GRAY HOME IN THE WEST" ON A ROAD IN NORTHERN FRANCE.

The familiar London buses used by the army autostraton, which was hit by a torpedo from a German submarine gray—a fact which calls forth the above inscription on the side of the conveyance. "The Little Gray Home in the West" is a song that has become popular with English audiences, both in Great Britain and in the western fighting line in France.

### FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah Plummer Tuck was held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, from Centenary church, following the services conducted by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Barclough, who paid an eloquent tribute to the zeal of the deceased and her husband, the late Chief Justice Tuck, in the affairs of the church. The pall was borne by Chief Justice McLeod, Hon. Senator Thorne, Judge J. Gordon Forbes, Dr. A. F. McAvoy, Richard O'Brien and T. H. Estabrook. The funeral was largely attended by representative citizens and the interment was made at Fernhill cemetery.

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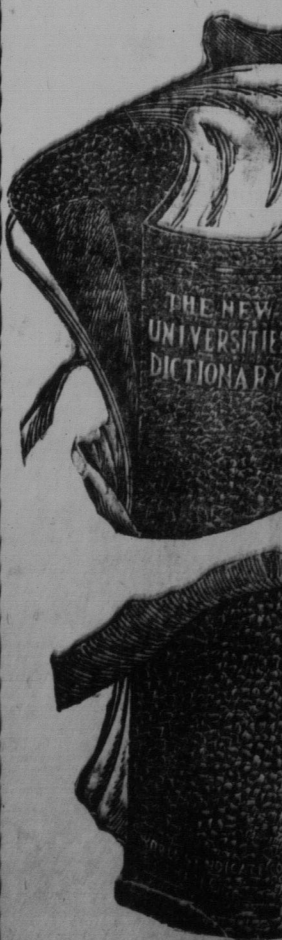
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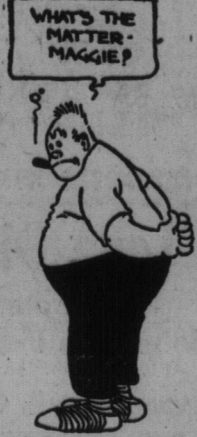
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ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, MAY 21, 1917.

"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.

## CANADA AND THE MOTHERLAND. THE GRITS AND CONSCRIPTION.

The new relation in which Canada will stand toward the Motherland will be set out by Sir Robert Borden in his address to the House of Commons on Friday. The Imperial War Cabinet on which the Dominion was ably represented in London, recently, is to assemble annually and the statement of the Overseas Dominions are to have a full share in the development of the foreign policy of the Empire. The acceptance of that relation on the part of Canada and the other sister nations must, however, be purely voluntary, for nowhere in England is there manifestation of wish or desire to interfere in the least degree with the complete autonomy of any of the Dominions.

A closer connection between Canada and the Motherland was foreshadowed in Parliament by Sir Robert Borden on the occasion of his introduction of the naval aid bill. He then predicted that Canada would continue to exercise a larger voice in Imperial affairs. Sir Wilfrid Laurier and other Liberals objected to the idea, fearing that a closer relation might tend to undermine Canadian autonomy. This fear had no basis. The British Government is content that Canada shall always work out her own problems in her own way, but in recognition of the splendid share Canadians have borne in the world war the Government of the Mother Nation is more than willing that the Overseas Dominions shall have full voice in all matters of Imperial policy. In future the Empire will execute no treaty until Canada is consulted. There will be no war until the Dominions have placed upon it the seal of their approval, and have pledged their co-operation.

The projected relation will bring to Canada and Canadians an added advantage and distinction, and from the proposed Inter-Empire commercial preference will come many tangible concessions that must prove of inestimable value to the industry and commerce of this Dominion.

The great war has made heavy demands on Canada but these demands have been nobly met. It is likely to result in a more rapid development of the highest ideal of an Imperial Federation than could be achieved in half a century of peace. After this conflict has passed into history Canada will stand in a new relation to the Motherland. And there will be no sacrifice or surrender of Canadian autonomy.

### THE CONSCRIPTION MEASURE.

Conscription in Canada is to be applied on the same lines as in England and it is not anticipated that any industry essential to the prosecution of the war, or the development of the country will suffer by the removing of our surplus male population for service in khaki.

There are in Canada between 55,000 and 60,000 males between the ages of eighteen and forty who have no dependents and who are not engaged in essential employment. These will be taken first insofar as they are physically fit. Local boards will be created throughout the Dominion before which all males between the ages mentioned must enroll. Then the selection will be made and the men first taken will be those who can most easily be spared. That is eminently the fairest and most business-like system, even though it may lack some of the fancied advantages of voluntary enlistment.

Under a voluntary system only the men who felt the call of duty donned the khaki. The others, the billiard hall habitués, the amusement house patrons, the corner loafers and the drawing room artists, were content to pursue their even course undisturbed by the thought that better men were bearing their burdens while they were reaping the temporary benefits of civil life in non-essential employment. Now these litigious gentlemen will be made to serve with the others, will be forced to do what they should have done of their own volition.

There will be no injustice to any man. It is not the purpose of the measure to drag into uniform any man who is doing a more useful work in civil life. It is not intended to rob women and children of their breadwinners. But it will bring home to every one a deep realization of the fact that this is their affair, that they are as vitally concerned in its outcome as those who have borne the brunt of it for the past two years. That is the fair part of the plan. The man of value to Canada will be protected. The slacker will be compelled to "do his bit."

Already some Liberal newspapers which, for months, have been crying "evidence of leadership" on the part of the Borden Government, are beginning to evade the conscription issue. They probably will not go so far as to openly declare against the proposal, but they are trying to create the impression that what they term "conscription of wealth" is more necessary than conscription of men. That is not the fact. Canada has been able to secure all the money required for her war expenditures and the last budget showed that her expenses for other purposes were so far inside the mark of her receipts that \$80,000,000 could be carried over to the war funds. A people who will respond as readily as Canadians have responded to the call for funds with which to pay war expenses do not require to have their wealth taken from them by force. To intimate that such is the case is only childish subterfuge to evade the real issue.

The need of the hour is men. Men for the armies, men for the fields, men for the mines and essential industries of Canada and it is this need the Government has set out to supply. Men will not be taken from the farms, or the mines, or the munition plants, or the other industries essential to the prosperity and well-being of the nation.

The conscription proposal of the Canadian Premier has taken the Liberals by surprise. They fail to see the Imperial side of the question and, so far, have shown a disposition to consider it only from the political standpoint. A despatch from Ottawa is to the effect that F. F. Pardee, chief Liberal whip, has been sent hurrying through Ontario to test opinion. Quebec, as expected, is likely to be solidly against a conscriptive measure. That is Laurier's only stronghold and, as no seems probable, the Liberal leader opposes conscription when the measure is formally introduced on Friday next, he is likely to find himself without the support of a large proportion of western Liberals, without Ontario, and with only a few of the more hardened Maritime partisans such as Carvell and Kite, prepared to put their politics ahead of their patriotism.

Meanwhile it is of minor interest to observe that the Telegraph and Times have not made up their minds just where they stand on conscription. The course of those journals, published in the city of the Loyalists, will be watched with some curiosity.

### FOOD WASTAGE.

"The thing that has impressed me most unpleasantly since returning to Canada is the prodigality with which you are wasting food. In England we have been living with tightened belts for months."

This striking statement by Dr. George R. Parkin, Imperial Commissioner of the Rhodes Scholarship Fund, should cause every man and woman who reads it to think seriously whether they are doing their full share to help win this war by helping to preserve the food supply for our boys overseas and for our gallant allies in arms.

Canada has not yet felt the pinch of war except in the way of being forced to pay higher prices for articles of daily use. There has been no acute food shortage. A man can still buy all of any article he can pay for. In different parts of the country the condition is lined the family pocketbook may be a limit is set upon the quantity of foods a householder can purchase and this ensures the widest possible distribution of available stocks.

Although there is no food shortage in Canada yet that is no reason for waste, or prodigal expenditure, even on the part of those who can afford to buy and pay for any article of food they desire, and in any quantity. The old adage that a man is entitled to what he can pay for does not hold good in the face of a national necessity or an emergency present or prospective. Economy is always commendable and at no time more so than the present.

Let Canadians remember that while most of them are still living in their accustomed style, and have made no attempt at retrenchment, the whole of Britain is practically on rations. A more general observance of the principle of economy is most desirable in the interests of Canada and of the Empire. Surely it is not too much to ask that while our sons and brothers are fighting our battles abroad, we, at home, shall do our utmost to "carry on" to the limit of our ability.

## MT. ALLISON EXERCISES

"Pygmalion and Galatea" Admirably Presented Saturday Evening.

### MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR COLLEGE HEROES

Dozen St. John People Already in Attendance for Festal Week.

Special to The Standard. Sackville, May 20.—Mount Allison closing exercises began most auspiciously Friday night with a reception in the Owen's Art Building. The attendance of students and friends of the institution was large. A good programme by students and the Sackville Citizens band was successfully carried out. Saturday afternoon the junior recital was given in Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall, the students acquitting themselves most admirably. The event of the day and perhaps the biggest thing in connection with the anniversary exercises for the year was the presentation of the Greek drama Pygmalion and Galatea by eight young lady students of the Mount Allison oratory department and the rendition of the exciting Greek musical pastiche composed by Prof. Fritz Read, head of Mount Allison Conservatory of Music. The programme was of exceptional interest and merit, being listened to with keen attention by a very large audience. The splendid work of the oratory students and the magnificent rendering of the pastiche elicited warm words of hearty appreciation from hundreds of visitors present.

Memorial Service. This morning a memorial service for Mount Allison men who have fallen in the war was held in the Sackville Methodist church. Twenty-eight Mount Allison men have made the supreme sacrifice. Addresses were delivered by Rev. Dr. Borden, president of the University; Dr. J. M. McManus, principal of the Academy, and Lieut. George R. McCord, who is home on leave after more than two years at the front. Tonight an annual bacchanale service was held in the Charles Fawcett Memorial Hall. The heads of the institutions, members of the faculty and students marched in the body to the hall where an excellent sermon was preached by Rev. E. B. Moore of Halifax. Exceptionally good music was furnished by the choral class under the direction of Prof. Fritz Read. Occupying front seats tonight were twenty members of this year's student body, who recently donned the khaki and soon leave to uphold the honor of old Mount Allison on the western front.

Among the visitors who have so far arrived are the following: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Macdon, Mrs. Charles Huestis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Ellis, Rev. Dr. Steel, Mrs. W. G. Matthews, Mrs. Melrose, Miss A. Wilson, Miss Mollie Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. Ghisbur, St. John; Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Murray, Miss Elizabeth Mosher, Mrs. Roy Sumner, Miss Marjorie Robinson, Miss Marjorie McCarthy, Moncton; Mrs. Roderick McDonald, Mrs. McManus, Miss Marjorie Symonds, Halifax; Mrs. Ross, Fredericton; Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. Angovine, Hampton; Mrs. Churchill, Wolfville; Rev. Dr. Darby, Methodist College, St. John's, Nfld.; Mrs. Thos. Howart, Windsor; Mrs. Stanley Skene, Grandville Ferry; Mrs. Smith, West Somerville, N.S.; Rev. W. B. Parker, St. John's; Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Ghisbur, St. John; Miss Hazel Gray, Amherst; Mrs. P. M. Thompson, Hillsboro.

HARCOURT. Harcourt, May 18.—Mrs. William Rice, who has been spending the past eight months with her mother, John Dr. and other relatives throughout the province, left on Wednesday's Ocean Limited for her home in Winnipeg.

Mr. G. H. Allan of Dalhousie Jct., passed the night on Friday on his way to Moncton.

Friends of Sergt. James Cameron will be glad to hear that he is speedily recovering from the effects of gunshot wounds received a few weeks ago while on the firing line in France.

Mr. Burgess is acting as relieving operator in the absence of Mr. Ward. Rev. Father Bourgeois, of Sackville was in town on Tuesday of last week.

Miss Stebbins is spending a few days at her home in Sackville.

P. C. Cormier and Sergt. Robt. Cormier were visitors in St. John last week.

Mrs. Egbert Atkinson, who has been spending the past week with relatives in the village, returned on Wednesday to Rexton.

Mrs. David Scott returned last week from Moncton.

Emerson Glen of Moncton spent the week-end in the village.

Among the visitors to Athol to work for the Slives Lumber Co. there, Rev. Chas. Stebbins was a visitor in Sackville last week.

## Little Benny's Note Book.

The Park Ave. News. Me and Sid Hunt was setting on my trunk steps, and Sid took a seat out of his pocket and started to throw it up and catch it again just to show he had it, and I took a seat out of my pocket and looked at the data on it just to show him he wasn't the only one with a seat, and he said, Lets bet each other a seat. All right, what about? I sed. Wich jest then his assly cussin Perry started to come up the street, and Sid sed, Ill bet you a seat you cant pick a fite with my cussin Perry. I bet a seat I can, I sed. No, sed Perry, and I sed, Hello, fellows, and I quick jumped up and got in front of him, saying, Wat did you jest call me, wat did you jest call me? I didnt call you anything, sed Perry. You did so, you jest called me a slop eater, I sed. O, I did not, sed Perry. Yes you did, to, wat do you meen coming around heer and delibrately calling me a slop eater? I sed. I did not call you a slop eater, I didnt call you anything, sed Perry. Wat, do you think Im a har? I sed. No, sed Perry, and I sed, Well its either one or the other, you either called me a slop eater or you think Im a far for saying you did, wich is it? Neither, sed Perry. Well then consider yourself insulted, I sed And I quick stamped on his toe al my mite, and he started to wawk up the street crying, saying, Im going to tell on you, you see if I doat. Give me the sent, sed Sid. Wich I did.

W. M. S. of the Methodist Church took place at the parsonage on Monday afternoon of last week. The following officers were re-elected:—Mrs. R. Atkinson, President; Miss Una Baxter, Secretary; Mrs. J. Beattie, Treasurer; and Miss Stebbins was elected Vice-President. The proceeds for the year amounted to \$423. Two new members had been added to the roll during the past year. Miss Una Baxter was appointed a delegate to attend the Women's Missionary convention which meets in Fredericton on the 5th, 6th and 7th of June. At the close of the meeting a dainty lunch was served.

Ottawa, May 17.—The Royal Commission appointed by Hon. T. W. Crothers under the inquiries act to deal with the miners troubles at Sydney Mines, N. S., has met with signal success. Its award has been accepted unanimously by the miners and the operators. The commission which consists of Justice J. A. Chisholm, John T. Joy, a prominent labor leader, and Rev. Dr. John Forrest, ex-president of Dalhousie University, went to Sydney today to endeavor to effect a settlement there. An increase in wages varying from five per cent, to fifteen per cent, was awarded the miners at Sydney Mines, the lowest wage being \$2. per day. The increase was effected May 7.

Campbellton, May 18.—The death occurred on Friday at Calais, Me., Mrs. Clara Mitchell, aged 84 years. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Norman Lank of the Island and Mrs. Thomas Calder of Calais, with whom she lived. Deceased was born at Lubec, Me., where a brother Mr. Meyers still resides. She married and came to the Island to live until the death of her husband, Dr. Huestin Mitchell about nineteen years ago when she went to live with her daughter. A social and dance was held in the public hall on Thursday evening the proceeds to be used for patriotic purposes, the amount collected being fifty dollars, about forty dollars being the amount cleared for use. The feature of the occasion was a cake presented to the Society by Huell Hinson of Lubec, Me., weighing four and one-eighth pounds, beautifully decorated in Red, White and Blue, with a Red Cross in the centre.

Special to The Standard. Boston, May 20.—All of the writing paper manufacturers of Holyoke, Springfield, Mittleague and vicinity announce a wage advance of ten per cent to take effect July 15. About 10,000 persons will be affected.

Special to The Standard. Philadelphia, May 20.—The nine o'clock bell will not ring again in New castle. The firemen made objections to the ringing of the bell each night on the ground that sometimes it was confusing. The town council instructed the police to clear the streets at nine p.m.

Special to The Standard. Hampton, May 20.—Mary Perry, aged fifteen, Lily Perry, aged thirteen, and Charles H. Perry, aged fifteen, of Perry Settlement, will be given a hearing at Sussex tomorrow on a charge of being implicated in the burning of St. Michael's Roman Catholic church.

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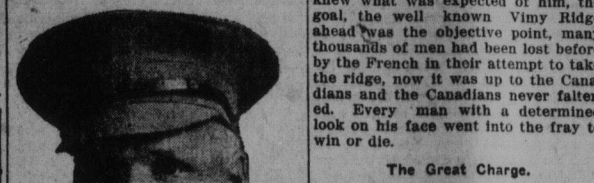
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While in St. John. Major Sharp was stationed here some weeks with a battalion, and on arrival in England the battalion was broken up and Major Sharp was attached to another unit. Major Sharp



MAJOR J. OTTY SHARP.

was the only St. John man in the 180th Regiment and he was warmly welcomed back to his native city. On account of it being his old home, Col. Greer placed that famous battalion in charge of Major Sharp on a couple of special route marches through the city and the gallant St. John soldier and the men under him came in for a great deal of applause from admiring citizens as they marched through the different streets of the city.

Captain Miller Receives Letter. Captain J. R. Miller of the 62nd received a letter from Major Sharp, who gained his first military knowledge in this St. John regiment when he resided in St. John and in that Major Sharp gives a most graphic description of the famous charge of the Canadians and the capture of Vimy Ridge from the Germans, a victory which placed the Canadians again before the whole world, as among the greatest fighters in history.

Description of Battle. Major Sharp describes the battle as the first big one he participated in, but modestly states that he does not expect that it will be his last. "Of course," he said, "we have had several small battles since that of Vimy, but nothing quite so large. It will not be long before we get other large ones."

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# NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

## GALLIES MAY TAKE OVER THE GERMAN CUSTOMS

New York Hears Belgium and North France Will Be Rehabilitated by This Means.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
New York, May 19.—Germany is reported to be suffering so greatly from lack of sulphur and other ingredients entering into the making of ammunition as well as fertilizer that the country is literally burning up according to well informed financial interests. It is said that the Allies are likely to take over all German customs for a period of years to come to collect with which to rehabilitate Belgium and Northern France.  
Outsiders are becoming interested in the copper shares. The rise in the steel issues has been responsible for this to a large extent.  
Public participation in steels is now considerable judging from wire reports from all over the country. Commission house sentiment is changing for the better. There is a strong tendency among regular traders to go long after covering shorts. Advice is more optimistic in the belief apparently that the large interests are "netting under the market" for the promotion of the liberty loan. Railway equipment stocks notably Car Foundry, Baldwin and Railway Steel Springs are reflecting inside buying according to some specialists' advice.  
The absorption has been extensive in some of the issues according to an information. The short interest in equipments has been comparatively small proportions. Schwab interests claim to have knowledge that suggests a much higher level later or Bethlehem Steel "B." They are recommending its purchase confidently whenever the stock exhibits a reactionary trend. A following is easily created in the steel group and such stress is laid upon the report that May earnings of United States Steel, Lackawanna, R. B. C. and Bethlehem Steel are going to break records.

## HIGH RECORD IN HISTORY OF MCINTYRE PORCUPINE

Special to The Standard.  
Toronto, May 19.—With a force of nearly four hundred men employed and with the mill now practically to full capacity, McIntyre Porcupine Mine is now recovering over five thousand dollars per day in gold bullion. This constitutes a high record in the history of this rapidly growing mine. Labor troubles are not hampering operations at the mine to any very great extent and no difficulty is anticipated in keeping production up to its present high level which is more than sufficient to meet the twenty per cent. dividend.

## MONTREAL MARKETS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
Ames Holden Com . . . 15  
Ames Holden Pfd . . . 60  
Brazilian L H and P . . . 40  
Canada Car . . . 28  
Canada Car Pfd . . . 67 1/2  
Canada Cement . . . 60 1/2  
Canada Cement Pfd . . . 92  
Can Cotton . . . 51 1/2  
Clyde Power . . . 77 1/2  
Crown Reserve . . . 33  
Detroit United . . . 111 1/2  
Dom Bridge . . . 125  
Dom Iron Pfd . . . 90  
Dom Iron Com . . . 61 1/2  
Dom Text Com . . . 87 1/2  
Laurentide Paper Co . . . 175  
MacDonald Com . . . 11  
N Scotia Steel and C . . . 91 1/2  
Ogilvie . . . 144  
Penman's Limited . . . 71 1/2  
Quebec Railway . . . 27  
Shaw W and P Co . . . 122  
Spanish River Com . . . 14  
Spanish River Pfd . . . 50 1/2  
Steel Co Can Com . . . 58  
Steel Co Can Pfd . . . 91  
Toronto Ralls . . . 80 1/2 83

## N. Y. QUOTATIONS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
Open High Low Close  
Am Br Sugar 80 . . . 83 1/2 85 1/2  
Am Car Fdy 62 . . . 63 1/2 65 1/2  
Am Loco . . . 68 1/2 69 1/2 71 1/2  
Am Smelt . . . 100 102 100 102  
Am SH Fdy . . . 63  
Am Woolen . . . 50 1/2 50 1/2 50 1/2  
Anacanda . . . 79 1/2 80 1/2 80 1/2  
Am Can . . . 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2  
Bald and O . . . 69 1/2 69 1/2 69 1/2  
Balt Loco . . . 57 1/2 58 1/2 57 1/2  
Beth Steel . . . 126 1/2 127 1/2 126 1/2  
B Rap Tran . . . 57 1/2  
Butte and Su 43 1/2 . . .  
C F I . . . 50 1/2 51 1/2 51  
Ches and O . . . 57 1/2  
Chino . . . 54 1/2 54 1/2 54  
Cent Leath . . . 86 1/2 86 1/2 86 1/2  
Can Pacific . . . 160 1/2 161 1/2 160 1/2  
Con Gas . . . 107 1/2  
Cruic Steel . . . 67 1/2 68 1/2 67 1/2  
Erie Com . . . 24 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2  
Et Nor Pfd . . . 105 1/2  
Gen Elec . . . 50 1/2 50 1/2 50 1/2  
St Nor Ore . . . 32 1/2 33 1/2 32 1/2  
Ind Alco . . . 127 1/2 128 1/2 127 1/2  
Ins Copper . . . 67 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2  
Kan City So 21 . . . 45 1/2  
Kenn Cop . . . 45 1/2 45 1/2 45 1/2  
Mer Mar Pfd 80 . . . 81 1/2  
Mex Pet . . . 91 1/2 91 1/2 90 1/2  
Miami Cop . . . 39 1/2 40 1/2 39  
NY NH and H 35 . . . 35  
N Y Central . . . 89 1/2 89 1/2 89 1/2  
Nev Cons . . . 24 1/2 24 1/2 24 1/2  
Penns . . . 52 1/2  
Press St Car 74 . . . 73 1/2 73 1/2  
Read Com . . . 88 1/2 89 1/2 88 1/2  
Rep Steel . . . 83 1/2 84 1/2 83 1/2  
St Paul . . . 73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2  
St Railway . . . 26 1/2 26 1/2 25 1/2  
Sloss . . . 54 1/2 54 1/2 54 1/2  
Union Pac . . . 134 1/2 135 1/2 134 1/2  
US SH Com 121 . . . 121 1/2 122 1/2  
US Rubber . . . 56 1/2  
Utah Copper 112 . . . 113 1/2 112 1/2  
Westinghouse 53 1/2 . . . 54  
U S SH Pfd 118 . . . 64

## ARRANGES IN GROCERY LINES ARE NUMEROUS

Eggs Firm, with Higher Prices Recorded - Cheese Market Uncertain - Sugar Steady.

Toronto, May 19.—The following comment on the market situation as regards food stuffs appears in the Canadian Grover:  
Sugar held in steady market, with favorable reports coming from Cuba as to the number of central mills that are now grinding. There are thirty-five more central grinding mills at the same time last year. Production up to date, however, is behind last year, owing to the lateness of the arid season and interferences through the revolution. Tea is in a continued firm position with the prospect that higher prices will prevail.  
Cooled meats have been on the upward trend quite generally and compound lard has again reached higher levels, owing to the advance in cottonseed oil in the United States. Eggs are firm, with higher prices recorded during the week, due to storage that is now going on and also to the fact that production has not been as heavy as ordinarily would have been the case with more favorable weather. Commission men are uncertain over the course the cheese market is likely to take, the belief being prevalent in some quarters that the new purchasing commission is likely to fix lower prices than those now prevailing.  
Advances in grocery lines have been numerous.

## HARDWARE PRICES ARE STILL ADVANCING

"Hardware and Metal," says: "Hardware prices continue to advance, and this week's budget of price changes, all upwards, is an exceedingly heavy one. Among the many products which have been advanced in price are axes, iron rivets and burrs, pipe fittings, whiffletrees and neckyokes, horseshoes and nails, lawn rakes, metal polishes, stove pipes, preservative, black wire cloth, lead pipe, soldiers, old brass and copper, tin, lead, hose nozzles, corrugated sheets, galvanized and painted corrugated sheets, fibreware, linned oil. The recent dull and wet weather has slackened the demand for spring lines.

## NEWS SUMMARY

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
New York, May 19.—News summary—The president signs the army draft bill, fixing June 5, as the day for registration for men between the ages of 21 and 30 inclusive.  
United States district court in deciding against Denver and Rio Grande in favor of Equitable Trust as trustee of Western Pacific bonds amounting to be paid by Denver and Rio Grande at \$32,272,374.  
House of ways and means committee not to take action through war revenue bill \$445,000,000.  
Radical changes in war taxation bill almost certain to be made by senate finance committee.

## CHICAGO PRODUCE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
Chicago, May 19.—Wheat—No. 2 red 300; No. 3 red, 3 hard and 3 hard nominal.  
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 1.70; No. 3 yellow, 1.67 to 1.69 1/2; No. 4 yellow, 1.65 1/2 to 1.67.  
Oats—No. 2 white, 73 to 75; standard, 72 1/2 to 74.  
Rye—Nominal.  
Barley—1.25 to 1.60.  
Timothy—5.75 to 8.00.  
Clover—12.00 to 17.00.  
Pork—38.60.  
Lard—22.70 to 22.80.  
Ribs—20.50 to 20.95.

## NEW YORK COTTON

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
High Low Close  
May . . . 20.87 20.82 20.76  
July . . . 20.75 20.80 20.73  
Oct . . . 20.56 20.65 20.52  
Dec . . . 20.56 20.24 20.63

## SPECULATION AT LOW EBB

Denver & Rio Grande Breads Badly - Missouri Pacific New Issues Strong - War Shares Improve.

New York, May 19.—The dullness of today's short trading period was in striking contrast to the activity of the two preceding sessions. Momentous overnight events, such as the presidential election and the decision of the government to despatch an expeditionary force to France, had a sobering effect upon speculative sentiment.  
Prices were little changed at the opening, apart from another severe break in Denver and Rio Grande preferred, a result of the ruling of the federal court, which indicated a severe monetary penalty upon that system.  
Gold Ralls Strong.

Other minor rallies, including some once known as part of the Gould system, were firm to strong, a marked inquiry developing for the New Missouri Pacific issues. Among representative transportation stocks the Pacifics, Reading and other high grade shares ruled firm to strong.  
War shares were better by one to two points, their setback in the middle of the session being largely made up. Gains in these stocks appeared within a fraction of its recent maximum, and the more distinctive equipments and munitions recovered one to two points from yesterday's reversal. Metals, shippings and petroleum were irregular at times, but hardened later, with specialties like Industrial Alcohol, Distillers Securities and Ohio Gas. Gains in these stocks extended from one and a half to about three points.

## SILVER LAKE FUR FARMS WINS AGAINST MR. TODD

Justice Chandler Gives Verdict of \$8.0 with Legal Interest for Plaintiff.

Special to The Standard.  
Moncton, May 19.—Justice Chandler has delivered judgment in the fox case of the Silver Lake Fur Farms Ltd. vs. Robert Todd, of St. Stephen. A verdict of \$800 with legal interest from June 10, 1916, and costs was awarded in favor of the plaintiff.  
M. G. Todd, of St. John and E. A. Reilly, Moncton, appeared for the plaintiff, and Smith and Tait of St. John for the defendants.  
The town of Sunny Brae held a greater production meeting tonight. The citizens there expressed determination to be in line with other parts of the province and Dominion in this important movement.

## TUCKETT TOBACCO EARNINGS

Special to The Standard.  
Montreal, May 19.—Earnings of Tuckett Tobacco Company, Limited, for the year ending March 31st last, show net profits of \$186,498, an increase of \$35,597 or about 24 per cent, which is the best year in the history of the company.  
Deaths for a Week.  
Eighteen deaths were reported to the Board of Health last week as follows: Pneumonia, three; senility, two; meningitis, two; pulmonary tuberculosis, two; hemiplegia, myoclonic, heart failure, cancer of stomach, cerebral abscess, broncho pneumonia, tubercular meningitis, fatal hemorrhage, intestinal obstruction, each one.

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## STILL ANOTHER LISTLESS WEEK IN MONTREAL

Fair Demand for Cement, Brompton, Textile, Riordan and Br. zilian.

Special to The Standard.  
Montreal, May 19.—Another listless session closed the week's trading on the Montreal Stock Exchange, prices varying only small fractions in a limited volume of business. Fair demand for Cement, Brompton, Textile and Riordan among the industrials and for Brazilian among the utilities constituted the chief features. Cement rose 1/2 to 41 under purchases of about 500 shares and closed 60 1/2, bid against 60 1/2 previous day. Brompton improved 1/2 to 49 1/2, Textile held firm at the high price of the year, 83 1/2, and showed a net gain of 1/2, and Riordan added 1/2 to its recent rise, selling at 124 1/2 and closing at that price bid after a reaction to 124. Penman's also showed strength advancing 1 1/2 to 71 1/2. Upwards of 400 shares of Brazilian were taken at 40 to 40 1/2 with the close unchanged at 40.  
The Steel issues were unusually inconspicuous. Dominion Iron was the firmest of the trio, advancing 1/2 to 61 1/2, but dealings amounted to less than 100 shares. Steel of Canada and Scotia were inactive with the closing bid for the former 1/2 lower at 58 and for the latter 1/2 lower at 91. Kindred stocks like Smelters and Canadian Car were steady to firm with Smelters 1/2 higher at 26 1/2 and Car preferred quoted at 1 1/2 higher at 67 1/2 bid at the close.

## CITY OF ST. JOHN SHORT TERM BONDS

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## TRADING FIRM AS WHOLE AT SATURDAY'S SESSION

Labor Being Shifted From the Less to the More Necessary Occupations.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
New York, May 19.—The market opened irregular but made some small advances on a fair volume of trading during the first hour. The markets continued weak. Trading slackened in the second hour but in the main held a firm tone and showed a disposition to make further advances toward the close.  
Several of the active issues made new high prices for the present movement and retained most of their gains. The signing of the draft act and Secretary Baker's explanation that the first contingent will probably not be actually called before September assures the country's industries against any sudden depletion of the labor supply as the war department's plans allow ample time both for finding out what men are doing and preparing to fill their places.  
A gradual shifting of labor from the less to the more necessary occupations has already been begun. There are also better prospects for a wholesome and equitable war taxation measure in which business activity will not be unnecessarily handicapped. The upward movement this week has been a natural and spontaneous one and gives every indication of going quietly further.  
E. & C. RANDOLPH.

## MONTEAL PRODUCE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
Montreal, May 19.—Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 1.85 to 1.70.  
Oats—Canadian Western No. 2, 30; No. 3, 85 to 87; extra No. 1 feed, 86 to 87.  
Barley—Man feed, 1.10.  
Flour—Man spring wheat patents, firsts, 14.60; seconds, 14.10; strong bakers, 13.90; winter patents, choice, 15.75; bags 7.30 to 7.40.  
Rolled oats—Barrels, 8.75 to 9.00; bags, 50 lbs., 4.25 to 4.50.  
Milled—Bran, 60; shorts, 46; middlings, 48 to 53; moullie, 62 to 67.  
Hay—No. 3, per ton, car lots, 13.00 to 13.50.  
Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 3.75 to 4.00.

## MONTEAL SALES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)  
Morning.  
Montreal, Saturday, May 19th—  
Steamships Pfd—50 @ 86 1/2.  
Paint Pfd—11 @ 103, 15 @ 102 1/2, 4 @ 102.  
Brazilian—400 @ 40 1/2, 40 @ 40.  
Textile Com—150 @ 85 1/2, 3 @ 85, 35 @ 87 1/2, 12 @ 87 1/2.  
Can Cement Pfd—122 @ 92, 3 @ 92 1/2.  
Can Cement Com—5 @ 60, 410 @ 62 1/2.  
Carriage—5 @ 10.  
Dom Iron Com—85 @ 61, 25 @ 61 1/2.  
Shawingian—15 @ 123.  
Civic Power—48 @ 78, 10 @ 77 1/2, 1937 Loan—21,000 @ 94 1/2, 1,000 @ 94 1/2.  
Toronto Ry—40 @ 80, 5 @ 81.  
Can Car Pfd—50 @ 68.  
Ogilvie—5 @ 145.  
Smelting—20 @ 26 1/2, 5 @ 26 1/2, 100 @ 26 1/2.  
Riordan—25 @ 123 1/2, 25 @ 124 1/2, 50 @ 124.  
General Electric—10 @ 107.  
Penman—178 @ 49, 100 @ 49 1/2, Can Cotton—65 @ 52.  
Penmans Ltd—3 @ 71, 50 @ 71 1/2.

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Commencing May 7th, "Harvey and Ralph" leaves Grand Manan Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 7:30 a. m. with mails for St. Andrews via Campobello and Eastport; returning leave St. Andrews after arrival noon train on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays for Grand Manan via Eastport and Campobello.  
Auxiliary freight schooner "Snow-Maiden" leaves Grand Manan Mondays 7 a. m. for St. John direct, loading freight for Campobello and Grand Manan; leaves St. John Wednesday 7 a. m. for Grand Manan via Wilson's Beach and Campobello.  
Atlantic Standard Time.  
SCOTT D. GUPTILL, Manager.

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Passage Tickets By All Ocean Steamship Lines.  
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Makers are without stocks and those in dealers hands are very few, but we are still able to fill orders quickly from our stocks in New Glasgow. It is more satisfactory to submit your exact specifications of requirements and have us quote.  
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Hand-made by experts in Canada's finest and most modern plant.  
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## BASEBALL

**SATURDAY BASEBALL NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Philadelphia, 6; Chicago, 5.  
At Philadelphia—  
Chicago . . . . . 29010000  
Philadelphia . . . . . 10010100  
Batteries—Vaughan and Oeschger; Mayer, Lavender and C. Miller.  
Pittsburg, 5; New York, 1.  
At New York—  
Pittsburg . . . . . 0100101  
New York . . . . . 0000000  
Batteries—Cooper and Perritt; Benton and Casey.  
Brooklyn, 6; St. Louis, 3.  
At Brooklyn—  
St. Louis . . . . . 20010000  
Brooklyn . . . . . 20400000  
Batteries—Steele, Walter, man, Pierce and Gonzalez; O. Miller.  
Boston, 5; Cincinnati, 4.  
At Boston—  
Cincinnati . . . . . 00010000  
Boston . . . . . 10120100  
Batteries—Cotton and Wingo; Barnes and G.

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
New York, 8; Detroit, 7.  
At Detroit—  
New York . . . . . 00000000  
Detroit . . . . . 1210000000  
Batteries—Russell, Wolf and Nunamaker; Cunningham, James and Spencer.  
(Called darkness.)  
Chicago, 6; Boston, 5.  
At Chicago—  
Boston . . . . . 00000200  
Chicago . . . . . 30001020  
Batteries—Leonard and Williams; Danforth and Schalk.

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Montreal, 12; Richmond, 6.  
At Montreal—  
Richmond . . . . . 00002000  
Montreal . . . . . 02000000  
Batteries—Hoffman and Duffy and Madden.  
Buffalo, 10; Buffalo, 9.  
At Buffalo—  
Buffalo . . . . . 02040000  
Buffalo . . . . . 02040000  
Batteries—Thornahle and McAvoy; Tyson, McCab and . . . . .

**SUNDAY BASEBALL AMERICAN LEAGUE**  
Cleveland, 3; Philadelphia, 2.  
Cleveland, May 20.—Cleveland ends the doubleheader with Philadelphia, 3 to 1. The score:  
First game—Philadelphia . . . . . 10000000  
Cleveland . . . . . 00020001  
Batteries—Enchan and Gould and O'Neill.  
Cleveland, 5; Philadelphia, 2.  
Philadelphia . . . . . 00000000  
Cleveland . . . . . 00110000  
Batteries—Bush, Myers and Riley; Bagby and Billings.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**  
(No games scheduled.)  
**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**  
Richmond, 6; Montreal, 5.  
Montreal, May 20.—The Montreal team today in head with Richmond. They took the first game 6 to 5. The score:  
First game—Richmond . . . . . 50010100  
Montreal . . . . . 00000000  
Batteries—Adams and Jaynes and Howley.  
Second game—Richmond . . . . . 00001000  
Montreal . . . . . 02000000  
Batteries—Enright and Hersche and Madden.



Base Ball, Ring, and Other Sporting News

BASEBALL

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AMERICAN LEAGUE. New York, 9; Detroit, 9. At Detroit—New York, 9; Detroit, 9. Batteries—Russell, Love, Shawkey and Nunamaker; Cunningham, Boland, James and Spencer.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE. Montreal, 12; Richmond, 4. At Montreal—Richmond, 4; Montreal, 12. Batteries—Hoffman and Reynolds; Duffy and Madden.

SUNDAY BASEBALL. AMERICAN LEAGUE. Cleveland, 3; Philadelphia, 1. Cleveland, May 20—Cleveland won both ends of the double-header today from Philadelphia, 3 to 1 and 5 to 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. (No games scheduled.) INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE. Richmond, 6; Montreal, 1. Montreal, May 20—The Royals were even here today in a double-header with Richmond.

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FREDERICTON DOGS WIN.

At the recent Montreal Kennel Association show, held in Montreal May 18 and 19, under the distinguished patronage of His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, Fredericton dogs won high honors.

INTER-LEAGUE SERIES. Chicago, May 20—Yielding to the protest of President Edward Darrow of the International League, against the cancellation of the inter-league series with the American Association.

"RED" MURRAY RELEASED. New York, May 20—Outfielder John J. (Red) Murray has been released unconditionally by the New York National League Club.

RIVERS KNOCKED OUT. New York, May 20—Willie Jackson of this city knocked out Ray Rivers of California in the second round of a scheduled 10-round match in Brooklyn last night.

THE POLICE COURT. In the police court Saturday, two West Side parents were charged with neglect of their children.

EMPRESS OFF ROUTE.

Owing to necessary annual repairs, inspection and overhauling, the S. S. Empress will be taken off the St. John-Digby route on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 21st, 22nd and 23rd.

FREIGHT HANDLERS MEET.

A special meeting of the Railway Freight Handlers' Union was held yesterday afternoon in their hall on Market Place, West Side.

FR. COLLETTTE DEAD.

Special to The Standard. Shediac, May 20.—Rev. Francois Xavier Collette, for twenty years pastor of the Roman Catholic church at Cape Sable, died yesterday.

Returned Officers Wanted.

Requests have been received at headquarters for the names of returned officers, who are capable of taking out a commission in the Royal Flying Corps.

WANTED.

WANTED—Good live salesman capable of earning \$5,000 a year for Province of New Brunswick, to sell Gasoline and Oil Storage Tanks and Pumps.

WANTED.

WANTED—Pressman, one capable of running Cylinder Press, Optimus or Mellic. State wages required.

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WANTED—Resident man to cover Maritime Provinces with line of Children's and Misses' headwear and ready-made garments.

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WANTED—Principal for Carleton County Grammar School at Woodstock. Apply stating salary, references and experience to E. K. Connel, Secretary.

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MISCELLANEOUS. SNAPSHOTS ENLARGED—Have your Snapshots enlarged to size 8 x 10 inches for 50c. each. Send negatives to Wasson's, Main Street.

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COAL. Best Quality. Reasonable Price. Wholesale and Retail. R. P. & W. F. STARR, LTD. 40 Smythe St., 159 Union St.

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F. L. POTTS, Real Estate Broker, Auctioneer and Appraiser. All kinds of outside sales attended. Large salesroom for the receipt of merchandise, etc., 96 Germain street. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer, Phone 978. F. O. Box 931.

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FOR SALE. FOR SALE—Two horses, two cows, three yearling calves, superior grades, J. Harvey Brown.

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A representative of the Company will call for your order. Subscribers who wish any changes or corrections should forward them at once.

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Steamer Champlain. Further notice, Steamer will call on Tuesday, Thursday Saturday at 12 o'clock noon.

Maritime Steamship Co. Limited. Further notice the S. S. Conroy will run as follows: Leave St. John on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Grand Manan S. S. Co. S.S. "Grand Manan" is under annual repairs.

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WALKER. Steamfitter and Heating Engineer. 75 Germain Street.

THOMSON & CO. Ltd. Boiler Makers. Glasgow, Nova Scotia.

**WHERE WERE SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE SHEDING ATTORNEY?**

Mr. Carter Was Ill and Mr. McQueen Was in the West, It's Up to Mr. Robinson, or Mr. Sweeney or Both!

The report of the Crown Land Department for 1916 has been laid on the table of the House. It is addressed to the Lieut-Governor by some one unknown. "May it please Your Honor," is the inscription. "I have the honor to submit for your approval the Fifty-Sixth Annual Report of the Crown Land Department for the fiscal year ended 31st October, 1916." There is no signature to this. Hon. George J. Clarke, who was Minister of Lands and Mines, is dead, and his immediate successor, Mr. Slipp, is not in the House, and no signature is appended. But the report is really presented by the present Minister of Lands and Mines, Dr. Smith, and his signature should be appended to it, no matter who was in office when it was prepared. His failure to do so is a bad break on his part. Fancy the presentation of an anonymous official report to the Lieut-Governor! Ye gods and little fishes!

Where was Secretary of State Carter that he didn't look after the unsophisticated Minister of Lands and Mines when the report was about to be issued? He should not devote all his time to coaching the Premier, but should look after the other fellows also.—Chatham World.

**NEW YORK TROLLEY LINES IN TROUBLE**

New York, May 20.—The financial condition of the New York city surface lines has reached a serious stage and it is possible receivers will be appointed.

The president of the Interboro system states that unless more revenue is forthcoming a receivership for the trolley lines is inevitable. The street railway companies throughout the state will appeal to the public service commission at Albany for higher fares. Local traction stocks were weak in the stock market.

**Births and Marriages.**  
Eleven marriages and seventeen births—nine boys and eight girls—were reported to the registrar during the past week.

**GERMAN-BORN WOMAN FOR THE U. S. FIRST**

**Influences Her Husband, Native of Halifax, to Enlist in United States Army.**

Boston, May 20.—Although born in Germany and having two brothers in the German army, Mrs. Helene M. Alken, who has applied to the Somerville agent of the state aid authorized because of the war, urged her husband, Eli Alfen, a native of Halifax, N. S., to enlist in America's cause. At her solicitation he gave up a \$35 a week job, and is now drawing from Uncle Sam only \$15 a month. Although born in Leipzig she says she is an American first.

My brothers, she says, do not know what they are fighting for. They simply had to go when they were ordered. It was part of the German system of militarism.

**BIG LUMBER FAILURE**

Boston, May 20.—The Butterick Lumber Co., of Waltham, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. The company owes about \$300,000, including \$2,893 to the Campbell, McLaurin Lumber Co. of Montreal; \$3,167 to the L. M. Young Lumber Co. of Bangor, all for lumber, and \$3,892 to the same firm on promissory notes. Several other Maine companies are creditors.

**LOST SON OF BROOKLINE, MASS., WOMAN ENLISTED IN CANADIAN REGIMENT**

**Young Man Enlisted in Montreal, Came Here and Went Overseas.**

Boston, May 20.—After a long investigation for her long missing sixteen year old son, William, Mrs. William Sundell, of Brookline, has learned that he is now a private with a Canadian regiment in England. A postal card from Montreal sometime ago to a friend gave the family a clue and Mrs. Sundell's brother, George Blaser, went to that city and Ottawa to hunt up young William. But Billie was not to be found.

Blaser learned that he had enlisted in an Upper Canadian battalion which had moved to St. John and Halifax before crossing overseas. Mrs. Sundell herself visited Canada, but all to no purpose. It is probable an effort will be made through diplomatic channels to have the boy sent home.

**WOOL 52 CENTS A POUND.**

Boston, May 20.—The Union Wool Co. of this city has paid 52 cents a pound for 400,000 pounds of wool in Montana. The price is the highest ever paid in the history of the west.

**Ale \$11.00 per Bbl.**

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"Five Crowns" Bruce Wallace & Co.—A beautiful light whisky, full strength	12.00	4.75
Greenlees Bros. "S. O. S."—Special Old Selected	13.00	4.75
"Grand Old Parr"—Finest whisky Imported	16.50	6.00
A. McMurdo & Co.—A fully matured whisky	9.00	3.50

**IRISH WHISKIES**

O'Brien's "3 Stars"—A beautiful whisky, full strength	\$10.50	\$4.00
Patrick Mayo, Special—A fine old whisky	9.00	3.50

**PURE BRANDIES**

J. Bremond & Co.	\$ 9.00	\$3.50
Lagrange & Cie. V. O.	12.00	4.50
Wilson's "20 Years Old"—A Medicinal Brandy	15.00	5.50

**GINS AND RUMS**

Greenlees' Old Tom Gin	\$10.00	\$3.75
Greenlees' London Dry Gin	10.00	3.75
Hollands—Yellow Label—White Oval Flasks	14.00	5.00
Old Black Joe—Pure Jamaica Rum	11.00	4.25
Old St. Croix—Genuine Santa Cruz White Rum—Very Special	12.00	4.50

**IMPORTED WINES**

Port Wines—Direct from Oporto, Portugal.		
Cruzado—Dark and Fruity	10.00	3.75
Rich Douro—Dry and Medium Dark	13.00	4.75
Sherry Wines—Shipped by Gonzalez & Byass, of Jerez, Spain.		
"The Premiere Sherry House of the World."		
Favorita—Medium Dry	\$10.00	\$3.75
Fino Brut—Very Dry, Connoisseurs' Favorite	13.00	4.75

**CANADIAN RYE WHISKIES.**

Sunshine Old Rye—Light and Soft	Case of 12 Bottles \$8.00	Case of 4 Bottles \$3.25
Walker's Imperial	8.75	3.25
Old Empire Rye—Nuttty and Old	9.00	3.50
Gooderham & Worts Special	9.75	3.75
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25 Mill Street, St. John, N. B. Phone: Office, 522; Residence, 654. WHITE'S EXPRESS CO., H. C. Green, Manager.

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ROY A. DAVIDSON, Solicitor, etc. 42 Princess Street, St. John, N. B. Money to loan on City Freehold.

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A. L. FLORENCE & SON Wholesale Dealers in Copper, Brass, Rubber, Lead, etc.; also all kinds of Wool and Cotton Rags. We pay the highest prices for straight cars of iron of any description, the only graters of waste paper in maritime provinces. Inquiries promptly replied to. Reed's Point Warehouse, St. John, N. B. Phone M 2106-11. Head Office, Ottawa, Ont.

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MEMORIAL TO DR. COLTER.

A letter of condolence signed by forty-seven postmasters in New Brunswick has been received by Mrs. N. R. Colter and family at Fredericton, on the demise of her husband Dr. N. R. Colter, late post office inspector of this province. The postmasters stated in the letter that it had been their intention of presenting a memorial to the Post Office Inspector personally, but were not permitted to carry out the original intention, for death claimed him before the time which they had resolved to make the presentation.

The fund amounting to \$175 will be devoted to a memorial to Dr. Colter, and having obtained Mrs. Colter's approval will have set apart a room to be forever known as the Dr. N. R. Colter Memorial Room, to be furnished with the funds, in the Fisher Memorial Hospital of Woodstock.

THISTLES AND Y. M. C. I.

OPEN THE BIG SHOW AT THE BALLYARD TONIGHT

Both Teams in Fine Fettle—Several Trades Effected—Billy Howard Official Referee.

There will be many a supper-lash life unwashed till the morning by the feminine ball fans in the North End now that the St. Peter's ball league has opened for the season. Tonight marks the first official game, when the Thistles and Y.M.C.I. play. The Y.M.C.I. have entered a husky bunch of ball tossers, who claim to have a right to play, not only in the St. Peter's league but in any ballyard in the civilized world. Although the players for the most part have been kept in cages so that the other teams might not see the real calibre of the bunch, several red hot tips have been passed around and Riley's crew are sure wreckers.

As for the Thistles they have shaken the old team up a little and several of the rooms were found ready for new carpeting. For instance the former rightfield of the Shamrocks has been called upon to cover the same position for last year's champions. O'Connor has been kidnapped by the foxy manager of the Thistles and will be seen in a blue uniform tonight. The Shamrocks pinched Gibbons of the Thistles, O'Toole of the Roses, and Mike Harrigan and inimitable McMurray. This quartette will add some strength to the old fowls. Harrigan will act as captain while holding down short stop.

John O'Connor the new manager of the Magpies has managed to secure up a fast aggregation of jugglers who have just about enough pep in them to worry the veterans of the local diamond. In order that everything will be carried out without any of the squabbling which characterized several of the games last season, a league executive consisting of the manager and captain of each team, in addition to the following has been formed to deal with any disputes: E. Harrington, chairman; J. Corkery, secretary; G. McGovern and Frank Howard. R. J. Durick has been appointed honorary president of the league.

Thomas J. Cosgrove will act as official scorer for the season, and it will take a good man to pull anything over on the man with the book this year. F. Munroe has offered a prize for the player making the highest batting average for the season.

MILLTOWN.

Milltown, N. B., May 20.—Thomas W. Butler is among the first to feel the effects of the political axe that is being wielded so vigorously by the new local government, having received notice from Fredericton that his services as a member of the Farms Settlement Board and also as an immigration agent in the "upper counties" were no longer required, but without giving any reason. Mr. Butler has been receiving a salary of \$600 for his work on the Farm Settlement Board and has earned it, as any fair minded man will admit, for during the past three years he has placed settlers on no less than ninety abandoned farms in Charlotte county alone, and that they were well placed is manifested by the fact that all of them are meeting their payments to the government promptly and are on the land to stay. Since

Had Headache For Two Years

Barrie Man Tells of Persistent Headaches and Indigestion—Finally Found His Way to Good Health.

Barra, Ont., May 20.—For two long years the writer of this letter was subject to severe headaches. The nervous system got run down, digestion failed, and there was continued loss of weight.

The use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food changed all this, and now with scores of other Barrie people Mr. ... is recommending the use of this food as the best means of building up the exhausted nervous system and curing headaches, indigestion and all the annoying symptoms of a run-down condition.

Mr. John Nader, 38 Pentagon street Barra, Ont., writes: "During the last two years I had a attack of indigestion, accompanied by severe nervousness. I suffered from loss of appetite and my system became run down. I also lost considerably in weight. I began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and as they help me I continued this treatment for some time. My condition is now greatly improved, my headaches are gone and my health in general is much better. I can cheerfully recommend the use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to those suffering from nervousness of any kind."

As a spring tonic and restorative to prevent nervous feelings and build up vitality at this time of year there is nothing to be compared to Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50c a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute, imitations only disappoint.

The first of the present year, Mr. Butler has collected and paid over to the department of Fredericton \$4,744 from these settlers.

TO SUPREME COURT OF CANADA.

Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, K. C. and F. R. Taylor, K. C. left Saturday evening on the Montreal train for Ottawa to argue before the Supreme Court of Canada an appeal from the Supreme Court here in the case of the Walker estate and the trustees of St. Andrew's church. Mr. Taylor is counsel for the appellants, Rosborough and the committee of St. Andrew's church, and Mr. Baxter and Dr. Wm. Pugsley for the respondents, the trustees of St. Andrew's church. The Supreme Court of Canada here in the case of the Walker estate and the trustees of St. Andrew's church. The case will be heard this morning at eleven o'clock.

"CANADA IN KHAKI"

The Standard has received from Lord Beaverbrook a copy of "Canada in Khaki," the most recent publication which has been issued by the Canadian War Records Office. This publication has only been on sale for nine days, and 40,000 copies have been sold in England. The entire work of publishing the volume was, most generously undertaken by The Pictorial Newspaper Company, which made no charge for any expenses above the actual cost of paper and printing. All the profits will be devoted to The Canadian War Memorial Fund. It was intended to ship a large number of volumes to Canada, but the success of the venture has been so overwhelming that the orders which are still coming in will practically place the publication out of print in England. It is, however, hoped that it will be possible to arrange to send the plates out to Canada and print an edition here.

"Canada in Khaki" has much to commend it to the public, but the excellent nature of the volume has alone been responsible for its astonishing success. It has received the most generous support from the entire British press, which has given not only reading matter, but free advertisements. Its reception by the British public has, of course, been splendid.

BALFOUR EXPECTED AT OTTAWA ON SATURDAY

British Statesman Expected to Address Commons and Senators on That Day.

Ottawa, May 20.—It is quite probable that Right Hon. A. J. Balfour will arrive in Ottawa on Saturday next. It is so parliament will meet on Saturday as it did on the occasion of the visit of Vivian. Mr. Balfour will then address the Commons and the Senators. While in the capital he will be the guest of His Excellency the Governor General.

HILLSBORO.

Hillsboro, May 18.—Mr. J. L. Peck, M. P. P., and Mrs. Peck are in Fredericton where Mr. Peck is attending the opening session of the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Watt G. Steeves and family left this week for Williamsdale East, N. S. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Osman were in Fredericton last week.

Miss Susie Shaw of Melrose, Mass., is visiting friends in town.

Miss Julia Brewster was in Moncton last week.

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

RECITAL AT TRINITY SCHOOL HOUSE.

A very pleasant recital was given on Saturday afternoon at Trinity school room by the pupils of Miss Dorothy Bayard, the proceeds being for the Ambulance Chiropractic Mobile No. 1, in France, at which Miss Agnes Warner is doing such splendid work.

Many of the pupils were quite youthful and the technique displayed, the length of the selections, the play and the sympathetic rendering of several pieces were the subject of much favorable comment. Miss Bayard was highly congratulated upon the success of her tuition.

Assisting at the recital were Mrs. Gunn and Miss Freda Jenkins, whose selections gave much pleasure. Those taking part were:—Harold Orchard, Peasey Jones, Winifred Vincent, Constance Teed, Elsie Gilbert, Joan Matthews, Audrey Rankine, Mary Murray, Frances Gilbert, Marjorie Belyea, Aileen Morrison, Josephine Morrison, Miss Bayard, Miss Jenkins, Jean Bishop, Lillian Christie, Constance White, Alice Tilley, Helen Bishop, Mrs. Gunn.

Washington, May 20.—Mrs. Belva A. B. Lockwood, the first woman admitted to practice before the supreme court, a pioneer in the woman suffrage movement, and the only woman who ever was a candidate for president of the United States, died here today after a lengthy illness, aged eighty-six years.

WOMAN SUFFRAGE MEETING AT CHIPMAN.

The St. John Woman Suffrage Association sent six representatives to Chipman, Queens county, on Friday to hold a meeting in King's Hall for the purpose of explaining the importance of the Equal Suffrage Bill now before the House at Fredericton.

The party was composed of Miss Clara O. McGivern, Mrs. Richard Hooper, Mrs. E. H. Fiewelling, Mrs. H. N. Coates and Mr. and Mrs. W. Frank Hathaway.

They were introduced to an audience of nearly three hundred people by the Rev. Mr. Price. On the platform with them were also the Rev. Mr. Mowatt and Senator King.

The addresses were listened to with great interest and attention. Those of the women speakers were remarked as being practical, eloquent, logical and humorous. At the close of the meeting Senator King spoke in a vigorous and masterly way in favor of the bill. He drew attention to the fact, with emphasis, that it was not a party measure. But as the local members might have some guide as to the sentiment of the people in Queens, he requested all in favor that the bill should pass to stand and those opposed to remain seated. The sense of the audience of men and women rose to their feet amid cheers and applause.

The St. John party returned to town on Saturday night and report that the people of Chipman showed many kindnesses to them, not only at the meeting, but throughout the whole visit.

PANTRY SALE ON SATURDAY.

The ladies of the Auxiliary of Clan Mackenzie held a pantry sale on Saturday which proved very successful. The conveniences of the committee were Mrs. William Simonds. The proceeds of the sale are to be given for various patriotic purposes, among which is the purchase of yarn from which socks will be knit for soldiers overseas.

Home nursing examination postponed. Notice will be given later.

OPERA HOUSE.

If any one has found life monotonous and wants thrills, just go to the Opera House, step up on the stage, hold a piece of chalk in your mouth and Mr. Randall will shoot off the chalk. It ought to be exciting enough for anybody. The invitation is given to any one who desires a sensation, and a soldier accepted it on Saturday afternoon. The act is billed as "The Randalls," and the young lady is as expert as her partner. They shoot with an ordinary 22 rifle from the stage and from the audience. Mr. Randall's shot, splitting a piece of cardboard is said to be one of the most difficult known. They carry special scenery, opening with a picture of life in Arizona, a solo on a horn and an Indian dance by Miss Randall in Indian costume showing their versatility.

The settings of the act given by Bert and Lottie Walton are, I think, among the prettiest seen here, a very artistic arrangement of a drop curtain of striped chintz forming a background for the dancing of the two clever performers. Several very charming costumes were worn by Lottie Walton, one carrying out the chintz idea, and the act went with a vim and a zest that was most enjoyable. Their step dancing is splendid and they proved immediate favorites with Saturday's audiences.

Probably the most popular act was in the head to watch the way Stacey and Norton throw wheels about. Their wheels are colored and decorated with shining spangles. They juggle with these rings, toss them about, twirl them around and generally show considerable skill. The act concludes with an exhibition of boomerang throwing.

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Khaki: Yes, Ruth Lackaye is doing character parts at Balboa. Write to her for a picture yourself. She has a very kind disposition and if you said "please" I think she might respond. I am sure your heart is in the right place, Colonel.

Gipsy Queen: If you really are a gipsy queen you probably do not know Bruce Smith is already married and presides over his own establishment. I think it doubtful if he would exchange it to be the chieftain of your tribe. He is acting in pictures with Balboa Company.

Marble Heart: Mignon Le Brun is a Roman Catholic. Considered a beauty. In pictures at Balboa. Yes, it is true he was reported crazy about Mignon and went back to his own country to fight when she "turned him down." Mignon says American men are good enough for her.

Perivall: You don't say! Well, I swan! It must be the very same Kathleen Gilford! She's now starring in pictures at the Balboa studio. You will see her when "The Twisted Thread" serial is released.

KWEER QUESTIONS.

Summer Girl: Gordon Sackville handsome as a god, you say! What sort of a god, Summer Girl? Yes, cheer up. "The Twisted Thread," a Balboa serial, will give you plenty of opportunity to study his work.

Inconoclast: Very blue eyes and flaxen hair. She doesn't resemble anyone but her own sweet self. Strange you should think so. Jackie Saunders in "Sunny Jane" and "Checkmate." She's a picture whether she's in or out of pictures.

Maid of the Mist: R. Henry Grey's good looks have agitated many a maid-of-the-mist's heart. No, not married, but that isn't the fault of the maids of California. You might try. Address him Balboa studio, Long Beach.

ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

PEACE AT SPRINGHILL

Springhill, N. S., May 20.—The wage differences between the miners and employers at the Springhill collieries have been adjusted by the royal commission. It is understood the men will receive higher pay.

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Was Anaemic For Over a Year

Anaemia, or blood turning to water, is caused by the heart becoming degenerated, and if the heart becomes weakened it cannot pump the blood as it should. As a result the blood becomes impoverished, and it loses its nourishing qualities. The face becomes pale and thin, and the lips bloodless. There is a weakness, tiredness and loss of weight.

When those suffering from thin or watery blood start taking Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills they can see a change from the outset. Every dose introduces into the blood those vital elements necessary to make it rich and red. The pale cheeks take on the rosy hue of health, the weight increases, and the whole being thrills with a new life.

Mrs. R. J. Gray, Fredericton, N. B., writes: "When I was a girl working at general house work I overtaxed my strength and became completely run down. For over a year I was very bad with anaemia. A friend told me to try Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills so I got a box and when it was done I felt and looked so much better I had taken to get six more. When I had taken them I had gained not only in strength, but in flesh and color, and best of all was good health."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c a box; three boxes for \$1.25 at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by THE T. MILBURN CO., LIMITED, Toronto, Ont.

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Strong winds or moderate gales, from northwest over the Gulf of St. Lawrence in the eastern portion at first, but for the most part, fair and cool.

Washington, May 20.—Forecast: Northern New England—Fair Monday; cooler in New Hampshire and southwest Maine. Tuesday fair. Fresh to moderately strong north-west winds.

Toronto, May 20.—Pressure is high over Manitoba and northern Ontario, and lowest over the Gulf of St. Lawrence and the southwest states. Local showers have occurred in the Maritime Provinces and in Alberta. Elsewhere the weather has been fair and rather cool.

Temperatures:

Table with 2 columns: City, Temperature. Rows include Dawson, Prince Rupert, Victoria, Vancouver, Kamloops, Calgary, Medicine Hat, Prince Albert, Saskatoon, Moose Jaw, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, London, Toronto, Kingston, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, Halifax.

Around the City

Fire on Saturday.—The fire department was called out Saturday morning for a fire on the roof of a house occupied by Mr. Wm. Lunn, 137 Mareh road. Considerable damage was done.

He Lost Control.—Adam Shand lost control of his automobile Saturday morning and crashed through the gates on the Mill street crossing, without wrecking the gates no damage was done.

Alex. Gibbs Appointed.—Dr. Alexander Gibbs, who has been in charge of ticket selling at the railway station, will take charge of the Canadian Government Railway's ticket office, King street, today.

Confirmation in St. Luke's.—Bishop Richardson administered the rite of confirmation to a class of 24 candidates last evening in St. Luke's Episcopal church. The candidates were presented by Rev. R. P. McKim and Rev. E. A. Green. Special music was rendered by the choir.

Property Sold.—At Chubb's Corner Saturday Auctioneer F. L. Potts sold the freehold property on the corner of Queen and Carmarthen streets, known as the Floyd property, containing two flats, store and barn. Walter W. Chase was the purchaser at \$6,650.

St. John Lady Honored.—Another St. John lady has been awarded a mark of distinction by the French government. Miss Agnes Warner, daughter of the late General Warner, has been awarded a bronze badge in recognition of her work at the Ambulance Chirurgicale Mobile No. 1 Hospital, France.

Preparing to Plant.—That the farmers are taking the campaign for increased production seriously is evidenced by the large amount of fertilizer, seeds and farming implements that are being shipped into the country. Men connected with the St. John river traffic, when interviewed by The Standard Saturday, stated that the river boats were carrying unusually large cargoes of fertilizers and seed up river. In fact one of the prominent river men said that the boats were doing a greater business in this line than for any previous year. Shipments of potatoes coming down river are very light as the farmers are using them for seed.

Chinese Concert.—The vestry of Central Church was packed to the doors last evening to listen to the concert given by the Chinese Sunday school scholars of the church. The different numbers were well received and showed evidence of careful preparation by those taking part. The programme was as follows: Hymn, "When He Cometh," Alarm Clock, Hum Kaye; Catechism, Mrs. Hoar; reading, Hum Hay; hymn, "Saviour More Than Life to Me"; reading, 23rd Psalm, Hum Saye; Com-mandments, Mrs. Corkym; reading, Hum Wing; reading, Hum He; reading, 23rd Psalm in hymn form, John Thomas; hymn, Rescues the Perish-ing; address, Rev. D. J. MacPherson; God Save the King.

NO ARRESTS IN ROBBERY CASE.—The persons who robbed Jones Bros. general store at Apohaqui early Friday morning have not yet been captured. The Standard got in touch with Mr. Jones over the phone last night, but he was unable to throw any light on the matter. Apparently the men have made the United States by now, but the police are still active in the search.

Chief of Police Simpson told The Standard last night that no arrests had been made, and no further clue as to who the guilty party might be, has been received.

Beginning the Second Week of Hunt's Clothing Sale.—You have all this week to partake of the exceptional offerings in Men's and Boys' Clothing and Furnishings this sale affords. Come in while the stocks are at their best. Hunt's Busy Uptown Clothing Store, 17-19 Charlotte street.

POWEROFUL SERMON BY THE REV. DR. CHOWN

General Superintendent of Methodist Church Expresses His Approval of Conscription—396 Methodist Clergymen in Khaki—Only One-Sixth of Number Are Chaplains—Others in Combatant Positions.

There was a large congregation at Centenary church last evening to hear Rev. Dr. S. D. Chown, general superintendent of the Methodist Church in Canada. The reverend doctor appeared in his khaki uniform and his remarks were particularly relevant to the present war crisis in which the Empire is involved. Rev. Dr. Chown made a deep impression on his auditors. He paid an eloquent tribute to the soldiers who had consecrated their lives to the service of the Empire. In the course of his forceful remarks he expressed himself as believing in the necessity of conscription. Dr. Chown spoke from the text "Thou hast enlarged me when I was in distress." He referred to the fact that in view of the happenings of the past few years many people were asking if God really ruled. Can He allow such a world conflict of human passion to express itself in such slaughter of millions of men, the breaking of hearts and the crushing of monuments. Such questions could not be avoided by the pulpit for the cry of the human heart was one of distress. However, it was one remarkable feature of the Canadian life that the people were getting above their sorrow. A chum of his own boy had returned from the front. He was only seventeen years of age, but all his boyhood had gone. It was one of the tragedies of the present conflict that the boys were losing the boyhood they ought to have. One of fifteen of his son's college chums thirteen had been killed, but the boy said "Don't worry about me, I'm game. It doesn't seem like death, just like going to something better."

Canada's association with the overseas dominions had deepened our sympathy and broadened our manhood. Khaki had become a sacred color and the noble principles for which it stood carried our thoughts to a realm of feeling unthought of a few days ago. The reverend doctor did not believe in anything else but victory for the allied cause. He had thought of the mobilized, and if Germany had known in the triumph of the cause had never weakened. Great Britain had become a content brig, joining Fiji, Newfoundland, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa and Canada, all cemented together by the general principle of liberty. People had simply begun to realize the vast forces that might be mobilized, and if Germany had known our strength she would never have gone into the war. Dr. Chown referred to the enlargement of the people of Canada since the outbreak of the war. Prior to the commencement of the war there were multitudes who simply ate and drank. They forgot the great internal principles which make for character and the guarantee of a nation's life history was written large with the decay and destruction of nations of antiquity. Everything for brotherly love was the teaching of Christ and service was His watchword. The speaker expressed his thanks that the people were becoming larger. They now had greater respect for their nationality. There was no longer fighting stuff than the Canadian lads who had risen in the agony of the poisonous gases and with a desperation of death had hurled back the flower of the German army and had saved the day for Great Britain and her allies. There was also a deepening of the religious life, and with few exceptions men were becoming spiritualized. Canadians were not blood thirsty. They had no murderous intent, but were giving the Germans "what was good for them." Dr. Chown made references to the patriotic work of business men and the work being carried on in the home circles. He paid a high tribute to the ladies of the country for their sacrifices to assist in the present struggle. In the course of his remarks Rev. Dr. Chown referred to the action of 396 Methodist clergymen in joining the colors, only one-sixth of the number and a half.

CAMPBELL UNCLE SAM

Units Before Doing So Must Apply to Militia Dept.—Local Unit to Make Application—Camp at Petawawa

Recruiting officers in the province have not yet received permission to recruit in the United States. However, it is likely that before the end of the month, the military units recruiting throughout the Dominion will be granted the privilege of seeking men, British subjects only, on the other side of the border, providing they do so in accordance with the regulations of the Militia Department. Before recruiting officers of any unit can send men into the States it will be necessary for them to make application to the Militia Department, and obtain permission, the object being to keep a record of the different units recruited in the United States. So far no order has been made allowing a Canadian soldier to seek men in the States, clad in khaki, so recruiting officers will have to cross the border in mufti and they must not attempt to enlist Americans or persons of alien countries. This means that the only eligibles will be British subjects, or those of allied countries. Only one battalion in the Dominion have as yet made application for this privilege, but it is understood that at least one provincial unit is to make immediate application for permission to recruit in the United States. There is a grand opportunity, especially in the state of Maine for lumbermen, and according to reports which have been received in the city several hundred men are available in this section of the country.

Artillery Units for Petawawa.—Although the exact date of concentration of the artillery units has not yet been announced according to the flower of the German army and her allies. There was also a deepening of the religious life, and with few exceptions men were becoming spiritualized. Canadians were not blood thirsty. They had no murderous intent, but were giving the Germans "what was good for them." Dr. Chown made references to the patriotic work of business men and the work being carried on in the home circles. He paid a high tribute to the ladies of the country for their sacrifices to assist in the present struggle. In the course of his remarks Rev. Dr. Chown referred to the action of 396 Methodist clergymen in joining the colors, only one-sixth of the number and a half.

FRUIT STORE RAIDED SATURDAY NIGHT BUT PROVED UNSUCCESSFUL

Liquor Inspector Raids California Fruit Store—Proprietor Indignant—Reason Given by Inspector for Raiding.

"While the cat's away the mice will play," that old nursery rhyme was in reality reproduced in the city on Saturday night. According to the statement of the proprietor of the California fruit store on the north side of King Square, while he was in a nearby tenorial parlor on Saturday night Inspector Crawford, assisted by two or three of the local police force, entered his place of business and, presumably in search of liquor, made a thorough investigation. On learning of the fact the proprietor was amazed. This store was recently opened for the purpose of selling fruit and light produce, such as eggs, onions, etc., and measured by the amount of fruit stocked in the store there did not seem to be any justification for the inspection according to the statement made to The Standard by the proprietor. "They even looked in the stove, so I guess they realize now that this is not a liquor store but a fruit store."

MAN WHO STOLE WATCH SAYS HE IS RETURNED AWAITING DISCHARGE

Theft Committed at Lancaster Hotel—Stolen Watch Traded for Ring—Clever Work for Detectives.

Just exactly one-half an hour from the time the police department were notified that a watch had been stolen in the Lancaster Hotel, Fairville, Detectives Duncan and Briggs had the guilty man behind the bars. The case was cleared up about as quickly as any of its kind that has been reported to police circles. The prisoner, James Gordon, is charged with stealing a watch belonging to Edward King, a member of the 18th. Gordon claims that he is a returned soldier and is waiting his discharge. He arrived at the hotel about a week ago, registering from Minnesota. The man did not keep the watch but went to a second-hand store and traded it for a diamond ring. When found Saturday by the detectives he was in his room and had the ring on his finger. Interrogated by the officers he claimed that a young lady made him a present of the ring, but this hardly satisfied the detectives, who made inquiries of a second-hand store, where it was learned that a man answering the description of the prisoner had pawned a Hamilton railroad watch valued at \$45. The second-hand dealer afterwards identified the man. Mr. Barry, from whom the watch was stolen, is an employee of the C. P. R. He later called at the police station and identified the article. Gordon will appear before the magistrate this morning. He gives his age as twenty-two.

MEMORIAL SERVICES YESTERDAY

Services Held in St. Mary's, Waterloo Street and Exmouth Street Church in Honor of Fallen Heroes.

Last night at St. Mary's church the eighth memorial service for men connected with the church who had paid the supreme sacrifice in the great war was held in honor of Robert James Connell and Russell J. Grant, who laid down their lives in the big fight on Vimy Ridge. In the course of his remarks the rector stated that St. Mary's had suffered more than any church in the city in the matter of lives lost, no less than seventeen of the names on the honor roll being the red stars, which denoted that they had laid down their lives, placed before them. At the present time there was on the honor roll 117 names of those who were killed, three reported as missing, three were prisoners of war and a large number were in hospital suffering from wounds. Mr. McKim referred to the fact that in the same battle his college chum, Capt. (Rev.) Gregory of Toronto, who resigned the pastorate of a church in St. Catharines to enlist, had also been killed. He read a letter of sympathy from Hon. J. D. Hazen, which had been received by Mrs. Grant. During the service the Dead March was played by E. W. Wilbur, a trio was sung by Misses E. Mitchell and M. Lane and J. N. Rogers, and the Last Post was sounded by Bugler Clark of the 217th.

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Little Ralph Wentworth went to the platform and raised a large Union Jack, while Sergt. Bugler H. B. Yewood, a returned soldier and instructor of St. James' Boy Scouts, sounded the Last Post. In Exmouth Street Church. A memorial service was held in the Exmouth street Methodist church last evening in honor of the memory of Gunner George Albert Drake, who died from wounds received in action. During his sermon Rev. W. G. Lane read a letter from one of Gunner Drake's companions telling of how he received his death wounds. Gunner Drake was resting with several members of the battery, including his father, watching the shells flying overhead when a stray shell dropped amongst them and exploded putting most of the group out of commission. Drake was

wounded in the back and his father had him removed to a hospital, where he died three days later. Special music was rendered by the choir, and Mr. Stilwell and Miss Magee sang special solos. At the conclusion of the service, Sergeant Bugler B. H. Sherwin sounded the Last Post. Three candidates were received into the church on profession of faith.

HELP FOR THE FARMERS' WIVES Farmers' wives can secure the help of teachers or stenographers during the summer holidays by applying to James Gilchrist, Provincial Immigration Office, 108 Prince William St., St. John, N. B. Names of Relatives Wanted. The naval recruiting secretary, St. John, is desirous of obtaining the names of either wives, mothers or sisters of all New Brunswickers who have enlisted for overseas divisions in the R.N.C.V.R. from this province. Kindly communicate with Naval Transport Officer, St. John.

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