

WEDGE DRIVEN FARTHER IN TUEON LINE IN EAST

RUSSIANS CAPTURE TOWN OF TYSMENITSA, EIGHT MILES FROM STANISLAU

Gen. Letchitzky's Army Pushing Forward on Way to Galician Capital—Enemy Swept From a Number of Important Villages—Berlin Admits Teutons Forced to Withdraw

The Russian General Letchitzky has driven his wedge farther into the Austro-German line near Stanislaw, capturing, eight miles east of that important city through which the railroad leads to Lemberg, the town of Tyshmenitsa. Northeast of Tyshmenitsa the Russians have crossed the right bank of the Koropce river and captured a number of important positions west of Veleynou and southward along the Nizhni-Monastirzka railroad, making the Russian menace against Halicz greater. To the south of Tyshmenitsa the Russian advance has reached to Stokovheia.

Berlin admits the retirement of the Austro-Germans behind the Nizhni-Tyshmenitsa-Otynia line, but says that in the Carpathian region heights held by the Russians near Jablonitsa and Voroch and west of Tarrav were captured by the Germans, and that strong Russian attacks in the Delatyn district were repulsed.

Further Successes South of the Dniester.

Petrograd, via London, Aug. 9.—The main Russian official statement follows:

"In the region east of Svinichy, our troops launched an attack and captured a portion of the enemy's trenches, taking 13 officers and 600 men prisoners.

"On the River Koropce, the enemy was driven out of his fortified positions and our troops captured the left bank of the river, up to the point of its junction with the Dniester.

"South of the Dniester, the troops of General Letchitzky continued to pursue the enemy and drove them out of a series of villages and heights, which they had occupied, and reached the River Tiumach, a tributary of the Dniester. At six o'clock in the evening of the 8th our troops occupied the town of Tyshmenitsa and a ridge of heights northeast as far as the right bank of the Dniester and the right bank of the River Vorone, to the south of Tyshmenitsa as far as Stokovheia.

"In these battles the troops of General Letchitzky took up to the 7th of August, 88 officers and 7,400 men prisoners. Among the prisoners were 2,500 Germans, 2,000 of whom were mentioned in the communication of Aug. 8. They also captured five guns, including three of heavy calibre, 63 machine guns, a number of humbers and some bomb mortars."

Counter-attacks Failed.

The official communication from general headquarters, issued this evening, says:

"Having crossed to the right bank of the Koropce river, we repulsed the enemy and seized a series of heights in the region of Veleynou and southward as far as the bridge over the Dniester on the Nizhni-Monastirzka railroad.

"In retiring, the enemy damaged the bridge. Here the enemy launched two counter-attacks, which we repulsed; then we assumed the offensive and took prisoner 5 officers and 414 men, and captured one gun and a number of machine guns.

"In the region of Tyshmenitsa our advanced guards progressed westward in the direction of Stanislaw."

Success on Caucasus Front.

Petrograd, Aug. 9.—The text of the Russian official statement regarding military operations in the Caucasus says:

"Caucasus front: West of Giumukhane, we drove the Turks out of a commanding height, taking five officers including a battalion commander and 38 Askaris. We also captured some arms.

"An attempt made by the Turks to advance in the region of Kagi was

repulsed."

As They Count 'Em In Berlin.

Berlin, August 9, via London (5.30 p. m.)—The official army headquarters statement of today contains the following regarding aviation operations:

"Results of aerial fighting during July: German losses in aerial fights were 17 machines, shot down from the ground; 1 missing; total 19 machines. French and British losses in aerial fighting were 59 machines; shot down from the ground 15; by involuntary landings within our lines 6; at land for setting down spies 1; total 31. Of the above 43 are in our possession."

Special to The Standard.

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The morning session was devoted to receiving the reports of the officers, which were all of an encouraging nature. The Grand Master presented his address as follows:

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"When last we met our country was in the full tide of war, and still the mighty conflict rages. The brave sons of Britain have arisen in their strength of manhood, and while peace may be still far away we can now look forward with an unflinching faith that Right will win against the Might.

"The manhood of Odd Fellowship has stood the test of valor, and today thousands of our Order and other thousands of their sons are offering up their lives for the principles of Friendship, Love and Truth.

It would not be expected that our membership would have any great increase in such trying times, when so many of our young manhood have enlisted in the ranks of our Empire. Yet we are active and healthy as an Order, and are standing well the test, and three new subordinate and two Rebekah lodges have been added to our roll.

"As might have been expected, there have been many urgent appeals to your Grand Master for decisions in regard to using the funds of the Order for patriotic purposes, or asking that provision be made for the same. While many, or no doubt all, of the lodges, both subordinate and Rebekah, have had special funds for this purpose in many ways, I felt that any steps of a greater nature should be by special legislation of this Grand Body, and my duty was strictly to guard the funds.

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REPORTS FOUND VERY ENCOURAGING

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TWENTY-ONE MEN ST. JOHN'S LOOK FOR ESTERDAY

Recruiting Takes a Spurt—Thirteen of Those Enlisting are for Colored Battalion Now Recruiting—St. John Men Home from Front on Furlough Expected in City this Morning.

ROLL OF HONOR.

Michael C. Brown, St. John, N. B.

James D. Brown, St. John, N. B.

Oscar Roberts, St. John, N. B.

James W. Dryden, St. John, N. B.

Stewart C. Hatfield, St. John, N. B.

62nd Regiment.

D. E. Morrison, Marysville.

Milton Cecil Elliott, St. John, N. B.

E. Banks, Marysville, N. B.

James Holmer, St. John, N. B.

Charles Williams, St. John, N. B.

Abner Jones, St. John, N. B.

Allan Bushan, St. John, N. B.

Herbert Nichols, St. John, N. B.

Roy Hayes, St. John, N. B.

Harold McCarthy, St. John, N. B.

Percy Richards, St. John, N. B.

Louis Austin, St. John, N. B.

Thomas Trudnell, Newcastle.

Major Tilley.

Major Tilley said that the Dominion needs men, real men, for the defense of honest purposes. "We want this regiment," he said, "and when complete I don't think there will be a better regiment in Canada. It will be under the control, for the time being, of Lieut. McLean. Military training, any way, is a fine thing, so get together and enlist. You can do credit to Canada, for the colored people here have a good record and can be relied upon for any serious service required."

Magistrate Ritchie said: "Think of the doings of the 26th Battalion; think of each member of that unit and ask yourself the question, ought not I to do the best I can?"

The meeting altogether was most enthusiastic, and it was the general view that with the good result of a battalion worthy of the province will be quickly formed. The list of those who enrolled last night is only small, just a baker's dozen being on the roll, but the indications are that in pretty short order the colored people will be on hand to take their share in the defense of home and liberty. Those at present enlisted are named in the honor list above.

4th Pioneer Battalion.

The 4th Pioneer Battalion, stationed at St. Andrews, have been ordered to prepare for entrainment within short notice, for overseas. This battalion is about 800 strong at present, but drafts will be made from other units to complete the establishment before they embark for overseas. The 4th Pioneers is one of the strongest and best disciplined body of men mobilized in Canada, and under the efficient leadership of Lieut-Col. Weatherly they have made rapid strides in training for the strenuous work overseas.

62nd Regiment.

The 62nd Regiment, under command of Major Frost, took over the guard duties on the West side yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. By so doing, the members of the 140th Battalion, who have been doing the guard work, will be able to leave St. John and join their battalion at Valcartier. In addition to Sergeants, C. A. O'Dell and Andrews, Q. M. S. Bonnel and Sergt. D. A. Munroe will be attached to the 62nd Regiment.

To Go Overseas.

Another New Brunswick dentist is to go to the front with the Dental Corps now being formed in Canada. Dr. William R. Wilkes, of St. Stephen, having been accepted as one of the dentists to go overseas with that unit at an early date. He will have the rank of lieutenant, and will be in the same corps with Dr. F. W. Harbour of this city.

Dr. Wilkes is a graduate of the Baltimore Dental College, and has been practicing in St. Stephen for the past few years. Previous to taking up his dentistry studies he conducted a tailoring establishment in this city and was a prominent member of the Fredericton Brass Band. He is a native of Fredericton and his host of friends will be pleased to learn of his appointment.

Dr. Wilkes will go to Aldershot, N. S., within a few days and assist in the dental work at the training camps there, later going to Upper Canada for training before going overseas.

Pte. Wm. Lee Brooks, Douglas Avenue, St. John, is expected to arrive in St. John on the I. C. R. which is due at 7.30. The chairman of the Citizens' Recruiting Committee will be on hand to meet the boys.

The 53rd Battery, which is now at Petawawa, will be the next unit to leave Canada for overseas according to word given out at the military headquarters yesterday.

Pte. H. Wagg of this city is due at

Halifax today on his way home.

According to a letter received recently from England Major McKean, who left here with the C. A. S. C., is to return to the firing line from England in charge of a supply column.

There is some talk of the St. John brass band enlisting as a body with the colored battalion. No confirmation of this report has been given out by the bandmaster as yet.

Major C. Morgan, brigade manager of the 5th Brigade at Valcartier camp, is in the city on a short visit preparatory to taking charge of a company in the 25th Rifles.

Pte. Arthur W. Totten has been wounded in the arm according to advice received from Ottawa by his mother, Mrs. Susan Totten, 66 Dorchester street.

Ross D. Woodrow has received the glad news that his son's wounds were not of a serious nature and that he is resting comfortably in a hospital in England.

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DEMAND MAY EXCEED

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For the greater part of this big plant of the Ford Motor of Canada, Limited, at Port has been working twenty ho to keep its production equ demand. Ford cars to the 32,646 were shipped from t from August 1st, 1915 to 1916, inclusive, and over 1 of this number are now i Canada, while the balance ped to overseas; British p Australia, New Zealand, A India getting the bulk of the shipments.

For the 1917 season it i to manufacture over 50,000 and new equipment is being additions to the plant way now to handle this enor put.

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PRESSURE ON ALL SIDES UNTIL ENEMY IS BEATEN

PENDULUM, NOW STOPPED, WON'T SWING AGAIN FOR THE GERMANS, LORD DERBY SAYS

Under-Secretary for War Declares Allies Have Strong Grip of Situation and There is No Possibility of the Initiative Again Falling Into the Hands of the Germans.

London, Aug. 9.—"The Allies have been having a jolly good time since I saw you last," said the Earl of Derby, under-secretary of war, in meeting the newspaper correspondents today.

Lord Derby discussed the present military situation frankly, but declined to make any prophecies beyond the assertion that he was convinced there was no possibility of the initiative again falling into the hands of the Germans.

"It is not a bit of use comparing the casualties on our front with the ground gained," continued Lord Derby. "As a whole, the problem must be considered from the standpoint of the effect on other fronts, in the first place, and in the number of Germans we are able to kill. We have prevented the sending of vast German forces to the eastern front, where the Russians are making such impressive progress, while it is indisputable that the latest offensive on the western front has relieved the pressure upon Verdun.

GERMANS STILL FIGHTING LIKE TIGERS.

"You will recall that last year the Germans, using their railways to the best advantage, sent reinforcements from one front to another with the utmost facility. They are not doing that now and will never be able to do it again.

"Every Austrian killed or captured must be replaced with a German. This process cannot go on forever. The pendulum, now stopped, will not swing again for the Germans. We are killing many Germans, and this work will eventually end the war.

"It is foolish to belittle our own troops by belittling the Germans. Although they are no longer the top tiger, they are still fighting like tigers. For concentrated fury nothing in the war exceeded the fight our troops had with the Brandenburgs on the Somme front.

"While I have no more information concerning the Russian victories than you read in the press, I am convinced that the operation is tremendously important, for you will notice that 20,000 Germans, not Austrians, have been taken with some of their big guns. Such a thing does not happen every day.

"We are applying pressure on all sides and will continue to apply it until the successful conclusion of the war."

ATTITUDE OF GERMANY AS EXPECTED

Refuses Passage of Red Cross Supplies, Claiming Great Britain's Stand Makes Refusal Necessary.

London, Aug. 9.—The memorandum of the German government in regard to the treatment of surgical and medical appliances says:

"Great Britain, although she had originally assented to a safe passage of such articles, having declined to accept the proposals of the American and Spanish governments, having even refused to allow the American Red Cross organization to despatch them to the German Red Cross Society, and having further declined to listen to a protest from former President Taft on the subject, Germany is no longer in a position to grant free passage of surgical and medical requisites coming within the power of her naval forces as she has done up to now. The German navy will receive orders to exercise in the future the right pertaining to it to regulate the medical and surgical requisites mentioned in the Spanish government's list for the use of German military forces."

DEMAND MAY EXCEED OUTPUT.

At no time in the history of the motor car business has the demand for motor cars been so phenomenal as during the present year. Manufacturers have had tremendous difficulties in getting out sufficient cars to take care of this demand, and many factories have been running night and day to keep pace with this demand.

For the greater part of this year, the big plant of the Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited, at Ford, Ontario, has been working twenty hours a day to keep its production equal to the demand. Ford cars to the number of 23,446 were shipped from the factory from August 1st, 1915 to July 31st, 1916, inclusive, and over two thirds of this number are now in use in Canada, while the balance were shipped to overseas: British possessions, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, and India getting the bulk of the overseas shipments.

For the 1917 season it is planned to manufacture over 50,000 Ford cars, and new equipment is being installed, and additions to the plant are under way now to handle this enormous output.

Many other motor car manufacturers have during the year advanced their prices, but in keeping with their

N.Y. STREET RAILWAY STRIKE IS AVERTED

Brotherhood Accept Offer of U. S. Conciliation Board to Mediate Differences with Company.

New York, August 9.—The threatened strike of 400,000 railway employees of the United States was averted today, when the railroad Brotherhoods accepted an offer of the United States board of mediation and conciliation to mediate their differences with the railroads.

FRENCH AIRMEN FIRE GERMAN POWDER PLANT

Aerial Attacks on Enemy Along the Somme Carried Out Effectively by French Aviators.

Paris, Aug. 9.—An official statement says:

A German aeroplane over Lunéville has been forced to come to earth in front of our lines. French artillery destroyed the machine on the ground.

"On the Somme front French aviators have delivered numerous aerial attacks. Six German machines, seriously damaged, descended precipitately within their lines. A captive balloon of the enemy was destroyed on the night of August 8-9. One of our aviators has thrown down projectiles on the powder factory at Rottewell-On-The-Neckar. One hundred and fifty kilos (330 pounds) of explosives were thrown down on the factory buildings and as a result two very extensive fires and several explosions were observed. This machine left at 8.30 p.m. and was back from its trip at 11.55 p.m., having accomplished a night raid over a distance of 350 kilometres (217 miles) which was rendered particularly difficult by the necessity of flying over the Vosges Mountains and the Black Forest.

"Furthermore on the night of August 8-9 other French aeroplanes threw down forty-four shells upon the railroad stations at Audun-Le-Roman, Longuey and Mont Medy, and eighty-eight shells upon the railroad line at Tergnier and the station at Lafere."

"GAVE LIFE UNGRUDINGLY," COMRADE'S TRIBUTE TO PTE. CLYDE NEWCOMBE

LETTER TO MOTHER OF HOPEWELL HILL HERO A TOUCHING TRIBUTE FROM "PALS" OF THE SIGNAL SECTION OF 26th — MEMORIAL SERVICE AT DECEASED SOLDIER'S HOME LAST SUNDAY LARGELY ATTENDED.

Hopewell Hill, August 9.—A very largely attended memorial service was held on Sunday morning in the Methodist Church in honor of Pte. Clyde E. Newcomb, who gave his life for King and Country in Belgium, on July 14th. The church was appropriately draped with flags of the Allies, his choir chair being draped with the Union Jack, his two regalias over one side and a wreath of flowers on the other. A shield with name inscribed was also draped with flags and placed in front of the pulpit. The two temperance organizations, Sons of Temperance and I. O. G. T. marched in regalia and were seated in the body of the church. A very impressive sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. Richard Ople, who took for his text, 2 Timothy, 2:2: "Thou therefore endure hardness as a good soldier of Jesus Christ." A letter was read from Rev. H. E. DeWolfe regretting his inability to be present. The hymns sung were "Lead Kindly Light," "Jesus, while our hearts are bleeding," "Abide with Me," and a quartette, "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere." At the close of the service the National Anthem was sung, followed by the Dead March, played by Miss Nellie Rogers who presided at the organ throughout the service.

The following letter has been received by Mrs. Ella Newcomb from a member of the Signal Section of the 26th Battalion:

Dear Mrs. Newcomb:—Although I am unknown to you and unwilling as I am to renew your grief, I feel I cannot let the occasion go past without paying a tribute to your son, our late comrade, Clyde, as I knew him so well.

He was one of the most highly esteemed and popular members of our section and a general favorite throughout the battalion. He was a good soldier. Neither the trying weather conditions of last winter or the activities of the past few months were regarded by him as hardships. He took things just as they came in the proper spirit.

We miss his cheery voice on the phone, and his hearty laugh which was ever forthcoming. He saw humor where many another would see only pathos and hardship. We cherish his memory as one who had paid the extreme price unflinchingly and ungrudgingly.

Please accept our heartfelt sympathy in your great bereavement.

Believe me yours sincerely,

A. GIBSON.

Signal Section, 26th Battalion.



PRIVATE CLYDE NEWCOMBE.

MR. PERLEY, M.L.A., ON ROAD TO GOOD HEALTH

Fredericton, Aug. 9.—George A. Perley, M. L. A., Margerville, who has been ill, was visited today by a Standard representative. The latter found Mr. Perley keenly interested in the welfare of the province and in spite of his illness he had kept in close touch with affairs. His many friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Perley is now on the road to recovery and will in all probability be attending to his duties in the usual way in a short time.

WILL GRANT LICENSES IF GOODS ORDERED BEFORE BAN WAS PUT ON

Ottawa, August 9.—The department of trade and commerce has received the following cable from the high commissioner's office in London: "The controller of the department of import restrictions is prepared to consider favorably applications for licenses to bring over goods of prohibited nature from Canada, provided that, firstly, they were ordered before the date of prohibition; and secondly, that they are landed in this country on or before September 15."

C.N.R. PLACES ORDER WITH U.S. STEEL CORP

Toronto, Aug. 9.—Vice-President D. B. Hanna of the Canadian Northern Railway, confirms the report that the Canadian Northern Railway on the 4th instant, placed an order with the United States Steel Corporation for fifteen thousand tons of rails. Delivery of these will be made this fall.

PARAGRAPHS FROM THE EXCHANGES

Wheat—Condition reports coming in very bad.

LAKE.

Bradstreet's Report:—Wheat inc. this week 2,596,000; last week, December, 5,645,000; last year increase 4,607,000.

Corn inc. this week 1,171,000; last week inc. 910,000; last year increase 498,000.

Oats, this week inc. 75,000; last week inc. 1,178,000; last year decrease 783,000.

NOYES.

"Of course, you have picked out an ideal place for your summer vacation." "Oh, yes," replied Mr. Johnson. "When do you expect to get away?" "I don't expect to get away at all." "But, you just said—" "That I had picked out an ideal place for my summer vacation. I've decided on the same place every spring for the past seven years, but I haven't been there yet."—Birmingham Age-Herald.

HOLIDAY TO HELP BELGIAN CHILDREN

Public Schools of N. B. will Close and Entertainments Held in Aid of Little Belgians.

Fredericton, Aug. 9.—The Board of Education, at a meeting here this afternoon, approved of the recommendations of Chief Superintendent, Dr. W. S. Carter, to proclaim November 15th a school holiday. This day will be observed as Children's Day, when concerts, etc., will be held in aid of Belgian children in that part of Belgium now occupied by the Germans.

Returns from these concerts are to be sent to Educational Office not later than November 20th.

Leave of absence to go overseas was granted to Roland G. Murray, manual training instructor at Provincial Normal School, by the board.

SIR CHAS. TUPPER IN ENGLAND SUFFERING FROM TRENCH FEVER

Ottawa, August 9.—Sir Charles Tupper, Bart., grandson of the late Sir Charles Tupper, is at present in England suffering from trench fever. Lady Tupper, who is the daughter of Dr. Charles Morse, of this city, is with him. Sir Charles has been in the trenches since last April.

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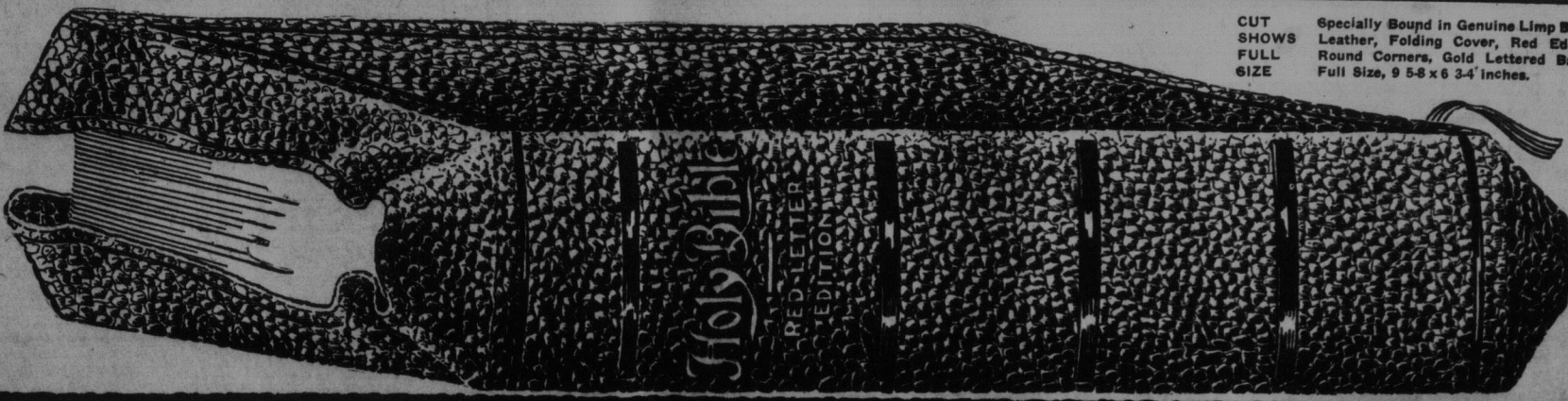
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"We are fighting for a worthy purpose, and we shall not lay down our arms until that purpose has been fully achieved."—H.M. The King.
TO THE PEOPLE OF THIS EMPIRE—Every fighting unit we can send to the front means one step nearer peace.

PETTY CRITICISM.

It appears to be quite impossible for any member of the Borden Government to do anything that will meet the approval of the petty partisans of the opposition press. Thus we find the Times editorially condemning Sir Sam Hughes while, in its news columns it prints the statement of Lloyd George who, after paying tribute to the great work done by the Canadians at the front, congratulated the Minister of Militia and Defense on the success of the important task of mobilizing, equipping and training the Canadian forces. Thus we find newspapers which, a few weeks ago, were loud in their demands for a Government gain elevator at this point finding fault with Mr. Haen and the managers of the Government Railways for doing their best to build that structure on the only available site.

In upper Canada and the West the oppositionists have a new and particularly petty grievance. There they find fault because those engaged in building the new Parliament buildings at Ottawa have razed the shattered walls of the ruin instead of working them in as part of the new structure. Possibly this is the plan which might have been adopted under the Laurier administration when Mr. Pugsley was Minister of Public Works, out, if so, there would have been no reduction in the price of the work. Old material would have figured the same as new—that is if the reputation of the Laurier administration in general and the department of public works in particular can be taken as a criterion on which to base judgment.

In the present case the men who condemn the builders of the structure at Ottawa have absolutely no knowledge whether the old ruin is safe, or whether the walls could have been utilized. That the man who writes the condemnatory article is a thousand or more miles away from the scene of operations does not in any way change the case. As the independent Winnipeg Saturday Post points out, "the Government is denounced as a body guilty of the same destructive practices as the German army which destroyed Laurin because it permitted its architects and builders to tear down the remains of the five-story walls of the destroyed building in order to put up a new structure! It is suggested, with-out the slightest shadow of evidence to support the suggestion, that this terrible destruction of this old wreck has been carried out only for the purpose of enabling the Government to spend more of the people's money! Of course, if the Government had decided to try to build on top of these old parts of walls, it would just as surely have been denounced for undertaking to put up a building that would be certain to fall down, and to give it another excuse to spend money! In fact, no matter what the present Dominion Government may, or may not do, it will be denounced by insane partisans, who are so insane that they actually expect the people to listen to them seriously!"

The Post, which "holds nobody's ex," is correct. The attitude which the opposition press adopts on an public utterance or action is not dictated by consideration of the merit or demerit of the thing said or done, but by the effect it will have on the political fortunes of the group of men forming the opposition party in the locality served by the criticising newspaper. If the Conservatives do a good thing it becomes bad by reason of their connection with it. If the Liberals do an evil thing it is at once glorified because a Liberal had a part in it. From such a viewpoint it is but a short step to the condition where an opposition newspaper editor cannot believe that the Conservative party contains an honest man or the Liberal party a villain.

It is such a brand of criticism that the Borden Government has been called upon to face ever since the outbreak of war and with a large section of the press spreading before the eyes of hundreds of thousands of readers, every day in the week, unwarranted statements calculated to prejudice the Government it is little short of a miracle that the Premier of Canada and his associates in the cabinet have

done as well as they have. The storm being raised over the Ottawa Parliament buildings is a very fair sample of the petty character of opposition politics.

LAURIER'S RETIREMENT.

La Patrie, the great French paper in Montreal, owned by the Tarte family and which for years was the personal organ of the greatest minister of public works who ever supported Laurier, now has a story that the Liberal leader will retire after the next Dominion election. That story is based upon a general understanding of the political situation. The Liberal leader is 75 years of age and has already passed by five years the allotted span of life, although thoughts of such grand old men as Lord Strathcona, Sir Charles Tupper and Sir Mackenzie Bowell render the Laurier age of less consequence than might at first appear. Men of such ripe years, however, are hardly fitted to carry on the affairs of a nation, advancing age has dulled the intellect no matter how brilliant, and if life is vouchsafed to them at that period it is not fair to them to add to their physical burdens the additional tax of state administration.

Nor is it fair to the state, for the heavy tasks of modern business or politics must be entrusted to men in the health and vigor of the prime of manhood. Rather than an experienced old man the tendency is to prefer a young man who, if he lacks experience of years, makes up for it by his added vigor and energy.

It often happens that the will to do is of more consequence than the knowledge of how to do, so it is likely that even if Liberal hopes are fulfilled and Sir Wilfrid ever returns to the premiership it will be but a brief space before he will call upon another and younger man to take up the burden, while he would retire to private leisure and the luxury of a life well spent.

In that event Canada would have as premier a man, not the choice of the people and not representative of popular confidence and judgment. Who would it be? In Ontario the opinion inclines to Hon. George P. Graham although the Trent Valley Canal scandal and the N. T. R. fiasco should stand forever as obstacles barring his path to the office of first minister of the Crown. Mr. Graham, moreover, has been beaten in his own constituency and does not stand for the thing which most of all Ontario today desires. The Maritime Provinces, once the breeding ground of statesmen, offers no one. Mr. Pugsley is the foremost figure in the Liberal party and the men of the other Canadian provinces distrust him. His political path contains too many windings to commend him to those who demand a single minded man. True, there is Mr. Carvell, but his sun waned before the Meredith-Duff Commission had half completed its sittings and on the occasion of his next appeal to the people of Carleton county will be completely eclipsed. The melancholy fact with which the Liberal party today is faced is that in the event of Sir Wilfrid Laurier's retirement not one man in the party can come near to measuring up to his standard. There is no one to wear his political shoes with acceptance. No wonder the Liberals wish to take advantage of their leader's present robust health to wage one more political battle before he is consigned to oblivion.

THE SPIRIT OF A NATION.

A writer in Everybody's explains that the United States is against war, "not because we have grown cowardly and fear death, nor because we have grown flabby and love softness," but "because we in America have something larger to do." This something larger is the development of the country. But Canada with her resources almost untouched might reply that she found a place in her national spirit for the defense of liberty. The same writer goes on to say:

"A spirit is intangible. It defies definition or limitation. It can only be made comprehensible by acts."

This is true—that the spirit of a man or a nation is shown in acts. We may boast a great deal, may discuss large plans of action, but unless we accomplish these acts we have

nothing to show that our spirit is anything more than so much thin air, to be dissolved at the first gust of wind. Indeed, there is something lamentable in the manner in which the American spirit in this war has languished and we were going to say, died. The story is told to us of a hospital unit organized by wealthy Chicagoans to assist in recruiting wounded soldiers in France from death. The unit went overseas, and for six months was maintained by American funds. Then suddenly these funds lapsed. The spirit of the givers had grown sordid and selfish and fruitless. They had counted upon a war of six months' duration, not of years.

England is giving five million dollars monthly to the feeding of the Belgian people, and France four and a half millions monthly, and the United States has given all told only seven million dollars. Yet the belief is common in the United States that the republic, while keeping out of the war is giving vast sums to the relief of war's sufferers, and thus is playing a real and necessary part in the struggle. This mistaken idea is created in the fact that the distribution of the British and French gifts is in the hands of an American, since it is only through a neutral that the distribution can be made.

France appears in a truly heroic light in her relief of the Belgians. It is related that when application was made to the Premier of France for twenty-two million francs a month he replied: "Oh, my, we have not the money; but I will see the banks; I will see what can be done." The next day there came a letter saying: "Please find check for twenty-two million francs. I beg you will acknowledge it," signed by the Premier of France. And each month the same check has come and no question has ever been asked as to how it was spent.

France, glorious in her heroism, has found time and opportunity in which to give to the war-sufferers of another nation, though her own people are terribly stricken. The United States, fit with war contracts that have exceeded in munitions alone the colossal sum of three billion dollars, enjoying peace and liberty while others die in its defense, gives as much altogether as France gives in a single month. Oh, yes, the spirit of a nation is told in acts, not in words. The spirit of France will be a torch of liberty through the ages.

ANOTHER ST. JOHN BAND MAY VOLUNTEER

St. John Brass Band May Offer Services to Go to Front With Colored Regiment Being Recruited.

Some time ago the members of the St. John Brass Band, which is composed entirely of colored residents, stated that they would enlist in a body as the regimental band for a colored regiment, if one was organized. The chance has now arrived and it is not improbable that the band will be heard from at an early date. The St. John Brass Band has had an uphill fight since its organization, and despite many drawbacks has developed into a good musical body, and one which deserves much credit.

The members of the Carleton, 62nd and St. Mary's bands have all enlisted for overseas duty, and nothing will be heard of these bands being reorganized until after the war. The only bands left in the city in addition to the St. John Brass, are the City Cornet, Temple, and Sons of England, and these organizations have been badly crippled by the majority of their best musicians have become members of the regimental bands in Canada who have gone overseas, and will soon be in the old country.

The St. John Brass Band are all a sturdy and brave lot of young men, and it would be a great compliment to them should they offer their services in a body and be accepted.

FREDERICTON'S NEW POLICE CHIEF IN CITY

Among the arrivals in the city yesterday afternoon was George Riddout, chief of the police force in Moncton. The chief has been appointed as head of the force in Fredericton, and will leave for the capital this morning to have a conference with the police commission in that city. Although he has not as yet handed in his resignation to the Moncton council, it is expected that this will be done in a few days.

Some years ago, before Chief Riddout took charge of the Moncton police, he was on the Fredericton force, and was always found to be one of the most efficient officers in the Maritime Provinces. In taking the position as head of the force in the railway town he has made a great change in the department, and while there he has been the cause of rounding up a great many criminals, and putting Moncton on the map as a most law-abiding place. He has made many staunch friends in Moncton, who will

Little Benny's Note Book

THE PARK AVENUE NEWS.

Sports. The invisibles lost a close and thrilling game to the Park Wonders last Tuesday, by the score of 24 to 35 favor the Park Wonders, owing to an error made by Pude Simkins in failing to catch a high fly rise in his hands. Captain Reddy Nerfy declares that if Pude doesn't stop chewing caramels and keep his attention on the game, he will chuck him to heck off the team.

SHORT STORY.

The Slingy Woman.

"Hay, lady, heers a sent you dropped," sed the honest child. "Thank you," the lady replied sweetly, and she took it and put it back in her satchel.

The End.

Bewty Hint. How to prevent the sun from making freckles on you. Stay in the shade. Sisley Notes. Sid Hums big brother Fred was observed by Mr. Pude Simkins and Mr. Sam Craws on Broad Street with a red headed girl with a parball. Mr. Simkins and Mr. Craws state that he perented he didnt know them wen they waved and yelled, Ah there, at him.

THE INNOCENT MUST SUFFER.

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be sorry to have him leave, and the only enemies that such an excellent official could have would be those whom he has brought to justice. George Riddout, being no stranger to Fredericton, and being rated as one of the brainiest chiefs of police in the lower provinces, will undoubtedly be welcomed to the capital, and if given but half a chance will make the Fredericton force most efficient.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

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Commissioner Russell gave notice at last Tuesday's meeting of the common council that he would move at the next meeting for authority to spend \$2,500 in having a detailed plan of the harbor, including Courtney Bay, prepared. He also proposes to revise the by-laws and rules where it might be deemed necessary to bring them up to date.

At the present time the city has no plan of the harbor and the shunters and it has been found very hard to get information which is required regarding these things. If the council decides to have the work done it will mean that in a short time the commissioner and harbor master will have a plan which will enable them in a few minutes to furnish any information required about the wharves either city or private. The by-laws and regulations governing the harbor are most of them very old and in a great many instances out of date. It is proposed to go over them and formulate a new set of regulations and do away with the ones which are obsolete. It is also proposed to look into the matter of rates and compare them with those charged in other cities and even if no change is made the comparison will serve to show whether our rates are higher or lower than those of other ports.

"SISTER SUSIE" ASKS WHAT "IF YOU DO BUST A RIB?"

Another Laugh will Cure It—Plenty of them at Westfield Saturday.

Sister Susie has everything well in hand for Saturday, even to an absolute guarantee of fine weather. Final arrangements were completed last evening for the big tent show on the grounds, the southern colored minstrels having been engaged. It will be of interest to know that the leading man is very prominent on the professional stage, and the fact that he hailed from St. John, and was formerly a prominent amateur here, but adds to the interest. The games arranged for the picnic are too numerous to mention, and include many novel and novel stunts. Everything is in readiness for electricity for the fireworks which will be shown about nine thirty. One of the outstanding features of Sister Susie's picnic will be the low price of transportation, return tickets being sold at forty-five cents for adults; twenty-five for children, while the Geneva leaving her wharf at two-thirty and returning at nine-thirty from Westfield, will sell return tickets for fifty cents. These tickets are good for all Saturday suburban trains and the low prices linked with the good times offering, should make Westfield the mecca of thousands Saturday.

OBITUARY.

The death of Mrs. Joseph Brown took place at the General Hospital Tuesday evening, following an illness of two weeks. She formerly resided at Cooper, Me., and came to this city about two years ago with her husband, Joseph Brown, 122 Canterbury street, who survives her. The funeral will take place at 10.30 o'clock this morning from the mortuary chambers of Messrs. N. W. Brennan & Son, 715 Main street, after the service is held.

Mrs. W. D. Campbell, nee Campbell, of Minot, N. D. Deceased was in poor health and her husband had taken her to Vancouver in hopes that the change of air would improve her health, but she was suddenly taken worse and passed away on Sunday. She was formerly Miss Elliott of Newcastle, and was about 37 years of age and is survived by the following brothers and sisters: Charles Elliott, barrister, Perth, N. B.; Osborne Elliott, Minot, N. D.; Mrs. James Smallwood, Minot, N. D.; Mrs. F. N. Atkinson, Truro, N. B.; Mrs. Graham Jardine, Vancouver, B. C.; Mrs. Chas. Stewart, Unizumba, Natal; Mrs. Fred D. Cheesman, St. John's, Nfld.; Mrs. John Robinson, Jr., and Mrs. R. W. Crocker, Newcastle. The funeral took place today at Vancouver, B. C.

Sarah J. Wilband, The many friends of Sarah J. Wilband, widow of Captain W. A. Wilband, will learn with deep regret of her death which took place at the residence of her son, Robert J. Corb, yesterday, after a short illness, at the advanced age of 72 years. The deceased leaves one son, a daughter and two sisters to mourn their sad loss. The son, Robert, resides in the city, and the daughter, Mrs. Charles d'Arcy, is residing at Morristown, New Jersey. Both sisters reside in the city. They are Mrs. J. Needham and Mrs. Robert Stuart.

Amidst The Scenic Wonders of Great Alaskan Northland

Member of The Standard's Travel Club Sends Another Interesting Story of Some of Picturesque Places Through Which the Party Passed on Trip Northward.

Somewhere on the Pacific Ocean.

August 1, 1916.

To The Standard:— Leaving Prince Rupert last Wednesday noon, the members of the Newspaper Travel Club have had seven days on a luxurious Grand Trunk Pacific steamer, without any other change of baggage about, living in attractive rooms with the breezes from the Pacific ocean, dining at an abundantly spread table, enjoying all the fun of a continental party on shipboard where music and merriment are almost continual, plus the luxury of enjoying a tremendous amount of the world's wonderful scenery, an experience which should make every member of the party the envy of all her friends.

Such has been the privilege of the members of the Travel Club since boarding the steamer Prince George for the trip northward to Alaska, and that every one is enthusiastic over the astounding experiences of the past few days needs no reiteration. It has been a trip of far greater wonder than any had dared hope for when the outing began. Some very eloquent descriptive matter has been written of the trip to Alaska, but even the most impassioned description falls so far short of the actual experience that space is wasted in attempting to give any accurate account of the Travel Club sight seeing for the past seven days.

Crossing the continent was an event in itself, and the experience in the Canadian Rockies of the most wonderful and delightful description, but the side trip to Alaska far overshadowed all that had gone before. It was a merry crowd of young ladies that boarded the steamer last Wednesday noon for the trip northward.

Before going any farther it may be said that the trip to Alaska was a good thing for the members of the party for the famous Inside Passage in the way of excellent behavior is true and reliable. During the almost 2,000 miles that the members of the party have had on the Pacific, not half an hour of the time has been spoiled with rough water. Except in crossing Queen Charlotte Sound, which is a very brief run, no rough water can be encountered, because the Inside Passage is guarded by the outer string of islands and the Pan Handle of Alaska, which makes the trip practically like a voyage on a great river.

There never has been a moment when any member of the party has had the slightest excuse for seasickness, not a meal has been missed, and everybody has been ready for all the fun and stirring events of the trip. The party left Prince Rupert in high gear, eager for the scenic wonders of the great Alaskan northland. It was a beautiful morning and the mountain peaks so plainly visible from the deck of the Prince George presented a most attractive and spectacular appearance. The first stop was made at Ketchikan, Alaska, and from the merry manner in which the girls hastened ashore, some one suggested that the place might well be named "Catch-A-Moment." The party had from 7 until 11 p. m., and so high was the sun between 7 and 8 o'clock that many of the party were able to secure excellent snap shots with their batteries of cameras. Ketchikan is a very brisk and lively town, with a peculiar setting of mountains in the background. The streets are very hilly and in many places long flights of steps lead up to terraces on which are built long rows of attractive residences, many of them of bungalow style, very smart and attractive in appearance.

A rushing stream with lots of picturesque rapids runs directly through the town, where the salmon can be seen leaping great numbers at certain seasons of the year. There is a very delightful little park meeting at the foot of a huge mountain and altogether the four hours' stop was none too long for the members of the party to stroll through practically every street of the attractive little town. Practically all the residents turn out to witness the arrival of the steamers from the south, so that our party had a most imposing reception committee on the dock to greet our arrival. The girls of the Travel Club attracted great attention and did not want for interested guides to show them over the attractions of the town. When sailing time came the girls gathered on deck and sang their "Good Bye Friends" song to the great delight of the assembled crowds, even if it was 11 o'clock steamer time, and

12 o'clock town-time. Even then though the sun had been down for almost two hours, the long twilight had hardly departed and the brilliant electric lights along the streets seemed hardly needed in this land of very close alliance to that of the Midnight Sun.

It was a sight of great beauty when the steamer drew out of the harbor to look back at the attractive town nestled at the foot of the mountains, its electric lights twinkling out like myriad stars in Indian summer night. The placid waters, the deep shadows of the mighty mountains, the brilliant lighting of the northern sky, with Ketchikan rapidly disappearing in the distance, made a picture that no member of the party will ever forget. The introduction to Alaska was a most happy one, and came up fully to everybody's expectations.

Thursday was a day crowded full of the most delightful experiences. There was the wonderful sail northward through the Inside Passage, every hour of which was crowded with new and delightful sensations as the spectacular scenery of the mainland and peninsula presented an instant call; first on one side and then the other of the steamer were wonderful vistas to delight the eye. The towering mountains, many of them snow-capped, the many leaping waterfalls, the valleys and the rivers, the views of distant glaciers, all combined to make a picture no words can do justice to. Many of the islands appeared to be veritable mountain tops rising from their mighty heads up out of the Pacific, nearly all heavily wooded with evergreen and many crested with silver.

No description would be adequate to tell about the delights of the daylight voyage. There was a constant change of scenery and surprises of all kinds were given the delighted members of the party. At 8 a. m. Wrangell, Alaska, was reached, and there was a four hour stop for sight-seeing every moment of which was employed to the best advantage. One of the features was a visit to a salmon cannery where thousands of splendid fresh salmon are put up daily for consumption down south and back east. The girls watched the work in the cannery with the greatest interest and regarded this visit as well worth while from every standpoint. Another point of interest was a visit to one of the oldest totem poles in all Alaska, which are erected in Wrangell, in front of the old time cabin of a noted Indian chief. Grouped about these poles group pictures were taken and many snap shots secured of the historic spot.

Juneau was reached in early evening and there was five hours for sight-seeing in the capital of Alaska, and by far the most interesting town of Alaska. Juneau has a most picturesque setting at the foot of very high mountains which rise very abruptly from almost the water's edge.

In fact Juneau from a scenic standpoint attracted more attention from the members of the party than any other Pacific coast point visited. Its wonderful setting with the great mines all about the town make Juneau in a class by itself from a scenic point of view. Alaska's capital had ever seen anything equal to the picturesque appearance of the town. Its appeal is quite irresistible and its beauty of natural setting indescribable.

It was one most picturesque ride up the canal to Juneau, and an even more striking, departing for the last portion of the trip northward. The immense mining properties at Juneau and at Treadwell have great mills and very numerous mine buildings which are brilliantly lighted at night with the result that they present a most spectacular appearance. The mines extend an immense distance up the side of the mountain, and no adequate idea can be given of the brilliant illumination effect, so plainly visible from the deck of the steamer.

The members of the party had a very enjoyable stroll about the city and were delighted with all that they saw in Alaska's capital. As a typical mining town, Juneau presents great attractions to the tourist and is a city well worth visiting.

Leaving Juneau for the trip to Skagway was continued, the party arriving at the latter point soon after 6 o'clock Friday morning, all eager to make the most of the two day stop in this, the most northward part of the southern side of the Alaskan Panhandle. The

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COM. WIGMORE MAKES REPLY TO "THE TIMES"

Lancaster Extension will be Made Before Winter, as Promised, if Council Votes Bond Issue.

"I never yet made a promise in my long political career that I did not carry out" was the answer of Commissioner Wigmore when asked by a Standard representative last night in regard to the article in the "Times" re Lancaster water extension, "and if I do not carry this one out it will not be my fault." The commissioner said that he had plans prepared and had submitted them to the council on two ways of increasing the water supply in Lancaster. One called for an expenditure of \$40,000 and was merely a makeshift for a few years, the other called for an expenditure of \$200,000 and would practically solve the difficulty for all time. Personally he was in favor of the larger expenditure, as he believed it would be true economy, but if the council would not vote the bond issue for that amount he was ready to put through the alternative scheme if they would give him the bond issue. He expects Mr. Goldsmith here this week and hopes to be in a position to ask the council to vote on a definite plan of work next week. He intended to keep faith with the people of Lancaster if at all possible as he realized that the water service there was not what it should be and if his brother commissioners would vote the bond issue the work would be done in plenty of time.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mr. John Boulter took place at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon from his late residence, 404 Union street. Rev. Hammond Johnson conducted the burial services and interment was made at Fernhill cemetery.

Mrs. J. F. Robertson acknowledges with thanks \$25.30, the proceeds of a sale at Hillandale, per Mrs. W. S. Stephenson. This amount will be forwarded to the Nursing Sister, Joyce Wishart for the wounded soldiers at Granville Special Canadian Hospital, Ramsgate, England.

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LATE NEWS AND VIEWS FROM SPORTING WORLD

MISS HARRIS M.
WINS PITTSBURG
FEATURE EVENT

Grand Circuit Opened Yesterday After Postponement of Two Days Owing to Rain.

Pittsburg, Aug. 9.—Miss Harris M. won the William \$2,000 purse, the feature event of the Grand Circuit race meeting, which opened here today after rain had prevented a start on the two preceding days. She took the race in straight heats.

Summary:

2.08 Class Trotting, Three Heats.

Purse \$1,000.

Donington, ch. b. by Bellini,

(Geers) 1 1

Mirchful, b. m. by Star of Pat-

chen, (Murphy) 2 2

Miss Perfection, b. m. (Mc-

Mahon) 3 3

The Exposer, b. h. (Donahue) 4 4

Hazel Laing, ch. m. (McDonald) 5 5

Time—2:09.4; 2:09.4; 2:07.

The William Stake, 2.07 Class, Pacing.

Three Heats, Purse \$2,000.

Miss Harris M. b. m. by Peter

The Great, (McDonald) 1 1

Billy Dale, b. g. by Dale Pat-

chen, (Cox) 2 2

The Savoy, blk. g. (Flynn) 3 3

Alaewood, gr. m. (Murphy) 4 4

Time—2:06; 2:04.4; 2:06.

The Matron Stake, Pacing, Foals of

1913, Two in Three, \$1,070.

One Heat.

Rose Magee, b. f. by The Abbe,

(Murphy) 1 1

*Peter Look, b. c. (Traynor) 2 2

Miss Jennie Castle, br. f. (Nichol-

son) 3 3

Time—2:22.

*Peter Look fall.

The Northrup, Two Year Old Trotters,

Two Heats, \$500 Added.

Harvest Gale, br. f. by The Har-

vester, (McDonald) 1 1

Kelley Deforest, b. c. (Chandler) 2 2

Time—2:18.4; 2:15.4.

HORSE RACES POSTPONED.

Pittsburg, Aug. 9.—A third effort

was made here today to open the

Grand Circuit meeting, which for two

days has been postponed owing to

heavy rain storms which broke over

Bruno's Island shortly before time for

the first race to start. Rain, which

continued to fall until late last night,

made the track fairly heavy.

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Two for Montreal.

Newark, Aug. 9.—Montreal won two

games from Newark today, 5 to 3 and

7 to 0. The score:

First game—

Montreal 50200001—8 11 1

Newark 00020000—3 7 1

Batteries: Bader and Madden;

Schacht and Egan.

Second game—

Montreal 00000010—7 11 3

Newark 00000000—0 6 1

Batteries: Colwell and Howley;

Smallwood and Schwert.

Providence, 3; Rochester, 2.

Providence, Aug. 9.—Providence won

the first game, 3 to 2, and Rochester

won the second, 2 to 1. The score:

First game—

Providence 00101000—2 7 1

Rochester 01001000—3 11 1

Batteries: Archer and Doolin; Baum-

gartner and Yelle.

Rochester, 2; Providence, 1.

Rochester, Aug. 9.—Rochester won

the first game, 2 to 1, and Providence

won the second, 5 to 2. The score:

First game—

Rochester 00010010—2 8 1

Providence 00000100—1 5 1

Batteries: Hill and Hale; Schultz

and Yelle.

Divide Double Header.

Richmond, Aug. 9.—Buffalo took the

opening game today, 2 to 1, and Rich-

mond won the second, 5 to 2. The score:

First game—

Buffalo 00000011—2 7 1

Richmond 01000000—1 5 2

Batteries: Keating and Onslow;

Pennock and Reynolds.

Second game—

Buffalo 00002000—2 7 0

Richmond 10022000—5 11 2

Batteries: Gaw and Onslow; Ross

and Reynolds.

Toronto and Baltimore Split Even.

Baltimore, Aug. 9.—Toronto today

won the first game, 6 to 4, and lost the

second, 5 to 12. The score:

First game—

Toronto 01021200—6 10 1

Baltimore 00000004—4 8 1

Batteries: McKie and Kelly; Mor-

risette, Crowell and McAvoy.

Second game—

Toronto 00001010—5 9 2

Baltimore 12030420—12 17 1

Batteries: Thompson, Brady and

Kritcheff; Trippie and Winston.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia and Cincinnati Break

Even.

Philadelphia, Aug. 9.—A pitching

duel and a slugfest were staged in

a double-header here today, Phila-

delphia winning the former 1 to 0 and

Cincinnati, the hard hitting contest, 8

to 7. The score:

First game—

Cincinnati 00000000—0 7 1

Philadelphia 00100000—1 7 1

Batteries—Schultz and Wingo; Al-

exander and Killifer.

(Second game)

Cincinnati 50003000—8 15 2

Philadelphia 00000000—0 7 1

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(The time given is Atlantic Stand-

ard, and one hour slower than present lo-

cal time.)

August Phases of the Moon.

First Quarter 6th 5h 5m pm

Full Moon 13th 8h 0m am

Last Quarter 20th 8h 53m am

New Moon 28th 1h 26m pm

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NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

WALL ST. MARKET MORE INCLINED TO OPTIMISM

General Tendency to Overcome Recent Obstacles Evidenced Yesterday

READING LEADS RALLY IN RAILS

Trade Reports Aid Steel and Kindred Issues, U.S. Steel Advancing 1-4 to 88 5/8.

New York, Aug. 9.—A very general disposition to overcome such recent obstacles as professional pressure and unfavorable industrial conditions was evidenced by today's market, important stocks, notably rails, advancing two to seven points, with almost equally substantial gains in specialties of various descriptions. The rise in rails was led by Reading and had its inception in rumors later confirmed, that the railway unions had agreed to submit their differences to mediation. The poor conditions disclosed by yesterday's government crop report seemed to have been discounted, however, no less than trunk lines and coals, participating in the upswing of the final hour.

Steel asserted its wonted leadership, advancing one and three quarters on very large dealings, including numerous individual lots of 1,000 to 4,000 shares at 88 1/2, its best price since January last. Steel and kindred issues were materially assisted by trade reports which dwelt on the scarcity of raw materials and the prospects of additional price advances.

Shipping shares formed the foundation of the forenoon's rise, Marine preferred adding 1 1/2 points to yesterday's gain of 5 1/2 with a rise of 3 1/2 for Atlantic, Gulf and West Indies to 66 1/2, a new record. Munitions and equipment shares, however, were up, but in their own right, rather than by the motor group and other specialties of a less distinctive character.

Paper shares were again responsive to the wide demand for the manufacture of product, International Paper preferred surmounting its previous gains of the week with a further advance of four points on the belief that deferred dividends will be funded from time to time. United Cigar Stores made a gross gain of four points on recurrent rumors of an increase of the present dividend rate, and Mexicans hardened on the announcement of the election of members of the Mexican commission.

Total sales amounted to 560,000 shares.

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)			
Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am Coal Pds 143	143 1/2	143	143 1/2
Am Beet Sug 87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
Am Car Pk 58 1/2	59	58 1/2	59
Am Loco 69 1/2	71 1/2	69 1/2	71 1/2
Am Sug 109 1/2	110	109 1/2	110
Am Smelt 93 1/2	95	93 1/2	95
Am Woolen 43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Am Zinc 32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Am Tele 129 1/2	130	129 1/2	130
Am Talc 80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2
Am L & P 57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
Am Can 55 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Am Loco 102	103	101 1/2	103
Balt and Ohio 84 1/2	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
Bald Loco 73 1/2	74 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2
Butte and Sup 64 1/2	65 1/2	64 1/2	65 1/2
C F I 43 1/2	44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2
Ches and Ohio 60 1/2	62	60 1/2	62
Chino 48 1/2	49	48 1/2	49
Cent Leath 55 1/2	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Can Pac 176 1/2	177 1/2	176 1/2	177 1/2
Cons Gas 139 1/2	140 1/2	139 1/2	140 1/2
Cruc Steel 71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2
Erie Com 35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2
Erie 1st Pfd 53 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Gr Nor Pfd 117 1/2	118 1/2	117 1/2	118 1/2
Good Rub 71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2
Gen Elect 169 1/2	170 1/2	169 1/2	170 1/2
Gr Nor Ore 35 1/2	36 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2
Indus Alcohol 107 1/2	108 1/2	107 1/2	108 1/2
Inspira Cop 49 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Kans City Sou 24 1/2	25 1/2	24 1/2	25 1/2
Kenneb Cop 47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Lighlgh Vll 77 1/2	78 1/2	77 1/2	78 1/2
Marc Mar Pfd 94 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
Mex Petrol 97 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2	98 1/2
Miami Cop 33 1/2	34 1/2	33 1/2	34 1/2
NY NH and H 58 1/2	59 1/2	58 1/2	59 1/2
N Y Cent 109 1/2	110 1/2	109 1/2	110 1/2
Nor and West 129 1/2	130 1/2	129 1/2	130 1/2
Nor Pac 111 1/2	112 1/2	111 1/2	112 1/2
Ont and West 26 1/2	27 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Penn 56 1/2	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2
Ypsen SU Car 49 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Reading Com 94 1/2	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
Repub Steel 46 1/2	47 1/2	46 1/2	47 1/2
Soo 122 1/2	123 1/2	122 1/2	123 1/2
Sou Rail 23 1/2	24 1/2	23 1/2	24 1/2
Studebaker 126 1/2	127 1/2	126 1/2	127 1/2
Union Pac 138 1/2	139 1/2	138 1/2	139 1/2
U S Steel Com 87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
U S Rub 53 1/2	54 1/2	53 1/2	54 1/2
Utah Cop 76 1/2	77 1/2	76 1/2	77 1/2
United Fruit 161 1/2	162 1/2	161 1/2	162 1/2
Westhouse 57 1/2	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
West Union 93 1/2	94 1/2	93 1/2	94 1/2
W S Steel Pfd 118 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2	119 1/2

TREASURY READY TO BUY ANOTHER LIST OF SECURITIES

Montreal Light and Two More "Soo" Securities are Included in the New List.

Special to The Standard.
New York, Aug. 9.—The dollar securities committee of the British treasury has issued a fourth list of securities which the treasury is prepared to purchase, and which will be subject to the special income tax of 3s. on the pound, though assumption will be granted in respect of securities which are lent to the treasury under the deposit scheme. In this list are included Montreal Light, Heat and Power (Lachina Division S. P.) 5 per cent. bonds due 1923, and Ontario Power of Niagara Falls first mortgage 5 per cent. bonds, 1942. Two more "Soo" securities are also included, namely, "Soo" 4 per cent. bonds 1943, and Wisconsin Central refunding first mortgage bonds.

E. & C. RANDOLPH ON NEW YORK MARKET

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
New York, August 9.—The Railway Brotherhood acceptance of the services of the federal board of mediation in the railway wage controversy was followed by one of the sharpest advances that has taken place in the market for a long time past. Reading stock advanced from one to five points, industrial issues were also strong, the advance in Steel common to 88 1/2 being most impressive. As this termination of the railway employees strike threat was generally expected to come, it is difficult to explain the decided strength in the market on the basis of that alone. There was, of course, some apprehension throughout the country that there might be a strike, and if the present turn of affairs results in any great public participation in the market the advance might be carried further. There are many stocks, however, now being carried in Wall Street on margin accounts to give a basis for belief of any sustained strength in the market. Final agreement between President Wilson and Carranza over the question of mediation of the Mexican trouble was also used to help sentiment in the market. Total sales 571,988. Bonds \$3,350,000.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE PRICES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)
Chicago, August 9.—Wheat—No. 2 red, new, 1.44 5/8 to 1.47 1/4; No. 3 red, new, 1.35 to 1.45 3/4; No. 2 hard, new, 1.42 to 1.43 1/4; No. 3 hard, new, 1.38 1/2 to 1.41.
Corn—No. 2 yellow, 87 1/4 to 87 3/4; No. 4 yellow, 85; No. 4 white, 84 to 85; Oats—No. 3 white, 44 to 45; standard, 44 1/2 to 45 1/4.
Rye—No. 2, new, 1.07.
Barley—66 to 82.
Timothy—8.50.
Clover—7.00 to 14.50.
Port—26.50; lard, 13.20; ribs, 13.70 to 14.50.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)			
Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.
14.78	14.50	14.69	14.69
14.90	14.64	14.82	14.82
15.00	14.76	14.94	14.94
15.01	14.84	14.98	14.98
14.79	14.69	14.89	14.89

MONTREAL MARKETS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.)			
Braslian L. H. and P.	58	59	
Canada Car	43	43 1/2	
Canada Cement	58 1/2	59 1/2	
Canada Cement Pfd.	91	92	
Can. Cotton	48	49	
Crown Reserve	40	42	
Detroit United	119 1/2	120 1/2	
Dom. Bridge	214 1/2	216	
Dom. Iron Pfd.	91	94	
Dom. Iron Com.	55 1/2	56 1/2	
Dom. Tex. Com.	79	80	
Laurentide Paper Co.	184 1/2	187	
Lake of Woods	11 1/2	13	
MacDonald Com.	113 1/2	115	
N. Scotia Steel and C.	123 1/2	125 1/2	
Ottawa L. and P.	90	92	
Ogilvie	135	136	
Pennam's Limited	89	92	
Quebec Railway	33	35 1/2	
Shaw W. and P. Co.	130	132	
Spanish River Com.	10 1/2	11	
Steel Co. Can. Com.	55 1/2	56 1/2	
Toronto Ralls	80 1/2	81 1/2	

DOMINION BRIDGE POSITION PROMISES TO BE VERY STRONG

Able to Distribute Dividends and Bonuses of 20 p. c. without Touching Its Own Large Earnings.

Special to The Standard.
Montreal, Aug. 9.—The financial editor of the Star says: "It looks as though Dominion Bridge has arrived at the fortunate stage of being able to distribute to its shareholders dividends and bonuses at the rate of 20 per cent. per annum without having to touch any of its own large earnings. This is possible because of the interest it owns in a very fortunate subsidiary, in the shares of which it owns a 51 per cent. interest. This is the Montreal Ammunition Company which in less than a year's time has paid 750 per cent. and may run it up to the 900 per cent. level within the next month or so."

As the Bridge distribution is now at the rate of \$1,300,000, its share of the 900 per cent. on Ammunition's \$300,000 capitalization would more than pay the payment of 100 per cent. was made by Ammunition this week, bringing it up to 750 per cent. It is understood to have been in Dominion bridge bonds, of which the company was a large purchaser not long ago.

This development indicates that Bridge is working into a remarkably strong financial position, which suggests strong possibility of a melon cutting eventually.

NEW HIGH RECORD FOR EARNINGS

Steel Co. of Canada's Figures for July Expected to Set New Mark—Big Orders on Hand.

Special to The Standard.
Montreal, Aug. 9.—With the capacity of their plant materially increased, as a result of starting up of the new open-hearth furnace, the earnings of the Steel Co. of Canada for July are expected to make a new high record by a wide margin. An official of the company states that the war orders already on hand will keep the plant going until next March, and there is such a demand for steel for steel beams throughout Canada that the new furnaces are likely to be kept producing to capacity. The high prices for high tensile steel make business very attractive, the three new furnaces having a capacity of 80 tons each per hour or 240 tons in all, and increasing the steel making capacity of the plant by 50 per cent.

NEWS LETTER ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal August 9.—The last few days the market had looked as if it was scraping around bottom and a rally was due. Notwithstanding the big advance in the grain markets, about noon the New York market gave a very strong exhibition of strength and the market closed at the top, after a good advance. Our local market showed very little stock offerings, and this can be said of practically all our stocks. We believe that this market is going to do better. Earnings of most of the companies are at the top notch now and securities are very much lower than they were. Money is plentiful. The prices farmers will get for their grain will offset to some degree the shortage, and it looks as if the labor situation would be adjusted.

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, Aug. 9.—Corn—American, No. 2 yellow, 92 to 1.00.
Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 57; No. 3, 56 1/2; extra, No. 1, feed, 56 1/2.
Flour—Man spring wheat patents, 8.20; seconds, 7.70; strong bakers, 7.50; winter patents, choice, 7.00; straight choices, 6.20 to 6.40; in bags, 2.90 to 3.00.

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ISSUE ON BEHALF OF THE CANADIAN VICKERS COMPANY

London Times Says Arrangements Under Way for Issue of a Million Sterling C.P.R. Debentures.

Special to The Standard.
London, Aug. 9.—The Times understands that arrangements are being made for the issue of a million sterling six per cent. debentures on behalf of the Vickers Canadian Company. It is believed that the issue will be redeemable by the sinking fund during a period of twenty years.

BANKERS WATCHING GOLD SITUATION

Discussing What Limits Should be Placed on a Total of Treasury Bills.

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London, Aug. 9.—Bankers are watching the gold position and discussing what limits should be placed on a total of treasury bills. A new defense of the realm regulation forbids under penalties any person to melt or use otherwise than as currency any current gold coin.

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BIG MEETING AT
GRAND FALLS VOTES TO
HELP PATRIOTIC FUND

Grand Falls, N. B., August 7, 1916. At a public meeting of the citizens of the town of Grand Falls and county of Victoria, on August 4th the Patriotic Fund of the Province of New Brunswick, committee to act for the meeting was appointed by Father J. L. White, chairman; James Burgess, Joseph LeClair, F. W. Olmstead and J. E. Andrews. This committee met on August 7th and passed the following resolution:

Moved by James Burgess, seconded by J. E. Andrews, that the committee urge the Councilors of the Parish of Grand Falls and Drummond, and the Town of Grand Falls, N. B., that they meet at the call of the warden and take steps to raise, either by assessment on the county or by the issue of short term bonds the sum of six thousand dollars for the Patriotic Fund.

HILLSBORO

Hillsboro, Aug. 7.—Mrs. George Spencer of Boston is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Jane Blake.

Mrs. L. A. Stubbins and mother, Mrs. W. H. Edgerton, and Mrs. Walter Slater, motored to Campbellton and were the guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde J. Stevens.

Mrs. Hants Larson and daughters, Viola and Alice, of Fredericton, visited in the village last week.

Mrs. Fred Kinnear and children, of Ottawa, are guests of Mrs. Kinnear's mother, Mrs. B. McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stevens of Boston, are in the village for a two-weeks stay at their summer home.

Miss Leona Smith, of Moncton, spent a few days here with friends last week.

Mrs. O. K. Dawson visited last week in Moncton.

Mrs. J. L. Peck entertained a number of young people at her summer cottage, Peck's Beach, on Friday last.

Miss Florence Erb has returned from a visit in Moncton. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Miss Marjorie Erb of Fredericton, who will be her guest.

Private E. D. McPhee, of Valcartier, was the guest last week at the home of Geoffrey Stevens, Weldon.

Miss Mildred Duffy has returned from a visit to her cousin, Miss Marjorie Erb of Fredericton, who will be her guest.

Gilbert Dawson of the Bank of Nova Scotia, spent last week at his home at Deseronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Duffy, of Fredericton, were week-end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Duffy.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Rae and Miss Rae left this week for a visit with friends in Denver, Col.

Mrs. Edward Jones and Mrs. Woodworth, have returned from Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, of Moncton, spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Edward Jones.

Rev. and Mrs. Schurman and family have returned from their vacation spent in Butte, Montana and other places.

Harry Peck of St. John, was the guest of his brother, C. Allison Peck last week.

Mrs. J. L. Latimer is visiting in Moncton.

The Ladies' Village Club had a pleasant outing on Wednesday afternoon last at the home of Mrs. John T. Stevens and Miss Florence Stevens, who were assisted in entertaining by Mrs. W. H. King.

Miss Isabelle Stevens was successfully operated upon last week for appendicitis. Miss Laura Dawson is the nurse in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson of Ansonia, Conn. were guests for last week of Mr. and Mrs. P. McKinnon.

Mrs. Geo. Deane and two children, who have been guests of friends here, have returned to their home in Wakefield, Mass.

After a lingering illness the death of Miss Annie Bernice Tower occurred on Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. She is survived by one sister, Jessie Tower of this place. Deceased was 17 years of age.

CHATHAM

Chatham, August 6.—The death of Martin Sheehan, at one time a member of the police force of the city of Boston, occurred at Lower Napier this week, where he had come in the hope of gaining renewed strength. He was in his 56th year of age and is survived by his wife and one daughter, who arrived in time to be present at his death. The remains have been taken to Boston for interment.

Word has been received from Calgary of the death at that place of Charles M. Fowler, after a long illness, on the 18th ult. He was the son of the late Charles Fowler of Miramichi, and was 50 years of age. He is survived by a wife, two sons and four daughters.

The death of Mrs. Gardner Archibald, at the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. John Archibald, on Thursday, removes, one of Chatham's oldest and highly respected residents. Deceased was in the 89th year of her age, and was ill only a short time. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Joseph Whalen and Mrs. Wm. Gordon of Chatham, and two sisters, Mrs. Catherine McKelvey and Mrs. Margaret Russell, and a brother, Archibald, of St. John. The funeral takes place Saturday afternoon to Riverside cemetery.

FAVOR R. A. LAWLOR
FOR JUDGESHIP

Newcastle, August 9.—Following was adopted last night by Newcastle Town Council:

"Whereas by reason of the death of the late Sir Pierre A. Landry an appointment is to be made to the Supreme Court Bench of the province; and

"Whereas the business interests of the North Shore of the province call for the appointment of a judge in this section; and

"Whereas we are aware of the personal and professional qualifications of Mr. Richard A. Lawlor, K. C., which eminently fit him for the proper discharge of the duties of this high office;

"Therefore resolved that this council do hereby express its appreciation of Mr. Lawlor's qualifications for said appointment, and do respectfully submit to the proper authorities its desire that he be so appointed; and

"Further resolved that the Town Clerk do forward a copy of this resolution to Honorable J. D. Harn and Honorable C. J. Doherty."

HARCOURT

Harcourt, August 7.—The very many friends of Mrs. Thos. McWilliam were much shocked to learn of her demise on Wednesday, at the age of seventy-four. Mrs. MacWilliam will not only be missed and held in living memory by her immediate family, a host of friends and the entire community, but also in church work, as well as in every good enterprise that came under her notice. She leaves a sorrowing husband and ten children to mourn the loss of an affectionate wife and mother. The daughters are Mrs. Ford of Ford's Mills, and Miss Gussie at home, the sons, Terrance of Bridge-water, N. S.; Harrison and Rankin, of Ottawa; Frank of New Brunswick; and William of Ford's Mills, and Fred at home. Interment was held at Ford's Mills on Saturday. The service at the church was conducted by Rev. J. W. McConnell of Amherst—a Rev. J. W. McConnell of Amherst—a intimate friend and old pastor of the deceased, assisted by Rev. Chas. Stebbins and Rev. J. R. MacKay.

Miss Louise Cumming is visiting friends in Moncton.

Mr. G. D. Allen of Moncton, spent the week-end in town.

Mr. Geo. Wathen of Doaktown, was the guest on Monday of his brother, Mr. J. N. Wathen.

The tennis club enjoyed their first outing on Friday, when tea was served on the grounds of Miss Trinda Wathen.

Mrs. Saulnier entertained a few friends informally on Thursday evening.

Miss Bernice Crocker of Millerton, was the week-end guest of Miss Jean Wathen.

Mrs. English went to Rightbank on Saturday, where she will spend some time with friends.

Mrs. E. B. Buckfield of Vancouver, arrived on Monday and is the guest of Miss Trinda Wathen.

Mrs. Buckfield was a resident of this town for many years, and removed with her family to Vancouver about eight years ago. Many old friends are giving her a hearty welcome.

Mr. Hazen Wyllie of Moncton, spent the week-end with friends here.

Mrs. DeVaren of Port Elgin, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Philip Robb, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. DeVaren of Dorchester are also guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robb.

Col. Brad and Pte. Beck of the 145th, Valcartier, are enjoying a few days' leave with their families.

SALISBURY

Salisbury, Aug. 8.—The ladies of the Red Cross held their weekly ice cream sale Saturday night. A good crowd attended, over \$17.00 being realized.

Mrs. Walton Tritts, accompanied by her little daughter, Ellen, and sister, Miss Charlotte Scott, left recently for Bellville Creek where they will spend several weeks with relatives and friends.

Mrs. William Bleakney of Wolfville, N. S., who has been visiting Mrs. John Bleakney, returned home Monday.

Mrs. C. J. Osman, of Hillsboro, entertained at a camping party on Mr. Belhorne's farm last week.

Misses Isabelle and Mary Foster, who have been spending a few weeks visiting points of interest in P. E. Is., and returned home this week.

Friends were shocked to hear of the death of Pte. Fred Milton which occurred at Valcartier from appendicitis. The remains were brought home by Sgt. Stockford O'Brien of Scots Road. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. N. A. MacNeil, interment at Grey's cemetery.

Miss Hattie Duncan is spending her vacation in Charlottetown. She is accompanied by her sisters, Mrs. Duncan Brown, Moncton, and Mrs. H. F. Bennett, St. John.

Rev. and Mrs. N. A. MacNeil are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR SOLDIERS.

Last year an appeal for Christmas gifts was made for the men of No. 5 Co. Army Service Corps. There was a most generous response and many grateful letters were received in acknowledgment.

Again an appeal is made and donations will be gratefully received by Mrs. David B. Pidgeon at her apartment, 12 Chipman Hill.

It is necessary that all donations should be received by Sept. 15th in order that they may reach their destination by Christmas.

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HIBERNIA

Hibernia, Aug. 7.—Mr. and Mrs. William Carson and their two sons, and Mrs. Isabella McClellan, St. John, motored through here on Sunday and made a short visit to their country residence, Hibernia, returning the same evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gallagher and little daughter, Springfield, Mass., were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Mullin, Sunday.

Mrs. Jane Scott and Mr. Robert Scott, Adelaide street, St. John, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Nickerson.

The many friends of Mrs. Joe Gardner, who he pleased to know that she is recovering after a serious attack of measles.

Miss Eva Hutchinson and Miss Craig of Chipman are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Clarke.

Mrs. Isaac Palmer, Hampton, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gardner for some time.

Miss Greta Johnson, St. John, is spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. David McCormick.

BLOOMFIELD STATION

Bloomfield Station, Aug. 7.—Mrs. James Gilmour, accompanied by her daughter, Louise, is visiting friends in Moncton.

Mrs. George R. Davis has returned home after a very pleasant visit of several weeks in Queenston, where she was the guest of her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvid W. Chapman, who have been visiting the former's parents here, have returned to their home in Everett, Mass.

Gr. C. Brockley of the 9th Siege Battery spent a few days at his home here. He was accompanied to St. John by his father, C. L. Flewelling. Gr. Flewelling has been chosen as adjutant of the 9th Siege Battery.

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Mrs. Cella Wetmore, who has been attending the summer school in St. John, has returned to Bloomfield and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Hughes.

Miss Genevieve Flewelling is visiting friends and relatives in Kingston.

Mrs. Crawford, Kingston, was in Bloomfield for a few days last week. While here she was the guest of her sisters, Mrs. James Hughes and Mrs. A. A. Wetmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Loring, accompanied by their daughter, Miss Kate, and son, Austin, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hatfield, left Saturday for their auto for Perry, Me., where they will be the guests of relatives for a short time.

Mr. Arthur H. Hayes received for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday and Thursday afternoon. She looked charming in her hand some black dress of white satin. Mrs. E. A. Hayes, mother of the groom, received with her, while her cousin, Miss Prince, and Miss Olive Baxter of Lakeside presided over the refreshments in the dining room.

Servants were held in the Anglican church last Thursday evening to commemorate the 2nd anniversary of the war. Prayers and intercessions were offered in behalf of the soldiers and sailors, sick and wounded, and of those of our brave fellows who are prisoners of war in the hands of the enemy, for England and her allies.

Appropriate and fitting remarks were made by the pastor, Rev. Mr. Parker. Special hymns selected for the occasion were nicely rendered by the choir.

Mrs. I. B. Wetmore has returned home after a very pleasant visit with

friends in Hampton village and Lakeside.

The regular monthly meeting of the Bloomfield Station and Central Norton branch of the Women's Institute was held in Central Norton hall on Friday afternoon. As no meeting was held last month the regular annual business was attended to on Friday.

The election of officers resulted in the president, Mrs. B. C. Williams, vice-president, Mrs. E. Frank Hayes, and secretary-treasurer, Miss Mary Raymond, being re-elected.

Directors are Mrs. B. Roy Raymond, Mrs. James A. Floyd and Mrs. Charlotte Betts.

Auditors: Miss Hazel Crabbe and Miss Edna Burnett.

Liberation: Miss Grace Wetmore.

It was moved that \$2.50 be sent to the Canadian prisoners of war.

Several papers were then read, one by Miss Edna Raymond, "Liberation and how to use them," was very interesting, and contained a number of very nice recipes. "Good best dishes" by Mrs. Chas. Hughes, was another excellent paper and thoroughly enjoyed by all present, while "Strawberries and how to use them," by Miss Annie Floyd, made every one feel sorry that the season for them was past. The next meeting will be held in Mission, Bloomfield Station, on Friday, Sept. 1st. The singing of the National Anthem brought to a close a very pleasant meeting.

Miss George Davis entertained a few friends very pleasantly on Saturday evening.

Alva E. Williams is the guest of friends in Chipman for a few days.

POTS

At 109 Charlotte St., on Friday morning the 11th inst., at 10 o'clock, I will sell the contents of lodging house, consisting of furniture, etc., rooms, bath, kitchen, dining room, etc.

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NOTICE

THE SAINT JOHN & QUEBEC RAILWAY COMPANY.

The Navigable Waters Protection Act, Section 7, Chapter 115, R.S.C. The Saint John and Quebec Railway Company has deposited with the Registrar of Public Works, at Ottawa, the plans and descriptions of the sites of the proposed bridges across the following waters of the Province of New Brunswick: in the County of Queens, and Westfield, in the County of Kings, in the Province of New Brunswick:

1. Mile 41.2, Otnabog Lake outlet, Parish of Hampton, County of Queens.

2. Mile 64.9, Devil's Back Creek, Parish of Greenwich, County of Kings.

Take notice that after the expiration of one month from the date of the first publication of this notice, the Saint John and Quebec Railway Company will apply to the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa for approval of the said sites and plans and for permission to construct the said bridges.

SAINT JOHN & QUEBEC RAILWAY COMPANY.

EDWARD GIRONARD, Secretary.

Dated at Fredericton, N. B., this 6th day of August, 1916.

Halifax, N. S., August 8th, 1916.

NOTICE TO MARINERS: The light on Egg Island gas and whistling buoy is not burning. Will be re-lighted as soon as possible.

J. McIL FRASER, Acting Agent, Marine & Fisheries Department.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS.

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

Duties—Six months residence on and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within one mile of his homestead on a farm of at least 20 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions. In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section of available Dominion land. Price \$20.00 per acre.

Pre-emption—Six months residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent also take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Pre-emption may be made at a reduced price of \$10.00 per acre in each of three years, cultivate 24 acres and pay \$20.00 per acre.

W. W. COLE, Deputy Minister of Interior.

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

Uncle Dick's
Corner.

TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.

She Followed Instructions.
An inspector visited a country school.
"Now, children, I wish you to take notice of what I do and then write an account of it." Then he stepped to the blackboard and wrote: "I love a good school."
All the children wrote in effect that the inspector came into the school and wrote on the blackboard. One little girl followed instructions to the letter.
"And then he went to the platform, sat down, played with his watch chain, twirled his moustache and winked at the lady teacher."

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS.

Uncle Dick wishes many happy returns to the following kiddies who are celebrating their birthdays today:
Myrtle Patterson, 256 King St. East.
Kathleen McGorman, 228 Charlotte Street.

Worked Out Puzzle.

Mr. Pleasant, Car. Co., N. B.
Dear Uncle Dick:
I was looking at your puzzle and I thought that I would try and guess it.
— N — R — O
— O — R — P — E

The first one is Kangaroo, the second Porcupine, and the third Squirrel.
Goodbye Uncle Dick.
Charlie R. Dideout.

Enjoying Their Holidays.

Dear Uncle Dick:
I am rather late in this writing contest but I am doing the work-making contest, which I hope I will succeed in winning the prize, either in one or the other of the contests. I am enjoying my holidays great. As my letter is getting long I will close.
With love and best wishes,
Elva G. Wharton.

First Letter to Corner.

Belleisle Creek.
Dear Uncle Dick:
This is my first letter to the St. John Standard. My birthday is the 26th of May. I am ten years old. I have two sisters and two brothers. Our school closed in June. Well I guess I will close for this time.
Your loving niece,
Rachel J. Knollin.

Trying to Win Prize.

St. Stephen, N. B.
Dear Uncle Dick:
I have just sent out 284 words from the letters in the word "Celebration." I hope I am lucky enough to win the watch.
I will close with love, wishing the Corner every success.
From your niece,
Helen Crosthwaite.

Reader of Standard.

Waterside, Albert Co., N. B.
The Standard, St. John, N. B.
Dear Uncle Dick:
As I am a reader of your paper and feel quite interested in the watch contest, which I have recently read, I have found 67 names in the word Celebration, which I am sending in to you. Of course I feel doubtful that I will be the winner, but I only hope that I do. Now, should I be the lucky one, I certainly will expect you to send me a watch as good as mentioned by you to be. I am a lad of 12 years old. I live by the sea beach. It is very nice in fine days. I like my pet dog there for a swim. I will now close my letter.
Yours sincerely,
Clemens James Cairnes.

Joining the Corner.

West Bathurst.
Dear Uncle Dick:
I would like very much to join the Children's Corner. I am twelve years old. My birthday is on the 28th of February. I am trying to win a prize for drawing and I hope I will win, but I guess I will have to try and be a better artist, don't you? Well, I will say good bye and best wishes for you and your corner.
From your loving niece,
Gertrude Arsenault.

Has Been Sick.

St. Pleasant.
Dear Uncle Dick:
I am sending you my list of words, hoping of course I will win a prize. I have not been to school since February as I have been sick.
Yours truly,
Gaynel Kent.

Button Went Astray in Mail.

Wassila Station.
Dear Uncle Dick:
I received your letter and very sorry to say that the button was lost through a hole in the envelope. I am enclosing the contest of the word-makers. I got 322 words.
Papa and I have got twenty-seven loads of hay in the barn. As it is getting rather late I think I will close; write soon. From your nephew,
Manzer McParlane.

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

IMPERIAL.

The Black Fear.
Pictures like this are good for us to see. We are too apt to go on forgetting that such evils exist and it is for such plays and pictures as the Black Fear to remind us of how easy is the downward path. The different trend of the characters is well worked out. Mary's selfish nature is indicated in the beginning of the story when she refuses to listen to the story of their servant's boy, saying: "We'll be late at the rink." Billy is an exceedingly well acted part and the change in the open-hearted boy to the young tough is splendidly portrayed. The cast has been well chosen for Miss Elliston looks and acts the anxious loving sister to perfection and Edward Freeman too suits the part of Judge Le Roy. Produced by the Rolfe Company, the settings are all that could be desired and many of the scenes are thrilling enough. The cocaine evil is such an insidious creeping thing that a warning such as the picture gives is needed from time to time.

Among the pictures in the Universal Animated Weekly yesterday were: Prison sports, the prisoners addressed by the United States submarine, the results of the munition explosions in New Jersey showing how New York City was affected, a rifle practice at Winthrop for members of the government of the United States. One fine view showed the Dances church cadets in London at review, 3,000 boys ready for war.

The joys of Arctic exploration as shown in the fourth installment of unknown Siberia. A Russian town, Nym Kolymak, is shown with some of the strange customs of the people, the method of curing fish, which seemed to be to throw them up on the roof of the house. The photograph of the bride party going round the wedding to collect their gifts seemed a delightful one, no duplicates then! These pictures are both interesting and educational.

COMING EVENTS.

The House of Golden Windows.
Wallace Reid and Gladys Rogers, who have attained an unusual degree of popularity, returned to Paramount Theatre on the 3rd of August, in an original photoplay entitled "The House of Golden Windows." The theme of this story is based on the fairy tale of the house on the hill, which had the appearance of a house with golden windows. Two little children struggle up the hill and upon reaching the summit discover that the house is only an old ramshackle building with the sun shining on the broken window panes. Glancing back into the valley their own little home presents the same appearance and they return home satisfied. The photoplay attempts to delineate the futility of vain desire. The co-stars are supported by a very able cast including the adorable "Little Billy" Jacobs, James Neil, Mabel Van Bar and Marguerite Day. Written by L. V. Jefferson and directed by George Melford it is said to be one of the most notable symbolic dramas ever presented on the screen.

An English girl with a Scotch accent playing an Irish characterization is the truly British endeavor that Winifred Kingston is confronted with in Dustin Farnum's latest camera tribute, "The Son of Erin," produced by Pallas Pictures.

Vitagraph.

The time has come, as the poet said, to talk of several and diverse things—about Vitagraph plays.
First comes that powerful feature "The Alibi," a five part Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature released on August 7. It presents a rare instance of suspense that is suspense, claiming the attention of the audience to the last. A welcome relief is also found in a criminal plot which sees well within the range of possibility. The characters, particularly those in the important parts, are true to life and convincing.

The race-track scenes in William Fox's "Sporting Blood," the latest photoplay released, were taken at Jamaica, Long Island. The exercise boys and jockeys in the stables there were highly entertained at having a real moving picture company among them, and duly and rapidly signified their appreciation by rapid attention to every detail of the work.

Same Scene Shows Lockwood and Allison in Different States.
Parts of two States—California and Nevada—are shown on the screen at the same time in "Mister 44," a new Metro-York photoplay in five acts in which Harold Lockwood and May Allison are co-starred. The scene was taken on Lake Tahoe, a "bottomless" body of crystal-clear water that nestles in among the snow-capped peaks of the Sierra Nevada Mountains more than 8,000 feet above sea level, and through the centre of which the imaginary line dividing California and Nevada is drawn.

The scene shows Mr. Lockwood and Miss Allison seated at opposite ends of a canoe. Mr. Lockwood's end of the canoe was in California at the time the picture was taken, and the

and occupied by Miss Allison was in Nevada.
The fact that the two stars were in different States while in the same canoe was a coincidence. Director Henry Otto had chosen a beautiful spot through which the canoe was to pass before the camera, and it was only after the scene had been taken that it was discovered that the craft had passed over the dividing line. This fact was learned by the discovery, on shore, of a granite slab marking the line of survey.

S. Rankin Drew.
The descendant of a long line of men and women famous in the theatrical world, Sidney Rankin Drew, nephew of John Drew, is upholding the family honor in a splendid capacity as an artist and producer for the Vitagraph Company. Reared in the atmosphere of the stage, and well versed in all matters pertaining to that art, he is now considered one of the most capable directors of motion pictures in the country today.

Drew is a native of the Empire State—having been born in New York City, twenty-four years ago. He knows no occupation other than that of the stage. He was reared to it and following his graduation from the Cutler School of New York, he went on to the vaudeville stage, playing in a three-act comedy named "Billy" written by his mother, and in Sidney Drew's "Still Voice."

His entrance in the field of motion pictures was due to the advice he received from Lionel Barrymore. He made good as an actor and showed such mastery of stagecraft that some one-reel dramas were given him to direct. He more than justified the confidence of the Vitagraph heads and is now one of the Vitagraph's foremost directors.

Mr. Drew considers the picture "Thou Art the Man," written by his mother on her deathbed, as his best effort. It can be seen, both from his own acting and from his directing, that his whole heart and soul were in his work. Up to that time his most important role was as the rich yacht owner in "The Island of Regeneration." Since then he has had many successes to his credit, among them the picturization of that widely read novel, "The Hunted Woman," and "The Suspect."

Rube Miller, director and fun-maker of Vogue-Mutual comedies, has added Gypsy Abbott to his company of players.

Fannie Ward has returned to the

Lasky studios at Hollywood, after a vacation of several months in the east, and is beginning work on an elaborate production, "Each Pearl a Tear." Jack Dean, her husband, returned with her.

Sydney Bracey Returns to the Fold.
Sidney Bracey, the "Sid" of "Merely Mary Ann," has rejoined the William Fox forces, and is now at work in the new June Caprice picture. Mr. Bracey, who is a native of Melbourne, Australia, earned the first money he ever made on the stage. He ran away from home when a lad to go with Kyrle Bellew and Mrs. Brown Potter in "As You Like It." Like most Australians, Mr. Bracey is an expert in the water. He is a noted high-diver and can swim and sail with the best of them.

ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

Weak, Nervous Children
Quickly Gain Strength
Under Following Plan.

Nervousness, just like weakness, is a family predisposition. We inherit tendencies to disease just as we inherit physical resemblances. This strain of study, social duties, work at home—these all tend to make nervous troubles among children. No wonder that St. Vitus Dance, Epilepsy, and constant headaches have become alarmingly common. Pale, nervous, listless young people are met everywhere.

It is nothing short of criminal for parents to neglect signs of weakness in their children. By ignoring the slightest symptom of nervous or mental strain, you may condemn your child to life-long invalidism. In any member of your family complains of headaches, fear of going into dark places, give them that wonderful tonic, "Ferrozone." Strength of body and mind, hardy nerves, ability to study with comfort, all the attributes of health quickly follow the uses of Ferrozone. It establishes strength, color, endurance, vim—does this by filling the whole system with nourishment and tissue-forming materials.

It's because we know the enormous good that Ferrozone will do, because we are sure every child and even grown folks, will be permanently benefited, that we urge you to give it a trial. All dealers sell Ferrozone in 50c. boxes, six for \$2.50, or direct by mail from The Catarothone Co., Kingston, Ont.

INTERESTING CONTESTS
For the Word-Makers and Artists

How would you like a beautiful doll, or a splendid meccano set for the best copy of this picture? It looks much harder than it really is. First make a large square on a big piece of white paper. Divide this square into eight squares on each side, or sixty-four in all. Count the number of squares down from the top to Eleanor's head and begin to draw the outline. Follow along to the right very carefully, watching where you cross your lines. Sometimes you go to the right, sometimes up, sometimes down.



As mentioned above, I shall award a lovely large doll, or a most useful Meccano set to the kiddie who sends in the best result. The copy must be larger than the original, have the usual coupon attached and reach this office not later than Wednesday, August 16th.

UNCLE DICK,
THE STANDARD,
ST. JOHN, N. B.

Whose decision must be considered as final.

COUPON.

STANDARD COMPETITION.
For Boys and Girls.

Full Name

Address

Age Birthday

THE WEATHER.

Forecasts.
Maritime—Light to moderate winds; fair and warm.

Washington, August 9.—Forecast: Northern New England—Partly cloudy Thursday and Friday; moderate northerly winds.

Toronto, August 9.—Showers and thunderstorms have been general again today throughout the west and a few showers have been experienced in Eastern Ontario and Western Quebec.

Temperatures:	Min.	Max.
Dawson	40	66
Prince Rupert	48	63
Victoria	54	80
Vancouver	60	72
Calgary	60	68
Edmonton	44	66
Battleford	40	66
Prince Albert	54	64
Moose Jaw	54	60
Saskatoon	54	60
Regina	62	58
Winnipeg	64	70
Port Arthur	58	74
Parry Sound	56	80
London	58	82
Toronto	61	82
Ottawa	60	68
Montreal	64	64
Quebec	60	70
Halifax	56	72

Around the City

Pay your taxes on or before August 17th and save 5 per cent. discount. Immediately after the 17th day of August executions will be issued for all unpaid taxes.

The English Mails.
English mail will close on Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock—also a parcel post mail at 4 o'clock.

Band Concert Tonight.
The Temple Band will render a programme of music on the King Edward bandstand this evening, commencing at eight o'clock.

A Moncton Prisoner.
George Rideout, chief of police in Moncton, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon with a woman in charge, and conveyed her to the home of the Good Shepherd where she is to serve a term.

Going to England.
Mrs. W. L. Jarvis, daughter of Hon. Geo. J. Clarke, will leave this evening for New York where she takes steamer for England. Mr. Jarvis is one of the officers of the 115th Battalion which recently reached England.

Drop in The Times.
There was some commotion in the Times business office yesterday afternoon. A young lady clerk was standing on a high stool adjusting a clock on the wall. The stool moved and the clerk in falling broke the glass over the counter with her elbow. Fortunately she was uninjured, but was badly frightened.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Wm. Downie, wife of former C. P. R. superintendent eastern division, arrived on the noon train yesterday to spend the summer here. Mr. and Mrs. Downie reside about 30 miles outside of Toronto.

Miss G. Louise Bessy is visiting at the summer camp of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Gross, Point du Chene.

Miss Stella Wetmore, of Hampton, is visiting her brother at his summer home at Golden Grove.

Miss Christina Howes, Sussex, and Miss Bessie Quimster, 1 Clarendon street, are visiting Mrs. G. B. Taylor, at Day's Landing.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McCleaskey, accompanied by Mrs. R. A. Courtenay and Mrs. Chas. J. Hargreaves, motored from Boston and are the guests of Mrs. A. A. McCleaskey, Douglas avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson came in on the Ocean Limited last night.

Mr. Edgar Archibald, who has been seriously ill at his home on Dufferin Row, is gradually improving in health.

A. D. Case, Wickham, was a guest at the Victoria yesterday.

G. B. Slipp, Hampstead, was registered at the Victoria yesterday.

G. W. Cannon, St. Stephen, was in the city yesterday and registered at the Royal.

Rev. John Hardwick, pastor of St. Matthew's Presbyterian church, returned yesterday from Maine where he spent his vacation.

New Silks.

F. A. Dykeman & Co. have just received a large and well assorted stock of new wide silks. These silks are all from 36 to 40 inches wide and consist of the new striped Pongee and Habitu silks, ranging in price from 65c. to \$1.60 per yard. They have one piece of striped pongee and rose which makes a very pleasing combination, at 85c. per yard. Also Taffeta and Paillette silks in all of the leading shades, including navy blue, which has been hard to procure owing to the scarcity of dyes. The price of these silks ranges from \$1.15 to \$1.60, and they are from 36 to 40 inches wide.

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Pte. Fred Wolfe
Killed in Action

Was One of Three Sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. Wolfe, of Moore Street, Serving Their Country—Killed by Machine Gun Shot—Letter from Brother Brings the Sad News.



A GALLANT TRIO.

George, Fred and James Wolfe—Three sons of Mr. and Mrs. James Wolfe. The one seated is Fred, who was killed in action.

A letter received by the mother of the former 26th Battalion, while the three Wolfe boys, Mrs. J. Wolfe, James is doing his part in No. 5 Army Service Corps.
Pte. Wolfe leaves to mourn, besides a mother and father, a wife, six children, the oldest of whom is eleven years, four brothers and two sisters. The two brothers at the front, one, John, in Montreal, and Albert of this city. The sisters are: Mrs. A. Daley, West End, and Sadie at home.
Though words are inadequate to console those who mourn the loss of a dear friend, yet there is consolation in knowing that the deceased soldier played a manly part in the hour of need and made the supreme sacrifice in order to protect the principles for which the Empire stands.

SAW WHALE
IN HARBOR
LAST WEEK

West St. John Fishermen
Saw Giant Fish Almost
Opposite East Side Ferry
Dock.

Fishermen from West St. John were treated to a rather unusual sight in the harbor last Thursday afternoon, when a large white whale made its appearance among them. Speaking of the occurrence yesterday George Fawcett, a fisherman from the West End, informed a Standard reporter that he, with other fishermen, witnessed it. Mr. Fawcett says that they were all tending their nets in the harbor where they were drifting for salmon, when suddenly in the middle of the harbor, and almost opposite the east side ferry docks, this large white, or light grey whale made its appearance on the surface. It showed about twenty feet of its back out of water. Fred Siliphant and his fishing mate Rolston, started toward the whale in their motor boat. The whale then started down the harbor at great speed showing now and again as it plunged through the water. It continued out of the harbor and into the bay and has not been seen since.

While this may sound like a fish story, Mr. Fawcett is sincere in his story, and says that any of the other fishermen, especially Messrs. Siliphant and Rolston will corroborate him.

Mr. Fawcett, who is one of the best known fishermen in the harbor, and who has been working at this line of business for a long time, further states that about twenty years ago a white or grey whale made its appearance in the St. John fishing grounds and remained in these waters during the entire winter.

According to the new American Encyclopedia the white whale is known as the beluga (Delphinapterus leucas) and is an arctic whale occasionally seen as far south as the St. Lawrence. Evidently this one travelled a little farther south than usual.

MARSH ROAD
TENDERS TO BE
OPENED TODAY

Bids for New Road Work to
be Taken Up by Meeting
of Government Here Today.

Fredericton, Aug. 9.—A meeting of provincial treasury board was held this morning, and a meeting of the board of education this afternoon. Premier Clarke and the members of the government will go to St. John this evening and will be in session there tomorrow. Lieutenant Governor Wood, who has been ill, was not able to attend the meeting, but may be at St. John tomorrow.

The Premier, Attorney General Baxter, Hon. J. A. Murray and Hon. P. G. Mahoney attended the meeting of the executive council last night.

A large number of items on a long schedule were taken up and the purchase of the Burton-Key farm at River Glade, Westmorland County, for Jordan Memorial Sanatorium, was approved. The property consists of 500 acres and adjoins the Jordan property, which was presented to the province for a sanatorium. The commissioners in charge of the institution recommended the purchase of property for use of sanatorium, and this recommendation has now received necessary approval of the government.

V. A. Ross, St. John, was appointed reporter of the chancery division of the Supreme Court during the absence of D. King Hansen, who is at the front.

The resignation of J. W. Cosman as a member of the school board of the Kingston Consolidated School was accepted and L. P. Crawford appointed in his place.

Lieut. A. A. Atkinson was appointed a Justice of the Peace for New Brunswick.

Lieut. Ross J. Harrington was appointed a Justice of the Peace for St. John county.

D. J. Stockford, St. John, has been appointed auctioneer.

The tenders for the Marsh Road

SCHOOL BOARD
PETITIONS TO
ISSUE BONDS

Asks Government to Authorize Issue of \$75,000 and \$90,000 for Bentley and Newman Streets Schools.

The Board of School Trustees have petitioned the government to authorize them to issue bonds for \$75,000 for a school building on Bentley street, and \$90,000 for a school building on Newman street. It is understood that in the event of the necessary authority being granted only one building will be built this year, that on Bentley street, as no land has yet been secured for the Newman street school. The matter will be dealt with at the meeting of the government to be held here this afternoon in the government rooms.

CONDUCTOR
ARRIVES MINUS
HIS VALISE

Grip Containing Papers, Tickets and Some Personal Property Mysteriously Disappears from Train.

When the express arrived in the depot yesterday afternoon at 6.10 o'clock, J. L. Ohlsholm, the conductor, discovered that some person had taken his grip from the train, either by mistake or intentionally. The grip contained some personal property, along with some government railway papers and a book of tickets, which are issued by conductors on trains to passengers who have not purchased tickets in the office. The grip is described as being of brown rough leather, red lined and about eighteen inches long. Conductor Ohlsholm did not discover his loss until the train arrived in St. John, and it is thought that some passenger, who left the train at one of the stations between St. John and Moncton took it. As the contents are of no value to any other person than the conductor, it is hoped that the person who took it from the car will leave it with one of the station agents, and no questions will be asked.

Riding on the train from Moncton, and seated near where the conductor had placed the grip, were two men who had been allowed to go from the Moncton jail. They had been arrested in the railway town a few days ago and gave their names as William O'Hara and James Smart. They are attired in grey suits of clothing and left the train at Sussex. It is thought that perhaps one of these men took the grip by mistake when he left the train.

TORRYBURN
THE MECCA OF
THOUSANDS

Bishop's Picnic as Popular as
Ever and Outing Yesterday
a Splendid Success.

The Bishop's picnic which was held yesterday at Torryburn was, to say the least, a grand success. The children, numbering over six hundred, headed by the City Cornet Band, headed to the depot yesterday morning. The weather was perfect and the day passed without a mishap of any kind to mar the enjoyment of the day.

The regular trains carried quite a large number to and from the grounds as well as the picnic trains. Autos and teams were everywhere in evidence along the road between here and the grounds carrying holiday seekers.

The regular amusements and field sports were carried off and the refreshment booths all report "a good country business."

Among the clergymen who attended were: His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, Rev. M. P. Howland, Rev. H. L. Coughlan, Rev. W. Duke, Rev. H. Belliveau and Rev. J. J. Walsh.

Gundry's are showing a large range of small Diamond Rings at very low prices. One lot at \$12.00 is a wonder. These are nice clean white diamonds of good size set in 14kt. gold. They are bligger and better than you will get elsewhere for \$12.00.

Work will be opened at the meeting in St. John tomorrow.

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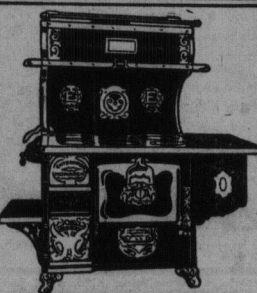
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