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ALLIES SCORE IMPORTANT STRATEGIC SUCCESS IN BALKANS BY LANDING OF TROOPS AT KAVALA

ALLIED MOVE CREATES NEW PROBLEM FOR BULGARS

Bulgars Must Adopt New Defensive Measures to Cope With Landing of British and French at Kavala.

FOUR ALLIED WARSHIPS BOMBARD THE SEAPORT OF TCHESME IN ASIA MINOR.

Another Victory for French Troops in West Africa—Germany Reports Fall of Serbian Town of Uzice and Capture of Immense Stores of Ammunition in Arsenal Town of Kragujevac.

London, Nov. 3.—Reports of the landing of Entente Allied troops at Kavala, in Bulgaria, are hailed here as the operation is considered to be an excellent piece of offensive strategy.

Kavala not only is a great tobacco port for Turkey, but is the terminus of three important highways, by one of which the Greeks in July of 1913, outflanked the Bulgarians and forced them to retire out of Macedonia and virtually won the war.

The occupation of Kavala by Entente Allied troops will necessitate, it is believed here, several new and distinct defensive concentrations by the Bulgarians.

Paris, Nov. 3.—Additional victories for the French in their campaign in the Kamerun, the German colony in Western Equatorial Africa are announced in an official statement today which reads:

"A French column in the Kamerun captured on Oct. 25th the post of Sende on the Durba-Yaunde railway. The enemy's loss was heavy. The French lost only the Europeans was light, while twenty-six natives were killed and seventy-nine wounded.

"Continuing their forward march, the French next took Esaka on Oct. 30. The railway which had been partially destroyed by the enemy has been completely repaired."

Fall of Uzice Reported.

Berlin, Nov. 3, via wireless to Sayville.—The announcement from the war office today concerning the Serbian campaign is as follows:

"Uzice has been occupied.

"The booty taken at Kragujevac consists of six cannon, twenty cannon tubes, twelve mine throwers, several thousand rifles and a large quantity of ammunition and other war material.

"The army of General Von Kovacs captured 350 Serbians and 4 cannon. The army of Gen. Von Gallwitz, during the last three days, has captured 1,100 Serbians.

"The army of Gen. Boyenliff (Bulgarian), is advancing west of Plianska and has captured 230 Serbians and 4 cannon in this district. He has made further progress southwest of Knayevac, capturing 300 Serbians and two machine guns. Troops advancing in the Nisava Valley gave way before superior forces of the enemy."

Enemy Seaport in Asia Minor Bombarded.

London, Nov. 3.—Four allied torpedo boat destroyers yesterday bombarded the seaport of Tchesme, in Asia Minor, 40 miles southwest of Smyrna, a message from Athens to the Exchange Telegraph Company states. The Turkish forts, the customs building, the government residence, the old barracks and a large part of the Turkish quarter were destroyed.

The war vessels ceased firing after a bombardment of two hours.

Small Portion of Advanced French Trenches at Hill 190 Penetrated.

Paris, Nov. 3.—The official communication issued by the war office tonight reads as follows:

"On the Somme near Fise, we shattered by camouflages (small mines) fired at an opportune moment, important mine-works of the enemy. Further to the south, in the sector of Beauvraignes, the action with artillery and trench guns was particularly violent.

"In Champagne a German attack, preceded by the usual bombardment of suffocating shells, attempted to reach our positions to the south of Chausson Farm, in the sector of Massiges. The assailants were able to penetrate only some parts of the advanced trenches, at Hill 199. We repulsed them everywhere else, inflicting upon them material losses.

"In the Vosges, our artillery concentrated effective fire on the enemy trenches and works in the region of Vielu.

"The Belgium official communication reads:

"The enemy artillery displayed some activity today. It bombarded Furnes, Wulpen, Pervyse, Rousdamme, Oostkerke and Noordschoote. Our artillery replied with a retaliatory fire and dispersed enemy pioneers at several places before the front."

LORDS HEAR SOME PLAIN SPEAKING

Those who Made Blunders Should be "Scrapped" Baron St. Davids Declares.

VISCOUNT MORLEY SCORES PRESS CENSORSHIP.

Full Meeting of the Privy Council Demanded to Discuss Present State of Affairs

London, Nov. 3.—Cabinet responsibility, the conduct of the war, and the censorship, were discussed, criticized and defended at a short sitting of the House of Lords this evening. The session proved a somewhat tame affair, after the great debate in the House of Commons yesterday.

Baron St. Davids, who has gained a reputation for outspokenness since he became a member of the upper house, started the discussion by demanding that a full meeting of the privy council, which is composed of some hundreds of members from all parts of the Empire, should be called to discuss the present position of affairs.

Unlike most of the critics of the government he believed that the war would have been better conducted by the late Liberal government than by the present coalition. The late government, he said, carried on the war with great vigor, while since the coalition was formed, no extraordinary vigor was noticeable. He declared that those who have made mistakes should be "scrapped" and that hereafter no man should be given office merely for former services, or rank or wealth.

Press Censorship Condemned

Lord Willoughby De Broke declared that Premier Asquith should be held responsible for all mistakes.

"If Russia could get rid of Grand Duke Nicholas in the middle of the war," he said, "England could get rid of Asquith."

Viscount Morley, of Blackburn, deprecated the attacks on the premier and pointed out that when he left the cabinet he did not trouble the lords with any reasons, which he considered good practice, especially when the country is at war. Speaking of the censorship, he asked the government to take steps to prevent official interference with the publication of intelligence, unless it was calculated to prejudice military and naval operations. The freedom of the press, he declared to be as important as the greatest constitutional issue and he agreed with Lord St. Davids, when he spoke of the stupidity of the censors' actions.

Everything which made the enemy think the country was afraid of the truth was an encouragement to the enemy.

Lord Morley deplored the effect on neutrals of "the ostrich-like activities and childish insincerities" of the censorship, and added that he had never seen a government or an administration less in need of a censored press than the present one. He had never been addicted to undue glorification of the infallibility of public opinion but it was not half as fallible as the opinion of monarchs and ministers, even prime ministers. They leaned on public opinion good or bad, and even in the world were they to lean on free, full and correct public opinion unless the public had free, full and correct information of the facts on which that opinion rested.

It seems, he said, as though the censors had a standing order to "keep the barometer muffled fast and set fair."

The Marquis of Crewe, Lord President of the Council, who replied to Lord St. Davids and Baron Willoughby De Broke, pointed out the difficulties of calling together the privy council, and declared that Premier Asquith, while he might be considered responsible, was not responsible departmentally, and promised that at the proper

HON. MR. MEIGHEN GOING TO THE FRONT WITH MONTREAL REGT

Solicitor General Decides to Give Services to Empire on Battlefield—Will Go as Regimental Quartermaster with Grenadiers, Now Being Recruited in Montreal.



HON. ARTHUR MEIGHEN.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—A Canadian cabinet minister is going to the front. Hon. Arthur S. Meighen, Solicitor General, recently created a member of the privy council, and one of the foremost men in the political life of the Dominion, whom it has been said at the age of 39, which he is now, that he is the likeliest member of the Conservative party to succeed Sir Robert Borden in his leadership, has made up his mind to take his chance in the battle line in the war of right. Mr. Meighen has intimated to Sir Sam Hughes that as soon as he can finish up his business in Ottawa he will become an officer in the grenadier regiment which General Meighen is now raising in Montreal for overseas service.

The Solicitor General will go in a humble capacity. He is to become the regimental quartermaster of the new Grenadiers. He has had no military training but he will be able to fill his position and meanwhile no doubt his great abilities will enable him to acquire knowledge and experience which will help towards promotion.

It will be his duty to look after the general internal business of the regiment and to see that the supplies, clothing and ammunition, He will be its business manager.

time the government would not shrink inquiry into the conduct of the war.

Opposed to Cables Which Disseminate German Lies

Baron Ribblesdale pointed out that Premier Asquith had assumed responsibility for "the past, present, and future," and could not see what more was wanted.

The Lord Chancellor, Sir Stanley O. Buckmaster, replying to Lord Morley, said he believed that a strict and vigorous censorship was required for the safety and protection of the troops.

The censorship was designed to prevent imprudent war cables from being sent abroad, and to prevent newspapers from printing anything that might be of use to the enemy.

Because of lack of experience, the early history of the press bureau, he said, was deplorable, and its actions were often unjust and unreasonable, but never intentionally unfair. The statement that the London editors were dissatisfied with the press bureau as it existed today, were absolutely contradicted by the facts. In his experience bad news was never kept back, but he did object to cables passing through this country which "disseminated German lies."

After Viscount Bryce had pleaded for fuller and speedier recognition of the gallantry of the troops the debate was adjourned until Monday.

NEW SOLICITOR-GENERAL NAMED

London, Nov. 3.—George Cave, Unionist member of parliament, has been appointed solicitor-general in succession to Sir Frederick Edward Smith, who has taken the portfolio of attorney-general, made vacant by the resignation of Sir Edward Carson.

SERBIAN MAIN ARMIES MAKING GOOD RETREAT

Teutonic Drive from North Proceeding Slowly but Surely, However, and Position of Serbia Grows More Critical.

London, Nov. 3.—The vigorous support which Herbert H. Asquith, the British premier, and Aristide Briand, the new French premier, have promised Serbia seemingly is about to be realized. Besides the Anglo-French troops, including British cavalry, who already are in Southern Serbia, British and French transports are arriving daily at Saloniki, and troops from them are being sent up the country immediately to attempt to check the Bulgarian march from Yelos toward Monastir, while other transports, according to a Sofia despatch, have landed troops at Kavala, a Greek port on the Aegean Sea, near the Bulgarian border. At the same time the diplomatic efforts to secure the support of Greece and Roumania for Serbia, who fought with them in the last Balkan war.

As time passes, however, Serbia's position grows more critical. The Austro-German drive from the north is proceeding slowly, but surely, while two Bulgarian armies are approaching Nish, from which place the Serbian government has moved to Mirovitza, never near the Montenegrin frontier. The Serbians, nevertheless, are fighting stern defensive battles, and are making good their retreat and leaving as the Russians did in Galicia and Poland, very little except what cannot be moved—such as copper mines—for the invaders.

There is no further news of the Russian expedition which several days ago was reported off Varna, Bulgaria's chief port. The opinion is held in the Entente Allies' countries that Roumania, where there is continued agitation in favor of intervention on their side, will allow the forces of Emperor Nicholas to move across her territory.

If this decision is reached it is believed that it will be influenced by the activity of the Russian army in Galicia, where, according to the Russian official reports, Gen. Ivanoff has won another victory over the Teutons on the Stripa river. Further south, in Vlynhinia, there is also heavy fighting, and the Russians claim to have checked an Austro-German offensive which had as its object the capture of Czartorysk. In fact, all along the eastern front the Russians, according to the German official report, are making a series of attacks from the Gulf of Riga to Roumania. It is admitted that the Germans were compelled to withdraw their lines in the lake district, but the other Russian attacks are claimed to have been repulsed.

In the west unfavorable weather is interfering with the operations.

Both French and British submarines are now in the Sea of Marmora, where the French submarine Turquoise was recently sunk by the Turks.

Retreating in Good Order.

Rome, via Paris, Nov. 3.—The war correspondent of the Messaggero, in an undated despatch from Kragujevac, Serbia, says:

"It is feared that the forces along the frontier cannot resist much longer. The Germans, before beginning their offensive, organized a splendid aerial seroplane of a new model."

"All information indicates that with the outbreak of the Bulgarians the Austro-German undertaking would have been impossible, as they did not

GERMAN SUPER-SUBMARINE TRAPPED IN NORTH SEA

One of Newest Type, Launched Only Fortnight Ago—Was 250 Feet Long, Carried Four Guns of Large Calibre, Besides Torpedo Tubes—Caught in One of Skilfully Laid Traps Few Hours After Leaving Base.

New York, Nov. 3.—A news agency despatch published here this afternoon says:

Capture by the British in the North Sea of one of Germany's most up to date "super-submarines" was reported this afternoon. It was said the crew were made prisoners.

LAUNCHED ONLY TWO WEEKS AGO.

Liverpool, Nov. 3.—The Daily Post publishes a report of the capture of one of Germany's latest super-submarines, 250 feet long and carrying in addition to torpedo tubes, four guns of fairly large calibre. The submarine was launched at Stettin a fortnight ago.

The Post states that within a few hours after leaving her base she was caught "in one of those traps we have so skilfully laid for these craft somewhere in the German ocean."

BRITISH SUBMARINE GET TWO MORE SHIPS IN BALTI.

New York, Nov. 3.—A news agency despatch from Copenhagen says:

"The German ship Gedania was sunk by a British submarine in the Baltic Sea today."

London, Nov. 3.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Copenhagen says:

"The German steamer Suoz was sunk by a British submarine yesterday off Karlskrona, in Sweden, on the Baltic. Her crew was landed in Sweden today. One of the men was wounded by a shell splinter. Available shipping records contain no steamer Suoz."

GREECE WILL FIGHT ONLY ON HER OWN ACCOUNT

have sufficient reserves to crush the Serbians.

"The correspondent saw among the prisoners men from Brest-Litovsk and Vilna, from the French front and the garrisons of Hamburg, Bremen, Berlin and Frankfurt, from Hungary, Dalmatia and Bosnia, and they even included men from the 8th Austrian Corps now operating on the Isonzo front.

"According to reports circulated in Roumania," the correspondent continues, "the Austro-German forces employed against Serbia number half a million, but the truth is that the Germans have been obliged to remedy the weakness of their infantry by powerful artillery abundantly supplied with munitions. They are able to advance into Serbia only by deluges of shells.

"Albania is causing anxiety, for the Germans have sent quantities of arms there and the Serbians have been obliged to keep an army of 6,000 on guard.

"General Radomir Putnik, the former Serbian minister of war, is suffering from asthma, and the chief of the general staff, Gen. Pavlovitch, is also ill. King Peter wished to go to the front, but the doctors forbade him to do so.

"Undiscouraged by the seriousness of the situation, however, the troops are effecting their retreat calmly and in good order. There are no signs of a panic among the people, who are departing from their homes in long columns, sad and resigned, but with certain hope that they will return eventually.

"One sees long files of ox wagons filled with children and women and the sick, the oxen led by old men, for all the able-bodied are with the army. The wounded speak with awe of the terrible artillery battles from the effects of which they are still stunned. They express regret that they are obliged to abandon their positions without even seeing the enemy.

"The Germans advance slowly, profiting by the capture of the mountain mud, which was a precious ally in the last campaign against the Austrians. The continuous rains are making the country more and more impracticable for the German artillery, and the Serbians are counting greatly on the fact that the German advance on Constantinople—a vital question for the Allies."

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Paris, Nov. 3.—The following communication from the Montenegrin war

Bulgaria Still Regarded as Hereditary Enemy But Greeks Will Take up Arms Against Her Only in Self Defence.

Paris, Nov. 3.—An Athens despatch to the Havas Agency says:

"King Constantine and the Greek government are considering the situation from a strictly military viewpoint, and are firmly resolved not to launch out on an adventure, the result of which is far from clear.

"They are also determined to avoid a conflict with the central powers.

"In other words, Greece will take up arms against the Bulgarians only if she finds herself in any way whatsoever threatened by the latter, but Greece, if she fights, intends to do so on her own account, not on that of either of the European groups.

"German efforts to induce Greece not to give facilities to the Entente Powers, so far have failed. The king is his own adviser, and that constitutes the basis of Greece's present policy. Popular sentiment favors the allies in general, and France in particular, but the people have no desire to plunge the country into the horrors of war, the last struggle in the Balkans being still present in memory. They regard Bulgaria, nevertheless, as their hereditary enemy, but have implicit confidence in the King to do the right thing at the right time.

"The situation in Macedonia, of a certainty, causes anxiety but the anxiety is diminished by the presence of the allied troops, which is considered a guarantee against Bulgarian invasion.

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THE ENORMOUS COST TO GREAT BRITAIN OF FINANCING WAR

New Credit to be Asked Will Bring Total Voted by Parliament up to 7½ Billion Dollars.

London, Nov. 4.—The new vote of credit to be asked for in the House of Commons, if, as is expected, it amounts to \$1,250,000,000, will bring the total war credits parliament has voted up to \$1,510,000,000 (\$7,550,000,000). The present British expenditure on the war is at the rate of \$5,000,000 (\$25,000,000) daily, the increase being largely due to advances to Great Britain's allies and expenditures of ammunition.

The new credit, when voted, will suffice to carry on the expenditures until January of the government will take advantage of the credit vote to raise another debate on the parliamentary and military situations as they are disappointed at the brevity of the debate secured on Premier Asquith's statement on the war situation in the House of Commons last Tuesday.

The present parliamentary session is expected to terminate at the end of November and the new session to begin about the middle of January. There is no likelihood of a general election. A bill to postpone elections until after the war has long ago been drafted and only awaits the cabinet's sanction to be submitted to parliament. The delay in presenting it has been due to the pressure of the war.

TERMS OF CANADIAN LOAN TO BE ANNOUNCED AT END OF MONTH

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Hon. W. T. White announced today that the amount and terms of the Canadian war loan to be offered only in Canada would be made known during the last week of the month.

There will be nothing announced until the prospectus is issued.

RUSSIANS WIN NEW SUCCESS ON STRIPA RIVER

Gen. Ivonoff Defeats Teutonic Army in Galicia — Austro-German Army Driving at Czartorysk Checked and Russian Forces on Offensive Along Whole Line From Riga to Roumania.

Petrograd, via London, Nov. 3.—The war office today made public the following official communication:

"On the western front, in the region of Shlok, the Germans attacked with out success, our troops near Bagmatz and Kemmer. The enemy was driven back.

"In the region of Dvinsk, by an impetuous attack we succeeded in carrying the heights, which had been strongly organized and the village of Platoniska, south of Lake Swenton. We made numerous prisoners and took some machine guns. Thus far the prisoners number four officers and 600 men, all of them Germans.

"During the attack of yesterday we repulsed enemy attacks against the villages of Gualissowka, Kamerukha, Briska and Komarow, taking one hundred prisoners.

"The Austrians, who succeeded in crossing the River Putlowka south of the village of Bashki, west of Duraj, were driven back and their positions destroyed.

"Our troops without firing a shot, approached the wire entanglements in the sector west of Novo Alexieva and rushed the trenches, from which the enemy were driven out. We captured two officers and 42 men.

"The enemy, taking the offensive from the village of Senouvia, under cover of a very heavy fire, rushed the village of Semikowitz (Sienikowce). We opened an equally violent fire on the enemy outposts and batteries and made an attack which was completely successful. All the enemy troops who had penetrated the Semikowitz front, numbering 5,000 Germans and Austrians were made prisoners. Shortly afterward the enemy launched counter attacks. Fighting continues.

"Caucasian front: On the Black Sea coast as well as in the Toram district and north of the River Arax, near the villages of Alaklissa and Khorassan, there have been encounters between advance guards. In the region of Van our troops, pursuing Kurdish bands, seized fourteen hundred head of cattle.

NONE OF MEMBERS OF GOV'T ASKED MONEY FOR CAMPAIGN FUND

Winnipeg, Nov. 3.—C. H. Simpson said in his evidence yesterday that early in August last year Sir Rodmond Roblin told him Thomas Kelly was hard up and arranged payment to Simpson on the lay contract, the money to be given to Kelly on the sub-contract. Isaac Pitblado, the Liberal counsel, told Simpson this morning that between April 21 and July 9 last year Thomas Kelly and Sons were paid \$382,208 by the government on the parliament building contract. Simpson persisted Roblin told him Kelly was hard up in August, and he paid Kelly \$45,000 on August 4th and 5th.

Simpson said Dr. S. M. Simpson had asked him for campaign funds for the Conservative party, and possibly Charles Gerrie had also asked him. He declared that no contribution for the party funds had not entered into any contracts with the government, nor had any bargaining occurred with any one in this connection. No cabinet ministers or government officials ever asked him for funds.

Simpson made a profit of \$26,000 in subletting the contract on the law courts. He was given this contract at \$166,997 by the government, and he said he tendered at a good price, partly because his original contract was low, and because he had heavy responsibilities. "I found it very expensive doing work for the government," said the witness.

Trade in Cuba. Havana advices of October 29th report: As the active demand has continued, the price for fish in drums advanced, but there are no changes to report on codfish and hake, due principally to the fact that the lack of demand still continues. We quote codfish at 7.25, haddock at 7 and hake at 6 cents per pound. An active demand has continued for codfish in cases and while the American cod advanced, the price for Norwegian codfish remains unchanged. We quote the former at \$9.50 to \$10.00 and the latter at \$12.50 per case. The market on blazers has been quiet and sales are being made at \$1.40 per large box. The active demand for potatoes has not fallen off. The price for barrels has advanced, but those packed in bags declined. We quote at \$3.75 per barrel and 1 1/2 cents per pound for bags.

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GOOD ADVICE FOR ALL YOUNG MEN

Dr. Barker continues his Health and Vigor Campaign.

The programme of Dr. Chas. E. Barker's Health and Vigor Campaign called for two talks yesterday. In the afternoon at the Provincial Sunday School convention he delivered a lecture on "Health and Happiness," which was much enjoyed by the large gathering of delegates from all parts of New Brunswick.

In the evening at 8 o'clock in the "Manhood At Its Best or a Straight Talk to Young Men," F. C. Smith, vice-president of the association was in the chair and introduced Dr. Barker to the audience.

His lecture contained a hearty appeal to the young men of St. John to lead pure, clean lives. He dealt with the social evils in relationship to the young men of today. He persuaded those present that a young man did not have to cultivate bad habits to try and prove that he is a man, and he warned them to beware of doctors who might give them evil knowledge along certain lines.

He distinctly showed that the double standard of morals was incorrect and very unscientific. Dr. Barker finishes his work here today when in the afternoon at 3 o'clock he will address the High School students on "How to Make the Most Out of Life," and in the evening at 8 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium his subject will be "How to Live 100 Years." This is a very popular lecture to both men and women.

He will leave this evening on the train for Wolfville, where he will address the Academy boys.

ENGINEERS REPORT ON SITES FOR BRIDGES FOR VALLEY RAILWAY

Question of Looking After Returned Soldiers Discussed at Meeting of Government Committee to be Named Soon.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Nov. 3.—At a meeting of the Board of Education this afternoon a grant of \$100 was made to the reading camp association.

Consideration of Professor Peacock's report on technical education was deferred until the appointment of a committee by the province to take up the question of providing for returning soldiers, this committee to be named hereafter.

Bishop Richardson, Rev. B. Neales and Rev. F. S. Porter presented a memorial regarding the introduction of religious instruction in the schools, but no action was taken in the matter.

The government met afterwards and again in the evening to take up the question of providing for returned soldiers. The suggestions of the interprovincial conference which met recently in Ottawa were heard and the naming of a committee by the province considered. The committee will be appointed soon after those suggested as members signify their willingness to act.

The government received the report from the engineers who have been engaged in boring operations with the object of determining if there are suitable sites for bridges across the St. John and Kennebecasis rivers for the route of the Valley Railway to St. John. This report was to the effect that good foundations were available for this purpose.

NOMINATED BY CONSERVATIVES OF KINGS CO. P. E. I.

Charlottetown, P. E. I., Nov. 3.—James A. McIsaac, editor of Charlottetown Herald, was nominated at Georgetown today as Conservative federal candidate for Kings succeeding A. I. Fraser who was appointed Kings County court judge. McIsaac won nomination on a ballot vote over J. A. MacDonnell of Carleton Place, formerly member of Matheson government. He was defeated at recent general election.

Hubbard—At Marhamville, Kings County, on 3rd inst., William Woodbridge Hubbard, elder son of the late W. D. W. Hubbard, in the seventy-eighth year of his age. Funeral today at 2.30 p.m. Service at Mission Church, Paradise Row.

ALLAN—At Los Angeles, California, on October 27th, 1915, Sadie J. wife of Merton S. Allan, in the 61st year of her age.

BLAMES KING FERDINAND NOT THE PEOPLE

Russia Ready to Extend Friendly Hand When Bulgarian Nation Realizes into what an Abyss King's Policy Has Plunged it.

Petrograd, Nov. 3, via London, Nov. 4.—The Russian foreign office has issued the following statement with respect to Balkan affairs:

"The reproaches in the German press against the Allies for violating Greek territory are not justified. The Allies had been invited by Greece to send troops through her territory to help her ally. She had even mobilized with that object in view. A change of cabinet in Athens has brought about no modification in the Hellenic policy respecting the passage of troops, although it has resulted in a decision to maintain neutrality.

"The imperial government, as also its allies, would have considered not only disloyal, but morally criminal, an act contrary to the principles of right and justice, which have determined Russia to come to the defence of signed treaties and of the independence of peoples.

"To divest war of all its moral strength would be a folly, if not a blunder. We want a strong and independent Greece, and we are ready to recognize in her behalf the territorial enlargements which she needs to this end in Europe and Asia Minor. We hope that force of circumstance will lead her to the conclusion that not only right but might, is on the side of the Entente.

"The relations between Russia and Roumania which during the last decade had been placed on the basis of good neighborly relations and common interests, became stronger still during the second Balkan war, and by reason of the Bucharian treaty, Roumania is a great country, which has a right to realize her national ideal. Russia has declared herself prepared to recognize the justice of these aspirations.

"Several Roumanian statesmen recommend action by Roumania on the side of the Entente. When the hour for a confraternity of arms sounds, we are certain that thought will be shared by all Roumanians, and that it will be crowned with the same success as attended the last war with Turkey.

"The Entente Powers, from the beginning of the Balkan crisis, understood the real game of Bulgaria and all their efforts were directed towards avoiding a fratricidal war between two Slavic nations. These efforts met with a setback owing to the policy of King Ferdinand, who, notwithstanding he is a friendly hand to the Bulgarians, has remained German in sentiment.

"Russia, as proclaimed in the imperial manifesto, does not confound King Ferdinand and the Bulgarian people, and will always be ready to proffer a friendly hand to the Bulgarians, when they understand to what an abyss King Ferdinand's policy has carried them when they come to realize themselves on the side of the Allies."

COL. McLEAN TO AID RECRUITING CAMPAIGN IN MARITIME PROVINCES

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Cornwall and Brockville are being made training depots for the winter. Each will have two companies of the 58th Battalion.

Col. H. H. McLean, M. P., who has been at Valcartier in charge of a brigade, is now going to the Maritime Provinces to help in the recruiting campaign down there and also in making the arrangements for the winter. Later he will probably go to England in command of a brigade.

QUEENS CO. MAN IN 26TH WOUNDED BUT BACK AGAIN ON DUTY

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Included in the midnight casualties are the following:

Twenty-Sixth Battalion. Wounded—George A. Peters, Vancouver. Wounded, now on duty—Levelling Gallant, Flinbush, P. E. I.; Wm. Arthur Davis, Lakeview, Queens Co., N. B.

FOUND IN A BOX CAR. James Murphy, who was in the city recently looking for his wife, was arrested early this morning in a box car near Mill street, and is charged with lying and lurking.

BLOCKING OF PANAMA CANAL DELAYS SUPPLIES FOR RUSSIA

Warehouses and Wharves at Vladivostok Congested with Supplies Which Cannot be Sent Forward to Armies Owing to Lack of Locomotives and Cars Coming on Ships Held up by Blocking of Panama Canal.

Vladivostok, Oct. 10.—(Correspondence)—With its wharves and every part of ground along the waterfront piled high with all war supplies, warehouses crowded to their capacity and its railway facilities wholly inadequate to meet the insistent demands of the Russian army, Vladivostok is looking anxiously toward the Panama Canal, and hoping for a report that slides have been mastered and will permit the passage of ships carrying the rails, locomotives and cars so necessary to speed up transportation along the 6,000 miles of railway which separates the Russian lines from Russia's greatest gateway for supplies.

So far, not a single ship from New York has arrived bearing locomotives or railway cars. Four hundred and fifty American locomotives and 20,000 American freight cars have been purchased and many of them have been shipped; several ships bearing railway supplies passed through the Panama Canal before the slides of Sept. 18, which was reported to have cut off communications for an indefinite time. Because of the block in the Panama route supply ships from New York have been ordered to Vladivostok by the Bues route, which takes several weeks longer under present conditions.

Not Ice Bound in Winter. Two fundamental errors have entered into much of the discussion concerning Vladivostok's possibilities as a supply gateway. The first is the somewhat generally accepted statement that Vladivostok is ice bound part of the winter. This is not true. The other error statement is that the transiberian railway is entirely double tracked from Vladivostok to European Russia. This is equally untrue. Neither is there sufficient steel available to complete the double tracking along the entire route.

Last winter two ice breakers kept Vladivostok open throughout the entire cold season without any trouble. This year a third ice-breaker has been purchased in Japan, and the port authorities anticipate no difficulty in keeping channels open to the docks. It is estimated that the trailload of war supplies starts westward every three hours, but the great warehouses and piers are constantly filled again from the ships always at anchor waiting for a chance to dock. An endless chain of Koreans and Chinese is piling copper and lead and beans into freight cars which are rapidly worked into trains and started off for the seat of war.

The Associated Press correspondent saw many familiar trade marks in his walk along the congested waterfront. Automobiles from Detroit, steel rails from an Illinois company, army wagons from several American manufacturers, American tin cans and other products of the United States lies waiting for car space. Japan is supplying Russia with great quantities of lead and copper, which are delivered at Vladivostok. Shells, rifles and big guns, some as large as 12-inch are also being provided by the Japanese.

POOR HEALTH CAUSES WHITLOCK'S RETURN HOME

Departure of U. S. Minister to Germany Not Connected With the Cavell Case.

Washington, Nov. 3.—Brand Whitlock, American minister to Belgium, called to the State Department that he was preparing to return to the United States for a vacation on account of ill-health.

Secretary Lansing tonight issued the following statement: "There is nothing political in the fact that Mr. Whitlock is coming home on leave of absence. There is no connection between this fact and the case of Miss Edith Cavell. The department has known for two months that Mr. Whitlock was in ill-health and that his physician in Germany advised that he take a rest. He was therefore given the leave of absence solely for the purpose stated in the announcement by the department this evening."

MAJ. WELDON McLEAN WINS D.S.O. FOR WORK IN BIG DRIVE

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Col. H. H. McLean, M. P., of St. John, has received a cable announcing that his son, Major C. W. Weldon McLean, commanding "A" battery, the Royal Horse Artillery, has been awarded the distinguished service order. Major McLean is a South African veteran and on the conclusion of that campaign joined the British army. His conspicuous work in the recent big drive won him the honor.

GEN. RUTHERFORD TO RETIRE

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Brigadier General Benson, chief ordnance officer at militia headquarters, is to succeed Brigadier Gen. Rutherford of Halifax in the command of the sixth military district which includes the Maritime Provinces. General Rutherford will retire after long services.

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KITCHENER GETS INVITATION ASKING HIM TO ENLIST

One of Earl Derby's personal appeals sent to British War Secretary by mistake.

London, Nov. 3.—Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, the secretary of war, early this week received one of Lord Derby's invitations, which are being largely circulated to men of military age to join the army. This amusing blunder was disclosed by Lord Derby himself, who, while addressing a meeting of middle-aged recruiters, said nobody should be surprised if they received an invitation, as one had been actually sent to the minister of war.

The steamer continued her course down river on one paddle, arriving here about half past two yesterday morning, some eight hours late. The Str. Victoria on her way to Fredericton stopped at a number of places where freight was waiting transportation here via the Purdy, and took same to Fredericton, whence it will be brought down. The damage sustained by the Purdy is now being made good, and it is expected that the boat will proceed on her route on Friday.

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COMMON

Complete Union Is Task of Points

The Hour Is For Action, Directed Towards That of Cabinet — Only Vote of Confidence

Bulletin—Paris, Nov. 3.—A resolution new Briand government was adopted this morning. "France will not sign a peace agreement by right of victory, and until she has secured a durable peace," said Premier Briand.

This statement was included in the new cabinet, which was read before the Senate. The premier read the declaration of intent. "We are at war," said the premier, "wards action all the efforts of the government of the nation with a view to war, and to this object all public services. Only by all responsibilities are established, every published."

"That is the programme of the new image of the nation—to form the most common enemy. France never had an army government, aided by parliament, must furnish whom we salute with affection and pride soldiers and our chiefs, united in mutual their country, adds to the glory of France."

"We appeal to your co-operation. We know that your foremost intention is to second the action of the government. On its part, the government is ready to accomplish the whole of its task, and assumes all responsibility. It desires particularly to facilitate your supervision of its acts and will take every occasion to enlighten you by communicating—through regular collaboration directly with you—all information to which you have a right."

"It is by a union of the nations, the parliament and the government, that we will pursue the war to the end to the victors that will drive the enemy from all invaded territory; for that which has suffered from invasion for several months, as well as that that has suffered for so many years. "France has not disturbed the peace. Resting all provocation, she did everything possible to maintain it. It was premeditated aggression, that no sophism can ever succeed in justifying, that imposed war upon her. She accepted war without fear, and she will not cease the struggle until the enemy has been mastered. It is only when right shall have been restored by victory, and when she shall have obtained every guarantee for a durable peace that France will sign a peace. This we and the allied nations will reach by a close union. Every day tightens the bonds that unite them—bonds further strengthened by the adhesion of Japan to the agreement of Sept. 5, 1914, by which the powers undertook a solemn engagement not to conclude peace separately."

More Concerted Action in Conduct of War "We prize co-ordination, by which the efforts of the allied nations must be rendered more complete and promoter in execution. "The journeys of General Joffre to Italy and to England, the receptions given him, and the decisions between the general ministers has certainly the concert of action in the present and for the future. The central powers may postpone defeat, but they cannot prevent it. As for us we are decided to go to the very end. Our enemies can not count upon either fatigue or weakness on our part. After having weighed our task, we intend to pursue it, as heavy as it may be, to the necessary issue. We have the will to conquer. We shall vanquish in the end."

The reading of the ministerial declaration by Premier Briand in the chamber of deputies and by Minister of Justice Viviani in the senate aroused great enthusiasm, particularly the affirmation that the war would be pursued to the bitter end and peace signed only when every guarantee of a durable peace has been obtained.

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COMMONS TO BE ASKED FOR ANOTHER CREDIT VOTE

Complete Union in Face of Enemy Is Task of French Nation, Premier Points Out to His Colleagues

The Hour Is For Action, and All Government's Efforts Must be Directed Towards That End, Briand Says in Outlining Programme of Cabinet — Only One Dissenting Voice Out of 551 When Vote of Confidence in Government is Adopted.

London, Nov. 3.—A resolution expressing confidence in the new Briand government was adopted this evening by a vote of 515 to 1. "France will not sign a peace agreement until after her restoration by right of victory, and until she shall have obtained all guarantees of a durable peace," said Premier Briand today.

This statement was included in the ministerial declaration of the new cabinet, which was read before the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate. The premier read the declaration to the Chamber:

"We are at war," said the premier, "the hour is for action. Towards action all the efforts of the government must be directed. The essential task of the government is the utilization of all the vital forces of the nation with a view to war, and to combine and associate with this object all public services. Only by close and incessant operation will victory be obtained. Every one must accomplish his task. Once all responsibilities are established, every fault, every failure will be punished."

"That is the programme of the new government. It is the very image of the nation—to form the most complete union in the face of the enemy. France never had an army more worthy of victory. The government, aided by parliament, must furnish all means to these heroes, whom we salute with affection and pride. Every day of bravery of our soldiers and our chiefs, united in mutual confidence and in devotion to their country, adds to the glory of France."

COMMONS AGREES TO MODERATION OF INCOME TAX

Foreign Firms Will Be Brought Within Scope Of The Act.

WILL STOP LEAKAGE IN REVENUE RETURNS

New plan will tax profits of foreign exporters which now go abroad and escape tax collector.

London, Nov. 3.—Another vote of credit will be introduced in the House of Commons next week.

"In announcing this fact today Premier Asquith did not mention the amount. It is expected to be 250,000,000 pounds (\$1,250,000,000).

Modify Income Tax.

The House of Commons today agreed to the proposals made by Reginald McKenna, chancellor of the exchequer, for an important modification in the income tax so as to bring within the scope of the act foreign firms doing business in this country through agents.

Under the present procedure the agent escapes by a technicality from paying an income tax on profits. This new net of Mr. McKenna's also will catch the foreign exporter, who in-voices goods to an apparently independent firm in England at prices showing nominally little or no profits. The real profits, it is contended, go abroad, and escape the tax collector.

Under the new scheme the income tax on these transactions will be based on a percentage of the output or turnover.

GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE TO RECOGNIZE CARRANZA GOVT

Washington, Nov. 3.—Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, gave notice at the State Department today that both Great Britain and France are about to extend recognition to Gen. Carranza in Mexico. It probably will be done by communications to Carranza's representatives in Paris and London. Great Britain and France, it was said, are acting on their own initiative and not necessarily following the lead of the United States.

THE EASTINGTON POSTED AT LLOYDS AS MISSING

London, Nov. 3.—The British steamer Eastington, from Sydney, C. B., Sept. 24 for St. John, N. B. has been posted at Lloyds as missing.

YORK CO. SOLDIER SAW VICTIMS OF GERMAN ATROCITIES

Pte. Rosborough, of Prince William, saw little girl whose toes had been cut off and another who was victim of brutal attack of Huns during drive through France year ago.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Nov. 3.—Pte. George Rosborough of the 26th Battalion, who is now lying wounded in a hospital at Edinburgh, Scotland, has written a letter to his widowed mother, Mrs. Belle Rosborough, of Prince William, telling of some atrocities practiced by Germans on innocent people in that portion of Flanders which Huns overran and ravaged in their drives for Paris and Calais.

This story comes direct from a man who has been fighting in the trenches and who saw the victims of barbarian Germany while passing through France on his way to the firing line. He was wounded in a gallant charge made by the 26th Battalion on October 14th, but his wounds are not of a serious nature and he hopes to be back in the trenches again before Christmas.

"We made a charge on the Germans on the 14th," he wrote in a letter received yesterday by his mother. "I was just outside the German trenches when I got hit. Most of our boys who went out in that charge were wounded or killed. Don't worry, though, for I will soon be well. I hope to be back in the trenches again by Christmas."

In a previous letter he told of the atrocities referred to in the following language, having written while en route to the firing line:

"The Germans were fighting around here at the beginning of the war. We are billeted in the barns of a French farmer. When they overran this part of the country five or six German soldiers assaulted the 13 year old daughter of the farmer at whose place we are now stopping. She is partly paralyzed and her mind is affected as a result of their brutality. After this happened this same farmer picked up a wounded German, who had fallen not far from his house in one of the near-by fields, washed his wounds and dressed them, but he died about two hours later.

"Another little girl just above here had her fingers and toes cut off by Germans."

Four more recruits for the 104th Battalion enlisted here today, the list including John D. Wilson, 38, of Boulton, Ont.; Charles O'Donnell, 18, of McNamara, Shepherd, Ketch, 21, of Bath, Corleton County, and Charles W. Hunter of Harvey Station; Clifford Shea of Woodstock and Harold Kimball of Oromocto. Two telegraphers have passed medical examination but have not yet been sworn in.

This morning Percy Jones, Lee Yexxa and J. D. Wilson left for Sussex by C.P.R. to join the 104th.

BERLIN DENIES PEACE TALK

Reports that Germany disposed to prepare way for Peace negotiations called pure inventions.

Berlin, via Sayville, Nov. 3.—The foreign press recently has published reports that Germany is disposed to prepare the way for peace negotiations and is fostering efforts initiated by others in this direction, says the Overseas News Agency. A British newspaper again asserts that Germany is responsible for the agitation for ending the war. All these reports and rumors are pure inventions.

Swedish Minister Germany's Spokesman

Rome, Nov. 3, via Paris.—The Messagero asserts Count Albert Ebreusvard, Swedish minister to Switzerland, is taking the principal part on behalf of Germans who favor peace negotiations, in an effort to bring them about. Count Ebreusvard, the Messagero says, attempted some time ago to organize a league of neutral states, for the defense of their interests, and is now using his influence in favor of peace, counting on the support of Switzerland.

She Suffered 30 Years

Zam-Buk Cured the Ulcer in a Few Months.

If Mrs. Jeffrey, of St. French St., Methuen, had known about Zam-Buk thirty-three years ago, she would have saved herself just thirty-two years and some months of pain! Think of it! She says: "Thirty-three years ago an ulcer appeared on my ankle, which, in spite of treatment, continued to spread almost to my knee. I tried remedy after remedy, and was treated by various doctors for over 25 years, but only got temporary relief."

"The pain I suffered day and night was terrible; in fact, as I recall those days, I do not see how I was able to stand it! For years I could hardly walk, and was unable to leave the house. The ulcer extended from my ankle to my knee and was an open sore."

"One day I saw an account of a very bad ulcer having been cured by Zam-Buk. While I had become sceptical of all so-called remedies, I determined to give Zam-Buk a trial. I applied Zam-Buk freely every day, and the sore soon showed signs of healing. The inflammation went away, the pain was eased, and I was soon convinced that after thirty years of suffering I was on the road to recovery. I realized that a complete cure could not be effected in a day and persevered with Zam-Buk. Finally the terrible sore was quite healed. I have walked over a year before writing you, but there has been no trace of the ulcer returning."

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C. P. R.—CHANGE IN TIME.

Canadian Pacific Montreal Express now leaves St. John at 5.40 p. m. Atlantic, instead of 5.45 p. m. as formerly.

SIX NEW CARDINALS AT CONSISTORY TO BE HELD DEC. 6

Rome, Nov. 3.—The Osservatore Romano, official organ of the Vatican, announces that a secret consistory will be held on December 6, at which time the following designations as cardinals will be made:

Monignor J. Tomi, papal nuncio to Portugal.

The most Rev. A. Mistrangelo, archbishop of Florence.

Monignor C. Caserio, apostolic delegate to Costa Rica.

Monignor A. Fruehwirth, papal nuncio to Bavaria.

Count Scapitelli, papal nuncio at Vienna.

Archbishop Gasmini of Bologna.

A public consistory will be held on December 9.

D. A. THOMAS UNDER SURGEON'S KNIFE

Lloyd George's Agent undergoes operation in New York before returning home.

New York, Nov. 3.—D. A. Thomas, the wealthy Welsh coal mineowner, who has been in the United States and Canada several months as agent for David Lloyd George, British minister of munitions, was operated upon today for the removal of some of the bone of his jaw. The operation was reported to have been entirely successful, and Mr. Thomas is in good condition.

Mr. Thomas and his daughter were passengers on the steamship Lusitania when that vessel was torpedoed, and sunk off the Irish coast.

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CANADIAN GUN IN CAPTURED AEROPLANE

Gun lost in battle at Ypres found in Airship which fell behind Canadian line

London, Nov. 3.—(Gazette cable)—In one of the battles around Ypres the 13th Battalion of Canadians lost a coil machine gun. Recently a German aeroplane was brought down within the British lines at the front, having a pilot and observer (both dead), and the lost machine gun on board. The aeroplane fell only twenty yards from the trenches then occupied by the 13th Battalion.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1915.

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

ST. JOHN AND VALLEY RAILWAY

The Valley Railway is once more a favorite topic of discussion by political agitators who are assisting the Telegraph and Times in the game of blaming the Clarke Government for the fact that the road is not already running into St. John. The anxious ones, however, are no more consistent in their latest attacks than in former efforts along the same line. They claim that the road should come to the city by the very best route and yet they condemn the Clarke Government for attempting, by experts, to discover the precise points at which the road shall cross the St. John and Kennebec rivers and on which the best route will, of course, depend. There has been a strong demand that the road shall come to this city on the east side of the River St. John. The original Montserrat surveys were made with that idea in mind. But it was found that the cost of crossing the rivers at the points recommended by Engineer Montserrat, would be very high and Premier Clarke correctly determined to have better bridge sites could be found. That was the proper thing to do.

The people want the railway and want it to come down the east side of the river. They are not particular as to the exact point of crossing the St. John and if a better location than that suggested by Engineer Montserrat can be secured, one which will give a saving in cost as well as in mileage, surely the people of this city and province want that crossing. It is to discover such a location that borings have been taken and from the partial report of the engineer in charge of that operation, submitted to the Provincial Government at Fredericton yesterday, it is believed the result shows that good bottom for bridges can be secured at the points being investigated.

Surely the people of St. John want the road by the shortest route and the bridges where they can be built to the best advantage. Those who hold a contrary opinion are putting political considerations ahead of the best commercial interests.

Hon. Mr. Clarke, by his strong action in setting aside the contractors and placing the affairs of the road in the hands of a body of business men, whose sole interest is the interest of the people, has done as much as it is possible to do to take the routing and completion of the railway outside of the political sphere. He should be given all due credit for his action instead of which we find him attacked by the Telegraph and other supporters of the opposition who would probably like to see the Valley Road put back into the turmoil of politics.

It should not be forgotten that the Valley Road was made necessary by the failure of the Laurier government to route the N. T. R. down the Valley of the St. John, where it should have gone, and where it would have gone had Mr. Carvell and others done their duty by supporting the late Mr. Blair in his fight for this port. But the influence of Mr. Fielding and the "solid eighteen" from Nova Scotia was too strong and the N. T. R. was routed away from St. John and on to Halifax.

In its attempt to create capital against the Provincial Government, and to show St. John at a disadvantage compared with Halifax, the Telegraph yesterday morning said that "the I. C. R. from Moncton to Halifax and the port of Halifax are being speedily prepared to handle the volume of new traffic coming from the west over the Grand Trunk Pacific." If St. John had received its rights from the Laurier government, the Grand Trunk Pacific would have been running to this port and the "volume of new traffic" to which the Telegraph refers would have been coming here.

The Provincial Government has been forced to build the Valley Road to overcome the result of the Laurier government's crime against St. John. It has been a difficult task, but Premier Clarke and his associates are handling it well and should receive credit for their work. At least, if they are to be criticized, the criticism should not come from men who stood supinely by and permitted the Grit party heeler who served under Lau-

WHY NOT TRUST THE MINISTER?

The Times appears to be mildly surprised that this journal should presume to intimate to the members of the Board of Trade that their unsolicited activities in connection with the stationing of troops in St. John this winter might be regarded by Hon. Mr. Hazen as savoring somewhat of interference. The question is a very simple one and can easily be disposed of without the Times or Telegraph becoming hysterical. The members of the Board of Trade are business men and the Times says this is a matter of business not politics. Very well, let it be considered from a business standpoint.

Suppose any one of the firms represented in the Board of Trade engaged an expert to advance their interests and gave him carte blanche so long as he produced results. Suppose that expert brought to his task energy and outstanding ability and, during a period of more than four years service, had given complete satisfaction. If a case arose where his firm had absolute evidence that he was straining every effort in their behalf, had already met with much success, and had the best of prospects for the future, until he failed to produce results would it not be, not only poor business, but practically an impertinence for minor agents of the same firm to attempt to interfere with him or to suggest methods on which he should work? In the present case St. John is the firm, Hon. Mr. Hazen the expert and the members of the Board of Trade the minor agents who are trying to interfere in the game.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS HERE IN CONFERENCE

Good meetings in Centenary Church—Three hundred delegates present.

The 32nd annual convention of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island and Sunday School Association began in this city yesterday in Centenary Methodist church and will continue today and tomorrow. It is expected that over three hundred delegates will attend and about two hundred of these are from outside points. The morning was taken up with the registration and billeting of the delegates. The afternoon session was called to order with Rev. Wellington Camp in the chair. Devotions were led by the Rev. J. H. A. Anderson. The elementary division report was read by Mrs. Havelock Coy and the secondary division report by the Rev. G. A. Lawson. Dr. Charles E. Barker spoke at length on "Health and Happiness."

Whale Flesh in Berlin

(London Express) The Germans are continually shouting from the housetops that the economic conditions of the country are excellent, that they have more than enough food not only to supply the forces in the field, but even to maintain the civil population in comfort, if not in luxury, for the next twelve months. A glance at the advertising pages of the "Berliner Tageblatt" tells a somewhat different tale. In its current issue there appear advertisements lauding the marvellous nutritive properties of "artificial omelettes," "artificial butter," "chemical honey" and "jam," "artificial coffee and milk," and other dainties which can be purchased in packets at prices ranging from 2d. to 4d. each.

The most appetizing of these announcements is the following: THE CHEAPEST MEAT OF ALL For Internment Camps, Institutions, and Large Families is WHALE FLESH. Most Nutritious and Albuminous. In 200lb. Kegs at 2s. It seems to be recognized that the prospect thus held out is not a particularly alluring one, for it is thoughtfully added that "the most eminent scientists are agreed that fish is excellent brain-forming material."

The War Horse

(Helen M. Richardson, in Our Dumb Animals.)

Why am I left upon this barren field, A horse whose master never more will call— Wounded and bleeding where a cruel ball Did pierce me through; while all around me rise Moans of the dying handicapped like me? Men call it war, and claim 'tis ours to bear Heroes into the fray; and, when they fall, To agonize and suffer, e'en as they. Yet, wherefore, if there is no life beyond No, in the setting room, I see. For such as we, should suffer being borne That calls for Christian faith and martyr's blood?

Proudly we learn to step to martial notes; Madly we sniff the battle from afar; Bravely we bear a hero to the strife; Yet when he falls, though we like him are torn, With murderous shot and shell and moaning lie.

Why must we bear the agony and die Uncared-for where we fall? God's love enfolds His mearest creatures; horse and man alike, Are folded in the mantle of his care. Oft on the battle-field man leaves us where We dropped our burden. 'T is a horse can tell, Writing in agony, why "war is hell."

Efficiency of Bag pipes

(London Paper.) The wounded Highlander in hospital was very depressed, and seemed to make no headway toward recovery. He was for ever talking about his "bonnie Scotland," and the idea occurred to the doctor that a Scotch pipe might rouse his spirits.

After some hunting around a pipe was found, and it was arranged that he should present himself outside the hospital that night, and pour forth all the gems of Scottish music the pipes were capable of interpreting. This he did.

When the astute doctor turned up the next morning he eagerly asked the matron: "Did the pipe turn up?" "He did," replied the matron. "And how's our Scotch patient?" "Oh, he's fine; I never saw such a change," said the matron. "That's grand. It was a fine idea of mine to get that pipe," said the delighted doctor.

The Teacher And Her Watch

If she puts it on her desk it is not always convenient—and she may forget it when she leaves the room. If she carries it on a fob, chain or pin, there is always the danger of its being dropped or knocked against something with expensive results—nor is it as convenient as when worn on the wrist.

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Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE.

The telephone rang this afternoon and I answered it and it was Mr. Parkins to talk to Gladis and I went upstairs and she was in her room reading a book in a kimono, and I stood in the door a while looking at her, and then I said, Gladis. "Do you want to start something every time I get intrusted in a good book, see Gladis?" "I wasn't trying to start anything, I see. And I stood there another little while looking at her and then I said, 'What I was going to say was Mr. Parkins wants you down stairs.' Mr. Parkins, at this hour in the day, grate hevvins, wat can he want, see Gladis?" "Dont ask me, he sed he wanted to talk to you, I sed. And me in a kimono, and wy did you stand there like a petrified mummy instead of telling me rite away, see Gladis." "I was going to tell you and you interrupted me, I sed. I was in the parlor?" sed Gladis. "No, in the setting room, I sed. Being wate the telephone is, and Gladis sed, Well, wat in merseys name pizessed you to take him up there. O I dont no, I sed. Go down and tell him Ill be down in 10 minits, goodness, wat a time to come calling, see Gladis. And I went down and sed into the telephone, She sees she will be heer in 10 minits, Mr. Parkins. 10 minits, for the love of Peet, Ive bin heer 5 awreddy, sed Mr. Parkins.

That was she sed, I sed. And I put the telephone down and went downstairs and got my hat to be awreddy to go out in a hurry if I felt like it, and after a lawg while Gladis came down stairs and went in the setting room, saying, Wy, theres nobody heer, sumbody left the telephone receiver up, holo, holo, wat, my Mr. Parkins, Benny didnt say you were only awn the telephone, O, its that so, Im dreadilly sorry, I got awdressed, wate just a seckond, please, Ill see if I can get hold of him. Wich she coodent.

Recruiting in Moncton. Capt. L. P. D. Tilley returned home last night from Moncton where he was in conference with Lieut. W. L. A.

Rev. G. A. Lawson, of Moncton, gave the concluding address, his subject being "Some Sunday School Values." He dealt with the work of the Bible School and the great results it was showing.

St. David's choir assisted in the singing which was much appreciated by the delegation.

The numerous St. John friends of Wm. Downie will regret to hear of his serious illness. The Toronto Mail, Monday, published the following item: Wm. Downie, of Whitby, Ont., late general superintendent of the Atlantic Division, C.P.R., having undergone a serious operation at Walleley Hospital on Thursday last, is reported as progressing very satisfactorily.

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Advertisement for HOTEL ARRIVALS, listing names and addresses of guests at various hotels.

Advertisement for PROBATE COURT, detailing the will of Michael Corra and the estate of Elizabeth Magee.

Advertisement for FUNERALS, reporting on the funeral of Robert Barry.

Advertisement for GILLET'S LYE, featuring an image of the product and text: 'MADE IN CANADA'.

RECRUITING MEETINGS

Arrangement made for gatherings this week - The speakers.

There will be three recruiting meetings tonight, all of which give abundant evidence of collecting a large number of men.

Two excellent recruiting meetings, one in Hill street and the other in North End, were held last night.

At the recruiting hall in Mill street, last night, speeches were given by M. E. Agar, L. P. D. Tilley, A. M. Belding and Walter Brindle.

Harry Lauder here on the 30th. There will no doubt be a thrill of joy in the community over the announcement that Harry Lauder, the "only Harry" - to be seen at the Imperial Theatre on St. Andrew's Day (Nov. 30th).

NOVA SCOTIA SHIPBUILDING. At Port Greville Councilor G. M. Cochrane is working on the construction of a schooner to be built by Captain Thomas Bentley.

Suffered No End of Pain FROM BACKACHES. If a pain attacks you in the back you should stop and think what it is and what causes it.

Doan's Kidney Pills are the original kidney pills. Do not accept any substitutes put up under similar names.

NINETEEN MEN ACCEPTED FOR CRACK BATTALION

Colonel Fowler gets more recruits from St. John for his regiment - Stirring addresses at the meetings here last night.

YESTERDAY'S HONOR ROLL. Walter Lamereaux, St. John. Charles Cassey, St. John. Fred Gallant, P. E. Island. Augustus Gallant, P. E. Island. Craig H. Palmer.

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Six new men were signed on for the 14th Battalion at a recruiting meeting which was held in St. Michael's hall, Main street, last evening.

There are thousands of men right here in St. John who could go and who are not going. Of course, there are some of them who have ties to keep them at home, but the majority of them have nothing to stop them.

There are too many critics coming to these meetings. They don't come to see what they can find out about the need of men, and to consider the matter seriously, they come to see what fault they can find with the speakers.

WAR TROPHIES TO BE SHOWN

Will be on view in Recruiting Hall - Will Welcome 52nd Battalion.

At yesterday meeting of the citizens' recruiting committee in the Board of Trade rooms a number of matters in connection with the recruiting campaign were discussed.

The Soldiers' Wives' League gave a tea and reception yesterday afternoon for the mothers, wives and sisters of the soldiers in the schoolroom of Stone church.

The following was the programme: Hymn, "Eternal Father Strong to Save," speech of welcome by Rev. Victor Jarvis; addresses by Lady Tilley, Mrs. W. A. Harrison, Mrs. George F. Smith and Mrs. Mortimer; solo: Mrs. Godsoe; recitation, F. Short; song, Miss Travers.

WEDDINGS. Fairweather-Cook. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram H. Fairweather, 121 Metcalf street, North End, on Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock was the scene of a pleasant event when their youngest son, Paxton Lee Fairweather and Miss Catherine B. Cook, daughter of Chas. B. Cook of Sackville, were, in the presence of a large gathering of relatives and friends, united in marriage by the Rev. W. R. Robinson.

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Bristol, N. B., July 25th, 1914. "I had a stroke of Paralysis in March, and this left me unable to walk or help myself and the Constipation was terrible. Finally, I took Fruit-a-Lives for the Constipation. This fruit medicine gradually toned up the nerves and actually relieved the paralysis. By the use of 'Fruit-a-Lives' I grew stronger until all the palsy left me. I am now well and attend my store every day."

Rev. W. R. Robinson of the Ludlow street Baptist church. The ceremony took place in the front parlor, under an arch of wedding bells. Miss M. Fairweather played Mendelssohn's Wedding March, and the bride was given in marriage by her father.

Advertisement for HAVE YOU TRIED THIS FLOUR?, featuring an image of a flour bag and text: 'Ask Your Grocer for it'.

Advertisement for PAINLESS DENTISTRY, featuring text: 'We extract teeth free of pain. Only 25c.'

Advertisement for DON'T FORGET, featuring text: 'To Call West 7 or West 81 When Needing Oats, Middlings, Bran or Hay'.

Advertisement for A. C. SMITH & CO., featuring text: 'Union Street - West St. John'.

Advertisement for HOTEL SEYMOUR, featuring text: '44-50 West 45th Street NEW YORK'.

CORRESPONDENTS' CORNER

HARTLAND

Hartland, N. B., Oct. 31.—The local Red Cross Society held a most successful chicken supper in the armory on Friday evening, when \$109 was realized for the Lansdowne fund for wounded soldiers.

Mrs. S. L. York was called to Waterville last week on account of the illness of her sister Mrs. Fred Culbertson.

Mrs. Hal Sippel, after visiting friends in Chipman, has returned home.

Mrs. W. M. Field of Andover, who has been visiting in St. John and P. E. Island for a few weeks, has returned home.

Mrs. Arthur Ross and little daughter of Dawson City, arrived in Andover on Monday to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Curry.

Miss Day of St. John, was the guest of honor at a thimble party at the home of Mrs. H. L. Alcorn, Andover, on Friday of last week.

Mrs. J. E. Mallory, of Perth, left on Saturday for Quebec, where her husband is in the employ of Porter-Manzer Co.

Miss Lucy Dionne, who has been visiting in Boston, has returned to her home in Perth.

The Andover and Perth Red Cross Society last week collected the sum of \$121.20.

A branch of the Royal Teutonic Legion was organized in Perth last Saturday. The officers appointed were: Dorothy Olmstead, president; Beulah Anderson, secretary.

Mr. J. Wilson Boutin, who has been visiting his brother Geo. at Perth, left for his home on Monday.

After residing in the west for six months Mr. and Mrs. Earle Brewer have returned to their home in Perth.

The marriage took place at St. John on Thursday of Mr. Wm. McPeckin, of this place and Miss Miriam Cambridge of St. John. The ceremony took place at the home of the bride's parents, and on Friday the young couple arrived here where they will temporarily reside at the Royal Hotel. In the evening the band serenaded them, both being popular young people.

HILLSBOROUGH

Hillsborough, Nov. 3.—Mr. Rufus Akley and mother, Mrs. Akley, of Portland, Maine, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Connor last week.

Miss Ethel Robinson, of Riverside, was the weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Berrie.

Mr. Geo. Chapman spent the week end with friends in Moncton.

Mrs. Jordan, of River Glade, donor of the Jordan Memorial Sanatorium of that place, was the guest of friends in town last week.

Miss Beaumont, of New York, N. Y., is the guest of Miss Lucinda Beatty.

Misses Katherine and Jennie Taylor, professional nurses, returned this week to Salem, Mass., after spending some time guests of their mother, Mrs. W. P. Taylor.

On Friday evening last the Apohaqui Camp Fire girls entertained delightfully at a masquerade Halloween party in the hall. The hall was appropriately decorated with autumn leaves and evergreens; the Camp Fire emblem being conspicuous among the decorations. The games and various amusements were characteristic of Halloween. During the evening the Camp Fire girls in their uniforms sang their watch word song "Who-who, Who-who, Who-who, Love." Refreshments were served.

Rev. Capt. Lawrence, chaplain of the 104th Battalion, delivered a most eloquent and inspiring address in St. Mary's church on Sunday evening last.

Miss Nina Stiles, after spending some time guests of their mother, Mrs. John Beatty, at Weldon for the week-end.

Rev. Samuel J. Wilson, organizer for the Maritime Provinces of the Loyal Orange Society, gave an address in the Valley Baptist church on Monday evening.

On Sunday evening last the service in the First Baptist church was held under the auspices of the W. M. A. S. Special features of the programme were a well prepared paper on the work of the society by Mrs. Harvey Stevens, and a very interesting essay on the life of women and children of India, read by Mrs. Schurman. Miss Gaunce, missionary on furlough, gave an address which was highly appreciated.

ST. JOHN DEANERY

The quarterly session of the deanery of St. John was held Tuesday in St. Mary's church. The service at 9:30 was conducted by Rev. W. H. Sampson, rural dean, assisted in the communion by Rev. R. T. McKim. An intercessory service for the war was led by Rev. R. P. McKim of St. Luke's.

Rev. Canon Hoyt read an interesting and comprehensive paper on the eighth chapter of Romans. Venerable Archdeacon Raymond gave a report of the proceedings of the general synod recently held in Toronto, and, by means of a draft copy of the Canadian Prayer Book, showed the nature of the revision of the liturgy. This was followed by an interesting discussion. The meeting then adjourned to the residence of Archdeacon Raymond for lunch.

The deanery meeting was resumed in the afternoon when most of the time was devoted to an interesting and useful discussion on confirmation.

Rev. R. P. McKim and Dr. J. Roy Campbell were elected as representatives from the deanery on the board of missions of the synod. Seventeen of the clergy from the city and vicinity were in attendance and the meeting proved profitable and enjoyable.

WHITE'S COVE

White's Cove, Nov. 1.—Wm. Duront came home from Moncton on Saturday. Duncan McPeck, who has spent the summer in Portland, Me., is home for the winter.

Fred S. Ferris and wife came up from the city on Saturday and are visiting friends here and Mrs. C. E. White and wife of the city spent Sunday on their farm, returning by May Queen today.

Alex. McKinlay and wife who have been visiting friends in the city came home on Saturday.

J. W. Delt, Paris, who spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Parris, left for his home in Vancouver on Saturday.

A Halloween party was held at P.B. McLean's on Friday evening and the young people enjoyed it.

Miss Mattie Mullin is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. McPeck.

Mr. Ira D. Parris and wife of the city spent a few days here last week returning to the city today by May Queen.

APHAQUI

Apoahqui, Nov. 3.—Mr. and Mrs. Murray Gilchrist have returned from a week's hunting trip to "The Narrows." Mr. Gilchrist shot a deer and a good number of birds.

Miss Elizabeth Addison who was summoned by the illness and subsequent death of her grandmother, Mrs. Kelly, Collins, returned on Monday to resume her studies at Acadia College, Wolfville, N. S.

Miss Muriel Jones, student of Mt. Allison Ladies' College, is home for a few days with her parents, Geo. B. Jones, M.L.A., and Mrs. Jones.

Miss C. L. Myles, Belleisle, was the guest of Mrs. Warren H. Colpitts part of last week.

CAMBRIDGE

Report of Cambridge School District No. 13, Queens Co., for the month of October:

Enrollment: 29; average attendance, 27. The following pupils made perfect attendance:

Elsie Robinson, Mabel Straight, Mary Straight, Jennie Straight, Dorothy Straight, Otty Hamm, Hilda Hamm, Ada Straight, Zella Carpenter and Earle Wilson.

General proficiency:—

Grade V—1st, Mary Straight; 2nd, Susie Carpenter.

Grade IV—1st, Jennie Straight; 2nd, Gertrude Carpenter.

Grade III—1st, Gordon Perry; 2nd, Hilda Hamm.

Grade II (a)—1st, Alva Straight.

Grade II (b)—1st, Alva Straight; 2nd, Zella Carpenter.

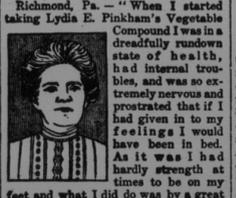
Grade I—1st, Amos Straight; 2nd, Earle Wilson.

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Richmond, Pa. — "When I started taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I was in a dreadfully rundown state of health, had internal troubles, and was so extremely nervous and prostrated that if I had given in to my feelings I would have been in bed. As it was I had hardly strength at times to be on my feet and what I did do was by a great effort. I could not sleep at night and of course felt very bad in the morning, and had a steady headache.

"After taking the second bottle I noticed that the headache was not so bad, I rested better, and my nerves were stronger. I continued its use until it made a new woman of me, and now I can hardly realize that I am able to do so much as I do. Whenever I know any woman in need of a good medicine I highly praise Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound." — Mrs. FRANK CLARK, 3146 N. Tulip St., Richmond, Pa.

Women Have Been Telling Women for forty years how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has restored their health when suffering with female ills. This accounts for the enormous demand for it from coast to coast. If you are troubled with any ailment peculiar to women why don't you try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound? It will pay you to do so. Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass.

FISH

PICKLED HERRING in Half-Dozs. DRY CODFISH by the Hundred. JAMES PATTERSON 10 and 20 South Market Wharf St. John, N. B.

MOSS GLEN

Moss Glen, Oct. 30.—Mrs. E. H. Merritt, Queenstown arrived here on Tuesday, and is spending a few weeks at her old home at this place.

Misses Lonsdale and Hattie Puddington, who attended the Teachers' Institute held at Hampton, were the weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Puddington of this place.

Mr. Leslie Merritt and Mrs. E. H. Merritt spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lyon, Hampton.

Mr. J. P. McBay, St. John, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Green.

Mr. L. Cronk, St. John, spent Sunday the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Cronk of this place.

Mr. Walter Johnston of Grey Mills, and Miss Dyer spent Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Puddington of this place.

Medley Puddington spent Sunday the guest of friends at this place.

Mr. J. P. Merritt, St. John, spent a few days at this place returning to St. John on Wednesday.

A very heavy electrical storm passed over here on Saturday morning about six o'clock.

RECEIVES WRIST WATCH

Tuesday evening a pleasant whist party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Peacock, Sandy Point Road, in honor of Sgt. Frank H. Peacock of the 3rd C. S. A., now stationed in Halifax. During the evening Alex. Peacock, in behalf of relatives and friends, presented to the sergeant a handsome gold military wrist watch. Sgt. Peacock made a suitable reply. A jolny supper was served, and an enjoyable time spent by all. Sgt. Peacock left yesterday for Halifax.

HUNTING TRIP

A party of hunters returned to the city yesterday after a visit to the Miramichi woods in which they were successful in bagging several partridge and duck. They also saw a few moose at a distance. In the party were Walter Colwell, A. C. Northrup and John Moore of the St. John Railway Co., Clark with Charles Watts and Charles Clark of North End, who will remain a few days longer.

SAGE TEA KEEPS YOUR HAIR DARK

When Mixed with Sulphur It Brings Back Its Lustre and Abundance.

Gray hair, however handsome, denotes advancing age. We all know the advantages of a youthful appearance. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray and looks dry, wispy and scraggly, just a few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur enhance its appearance a hundred fold.

Don't stay gray! Look young! Either prepare the tonic at home or get from any drug store a 50-cent bottle of "Weyl's Sage and Sulphur Compound." Thousands of folks recommend this ready hair preparation, because it darkens the hair beautifully and removes dandruff, stops scalp itching and falling hair; besides, no one can possibly tell, as it darkens so naturally an event. You moisten a sponge or soft brush with it, drawing this through the hair, taking one single strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, its natural color is restored and it becomes thick, glossy and lustrous, and you appear years younger.

ONE SPOOFUL GIVES ASTONISHING RESULTS

St. John residents are astonished at the QUICK results from the simple mixture of buckhorn bark, glycerine, etc., called Adier-kia. This remedy acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and is so THOROUGH a bowel cleanser that it is used successfully in appendicitis. ONE SPOOFUL of Adier-kia relieves almost ANY CASE of constipation, sour or gassy stomach. ONE MINUTE after you take it the gasses rumble and pass out. J. B. Mahony, druggist, Corner Dock and Union.

The Easiest Way To End Dandruff

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most if not all of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single grain and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.

HAS NO OFFICIAL DETAILS OF THE COURT MARRIAGE OF LT. RYAN

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—The Minister of Militia today stated that he had no official details of the court marriage of Lieut. Col. Ryan of the 6th Mounted Rifles but that he had heard that on one occasion in France the officer had over indulged. The Minister paid high tribute to his services in South Africa, particularly at Littlefontein.

Note Your Increase In Weight

By making the blood rich and red Dr. Chase's Nerve Food forms new cells and tissues and nourishes the starved system. It is the best food for health and vigor.

By noting your increase in weight while using it you can prove positively the benefit being derived from this great food cure.

50 cents a box, all dealers, or Edman, Bates & Co. Limited, Toronto.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food



SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH-WEST LAND REGULATIONS

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

Duties—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 50 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section altogether, or six months' residence \$30.00 per acre.

Duties—Six months residence in each of three years after earning homestead patent also 50 acres; extra cultivation, pre-emption patent may be substituted as soon as homestead patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead in certain districts. Price \$30.00 per acre. On three years, 50 acres to erect a house worth \$100.

Unauthorised publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—4432.

W. W. CORY, C. M. G., Deputy of the Minister of Interior, N. B.—Unauthorised publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.—4432.

TENDERS

Sealed tenders will be received by H. E. Wardrop, common clerk, addressed to his usual room of the 10th and 11th floors of the City Market, for the painting of the interior of the City Market.

Specification for the work to be performed can be seen at the office of the Commissioner of Public Safety.

The lowest and any tender not necessary accepted.

St. John, Nov. 3, 1915.

ADAM P. MACINTYRE, H. R. McLELLAN, Comptroller, Commissioner Public Safety.

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF QUEEN'S COUNTY

In the matter of the Estate of Edwin L. Hughes, deceased.

The Will of the late Edwin L. Hughes having been proved in Solemn Form and Letter Testamentary issued, all persons owing to the said Estate will please file the same duly attested with the undersigned Executor, and all persons having claims against the Estate will please file the same duly attested with the undersigned Executor.

SAMUEL E. HUGHES, Executor.

Mill Brook, Queens Co., N. B. HENRY W. ROBERTSON, Proctor, No. 65 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B.

EXHIBITION ASSOCIATION

The annual meeting of The Exhibition Association of the city and county of Saint John will be held at the offices of the association, 147 Prince William street, on Tuesday, November 9th, at three p.m.

The meeting of the Board of Directors will be held at 2:30 p.m. on that date.

H. A. Porter, secretary.

Onions. Onions. Onions

Landing, Five Cars ONTARIO ONIONS. Sale Low While Landing. A. L. GOODWIN Steel Radiators Attention is called to the Improved Steel Radiators for Hot Water Steam. These Radiators take less pipe and give quick and perfect radiation. Durability is assured in these Radiators, as over 20 years service has been shown without failure. Reference to large Buildings given. Also Boilers for Hot Water or Steam. ESTEV & Co., Selling Agents for Mantra.

Manilla Cordage

Galvanized and Black Steel Wire Rope, Oakum, Pitch, Tar, Oils, Palata, Flax Tarble Blocks and Motor Boat Supplies. Gurney Ranges and Stoves and Tinware. J. S. SPLANE & CO., 19 Water Street.

HALT

At BRINDLE'S for Head Made Boots, Long Boots and Waterproof Boots for Farm and Country. Repairs while you wait. 27 Union Cor. Waterloo Streets, Haymarket St. Cor. Gilbert's Lane ST. JOHN.

Even in HARD water, there is plenty of suds to soften and loosen dirt, quickly but gently! with—

SURPRISE SOAP

THE SOAP THAT MAKES "WASH DAY" A SURPRISE!

Classified Advertising

One cent per word each insertion. Discount of 33 1-3 per cent on advertisements running one week or longer if paid in advance. Minimum charge 25 cents.

POTTS

Oil Paintings, Steel Engravings, Cut Glass, Inlaid Card Table, Statuary, Angelus, Sam'l Maye Pool Table, Extra Set Ivory Balls, Wilton Carpets, Bedroom Suites, etc., AT RESIDENCE BY AUCTION

I am instructed to sell at the residence of the late Robert Thomson, corner Mecklenburg and Sydney streets, the contents of the residence, following is a partial list of goods and times of sales. Sales commencing Wednesday morning, November 10th, at 10 o'clock.

10 a.m.—On third floor, consisting of bedroom furniture, carpets, pictures, bric-a-brac, hair mattresses, tables, fancy chairs, ornaments, &c., &c.

2.30 p.m.—On second floor, walnut bedroom suite, chiffoniers, brass beds, mahogany lounges, mahogany chairs, rockers, paintings, bric-a-brac, Wilton carpets, French marble clock, &c., &c.

7.30 p.m.—Billiard Room—Table complete with rack, cues, pool and billiard balls; also one set genuine ivory balls. Rare old Indian bows and arrows, tomahawks, spears, daggers, rifles, revolvers, fencing foils and masks, skis, brass bound chest, Empire typewriter and stand.

THURSDAY, Nov. 11th, at 10 a.m.—and continuing at 2.30 and 7.30 p.m. First floor, sale commencing in dining-room at 10 a.m. One large round mahogany top dining table, 12 mahogany chairs, leather seats and backs; cut glass decanters and glasses, wine glasses, silver plate ware, electric candleabra, oak collarette, French marble clock, bronze statuary, bric-a-brac, punch bowls, chinaware, etc.

SMOKER'S ROOM AND CONTENTS: Library—Books, mahogany lounge, mahogany chairs, oak table claw feet, Japanese vases, marble bust, oil paintings, etc.

Hall—Settee, chairs, walnut book-case, life-size statue on pedestal.

Drawing Room—Angus, music cabinets, inlaid easy and other chairs, mahogany bric-a-brac table, fancy chairs, pedestals, electric table lamps, oil painting by P. Vanseverdonck and one by Stanton, engravings Blucher and Wellington and Death of Nelson. One inlaid card table \$500, foundation of cypress wood inlaid with olive, ebony, walnut, rosewood, orange, lemon pistache, mulberry, apple tree, camel bone and mother-of-pearl.

Parlor, Library, Dining Room, Bedrooms, Halls, etc., Wilton, carpets, rugs, portiere, curtains, etc. Kitchen utensils and many other household requisites.

R. F. POTTS, Auctioneer.

—THE— LONDON DIRECTORY (Published Annually.)

enable readers throughout the world to communicate direct with English manufacturers and dealers in all classes of goods. Besides being a complete commercial guide to London and its suburbs the Directory contains:

EXPORT MERCHANTS with the goods they ship, and the Colonial and Foreign Markets they supply.

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PROVINCIAL TRADE NOTICES of leading Manufacturers, Merchants, etc., in the principal provincial towns and industrial centres of the United Kingdom.

A copy of the current edition will be forwarded, freight paid, on receipt of Postal Order for 30s.

Dealers seeking Agencies can advertise their trade cards for £1, or larger advertisements from £3.

The London Directory Co., Ltd., 25 Abchurch Lane, London, E. C.

WANTED

WANTED—First class experienced cast iron die-reamer for wire mill in Canada. One who is capable of making all tools. Must be sober and quick workman, able to handle all sizes from 18 up to 4 gage. Highest wages permanent position. Apply "Reamer" care Standard.

WANTED—Experienced hotel clerk. Give references, experience and salary wanted. Apply Dufferin Hotel, St. John.

YOUNG MAN WANTS room with board and private family, central location. Address box "Boarding" care Standard office.

WANTED—Superintendent and Matron wanted for the Boys Industrial Home, St. John East. Apply with references to I. Olive Thomas, Secretary, 42 Princes St.

BOY WANTED to learn dry goods business, apply Brock & Paterson, Ltd., King street.

MALE HELP WANTED

AGENTS WANTED—Agents \$8 a day selling wendites, which mends granite, hot water bags, rubber boots, reservoirs, rollers, metal tubs and tinware without cement or solder. Sample ten cents. Collette Mfg. Company, Collingwood, Ontario.

FOR SALE

For sale Hams and Bacon, Sausages, Mince Meat, Lard, Frankfurts, also buyers of Pork and Produce John Hopkins, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Family driving horse, single and double carriage, sleigh, robes, harness, etc. Apply P. O. Box 93, St. John, N. B.

SAW MILL PROPERTY FOR SALE OR RENT

Steam and water power plant in Victoria county is being offered at a very low cost for immediate sale. Suitable terms can be made for renting and sawing out this seasons' cut of spruce and hardwood. Capacity about three million feet. For further particulars write P. O. Box 378, St. John, N. B.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, ducklings and hatching eggs. Poultry and fruits form a paying combination. Strawberry plants, 100, 70c; 1,000, \$5; currants, 10c; gooseberries, 15c; raspberries 5c; rhubarb, 10c; and perennial flowers, roses, dahlias, etc. Carriage prepaid. Catalogue forwarded on application. Chas. Provan, Langley Port, near Vancouver.

TO LET

ROOMS TO LET—Several nice rooms, heated, electric light, 150 King street east.

HOTELS

When visiting CHIPMAN, N. B. Be sure and stay at

CHIPMAN HOUSE

W. E. DERRAH, Proprietor. Tastefully Furnished, Excellent Table.

CLIFTON HOUSE

H. E. GREEN, Proprietor. Corner German and Princess streets, ST. JOHN, N. B.

"THE PRINCE WILLIAM"

One of St. John's first class hotels for transient and permanent guests. Prince William street.

QUEEN HOTEL

Mrs. M. Hatfield, Proprietress. PRINCESS STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. \$2.00 AND \$2.50 A DAY.

ROYAL HOTEL

King Street, St. John's Leading Hotel. RAYMOND & DOHERTY CO. LTD., T. B. Reynolds, Manager.

VICTORIA HOTEL

Better Now Than Ever. 87 KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. Proprietors, A. M. PHILLIPS, Manager.

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FOSTER & COMPANY, Proprietors, King Square, St. John, N. B. J. T. Dunlop, Manager.

WINES AND LIQUORS

RICHARD SULLIVAN & CO.

Established 1874. Wholesale Wine and Spirit Merchants, Agents for MACKIE'S WHITE HORSE CELLAR SCOTCH WHISKY, LAWSON'S LIQUEUR SCOTCH WHISKY, SIMPSON'S HOUSE OF LORDS SCOTCH WHISKY, KING GEORGE IV. SCOTCH WHISKY, AUK'S HEAD BASS ALE, FABST MILWAUKEE LAGER BEER, G.E.O. SAVER COGNAC BRANDIES, Bonded Storage, Phone 533.

WHOLESALE LIQUORS

William L. Williams, successors to M. A. Fish, Wholesale and Retail Wine and Spirit Merchant, 110 and 112 Prince William Street. Established 1870. Write for family price list.

M. & T. MCGUIRE

Direct Importers and Dealers in all the leading brands of Wines and Liquors; we also carry in stock from the best houses in Canada, very Old Rye, Whisky, Ales and Stout, Imported and Domestic Cigars.

11 and 15 Water Street. Telephone 678.

NERVES, ETC., ETC.

ROBERT WILBY, Medical Electrician, Specialist and Masseuse. Treats all nervous diseases, weakness and wasting, neuralgia, locomotor ataxia, paralysis, sciatica, rheumatism, etc., etc. Facial blebs of all kinds removed. 27 Coburg Street.

THE UNION FOUNDRY & MACHINE WORKS, LTD.

Iron and Brass Castings. WEST ST. JOHN. Phone West 15

J. FRED WILLIAMSON

MACHINISTS AND ENGINEER. Steamboat, Mill and General Repair Work. INDIAN TOWN, ST. JOHN, N. B. Phone, M-229; Residence M-124-111.

WATCH REPAIRERS

W. Bailey, the English, American and Swiss watch repairer, 138 Mill street. Work guaranteed.

PATENTS

"PATENTS and Trade-marks Procured, Fetherstonhaugh and Co., Palmer Building, St. John."

Musical Instruments Repaired

VIOLINS, MANDOLINS and all string instruments and Bows repaired. SYDNEY GIBBS, 81 Sydney Street.

ENGRAVERS

F. C. WESLEY & CO. Artists, Engravers and Electrotypers, 55 Water Street, St. John, N. B. Telephone 923.

JEWELRY

My stock is now complete for inspection. ERNEST LAW, 3 Coburg St. Issuer of Marriage Licenses.

You are invited to inspect VAN GUILDER HOLLOW WALL DWELLING (Built like a Thermos Bottle). Now Being Constructed by Us at Lancaster Avenue. GANDY & ALLISON, Builders' Supplies.

OBITUARY

W. W. Hubbard.

The death occurred at Markhamville, Kings County, yesterday morning of William Woodbridge Hubbard. Deceased was the son of the late W. D. W. Hubbard and was in the seventy-eighth year of his age. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. J. Delancy Robinson, of Fredericton. Mr. Hubbard was for several years bookkeeper with the Great Salmon River Lumber Company. The funeral will take place this afternoon with services at the Mission Church, Paradise Row, at half-past two o'clock.

WHAT WAR WILL COST CANADA FOR NEXT YEAR

Expenditure estimated at between 200 and 250 Millions for 1916—Financial report for seven months shows gain of \$6,700,000 in receipts.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Canada's war expenditure for next year will be between two hundred and two hundred and fifty million dollars. Up to the end of this year the expenditure will be \$160,000,000 so that by the end of 1916 it will amount to \$400,000,000. A statement issued by the finance department today says that about one thousand dollars per man per annum is calculated as the cost of raising, equipping and maintaining Canadian troops at the front and under arms in Canada.

In this war the estimates will be exceeded on account of the enormous expenditure of ammunition and the heavy strain upon artillery and rifles. The annual interest charge in connection with the war expenditure by Canada to the end of 1916 will amount to over fifteen million dollars. The financial return of the first seven months of the present fiscal year, that is to say up to the end of October, shows an increase in receipts of \$6,700,000 over the corresponding period of the previous year and a reduction of nearly nine million dollars in ordinary expenditure and of two and a half million dollars on capital account.

OLD FOLKS NEED "CASCAETS" FOR LIVER, BOWELS

Salts, calomel, pills act on bowels like pepper acts in nostrils. Enjoy life! Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy and constipated.

Get a 10-cent box now.

Most old people must give to the bowels some regular help, else they suffer from constipation. The condition is perfectly natural. It is just as natural as it is for old people to walk slowly. For age is never so active as youth. The muscles are less elastic. And the bowels are muscles. So all old people need Cascarets. One might as well refuse to aid weak eyes with glasses as to neglect this gentle aid to weak bowels. The bowels must be kept active. This is important at all ages, but never so much as at fifty.

Age is not a time for harsh physics. Youth may occasionally whip the bowels into activity. But a lash can't be used every day. What the bowels of the old need is a gentle and natural tonic. One that can be constantly used without harm. That is such tonic is Cascarets, and they cost only 10 cents per box at any drug store. They work while you sleep.

A Girl's Death

(Montreal Star.)

There is a girl's death awaiting vengeance. In a courtyard across the sea. Who was put to death as others were. While helping you and me. She died with a smile and a toss of her head. As you would wish her to. Now that she's dead and you're alive. What are you going to do?

Are you going to be the laggard. And stay behind this time? Or are you going to be a rouser, and get in the firing line? Did she not do her duty? And in doing it help you? Now that she's dead and you're alive. What are you going to do?

She died the death of a martyr. A Briton through and through. Now that she's dead and you're alive. What are you going to do?

NOTES

RAILWAYS.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Tourism Tickets
 Vancouver and Victoria, B.C., San Francisco, Los Angeles, Cal.
 Sale daily to November 9th, to return, until December 31st.
 Via Chicago, returning via Toronto, or vice versa, \$17.50 total.
 Return—The Time to See the DIAN ROCKIES at their best.
 Howard, D. P. A. C. P. R., St. John, N. B.

INTERNATIONAL GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS

TERCOLONIAL

EDWARD ISLAND BY
 DEAN LIMITED (Daily).
 St. John 8 a. m.
 St. John 2.25 p. m. Arrives at 8.00 a. m. following day.
MARITIME EXPRESS.
 (Daily except Sunday).
 St. John 3 p. m.
 St. John 6.30 p. m. following day.

THE NATIONAL

Train via New Route through Eastern and Western Canada via Grand Trunk, Mackinac and N. O. Ry.
 Montreal 10.45 p. m. Tues Thurs Sat
 St. John 3.45 p. m. Thurs, Sat Mon

STEAMSHIPS.

Western Steamship Lines

All-the-Way-by-Water.
INTERNATIONAL LINE.
 Steamships Calvin Austin and Governor Cobb
 St. John, Mon., Wed., and Sat. 9 a. m., for Lubec, Eastport and Boston. Return leave 1 Wharf, Boston, Mon., Wed., 4, at 9 a. m.

MAINE STEAMSHIP LINE

Steamships North Land and North Star
 Reduced Fares in Effect.
 \$3.00 to New York
 Reduced Stateroom Prices.
 St. John, Mon., Wed., Thurs., and Sat. at 6.00 p. m.
 Ticket Office, 47 King Street.
CURRIE, Agent, St. John, N. B.
 E. FLEMING, T. F. & P. A., St. John, N. B.

MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO. (LIMITED).

Further notice the S. B. Cochrane will run as follows:
 St. John, N. B., Thorne Wharf Warehouse Co., on Saturday, 7.30 for St. Andrews, calling at Dipper, Beaver Harbor, Black's Harbor, Bay of L'Anse-au-Loup, Dear Island, St. George's, returning St. Andrews Tuesday for St. John, calling at Letete or Back Bay, Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Harbor, tide and weather per-
ENT—Thorne Wharf and Ware-
 house Co., St. John, N. B.
 2881. Manager, Lewis Cochrane, Black's Harbor, N. B.
 A company will not be responsible by debts contracted after this date or a written order from the captain of the steamer.

MANCHESTER LINE

From St. John, N. B., Thorne Wharf Warehouse Co., on Saturday, 7.30 for St. Andrews, calling at Dipper, Beaver Harbor, Black's Harbor, Bay of L'Anse-au-Loup, Dear Island, St. George's, returning St. Andrews Tuesday for St. John, calling at Letete or Back Bay, Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Harbor, tide and weather per-
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WM. THOMSON & CO.

Agents, St. John, N. B.

Stal Stream Steamship Co.

JOHN-FREDERICK ROUTE
 The steamer D. J. PURDY will sail North End for Fredericton and immediate points every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY at 8.30 returning ALTERNATE DAYS, Fredericton 7.30 a. m.
 The "D. J. Purdy" and "Majestic" be chartered at any time for Excursions and Picnics.
JOHN-WASHDEMOAK ROUTE
 The steamer "MAJESTIC" will sail North End for Cole's Island and immediate points every TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY at 8.30 returning ALTERNATE DAYS, Cole's Island at 6 a. m.
 D. J. PURDY, Manager, Warehouse No. 304.

ELEVATORS

Manufacture Electric Freight, Hoist, Hand Power, Dumb Waiter, etc.
E. S. STEPHENSON & CO.
 St. John, N. B.

THE MIGRATION OF WOMEN TO THE DOMINION

Suggestions for the helping of War widows in Canada.

Before the outbreak of hostilities we had 1,364,000 widows, or rather more than the excess of females over male inhabitants (1,336,000) at home and the number will be terribly increased before peace is signed. Many thousands of the civilian widows were young women of the working classes, hardworking, thrifty and domesticated and practically the whole of the war widows will be equally desirable as home helps, especially as farm helps where the loneliness of the life discourages girls to go to undertake domestic work and the difficulties of inspection deter people from sending them out. The farmer's wife also prefers to have the assistance of a reliable woman of her own age to that of a girl requiring instruction and control.

The experiences of a score of widows, each with one child, has been so satisfactory in New South Wales that such women are now regarded as potential domestic servants and given reduced fares as such, with a corresponding reduction in the fares of the children. The latter act as an anchor to the mother, who does not consequently want to go out at night or leave her situation at short notice. Her interest in her child also removes much of the loneliness women otherwise experience in the country districts, especially on the fringe of settlement.

Will not Canada also, after placing out all her own bereaved women, come to the assistance of those who are left alone, from their husbands having died for Canada and for the Empire at large?

Receiving centers and districts for all distribution can now be arranged in advance, and enquiry will show how many widows with one or two children can be received. It would also be a great advantage if those from each district at home could be placed out in the same distributing area in Canada, and such a transfer of population would be even more imperial than an exchange of flags. Many of the place names in the Dominion are the same as those in the motherland. Our counties of Essex, Kent, Norfolk, Middlesex, Northumberland and Surrey; our cities of London, Westminster, York, Bristol, Cardiff, Newcastle, Peersborough, Liverpool and Hull have their place names alike in Canada, and boroughs and towns such as Windsor, Falmouth, Brighton, Hastings, Berwick, Aylesford, Richmond and Inverness are also commemorated in names in the Dominion. May these and other names soon be united in population across the seas. Such systematic flow of population from one place to the other place of the same name would be of a mutual advantage.

Such a movement would make for a united Empire, and reduce not only our own femininity of population but also Canada's excess of 440,000 males, who in time would thus hope to become 440,000 fathers which at the present time is impossible. Surely the women of Canada will do something for their sisters at home.

Yours faithfully,
 Thos. E. Sedgwick,
 Oriental street, Poplar, London, E. July, 1915.

MOORE SHADES KID WILLIAMS.

Memphis, Tenn., Oct. 29.—Pal Moore, a local bantamweight, had a shade over Kid Williams, the bantamweight champion in a vicious eight-round fight here tonight. It was a no-decision affair, but two clean knockdowns were scored by Moore. Williams' advantage was in the clinches, where he was the master.

WOLGAST DRAWS WITH HAL STEWART.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Oct. 29.—Ad Wolgast, ex-lightweight champion, and Hal Stewart of Paine, O., fought a brilliant 10-round draw here tonight. Wolgast excelled at fighting and Stewart at boxing at long range. Wolgast put up a great fight and at the close announced that he was in better condition right now than at any time in the last two years.

BALLOT BRINGS \$15,000.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 29.—Ballot, son of voter, and reputed one of the greatest thoroughbred race horses of modern times, today brought \$15,000 at the sale of stallions, brood mares and yearlings belonging to the estate of James B. Haggin, and quartered at the Elmhurst Farm. Ballot, who won more than \$150,000 for the late James R. Keene, was purchased by Maj. Thomas C. McDowell of this city.

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Ottawa, Nov. 3.—Col. Sir Max Aitkin, official Canadian eye-witness at the front, has cabled the Minister of Militia for authority to raise a New Brunswick battalion, or else to be given a commission in one of the battalions from that province. Other offers to raise battalions, announced today, are from George H. Bradbury, M. P. for Selkirk; Glen Campbell, ex-M. P. and Major Allen of Truro, N. S. The 100th of Winnipeg will enlist a second battalion and the 24th a depot cavalry regiment.

Sporting Gossip

LOCAL BOWLING YESTERDAY

In the City League on Black's alleys last night a good game was rolled between the Sweeps and Tigers, in which the former team won three points. The individual score follows:

| Sweeps | |
|----------|-----------------------|
| Jenkins | 77 105 267-89 |
| Gambin | 101 92 92 285-95 |
| Harrison | 91 94 96 281-93 2-3 |
| Ferguson | 103 88 107 298-99 1-3 |
| Pohay | 91 80 110 281-93 2-3 |

463 435 514 1413
 Tigers.

Lunney 96 92 88 276-82
 Belyea 91 89 112 292-97 1-3
 Morrissey 94 106 98 298-99 1-3
 Coughlan 87 98 85 270-90
 Bailey 79 79 107 265-88 1-3

447 464 490 1401
 The C. P. R. and Nationals will play tonight.

FULTON BEATS PELKEY.

Oshkosh, Wis., Oct. 29.—Fred Fulton of Oshkosh knocked out Arthur Pelkey in the fifth round here tonight. The honors had been fairly even up to the fifth round, when Fulton sent two hard rights to Pelkey's jaw.

At the opening of the fifth round Pelkey ran into a hard right and went down for the count of nine. Another right to the jaw sent him down again. He arose only to get a slam in the stomach which doubled him up on the mat. His seconds advised him to quit, but he regained his feet only to be sent down again with another smash on the jaw.

Twelve times Fulton sent Pelkey to the mat before the round ended and the chairman of the boxing commission ordered the fight stopped.

WOLGAST DRAWS WITH HAL STEWART.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Oct. 29.—Ad Wolgast, ex-lightweight champion, and Hal Stewart of Paine, O., fought a brilliant 10-round draw here tonight. Wolgast excelled at fighting and Stewart at boxing at long range. Wolgast put up a great fight and at the close announced that he was in better condition right now than at any time in the last two years.

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FOOD SHORTAGE IN GERMANY IS ADMITTED

High price of necessities drives neutrals from country and fear of famine is growing stronger.

Geneva, Nov. 3, via Paris.—Owing to the high prices of food in Germany neutrals are leaving that country for Switzerland. Under the heading "Can we hold out?" the Neue Zeitungs, of Strassburg, says:

"Hardly had we crossed the threshold of the second year of the war when the question of bread settled, another anxiety faced us. Namely, the dearth of the first necessities in the matter of food. Will our enemies succeed in defeating Germany by famine?"

ASK WILSON TO USE INFLUENCE ON BEHALF OF ARMENIANS

Paris, Nov. 3.—The French league for the defense of the rights of man and the Franco-Armenian committee have made a joint appeal to President Wilson to use his influence "for the salvation of what remains of the Armenian race in Turkey."

COL. HODGETTS IN ENGLAND

London, Nov. 3.—(Gazette cable)—Col. Hodgetts, commissioner of the Canadian Red Cross, returned from France today.

WOUNDED A PITABLE SIGHT, MANY OF THEM DRAGGING THEMSELVES ALONG ROAD, THEIR INJURIES UNATTENDED.

London, Nov. 3.—A story of the Serbian tragedy received from Nish by way of Milan, from the pen of Luciano Magrini, an Italian war correspondent, is printed by the Evening News. The writer characterized the clearance of northern Serbia as "the retreat of a people, not an army."

In his account of the retreat the correspondent describes the scene on a muddy road leading to the south along which was strung an unending procession of gun carriages, carts loaded with war material, conveyances of all sorts, bearing women, children, old men, the sick and the wounded, with at intervals flocks of sheep and droves of pigs and of soldiers walking side by side with peasants. At the sides of the road stood groups of peasants, waiting until they were able to take their places in the procession. "The great stream is flowing southward," says the writer, "whither nobody knows."

The wounded were a pitiable sight. Some swathed in bandages were carried on stretchers, while others, also bandaged, were walking because no stretchers were available for them. Still others who had been wounded but whose hurts had not even been bandaged trudged the road with the procession.

At Topola, King Peter, ill and weak, was waiting to retire with the rear guard of his troops. Arriving at Nish, the correspondent found the city bearing a squalid aspect. Almost all the shops were closed and many of the inhabitants had fled. On the main street were still flying the flags which had been hoisted in honor of the Allies who had been expected but who had never come.

The price demanded for carriage for transportation of refugees was enormous, 40 pounds being asked for the hire of a carriage for two. "Nish is isolated," continues the correspondent. "M. Youvanovich, the Serbian minister of justice said to me: 'We lived through the tragic hour when Bulgaria mobilized. We were brought through the Entente to allow us to act, and attack Bulgaria before her mobilization was complete. The Entente was still under the delusion that Bulgaria would march against Turkey. We obeyed, and that was our ruin. The situation now is terrible. If the Allied troops do not come in time, you will, on your return, find Serbia no more. The fate of Belgium will have been ours.'"

TAMMANY'S CANDIDATE FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY HAS BEEN ELECTED

New York, Nov. 3.—Tammany Hall triumphed in New York city in the election of a district attorney, for the first time in fifteen years, the sheriff of New York county and a majority of the board of aldermen. Edward Swann defeated District Attorney Perkins by a majority of 35,000, and Alfred R. Smith was elected sheriff by about 47,000 majority.

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