

French Advance Their Lines on Two Mile Front at Kemmel and at Rheims

HONORS IN FIGHTING MONDAY GO TO THE ARMY OF FRANCE

On the Front Northeast of Locre, on the Northern Side of the Lys Salient in Northern France and Just West of Kemmel French Advance Their Line Over a Two-mile Front—Far to the South, Near Rheims, French Advance Into Enemy's Positions as Far as the Third Line of Trenches—Australians Improve Positions—Von Below Has New Army in Front of Arras.

The allied armies are not permitting the Germans to "get set" for a serious blow at the western front. Here and there along the line, there have been sudden blows at the German positions and in all of them ground was captured by the Allies.

The French have done the most of this work. On the front east and northeast of Locre, on the northern side of the Lys salient in Northern France and just to the west of Kemmel, where some of the more intense fighting of the war has been going on, the French have advanced their line over a two-mile front. Far to the south, near Rheims, the French have advanced into the enemy's positions as far as the third line of trenches.

The Australians on the front before Amiens have been active and have improved their positions. Heavy artillery firing is reported from several points along the front, it being especially severe near Hangard and south of the Avre, near Amiens. The Germans also report heavy cannonading in the region of Kemmel.

Severe U. S. Losses. The American sectors have been the scenes of fierce aerial battles. The Americans suffered a severe loss when Raoul Lufbery, of Wallingford, Conn., one of their most famous air fighters, went to his death in a thrilling encounter above the city of Toul. The Germans have lost several machines, one of which is believed to be the one that accounted for Lufbery.

In the Italian theatre of the war, the fighting in the mountains east of the Brenita river continues, reports telling of struggles on the slopes of the mountains.

The French troops in Macedonia have taken the offensive near Lake Ochrida and have advanced to a depth of over twelve miles at some points. The object of this operation appears to be the straightening of an awkward salient in the line.

The unrest, which has been reported from time to time from Austria in spite of the efforts of the censor, has again boiled up in Prague, where crowds of Czechs and Slovaks have cheered for President Wilson, Premier Clemenceau and Lloyd George.

New German Army. A new German army, led by General Von Below, is reported to have been definitely located in front of Arras. This army is said to be made up of units which were not thrown into the great battles on the Somme and along the Lys, and it is believed that it has been brought up to the Arras front to lead the coming attack on the allied positions at that point.

The German reserves are undergoing intensive training far behind the actual fighting front and are expected to reach the front in time for the next smash at the Allies. It is pointed out that the German attack on March 21 was timed so that the Germans were able to take advantage of the bright moonlight for several nights. The moon is now just past the phase which signalled the advance from St. Quentin and Cambrai and the long-expected attack may be launched at any time.

German submarines are carrying on unrestricted warfare against Norwegian fishermen. Five Norwegian vessels were recently sunk in the Arctic and a Russian mail steamer was shelled, numerous casualties resulting. Many persons have been killed or wounded in the latest German air raid on London.

KORNILOFF KILLED. Moscow, Friday, May 17. (By The Associated Press)—The city of Abo, the former Russian commander-in-chief, has been killed in a battle with the Soviet troops near Yekaterinodar. His army of ten thousand men has been defeated and is retreating. The death of General L. G. Korniloff has been reported many times since the war began.

BIG OFFENSIVE DID NOT BEGIN DAY INTENDED

French Carry Out Important Movement Around Locre.

FIGHTING OCCURRED NORTH OF ALBERT British Further Advance Line To Villers-En-Scorbie—Two Miles.

London, May 20.—In sharp operations around Locre, French troops made an important advance on a front of more than two miles and captured over-four hundred prisoners, according to Field Marshal Haig's report from British Headquarters in France tonight. The text of the report reads: "During the night French troops carried out successful operations east and northeast of Locre. All their objectives were gained on a front of some four thousand yards and over four hundred prisoners were captured. Local fighting occurred early this morning north of Albert, as a result of which a few of our men are missing. A party of our troops rushed and captured a post east of Hebuterne and captured a few prisoners and two machine guns. "The hostile artillery has shown considerable activity today with gas shells in the section north of Bethune."

The British Gain. British Headquarters in France, May 20. (Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—There is much violent gunning during the night time and it continues spasmodically. Today is one of the days mentioned in trench gossip as likely to witness a renewal of the German offensive. The gassing sky is moaning and droning with our machines. Saturday's success of the Australians has resulted in carrying forward our line to Villers-En-Scorbie on a front of two miles.

STEEL OF CANADA LOSES A POINT

Montreal, May 20.—In view of the reaction in the New York market local prices fell very well throughout the day. Steel Co. of Canada showed a point decline from the opening. Iron closed a half point off. Quebec Railway was stronger, the common advancing from 20 1/2 to 21 3/8 and the bonds strengthening from the recent low at 57 to 60. Included in the supplementary railway estimates passed by the house this morning, is an amount of about three and one half million dollars for the purchase of the Quebec and Saguenay Railway, so that it looks as if this long discussed matter was now about to be settled. Odd lot investment buying, particularly in Civic and some of the preferred securities, was noticeable today.

NOTED AIRMAN KILLED.

With the American Air Force in France, May 20.—(By The Associated Press)—Major Raoul Lufbery, who had been regarded as the best aviator in the American air service, was shot down in flames and killed today (Sunday) by a big German triplane which he was attacking. Lufbery jumped from his flaming machine when eight hundred yards above the ground. He had seventeen victories to his credit.

GEORGE W. FOSTER. The death is announced in Brookline, Mass., of George W. Foster, formerly postmaster, merchant and hotel keeper of Maryville. He was 82 years of age.

STILL ANOTHER WARM DAY IN THE PROVINCE

Yesterday was another warm day in New Brunswick, St. John and few other places excepted. At Moncton, about the warmest spot in Canada Monday, the mercury climbed up as high as 83 (we will give the St. John temperature later on). Halifax reported an official temperature of 78, the Upper Canadian cities 80 or thereabouts. After a hot Sunday in Quebec with the thermometer marking 83, the ancient city had a slight snow fall centered by noon, the mercury sagging to 48. In St. John yesterday the temperature was 44 officially at one time. The sluggish quick-silver did rise to 52, but no higher before the day was over. It is unseasonably cold in the west, but warm in the New England states.

FURIOUS FOREST FIRES DESTROY THREE MILLS

Dwellings, Barns and Other Property Swept Away in Pictou County—Large Quantities of Lumber Burned.

Special to The Standard. Stellarton, N. S., May 20.—Forest fires have destroyed the lumber mill, woolen mill and grist mill belonging to Howard Aylesworth, together with his home and all his other buildings. The house of Thomas McLean and a barn were also burned. These buildings were located along the East River where a large quantity of lumber, the property of the Scotia Lumber Co., was destroyed. At Glenelg, Robert Mills lost his house and other buildings. The barn of Archibald Jordan and a flock of sheep were destroyed. Part of the mill on the occasion has in her many automobile parties fought the flames.

DEFAULTERS ARE BROUGHT TO CITY

Party Arrived With Dominion Police Last Evening—Large Number Said to be Hiding in Woods.

The Dominion police brought to the city last evening a party of men who were apprehended on Sunday in Kent county for not complying with the military service law. The men were taken to the St. Pierre brothers, who caused no little excitement at Cocagne Bridge recently when the family opposed the police in the discharge of their duties. The mother on the occasion had in her hand a revolver which she threatened to use, and another son had a gun. This weapon was however not used. The men were rounded up on Sunday and it is thought that the police have in the party several of the men who did the agitating. It is also reported that at least a hundred, all natives of the county have been taken themselves to the woods and intend to defy the officers. Kent county owing to smallpox was later in coming under the military service act, and it will likely require sometime to apprehend the defaulters. Chief Rideout, it is stated, has given the men in hiding until Sunday next to report and failing to do so, he intends to take active measures to arrest them.

CORN PRICES ARE STRONG IN CHICAGO

Chicago, May 20.—Corn prices developed strength today, owing largely to unsettled weather adverse to rapid progress in planting. Selling pressure was light and the market advanced readily on scattered buying orders from commission houses. Some bullish sentiment was due to the large percentage of damaged corn in current arrivals and to questions as to whether under such circumstances a liberal supply of contract grade would be available for delivery on June and July sales. Opening prices, which ranged from 1-8 cent lower to 1-2 cent advance, with May at 1-37 3/4 and July 1-40 1/4 to 1-41, were followed by material gains. Congestion in the May delivery tightened up the oats market in general. Demand, however, was confined chiefly to small lots. After opening 1-8 cent off to 1-4 to 3-8 cent up, with July 65 5/8 to 66 3/4 to 7-8, the market continued to harden.

DESERTER SERIOUSLY SHOT AT BUCTOUCHE

NO DISTURBANCE IN IRELAND HAS OCCURRED YET

Evidence of German Plot Expected To Be Published in Short Time.

SINN FEIN LEADERS HAVE SUCCESSORS

Sinn Fein Demonstration in East Cavan, But No Disorder.

(By Arthur S. Draper).

Special Cable to the New York Tribune and St. John Standard.

London, May 20.—Ireland remains serene and undisturbed as only Ireland can. If any outbreak was expected after the wholesale arrests and deportations of the Sinn Fein leaders the government has been happily disappointed. Pleasure makers enjoyed themselves in celebrating the Whitsuntide holiday and thousands moved out of Dublin into the beautiful surrounding country as if nothing unusual had happened a few hours before. The round-up of the Sinn Fein outwardly at least made less of an impression in Ireland than elsewhere. Devalera, Griffith and other leaders who were grided with conspiring with the enemy are lodged in prison here awaiting trial. This morning Professor John McNeill who has always advocated non-militant methods and Alderman Thomas Kelly of Dublin were nominated to succeed Devalera and Griffith. Some Irish newspapers express the belief that there is no considerable German plot and that the majority at least of the prisoners will have to be released as soon as the case has been tried.

With Strong Hand.

Though the Irish government under Lord French have been conducting things with a strong hand they have been extremely careful not to provoke the Irish masses to revolt. The majority of the British newspapers endorse the governments action. The general opinion seems to be that conscription has been abandoned for the present and that voluntary recruiting will be given every opportunity to supply the quota which Ireland is expected to furnish under the new "man power" act.

Maude Gonne McBride, widow of Major John McBride, who was executed in 1916 for his part in the Dublin uprising, has been arrested.

Looking For Trouble.

Dublin, May 20.—A Sinn Fein delegate who yesterday called on the American mission, representing the American labor delegation now in England, endeavored to create a scene in the hotel lobby by declaring loudly that Americans were not treating the Sinn Fein fairly. The members of the American mission replied that they would be glad to listen to all sides, and that they proposed to view the Irish question without prejudice, but that they could not take sides in internal British questions.

A Demonstration.

Dublin, May 19.—(The Associated Press)—A Sinn Fein demonstration today at Cote Hill, East Cavan, was attended by 6,000 persons. Among the speakers were two priests. The Sinn Fein bore a banner inscribed "They may kill our leaders, but they cannot kill the Sinn Fein." London, May 20.—The Times says: "The rebellion of 1916 was fomented by Germany. All Irish loyalists long have been convinced of that. Germany is at the bottom of the present situation. They have long suspected that plans exist somewhere for co-operation between rebel Irishmen and a German landing on the western or southwestern shores of Ireland. "The publication of part of this evidence of a German plot will probably be made immediately."

Dominion Police Trap Former Private of 165th in Barn Attic—At Another Place in Same District Officers are Fired on and Fire Back in Return—Fugitive Escapes To Woods Where Hundred or More Slackers and Deserters are Believed to be Holding Fortifications With Rifles—Outlaws Given Until Sunday to Surrender—Serious Situation.

Moncton, May 20.—As a result of the rebellious and defiant attitude of deserters under the military service act at Buctouche and other points in Kent county a young man named Lorenzo Sawyer, French-Acadian, lies in Moncton hospital suffering from serious bullet wound received in combat with Dominion police officers Sunday afternoon. In digging Sawyer out of the garret of his barn where he had barricaded himself, armed with a double-barrelled shot gun, the police fired through the trap door, putting bullet from a 32-calibre revolver through Sawyer's body. Notwithstanding the seriousness of the wound Sawyer escaped from the attic window in the darkness and ran two miles to the house of a friend, where he fell exhausted from loss of blood.

Today he was brought by Hon. Dr. Landry of Buctouche to the Moncton hospital in an effort to save his life. An operation showed that the bullet entered the young man's groin, passing out through the hip on the opposite side. Whether Sawyer will recover from his serious injuries may not be known for some days.

A SHEDIAC BOY DIES OF WOUNDS IN FRANCE

Private Nickerson Was Son of Daniel J. Nickerson and Nephew of Conductor Nickerson.

Shediac, May 20.—Daniel J. Nickerson has been notified that his son, Private S. Elias Nickerson, has died of wounds in France. The late Private Nickerson enlisted in Regina in 1915. Conductor John S. Nickerson, of the C. G. R. is an uncle. Dr. Sormany, ex-M. L. A., has been elected councillor to represent the town of Shediac at the Westmorland county municipal board.

NEWSPAPER MAN JOINS THE STANDARD OIL CO.

Victor Ross, Financial Editor of Toronto Globe, Becomes Assistant to the President.

New York, May 20.—The Standard Oil Company, of New Jersey, today announced the appointment of Victor Ross, financial editor of the Toronto Globe, to the position of assistant to the president of the company.

CASUALTIES.

Ottawa, May 21.—Tonight's list of 44 casualties reports five killed in action, ten died of wounds, three missing and believed to have been killed, three wounded and missing, three died, two missing, thirty-five presumed to have died, twenty-seven wounded, and six ill. The Maritime names: Presumed to have died: F. A. Jamison, St. John, N. B. Ill.—R. Stapleford, Sussex, N. B.

POOL ACCOUNTS.

New York, May 20.—More buying is reported for pool accounts in Ann. Can., Baldwin, R. B. C. Sloss and Ann. Linsseed. Evidence of resting orders if found under the market for U. S. Steel, Rdg., and the Marine stocks. N. Y. F. B.

ARE RESPONDING WELL.

N. Reicon of Montreal, who arrived from that city yesterday, says that the military authorities are meeting with no opposition there at the present time and the citizens were responding to the call to the colors in large numbers. The military service act is being enforced with excellent results.

\$14,000 RUM SEIZURE.

Lowiston, Mo., May 20.—Small boys discovered a can of liquor in the railway yards here and after breaking into the wet goods sold a few samples. Their act led to the seizure of \$14,000 worth of spirits.

Sunday Dominion Inspector Rideout accompanied by Acting Chief Belliveau, Sergt. Boutout, and Officer Elms, all Dominion police, went to Kent county to round up some of the many deserters known to be evading the M. S. A. in that section. The officers returned to Moncton today with fifteen young men, and this evening twenty-six deserters, nearly all French-Acadians from various parts of Kent were taken to St. John under military escort. Two visits were made to the home of Lorenzo Sawyer, the second trip at night resulted in the finding of the delinquent barricaded in the garret when the episode previously described took place. Officers Fired On. Earlier in the day the officers went to the home of James Cormier, Buctouche Bay, where another lively shooting affray with the deserter and the police occurred. Cormier was armed with a rifle and when he saw the officers approaching his father's house he skipped out the back door. He fired on the pursuing officers, who exchanged shots with him, but there were no casualties on either side. Cormier, however escaped to the woods where there are supposed to be a hundred or more deserters holding fortifications with rifles. Great excitement prevails in the locality where the shooting occurred and throughout the county of Kent which is being combed by the Dominion police. Young French Acadians are believed to be in hiding and deserters under the M. S. Act. Inspector Rideout expresses the opinion that there are 150 more to be rounded up in the same locality where the combat took place. He has deputized several residents in the neighborhood to notify all delinquents to report not later than Sunday next. If they fail to comply with the order he will again visit Cocagne, Buctouche and other nearby sections with a large force of Dominion police to carry out the duty of his office. The situation in Kent and details of the shooting have been reported by Inspector Rideout to headquarters at Ottawa. The St. Pierre boys at Cocagne Bridge, who were the first Kent county men to give the police any trouble have yielded. One who reported Saturday went to St. John tonight to don a uniform. The other two have been granted a few days to finish some work. Lorenzo Sawyer, the victim of the Buctouche shooting, is 24 years old and deserted from the 165th, now overseas, on a last pass. He was married about two months ago.

ST. JOHN HARBOR AND N. B. RAILWAY IN ESTIMATES

Quarter Million For St. John Harbor in the Supplementary List

Total of \$518,000 For Elgin and Havelock, York and Carleton, St. Martins, Moncton and Buctouche, Kent Northern and Caraquet and Gulf Shore Railway—Dr. Beland To Get Full Seasonal Indemnity While Prisoner.

Ottawa, May 20.—Hon. A. K. MacLean, acting minister of finance, in the Commons today, tabled supplementary estimates totalling \$46,857,312. The total is an unusually large one because it includes a vote of \$37,000,000 to cover the working expenses of the Canadian Government Railways. This large item is almost invariably included in the main estimates brought down earlier in the session. Of the amount added for, only \$5,170,312 is chargeable to capital expenditure.

The vote of most general interest is one providing \$3,000,000 to assist government employes in the outside service who are in receipt of small or comparatively small salaries. Provision is made for temporary assistance, (except in the case of light-housekeepers) for married men and for widows and widowers with children in the outside service who are employed permanently, and are giving their entire time to the public service for an allowance on the following basis:

- (a) To each person in receipt of a salary at the rate of \$1,200 per annum or less, an allowance of \$150, less any permanent increase in salary given to each person since January 1st, 1917, provided, however, the total salary and allowance shall not in any case exceed \$1,300.
- (b) To each person in receipt of a salary at the rate of more than \$1,200, but not more than \$1,550 per annum, an allowance of \$100 less any permanent increase in salary since January 1st, 1917, provided the total salary and allowance shall not in any case exceed \$1,300.

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FOREST FIRES RAVAGE THE COUNTY OF HANTS

Buildings Burned and Thousands of Acres of Timberland Destroyed—Several Families Homeless—Anglican Church at Queensport Burned and in Guysboro Co. Several Dwellings and Barns Were Destroyed.

Windsor, N. S., May 20.—Thousands of acres of timber land and a number of houses have been destroyed by forest fires. Two families from the Chester Road district, whose dwellings were burned, have arrived here and say that the blaze, starting about twenty miles south of Windsor, made a clean sweep of the road, a considerable distance, destroying a mill and the houses in that section. The fire then left the road, crossing the Avon River at a narrow spot and was sweeping on towards Upper Falmouth.

TO DARKEN HAIR APPLY SAGE TEA

A few applications of Sage Tea and Sulphur bring back its vigor, color, gloss and youthfulness.

Common garden sage brewed into a heavy tea with sulphur added, will turn gray, streaked and faded hair beautifully dark and luxuriant. Just a few applications will prove a revelation if your hair is fading, streaked or gray. Mixing the Sage Tea and Sulphur recipe at home, though, is troublesome. An easier way is to get a bottle of Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound at any drug store all ready for use. This is the old-time recipe improved by the addition of other ingredients.

While wispy, gray, faded hair is not sinful, we all desire to retain our youthful appearance and attractiveness, by darkening your hair with Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, no one can tell, because it does it so naturally, so evenly. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning all gray hairs have disappeared, and after another application or two, your hair becomes beautifully dark, glossy, soft and luxuriant.

This preparation is a delightful toilet requisite and is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

Thirty-Seven Lose Lives in Air Raid

Total of 155 Injured in London Area and Six in the Provinces—Germans Make Strongest Effort and Lose Four Machines.

London, May 20.—Thirty-seven persons were killed and 155 injured in the London area during last night's air raid.

Six persons were injured in the provinces. The casualties were divided as follows:—

- London and the Metropolitan police district:—Killed, men 17; women, 14; children, 6; total, 37.
- Injured, men, 85; women, 49; children, 23; total, 155.
- Provinces:—Injured, men, 2; women, 3; children, 1, total, 6.

Considerable damage to property has been reported. London, May 20.—A calm summer-like night tempted the Germans to try last night their first air raid on London since March 7. Four of the raiders fell before the defences of London. The moon was shining brightly when the raiders crossed the southeastern point and headed for the metropolis. The usual warnings were given promptly, and the people had time to reach shelters before the guns in the neighborhood of London were heard.

ST. JOHN RIVER FISHING A FAILURE

Gaspereaux Catch Has Fallen Off—Run of Salmon Delayed—Cases of Violation Being Looked After.

Net fishing in the St. John River, in this vicinity, this season, has been a failure. The gaspereaux run, which usually is large, has fallen off to a marked extent, a fact much noticed by the residents of Sunbury County who usually make large catches of this fish, curing them and shipping to the St. John dealers.

The run of salmon also has been delayed. At this time last year salmon had been caught in large numbers, but so far but one or two have been netted.

Fishery Inspector H. E. Harrison will go to Gagetown today to attend a case of violation of the fisheries regulations by dumping sawdust in a stream. The offence is reported from the southern part of Queens County. Next day he will go to Perth.

As the result of the appointment of the civil service commission changes are being made in the personnel of the fishery officials and in the system of enforcement of the laws. In the actual covering of his district and supervision of his subordinates, he is to be furnished with an office in Fredericton.

It is reported that the salmon are returning to the Nashwaak river and in the latter part of the season, more are expected this summer.

An overseer probably will be appointed for this river.

NEWCASTLE

Mrs. Louise Lawlor of Newcastle has received the following letters concerning her son, Lieut. Frank J. Lawlor, recently killed in action:—

France, April 11, 1918.

Dear Mrs. Lawlor:—The captain of the 87th Battalion, to which your son, Lieutenant F. J. Lawlor, belonged, I knew him very well, and was very fond of him. We have lost no one since I have been with the battalion that I miss so much. He was always bright, happy and kind, a master under every circumstance we met him, meeting everyone with a pleasant smile and cheerful kindly words. I have heard many, both officers and men, speak highly of your son. I was present at the advance dressing station when he was brought in. He was fully conscious, and all possible was done for him, and he was then sent on by stretcher to another station, where he could be reached by ambulance, but he died just about the time he reached this place.

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It will be comfort to you to know that your son played a noble, manly, unselfish part in this great noble cause for freedom and for the down-trodden and oppressed, and he will be sure to receive his reward from the wise-loving, heavenly Father.

No doubt Father Fallon, who buried him, will also write.

May the loving Heavenly Father

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For your humors, or for rheumatism, weak stomach, loss of appetite, that tired feeling—take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will do you good.

Not So Bad.

"John went to get a marriage license and got a dog license by mistake."

"Not so much of a mistake when you come to think of a married man's life."

THE HEROIC UNITED STATES MEDICAL CORPS SAVES LIVES

Doctors Violate Army Regulations and Discard Masks at Risk To Their Lives and Work Over Wounded—Recommend for Distinguished Service.

(Special Cable to The N. Y. Tribune and The St. John Standard.) (By Wilbur Forrest.)

With the American Forces in Ploesti—May 20.—The general commanding the American forces in Ploesti told the correspondent today that he had recommended more than thirty Americans for the American distinguished service medal in recognition of the purest bravery yet shown by any members of the American expeditionary forces.

Seated in his living quarters as he told me this, so close to the front as to be almost constantly under fire, this American general praised the army medical corps men who he declared, were guilty of a severe breach of discipline but worthy of high recognition from their government.

The general said: "These men were among the units of American troops caught in a recent shelling in which the enemy rained more than 12,000 gas shells mixed with about 3,000 high explosive shells on a small area.

"The night was intensely dark and a drizzling rain was falling.

Many Wounded.

"Caught by the gas and forced to put on their masks, through which the moisture made it almost impossible to see a foot ahead, the troops waited for a cessation of the shelling, but many were caught by the explosive shells and wounded.

"Their cries for aid stirred the medical corps men to the quick, but to remove their masks in order to carry on the work of mercy meant that they too would be casualties soon if not dead men. They stood it as long as they could and then one by one whipped off their masks and flew to

THE INTERESTING HISTORY OF THE SMALLPOX DISEASE

Smallpox, in city and county today is a disease, which, scientists and physicians have made a careful and investigating study of.

Smallpox, or variola, from arusa—a pimple, is an acute, infectious disease, characterized by a fever, appearing on the surface of the body in an eruption, which passes through various stages, afterwards drying up, leaving more or less distinct cicatrices.

The origin of the disease, is surrounded by obscurity. It appears however to have been imported into Europe from Asia, where it was known from remote antiquity.

Early accounts of the disease reach to the middle and end of 6th century, when a physician and scientist, by name of Procopius, with aid of Gregory of Tours discovered it as an epidemic in a factory in Arabia, Egypt, and Southern Europe. In a narrative of the Abyssinians against Mecca, this disease is related as having broken out among the invaders.

This ancient history is however disputed by some authorities. In the early 9th century an eminent physician in Arabia, by the name of Rhazes, made a close study of the disease, describing its symptoms; its pathology, which was exemplified by a humoral fermentation theory, and gave directions how the disease could be combated with effect. Again it appeared during the early wars of the Crusades, it was here identified as a plague. It was known in England in early 13th century, and is supposed to have been introduced by a Spaniard, infected with the disease. It then made its appearance in America, introduced by the white man in 1617, in a factory in Massachusetts.

The only known factor in the origin of the disease is contagion, as this is the most contagious of all diseases. The most direct means of communication being inoculation; the second factor being atmospheric near a patient, which is charged with a product of the disease, even clinging to clothing and furniture of a room.

It is communicable from early stages onward to its close—the most infectious time, being from the appearance of the eruption, until the drying up of same.

No age is susceptible to its ravages, old and young falling in its wake. Infants are known to have been born with eruptions or marks upon its body proving they had undergone disease even "in utero."

Dark skinned races suffer most, and insanitary surroundings favor its spread.

The symptoms of disease are the same in all cases, but modified according to its form, there being certified well marked varieties.

After its reception into system, the set of these symptoms is preceded by a period of incubation, during which the patient, may or may not complain. This period extends about from ten to 14 days.

These symptoms sometimes appear in sudden and severe manner, commencing with a rigor, followed by fever in which the temperature rises to 103 or 104 Fahrenheit.

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disease, and never under its ravages in future years. This was a simple but harsh "Kill or cure method," and was known as "Scot-mode."

In the Southern States previous to the Civil War the disease was known to ravage, so great did it ravage in England at a former time that out of every million persons 3,000 succumbed to the disease.

Doctors and scientists so far reached the combatting point that at the end of the 18th century only 15 deaths were reported, caused by this disease.

The various forms of disease are accompanied by near the same symptoms.

Confident smallpox is the worst kind and proves fatal to such an extent that near 50 per cent. of those effected, succumb.

Haemorrhagic form, is that accompanied by hemorrhages, and is also a bad variety.

Another known as Purpuric Smallpox, in which, the patient is overwhelmed with poisonous fluids, effecting membranes, eyes, mouth and nose.


A lesser form is the "Modified Smallpox" which is not so painful to patient and is easily combated.

Vaccination at the present day is a means of combatting the disease, as it prevents its spread, and even, if the one vaccinated is effected, he will rapidly recover. Lady Mary Wortley Montague, writing from Turkey, spoke of inoculation and vaccination there. The British Isles soon grasped the practice of vaccination, and it was adopted in England.

Accounts tell of the means that doctors took in all countries to combat the disease, and their study, was not, as Geology is today—ever different views by different Geologists; but one means—which was "vaccination."

SUFFERED TWO YEARS WITH PIMPLES

Child Could Not Sleep Till Cuticura Healed.



"My little brother suffered for about two years from tiny red pimples. They appeared constantly on his body but he had the greatest trouble under his ears. The skin was red and very sore and at the least touch he would give a howl of pain. After a few seconds he would have to scratch, and he was not able to sleep."

"A friend advised me to send for Cuticura Soap and Ointment. I noticed a change, and I used three cakes of Cuticura Soap and four boxes of Ointment when he was healed." (Signed) Louis Frank, 746 City Hall Ave., Montreal, Que., February 2, 1918.

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ST. JOHN, N. B. TUESDAY, May 21, 1918.

"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.

SIR THOMAS WHITE BACK.

After a lengthy vacation, spent for the most part in Southern California, but which, it is reported, included the transaction of rather important business with the United States Government, Sir Thomas White, Canadian Minister of Finance, has returned to Ottawa and made his appearance in the House on Saturday. Canada will be glad to learn that the Finance Minister's health has improved to such an extent that he is able to actively participate in the important business coming under the control of his department. He has been a most important factor in the assistance Canada has been able to render to the cause of the Empire, and his exceptional knowledge of international finance, credits and exchange, proved of great value to the nation at a time when such knowledge was sorely needed.

In his co-operation with the British and American governments and the Bank of England Sir Thomas displayed a wonderful gift for anticipating changing money conditions, and this remarkable faculty aided not a little in securing for Canada hundreds of millions of dollars of war orders that under different circumstances might have gone elsewhere.

Nor can we forget that it was largely due to Sir Thomas White's ability and courage that the people of Canada subscribed nearly \$800,000,000 to four successive war loans while at the same time the industries of the country were maintained on a highly prosperous basis and in the face of disorganized conditions in the world's markets. He was the first to inculcate in the minds of the Canadian people the lesson of thrift, that instead of spending their money they should save it and loan it to the government. So far as this lesson has gone the people and the government have gained, but it has not yet gone far enough. Our people are not saving as much as they should and the message the Finance Minister brings back to Canada is that we are still spending far too much money on non-essentials. The balance of trade between Canada and the United States is still against us and before we can rectify it so the exchange rate between the two countries can be improved we must buy less lavishly of luxuries, many of which are brought into Canada from the great nation to the south of us.

It is not necessary that the ordinary layman should understand the problem of exchange. All he needs to know is that every dollar he saves not only strengthens his own financial position but adds to the stability of his country. Saving just now is a double duty, a duty to one's self and a duty to Canada. Sir Thomas White has done much to teach this lesson in the past and now that he is once more able to personally direct the business of the Canadian Finance Department we may expect to see the instruction carried further.

AERIAL SUPERIORITY.

An indication of the degree to which the Allied nations are superior to the Germans in the aerial branch of military service, is found in a return made on Friday of the number of explosives dropped behind enemy lines by Allied airmen and behind Allied lines by the enemy. This return, which shows that our airmen dropped three bombs to the enemy's one, does not indicate the relative effectiveness of the aerial bombardments. It may be that such a comparison is not possible but if one could be made with any degree of accuracy we believe it would show that the enemy country has suffered severely as the result of the operations of Allied airmen.

Little is published of British air raids over German cities, for the reason that the airmen themselves are not able to ascertain accurately the damage done and the Germans are not giving it out. It is reasonably certain, however, that the Germans have to their discredit more casualties among innocent non-combatants than can be charged to the Allies, for never since the outbreak of the war have Allied airmen gone forth to slay for the lust of slaying, never have they attacked a non-military centre, never have they dropped a bomb that was not intended to reach some cog in the German military machine, whether it be a munition depot, armoury, station, fort, position, encampment, dockyard or marine base. Hospitals, asylums and defenceless towns have been immune from attack and with the elaborate and very complete maps in the possession of all aerial directors in our armies, as well as those of the enemy, it is possible to carry on such a campaign with a fair degree of certainty.

Equipped with such maps, and by observations, the skilled aviator can tell approximately where he is when he signals to fire and while he cannot estimate the damage done by his projectile he can fix his operations sufficiently well to avoid discharging bombs where no military advantage can be gained.

If this is so of the Allied airmen it is equally true of the German. When a German air squadron bombs a Red Cross camp, or a base hospital, or an asylum, church or school, it is done deliberately and not by mistake. Consequently, innocent non-combatants who are murdered from the air are intentionally slain as victims on the altar of Hun blood-lust. The number of these victims in the present war has become appalling; therefore it is all the more gratifying to be able to note that in legitimate operations the Allies have gained the unquestioned supremacy of the air.

PUBLIC PRINTING.

For a long time it has been felt that a great deal of public money was wasted in Canada in the printing of departmental reports and similar productions from the press of the King's Printer at Ottawa and favored private concerns throughout the country, but no effort was made to check the waste until an editorial committee was appointed in Ottawa and that veteran newspaper man, Fred Cook, selected as its head. Rt. Hon. Sir George E. Foster, Hon. Arthur Meighen and Hon. Martin Burrell were named as a committee of the cabinet to name such a committee and they appointed Mr. Cook as chairman, with F. C. T. O'Hara, Deputy Minister of the Trade and Commerce Department, and Francis C. Lynch of the Interior Department, as his associates. The choice was a wise one.

The duty of the committee was to edit all reports prepared for publication, condense them wherever possible without interfering with their value, revise the list of persons to whom such reports were supplied, eliminate reports thought to be of little public interest and generally to use whatever means they saw fit to increase the efficiency and reduce the cost of this part of the public service. A report just issued covers the committee's work for five months and at that time they have saved to the country the sum of \$175,000, with the prospect that for the full year the savings may reach at least three times that amount. The issues of various reports have been curtailed, some reports have been eliminated, and in others where it was the custom to print separate volumes in English and French the volumes have been combined.

Everything of value has been published but much of the material that formerly passed through the government presses and, at the public expense, found its way to an unappreciative public, has been "removed from circulation." This is well. The committee has made a good start but there is ample scope for it to carry its activities much further for even yet many government reports are published that are of little or no value to those receiving them. Paper is scarce and expensive, the cost of labor is increasing, economy is the slogan on every side. In cutting down the number and cost of government publications a good start has been made but the idea is capable of almost limitless development.

FOLLOWING CANADA'S LEAD.

A recent order-in-council provides that every male person in Canada between the ages of 16 and 60 must be regularly employed in some useful occupation. Exception is made in favor of students, of men temporarily unemployed owing to differences with employers, and of those unable to obtain work within a reasonable distance. The penalty for non-compliance with the law is a fine of \$100 and costs or imprisonment with hard labor for six months. A number of professional loafers have already been rounded up in different parts of the country, and we hope to see the idle rich apprehended as well as the idle poor.

The new Canadian law finds favor in the United States. The police of Trenton, New Jersey, recently gave a young man a week to find a job. At the end of that period he was still jobless so he was sentenced to three months' labor in the county workhouse. The legislatures of Maryland and New York have passed laws against idlers. As the New York Tribune says, "The idler is a detriment to the community at any time. But when the nation is at war the man who gets his keep without production is a menace. There is no unemployment problem now. Any able-bodied man can get work."

Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE.
Pop went around to the barbers to get shaved, yesterday, me going with him on account of him not saying I couldn't see. I asked him if I could, and the barber started to put lather all over pop's face, me standing there watching him do it, saying, Don't it tickle, pop, don't it tickle?
Ha ha he said the barber laughing.
Not in my mouth, not in my mouth, sed pop.
Excuse me, sir, I wasn't paying attention, this little shaver made me laugh, sed the barber.
And he sharpened his razor on the sharpener and started to shave pop's face, me saying, If I'm a shaver, you must be big shaver.
Ha ha ha, the comical little cus, ha ha he said the barber.
You grilly near cut my ear off that time, for the love of Peet have a couple of cases will you? sed pop, Benny, go over to the other end of the room and sit down.
Which I started to do, and pop sed, Contownd it, are you whitening me or shaving me?
Ha ha ha, Im sorry, sir, but the little fellow was wawking like charlie Chaplin, he ha ha, sed the barber.
Which I was, and pop sed, Benny, come back here. Which I did and... pop sed, Do you want me to get out of this luffing hyenas clutches alive or dead?
Alive, I sed.
Then make yourself scarce, sed pop. Meaning for me to go out.
Which I did.

CHAMPIONS OF RIGHT

(Montreal Gazette.)

Further published details of the work of the fleet which took part in the recent attack on Ostend confirm it as an operation as brave and gallant as any in which men, for love of country, have accepted death and made their patriotism immortal. Those who shared in this adventure, as in the one at Zebrugge, have every claim that human courage and heroism have to the admiration of their fellows. There was in this enterprise the spirit of a challenge to fate that everyone with a sailor's strict love to take, and there was in it something more than the ordinary qualities of courage; the men's physical courage was based on the higher quality of moral courage. There was for many, more than the thrill of gallantry—there was the cold certainty of death. Such valiant unselfishness in the performance of a duty is pregnant in meaning and in hope. It will stimulate others to deeds of heroism, as these men were inspired to do by the example and high traditions of their predecessors in the service.

The history of naval warfare, as practised in relation to the present world conflict, is yet but a scanty tale. One day the world will know and be thrilled by countless agonies endured and deeds performed on the sea in saving an Empire, and making, in the navy stereotyped phrase, the world safe for democracy. As one example of valiant unselfishness, and a bravery which was emblematic of real greatness, the story may be recalled of an unnamed sailor of the Formidable, he had lost in the battle and who stood there doomed to death. He must have felt the passion for life surging within him as he saw the cold, dark sea waiting to engulf his victims, yet in that moment he made a triumphant choice. He turned to one of his comrades and said, "I've got a message for you, my friend, and he made the other take his place in the boat, and signed his own death warrant. It forms a stirring illustration of the truth of the saying that as the greatest truths are the simplest, so are the greatest men. It was an act heroic in the simplicity of its execution, great in its dauntless self-sacrifice.

Another of the few brave tales which have yet been told reflects another phase of the sailors' heroism. It is recorded by a correspondent, "Wayfarer," in the Nation, of London. A ship was torpedoed in the Atlantic, in bitter weather, two hundred miles from the Irish coast. Two lifeboats were launched. One carried the other, ill-provided with food and water, was rescued. But the captain died raving mad, and the survivors were picked up in a piteous state of cold, starvation and fatigue. Of \$3,000,000,000 stokers had jumped on to the boat clad only in their shirts and flannel pants. Two of the men who had their thick coats wrapped them round their comrades, and the crew took turns to lie next to one another with their bodies for warmth. Constant balling—for heavy seas broke over the boat—just kept the men from dying of cold. And then the rudder broke, and steering became almost impossible, their plight on landing may be imagined," says Wayfarer, "but a few hours later the second mate, a boy of twenty-two, volunteered for sea again."

What nation can be destroyed that has possession and still possesses such models of manhood, such courageous champions of right in the hour of need?

CONCERNING T. N. T.

(Kansas City Times).
Trinitrotoluene, the troy of the German war, is T. N. T., the Americans and British, is the most powerful and the most commonly used explosive of today. High explosive shells are loaded with it. It is the force which makes the torpedo effective, or which endangers submarines when, in depth bombs, it is exploded in their vicinity. It was trinitrotoluene which caused the recent disaster in Halifax.

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Toluene contains much hydrogen, and in the process of manufacturing trinitrotoluene these hydrogen atoms are replaced by nitro groups. This process of nitrosubstitution permits many variations in the arrangement of the nitro groups, and hence chemists are able to produce twelve different trinitrotoluenes, each varying from the others in boiling point, melting point, solubility, specific gravity and sensitiveness to detonation.

HOW HUNS LAND IN ENGLAND

Germany seems to have no trouble in landing her spies in England, if the story of one related in the Daily News, of London, is well founded. The story is that a small steamer, plying between the North Cornish coast and Swansea was stopped by a U-boat. The captain of the latter was a decent sort and spoke excellent English. Before the war he had been in the German mercantile marine, and knew the Cornish coast intimately. Chaffing the Cornish skipper, the German said he had stayed a night just passively in a penance house. His victim laughed him out of court. The German produced a receipted hotel bill of a few days before. Foggy weather, a collapsible boat and a British naval uniform had been his accessories.

A BIT OF VERSE

THE POPLARS OF PICARDY.
"Who goes there?" the sentinel-poplars cried
To the living waves that passed them,
Billowing wide,
(Hued like streams that roar in
freshet to the sea)
"Freedom's best—come to set the
Old World free;
Perishing men, breed of every race
and sun,
But one in our will to beat the
Hun!"

"SEAWEED HAY"

One of the most important discoveries which French scientists have found time to make since the war began has been announced by a chemist of the Ministry of War—a method of treating seaweed to make of it a forage said to be nearly equal to oats and hay, when fed to horses. Experiments were begun as the result of a threatened shortage of oats and at a time when it seemed possible that the U-boat campaign of the Germans might cut off imports entirely. The seaweed, which grows abundantly along the coast of Brittany, was washed to extract the salts, and when analyzed was found to contain less hydrocarbonic matter but more protein than ordinary hay. Tests were made by feeding to a troop of cavalry horses, which gained an average of nearly thirty pounds each in two months, while animals fed on oats merely held their own—Portland Oregonian.

FOREIGN CAPITAL IN RUSSIA.

Foreign capital invested in Russian state guaranteed securities and in Russian enterprises is estimated by the Paris correspondent of The London Financial Times at approximately \$4,000,000,000, of which \$3,000,000,000 is said to have come from the French. Of the total amount about \$2,500,000,000 is invested in Russian state bonds and state controlled railways. In order to insure payment of the interest on the Russian government foreign loans and to pay for the immense pur-

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DESTROYER SUNK
London, May 19—A British destroyer was sunk on Tuesday by a German submarine, the admiralty announces. "One of the British destroyers was torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine on May 14. Two men were killed."

DUAL BILL IS HELD UP BY THE COMMON COUNCIL

Affidavits Presented to Show Value Was Not Given for Amount Charged—More City Employees Receive Increase in Salary—Removal of C. P. R. Track Discussed—Matter Was Laid Over Until Monday.

The Common Council in committee yesterday decided to let J. H. Pullen take any steps he might deem advisable to collect his account for the painting of the McLeod and Pettigill sheds after hearing affidavits from Mr. Pullen and Mr. Chambers as to the work done and the amount of material used, and from two of the painters on the job that only dry red, gasoline and Japan had been used. Commissioner Fisher brought up the matter of the removal of the C. P. R. tracks from Germain street west, the tracks were laid over until next Monday. F. D. Alward was given an increase of \$500 per year, and D. R. Willett an increase of \$100 per year. It was decided to accept the offer of the N. B. Power Company to remove the tracks leading from Main street into No. 1 car barn on the understanding that the city would allow them to be replaced if necessary later. The matter of the city obtaining a supply of wood for the coming winter was discussed and will be further considered at a later meeting.

Mayor Hayes presided and Commissioners McLellan, Bullock, Hilyard and Fisher were present. George Dick, the lessee of the Quinn wharf, wrote that owing to the damage done to that property by storms he had been unable to collect rent from some of his tenants and asking the city to remit a portion of the rent due from him. Referred to Commissioner Bullock for a report.

Mayor Hayes brought up the matter of pool room licenses but it was agreed to let the matter lay over until Monday next. The J. H. Pullen bill for the painting of McLeod and Pettigill warehouses was then taken up. Common Clerk Wardrop read an affidavit from Mr. Pullen that he had used 200 pounds of stock paint, 165 gallons of oil and mixers and employed 11 men for a total of 196 days, and that his profit on the men employed was 66 2/3 cents per day per man. For the stock paint he charged 27 cents per pound, oil \$1.90 per gallon, turpentine, \$1.20 per gallon and Japan \$2 per gallon. He also read an affidavit from W. H. Chambers that he had seen two coats put on portions of the sheds.

Commissioner McLellan suggested that the bill and the affidavit of Mr. Pullen be checked up and it was found they agreed as to the amount of material used. The commissioner said he thought the prices charged were too high and quoted the following as today's prices: white lead, \$18.25 per hundred; oil, \$2.20 per gallon; turpentine, \$1 per gallon; Japan, \$1.35 per gallon; gasoline, 45 cents per gallon. He thought oil and gasoline because all that was used on the job was dry red, gasoline and Japan. Mr. Pullen had a right to make a profit on the men employed but in view of some affidavits which he was going to submit he thought it was distinctly up to Mr. Pullen to prove that he had given value. He then submitted an affidavit from J. G. Tinsley that he had worked on the job at \$15 per week for two weeks and \$18 for one week; one from A. W. Ervin that he had worked three weeks at \$20 per week, and one from the two jointly that the materials used on the job were dry red, gasoline and Japan, on the first coat, and the same on a part of the second. He had also been told that two apprentices had worked on the job. He had no wish to keep Mr. Pullen out of any money which was coming to him but he thought the time had come for the council to make it plain that no bills would be paid without full investigation and moved the following resolution: "That so far as Mr. Pullen is concerned, it is the opinion of this council that he will have to take the steps as he may deem necessary to collect the account rendered for the painting of the McLeod and Pettigill sheds."

This motion carried and the matter dropped. Commissioner Fisher moved that the N. B. Power Company be granted permission to place two poles on Somerset street and one on Barker street. Carried. Commissioner Fisher moved that the rental for openings in the sidewalk be reduced from 15 cents to 8 cents per square foot for openings already in existence. His motion was not seconded and the matter dropped on the understanding that he would prepare a report on the number of openings involved. Commissioner McLellan asked when the opening made by the Royal Hotel was to be filled up and Commissioner Fisher said the matter would be looked into at once. Commissioner Hilyard moved that the C. P. R. be required to remove their tracks from Germain street west by June 30th next. City Engineer Hare said that it would be impossible for the company to remove them in the time asked for and gave it as his opinion that to make the change so that it would not interfere with the winter port trade would take until the end of the year and cost \$50,000, perhaps more, as the whole yard would have to be shifted outward. Commissioner Hilyard said the work should be done at once and reported that he had discovered just that morning that the C. P. R. were not keeping their agreement to keep the sewers running through the forty foot strip open for the outlets to both the one from Ludlow street and that from Germain street were blocked up. It was decided to lay the matter over until next Monday when the re-

LOCAL BUSINESS

MEN'S COMMITTEE CANADA FOOD BOARD

Business Men Met Dr. Kierstead Yesterday and Formed Committee—Will Co-operate With Food Board in Carrying Out Regulations.

Upon the invitation of Dr. Kierstead the provincial secretary of the Canada Food Board, a number of representative business men convened in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon and formed themselves into a local business men's committee. Canada Food Board, for the purpose of co-operating with the Food Board in the carrying out of the food regulations.

Those present included Dr. Kierstead, E. A. Schofield, W. S. Potts, A. H. Wetmore, Walter Gilbert, J. H. Bond, J. A. Kennedy, Alexander Fowler, H. G. Harrison, W. F. Leonard and George Dickson. A. H. Wetmore was chosen as chairman and R. E. Armstrong secretary of the new organization. E. A. Goodwin was elected to represent the fruit and vegetable dealers, A. M. Phillips the hotels, W. H. Bell the ice cream dealers. The consideration of the food regulations took a considerable portion of the meeting.

Dr. Kierstead pointed out that under the amended regulation householders would be permitted to have in their possession a broken package or broken barrel of flour. A broken package of sugar was also permissible. When the present broken packages are eaten up only small lots will be permitted. In the case of flour this was absolutely necessary in order that there might be a sufficient stock on hand until the new flour comes in. The codification and simplification of the various food regulations and the advertising of such were suggested by Dr. Kierstead. The Food Board will be asked to authorize this advertising so that the public may be kept informed of the various food prohibitions.

The loyal co-operation of retail dealers in the carrying out of the food regulations was urged. Inspector Potts spoke of the work he was doing in getting in touch with boarders and in issuing licenses. He was busy night and day and received no more salary than he would as fruit inspector.

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Groceries.	
Sugar	Standard \$9.15 @ \$9.20
Yellow 8.65 " 8.70
Rice 10.25 " 10.35
Tapioca 0.17 " 0.18
Beans	..... 10.00 " 10.25
White	..... 9.50 " 9.75
Cream of Tartar	..... 0.78 " 0.81
Molasses	..... 0.88 " 0.90
Peas, split, bags	..... 10.50 " 11.00
Barley, pot, bags	..... 6.50 " 6.75
Corneal, gran.	..... 0.00 " 14.50
Choice, seeded	..... 0.12 1/2 " 0.12 1/2
Fancy, seeded	..... 0.12 " 0.13
Salt, Liverpool, per sack, ex store	..... 2.10 " 2.15
Soda, bicarb.	..... 4.35 " 4.40
Canned Goods.	
Corn, per doz.	..... 2.50 " 2.55
Beans—Baked	..... 2.40 " 2.95
String	..... 2.50 " 2.95
Beef—Corned 1s.	..... 4.00 " 4.35
Corned 2s.	..... 9.00 " 9.25
Pineapple, sliced	..... 2.80 " 3.00
Peas	..... 3.00 " 3.00
Peaches, 2s.	..... 2.20 " 2.30
Fruits, Lombard	..... 2.00 " 2.05
Raspberries	..... 3.10 " 3.20
Salmon—(Per case).	
Pinks	..... 11.60 " 11.25
Cohoos	..... 13.75 " 14.00
Clams	..... 7.50 " 7.75
Oysters—(Per doz.)	
1s.	..... 2.25 " 2.30
2s.	..... 3.60 " 3.70
Tomatoes	..... 3.70 " 2.75
Strawberries	..... 3.10 " 3.20
Butter—Government standard	0.00 " 12.05
Ontario	..... 11.95 " 12.00
Oatmeal, standard	0.00 " 0.00
(No quotation)	
Oatmeal, rolled	12.00 " 13.00
Provisions.	
Pork, Am. clear	..... 63.00 " 64.00
Beef, Am. plate	..... 41.00 " 42.00
Lard, pure	..... 0.32 " 0.32 1/2
Lard, comp.	..... 0.27 1/2 " 0.27 1/2
Meats, Etc.	
Beef—Western	..... 0.22 " 0.24 1/2
Country	..... 0.12 " 0.16
Butchers'	..... 0.20 " 0.22
Eggs, case	..... 0.34 " 0.35
Eggs, fresh	..... 0.00 " 0.38
Spring lamb	..... 0.00 " 0.25
Pork	..... 0.24 " 0.25
Veal	..... 0.11 " 0.14
Mutton	..... 0.18 " 0.22
Butter—Tub	..... 0.40 " 0.44
Roll	..... 0.42 " 0.44
Chicken	..... 0.00 " 0.45
Fowl	..... 0.40 " 0.45
Potatoes, barrel	..... 2.50 " 2.75
Fruits, Etc.	
Almonds	..... 0.24 " 0.25
Bananas	..... 3.50 " 5.00
N. S. Apples	..... 2.50 " 5.00
Walnuts	..... 0.25 " 0.28
Oranges, new	..... 0.00 " 0.50
Filberts	..... 0.22 " 0.23
Lemons	..... 6.00 " 7.00
Cal. Oranges	..... 6.00 " 8.50
Canadian Onions, bags	0.00 " 2.50
Peanuts, roasted	..... 0.22 " 0.23
Fish.	
Cod—Medium	..... 9.50 " 9.75
Finnan Haddies	..... 0.00 " 0.14
Herring—Gr. Manan, 1/2 bbls.	0.00 " 1.00
Herring, kippered, box	0.00 " 1.80
Halibut	..... 0.00 " 0.10
Halibut	..... 0.00 " 0.20
Gaspereau, 100 lbs.	0.00 " 2.00
Oats, Feed, Etc.	
Oats, per bushel	..... 1.10 " 1.15
Brn. car lots, bags	48.00 " 49.00
Hay, car lots, ton	18.50 " 19.00
Middlings, small lots	45.00 " 50.00
Oils, Etc.	
Royalite	..... 0.00 " 0.19
Premier motor gasoline	..... 0.00 " 0.34

WILLIAM FARRAR HAS MADE GOOD

Been Practising Law at Swift Current—Will Visit His Home in Sackville.

William Farrar, a native of Sackville, who has been practicing law with the firm of Buckles and Company, at Swift Current is a visitor in the city. He will leave today for his home in Sackville. Mr. Farrar is another New Brunswick man leaving his native province has made good in his profession in the west. He studied law at Dalhousie, N. S., where he received the degree of L. L. B. He afterward attended the St. John Law School in this city and was successful in obtaining the degree of B. C. L. from Kings in 1915.

Speaking of conditions in the west, Mr. Farrar said that the indications at the present time point to a most successful year and more especially with the farmers. All the reports from the various districts bespeak a bumper crop. However like other parts of the Dominion the farmers are somewhat handicapped on account of the scarcity of labor. This drawback is being overcome to a large extent by improved farm machinery. While in St. John Mr. Farrar is the guest of his brother, Captain Farrar, a member of the Canadian Dental Corps.

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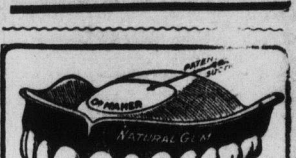
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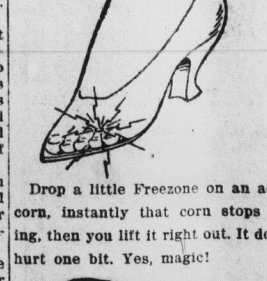
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LEVEL OF CHANGE IN GOVERNMENT POLICY

UNITY BETWEEN BRITAIN AND UNITED STATES INCREASING

Masses of Neither Country Appreciate Extent of Co-operation But Leaders Do and Are Acting Accordingly — Developments of Past Few Days Have Important Bearing on Anglo-Saxon Solidarity.

(By Arthur S. Draper.)
Special Cable to N. Y. Tribune and St. John Standard.
London, May 20.—The Lloyd George government came into political life as an exponent of the knockout policy. During the last few days there has been striking evidence of a change in policy, that the government has decided to follow a moderate course something closely approaching the line taken by President Wilson in his contra distinction to that taken by Premier Clemenceau.

Masses Uniformed.
The masses of neither country appreciate the extent of this co-operation, but their leaders do and are acting accordingly. Arthur Balfour's speech in parliament was a mighty strong endorsement of President Wilson's policy toward the Central Powers. Lord Robert Cecil's reference to Russia in his speech in support of Wilson's attitude toward the Far East.

Anglo-Saxon Unity.
All that is to a good cause. It means less friction and greater Anglo-Saxon co-operation, both of which are highly essential to an allied victory. I understand that the British government has been badly misunderstood or has revised its policy. Imperialism has suffered a knockout. The British Imperialists, the French Imperialists and the Japanese Imperialists can find little nourishment in recent British governmental utterances.

MUCH DEPRESSED IN SPIRITS
On Account of the Exhausted Condition of the Nerves. Though Several Doctors Were Consulted Results Were Disappointing.
Albert N. B., April 6.—All energy and ambition seem to disappear when the nerves become exhausted. Hope and confidence fall and you feel blue and get to looking on the dark side of things.

Miss Annie Anderson.
The many friends of Miss Annie Anderson will hear with regret of her death which occurred early yesterday morning at her late residence, 250 Waterloo street. Although she had been ill for a long time, she bore her sickness with Christian fortitude. She was a daughter of the late John and Agnes Anderson, and leaves two sisters, Mrs. Alexander Gilliland of Nanawicwauk, and Miss Mary, the teaching staff of this city, to mourn their sad loss. She was a member of Knox church, and was for some time a teacher in the Sunday school. The funeral will be held on Wednesday, service at the house at two o'clock.

Dr. H. H. Bell.
The death of Dr. H. H. Bell occurred very suddenly at his home in Chester, Pa., on Thursday, 16th inst. Deceased was 36 years old and a dentist by profession and was a 32nd degree Mason. He was born in St. John and left here about 16 years ago. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Bell, and four sisters, Alice, Bessie, Lillian and Emma, and three brothers, Dr. E. H. Bell, Philadelphia; George, druggist, St.

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Fifty-five days after they laid the keel of the West Lianga, Skinner & Eddie, shipbuilders of Seattle, launched the vessel. In seventy-five days from the date of laying the keel the vessel will load cargo. Thus they made a record in the construction of a steel ship. If other shipbuilders work so rapidly it will not be long before Uncle Sam has sufficient ships to send an enormous army to the trenches.

A WOMAN ARRESTED FOR STABBING MAN.

Montreal, May 20.—Pte. Wm. Martin was stabbed in the back and peppered with shrapnel by a woman who accosted him last night in Peel street. He is now in a hospital in a serious condition. Martin says that he had declined to speak to the woman.

CALAIS ST. RAILWAY ASKS SIX-CENT FARES.

Augusta, May 20.—The Calais Street Railway Company has filed a new schedule of fares with the public utility commission, proposing an increase in fare from five to six cents, effective June 10, 1918.

WAS PRESBYTERIAN MINISTER IN N. B.

Dr. H. L. Adamson, late of the Hygienic and Sanitary Bureau of the Department of Health of New York, is in the city and yesterday made an examination of facilities at the General Public Hospital where a provincial central bacteriological and pathological laboratory is to be established. Dr. Adamson, who was brought here by Hon. W. F. Roberts, head of the provincial department of health, stated that it was the intention to open a laboratory at the General Hospital wherein would be carried on bacteriological examination of milk, water, blood tests, examination of tubercular sputum, examination for pneumonia and bacteriological tests for typhoid and diphtheria.

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HALIFAX SOCIAL CONDITIONS ARE BECOMING SERIOUS

Speakers at Conference of the Social Service and Temperance Alliance Declare That Conditions Are Becoming Alarming — Temperance Reform Meeting With Success.

A series of important conferences (Christian citizenship of the Province. Dr. Shearer's Address.
Dr. Shearer followed, congratulating the Provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia upon the possession of two such officials as Dr. H. R. Grant and W. D. Wilson. The speaker suggested that some one with influence should move the Government of Nova Scotia to give Dr. H. R. Grant the same autocratic powers as the Inspector in New Brunswick. Dr. Shearer announced the coming of a new Social Service organ to be called the "Social Worker", which will appear before the end of the year. The speaker declared, amid applause, that the bar-room and liquor traffic in Canada have gone forever. Race track gambling has also been abolished by legal enactment for the period of the war in Canada. This is another achievement of the Social Service Council. In addition to this, what has been called the white slave traffic has been reduced to an insignificant minimum. The same is true of immoral books and pictures. Dr. Shearer claimed that the party patronage system has said farewell to Ottawa, and it will soon be in every Province of Canada.

Importance of Child Welfare.
The Social Service Council is now concentrating attention on child welfare. The medical men tell us that in Canada 35,000 children perish every year who do not need to if properly cared for. In the three years of the war Canada lost 35,000 of her young manhood, but in one year as many die in childhood who need not die. Therefore, the Social Service Council has decided to concentrate this year on child welfare, and they will be backed by the Federal and Local Governments, as well as Municipal Councils. There is no problem facing us as a people that the Social Service Council cannot solve.

Social Conditions in Halifax.
Addresses of a most informing and in spots sensational character were delivered by Miss Archibald and Miss Wisdom, who are well known and highly valued in the city in social betterment service. The social conditions of the city were by no means ideal, in many respects they were shameful and alarming. This was of course natural in the abnormal circumstance of the city life. The presence of so many military men and also reconstruction men, coupled with the cramped housing conditions, constitute a peril to the city's social life.

Rev. Edwin Smith Commands Guard of Honor When King George and Queen Mary Visit Grimby.
Lieut. (Rev.) Edwin Smith, the Canadian who commanded the naval guard of honor when the King and Queen visited Grimby, England, last month, was formerly pastor of Avondale Presbyterian Church, Tillsonburg, Ont., and is now in command of twelve armed ships of the North Sea sections of the navy working out of Grimby.

Inspector Tracey is Optimistic.
Mr. Tracey, the redoubtable City Temperance Inspector, gave the audience an interesting ten minutes. Although he disclaimed any ability to talk, he proceeded to do so with telling effect. He noted a change for the better in returned soldiers during the past few months. He brought down the House when he told of the eight or ten tons of booze captured and mostly destroyed during the past year. He spoke quite hopefully, and claimed to be fairly well satisfied with conditions. At any rate they are a whole lot better than formerly. The new law has worked wonders.

A public meeting in connection with the Social Conference was held in the Y. M. C. A. Hall at 8 p. m. The Lieutenant-Governor presided at the meeting, which opened with the hymn, "All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name." The Rev. F. H. Grant was the chief speaker. The following social workers were seated on the platform: Dr. Shearer and H. R. Grant, Revs. R. W. Ross, Canon Vernon and Dr. Wilson, the New Brunswick Temperance Inspector.

The Rev. R. W. Ross led the meeting in prayer.
Governor Volunteers For Service.
The Governor prefaced the programme with a brief address, in which he spoke with approval of the amalgamation of the Social Service Council and Temperance Alliance. He closed by proferring his service to the Council at any time.

Miss Potts was introduced and spoke most happily about her new position and work. Miss Potts spoke chiefly on the theme, "The Rights of the Child." Every child has the right to be born with a sound body and mind and to circumstances favorable for normal development. The speaker gave a number of very interesting cases of subnormality. She pictured what she termed a "village of normal happiness and childhood as the ideal way of dealing with the feeble-minded. Miss Potts was very warmly applauded.

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"Fruit-o-lives" is also put up in a trial size which sells for 25c.

WEDDINGS.

Good—Donohue
At 5.30 o'clock yesterday morning in the cathedral of the Immaculate Conception Rev. William M. Duke, at Nuptial Mass, united in marriage William Francis Good, and Miss Mary Teresa Donohue. She was very prettily attired in a suit of Sammie silk with butterfly trimmings and hat to match, and carried a white prayer book. She was given away by her brother Harry, of the local police force. The bride and groom are very popular in the city and received numerous presents. From her associates on the Marr Millinery staff the bride received a handsome chair and electric reading lamp. The bride is a daughter of Mrs. James Donohue of Waterloo St., and the groom is a pressman with the Standard.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Miss Anette of Fairville who died in Gagetown and whose body was brought here for burial took place yesterday afternoon on the arrival of river steamer. Interment was made in Cedar Hill.
The funeral of Mrs. Margaret LaRoque took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of Mrs. Josephine Hachey, 115 Queen St., to St. John's Baptist church, where burial services were conducted by Rev. F. J. McMur-ray. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

NOTED AIRMAN KILLED.

With the American Army in France, May 20.—(By The Associated Press)—Major Raoul Lufbery, who had been regarded as the best aviator in the American air service, was shot down in flames and killed today (Sunday) by a big German triplane which he was attacking. Lufbery jumped from his flaming machine when eight hundred yards above the ground. He had seventeen victories to his credit.

OLD ENEMY DAMAGED.

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On recommendation of Acting Medi-
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foundland that no captain of any
steamer or vessel shall be permitted
to land at any port in the Dominion
of Newfoundland, any person who has
been resident in the Provinces of
Nova Scotia or New Brunswick, who
cannot give satisfactory evidence of
successful vaccination within the past
seven years, said vaccination being at
the time of taking passage, at least
fourteen days old.
Persons who intend travelling to
Newfoundland will take notice that
conformity with the above regulations
is necessary.
W. W. HALFYARD,
Acting Colonial Secretary, Depart-
ment of the Colonial Secretary, St.
John's, Newfoundland, April 29th,
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Around the City

MILD WITH SHOWERS

NURSING SISTER ARRIVED

Among the officers who arrived at a Canadian Atlantic port yesterday from England was Nursing Sister T. Hegan, of this city.

ENJOYED A HIKE

About twenty-three of the boys of the Y. M. C. A. enjoyed a hike to Upton Head yesterday. They went out in the morning at nine o'clock and returned about five o'clock.

WILL BE BROUGHT HERE

The body of James P. Martin, who was killed in a collision at Smith's Falls, Ont., on Sunday morning, will arrive in the city tomorrow, being accompanied by W. C. Tobin, a brakeman.

HAD FINGER INJURED

While at work in the Grant and Thorne shipyard yesterday morning William Steen had one of his fingers badly injured and the finger was dressed at the General Public Hospital.

THE POLICE COURT

In the police court yesterday one drunk was fined \$5, and a fine of \$25 which was allowed to stand against him a week ago was also imposed. Another man charged with drunkenness was remanded.

THE IMPERIAL COUNCIL

The members of Luxor Temple will assemble tonight when one of the principal matters dealt with will be the election of a representative to attend the Imperial Council which will be held in Atlantic City next month.

CAPT. SABEAN SAFE

Word was received yesterday by J. E. Moore that Capt. J. A. Sabean of the wrecked schooner Maggie Alice had been taken from the derelict by the westbound schooner Jessie Hart and was landed at Beaver Harbor.

PAVING WORK COMMENCED

A gang of men were started to work on Main street yesterday by M. Mooney and Sons excavating and making ready for the paving between Adelaide and Cedar streets. A competent returned soldier may be appointed inspector.

A HOTEL PROPERTY

It is stated that negotiations are in progress by St. John parties for the purchase of a valuable hotel property in Digby, N. S. It is the intention of the parties, should the deal go through, to re-open the hotel and charge a fair price for accommodation.

THE CAR SERVICE

The North End service is somewhat interrupted owing to repair work being done between the tracks on Main street. The King and Britain cars are only running as far as Douglas avenue and passengers for Indian town have to transfer at that point.

LECTURES AT FREDERICTON

Mrs. E. Atherton Smith leaves for Fredericton tonight to give a lecture on "Our British Land, Sea and Air Forces," under the auspices of the Provincial Chapter of the I. O. D. E. She hopes to assist at the organization of a branch of the Navy League before returning home.

THE ROTARY CLUB

At the luncheon of the Rotary Club yesterday Dr. Kierstead was a guest. The chief topic for discussion was the developing of Rockwood playground. A committee was appointed to look into the matter and report. It is expected the club will send four members to the Kansas City Convention.

TAKEN TO BRIDGETOWN

"Neddie" Allen, a familiar figure around the streets of Windsor, Nova Scotia was yesterday taken to the home for demented people at Bridgetown. Chief of Police Samuel McDonald was in charge of the patient. Three weeks ago the man attempted to commit suicide by cutting his throat.

MILITARY FUNERAL

The funeral of Pte. Archie Little of the Depot Batt., who died on Saturday, took place yesterday morning from Messrs. Brennan's undertaking rooms. The Depot Batt. band and a firing squad from the battalion accompanied the body to the station. The body was taken to Harvey station for interment.

SERBIAN OFFICER

Among the visitors to the city yesterday was Serg. Major Steven Vecherionitch, a Serbian officer who was dressed in an attractive blue uniform. He wore two gold medals and had lost one arm while fighting for his country. He left for Camp Sussex where he will be employed as instructor with the Serbian troops.

JOINS FLYING CORPS

Among the Hebrew families of St. John who are contributing to the Canadian Army in the fight for liberty and the preservation of British institutions, none stand out more prominently than the Brager family. Within the next few days Max Brager will put on the aviation suit at Halifax, having signified his willingness to sacrifice business opportunities in the Garrison city in order to do his bit. Since taking up his residence in Halifax this young man has by integrity and sound dealing worked up a very substantial business in ladies clothing and also a splendid furniture business.

LUNCHEON FOR CADETS

At a special meeting of the New Brunswick Auxiliary for the Maritime School for the Blind, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, presiding, held Saturday afternoon final arrangements were made for the luncheon to be given the visiting Cadet Corps on Victoria Day. Through the kindness of the Y. M. C. A. directors that building has been placed at the disposal of the ladies, and the lunch will be served there at one o'clock by the members of the auxiliary assisted by some of the ladies from the Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary. Mrs. Smith presented a report from the Fredericton branch organized a few weeks ago and this report showed that in the three weeks since its organization over \$1,000 had been raised.

THREE MEN AND A BOOT; A STORY OF THE WATERFRONT

How a Boot-logger is Alleged to Have Escaped Capture After Being Almost in the Toils. The pursuit of the elusive boot-logger in St. John is sometimes accompanied by difficulties that render capture impossible. One such case had its commencement on Sunday evening in the vicinity of Strait Shoals, and ended yesterday afternoon with the boot-logger making a clean getaway. On Monday evening a policeman got after a man whom he suspected of disposing of liquor in contravention of the provisions of the New Brunswick Prohibition Act.

The suspect got away however and running to one of the old wharves on Strait Shore made his way over some rocks closely followed by the officer. A jump into the mud of the harbor was, however, more than the policeman cared to chance and as a result the boot-logger found his way to a temporary sanctuary under one of the wharves, while the police officer kept guard above, waiting for the time when the rising tide would cause his man to emerge from his hiding place.

But the illegal vendor of liquors had a friend who procuring a boat tied it to an adjacent wharf in such a manner that the tide would carry it down to the hiding man. The tide did its work, likewise the boat, and the last seen of the boot-logger was as he was making good progress in the direction of the Carleton shore. Meanwhile the officer of the law continued to keep his vigil on the wharf above.

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"The Americans are already looking forward to divert Canadian trade through their ports, and they are very interested in a movement now on foot to have the Welland Canal deepened, not for the purpose of helping Canadian ports, but for the benefit of American Atlantic ports. Buffalo has five or six double track railroads and one canal leading to the seaboard. Oswego has practically a canal and one double track railroad. The Lake tonnage is largely owned by Americans and they want the Welland Canal deepened in order that the big barges carrying a half million bushels of grain can navigate it. These barges are engaged in the spring in carrying iron ore at very moderate rates and their owners want to utilize them in the fall to carry grain for shipment through American ports."

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"The result of an overdose of extract of lemon, a young woman, Emma LeBlanc is a patient at the General Public Hospital suffering from internal poisoning and her condition is considered critical. It is stated that the woman was seen yesterday afternoon with two soldiers in the vicinity of Pitt street, and it was in this section that she was picked up by the police. Thinking that her condition was that of one intoxicated she was removed to the central police station, but on learning that it was apparently a case of poisoning she was removed to the hospital. This is the second case of this nature which has arisen in the city within a very short time and in both cases the party had to be taken to the hospital for treatment. It is thought that the soldiers and the woman were drinking the extract and she took too much, thus poisoning herself."

As far as can be learned, the victim only recently came to St. John, having formerly resided in Montreal. Since her arrival here she has been employed as a waitress in one of the hotels. She resigned this position but a few weeks ago. The woman is about twenty-one or twenty-two years of age and of dark complexion.

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