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British Take Village Less Than Three Miles Away From Cambrai

The Drive Continues and All Gains Appear to Be Held; Great Work of the Tanks; The Cavalry at Last Coming Into Its Own

London, Nov. 22.—The village of Fontaine-Notre Dame has been captured by the British in their new offensive. The war office announcement follows: "Moving forward north of Cantain last evening, our troops attacked and captured the village of Fontaine-Notre Dame. They took prisoners."

Fontaine-Notre Dame is two and three-quarter miles southwest of Cambrai, on the main road between Bapaume and Cambrai.

ENEMY FAILURE ON AISNE

Paris, Nov. 22.—The Germans last night made a counter-attack on the Aisne front in an endeavor to recapture the ground won by the French in yesterday's offensive. The war office announces that the enemy was repulsed with heavy losses.

THE WORK OF THE TANKS AMAZING

British Army Headquarters in France, Wednesday, Nov. 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The present battle, more than any other in the western theatre, has taken on the flavor of lighting in other wars, when men struggled in the open and cavalry made thrilling charges against enemy guns. Field Marshal Haig has clung to his horse troops throughout the weary months of trench fighting. He believed that some day he would have a chance to use them and his judgment has been vindicated.

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COUNTER THREATS FAIL

The Germans have attempted very few counter-attacks thus far, and all of them have been smashed. The latest counter-thrust was reported last night near Denaincourt, and this was dealt with promptly. The Germans, who at the first attack yesterday retreated or surrendered in dismay, were fighting desperately today to regain a hold on their new positions.

WIDOW OF HARBOR MASTER TAYLOR DIES SUDDENLY

Suddenly, at an early hour this morning, Mrs. Margaret Wilkinson Taylor, daughter of Charles Cecil Mantell, Esq., of London, England, and wife of the late Charles E. Taylor, former harbor master of St. John, passed away at her home, 8 Queen Square.

GUNNER SPELLMAN HOME

Gunner Thomas Spellman arrived at his home, 41 Clarence street, this week, after two years and ten months of warfare. Gunner Spellman was attached to the 14th Brigade of the Imperial Army. He has been suffering from the effects of German gas.

RETREAT OF ENEMY BETWEEN SCARPE RIVER AND BAPAUME-CAMBRAI ROAD MAY BE THREATENED—LONDON HEARS NEWS CALMLY

London, Nov. 22.—Thus far England has taken quietly Field Marshal Haig's big victory in France. This morning's despite headlines and eulogistic articles in the newspapers and feelings of quiet exultation evidenced in private, the public went to its business as usual. Not an extra flag was flying and the bells have not yet aroused the people to a realization of what their armies have done in France.

POLITICAL ENEMIES OF OLD NOW FRIENDS

A Feature of Meeting in Fairville Last Night—Guys Ward Organization

Last evening a rousing meeting in the interests of the union candidates was held. By no means the least feature of the evening was an incident which went by quite unnoticed evidently by the large crowd and that was the very significant fact of William Golding and Amadore W. Anderson walking up the aisle together and taking seats on the platform.

To those acquainted with political history in Fairville the sight appeared most unusual. Councillor William Golding as chairman of the Conservative party for some years has been always recognized as the special opponent of Mr. Anderson, who has served his Liberal party faithfully in the past as chairman of their campaign.

At the meeting of the combined Liberal and Conservative union for the Guys ward in "Prentice Boys' Hall," West St. John, last evening, C. E. Bell and Elmer A. Young were elected joint chairmen and John Brown was chosen as secretary.

OWNERS SIX SALOONS BUT CAN'T ENTER THERE

New York, Nov. 22.—Many prosperous German business and professional men are now presenting a united front in the battle for union government.

At the last regular meeting of Pleasant Point T. O. H. at the Grand Hotel, the following were elected officers: W. C. Black and H. Earl, as follows:—W. A. George, president; V. Ernest, secretary; Boyd; A. R. Harry Straight; F. R. Ralph Keirstead; A. F. R. Charles Burns; J. John Street; W. W. Frank Ring; O. P. Fred Burns; Gov. C. B. Black; Ist. Asst. Gov. Harold Ring; 2nd Asst. Gov. Herbert East; 3rd Asst. Gov. Wm. Allan; P. W. A. Wm. Summerville.

VICTORY PROBABLY IS MUCH GREATER THAN HAS BEEN REPORTED

Retreat of Enemy Between Scarpe River and Bapaume-Cambrai Road May Be Threatened—London Hears News Calmly

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May Have To Give Up Piave Line But Fighting all the Time

Italian Army Headquarters, Wednesday, Nov. 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The battle in the mountainous region in the north, between the Piave and Brenta rivers, is nearing its culmination. It centres at Monte Grappa, and has become a struggle of giants.

LOCAL NEWS

COUNCIL DID NOT MEET—As there was no business of importance to be dealt with today the common council committee meeting was not held this morning.

TO BE AVIATOR.—Charles Marlin, an American, who has been living in this city for some time, will return to his home in Maine at the first of next week and go thence to Washington to join the flying corps.

BOSTON BOAT OFF.—An indefinite suspension of sailings of the Eastern Steamship Company's liners between here and Boston via Eastport, Lubec and Portland, was announced at the local office today.

SOLDIERS WHILE IN POLITICS.—That soldiers while in barracks, military quarters or military camps are not to take part in politics, was the admonition contained in a letter received this morning at military headquarters from Ottawa.

LODGE ANNIVERSARY.—The anniversary of Union Jack Lodge No. 1, P. A. U. L., was celebrated last night in the Orange Hall in Simonds street.

FOR INTERMEDIATE SENTENCE.—New Orleans, Nov. 22.—Speakers at today's general session of the annual congress of the American Prison Association, advised the judges to give intermediate sentence as the most fair to the prisoner and to society.

WEATHER REPORT.—RESULT OF WAR MAY HINGE ON FOOD SUPPLY.

Toronto, Nov. 22.—Speaking to women last night at a convention of the Ontario Women's Institute, Hon. W. J. Hanna, food controller, strongly urged his hearers to forget all minor differences of opinion as to methods, and to unite in co-operation with the food controller's efforts to conserve food supplies and release staple, exportable commodities for the soldiers and the people of the Allied nations in Europe.

ARREST OF KERENSKY'S WIFE IS REPORTED.—Petrograd, Nov. 22.—The wife of Premier Kerensky is reported to have been arrested by members of the Red Guard while tearing down Bolshevik posters in which Kerensky was referred to in uncompromising terms.

Express Rate Increase.—Washington, Nov. 22.—The interstate commerce commission announced today it would hold on December 7 a hearing on the application of express companies for a ten per cent increase in rates.

GRIEF TODAY IN MANY HOMES AS NEWS OF THE DEATH OF SOLDIERS COMES

The St. John Casualty List Today Heavy and in Nearly All Cases Ottawa Messages Report Death—One of the Men Won Military Medal

The long list of casualties and the number of telegrams received from Ottawa indicate that the Canadian forces and particularly the New Brunswick infantry and mounted rifle units have been through a heavy engagement, with the consequent loss of many men.

It is only natural that the question "Who will take their places?" should be asked. Where are the men coming from to fill the gaps in the line? Last week voluntary enlistment yielded a total of eighteen men for the entire province of New Brunswick.

H. S. Leonard Killed.—That his only son, Private Harry Simon Leonard, had been killed in action on November 6, was the sad news received this morning by C. Leonard, of 61 Adelaide street. Private Leonard, who was twenty-five years of age, had been engaged as city traveler for O. H. Warwick Co., Ltd., before enlisting.

C. J. Collette Killed in Action.—Mrs. Myrtle Collette of Loch Lomond road, was advised this morning that her husband, Private Clovis J. Collette, had been killed in action on November 6, Private Collette, who was in his twenty-fourth year, had been engaged as brakeman on the construction railway at the Norton Griffith works in East St. John before enlisting.

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COMMONS VOTES TO DISFRANCHISE THE CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS

London, Nov. 21.—The debate preceding a vote by which the House of Commons adopted an amendment to the electoral bill disfranchising conscientious objectors to war quickly showed that strong advocates on behalf of the objectors to the amendment were not lacking.

Lord Hugh Cecil entered an objection on the ground that the amendment would set up a law of the state as superior to moral law.

Several members urged some sort of discrimination and limit to the disfranchisement, and it is understood that at a subsequent stage of the bill an effort in this direction will be made especially in favor of objectors engaged in mine-sweeping and ambulance work.

SUIT AGAINST THE PULLMAN CAR PEOPLE.—Quebec, Nov. 22.—Mrs. T. Slade of Quebec city has entered suit yesterday for \$200 damages against the Pullman Parlor Car System.

Retreat ENDED.—A retreat for the sisters of the Good Shepherd was concluded yesterday by Rev. Father Moran of Father Point, Quebec.

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Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

THE SCREEN'S MOST GORGEOUS OFFERING

Thousands of Men and Horses—Mighty Caravan; Massive Spectacular Features; Wonderful Desert Sandstorm; Greatest Love Story Ever Screened

Film fans are doubtless alive with interest concerning the big spectacle to be offered at the Lyric next week, beginning Monday, "The Garden of Allah," which is said to be the most gorgeous and colossal spectacle ever offered in motion pictures.

PERSONALS

Brigadier-General A. H. Macdonnell, G. O. C. Military District No. 7, who was called to Ottawa on military business, returned to the city on today.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

MARRIAGES

PUGSLEY-HOWARD.—At the residence of the bride's father, 182 Broad street, on the 21st inst., by Rev. Robert S. Crisp, Jessie L., oldest daughter of H. Edwin Howard, to George M. Pugsley of Amherst, Nova Scotia.

CAMPBELL-DEAN.—On November 21st at West St. John, by Rev. J. H. Jenner, Gertrude J. Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Campbell, to Charles T. Dean of Musquoddy.

BIRTHS

LAWSON.—On Nov. 17, to Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Lawson, 118 Metcalf street—a daughter.

DEATHS

HAZELWOOD.—At West St. John, on the 22nd inst., Thos. E. Hazelwood, aged 78 years, leaving his wife, two sons (Boston and New York papers please copy).

O'CONNOR.—In this city on the 20th inst., at her residence, 89 Broadview avenue, Lucy, widow of James O'Connor, aged sixty-eight years, leaving one brother and one sister to mourn.

Funeral on Friday from her late residence; service at 2.30 o'clock.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

Colds Cause Headache and Grip. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVES signature is on box. 80c.

BEST SEATS FOR "OUT THERE" SELLING FAST

The seat sale for "Out There," the British wartime comedy-drama now creating such a furore in Halifax, opened at the Imperial this forenoon. There was a sharp demand for the choicest locations. This play is the best offering entering Canada this season. It is a truly metropolitan play, in culture of players and Broadway importance of much greater production than "The Brat" seen here a short time ago and in point of timing spirit and British inspiration the most amazing triumph of the war period.

FINAL SHOWING BILLIE BURKE PICTURE TONIGHT

"The Mysterious Miss Terry" at the Imperial proved a charming story yesterday and with Billie Burke and handsome Tom Meighan in the leading roles the photoplay was especially enjoyable. This is one of the super-Paramount productions that have placed the picture form of plays on such a high plane. It will be concluded tonight. The vaudeville offerings round out a splendid bill. Thousands of children are being sent by their parents to see Lamb's music theatre, the European novelty, that is not only laughable but artistic and clever. The boomerang throwing act is a novelty and the Personality Girls with their late songs entertain nicely.

OPERA HOUSE BILL PLEASING LARGE CROWDS

The splendid vaudeville programme at the Opera House is drawing large crowds this week and the excellence of the entertainment is worth the patronage. Music lovers are finding the instrumental offering of Cora Youngblood Corson and her nine lady musicians something that can be enjoyed more than once—Oden and Howland in their comic song, "Oh Pop" tickled the risibilities of the audience at every performance; Sing Ling Foo, the real Chinese magician, mystifies and amuses by the way he plucks barnyard denizens seemingly from the air and how he manipulates that extra large bowl is certainly a puzzle. There are two other acts on the programme as well as this week's chapter of "The Red Ace" is a thrill and sensation all the way through. Two complete performances this evening at 7.30 and 9. Tomorrow afternoon at 2.30. Popular prices.

DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS HERE TOMORROW

"When does the next Douglas Fairbanks picture appear?" This is one of the most persistent inquiries with which the Imperial Theatre staff is confronted daily. Since the athletic screen patriot formed his own company and began releasing his pictures through Arctcraft the sensational success of "In Again—Out Again" and "Wild and Woolly" has more than ever brought him to the foreground as the ideal American and the nation's favorite comedian. "Down to Earth," his newest Arctcraft offering recently engaged for presentation at the Imperial Theatre, will be shown there tomorrow and Saturday and that this production will more than satisfy the countless admirers of this infatigable actor is assured.

AGAIN TONIGHT

The vaudeville acts made a hit at the Gem last night. The picture is a good one, too; full programme again tonight at 7:15 and 8:45.

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LOCAL NEWS

Dukes Ward, Liberal, rooms open every night, 126 German street. T.I.

Ladies! See the French tailor at 29 German street, Tel. Me. 187-41. 11-29

Don't forget grand bazaar at 18 King street, on Dec. 5 and 6.

Art Club gathering this Thursday evening at Studio, Peel street. Illustrated lecture, "Florida and the South," by President Fisher.

Our display of women's shoes for fall is well worth coming to see. The \$6.50 and \$8.50 colored kid shoes are beautiful—Wiesel's Cash Stores, 248-247 Union street.

Sacred concert tonight, Carlton Presbyterian church. Kirk choir assisted by Fairville Methodist church choir.

Early appointments meet better results. Order your Xmas photos now at The Conlon Studio, 101 King street.

Have your own hat pushed, silk velvet and children's hat bargains at Store's estate sale, 185 Union.

The hardest test given any constable in the fitting room. Let it be your own. Const. Dept., Daniel, Head of King street.

Y. W. P. A. meeting tonight at War Veterans' rooms, Union street. Large attendance requested. Final arrangements for Santa Claus fair.

NOTICE
To chauffeurs and repair men. Regular meeting will be held at the Oddfellows' Hall, on Friday, Nov. 23, 11-24

Cheer up the boys at the front; buy them cigars, cigarettes, pipes and tobacco from Louis Green, Charlotte street, and get presents for yourself free with our profit-sharing coupons.

NOTICE
Mass meeting will be held in Orange Hall, German street, at 8 o'clock Friday afternoon. All sisters, wives and mothers of soldiers overseas are especially requested to attend.

NEWS OF SOLDIER.
S. E. MacDonald, formerly of Cook Creek, Queens Co., next of kin to No. 116288, Signaller Edgar Allen MacDonald, is requested to communicate with the office of the Western Union Telegraph Co.

NOTICE
Electors of Dukes Ward favorable to Union Government, will meet in the St. John Conservative Club room, Market Building, Charlotte street, this evening. CHARLES M. LINGLEY A. G. POTTER, Chairman.

IMPERIAL THEATRE
Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Major John Brown, secretary Canadian Y.M.C.A. Military Work, who has lately returned from France, will give an address: "A Soldier's Fight for His Life." Relatives and friends of the boys in khaki are especially urged to attend. 11-28

Are you interested in the price of boys' suits? If so see our display of suits at \$4.95. These suits are regular \$10 and \$12 suits, guaranteed make. We have only one hundred and fifty of them which we offer for sale at \$4.95 each. Sale on Friday, Saturday and Monday. Hurry before they are all sold. Remember the place, 200 Union street, Fraser, Fraser & Co., the leaders in low prices.

COME TO THE GRAND BAZAAR, DEC. 5 AND 6

Where do the proceeds of the grand bazaar go, you ask? To the hungry and naked children of the hero who is shedding his blood at every war front at the same time. Who is he? The wondrous Jew. We are scattered all over the world. Fathers and sons are being killed. We cannot help that. They are helping the accomplishment of the great aim—to crush German militarism. But why have the children to die in their earliest stages for want of a bit of bread and shelter? We appeal again to the hearts of the St. John people whom we did not reach or who doubted the committee, to be so kind, as to send in their donations to His Worship Mayor Hayes.

QUEBEC BROTHERS, APART FOR TEN YEARS, MEET IN FRONT LINE TRENCHES

Quebec, Nov. 22.—Two Quebecers, brothers, who had not met nor even heard from one another in ten years, recently came face to face in the front line trenches on the French front, according to a letter received here yesterday. They are Sergt. J. N. Beaupre and Sergt. Major Chas. Beaupre, both of St. Saviour parish, this city.

HERMAN E. SULLIVAN TO JOIN AVIATION CORPS

Herman E. Sullivan, son of Herman Sullivan of Alexandria street, who has just passed successfully at Halifax an examination for admission to the aviation corps, was advised today to report at Halifax on Saturday, to join a party of twenty, who will go on to Toronto. The young man is just twenty-one years of age, and has been employed in the export accounting department of the C. P. R. He has a wide circle of friends, especially in the north end of the city. An enthusiastic outdoor man, there is probably not a lake or stream within a 500 feet of whom he was not an officer. He has been a member of the St. John Power Boat Club since its formation, and one of its most enthusiastic members. In recent summers he and his father, mother and brother spent much time together on the river, and he will be sorely missed in the family circle. The good wishes of all his comrades and friends go with him.

PTE. A. PETTIGREW KILLED IN ACTION

Mrs. Edward Whitehead, 208 Brussels street, was advised this morning that her brother, Private Alcorn Pettigrew, of the 10th Battalion, was killed in action on November 6. Private Pettigrew enlisted in Truro with the 10th Battalion, but was later transferred to the 1st Battalion. He was twenty years old. Besides his mother he leaves two sisters, Mrs. Whitehead of this city, and a younger girl at home, and five brothers, Private Osborne, now in France, and Private Royal in the home guard in Halifax, and Harry, Arthur and Wallace all at home. Private Pettigrew's mother and his little sister are now residing in Colchester County, N. S.

RUSSIAN ARMIES IN CAUCASUS WIN VICTORY

Petrograd, Nov. 21.—The Russian Caucasus armies have won a marked success against the enemy along the River Dvay, according to information reaching the army and the workers' and soldiers' delegates. The Russians initiated an attack and overcame the enemy, capturing 4,500 of them, of whom 184 were officers. The morale of the troops is said to be excellent.

GREAT BARGAINS In Ladies' and Men's Suits and Coats.

You'll be surprised at the genuine values. Styles correct and cloths varied, your suit or coat is here for you. J. GOLDMAN 26 Wall Street. The New Store.

For Cash TOMORROW. GOOD THINGS TO EAT. MACKEREL AND THINGS.

FRESH CRANBERRIES, 14c. qt. FRESH PEANUT BUTTER, 30c. lb. FRESH CREAMERY BUTTER, 50c. lb. NEW DOMINICA ORANGES, 32c. doz. CANDIED PEELS are advancing in price. Sale Price, 37c. lb. Seeded Raisins, 12 oz. 12c. Seeded Raisins, 12 oz. 12c. Fancy Seeded Raisins, 18c. 20c. 20c. pkgs. Knox Gelatine, 17c. Dates in pkgs., only 10c. 1 lb. block Pure Lard, 32c. 1-2 lb. tin Crisco, 47c. 5 lbs. Onions for, 21c. 5 lbs. Rolled Oats, 30c. 24 lb. Whole Wheat Flour, \$1.70 3 lb. tin Tomato, 47c. 55c. lb. Lipton's Tea, 47c. 25c. tin Baker's Cocoa, 42c. 5c. pkgs. Cow Soda, 4c. Canadian Cheese, 27c. lb. 25c. bottle H. P. Sauce, 21c. 15c. Pure Gold Puddings, 12c. 1-2c.

SNIDER'S PRODUCTS
15c. tin Fork and Beans, 13c. 15c. tin Tomato Soup, 13c. 25c. bottle Tomato Catsup, 23c.

NEW FLORIDA GRAPEFRUIT, 10c.

SOAPS
5 cakes Lenox, 25c. 5 cakes Old, 30c. 5 cakes Sunpride, 30c. 5 cakes Ivory, 30c. 5 cakes Sunny Monday, 25c. 1 lb. Pure Castile, 13c. 10c. Pears' English Toilet, 8c. 20c. Pears' Glycerine, 15c. 25c. Pears' Scented, 18c.

No C. O. D. Orders For Specials Alone

GILBERT'S GROCERY

HEROIC DEED OF ST. JOHN SOLDIER

Sergt. Arthur Ingram Wins Military Medal—Captured Machine Gun and 10 Prisoners Single Handed

The news that Sergeant Arthur Ingram was awarded the Military Medal for capturing a machine gun and ten prisoners, single handed, is contained in a letter to his mother, Mrs. W. L. Ingram, 27 Meadow street, from a member of the imperial nursing staff. He has been wounded three times and now is in England convalescing from his last experience.

AMERICAN FEDERATION OF LABOR GUYS VICTORY BONDS

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 22.—President Gompers announced at today's session of the American Federation of Labor convention that, inasmuch as the executive council of the federation had subscribed \$10,000 for Liberty bonds, it had decided to buy \$10,000 of the Canadian Victory Loan bonds. The announcement was received with cheers.

VON TRITZ ON WAR SITUATION

Amsterdam, Nov. 22.—"America's entry into the war is disadvantageous to us in moral and many other ways," said Admiral Von Tritz, former German minister of marine, at a meeting in Dresden. "We ought to have reckoned magnates were bound to desire our defeat. I regret that we did not remain firm in the face of President Wilson's threats. If we had done so, things probably would have been very different, but now I would point out, however, that from a military viewpoint, America's entry into the war is of little significance to us, because it is the tonnage question that is decisive."

CORN HIGHER; OATS AT NEW HIGH LEVEL

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Scarcity of offerings brought about an advance in the price of corn today, under a little sag at the outset. Initial declines were ascribed to assurances that western stocks would receive more care soon to move supplies from the country. Unwelcome rain and mile temperatures, however, tended to make sellers more cautious. Opening quotations varied from the same as yesterday's finish to 1/2 cent lower, were followed by a material upturn all round. Oats touched high price levels for the season. Scarcity of arrivals appeared to make shorts nervous.

NEWS OF FREEDERITION

Fredericton, Nov. 22.—Dr. R. H. McCreath left this morning for Vancouver to meet the state of Maine commissioner to discuss the public health aspect of the small-pox situation.

ALLEGED ACTION BY GERMAN CATHOLIC BISHOPS

Washington, Nov. 22.—An official German statement radiographed from the government station at Berlin, and the Catholic clergy of Germany, rejecting the principle of sovereignty of the people, have aligned themselves in support of the monarchic and the monarchical constitution. The statement says: "The German bishops will read from the episcopal letter in which it is declared that the Catholics of Germany repudiate all attacks against the German ruler and the monarchic constitution of the state. The Catholics should protect the throne against outside encroachment and the sovereignty of the people which only brings other forms of inequality and servitude and constraint of which the world war offers many examples."

FITTING UP SCHOONER

"Kathleen Crowe" has been towed to the Thompson's slip, where she is being fitted under the supervision of Captain Perry Hatfield of Port Graville. N. S. Carpenters are also employed in fitting her cabin.

READY FOR CUSTOMERS

At King's house and street, West St. John, Ritchie & Harris are in the barber business and respectfully solicit a share of the featherweight's career. Electric shavers, mechanical and witchhazel steams and velvet shaves are added to their expert hair-cutting.

DEATH OF T. E. HAZLEWOOD

Many will learn with regret of the death of Thomas E. Hazlewood, which occurred at his home in George street, West St. John, this morning. He was a life-long resident of this city and was a ship-joiner by trade. He is survived by two sons, Dr. J. P. Hazlewood of West St. John and Arthur E. of Montserrat, three daughters, Mrs. F. W. Cunningham and Mrs. J. S. Sutherland of Boston, and Mrs. M. E. Gregg of Montreal; also one brother, John T. Hazlewood of Marysville, N. B.

Kilbane Quits Ring

New York, Nov. 21.—Johnny Kilbane's defeat at the hands of Benny Leonard in Philadelphia last summer marked the end of the featherweight's career. He has announced his permanent retirement from the ring, and will devote his time to instructing soldiers in boxing.

MAJESTIC'S LAST TRIP

The steamer Majestic will make her last trip of the season on Saturday morning, going if possible to Fredericton.

FIRE IN MILL STREET
An alarm from Box 182 was rung in early this afternoon for a fire in a barn just off Mill street. When the firemen arrived the fire was practically extinguished. The damage done was slight.

WEEK'S WORK OF THE U-BOATS

London, Nov. 21.—The admiralty statement regarding sinkings last week follows:—Arrivals, 2,381; sailings, 2,468; British merchantmen sunk by mine or submarine, over 1,600 tons; tonnage, 1,600 tons, seven; fishing vessels sunk, none; British vessels unsuccessfully attacked, two.

WOMAN'S EXCHANGE LIBRARY

Some new books:—"White Ladies" (F. L. Barclay); "The Major" (R. Connor); "Sin That Was His" (Packard); "Spot of Kings" (Roach); "Witness" (Lata); "Conquest" (Wadley), etc., etc. Rent our books.

GERMANS USE MASS ATTACK AGAINST ITALIANS

Italian Army Headquarters, Nov. 21.—(By the Associated Press)—The greatest mass attack which the enemy has made is in progress along the Upper Piave river at the point where it bends to the northeast into the Belluno Alps. As the action proceeds the enemy is bringing forward fresh masses of his reserves, including 20,000 mountaineers from Lower Hungary, troops notorious for brutal vandalism. The action through the day has shifted westward from Monte Tomai and Pertica, where the enemy rushes have been checked. The Italian positions remained substantially unchanged in the region of Monte Grappa. The monitor fleet which is co-operating with the Italian fleet off the mouth of the Piave is heavily shelling the enemy positions menacing Venice.

GERMANY'S NEW BILL ONE OF GOOD FEATURES

Noted Screen Stars in "A Square Deal," Two Entertaining New Vaudeville Acts
The Gem's new programme was much enjoyed at the performances last night. The picture feature is good and the vaudeville provides excellent entertainment. In the words of the profession, the act "went big."

WALL STREET NOON REPORT

New York, Nov. 22.—United States Steel's one point fluctuation measured the extent of the movement in leading stocks during the dull first hour. Activity of minor war specialties at one point to two point gains was ascribed to professional interests. Reading was strong of the rails, others of that group covering, however, from early reced. Steel's rise to 97 1/2 at noon in J. & S. strength to shippings and rails. Foreign conditions were reflected in another record for Italian exchange.

RECENT DEATHS

The death of one of Chaplin Island Roads residents, Mrs. Geo. Bayles, occurred on Friday night, at the age of sixty-four years. She was formerly Miss Katherine Donovan of Douglastown. She leaves her husband, the following children, George and Patrick, in the west; John, at home; Anne (Mrs. Pratt D. Ryan), Newcastle, and the Miss Sadie and Ellen, at home; also the following brothers and sisters, John Donavan, Douglastown; Daniel, New York; Mrs. Kelly, Douglastown; Mrs. Nor Power, New York, and Mrs. Ma Doyle, Junction City, Kansas.

VALUABLE LUMBER BURNED

Montreal, Nov. 22.—Valuable lumber, including a good deal of British Columbia pine, was destroyed late last night in the lumber yards of Wilfrid Dugas, beside the C. P. R. tracks here by a fire. The loss is estimated at about \$80,000, half covered.

N. S. Exhibition Deficit

Halifax, Nov. 21.—The annual meeting of the Nova Scotia provincial exhibition commission was held last night. The gross expenditure was \$41,209 and the receipts \$3,907 less. For admissions to the grounds the sum of \$28,070 was received.

NEW HOCKEY LEAGUE

Montreal, Nov. 22.—At a meeting here tonight a new hockey league will be formed. The clubs will be: Ottawa, Nationals and Wanderers from Montreal, and either Toronto or Quebec.

FOUR SONS IN UNIFORM

Edward N. Knox, of Milford, who was advised yesterday that his son, Pte. Hazen Knox, had received a gunshot wound just below the heart, has four of his six sons in the king's uniform.

CHRISTIE-YOKE

The marriage of Miss Rebecca Yoke of Jersey City, New Jersey, to John Edwin Christie, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Christie, formerly of Fredericton, occurred at the Methodist parsonage, Navy street, Harry E. and Charles C. of this city.

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"We that had loved him so, followed him, honored him, Lived in his mild, magnificent eye, Learned his great language, caught his clear accents, Made him our pattern to live and to die!"

"He alone breaks from the van and freedom, He alone sinks to the rear and the slaves. We shall march prospering, not thro' his presence, Songs may inspire us, not from his deeds. Deeds will be done, while he boasts his quiescence, Still bidding couch whom the rear back aspire."

For many years, Sir Wilfrid, I have watched your career with deep interest, and until the last three years with sincere admiration. I have seen you steadily and steadily guiding your country along the road which leads to national unity. I have noted your efforts to make actual among the people of this land that confederation which has been a political accomplishment fifty years ago.

With this war came to you, although in opposition, the chance to prove yourself the greatest man ever born to Canada. You could have made the people of Quebec understand that this was their war; that by self-sacrificing service they could weld themselves into the fibre of the nation to such an extent that no cleavage could any longer exist between them and the other provinces.

You could not accomplish this by any merely perfunctory acquiescence in the plans of the government. If the old Conservative government failed, as I and many others believe it did fail, in duly enlightening French-speaking Canada as to the meaning of the war, you could have remedied this fault. You could have shown that, with Canada at war, the old party differences counted for nothing; you could have made your Canadian minority not a brake but a spur to action by the government.

Have you duly considered the nature of the elements of the people to whom you must appeal for support in this election? If it were not for those who are influenced by selfish rather than patriotic considerations, you could be sure of success for you. It may be true that you are not appealing by name to the slacker and cowardly and to the selfish and the pro-Germans and the Nationalists, but it is in your votes that you will largely have to depend. No amount of verbal camouflage can hide the fact that the blind ones who think that Canada ought not to have done anything, the timid ones who think that Canada has done enough, and the sordid ones who think that Canada should devote all her energies from now on to making money, constitute the backbone of your following.

You have said that your life has been devoted to the creation of a national unity in Canada. Can you not see that your present course is demolishing all that you have accomplished? It is the noble-minded, not the base, who must be the leaders of the land if this country is to progress in things more vital than mere material prosperity.

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wards destroying this partnership, towards making impossible that national unity to which you have devoted your life? Your sole hope of political success rests upon your opposition to the Military Service Act. But upon whose shoulders, if not on yours, Sir Wilfrid, does the responsibility rest for the need of this act? It seeks to add to the forces of one hundred thousand men. You know that if that quarter of Canada from which you are sprung had given to our forces in the same measure as the rest of Canada, this additional one hundred thousand men would now be under arms. What have you done during the last three and a half years to make your people understand and come forward in the other provinces, where our English tongue prevailed, we have worked day after day and month after month to enlighten our people and to make them give the nation their strength.

We have given our sons and our manhood; we have urged the supreme need of obedience to duty; we have brushed away our tears over the untimely deaths of our first-born, and soothed the aching of our hearts with our pride in the valor of our blood. What have you done, Sir Wilfrid? Have you gone among the cities and villages and the hamlets of Quebec preaching the gospel of service in this war? Have you, disdainful of the infirmities of age, let no fear of toll or weariness deter you from urging unceasingly upon the French-Canadians their duty and their place in our arms?

Why have you not made it clear that, if as you propose, a referendum of Canada be taken on the question of compulsory service, your great influence will be used to promote its adoption? Do you believe in conscription if our needed forces cannot be otherwise obtained? Are you afraid to say that you do believe in it? Is it only now, when the alternative to voluntary service is compulsory service, that you are beginning to talk of what may be accomplished by voluntary enlistment?

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say that you do not believe in it lest you lose the vote of those who seek to save their consciences by the procrastinating a referendum, knowing full well that in conscription only lies the performance of duty? Is it decent, is it honest, is it brave, or is it merely politic for you, who seek to be the leader of this land, to keep your lips sealed upon the greatest issue ever presented to our people? Is it dignified to dodge the question and to try to conceal your true position behind the smoke of generalities and our platitudes which trip lightly from the tongue?

With the rest of your manifesto I have quarrelled. But for a few matters of entirely minor import, it scarcely differs from the announced programme of the Union government, except that what you say is mere words without concrete proposals in place of the definite proposals of responsible administrators. You have not shown that your devotion to Canada's share in the war is more than lip-service; until you can prove this you may be able to cajole the timid and these whose minds are muddled, but you will not be able to convince those clear-minded citizens who put Canada glorious and true above all other considerations.

Examine yourself, Sir Wilfrid, and see whether you can explain your course—for neither you nor any man can justify of our first-born, and soothed the aching of our hearts with our pride in the valor of our blood. What have you done, Sir Wilfrid? Have you gone among the cities and villages and the hamlets of Quebec preaching the gospel of service in this war? Have you, disdainful of the infirmities of age, let no fear of toll or weariness deter you from urging unceasingly upon the French-Canadians their duty and their place in our arms?

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ALIEN ENEMIES BUY WAR BONDS Southey, Nov. 22.—Suburb district of Northern Ontario division, in the Victory Loan drive, has set the objective ahead to three-quarters of a million, with the more optimistic satisfied that the million mark will be reached.

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OUR HEROIC DEAD.

Earle Logan is dead. A wife has given her husband, a father his son, to the cause of righteousness in this war. The young man himself, whom so many of us knew in a friendly way, has given us an almost continuous record of unimpaired news for some time past. It is not surprising that in England they talk of ringing joy bells tomorrow.

LEND A HAND.

The facts presented by Hon. Dr. Roberts in his address to the Associated Charities yesterday deserve the widest publicity. While he was dealing especially with the matter of medical inspection, the address covered much other ground in relation to the public health, and made very clear the need of a public health department as a department of the government.

THE BRITISH VICTORY.

The British drive through the Hindenburg line, bringing the victors within gun range of Cambrai, is an event worthy to be celebrated, for it was carried out with relatively light losses and actually pierced the German lines, making gaps through which the cavalry poured to harass the surprised and beaten enemy.

or surrendered. The reinforcements brought up were routed or captured, or forced to retreat. Everywhere the British were successful, and the end is not yet.

The receipt of the news yesterday was joyously welcomed. It was a break in an almost continuous record of unimpaired news for some time past. It is not surprising that in England they talk of ringing joy bells tomorrow.

Of eighteen working boys of whom enquiry was made at the Boys' Club last night, twelve had left school in the fifth, or fourth, or third grade. The community has not been fair to these boys. If enquiry were made of all the working boys, and those who are now young men, what would it reveal? Our compulsory school law is a farce.

Every friend of union government must exert his or her influence to the utmost. The most determined efforts are being made to begot the issue, to arouse prejudices, to appeal to personal and selfish and partisan feeling, and so defeat the government which refuses to desert the men in the trenches.

The British infantry is incomparable. In yesterday's fighting it charged German guns and captured them. This is a feat usually assigned to cavalry. Indeed the cavalry did charge and capture enemy batteries, but the infantry, when the necessity arose, did not wait for any assistance.

New Brunswick should not permit the Victory Loan to pass unheeded. To buy Victory bonds is to help win the war. Of what value would any Canadian's money be to him or her if the Germans won? Even for selfish reasons people should purchase Victory bonds.

The Australian government has staked its existence on the conscription measure. It knows the need, and will not be a party to any action which would weaken Australia's war effort. It stands for the support of the men at the front.

The suspension of the St. John and Boston steamship service is another reminder that we are at war, and that the United States is also throwing itself wholeheartedly into the struggle.

At last the British cavalry have got their chance on at least one section of the western front. We are told they are rendering invaluable service in the Cambrai sector.

Gen. Byng, who fought at Gallipoli, and who led the Canadians at Vimy Ridge, is the hero of the drive at Cambrai. We are told he staked his chances on the tanks—and they did not fail him.

The magnitude of the Cambrai victory may be gauged by the statement that the Hindenburg line there was the strongest the Germans had laid down in the west.

The women of New Brunswick, who have given their men to the war, may be relied on to vote for the government which will send aid to those men without delay.

The Great War Veterans' Association support the union government. They know the need of men at the front. If we honor our returned heroes we will send the needed help to their comrades.

Mr. Elkin and Mr. Wigmore are meeting with a hearty reception everywhere, but nothing should be taken for granted in this campaign.

Even victory means a long casualty list. Canada must fill her thinning ranks at the front. Vote for union government and the boys in the trenches.

The Italians appear to be holding the Austro-Germans along the entire front. If they are able to do so permanently their Allies will breathe more freely.

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Henry Flagler Left \$75,000,000 Estate

Transfer Tax Report Shows He Spent \$50,000,000 on Florida Enterprises

Had No Auto or Jewelry - Appraiser Reveals the Loss of a List of Personal Effects in Summer Home, Valued at \$2,304

(New York Times.) Henry M. Flagler spent \$80,000,000 on his Florida enterprises alone, and left an estate valued at at least \$75,000,000 when he died on May 20, 1913. This, when he died on May 20, 1913, was with many interesting facts regarding Mr. Flagler's early life and business career, were made known yesterday when Albert J. Berwin, transfer tax appraiser, filed his report on the value of Mr. Flagler's property subject to a tax in New York. The report reveals the fact that a list of the personal effects in Mr. Flagler's summer home at Orienta Point, Manarouck, appraised at \$2,304, has been lost and it was accordingly impossible for appraiser Berwin to determine whether this sum was the true valuation of property taxable here. Mr. Flagler's New York property, which includes only real estate and tangible property, was valued at \$888,288. Of this amount \$290,200 is the appraised value of his thirty-two acres of land at Orienta Point, where he usually spent his summers. His stable at 21 West Fifty-fifth street was worth \$90,000, but the contents all belonged to his former coachman. He had no automobiles or jewelry, but owned three horses and a motor boat at Orienta Point. He rented it. All his New York estate went to his widow, the late Mrs. Lily Flagler Bingham, as residuary legatee.

The question which caused Appraiser Berwin and Charles M. Travis, attorney for the state controller, more or less concern was the failure of the Flagler estate representative to produce a list of the property appraised at \$2,304 in the list of assets filed in Florida, showing property at Orienta Point, worth this sum. He said that this amount did not include paintings, silverware, glassware, bric-a-brac, books, ornaments, etc., which were not appraised.

Some Articles Excluded. A letter from the late J. R. Parrott, one of the executors of the estate, to Baellenfaussen asking him to appraise the property, excluded the articles mentioned, but the reason was not shown. It was suggested that this property all belonged to Mrs. Flagler Bingham, and for that reason was excluded, but also of Mr. Parrott the appraiser was not able to get information on this point. A new list could not be made because the house has been emptied of its contents, some of which were given to Mrs. Flagler and other articles distributed among legatees.

The appraiser was examined at length by Mr. Berwin in an effort to get some light on the question, and said that he had a list of the property but destroyed it some time ago.

It was surprising that Mr. Flagler should have so unimportant a house for a man of his money," the appraiser testified. "The furniture was motified, and was superannuated and out of style. Nearly all of it was over-stuffed furniture, and much of it was bought in 1882. Mr. Flagler had no antiques." For the purpose of proving that Mr. Flagler was not a resident of New York, an affidavit was made by Mr. Beardley containing facts concerning his life and business career, written from information given by Mr. Flagler to his pastor, the Rev. Dr. George Morgan Ward, of St. Augustine for the purpose of an intimate personal history. The affidavit stated that Mr. Flagler's father was a Presbyterian minister at Hammondsport, N. Y., earning \$800 a year at the time Mr. Flagler was born, and that the son was compelled to leave home at the age of fourteen, in 1844, to earn his own living.



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(From Life)

How far we are removed from the days when Kingsley sang, "For men must work, while women must waver," even a superficial glance, such as this must needs be, at what women are doing in Great Britain and France today will show.

"Are we down-hearted? No! It is their battle cry, too, and they 'carry on' as bravely as any warrior of the mail. 'Carry on' is the password. The soldier writes home to his wife, 'Carry on!' The wife writes back, 'Carry on!' Out of all Britain, out of all France, out of the dominions and colonies, men must die in their thousands. They know it, their women know it, but out of the depths of their soul they cry, 'Carry on!' It is their answer to hymns of hate. It says nothing against the enemy, nothing even of England or France; it's the hymn of the individual; it expresses all the impetuous egotism—all the inextinguishable humors—all the personal elevation above sacrifice, pain and loss all the utter mystical reliance on sheer character, that supreme eidolon of the English and French, to smash the infernal machine—hat Britain and France have bred in their children.

In 1914, before the war, there were fewer than two hundred thousand women workers (mostly in textile factories) in Great Britain. There are now, 1917, over eight hundred thousand making munitions alone; over two hundred thousand in engineering and chemical works and other allied industries; metal trades; over one hundred thousand employed on the land, besides thousands of others at work in medical, drivers of motors, ambulances, street cars and omnibuses, cabs; in every kind of work on the railways, as letter carriers and in clerks in banks and offices of every description. Their numbers have not been reckoned, perhaps never will be, and the end is not yet. The call comes, and they respond to the tune of eighteen thousand a week. As was said of them by the superintendent of one of the largest munition factories, "They're saving the country. They don't mind what they do. Hours? They work ten and a half or, with overtime, twelve hours a day, seven days a week. The government insists on two Sundays, or at least one of a month. But the women resent it. 'We're not tired,' they say. And they work a bit of extra work—they stay and get it done, and pour out of the works, singing and laughing. In one factory, near here, for nearly a year the women have never had a holiday. They won't take one. 'What will our men do at the end of it? We go holiday-making.' At first men were provided to lift the heavy shells in and out of the machines, but the women thrust them aside in five minutes. And these women are from all classes. Girls who never before lifted a finger, even to help themselves, work side by side with the maids who formerly dressed them and tied their shoes, and

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GOMPERS' POLICY IN WAR IN ACCORDANCE WITH UNION LABOR

While Pacific by Nature He is a Fighting Man When Gang of Murderers is Abroad

Union labor put its stamp of approval on the attitude of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in working hand-in-hand with President Wilson and placing the needs of the nation above all other considerations in questions involving the workingman's part in a vigorous prosecution of the war against Germany.

A vote of confidence came after more than three hours of debate in the Buffalo meeting in Buffalo, in which the pacifist element at the 27th annual convention of the federation was given ample opportunity to express itself. Out of a total of 400 delegates only fifteen were recorded in opposition. The garment workers of New York, under the leadership of Rose Shapiro, was the only organization refusing to go on record on the roll call.

President Gompers closed the debate in a ringing speech in defense of the alliance and his own position. "By those who have opposed the report and the recommendation of this committee," he said, "my name was not always mentioned, but my position was, and there is no difference between the two. For instance, I may recall that intimations were made of my hobnobbing with the enemies of labor. Now I have always said this: 'I will go anywhere to bring the message of hope to labor even to the camp of the enemy.'"

"If there is anyone who can bring an utterance of mine, made anywhere, that was not in the definite rights of the laboring people, let him do so. I defy you. I charge you."

Mr. Gompers went into the history of the people's council, pacifist organization, which he said was an outgrowth of the socialist movement. He took full responsibility for the calling of the Minneapolis meeting of the alliance for labor and democracy.

"I Am a Fighting Man."

"The situation demanded," he said, "that there should be a clearest distinction between what these people represented and what the trades unions stood for. The fact is that the socialists since the Detroit convention, when they failed to break in, have made war upon the American Federation of Labor. They sought to discredit it. They started the western labor union, the American labor union, and they started the I. W. W. and finally they started the so-called People's Council. In the one instance it was rivalry to the American Federation of Labor and in the last it was hostility to the representatives of the United States."

"I am not neutral in this war. Pacifist as I have been all my life, when I find there is a band of murderers abroad and I fail to defend my children, I am not a pacifist but a coward."

"President Wilson and the members of his cabinet were peace-loving men; I know of no militarist in their number. But now they are fighting men, and I publicly declare now that I am a fighting man and will continue to fight for the country to which I owe all, the country which I love and in which my hope and aspirations are bound up."

"I propose to do man's duty in helping to make this war life last war of this world. All my energies shall be laid at the feet of America and of our Allies to do what I can toward the establishment of democracy, even in Germany."

The first vote was taken on an amendment offered by the opposition to table the report. It was offered by Delegate Cannon, who said the alliance was no concern of the federation. It was defeated. The roll was then called on the adoption of the committee's recommendation, resulting: Yes, 21,879; noes, 492.

Wallace Stevens for whose arrest a warrant had been issued on the charge of boot-legging, gave himself up to Inspectors Crawford and Barrett yesterday afternoon, and was fined \$200 in the police court. With a fine of \$50, taken from John Nickerson yesterday afternoon on a charge of supplying liquor, this makes a total of \$250 from Sheriff street residents within two days for violations of the prohibition act.

with women from the fields and the factories, all quite happily and without friction, "on their honor." They may not be as strong as the men, but what they lack in strength they make up in spirit.

Dr. Addison, minister of munitions, was able to announce to the House of Commons on June 24, 1917, that "Sixty to eighty per cent of the machine work on shells, fuses and trench-warfare supplies is now performed by women. They have been trained in aeroplane manufacture, gun work, and in almost every other branch of manufacture." He informed the house also of the financial recognition this devotion was receiving: look at the average rate of wages of women on the rate, working forty-eight hours per week, had been more than doubled since the beginning of the war, and the minimum wage almost equalled that average.

They are not only working in the factories, they help build them. Doing the heaviest sort of laborers' work, excavating, brick-laying and carpentering, they stick at nothing, these splendid women.

So it is with the women and girls who have come forward to answer the demand for labor on the land. Much fun has been poked at the farmerette, but credit of a very high degree must be given to the delicately nurtured girl who voluntarily rises before sunrise and works until after sunset at laborious and distasteful tasks; cleaning pigsties, perhaps, or handling that "fearful wild-fowl," the horse, about which she only knows that "one end bites and the other both," or bending painfully over the plough tills. She, too, is doing her bit; all honor to her! Then again, take the women who stand hour after hour, for long hours, taking fares on trams and buses, wet through often; or run the lifts which serve the underground trains in the London subways; or handle the luggage, and open and shut railway carriage doors—no light task on an English train rapidly moving out of a station. And all so bravely and cheerfully. A girl working a London underground railway lift asked by a soldier, "How many hours do they make you work?" refusing to be patronized, retorted gaily, "How many hours do they make you work?"

work in the trenches?" The soldier waited till she had opened the gate, passed out toward his train, and then, turning back, shouted, "But ours is pleasure!" The girl looked after him, beaming, slammed her gate shut, and as she started up again chuckled, "That's a good one!" That's the spirit that is invincible. It has been well said of them: "The women of England go about their warring chuckling, as the men do, and would thank no one to point out that the chuckle drowns the sob." It is the Happiness of Dedication.

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET Quotations furnished by private wire of J. M. Robinson & Sons, St. John, N. B. New York, Nov. 22.

Table of stock market quotations including columns for various stocks like Am Zinc, Am Car & Foundry, Am Locomotive, etc.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

Table of Montreal transactions including items like Dominion Steel, Steel Co., and others.

IRREGULAR CHANGES AT MARKET OPENING

New York, Nov. 22.—(Wall street)—Irregular changes marked today's initial dealings in the stock market, declines outnumbering gains.

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Whooping cough, although specially a disease of childhood, is by no means confined to that period, but may occur at any time of life.

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Games of all kinds are also prominently displayed. These include Across the Continent, Chivalry, Table Croquet, Bull in a China Shop, Comical Animals, Tompkins, Bingling Brothers' Circus, Sharp Shooters, Hunting, At the Front, Boy Scout Tompkins, Battle of Nations; also a wide variety of Card Games.

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LOCAL NEWS

NEWS OF GUNNER RANDALL
Mrs. Elizabeth Randall, next of kin of No. 88,581, Gunner Edward Randall, is requested to communicate with the office of the Western Union Telegraph Co.

POLICE COURT
The police court sheet contained one case this morning, a charge against Clarence Phinney for assaulting John Ross this morning at an early hour. The matter was put off until this afternoon and may be settled out of court.

ENTERTAIN OVERSEAS MATRON
The executive of the Catholic Red Cross Circle entertained Miss Edith McCafferty, matron in the C. A. M. C., yesterday afternoon at the residence of her president, Mrs. J. B. Maher. Many members of the circle attended. Miss McCafferty left this morning for Bangor and Lowell to visit her sisters.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY
Early this morning the police were notified of an attempt to break into the grocery store of James J. MacAulay, at the corner of Queen and Wentworth streets. When Mr. MacAulay arrived this morning he found that the door had been tried to get in the back window and had made an almost successful attempt to force the rear door. A search of the premises showed an effort was made to break into the shop.

DEAN-CAMPBELL
The home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Campbell, West St. John, was the scene of a very pretty wedding yesterday afternoon at four o'clock, when their daughter, Gertrude J., was united in marriage to Charles T. Dean of Mansquash. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Jenner. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a gown of blue silk with gold trimmings and carried a bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums. She was attended by her little niece, Wilma A. Vaughan, as flower girl, who looked very charming in pink silk and carried a basket of white and pink chrysanthemums. After the ceremony a wedding supper was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Dean left for Boston and other American cities. The bride's traveling suit was of brown broadcloth with large black velvet hat. The young people are both very popular, as the numerous and costly presents testified, and are followed by the best wishes of many friends.

HON. MR. RITCHIE SPEAKS OF DEATH OF LEUT. G. EARLE LOGAN

In opening the city court this morning, Hon. R. J. Ritchie made a feeling reference to the death of Lieut. G. Earle Logan, who died in the war in France. "I regret to hear," he said, "and I am sure that all the members of the profession of the law here today will regret to hear of the death of Lieut. Logan, who has fought his last fight in France. All who knew him as I have known him before me in court, realize what a loss he was to the community and will sympathize with his bereaved family."

SIX THOUSAND TOO HIGH ESTIMATE OF THE WOMEN VOTERS

Sheriff Wilson Thinks 3,000 is Nearer the Mark—Election Returns Here Will be Late

There has been considerable speculation regarding the number of names which will be added to the lists in this constituency as a result of the extension of the franchise to the women relatives of overseas soldiers. An estimate of 6,000 has been made and frequently quoted, but the returning officer, Sheriff Amos A. Wilson, has not found evidence to support the theory that the number will be so large. The information he has received so far would indicate that the number will be nearer three than six thousand.

The increase in the number of voters and the additional territory to be covered will make the task of counting the ballots a much heavier one than former years. To this extra work must be added the additional counting arising from the fact that each voter in St. John and Albert counties will be voting for two candidates instead of for one only, as in other years. Under these circumstances it will be later than usual by the time the totals are secured for the constituency.

WEATHER WAS AGAINST WORK OF THE AIRPLANES

Eleven British Machines Missing—Only Five of the Enemy Seen

London, Nov. 22.—An official statement on aviation operations issued last night says:—"On Tuesday our airplanes attempted to work throughout the day in conjunction with our operations between St. Quentin and the Scarpe river. Low clouds, mist and a strong westerly wind with an occasional drizzle of rain throughout the day made it necessary for our patrols to fly very low from the ground. Even at that height they were at times quickly lost in the mist."

"Continued attempts were made to maintain contact with our advancing troops, but this was rendered almost impossible by the weather conditions. Many bombs were dropped on enemy batteries, lorries, airdromes, transport, and railways. Batteries and small groups of infantry were attacked with machine gun fire. Very valuable information was gained, despite the very difficult weather conditions.

FAMILY THAT HAS GIVEN MUCH IN WAR; SUPREME SACRIFICE BY ONE



This is a picture of Private George Raymond Adams, recently killed in action at the front, leaving his wife and two small children at his home, 60 City Street, St. John. He enlisted with the 140th Infantry and had been overseas for nearly two years. Of four brothers, Campbell and had been overseas for nearly two years. Of four brothers, Private Stanley has been returned home incapacitated while with the 20th in France. Jerome, now in Cuba, with his leg off at the thigh; Philip saw fighting in the Dardanelles, losing an arm, a leg and an eye, and Benjamin is the only one who has remained at home. There are also five sisters and his mother, Mrs. Susan Adams.

PROBLEMS OF THE VOTING HERE

The Work of the Enumerators—Addition of Names of Soldiers' Women Relatives

The addition of the women relatives of overseas soldiers to the list of voters has given rise to more than one problem for the returning officer to settle. One of the latest of the proposals of increasing the number of polling places in order to accommodate the increased number of voters. There is supposed to be one polling place for each 300 voters but in some cases the number of women voters is likely to over-run the estimate and it will be necessary to arrange additional booths.

Sheriff Wilson, speaking to the Times, paid a high tribute to the way in which most of the seventy-two enumerators are going about the work. There are a few who have been slack and it is possible that some steps will have to be taken in their cases, but the majority of the men will have their lists as complete as possible by the given time.

FURTHER WORD AS TO RUSSIAN PEACE HOPES

Petrograd, Nov. 21.—The formal offer of an armistice to all the belligerents which the council of people's commissaries of all-Russian workmen's and soldiers' congress proposes to make soon, is not intended to forecast any effort towards a separate peace. On the contrary, it is declared definitely here, that not only is a separate peace not desired, but that the rejection of the armistice proposed by Germany, even should it be suspected, would mean a continuation of the war by the revolutionary army with vigor against German imperialism until the German people, "inspired by Russian democratic ideas," overthrow their rulers and demand peace.

Confidence is expressed here, however, that the Russian initiative will bring the desired results if not with the allied governments, then through the insistence of the people of the allied countries, who, it is predicted, will bring pressure to bear on their governments.

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Dark Brown Corduroy Jackets, Heavy Sheep skin lining, Beaverette Collar	\$12.00	Brown or Fawn English Corduroy Trousers, Cuffs at bottom	\$3.75
Black Leather Jackets, thick Sheep skin lining, Goat Collar	\$15.00	Blue Overalls	\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00 per garment
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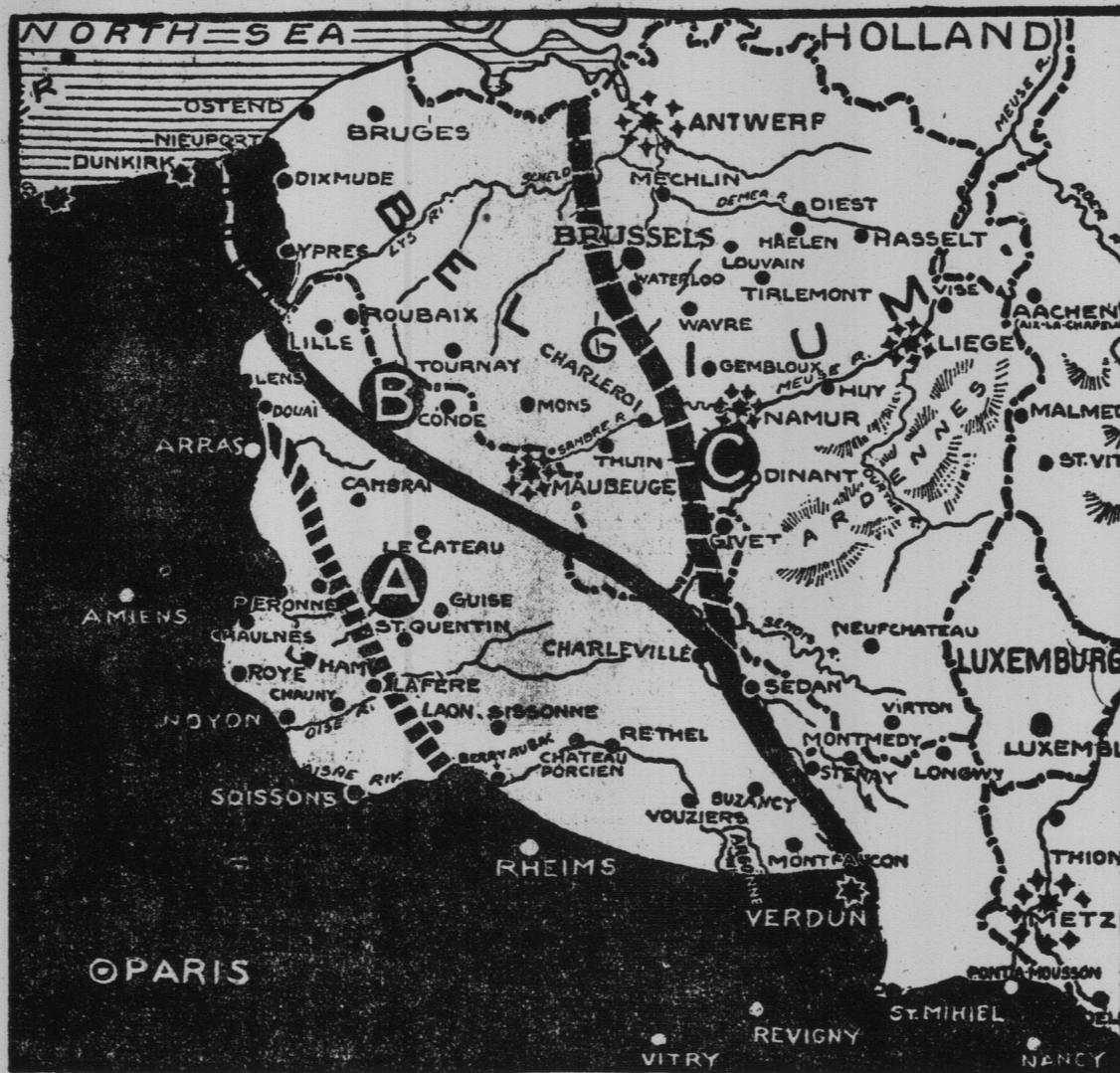
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British Infantry Charge Big German Guns And Cavalry Capture Battery

Gallant Work in the Big Push - General Byng Planned and Carried Out The Great Drive; Staked Chances on Tanks and They Did Not Fail

British Army Headquarters in France, Nov. 21—(By the Associated Press)—In severe hand-to-hand fighting at Ploeghe...

thousands of Germans were in the British eyes this morning for any one to see who cared to visit them.



The famed Hindenburg line—no longer a line—is shown plainly on the map above, running in the heavy dotted line (A) from Douai to Laon.

FACTS ABOUT NAVAL FIGHT OFF HELIGOLAND

British, in Pursuit of Germans, Dashed Into Mine Fields—Large Enemy Ships Kept in Safety

London, Nov. 22—The British admiralty last evening issued a report dealing with the engagements on Saturday off Heligoland...

FORMAL OFFER OF ARMISTICE

Enemy and Ally Alike To Receive Russian Suggestion

London, Nov. 21—A Petrograd message received by the British admiralty by wireless press says:

TO CONTRACTORS

Lump sum tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned until noon, the 24th instant...

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CANDIDATES APPROVED BY GOVERNMENT

The Quebec and Maritime Provinces Names—No Decision as to Choice in Westmorland

- Ottawa, Nov. 21—The following candidates in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces have been approved by the government: District of Quebec...

CANADIANS REJOICE AT SUCCESS OF OLD LEADER

Marked Enthusiasm Over Success in Great Attack Against Germans—All Forces Electrified by It

Canadian Headquarters in France, Nov. 21, via London—(By W. A. Willson, special correspondent of the Canadian Press)—The splendid British advance has electrified the allied forces on the western front.

GERMANY PAYS FOR TWO HUN OUTRAGES

The Hague, Nov. 21—It is officially announced that Germany has paid compensation for the sinking of the Dutch steamer Bloemerdijk...

PACIFIC DAIRIES LIMITED MEETING OF BONDHOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of holders of bonds of PACIFIC DAIRIES, LIMITED, constituted by trust mortgages...

Trouble in Finland

Copenhagen, Nov. 21—A despatch from Haparanda, Sweden, says that a compromise having been reached between the Socialists and Bourgeois parties in Finland, directed against the Russian military, fighting is likely to begin at any moment.

Why You Should Buy Victory Bonds

First, because you are a Canadian. Your country is at war. Our neighbors were attacked by the vandals of Germany...

SHOE LACES LED TO CONVICTION OF JAP MURDERER

Ottawa, Nov. 22—In the dry as dust records of the Justice department it is already known as the "tragedy of a boot-lace," and in all the histories of Canadian criminology these perhaps never was a case with so many strange features...

NORTHCLIFFE VIEWS ARE CONTRADICTED

London, Nov. 22—J. H. Thomas, Labor M. P., speaking at Leicester, warned his hearers not to accept statements in Lord Northcliffe's letter to the premier as reflecting American opinion.

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UNION CANDIDATES IN TOUR OF THE WARDS MEET WITH GREAT RECEPTION

The Union candidates, R. W. Wigmore and Stanley E. Elkin, were enthusiastically received last night when they visited several of the ward headquarters in the city, and also in Lancaster. Very forcibly and plainly the two candidates plied the real issue before the electors. Everything boiled down to the appeal that the winning of the war was the country's whole work at the present time and it was the purpose of the Union government to send men to the reinforcement and support of the gallant Canadians in France, whereas Laurier's policy was one to delay the winning of the war. To put in practice the principles laid down in his manifesto, the speaker pointed out, would mean that no more troops would be sent across until nearly two years from now. Canada would be quitting the war just as Russia is now quitting.

The kernel of the whole situation was set forth explicitly by Stanley E. Elkin, when addressing the large meeting in Lancaster. He said that while negotiations for the formation of a union government were in progress he attended a meeting at which Hon. Mr. Pugsley and Hon. F. B. Carvell were present. Sir Wilfrid Laurier was asked to insert in his manifesto a proviso that he would enforce the provisions of the Military Service Act. He replied, "No, not until I have consulted Quebec."

Mr. Elkin, who appeared before many of the electors for the first time, was splendidly received. Only when remarks of the speakers were interrupted by persons at the back of the hall did he give vent to the full force of which he is capable. He flayed the intruders in fine style and, needless to say, there were no further interruptions. Both candidates appealed for the support of the straight union ticket. Neither wanted individual support. They were out in the field through any personal ambition, but were out to offer their services in the best interests of the country.

J. A. Sinclair the Speaker. J. A. Sinclair, who is joint chairman of the union executive, with L. P. D. Tilley, also spoke at the various meetings and explained clearly why he was obliged to desert the principles advanced by Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The war situation was such, he said, that there could be no delay in taking a referendum. In a matter of fiscal policies he was still a staunch Liberal, but during the war he had no party. His country was the first consideration.

The party, including the two candidates and Mr. Sinclair, first visited the headquarters of Guys and Brooks wards West St. John. Although the candidates were unexpected, there was a large crowd there, including many of both the old Liberal and Conservative parties, and they were cheered heartily upon entering the hall.

George Waring, chairman of the meeting, spoke a few introductory words and introduced the candidates. Both spoke briefly, laying stress upon the main issue of the campaign. Waring was given the electors not to let this issue become clouded by subsidiary questions which would be raised by the opposition. Each of the candidates appealed for the support of the union ticket not alone for the candidates but for the principles for which they stood—whether Canada should remain in the war in its full vigor or withdraw like Russia.

"His Boy at the Front." Mr. Wigmore said that he was much touched by the remarks of A. M. Belding, editor of the Times, at the Liberal convention, and he believed those remarks epitomized pretty well the feelings of right-minded people throughout Canada.

Mr. Belding said: "My politics now is my boy at the front." Mr. Wigmore said his politics, too, was his boy at the front; and the politics of every Canadian in the present crisis should be the boys at the front.

Three cheers for the candidates were given as they were leaving the hall. From there the candidates proceeded to the headquarters of Lancaster, Tenpenance Hall, Main street, Parrville. The place was packed with enthusiastic supporters of union government. The organization meetings had about concluded when the candidates entered. W. E. Golding, formerly chairman of the Conservative party, was elected chairman; Amadore A. Anderson, former Liberal chairman, vice-president, and Patrick McMurphy, secretary. Among the speakers who had addressed the meeting were Mr. Golding, Mr. Anderson, John W. Barry and W. E. Barie.

Mr. Wigmore's Address. As Mr. Elkin and Mr. Wigmore entered they were heartily welcomed. Mr. Wigmore was first called upon to speak. So far as personal ambition was concerned, he said, he would rather remain administering the water department here. During the last six years he had received the hearty support of the electors and this he considered was evidence that they appreciated his services. When it was put up to him, however, that he might better serve the interests of the country at Ottawa he could not resist accepting the nomination.

"I would that every one of you," he continued, "realized your responsibility in this issue as I do." The only question now is how Canada is going to win the war. On one hand there is the manifesto of Sir Robert Borden—there is some action in that, on the other there is that of Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

At the mention of Sir Wilfrid's name a few in the back of the hall applauded. Mr. Wigmore then warmed up. "I am sorry that there are some in the hall who applaud Sir Wilfrid, who shrinks from the practice of British justice. Would I support Sir Wilfrid who would not send help to my boy? For God's sake people wake up and show that you have an interest in the boys at the front. I would be ashamed when the boys came home, if we had not sent them relief. I would go to the woods and hide."

The commissioner made reference to his own son, who called when seventeen and he felt proud that the lad had the spirit to do what was right. He apologized for bringing in personal matters.

"Borden," he continued, "is willing to send someone over to help the boys. Laurier says: 'We'll take a referendum.' It would mean that Canada will drop out like Russia. I'm not criticizing Sir Wilfrid, because he's a grand old man, but he has made a mistake—a great mistake. When you find men like Frank B. Carvell coming over, then you must realize what this union government means. There was no stronger Liberal in Canada than he. But he left his leader. He was forced to, as a matter of principle."

The Liberal-Unionist. Stanley E. Elkin was warmly applauded as he stepped to the platform. Immediately he showed the fighting spirit he possesses as he set out to flay the intruders at the back of the hall in graphic terms he described the condition of the boys at the front; he contrasted with these conditions, the environments of ease and comfort and plenty, enjoyed by these people here. The soldiers in France were calling for help. He asked those in the back of the hall what they were doing to help these boys. What had they done; what did they intend to do?

"When negotiations for a union government were in progress I was in the inner circle. I know what Pugsley and Carvell did before they left their leader,

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Bonds may be registered as to principal or as to principal and interest.
Scrip certificates, non-negotiable, or payable to bearer, in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued after allotment in exchange for provisional receipts. When these scrip certificates have been paid in full, and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer, or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.
Delivery of interim certificates and of definitive bonds will be made through the Chartered Banks.
Bearer bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$50, \$100, \$500, and \$1,000, and may be registered as to principal only. Fully registered bonds, the interest on which is paid direct to the owner by Government cheque, will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorized multiple of \$5,000.
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Holders of Dominion of Canada Debenture Stock, due October 1st, 1919, and of bonds of the three preceding Dominion of Canada War Loan Issues, have the privilege of surrendering their bonds in part payment for subscriptions to bonds of this issue, under the following conditions:
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War Loan Bonds, due December 1st, 1925, at 97 1/2% and Accrued Interest.
(The above will be accepted in part payment for bonds of any of the three maturities of this Issue.)
War Loan Bonds, due October 1st, 1931, at 97 1/2% and Accrued Interest.
War Loan Bonds, due March 1st, 1937, at 96 and Accrued Interest.
(These will be accepted in part payment for bonds of the 1937 maturity ONLY of this Issue.)
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10% on January 2nd, 1918 20% on April 1st, 1918
20% on February 1st, 1918 20% on May 1st, 1918
A full half year's interest will be paid on 1st June, 1918
The Bonds therefore give a net yield to the investor of about:
5.61% on the 20 year Bonds
5.68% on the 10 year Bonds
5.81% on the 5 year Bonds
All payments are to be made to a Chartered Bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture, and the allotment to cancellation. Subscriptions accompanied by a deposit of 10% of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a Chartered Bank. Any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank will forward subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.
In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied toward payment of the amount due on the January instalment.
Subscriptions may be paid in full on January 2nd, 1918, or on any instalment due date thereafter under discount at the rate of 5 1/2% per annum. Under this provision payments of the balance of subscriptions may be made as follows:
If paid on January 2nd, 1918, at the rate of 89.10795 per \$100.
If paid on February 1st, 1918, at the rate of 79.46959 per \$100.
If paid on March 1st, 1918, at the rate of 59.72274 per \$100.
If paid on April 1st, 1918, at the rate of 39.90959 per \$100.
Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any Chartered Bank, or from any Victory Loan Committee, or member thereof.
The books of the Loan will be kept at the Department of Finance, Ottawa.
Application will be made in due course for the listing of this issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.
Subscription Lists will close on or before December 1st, 1917.
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, November 12th, 1917.
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THE EXEMPTIONS

One of the misleading canvasses against the Military Service Act is the argument that it would take the last boy from every family. It has been suggested that mothers and sisters who have one son or brother overseas could be expected to vote against the union government in order to save another member of their family from being taken.

Such families need have no fears, according to the terms of the act, which specifically says that when one member is overseas another at home has grounds for exemption and that this might apply to more than one member left at home. The section of the Military Service Act under the heading "Memorandum for the guidance of tribunals," page 17, section 58, No. 4, is as follows:
Domestic Problems: The facts which may create a case for exemption on this ground are too numerous and various to anticipate with any approach to accuracy. The circumstances may have relation to the financial support the man in question has been in the habit of pro-

viding for relatives or others who would, as a result of his withdrawal for military service, be in want. They may also be of a character having no relation to financial conditions and may arise from personal considerations connected with the mental and physical health or the age (at both extremes) of individuals in respect of whom the man in question stands in some special personal relation. They may also arise by reason of the extent to which voluntary enlist-

ment from the family of the man in question has already taken place. Indeed, where from a given family one or more are already members of the Canadian expeditionary force every humane consideration would point to the propriety of a single remaining member being granted exemption on this ground. These reasons might also apply to more than one member of a family from which voluntary enlistment has already taken two or more members, espec-

ally if one or more had already been killed or wounded.
Railway Men Exempted.
The military tribunals are still proceeding quietly with their work. In West St. John the board had some thirty applicants, mostly C. P. R. employes. One member of the military tribunal said last evening that the C. P. R. had applied for exemption for a certain number of necessary men to carry on the work of the company. The request includes, conductors, firemen, brakemen,

engineers, yardmen and a very small proportion of the men in the workshops, principally, foremen. There are no clerks or office hands among the number that the C. P. R. have asked exemption for. The exemptions for these railwaymen above enumerated were granted on grounds that the men were of primary importance and indispensable to their country in their present occupation. In East St. John a number of fishermen were up for exemption. Most of these men proved satisfactorily that they

caught so many tons of fish a year and with the continuation of this by the members of the tribunal their ground for exemption was allowed. A member of this board, referring to a complaint from a person living in the county in an evening paper, said that in his opinion his only fear was that they were exempting too many. He added that the board to which he belonged was following systematic and persistent course will all due fairness and consideration being shown to each applicant.

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MEDICAL INSPECTION IN THE SCHOOLS

Hon. Dr. Roberts Presents Case at Meeting of Associated Charities; The Work of the Year

Proper and Comprehensive Medical Inspection of Schools was the subject of Hon. Dr. Roberts' address at the annual meeting of the Associated Charities, held in the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon.



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lected vice-presidents by acclamation. Six members of the board of management were elected. They were Mrs. Second, Mrs. Ritchie, Mrs. Robinson, Dr. Walker, Mr. Macrae and Mr. Brittain.

HON. DR. ROBERTS.

and run in the last election was the fact that he was to have practically a free hand in health matters and could take up the question of medical inspection of schools.

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GIM TOLL OF WAR

Second Son of T. Percy Bourne in Casualties, Missing—The Ottawa List

T. Percy Bourne, of 29 Cranston avenue, received official word on Tuesday that his son, Private Charles F. Bourne, was reported as missing. A wire sent to the authorities at Ottawa and replied to yesterday brought the unsatisfactory tidings that he was "still reported missing."

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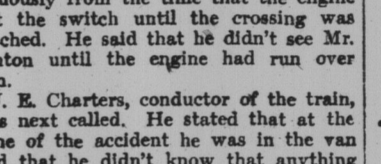
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JURY DECLARES DEATH ACCIDENTAL

Inquest Into Fairville Fatality—Gate at Crossing Recommended

"We, the jury empanelled to enquire into the death of David Linton, find as follows: "That the deceased died at the General Public Hospital on November 17, 1917, from injuries received by being run over by a C. P. R. freight train at the North street crossing, Fairville."

Notice to Women Voters

Every female person is qualified to vote in the present election who is a British subject, twenty-one years of age, and a resident of New Brunswick since February 24th, 1917, is the wife, widow, mother, sister or daughter of any person, male or female, living or dead, who is serving or has served without Canada in any of the Military Forces, or within or without Canada in any of the Naval Forces, of Canada or of Great Britain in the present war, if the name of such female person is duly entered on the voters' list in the electoral district in which she is bona fide resident or domiciled.

WELLINGTON WARD

- A.C.—Ralph Fales, 22 Germain street, Phone M. 1258. H.N.—W. B. Wallace, Mer. Bk. Bld., Prince Wm. St., Phone M. 3442. O.Z.—Garnett Wilson, 27 Queen street, Phone M. 842.

PRINCE WARD

- A.C.—John O'Neil, Police Office, Phone M. 157. D.H.—H. Wilson Dalton, Police Station, Phone M. 108. I.M.—W. M. Ryan, 50 Princess street, Phone M. 1813-21. N.R.—John A. Lipssett, Loch Lomond Road. S.Z.—Ernest J. Todd, 84 Germain street, Phone M. 3539-21.

DUKES WARD

- A.G.—Edward Johnston, 143 Mecklenburg street. H.O.—Ernest C. Wilson, 171 Carmarthen street. P.Z.—S. M. Wetmore, 127 Queen street, Phone M. 677.

Advertisement for PYRAMID For Piles Trial Free. Includes a diagram of a human figure showing the location of the rectum and sigmoid colon.

Advertisement for Unionist Party Ward Headquarters. Lists executive headquarters and various ward headquarters in St. John's.

Advertisement for Dr. Cassel's Tablets. Describes the benefits of the tablets for kidney trouble, backache, and general weakness.

AVIATION OFFICERS OFFER STRONG CASE AGAINST REPRISALS

Destroy the German Bases in Belgium, They Say

A Much Easier Task—To Bomb German Towns Would Be Costly, Hazardous, and Necessitate Long Flights

Paris, Nov. 20—"The best way of preventing German air raids is by 'smoking out the hornets' nests,' that is, by destroying the German aerodromes in Belgium," said a Belgian staff officer...

Our conversation had been interrupted by a sudden drone overhead, like the hum of giant bees, quickly drowned by the thunder of guns all round us.

"Gothas going to bomb London, Dunkirk or Calais," said the officer. "At this season they pass over here every night. Our anti-aircraft battalions always fire on them, but they fly so fast and so high, seven to eight thousand feet at least, that it is very rare we bring one down."

The Americans seem to be paying very great attention to aviation. Don't be misled by any wild talk about reprisals on German towns, which the military authorities will only adopt if compelled by public clamor.

The officer's theory sounded reasonable, so I asked for further explanations. His arguments were simply "Fifty," he said, "reprisals are objectionable from the moral viewpoint of the Allies. If a man throws a stone at your mother, would you defend her by throwing two stones at his mother?"

"Secondly, reprisals are in a military sense unsatisfactory. To reach even the nearer German towns, such as Karlsruhe, Cologne, or Frankfurt, Allied planes must pass over a wide belt of German-held territory, French, Belgian or Alsace, which they are reluctant to bomb."

"Exactly the same thing applies to..."

my third point, that it is wrong to send a strong force of battle planes back to England for London's protection. That is just what Germany is playing for.

Opinions are Confirmed. That sounded good, but I wanted further information. I got it the next day from a flight captain in charge of the aviation photographic service on the Belgian front, which I was visiting.

"There are two points to be determined. First—When can we locate the German aerodromes? and second: Can we smash them when located?"

By air photography we can locate every aerodrome positively. Mind you, all the aerodromes from which London is bombed are in Belgium. To force them to leave Belgium, we must increase the difficulties a hundredfold. Moreover, we could follow them there.

"Now, as to the question of destruction. If the Allies concentrated their whole bombing activities on aerodromes, one or two things would happen: Either we should destroy the hangars, airplanes, local supplies, rail heads, and crew shelters—the latter point being important, as airmen take a long time to train, and once a pilot's nerve is affected he is useless—or to prevent us from drawing an undue force of battle planes from the front for protection. That would be the precise advantage in our view that the Germans are trying to obtain by raiding London.

Policy of Initiative. "In both cases we should be imposing our attack on the enemy, not accepting his initiative. There has been too much of that in this war already. If the Allies had followed Napoleon's policy of initiative, things would have been very different. By bombing aerodromes you destroy the air raid evil at its source. Reprisals,

hate planes defence at home and anti-aircraft batteries are merely palliatives, they are treating the symptoms of a malady and neglecting its real cause."

His argument convinced me, but subsequent thought led to the query: "If this plan is so obvious, why have not the Allies adopted it?"

I discussed this later with Belgian, French and British officers on the aviation and other services. Here is the sum total of my conclusions: First, the army does it, but does not do it enough. The British constantly bomb German aerodromes, but only some of them, with limited forces and only from time to time.

Hampered by Tradition. Second, the army does not always do the obvious and logical thing. Army rulers do not always agree on a policy to be followed. They are hampered by tradition or by political considerations due to popular pressure.

Third, a general commanding an army or a division, is naturally obsessed by the purely military side of his operations. There is a battery of munition dump he wishes to have blown up, a railway junction, to be destroyed, a concentration of troops to be attacked and thrown into confusion, or stores to be destroyed.

Local advantages, no doubt, are thus gained, but railroads can be repaired, men concentrated afresh, stores and munitions resupplied and batteries replaced. Meanwhile the German bombing planes are doing the same behind his lines and the Gothas are raiding London, the former nullifying his own advantages and the latter bidding fair to force him to divert his air forces, whether he will or not, to reprisals on German towns.

Finally, with the new arm in war. Even now the British are only just making an independent air ministry, and by the nature of things the practical aviation leaders are young, consequently of inferior rank. It is difficult for them to impress their views, however backed by expert language and personal experience, on their less well-informed superiors.

It has been America's pride to "scrap" what is obsolete in favor of more up-to-date and better things. Accordingly, our opinions here, she must scrap the ideas of reprisals and aerial activities that balance and nullify each other.

King's Bench Decision. Fredericton, Nov. 21—The adjourned sitting of the king's bench division of the supreme court began today at the county court house, His Honor Judge Chandler presiding.

There is a strong array of counsel in this suit. The plaintiff is represented by R. B. Hanson, K.C. and P. J. Hughes and the defendant company by M. G. Teed, K.C. and A. J. Gregory, K.C.

Fredericton, Nov. 21—Burk White, of Newcastle, trader, has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. High Sheriff W. F. Cassidy is the assignee.



GENERAL MAUDE NEW BRITISH IDOL

Comparison Between Late Officer and Kitchener Led Army of 300,000 Sketch of Commander of Mesopotamia Campaign Who Gave His Life After Restoration of British Prestige in the East

Following the announcement on Monday of the death of General Maude, the following article from an exchange is of timely interest.

Bagdad is a long, long way from Belgium, and it is much easier to form an idea of Gen. Haig or Gen. Petain, but in General Sir Henry Maude, England has another general about whom a legend is said to be growing up very like the one which haloed Kitchener's name.

The Kitchener comparison suggests itself because of the striking parallel between the Bagdad campaign and Kitchener's Nile campaign to Ghardameh and Khartoum. As was Kitchener, so Maude was faced by the problem of advancing into a desert country along a river which must furnish his line of communication.

As Kitchener, he had to create transport, hospitals, housing, sanitation, and water supply for his troops. As Kitchener, he was obliged to rely for munitions and supplies upon bases far overseas, with the additional menace of a hostile sea power to entangle the situation.

As Kitchener, finally, he had to contend with an alien climate, in which white troops could work only during the cool months of the year. And Maude's solution of his diverse problems was startlingly like Kitchener's, says a contributor to the New York Evening Post, who procured his information from Arthur T. Clark, a Y. M. C. A. worker with the British forces in Mesopotamia.

Mr. Clark's story is the first detailed account of the six-month offensive campaign which resulted in the recapture of Kut-el-Amara and the taking of Bagdad. The British army of 100,000 men, and before he advanced a foot he had every precaution taken against failure.

"As Kitchener, he has the strength of the man sure of himself, the ability to General give to him, I can tell you. They are all afraid of him—the officers, I mean. But at the same time they have implicit confidence in him. Visit to Y. M. C. A.

He reached Basra, which is the British base in Mesopotamia, sixty miles up the Shatt-el-Arab, the stream forming the junction of the Tigris and the Euphrates, in August, 1916. From then until Dec. 18th he devoted himself entirely to the work of organizing the campaign he had in mind. Of course, I do not know the British plans, but the officers out there in Mesopotamia thought the army would not be pushed much beyond Bagdad. General Maude's campaign last winter, at any rate, had for its objective Bagdad, and I think that was all.

During his preparations for the campaign, General Maude left only a few troops on the left bank of the Euphrate, where the Turks held the apparently impregnable Sunniyatt position between the left bank of the Euphrate and a small lake. All the rest of the army was put to work helping the coolies get to Bagdad, including building roads and carrying up supplies.

Largely Reinforced. At this time the British army had been reinforced until it was much larger than the army that had tried unsuccessfully to get to Bagdad. Including engineers, transport, commissariat, base troops, boatmen and other units behind the line, the Mesopotamian expeditionary force, as it was called, must have numbered 300,000 men.

Of fighting troops General Maude had the four complete divisions and part of three others, and our informant reminds us that— A British army division has about 20,000 men. The proportion of Indian troops to white was about two to one.

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GENERAL MAUDE NEW BRITISH IDOL

Comparison Between Late Officer and Kitchener Led Army of 300,000

Sketch of Commander of Mesopotamia Campaign Who Gave His Life After Restoration of British Prestige in the East

Following the announcement on Monday of the death of General Maude, the following article from an exchange is of timely interest.

Bagdad is a long, long way from Belgium, and it is much easier to form an idea of Gen. Haig or Gen. Petain, but in General Sir Henry Maude, England has another general about whom a legend is said to be growing up very like the one which haloed Kitchener's name.

The Kitchener comparison suggests itself because of the striking parallel between the Bagdad campaign and Kitchener's Nile campaign to Ghardameh and Khartoum. As was Kitchener, so Maude was faced by the problem of advancing into a desert country along a river which must furnish his line of communication.

As Kitchener, he had to create transport, hospitals, housing, sanitation, and water supply for his troops. As Kitchener, he was obliged to rely for munitions and supplies upon bases far overseas, with the additional menace of a hostile sea power to entangle the situation.

As Kitchener, finally, he had to contend with an alien climate, in which white troops could work only during the cool months of the year. And Maude's solution of his diverse problems was startlingly like Kitchener's, says a contributor to the New York Evening Post, who procured his information from Arthur T. Clark, a Y. M. C. A. worker with the British forces in Mesopotamia.

Mr. Clark's story is the first detailed account of the six-month offensive campaign which resulted in the recapture of Kut-el-Amara and the taking of Bagdad. The British army of 100,000 men, and before he advanced a foot he had every precaution taken against failure.

"As Kitchener, he has the strength of the man sure of himself, the ability to General give to him, I can tell you. They are all afraid of him—the officers, I mean. But at the same time they have implicit confidence in him. Visit to Y. M. C. A.

He reached Basra, which is the British base in Mesopotamia, sixty miles up the Shatt-el-Arab, the stream forming the junction of the Tigris and the Euphrates, in August, 1916. From then until Dec. 18th he devoted himself entirely to the work of organizing the campaign he had in mind. Of course, I do not know the British plans, but the officers out there in Mesopotamia thought the army would not be pushed much beyond Bagdad. General Maude's campaign last winter, at any rate, had for its objective Bagdad, and I think that was all.

During his preparations for the campaign, General Maude left only a few troops on the left bank of the Euphrate, where the Turks held the apparently impregnable Sunniyatt position between the left bank of the Euphrate and a small lake. All the rest of the army was put to work helping the coolies get to Bagdad, including building roads and carrying up supplies.

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LOCAL NEWS. ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, NOV 22. High Tide... 5.22 Low Tide... 11.50 Sun Rises... 7.36 Sun Sets... 4.44. The West Side Arcade was well attended last evening. The prize winners were: Miss Elsie Knowlton, Mrs. A. C. Jeffrey, F. Irons, Miss E. Lingley, R. Campbell, Miss L. Driscoll, G. Betts, Miss M. Long, H. Long, Mrs. G. Dunlop and W. Hart.

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

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Lieutenant C. L. Hicks, only son of Postmaster and Mrs. Hicks of Hampton, N. B., left on Tuesday last for duty with the R. F. C.

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Speech By Premier In Toronto

"No Deserters in Canadian Army Corps—Should be None at Home"—Ontario Campaign Opened

Toronto, Nov. 21.—Premier Borden tonight was given a royal welcome to Toronto. In his address he expressed the determination of the government to enforce the military service act without discrimination.

"There are no deserters in the Canadian Army Corps" he said of the issue of the election, "there should not be deserters at home."

The Union government, said Sir Robert, was not completed. He had pledged himself that it should be carried out on the basis of equality of representation of the two great parties with special recognition of agriculture and labor.

"That pledge will be carried out, or I will not remain the head of the government," he declared, amid loud applause, adding that labor would be given additional representation in the government.

Turning to the question of the Military Service act, the premier recalled the fact that while in the first three and a half months of 1916 voluntary enlistments had totalled 1,000 a day, by the autumn they had fallen to practically none.

"If I had accepted the first alternative, that of deserting our men at the front," he declared, "I would not have the hardihood to stand on this platform tonight. The war we are fighting overseas is for the defence of Canada," he said, quoting the language of the military act. The Military Service act created less compulsion than the militia act. It was more adequate to the needs of the hour, as it introduced selection by intelligent judgment and not by blind chance.

A paper found on a German at Vimy Ridge had stated that there were no deserters from the Canadian Army Corps. "If there are no deserters from the Canadian Army Corps, the Canadian Army Corps ought not to be deserted by the people of this country." (Prolonged applause.)

Delays With Referendum.
A referendum was not to be considered for a moment. In all human probability it would mean not one man would be obtained for a whole year. It would be Feb. 27 before complete results of the election would be in; parliament could not meet before the middle of March; the bill for a referendum would occupy two months and as many more would elapse before it could be consummated. By that time disaster may have come, the spirit of the men at the front might be broken.

"We intend to see that the Military Service act is enforced in every community, every district, every province, fairly, impartially and firmly."

The principle of the Military Service act was that each man, each woman in the land, should be called upon to do the

and other countries; and so far as Canada is concerned, we are doing our best to alleviate conditions.

"It is easy for the demagogue to inflame public opinion under the strain of war by announcing his intention of accomplishing the impossible. The united efforts of all the government in the world cannot alter such conditions as are dependent upon causes which are beyond the control of any government. During the past week the government has passed an order-in-council, conferring upon the food controller general powers to control the profits on foodstuffs and in this way to regulate prices so far as possible in view of world-wide conditions.

"The present administration has thus taken very important action, but it is unable to give, during the pendency of the present election the study, the time, the attention and the energy which, at a later date, it will bestow upon these questions. However, we have made some progress in the consideration of important questions. Permanent committees of the cabinet have been constituted to deal with problems of the war and with the vital questions of development and reconstruction.

War Comes First.
"Our first and paramount duty is the vigorous prosecution of the war and the support of the Canadian army at the front. Closely associated is the duty of making just and adequate provision for the support and comfort of those who have been wounded for the treatment, and in some instances they are considerably lower than the actual cost.

"In Canada, a food-exporting country, an entirely different problem arises. Purchasing commissions, acting on behalf of the British and allied governments, offer to our producers prices that necessarily regulate the price paid by the consumer in this country."

After touching on the steps which have been taken by the government to prevent waste of food in hotels and restaurants, the requirement of returns from wholesalers and retailers, regulation of the use of cereals and vegetables, the permission given to import oleomargarine and the prohibition of the use of grain or other food substances for the distillation of alcoholic liquors, he reviewed at length the measures recently announced by the government to restrict the profits of packing houses.

Continuing, he said: "It ought to be borne in mind that very large aggregate profits made by certain packing houses have been occasioned by a small relative profit upon an enormous turnover. Thus the average profit upon bacon sold in Canada by one large company was no more than two-fifths of a cent per pound. To wipe out the entire profit in such a case would not result in a great reduction in price. But it is both desirable and essential to provide, as the government has done, that whenever excessive profits are received that they shall go to the public treasury for the benefit of the people."

The Food Prices.
"The very great and regrettable advance in the price of many articles of food is chiefly due to world-wide conditions, to the withdrawal of thirty or forty million men from productive activities, in short, to the enormous waste of human energy and the increased demand for food occasioned by this war. We thoroughly appreciate the hardship thus brought upon the people of this

hold the new government, pledged to vigorously prosecute the war or a party pledged to a policy through which Canada would drop out of the war and the work the front be left without reinforcements.

Sir Robert Falconer, president of Toronto University, gave a forceful address in support of the new government. A resolution expressing confidence in the union government was moved by Sir William Hearst, premier of Ontario, and carried by the entire audience singing the National Anthem.

MEETING OF EXECUTIVE OF N. B. S. S. ASSOCIATION
The executive committee of the New Brunswick Sunday School Association met yesterday afternoon in the Bible house, Mayor Hayes, the chairman, presiding. Others present included Revs. H. K. Boyer, P. R. Hayward, Robert Smart and William C. Ross, and Robert Reid, J. E. Arthur, C. R. Wasson, R. B. Jordan and R. H. Parsons.

The standing committees for the year were appointed. They include finance, field work, literature and supplies, summer school and co-operation committee, and committee on boys' work. The general secretary outlined the plans for next year, which include a tour of Charlotte and a meeting of the executive committee.

He also read the call of the fifteenth annual convention which will meet at Buffalo from June 19 to 25 next. The general secretary outlined the plans for next year, which include a tour of Charlotte and a meeting of the executive committee.

"While readily appreciating the magnificent opportunities of Christian service over here, I am every day becoming more and more impressed with the fact that the real constructive work of the kingdom is what is being done at home by the Sunday school, Y. M. C. A., and kindred organizations, for there seems but little chance of a man coming through these awful experiences straight, unless his feet have been firmly planted on the rock before he leaves home. So I urge upon you as this war may possibly be drawn out for years, to do your part with the older boys who are now being called to the colors."

The idea of increasing the pledge to the international committee was referred to the finance committee. Other matters discussed were of a routine nature.

The St. John county executive also held a meeting at which plans were set on foot to organize the country by districts and to hold Sunday school rallies. An effort will be made to organize community training classes to begin work the first of the year.

Dr. James Manning, H. L. McGowan, Fred E. Flewelling, David Hipwell, and A. O. H. Wilson, of St. John, have been incorporated under the name of the Canadian Imperial League, Limited, with head office in St. John and no capital stock. The organization is patriotic in nature.

THE FAMOUS RODIN

French Sculptor Had Hard Time at The Start

Born Poor and Had to Fight Every Inch of His Way, Even Through Fifty Years—Some of His Works

The death of Auguste Rodin, famous sculptor, was announced in Saturday's Times.

Paul Laurens, a painter, said of Rodin: "He belongs to the race of those men who march alone."

And for most of the seventy-seven years of his life the great sculptor marched alone, first battling his way against the adversities of relentless poverty and hostile criticism and, later at the head of an international army of enthusiastic admirers.

When Rodin presented one of his early pieces to the Academy of Fine Arts in Paris he was told that his work did not "exhibit any evidence of talent" and some fifty years or so later critics in many places were hailing him as the greatest sculptor of the world—save Michael Angelo—since Phidias and Praxiteles. He faced starvation in his youth because he could not sell his statues, and in October, 1916, the French chamber of deputies accepted his gift of his works and art collections, valued at \$400,000, and gave him for life the use of the Biron mansion in Paris, which became known through the parliamentary act as the Rodin Museum.

Francis Auguste Rodin was born in Paris on Nov. 12, 1840, of wretchedly poor parents. He entered a free drawing school in the Latin Quarter at the age of fourteen and, after several years of study, made a model in clay of one of his companions, with which he tried to win entrance to the Academy of Fine Arts. He failed. Some time later he tried again, and again was denied. A third attempt resulted in the third failure.

His First Masterpieces.
Rodin was not discouraged by his failures at the Academy of Fine Arts. He had no means, and was obliged to consort with the very poorest in Paris, yet he struggled on and submitted his work at every public examination that was held, always without success. Fortunately he came at last under the notice of Barre, a painter and sculptor of animals, who carried his artistic education to the point from which Rodin could pursue it alone. At the age of twenty-three, before embarking on a determined struggle for fame and fortune, the future sculptor married. This move served as an incentive, and spurred him on to his task, for in less than twelve months he had produced his first masterpiece, entitled "L'homme aux nees caisses." This was submitted to judges at the Salon in 1864 and promptly refused; he took it home and treasured it carefully. One of his first careers when, in after years, his countrymen had recognized his talent, was to have this bust cast in bronze, in which form



it crossed the Channel, and was shown at the Grosvenor Gallery in 1861.

After the Franco-German war, during which he was forced to endure the siege of Paris, Rodin migrated to Brussels, besides sending two busts to the Paris Salon; both were accepted, and were placed on exhibition in 1875. Two years later the master was further recognized with the "Age d'Alain" or "Primeval Man," which represents one of the first inhabitants of our world, physically perfect but in the infancy of comprehension. The claims of this amazing statue could not be overlooked by the Salon committee when Rodin brought the work to Paris. So realistic, indeed, was it that some of the sculptor's critics hinted that the figure must have been moulded from the living model.

He Aimed for Realism.
But Rodin was not yet free from harsh criticism and ridicule. The school of orthodoxy in sculpture was as hostile to him as were the orthodox musicians to Wagner. Rodin did not idealize his subjects, but aimed for realism, going to nature for his inspirations. To him all nature was life, and life was art. He saw in the shaking form of an old man or woman, with bowed head and bent and twisted limbs, something as worthy of artistic expression as a Venus or Apollo. And he was a worker in mass, producing his subjects in detail only so far as would bring out his dominating conception. His work, therefore, had less of finished form than that of the conventional artists, and his recognition by them was, therefore, delayed until by the very power of his work he forced himself upon them.

Even after he had won fame Rodin's work was sometimes ridiculed. His statue of Balzac, for example, was received with jest and gibe. It was an extraordinary and unconventional conception of the great novelist, which Rodin executed upon commission from the So-

ciety of Men of Letters. The Parisian public became so worked up over the merits of the monument that the controversy for the time eclipsed interest even in the sensational Dreyfus trial. Balzac was represented in a voluminous roughly sketched, the features and figure upright, draped in a thick bath wrapper. They called it grotesque, lugubrious and squalid; while, on the other side, there were those who saw in it "the incarnation of the great writer's soul." The society which had ordered it, however, held the majority view that the work was incomprehensible, if not ridiculous, and it gave the commission to the sculptor Falguiere, who executed a more conventional work in the following year.

Rodin's Victor Hugo was received with more appreciation, and by many is considered one of his masterpieces. A Tireless Worker.
The sculptor was a tireless worker, the quantity of his work being as amazing as its quality. His greatest output in one year was in 1880. No fewer than thirty-one pieces of sculpture were put on view at the Georges Petit Gallery in that year among them being some of the best of Rodin's life-work, such as "Eugene Delacroix," "The Danube," "The Thinker," "Bastien Lepage," and "The Bourgeois of Calais." For quality, quantity, and quickness the production was unique.

For years after the Balzac controversy Rodin devoted himself to a great creative composition—some twenty feet high, "The Portal of Hell" for the Museum of Decorative Arts. This work was inspired mainly by Dante's Inferno, the poet himself being seated at the top, while at his feet is the writhing of passion and anguish of despair. The figure of "The Thinker," which is one of Rodin's best-known works in America, has been exhibited in cast for several years at the Metropolitan Museum of Fine Arts in New York, and at various other places. It is one of the figures designed for this titanic representation of "The Portal of Hell."

Rodin in his later life received many honors. Upon the death of Whistler he succeeded as president of the International Society of Painters, Sculptors and Gravers. Early in the European war he sent a collection of his works to England as a token of admiration of the British troops, and later, he executed a deed of gift to the French government of the entire collection of his own works, other art objects he had acquired, and the Hotel Biron in which they were assembled for a museum.

Rodin's drawings are almost as wonderful as his sculpture work. A valuable album containing over a hundred plates, with an aggregate of 142 drawings, was published some years ago by Messrs. Goupil. In more recent times, the engravings made by the great sculptor with his pencil were on behalf of personal friends. He illustrated Bergson's "Evolutionary Creativity," Octave Mirbeau's "Les Jardin des Supplices," and ornamented a copy of Baudelaire's "Fleurs de Mal."

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