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Berlin and Vienna Say Russians Beaten; Rennet Declares Half Victory

Teutonic Allies Report They Have Won All Along Line and Are Within Few Miles of Warsaw—Daily Mail Correspondent Says Russian Retreat Has Ended

Berlin, July 20—Important successes for the Teutonic allies all along the battle line in Russia, from the Baltic Sea to Bukovina, are claimed in an official German statement. The army of General Von Gallwitz is said to be standing in force on the Narew line, southwest of Nowo-Georgievsk, one of the fortified positions which protect Warsaw, and only ten miles from the Polish capital.

A BRIGHTER REPORT

London, July 20—Frederick Rennet wires to the Daily News from Petrograd as follows:— Von Hindenburg has taken control of the joint operations north and south of Warsaw. Since Saturday, however, the Russians retreat has ended and Von Hindenburg's elaborate strategy has only half succeeded. He has ordered Von Mackensen in South Poland to bring his eleventh army and all his available supports to capture the junction of the roads leading to Lublin and Cholm. Stubborn fighting took place on both banks of the Vistula, where the Austro-Germans were trying to pierce the Russian front. The Austro-Germans, unsurprisingly, met with no success.

The plan of drawing the Russians away from the south into north Poland has failed. They are abundantly strong to guard the rivers in the north against the succession of attempted surges there. On the left bank of the Vistula, Von Mackensen is moving toward Lublin to help the archduke's shattered troops. The Russians have been successful in dislodging the Germans from the Mstetyn forest, four miles southwest of Gradowetz, and near the town of Zamoc. This may prove disastrous to Von Mackensen, for it threatens his rear.

North of Warsaw the Teutonic forces have not yet reached the sphere of operations in the region of the fortress of Novo-Georgievsk. The appointment of General Russky to succeed Vandierickin has an important bearing on operations in Poland. General Russky immediately took command of the personnel of the railways and the administrative offices so as to make it impossible for the Germans to learn what is being done.

RUSSIA ADMITS SOME REVERSES

Petrograd, July 20—An official statement issued by the Russian general staff last night follows:— "In the region of Riga and Shavli, enemy columns reached the front. The Russian forces repulsed them. Between Genesliva and the Bug on the evening of the 17th, after a desperate fight we drove the enemy from all the trenches previously occupied by him. On the 18th, the enemy, who crossed on the 18th on the front Skomarov-Sokol, continued to press the enemy on the same front. In other directions there have been no serious engagements."

RUSSIANS GET MORE AMMUNITION

London, July 20—A Petrograd despatch to the Daily Mail says:— "Additional factories are undertaking every day, to turn out large quantities of munitions, and the supply of war material of all kinds is increasing steadily. The nation is prepared to pass through a period of reverse, if necessary, but never has felt more certain of ultimate victory."

FRENCH AEROPLANES BOMBARD IN ALSACE

Paris, July 20—The official announcement from the War Office this afternoon says that a squadron of six aeroplanes bombarded the station at Colmar, capital of Upper Alsace. The aeroplanes returned undamaged.

LARGE GAINS BY ITALIANS

Geneva, Switz., July 20—Despatches to the Tribune say that large gains have been made by the Italians since July 16. The Austrians have lost more than five miles in Cadore and lesser tracts in Carnia, at Hochapitz, Gradina, Dolere and Kellerswald on the Isomzo. The Austrians have recaptured two positions near Tordinone and north of San Lucas.

SUICIDE IN KIRKLAND; LOUIS MERSEREAU PUTS END TO LIFE

Woodstock, N. B., July 20—Louis Mersereau of Kirkland, committed suicide last night by shooting with a revolver. He was fifty years old, married, and leaves a family. Family troubles are supposed to be the cause. Coroner Lindsay and jury are holding an inquest.

THREE DIVORCES GRANTED; ONE IS ST. JOHN CASE

Fredericton, N. B., July 20—Judge McKewen presided at the divorce court this morning and delivered judgment in three undivided cases, Wheaton vs. Wheaton, Branscombe vs. Branscombe, and Vincent vs. Vincent. Absolute divorce was granted in each case on statutory grounds. The Vincent case is from St. John. The Wheaton case from Moncton and the Branscombe case from Woodstock.

RAILWAYS MINISTER IN MONCTON TONIGHT

Moncton, July 20—Hon. Frank Cochrane is expected in Moncton this evening. Several local officials have gone to Campbellton to meet him. He is on his annual inspection of the I.C.R.

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APPOINTMENTS ON WEDNESDAY

Consideration of Tax Commission Laid Over Again MAYOR HEARS OF PLOT Scheme to Leave Appointments to Local Government Denied by Other Commissioners—May Have to Issue Bonds For Repairs to Dangerous Retaining Walls

The question of the appointment of the assessment commission evoked a very lively discussion at the meeting of the council this morning and the whole matter was laid over finally, until Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock. Commissioner Potts led the objections to dealing with the matter this morning, after its consideration had been fixed for Wednesday and received support from other commissioners. Commissioner Wigmore moved that the appointments be left over for another week but Mayor Frink objected to this strongly. He had heard, he said, that a scheme was on foot to allow the matter to drift over the time limit and so, under the provisions of the act, leave the appointment in the hands of the provincial government and he would not take a chance of a delay sufficient to make this possible. The meeting tomorrow will finally proceed upon the attention of the council was drawn to necessity of rebuilding some retaining walls at a cost of about \$11,000 if damage suits are to be avoided and a committee will report.

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GLOUCESTER INQUIRY IS OPENED

Fredericton, July 20—Royal Commissioner Chandler opened his court of inquiry into the Gloucester charges this morning. P. J. Veniot and R. S. Carter, Liberal organizers, were in attendance and one witness Pierre F. Boudreau was on the stand until noon. He said only \$42 from the local government was paid him for the price. He could not remember the amount of the check he got from Ottawa and he did not know what bill he sent in, in fact his memory was very poor on many points. Mr. Veniot asked that Geoffrey Stead, Dominion government engineer be summoned in order to get exact particulars of the sale and price, payment, etc. The investigation will go on this afternoon and Wednesday and Thursday and then adjourn until the 27th.

THE STRIKE SITUATION IS TENSE TODAY

Bridgeport, Conn., July 20—Barring last minute developments, nearly 1,000 mechanics at the plant of the Remington Arms and Ammunition Company plant are to throw down their tools at noon today, thus precipitating a general strike among the workers. The American Federation of Labor, has called a conference of machinists officials at Washington but those in charge of the situation here, assert they will heed the call.

NO TROUBLE SO FAR

Standard Oil is Hit at Bayonne Where 5,000 Workmen Are Out—Some Revolver Firing But No One is Hurt

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CABLE SAYS COAL STRIKE IS SETTLED

J. M. Robinson & Sons received a cable this afternoon saying the coal strike had been settled.

SOME EVIDENCE IN THE STABBING CASE

The preliminary hearing in the case against Mary Ronley, under arrest charged with assaulting William Hanley with a knife with intent to kill, was continued in the police court this morning. Several witnesses were heard, after which the prisoner was remanded to jail.

THOUSAND DOLLARS FROM RESTIGOUCHE FOR BELGIANS

Mayor Frink acknowledges receipt of contributions for the Belgian relief fund as follows:—Donald Nase, \$9; Herbert Nase, \$9; Mrs. James Fleming, \$3; O. H. R. \$3; G. F. Fawcett, Oak Point, Kings county, \$4; and the Municipality of Restigouche, per Alexander J. LeBlanc, secretary-treasurer, \$1,000.

Story Of Submarines Off Maine Coast Will Not Down

Washington, July 20—Unofficial reports to the state and navy departments that a German submarine has been seen "off the Maine coast" are beginning to interest government officials. State department officials indicate that the presence of submarines is even usually one for the treasury department. These vessels have a right to cruise as much as they please, but if they enter a port the treasury department would see that they left again under the rules of neutrality.

KITCHENER'S ARMY ON THE WAY TO FRONT?

New York Paper's Correspondent Says Great Movement On

Predicts British Advance on Western Front About August 1—No Troops Taken Unless After Six Months Training—Rest Held in England as Reserve

New York, July 20—The Tribune this morning publishes the following London, July 19—(From a special correspondent of the Tribune) "The great British advance will begin about August 1 and England will then make her great throw in the war" was the confident declaration today, of one of Kitchener's newest army, a man equipped with information, although he is only a private. A year ago he was a newspaper correspondent, as well known in New York as in London, although he is merely a man in the ranks of the Royal Fusiliers.

MOVING KITCHENER'S ARMY

This Kitchener's soldier was telling the real truth. For two weeks past, although no word has been allowed by the censors to be sent abroad, mighty preparations have been going on throughout England to get the main body of Kitchener's army out of England by July 20. These plans have been in readiness for the last three months, and the departure of the Gordon Highlanders for Flanders on July 4 was the match laid to fire the train.

NO MEETING; WAIT ARRIVAL OF GOV. WOOD

The public meeting called for this morning to consider the establishment of a fund for the purchase of an acre of land in the United States for the purpose of a later date, probably tomorrow. There was a fair sized gathering in the mayor's office at ten o'clock, but Lieutenant-Governor Wood, whose presence was expected, did not arrive. As it is desired to make the movement provincial in scope, under the patronage of His Honor, it was decided to postpone any action until the lieutenant-governor could be present.

POPE DISAVOWS THE INTERVIEW

Paris, July 20—An autograph letter from Pope Benedict to Cardinal Amel, Archbishop of Paris, contains the following:— "We absolutely disavow Latapie's article, which represents neither our ideas nor words and was published without our revision or permission." The Pope repeats his previous declaration that his views are to be found in public official statements and not in accounts of private conversations.

WOULD FORCE DOMINION OF TORONTO CITY TO ENLIST

Toronto, Ont., July 21—Ward One Conservatives have passed a drastic resolution declaring that all members of the civil service in the employ of the Dominion parliament, the local legislature and employees of the city of Toronto of military age, pass a medical examination, and all those found fit be asked to enlist for service in defence of the empire or in default, resign their positions.

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PEACE SENDS WARNING TO BROOKLYN PAPER—MONTREAL IS INCLUDED

New York, July 20—"Peace" the self-styled German bomb dynamite expert has sent the Brooklyn Eagle a typewritten warning saying:— "The purpose of this communication is to warn the American citizens living in your vicinity to keep clear of British vessels, sailing from Brooklyn, New York, New Orleans, Savannah, Newport News and Montreal. Our men are now operating from each of these ports, and Americans will do well to heed this warning ere it is too late. The Imperial German government desires no satisfaction or profit from killing of neutral Americans, and we are instructed to give timely warnings to all Americans who contemplate voyages to Europe within the next two months. The explosive operations have proven inadequate to prevent the enemy from importing munitions from America."

MORE BOMBS ON STEAMERS!

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WEATHER BULLETIN Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service.

Phelix and Ferdinand TO ENJOY THE SEASIDE ON THE GO! GOT TO FINISH!

DOCTORS OF THE PROVINCE MEET IN THE CAPITAL

Fredericton, N. B., July 20.—The N. B. Medical Society opened its 33rd annual convention here in the council chamber this morning with an attendance of about forty delegates. The proceedings opened with prayer by Rev. J. E. Wilson, Mayor Mitchell welcomed the delegates and extended to them the freedom of the city.

The president, Dr. G. C. VanWart, referred to advances made by medical science and to the important place it was filling in the war; also to the good work being done by New Brunswick practitioners at the front. He suggested that a by-law be amended so that the fee of the annual meeting could be fixed by officers of the society. He also advocated an increased fee for medical men conducting post-mortems and attending inquests. Other suggestions had to do with education and treatment of suspected cases of tuberculosis, care of advanced cases, the cancer problem, the public health act and vital statistics. He thought that the law requiring school children to be vaccinated should be rigidly enforced in country districts.

Appropriate reference was made to the death of Doctors Berryman, Johnston and McIntosh, of St. John. The secretary read a letter from Dr. G. G. Corbett, now at the front, stating that Doctor Duval of St. John had been wounded. The balance of the morning was taken up with reports of committees and at afternoon the visitors will be dined at the Ravine Lodge by local physicians.

Coroner George A. Perley of Margerville was here today and conferred with Chief of Police McCollin in regard to the case of James Murray, whose body was found in the river at Margerville on Sunday. There were some marks on the body but Dr. Plummer thinks that death resulted from strangulation caused by a stone lodged in the windpipe. There is some evidence that Murray was interred in a row here on the night of July 17 and the coroner this afternoon interviewed men who were last seen in his company and subpoena them as witnesses at the inquest on Thursday.

A twenty gallon keg of whiskey and three barrels of bottled ale were seized at the C. P. R. station last week. Not having been claimed they were ordered destroyed by the police magistrate this morning. The liquor was shipped here from St. John.

LOST GOOD HORSE
Short Bros. who keep a livery stable in Prince street, lost a valuable horse this morning. It died suddenly from distemper. The horse was recently brought to this city from Toronto.

It is not generally known that Lord Alverstone has a good singing voice, and at one time he used to sing in the choir of a fashionable church in the west of London. One Sunday an American lady visitor to the church drew one of the verses side altar which which the choir was Lord Alverstone, as she was very anxious to see such a distinguished man.

"Well, mum," replied the verger, "that's the vicar, them's the curates, and I'm the verger, but as you are here as long as they behave themselves decent we don't enquire into their antecedents."

DEATHS
BLANCHARD—In Boston, on July 18, Catherine Blanchard.
GABRIEL—In this city on July 19, David H. Gabriel, survived by his wife, four daughters and three sons.
Funeral from his late residence, 10 Canon street, Tuesday, July 20, to I. C. St. station, interment in Parsboro, N. S. (Nova Scotia and American papers please copy.)
NEWCOMBE—In this city on the 19th inst., Charles M. Newcombe, in the 89th year of his age.
Funeral on Wednesday at 3 o'clock, from his late residence, 370 Tower street, West St. John, service at 2.30. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

IN MEMORIAM
MANN—in loving remembrance of Bertrude Mann, who departed this life July 20th, 1914.
I. O. O. F. FUNERAL NOTICE
The members of Golden Rule Lodge, 646, are particularly requested to meet at their lodge room, West End, on Wednesday at 2.15 p.m., for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, Chas. M. Newcombe.
By order of N. G., JOHN F. BROWNE, Recording Sec'y.
Members of sister lodges invited to attend.

REV. LINDSAY PARKER LAID AT REST TODAY

The funeral of Rev. Lindsay Parker, Ph.D., took place this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from Trinity church. The service was attended by many friends, and the cortege was long and representative. Many of the clergymen of several denominations were among the pallbearers and feeling words were spoken about the worth of the late reverend doctor.

WIFE BEATER IS KILLED BY DAUGHTER; BASEBALL BAT IS WEAPON USED

Syracuse, N. Y., July 20.—Mrs. Allan Robinson, 85 years old, killed her father-in-law, David Eugene Duval, 55, with a baseball bat, last night at the family home near Centago station. She struck the blow in defending her mother, her sister, and brother from the maniac attack. The tragedy followed a reign of terror in the Duval home during which the victim beat his wife and children.

FOUR MORE MACHINE GUNS FROM HERE IN SIGHT

Thirteen machine guns for the overseas forces are now assured as the contribution of citizens of St. John and the surrounding area. The guns, which are of eight individuals who are giving one and of ten who are combining their gifts and some as the gift of two citizens whose names will be announced later.

DISCUSS LUMBER MATTERS

Chicago, July 20.—Governmental regulations of competition and opposition of the government's activity against trusts and monopolies is a necessity, according to representatives of the lumber industry who presented formal statements describing present conditions in their trade at a conference held here yesterday between the Federal Trade Commission and a committee representing the National Lumber Manufacturers Association.

COMPLETING PLANS FOR THE BIG PICNIC

The arrangements for the Merchants' big picnic at Crystal Beach on Thursday are nearing completion. The sports committee met last night and have the plans almost completed. The grounds committee are visiting Crystal Beach this afternoon to see that everything is in shape, and the final meeting of the committees will be held tomorrow evening in the association board room. The transportation committee now find that the indications are that the steamer service arranged for will not be sufficient to carry the crowds, and so complete arrangements to have an every hour service to and from the beach, so that there will be no trouble in getting to the picnic. Arrangements are also being made to have a ferry give a half hour service between Westfield and the picnic grounds.

A GREAT SHOW AT THE IMPERIAL TOMORROW

"The Warrens of Virginia," the Lasky-Belasco photodramatic version of Wm. C. DeMille's play of the same name at the Imperial tomorrow, shows a phase of Civil war life which has little emphasis. This is the home life of the Southern families, rich a few months before, now patiently and courageously enduring poverty and defeat. The drama does not seek to justify the politics of either cause, but it must bring closer to all the world the sufferings of the Confederacy and the nobility of the "boys in grey." Blanche Sweet, who makes her Lasky debut in this production, plays the role of a Southern girl who is captured by her own lover, a Northern lieutenant. The cast is as follows:

General Warren.....James Nell
Mrs. Warren.....Mrs. Van Buren
Agatha Warren.....Blanche Sweet
Arthur Warren.....P. E. Peters
Ned Burton.....House Peters
Gen. Griffin.....Dick La Reno
Gen. Harding.....Sydney Deane
Blake.....Raymond Hatton
Zake Biggs.....Milton Brown
Bill Peavey.....Dick La Strange
Tom Dabney.....Louden Littlefield
Bob Warren.....Gerald Ward
Betty Warren.....Mildred Harris
In plot.....Mrs. Lewis McCord jail.

POLICE COURT
In the police court this morning Fred Lean was fined \$8 or two months in jail for drunkenness and also for carrying a knife. He explained that it was for farm use. One man on a drunkenness charge was fined \$8 or two months in jail.

LOCAL NEWS

JOHNSON-MORGAN.

On July 14, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Morgan, Upper Hayesville, York county, their daughter, Lina Pearl, became the wife of Roy Burton.

FOR SOLDIERS' COMFORTS

The Douglas Avenue Circle of the Soldiers' Comfort Association are to hold a tea at the Bungalow, Pleasant Point on Friday afternoon. An invitation to the affair has been issued, and one of the ladies presents it in this manner:

"Patriotic people one and all. Come to our tea, this our call. Comforts for soldiers we would buy. With your quarters, be not shy. Take the ferry at Indiantown. And your efforts to help will find a crown."

MORE RECRUITS

Three recruits for the 48th Battalion will go forward from here today to the front. They are—James Alfred Thompson, Corbridge, Queens County; Andrew Horseman, Moncton and Thos. King, St. John. Five applications were received this afternoon.

FATHER MORRIS'S

Stomach Remedy for cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Gas, Stomach, Sourness and all forms of stomach troubles. No cure—No pay. Price 50c. All Druggists.

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THE JULY SALE OF WOMEN'S AND CHILDREN'S GARMENTS AT DANIEL'S CONTINUES TOMORROW—CLEARING PRICES ON SUMMER DRESSES, COSTUMES, COATS AND CHILDREN'S WEAR.—SEE ADVERTISEMENT PAGE 5.

\$4 FOR A CARLETON GIRL

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RACE ON THURSDAY

The match race between C. D. C. and Happy Lad, postponed from last Saturday afternoon, will be held on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The mile heats for a side bet of \$100. In addition, another race will be held which will receive several fast horses.

NO SEWERAGE WATER IN BLUE ROCK BATHING BEACH. DRESSING ROOMS TO LET.

We have succeeded in pleasing nearly everyone in St. John, we have had a very busy day. Come in tomorrow and see a Grand Union Cafe dinner—charge 35c. only, to you.

NATIONAL DIVISION S. O. P. T.

The 71st annual session of the National Division of the Sons of Temperance of North America will be held in Zions Church, Charlotte, N. C., on Tuesday, July 27, at 10 o'clock a. m. The meetings will continue through Wednesday and Thursday. A public reception will be held on Wednesday evening and a public meeting on Thursday evening. Tickets will be issued on a standard certificate plan. Delegates will be met by Rev. W. D. Wilson and others. Her, R. Hensley Stavert, most worthy patriarch, and Ross Slack, most worthy scribe.

BYE-LAW MATTER

Thomas Brady appeared in the police court this morning to answer a charge of allowing his horse to wander about Gilbert street on the night of the 13th inst. He explained that he had since destroyed the horse and was allowed to go.

GOOD NEWS

Ladies' patent leather colonial pumps with some strap effects, now selling at \$1.78 at H. M. Garson's, 477 Main street, opposite Sherbro street. Look for the red sign.

OUR MOTTO

People are daily finding out that by dealing with us they buy goods just as cheap as elsewhere for cash. Our motto is "One pleased customer brings another." If you are in need of any goods in the clothing or furnishing line call on Bragars' the house of reputable clothes, 185 and 187 Union St. 1-22

DEATH OF DAVID H. GABRIEL

The death of David H. Gabriel occurred on Sunday morning at his home, 10 Canon street. He was well known about this port, having sailed in many vessels as cook. He is survived by his wife, four daughters, Misses Mary, David, Eva and Elsie and three sons, Robert, William and John. The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock from the I. C. R. station and the body was taken to Parsboro, N. S., for interment.

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BE WISE—AND LET US



It's not the amount of money you spend, but the way you spend it that marks you as a successful buyer.

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APPOINTMENTS ON WEDNESDAY

(Continued from page 1.)
Mayor Frink—"If we leave it over a week we just have one day to make the appointment and if there is not a quorum the appointments will go to the government by default. I will be here tomorrow."
Com. Wigmore—"I can assure you I had no such intention. I am willing to change the date to any other time that is convenient to the council."
On reconsideration the appointments were laid over until Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock, this proving acceptable to the entire council.
Com. Potts said that he wished to show that he had no hand in allowing the appointment to drift into the hands of the government and he would move that, if the council had not appointed commissioners who will act, by eleven o'clock p. m. on July 26, that the mayor and commissioners will then be considered appointed as the assessment commission.
The mayor objected that this was not necessary and there was no second.

PERSONALS

Mrs. W. F. Roberts, Douglas Avenue, has returned home after a trip to Cumberland. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Berrie, of Arthur Ingraham, 16 Johnston Street, returned this morning after a visit to Moncton.
Dr. Walter Allison of Halifax arrived in the city this morning.
Rev. J. Stackhouse, of Ulica, New York, is in the city on his vacation.
Rev. A. A. Rideout, of St. John, is in the city on his vacation.
Rev. C. W. Rose, in his vacation, will be heard in the First Baptist Church, Moncton, on Sunday.
Rev. John McNeill, formerly of Chipewagan, N. S., is seriously ill in the Vancouver General Hospital.
J. A. Reid, formerly teller in the Royal Bank in Amherst, has received notice that he has been transferred to the bank's branch at Georgetown, British Columbia. It was his vacation, and he is in Amherst a couple of weeks ago.
Dr. Holland H. Bell and Mrs. Bell, of Chester, Pa., and Dr. Edward H. Bell and Mrs. Bell of Philadelphia, Pa., are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bell of King street east.

RECENT WEDDINGS

Roy S. Bisset, son of Captain George Bisset of the D. G. S. Lansdowne, was united in marriage to a Calgary girl on July 14 to Miss Sarah Brouse of Toronto.

RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Sarah Chapman, one of Fredericton's oldest residents, died on Saturday night. She was ninety years of age and was the widow of Anthony Chapman, and is survived by one son, Anthony, and one daughter, Miss Margaret.

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The Hall Clock had been in the Jenkins' family for 150 years. When the family moved into the next block, Jenkins said he'd trust no one but himself to move that clock. He worked it across the floor, edged it down the steps, and was making slow progress with it along the sidewalk when a slightly interested person stopped him.

ONE PLACE WHERE THE RUSSIANS WON

Geneva, July 20.—The Tribune publishes a despatch from the Russian front, saying that on the night of July 18, a fierce hand-to-hand encounter occurred on the Rawka River, in Russian Poland. After fifteen hours of fighting, the Russians forced back their opponents several miles, capturing several hundred prisoners.

SAD NEWS REACHES MONCTON

Moncton, July 20.—Louis Bruden was killed when a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul passenger train crashed through a trestle on July 8. He is a son-in-law of Captain and Mrs. Robinson of Hope. His wife, Mrs. Bruden, also in the wreck, was reported seriously injured.

THE WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, July 20.—The wheat market, after opening 1/4 to 1/4 lower, underwent a material further decline.

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2 cans Campbell's Soup	25c
2 cans Heinz Beans	25c
2 cans Squire's Beans	25c
Clark's Chili Sauce Beans	12c
Pure Food Beans	10c
10 lb. bag Lantic Sugar	75c
Seeded Raisins	16c pkce
Cleaned Currants	10c pkce
Dromedary Dates	10c pkce
3 pks. Potato Flax	25c
3 pks. Lux	25c
Macaroni	10c pkce
3 pks. Corn Starch	25c
2 cans Norwegian Sardines	25c
Gallon can Apples	10c
Evaporated Milk	10c
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3 lbs. Mixed Starch	25c
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3 Packets Jello Jelly Powder	25c
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Arrived Yesterday:
S S Eastington, 988, Stevenson, Louis-
S S Governor Dingley, 3286, Ingalis,
Boston via Maine ports, A C Currie,
pass and mds.

Costwise:
Schs L M Ellis, Regine C.
Cleared Yesterday:
Tern sch F C Pendleton, Pendleton,
Philadelphia.

CANADIAN PORTS
Newcastle, July 16—Cld, btjn Mercer,
Lund, Fleetwood.
Flat Point, July 17—Passed, Barb.

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20 lb. pairs	14c
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Corn Flakes	3 for 25c
Corn, Peas, String Beans, Clams, Beets	2 for 25c
Prunes	10c per lb.
Strawberries, Pines Cakes, Oranges	at lowest market price.
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There will be more than 500 items of Drug Store Goods including— Household Medicines, Toilet Goods, etc., in the list.

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Yarmouth, July 17—Ard, steamer Lord Beresford, Robinson, St. John, with steaming crew in tow. American schooner Frances N Sawyer, Duffy, Boston via Meteghan, to load lumber for Havana.

BRITISH PORTS
Liverpool, July 18—Ard, Metegans, Montreal, St. Louis, New York.
Leith, July 19—Ard, str Lachenby, Montreal.
Bristol, July 19—Ard, str Danaborg, Montreal.
Manchester, July 19—Ard, str Manchester Merchant, Montreal.
Manchester, July 16—Ard, Manchester Miller, Musgrave, Philadelphia.
Liverpool, July 19—Ard, str St. Louis, New York.

FOREIGN PORTS.
Perth Amboy (NJ), July 17—Sid, schs Caroline Gray, St. John (NB); Charlotte T Sibley, do; John L Treat, Halifax; Ulva, Charlottetown; Lilla B Hirtle, Sydney (CB).
New York, July 17—Ard, str Shenandoah, Scott, Bordeaux; schs Rio P Mader, Mahone Bay; Burnett C Lacombe.
Delaware Breakwater, Del, July 17—Ard, schs Porter, Philadelphia for St. John (NB).
Passed out July 17—Sch King Josiah, for Halifax.
Portland, July 16—Cld, sch Laura E Melanson, Melanson, Weymouth.
Salisbury, July 16—Cld, schs Harold, Hillsboro (NB).
Eastport, July 16—Sid, sch Eva A Dannhower, St. George (NB).
Rockland, July 16—Ard, sch Susie P Oliver.
Vieward Haven, July 16—Sid, schs Pesquid, Windsor (NS), for New York; Jennie S Hall, Spencer's Island for day; Tehama, Winterport; Edward Stewart, Stockton; Susie H Davidson, St. John (NB); Leonard C, Westport (NS).

VESSELS IN PORT.
Steamers:
Dunally, 2966, Robt Welford Co, No 6, Pointed, 1971, W-M-Mackay.
Sarmart, 438, W M Mackay, No 4, Setales, sch, Wm Thomson Co, No 1, Symra, 1920, Wm Thomson Co, I C R, Barks.
Acadia, 1222, Wm Thomson Co, No 4, Setales, 336, J E Moore & Co, No 6, Syndes, 2201, J E Moore & Co, No 2, Tana, 874, A W Watson, No 1, Virgo.
Schooners Not Cleared:
Charles C Lister, 968,
Elsie A Bayles, 288, A W Adams,
Lidia H Harbison, 268, A W Adams,
Helen G King, 136, A W Adams, laid up.
Isla (Swed), J E Moore & Co,
J Arthur Lord, 189, A W Adams, laid up.
Melus, 888, R C Elkin,
Peter Schultz, 878, A W Adams,
Seguin, 888, J W Smith.

NAVAL BATTLE NEAR HALIFAX?

Schooner's Crew Hear Reports of Gun Fire—Maritime Casualties—How Lieut. Kelly's Guns Reached the Trenches

The captain and crew of a schooner loading near Halifax report having sighted three British warships steaming at full speed early in the afternoon and that shortly after the craft had passed out of sight they heard the reports of heavy guns fired in rapid succession and felt the earth shake from the concussion. They counted from 42 to 47 shots. Sergt. Guy Roderick Turner who has been reported wounded formerly was the principal of the public school in this city.

The morning casualty list includes the names of Charles A. Wallace, Yarmouth, N. S. prisoner at Meschede.
Lieutenant C. S. Craig of Coburg, Ont. in a letter to his mother tells how he and Lieutenant Kelly of St. John got their guns into the front trenches by muffled the wheels with old tires and covering the guns with old bags. They did great execution before both officers were wounded.

Lieut. Colonel Clarence B. Smith, 29th Battalion in a letter, tells of sighting a United States warship on the way across and of a rumor that the neighboring nation had declared war on Germany.

Captain George P. Bowie, 5th Battalion, Vancouver who has died of his wounds was engaged to a former St. John lady now residing in Vancouver.

Governor Davidson announced last night that more than enough for the purchase of two aeroplanes promised by Newfoundland has been subscribed and the Reid Railway have each promised one.

Leslie Creighton, son of H. C. Creighton, who is now in the firing line has written an interesting letter to his people telling of recent activities at his part of the line. He said that he expected to return to England on a short leave of absence. He understood that every one of the Canadians were to be allowed this as a diversion from the strain of

LOCAL NEWS

Hon. Dr. Pugsley, who was invited to speak at the Merchants picnic on Thursday, has been unable to accept as he will be absent from the city, owing to a previous engagement.

Infants' little smoked dresses, the newest thing out, at Daniel's.

A fire, which broke out in a waste basket in the office of Mori's Limited, Dock street, yesterday afternoon was extinguished before much damage was done. The chemical engine put out the blaze.

Men's separate coats or vests. We have plenty of them at Basson's, 217 Union street.

A large number of people attended the blueberry picnic at Welsford yesterday. The City Cornet Band was in attendance and furnished a pleasing musical programme. The picnicers returned to the city about 8.30 o'clock last evening.

FASHION-CRAFT CLOTHES
Fashion-Craft are the finest tailored clothes in Canada. See our stock of new summer models from \$15 to \$25.—The Men's Toggery, 87 Charlotte street, W. E. Ward, manager.

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PASTE IN YOUR HAT.

Friend Husband May Find This Letter Helpful During Summer.

"Friend Wife:—I have done as you said and fed the canary. Also I watered the rubber plant. And emptied the pan under the ice box. Last night I went to bed early. Feeling somewhat tired and having a headache. This morning, however, I felt somewhat better. After taking a little soda and one or two other things. The weather is warm. And the work at the office is getting harder. The reason being that Jones has started on his vacation and left us short-handed. Don't you worry, though. For everything will go along all right. And I want you to stay at least till the last of August, although I can tell you it is some lonely here without you. But Great Scott, don't worry about me. For I promise you to feed the canary, water the rubber plant and empty the icebox pan. Regularly without fail. High esteem from Always the same old Bill." —P. H. Young in Providence Journal.

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At the home of A. J. Stearns in Hartland, Vt., is a large red rosebush which has been bearing roses for more than seventy years, to his knowledge. This year it had more than ninety full blown and partly-opened buds at the same time.

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LET US FACE THE FACTS.

Russia is fighting on the defensive, with Warsaw in danger. The German armies still hold their position in France and Belgium. The progress of the Allies in the Dardanelles is very slow.

It is not an indication of pessimism to make this statement. On the contrary, the sooner all the people can be brought to see the magnitude of the task and of the danger, the sooner we shall have the organization and concentration of forces which is necessary to overthrow the enemy.

MORE REVELATIONS.

Still more irregularities in the carrying out of public works under Conservative control crop up. When will this disgraceful carnival be ended? The Toronto harbor works \$6,000,000 contract furnishes the latest known instance.

MOTHERS' PENSIONS.

The state of New York has adopted the scheme of mothers' pensions. What this means is stated in simple terms by Sherman Montrose Craig in the American Review of Reviews for July.

CHARGES OF \$800,000 GRAFT ARE PROVEN, HE SAYS

Winnipeg, July 19.—At the close of today's session of the graft inquiry Mr. Wilson, counsel for the Liberals, said he would ask for a finding against certain of the ministers in connection with the case on steel contracts.

AT QUEBEC.

Quebec, the grey old city on the hill. Lies with a golden glory on her head, Dreaming through this hour, so fair, so still.

local child-welfare boards to their mothers. This will not apply, however, in cases where the family has resided less than two years in the county, or if the husband was not a citizen at the time of his death.

Several other states besides New York have adopted the mothers' pension scheme and find that it works out for the advantage of the community.

"Tell those fellows in St. John we want more of them up here," was the message a St. John soldier at Valcartier gave to a member of the Times writing staff last week.

With half a dozen vacant seats in the House of Commons at Ottawa the slow of talk next session may be somewhat reduced, but the difference will probably not be great enough to startle the country.

The coal miners of Wales, the Remington Arms Company's men at Bridgeport, Conn., and the workers at Krupp's, in Germany, are causing a good deal of uneasiness and trouble in their respective countries by strikes.

The new toy leader in Manitoba has decided to put a prohibition plank in his platform. This will not divert attention from the real issue in Manitoba, which is to get rid of the grafters who have disgraced the province.

Little about the fighting at the Dardanelles is being given out, but what is told reveals a terrific struggle in which the Allies are slowly but surely gaining.

A vigorous recruiting campaign of a week in Montreal more than filled the ranks of the 60th Battalion. The 65th still is short more than 200. Are all appeals to the young manhood of New Brunswick vain? Surely not.

Berlin and Vienna both report a series of victories along the eastern front on July 18. Russia admits the enemy's advance at several points.

Either the United States or Germany must recede from the position it has taken in respect to submarine warfare, or diplomatic relations must be severed.

"About August 1" is now said to be the time for the great British advance on the western front. Of course this is mere speculation, for the British plans are not announced in advance.

The law is based on the theory that it is better to help the mother to keep her family together than to allow the home to be broken up and some or all of its members become inmates of institutions or otherwise a burden on the community.

"That plenty of work will be discovered goes without saying, for in the metropolis about 1,800 widowed mothers and perhaps three times as many children await the ministrations of this new kind of justice.

Dr. R. M. Simpson's famous under box was opened in court today and found to contain merely a memorandum that \$20,000 in \$20 bills had been received in a package from the Imperial Bank by Dr. Simpson.

The chairman remarked during the session that, in view of Contractor Kelly's expressed determination to slay away he did not think it necessary to delay the inquiry further by waiting for him.

FOR THE WARM DAYS.

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"THE CALL."

Many a heart is torn today, Many a tear is falling; Many a lad would like to stay, But the battlefields are calling.

Why should some have it all to bear? Is a question that fits through our mind; While others who ought to be doing their share, Are taking it easy behind.

LIGHTER VEIN.

"I want an auto horn." "Yesir. Do you want something to warn 'em or something to scare 'em?"

An Illustration

"Dad, what's meant by carrying coals to Newcastle?" "It's a figure of speech, my boy. Like trying to tell something to a graduating class that they don't know."

His Birthright

"Does young Jiggby come by his erratic temperament naturally?" "Yes; his mother was a left-handed singer and his father was a left-handed pitcher."

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MORNING WAR NOTES

Secretary of State Lansing said yesterday that if the attempt to torpedo the steamer Orduna carrying American passengers is not brought to the attention of his department by some of the passengers he will issue orders for an investigation in a day or two.

The Italian cruiser Giuseppe Garibaldi was sunk on Sunday after taking part in a successful attack on Cattaro, Austria. Most of the crew were saved.

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LONG LOW BLACK SHAPES OFF MAINE COAST BELIEVED TO BE GERMAN SUBMARINES?

(New York Herald, July 18).

The suspected presence of German submarines off the Maine coast in the vicinity of Penobscot Bay, was reported to the state and navy department today by a prominent resident of the summer colony at Castine, a neighbor and friend of Professor W. H. Taft. The name of the informant is known to the Herald, but is withheld on request.

"Long, low, black shapes" that glide by in the night have been observed on three separate occasions. These ships have been hailed from shore, but failed to respond to the call.

After the passing of the ships on the following morning large islands of oil were observed in the bay. This is very unusual in Penobscot Bay and could not be accounted for, say the government's informants, by the presence of any ships in the bay.

CHATHAM PULP MILL BURNED

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NOVEL VAUDEVILLE ACT; GOOD PICTURES AT IMPERIAL THEATRE

Piccadilly Johnnies in Excellent Dancing Number—Blanche Sweet in the Warrens of Virginia Tomorrow

The Piccadilly Johnnies introduced a little novelty into the Imperial's programme yesterday with their excellent soft shoe dancing, buck and wing steps and stunts. They were dressed in keeping with their title and while the act was not a pretentious one in length or detail, it was pleasing and reasonable.

Marc MacDermott and his wife, Miriam Nabitz, working together in Edison's Dixie story, Sally Castleton, Southerner, fully maintained the place they enjoy in the moving picture world of stars. The three-part play was splendidly produced and nothing seemed to be spared to stage it both indoors and outdoors. The Animated Weekly contained pictures of the America Cup defending candidates, Vanille and her mate, in their trial races to decide which of these craft will oppose Sir Thomas Lipton's Shamrock. The pictures are always very interesting, and these proved particularly so. Comparisons of the cities of London, Paris and New York were made from aeroplanes, and there were some excellent views of British soldiers being cared for in their first quarters, a Viagens production.

Tomorrow and Thursday the Imperial will have the honor of presenting the first of its summer and fall whole-play bookings in David Belasco's production of The Warrens of Virginia, in which Blanche Sweet plays the role of Agatha Warren. This is an intense story of the civil war, is of high dramatic quality throughout and being produced by the Jesse L. Lasky corporation, is quite sure of success. In the cast with Miss Sweet are such prominent favorites as Mabel Van Buren, House Peters, Sydney Deane, Mildred Harris and others.

VAUDEVILLE AND FILMS

Programme at Lyric Opens The Week in Attractive Manner

According to the sages, a change is as good as a rest, and if this is so, the vaudeville act of Brown and Simmons at the Lyric Theatre will surely prove worth while. Although they lay no pretensions to greatness they have an entertainment that is a departure from the cut and dried singing and dancing variety and are very pleasing. As the Swedish scrubwoman Miss Simmons portrays a character in a manner that shows talent and training while her reading of Ella Wheeler Wilcox's The Price They Paid is clear and her partner, Mr. Brown, possesses a clear tenor voice that is well brought out in several favorite songs, while for the finale of the act the recent success, When It's Tally Ho in Holland, is given as a duet.

In the picture programme the American Company offers Miss Winifred Greenwood in the sentimental love drama, When a Woman Waits, an ethe Mutual Weekly adds greatly to the attractiveness of the programme in the presenting of some very interesting animated war views and scenes of topical interest. For the latter part of the week The Mexican Hermans and Billy Newton are billed.

SUCCESSFUL OPENING OF THE LAST WEEK OF THE MUSICAL COMEDY

Iszy in the Doctor's Shop Gives Plenty of Fun and There is a Well Varied Programme

"Iszy in the Doctor's Shop," which was presented in the Opera House last evening by the Empire Musical Comedy Company, pleased a large number of patrons. The play, which was interspersed with many catchy musical numbers and attractive dances, was one of the best of the clever company's presentations. Teeming with fun and amusing situations it kept the audience convulsed with laughter and was certainly well worth the price.

Iszy's facial expressions alone were enough to amuse all present and convulsed a bit. After being induced to proceed to a graveyard at midnight to steal the body of an old miser he sets out on his experiences while on the gruesome mission are amusing. The other members of the company also acquitted themselves well and contributed in making the show a success.

Dick Stead was heard in several pleasing songs and assisted by the chorus won well merited applause. The chorus was strong and their pretty costumes contributed in giving the play a pleasing variety. Their raving was excellent and won the plaudits of the appreciative audience.

This is the company's last week here and as they have arranged for three complete changes of programme they should receive good patronage.

CHAPLIN AT UNIQUE

He and Mabel Normand in Great Funmaker—Good Pictures

A combination of the more talented stars in the picture world exploiting comedy and playing in one of the most brilliant farces of the season results in At the Wheel, now being presented at the Unique Theatre being listed as one of the most amusing films seen for many a day. Chaplin is, of course, the star player and has as close seconds Mabel Normand, Glen Cavell and the famous comedy producer, Mack Sennet. The farce is centered around a big automobile meet in San Francisco, and pictures the adventures of Chaplin and Mabel in an effort to make their runaway the winner.

The two acts are crowded with situations that command the most blasé to sit up and take notice and if one person left the theatre yesterday without giving vent to one of the heartiest laughs of their life time their sense of humor needs sharpening. As usual, Chaplin's eccentric acting brought forth round after round of applause and laughter, while the excellent support that he has in this farce enhances the amusing qualities of the production greatly. At the Wheel should not be missed, especially by those who enjoy good clean fun.

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The military authorities before the meeting, the Basel advices say, warned both sides that unless an immediate arrangement was reached drastic measures would be employed.

The Krupp officials are understood to have granted a portion of the demand of the employees which has brought about a temporary peace, but the workmen still appear to be unsatisfied and many have left the works. A strike would greatly affect the supply of munitions and for this reason the military has adopted rigorous precautions.

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RECENT DEATHS

Charles M. Newcombe, for many years first pilot on the steamship Calvin Austin of the St. John to Boston route of the Eastern Steamship Corporation, died at his residence, 270 Tower street, West St. John yesterday. He was only thirty-nine years of age, and will be mourned by a large circle of friends. He was a native of the city and is survived by one brother Frederick, and four sisters, Mrs. Joseph Walker, Frederick, and the Misses Mildred (Boston), Gertrude and Emma, at home. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

Joseph L. Prince, a life long resident of Lower Norton, died July 18, aged 84 years. He is survived by his widow, six sons and five daughters. The sons are Alexander, Fred D., William G., Charles A., David H. of Norton; Gilbert D., of French Lake, Sunbury county. The daughters are Mrs. F. Comman, of St. John; Mrs. Donald White, of Boston; Mrs. John Danher, Mrs. Walter Hildiet, of St. John.

His wife was formerly Miss McKinnon. He left two sisters and one brother, Miss Lavina Prince and Mrs. William Robinson, of Kingston, and Adino Prince, of New Brunswick. Funeral at Kingston. Rev. Mr. Lawrence was the officiating clergyman.

Mrs. George H. Wheelley died at her home in Salem, Mass., recently. She was a native of St. John. Besides her husband she is survived by seven sons and three daughters. She was a member of the Women's Christian Temperance Association and was well known and respected.

Clyde Robinson, a former resident

Fall of Warsaw is Expected

London, July 19, 11.25 p. m.—Can Warsaw be held, with the German field marshals, Von Hindenburg on the north and Von Mackensen on the south, whipping forward the two ends of a great arc around the city? It is realized in England that Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief of the Russian armies, has the most severe task imposed on him since the outbreak of the European war, and the military writers of some of the London papers seem to think that the task is well-nigh impossible.

There was sustained confidence that Germany's previous violent attacks along the Russo-Polish front would never pierce the Russian line, but the present gigantic co-ordinate movement was developed with such suddenness and carried so far without meeting serious Russian resistance that more and more the British press is discounting the fall of the Polish capital, and, while not giving up all hope of its retention, is printing out the enormous difficulty the Russian armies have labored under from the start by the existence of such a salient.

Having been unable to straighten out their line by an advance through East Prussia, in the north, and Galicia in the south, the Russians have perpetually faced the pincers of the Austro-Germans, and if these can now be sufficiently tightened Warsaw must go, and with it the entire line.

As was the case on Saturday, when the Austro-Germans recorded the success of their offensive in the east, no official communication from either Berlin or Vienna reached the London newspapers today. Saturday's communication was released Sunday for publication, and up to nearly midnight tonight no new communication has come to hand. In the absence of additional official information from Petrograd there is nothing to throw fresh light on the eastern front, but the Austro-German advance could hardly so soon have lost its momentum.

According to the latest accounts the Austro-German forces, advancing from Przasnysz, were within forty miles of Warsaw; while to the south Von Mackensen's centre was, at certain points, within ten miles of the Lublin-Chelem railroad.

Paris, July 19, via London.—The following official statement was issued by the French war office tonight: "In Artois there was a violent cannonade near Souchez, but no infantry attack. Sixty shells were thrown into Arras.

"In the Argonne fighting with bombs and petards took place. "On the heights of the Meuse the Germans this afternoon delivered two strong attacks against our positions on the right ridge south of Souvaux, which were completely repulsed. The enemy then bombarded our trenches and with weak effectives delivered a series of minor attacks, which we repulsed. The German losses were considerable.

"Quite prevailed on the rest of the front. "One of our aeroplanes pursued and brought down by machine gun fire an enemy aeroplane, which fell in flames within the German lines near Soissons. Our artillery completed its destruction."

HOW MAJOR McCUAIG WON HIS HONORS

Montreal Highlanders' Heroic Stand Against Great Odds

CAPTAIN ROSS TELLS TALE

Fight at St. Julien, a Small Body of Killies Held German Furies at Bay For Three Days

(Montreal Journal of Commerce) The following letter from the pen of Captain J. G. Ross has just been received by the Editor of The Journal of Commerce. In it Captain Ross tells of the heroic part played by Major McCuaig in the fighting at St. Julien. It is one of the clearest and best written letters received dealing with the historic battle. Captain Ross enclosed a clipping from an English paper announcing the award to Major McCuaig and writes as follows:

The Empress Hotel, Vincent Square, London, July 2nd, 1915. Dear Jack—They enclosed clipping doesn't give much of an idea of what Major McCuaig really did to win the D. S. O. So few are left who were in the corner with him that we won't get all the details till the war is over and the major is home if he can be persuaded to tell them even then.

We took over a section of trench on a Tuesday night from the 14th Battalion, who had relieved French troops five days previously. For some time this part of the line, the left of the British section, had been rather quiet. The parapets were not very good being built on the 14th had relined with an extra layer of sand bags. No. 1 Company under Major McCuaig and Captain Whitehead held the left of the line, which extended 40 yards on the left of a road which was 100 yards in advance of the rest of the line, to which it was connected by a shallow communication trench. The centre was held by No. 2 company under Major Jamison and Captain Perry and the right of the line by No. 3 Company under Captain Clark Kennedy and Lieut. Lindsay, 800 yards in rear of No. 1 Company. We were the supports, part of No. 8 Company under Capt. Drummond. Major Nonworthy who had command of the firing line, had his headquarters here. A couple of miles in the rear were the reserves the balance of No. 8 Company, under Major Buchanan and Capt. Morrissey at Battalion Headquarters. Here were also the reserves of the neighboring battalion of the brigade under Col. Loomis.

Wednesday morning the Turcos on the left "got the wind up," that is answered a fairly sharp rifle fire from the enemy and in the afternoon a heavy bombardment of their trenches was carried on. About 5 p. m. a heavy yellowish green cloud of gas rolled across the trenching 100 yards from the enemy trenches into our allies. The suffocating effect of this following the heavy shelling caused the Turcos to fall back. It is a usual proceeding of the French to retire from an attack and then retake the trench by a sharp counter-attack. Many of the Turcos retired into our lines, dying from suffocation before they got any distance.

One platoon of No. 1 Company made a counter-attack and retook part of the French trench. Such a length of the trench had been vacated and the parapet so badly demolished by shell fire that at dusk Major McCuaig drew this platoon back and lined the road to protect the left flank. Captain Walker and Lieut. Pittblado and Greenhields were on the road while Capt. Whitehead had command of the trench. Reinforcements under Lt. Worthington, consisting of one platoon of No. 2 Company and half a platoon of No. 4 Company also took up a position on the road.

After the enemy broke through they surrounded our supports and cut off our communication, so that with the fall of Major Nonworthy the line was in charge of the company commander. During the night the enemy dug in

parallel to the road, and about 200 yards distant on sloping ground. They threw flares continuously and a heavy rifle fire was kept up by both sides. Machine guns under Sgt. Trainor and Lance-Corporal Parks kept the bombing parties at a distance.

Two Turco machine gun crews had retired into our lines. I brought these and another gun under Lance-Corporal Morrison out to reinforce the road. The men along the road were falling fast, as they had only what shelter they could dig with their entrenching tools.

Every time we went along the road the gaps were bigger, but as Major McCuaig had sent several pairs of messengers to headquarters, he determined to hold on, as supports were sure to come up. We didn't know till next day that the enemy had us surrounded on three sides, and all our messengers were either killed or captured.

Once in going the rounds of the machine guns with Pte. Wrenchel, I came across the three lieutenants and Sgt. Major Ableton in a Jack Johnson hole discussing the situation. Each had a cigarette, but didn't dare to strike a light. Luckily my pipe was going, so they were able to enjoy a smoke.

The other companies sent up spare ammunition, but as it came near morning, Major McCuaig decided there were not enough men left to hold the road and he would move back the remainder into the trench.

Capt. Whitehead had about 80 Turcos in the trench, and had been continually moving the wounded back to the other companies, who passed them on to the 10th Battalion on the right.

When we thought we had all the wounded back and were ready to make the move, two more wounded Turcos were discovered in a dugout. Major McCuaig got half a dozen other Turcos to reinforce these. It was now breaking day, and we had no time to lose. To cover the change of position, Corporal McFarlane, with a dozen men and Sgt. Trainor with a machine gun, kept up a fire from a sand bag breastwork. Just as this rearguard were ready to move back a lad was struck in the arm. McFarlane held my flashlight while I cut his sleeve and bandaged the wound. We got back in good order, just in time to meet our long-looked-for supports. Major Buchanan and Capt. Smith, with part of No. 3 Company, and a company of the Buffs under Capt. Tomlinson and two lieutenants. By tearing down the dugouts and turning the parapet into parapets we managed to hold on another day, but with heavy losses along the whole front shelling, bombs and rifle fire from three sides. The trenches were badly enfiladed from the new enemy trenches on the left flank. The enemy tried two attacks, but didn't get far past their parapets.

In the afternoon Corp. Campbell got along the line with an order to take up a new position and dig in to connect with a new line being formed by reinforcements. After dark this movement was carried out in good order. The rear guard was composed of part of a platoon under Lieut. Greenhields, and the machine guns. Major McCuaig and Capt. Tomlinson also stayed with us and saw that the wounded were taken back.

By daylight we were dug in and had our first meal, bread and cheese, but no water since the action commenced. Some of the men even slept under the heavy shelling and the cloud of gas that rolled over from the right flank.

The last that was seen of Major McCuaig was in the next movement following his company to reserve trenches. He was then unaccounted for, so we were all very much relieved when we got word he was wounded and a prisoner.

The leg is making good progress, but I have settled down here for the next few months. Our fellows are now getting leave, two at a time, eight days each. We are glad to see them and get the news.

How's This?

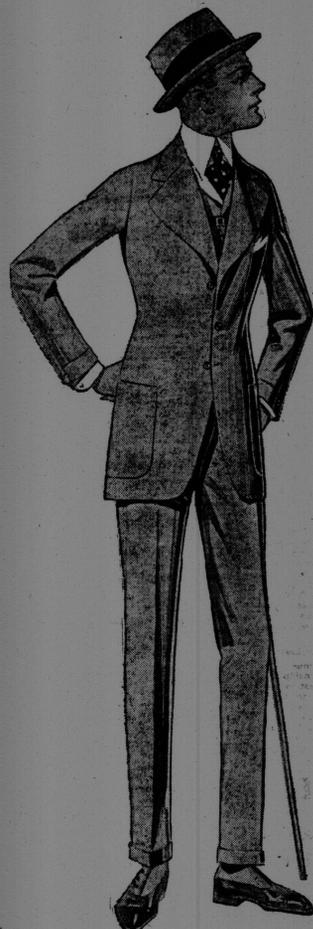
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Table listing men's light weight overcoats with prices and reductions. Items include \$10.00 Overcoats, 15.00 Overcoats, etc.

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Table listing boys' sailor and Russian suits with prices and reductions. Items include \$3.75 Suits, 6.00 Suits, etc.

LADIES' FANCY COATS.

Table listing ladies' fancy coats with prices and reductions. Items include Regular \$11.50 Coats, Regular 20.00 Coats, etc.

CHILDREN'S REEFERS (2 1/2 TO 10 YEARS.)

Table listing children's reefers with prices and reductions. Items include Navy Serge, Shepherd Check and Fancy Tweeds, \$ 3.50 Coats, etc.

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Table listing boys' washable suits with prices and reductions. Items include Styles are Oliver Twist, French Blouse, Middy and Vestee in White and Fancy Colors. \$.75 Suits, 1.50 Suits, etc.

LADIES' SUITS.

Table listing ladies' suits with prices and reductions. Items include Regular sizes and special sizes for stout figures. Materials Blue and Black Poplin, Serge and Fancy Weaves. \$28.00 Suits, 30.65 Suits, etc.

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TWO PROBATE MATTERS
 Mrs. Harriet McGuire, of this city, has been granted administration of the estate of Mary Jane Warnick, who died in Favers, Mass., in August, 1911, leaving her husband, since deceased, and her sister, Mrs. Harriet McGuire, and a nephew and niece who reside in Boston. The administration was granted to enable Mrs. McGuire to collect a small sum standing in her sister's name in the savings bank here. Mr. Warnick, not having reduced the same into his possession, nor administered thereon. Daniel Mullin, K.C., is proctor.
 Probate of the will of Harry H. Brittain, late of this city, solicitor, was granted to the executors named in the will, Mrs. H. H. Brittain and Jack H. A. L. Fairweather. The estate consists of personality and life insurance. Apart from that payable to his widow—valued at \$12,000. The proctor is J. Roy Campbell, K. C.

FREDERICKTON SOLDIER
WRITES OF HORRORS OF GERMAN SHELL FIRE
 Interesting Letter Tells of Capture of Walter Burden

THE WONDERFUL TRENCHES
 Streets Underground Like Chinese Puzzles—Local Men, Recovered, Going Back to Front—Colonel Guthrie Improving

Private Bert Burden, son of Weldon Burden, of Fredericton, who is serving in France with the French artillery, in a recent letter to a friend, says of his brother, Private Walter Burden, now prisoner of war:
 "He is very fortunate to be alive at all, for he took part in the fighting that for two or three days was very fierce, and in some cases wounded men were left where they were or killed to end their suffering. Fortunately, the opposing troops were apparently not Prussians, else there would have been no prisoners."
 In writing of the trenches and shells used by the Germans, he says:
 "Since then we have been in some amazing trenches, they were simply splendid, and to one going into them the first time they were just like Chinese puzzles, so complicated they were. More than once I got lost tracing telephone wires. In the last ones in the same district it was quite possible to take a wrong turning and get into the German lines. They were wonderful trenches, their only drawback being the fact that they were so complicated.
 "Then, too, there was always shelling, and sometimes it was pretty warm. The Germans don't shell steadily, they do it fitfully, and they use big shells which do not respect anybody. Our last day was the worst. Our telephone station was in a fortified house, which has been pretty well smashed up. Our artillery was giving them fits and theirs was entertaining us, with exhibitions given by 'coal boxes' and 'whiz bangs'. The former are big long distance shells, and come with a sound like that of drawing your breath with a whistling sound. This develops into a moaning whistle, and if it is coming close to you, it takes on a hollow screaming whistle. Upon exploding an immense cloud of black dust is sent up mingled with scraps of whatever the shell has struck.
 "The 'whiz-bangs' are small shells, 'g' shells which come like bullets. Just a high squeal, a bang and it is all over. When they strike the ground they make a hole about three or four feet across and two or three feet deep. A 'Jack Johnson' sounds like a street car, and makes a tremendous hole. I saw one hole made by a 'J.' which was sixty-six feet across and five feet deep. Some class to that. The shell itself stands over five feet in height, is seventeen inches in diameter, and weighs close to a ton and a half. Wouldn't it be nice to meet on a dark night if you were alone. I am afraid that the next time I hear a street car I will run through the nearest cellar window. A riveting machine would send me in a wild scramble for the gutter, for it sounds just like a machine gun."
 Back to Front
 Private Arden Hall, of Fredericton, who was recently in a convalescent hospital at Liverpool, and who is about to leave for the front again on Monday, speaks in one of his letters of meeting Archie and Arnold Sunkard at the hospital. They were getting better rapidly and expected to leave for the front as soon as possible.
 Col. Guthrie
 "I still continue to improve," is the cheering news received Saturday by Mrs. E. A. Guthrie from her husband, Lieutenant Col. Guthrie, who is in the Canadian hospital at La Toquet, France.
 "I am able to sit up now, and in two or three weeks will be able to sit up alone. I am being taken out each day on a stretcher to get the air. On Dominion Day I witnessed a baseball game, propped up on pillows. Capt. Costigan and Capt. Arthur, who were with me in the 10th Battalion, are about all well and will be able to leave the hospital soon. I will be glad when I am able to hit the trenches again. The old man is coming back sometime soon with a stiff leg and a few more grey hairs."
 Hon. D. C. Fraser's Son
 Lieutenant Alistair Fraser, of Moose Jaw, son of the late Hon. D. C. Fraser, is named in a recent casualty list as among the Canadians wounded at the front. Fortunately, Lieutenant Fraser reported as "slightly wounded" only. He enlisted in Moose Jaw, where he had been practising law, and is attached to the 18th Battalion.
 Four Sons Enlisted
 The Amherst News says: William Reese of Mill street has been confined to his house through illness since last September. He has had an abscess in his ankle and will probably have to go to the hospital at Halifax for treatment. Mr. Reese sent three sons to the front, two of whom are now in hospitals in Great Britain recovering from wounds which they received on the firing line last April. A third son is still in active service in France and a fourth son, Walter, is now at Valcartier with the 40th Regiment.
 Recruiting for the 40th.
 (Amherst News)
 Chatting with Major Fuller the News was informed that there had been a decided revival in recruiting during the past few days. Ten men from different sections of Cumberland had come forward and enlisted and will be sent to Valcartier to join the 40th Regiment. This regiment has been reported to be four hundred strong, but in justice to the province of Nova Scotia, it may be pointed out that the 40th, which is essentially a Nova Scotian regiment, was up to its full strength a month ago, and that two hundred and fifty were drawn from its ranks to supply other regiments which had a shortage, and later another draft was made on the 40th to supply further shortages in regiments that were going to the front. Once it was known in this province that the 40th required further recruits, men at once began to come forward to fill the vacancies. Ten men recruited in Amherst during the past few days are a good showing.

BACK IN TRENCHES AFTER ELEVEN WEEKS
 George Curran Writes of One of the Unpleasant Features of the War

The stench of decomposing bodies of horses and men lying in the open fields is very bad, writes George Curran to his sister, in a letter received yesterday. It was almost unbearable, but there was no escape from it. The heat in which the soldiers were sweating intensified the trouble, and the greatest relief one could get was to smoke, smoke, smoke, so long as the smokes lasted, to overwhelm the persistent odor from the fields.
 Young Curran was in hospital for eleven weeks, but is now back in the trenches. In spite of his unpleasant environment, he says he is feeling fine. In his letter he gives interesting incidents of a day's work as chief detective in a sham battle practicing for the enemy. It was a common thing to see them at the rear of the line snatching and "re-remind me of big roosters making repeated nips at one another, then backing away to strike again."

Wm. C. Wickham a Former Inspector of Mounted Police

William C. Wickham, an ex-inspector of the North West Mounted Police, was this morning sworn in as chief detective for St. John, succeeding Detective Worrell, who recently tendered his resignation to Chief Simpson.
 Mr. Wickham is a native of Kincairdine, Ont., and has been engaged in police work for some years. He was formerly magistrate in Nelson, B. C. He will enter upon his new duties immediately, so as to be available in the working of the department by the end of the month, when Detective Worrell's time is up.

PRESENTATIONS ON DEPARTURE FOR FRONT

A very pleasant gathering took place at the home of Frank H. Ledford, 274 Prince William street, last evening, for the purpose of bidding him farewell on his departure in active service with the Heavy Battery of Artillery now in formation in this city. The dredging inspectors at Courtenay Bay to the staff of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and to him a handsome wrist watch and their best wishes for his safe return. He also received a letter from his mother, Mrs. Ledford, received a pipe. Both recipients thanked the donors and said they would try to do their best for Canada and the empire. The evening was very enjoyable and singing and speeches were part of the program. Mr. Wm. Cannon, Miss Danery, C. Ledford, Mrs. T. C. Nickerson, The National Anthem closed the evening.

MISS MAE A MULLIN AND LEONARD QUINLAN WED

A wedding of interest took place in St. Peter's church at 7:30 o'clock this evening when Rev. Charles McFarlane, C. S. R., united in marriage Miss Mae Augusta Mullin, daughter of Mrs. Mary A. Mullin, and Leonard Quinlan, son of an officer on the government steamer Aberdeen. The ceremony was performed in a private parlour, presided over by Rev. J. O'Hare, C. S. R., assisted by Rev. Joseph Borgmann, C. S. R., as deacon, Rev. J. McPherson, C. S. R., as sub-deacon. The bride was given away by her mother and was costumed in a beautiful dress of yellow silk with shadow lace trimmings and large lagoon hat trimmed with black lace and yellow roses and carried a bridal bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her sister Miss Evelyn, who wore a very pretty dress of pink crepe de chine, with lagoon hat trimmed with pink roses and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The groom was supported by George Creary.
 Following the ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of the bride's mother in Harrison street, where a dainty wedding breakfast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Quinlan left by automobile for a trip to points of interest in New Brunswick. They will also spend a few days in London, and turning they will reside at 277 Charlotte street.
 The popular young people were the recipients of a large number of magnificent presents in cut glass, silver, china and furniture. Among them were a set of hand painted china, from Mr. Frings Skinner, with whom the bride was employed and also a very pretty parlor table from her fellow employees, a large leather couch, a beautiful parlor mirror and a sewing machine from the aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Fitzpatrick, and a set of china from the officers and men on the government steamer Lansdowne on which the groom was formerly employed.
 The groom's present to the bride was a piano, and the bridesmaid a pearl ring and to the best man a set of gold cuff links.

DR. ROSS MILLAR GOES

Dr. Ross Millar left Amherst yesterday for England to join the Royal Army Medical Corps at the front. Dr. Millar was universally popular in Amherst, and was entertained on last Thursday night at a banquet at the Terrace Hotel, which is said to have been one of the most enjoyable ever held in the town.
 INTERMEDIATE LEAGUE
 In the Intermediate League last evening the Giants defeated the Beavers, a five inning game, 5 to 3. The batters were:—For the winners, Fishwick and Ryan; for the Beavers, Appleby and Stewart.
 WILL CLOSE MARKET
 Commissioner McLellan has granted the petition of the merchants in the market and the building will be closed at 12 o'clock on Thursday in order to give those there an opportunity of attending the Merchants' picnic.

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 Store open at 8 a.m., Close at 6 p.m.; Open every Friday Night till 10 p.m.; Close Saturday at 1 o'clock.
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 We have decided to put on sale a line of Natural Linen, stamped for needlework. All are our regular best qualities, in Centre Pieces, Pillow Covers, Table Runners. A few stamped for work on Colored Repp; also Linen Pin Cushion Covers, 4 by 10 inches. Fifteen Cents Each for any one of these choice Linen Stamped Pieces.
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