

NORTH SHORE KILLED IN 26TH

Very brief casualty list issued at midnight, less than eight Canadian officers. One man Martin, of Bel River, Restigouche county, received. The only other maritime province, McDonald, wounded, of the Second East Bay, Cape Breton. Major Arthur Montreal, who is reported slightly wounded, was wounded once before but returned to

TWENTY-SECOND BATTALION.
Wounded—Emile Frechette, Montreal; Lieut. Rene Larocque, Montreal.
Slightly Wounded—Major Arthur R. Dubuc, Montreal.

TWENTY-SIXTH BATTALION.
Died of Wounds—FRANK MARTIN, BEL RIVER (N. B.).

TWENTY-EIGHTH BATTALION.
Suffering from Shock—Charles Woodward, England.

TWENTY-NINTH BATTALION.
Killed in Action—Morris Poulson, Lethbridge (Alta.).

THIRTY-SEVENTH BATTALION.
Died—Christopher Payne, England.

FORTY-SECOND BATTALION.
Severely Wounded—John Selwyn, Montreal.

Wounded—Corporal Percy Ackerly, England; Lance Corporal Neil MacTavish, Scotland; George Payne, Scotland; Albert E. Hutchinson, England.

FORTY-NINTH BATTALION.
Severely Wounded—Lieut. Robert H. Gregory, England.

PRINCESS PATRICIAS.
Seriously Wounded—Lieut. Edmund F. Newcombe, Ottawa.

ROYAL CANADIAN REGIMENT.
Died—Harry Bates, England.

SECOND FIELD ARTILLERY BRIGADE.
Wounded—GUNNER JOHN J. McDONALD, EAST BAY (C. B.).

FOURTH ARTILLERY BRIGADE.
Severely Wounded—Staff Sgt. Geo. C. Tapon, England.

FREDERICTON NEWS.

Fredericton, Jan. 20.—Robert Gray, a son of James Gray of Kingsclear, was married in Marysville yesterday afternoon to Miss Florence Grace, eldest daughter of Major and Mrs. C. G. Pincombe. The Rev. D. W. Roberts officiated. The bride was given away by her father and was attended by her sister, Miss Kathleen Pincombe. The bride's presents included a grand piano from her father and two brothers now on overseas service and a set of furs from the bridegroom.

J. Howe Dickson, clerk of the executive council, is confined to his home by illness.

Four Scott act cases were acknowledged in the police court this morning.

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WOMAN'S WORLD
Mental Bldg., Toronto, Ont.

FRENCH CURTAIN OF FIRE CHECKS GERMAN OFFENSIVE; BRITISH CRUSH AN UPRISING IN EGYPT, GAIN IN WEST

U.S. OBJECTS TO BRITAIN'S TRADING WITH ENEMY ACT

Rights of Americans Held to Be Affected by Strict Application of Act

ACTUAL BLOCKADE THE NEXT IN ORDER

Debate in House of Commons Tomorrow May Result in Suppression of Order-in-Council—Germany's Final Note on Lusitania Case Received in Washington.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The United States has notified Great Britain, through the American embassy in London, of its objection to the application of the Trading with the Enemy act in a manner affecting American trade.

Actual Blockade It Better.

London, Jan. 24.—Debate on the question of enforcing a stricter blockade of Germany by the British fleet, which is to open in the house of commons Wednesday, is being awaited with keen interest in government circles, where it is felt there would be no great opposition to the suppression of the present order-in-council by the declaration of an actual blockade if a majority of the members of the house of commons were convinced that it would provide a better medium of strangling German trade than the present system.

British Shipping Restricted.

Government took measures some time ago to restrict largely trading by British ships between neutral ports, there is no intention of cutting off this trade entirely.

Replying in the house of commons to a question on this subject by Sir Joseph Walton, Walter Runciman, president of the board of trade, said the use of British vessels between neutral ports was being restricted as much as possible, but that absolute prohibition would not be attempted, as it would be to the interests of the nation.

Germany's Last on Lusitania.

Washington, Jan. 24.—Germany has submitted to the United States, through Ambassador Von Bernstorff, another written proposal designed to bring about a settlement of the controversy over the sinking of the steamship Lusitania, with a loss of more than 100 American lives. There were indications tonight that the document might bring to a satisfactory termination negotiations which have been in progress for eight months.

Although the greatest secrecy surrounds the negotiations, it was stated tonight on excellent authority that Germany finally had agreed to eliminate from the text of the agreement any mention of the warning issued by the German embassy in London last month. Mention of this warning is understood to have been contained in the last proposal, which was rejected after President Wilson had considered it.

It is understood also that Germany has left out her proposed general reservation of admission of wrong-doing on the part of the submarine commander, to which the United States objected.

It was also stated authoritatively that in its latest communication, Germany makes some reference to a desire to see the United States take action in regard to the questions involving the freedom of the seas.

The German ambassador and Secretary of State Lansing will probably confer regarding the proposal in the immediate future.

Maintain It Act of Reprisal.

Germany reiterates clearly, it is said, that the torpedoing of the Lusitania was an act of reprisal for the British blockade of the German coast. Extreme regret again is expressed that Americans lost their lives in the commission of the reprisal, and Germany freely offers reparation in the form of indemnity. The attention of the United States is called to the fact that such forms of reprisals have been discontinued as the result of negotiations with this government, and to the fact that broad assurances for the future have been given.

All discussions considered superfluous have been stricken from the proposal. Consideration of public opinion in this country and in Germany were said to have played an important part in the drafting of the document. It has been pointed out that German public opinion would not look with approval upon a form of settlement which in any way admitted that, regardless of the Americans involved, the torpedoing of the Lusitania was an improper act, and which might reflect upon the commander of the submarine, who was acting under instructions which since have been modified. In view of this, it is understood, Germany may admit, in the final settlement, that it was wrong that Americans should have been lost, without conceding it was wrong for the commander to fire a torpedo at the liner.

The German government is understood to be most anxious to settle the matter in a manner mutually satisfactory. It is said, however, that the proposal now before

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BRITISH WIN SIGNAL VICTORY IN EGYPT

Senussi Tribesmen Dispersed by General Wallace and Their Camps Burned

General Lake Reports Armistice on Saturday Last to Bury Dead—Russians Holding Their Own in Artillery Battles—Austrians Report Capture of Scutari.

London, Jan. 24, 11 p. m.—An official communication issued tonight regarding the situation in Northwest Egypt, says:

"General Wallace's column in Egypt attacked the camp of the Senussi tribesmen Sunday, dispersing of the enemy and burning the camp."

GERMANS USE 20,000 SHELLS WITH LITTLE EFFECT.

Paris, Jan. 24, via London, Jan. 25, 12:45 a.m.—The following official communication was issued by the war office tonight:

"In Belgium, near the mouth of the Yser, in the region of Nieuport the enemy carried out an extremely violent bombardment, in the course of which he fired not less than twenty thousand shells, according to our first reports.

"The German infantry attempted in vain to attack, but was prevented by our certain of fire, and was not able to set out from his trenches with the exception of a few groups, which our fire immediately dispersed.

"In the region of Bosinghe, Hietas and Stenstasse, the artillery likewise has been very active on both sides. The enemy attempted to cross the canal at Hietas, but was thrown back by our artillery fire and machine guns supported by the artillery.

"In Artois, on our front to the west of the road from Arras to Lens, the enemy after having exploded a mine, inaugurated a fresh attack which was stopped short by grenades and rifle fire. A second attack dissected a little further to the south met with no more success.

"To the north of Soissons our batteries shattered enemy trenches at Hill 129. To the east of Godst Farm, in the region of Rheims, our artillery fire, regulated by aeroplanes, seriously damaged a German battery.

"Army of the east: A group of thirty-two French aeroplanes bombarded the enemy encampments at Gievel and Monastir. On the latter town more than two hundred bombs were dropped by our machines."

RUSSIAN TROOPS PREVENT ENEMY ADVANCE.

London, Jan. 24, 9:25 p. m.—General Sir Percy Lake, commander-in-chief of the British forces in Mesopotamia, has sent the following report of the situation there:

"During the last forty-eight hours the Tigris river has risen seven feet at Kut-el-Amara, and two and a half feet at Amarah, preventing all troop movements by land.

"An armistice was concluded for two hours on the 22nd for the collection and burial of the dead.

"General Townsend reports from Kut-el-Amara that he has sufficient supplies, and that his troops have not been further engaged."

BRITISH DAMAGE AIR RAID ENEMY'S TRENCHES.

London, Jan. 24, 10:45 p. m.—The following official communication was made public this evening:

"Last night we exploded a mine near St. Etienne, damaging the enemy's trenches considerably. A small patrol passed through the enemy's wire entanglements near Verdun, and fired into a trench which was strongly held, setting without casualties.

"Today the artillery on both sides has been active about Loos. We carried out a successful bombardment on the enemy's trenches northeast of Arras, doing considerable damage.

"There has been a bombardment about Hoge, St. Jean and Pelchem (in the vicinity of Ypres). Near the latter place we exploded the enemy's trench mortars with our artillery fire."

TEN PROJECTILES FALL ON NANCY.

Paris, Jan. 24, 4 p. m.—At the war office the following report was made this afternoon:

"The artillery action over the whole front was feeble. In the Artois district there was fighting on both sides with hand grenades and torpedoes before the defence works in the vicinity of Neuville.

"To the northeast of Roye and to the east of Roye Court, south of the Somme, we cannonaded provision trains.

"Ten projectiles were fired on Nancy between 7 and 8 o'clock this morning. Last night our aviators bombarded the Anzy-Leon line and the military establishment at Nogent L'Abbesse.

"This morning one of our squadrons composed of seven machines dropped a score of bombs on the enemy's supply headquarters at Houthulst and Middeltkerke, Belgium."

RUSSIANS ADD 700 PRISONERS TO CAPTURES.

Petrograd, Jan. 25, 12:30 a. m.—The Russian war office has issued the following official communication:

"On the west front, near Iloukutz, our artillery successfully shelled parities of Germans at work on entrenchments. In the Middle Stripa district, at Burkanow, our artillery fire dispersed enemy detachments. In the Lower Stripa region there have been artillery duels. In fighting for the possession of craters of mines exploded northeast of Casnowitz the enemy used gas bombs.

"On the Caucasus front we captured 700 Akais and a convoy of artillery. Our artillery is again bombarding the Ezerum forts. In the region of Melaz gheret we defeated, at various points, Khurdish horsemen supported by infantry."

SCUTARI OCCUPIED BY AUSTRIANS.

Berlin, Jan. 24, via wireless to Sayville.—Scutari has been occupied by Austro-Hungarian troops, according to an announcement issued today by the Austro-Hungarian headquarters. Several thousand Serbians, who owned the garrison, retired towards the south without offering any resistance. The text of the statement follows:

"Scutari has been occupied by Austro-Hungarian troops. Several thousand Serbians who formed the garrison retired towards the south without resistance. Austro-Hungarians also have occupied Niksic, Baolovgrad, and Podgoritzta.

"The disarming of the country has been carried on up to the present, without friction. At several places the Montenegrins have not even waited until the Austro-Hungarians appeared, but have laid down their arms before the arrival of the troops in order to return to their homes. At other places, a majority of those disarmed prefer internment to being sent home.

"The population generally has received our troops in a friendly manner, and in some instances with ceremony. Riots, such as occurred at Podgoritzta, ceased as soon as the first Austro-Hungarian detachment appeared.

"Italian theatre: Italian advances in the district of Levarano and on the Rombois slopes were repulsed."

Scutari was occupied by Montenegrin troops in June, 1923, it being explained, in an official note issued by the Montenegrin government, that strategic and political reasons impelled the Montenegrin descent on Albania. An additional reason given was that other powers already had occupied portions of that country.

Scutari is the most important trading town in Albania, and has a population of 20,000. It lies on the east bank of the Adriatic.

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WAR SUMMARY

Austrians Enter Albania With Capture of Scutari

British Make Slight Gain Through Mine Explosion and Silence Artillery Fire.

London, Jan. 24.—The British force of Kut-el-Amara and the Russian troops west of Hamadan are so near that it is now no longer possible to effect a junction within ten days. In spite of the fact that there is much fighting yet to be done, and a general offensive to be crossed, the British press already is beginning to speculate about the results of the expected junction.

The Austrian press says: "It will be a happy day when the British and Russians begin to fight side by side in the theatre of war and it ought to contribute to a better understanding between the two peoples."

The Times, however, notes that the Turks appeared to have stopped the Russian advance on this district, and it fears a Russian setback if Turkish reports of the re-taking of Assadabad from the Russians are correct, as this would thereby be crossed, the Russian occupation of Hamadan from more than one direction."

IN THEIR PROGRESS SOUTHWARD ACROSS THE ALBANIA FRONTIER THE AUSTRIANS HAVE TAKEN ALBANIA'S PRINCIPAL TRADE CITY—SCUTARI—AND, IN ADDITION, HAVE OCCUPIED PODGORITZA, BAOLOVGRAD AND NIKSIC, IN MONTENEGRO. THE SERBIANS FORMING THE GARRISON AT SCUTARI RETREATED SOUTHWARD WITHOUT RESISTANCE.

The Austrian official communication reverts that the Montenegrins are laying down their arms, and that the populations in the towns occupied are receiving the invaders in a friendly manner.

Air raids by the aviators on both sides have taken place in various localities. The Germans again have used aeroplanes to bombard the British lines and to drop incendiary bombs on the British lines. The British have also used aeroplanes to bombard the German lines and to drop incendiary bombs on the German lines.

GERMAN ARTILLERY SHOT DOWN BY BRITISH.

London, Jan. 24, 10:45 p. m.—The following official communication was made public this evening:

"On the French and Austro-Italian fronts, the guns were active during the night. The British, through the explosion of a mine near St. Etienne, did considerable damage to German trenches and also silenced German trench mortars by artillery fire near Ypres.

"Floods and generally bad weather are hampering the operations of the British against the Turks in Mesopotamia. The high water in the Tigris is preventing troops from moving. During the fall in the fighting an armistice was declared for the burial of the dead.

"The British have been successful in an attack on a camp of the Senussi tribesmen, the tribesmen being dispersed and their camp destroyed.

"The military service bill has passed its third reading in the British house of commons by a vote of 389 to 109. It has been sent to the lords, which chamber is expected to pass the measure quickly. The amendments to the original bill, as adopted, are said to have gone far towards reconciling those who previously opposed it."

SCUTARI LOST IN BATTLE.

London, Jan. 24.—The Austrian occupation of Scutari appears to confirm previous statements that no negotiations are now proceeding between Austria and Montenegro, according to the reports concerning the original Austrian offers of peace it was understood that the Montenegrins were to hold Scutari as compensation for Austria's occupation of Mount Lovcen.

Telegrams from Vienna assert that no negotiations are possible until the Montenegrins have surrendered their arms, but the situation is so obscure that Lord Robert Cecil, parliamentary under secretary for foreign affairs, had to admit in the house of commons today that the government had no actual knowledge of the present state of affairs.

The occupation of Scutari, according to Italian reports, followed a desperate battle that had been raging for the last two days, the Montenegrins making their final violent resistance on the Trushob mountains before Scutari. However, as they must have had but little artillery, most of their guns having previously been captured by the Austrians, they virtually had no means of making an effective resistance.

McBRIDE ARRIVES IN LONDON FOR NEW JOB.

London, Jan. 24.—Sir Richard McBride has arrived by the Philadelphia to take up the office of agent-general of the province of British Columbia.

GERMAN AEROPLANE CHASED OFF DOVER

Third Raid on England Within Two Days Frustrated by Prompt Measures

Allied Machines Do Much Damage at Enemy's Camps in Serbia—British Airmen Carrying Offensive Into German Territory on Western Front, Causing More Losses.

London, Jan. 24, 10:48 p. m.—A German aeroplane passed over Dover at four o'clock this afternoon. A British official announcement issued tonight says it was engaged by all the anti-aircraft guns and pursued by two British machines.

MUCH DAMAGE IN SERBIAN TOWNS.

London, Jan. 24, 6:12 p. m.—French air squadrons yesterday made important raids on the towns of Monastir and Gievel, according to a despatch from Saloniki to Reuter's Telegram Company. The despatch says:

"One squadron dropped more than two hundred bombs on Monastir and neighboring enemy positions. Another squadron threw a hundred bombs in the vicinity of Gievel.

"All the machines returned safely, though they were subjected to a heavy fire. It is believed the bombs did great damage."

GERMAN REPORT OF AIR OPERATIONS.

Berlin, Jan. 24, via wireless to Sayville.—The following official statement on war operations was issued today by general headquarters:

"Western theatre: There have been lively artillery duels and aeroplane actions. One enemy squadron bombarded Metz, where bombs fell on the bishop's dwelling and on a house in the hospital court. Two civilians were killed and eight wounded. One aeroplane was shot down and its inmates made prisoner.

"Eastern theatre: The German aeroplanes landed the enemy's lines and to drop incendiary bombs on the British lines. The British have also used aeroplanes to bombard the German lines and to drop incendiary bombs on the German lines."

ALLIES HOLDING THEIR OWN.

London, Jan. 24, 4:12 p. m.—Harold J. Tennant, parliamentary under-secretary of war, announced in the house of commons this afternoon that in the course of the last four weeks thirteen British aeroplanes were lost on the western front, and nine on the German machines brought to the ground.

The proposal was made in the house of commons today that all the members of the house should visit the front in the parliamentary recess, and that arrangements should be made for their reception by the commander-in-chief, the idea being that great benefit would accrue to the parliamentarians by close contact with the actual war operations.

Mr. Tennant, on replying to the suggestion, while not altogether antagonistic, thought it would prove too big an undertaking and entailing too much work for the general staff, but he promised to see what could be done, if the members desired of making the trip would communicate their names.

Mr. Tennant also gave an idea of the great part aeroplanes were playing in the operations on the western front, announcing that in the last four weeks thirteen British aeroplanes and nine on the German machines had been lost.

In the same period the British aeroplanes were said to have employed 138 machines, while the Germans had used approximately 200. The number of British aeroplanes was 1,227, while 810 German machines had been shot down.

ENEMY'S DEFENSIVE IMPROVED.

London, Jan. 25.—The preponderance of aeroplane fighting in the day's news attracted wide comment in the London morning papers, which are inclined to show some impatience that the British reply to the German Fokker has not been more immediate and effective. The Daily Mail's correspondent at British headquarters says the Fokker as marking a new era in air fighting, and he says, "make it clear that we have reached a new stage in aerial warfare. A certain change has occurred with the new year. Its herald is the Fokker. This machine is not as many think, always under control, hovering aloft, to descend like a plummet on any search for the trouble fly. It can rise so fast as to be able to tower above an enemy after he is sighted.

"The perfecting of this fast flying plane, which can manoeuvre easily and quickly for bow-end shooting, has not given the enemy the initiative, but it has unquestionably arrested our almost constant command of the air. The enemy's defensive has improved. That is the position. The defense has been taken out of the hands of the British and put into the hands of the Fokker. The

LARGEST MAJORITY FOR COMPULSION ON THIRD READING

Amendment Provides That Capital Punishment Cannot Be Inflicted

VOTE IN COMMONS STOOD 383 TO 36

LLOYD GEORGE'S ATTITUDE AS TO INDUSTRIAL CONSCRIPTION UNCERTAIN BUT BONAR LAW ASSURES MEMBERS OF GOVERNMENT'S GOOD FAITH—SIMON ADVISES AGAINST VIOLENT OPPOSITION.

London, Jan. 24, 11:38 p. m.—The Military Service bill passed the third reading in the house of commons tonight by a vote of 383 to 36.

The bill was immediately sent to the house of lords, and given its first reading. The second reading will be taken in the house of lords on Wednesday, and parliament will probably be prorogued Friday.

The fact that the minority against the bill was virtually only a third of that on its first reading is considered a great triumph for Premier Asquith, and for Andrew Bonar Law, who directed its course, and, although tonight's debate showed that many labor members are still suspicious, there is no doubt that general opposition to the measure has subsided.

Mr. Lloyd George's attitude as to industrial conscription is now in the air, not on the ground.

"At the beginning of the war no one dreamt of such a development. It has come with an automatically stable machine, which enables a single pilot to manage a gun as easily as if in a trench.

"Have we an answer to the Fokker? The question must not be answered for some time, but whatever we may have in store, it would be the greatest mistake to underestimate the Fokker. We can keep the mastery of the air only by recognizing changes as they occur, and making the necessary adjustments.

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LARGE PARTY OF RETURNED MEN ON THE METAGAMA

Major H. E. C. Sturdee, Now in England, Soon Going to Front—How Lieut. Buchanan of 24th Fell.

London, Jan. 24.—(Montreal Gazette Cable)—The party of officers and nurses who have sailed on sick leave or leave of absence, include the following:

Major C. W. McLean, Army Service Corps; Captain J. Meakin, Second Artillery; Captain H. J. Coghlin, Military School; Captain R. A. Laird, Second Divisional Train, who will assume a new command.

Captain C. M. Ingall, record officer; Captain Meyell, Army Service Corps; Lieutenant F. I. Tanner, Twenty-fifth Battalion; Lieutenant J. H. Richardson, Fourteenth Battalion, who takes a new command in the 24th; Lieutenant A. K. Coyle, who will take a commission under Colonel Thomas, Ottawa.

Nursing Sisters: F. McLean, B. Vigness, E. F. Neslin, E. Gohmer and M. F. McBride (in charge).

Thirty invalided or discharged N.C.O.s and men were in charge of Captain F. L. Crosby, First Battalion, and Captain F. C. Clarke, medical officer.

Captain H. E. C. Sturdee, of St. John, Twelfth Battalion, who was wounded at Festubert, has returned from leave in Canada, and will proceed to the front shortly.

Captain J. S. Jenkins, medical officer of the 24th Battalion (Victoria Rifles), is in London, on a few days leave from the front. He states that Lieutenant R. H. B. Buchanan was killed the night before he left. Lieutenant Buchanan had only been in the front for a month, during which period he had shown himself

ROME ADVICES SAY AUSTRIAN EMPEROR IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

London, Jan. 25, 2:30 a. m.—Advices received by the Vatican are to the effect that the condition of Emperor Francis Joseph is grave, says the Daily Telegraph's Rome correspondent.

Very daring. He was fixing a machine gun when struck in the abdomen by a bullet which caused his death in a few hours. He was the first officer of the 24th to be killed.

Captain the Rev. A. P. Shatford, chaplain of the 24th, is in the hospital with an attack of bronchitis. The general health of the 24th is good, says Captain Jenkins. The latter is a son of Hon. Lieut-Colonel Jenkins, of Charlottetown (P. E. I.), and is a graduate of McGill and Victoria universities.

You are knitting socks for a chap in the trenches. Wouldn't they fit the young man who is keeping company with you?

FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Balmain, of Woodstock, spent a few days here last week with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Vanward.

The Thursday evening Club met last week with the directors, but, so far, no action has been taken on them and it is believed that none of the tenders received may be accepted.

As a result of a conference held yesterday it is understood that the contract between the contractor and the City for the construction of the section of the road from Rothney to the Mistake, which was signed in May, 1915, has been cancelled.

CHATHAM

Chatham, Jan. 26.—Miss Louise Walls and her family, who have been visiting the guest of Mr. J. R. Allison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Neale and Miss Heloise Neale have returned from an extended visit to their friends in New Brunswick.

Lieutenant F. F. Fowle of the 102nd Battalion D Company, Bathurst, spent the week-end here with friends.

Mrs. Sydney Smith, who has been visiting Mr. Smith at the Hotel, left on Friday morning to visit at her former home in Woodstock.

The annual meeting of the Highland Lodge was held last night at the Hotel. The following officers for the coming year were elected: President, W. J. Jardine, New Brunswick; vice-presidents, Colonel J. D. MacKenzie, Logville and Waldon Robinson, Millerton; treasurer, William Wilson, Chatham; secretary, A. J. Ferguson, New Brunswick.

Among the new members elected were: W. Scott, Dr. MacKenzie, W. Ross and A. Gibb, the last of whom was also elected pipers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Vanstone left yesterday for a short visit to friends in Moncton and St. John.

Sock Day, held at the Town Hall last Thursday by the Field Comforts branch of the Red Cross Society, was well patronized and proved highly successful. An excellent lunch was served by the ladies of this society. The receipts amounted to \$25.00 of socks and \$70.00 cash. The money was presented to the committee of the Red Cross Society.

Mr. P. McDonald went to St. John yesterday for a few days.

Mrs. R. Y. McCabe is spending the week with friends in Halifax, and will return home on Monday next.

Miss S. E. Devson is visiting friends in Ottawa and Toronto.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray, of Moncton, spent the week-end in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Snowball.

Miss Mary Sprague, of Berlin (N. H.), was in town last week, the guests of Mrs. N. Maher.

Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Stead returned home yesterday evening, after a short visit to relatives in St. John.

The officers, N.C.O.'s and men of the Company 102nd Battalion were the guests of the senior members of St. John's Sunday school, who were at St. John's on Friday evening last. The evening's programme of enjoyment included music, songs, games, club singing, dumb-bells, and a variety of other amusements, which a dainty supper was served. At the conclusion of the supper a hearty vote of thanks, moved by Colonel Brewster, O.C., was tendered by Major Corbett, Miss Jane Irving, Miss Jean Morrison and Messrs. James McCurry, Lieutenant Graham McKnight, Harry McLean, Richard, and Hubert Hector McQuarrie and others.

Lieutenant J. Graham McKnight and Provisional Sergeant E. Herbert and Andrew McKnight, leave on Saturday morning for Halifax to take a course of instruction in musketry.

Mrs. Burton L. Gerow, of St. John, and Mrs. Irving Malcolm, of Moncton, are visiting in town, the guests of Mrs. F. B. Carvell, M. P., spent the week-end at his home here, returning to his session in Halifax on Monday.

Mrs. George Belmont returned on Saturday from a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Vanward, in Fredericton.

Miss Mary Sprague left on Tuesday to spend ten days in Fredericton, where she will be the guest of her friends.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hartley and little daughter, Isabel, spent a few days in St. John last week, returning Saturday evening.

Miss Hazel Atherton left on Monday to take a commercial course at the business college in Fredericton.

Miss Sprague, son of Dr. T. F. and Mrs. Sprague, left on Monday for St. John. Mr. Sprague has enlisted with the Motor Transport Corps.

Mr. L. E. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. I. Moore, has been accepted in the Army Service Corps, with the rank of sergeant. Mr. Moore expects to leave for Fredericton on the 28th of this month.

Mrs. Harry T. Colpitts, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. McKnight, for a few weeks, returned this week to her home in Boston.

A very enjoyable musical recital was given in the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening last. Mrs. W. D. Rankin was instrumental in getting the recital up for the benefit of the Soldiers' Club, which began this morning at St. John, delighted the audience with his renditions on the organ. Mrs. C. O. MacDonald and Mrs. Tappin Adams, who are at the front in the recital, were assisted in their violin solos by Mrs. W. D. Rankin.

The music lovers of Woodstock had a very successful evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy C. Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell R. Jones, who have been the guests of Mr. W. E. and Mrs. Jones for several weeks, returned to their home in St. John on Monday.

Lieutenant Reginald Maxwell, of the 104th Regiment, leaves on Saturday evening for Halifax, where he will take a course in musketry.

Lieutenant James Innes, of St. Stephen, who is attached to the 104th Regiment, was in town on Tuesday, and is a guest at Carleton Hall.

Miss Nellie McLean left on Wednesday to visit her friends in Harford (Ont.), for a few weeks.

Major Benoit and Captain Hutchinson of the militia department at Ottawa, were here last week, inspecting the 104th Regiment, consisting of 280 men and 70 horses.

The officers and officers of D company were pleasantly entertained on

Tuesday evening at a smoker in the parish hall, by the men of St. Luke's church. Games of all kinds were provided as well as "smokers", and at the close of the evening refreshments were served. These entertainments are held frequently during the winter and are very much enjoyed by the soldiers.

Miss Mary Wright leaves on Friday to resume her profession of nursing at Newton (Mass.).

Mrs. City Saunders, who has been visiting her parents, Mrs. John Thompson, and Mrs. J. S. Creighton, returned to her home in Bowmans (Mont.), on Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Jewett left for Fredericton this week to attend the funeral of Dr. Jewett's uncle, Dr. H. M. Jewett, whose death took place at Providence (R. I.).

Lieut. Granahan has arrived in town and has joined the D company.

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Mrs. Isaac Leighton, accompanied by her sons, Dr. George of Moncton and Henry of Boston, and her daughter, Mrs. Fred Moore, left on Monday for Moncton, where she will spend the winter months.

Mrs. J. McDonald, of New Glasgow, who has been visiting Mrs. Leighton, returned to her home on Monday.

Misses Addie and Helen Stables returned yesterday morning from a visit to St. John.

Miss Alma LaBelle, who was called to her home in Dalhousie by her mother's illness, returned to town Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry entertained a number of their friends at an enjoyable party of four tables, at their residence last Thursday evening, when a most enjoyable time was spent by all present.

Last Sunday evening the soldiers of the 102nd Battalion were entertained by the ladies of St. John's Presbyterian church in their new Sunday school hall. After a short musical programme the men were led to the dining hall in the basement, where a dainty lunch was served to them.

On Thursday evening of the past week Miss Renne McQuarrie was hostess at a most enjoyable dance, given at her home, in honor of Miss Florence Giles. During the evening dainty refreshments were served. Among those present were, Miss Florence Giles, Miss Sadie Smallwood, Miss Gertrude Irving, Miss Blanche Taylor, Miss Hazel Sprague, Miss Annie Corbett, Miss Jane Irving, Miss Jean Morrison and Messrs. James McCurry, Lieutenant Graham McKnight, Harry McLean, Richard, and Hubert Hector McQuarrie and others.

Lieutenant J. Graham McKnight and Provisional Sergeant E. Herbert and Andrew McKnight, leave on Saturday morning for Halifax to take a course of instruction in musketry.

Mrs. Burton L. Gerow, of St. John, and Mrs. Irving Malcolm, of Moncton, are visiting in town, the guests of Mrs. F. B. Carvell, M. P., spent the week-end at his home here, returning to his session in Halifax on Monday.

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Mrs. Percy Lord entertained some lady friends with bridge at her home on Monday evening.

Mrs. Alvin Dunbar left today for her home in Winnipeg, after a visit of a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James G. Stevens.

Mrs. Herbert Gardner held a reception last Thursday afternoon at her home in Calais, the first since her marriage. She was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. Alfred Saunders.

Mr. Louis Dwyer has gone to Kingston (Ont.), to take a military course for overseas service.

Justice and Mrs. McKewen, of St. John, have been recent guests of the Premier and Mrs. Clarke.

Much to the regret of his family and friends, Mr. Mark Mills is still confined to his home with the prevailing epidemic of grippe.

On Saturday afternoon and evening a dainty tea was served in the Soldiers' Comforts Association room, the first since the new year. The young ladies in charge were Misses Addie McVay, George Grimes, Marcel Todd and Eileen Osborne.

Miss Emma Robinson has returned from a delightful visit in Winnipeg with her mother, Mrs. J. W. Robinson.

Miss Betty Todd, who has been at her home in Calais to spend the holiday season, has returned to her studies at Mount Ida School.

After the stirring addresses and appeal made to the women of St. Stephen and

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Miss Edith Lawson, who has been the guest of the Misses Thomas has returned to her home in Amherst (N. S.).

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Rev. H. C. Rice was called to Sunny Brae Tuesday night, owing to the death of his father, Mr. Rice, a retired Methodist minister.

Mrs. Thomas Mitchell has returned from Montreal, where she was attending the funeral of her sister.

Miss Trilene and her sister, Miss Bird Arthur, who have been guests of Mrs. Arthur Keith, have returned to St. John.

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Colonel R. S. Lowe and Mrs. Lowe, of Ottawa, spent the week-end in town.

Dr. Ernest Harding, of Amherst, is spending a few days in town. Dr. Harding was called home by the death of his mother, Mrs. Jesse Harding, which occurred on Sunday last.

Mrs. Fred Harrison, of Halifax, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Donalds.

Miss Dora Faulkner, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. C. Ross for some weeks, has returned to her home in Halifax.

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who were here attending the funeral of their mother, Mrs. John Copp, left for their homes on Saturday.

The marriage of Miss Helen Christie, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Ales Christie, to Mr. Lightfoot Stewart, mining engineer of Chile, South America, and formerly of Summerside (P. E. I.), was celebrated at the bride's home in Adelaide street on Saturday morning.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. W. Rose, only the relatives and intimate friends being present. The wedding march was played by Miss Emily Christie.

The bride wore her travelling gown of navy blue serge with close fitting hat and carried carnations and lilies of the valley.

Following the ceremony luncheon was served. Mrs. George T. Douglas, pouring coffee, assisted by Miss Dora Hewson, Miss Ida Tennant and Miss Vivian McCleod.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart left at noon for New York and later will sail for Chile. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. Stewart, of Summerside (P. E. I.), father of the groom, and Mrs. Henry Read, of Sackville, aunt of the bride.

Miss Ruth Kingston, of the Highland View Hospital, is paying a visit to her home in St. John.

Mrs. G. F. Morehouse left on Saturday for her home in Truro.

Mrs. Allen Sharkey, who has been the guest of Mrs. William Dowlin, left on Saturday for Atholboro (Mass.).

Miss Ethel Padgett, of Fredericton (N. B.), is a patient in Highland View Hospital.

Mr. T. N. Campbell has returned from a three weeks' visit to the west.

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Parrsboro, Jan. 20.—Miss Nellie Gullerson is visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry H. G. Ashford, left Monday for St. John, where she will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Tait, after which Mrs. Ashford will join her husband, Lieutenant Ashford, who is in Halifax.

Mrs. G. W. Fowler, Mrs. G. N. Pearson and Mrs. Ralph Robertson spent Thursday in Hampton, guests of Mrs. T. Wm. Barnes.

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Mr. and Mrs. Marple Dobson, of this place, are receiving the congratulations of their many friends upon the arrival of a baby girl on Jan. 16.

A very successful recruiting meeting was held in Bradley Hall on Thursday, Jan. 16. The speakers being Captain M. G. Siddall and Rev. Father Savage, assisted by others.

A number of men from this place were busily engaged in loading dead on Monday of this week, C. H. Read, of Amherst (N. S.), being the purchaser.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, Jan. 19.—Sixteen below zero was what the weather furnished yesterday morning, along the Shepody—the coldest of the season.

The death of Mrs. M. A. Woodworth, of Albert Mines, a son of the late Edward Woodworth, Irving Woodworth, of Hillsboro, is a brother.

Miss Margaret J. Wallace is critically ill at her home at Lower Cape, with pneumonia.

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Henry Nelson, who has been laid up with an attack of blood poisoning and shingles on the arm, is reported improving.

V. C. Wright has returned to his home here from Riverside having resigned the superintendency of the Hopewell Fur Company's ranch.

John W. Peck, who was called here by the death of his mother, is today on return to his home in Somerville (Mass.).

At a recent session, three more young people were initiated into Golden Rule Division, S. of T., here, making eight added to the membership within a short time.

Work of shipping deals from the Hill Station, held up by scarcity of cars, has been resumed.

James Jones is recovering from his recent accident, when he was struck on the head by the trunk of a falling tree.

Miss Mary Archibald, who was confined to her home for some days, with an attack of grip, was able to resume her duties as principal of the school here, this week.

Hopewell Hill, Jan. 21.—Word from the lower part of the county states that the White Lumber firm, which was reported as not expecting to carry on any lumber operations this season, have decided to get out some two millions.

The property at Waterside, purchased from H. H. Kinzie by the Farm Settlement Board, has been taken over by Elmer Tingley of the same place.

HAMPTON

Hampton, Jan. 20.—The county court Justice John presiding, met on Tuesday, and went into the consideration of the case of John J. Jackson against Otty Black, a suit for damages. George W. Fowler, K.C. for plaintiff, and Daniel Mallin, K.C. for defendant.

The following petit jury were elected to try the issue: J. D. Seely, A. S. Atkinson, Andrew McCleary, George S. Sharpe, Thomas Bell, George Gorham, Daniel Richardson, James N. Inch, Thomas C. Humphrey, William Jamieson, Courtney Walker, David Floyd. A verdict was found for the defendant, and damages assessed at \$10. The court adjourned until Thursday, 27th inst., when the case of Murray vs. Dryant will be taken up.

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The construction continued. While the men-of-war held the seas, the Navigation Act, as I have already recalled, was passed. At first it seemed as though it would do us more injury than our opponents. But the statesmanship of Cromwell was not wrong. The country lives on the sea, and any maritime law which it passes has behind it tremendous force for that very reason. No nation can prosper without our goodwill, any nation which we ostracise is doomed."

Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, who says that "the commercial rights of United States citizens are trampled under foot" by Great Britain, either does not read the trade returns made public by the government at Washington or else he ignores them. These returns, it has many times been pointed out, show that since the war began there has been an enormous increase in American trade with Europe. Senator Smith was sharply rebuked in the Senate yesterday by Senator Williams, who in condemning Germany's practical warfare declared that his people were not ready to "put cotton and human life on the same basis."

Mr. Runciman has said on more than one occasion that commercially Germany is already beaten, and he is urging all the Allies to take steps to prevent her from regaining her foreign trade which has been completely ruined by the war. In this connection the London Daily News refers to the union, under all trials, of the Entente after nineteen months of fighting. The News urges still greater co-ordination of effort among the Allies, and says:

"In aim and enthusiasm they have already proved themselves indissolubly united. That is more important than any one fact in the war, except the British command of the sea, for unless and until that unity is shaken, the ultimate defeat of Germany is certain and inevitable."

There are many indications that the Allies are successfully coping with the Austro-German submarine menace in the Mediterranean and the Adriatic. They have found two bases for hostile submarines near the island of Corfu which was recently taken over by an Anglo-French force. Naval experts declare that in a comparatively short time the Allies will have captured or destroyed the hostile submarine boats in the Mediterranean in much the same fashion as they put the German underwater boats out of business in the English Channel and the North Sea.

MORE MYSTERY ABOUT MACHINE GUN MONEY

(Montreal Herald.)
The middle and regard to the machine gun funds still continues. It would appear that some of the money entrusted to the public is being expended by the government, who made a belated announcement that they did not want it, and that other subscriptions to quite a large amount not sent to the government are being taken ready to be sent back to any of the subscribers who want them. Why does not Premier Borden come out with an explicit statement in regard to the disposition of the money subscribed? It was not long since he authorized the following public announcement:
"The government desires it distinctly to understand that throughout the country that no subscriptions or contributions for machine guns are required, as all expenditure for that purpose should be defrayed out of the public treasury. The press has been misled by a report that an appeal for such contributions from the public was made by some member of the government. It is not correct that the government is enquiring and cannot ascertain that any such request was ever put forward."
Almost immediately after this announcement, Sir John Hughes declared that the government had ordered about a million dollars' worth of machine guns with the money subscribed. Well, the public, having to choose between Sir Robert Borden, being premier, ought to know what he was talking about. True, his statement was ambiguous, but since he explicitly denied that the government either asked for the money or wanted it, and since he declared that the government wanted it to be distinctly understood that all money for machine guns should be defrayed out of the public treasury, some of those who had contributed to the machine gun fund applied to the government for the return of the money. And here is the reply of Sir Robert Borden gives. "We quote a letter he has sent Mr. W. P. Osborne, the editor of the Quebec Chronicle."
"Dear Mr. Osborne: I beg to acknowledge your letter of the 5th inst. Recently a few applications have been made to the government for the return of contributions made for the purchase of machine guns, but, as already publicly announced, the government is obliged to devote to the purpose for which they were given all such funds actually paid to the government. If the government should return any particular contribution it must be prepared to return all, as a portion of the money has already been expended for the purpose intended. Several machine guns have been purchased out of contributions received from the public and delivered to battalions of other units as per contracts with the public. Moreover, it is doubtful whether the contributions could be returned without the assent of parliament after they have been received and accepted for this purpose."
"As intimated in a speech which I delivered in St. John several months ago, an extract from which I enclose herewith, the government will, at a later date, take into consideration the merits of the various patriotic associations."

"R. L. BORDEN."
Would anybody believe it? The government does not want the money, on the solemn declaration of the premier himself, and yet will not return the subscriptions to applicants. Furthermore, the premier says "several machine guns" have already been purchased out of the contributions. Several! And the amount subscribed by the public totals over a million and a half, most of which, we believe, is in the hands of the government! A machine gun costs a thousand dollars, and after having over a million dollars extra made for the government in a few months the government have bought "several"!

SHELL CONTRACTS SHOULD BE MADE PUBLIC

Conservative M. P. "Explains" How He Got a War Contract Without a Plan to Fulfill It.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The opposition demand for investigation into shell contracts of Sir Sam Hughes' defunct shell committee was again pressed in the commons today by Hon. Charles Murphy and A. Turgeon.
As a prelude there was the apology of a Conservative member, B. R. Hepburn, of Prince Edward, who explained his position in connection with the war munitions contract awarded to his firm, the shells committee, as criticized on Wednesday by Hon. Dr. Pugsley.
Mr. Hepburn explained that the reason he secured the contract was not necessarily because he was a member of parliament, but because General Bertam had knowledge that any contract we undertook would be carried out. The contract was issued at a price in the fixing of which he had nothing to say. It was the standard price at which shells were being purchased by the committee. It was found, the member for Prince Edward explained, that the contract could not be carried out economically at his firm's plant. This contract was transferred to Montreal.
Mr. Hepburn added that although his firm was in the lumber business, they were unsuccessful in securing a contract for shell boxes. He resented what he believed was Dr. Pugsley's imputation that he had done anything "dishonest or dishonorable." Mr. Hepburn added that he knew of no firm that prevented a member of parliament being a director or shareholder of a company which had a contract with the imperial government. He said that he had no "inconsiderable number of senators and members of parliament belonging to both parties who were directors, office holders or shareholders of companies who accepted such contracts."
Objects to Middlemen's Contracts.
Hon. Dr. Pugsley stated that his criticism had been directed primarily against members of the government and the shells committee. He took issue with the situation that permitted firms to make steel and had no machinery, no plant and no experience, as was the case with his honorable friend from Prince Edward, to take such contracts. He had directed attention to the fact that the Hepburn firm were unable to handle the contract in Pictou and had taken it to Montreal.
If the member declared that he was no "middleman" or "go-between," Dr. Pugsley would accept that statement, but did not intend to argue in connection with the letting out of shell contracts should not have taken place to people who were not in the steel business, and who were without plant to carry out their contract without subletting.
For the conditions which obtained he held the government and its agents on the shell committee responsible. He said that the fact that the British government's side of the house unconditionally applauded yesterday Hon. Arthur Meighen's assertion in reference to the fact that a legitimate iron and steel manufacturing company, of which Hon. George Graham is a director, had secured an order for shells. They applied and thereupon secured the order. Mr. Pugsley's explanation, although in the latter's case the order he secured was transferred to a firm which could actually handle such contracts, may be noted, too, that Mr. Hepburn, in the course of his explanation, put in a plea that he might be successful in getting an order for shell boxes from the new munitions board.
Dr. Pugsley Corrects Meighen.
Ottawa, Jan. 21.—Hon. William Pugsley arose at the opening of the house on a question of privileges to take exception to certain portions of the speech delivered by Hon. Arthur Meighen yesterday in connection with the shells committee. He had not, in reading the Montreal "Gazette's" report of an address by D. A. Thomas, quoted the latter as saying that shell prices in Canada were "higher" than those in the United States. He had read the words of the representative of the British minister of munitions that Canadian prices were "higher" than those in the United States. He had not been used by him.
Hon. Charles Murphy, in continuing the debate on the address, advanced the Canadian soldiers killed or incapacitated. The opposition, he said, was willing to support the government in the voting of a hundred million more necessary in order that the country might discharge its duty towards the men who had faced the grim reaper, and given the "best" of them for Canada and the empire.—(Cheers.)
He also advocated that the government should bear all expenses connected with the support of the men who were sent to the front, which might serve to put an end to the mad race for soliciting subscriptions, which had sated a portion of the country.
A Poteur for Borden.
The former secretary of state asked why the prime minister had not brought down, in the house, certain correspondence received by him last year from the Canadian manufacturers relative to the manner of awarding war contracts by the government.
Sir Robert Borden had told the house he considered the communication confidential, and yet the secretary of the Canadian Manufacturers Association in an interview had stated that there was nothing confidential about it, thus directly conflicting with the premier.
The letters, said Mr. Murphy, were important lines of war graft not investigated, or even mentioned, in the investigation by the public accounts committee last session. Why had it been unheeded?
Mr. Murphy demanded a committee of inquiry, before which members of the "Manufacturers' Association" might appear to justify their warning to the prime minister, and to make plain who were bonafide and who were mushroom manufacturers, fostered under the aegis of the government and the shell committee.
Hon. Dr. Reid, F. S. Scott, O. Turgeon also spoke. Hon. J. D. Hazen moved for adjournment, which was agreed to on Monday, and will in all probability be concluded next Wednesday or Thursday.
Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux is asking for information as to the employment of

PARISH OFFICERS ELECTED FOR ST. JOHN COUNTY

At the recent meeting of the municipal council the parish officers were elected. The new officers in the different parishes during the ensuing term will be as follows:

- Lancaster: Board of management—Councilors Golding, Bryant and O'Brien. Highway board—Councilors Golding, Bryant and O'Brien. Revisors—Councilors Golding and Bryant.
- Fire wardens—W. Ross, D. J. McMurphy and W. J. Linton. Collector of rates—J. R. Britney. Parish clerk—Andrew Gault, J. Bills (district 2); Whitney Dunham (district 1).
- Lorneville—W. J. Galbraith. Collector—William Stinson. Assessors—B. Catherwood, Wm. McKeown and Whitney Dunham. Weigher of hay—Frank Allingham.
- Simonds: Assessors—Oscar Hanson, H. J. Mahoney, James E. Shepherd. Parish clerk—Frederick S. Clinch. Collector of rates—Burton McWinn. Constable—James Davidson.
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COMMITTEE REPORTS JAIL IN BAD STATE, AND A "JOKE" HAND-CAUFFS USED AS LOCK ON CORRIDOR DOOR

Gagetown, Jan. 19.—The Queens county municipal council, which has been in session during the past two days, concluded its business this afternoon, and the members leave for their homes tomorrow morning. Two thousand dollars was voted to the patriotic fund, and additional to the committee of the granting of various small sums for the carrying out of parish affairs. It was also decided to have a steel rod placed on the court house, the work to begin immediately.
The action of officers resulted in the appointment of B. W. Bald as Scott's assessor for the whole county. W. A. Machum, of Peterville, is the new wardens. The auditor, L. T. Flower, of Cambridge, and the secretary-treasurer, H. Gilbert, of Gagetown, who have held these positions for some years, were returned to office. All the councillors were present, with the exception of those from Peterville, Eldon M. Akeley and Dr. Case, who were both prevented from attending on account of illness.
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One gate leading from the jail corridor had a pair of handcuffs for a lock, while the other had a small Yale lock such as several keys in this county would open.
The ventilation of the jail is simply nil. Persons residing upstairs are breathing the foul breath of all the prisoners dropped by the ceiling of what comes from the toilets.
On the whole, we consider the county jail very unwholesome and look upon it as a jail as far as its use as a jail is concerned.
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GOVERNMENT RESTIGOUCHE NOTES \$1,000 TO PATRIOTIC FUND

Campbellton, Jan. 21.—At today's session, the Restigouche municipal council voted \$883.88 per month, or at the rate of \$10,606 per year, toward the Canadian patriotic fund. The granting of this amount was unanimous, but many of the councillors considered \$1,000 a month none too much. Restigouche is one of the smaller counties, as regards population, in the province, and this generous grant should be an inspiration for other counties to vote in like proportion. Last year more than \$1,000 were paid out by the patriotic fund committee, and every dollar of it was raised in the county.
With the county's 1,000 men enlisted, or about one out of fifteen of population, it will require about \$28,000 to meet the demands of the fund, so that Restigouche is to live up to last year's record there is \$15,000 to raise. While the finances of the county are in good shape, yet they are not as good as a year ago, when \$8,000 was voted.
Ottawa, Jan. 17.—Owing to the heavy drain upon the live stock of the various warring countries of Europe, they have been forced to go abroad for supplies. The longer the war lasts the greater will be this demand. Moreover, when peace is restored these countries will require large numbers of the various classes of animals to replenish their stables, herds and flocks. It should be borne in mind, however, that the buyers, who come to this country after the war, will require better animals than have been bought during war time, as they will be used largely on breeding purposes.
With this in view, the best of the females and particularly the best of the males should be kept for breeding purposes. Breeders should not fail to raise all the live stock possible at the present time, so that the country may be able to supply the warring countries. At present, however, there is an unequal distribution of live stock in the country. In certain sections there is a heavy surplus, with a corresponding scarcity in other parts. During the past year hundreds of young cattle from the prairie provinces have been sent to the United States stockers and feeders. These should have been kept at home, particularly the females. Sections of the west are reported as being in need of good draft horses, particularly draft mares; while, in sections of Ontario, there is an over supply of this particular class.
In order to remedy these conditions, the minister of agriculture, through the live stock branch, has decided to grant liberal aid to breeders who wish to secure good breeding stock. The conditions upon which this aid will be given are as follows:
In the event of a number of farmers in any district of Canada wishing to cooperate in the purchase of breeding stock in certain lots from some distant section of the country, the department will pay the travelling expenses of their duly appointed representative during the trip, and also to effect the purchase and transport the shipment to its destination.
Should it be desired, the live stock commissioner will nominate a suitable person to visit the district of the prospective buyers, and assist him as far as possible in buying and shipping the animals.
Persons wishing to take advantage of this offer should make full arrangements with the live stock commissioner as to place and time of purchase before sending out their representative.

WESTMINSTER COUNCIL VOTES \$30,000 TO PATRIOTIC FUND

Dorchester, N. B., Jan. 20.—(Special)—The Westminster council at this afternoon's session took up the report of the live stock branch, and the report showed a deficit of some \$400 but with sufficient funds outstanding to wipe out a large part of the loss.
The matter of paying Westminster's former Scott act inspector, Geo. R. McCord, who is now at the front, was also brought up and it was finally decided to pay half of Mr. McCord's salary to his wife in place of the full salary of \$600.
Dr. C. L. Allen, of Dorchester, was appointed jail physician in place of Dr. W. A. Cameron, who died in the recent epidemic of typhoid fever which visited the shire town recently.
The matter of the grant to the patriotic fund for the coming year was again brought up and the finance committee reported that they considered a grant of \$8,500 as large an amount as Westminster could donate at the present session and in keeping with the figures presented to the council by Lieut.-Governor Wood, John T. Hawke and W. H. Price at yesterday's sitting of the council. This amount is payable at the rate of \$750 per month.
Considerable discussion took place as to the most suitable way of raising this amount, and it was finally decided to assess the \$8,500 this year upon the county, exclusive of Moncton, Sackville, Shediac and Sunny Brae.
The evening session of the council was taken up with the revision of the county bye-laws.

FIGHTING WITH BARE KNUCKLES

People Urge Foreign Office to Greater Sternness and Threats—Still Too Much Extravagance.
New York, Jan. 21.—Sydney Brooks, English publicist, arrived here yesterday aboard the Tuscania, of the Anchor line, for a stay of three months. Mr. Brooks represents Lord Northcliffe's newspapers, and his purpose is the resumption of the work he began last November and which was interrupted by his return home for Christmas. He says that while he hopes by letters and cables to the Northcliffe newspapers, especially the London Daily Mail, to do something to enlighten Englishmen on "the eternal mystery" of American policy and feeling toward the war.
When coming up to the bay Mr. Brooks had much to say regarding the increased determination of the British to fight on whatever cost or sacrifice till victory is assured.
"The temper of the nation," he said, "is now admirable. All talk about England not realising the situation is absolutely out of date. The people will respond to whatever call is made upon them. I noticed in this respect a great difference between the English and the people of England of January. Lord Derby's recruiting campaign has done an immense amount to bring home the full meaning of the war to every British home and mind."
"That national stubbornness which carried the country victoriously through the Napoleonic wars and which has never yielded her in any European conflict is now thoroughly aroused; they will accept anything to beat Germany. The reverses and disappointments and governmental blunders of the last fifteen months have but fired down their resolution to the single point of letting nothing for one moment stand in the way of carrying on the war with the utmost possible vigor."
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"England has always been the most splendid nation in Europe, and the least skilled in the art of making one shilling do the work of two. She is so still. Even the war has not yet changed the necessity of the situation. Downy soon will. There are blemishes on her record, but none the less it remains the fact that this is the greatest hour in England's history. It is not more, and she could visit her just now. Elizabethan England, the England of Marlborough, the England that warred down Napoleon, they are one and all out-displaced by the England of today."
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"SUDDENLY BOYS AT HOME ARE NOT AFRAID OF THE GERMAN"

Chatham Man With Engineers Cannot Understand Why There Should Be Any Difficulty in Raising Canada's Army

Of Those at Front No One is Afraid to Meet the Men Across No Man's Land—Some Fancy Prices in France—No Pity After Sight of Gassed and Wounded.

A very pertinent question which should strike deep into the hearts of many young and physically fit men of this province is asked by a boy from these parts who is now doing his duty on the western front.

The young man who asks the question is a Chatham man, and his name is Mr. Frank Garfield Ferguson.

Mr. Ferguson is now at 8rd London Hospital, Wandsworth, England, and is recovering from his wounds.

Through all the letters that are received in this province from boys at the front runs that potent interrogation point which says, "Why don't our pals come?"

The holiday in France. Pte Jack Woods, of the 6th Battalion, now in France, writes a very interesting letter to his sister, Mrs. G. D. Christie, of Chatham, in which he describes Christmas day in France.

Christmas day in France with the sun shining and warm as a day in June. We have been in the same place a week for miles from the front line living in a barn and getting about five hours work a day.

As soon as we went in they gave us a change of underwear, a shirt and a pair of socks.

What are they doing? Corporal Victor Hannan of St. Stephen, in a recent letter to his mother, writes "Somewhere in France," says in part as follows:

We are out of the trenches again for a few days. I will spend Christmas in the trenches, not a very pleasant place, but a Christmas spent in the trenches will be something to remember.

None can take the place of the boys and we know only too well how true that is.

We have been having some very exciting times in the trenches lately, but have been very lucky. We are still having wet weather but we are getting used to that.

What are they doing at home? The same old thing, I suppose. Happier Than the Huns.

Clay Wilson of the 3rd Field Company, Canadian Engineers of the First Canadian Contingent gives a very interesting description of life at the front in a recent letter to his sister who resides in Chatham (N. B.).

Tonight it is raining, in fact it is doing so most of the time and we feel as though there must be something good in store for us for the way we waddle round through the mud and water.

It is a grand thing to see the boys do a lot of grousing (a soldier's privilege), and there is always a good joke, song, and a laugh left in the boys, which is, I think, more than the ways in the opposite trench have (200 yards away).

The bravest Guokers. The prettiest sight I ever saw in my life was 25,000 Guokers and British going into action.

They are now making a great attack on this front. Their air craft have been very busy today. One of their machines flew right across our camp followed by British machines but it got away.

Dr. McTaggart's Remedies. Dr. McTaggart's Remedies are the most effective and most reliable for the treatment of all ailments.

MARITIME PROVINCE MEN FALL WITH FAME 26TH; MONTREAL OFFICER KILLED

Ottawa, Jan. 25.—The casualty lists issued tonight contain the names of many maritime province men, including several in the 26th Battalion.

The list follows: THIRTEENTH BATTALION. Previously Reported Missing, Now Officially Killed in Action—Hugh R. Bailey, England.

NINETEENTH BATTALION. Wounded—Joseph Clayton, England. DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED—Henry B. Boslock, Toronto.

WOUNDED—Dewey Hall, Hamilton (Ont.); Lance Corporal Horace Brown, Ottawa. TWENTY-SECOND BATTALION.

Wounded—Edward Mallette, St. Hyacinthe (Que.); Albert Barbeau, Montreal; Corp. U. Halde, Montreal. TWENTY-FOURTH BATTALION.

Killed in Action—Lieut. Reginald Herbert Bancroft Buchanan, Westmount (Que.). TWENTY-SEVENTH BATTALION.

Wounded—George W. Robinson, Winnipeg. FORTY-SECOND BATTALION.

Slightly Wounded—Harry Haybittle, West Gobeil (Ont.). ROYAL CANADIAN REGIMENT.

Killed in Action—Arthur Duckworth, England; Alexander Hendry, Scotland; C. Willies, England; William Nichols, England. Died of Wounds—Arthur E. Blackham, England.

FOURTH ARTILLERY BRIGADE. Killed in Action—Gunner Clement Thomas Wilson, Gunner William Livingston, Scotland.

SEVERELY WOUNDED—Gunner James Greg, Ireland; Driver James W. McLean, Scotland. FIFTH FIELD COMPANY, DIVISIONAL ENGINEERS.

Killed in Action—Sapper Thomas R. Pearson, East Vancouver. Wounded—Sapper Eugene Franchet, Montreal.

Lieut. Buchanan's Call. Montreal, Jan. 22.—Lieut. R. H. Bancroft Buchanan, youngest son of R. H. Buchanan, has been killed in action while fighting with his unit.

London, Jan. 24, 2:38 a.m.—The name of Brigadier General Hugh Gregory Fitton, aide-de-camp to the king, appears among the killed in the casualty lists from the British front in France.

General Fitton was born November 12, 1875. He distinguished himself in the Sudan and Boer campaigns.

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—The only maritime man mentioned in the midnight casualty list is Ronald Currie, of Glace Bay (C. B.), who in the Twenty-Fifth Battalion was reported "slightly wounded."

The British Submarine. When the last great battle ended and far off the martial thunder and the tramp of many armies died across the unquagmired scene.

How it met the German warships (mighty tongues shall tell the story) How they struck them and it sank them many fathoms deep below!

How they Drake off Nombro, sleeping awlone it carried on the glory Of the British Fleet who sank the gallions long ago!

Then across the old grey hills of time the immortal flag thundered And the leagues of ocean trumpet what the Fleet of England's bent!

All the daring and the splendour of the British Submarine. C. I. S., in London Chronicle. Villa Still at Large.

El Paso, Texas, Jan. 21.—Persistent reports that Francisco Villa, outlawed military chief, had been captured at San Gregorio, Chihuahua by the Carranza central Cavalry, were denied today.

CREAM WANTED We are users of large quantities of cream and milk. Accounts settled by check the 15th of every month. Highest prices paid for these commodities. Reference, Merchants Bank of Canada. PRIMECREST FARM, ST. JOHN, N. B.

CANADIAN GUNS MOST EFFECTIVE TAKE OVER WHOLE G.T.P. RAILWAY

Ottawa, Jan. 21.—Negotiations between the government and the Grand Trunk Railway Company, in connection with the Grand Trunk Pacific from Winnipeg to Prince Rupert, which have been in progress for some time, are expected to be brought to a head when the minister of railways, Hon. Frank Cochrane, returns from England.

The outstanding feature of the period has been our artillery activity. Our guns have maintained their superiority. On the fronts of both the first and second divisions, we have successfully bombed German machine gun emplacements, mine shafts and trenches.

The traffic carried over the road as a consequence of the splendid crop of the winter wheat, is being handled by a still longer period, but it is believed that it will have to be settled one way or the other at an early date.

While the Grand Trunk Railway has a considerable amount of money in the enterprise, it is not thought likely that the government will enter into an agreement which would give the Grand Trunk of its whole present "equity" in the system.

It is believed that all which can be said is that the government will assume the handling of the company's affairs and face probable temporary deficits in operation and interest on bonded indebtedness for a few years.

The total mileage of the G. T. P. system is approximately 1,800 miles and the total cost of the operation is said to total nearly \$200,000,000.

Our snipers in both divisions have done excellent work. At 11 o'clock on the morning of January 14, snipers H. McLaurin and Sniper Gillies, of our 16th Canadian Scottish battalion, occupied an old German listening post, and from there fired and killed three of the enemy, of whom one was an officer.

Sniper Patrick Riel, of our 8th battalion, Winnipeg Rifles, was killed by shell fire on January 14. He was one of the best snipers of our second infantry brigade, and had been with the 8th battalion since its formation in August, 1914.

The enemy aviators have been active and two occasions have dropped bombs within our area. Little damage was done. Several hostile machines which attempted to approach our area were successfully driven off by our anti-aircraft and artillery.

A Zeppelin was observed on January 18, flying at a great height, some distance behind the German lines. Large working parties have been continuously employed, and full advantage has been taken of the spell of good weather to improve our front trenches, communications, and fencible works.

The enemy working parties do not appear to have been as busy as usual. During the period under review there has been only one case of trench feet in the whole of the Canadian corps.

Several Officials of I. C. R. Promoted. Montreal, N. B., Jan. 21.—D. H. Williams, chief clerk to General Manager, F. P. Gutelius, has been appointed assistant general manager of the Canadian Government Railway, Harry H. Norton, formerly chief clerk to General Superintendent McNeill, is promoted to be chief clerk to Mr. Gutelius, while Charles Rand has been appointed chief clerk to Mr. Williams.

Public Accounts Committee. The public accounts committee submitted its report and it was shown that Dorchester's recent epidemic of typhoid fever covered the county upwards of 20,000, and bills to the amount of \$100,000 were passed.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFER. Transfers of real estate have been recorded as follows: St. John County.

Canadian Consolidated Lands, Ltd. to J. D. Barker, \$1,000, property in Easter.

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Caroline T. Tucker to L. R. property in Courtenay street. Kings County.

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AGENTS WANTED RELIABLE representative wanted to meet the tremendous demand for fruit trees throughout New Brunswick. We wish to secure three or four good men to represent us as general agents.

WANTED CASH Paid for Postage Stamps before 1870. Any kind except cent American. A. B. Paine, Beacon Street, Brookline (Mass.) 8692-1

VACANCIES IN OFFICE Caused by enlistment of those who answered, and those who will answer their king and country's call, many positions have become vacant.

MARRIAGES. DEVER-WILLIAMS.—At the old parsonage, 70 Esplanade street, January 20, by Rev. W. G. Lane, Rick Dever of Donegal, Ireland, to Williams of St. John (N. B.).

DEATHS. LEAVITT.—In St. John, January 16, Robert Leavitt, aged 71, leaving a wife and one daughter.

McGERRIGAL.—At Westfield, January 19, 1915, Mary A. McGerrigal, leaving a husband and four daughters.

WHEATON.—In this city, on the 19th inst., John A. Wheaton, leaving a wife, six sons and four daughters.

KELEHER.—At West Side, on the 19th inst., Margaret Keleher, daughter of Mr. Hugh and Catherine Keleher, of Grand Lake, Jan. 18, of paralysis.

ANN, widow of the late John H. of 21, Interment at Douglas Harbor, ton papers please copy.

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KAISER'S SON AS ENVOY TO AT

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WANTED
ties of cream and milk
the 15th of every month,
commodities. Reference.

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Cochran, returns from England. While
the minister announced upon leaving that
his visit was made primarily for the
purpose of meeting his two sons who are
with the expeditionary forces overseas,
it is stated that while there he will
confer with the higher officials in England,
including Mr. Smithers, of the Grand
Trunk system.

The impression is growing in Ottawa
that the negotiations will result in the
assuming by the government of the lia-
bilities of the company, and the taking
over for government operation of the
Grand Trunk Pacific line, thus creating
a government-owned and operated
system from coast to coast, in conjunction
with the National Transcontinental
line.

THE AGONIES
OF NEURALGIA
A Nerve Trouble, Always Due to
Weak, Watery Blood

Only those who have been attacked
with neuralgia can form the faintest
idea of what its victims suffer. A
tingling of the tender skin, a sharp
stab from some angry nerve, then
succeeding paroxysms of the most
agonizing neuralgia. The cause of the trouble is
disordered nerves, due to weak, watery
blood. The cure is Dr. Williams' Pink
Pills, which make new, rich blood, and
thus soothe and strengthen the disordered
nerves and cure neuralgia. Mr. Louis
Martin, Mildmay, Ont., says: "I am
writing to let you know the great benefit
I derive from Dr. Williams' Pink Pills
which have cured me of neuralgia. I
was a sufferer from neuralgia for many
years. I was almost unfit for work,
and only managed to get along with the
greatest difficulty. I doctored for about
five months and in this time took over
forty dollars worth of medicine without
any benefit. More, I was actually grow-
ing worse, and finally had to take to my
bed. My nerves got so bad that I could
not turn over in bed without help and
the pain was something awful. As I
am a farmer you can easily see that
necessary work was being neglected, so
I sent for a brother who was in Alberta,
to come and take charge of the work.
When my brother arrived he at once
urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills,
telling me of some cures that had come
under his observation. I got half a dozen
boxes, and before they were all gone
there was no doubt they were helping
me. Altogether I used nine boxes of the
Pills and by that time I was a well man,
and it is impossible to say how thank-
ful I am for my release from pain.

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ton, formerly chief clerk to General
Superintendent, McNeill, is promoted
to be chief clerk to Mr. Gaitner, while
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clerk to Mr. McNeill.

AGENTS WANTED
RELIABLE representative wanted, to
sell the tremendous demand for
fruit trees throughout New Brunswick
at present. We wish to secure three or
four good men to represent us as local
and general agents. The special interest
in the fruit-growing business in New
Brunswick offers exceptional oppor-
tunities for men of enterprise. We
offer a permanent position and liberal
pay to the right man. Stone & Well-
ington, Toronto, Ont.

WANTED
PAID for Postage Stamps used
before 1870. Any kind except 3
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MARRIAGES.
DEVER-WILLIAMS.—At the Meth-
odist parsonage, 70 Elmwood street, on
January 20, by Rev. W. G. Lane, Pal-
mer Dever of Donegal, Ireland, to Alice
Williams of St. John (N. B.).

DEATHS
LEAVITT.—In St. John, January 20,
1916, Robert Ellis Leavitt, after a brief
illness, leaving a wife and one daughter,
Miss Leavitt, at Sunny Brae, on Tuesday,
January 18, Rev. S. H. Rice.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
Transfers of real estate have been re-
corded as follows:—
St. John County,
Canadian Consolidated Lands, Limited,
to J. D. Barker, \$1,000, property in Lan-
caster.

MARINE JOURNAL, CONDENSED NEWS,
LOCAL AND GENERAL
PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Arrived.
Thursday, Jan. 20.
Str Hochelaga, Sydney, coal, Domini-
on Coal Co.

CANADIAN PORTS.
Parsons, Jan. 20—Arr, str Coruna,
McDonald, St. John, and str York,
Yarmouth with 1,150 tons coal.
The Parsons term sch Wilena Ger-
trude, Smith, arrived at Havre last Sat-
urday, twenty-five days from Parsons.

BRITISH PORTS.
Liverpool, Jan. 23—Arr, str Philadel-
phia, New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.
Boston, Jan. 18—Sd, schs Helen, E.
King, New York; Princess of Avon,
Yarmouth; Harry Miller, St. John (N.
B.), for New York.

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CONDENSED NEWS.
The next general conference of the
Methodist Episcopal church will have 800
delegates, costing the church \$115,148.54.
It is proposed to cut this number down
to 500 and save \$40,000. Will the gen-
eral conference be brave enough to do
it?

FOOLED THE GERMAN
SUBMARINE CAPTAIN
New York, Jan. 24.—The story of the
outwitting of a German submarine captain
by a quick-witted woman has just been
brought to New York, with the result
that German statements of the seizure
of important documents from Captains
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OUR SOLDIERS:
HOME AND ABROAD
Mrs. Annie Johnston, of Upper Loch
Lomond, who sent donations to the
soldiers who are doing their bit here
during Christmas, has received the follow-
ing acknowledgments from members of the
26th who enjoyed a Christmas feast
through her benevolence.

OUR SOLDIERS:
HOME AND ABROAD
Just a few lines to thank you for the
splendid cake donated by you for the
soldiers. I happened to be a lucky one
and received one of your cakes and I
must say that I appreciate it very much
indeed. We are all glad to know that
someone is doing a bit towards helping
severely a cold did the malady get upon
the contrary were in vain and he died
last night.

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Sergt. Blair, who was only twenty years
of age, is survived by his parents, three
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