

ITALIAN SEAPORTS BOMBARDED; MINOR BATTLES ALONG FRONTIER

QUICK, DECISIVE BLOW AT ITALY, AUSTO-GERMAN PLAN

Former Friends, Now Bitter Enemies, Lose No Time in Attacking Each Other—Italian Towns Bombarded by Warships and Aircraft.

BULGARIA MAY BE FORCED TO DRAW
SWORD AGAINST TURKEY WITHIN SHORT TIME.

Heavy Fighting Resumed in Western War Theatre Where the British and French Are Improving Positions Preparatory to General Movement.

London, May 24.—Little or no time has been allowed to elapse between the declaration of war and actual fighting between Italy and Austria. Early this morning Austrian aeroplanes, destroyers and torpedo boats descended on the Italian coast of the Adriatic and bombarded towns, including Venice, while in the Tyrol and on the eastern frontier Italian and Austrian advance guards are already in touch and have fired the first shots.

The plan of campaign has not yet been disclosed, but it is generally believed that attempts to inflict a quick decisive defeat, or, at least, one that will discourage the Italians, will be undertaken, largely by the Germans, under Field Marshal Von Hindenburg.

It is said that German troops, with heavy guns, aeroplanes and Zeppelins, are already passing through the valley of the River Adige in the direction of Verona, and that rapid and fierce blows will be delivered almost immediately at the Italian centre. This, the Germans doubtless believe, would serve to hold off an Italian advance from the province of Venice, where the flat nature of the country would give the Italians a greater chance of success.

Italy Germany's Most Hated Enemy.

Throughout Austria and Germany there is better denunciation of Italy, which for the moment has replaced England as the most hated enemy. In the allied countries, on the other hand Italian intervention is hailed with delight, and in the Italian quarters of London and Paris there have been enthusiastic demonstrations and cheering farewells to the Italians leaving for home to join the colors.

Roumania, Greece and Bulgaria have made no move yet. The government of Bulgaria has indicated that it will continue to observe an attitude of neutrality so long as Bulgarian interests are not directly affected, and it sees no reason why they should be. The opposition, however, in voicing the opinion that Bulgaria should seize the opportunity to join the Allies.

Bulgaria may be drawn into the war through an incident which has arisen between her and Turkey over the seizure by Turkey of a number of Bulgarian cars loaded with goods. Sofia has lodged a protest against this action. Roumania may be affected by a change of fortune in the battles in Middle Galicia. Russia here is delivering a strong counter-offensive and has regained some ground along the San river, north of Jaroslavl.

The most important battle, however, is that which is raging to the southeast of Przemysl, where the Austrians and Germans are making repeated attacks in an endeavor to break the Russian line, and thus relieve the pressure which the Russians are bringing to bear on the Germans who crossed the San.

Heavy Fighting in West.

Fighting is also in progress in Courland, along the East Prussian frontier, and in Central Poland, where the Germans have attempted an offensive along the Rawka river. None of these actions apparently have been decisive, although heavy losses have been suffered on both sides. Russia expresses satisfaction with the situation along the front.

Heavy fighting has been resumed in the western zone, from Arras to the sea, in which both Germans and French claim to have had the advantage. It is evident that the allies do not intend to relax their efforts on this front, although a big general movement has not yet been undertaken, the present operations having as their object improvement in their positions and forcing the Germans to counter-attacks.

The allies have landed additional troops on the Gallipoli peninsula, and although progress there must, for some time, continue to be slow, there is every evidence here that the resistance of the Turks will before long, be broken. The loss to the allies is heavy, as is shown by the casualty lists, but it is asserted that the Turks are suffering much more severely, as they are under cross-fire from the ships.

NO PEACE FOR ITALY UNTIL ALLIES MAKE TERMS JOINTLY

London, May 24, (8 p. m.)—Italy has given her adhesion to the agreement already signed by the Allied powers not to conclude a separate peace. The signature of a formal document to this effect is imminent.

CHURCHILL TO HOLD A SEAT IN NEW CABINET

In Some Position Other Than
First Lord of Admiralty.

FISHER'S RESIGNATION LIKELY PERMANENT.

First Sea Lord Declines to
Work With Balfour — Lloyd
George May Yet be Muni-
cations Minister.

London, May 24, 11.20 p. m.—Progress in the formation of the new cabinet ministry was made at conferences held today at the residence of Premier Asquith in Downing street. The details of the new ministry were not sufficiently advanced, however, for an announcement of its personnel to be made this evening.

It is known, however, that Premier Asquith has decided that Winston Spencer Churchill shall remain in the cabinet in some other position than that of First Lord of the Admiralty. It is understood that the premier tried hard to retain Viscount Haldane as Lord High Chancellor but the Unionists were so strongly opposed to this that Haldane will be sacrificed.

There is renewed talk of David Lloyd George combining the offices of Chancellor of the Exchequer and Munitions Minister, but this point still remains unsettled. Pressure has been brought to induce John Redmond, the Irish leader to accept a seat in the cabinet, but thus far without success.

Fisher Won't Work With Balfour

Lord Fisher's resignation as First Sea Lord seems to be a definite one, he having declined to work with Arthur J. Balfour at the Admiralty.

Concerning the question of responsibility for the Dardanelles operations the Daily Mail this morning declares that Lord Fisher signed and sealed all the documents relating to that undertaking, and that the war-council, when it was decided to carry the operations out, was under the belief that Lord Fisher approved of this decision. The Daily News says it thinks that if Lord Fisher disapproved of the operations he ought to have protested or resigned at the time they were planned and not have waited until now.

Although it is expected that an announcement of at least some of the cabinet appointments will be made tomorrow there are still so many difficulties in the allotment of officers that it will be next to impossible to make the complete list available until later.



Here are two noted men of Italy who figure in the Italian situation. Baron Sonnino is the Foreign Minister. Signor Gabriele d'Annunzio, the poet, has been a noted figure among the strong advocates of national expansion.

Sent Crack Army Corps From Constantinople To The Dardanelles

Part of German General's Scheme to Bolster Up Courage of
Turks at Home and Try to Check British on Gallipoli
Peninsula—Met With Disaster.

Paris, May 24.—News received here from the Dardanelles is to the effect that the recent attack against the British troops near Kalesh Tepe by two Turkish divisions was carefully prepared by General Von Sanders, the German commander, and his staff, not only with the object of inflicting a check on the Allies but with raising the spirits of the Turkish troops and reassuring public opinion, which is said to have been profoundly impressed by the heavy Turkish losses at the beginning of May.

General Von Sanders brought up the First Army Corps, a crack organization which had been reserved for the defence of Constantinople. Their landing was greatly hampered by the bombardment from the Allies aeroplanes. Two divisions of this corps, which had been put ashore the night before at Mardos, immediately marched to Kalesh Tepe and attacked the Australians and New Zealanders the night of May 12-13. They were completely beaten, however, losing two thousand men killed and five thousand wounded, the report says.

On the southern end of the peninsula the French troops faced strong defensive works. At certain points they advanced to within a few yards of the Turks, and fierce bayonet and hand-grenade fighting followed. In one of these hand-to-hand struggles it is asserted that a Colonel infantryman named Laborie spontaneously took the lead as his group was entering a Turkish trench and by throwing grenades succeeded, unaided, in stopping a Turkish counter-attack and preventing quick-firing being used until he fell wounded.

REPORTED ITALIAN CONSUL AT TURKISH CAPITAL KILLED

London, May 24.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Odessa says it is reported that the Italian consul at Constantinople has been killed.

RUSSIA LOSES WARSHIP IN BLACK SEA?

Despatch Alleged to Have Been
Received in Berlin from Bucharest Says the Wenteleimont Sunw with 1400 Men.

Berlin, May 24, (By wireless to Sayville)—The Overseas News Agency today gave out the following:

"According to a Bucharest despatch, the Russian armored man-of-war Wenteleimont has been sunk, with 1,400 men, in the Black Sea."

The foregoing evidently refers to the Russian battleship Pantelimon. This warship, whose destruction is said to have caused the loss of 1,400 lives, is put down in naval reference books as having a complement of about 740 men.

In times of war, however, this number might be increased considerably.

The Pantelimon was built in 1897. She was 378 feet long. Her displacement was 12,582 tons. She carried four 12-inch guns, sixteen 6-inch, four 3-inch, six 3-pounders and five torpedo tubes.

KING OF GREECE MUCH IMPROVED IN HEALTH

London, May 25 (3.44 a.m.)—A despatch to Reuter's Telegraph Company from Athens says that considerable relief is manifested by the newspapers and the public over the improved condition of King Constantine, who, in the opinion of the attending physicians, has now passed the danger point.

Notre Dame De Lorette.

"May 21 we attacked the trenches of Blanche Vole from three sides simultaneously. Thirteen days of intense uninterrupted fighting resulted at two o'clock in the morning of May 22 in a splendid tactical victory. The enemy attached the greatest importance to the holding of the Lorette Heights. On the plateau alone over 3,000 German corpses were counted. One thousand prisoners were taken, as well as a great quantity of material, including machine guns, bomb-throwers and rifles. The French losses were heavy.

"By this capture of the Massif De Lorette one of the principal objects of the operations north of Arras was attained and a severe check was inflicted on the enemy, who believed himself impregnable in his admirably organized positions.

"During the fighting the Germans were twice relieved by fresh troops.

"This is one of the most important tactical victories," the eye-witness says, in conclusion, "won by French arms in Northern France."

Capture of "The White Way" Ended Struggle Begun Last October

Victorious Capture of German Position Conclusion of French
Offensive at Lorette — Most Important Tactical Triumph
French Have Won Since War Began.

Paris, May 24.—"The capture by French troops of the German works at Blanche Vole (The White Way), the evening of May 21 marked the victorious conclusion of our offensive on the Massif De Lorette," is the opening sentence in the report of the French semi-official eye-witness of conditions at the front, as given out in Paris today.

"Lorette is a word which for the last six months has appeared often in the correspondence of the German soldiers," the eye-witness continues. "The Imperial General Staff attached very great importance to the possession of these heights. To conquer, defend and re-take them, the German soldiers have received a formal order which was so expressed as to make it operative until the last man was killed."

"In spite of the unusual difficulties of the ground and the desperate resistance of the enemy we triumphed. The battle of Lorette was a great battle and ended in complete victory. In this part of the front fighting has been going on uninterruptedly since October 1914."

Continuing the eye-witness recalls the leading incidents since last October, referring among other things to the French withdrawal March 3rd, after a heroic defence. Finally on March 15, the French began to get the upper hand in their offensive movements.

"Thousands of dead testified to the desperate nature of the contest," the witness goes on to say, "facing the French was a formidable organization of lines of trenches reinforced by sacks of earth and cement and further pro-

AUSTRIANS AND ITALIANS FIGHTING ALONG FRONTIER

Number of Minor Engagements in Progress — Austrian and German Troops Pouring Towards Scenes of Actions.

STRIP UP REVOLT AGAINST ITALY IN
TRIPOLI IS PART OF THE GERMAN PLAN.

Von Buelow and Staff and German Representatives at Vatican Take Their Departure From Rome.

Vienna, May 24, via London, 6.55 p. m.—The Austrian War Office announced today fighting had begun along the Italian border, where a number of small battles are under way. Italian cavalry has appeared on the coast near the frontier. The statement follows:

"The general situation in the north-eastern theatre of war is unchanged. Battles continue in Middle Galicia. During the engagements of the last few days in the hilly country of Kielec, Russian Poland, thirty officers and 6,300 soldiers have been captured.

"In the southwestern theatre of war, after the declaration of war, small battles were begun at some places in the Tyrol, on the frontier. In the frontier area on the coast Italian cavalry appeared near the frontier town of Strassoldo.

Lugano, Switzerland, via Paris, May 24, 11.15 p. m.—Austro-German troops continue to pour towards the frontier from Innsbruck and Meran. The Swiss railroads are greatly overcrowded with Italian refugees, and reports reach here that the Italians resident in Austria and Germany are being badly treated.

Prince Von Buelow, the German Ambassador, who is expected to come here from Rome, has not been heard from, and the German consul here has no knowledge when he will arrive.

Rushing Troops to Frontier.

On the Italian Frontier, via Chisasso, May 24, via Paris, May 25, 12.15 a. m.—The Messagero in Rome today prints a story to the effect that it has been assured that German and Turkish officers already have gone to Tripoli and Cyrenaica, taking with them money and gifts for the chiefs of the tribes in the interior of those countries.

It is hoped by these officers, the newspaper adds, to bring about a great insurrection against Italian rule and force the Italian troops and the loyal population to retire to the coast where they will be under the protection of Italian warships. It is also asserted by the Messagero that the Austrian navy has arranged to send submarines to make torpedo attacks against the Italian coast defenses.

"The prudence and energy of the Libyan government," the Messagero adds, "will be able to meet the unfortunate situation which the Turkish and German emissaries daily are trying to make worse. Late events must have convinced the government of the necessity, while the great war lasts, to adopt a system of resolute defense around coastal cities."

The newspapers of Italy, in their articles on the war, give expression to the seriousness of the great task that Italy has undertaken.

The Corriere Della Sera, of Milan, after comparing the strength of the Italian and Austrian fleets, warns the nation that a victory for Italy can be obtained only after grave sacrifices and hard trials. The newspaper says that submarines and mines have radically altered naval warfare, giving the advantage to the defensive navy over an attacking force of warships.

Von Buelow Quits Rome

London, May 25 (3.10 a.m.)—A despatch to the Stefani Agency from Rome says that Prince Von Buelow, the German Ambassador to Italy, accompanied by the Princess Von Buelow, and all the German representatives at the Quirinal and the Vatican, departed from Rome by train at 9.30 o'clock last night.

Austrian Submarine Appears Off Venice

Geneva, May 24 (9.25 p.m.) via Paris May 25 (12.45 a.m.)—A number of armored trains and aeroplanes arrived at Trent today from Innsbruck. The Austrians seem to fear an attack from the Vallina region and they are therefore making all preparations for that eventuality. Skirmishes occurred today on the banks of the Isonez river, which flows into the Gulf of Trieste.

An Austrian submarine, probably from Pola, was seen off Venice this morning. Two German spies have been taken to Verona.

The Austrian Emperor's proclamation to his people, recalling the victo-

ries over Italy, has further inflamed the Italian feeling.

Prince Von Buelow, the German Ambassador, is expected to reach Chisasso at 9.30 o'clock tomorrow morning. The Swiss government has informed the authorities at the Canton of Ticino that the Prussian and Bavarian diplomatic representatives at the Vatican will reside at the Episcopal Palace at Lugano during the war.

Advices from Innsbruck say that a furious crowd at Vienna broke through the lines of troops around the Italian embassy and insulted the Italian Ambassador and the members of his staff, but the soldiers prevented the mob from entering the embassy building.

It is reported here that more than fifty Italians living in the Trentino were shot yesterday as spies because the railroad bridge at Meran was blown up.

The Italian troops on the frontier, it is understood, will begin their forward movement tonight.

Vienna, May 24, via Amsterdam, May 25 (3.53 a. m.)—The Italian Ambassador to Austria-Hungary, the Duke of Avarna and the members of the embassy staff left here this evening on board a special train, by way of Switzerland, for Italy.

Their departure was without incident.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER SUNK BY GERMANS

Submarine Fired on Ship which
Rescued Crew of the Minerva.

Newcastle, Eng., May 24.—The Norwegian steamer Minerva was sunk by a German submarine Saturday night. The crew of the steamer was landed here this evening by the steamer Iris.

The captain of the Iris reports that after he had rescued the crew of the Minerva the submarine sent a torpedo at the Iris, narrowly missing her.

The Minerva was bound from South Shields for Norway.

The steamer Minerva sailed from New York April 16 for Christiania. She arrived at Kirkwall May 4th and from there was taken to Shields, arriving in the latter port May 8th. She was a vessel of 2,413 tons and was owned by Jacobson & Sons, of Christiania.

DEALERS IN RESPIRATORS REAPING A HARVEST

Rush for Protection Against
Poisonous Gases from German Shells Follows Police Warning.

London, May 24.—(Gazette Cable)—The warning given by the police last Saturday, advising the citizens to close all doors and windows in the event of a Zeppelin raid, for fear of poison bombs being dropped, had a curious sequel today, the people rushing to buy respirators. Many stores were sold out of their supplies within an hour. Except the moustache, the respirators are made of non-inflammable celluloid or rubber, with motor goggle fittings to protect the eyes.

Government of Roumania Reported To Be Negotiating With The Allies

ROUMANIA NOW ON THE BRINK OF WAR

King Ferdinand Reviews Army and Great Enthusiasm Prevails in Country Since Italy Has Decided to Join the Allies.

London, May 25, 2.44 a. m.—A despatch to the Daily Chronicle from Bucharest says:

"The Roumanian government is negotiating with the Allies. King Ferdinand has reviewed the army. Great enthusiasm prevails."

ON THE BRINK OF WAR

London, May 25, 2.55 a. m.—"The general belief that Roumania is on the brink of war for the fulfillment of her national ideals has been strengthened by Italy's declaration of war against Austria-Hungary," says the Times' correspondent at Bucharest.

"Celebrations of the anniversary of the coronation of the late King Carol were held Sunday and were attended with unusual fervor. King Ferdinand and Queen Marie were present at a great military review. The troops wore their new field service uniforms of grey khaki instead of the usual parade dress uniforms."

London, May 25 (4.34 a. m.)—Germany and Austria-Hungary have formally notified the Swiss government that they will respect Swiss neutrality, according to a Berne despatch to the Reuter Telegram Company.

Italy's Naval Commander.



DUKE OF THE ABRUZZI.

The Duke of the Abruzzi is in command of the Italian navy and in case of his country going to war with Austria would probably be found on the flagship of the fleet that made the first hostile advance against the Adriatic port. He is a thorough sailor.

Pharmaceutical Examination

Notice is hereby given that the board of examiners for the N. B. Pharmaceutical Society will meet for the examination of candidates for registration in the city of St. John on Thursday and Friday, June 10 and 11, and 9.30 a. m.

Candidates must give notice to registrar E. R. W. Ingraham, West St. John, in writing, of their intention to present themselves for examination at least ten days before the date fixed for examination. Such notice must be accompanied by a fee of \$5.00 and by certificate which is satisfactory to the board that the candidate possesses the qualifications required by the fifth section of the Pharmacy Act. Candidates for re-examination are required to pay a fee of \$1.00.

CLOSING OF MOUNT ALLISON LADIES' COLLEGE

Many Visitors Enjoy Delightful Programmes by Talented Ladies—The Graduates and Prize Winners.

Special to The Standard.

Sackville, May 24.—The event this afternoon in connection with the Mt. Allison exercises was the closing of the Academy, the oldest of the Mount Allison institutions. Principal Palmer presided.

Dr. Palmer in his report referred to the work of the year which had been very successful with an enrollment of 150, of whom 121 took the full course. A number of boys have taken the military drill.

The Alumni mathematical scholarship was won by Percy M. Clarke, Durham Centre, N. B.

The H. A. Powell prize of \$25 for best standing in English and allied subjects was won by Edgar Duff, Carleton Place, Ont.

The anniversary exercises of Mt. Allison Ladies' College were held in plain, fully a thousand people being present. After devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. B. J. Porter, Parrsboro, a delightful programme was successfully carried out. Diplomae were given the following graduates:

Graduate in Mistress of Liberal Arts. Mildred Elizabeth Barker, Sheffield, N. B.

Graduate in Expression. Helen Grace Ford, Sackville, N. B.

Graduates in Household Science. One year course—Pearle Akersley, Norton, N. B. Two year course—Gertrude Harper Kilburn, Kilburn, N. B. Annie Evelyn Metherall, Summerside, P. E. I. Eleanor Magdalene Roach, Sussex, N. B. Mary Olga Spongale, Middleton, N. S. Mary Ethel Stanford, Dartmouth, N. S.

Graduates in Music. Piano—Mary Alma Boyd, Stanley, N. B. Rhoda Marie Innes, Liverpool, N. S. Marjorie Ellen McCarthy, Moncton, N. B. Mary Adelaide Silver, Lunenburg, N. S. Beatrice Eleanor Swan, Halifax, N. S.

Vocal—Annie Belle Ford, Sackville, N. B. Vera Mathilde Gronlund, Sackville, N. B. Mary Hazel Mowat, Campbellton, N. B.

Drawing. Ivy Selina Richardson, Sackville, N. B.

Graduates in Arts and Crafts. Minnie Hulda Blenkhorn, Canning, N. S. Ada Wells Ford, Sackville, N. B. Mrs. E. A. Smith, St. John, who was present, delivered an admirable address on woman's part in the war. The closing number "Hiawatha's Wedding Feast," by a choral class of a hundred voices and orchestra of thirty pieces all under the direction of Prof. Fritz Read was beautifully rendered, being one of the finest things ever heard at Mt. Allison.

The F. W. Sumner prize in house-hold science was won by Miss Mary Howard, of Sackville.

WHY MODERN WOMEN'S HAIR IS GETTING THIN

By Mdm. Beaupre.

Wigs, switches, curling tongs, artificial waving, singeing, etc., have combined to ruin the hair of many women, so there is decidedly an increase in baldness. But proper care will develop heavy, beautiful hair upon any head. In washing the hair do not use a makeshift which may remove more than the excess oil, leaving the hair dangerously dry, but use something which is made for shampooing only. A perfectly safe, economical, invigorating shampoo, that makes the hair so fluffy it seems much heavier than it is, can be had by dissolving a teaspoonful of canthrox, which every good druggist sells, in a cup of hot water. This mixture cleanses gently, yet thoroughly, removing all dandruff, excess oil and dirt, giving to the scalp and hair the vigor that insures scalp health and hair beauty. Canthrox shampoo makes the hair look good, very beneficial where hair is faded, dull or brittle, and the regular use of canthrox will greatly enrich the color of the hair and give a beautiful gloss and softness.

DON'T USE SOAP ON YOUR HAIR

When you wash your hair, don't use soap. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali, which is very injurious, as it dries the scalp and makes the hair brittle.

The best thing to use is just plain mulsified coconut oil, for this is pure and entirely greaseless. It's very cheap, and beats soap or anything else all to pieces. You can get this at any drug store, and a few ounces will last the whole family for months.

Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in, about a teaspoonful is all that is required. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, cleanses thoroughly, and rinses out easily. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and is soft, fresh looking, bright, fluffy, wavy, and easy to handle. It loosens, it loosens, and takes out every particle of dust, dirt and dandruff.

FLEMING HAS EDGE ON FREDDIE WELSH.

Montreal, May 24.—Frankie Fleming, La Prairie, Que., Canadian lightweight champion, conceded fourteen pounds to Freddie Welsh, world's lightweight champion, in a ten round bout before the Canadian Athletic Club members tonight and made such a good showing that the bout was regarded by many of those present as practically a draw.

Welsh's weight was 138 pounds and so used it to advantage against the Canadian boxer. Roche of New York referred the contest at Welsh's request.

PLENTY OF ICE IN PORT HAWKESBURY, SAYS CAPT. CALDER

Captain Aubrey Calder of Welshport, Campobello, arrived in the city yesterday afternoon from Port Hawkesbury, N. S., and brings a tale of cold weather, snow storms and plenty of ice. Captain Calder said last evening that old residents along the straits of Canoe tell him that never in their history have they experienced such a spring as this. At Port Hawkesbury and along the coast as many as forty vessels are held up by the ice, and the owners of the vessels are losing a great deal of money as a result. Two weeks ago a fishing vessel made an attempt to get to the Magdalen Islands and was caught in the ice, lost both anchors and had her keel torn off. The captain said he visited the breakwater at Point Tupper and would not believe there was such a quantity of ice there unless he had witnessed it. The breakwater is about fifteen feet above the water and the ice has been driven against it in such quantities that it is piled high on top of the rocks. One piece of ice which had been driven up on the breakwater was measured by a man who estimated that the cake would weigh two hundred tons. It is a common thing for the sailors to climb from the side of their vessels and walk ashore on the ice. A week ago the vicinity was visited by two heavy snow storms and the fall of snow was so great that it had to be shoveled from the decks of the schooners. The weather is cold and proves a great contrast to that of yesterday in St. John.

Captain Calder says he and another man chartered a vessel in Halifax six weeks ago and set sail for the Magdalen Islands where they intended purchasing a cargo of herring which was to be taken to Campobello and smoked for the West Indies trade. They reached as far as Port Hawkesbury and were forced to remain in that port along with a number of other vessels on account of the ice.

In addition to vessels looking for

Canadian Casualties Fewer Than Supposed

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Ont., May 24.—Later information which has been cabled over regarding the fighting in which the Canadian troops were engaged last Thursday night shows that the casualties were not so numerous as supposed.

The revised figures are thirty killed, 152 wounded and three missing. The list included less than half a dozen officers, among whom were Major Wright and Capt. Mackay (15th Battalion), the latter was wounded. The rest were lieutenants.

BACKACHE WAS SO BAD COULD NOT SWEEP THE FLOOR.

For backache, lame or weak back, one of the commonest and most distressing symptoms of kidney inaction, there is no remedy so equal Doan's Kidney Pills for taking out the stitches, twinges and twinges, limbering up the stiff back and giving perfect relief and comfort to all poor, suffering women who suffer so much from a weak lame back.

Mrs. Blackburn, R.R. No. 1, Fishburn, Alta., writes: "I take pleasure in writing you stating the benefit I have received by using Doan's Kidney Pills. About three years ago I was terribly afflicted with lame back, and was so bad I could not even sweep my floor. I was advised to try your kidney pills. Before I had used one box there was a great improvement as my back was much better. However, I kept on taking them until my back was completely cured. I highly recommend these pills for lame back."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50c per box, or 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

When ordering direct specify "Doan's."

PERSONAL

It is expected that Mrs. Hurlburt, president of the Women's Canadian Club of Montreal, and Dean of the Women's College, McGill, will visit this city in June.

W. Wray Barraclough, son of Rev. W. H. Barraclough, has successfully passed the Toronto University examination of the third year of medicine.

Miss J. Patterson of this city is the guest of Miss Warwick of Ononetto.

M. V. Padlock has left for Boston where he will spend a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. D. J. Shea, Miss M. Shea and Mrs. R. T. Walker spent the holiday in this city, registering at the Royal Hotel.

Elmer Belding, 6th Canadian Mounted Rifles, Amherst, came to the city yesterday for the holiday.

Major Osborne, 56th Battalion, Sussex, arrived on the C. P. R. yesterday afternoon.

C. B. Allan returned to the city yesterday afternoon.

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DIED.

BROWN—At Lunenburg Heights, May 21, William F. Brown, in the 33rd year of his age, leaving a widow, little daughter, father, mother and three brothers.

Funeral Tuesday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock from his parents' home, Lancaster Heights, Interment in Greenwood cemetery.

COLEMAN—In this city, on the 23rd inst., William H. Coleman, in the 41st year of his age, leaving his wife, three daughters, five brothers and three sisters to mourn.

Funeral from the residence, 26 Orange street, this (Tuesday) morning at 8.30 to the Cathedral for high mass in requiem. Friends invited to attend.

CAPLES—Suddenly in this city, on the 23rd inst., Margaret Jane, wife of Thomas Caples, leaving besides her husband, five children to mourn.

Funeral from her late residence, 79 Leinster street, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.

MCRAE—In this city, at 34 Main street, Sunday morning, George E. McRae, thirty-two years of age, son of Mrs. Sadie McRae-Linton. Besides his mother, he leaves two brothers, one sister and two half-brothers to mourn his loss.

Funeral Wednesday at Bayswater on arrival of ferry leaving Millville at two p.m.

WALSH—In this city, on the 22nd inst., Edward Walsh, leaving five sons and three daughters to mourn.

Funeral this Tuesday, morning at 8.30 from his late residence, Meriville street, to St. Peter's church for requiem or high mass at 9.00. Friends are invited to attend.

GILLIN—At her residence, 113 Sherbrooke street, on the 23rd inst., after a long illness, Mary E., daughter of the late William and Julia Gillin, leaving two brothers and three sisters to mourn.

Notice of funeral later.

WRIGHT—At Hampton, on the 23rd inst., Miss Amelia D. Wright, daughter of the late collector of customs, Chatham, N. B.

Funeral from St. Paul's church, St. John, at 2.30 this afternoon, 25th inst.

MULLIN—In this city, on the 23rd inst., at the residence of John Henderson, 38 Peter street, after a lengthy illness, Isabel, second daughter of the late James and Margaret Mullin, leaving one brother and four sisters to mourn.

Funeral today, the 25th inst., from 33 Peter street. Service begins at 2.30 p.m.

DOIG—In this city, on May 23, Charles H. Doig, aged sixty years, leaving his wife, four brothers and one sister to mourn.

Funeral Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from his late residence Stanley street.

Moncton papers please copy.

Members of Pioneer Lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, are requested to meet Wednesday afternoon at 8.30 o'clock in Stanley street, for the purpose of attending the funeral of their late brother, Charles H. Doig.

By order the Noble Grand, JOSEPH MURDOCK, Secretary.

Members of sister lodges invited to attend.

EXECUTIVE OF W.C.T.U. MEETS AT FREDERICTON

Fredericton, May 24.—A meeting of the sub-executive of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island W. C. T. U. is being held here this evening to arrange for the convention to be held in New Brunswick in the early fall and also other important matters in connection with the Union.

Those present are Mrs. J. S. Perry, vice-president, Summerside, P. E. I.; Mrs. L. R. Hetherington, corresponding secretary, Newcastle; Mrs. Olive E. Lindon, recording secretary, St. Stephen; Mrs. A. C. M. Lawson, treasurer, Fredericton.

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cargoes of fish there are a number of other vessels which are bound along the straits for lumber cargoes and all are being held up and losing money. With any kind of luck a vessel that could make a good trip and not encounter ice would find the carrying of herring from the Magdalen a very profitable trade. Captain Calder is on his way to Campobello and has not decided if he will return to Port Hawkesbury again.

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FEATURE No. 2—It's a Drama "THE LIGHT IN THE WINDOW" - Reliance Rural Story of a Crook, a Girl and a Light in a Window

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FRANCE WELCOMES HER NEW ALLY

Paris, May 24.—(11.50 p. m.)—The news of the Italian declaration of war has caused an outburst of enthusiasm throughout the length and breadth of France. Everywhere the Italian flag has been added to the three Allied flags flying from the public buildings. The Minister of Public Instruction proclaimed a holiday in all the universities, colleges and schools, "in honor of the memorable hour when our sister Italy joins with us and our allies in the glorious struggle for civilization and justice."

TURKS CLAIM ALLIES' ATTACKS REPULSED

Constantinople, May 24, via London, (2.45 p. m.)—Official announcement was made here today that an attack by the French and British forces yesterday on the Turkish positions near Seddul Bahr, on the southern end of Gallipoli Peninsula, had been repulsed. It is stated the Allies lost 2,000 dead on the field.

The enemy on Sunday attacked near Seddul Bahr, under the protection of his batteries and fleet; but notwithstanding the fact that he had reinforcements we repulsed the attack. The enemy lost 2,000 dead on the field and we captured a machine gun.

LITTLE RESPONSE TO APPEALS TO CLEAN-UP CITY

Only two teams have been offered to assist in making St. John Sanitary without remuneration.

The response to the appeal of Commissioner McLellan for co-operation from the citizens of St. John in the general "clean-up" of the city has had a far from enthusiastic response. Last evening only two citizens had offered their teams to the city to assist with the "clean-up", while two other citizens responded to the appeal to hire teams to the city for service in the work. Such a response does not seem consistent with the character of a progressive city like St. John. However, it is trusted that the citizens will awaken to a realization of the importance and value of the work, which it is planned to carry out on Wednesday and Thursday, and that today will see a large number offering to assist in the commendable work that it is proposed to undertake.

Was Covered With Boils. Could Not Get Rid of Them Until She Used BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

When the blood becomes impure the first symptoms which manifest themselves are a breaking out of the various forms of skin trouble such as boils, pimples, abscesses, ulcers, etc., and the only treatment you can use is some sort of a good blood cleansing remedy which will put the blood into a perfect condition, and thus eliminate all the different poisons from the system which cause these different eruptions to occur.

AUSTRIA IS READY TO STRIKE FIRST BLOW

Large Army Masses on Frontier Ready to Attack Italy.

MAJORITY OF TROOPS FROM GERMAN ARMY

Curtilment of Germany's supplies likely to be first appreciable effect of Italy's intervention.

The Hague, May 24, via London (3.10 p. m.)—From information reaching here, it is understood that the Germans and Austrians have concentrated approximately 680,000 men on the Italian frontier. They have occupied strategic positions in order to meet an attack or to attempt to strike the first heavy blow in an endeavor to dishearten the new combatants at the beginning of the campaign.

There is much interest among diplomats here in regard to the attitude of Roumania and the other Balkan states. The general opinion of these men is that Roumania will not enter the war for some time, but that eventually she will take up arms with the Allies, together with Bulgaria. This view is strengthened by the understanding that Austria and Germany are not inclined to satisfy the territorial aspirations of these nations.

PUT WREATH ON STATUE OF QUEEN VICTORIA

Montreal, May 24.—In commemoration of Empire Day, the statue to Queen Victoria in Victoria Square, Montreal, was decorated with flowers by St. George's Society and the Sons of England this morning. The flags of the Allies were displayed during the ceremony, including the flag of Italy.

It is the intention of the authorities that the "clean-up" will be an effective one and citizens who do not comply with the civic request to make clean their premises within the 48 hours will be promptly reported at police headquarters and proceedings carried on by the local Board of Health.

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GERMANS ATTACK UNDER COVER OF MOST HATED OF THE ALLIES

London, May 24, 10.14 p. m.—Field Marshal Sir John French sends the following report from the western war zone, under date of May 24:

"In the fighting on May 16 and 17, to the northeast of Festubert seven machine guns were captured, and it is possible that more may be buried in the destroyed trenches. Today three German batteries were silenced by our guns, one battery being destroyed by direct hits and its ammunition blown up.

DON'T STIR IT WHILE COOKING

"Roman Meal" is granulated that the particles may not cling together. Being granulated, they are easily saturated by the digestive juices, and readily digested. To stir "Roman Meal" while cooking, destroys this granulation, making a sticky coarse mush instead of a delicious porridge.

Always use a double boiler when making "Roman Meal" porridge. Bring water to a boil in both boilers, salting water in the smaller boiler to suit the taste. Slowly stir "Roman Meal" in the boiling salted water, in proportion of one cup meal to two cups water. Cook half an hour, or as much longer as desired, BUT DO NOT STIR. (If preferred, you may use three-fourths cup of meal to two cups water, cook half hour at night and warm in morning while dressing.) A quantity of "Roman Meal" porridge may be prepared one day and re-heated every morning until entirely eaten. Remember, however, DON'T STIR WHILE COOKING—DON'T STIR WHILE WARMING OVER—and you will have the most delicious breakfast cereal, more nourishing than meat. At your grocers 10c. and 25c.

ASQUITH CHAMPIONS SIR EDGAR SPEYER

London, May 24.—Premier Asquith has written to Sir Edgar Speyer a letter in which he characterizes as "baseless and malignant" the imputations made upon your loyalty to the British crown.

PETROGRADE JOYFUL OVER ITALY'S ENTRY

Petrograd, May 24, via London, 11.10 p. m.—Italy's declaration of war against Austria-Hungary was celebrated here by a big demonstration, men and women marching in procession carrying the flags of the Allied nations and singing the national anthems of these countries. The marchers visited, in turn, the embassies of the Allies, and the embassies came out on the balconies and bowed their acknowledgments.

ITALY NOW MOST HATED OF THE ALLIES

Berlin, via London, May 24, 9.45 p. m.—No arrangements have as yet been made for the departure of the Italian Ambassador from Germany.

Owing to the Whitsuntide holidays no newspapers were published today and therefore there has been no press comment on Italy's declaration of war. Street demonstrations took place late last night, when the news of Italy's declaration of war against the dual monarchy became known and small crowds paraded the streets at an early hour this morning singing patriotic songs and cheering for Austria-Hungary.

EMPIRE DAY AT HILLSBORO

Hillsborough, N. B., May 22.—Empire Day was observed very appropriately in the Hillsboro High School and the Surrey School. A large audience gathered in the respective schools, and were greatly pleased by the good patriotic programmes which were so well executed. Following are the programmes of each.

Hillsborough High School. Recitation, Darrel Lowe; chorus, "Soldiers of the King," recitation, Little Steeves; exercise, by three boys; recitation, Russell Dobson; essay, "The British Empire," Pauline Steeves; flag drill, 16 girls; chorus, "Britannia the Pride of the Ocean"; recitation, Morace Selick; exercise, 7 girls; recitation, Katherine Thompson; exercise, 4 boys; recitation, Greta Steeves; essay, "The War," Miss Venia Terrace; dialogue, members of

Italy's declaration of war against Austria-Hungary. It is evident that the Italian people are standing firm, and there are many indications of their discipline and their high spirits. Even those who for reasons of principle are opposed to war have asked to be permitted to serve their country in the ranks of the Red Cross.

INQUIRY INTO SINKING OF STEAMER IN THE ST. LAWRENCE LAST WEEK

Special to The Standard
Ottawa, Ont., May 24.—Capt. L. A. Demers, Dominion Wreck Commissioner, will open an inquiry at Montreal on Wednesday into the wreck of the Christine which was mysteriously sunk. Capt. Montague Yates has been appointed nautical assessor at the inquiry.

HOPES AMERICANS WILL SHOW WORLD THE PATH TO PEACE

Washington, May 24.—President Wilson, speaking at the opening of the Pan-American Financial Conference here today, expressed the hope that the Americas might show the world the path to peace.

The President was loudly applauded by the delegates as he entered the hall of the Americas in the Pan-American building, where the meetings are being held. On the platform were members of the cabinet, while the audience included many high government officials in addition to the representatives of South and Central American countries.

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the advanced department; chorus, "We'll Never Let the Old Flag Fall," Mrs. C. J. Oaman, Rev. S. W. Schurman and the members of the Board of Trustees gave addresses which were enjoyed by the school, at the close of the entertainment.

PREMIER BORDEN BACK TO CAPITAL

Special to The Standard
Ottawa, May 24.—Sir Robt. Borden has returned to the capital and Hon. Robt. Rogers is back from the west. The delegation of western mayors who are coming to interview the government regarding unemployment and other matters will be here on Thursday.

Just Suits My Needs Building Up the System This is the Way Thousands of Women Are Speaking of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

"I want to state that I have never taken anything to do me so much good as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food," writes Mrs. Edson Brock, Trenholville, Que., "and I am never without it in the house. I was so nervous I could not sleep, but now I sleep soundly at nights and wake up feeling refreshed and ready for the day's work. I used the Nerve Food for months and found that it just suits my needs and has built up the system wonderfully. I know it is Dr. Chase's Nerve Food that has brought about the great change in my condition and am thankful for it.



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Salutation of the flag, recitation, "Union Jack," exercise by the school, "Questions on the Empire," exercise, "Our Flag," recitation, "The Fighters," by Adelaide Steeves; exercise, "The Legend of the Mayflower," by the Primary Dept.; chorus, "Oh Canada."

Rev. Mr. Price made a patriotic address, which brought the program to a close.

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are run down in health, tired, nervous and discouraged, find in this great Food Cure the means of nourishing the exhausted system back to health and vigor.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MAY 25, 1915.

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

FINE SOLDIERS.

No one who saw the two splendid bodies of soldiers in review yesterday before Major General Sam Hughes, noted the clean cut soldierly manner in which they went about their appointed duties, marking, at the same time, the abundant evidence of the absolute physical fitness of the men, could doubt for a minute that when the call comes for them to go to the battlefields of France and Flanders they will maintain the best traditions of the men of the First Canadian Contingent who, already, have demonstrated to the world the meaning of Canadian fighting quality.

NO COALITION FOR CANADA.

The development of the plan to have a coalition government in Great Britain will be watched with great interest in Canada although no matter how successful it may prove there is no likelihood of this country following in similar lines. Conditions here are different. There is no need for coalition, for the Borden Government has proven its capacity to carry on the business of this war on a plane which has set all criticism at naught. Canada's Kitchener is Major General Sam Hughes and while he has been criticised, he has, nevertheless, accomplished the stupendous task of mobilizing, equipping and training more than one hundred thousand men and nowhere has there been dissatisfaction with his work.

ASTROLOGY AND THE WAR.

More than a little attention is being directed to predictions made by Alan Leo, editor of Modern Astrology, who, in January, issued a pamphlet entitled "When The War Will End."

this war, Leo has apparently fared more fortunately than most of those who have attempted to read in the stars the outcome of the world struggle and the fate of prominent participants in it. He stated, for example, that Germany's greatest efforts would be put forward from March 15th to May 15th, and this, at least, has been partly corroborated by facts.

It was about the latter part of March that the Kaiser's armies made their strongest attempt to break through the Allied lines in the direction of the French coast, and Austrian forces gained temporary success over the Russians in the Carpathians. The effort in the west failed, but it is admitted that by the operations in the east some ground was gained which the Russians are just now recovering.

In the light of past performances it is especially interesting to see what Editor Leo has to say regarding the future. In his opinion, the chief British activity will be toward the end of May and early June, and the success attending it will be so pronounced that "by the close of June the end of the terrible struggle will be in sight."

There is, of course, much room for doubt as to whether in setting October as the final month of warfare, the editor of Modern Astrology has not builded upon the idea that Germany and Austria will by that time be too greatly exhausted to continue fighting and be ready to accept peace on any reasonable terms rather than face the perils and hardships of another winter campaign.

The stars may contribute materially to the making of predictions such as those put forth by Mr. Leo, but an application of common sense and a knowledge of the terrible strain under which the German nation must be laboring will bring conclusions remarkably like those the astrologist has claimed to obtain by star gazing.

If the Kaiser could be induced to listen to the warnings of Mr. Leo, peace in October would be assured, for the last prediction in the pamphlet deals with what will happen if the war is continued throughout the winter, and is summed up in these ominous words: "Should he (the Kaiser), persist in putting his fate to the test in the attempt to win or lose all, then the war will continue into the spring of 1916, when the fall of the House of Hohenzollern would become complete."

THE RUSSIAN CAMPAIGN.

The Russians, more than a century ago, acquired the habit of turning defeat into victory. Napoleon won great battles all the way to Moscow, but Russia proved the ultimate conqueror. The history of the past is apparently being repeated on the plains of Galicia. Reports that the Germans and Austrians had made great gains, and that the Muscovite troops fled in disorder, leaving behind guns and valuable spoils of war, are now known to have been grossly exaggerated. Instead of flight the Russians retired to positions where they could return to better advantage and return to the attack. That they have returned, and are prosecuting a vigorous counter attack, with prospect of much success, is indicated by the latest despatches.

Since the outbreak of war the Russians have shown marvelous facility for developing strength along unexpected lines. More than once Berlin and Vienna have reported that operations against the Czar's forces have proven successful, when, as a matter of fact, defeats inflicted were but

temporary and were generally followed by counter-attacks so vigorous as to carry the attackers to new and favorable positions. That this is likely to be the result of the new battles now developing along the eastern front is indicated. And the necessity of Germany and Austria sending troops to meet the Italians is likely to prove of advantage to the Russians, who will thus be given additional opportunity to perfect their plans. Altogether there is much to support the opinion that the next few days may bring particularly good news from the Russian General Headquarters.

Clean up days will be the next thing in order.

It is refreshing to know now that Italy is no longer on the brink of war. She has fallen over.

Von Buelow has been called Germany's favorite diplomat. But Italian politics have proven too much for even the master hand.

"The boots that stood the test" is what they are now saying of the Canadian army shoes but the slanderous Grit newspapers cannot undo the wrong they have done to a great Canadian industry.

GRAND DIVISION S. OF T. HOLDS ITS CONVENTION

The half-yearly convention of the Grand Division, Sons of Temperance of New Brunswick, met on invitation of Excelsior Division, No. 466 in the Temperance Hall, St. James street, yesterday evening, G. W. P. E. W. Rowley of St. John, presiding. Among other persons were: Rev. W. R. Robinson, G. S. of St. John, Rev. R. H. Staver, G. Chap. Norton, Kings county; S. C. Alward, G. Con. Moncton; Miss L. May Kirby, G. P., Point de Bute; Harold Stothard, G. S., Douglastown; and G. Fred Moore, P. G. W. P., Hopewell. About sixty-five delegates, representing the divisions in Restigouche, Gloucester, Northumberland, Kent, Westmorland, Albert, Kings, Queens, Charlotte, Carleton, York, Sunbury and St. John city and county, were present.

The grand division degree was conferred on the delegates by E. S. Hennigar, P. W. G. P., and committees were appointed as follows: Credentials, E. S. Hennigar, W. H. MacDonal and Joshua Stark; audit, S. B. Bustin, J. S. Macaulay and G. Fred Moore; committee on state of the order, S. C. Alward, J. Stark and G. Fred Moore; enrollment, Mrs. E. S. Hennigar, Miss V. Geldert and Miss L. Mae Kirby.

Liquor Question

The report of the G. W. P. was read and considered. It referred in complimentary terms to the splendid work of Excelsior Division. Attention was directed to the request of the temperance party for provincial prohibition, and, if necessary, amendment of the liquor license laws, and to the present day feeling favoring prohibition in Russia, France, the United States and England. In strong terms it denounced the alleged violation of the liquor laws by wholesale dealers, and advised that enforcement of these laws be taken out of politics.

It was recommended that a provincial liquor law inspector should be appointed who should be empowered to enforce all legislation, and that the government should be asked to make such appointment. The report of the Grand Scribe first dealt with the statistical features. It referred, in opening, to the work done by the order in New Brunswick from the points of view of education, organization and the securing of restrictive legislation. It showed that today there are sixty-nine subordinate divisions and three district divisions with a total membership of 2,941.

Divisions Organized

During the past six months the following divisions have been organized: Iona, at Scotch Ridge, Charlotte county; Chipman, at Chipman, Kings county; Onward, at Canterbury, York county; Woodstock, at Woodstock, Carleton county; Benton, at Benton, Carleton county; Forward, at Berwick, Kings county; as well as the district division in St. John city and county. During the time covered by the report there had been initiated into the order 599 new members; withdrawn from order, 188; leaving a net gain of 411 for the past six months. In Restigouche county there are three divisions; Gloucester, two; Northumberland, fourteen; Kent, five; Westmorland, eight; Albert, one; Kings, twelve; Queens, four; Sunbury, two;



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Don't go home without CONAN'S APPLE BOBS

Little Benny's Note Book.

By LEE PAPE

I went in my sister Gladdis room with my baseball bat today to look out the window to see if any of the fellows was down in the street, and was looking up the stairs and I went and called over the banisters, Hay, Gladdis, G. you better get up, go in your room.

My not, sed Gladdis, wat tricks this. No trick, you better not go in, thares a bat in thare. I was feet in, I sed. O, goodness, fzent that dredfil, I hate bats, sed Gladdis.

They get in yure hare and awi, I sed. O mersey, wats it doing, flying around, sed Gladdis.

It was jest standing thare wen I saim out, I sed. O graydies, O deer, Im afraided to go in, sed Gladdis.

If I go in and get it out, will you give me anuthir peoce of that candy Mr. Parkins gave you, I sed. O, yes, hurry and get it out, sed Gladdis.

Will you give me 2 peoces, I sed. Yes, yes, will you please hurry, it mite kum flying out heer in a minit, sed Gladdis.

Give me the 2 peoces first, I sed. O, youll be the doth of me, sed Gladdis, how can I give them to you first wen thare in my room with that horrid bat.

Well toll me wate they are and Ill get them, I sed. In the 3rd droom of my bewro-undir sun things. O hevins, dont you no wat it means to hurry, sed Gladdis. And I went back in her room agin and fownd the candy and took the 2 biggest peoces out, and then I took my baseball bat fuz ware it was leaning agenet the bed and brawt it out in the hall, saying its out.

Wy, it didnt take you lawng, sed Gladdis. Thats because I wasent afraided of it, I sed. And I kept awn going down stairs ceeting wun of the peoces of candy, being chookit with goodey stuff inside.

York, two; Carleton, two; Charlotte, ten; St. John city and county, four; and three district divisions, making a total of seventy-two subordinate and district divisions.

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Are we prepared to give a quid pro quo and place the blame where it properly belongs, on the Christian vote of New Brunswick? It is action, not denunciation that counts. While we did not secure prohibition we must give the government credit for important amendments to the liquor license laws in shortening the hours of sale, and making it more difficult to ship into prohibition districts, with increased authority to officers in matters of search. I think we should pledge ourselves, as individuals, to vote for men or governments, who will support our principles. The Grand Scribe, as a special committee, reported on the matter of George N. Clarke, liquor license inspector of Kent county. He said that he had taken it up with the Premier, the Attorney General, and the Provincial Secretary, and had received an assurance that the matter would be settled in the interests of all concerned. The report of the Grand Patron showed that there are eleven Bands

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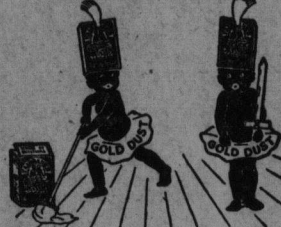
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Says it is finest, heaviest and one of the best drilled Regiments he has ever seen.

"The best body of men I have ever seen," was the decision of Major General Sam Hughes after he had inspected the Canadian Overseas Construction Corps yesterday afternoon.

The General remarked that the men were rather engineers more than infantry but they had the splendid proficiency of an infantry battalion.

The regiment was inspected in light marching order and great credit is due to the officers as they only had one hour and a half's notice to parade the corps in full strength of four hundred and twenty-five men.

Yesterday, Victoria Day, was a gala one in the history of the Construction Corps. Extensive preparations had been made on a programme which extended throughout the entire day.

Following are the results and the winners: Mile—1st, Sullivan; 2nd, Peck; 3rd, Wellander. 100 yards—1st, Reeves; 2nd, Ryan; 3rd, Castle. Shot put—1st, Matthews; 2nd, Campbell; 3rd, Dickinson. Standing broad jump—1st, Randall; 2nd, Ford; 3rd, Castle. Running broad jump—1st, Parke; 2nd, Troop; 3rd, Eline. 3 legged race—1st, Lamontagne and Hamilton; R Murdoch, H F Williams, Halifax; Mrs O C Jones, Digby; Chas Graham, Toronto; B M O'Brien, Montreal; Mrs M F Jardine, Mrs Agnes McLean, Chatham; B B Hardwick, Annapolis; Harold Jeffries, Frank Armstrong, Sussex; A R Currie, A R Manser, Woodstock, N B.

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"26TH IS FINE BODY OF MEN" — GEN HUGHES

Finds them well up in drill and in fine physical condition.

"The 26th Battalion is a fine body of men and at inspection today I found them to be well up in their drill and in fine physical condition," said Major General Hon. Sam Hughes, Minister of Militia, who was in the city yesterday and inspected the Railway Construction Corps at West St. John and the 26th Battalion at the armory.

The Minister of Militia arrived in the city at noon yesterday, from Amherst, and after inspecting the two corps here left for Ottawa on his private car attached to the Maritime express. He was met at the station by Lieutenant Colonel J. L. McAvity, Lieutenant Colonel R. R. Armstrong and other officers.

The St. John County Court will open this morning at eleven o'clock at the court house. Grand jurors and petty jurors are requested to be on hand punctually.

Nicholls; 2nd, Randall and Collins; 3rd, Parke and Peck. Hop, step and jump—1st, Parke; 2nd, Castle; 3rd, McCool. 440 yards—1st, Sullivan; 2nd, Lamontagne; 3rd, Jones.

Tug of war won by Company No. 1. Football match won by Company No. 1. Grease pig won by Company No. 2. Baseball Postponed.

The baseball match was postponed until next Saturday. The members of the corps are deeply indebted to the many business houses in the city who have kindly donated the prizes which have made the sports possible.

In the afternoon the officers and men paraded for inspection by Major General Sam Hughes and his staff, during which they were at home on the grounds to their friends. The officers had a large marquee pitched where they served tea to their visitors.

One of the most enjoyable military balls in the history of the city was held in the evening in the large auditorium of the west side. Once more the Corps Overseas Construction Corps proved themselves admirable entertainers. A neat programme was gotten up bearing on the cover the regimental arms of the corps and the names of the patronesses. They were: Mrs. Ramsay, Mrs. Hervey, Mrs. Le Fevre, Mrs. McAvity and Mrs. Frink. Inside was printed a neat programme of twenty dances and six cotillions. The ball room was artistically decorated. At the entrance were piled rifles and a machine gun of the corps. Everywhere the flags of the allies were in evidence and at either end of the hall hung a large Union Jack which along with the uniforms of the officers and men gave the assembly a military air of truest patriotism.

IN THE THEATRES REVUE PLAYERS MAKE BIG HIT

Introduce new and attractive features on return engagement in St. John Opera House.

Introducing new and attractive features, the clever Musical Revue performers opened their return engagement to St. John yesterday, playing to large houses in the Opera House at both the afternoon and evening performances.

As usual, the singing of Miss Pearl Evans brought forth well merited applause. Miss Evans possesses a splendid voice and the renditions of her several numbers of the programme were all that could be desired. Especial mention should be made of the Ora Pro Nobis number with Miss Evans as soloist.

Miss Ullie Akerstrom in the leading role of Kate Morgan in the dramatic sketch pleased the audience. Assisted by Messrs. De Luna, Sheppard and Farnum, Miss Akerstrom presented "The Lie" which is a strong one-act sketch composed by herself. The other members of the cast acquitted themselves in an admirable manner.

ST. MARTINS NEWS

St. Martins, May 24—Miss Ina Calhoun of Calais, Me. is visiting at her home here.

Miss Muriel Love has gone to Boston, Mass., where she will remain some weeks.

R. F. Doore of Moore's Mills, N. B. spent several days in the village.

S. V. Skillen has purchased a fine automobile.

Gordon McLeod of St. John is visiting friends in the village.

Chas. A. Poetner of McAdam Junction is spending several days with his parents.

M. L. and Mrs. MacPhail of St. John spent the holiday in the village.

Miss Ethel Vaughan of St. John is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. John Brown.

Miss Gladys Dodge of St. John is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Lucy Clarke, St. John, is spending several days in the village.

Mrs. A. Pritchard and son Samuel of St. John are the guests of Miss M. Powers.

Miss L. Dick of Tynemouth Creek spent of the weekend with her sister, Mrs. Edith Dick.

Mrs. J. Bridges is spending several days in St. John.

Miss Bessie Carson of St. John is spending several days at her home here.

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EXCELLENT BILL AT THE IMPERIAL

Charles Chaplin shares honors with Sydney Drew and wife — Enlivening Banjo Trio.

Charles Chaplin shared the honors with Sydney Drew and wife at the Imperial yesterday and Polk, Clifton & Collins, a most enlivening banjo trio, added musical sauce to the splendid pictorial bill of fare.

It is a safe bet that when the Vitagraph people put on a feature it is really and truly a feature. In the three-part domestic comedy drama "Between the Two of Them" a sweet story is unfolded, a story of that common kind of jealousy, the harmless kind born of real love for one's wife.

Polk, Collins & Clifton pleased everybody with their excellent banjo playing. The act consists of two men and a woman, and their list of numbers was chiefly confined to lighter numbers, such as popular ballads of the day and rags to which form of music the banjo is especially adapted.

It is a comical story based upon life insurance and an attempt to collect it prematurely. In addition the programme will contain one of those exquisite Pathocol scenic films "Nature's Beauty-Spots in the Crimea."

VIOLATES THE RULES OF LAW

His personal knowledge of the German violation of all the rules of international law in using poisonous gases is told of by Durin Fletcher of No. 1 Field Ambulance to a letter to his father, the Rev. M. E. Fletcher of this city.

Mr. Fletcher writes from "Somewhere in France" under date of May 8th. He said it was a pleasure to be in France after the terrible experiences he went through in Belgium.

"You can't imagine what the wounded have suffered," continues Mr. Fletcher. "I have been very busy since that awful battle at Langemarck looking after some wounded Germans, and I don't like the looks of these men."

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POLICEMAN GETS CALL DOWN FOR DOING HIS DUTY

A police officer was given a call down last evening for doing his duty and the reprimand was given by three women. The affair took place on Charlotte street. The officer in question was kept busy all the evening moving men from the curbstones and corners or in the centre of the sidewalks. Three or four women were having a long conversation right in

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the centre of the sidewalk. A large crowd of people thronged the sidewalk and on a number of occasions persons were obliged to step off the walk into the street to get clear of the group of women who blocked the way.

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Late Gossip Of The Sporting World At Home And Abroad

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BURMAN'S SPECIAL BARRED

Indianapolis, Ind., May 24.—The technical committee in charge of the examination of the various automobiles nominated as contenders for the 500 mile International sweepstakes race, to be held at the Indianapolis Motor Speedway, May 29, has decided that "Bob" Burnham's "Special" must be thrown out of the contest.

Burnham has shown great speed in his "special" and will make a fight to be allowed to start. The technical committee has ruled that his car is nothing more than a Peugeot, and since three of these cars have been nominated the Burnham "special" must be eliminated from the contest. On the other hand Burnham denies that his car is a Peugeot and will post the \$50 necessary to appeal from the decision. He declares that he built the car himself and has a right to enter the race if he qualifies in the elimination trials.

Another automobile to go under the ban is the Harroun "special" it being declared a Maxwell. This is admitted and since three other Maxwells are nominated the three fastest of the four will go to the starting line.

Barney Oldfield's appeal to reason, addressed to American racing car builders on the subject of their misapprehension of his worth as driver, seems to have had its effect, for now Barney is prominently mentioned as pilot of the third Maxwell in the next Indianapolis 500-mile, to team with Carlson and Rickenbacher, already named.

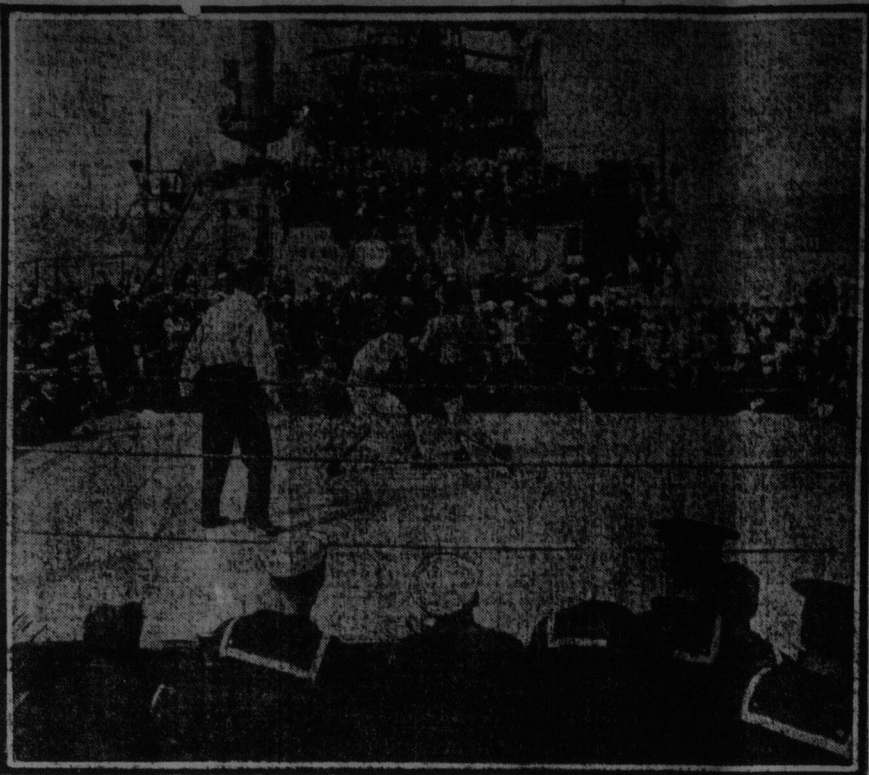
Barney is already entered in the Hooper contest at the wheel of a Bugatti, and, of course, could not take on a Maxwell without Charles H. Fuller, the owner's consent. Nevertheless, it is rumored that an agreement between the interested parties has been reached, and that Barney, accordingly, will be seen in the seat of the American car.

George Hill, Barney's mechanic, is to handle the Bugatti under the new arrangement, leaving the veteran free to follow his fancy's dictates. Oldfield, when interviewed about the matter, stated he knew nothing, which, with Barney, is a sure sign there is something doing. At any rate, the wisecracks have their ears to the ground, waiting for something to drop. If the deal with Oldfield falls through, it is thought Ray Harroun, manager of the Maxwell team, will drive the car.

The safety wall of the Indianapolis motor speedway has averted its first accident. George Babcock, driver on the Peugeot team in the next Indianapolis 500-mile race, blew a tire in a workout for the contest, and slid over the course into what ordinarily would have been a strip of soft earth had the retaining wall not been there to stop him.

Instead of digging the front end of his car into the ground, and turning a flip-flop, as so many race drivers have done, Babcock simply struck the hard concrete wall, slid along it without diminishing his momentum, and finally came to an easy stop. Carl G. Fisher, president of the Indianapolis motor speedway, hearing of the accident, said, "Well, that wall cost us a lot of money; but it was worth it."

BATTLE WITH NATURE'S WEAPONS FOR NAVY TITLE



WEHLAN AND FISHER BATTLING FOR FEATHERWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP OF FLEET, WON BY WEHLAN

Here is a scene on board the battle ship Michigan during a fight between Fisher of the South Carolina, and Wehlan, of the Michigan, for the feather weight championship of the North Atlantic fleet now on review in the Hudson River, New York. Both little fellows are favorites with the fleet and Wehlan has held the belt for two years. Each man had his vociferous supporters, and when the milling was the fastest the warnings of the announcer were forgotten by the soldiers, who did not hesitate to advise with a depth and sincerity of tone that could have been heard along Long Island Sound. Fisher is a very cool fighter, with considerable power in his punches, while Wehlan appeared to be the more aggressive, and it was probably this trait alone that won the bout and the championship for him, for the battle was close through the six rounds.

SHOULD NOT BE IN A HURRY TO TACKLE JESS WILLARD

Jim Coffey, seems to be in a great hurry to make that match with Champion Jess Willard. The big Irishman already has fired the opening guns of a campaign that has for its object a match with the champion to be decided as early as July 4. A guarantee of \$25,000 for Willard's end goes with Coffey's challenge and no doubt he is sincere, but it is not altogether sure that his judgment is of the best in hastening matters.

Beyond all question Coffey is the most promising challenger in sight at present. During the past few months his improvement has been startling and his popularity has grown to altogether unexpected proportions. It is just for that reason that it is going to be very easy to make a mistake that might ruin his whole career. Beyond a doubt Coffey and Willard would draw a record crowd if they met this summer and Coffey's share would be no inconsiderable sum. But if he really expects to become champion he can afford to wait until the time is ripe before making the attempt.

Coffey has everything to gain and nothing to lose by taking his time. Both he and Willard are comparatively inexperienced men but Coffey has the better strategic position. Willard as champion will be tied up with theatrical contracts. His appearances in the ring will necessarily be few and far between. Under such conditions it will be impossible for him to get the amount of practice he requires. On the other hand there is nothing to prevent Coffey from fighting every few weeks.

It is very obvious that if Coffey is to beat Willard he must have the preponderance of skill on his side. Willard has a tremendous advantage in size, weight and strength and this can only be overcome by superior generalship on the part of the smaller man. As matters stand Coffey is far too in-

experienced to have a reasonable chance of beating down the powerful Kansan. But in a year from now it may be altogether different. Time will work for Coffey and the odds against him are bound to shorten the longer he delays.

There is nothing to prevent Coffey from becoming a wonderfully clever boxer. He is improving more rapidly than any man in the ring. On the other hand, Willard is slow to improve and on account of his great length of limb, he can never attain the same amount of speed that is possible for Coffey to acquire. Coffey is built for speed as well as strength but as yet he has not learned to make the most of his one big advantage. Speed is just as valuable as strength, but it takes art to make it count.

Will Continue To Improve

If Coffey is wise he will wait until he reaches the stage where improvement ceases. Then it will be time for him to strike. Apparently that time is some distance away but Coffey can afford to wait. He still is a mere youth while Willard according to report, is on the wrong side of 30. Willard denies this, declaring he is only 28. Even so the advantage is with the Irishman.

Apparently Coffey need not be alarmed regarding the possibility of any one else beating him to the title. There are at least two men who might be able to outpoint him right now but in the long run that would not matter a great deal. If Coffey is really of championship material he is bound to triumph in the end despite any slight check at the present time. That is why he would do well to take on all contenders as fast as they come. There

BASEBALL IN THE BIG LEAGUES

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

St. Louis, 4; Boston, 3.

St. Louis, May 24.—Lowdermilk gave Boston only two hits today and helped St. Louis win, 4 to 3. The score: Boston 00000000—3 2 1 St. Louis 02001100—4 8 1 Batteries: Foster, Mays and Thomas; Lowdermilk and Agnew.

Philadelphia, 5; Cleveland, 4.

Cleveland, May 24.—Philadelphia defeated Cleveland today, 5 to 4. Cleveland hit Shawkey hard throughout but brilliant work by Oldring and Walsh kept the score down. The score: Cleveland 00110020—4 10 2 Philadelphia 04100000—5 5 0 Batteries: Hagaman, Jones and O'Neill; Shawkey and Schang.

Detroit, 4; Washington, 0.

Detroit, May 24.—After Covelskie and Boehling had battled for six scoreless innings Detroit broke through Washington's defense and won today, 4 to 0. The score: Washington 00000000—0 4 2

is only one road to the championship and that is by hard fighting and plenty of it.

It may appear good business policy to pick and choose opponents while waiting for Willard but in the long run that course won't pay. It is bound to shake Coffey's confidence in himself if he is told that so-and-so is too dangerous to tackle by taking a chance with some one else. Coffey must be able to believe that he is invincible if he is to beat Willard. Certainly if he is allowed to think that any one of the contenders is his match, he will not face Willard with the amount of confidence that he will require on that all important occasion.

Detroit 000000130—4 5 1 Batteries: Boehling and Ainsmith; Covelskie and Stanaag.

Chicago, 5; New York, 4.

Chicago, May 24.—Extra base hits which included home runs gave Chicago a 5 to 4 victory over New York today. The score: New York 010000021—4 7 1 Chicago 20010110—5 9 1 Batteries: Fieh and Nunamaker; Russell and Schalk.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Buffalo, 5; Richmond, 4.

Buffalo, May 24.—Though outbatted by Richmond, the Bisons hits were more timely and enabled them to win 5 to 4. The score: Richmond 002010100—4 8 1 Buffalo 030000020—5 9 1 Batteries—Steerzer and Schaufis; Gaw and Lalonge.

Toronto 4; Newark 1.

Toronto, May 24.—Toronto and Newark broke even today. The Toronto took the morning game 4 to 1, through Manning's ability to keep the Indians' hits scattered. Newark won in the afternoon by 5 to 3, by hard and timely hitting. The score: Morning game. Newark 000000001—1 7 1 Toronto 002020000—4 7 0 Batteries—Schmitts and Heckinger; Manning and Kocher.

Newark 5; Toronto 3.

Afternoon game: Newark 001002101—5 9 2 Toronto 021000000—3 7 1 Batteries—Chabek and Snow; Cook and Kocher.

Rochester 3; Providence 2.

Rochester, N. Y., May 24.—Rochester had to play the limit to defeat Providence today 3 to 2. The score: Providence 0000100010—2 5 1 Rochester 001100001—3 8 1 Batteries—Comstock, Bentley and Hale; Hoff and Erwin.

Montreal, 8; Jersey City, 3.

Montreal, May 24.—Montreal won two games from Jersey City today, 8 to 3 and 3 to 1. Steady pitching and good support in fielding and batting won for the locals. The score: Morning game— Jersey City 002100000—3 7 1 Montreal 013000040—3 11 1 Batteries: Bruck and Yelle; Dowd and Howley.

Montreal, 5; Jersey City, 1.

Afternoon game— Jersey City 010000000—1 7 1 Montreal 001020000—3 9 1 Batteries: Sherman and Yelle; Miller and Madden.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis 2; Baltimore 1.

St. Louis, May 24.—Grandall's drive to the right field fence with the bases full, in the ninth inning, brought Miller home with the winning run and St. Louis defeated Baltimore here today, 2 to 1. The score: Baltimore 0000000001—1 5 0 St. Louis 000100001—2 7 1 Batteries—Ballew and Jacklitsch; Groom and Hartley.

Kansas City 2; Newark 1.

Kansas City, May 24.—The locals managed to nose out Newark today 2 to 1. Cullop pitched a steady game throughout. The score: Newark 000100000—1 6 0 Kansas City 100100000—2 7 1 Batteries—Moseley and Ralrden; Cullop and Brown.

Chicago 4; Buffalo 3.

Chicago, May 24.—Flack's single gave Chicago the verdict over Buffalo 4 to 3 in a fourteen inning game today. After the first inning Krapp pitched a great game until the ninth, when he became wild and passed in the tieing score. The score: Buffalo 1000002000000—3 9 1 Chicago 2000000100001—4 7 3

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Financial writer discusses probable future rate interest — Expects rency will be plenty after early tightness.

Writing in the Trust Company Magazine, New York, on the subject of the European War on international rates, Eugene J. Koop says:—

After the problems directly arising from military and naval operations the greatest of the war nations to face are of a financial character. These problems as they develop day to day are attacked primarily from the standpoint of expediently attacked, in other words, with a view of deriving the greatest benefit from the expenditure of the use of credit. Ultimate results are thrust into the background or receive merely secondary consideration. Thus we see England guaranteeing promissory notes a year after the war ceases, and her credit in a thousand and one directions; France continuing to herself behind a moratorium necessary through the occupation by Germany of her richest manufacturing districts, and Germany financing her needs through war loans and societies, and, if newspapers reports are to be believed, even the issue of currency secured by Japan. In short, the consideration upper in the minds of every financier seems to be "any port in a storm." Once the worst of the is over, and the world returns to peaceful pursuits, what will be the outlook of the financial states? money be scarce or plentiful? capital be shy or courageous, or a necessity corollary, will interest rates be high or low?

Those who argue for low money rates conclude that peace based on the immediate results of the Civil War of those great wars which raged in Europe pretty well without interruption from the time of the French Revolution to Waterloo. The result of the Franco-Prussian war also pointed to the world-wide economic that are being practiced, it is claimed, will greatly reduce the of capital goods and consumers' while the war is on, and business general will decline as a consequence, while toward the war the war chests of Europe be found emptied and the last hoarded gold will be making its appearance, for when peace is in handing will have no further to exist. All this will create a enormous accumulation of liquid and principally on this the low interest rates is based.

Those who take the opposite premise their contentions large the expectation of strong competition for capital when hostilities are the requirements of industry that being dammed up will have to be released; fresh government loaning, and provision made for warring and neutral nations all floating. Another point is the expected great demands of merce, which, for the present will spring into life again when is in the air, and with their ears grasp what capital is about forcing up interest rates. The few words represents the und ideas of those who believe in money.

As regards the theory of easy money, it is quite true that economy being practiced pretty well and that the trade of the world ously affected. Also, it is quite ceivable that ultimately a considerable amount of gold will have to be free. Under normal conditions several factors would all tend money cheap. But will the now being economized and acced equal the enormous outflow sitated by this war? That is the question. The main contention is, that the financial effects of lead directly to easy money, is easily proved.

From a consideration of it is evident that there is a about the time that peace is when interest rates are very and it is only subsequent to riod that a decline sets in. N to say how important a point dealers in securities or whose business is affected by in the money market.

There is another point in the of easy money which seems criticism, and that is that nent importance is attached entirely unparalleled destruct property and to the enormous conducting the present war. been stated that in the great eeding Waterloo, 85 per cent of civilized world was fighting 67 per cent. It is engag While this may be true of the late present, who shall say percentage may not be mater creased before the war is ov when it is remembered that most fighting is taking place in the most populous districts of destruction of property must be early be colossal. Some pre estimates have already been the property destroyed in Pol

SOUTH END LEAGUE OPENING

This evening at seven o'clock Commissioner Potts will throw the first ball and officially open the South End Baseball League on the Barrack Square. Umpires McDermott and Conroy will officiate and the Curlews and Victorias which will play are ready for the battle. The grounds are in excellent condition and the fans may expect to witness some good games this season. The proceeds of the opening game will be donated to the 26th Battalion Field Kitchen Fund. The following is the schedule of games for May and June.

May 25, Curlews vs. Victorias.
" 26, Tartars vs. A. S. R.
" 27, Victorias vs. Tartars.
" 28, Curlews vs. A. S. R.
" 31, A. S. R. vs. Victorias.

June 1, Tartars vs. Curlews.
" 2, Curlews vs. Victorias.
" 3, Tartars vs. A. S. R.
" 4, Victorias vs. Tartars.
" 7, Curlews vs. A. S. R.
" 8, A. S. R. vs. Victorias.
" 9, Tartars vs. Curlews.
" 10, Curlews vs. Victorias.
" 11, Tartars vs. A. S. R.
" 14, Victorias vs. Tartars.
" 15, Curlews vs. A. S. R.
" 16, A. S. R. vs. Victorias.
" 19, Victorias vs. Tartars.
" 20, Curlews vs. A. S. R.
" 21, A. S. R. vs. Victorias.
" 22, Tartars vs. Curlews.
" 23, Curlews vs. Victorias.
" 26, Tartars vs. A. S. R.
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Belgium, but these estimates are necessarily based on such an extent on guesswork that they cannot be relied upon. In any event it is safe to describe the losses as "colossal."

As regards the theory of easy money, it is quite true that economies are being practiced pretty well all over, and that the trade of the world is seriously affected.

From a consideration of statistics it is evident that there is a period about the time that peace is declared when interest rates are very strong, and it is only subsequent to that period that a decline sets in.

There is another point in the theory of easy money which seems open to criticism, and that is that not sufficient importance is attached to the entirely unparalleled destruction of property and to the enormous cost of conducting the present war.

FIRMER TENDENCY IN FOREIGN EXCHANGE ON WALL ST. YESTERDAY

Trading better than on preceding day—Selling movement before noon brought slump in War Specialties, but gradual improvement in final hour.

New York, May 24.—War developments and war shares were almost the sole factors of today's stock market, the usual issues and considerations being largely ignored.

It was generally conceded that the latest turn of events is bound to curtail shipments to the Teutonic and Scandinavian countries, but this condition, it is argued, will be partly neutralized by an increase of exports to Italy.

Trading at the outset gave promise of a continuance of the enthusiasm which characterized last week's later dealings. War stocks came to the front with gains of one to three points.

World's Shipping News

Table with columns: Date, Day of Week, Sun Rise, Sun Sets, H. Water, L. Water, P. M. Includes phases of the moon.

Table titled 'DANGERS TO NAVIGATION' with columns: Date, Location, Details. Includes reports from Boston, Cape Breton, and Florida.

Table titled 'PORT OF ST. JOHN' with columns: Date, Arrived, Departed. Lists ships and companies.

of money and this demand for investment capital may run concurrently for a time and make possible the paradox of high and low interest rates side by side with one another.

Already war loans publicly offered have left the \$10,000,000,000 mark far behind. These loans have been readily placed, partially because of their attractive prices, partially as a demonstration of patriotic fervor.

While these ubiquitous demands may not synchronize, it is at least fair to assume that their cumulative force will make a certain definite impression on the finances of the world.

CLOSING LETTER OF N.Y. MARKET BY E. & C. RANDOLPHE

(Furnished by McDougall & Cowans.) New York, May 24.—After an active and strong opening and a subsequent sharp reaction, the market became very dull in the afternoon, but stocks recovered before the close.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

Chicago, May 24.—Wheat—No 2 red, 1.54 1/4 to 1.56; No 2 hard, 1.54 1/4 to 1.55. Corn—No 2, yellow, 74 1/2 to 75; No 4 yellow, 69 1/2.

Table titled 'Wheat' with columns: High, Low, Close. Lists various wheat grades and prices.

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Table titled 'DEPARTURES' with columns: Time, Destination. Lists train schedules for various routes.

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STEAMSHIPS. The Steamer Victoria Will leave St. John (Old May Queen wharf) every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8.30 a. m. for Fredericton.

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New York, May 21.—United States Steel Corporation has secured from the American Locomotive Company an order for 9,400 tons of steel bars to be used for the manufacture of shipramp.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, May 22.—Ancos O'Brien, inspector of schools, was in the county this week attending to his duties.

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DEDICATORY SERVICE IN LOCK LOMOND CHURCH

Lock Lomond, May 24.—Empire Day was celebrated on Friday afternoon, May 21st, at Lock Lomond school. The school room was suitably decorated with flags, and the children provided an excellent programme, consisting of patriotic songs and recitations; the teacher, Miss McIntyre, is to be complimented on her success in training the children.

FUNERALS

The funeral of the late James Rouillon took place yesterday afternoon, from 262 Union street. Services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Sampson. Interment was in Cedar Hill cemetery.

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On Saturday we had another picture of Jumbo, but it will be noticed that our artist has not completed the sketch. I want all boys and girls who are not over 14 years of age to fill in the missing parts, with pencil or pen and ink and then to color with either water colors or chalk.

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As announced in The Standard of Friday, I have decided to hold a competition among those who cannot or do not desire to paint. I am going to give a special prize to the girl not over fourteen years of age who sends me in the best pin cushion made by herself. You may use whatever materials you desire and make it the style you think best.

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Sealed Tenders addressed to Mr. L. K. Jones, Assistant Deputy Minister, Department of Railways and Canals, Ottawa, Ont., and marked on the outside "Tender for Spur Line, Bathurst," will be received up to and including Friday, May 28th, 1915, for the construction of a Spur Line, about two miles in length, leaving the main line of the Intercolonial Railway about 1.8 miles East of Bathurst, N. B.

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REV. DR. CAMPBELL'S REVIEWS YEAR MARKED PROGR

Continued from page 2. Dr. Campbell, on rising to a statement of the life and work of the school remarked that for the last sixty years, without interruption, through Mount Allison, students had given the country the vestiges of higher education. Christian control. The able and distinguished men who had preceded at the close of each college year, reported attendance and work, and discussed hopes and plans for the future. But no Principal in all these years had risen to discharge this duty in conditions similar to those in which we find ourselves. Never before such mighty armies assembled, equipped with weapons of such power, destroyed, never such armies gathered to contend for sea mastery; such a marshalling of destructive man inventions on the earth, of sea, and in the air; and never before was there such a declination of life. Not for extension of empire to punish a people who had injured, but to suppress wrong did Britain this war, but to redeem her God word, to defend the weak and to secure justice and freedom. For this she sent her sons to stagger die in the trenches of France and, and her Imperial fleet, guns have been heard from the title to the Dardanelles, to patri great oceans, safeguarding her ships of commerce and those of other nations. For this end she pledged her last dollar and her man; and the end is not yet in sight. These burdening conditions have affected the life of Canada, social commercial life. The results are about us. Yet, notwithstanding war conditions, the register shows attendance of 843.

Registration by departments: degree of literature and science, conservatory of music, 175; home science, 86; museum of fine art, total, 434; less counted twice making an enrollment of 343. The well qualified and experienced faculties had given faithful, continuous service keeping up the traditions of the school, and fitting student body for the duties of them in the great wide world. Ing and touching references were to the death of Miss Lathren for years the well known and well respected teacher of English, and secretary of the faculty.

The student body as the extension show, had done good work of the college the year had been work and harmony. Interest college societies had been maintained. A branch of the "Red Cross Society" was organized and the young had willingly given up social fun and sports to contribute to the line. So another year has been to the record of the college in ing young womanhood to give a beautiful Christian home. Dr. Campbell's Address to the Young Ladies: We reach tonight the parting ways. We shall miss you next and we cannot forget you. Next we be if your successors do as you have done. You have good ing for the work that awaits you we claim to do is to help you ready to begin. Every verb you conjugated, every noun you declinated, every lesson learned, every of drill and discipline underwent make you the stronger and ready the real work upon which you after today. Mount Allison, you dies, loves and trusts you, she admits her honor to you and prouder blessing upon you. Be true to this great Dominion. Remember that God has set up hope of the oppressed, and the world. Leaving Alma Mater you enter a life which you can shape sculptor his marble, as the pot

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The university orchestra rendered several selections between acts. Those taking part were: Arthur B. Dewberry, '18; Tennyson A. MacDonald, '18; Ralph V. Sharp, '16; H. Stanley Bland, '18; Albert C. Dennis, '17; Winfred B. Withrow, '17; Ira F. Curtis, '17; Alex. I. Machum, '17; A. Lorena Spicer, '16; Bona Mills, '16; Marguerite Jonah, '17; Eleanor Lea, '16; Arthur R. Wallis, '15; W. Thomas Hodgson, '18; J. Coleman Jordan, '17; J. Murray Kinman, '18; Lyman Anglin, '18; Heber Angell, '18.

clay. You pass into a vale where springs up two paths—you can follow either of them and find victory or defeat. You have eaten of the tree of knowledge of good and evil, and before you there will always hang the two forms of fruit to be plucked and eaten. Henceforth it is for you a two fold world, and you must at least be as noble as the Hercules who, when accosted by the goddess of Pleasure and the goddess of Honor, accepted the companionship of Honor and won a place among the immortals. In this day—your day—toss the golden apple to moral beauty. And remember the same land produces the poppy and rose, both rich in scarlet; but from the one comes the Lethian sleep of mind and soul, from the other a perfume straight from the garden of the gods. Life is nothing but the passing, by of the one flower and the plucking and wearing of the other.

Class of 1915 all hall, and good-morning.

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Poole, R. W., Montage, P. E. I.
Richardson, Nelson, Sackville, N. B.
Taylor, H. Stephen, Little Shemogue, N. B.
Thangley, Gordon M., Moncton, N. B.
Welch, Edward W., Port Greville, N. S.

Graduates in Bookkeeping.
Murcell, Baxter, Little Bay Islands, Nfld.
Read, Vincent, Johnson's Mills, N. B.
Robson, James, Sackville, N. B.
Sears, Ina, Middle Sackville, N. B.
Stultz, Kathleen, Sackville, N. B.
Wry, Lorne, Sackville, N. B.

Graduates in Penmanship.
Baird, Edith, Perth, N. B.
Barnes, Fannie, Wood Point, N. B.
Belyea, Muriel, St. John, N. B.
Fillmore, Hazel, Sackville, N. B.
Inkpen, Beatrice, Burin, Nfld.
Kinney, Josephine, Bridgetown, N. S.
Sears, Ina, Middle Sackville, N. B.

Graduates in Shorthand.
Babcock, Del, Point de Bute, N. B.
Baird, Edith, Perth, N. B.
Barnes, Fannie, Wood Point, N. B.
Belyea, Muriel, St. John, N. B.
Beveridge, Kathleen, Andover, N. B.
Boutiller, Lila, Centreville, N. S.
Cudman, Roslyn, Great Shemogue, N. B.
Fawcett, Lillian, Sackville, N. B.
Fillmore, Hazel, Sackville, N. B.

George's Bermuda. First year, Miss Esther Rogers, Woodstock, N. B. Essay, Miss Alice Deh, Wytopitlock, Me.
Physiology.—Miss Ada McAnn, Moncton, N. B.
Physics.—Miss Margaret Fickard, Sackville, N. B.
Latin Grammar.—Miss Alice Inch, Wytopitlock, Me.
Intermediate Arithmetic.—Miss Florence Murdoch, Amherst, N. S.
General History.—Miss Rose Hoffman, Chatham, N. B.
English Grammar.—Miss Frances Gorham, Riviere-du-Loup, Que.
Primary Essays.—Miss Frances Gorham, Riviere-du-Loup, Que.
Reading and Spelling.—Miss Dorothy Symons, Halifax, N. S.

The Alumnae Society Prizes.
An Alumnae Mathematical scholarship of the value of twenty-five dollars is awarded annually to the student making the highest average in any two years of mathematical work on the M. T. A. course. Not awarded.
An Alumnae violin scholarship of the value of twenty-five dollars is awarded in the violin department. Winner, Miss Evelyn Goff, Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Class Essay Prizes.
The sum of \$15 has been offered by Robert Carter, chartered accountant, Halifax, N. S., to the students making the highest marks in their essay classes for the year. Winners, Senior, Miss Annie Metherall, Summerside, P. E. I.; Intermediate, Miss Jennie Moore, Petticoat, N. B.; Second year English essays, Miss Jean Smith, St. John; 2, Miss Dorothy Higgins, St. George's, Bermuda.
Tribune Essay Prizes.
\$10.00 given by the Tribune Printing Co., Ltd., Sackville, for best original story. Winners, 1, Miss Margaret Price, Middle Sackville; 2, Miss Dorothy Weeks, Alberton, P. E. I.

The Sara Borden Black Memorial Prize.
The sum of \$25 has been given by Major J. W. S. Black, Middle Sackville, to be awarded to students making the highest averages in the piano forte department. Winners, Vivienne Fowler, Dorette DesBarres, Alice Hickman, Beatrice Knight, Ester Lewis, Dorothy Higgins, Elsie McFadden.

The Frank Davison Prize.
The sum of \$20 was placed at the disposal of the College by the late Frank Davison, Esq., of Bridgewater, N. S., for excellence in the different French classes. Winners, Second year—1, Miss Sarah Moscovitz, Edmundston, N. B.; 2, Miss Dorothy Higgins, St. George's, Bermuda and Miss Beatrice Swan Halifax. First year—1, Miss Annie Metherall, Summerside, P. E. I.; 2, Miss Frances Gorham, Riviere-du-Loup, Quebec.

Premier Clark Prize.
The sum of \$10 is given by Hon. Geo. J. Clarke, L.L.D., Premier of New Brunswick, to the student making the highest average in any two years of English literature and essays. Winner, Miss Mildred Barker, Sheffield, N. B.

Book Prizes.
Bible Classes.—Second year, Miss Elsie McFadden, Cabano, Que.; Miss Lillias Fletcher, Charlottetown, P. E. I.
First year—1st, Miss Jennie Moore, Petticoat, N. B.; 2nd, Miss Faith Henderson, St. John, N. B.; Miss Marion Machum, St. John, N. B.; Miss Esther Rogers, Woodstock, N. B.
German Class—Miss Marion Machum, St. John, N. B.
English—Third year, Miss Lillias Fletcher, Charlottetown, P. E. I. Second year, Miss Dorothy Higgins, St. John, N. B.

McPherson, Arthur L., Cape Traverse, P. E. I.
Miller, Mildred, Edmundston, N. B.
Purdy, D. Lester, West Sackville, N. B.
Radnie, Jean, Sackville, N. B.
Rayworth, Florence, Bayfield, N. B.
Roberts, June, Shediac, N. B.
Rumciman, Marjorie, Plymouth, N. S.
Sweetnam, Harry, Moncton, N. B.
Symons, Marjorie, Halifax, N. S.
Taylor, Marjorie, Sackville, N. B.

Music. Winner, Miss Elsie McFadden, Cabano, Que.
Five dollars to the student making the highest average in Musical Form. Winner, Miss Dorothy Higgins, St. George's, Bermuda.
Ovens Museum of Fine Arts.
The Marshall Memorial Drawing Prize, \$15. Winner, Miss Muriel Hewson, Amherst, N. S.
Prizes have been offered by R. S. Pritham, Fort Elizabeth, N. B., for Drawing and Designing. First, Miss Dorothy Wightman, Bathurst, N. B.; 2nd, Miss Agnes McGiffen, Ottawa, Ont. Designing—First year, Miss Dorothy Wightman, Bathurst, N. B.; second year, Miss Adad Ford, Sackville, N. B.

Certificates.
The following have completed courses in Bible—Miss Marguerite Conn, Ottawa, Ont.; Miss Lillias Fletcher, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Miss Emma Sangster, Moncton, N. B.
The Course in English—Miss Orah Fisher, Hampton, N. B.; Miss Lillias Fletcher, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; Miss Vera King, Chipman, N. B.; Miss Hazel Mowat, Campbellton, N. B.; Miss Mary Silver, Lunenburg, N. S.; Miss Beatrice Swan, Halifax, N. S.; Miss Vessie Taylor, Little Shemogue, N. B.

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RAIN INTERFERES WITH HOLIDAY PROGRAMME AT FREDERICTON

Heavy downpour in afternoon marred celebration — Committee to carry on Recruiting Campaign to be organized.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, May 24.—Unsettled weather interfered considerably with

out of doors holiday attractions for Victoria Day in Fredericton. A heavy downpour early in the afternoon caused a postponement of the Tennis Club's first tournament and kept down the attendance at the baseball opening. The game, however, proved a joke affair, the Fredericton pots winning by a score of 23 to 1 from the Divisional Ammunition Column team.

A local committee to handle the recruiting campaign in this city and district for the 55th New Brunswick and P. E. I. Battalion is to be organized at a meeting to be held at City Hall tomorrow evening. Major W. H. Grey, recruiting officer for this district, says that since the outbreak of war 500 men have enlisted from the 71st Regt. district, of whom upwards of 100 have volunteered since recruiting started for the 55th Battalion.



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KITCHENER WANTS MORE MEN

The 55th N. B. and P. E. I. Regiment must be recruited to full strength within ten days.

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Who Will Enlist Today for Overseas Service?

The 55th N. B. and P. E. I. Regiment requires from six hundred to seven hundred men. We must have seventy men a day to make up the required number within the time limit.

This Regiment is commanded by Lieut. Col. J. R. Kirkpatrick of Debec Jct., N. B., with the following staff:

Second in Command, Major H. S. Jones, Apohaqui, N. B.; Jr. Major, T. C. Donald, Chatham, N. B.; Chaplain, Capt. Rev. H. E. Thomas, St. John, N. B.; Paymaster, Capt. J. D. K. McNaughton, Miramichi, N. B.; Medical Officer, Capt. A. E. Gardiner, McAdam Jct., N. B.; Adjutant, Major S. S. Wetmore, Clifton, N. B.; Quartermaster, Lieut. Kirkpatrick, St. John, N. B.

Officers commanding double companies:—
A. Co., Major J. J. Bull, Woodstock, N. B.—Capt. C. E. Williams.
B. Co., Major Osborne—Capt. Woodbridge, Fredericton, N. B.
C. Co., Major F. H. Rowe, Moncton, N. B.—Capt. Campbell, Charlottetown, P. E. I.
D. Co., Major E. C. Weyman, St. John, N. B.—Capt. W. E. Forbes, Richibucto, N. B.

Recruiting officers will be found at all the principal points of New Brunswick. Men will on application be submitted to a preliminary medical examination and will be furnished at once with transportation to Sussex, where the 55th Regiment is now in camp. On reaching Sussex they will undergo the final medical examination and will if satisfactory be placed immediately upon the pay roll.

The conditions are as follows:—

THE VOLUNTEERS

THE PERIOD OF ENLISTMENT is for the duration of the war and for six months after termination if required.

THE RATE OF PAY is \$1.10 per day and found for seven days a week, equal to \$33 per month.

IF DISABLED, the soldier will receive a pension at such rates as may be fixed by the Government.

IF WOUNDED OR ILL, the soldier will be well cared for and sent back to his home at the proper time.

THEIR FAMILIES

SOLDIERS MAY ASSIGN any portion of their regular pay to wives or others, and such sums will be paid regularly to the persons so designated.

WIVES OF VOLUNTEERS will receive twenty dollars per month separation allowance from the Canadian Government over and above the soldiers pay.

THE PATRIOTIC FUND will supplement this with an additional allowance as described hereafter.

SHOULD ANY OF THE SOLDIERS BE KILLED their wives and children will become wards of the Canadian Government, and generous provision will be made for them.

The National Patriotic Fund Committee has decided on a basis of distribution of funds among the wives and children, and other dependents of volunteers. It is estimated that a wife on her own account requires Thirty Dollars Per Month for her maintenance. The Canadian Government provides Twenty Dollars per month of this amount and the Patriotic Fund the remaining Ten Dollars, if required. Children between ten and fifteen years of age are allowed twenty-five cents per day; from five to ten years of age, fifteen cents per day; and under five years of age, ten cents per day. Thus a wife and three children of the ages of three, seven and twelve, may receive a total monthly allowance of Forty-five Dollars, of which Twenty Dollars is payable by the Canadian Government and Twenty-five Dollars by the Patriotic Fund. This is of course in addition to the Thirty-three Dollars per month paid to the soldier, and which may be assigned by him to his family.

Besides the above, provision is made for a compassionate allowance for temporary extraordinary need, such as accident, sickness, etc. In short, the whole purpose of the Patriotic Fund is so to supplement the Government allowance as to provide all reasonable comfort for the families of men on service. Such provision, in each individual case, is subject to the report of local committees, who shall consider all the circumstances of families affected, with respect to the earnings of members of such families, amounts received from former employer of the soldiers, and other sources of income.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecasts

Maritime—Light to moderate winds a few light scattered showers at first, but mostly fair.

Washington, May 24.—Forecast: Northern New England—Fair Tuesday except showers. Wednesday fair. Moderate west and northwest winds.

Toronto, May 24.—A few local showers have occurred in the western provinces and a few showers in the northwestern counties of Ontario and in Quebec, but on the whole the weather has been fine throughout Canada.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	48	64
Vancouver	52	62
Kamloops	54	64
Edmonton	40	68
Calgary	42	60
Moose Jaw	44	78
Winnipeg	46	76
Port Arthur	40	64
Park Sound	36	66
London	49	72
Toronto	45	65
Ottawa	46	63
Montreal	50	70
Quebec	50	58
St. John	42	64
Halifax	40	70

Around the City

Police Find Key.
The police report finding a key on King street yesterday and the owner can receive the same on application at the Central Police Station.

Davidson Taylor Dead.
A man named Davidson Taylor, who comes from Westmorland county, died at the General Public Hospital last night, after a short illness of pneumonia.

Wm. MacKay Promoted.
William D. MacKay is to be quartermaster of the A. M. C. with the honorary rank of lieutenant. He was formerly M. O. sergeant with the 3rd Regiment Canadian Artillery.

Boat Club Opens Season.
Victoria Day marked the official opening of the St. John Power Boat Club. A salute of seven guns was fired from the Commodore's yacht Elizabeth and flags were hoisted on the club house. A number of visitors were present for the opening ceremonies, after which many of the boats got under way for a short cruise up the river.

Commissioners Meet Today.
The first meeting of the city commissioners in two weeks will likely be held this afternoon. Last week Commissioners Wigmore and Potts were out of the city and the scheduled meeting could not be held. The session this afternoon is expected to be rather lengthy on account of the business which has accumulated the last two weeks.

Self Denial Day.
Plans are nearing completion for the observance of Self Denial Day under the auspices of Royal Standard Chapter I. O. D. E., on the King's birthday, June 3. At the meeting of the Chapter held last Friday details of the arrangements were discussed, and those interested are hopeful that the undertaking will prove a success, as indications are forthcoming that the citizens will give a generous response to the appeal for further help for the suffering Belgians, about three millions of whom are, according to the regent of the Chapter, in great want.

General Talks to Veterans.
General Hughes in his inspection of the 26th yesterday took particular notice of the veterans of the South African war. He talked personally to every one he saw. Among the first he met was Private Reed of platoon 1. Going up to the soldier he said: "Were you also in South Africa?" "Do you remember one dark night on the Modder River and what took place there?" "Yes sir," replied Reed. "And you still desire to go back?" said the General. "Yes sir," was again Reed's reply. "Well, I wish you good luck and a safe return," was the answer given by General Hughes.

Who Knows This Man?
Chief of Police Simpson receives many curious letters daily and one of those received yesterday was from Charles Yexxa of Elizabethport, N. J. The writer says that he is the son of Captain Charles Yexxa, a retired sea captain and hotel keeper of Fredericton and St. John, who was murdered in 1844. By giving this information he says that perhaps there are some old friends left in this vicinity who will remember the writer and communicate with him. The writer says that he has learned that many brave boys have left Canada for the front to fight for the King and country, and he requested Chief Simpson to kindly have some St. John newspapers sent to him so he can read something about his old home. He says that he has been away from New Brunswick for many years and having no personal friends to communicate with in New Brunswick he thought a newspaper sent to him about once a month would give him some idea what was going on away down east. Along with the request for a newspaper Mr. Yexxa sent an English six pence to pay for them.

Wanted.
Kitchen girl. Apply Royal Hotel.

CAMPION TO RECRUIT 55TH NOW ACTIVE

Many meetings have been planned to be held throughout Province this week.

There was a slight cessation of activity in the campaign to recruit the 55th Regiment yesterday, on account of the holiday but this is only temporary and starting today the programme that has been arranged will be carried out which will include stirring speeches along the same lines as the local ministers read in their pulpits Sunday.

Throughout the province, especially in this vicinity, speeches and specially arranged meetings have been planned and it is expected that during the week meetings in this city as well as in Carleton and other towns will be held.

Since the campaign started there has been several men who have offered their services to the motherland and if the stirring sermons made in St. John churches Sunday is any incentive it is believed that before the week ends there will be many men who will offer their services.

Meetings have been arranged for in Fredericton and Major A. C. Weyman will address a gathering there at which it is expected a large number will be present.

That the campaign will be an active one there is no doubt and present indications show that before long the regiment will be filled to its capacity and on its way to the front. The regiment is being drilled daily and are doing the same stunts that have developed the 26th into such a fine body of men. This regiment was highly praised by General Hughes yesterday and with the training that the members of the 55th will receive it is pretty sure that before they leave they will also receive words of worthy praise from the same source.

Colonel J. L. McAvity said last night that fifty men would be transferred from the 55th to the 26th. This number joined the regiment last night, and will be connected with the battalion from now on.

Rotary Club.
The members of the various committees of the Rotary Club having in charge the conduct of the recruiting campaign are invariably imbued with the necessities and importance of the work they have undertaken, and nothing will be left undone towards making the campaign an unparalled success. A meeting of the committees has been called to take place in the rooms of the St. John Board of Trade, Prince William street, this morning at 11 o'clock. Plans for the vigorous prosecution of the recruiting work will be discussed and measures adopted with a view to accomplishing the largest possible results.

Last evening, the announcement was made that a big meeting had been arranged to take place in the St. Andrew's Hall on Thursday evening next at 8 o'clock. The speakers at the meeting will include Col. McLean, Col. Kirkpatrick and Major Weyman. These gentlemen have familiarized themselves with all branches of the military situation and are in a position to tell the citizens of St. John of the opportunity afforded them to assist in the Empire's battles and just exactly what enlistment in the 55th Battalion involves.

Thursday's meeting will be no means conclude the campaign in this vicinity. Already meetings have been arranged for, to take place at St. Martine and Lorneville on Saturday evening next in an effort to stimulate recruiting in these sections of St. John county. Prominent speakers will deliver addresses on the necessity of every available man responding to the call to arms.

A great deal of commendation is being heard on the streets of the city relative to the magnificent efforts of the local committees of the Rotary Club who are giving freely of their time, energy and ability to help along recruiting. A spirit of optimism that their efforts will bear substantial fruit pervades the community. Certainly the great work that is being carried on is deserving of a most enthusiastic support and a loyal, patriotic response.

Recruiting Brisk.
The recruiting for overseas duty has been particularly brisk in Minto. Forty men from that centre have joined the Empire forces. This means that ten per cent of the population of Minto are now in khaki. About twenty-three of these were local men, while the remainder were Belgians or French.

Del Welton was the latest Minto man to enlist. He offered his services Saturday afternoon at an open air meeting which was addressed by Mr. Evans of the Rothwell Coal Co. Sergeant Stairs of the 55th was the enlisting officer.

Sergeant Stairs addressed the congregation in the Presbyterian church, Minto, Sunday morning and in the evening spoke at a special recruiting meeting in the Baptist church. On Saturday night he addressed the audience between the shows at the local moving picture theatre.

C. O. McDougall, son of Charles McDougall of Upper Gaspeaux, has also joined the 55th. He is nineteen years of age.

Hasen Stillwell of Chipman volunteered his services to the Empire at

MAJOR-GENERAL HUGHES INSPECTS AND PRAISES 26TH

More than 700 Men and Officers are paraded and salute Canada's Minister of War— Compliments Officers and men on their smart appearance.



Major General Sam Hughes

The 26th New Brunswick Battalion was given a critical inspection by Major General Hon. Sam Hughes in the Barrack Square yesterday afternoon. Although many of the men were away on holiday leave more than 700 officers and men were on hand when General Hughes arrived on the parade grounds.

On his arrival at the grounds the general salute was given by the bugles. When he arrived at the inspection station Lieutenant Colonel McAvity gave the order for the general salute, which was given, while the fife and drum band of the battalion played.

The Battalion was then drawn up in mass, and after General Hughes had returned the salute he walked down the lines and made a personal inspection of each man.

The Battalion was then put through

some drill movements which were smartly carried out. These movements were praised by the General.

Salute Gen. Hughes.

The Battalion then marched past in column of platoons with the fife and drum band playing the march past. As the men swung past the station of General Hughes they saluted. The whole movement was well carried out and the soldiers made a fine appearance.

General Hughes had the Battalion march past twice, and then the men were drawn up in mass again and the officers called to the front, where General Hughes addressed them.

He first complimented the officers on the smart appearance of the men and the easy manner in which they carried out their drill. The showing and conduct of your men, said General Hughes, "is creditable indeed, and I know when you go into the firing line you will do your duty with honor to yourselves, your Battalion and our country."

"The boys of the first and second contingents have covered themselves with honor and brought honor to Canada. Their work in France has been all that could be desired, and the Canadians, who have so far been in the firing line, have held up the best traditions of the British arms."

"I know the officers and men of the 26th New Brunswick Battalion will live up to the standard set by the men of the first Canadian contingent."

In Trenches by June.

"You will be in the trenches by the last of June and I trust you may all do your duty as it comes to you, and may God bless you in your work."

General Hughes also addressed the men and gave them some advice on the use of their rifles and the manner of shooting.

He asked the soldiers to take off their hats and give three cheers for the late Queen Victoria and also for King George. Cheers were also given for General Hughes.

FISHERMEN REPORT SMALL CATCHES OF TROUT ON HOLIDAY

The lakes and streams throughout the province were well swept by fishermen on Saturday, Sunday and yesterday. Nearly every train that arrived in the city last night brought a large crowd of very tired, and in most cases, disappointed fishermen. There were a few, and very few of them who wore a smile, and these had fairly well filled baskets of trout, but the greater number of anglers report poor catches. One man said last night, that on Sunday and yesterday morning he had waded brooks and streams for a distance of thirty miles; he slept on the side of a bank Sunday night, slipped and fell into brook Sunday afternoon, he was sore and tired, but would not have cared so much if he had been able to bring home some fish. For all his trouble he said he had only been able to secure five small ones, and it was the worst luck that he has experienced in twenty-five years at the sport. He says the water in the lakes and streams is too high and very cold and it will be some time yet before the fishing will prove good.

PRIVATE SHAW "B" COMPANY, DIES AT ST. JOHN HOSPITAL

Private D. Shaw, of B company, 26th Battalion, died yesterday morning in the General Public Hospital of pneumonia. He had been sick for about a week. Private Shaw was the only son of G. H. Shaw, of Fredericton, and was twenty-four years of age. The body was taken to Fredericton in the afternoon, on the five o'clock train, under an escort of the Battalion.

Private Shaw was very popular with his comrades and much sympathy is expressed with those bereaved.

RAILWAY TRAINS ARE TAXED TO CAPACITY ON VICTORIA DAY

Yesterday all the trains of the Intercolonial and Canadian Pacific were taxed to the utmost. A very large number of people availing themselves of the opportunity afforded both by the holiday excursions and the fine weather, left the city on both lines. Some preferred to enjoy the cooling breezes which blew from the waters of the Kennebecasis, while others were attracted by the beauty and grandeur of the St. John. A great many visitors came to the city from points up the line who enjoyed the attractions of Seaside and Rockwood and the other amusements of the river.

The river boats also came in for their share of the travel, and large numbers enjoyed the excursions.

The S.S. Victoria carried a full passenger list when she left yesterday afternoon for points up the river. The Temple Band excursion on the steamer Majestic and D. J. Purdy were also well patronized.

The street railway also had a good day and large numbers enjoyed the refreshing sea breezes of the Bay of Fundy and the delightful strains of the "City Cornet Band. Street cars ran for the first time to the Three Mile House, and many enjoyed the privilege of beholding the low lying avenues which led into the city from the east. Many journeyed to the Capital while others went to Sussex in the hope of seeing the lately organized 56th at manoeuvres. A large number availed themselves of the opportunity of seeing the inspections of the 26th and the Construction Corps by our distinguished visitor Major-General Hughes.

The ever popular trip across the Bay on the S.S. Yarmouth was taken by many. Conditions in the city were quite although the moving picture houses and the Opera House did a good business. Many holiday makers and picnic parties took advantage of the boating on the Lake and Rockwood Park.

Taking it as a whole Victoria Day of 1915 was not far behind other years, and many were the tired but happy merry-makers who returned to the city in the evening.

EXPECT 26TH WILL BE IN TRENCHES BY THE LAST OF JUNE

The announcement that the 26th Battalion would be in the trenches by the last of June as made by Major General Hughes to the men yesterday, was received with general expressions of delight by both officers and men. It was felt that the long period of training was nearly completed and that the men were fit to take their places in the trenches. The men of the regiment were jubilant at the prospect of soon changing the scene of their activities.

ter a public meeting Friday night.

George E. Saunders, of Quispamsis, a member of D Co. of the 55th, collapsed about twelve days ago and was in the hospital in Sussex since. He was brought to St. John last night, and taken to the General Public Hospital. It is likely he will be operated on for appendicitis. He was brought to St. John by acting Sergeant Breen. Private Saunders enlisted in St. John.

Sergeant F. W. Stringer is in charge of the recruiting for the 55th in St. John. He will open an up-own recruiting office in the old de Forest building at the corner of Mill and Union streets opposite the S. J. John Railway Company office this morning. This office will be in addition to that at the armory.

Shows at Camp Sussex and reproductions of British recruiting posters are now available and will be shown in different moving picture theatres throughout the province.

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