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CHURCHILL RESIGNS FROM CABINET; ITALY TO HELP IN BALKANS "IN MANNER WORTHY OF HER GREATNESS"

FAMOUS OLD SWORD FOR COLONEL G. W. FOWLER

Stirring Scene in St. Andrew's Rink When Major Percy Guthrie Makes Presentation to Popular Colonel of Our Crack Battalion.

The memories associated with the old New Brunswick 104th Regiment were renewed and placed stronger than ever on the hearts and minds of the people of this Loyalist city last evening when Colonel George W. Fowler, M. P., was presented with the sword, which was carried through the campaign of 1812 by an officer of the famous regiment.

Fully thirty-five hundred people were present in St. Andrew's rink and witnessed the presentation, which was made by Major Percy Guthrie, who is recovering from wounds received in the present great conflict. When Major Guthrie was called upon to make the presentation the building rang with applause and the cheering was prolonged when he called Colonel Fowler to the front of the stage. The speech of the returned hero was full of vim and he brought to mind the deeds of the Loyalists of the province, who one hundred years ago had taken part in that famous mid-winter march from Fredericton to Quebec.

H.R.H. REVIEWS B.C. REGIMENT AT OTTAWA

47th Battalion from West Inspected by Gov. General, Premier, Sir Sam and Other Cabinet Members.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Nov. 12.—The 47th Battalion, of British Columbia, another fine regiment for overseas service, arrived here this afternoon and was reviewed on Parliament Hill by His Royal Highness, the Duke of Cornwall, accompanied by General Sir Sam Hughes, Sir Robert Borden and some of the other cabinet ministers.

COL. ELLIOTT NEW MASTER GENERAL OF ORDNANCE

Succeeds Gen. Benson, Who Has Now Been Appointed to Col. Rutherford's Place in Halifax.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Nov. 12.—Col. H. M. Elliott, who was in command of the 6th Cavalry in Manitoba all summer, will arrive here shortly to take over the duties of master general of ordnance in succession to General Benson who has been appointed officer commanding the 6th Division, with headquarters at Halifax. Col. Rutherford, the officer

sent were moved by the references to the men of brawn, who made it possible for the people of the present generation to have the liberties they enjoy. The rink was draped with flags and the large platform was a blaze of color. At the front was stretched the colors of the old 104th Regiment and alongside was a new flag of similar design with an inscription asking men to help emblazon some German names on it. This part of the decoration was the cause of much favorable comment and many of those at the meeting remained afterward and carefully examined the tattered banner.

NO VIOLATION OF MEXICO'S NEUTRALITY

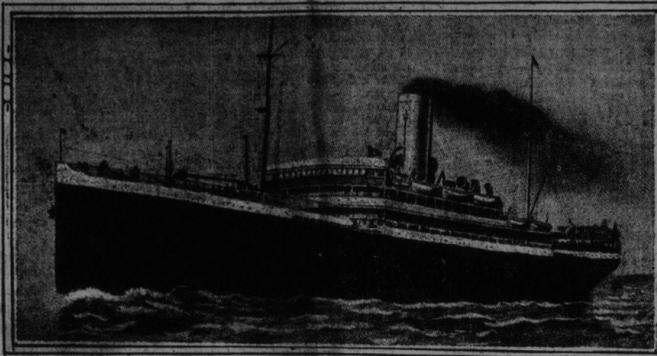
Search of American Steamer Zealandia by British Took Place Three-quarters of Mile Outside Mexican Waters.

Washington, Nov. 12.—An explanation of the recent search of the American steamship Zealandia by British sailors off Progresso, Mexico, was made at the State Department today by Charge Barclay of the British embassy who said the vessel was on the high seas at the time, and not in Mexican territorial waters, as had been alleged.

MONTREAL FIGHTER GIVEN DECISION

Halifax, Nov. 12.—Johnny Lore, of Montreal, was given the decision over Johnny Mello, of Gloucester, at the end of a 15-round bout at the Arena tonight.

ITALIAN STEAMSHIP SUNK BY AUSTRIAN SUBMARINE



The steamship Ancona, pictured above, sailing under the Italian flag, was sunk by an Austrian submarine on her way to Naples. When the Ancona sailed from New York there were on board a large number of Italian reservists and more than four hundred passengers. About two hundred and seventy survivors, many of them wounded, have been landed near Bizerta, Italy.

LANDING OF ADDITIONAL LARGE FORCES AT SALONIKI ALARMS BULGARIA AND TURKEY

Greek Government Again Importuned by Central Powers to Stop Landing of Allied Troops — Fierce Battles Raging in South of Serbia — Germans Driven Back in East From Riga and Dvinsk While Russians Have Taken 30,000 Captives in Past Five Weeks.

London, Nov. 12.—The continued landing of British and French troops at Saloniki is causing some uneasiness to Bulgaria and Turkey and the ministers of those two powers today again protested to the Greek government, which took formal notice of their protest.

The determination of the Entente Allies in their Balkan campaign is shown by the large force they are sending to the Balkans, and news was received from Rome today that Italy also had decided to intervene in this region, "in a manner worthy of her greatness," and to give sufficient support to the British and French to assure a complete triumph. This is said to have had some influence on Greece and Roumania, Roumania, however, is waiting for the developments of the Russian plans.

Germans Again Failed in Their Drives at Riga and Dvinsk

Outside the Balkans the most important theatre of operations is now along the eastern front. In the north the Germans, apparently have abandoned any hope of reaching Riga and Dvinsk, at least until the ground freezes, and are falling back, or are being driven back from Dvinsk, which was their objective. The Russians in the Riga region are attempting an outflanking movement, and their recent successes have brought them within striking distance of the Tukum-Mitau railway, which connects the German fighting front with the fortress of Windau. The Germans are also falling back before Dvinsk, as the result of the Russian offensive near Lake Sauntovno, while in the south General Ivanoff has continued to harass the invaders by repeated thrusts, which during the past five weeks, according to Petrograd despatches, have brought him nearly 30,000 prisoners. In the most recent of these thrusts near Rudka, the bag totalled 6,000, many of whom were Germans.

The Italians keep up their offensive on both the Trentino and Isonzo fronts, and are making another effort to take Gorizia, which has withstood them for so long. On the western front heavy artillery bombardments are again taking place in various parts, but with the present rain soaked condition of the ground this can hardly forestall another offensive. Petrograd, via London, Nov. 12.—The following official communication was issued today: "In the region of Shlik our troops have advanced to the west of Raggat,

presence of Anglo-French troops in Greek Macedonia, as not being in accordance with Greek neutrality," says the Overseas News Agency.

Bulgaria and Greece in Secret Understanding?

Belief in Italy that there is an Agreement Concerning Serbia, Macedonia and Albania

Rome, via Paris, Nov. 12.—The Albanian question is becoming more acute hourly, the belief being expressed in diplomatic quarters that a secret agreement exists between Bulgaria and Greece concerning Serbia, Macedonia and Albania. According to this reported agreement the southern part of Albania would go to Greece and the northern part to Bulgaria, the latter country thus realizing its traditional dream of being bathed by three seas—the Black Sea, the Aegean and the Adriatic.

The conviction is held by many that Italy must participate in the Balkan contest in order to safeguard her most vital interests, represented by the supremacy of the Adriatic and the possession of Aviona. The question now to be settled is that of adequate military and political means to protect these interests in such manner as to be sure of success, and also to avoid delay which might render action too late.

SAW SIX CANADIAN SOLDIERS CRUCIFIED

Returned Officer of Grenadier Guards, Montreal, Confirms Stories of Hun Barbarism.

Pembroke, Ont., Nov. 12.—The town of Pembroke was in the throes of patriotic enthusiasm today, when the campaign to raise \$50,000 for the Canadian Patriotic and Red Cross Funds, which is to begin Monday next, was inaugurated. There was a motley parade of school children in the afternoon, and tonight there was a big patriotic rally, at which Hon. W. T. White, minister of finance, was the principal speaker.

Hon. Mr. White stated that he believed Canada's call for another 100,000 men would be quickly answered, and dwelt upon the needs of the patriotic and Red Cross funds, whose requirements he explained. He paid a

CHURCHILL OFFERS HIS SERVICES AT THE FRONT

Ex-First Lord of Admiralty "Could Not Accept Position of General Responsibility in a War Policy Without Effective Share in its Control"—Has Clear Conscience and Knows Time Will Vindicate His Administration of the Admiralty.

London, Nov. 13.—Winston Spencer Churchill, chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster, has resigned from the cabinet, his resignation came as a surprise, as with the retirement of Sir Edward Carson, attorney-general, it was thought that all cabinet differences had been composed, and that the remaining members were contented with the arrangements made for the formation of a small committee to control the war. It appears, however, from Mr. Churchill's letter of resignation to Premier Asquith that the former previously had been offered a place on the committee, an offer which the premier was compelled to withdraw when the time came to select the members of it.

Mr. Churchill was current for some time that Mr. Churchill would resign his seat in the cabinet and go out on active service at the front. He is a major in the Oxford Yeomanry. Mr. Churchill was serving as first lord of the admiralty when the war began and filled that office until the formation of the coalition cabinet last May. He took the position of chancellor of the duchy of Lancaster in the cabinet, Arthur J. Balfour being made first lord of the admiralty.

Mr. Churchill, in his letter of resignation, explains that he agrees in the formation of a small war council, and appreciates the intention which Premier Asquith expressed to include him among its members. He foresaw the difficulties that the premier would have to face in its composition, he states, and he makes no complaint because the scheme was changed, but with that change his work in the government naturally closed. He says he could not accept a position of general responsibility for a war policy without any effective share in its guidance and control, and did not feel able, in times like these, to remain in well-paid inactivity.

The following letters have passed between Premier Asquith and Mr. Churchill: "When I left the admiralty, five months ago, I accepted an office of few duties, at your request, to take part in the work of the war council and assist the new ministers with the knowledge of current operations which I then possessed in a special degree. The counsels which I offered are upon record in the minutes of the committee of imperial defence and in memoranda I circulated to the cabinet, and I draw your attention at the present time to these.

Unwilling to Draw Salary For Nothing

"I am in cordial accord with the decision to form a small war council. I appreciated the intention you expressed to me six weeks ago to include me among its members. I foresaw then the personal difficulties which you

touching tribute to the late Nurse Cavell, and said he approved Sir Richard McBride's suggestion that the highest peak in the Rockies be named Mount Cavell.

Corporal Thomas, of the Grenadier Guards, Montreal, who was wounded ten times at Langemarck, and who is here with officers of his regiment on a recruiting expedition, said he saw six Canadians crucified. "The boys swore after that they would not take a German prisoner, and they have not," the corporal declared.

BARRED FROM CANADA

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, Nov. 12.—The postmaster general has refused the right of transmission through the mails to a book entitled "The King, the Kaiser and Irish Freedom." Circulation of the book in any way is prohibited in Canada.



WINSTON SPENCER CHURCHILL

would have to face in its composition. "I make no complaint, that your scheme should have been changed. My work in the government comes naturally to a close. Knowing what I do about the present situation and being an instrument in the executive power, I could not accept a position of general responsibility in a war policy without an effective share in its guidance and control. . . . Nor do I feel, in times like these, able to remain in well-paid inactivity.

"I ask you to submit my resignation to the King. I am an officer, and I place myself unreservedly at the disposal of the military authorities observing that my regiment is at the front.

"I have a clear conscience, which enables me to bear my responsibility for past events with composure. Time will vindicate my administration of the admiralty, and assign to me my due share in the vast series of preparations and operations which secured us command of the seas.

"With much respect and unaltered personal friendship I bid you good bye.

(Signed) WINSTON SPENCER CHURCHILL.

Premier Asquith replied to Mr. Churchill as follows: "I had hoped you would reconsider your decision, and regret to learn, from your letter that you have not felt able to do so. You have rendered services both in the council and the administration which no one is better able to appreciate than myself, with regard to the conduct and direction of the war, and I am sincerely grieved that you should think it your duty to leave the cabinet."

"I am certain you will continue to take an active and effective part in the prosecution of the war. On personal grounds I feel acutely the severance of our long association.

(Signed) "ASQUITH."

MR. SUMNER TAKES AN OFFICIAL OF THE WAR OFFICE TO TASK

London, Nov. 12. (Montreal Gazette Cable)—Agent-General Sumner, of New Brunswick, recently applied to the war office for a passport for a New Brunswick lady, desiring to cross to France. Asked by the official who would guarantee the lady, Mr. Sumner replied that he himself did. The officer replied that he was not sure that Mr. Sumner's guarantee was acceptable, but the agent-general insisted and got the passport, at the same time telling the war office official that he should show greater respect to an official more highly placed than himself.

3rd AND 4th MOUNTED RIFLES IN ACTION

TWENTY-SIXTH HAS FIVE IN CASUALTIES

Lance Corporal Fellow of St. John Reported Slightly Wounded—Wm. Reed of Cape Tormentine, N. B., Also in the List.

- Twentieth Battalion.**
Wounded—Corporal Reginald Hines, Bracebridge, Ont.
 - Twenty-second Battalion.**
Wounded—J. E. Sparrow, Hull, Que.
 - Twenty-sixth Battalion.**
Wounded—Daniel L. McBeth, Iris, Queens Co., P. E. I.; Wm. Reid, Cape Tormentine, N. B.; James McNiven, Scotland.
 - Twenty-seventh Battalion.**
Wounded—John Cummings, Scotland.
 - Twenty-eighth Battalion.**
Wounded—Herbert Slater, England.
 - Thirty-first Battalion.**
Wounded—Sergt. Percy Hutchings, England.
 - Forty-sixth Battalion.**
Died—Charles Marshall, England.
 - Forty-ninth Battalion.**
Died of Wounds—Hubert V. Goodland, England.
 - Third Canadian Mounted Rifles.**
Wounded—Harry M. Milton, England; Corporal John Hadenhead, Scotland.
 - Fourth Regiment Canadian Mounted Rifles.**
Wounded—Corporal Fred Rapley, England.
 - Cavalry Depot.**
Seriously ill—Alfred Joseph Donovan, Regina, Sask.
 - Third Field Company, Canadian Engineers.**
Wounded—Sapper David O. Richards, England; Sapper John Ross, Calgary.
 - Fourth Field Company Engineers.**
Slightly wounded—Corporal Wm. Alexander Linklater, Hamilton, Ont.
 - Fifth Field Company Divisional Engineers.**
Wounded—Sapper Pierre L'Heureux, St. Roch, Que.
 - Training Depot Engineers.**
Wounded—Sapper Norman Clair Sutherland, Amherst, N. S.
 - Number Two Canadian Field Ambulance.**
Died—A. E. Lawton, England.
- NEW BATTALION OF FARMER AMERICANS FILLING UP RAPIDLY**
Nearly 400 Men Already Enlisted and Twelve of the Officers Have Been Chosen.
- Toronto, Nov. 12.—Already twelve of the officers for the battalion of American born citizens of Canada have arrived in the city, and it is expected that the others will be here by Monday. There are now over 200 men enlisted at Calgary, and 160 in Ontario. A recruiting campaign will commence in December. The officers who are now here are: Major A. B. Clarke, formerly of New York, commanding officer; Captain W. L. Good, formerly of Massachusetts, adjutant; Captain M. W. Hutt, formerly of Chicago, medical officer; Rev. Mr. Bullock, formerly of Connecticut, chaplain, and Lieut. F. C. Prince, formerly of Chicago; F. M. P. Potts, formerly of Washington, D. C.; I. W. Heaton, formerly of Philadelphia; A. R. and W. B. Minard, formerly of Massachusetts, and Lieut. G. Cummins.
- NEW ST. JOHN FIRM.**
Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, Nov. 12.—Amongst new companies incorporated this week is Cleveland Limited, a St. John concern with a capital of \$40,000.

PRESS APPROVES BONAR LAW'S APPOINTMENT

Opportune in View of What the Overseas Dominions are Doing in the War.

London, Nov. 12, (Gazette Cable)—The appointment of Bonar Law to the newly formed war committee of the cabinet is warmly welcomed by the Times, the Westminster Gazette, and many provincial papers, all recognizing that the appointment is opportune in view of what the overseas dominions are doing in the war, and the universal recognition of the necessity of consulting them when peace terms come to be discussed.

NO WATER TO DRINK WHEN THEY REACHED LEMNOS

First Contingent of British Naval Forces Supplied with Mineral Water Brought in Shiploads.

London, Nov. 12.—When the first British naval forces landed at Lemnos, near the entrance of the Dardanelles, they were surprised to find that the island, which has an area of nearly 200 square miles and a population of 30,000, was practically destitute of drinking water, except for uncertain supplies from a few small springs. The allied troops were supplied with mineral water sent in shiploads through the generosity of a French woman in Marseilles.

INDIAN LAD KILLED BY SAVAGE HORSE

Animal Kicked and Bit Boy as He Attempted to Climb Fence to Escape the Run-away.

Brantford, Ont., Nov. 12.—Lawrence Johnston, an Indian boy, was attacked and killed by a runaway horse at the village of Oshweken, this afternoon. The horse dashed into a crowd of children, and made for Johnston when he tried to climb a fence. The maddened animal threw itself on the boy as he was scaling the fence, and kicked and bit him savagely, the lad dying shortly afterwards of a fractured skull and other injuries.

GERMAN CHANCELLOR SAYS GERMANY CANNOT BE STARVED OUT

Berlin, Nov. 12, by wireless to Sayville.—Answering the petition of the Socialist party concerning the question of food prices Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg, the German imperial chancellor, declared that the population of the country could be completely assured that the hopes of Entente Powers of starving out Germany would be disappointed.

Class Reunion.
An enjoyable reunion of the ladies' Bible class of the Portland Methodist church was held last evening. This took the form of a banquet in which a large number participated. The decorations, which were of a patriotic character, were particularly fine. During the proceedings it was decided to map out a programme to assist Red Cross work during the winter. The following gave short addresses: Wm. McIntosh, teacher; Miss Mary Hannah, secretary; Miss L. C. Higgins, president, and Mrs. McIntosh. Solos were rendered by Miss Audrey Mullin and Miss Eva Reynolds; readings, Mrs. Maxwell, David Stratton; piano forte selections, Miss Mollie Harsey, Laura Myles; violin—solo, Miss H. Wood.

German Ambassador Behind Plot To Wreck Munitions Plants in U.S.?

Former Austro-German Consul at San Francisco Says Von Bernstorff Directed Austrian Consuls in Scheme to Destroy Factories and Instigate Strikes.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Published charges, attributed to Dr. Joseph Gorlick, former Austro-Hungarian consul at San Francisco, that American consuls in the United States, working under the direction of Consul General Von Nuber and Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, are active in propaganda for destruction of munition factories and fomenting strikes among the workers, will be referred by the State Department to the department of justice for investigation.

TURKS MURDER AN AMERICAN MISSIONARY?

Michigan Clergyman, who Acted as Intermediary For Interned Allied Refugees, Reported Poisoned at Oorfa.

Boston, Nov. 12.—The death by poison of Rev. Francis H. Leslie, of Northport, Mich., a missionary stationed at Oorfa, Asiatic Turkey, was announced today by the American board of commissioners for foreign missions, Ambassador Morgenthau at Constantinople, who notified the State Department at Washington of the death, reported that he was making a thorough investigation to determine the responsibility.

AMMUNITION FOR TURKS CAPTURED

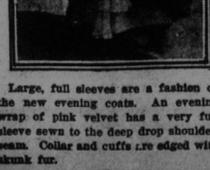
Vessel With Guns and Munitions Captured Off Crete by French Warship.

Paris, Nov. 12.—The following official statement was issued by the ministry of marine tonight: "A small war vessel, having a crew of only ten, surprised, off Crete, a schooner carrying arms and munitions and 48 Turks, among whom were eleven officers, and captured all the men and material."

OBITUARY.

The death of James L. Hunter, an aged resident of Sheffield, took place at his home yesterday. He was born at Maquapit Lake, Queens County, and is survived by one sister, Miss Helen, who lived with him, and one brother, George D. of this city.

THE DAILY FASHION HINT.



Large, full sleeves are a fashion of the new evening coats. An evening wrap of pink velvet has a very full sleeve sewn to the deep drop shoulder. Seam, collar and cuffs are edged with skunk fur.

OPERA HOUSE Two Grand Sacred Concerts

In Aid of the Funds of The Women's Soldiers' Comfort Association and the Patriotic Fund, by the Staff of the St. John Post Office, at the Opera House. Sunday Afternoon at 3 o'clock and Evening at 8.30, November 14. BEST LOCAL TALENT IN THE CITY WILL TAKE PART. Under the Auspices of Mayor Frink, Judge Forbes, Post Office Inspector Dr. J. N. Colter, Colonel J. R. Armstrong, T. H. Estabrooks, and leading citizens of St. John. T. L. REED, Secretary-Treasurer, Manager. Admittance Free. Silver Collection Taken.

OPERA HOUSE
TODAY—MATINEE 2.15—TONIGHT 8.15
"MRS. WIGGS OF THE CABBAGE PATCH" AND "DON"—THAT CLEVER DOG.
MONDAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY
"The Rosary"
SOUVENIR MATINEE WEDNESDAY.
POPULAR PRICES Starting THUR. TESS of the STORM COUNTRY
Tomorrow SUNDAY
BIG CONCERT FOR PATRIOTIC FUND Under auspices of Post Office employees Afternoon at three. Night at 8.45. Doors open at 2.15 and 7.45. ADMISSION FREE. SILVER COLLECTION.

"GENE OF THE NORTHLAND" 2 Reels
Tragedy of the North Woods Enacted by Gene Gauntier and Jack Clark.
A Bison 2-Reel Photo-Play Filled With Dramatic Incident and Adventure.
THE COUNTLESS COUNT
A Joker Comedy! How a Bogus Count was Trapped on Wedding Eve
CHAPLIN IS WITH US AGAIN
Next Mon. and Tues. In a 4 Act Drama: "AMBITION."

Did You See? "FOR THE COMMONWEALTH"
A Story of a Man Who Went in for Politics—and How Politics Went in for Him.
A Picture You Should Not Miss
Vaudeville--Darcy & Merrick
PIANO-COMEDY
Mon.—"Seats of the Mighty"—Drama.

IMPERIAL'S WEEK END DOUBLE BILL
Daniel Frohman Presents Clyde Fitch's Greatest Play With An All-Star Cast of Famous Players
A Scorched Heart But a Soul Saved from the Devouring Fire
"THE MOTH AND THE FLAME"
One of the Great Standard Plays
THE picturization of the tense and emotional drama, "The Moth and the Flame," by Clyde Fitch, presents with all the realism of life itself the dominant elements of that great stage success. The poor little moth is blinded by the flame, until she cannot see the fatal perils threatening her. Just on the verge of her great error, her vision returns, and with the resultant extinguishing of the flame, the moth sees her danger and is saved.
"THE BROKEN COIN" No. 11
At Last—The Clash of Arms
That Very Pretty Singing Sketch
WATSON & LITTLE

HEROES OF THE GREAT LOOS ADVANCE
SUPPLYING HOT COFFEES TO WOUNDED AFTER THE ADVANCE.
The above view shows a group of wounded British soldiers being supplied with mugs of hot coffee after having been brought back from the firing line. The men, despite their wounds and the great ordeal through which they had just passed, were quite cheery and happy.

MILITARY OUTFITTERS

UNIFORMS and Breeches, Great Coats and British Warmes that are absolutely correct in every detail—that are made to fit and withstand the severest tests, yet have that indescribable something which only the most expert tailoring can produce in a garment.

EQUIPMENT
Everything in equipment from Caps to Puttees that an officer, N. C. O. or private requires.

A GOOD PLACE TO BUY GOOD CLOTHES

GILMOUR'S 68 KING STREET

SERBIAN ARMY SET FOR FURTHER ADVANCE
Fears For Main Army, V. Heard From For Five Report Received Last Good Positions East of Bank of Morava River

Paris, Nov. 12.—The Serbian legation the following official communication dated Nov. 10:
"The Serbian troops have occupied south and east of Kraljevo and east of left bank of the Morava river, and are fighting throughout the day of the east of Gnilan, upon the river Leskovac Katchanik."
The Serbian official communication Monday, shows that the Serbians, on between Kraljevo and Nish, as an Italian were grounds for fear was the case.
FRENCH CITIZENS IN MONTENEGRO
Paris, Nov. 12.—The French minister all the French citizens in Montenegro between Montenegro and the out A Bulgarian Yarn.

Berlin, Nov. 12, via London.—Despatches received by the Bulgarian legation here report that the Bulgarian army, marching from Nish to Leskovac, captured enormous military supplies of all kinds which the Serbians had abandoned. The demoralization of the Serbians, it was gathered from advices, had evidently reached such a point that their serious resistance, on a large scale, was no longer to be expected.
A member of the legation called attention to the statements that a great number of rifles had been picked up along the line of march, as also were pieces of artillery and ammunition. Weapons with the harness cut and the horses gone. He regarded it as improbable that any considerable body of troops would escape across the Montenegro or Albanian frontiers.

DISEASES OF THE NERVES
Are Due to Poor Blood and Only Curable Through the Blood.

There is an excellent reason why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the most severe cases of neuritis, sciatica and other complaints in the group known as disorders of the nerves. This group also included nervousness and excitability. Each of these complaints exists because the nerves are not getting a proper nourishment from the blood. The reason why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure nervous disorders is because they make the rich, red blood upon which the nerves depend for proper tone. It is thus seen that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure nervous disorders because they go to the root of the trouble in the blood, and while they are doing this they strengthen and fortify the whole system against disease. Among the many who have found relief from pain through this great medicine is Miss Ethel Smith, residing near Burford, Ont., who says:—"Some years ago I was seized with a great pain in my right leg, between the hip and knee. It became so bad that I got no rest, day or night, and often cried with the pain. The doctor said the trouble was rheumatism of the sciatic nerve. Liniments were used until they actually took the skin off, and still the pain grew worse and worse. Then all the other nerves in the limb seemed to be affected, and it kept jerking and twitching, until it would have to be held to keep it still. Then the doctor put the limb in a paper mache case, but it was not long until the trouble began in my other limb and it had to be treated in the same way. I lay in that condition for three years with my whole nervous system so badly shattered that it would make me scream if any one walked across the floor. Then my throat became partially paralyzed and I could scarcely speak. During this time I had been attended by three different doctors, who did all in their power, but each said I would never be able to walk again. Then my father decided to get me Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before I had used them long I felt them helping me. This so encouraged us that the use of the pills was continued and in a few months I was able to walk half a mile each day to get the mail. I used in all eighteen or twenty boxes of the Pills and they did what three years of doctoring had not been able to do. I am as well as ever I was in my life, and have had no return of the trouble. My family and friends think my cure was a miracle, and we give all the credit to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS
FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES
CURES NEURALGIA, BRUISES, RHEUMATISM, BRIGHT'S DISEASE, DIABETES, GRAVEL, CALCULI, SANDS, URIC ACID, AND ALL THE PAINFUL AFFECTIONS OF THE URINARY SYSTEM.
Large, full sleeves are a fashion of the new evening coats. An evening wrap of pink velvet has a very full sleeve sewn to the deep drop shoulder. Seam, collar and cuffs are edged with skunk fur.

SERB ARMY SAFE IN STRONG DEFENCES

SERBIAN ARMY ESCAPES TRAP SET FOR IT BETWEEN NISH AND KRALIEVO BY BULGARS

Fears For Main Army, Which Had Not Been Heard From For Five Days, Dispelled by Report Received Last Night—Has Occupied Good Positions East of Kralievo and on East Bank of Morava River.

Paris, Nov. 12.—The Serbian legation in Paris today made public the following official communication from the Serbian government, dated Nov. 10:

"The Serbian troops have occupied, in good order, defenses to the south and east of Kralievo and east of Ivagitski, and also east of the left bank of the Morava river, and southward, where there was desperate fighting throughout the day the 10th. Engagements continue east of Gnilan, upon the river Leskovitza, upon the Binatoka and at Katalanik."

The Serbian official communication, the first received since last Monday, shows that the Serbians, on the 10th, had not been cut off between Kralievo and Nish, as an Italian newspaper despatch said there were grounds for fear was the case.

FRENCH CITIZENS IN MONTENEGRO ALL SAFE.

Paris, Nov. 12.—The French minister at Cetinje telegraphs that all the French citizens in Montenegro are safe and well. Communication between Montenegro and the outside world is extremely difficult.

A Bulgarian Yarn.

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There is an excellent reason why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have cured the most severe cases of neuralgia, sciatica and other complaints in the group known as disorders of the nerves. This group also included nervousness and excitability. Each of these complaints exists because the nerves are not getting a proper nourishment from the blood. The reason why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure nervous disorders is because they make the rich, red blood upon which the nerves depend for proper tone. It is thus seen that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure nervous disorders because they go to the root of the trouble in the blood, and while they are doing this they strengthen and fortify the whole system against disease. Among the many who have found relief from pain through this great medicine is Miss Ethel Smith, residing near Burford, Ont., who says: "Some years ago I was seized with a great pain in my right leg, between the hip and knee. It became so bad that I got no rest, day or night, and often cried with pain. The doctor said the trouble was rheumatism of the sciatic nerve. Liniments were used until they actually took the skin off, and still the pain grew worse and worse. Then all the other nerves in the limb seemed to be affected, and it kept jerking and twitching, until it would have to be held to keep it still. Then the doctor put the limb in a paper mache case, but it was not long until the trouble began in my other limb and it had to be treated in the same way. I lay in that condition for three years with my whole nervous system so badly shattered that it would make me scream if any one walked across the floor. Then my throat became partially paralyzed and I could scarcely speak. During this time I had been attended by three different doctors, who did all in their power, but each said I would never be able to walk again. Then my father decided to get me Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Before I had used them long I felt them helping me. This so encouraged us that the use of the pills was continued and in a few months I was able to walk half a mile each day to get the mail. I used in all eighteen or twenty boxes of the Pills and they did what three years of doctoring had not been able to do. I am as well as ever I was in my life, and have had no return of the trouble. My family and friends think my cure was a miracle, and we give all the credit to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail, post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

READY TO TALK PEACE, GERMAN PAPER SAYS

Berlin, Nov. 12, by wireless to Sarville.—The Nord Deutch Allgemeine Zeitung recognizes the moderate tone of the speeches recently made in the British House of Lords by Lord Loreburn, Milner and Courtney, says the Overseas News Agency, "but it doubts whether their suggestions looking to a way out of the dilemma will lead to sensible peace proposals, which, as is well known, Germany is always ready to consider. The agency continues: "The newspaper points out that the speeches of the lords were not answered, while three members of the British cabinet, in the Gullhall announced a programme for an annihilation of the German Empire in spite of all political and military failures."

"Appreciating the fact that the socialist party was convinced that Germany possessed sufficient supplies of food, the imperial chancellor declared that the authorities had further decided to remove all speculation in bread."

"Dr. Von Bethmann-Hollweg explained that the Entente Powers deceived their nationals by misrepresenting the German discussions regarding the question of food prices as signs of weakening in the energy of the German nation, which, he said, was sure of victory."

"As long as the leaders of the British nation continue to believe that it is possible to crush and to annihilate Germany, the newspaper concludes, and as long as the English press continues to support this folly with the most objectionable means of deception, speeches like those made by Lord Loreburn and Lord Courtney will be lonely voices in a desert."

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal.
D A Morrison, Amherst; L Lavigne, S E Anderson, Boston; C G Roome, Halifax; T H O'Dell and wife, St Andrews; A W Gardner, Montreal; Major Gillin, F P Hayden, Halifax; G J Clark, St Stephen; T L Simmons, Ottawa; Major and Mrs Guthrie, A E Hanson, Fredericton; J H Duffie, Montreal; L E Landers, Sussex; C L Ackerson, Detroit; J W Smith, St Stephen; H G Smith, Quincey, Mass.; E B Hill, Milton, Mass.; W H Wilkinson, Toronto; A W Meid, A M Fitzsimmons, L J Gaboury, Julius, Rost, K Mercer, Montreal; O E McCarthy, Sydney; Major and Mrs Boggs Col. Gunnig, Sussex; W T Priser, Boston; A E Morrison, Charlottetown; L T Curry, Amherst.

The Dufferin.

A W Gardner, Yarmouth; Harry McDonald, Shelburne; E H Harrison, Montreal; F H Patten, Holyoke, Mass.; Lieut Jesson, Winnipeg; A R Wetmore, Fredericton; F J McRae, Campbellton; G B Hall, Yarmouth; D O Conley, Digby; R Ridges, Viole; C S Robertson, Toronto; F J McCallum, Montreal; R S Haines, Fredericton; N S H Lanson, Houlton; H D Whitten and wife, Portland.

Victoria.

R P Gorman, Grey's Mills; A G Turner, Fredericton; M T Pearson, Houlton; L C Dalgle, Moncton; S C Merritt, Grand Falls; Miss Edwards, Halifax; J C Gillespie, Truro, N S; Seth Jones, Sussex; C H Clark, Port Elgin; J E McAuley, Lower Millstream.

PROBE INTO PURCHASE OF SUBMARINES

Auditor of firm which sold Boats says no one in Canada made commission out of the sale.

Montreal, Nov. 12.—Purchase by Canada in the early days of the war of two submarines from the Seattle Construction and Drydock Company for \$1,500,000 was further investigated by the Davidson War Contract Commission in Montreal today. H. A. G. Taylor, New York auditor of the Electric Boat Company, was a witness. The Electric Boat Company of the United States was originally commissioned by the Chilean government to build the boats, and sub-let the contract to the Seattle concern, the latter through its manager J. Patterson, handing over the sub-seahips when the Chilean government fell behind in payments it contracted to make. The Chilean government contracted to pay \$318,000 for the ships.

Mr. Taylor swore that the Electric Boat Company's western agent, T. S. Bayley, notified its vice-president E. B. Frost, that Canada was willing to buy the subs and advised that \$55,000 each could be charged. This figure was ultimately secured from the Seattle Company, whose manager, Mr. Patterson, had sold them to Canada for \$1,500,000. The Electric Boat Company received in cash from the Seattle Company, whose manager, Mr. Patterson, had sold them to Canada for \$1,500,000. The Electric Boat Company received in cash from the Seattle Company, whose manager, Mr. Patterson, had sold them to Canada for \$1,500,000.

Examined by John Thompson, K.C. commission counsel, Mr. Taylor said that Patterson's commission amounted to about three and a half per cent. This was not excessive, the usual price being four per cent. He knew of no commission being paid to anybody in Canada in relation to the sale. The debt owed by the Electric Boat Company to the Seattle Company was due for labor and material and was incurred prior to the sale of the subs to Canada. It was not a concealed account.

Company's Loss if Chile Had Purchased.

Replying to questions of Mr. Thompson touching on any options that might have been given on the ships, Mr. Taylor said his firm had no dealings with any man named Newman. Prior to the sale somebody telephoned him from Montreal about the ship called on him next day. No deal was arranged as the ships had been sold in the meantime. A suit was pending in the United States over the boats. It was brought by former Congressman Jefferson Levy, who contended that the boats were sold to Canada while he had an option on. He (Levy) understood that Levy claimed he had a purchaser for them. The purchaser appeared to be one Gallagher, who was Levy's secretary.

Mr. Taylor said that his company would have lost money had Chile carried out its contract. The price paid by Canada was a little more and a little less than similar ships had been sold for.

Sir Charles Davidson read a cablegram from Lieut. Col. Smith, now in England, who was charged before the commission, when it was sitting in Winnipeg with receiving \$175 while acting as renoument officer. Col. Smith was notified of the charges which were made by W. J. Hinman, and replied in his cable as follows: "Absolute rot. Ask Lemon, Half-penny, Price and Leslie for evidence."

The commissioner instructed that affidavits be secured from the men mentioned in the cable. When secured they will be forwarded to Col. Smith.

The commission adjourned, the date for resumption being left in abeyance until it could be learned when Rear Admiral Kingsmill could be present.

T O White, Bathurst; D C Patmore, Orillia, Ont.; G G Gaudreau, Annapolis; H E Deurost, Woodstock; Wm Ouellet, Welsford; E L Price, Moncton; W P Walsley, Moncton; Chas A Scott, Amherst; W A Robertson, Montreal; J H Rogers, Moncton; W S Rogers, New York; W P Downing, B E Dakin, Montreal; W C Boyle, Maces Bay; O J Killam, Truro; S C Mitchell, Rothesay; V M Purdy, Truro, N S; E Gansler, Montreal; H R Baufrond, Moncton; Roy Little, York Mills; Mary Cooper, Greta Curley, Sussex; A F Heman, Elgin.

ENGLAND WILL STAND BY HER PLEDGE

No peace except on conditions laid down year ago by Asquith in his historic pledge on behalf of nation.

London, Nov. 12.—Reaffirmation of Premier Asquith's historic pledge regarding the Entente Allies' terms of peace delivered at the Lord Mayor's banquet, Nov. 9, 1914, was made by Sir Edward Grey, British foreign secretary, today in a written answer to a question put by Sir Arthur Markham, Liberal member of parliament for the Mansfield division of Nottinghamshire.

After stating that Great Britain's positions in the war is fixed by her alliances with Japan, France and Russia, the foreign secretary proceeds: "In our view the conditions of peace must fulfill those laid down by the prime minister on Nov. 9, 1914. It is very desirable that it should be understood, once and for all, that this is the determination of the government, collectively and individually, and of the nation."

At the Lord Mayor's banquet, Nov. 9, 1914, Premier Asquith in outlining the war situation said:

"There is going to be a long war, but there is nothing in a long struggle to depress us, or in what has happened to our enemies to make our objectives—Paris, Warsaw and Calais—and has been baffled in all."

"That is not enough. We shall not sheathe the sword, which we have not lightly drawn, until Belgium has recovered more than she has sacrificed; until France is adequately secured against menace; until the rights of the smaller nationalities have been placed upon an unassailable foundation, and until the military domination of Prussia is finally destroyed."

ANOTHER BLOW AT AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE

Paris, Nov. 12.—Commenting in the Figaro on the sinking of the Italian liner Ancona, Joseph Reinach, widely known as a political writer, declares that the victims of the Ancona tragedy died as a result of "the unpunished Lusitania murder." President Wilson could not say, adds the writer, that he was not warned that the tragedy would be repeated, "if it were not averted."

"Is America going to swallow this fresh insult?" he continues, "and be satisfied, first with explanations and with deceitful promises, or she is going to demand from Austria expressions of regret, indemnities and the punishment of the officers who committed the crime, and taking up at the same time the Lusitania question, insist on receiving the same satisfaction from Germany. We hope so, not in our own interests, for America's neutrality amply suffices, but in the interest of the great republic, for her independence is at stake—her independence already injured and daily threatened with increasing boldness, since for a whole year she has tolerated from Germany what she would not have tolerated for an hour, from a nation less rich and powerful."

PARENTS CHARGED WITH DAUGHTER'S DEATH

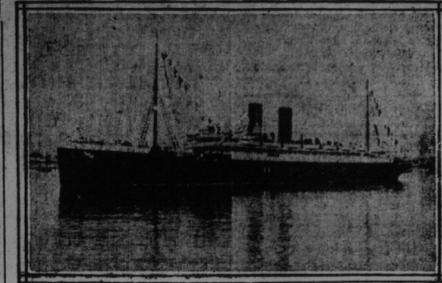
Peterboro, Ont., Nov. 12.—Sanford Lindsay, of Sumner, whose fourteen year old daughter died last September from, as the coroner's jury said, a criminal operation, was today committed for trial before County Magistrate Lansley on a charge of unnatural offence and his wife on a charge of causing the death of her daughter's unborn child. Charges of murder against both, based on the death of the daughter, are still to be heard.

Returned Wounded Soldiers

Will all returned wounded soldiers in New Brunswick regret in writing to the undersigned immediately upon their arrival in New Brunswick, as their assistance is required at recruiting meetings in all parts of the province.

L. P. D. Tilley, Organizing Recruiting Officer for New Brunswick.

FRENCH LINER OFTEN IN THE NEWS



THE S S ROCHAMBEAU

The report of the fire on the Rochambeau during the early stages of the war by the great number of French seamen she carried, and last July she was threatened in a "bomb scare" letter sent to the New Orleans Times-Picayune, and which was signed "Pearce."

CLOSING OF \$5,000 DRAWING MONDAY NIGHT

Lieut.-Col. Hay, 52nd Battalion, to officiate—Mayor Frink present—52nd Battalion Band—Popular Event—Tickets being called in.

A most attractive programme is being arranged for Monday evening next in St. Andrew's rink, when the great \$5,000 patriotic drawing will be brought to a close. Have you bought all the tickets you want as yet? Don't delay—you have only two more days. Tonight the tickets now on sale about 900 each will be taken in and what remains, perhaps not many, will be sold at the rink on Monday night. A feature of interest will be the fact that one who has lately been welcomed with more than a thousand other Canadians of his gallant type, Lieut. Col. Hay, O. C. of the 52nd Battalion, will officiate at the drawing. Mayor Frink will be present also, while a concert will be given by the 52nd Battalion band, and there will likely be other numbers.

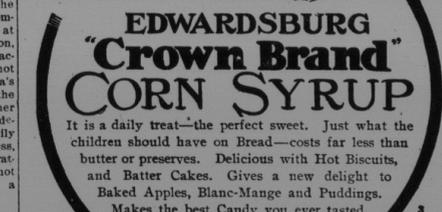
There will undoubtedly be a large gathering present. The sale of tickets has been so great that all who can will want to be present when the lucky winners of these fifty excellent prizes are announced. In anticipation of the great rush of people, a small fee, ten cents, is to be charged, the proceeds going to swell the patriotic fund.

BATTLE LINE.

Str Tanagra, Capt. Dalton, called yesterday from Philadelphia for Catania, Sicily.

It's good for little girls, too

Everybody— young and old— loves the rich, delicious flavor of



EDWARDSBURG "Crown Brand" CORN SYRUP

It is a daily treat—the perfect sweet. Just what the children should have on Bread—costs far less than butter or preserves. Delicious with Hot Biscuits, and Batter Cakes. Gives a new delight to Baked Apples, Blanc-Mange and Puddings. Makes the best Candy you ever tasted.

"LLV WHITE" is a pure white Corn Syrup, not as pronounced in flavor as "Crown Brand". Your Grocer has both Brands, in 2, 5, 10 and 20 pound tins—or can easily get them for you.

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Distinctly a Connoisseur's Whisky

Four Crown Scotch is made to please the discriminating taste of intelligent, well-balanced people; those who know what—and how much—is good for them. Avoid disappointments by using FOUR CROWN SCOTCH FOSTER & COMPANY, St. John, Agents for New Brunswick.

GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR AND STOP DANDRUFF

Hair Becomes Charming, Wavy, Lustrous and Thick in Few Moments.

Every Bit of Dandruff Disappears and Hair Stops Coming Out.

For 25 cents you can save your hair. In less than ten minutes you can double its beauty. Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and charming as a young girl's after applying some Danderine. Also try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excessive oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is scraggy, faded, dry, brittle or thin. Besides beautifying the hair, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few week's use, when you see new hair—fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair, and lots of it, surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any store or toilet counter and just try it.

THOSE SENDING PARCELS TO SOLDIERS ABROAD SHOULD NOTE THIS

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Nov. 12.—The Postmaster General draws attention to the fact that a large number of parcels for prisoners of war abroad are still found to be unfit for onward transmission in consequence of inadequate packing. Parcels should be very strongly packed. A single sheet of brown paper or a thin cardboard box such as a shoe box does not afford sufficient protection. Even when proper materials are used it is important that the contents should be tightly packed so as not to shake about during transit.

Thin Folks Who Want to Get Fat

Increase in Weight Ten Pounds or More.

"I'd certainly give most anything to be able to fat up a few pounds and stay that way," declares every excessively thin man or woman. Such a result is not impossible, despite past failures. Most thin people are victims of mal-nutrition, a condition which prevents the fatty elements of food from being taken up by the blood as they are when the powers of nutrition are normal. Instead of getting into the blood, much of the fat and flesh producing elements stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste.

To correct this condition and to produce a healthy, normal amount of fat, the nutritive processes must be artificially supplied with the power which nature has denied. Such a result can probably best be accomplished by eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is a careful combination of six splendid assimilable agents. Taken with meals they mix with the food to turn the sugars and starches of what you have eaten into rich, ripe nourishment for the tissues and blood and its rapid effect has been in many cases reported remarkable. Reported gains of from ten to twenty-five pounds in a single month are by no means infrequent. Yet its action is perfectly natural and absolutely harmless. Sargol is sold by all druggists everywhere and every package contains a guarantee of weight increase or money back.

NOTE—Sargol is recommended only as a flesh builder and while excellent results in cases of nervous indigestion, etc., have been reported, care should be taken about using it unless a gain of weight is desired.

Don't Use Curling Iron! Here's a Better Method

(Woman Beautiful) By no means use a heated iron. It makes the most unkempt appearance. After brushing the hair thoroughly, just divide your hair into a saucer of plain liquid astringent and brush through the parts of the hair to be curled. Do this at bedtime and you will be surprised to find the hair curled and the effect will appear altogether natural. You will have no trouble in doing up your tresses in the style you desire and they will look and feel fluffy and comfortable. You need not hesitate to use pure liquid astringent, which you can procure at any drug-gist's, as it is perfectly harmless and will leave no greasy, gummy or sticky trace, few traces will last for months.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1915.

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

WAKE UP, ST. JOHN.

Three soldiers, wounded while fighting for the Empire on the battlefields of France, arrived in the city yesterday morning. They were met at the Union Depot by a member of the committee appointed for that purpose and driven to their homes. But there were many men and lads in the trainshed when the returning heroes stepped from the train and although it was apparent to all that they had been injured, yet they were allowed to walk through the shed in a chilling silence; not a cheer was heard, not a hat was doffed and, aside from the official "welcomes," not a hand was extended or a word spoken to let the boys know that St. John appreciates their sacrifice and their service.

Of course it will be said that a committee of citizens has in hand the matter of welcoming returned soldiers and they are doing their duty well. That is quite true, but that fact does not relieve the man not on that committee from the duty of recognizing the bravery of those who have fought and suffered for the Empire.

Yesterday's occurrence at the depot was but one of many such cases. There are, of course, exceptions, when returning soldiers are accorded an unofficial welcome worthy of the soldiers themselves and of those who join in the demonstration. But the fact remains that the people of St. John are not as deeply interested as they should be in the men who are fighting our battles.

The aspiration for the stationing of a regiment in St. John this winter is sufficiently recent to be fresh in the minds of all. Why did business men of the city desire to have soldiers here? Simply because they believed it would help business? Or because they were interested in the men themselves and wished to have them honor St. John with their presence?

The 52nd Battalion from Port Arthur has now been here almost a week. The men of that regiment make a splendid appearance on the street; they look well, march well and give evidence of thorough training. In short, the 52nd is typical of the best standard of young Canadians who have left their homes and pursuits of civilian life to fight the battles of those who remain behind. Yet that fine regiment has marched through our streets every day this week and, except for the first day when there was an organized official welcome, have been greeted in silence. There has been no enthusiasm, not a cheer, no applause as the men who will soon make history as Canada's representatives in the struggle against Empire's enemies passed along. Why the apathy? Are the citizens of St. John afraid of straining their throats or injuring their hands? Or, as a critic has stated, are they chiefly interested in the soldiers for the amount of business they bring?

In yesterday's case at the depot the central figures in what should have been an impromptu, heart-warming welcome were men whose sacrifice for the cause has been great? Were they not entitled to applause? Can too much credit be given to the men who, after all, are doing the fighting for those who stay at home? It will be at once admitted that not every man in St. John can go to the front, some are beyond the age limit, others physically unfit, and still others held by family or home ties it is impossible to break. These are not expected to go and do their own fighting but they can at least spare a cheer or a hand-clap for those who are doing it for them. Hardly a man or woman in the city but has a relative or close friend with the colors. They are away from their homes doing their duty where it calls, playing the game according to orders and playing it well. Is there one of us who would not thrill with pride at the knowledge that our sons or brothers, now away from us, had been cheered by men and women who were not afraid to recognize bravery when they saw it? Is St. John to remain unrepresentative, when all the world glows at the story of Canada's courage and sacrifice?

The heroes of today were with us yesterday, the men who are with us today may be the heroes of tomorrow. The deeds of the "Fighting 36th" thrilled us as we read them, and we

were proud to recall that fine battalion had spent last winter as residents of St. John. Yet, how often did any of us cheer the 26th when it was marching through our streets? Aside from the stereotyped "official" welcome, at best cold and unconvincing, how many of us have gone out of our way to grasp the hand of a returned hero and speak a word of sympathy or of praise?

"Tomorrow we may read of the gallant deeds of the 52nd Port Arthur Battalion and reflect with pleasure how splendidly they appeared as they marched through the city. But do we appreciate them today while we have them with us? If we do, then, in the name of patriotism and loyalty, let them know it. A cheer he can hear is of far more encouragement to the soldier than a eulogy after he is dead. St. John requires to be awakened.

"PROSPERITY ON THE DOORSTEP"

The Continent, the organ of the Presbyterian Church in the United States, (North), in its issue of November 11, under the above caption, has the following from the pen of its financial expert:

"Reports from various commercial agencies, investigations by financial writers and reports from banks all are to the effect that prosperity in large measure is on the doorstep. This country is exporting merchandise at the rate of \$100,000,000 worth a week, a record which no other country ever before had attained. Domestic business is daily becoming more active. Reports from all parts of the country show a more healthy business condition is present. There is much less idleness in the cities than a year ago and jobs for both men and women are much more easily found than at any time during the last year.

"Possibly the fact that the United Clear Stores during October sold more tobacco than during any month in its history, may be an indication of returning prosperity. This one cigar company sold more than one million dollars' worth of goods a day during this one month."

In the same issue in a department entitled "The World" the editor, in speaking of the note of the Secretary of State to Britain, states:

"Fallacies are pointed out in the assertion by London that the ocean business of the United States had increased since the beginning of the war. It was by this assertion that London showed that the ocean trade of the United States instead of being curtailed by the British blockade really had grown."

Despite the protest of the American Secretary of State it would appear, however, that the statements of London are borne out by the foregoing opinions of financial experts.

THE SWORD OF THE 104TH

The sword of the historic 104th New Brunswick regiment which, more than a century ago, when this country was threatened with invasion from a foreign enemy, did yeoman service in the interests of Canada, finds a worthy owner in Lieutenant Colonel George W. Fowler, commanding officer of the twentieth century successors of the famous old corps.

It will be the prayer of all New Brunswickers that the weapon may be an inspiration and symbol of good fortune to its new owner. May the sheen of its blade typify the brightness of the valor of the men Col. Fowler leads, its sharpened point their keenness in performing their duty, and its stout guard, the confidence New Brunswick has in the ability of the new 104th to acquit themselves well.

It is drawn by a righteous cause and those who witnessed the demonstration in the rink last evening when the popular officer received it, at the hands of one who has already proven a hero, will feel complete confidence that it shall never be sheathed in dishonor.

It will have once more written the name of New Brunswick high in the records of bravery and devotion to duty.

EDWARD AUSTIN KILLED BY A FALLING TREE

Distressing accident at Clarendon Station Thursday results fatally.

An unfortunate accident, and one which is creating a great deal of sympathy in the district, occurred at Clarendon Station on Thursday. Edward Austin, who has been engaged in lumber work, was cutting in the woods near Clarendon Station when one of the trees which had been felled instead of dropping to the ground became lodged in another tree. Mr. Austin while chopping through this supporting tree so weakened it that it gave way, letting the first tree fall. He was struck on the head by the trunk and almost instantly killed. Mr. Austin was slightly over forty years of age and leaves a wife and ten children, living at Clarendon. The body was taken to his home, where the funeral is to be held.

NEW WAR LOAN IN FRANCE

Bill Introduced in Chamber Fixes Rate of Interest at 5 Per Cent, Price of Issue Being Left to Government Decree.

Paris, Nov. 11.—The bill providing for the new French loan was introduced in the Chamber of Deputies today by Finance Minister Ribot. The rate of interest is fixed at 5 per cent, but the price of issue and the period of subscription are left to be fixed by government decree.

All the privileges and immunities attached to the 3 per cent bonds are extended to the new five per cent issue, which is exempt from all taxation. The government renounces the right of payment until after January 1, 1931.

Savings bank depositors are granted the right to liberate one half their deposits for investment in the loan, without the usual notices of withdrawal.

MARTIAL LAW IN BRUSSELS

London, Nov. 11.—"A message received from Brussels reports that travelers arriving there from Belgium say that the German authorities have decided to place Brussels under martial law, thereby depriving the Belgian civil authorities of their control," says the Exchange Telegraph's Amsterdam correspondent.

The correspondent adds that the reason for the measure is not known.

FINAL RESULT MAY NOT BE KNOWN FOR WEEK YET

St. John's, Nfld., Nov. 11.—Fogo district declared its poll in the prohibition election yesterday as 1,189 for, 749 against, being 261 above the quota. Piacentia district declared its poll last night, 789 for 999 against, which is 939 below the quota. Adverse majority against prohibition to date 1,220.

Burns district announced today the result of the poll in last Thursday's election. The voting was 1,275 for and 198 against prohibition. This is 152 votes over Piacentia's quota, and leaves only 5,220 votes to be obtained from the remaining three districts to carry the measure. This is now admitted will probably be the result, though uncertainty exists as to the result of election in the St. Barbe district is known which may be delayed for another week, on account of stormy weather on the northern coast.

ST. PETER'S HIGH TEA. The St. Peter's high tea, held during the week proved a success in every way. Last night the drawing for prizes took place with the following result: Mrs. L. Quinlan, 110 Charlotte street; Mrs. A. L. Gibb, Bridge street; Mrs. J. McGarrigle, Harrison street; Mrs. W. O'Connell, Adelaide street; Mrs. Egan, Sheriff

Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE. Our noo club is getting along grate, awl it needs being furnitshure for the club room, nothing being in it now except wan bench to set awn, gave by Puda Simkinses mothr, wan chare without any back to it, gave by Skinny Martins mothr, two littel barrils foward awn the street, wich mite not of belongaw to the star they was in front of, and wan old rug gave by ma after a argewmit.

So a cummittee was elected to go around and try to get furnitshure without paying for it by asking peopl to donate it, the cummittee being me and Sid Hunt, and we asked sevral peopl without getting anything, and then we was passing Smits meat plase and I sed, Lets go in and ask Mr. Smit.

Wich we did, and Mr. Smit sed, Wy sure, youll find a safe out in the yard thats no use to me, you can put awl yure valubels in it.

And me and Sid went and looked, and heer wat was it but a grate big enormas iron bank, part of it berried in the dett own akkount of it standig there so lawng, and a man went past driving a ligruss waggin, wich we cood see him over the top of the tents, and Sid yelled to him, Hay, mister, look over the tents, do you see this bank.

Sure I see it, sed the man. About wat wood it cost to take it 5 blocks in a waggin, sed Sid. 5 dollars, sed the man, do you want delivered.

No, sed me and Puds togethr. And we asked sum more peopl without being awfeted anything, and then Mrs. Weaver told us she had a old bed up in the attic she didnt want, and we went up to look at it and we didnt want it either, only having 3 sleds to it and besides, it was awlmost as big as wat our club room is, and besides, wat cood we do with it even if we got it in thare. Nothing.

Aftir that we was awfeted 3 more things we didnt want, being ferst, a old bath tub with holes in it, 2nd, 4 empty flower pots with nutling in them, and 3rd, a bysikel without any wheels or handel bars.

Being the resin of the club room hasent got any furnitshure in it.

street, boots; James Hanlon, Paleville, lamp; Gordon Cummins, picture; F. M. O'Neill, suit case; Gertrude Jenkins umbrella; Josephine O'Brien, parlor stove; Leo McGuigan, hat; Mrs. Florence Myers, cushion; Miss Evelyn Walsh, watch; Miss Florie Phillips, carving knife; J. Corkery, clock; M. McMineman, doll; Miss Clara Daley, centrepiece; Miss Eileen O'Regan, green centrepiece; Miss Mary Reicker, white wool jacket; Mrs. S. McCormick, embroidered centrepiece; Miss Loreta Tracey, white centrepiece; Miss M. Cleary, bed spread; John McGuire, fishing rod for bean booth guess; James Daley, boat model.

DIED.

HUNTER — At Sheffield, Sunbury County, N. B., on Nov. 12, 1915, James L. Hunter, in the 76th year of his age, leaving one brother and one sister to mourn.

HUGHES — At Toronto, November 8, Grace A. Hughes, wife of Leonard J. Hughes, leaving her husband and two children to mourn.

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For the entire system, a net income of \$123,774.64 is reported for September, a gain of \$30,548.88 from 1914, while for the nine months a net income of \$171,186.39 is shown as compared with a deficit of \$74,864.21 for the same period in 1914.

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With 52nd Battalion

The men of the 52nd Battalion received their Oliver equipment yesterday and spent most of the day fitting it and getting familiar with its parts. The outdoor drill was not carried out and there was no march out during the afternoon. The men seem well pleased with conditions here and many seem to favor the idea of remaining all winter. The officers on duty at the army yesterday were: Lieutenants Robertson and Churchill. It is expected that a route march will be included in today's training and the battalion will probably attend church tomorrow.

Major Wilcox.

Major Wilcox said the meeting was for recruiting purposes. He had heard many men making appeals for recruits, tell the audience that they wanted men to help Great Britain. "While we are helping Great Britain," the Major continued, "we are first and foremost helping Canada. It is for our own homes and our own liberty we are fighting. It is not to the single man alone the call comes. The married men have their wives and children to protect, and they don't want the single man to do their fighting for them. You have said the 52nd Battalion is smart, well, then, the 104th should be twice as smart, as twice 52 is 104."

The Old 104th.

"Let us for a moment cast our eyes back over Canadian history to that other 104th. In 1812 war was declared and the call went forth for volunteers. They came and the 104th was mobilized, probably in the same way this battalion is being raised. The stalwart men of New Brunswick were then as now united and determined to serve their country. They were called upon to march from Fredericton to Quebec. There were no railways in those days. They went on into the forests, primitive through the wilds of New Brunswick and Quebec, with only the north star to guide them on their way. Stories of that march and tales of the acts of valor of the men of the old 104th may well be emulated by the men of today.

Sergeant Knight

Sergeant Norman Knight was the last speaker. His appeal was as direct as it was sincere and he pointed out in no uncertain manner the duty of every man of military age. He told the young men that the war could be won if they would be true to the traditions of their ancestors. He asked those who were holding back to get into the ranks of those who have fought and fallen for this righteous cause.

Wounded Soldiers Home.

Three wounded soldiers arrived home yesterday. They were Pte. J. Ellick Tullock, Sergeant Blair and Corporal Webb.

Colonel Fowler.

As Colonel Fowler took the historic sword the crowd burst into cheers and it was many minutes before he could get a hearing. When he did step forward his voice shook with emotion. He said in part: "Mr. Chairman, Major Guthrie, I deeply regret that I am unable to find words to express to you and the generous donors of this gift, my feelings of gratitude toward them. I am a citizen of New Brunswick, like you and those I see here. As a citizen of New Brunswick and Canada and the Empire I feel that in going to this war I am simply doing my duty, and I desire no thanks and no praise for doing it."

Private Tullock.

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Another St. John man to return home was Sergt. George Blair, wounded while on the firing line in France ministering to wounded comrades. He was a member of the first contingent, C.A.M.C., and was removed to hospital. His injuries caused him to be invalided home, and his arrival yesterday morning caused much joy among the members of his family and many friends. His father, Corporal Blair, and sister, were at the stable Blair, and he was driven to his home in an automobile by C. B. Lockhart, M.L.A.

Funerals.

The funeral of Thomas Marry took place yesterday morning at 8.45 o'clock from the residence of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Marry, 47 Douglas avenue, to St. Peter's church, where solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. F. Costello, C. S. R. The funeral of Israel L. Longley took place yesterday afternoon at two o'clock, from the residence of his son, C. S. R., as sub-deacon. The service

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was largely attended, the cortege being one of the longest seen in the North End for a long time. A great number of beautiful floral tributes were received. The interment was in the new Catholic cemetery.

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Military Athletic Night

About 300 of the Battalion enjoyed the hospitality of the club last night.

THIRTEEN RECRUITS FROM HARTLAND

Special to The Standard.

Hartland, N. B., Nov. 12.—As a sequel to the big recruiting meeting last night and a tribute to the fetching abilities of the speakers there has been a wave of patriotic feeling over the community today and the fruits from the seed sower are already being harvested. Capt. Tilley and Recruiting Officer Munro remained in town all day and at the office of R. W. Cameron, the local recruiting representative, there was a steady stream of men seeking information and being signed on the service roll. Hartland and vicinity have already sent about seventy men to fight for their country's honor, but there are still many who are just watching the matter and are about ready to put on the khaki. The roll of honor as the immediate result of last night's meeting is as follows: Frank L. Dickinson, C. Henry A. Sharp, Alfred E. Goodwin, Wendell Nixon, Halden A. Sipprell, Birken Clark, Stephen Mullin, Marshall Birdsell, Cox, J. Harvey Blythe, Stephen Hanning, Claude McMullin, Edwin A. Britton, William Dickinson.

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THE AUTO CASE CONCLUDED YESTERDAY

Evidence all in and judgment expected Tuesday.

In the police court, yesterday afternoon, the evidence was concluded in the case where Harold C. Cotrell and Roy M. Grey are charged with doing business in the city without a license. The magistrate stated that he would review the evidence and would give judgment on Tuesday afternoon next.

W. B. Tennant was the only witness examined yesterday by the prosecution. The witness stated that he had been solicited by defendant, Cotrell, to become a member of the International League, and the defendant quoted the advantages as to the very low price of automobile supplies that could be furnished him that he, witness, was rather skeptical about the proposition as it did not seem to be based on business principals. After the defendant had called on him a couple of times witness thought he would become a member for the purpose of seeing how matters would turn out, and accordingly paid the sum of ten dollars membership fee. To try the thing out witness gave defendant an order for a tire, this order was given a week ago but witness had not yet received the tire.

Y.M.C.A. CLASSES WELL UNDERWAY

Happenings in the big building devoted to young men.

The senior class of the Y. M. C. A. kept up its splendid record last evening when forty-eight of its members took places on the floor. The numerous steps of the Highland Fling were practised and the regular drills and routines were carried out. After the class work the members gathered around the freestone of the main room and sang songs for an hour. Refreshments were served and the gathering broke up with the national anthem. On Thursday a High School Bowling League was organized and the start of this league will be on Monday next.

MANY MEN FROM MT. ALLISON ON FIRING LINE

One hundred and sixty students known to have enlisted.

The Board of Regents of the Mount Allison Institutions convened for their fall session in the library of the university at 2.30 p. m., on the 9th inst. The three Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland were represented by the regents, and the affairs of the institutions were carefully considered during three sessions. The regents were pleased to ascertain that the Freshman class was larger than that of last year, and that the same is true respecting the attendance at the Ladies' College. The attendance at the Academy is somewhat diminished, but there are special circumstances which afford sufficient explanation, and there is no reason to question the popularity of this branch of the institutions, and of its very efficient principal.

Like other British universities in Canada and elsewhere, Mount Allison has felt the influence of the war. Undergraduates of the last two years of the number of sixty-five, making over sixty per cent. of the upper class-men have enlisted, while a dozen more have offered their services, and have either been set aside as physically unfit or awaiting acceptance in different branches of the service. Others are chatting under the limitations of age. No accurate record has yet been compiled, but it is known that more than one hundred and sixty graduates and undergraduates of Mount Allison are at the front or have offered their aid in one or other departments of the service. This number constitutes a commendable proportion of the whole number of present and former students. Three lieutenants have been given to the 4th Regiment, and two officers are now connected with the Detachment Camp at Amherst. At present practically the whole student body of the university have given up their usual athletics and are drilling in the officers' training corps. Preparations are being made to send a Christmas box to every Mount Allison man at the front.

Although the interest in military affairs has necessarily affected attendance, the classes at the university and at the other branches of the institution are being conducted as usual. Taking all the circumstances into consideration, the regents were gratified with the reports presented from the different departments and anticipate a successful year's work.

Six teams of two men each are entered and good results are looked for. The High School Gym Committee met with the Physical Director yesterday and arranged a Basketball League. A double schedule was drawn up with five teams entering under the following captains: Holder, Ketchum, Bustin, Somerville and Waddington. The league will open Monday at four o'clock.

A new Gymnasium Class under the rules of Dr. Chas. E. Barker will open on Tuesday next at 6 o'clock. Twelve men have entered this class and from all prospects it will be a success.

The Physical Department of the Y. M. C. A. will start its physical and medical examinations next week. Dr. Dunlop, Dr. Rowley, Dr. Bentley and two other doctors to be mentioned later, will be secured to conduct the medical examination of all boys and men who use the physical privileges of the Y. M. C. A.

Round trip tickets will be sold by Canadian Government Railways at one way first-class fare from St. John to Halifax.

Further information on application to local ticket agents.

Sporting Gossip

LOCAL BOWLING YESTERDAY

In the City League on Black's alleys last night the Wanderers took three points from the Elks. The following are the scores:

Elks.	
Benson	75 76 76-227 75 23
Walker	73 91 88-252 84
Howard	81 89 97-268 86
Corbett	85 82 84-251 83 23
Evans	106 95 111-312 104

420 424 466 1200

Wanderers.	
Norris	90 112 86-288 96
Wright	66 74 77-217 72 13
Cromwell	86 89 82-257 85 23
McLeod	95 108 103-306 102
Lozan	99 91 77-267 89

436 474 425 1235

The Sweeps and Nationals will bowl tonight.

PECULIAR BASEBALL MIXUP

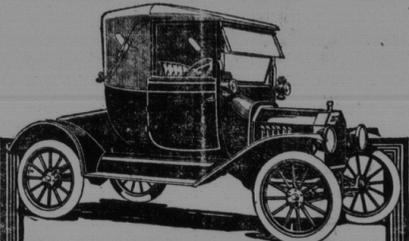
The following will go down in baseball history probably as one of the most peculiar plays ever witnessed: The Giants and Reds were opponents and Lobert, the first man up in the inning, hit for two bases. Brainerd hit a bouncer to the pitcher, who turned to throw to third and saw Lobert well on his way back to second base. The pitcher threw to Mollwitz, at first base. Brainerd had rounded first base, and was more than half way to second. Mollwitz was going to throw to second to catch Brainerd, when he saw Lobert also dashing for the same station. Sensing a mix-up, Mollwitz had the ball and ran for second base. Lobert and Brainerd reached the base almost simultaneously. There was a collision, and both players rolled away from the bag. Mollwitz tagged them out as they sprawled on the ground.

YALE CREW DEFEATED BY COLUMBIA

New Haven, Conn., Nov. 12.—Columbia's eight-oar crew defeated Yale in a mile and seven-eighths race on the local harbor this afternoon by seven tenths of a length. The time was given as 10:47. The race was rowed in a thick fog.

CHESS CLUB HERE AFTER THIRTY YEARS

A meeting was held last evening in the Y.M.C.A., at which it was decided to organize a chess club and have the weekly meetings in the Y.M.C.A. on Friday evenings at 8 o'clock. Judge E. T. C. Knowles was elected president and H. D. Boyaner secretary. It was expected that some of the best chess players in the city will be interested and very shortly give in their names as members. Through the kind offer of Mr. G. T. Fisher the club will be supplied with a set of chess books and also the British Chess Magazine generously donated by Judge Knowles. An invitation is extended to any of the visiting soldiers who may be interested and hopes are that some of them will take advantage of the invitation. Those interested in the formation of the club are Judge E. T. C. Knowles, C. E. Harding, Rev. N. B. Armstrong, J. F. H. Teed, H. I. Knowles, H. L. Boyaner, Rev. F. S. Porter and C. L. Hay. The club expects to have a tournament and later to challenge outside clubs. A good membership is looked for as it has been thirty years since a chess club has been organized here.



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Passed in Three Rivers, Nov. 8: Str Michigan, Liverpool for Montreal.
Halifax, Nov. 10—Arr: Str Silver Sands, Cardiff, coal.

BRITISH PORTS.
Liverpool, Nov. 11—Arr: Str Ordeau, New York.
Swansea, Nov. 9—Sid: Str Three Head, Butt, Three Rivers.
Liverpool, Nov. 9—Arr: Str Corsican, Hamilton, Montreal; 10th: Str Ntman, Rollerson, Boston.
Sid Nov. 5: Str Irishman, Christie, Quebec and Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.
New Orleans, La, Nov. 10—Arr: Str Brow Head, Cardiff.
New York, Nov. 10—Cld: Str Cora May, Lewis, St. John, N. B.
New Rochelle, Nov. 10—Arr: Str Beatrice L. Corbin, Port Dufferin.
Philadelphia, Nov. 12—Sid: Str Tanagra, Dalton, St. John, N. B.
City Island, Nov. 10—Passed: Str John Andrews, Perth Amboy for St. John.
Boston, Nov. 10—Arr: Str James L. Maloy, Apple River, N. S.
Cld Nov. 10: Str John A. Beckerman, Sherbrooke, N. S.
Portland, Nov. 10—Sid: Str Ovid, Glasgow; Strs Myrtle Leaf, Boston; W. B. Seal, New York.
Arr Nov. 10: Str Renswick, Nesbit, Newport News, to load grain.
Vineyard Haven, Nov. 10—Arr: Strs W. H. Mason, Port Reading; Itaska, Nova Scotia.

MARINE NOTES.
THE FIRST SAILING.
The Donaldson Line winter sailings commence today when the steamer Ramore Head leaves Glasgow with general cargo for St. John. Leaving St. John the steamer will sail for Belfast for the Head Line.

RECENT CHARTERS.
Str Burnaby, Portland to Avonmouth 25,000 qrs grain, 12c. Nov-Dec. Ship Chili, Portland to West Britain, grain, 55s, Dec-Jan. Ship Carle, same. Ship Torpschoore, same, 50s. Ship Rhine, Newport News to Buenos Ayres, coal, \$8, prompt.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

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Chicago, Nov. 12—Wheat—No 2 red, 1.12 to 1.13 1/2; No 3 red, 1.06 to 1.10; No 2 hard, 1.05 to 1.06 1/2; No 3 hard, 1.00 to 1.03.			
Corn—No 2 yellow, old, 66; No 2 white, old, 64 1/2 to 64 1/2; No 2 white, new, 61 1/2 to 62.			
Oats—No 3 white, 35 to 35 1/2; standard, 39 to 39 1/2.			
Barley—55 to 65.			
Rye—No 2, 1.00.			
Timothy—5.00 to 8.00.			
Clover—10.00 to 20.00.			
Pork—14.25.			
Lard—8.90.			
Ribs—10.20 to 10.70.			
Wheat.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	103 1/2	104 1/2	106 1/2
Dec.	104 1/2	103	104 1/2
Corn.			
May	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
Dec.	60 1/2	59 1/2	60 1/2
Oats.			
May	38 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Dec.	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2

NOTICE TO MARINERS.
Notice is hereby given that the Ball's Rock submarine bell buoy is out of position. Will be replaced as soon as possible.
CHAS. H. HARVEY,
Agent Marine and Fisheries Dept.
Halifax, N. S., November 11th, 1916.

LATEST FINANCIAL AND SHIPPING NEWS AND NOTES

SHIPPING

MINIATURE ALMANAC.
November Phase of the Moon.
New moon, 7th ... 3h 52m p.m.
First quarter, 13th ... 7h 3m a.m.
Full moon, 21st ... 1h 36m p.m.
Last quarter, 29th ... 6h 11m p.m.

Table with columns: Date, D. of W., Sun Rises, Sun Sets, H. Water at H. Water at L. Water at L. Water at

PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived Friday, Nov. 12, 1915.
Str D A Gordon, Sydney, R P & W F Starr, coal.
Sailed
Str Calvin Austin, Wentworth, Boston via Maine ports, A C Currie.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

Quebec, Nov 8-Ard: Str Manchester Citizen, Halifax.
Passed, Nov 8: Str Mattawa, Liverpool for Montreal.
Passed in Father Point Nov 8: Str Havelock, Shields, etc, for Montreal.
Passed in South Point Nov 8: Str St Cecilia, London for Montreal.
Passed in Three Rivers, Nov 8: Str Michigan, Liverpool for Montreal.
Halifax, Nov 10-Ard: Str Silver Sands, Cardiff, coal.

BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, Nov 11-Ard: Str Ordnance, New York.
Swansea, Nov 9-Sld: Str Torr Head, Butt, Three Rivers.
Liverpool, Nov 9-Ard: Str Corsican, Hamilton, Montreal; 10th: Str Ninan, Holliston, Boston.
Sld Nov 5: Str Irishman, Christie, Quebec and Montreal.

FOREIGN PORTS.

New Orleans, La, Nov 10-Ard: Str Brown Head, Cardiff.
New York, Nov 10-Cld: Str Cora May, Lewis, St John, N.B.
New Rochelle, Nov 10-Ard: Str Beatrice L Corbett, Fort Dufferin.
Philadelphia, Nov 13-Sld: Str Tanagra, Dalton, Salsburg, Sicily.
City Island, Nov 10-Ard: Str John Bracewell, Perth Amboy for St Andrews, N.B.
Boston, Nov 10-Ard: Str James L. Maloy, Apple River, N.S.
Old Nov 10: Str John A Beckerman, Sherbrooke, N.S.
Portland, Nov 10-Sld: Str Ovid, Glasgow, Schs Myrtle Leaf, Boston; W B do.
Ard Nov 10: Str Renwick, Neabit, Newport News, to load grain.
Vineyard Haven, Nov 10-Ard: Strs William Mason, Port Reading; Itaska, Nova Scotia.

MARINE NOTES.

THE FIRST SAILING.
The Donaldson Line winter sailings commence today when the steamer Ramore Head leaves Glasgow with general cargo for St. John. Leaving St. John the steamer will sail for Belfast for the Head Line.

RECENT CHARTERS.

Str Burnaby, Portland to Avonmouth 25,000 qrs grain, 12c, Nov-Dec. Ship Chilli, Portland to West Britain, grain, 55c, Dec-Jan. Ship Carle, same ship Turpechore, same, 50c. Ship Rhino, Newport, News to Buenos Ayres, coal, \$5, prompt.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE

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Agent Marine and Fisheries Dept.
Halifax, N. S., November 11th, 1915.

TRADING DULL AND FEW FEATURES OF SPECIAL INTEREST YESTERDAY

Except for occasional spurt in morning and during final hour market inactive and colorless - War Shares moved to higher levels.

New York, Nov. 12-In its technical and speculative aspects today's market was largely a repetition of the session immediately preceding. Trading again favored of the professional, and was dull, except during the forenoon and in the final hour, when moderate activity ruled. Numerous specialties, including war shares, and like issues, were moved to higher levels, and copper, particularly American Smelting, the second most active issue of the day, substantially supplemented recent gains. High grade railways and kindred investment stocks were irregular, when not actually reactionary. Overnight developments so far as they touched upon home affairs, furnished ground for increased optimism, especially as applied to industrial conditions. Demand for iron and steel and other base metals in itself offered sufficient explanation for the strength of industrial securities.

The operations of pools were seen in the additional advances scored by Automobile shares, the movement being accompanied by further rumors of deals or commissions. Willys-Overland rose 12 to 24; Studebaker 4 to 158%, and Maxwell common, 3 to 74.

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

New York, Nov. 12-The market maintained an advancing tendency during the greater part of the day, but around two o'clock the advance became too rapid, and the weaker part of the short interests was driven in, and the way was thereby paved for a reaction. Some of the issues which had made the largest advances declined two or three points from their best figures, but the trading turned dull at the decline and there was some recovery in the last few minutes of trading. It was reported that plans had been made for a merger of Lackawanna Steel, Cambria Steel, Penna Steel, Jones & Laughlin and a few other concerns of less importance, it being asserted that the purchase from the Penna. Railroad of its remaining interest in Cambria Steel is in connection with the construction plans. The stock of the Pittsburgh Coal Co. advanced sharply at the close to discount the early announcement of a plan to pay off the back dividends on the Pfd. It is said that the bonds will be exchanged for the Pfd. stock on the basis of 140 for each share and the accumulated back dividends thereon. That the Allies do not expect an early termination of the war is indicated by the fact that they have placed an order for powder worth the Dominion Powder Co. aggregating \$65,000,000, delivery to be made in 1917. Mr. Schwab makes the statement that the fire at the Beth. works will not cause a delay of more than five or six weeks. Large sales of Copper were made in the course of the day, but at a level nearer to 18 cents than the 18 1/2 cent nominally quoted. Sales \$34,000. Bonds \$5,000,000. Total sales, par value, aggregated \$5,575,000.

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

Table with columns: Commodity, Price, etc. Includes Am Beet-Sug, Am Car Ry, Am Loco, Am Smelt, Amcords, Am Tele, Atchison, Am Can, Balt and O Co, Beth Steel, Brook Rap Tr, C P I, Ches and Ohio, Chino, Cent Leath, Can Pac, Cruc Steel, Erie Com, Gr Nor Pfd, Lehigh Val, Miss Pac, NY NH and H, NY Cent, Nor Pac, Penn, Press SH Car, Reading Com, Rep Steel, St Paul, Son Pac, Sloss, Studebaker, Un Pac Com, U S Steel Com, U S Steel Pfd, U S Rub Com, Westing Elec.

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

(McDOUGALL & COWANS)
Morning
Montreal, Friday, Nov. 12th-
Cedars Com.-10 @ 78 1/2, 25 @ 78 1/2, 10 @ 78.
Can. Loco.-1 @ 57.
Steel of Canada Pfd.-5 @ 90.
Carriage-25 @ 49, 5 @ 48 1/2, 100 @ 49 1/2, 25 @ 49 1/2.
Steamships Pfd.-106 @ 74, 110 @ 74, 60 @ 75.
Steamships Com.-120 @ 20, 20 @ 19 1/2, 5 @ 19.
Steel of Canada-220 @ 44 1/2, 70 @ 44 1/2, 100 @ 44 1/2, 10 @ 45, 25 @ 44 1/2.
Textile-75 @ 75.
Cement Com.-50 @ 41, 30 @ 42, 15 @ 41 1/2, 125 @ 42 1/2, 10 @ 43, 50 @ 43.
Tram Power-75 @ 40.
Steel of Canada Com.-205 @ 49 1/2, 110 @ 49 1/2, 100 @ 49 1/2, 335 @ 50.
Shawinigan-25 @ 136, 50 @ 136 1/2, 140 @ 137, 420 @ 138, 220 @ 138 1/2, 155 @ 137 1/2, 50 @ 137 1/2.
General Electric-350 @ 239 1/2.
Canada Car.-100 @ 98, 210 @ 99, 25 @ 99 1/2, 125 @ 99 1/2, 20 @ 100.
Laur. Pulp-50 @ 90, 15 @ 192, 160 @ 194, 50 @ 193, 50 @ 194 1/2, 25 @ 194 1/2, 25 @ 195.
Ames Pfd.-100 @ 23, 75 @ 22, 245 @ 21, 80 @ 20 1/2, 240 @ 20, 105 @ 20 1/2, 95 @ 20, 50 @ 19 1/2, 220 @ 19 1/2.
C. Cottons Pfd.-10 @ 75.
Afternoon
Steamships Com.-75 @ 19.
Steamships Pfd.-25 @ 74 1/2.
Textile-75 @ 75.
Cement Com.-50 @ 43, 100 @ 42 1/2.
Tram Power-100 @ 40.
Dom. Iron Com.-100 @ 50, 75 @ 49 1/2, 10 @ 49 1/2, 5 @ 49 1/2.
Ames Pfd.-100 @ 60, 25 @ 61 1/2, 20 @ 62, 25 @ 62 1/2.
Ames Com.-50 @ 19 1/2, 70 @ 20, 30 @ 19 1/2, 125 @ 44 1/2, 50 @ 44 1/2, 55 @ 45.
Canada Car Com.-125 @ 100, 15 @ 99.
Laur. Pulp-345 @ 196, 566 @ 196 1/2, 450 @ 197, 150 @ 197.
General Electric-5 @ 120.
Am. Steel-25 @ 99 1/2, 25 @ 99 1/2.
Quebec Ry.-165 @ 13 1/2, 10 @ 13 1/2.
Forging-15 @ 130, 45 @ 140.
Dom. Bridge-10 @ 225.
Ames Pfd.-100 @ 60, 25 @ 61 1/2, 20 @ 62, 25 @ 62 1/2.
Ames Com.-50 @ 19 1/2, 70 @ 20, 30 @ 19 1/2, 125 @ 44 1/2, 50 @ 44 1/2, 55 @ 45.

PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, Nov. 12-CORN-American, No. 2 yellow, 77 to 78.
FLOUR-Manitoba spring wheat patents, 5.95; seconds, 5.45; strong bakers, 5.25; winter patents, choice, 5.87; straight rollers, 5.10 to 5.20; base, 2.40 to 2.50.
MILLFEED-Bran, 21; Shorts, 23; Middlings, 29 to 30; Moultrie, 30 to 32.
HAY-No. 2, per ton, car lots, 17 1/2 to 18 1/2.
POTATOES-Per bag, car lots, 95 to 1.15.

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Will leave St. John (Old May Queen wharf) every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8.30 a. m. for Fredericton; will leave Fredericton every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 8.30 a. m. returning ALTERNATE DAYS, leaving Fredericton 7.30 a. m.
The "D. J. Purdy" and "Majestic" can be chartered at any time for Excursions and Picnics.
ST. JOHN-WASHADEMOAK ROUTE
The steamer "MAJESTIC" will sail from North End for Cole's Island and intermediate points every MONDAY, WEDNESDAY and FRIDAY at 8.30 a. m., returning ALTERNATE DAYS, leaving Fredericton 7.30 a. m.
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Warehouse No. 304.

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CHARGE OF TIME.

Fail and Winter Time Table of the GRAND MANAN S.S. CO.
Grand Manan Route-Season 1915-16
After October 1st, 1915, and until further notice, a steamer of this line will run as follows:
Leave Grand Manan Mondays at 7.30 a. m. for St. John, via Eastport, Campobello and Wilson's Beach.
Returning leave Turnbull's Wharf, St. John, Wednesdays at 7.30 a. m. for Grand Manan, via Wilson's Beach, Campobello and Eastport.
Leave Grand Manan Thursdays at 8 a. m. for St. Stephen, via Campobello, Eastport and St. Andrews.
Returning, leave St. Stephen Fridays at 7.30 a. m. for Grand Manan, via St. Andrews, Eastport and Campobello.
Leave Grand Manan Saturdays at 7.30 a. m. for St. Andrews.
Returning same day, leaving St. Andrews at 1 p. m., calling at Campobello and Eastport both ways.
Atlantic Standard Time.
L. C. GUPTILL, Manager, Grand Manan.

MANCHESTER LINE

From Manchester, St. John, Nov. 13
From St. John, Manchester Inventor Dec. 4
Nov. 29 Manchester Engineer Dec. 6
Nov. 27 Manchester Merchant Dec. 18
Dec. 4 Manchester Miller
Dec. 11 Manchester Citizen Jan. 1
Dec. 18 Manchester Shipper Jan. 3
Dec. 25 Manchester Corporation Jan. 15
Steamers marked (*) take cargo to Philadelphia.
Steamers and dates subject to change.
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AGENT-Thorne Wharf and Warehouse Co., St. John, N. B.
*Phone 2531. Manager, Lewis Coronar, Black's Harbor, N. B.
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THE WEATHER.

Forecast.

Maritime—Fresh to strong southerly to southeasterly winds, a few light scattered showers but mostly fair and mild.

Washington, Nov. 12.—Northern New England—Showers Saturday, followed by fair and colder afternoon; Sunday fair; fresh northwest to west winds.

Toronto, Nov. 12.—A few light showers have occurred in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces and local snowfalls over Lake Superior and in the west. The weather is cold from the interior of British Columbia to the Upper Lake region; elsewhere mild.

Temperatures.

	Min.	Max.
Prince Rupert	36	58
Victoria	36	44
Vancouver	30	44
Kamloops	16	22
Calgary	6	20
Edmonton	24	24
Battleford	10	16
Medicine Hat	10	24
Regina	7	15
Moose Jaw	10	21
Prince Albert	3	10
Winnipeg	14	22
Parry Sound	42	48
London	41	63
Toronto	46	54
Ottawa	34	56
Montreal	34	50
Quebec	32	40
St. John	38	44
Halifax	40	48

Around the City

Hit by Auto.

At 12:40 o'clock yesterday afternoon Edward Sharkey was struck and knocked down on Mill street by an automobile and was slightly injured.

Gramophone Records.

Detectives Barrett and Briggs yesterday afternoon arrested a fourteen year old girl on the charge of stealing \$20 and three gramophone records from a house on Sheriff street.

Drunk This Time.

John Barry was arrested for being drunk on Mill street. Only a few days ago Barry was arrested on the charge of vagrancy and was ordered out of court.

The Union Label.

Typographical Union No. 85 and Pressman's Union No. 36, have formed an allied printing trades council with Fred Stubbs president; James Case, vice-president, and Alfred Dever, secretary. A campaign to have the allied label on all printing has been started. Already several offices have signed the contract entitling them to use the label.

All Out on Bail.

B. L. Gerow, who is representing the twenty Chinese who were committed for trial, two on the charge of being the proprietors of an opium joint, and a gaming house, and the other eighteen for being inmates, yesterday afternoon succeeded in getting all of his clients out of jail on bail. In some of the cases the Chinese put up a deposit of money, while in others they had citizens go bonds for their appearance at the sitting of the court in February next.

Retail Market.

There was a large supply of provisions in the local market yesterday, meats being abundant in all departments. Roasts of beef sold from 12c. to 25c.; lamb, 12c. to 20c.; pork, 16c. to 20c. A large supply of wild ducks brought from 50 cents to \$1 the brace. Chickens, of which there was an ample supply, brought from 18c. to 25c. per pound. Turkeys were a little cheaper 25c. to 30c. per pound being the figures. Vegetables were at the prices usual for the time of year. The price of potatoes has not changed materially 30c. per peck and \$2.50 per barrel being asked for and obtained for good stock. Butter and eggs remain at last week's prices.

Sacred Concert.

At the Opera House on Sunday afternoon and evening the grand concert under the auspices of the staff of the post office for the benefit of the Soldiers' Comfort Association and the Patriotic Fund promises to be a huge success, a large number anticipating the event with enthusiasm. By courtesy of Colonel Hay the band of the 52nd Battalion will play various selections. Amongst those offering their services will be Madame Furlong-Schmidt, now filling an engagement at the Imperial Theatre, Miss Kennedy, leading lady of the Partello Stock Co., Miss Blenda Thomson, Mrs. George K. Price, Mrs. Murray Long, A. Chip Ritchie, H. S. Mayes and Fred Joyce. Professor D. Arnold Fox will accompany on the pianoforte, and Harrison's orchestra will also be present and provide suitable music.

PERSONAL.

Miss George C. Irwin, graduate nurse, will leave on Monday for Boston, where she has accepted position as superintendent of the new Middlesex Hospital, Cambridge, Mass.

J. B. McAuley, of Lower Millstream, and formerly warden of Kings county, was in the city yesterday. He was at the Victoria.

LESLIE YOUNG SAW THE KING IN FRANCE

With Ammunition Column which left here with 26th Battalion.

Policeman Henry Young received a letter yesterday from his brother Leslie, who is with the Ammunition Column now fighting in France. The letter was dated October 28th and in part the soldier says that it has been raining hard for four days and there was plenty of mud. "The Germans and the Canadian aeroplanes had a great fight here last Tuesday afternoon and they say that they brought down two German aeroplanes. I have not been up to the trenches for about a week. I was talking to some of the boys from the 26th Battalion. They just came out of the trenches, they had been in four days and they said that they lost some of their men. I was out with my team yesterday getting some coal and while we were getting it King George went by and I had a good look at him. There was about twenty of us and we went on the side of the road and gave him a salute and he returned it. The King was over here looking at the troops."

Leslie Young left St. John with the Ammunition Column which was mobilized on Partridge Island and drilled at Fredericton. They left St. John on the same ship as the 26th Battalion. He wishes to be remembered to all his friends in St. John.

ENGLISH BOYS COMING HERE NEXT SPRING

James Gilchrist has been asked to give list of homes.

James Gilchrist, provincial secretary of the Immigration Department, has received a communication from J. Morrison McLeod, secretary of the Royal Masonic Institution for Boys, Kingsway, London, asking for a list of homes for boys to be located in New Brunswick early next year. A large number of boys from the institution have already come to the province, through the agency of the immigration department and Mr. Gilchrist says that in all cases they have proved a good asset in farming and other spheres of activity.

W. F. BURDITT A DELEGATE TO CONFERENCE

Board of Trade Council appoints him representative at Toronto.

At a meeting of the Council of the Board of Trade held at noon yesterday, a letter was read from D. F. Maxwell, provincial engineer, stating that good foundations at reasonable cost had been secured, as a result of the borings recently made on the St. John and Kennebecoasis rivers for Valley Railway crossings.

The Council expressed its hearty sympathy with the resolution of the Sherbrooke Board of Trade looking to the encouragement of automobile tourists from the United States.

W. F. Burditt was appointed as a delegate to the preliminary conference for the formation of a Civic Improvement League, to be held in Toronto November 19th. The Council also took occasion to express its appreciation of Mr. Burditt's labors in the direction of town planning, improved housing and civic improvement.

REGULATIONS FOR LOBSTER FISHING HERE

Hon. Mr. Hazen relieves fishermen from unfair competition.

Changes have been made in the New Brunswick Fishery regulations to relieve fishermen from the unfair competition of the Nova Scotian Lobster Fishery Regulations, which place no minimum on the size of lobsters which may be caught. This is a matter in which the Hon. J. D. Hazen, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, has interested himself deeply. The new regulations read: "No one shall fish for, catch, kill or sell lobsters, from the 18th day of June in each year to the 14th day of November following, both days inclusive, on and along that portion of the coast or the waters thereof, of the Province of New Brunswick, embraced and included within the County of Charlotte, nor shall anyone within the above described limits fish for, catch or kill at any time any lobster or lobsters the carapace of which measures less than 4 1/2 inches in length."

"No one shall fish for, catch, kill or sell lobsters from the 1st day of June in each year to the 14th day of November following, both days inclusive on and along that portion of the coast or waters thereof, of the Province of New Brunswick embraced and included within the County of St. John, nor shall anyone within the above described limits fish for, catch or kill at any time any lobster or lobsters under nine inches in length, measuring from head to tail, exclusive of claws or feelers."

A Great Record.

Andy Irvine was arrested last evening on the charge of being from door to door on Curman street. This makes over the 150th time that Andy has been arrested and accordingly has spent a great part of his lifetime in jail.

EXTRA SPECIAL BARGAINS FOR SATURDAY SHOPPERS AT MARR'S BIG SALE

A threefold bargain feature combining the strongest attractions so far offered in their winter clearance of this season is presented today by the Marr Millinery Co., Ltd., who have placed on sale a newly opened line of the newest developments in untrimmed hats priced at the wonderfully low figure of \$1.00 each, thus enabling thrifty shoppers to secure three ultra modish millinery creations for what would ordinarily be asked for one.

Particularly interesting from the value viewpoint is a well varied array of trimmed hats, designed from the most popular prevailing patterns, and offered while they last at \$2.00 each—less than a third of what they would regularly command.

Especially noteworthy is the third offering, which consists a dainty array of real ostrich feather boas which challenge comparison with similar lines at \$2.25 each, but are priced for this sale at only \$1.39 each, and rarely good values they are!

Keys Found.

The police report finding a bunch of keys on Brussels street yesterday and the owner can receive the same on application at police headquarters.

ADVERTISING FOR PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

The increasing demand upon the space of The Standard for announcements of patriotic and similar undertakings have compelled this paper to impose certain conditions under which this free publicity may be granted. It is not the desire to hamper in any way the activities of those engaged in the many valuable works now being carried on, and under the conditions herewith outlined this paper will continue to assist to the best of its ability all those so engaged.

"All patriotic undertakings other than recruiting must be confined to a space not exceeding one hundred words each, and only one insertion of such announcement will be given free of charge. Copy must be handed in, not telephoned, not later than 8 p.m. Requests to copy announcements from other newspapers will not be recognized. All matter for which space is requested received later than the hour named or for specified position other than that allotted shall be paid for at the rate of five cents per count line of six words per line.

All display advertising in connection with patriotic undertakings shall be paid for at the rate of 14c. per inch.

Detailed acknowledgements of contributions will not be accepted for free publication, but will be inserted at 14c. per inch.

These conditions and rates will be rigidly adhered to. No free notices will be given entertainments unless the total receipts are for patriotic effort.

A RECRUITING PAVILLION IN KING SQUARE

Committee will ask city for necessary permission—Offers of material.

At the meeting of the citizens' recruiting committee yesterday afternoon the necessity of providing for complete organization in the matter of recruiting in the province was emphasized by one of the members. The matter will be taken up with Captain L. P. D. Tilley. A report was submitted by the committee in charge of the project to erect a temporary building for recruiting purposes in King Square. It stated that the city authorities had not as yet been formally approached on the subject. It was mentioned that the idea is to have a temporary building put up as a voluntary effort, such as has obtained in Vancouver, where in twelve hours a suitable building had been erected, painted, and made fit for use within twelve hours. Offers of material for the proposed new structure have already come in, the committee reporting that one firm had offered to supply gratuitously such Beaver board as might be required for the interior, and that an architect had offered to provide plans and specifications free of charge. Several matters with reference to meetings to be held in the near future were discussed and agreed to.

TWO CHILDREN LOOKING FOR PARENTS HERE

Came from Sydney but found only vacant house—Continue search today.

On Thursday a eleven year old boy and twelve year old girl, brother and sister, arrived in the city from Cape Breton. They gave their names as Munroe and stated that they were looking for their father and mother who resided in the city. There was no person to meet them on the arrival of the train and Miss Hoyt of the Girls' Association, took charge of the youngsters and got into communication with C. D. Howard of the Boys' Association. It was decided to care for the little wanderers in the Girls' Home that night. Yesterday morning Mr. Howard took the girl and boy in charge and set out to locate the home of their parents, and after considerable search finally located the house at 171 Chesley street, but it was found open and unoccupied. Persons residing near stated that the Munroes had moved out three weeks ago, but did not know where they had moved.

It was then learned that a member of the Munroe family had been seen on Adelaide street a few days ago and Mr. Howard thinking that the family resided in that vicinity, immediately but was unsuccessful in finding them. The girl and boy were very poorly clad and were supplied with a coat and rubbers.

From the story given by the youngsters their father's name was D. N. Munroe and he was an agent. The family had moved from Sydney to St. John and the boy had come with them, while the girl remained in Cape Breton with her grandmother. There was also in the family a baby and another boy and girl. The boy, who arrived in the city Thursday, said that he left St. John last July and travelled to Cape Breton to his grandmother's house. A few days ago he left with his sister for St. John and his father had not notified the grandmother that he was moving from the Chesley street house. It is expected by Mr. Howard that the family will be located today and the children will find their home.

Ladies' and Children's Underwear.

F. A. Dykeman & Co. are now selling three hundred dozen of ladies' and children's underwear which was a clean-up purchase from one of the big mills at a discount of one-third. That means a great saving for those who have not yet bought their winter underwear. The 50c. quality is selling at 33c.; the 75c. quality is on sale at 50c., and the \$1 underwear is on sale at 65 cents. The other prices are in proportion. Some very fine pure wool combination suits in ladies' and children's sizes can be had from this stock.

An appeal has been made for apples for the convalescing Canadian soldiers in English hospitals, for which an apple tea is to be held in the lower school room of Trinity church from 4 to 6 on Saturday. Admission 15 cents. This tea is under the patronage of a band of energetic young workers. Come and help send apples to our boys.

Fashion's Newest Fancies

LADIES' LEATHER HANDBAGS

Including Best English Productions

With the holiday season but few weeks distant, many timely and attractive gift suggestions are offered in our select showing of new style effects in Ladies' Leather Hand Bags, which embraces the most recent London models the materials including Seal, Morocco, and Moire Silk.

These have been chosen with exceptional care as to quality and finish, the extensive variety removing all obstacles to an easy selection.

We would suggest an early inspection as the variety is now at its best.

See Our Upper King Street Window

Market Square - W. H. THORNE & CO., LTD. - King Street

Macaulay Bros. & Co., King Street, St. John, N. B.

Saturdays our stores will be open until 10 p.m.; open at 9 a.m.; close 6 p.m., excepting Saturday 10 p.m.

Fox's Khaki Puttees, the Best, \$3.00 a Pair

KHAKI STRAIGHT PUTTEES, KHAKI LEATHER MONEY BELTS WITH SIX POCKETS.

EAR SHIELDS—The best thing to protect the back of neck and ears ever brought out; can be worn under any hat or cap; take up no room.

"CANADA" in bronze plates for shoulders.

"MAPLE LEAVES" in bronze for collars of tunic and cap front.

POLISHED STEEL MIRRORS—In flat leather case; small enough to put in pocket; 2 1/2 x 4 in. 35c each

KHAKI SWEATERS, BODY BELTS.

KHAKI POCKET HANDKERCHIEFS 10c. each

SWAGGER STICKS 25c. each

KHAKI TIES 45c.

KHAKI FLANEL SHIRTS—Best London made. Special low price, \$2.55 each; all sizes.

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

Buy the "Enterprise Monarch" Steel Range

It Will Give You Satisfaction Every Day of the Year

Every device to secure ease of operation, with perfect control of fire and economy of fuel is embodied in the MONARCH. Thousands of these stoves in use. Any owner will tell you there is no range to equal it.

It will be a pleasure to have you call and have its many special features explained.

THE ENTERPRISE LINE FOR QUALITY



Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

Stores Open 8.30. Close at 6 o'clock. Saturdays 10 p. m.

Continuation Today of the Great Sale of Fashionable Millinery

For Ladies, Misses and Children

IN THE MILLINERY SALON.

Unprecedented Sale of SILKS

Commencing This Morning

This is an assortment of Fancy Silks which for value has never before been offered to the public at the price. These silks include

BROCADED SATINS, PLAIDS, DRESDENS, STRIPED EFFECTS, COLORED MOIRES, ROMAN STRIPES, FIGURED SILKS AND FANCY CREPES.

Suitable for Dresses, Blouse Waists, for trimming purposes and Christmas work. Sale price. Per yard 50c

ALSO AN ASSORTMENT OF REGIMENTAL STRIPE SILKS

Suitable for Blouse Waists, Trimmings, etc., at yard 75c

SILK DEPARTMENT—SECOND FLOOR.

Exceptional Style is the Leading Feature of These New Overcoats

Stylishness is one of the important points to consider in the choosing of an Overcoat, and in this fine exhibit style is served up in so many smart models for this winter as to call for favorable comment from those familiar with the superior fashion of the coats we sell.

MEN'S OVERCOATS from \$10.00 to \$30.00

BOYS' AND YOUTHS' OVERCOATS, eight to seventeen, from \$5.50 to \$15.00.

BOYS' FANCY OVERCOATS, two and a half to ten years, from \$3.75 to \$12.00.

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.



Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

MEN OF NEW BRUNSWICK LOOK WITH PRIDE ON THE GLORIOUS RECORD OF THE 104TH REGT.

DR. HANNAY OUTLINES CAREER OF THE REGIMENT FROM ITS MOBILIZATION TO END OF WAR

The Natural Successor of the Old New Brunswick Regiment, It Was Not Particularly Well Treated by the Assembly of That Day, but Made Its Mark in the Campaign of 1813 and Won Honor in Every Battle.

In connection with the presentation to Lieut.-Col. George W. Fowler, of the sword carried by Lieut. W. B. Phair of the original 104th New Brunswick Regiment, information prepared by the late Dr. Jas. Hannay and the late Archdeacon Raymond of the career of this famous regiment will no doubt be of more than passing interest. Dr. Hannay describes at some length the organization and activities of the regiment, while Dr. Raymond devotes his attention very largely to the famous march from Fredericton to Quebec.

Succeeded the Kings N. B. Regt.
Dr. Hannay explains that the 104th Regiment was the natural successor of the King's New Brunswick regiment which was raised in 1793 when war broke out between Britain and France and was disbanded in 1802 after the peace of Amiens. The war with France being renewed in 1803 the folly of this demobilization became apparent, and New Brunswick at once set about the task of raising another regiment which eventually became the New Brunswick Regiment of Fencible Infantry, numbering twelve companies and with a strength of upwards of one thousand men. Of those officers who had originally belonged to the old New Brunswick Regiment only a few are known to have held commissions in the new organization, these being, Captain Dugal Campbell, Wm. Barry Phair, W. R. Bradley and Dr. Thos. Emerson. The New Brunswick Regiment of Fencible Infantry was stationed in this province from the time of its formation until February, 1813, after the outbreak of the war with the United States, excepting that in June 1808, Capt. Shore with two companies was sent to Garrison, Sydney, C. B., and that in 1809 when the 101st Regiment was removed from St. John to the West Indies, part of the New Brunswick Regiment came here from Fredericton to take its place. During that summer the troops were employed in making a road from St. John to Fredericton, and in February, 1811, in view of the prospect of war with the United States the regiment was garrisoned at the 104th Regiment, the first colonial regiment ever absorbed into the British line. This was an important event in the history of the corps and was very properly regarded as a highly honorable distinction.

Attack at Sackett's Harbor
The first operation in which the 104th was engaged after its arrival in Upper Canada was the attack on Sackett's Harbor, which was the principal depot of the United States army and navy on Lake Ontario. The attempt on this important place was made on the 27th May, 1813, and the troops which took part in it were the Grenadier Company of the 100th Regiment, a section of the Royal Scots (1st Regt. Incent) two companies of the 8th, four companies of the 104th, one company of the Glenshire Light Infantry, two companies of the Canadian Voltigeurs, a small detachment of the Royal Newfoundland Regiment, and two 6-pounder field pieces and their gunners, numbering altogether about 750 rank and file. A landing was effected with but little loss, but the attempt to carry the fort and barracks failed owing to the faint heartedness of the British commander, Sir George Prevost, who ordered a retreat at a time when a little perseverance would have won the position. Major Drummond, "Allow me a few minutes, sir, and I will put you in possession of the place." To this appeal Sir George replied "Obey your orders, sir, and learn the first duty of a soldier." The loss suffered in returning to the boats was much heavier than it had been during the advance, so that the repulse was more costly than a victory would have been. The British loss was 50 men killed and 211 wounded, or 261 in all, a heavy percentage out of a force of 750 men. The loss of the 104th was very large. Although the four companies engaged probably did not exceed in strength 300 men, the loss of the regiment was returned as 22 killed and 69 wounded, a total of 91. Seven officers were wounded. Majors, Drummond and Moodie, Captains, Leonard and Shore, and Lieutenants, Rainford, Moore and de Lancy. This was a very good beginning for a young regiment which had never before been in action.

Attack at Sackett's Harbor
After the affair at Sackett's Harbor the 104th Regiment marched from

List of Officers
War broke out with the United States in June 1812, and as New Brunswick had to be defended it was not until February, 1813, that the 104th could be spared for service elsewhere. Its place in New Brunswick was taken by a battalion of the 8th regiment, the other battalion of which was then serving in Upper Canada.

The officers of the 104th Regiment at the time were as follows:
Colonel Martin Hunter.
Lieut.-Col. Alexander Halkett.
Majors, William Drummond, Robert Moodie.
Captains, Thomas Hunter, Staff, Richard Leonard, Staff, A. G. Armstrong, Peter Dinan, Wm. E. Bradley, B. A. Loring, G. V. Geran, John Masie, Major, George Shore, William Proctor, Edward Holland.
Lieutenants, George Jobling, John Jenkins, Adjt. Frederick Shaffalisky, James De Lancy, John Carmichael, Thomas Leonard, Samuel Higby, Alexander Campbell, A. W. Playfair, J. McCoutear, R. J. Ireland, Henry Long, Andrew Rainford, Charles Rainford, John McKinnon, Wm. B. Phair, L. Bassor, C. D. Rankine, P. B. Sutherland, H. N. Moorson, George Crood, A. C. Macdonald, Frederick Moore, James Grey.

Ensigns, E. W. Solomon, A. Graves, James A. Macleachlan, William Martin, Constable, James Miller, Charles Jobling, James Coyne, James Coates, H. H. Carmichael, Paymaster; Wm. McDonald, Quartermaster; John Jenkins, Adjutant; Wm. D. Thomas, Surgeon; Thos. Emerson, Wm. Woodforde, Asst. Surgeons.

These officers were not all natives of this province, nor is it to be presumed that the whole of the one thousand men who formed the regiment were born in New Brunswick.

A Political Insult
On the day previous to the departure of the regiment from Fredericton on its wonderful march to Quebec, a resolution expressing the pride of the province in this regiment was introduced into the House of Assembly, but strange to say was passed by a majority of only one vote, nine members supporting it and eight opposing it, among the latter being the three representatives for St. John. This is the more remarkable in that a short time afterwards the same House of Assembly voted three hundred pounds to a detachment of the 8th Regiment and to naval men on their departure for Quebec over the same vote. The House of Assembly at that time thus appears to have been more friendly to strangers than to men composing its own corps.

In the 1813 Campaign
Leaving Fredericton on the 16th of February, 1813, the regiment covered the three hundred and sixty miles to Quebec under adverse conditions in a most creditable manner, and after a few days rest went to Upper Canada, where it became engaged in the campaign of that year. Although the Colonel of the regiment was Alexander Halkett, the corps was directed by the operations of the Senior Major William Drummond a brother of General Gordon Drummond, who commanded the British army at Lundy's Lane.

Presentation of the Sword Carried by Lieut. Phair of the Regiment of a Century Ago Recalls the Career of the First Colonial Corps to be Absorbed Into the British Line and the Wonderful Record Made by Those Heroes of the Snows.

THE HISTORIC SWORD AND ITS NEW OWNER

Committee Secured This Memento from a Grandson of the Original Owner and Have Had a New Sheath Made to Carry It—Col. Fowler a Worthy Recipient.

The sword which was presented to Lieut.-Col. George W. Fowler, commanding officer of the 104th Regiment, last evening at the great gathering in Queen's Rink was carried through the campaign of 1813 by Lieut. William Barry Phair, an officer of the old 104th Regiment. It has remained in Lieut. Phair's family ever since, and was secured from a grandson of that officer by the Recruiting Committee only after a great deal of difficulty, as the owner naturally did not feel disposed to part with an heirloom of such historic value. The committee turned over the sword to a group of friends of Lieut.-Col. Fowler on whose behalf the presentation was made last evening.

In the passage of years the original sheath was lost, but the committee have had a new one made to fit the Sam Brown equipment now worn by Canadian officers, this work being done by Messrs. Horton & Co. of this city.

Like the sword of Roland, which was such an inspiration to the Paladins of France in the days of old, this sword of the old and famous 104th will no doubt prove, in the possession of Lieut.-Col. Fowler, an incentive to the men of the present day 104th to equal or surpass the glorious record of their fellow Britons of a century ago.

Kingston to join General Vincent's command on the Niagara frontier. They reached their destination immediately after the American defeat at Stony Creek, and were placed in the van of the army which was following the retreating enemy. Detachments were pushed forward to occupy the cross roads at Ten Mile Creek, and at the Beaver Dam, the latter place being occupied by a subaltern and 30 men of the 104th. As this little force was somewhat isolated, the Americans formed a design to capture it, and on the 23rd of June, Lieut.-Col. Boerstler with a detachment of infantry, cavalry and artillery, numbering 673 officers and men, left Fort St. George for that purpose. The fate of this detachment is the most extraordinary episode of the war, for it was captured almost without firing a shot by a clever ruse of Lieutenant Fitzgibbon of the 49th Regiment, who summoned Boerstler to surrender and made him believe he was surrounded by enemies, when in reality he was in no danger what ever. The American commander and 542 of his men became prisoners of war.

Suffered From Sickness
During the summer of 1813, the 104th Regiment remained on the Niagara frontier, suffering greatly from sickness, fever and ague being very prevalent that year. It is thus mainly rather than by loss of life in battle, that regiments and armies are reduced in strength. Later in the year the regiment took part in the operations by which General Wilkinson's attempt on Montreal was defeated, but it was not actually engaged. It missed the glorious victory at Chrysler's farm which put an end to the hopes of the Americans in that quarter.

At Lundy's Lane
The flank companies of the 104th Regiment, numbering about 150 men, under Captains Leonard and Shore,



LT.-COL. GEORGE W. FOWLER AND THE SWORD OF THE 104TH.

took part in the battle of Lundy's Lane. Being on the extreme right, which was but feebly attacked by the enemy, their losses were slight, being one man killed and five wounded. Lieut.-Col. Drummond of the 104th was very active in the battle, and Lieut. Moorson of the regiment, who was on the staff, was killed. The American army fled to Fort Erie and was followed by General Drummond's force, of which the flank companies of the 104th formed a part. Fort Erie was invested by British and the American army was cooped up within its walls.

Had No Recruiting Base
The 104th Regiment lost heavily from disease and other incidents of warfare from the time it took the field, and it had no recruiting ground by means of which its losses could be made good. As soon as it took its departure from New Brunswick, another corps, the New Brunswick Fencibles, was organized by General Coffin, and the recruits from this province which ought to have gone to the 104th were taken into the new organization. Thus the best method of replenishing the wasted ranks of the 104th became a matter of serious concern, and Earl Bathurst, the secretary of the Colonial department, proposed that the negro slaves of Virginia who had fled to the British ships to obtain their freedom should be permitted to enlist in the New Brunswick regiment. This suggestion does not appear to have been carried out.

Disbanded in 1817
The military services of the 104th Regiment ended with the close of the campaign of 1814, for the war was ended nearly in 1815. The regiment was then sent to Quebec where it remained a year. It afterwards did garrison duty at Montreal until the 24th of May, 1817, when it disbanded. Most of the soldiers received grants of

DR. RAYMOND'S STORY OF THE WONDERFUL MARCH TO QUEBEC THROUGH COLD AND HUNGER

On Snowshoes, and Pulling Toboggans Carrying Their Food, These Hardy Pioneers Fought the Wildest Winter on Record, Making Such Progress as Surprised Themselves—A Graphic Story Graphically Told.

land and became settlers, in Canada, New Brunswick and Nova Scotia. Those who were going to the two latter provinces were sent in vessels to Halifax and St. John, receiving two months' pay on their arrival. General Drummond had been very anxious that the 104th Regiment, and two other provincial corps, the Glengarry Regiment and the Canadian Fencibles, should be retained in the British army, but his advice was not heeded, and so these veterans of the war who were looked upon with pride by their fellow countrymen were scattered and their services lost to their country. Even the memory of their achievements seems to have soon faded away, for no attempt was made to obtain from the survivors of the 104th a narrative of their services in two campaigns, and now the story of their battles can only be gathered from the official despatches, which contain but the barest outline of the facts recorded.

Dr. Raymond's Story
The following interesting particulars concerning the famous winter march of the old 104th Regiment during the war of 1812 were written a few years ago by Rev. W. O. Raymond, and in view of the formation of the 104th Battalion now exceeding its full strength they are here reproduced.

The King's New Brunswick Regiment, organized by Governor Carleton for the defence of the province during the war with France in the year 1793 was disbanded in 1802, peace having been proclaimed. The peace was of short duration, for war broke out again the following year. By the efforts of Major-General Hunter a new provincial corps was raised, called the New Brunswick Fencible Regiment. It was in this corps that Captain John Jenkins, the hero of the battle of Ogdensburg, began his military career, his commission as ensign being dated September 19, 1804. The regiment soon attained a good degree of efficiency and the province was justly proud of it. The House of Assembly, at their session in 1807, voted fifty guineas for the purpose of providing a silver trumpet with the arms of New Brunswick engraved thereon, and also for the purchase of such instruments for the regimental band as the colonel should think proper. The efficiency of the New Brunswick Fencibles was such that on February 8, 1811 the corps was garrisoned at the 104th Regiment of the British line.

The Famous March
The 104th Regiment assisted in the construction of the Martello Tower at St. John, in the winter of 1812-13. They left St. John 11th February, 1813, on their way to Canada, the people helping them out, as far as the roads were passable, in sleighs. At Fredericton they were joined by that portion of the regiment stationed at the capital, and on 14th February, the memorable snowshoe tramp to Canada began. The men were sent in successive detachments in order that the track made by each detachment might harden for the benefit of those that might follow. The first detachment, 100 strong, was under command of Lieut.-Col. Halkett. He had four Indians to act as guides to Riviere du Loup. Each succeeding day a company set out until ten divisions, comprising 42 officers, and 1,000 men were plying their snowshoes up the St. John on their way to the seat of war.

Pulled Toboggans
At Fredericton, as at St. John, the citizens turned out with their sleighs and carried the men one day on the road. Each man of the regiment was supplied with a pair of snowshoes, moccasins and a blanket. The supplies were taken on toboggans, one toboggan for every two men; on this were strapped two muskets and ammunition, two knapsacks and fourteen days' rations. Each toboggan was drawn by

one man in front and pushed, or heaved back as necessity required, by one man in rear by means of a stick made fast Indian fashion to the stern of the toboggan. The winter was a very severe one; on this point we have the impartial evidence of Old Parson Dibble's diary: "February 1—Snow—drifted roads well nigh impassable; March 1—Snow four feet deep on a level; March 19—No church on account of the storm; never, never was there such a season. Drifts in some places ten feet above the fences. Lately a succession of storms; people five days setting to Woodstock from Fredericton; roads shovelled only to drift again."

Had Great Appetites
As the several companies marched forward day by day they were obliged to halt about the middle of the afternoon to prepare their encampment for the night. After passing Woodstock, where they were treated with great hospitality by the settlers, the only places where they could find any proper accommodation were at the old military posts at Presque Isle and Grand Falls. When they encamped in the woods they dug away the snow, using their snowshoes for shovels; spruce bushes were placed so as to afford shelter, hard wood cut for fires, camp kettles hung on, and then an onslaught made on the tea, pork and biscuit. With such severe exercise the standard ration of a pound of pork and ten ounces of biscuit did not go far, and the consumption of provisions proceeded at an alarming rate. The men lay at night on cedar and spruce boughs wrapped in their blankets beside the huge fires, some of them built fourteen feet long and four feet high. So intense was the frost the snow walls behind them stood like marble. Occasionally the brush would catch fire and rouse the sleeping soldiers, and on one occasion the regimental colors were with difficulty saved from the flames.

It Was Heavy Work
The bugle sounded reveille two hours before day, when having breakfast the men started off as soon as it was light enough to travel. As long as the travelling on the river was good they got on fairly well, although snowstorms sometimes obliterated the track of the preceding day, but wherever rapids or open water was found they had to climb steep banks and make their way through the forest. They kept up their spirits amazingly, all things considered. One of the officers describing the journey writes: "Our poor fellows with empty stomachs had hard work hauling the toboggans up the steep hills, although the load was light, the provisions being nearly finished, and all of us on short rations for several days, yet in the midst of our privations we had some heavy recreation. Some of the men would slide down the hills on the toboggans, and capsize were of frequent occurrence. Our big black drummer straddled the big drum which was lashed on a toboggan, to try the experiment of a slide, but it jumped the track, shooting him off at high velocity and the sable African came up some distance from where he disappeared a white man from head to foot."

Suffered From Hunger
Hunger was the worst thing they had to face. The hard effort of tramping some 25 miles daily through the snow, and climbing steep hillsides, the thermometer often 20 degrees below zero, created such voracious appetites that a pound of pork (bones included) and ten ounces of biscuit seemed to many of the 104th a mere flea bite. It is doubtful whether any but the hardy forest pioneers of New Brunswick could have performed such a march with less loss and discomfort. Another thing should be mentioned, namely, that during the entire march (Continued on page 16)

Social Notes of the Week



object is to raise funds for the poor of our city, without a doubt many will avail themselves of the opportunity of helping this good cause.

Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer, Germain street, is entertaining this afternoon at the tea hour in honor of Mrs. J. King Hasen, of Fredericton.

Sunday morning last was certainly a fine one in our city when crowds turned out to welcome to St. John the officers and men of the 52nd Battalion on its arrival from Port Arthur. Ladies, members of the different Patriotic Societies were everywhere in evidence along the march route waving flags and cheering the men as they marched from the station. Everybody who saw the Western battalion spoke in the highest praise of the marching and the fine physique of the unit, and brought to mind most vividly our own boys of the 1st and 2nd contingents who had marched away to fight for us. The moment it was learned for a certainty that we were to have the 52nd with us the Canadian Club, under the direction of its energetic president, Mrs. Kuhnring, and other societies decided that a suitable ball should be given for the men. So through the courtesy of owners of Caverhill Hall its doors were thrown open and in no time as though a fairy godmother had been round a beautiful reading room with countless magazines, books, writing materials and many comforts were provided, a piano, gramophone, billiard table and everything to make them happy. This first week of the women of the Canadian Club have taken charge of the canteen and the club, and later various organizations of the city will have committees to take charge each week. The members of the Canadian Club this week who took charge included Mrs. A. Kuhnring, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. John Keefe, Mrs. Charles Coster, Mrs. D. B. Pidgeon, Mrs. A. M. Bouillon, Miss Frances Travers and Miss Mary Robertson. The club will be open every day from 10 p. m. until 9.30 when all soldiers are welcome.

The marriage of Miss Hazel St. Claire Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Campbell, to Frederick William Girvan, will be solemnized in St. David's church by Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, on Tuesday, November 16, at four o'clock p. m.

Miss Mary MacLaren and Miss Jeanette Bridges, of this city, were in Toronto attending the McLeod-Trueman wedding on Saturday last.

Colonel and Mrs. Murray MacLaren of this city were in London last week.

Miss Roberta Wisely entertained Saturday evening in honor of Miss Hazel Campbell, who will be principal in an interesting event on Tuesday next.

Mrs. Fannie Burnside is visiting Mrs. D. King Hasen, Cranston avenue.

Dr. and Mrs. F. J. Hogan who have been visiting in Boston returned home this week.

Mr. Hugh McLean, Jr.'s many friends were glad to hear that a cable had been received by his father, Col. McLean, that he had passed his final at the inner Temple for admission to the English bar as a barrister, and has since enlisted in the overseas forces. Major C. Weldon McLean has fully recovered from his wound received in France while in active service.

The annual autumn tea and sale given by the Ladies Association in the Church of England Institute was a great success. Mrs. James F. Robertson and Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer, assisted by a number of young lady members of the Institute. The refreshment committee were Mrs. T. E. G. Armstrong, Mrs. G. A. Kimball, Miss C. Distrow, Mrs. F. J. G. Knowlton, Mrs. H. Russell, Mrs. H. MacKay and Mrs. W. E. Golding. Mrs. James Harding and Mrs. W. R. Nyles were in charge of the refreshment table; Miss Sturdee looked after the candy table.

The bridge of 12 tables given on Wednesday evening by Mrs. H. Fielding Rankine and Mrs. Shirley Peters at the home of Mrs. Peters, Germain street for the Red Cross, was a great success financially as well as socially, the amount raised being over eighty dollars. The large drawing rooms and library were most attractively decorated with flags. Mrs. Rankine received the guests in a beautiful white crepe de chene gown with touches of black lace, and Mrs. Peters was becomingly gowned in pale blue chiffon over pale blue silk with touches of pink. The fortunate prize winners were Mrs. March, Mrs. Merrill, Mr. P. C. MacNeill and Mr. C. J. Allan. Mrs. MacNeill and Mr. Allan put their prizes which were a box of cigars and a book up for auction, the former bringing \$10 and the latter \$6. A delicious supper was served during the evening by the ladies.

Mrs. Hugh Mackay was hostess on Tuesday at the tea hour at her home, Hazen Castle, in honor of Mrs. J. King Hasen, Fredericton. The prettily appointed tea table which was in the drawing room, had for its floral decorations, pink carnations, and was presided over by Mrs. MacNeill, assisted by Miss Dorothy Jack, Miss Isabel Jack, Miss Portia MacKenzie, Miss Edith Schofield. Mrs. MacKay received her guests in a most becoming gown of cream crepe de chene. The guest of honor Mrs. Hasen, wore a very handsome gown of purple satin. Amongst the guests were Lady Tilly, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. J. K. Schofield, Mrs. George Hogan, Mrs. Dever, Mrs. Keator, Mrs. William Hasen, Mrs. George F. Smith, Mrs. George K. McLeod, Mrs. Neales, Mrs. W. A. MacLaughlin, Mrs. MacKeigan, Mrs. J. M. Robinson, Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer, the Misses Jack, Misses Sidney Smith, Mrs. Gilmore Brown, Mrs. R. M. Hasen, Miss Hasen, Mrs. J. Roy Campbell and others.

Mrs. A. Pierce Crockett entertained informally but delightfully at a tea in honor of her guest Mrs. Neuman, New York, on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. C. Gilmour (nee Williams) received for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday and Thursday, at her residence, Union street. The very artistic home was radiant with flowers. In the drawing rooms the color scheme of pink chrysanthemums and pink carnations prevailed. Mrs. Gilmour received her many visitors in her beautiful wedding gown of white crepe de chene with trimmings of French lace and was assisted on Wednesday by her mother, Mrs. F. E. Williams, who wore a smart gown of green silk trimmed with blue embroidery and touches of coral pink. On Thursday Mrs. A. B. Gilmour presided at the handsomely appointed tea table which had for its centre a silver basket filled with yellow chrysanthemums, and on Thursday Mrs. Williams did the honors. Assisting with the dainty refreshments were Mrs. Bonnell, Mrs. W. J. S. Myles, Miss Hilda Shaw, Miss Will. Hasen, Miss Ethel Daley, Miss Helen Maher, Miss Alice Wilton, Miss Zela Lamoreaux, Miss Margaret Gilmour, Miss Audrey McDiarmid, Miss Miriam McDiarmid, Miss Hazel Lewis and Miss Alice Rowan. Little Miss Ellen Williams in a very dainty white silk gown opened the door.

Mrs. L. W. Barker, 193 Princess street, wife of Major L. W. Barker, is collecting socks, wristlets and mittens for the Red Cross. Mrs. Barker, C. E. F., which will be given them before leaving St. John. As this battery is composed of nearly all St. John boys no doubt there will be a quick and ready response to this appeal.

A wedding of much interest to many friends in this city took place in November 4th in Toronto when Miss Edith Kathleen, daughter of Mrs. A. I. Trueman and the late Judge Trueman, became the bride of Mr. Donald Douglas MacLeod of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto, son of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. MacLeod, of Sandy Lake, (Pa.). The wedding took place at the home of Mrs. John Wells, 501 Brunswick Avenue, an aunt of the bride. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. MacLeod left for Buffalo and then for Philadelphia, where Mr. MacLeod's parents reside. Mrs. MacLeod is one of St. John's most popular young ladies and best wishes will follow the happy couple on their life's journey.

His Worship Mayor Frink and Mrs. Frink are entertaining the officers of the 52nd Battalion and their wives at the tea hour at their residence, Elliott Row, on Sunday.

Mrs. L. W. Barker was hostess at an informal but delightful tea at the Sign of the Lantern on Thursday afternoon in honor of the officers of the 52nd Battalion wives who are guests in our city. Mrs. B. R. Armstrong, Mrs. J. Lupton McAvity, Mrs. W. H. Harrison and Mrs. Walter A. Harrison were also guests and during the afternoon Mrs. Walter Harrison entertained for her little daughter, Ruth, the little daughters of the officers to afternoon tea at the Sign of the Lantern.

Mrs. J. Roy Campbell entertained in honor of Miss Donville, Miss Jarvis and Miss Adams at an Imperial party on Monday evening. Other guests were Miss Edith Schofield, Miss Catherine McAvity, Mr. Carrol Cudlip, Mr. Kenneth Innes and Mr. Caldwell.

Mrs. Allan Rankine, King Street East, entertained on Wednesday at a few tables of bridge a farewell for Mrs. Ralph Robertson, who left this week for Sussex to reside for the winter.

Mrs. William Pugsley received for the first time since her marriage at her home, Chipman Hill, on Wednesday, at a most enjoyable tea. Mrs. Pugsley, who was assisted on both days receiving her visitors by Mrs. D. A. Pugsley was gowned in a very becoming and handsome dress of brown lace and nylon. Mrs. D. A. Pugsley wore black crepe de chene. Mrs. Gilmour Brown in a very smart gown of black silk, the bodice trimmed with white net, small black velvet hat, and Mrs. Gilmour Brown in black silk velvet with black hat, presided at the beautifully appointed tea table which was centered with a very large bowl of chrysanthemums of opalescent tints. On Thursday Mrs. Tapley and Mrs. George Fleming did the honors in the dining room.

The Roman Catholic Ladies have formed a branch office of the Red Cross and will begin at once at work.

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Mrs. McAvity received her guests in a very becoming gown of rose colored crepe de chene. Amongst the guests were Mrs. Hayes, Mrs. Allen, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. Young, Mrs. Couson, Mrs. Whitlock, Lady Tilly, Mrs. L. W. Barker, Mrs. G. A. Kuhnring, Mrs. George F. Smith, Mrs. Frederick Schofield, Mrs. Roy Skinner, Mrs. Hugh Russell Sturdee, Mrs. Walter Harrison, Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Mrs. Alexander Fowler, Mrs. George McAvity, Mrs. John McAvity, Mrs. Frank Fairweather, Mrs. Horace Porter, Mrs. Knowlton and others.

Many glad hearts heard of the safe arrival of the 52nd Battalion in England. Private advice give the address of the battalion as Bramshot Camp, Tipook, Hants, England.

Mrs. Charles Bostwick was hostess on two occasions on Wednesday. In the afternoon a most enjoyable tea and in the evening at a bridge in honor of her niece, the Misses Digby and Miss Donville.

At the tea Mrs. Bostwick received her guests in a becoming grey silk. Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. J. Morris Robinson and Mrs. John C. Belyea. Assisting with the dainty refreshments were Mrs. J. D. Seely, Mrs. W. E. Porter, Miss Edith Skinner and Mrs. George Lockhart.

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Miss Cora Dawson, who has been visiting Mrs. Walter Wallace, returned home on Monday of this week. Miss Doris Bloom spent the weekend in Havelock.

Charles Freese, Montreal, is visiting his father, Mr. J. A. Freese.

Mrs. Davidson, Maple Avenue was in Portage on Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Dunfield.

Mrs. Nellie Slonoff returned from a visit to friends at Forest Glen, Mrs. Ethel Davis, who has been visiting friends in Boston, New York and Hartford, Conn., returned home on Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth De Courcy, and Miss Jennie Logan, left Monday for Boston to spend the winter.

Mrs. McLaughlin, wife of Capt. McLaughlin, 46th Battalion, returned to Woodstock last week.

James E. Howes left for Halifax on Sunday last to take the military course to qualify for lieutenant.

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Mr. P. C. Hay, who has been managing the drug business of the late T. C. Donald, since his death, left on Monday for Sussex where he has enlisted in the 104th Battalion. During his residence here Mr. Hay has made many friends who unite in wishing him a safe return. Mrs. Andrew Brown was the guest of Mrs. T. Wm. Barnes on Tuesday. The Hampton branch of the Red Cross Society has ready for shipment a large consignment of packages of preserves and pickles and other acceptable gifts for the soldiers at the front or in training in the English camps. Mrs. S. E. King has greatly interested herself in soliciting these articles from ladies of Hampton and North, and has met with such a generous response that it has kept a committee of ladies many evenings busily employed in packing the hundreds of bottles, jars, etc., which have been donated. The many friends of Mrs. E. G. Evans, who has been quite ill since returning with her family from her summer home at Duck Cove, will be pleased to learn that she is somewhat improved in health. Dr. E. B. King who joined the British

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CHILDHOOD AILMENTS.

Constipation and indigestion; colic; worms, colds and simple fevers, and all the other minor ills of little ones can be promptly cured by Baby's Own Tablets through their action in regulating the stomach and bowels. Concerning them Mrs. H. H. Mills, Haldimand, Ont., writes:—"I have found Baby's Own Tablets of great service in relieving my little one of constipation and stomach trouble." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

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Lucrecia guests of Mrs. and Miss Puddington today were Mrs. Freeman Lake, Mrs. Rob Cruikshank, Mrs. Day and Mrs. H. Robinson from St. John, by noon train, and for afternoon tea, Mrs. C. Bostwick, Mrs. Rupert Turnbull, Mrs. Harry Frink, Mrs. John M. Robinson and Mrs. W. S. Allison.

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Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tilley of St. John were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Frink over the week-end. Mr. Alex. Fraser went to Bar Harbor on Friday.

POLICE COURT.

There were only two prisoners in the dock in the Police Court yesterday morning, and the charge in each case was theft.

The examination in the case of Joseph Carr, charged with stealing a mackinaw coat from Bernard Jacobson's store on Main street, was preliminary, and the accused was remanded. Jacob Jacobson, son of the proprietor of the store, testified that the coat had been hanging up outside the store at noon and the next time he saw it was when the prisoner was searching. A friend of the witness had come in and told him he saw a man walking down the street with what looked to be one of the firm's coats. He informed Officer McFarlane and when the accused was arrested they found the coat concealed under a garment which he was wearing. The value of the coat is about \$6, and it was identified by the witness through their private price mark.

John Nielson, when asked whether or not he had stolen a tin of talcum powder from the store of George P. Coupe, said he was drunk at the time and remembered nothing. Officer Coyne testified against him and he was remanded.

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Dr. R. G. Girvan went to Moncton Monday and returned Wednesday accompanied by Mrs. Girvan and children, who had been visiting friends there.

Alex. Fraser, Sr., who has been quite ill is able to be about again. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. P. Palmer are pleased to hear that their little daughter Ruth has quite recovered from her severe illness.

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WHAT DO YOU THINK OF SOCIETY'S LATEST FAD?

IN this season of fashion shows a novelty will be presented in the St. Nicholas Skating Rink, in New York city, on November 16, when models skating on the ice will wear winter outing costumes.



Miss Dorothy South, who will be one of the models will appear with the skating dog Pekoe, a French bull terrier, who is practising every day at the rink. The tiny skates are strapped stiffly to his feet, and while Pekoe can't cut "figure eight" without double crossing himself, he can progress slowly and with sufficient dignity when led by his trainers or Miss South. Pekoe is owned by Jules Ferand.

The fashion show will be under the direction of Mrs. W. Alexander, widow of the American portrait painter, and will be attractive as a diversion for society, as skating is a fad this year. Mrs. Alexander, who has for years been noted as an expert on costumes and pageants, has developed some new ideas in skating costumes. There will be a fashion show at the rink each Tuesday for six weeks. At the second one, November 22, the models will wear evening gowns and cloaks while skating, and at the third there will be a special exhibition of furs.



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Appeal to Patriotic Fund Monthly Contributors.

If you are a monthly subscriber to the Patriotic Fund you should pay your contribution at the office and save the fund the trouble and expense of collecting it. The offering is a voluntary one on your part and to make it complete you should see that the money reaches the treasurer. Subscriptions received today include: Cash payments—W. H. Hayward, \$60; Dr. T. Dyson Walker, \$15; H. J. Short, \$2; H. J. Gardner, \$5; weight machine, \$1.50. Monthly payments: St. John Railway Co., \$100; J. S. Branch, \$10; A. G. Staples, \$3; E. R. Taylor, \$2; Mrs. E. R. Taylor, \$2; W. E. Emerson, \$10; R. W. W. Frink, \$5; Wiesel's Cash Store, \$5.

ACTIVITIES OF THE PATRIOTIC ASSOCIATIONS.

CHRISTMAS TREAT. The Christmas treat to be given to the soldiers' children by the Soldiers' Wives' League in conjunction with Uncle Dick, of the children's corner of this paper takes place in the Knights of Columbus hall on December 31. Gifts for the boys can be sent Miss Edith Skinner, Colongue street, or Mrs. David Pidgeon, Chipman apartments, and for the girls, Miss Harris, 153 Sydney, or Miss Ethel Jarvis, Duke. Money sent will be most acceptable. Each child is to receive a large stocking filled.

TRAVELLERS' MEETING.

Every commercial traveller in the city on Saturday should attend the meeting in the Board of Trade rooms on Saturday evening. Sergt Knight will address the meeting.

FOR THE 26TH BATTALION.

Friends of the 26th N. B. Battalion will hold a pantry sale in the Dufferin Sample Rooms, King Square, today (Saturday) from 1.30 p. m. Proceeds to be used for buying wool and socks and other much needed necessities. Contributions of cooking and candy will be gratefully received.

MILITARY LIBRARY.

A request has come in from the secretary of the Y. M. C. A., with the 52nd Battalion, for donations of magazines for the use of the soldiers quartered at the Armory. He also wishes to collect sufficient books to form a library to go with the Battalion Overseas. Any friends who have books or magazines for the purpose should leave same at the local Y. M. C. A. building or at the Armory, addressed to the Military Secretary. They will be greatly appreciated we are assured.

BENEFITS TO PATRIOTIC CLUB.

The Irish Literary Dramatic Club is rehearsing every evening the two great military dramas, "Men and Women," and "When We Were Twenty-One." The first named drama will be first on in the Opera House on Thursday and Friday evenings, Nov. 18th and 19th. "When We Were Twenty-One" will be presented on the Saturday afternoon and evening of the 27th. Special decorations for Friday, patriotic night, and Saturday, military night.

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"And please hurry," added Susie, who was Sammie's sister, as she made her pink nose twinkle like a dewdrop in a rose.

"We're going to have lots of fun!" cried Nannie Wagtail, the goat girl.

"Well! Well! Well! What is it all about?" asked the nice old gentleman rabbit, as he sat on the porch of his seashore cottage and looked over the tops of his glasses at the animal children—the rabbits, goats, puppy dogs, ducks and squirrels, who were in front of him.

"Oh, we're going down on the ocean beach to have some fun," said Jackie Bow Wow, one of the puppies.

"And we want you to come," invited Lulu Wibblewobble, a duck girl.

"We're going to roast marshmallows, candied, and make sand pies," said Billie Wagtail, the goat boy.

"Only, of course we won't really eat the sand pies, as they make your teeth so full of grit," whispered Susie Littletail, as he tied a pink bow on her doll, Sallie Thimblecake Pinchusion.

"No, I should hope not!" cried Uncle Wiggily, laughing and making a funny face by tucking his ears in bow knots.

"So you want me to come with you, eh?"

"Very much," spoke Alice, the other duck girl.

"All right; here we go!" and the rabbit gentleman went down to the ocean sands with the animal children, limping on his new red, white and blue striped barby pet crutch. For Nurse Jane Fuzzy Wuzzie, his muskrat lady housekeeper, had snarled out a new one for him after the bad sea lion and sawfish had broken the one the jelly fish mended.

"Soon Uncle Wiggily and his little squirrel, rabbit, goat, duck and puppy dog friends were down on the sands, Sammie Littletail made a fire of drift-wood, taking care not to make it so large that any one would get burned. Besides, Uncle Wiggily watched it carefully.

"And now we'll roast marshmallows," said Susie, and she looked at Uncle Wiggily sort of hopeful like and hungry. "Don't you just love them?" she asked the rabbit gentleman.

"Why, yes, I do," he said. "And I'll eat some if you roast them for me. But I always drop mine in the fire and burn them. Where are the marshmallows to roast?"

All the animal children sort of eyed, and looked at one another. Then Jimmie Wibblewobble, the boy duck, sort of looking down at his feet, modest like and shy, said:

"Was—were thought you'd buy us the marshmallows to roast, Uncle Wiggily?"

"Ha! Ha! Ha! Why, of course I will!" laughed the rabbit gentleman. "Here you are, and he gave Jimmie enough scattered money to buy plenty of marshmallow candies to roast.

When Jimmie came back with them the animal children had lots of fun toasting them over a fire on the beach, and Uncle Wiggily was as busy as he was wanted, and so did every one else.

"And now for the sand pies," cried Susie Littletail. "We'll see who can make the nicest one. Do you want to try, Uncle Wiggily?"

"No, thank you," spoke the rabbit gentleman. "I'll just sit here in the shade of this seaweed, and watch you children play."

So Susie and the others made sand pies. They mixed sand with a little water, until it would stay where you put it, and then they pressed the wet sand into big seashells, with pretty fluted edges, turning the pies out, upside down on boards to dry.

Susie Littletail, the rabbit girl, made a most wonderful and extraordinarily nice pie. It had shredded seaweed for filling, and around the edge were brown and white stone raisins, while on top, to make it look just like lemon meringue, Susie put some seafoam, gathered from the tops of the ocean waves.

"Oh, what fine pie Susie has made!" cried all the others. And really it was the best and pie on the beach. Even Uncle Wiggily said so.

"Why, it looks real, and almost good enough to eat!" cried the rabbit gentleman.

"Well, I guess no one had better try to eat it," Susie laughed, "for if they did, they'd get their mouth and teeth full of gritty sand."

Then the animal children played tag on the beach, until, down a little way, they spied a hand-organ elephant with a monkey, and they all ran to see him.

"Will you watch my sand pie while I'm gone, Uncle Wiggily?" asked Susie, as she hopped off.

"Yes, I'll watch it," promised the rabbit gentleman.

Well, really Uncle Wiggily meant to watch that pie. But you know how it is when you sit in the shade on a hot day. You get sleepy. That's what happened to Mr. Longears. All at once he was sound asleep, and all of a sudden, up out of the ocean popped the bad old sea lion again.

"Ah, ha. This is the time I get him!" the sea lion cried, as he saw the sleeping rabbit. "Now is my chance!"

Uncle Wiggily suddenly awakened. He saw the sea lion close to him.

"Are you after me?" asked the rabbit.

"You guessed it the first time," barked the sea lion. "I am going to take you away with me!" and, jumping up the beach, he grabbed Uncle Wiggily.

The rabbit gentleman looked all around. There was no one near to help him. The animal children were far away. Then Uncle Wiggily saw Susie's sand pie, crunched his jaws, seaweed filling, the brown and white stone raisins around the edge, and the flaky seafoam on top, like lemon meringue.

"Well, if you are going to take me away I suppose I must stop you," said Uncle Wiggily, sadly sighing.

"No, indeed!" crunched the sea lion. "But first perhaps you will have a piece of pie." Mr. Longears went on, politely, to Susie's sand one.

"Have a bit of pie, Mr. Sea Lion. 'I will!' cried the bad animal. 'I was going to take the pie anyhow, as I am very fond of it. And I'll take you, too, but first for the pie!'"

He took one bite, crunched his teeth down through the wet sand, stone raisins, the seaweed and the foam, and then—

"Oh, wow! Oh, trolley cars! Oh, lollypops! Oh, what have I bitten!" cried the sea lion. "Oh, sandwiches and slushy slippers! This is terrible!" And then he let go of Uncle Wiggily and turned a back somersault over his head and mouth.

"So he didn't carry the gentleman rabbit away after all."

"Well, it's a good thing Susie made such a real-looking sand pie," said Uncle Wiggily, as he brushed out his fur where the sea lion had munched it up. "Only for that I might not be here."

So this teaches us that lollypop sticks are good for something else besides tickling rubber dolls, and if the bathing suit doesn't get all wet so it can't go to the bath tub's birthday party I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and Nannie Wagtail, the goat girl.

Uncle Dick's Chat With the Children

My Dear Kiddies—

This week I have received even more letters than usual from boys and girls who wish to become members of our large Corner, and I should like at the outset of my letter to offer all those who have written me a warm and welcome.

There are scores of my kiddies in Pevens County, yours is the first received from Armstrong Corner, as far as I remember.

Chester Stevens—I received your letter, and must thank you for same. I am pleased you have at last decided to write, and also that you have enjoyed the Corner so much. You must try harder in the contests next time.

Adam Marchbank—I was very much surprised to receive so many names in the list you sent, and am sure you deserve great praise for the way in which you studied to get the names. You will be pleased to see that you are included in the prize list.

Melvin McBeth—I am sorry that I am not able to let you have the watch you studied to get, as you will have to try much harder in the contest, and a better than the prize winner has succeeded in doing.

Lillian Peters—What a splendid writer you are Lillian. I am sorry you did not manage to get more names, but I am awarding you a certificate for writing, as I am sure you deserve same.

Mary Waite—Many thanks for your letter Harry, also for the good wishes. You will have to try much harder in future, as you will see from the result of the contest. I am always glad to see you in the list.

Eva Beiding—You will be pleased to see that you have been awarded a certificate, which I trust you will like. You have done very well considering your age.

Muriel McCard—I received your attempt in the contest, and was interested in your writing, as it is so interestingly well done. May I ask you did you

UNCLE DICK'S TOY FUND FOR SOLDIERS' CHILDREN

This week I am pleased to be able to acknowledge further receipts towards the above fund. This of course does not in any means represent the full amount collected, but shows the amount actually received. It is most gratifying to all of you who have helped to make this amount increase each week, but naturally you must have the collecting cards to enable you to gather the money for the fund, so, will those who have not as yet written, send at once. I have much pleasure in acknowledging the following:

Total amount received to date \$30.55. Will those of my kiddies who wish to have a collecting card please send me in their names and addresses.

If you are not able to help in this way, perhaps you will dress dolls, make little toys, knit children's warm stockings, and in other ways assist. All toys etc. when completed, cards when filled in collecting, and other communications must be addressed to:

UNCLE DICK, The Standard, St. John, N. B.

and be marked in the top left hand corner "Children's Fund."

All articles and subscriptions received will be acknowledged through this Corner. No prizes are of course offered in this work, as the object, that of helping the poorer soldiers' children, is the main thing, and it is the reason for working very hard. Now my kiddies let me see how well you can all work to make this fund and heap of toys a very large one.

This is open to Boy Scouts also, in fact I shall look for their special assistance.

do it yourself! Muriel! For of course the work must be all your own. Amanda E. McCumber—You have done extremely well in the contest, your work being very neat indeed, and you will deserve the place given you in the prize list.

Millie Smith—I am very pleased to welcome you to our large and increasing Corner, and as requested am sending you a Kaiser button. I hope you will soon commence in the contests. Hilda Chown—I must thank you for introducing another nice thank you to the Corner. It is certainly a very large one now, but I always have plenty more, so I will send you a Kaiser button with Millie's to the address given.

Willard Cunningham—I was glad to see your entry in the names contest, but would suggest that you try much harder. Willard in the next if you desire to get the prize.

Lizzie Tiner—Many thanks for the entry in the last contest Lizzie. I am pleased to welcome you to our large Corner, and trust you will continue to enjoy same.

Lora Montgomery—You have done very well in the last contest Lora. This is the first one you have tried in the Corner, I think so. Glad to hear further from you.

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Florence White—Thanks for your letter. I remember you writing before, and am pleased that you like the Corner so much. Yes, the letters from the kiddies are very interesting.

Vaughan Alexander—I am pleased to see your name among my hundreds of kiddies, hope that you will continue to enjoy the Corner. The prizewinner has secured a great number of names, so you will have to try harder in the future.

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Douglas Woodworth—I am quite un-derstand that you are a very difficult child to help with a collecting card, but why not either make or send some toys as a present from yourself. I need all I can get to help fill the large Christmas fund.

Margaret Lelkie—You have sent in a very neat writing list of names, Margaret, but you will have to work harder for the prize next time, as you will have to get the names of your work, and they are a nice new kiddie.

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Arnold Willis—I was very pleased to receive your letter, and was also interested in your very large circle of kiddies. You have done well in the contest considering the age, Arnold, and you deserve the certificate given you. Now go on enjoying the Corner.

Richard Currie—Thanks for your letter, which I consider is very neatly written, but the list of names could have been much longer. Now go on entering the contest and see if you cannot do better. I am very pleased to welcome you among my kiddies.

Etta Scarlett—What a large Corner we are getting with all you new kiddies joining. I am sure I will soon have to do, as one of my kiddies suggested, ask the editor for more space, eh? I shall look for more of your work.

George Akerley—I am sorry that you are not able to let me see more of your work, because as you will notice the list of names is much shorter than the winners, however, I am pleased you are entering the contest, and that you find the Corner so interesting. Go on trying, success will then perhaps come.

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How to Run a Troop.

Eleventh Week's Work—Continued. Outdoor Work.

A good way to get extra practice in semaphore is to try to send messages. It is not necessary, in the first year of your training as a Scout to use message forms and to learn all the details that the real signaller requires. It will be quite sufficient if you can do, accurately and quickly, what I describe.

The signallers must be divided into pairs, and these pairs should be put as far apart as possible, but within sight of each other. There may be as many pairs as you please; the more there are the farther the message can be sent.

Let us call the first pair A and B and the second pair C and D.

At Station A is the caller and B the sender. At Station C is the reader and D is the writer. A has the message that the Scoutmaster wishes sent.

B puts his arms at J and waves the flags at the wrists only; this is to call the attention of Station 2. If C sees him he replies with a "dash"—the Morse T. A now calls out the first word; B sends it; C reads it; D writes down what C calls out.

When the word is finished D says "Yes" and C sends the Morse T. This is called the General Answer, and is used to acknowledge every word.

If D is in doubt about the correctness of a message he says "No"; and C will send "MI," which means "Repeat." B acknowledges the demand for repetition by making "J"; then C sends the last word he received correctly, and B repeats the message from that point.

When A has finished calling all the words, he says, "End of Message," and B sends "VE." Then if the message makes sense, D says "Message correct," and C sends "RD."

C and D now become caller and sender, and send the message on to the next pair, E and F, and so on.

When the message has reached the last pair they will send a suitable answer, which can be supplied by the Scoutmaster beforehand, but sealed up in an envelope not to be opened till the message has been received, or they can send another message, such as—

Wait dispatch bearer arriving in half-hour. Take him fastest possible to London Bridge. Jones will meet you there and instruct.

The message should not be too long, or E and F will get cold waiting, and wonder whether you have gone to sleep or not.

There are a number of other miscellaneous signals that are used on message work; the most useful are given in S, for B, p. 81—Scout, Eng.

Extracts from The Mail Bag

Children's Corner a Blessing Dear Uncle Dick:—

Enclose please find my attempt at the names. Maybe you have not heard many of the names, but they were in list of holy scripture names, from ten down, and I trust you will find them familiar with that holy book, oh! I am sure so, for what else would you cheer the children for, than for your Master? Many, I am sure count the weekly children's corner from you, among their blessings. Must close now.

Your Niece, Geraldine Corey.

Received Certificate I received the certificate which you sent me, and was much pleased to get it. Will try again.

Aida Crocker. Yes, Certainly Donald Dear Uncle Dick:—

Can I join your Corner? I thought I would try the names wanted contest. Please tell me what to do to get a Kaiser button. I would like to have one.

Your Nephew, Donald R. Towers.

Likes Corner Dear Uncle Dick:—

I am a new niece, I have been reading the Children's Corner and like it very much.

Blanche Shirodon. Another Niece Dear Uncle Dick:—

I am your new niece, Hilda Chown wanted me to write you a letter. Hilda asked you to send me a Kaiser button which I hope to get soon.

Your Loving Niece, Millie Smith.

Greatly Interested in Corner Dear Uncle Dick:—

I always read your Corner in the room except two persons. One of whom acts as the proprietor of the room, and the other one as the door-keeper. The door keeper brings one person into the room, and asks what animal he or she would like to see. He says come this way and takes them to the proprietor who is sitting on a chair with a big clock over him and looking glass in his hand. Whatever animal they wish to see they are told to look in the looking glass, and they see themselves, this causes a lot of fun.

Sent in by Willis Brock.

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Daily Standard with great interest wishing you success, I remain Bestie Buxton.

A New Niece Dear Uncle Dick:—

I am a new niece. I read every week and enjoying it very much. Your Niece, Dorcas Powell.

A Willing Worker Dear Uncle Dick:—

Did you get the scrap book I sent you? I would like to have a collecting card, as I would like to help the little children. I have a lot of picture post-cards I could send you if they would be any use to any sick child.

Your Niece, Irene F. Titus.

Likes Children's Letters Dear Uncle Dick:—

I read the Children's Corner every Saturday, and I like it very much, especially the letters written by other boys and girls.

Florence Mott, Scout.

Scout News

German Street Troop The German Street Troop will assist at the unveiling of a honor roll, in the Baptist church, German street, St. John, tomorrow, Sunday evening.

Lt.-Col. F. V. Wedderburn Lt.-Col. F. V. Wedderburn, who is understood to raise another battalion in New Brunswick, has been most actively connected with the Boy Scout Movement for some considerable time. He is a member of the Local Association, and President of the Provincial Council, and will have the best wishes from all members of the organization.

St. James Troop The St. James Boy Scouts opened the season with a bean supper, and rally last Monday evening. After full justice had been done to the supper there were speeches and a round of toasts. Those who addressed the boys were Lt.-Col. Wedderburn, A. C. Skilton, Commissioner Ingleton, Mr. Turnbull, and Messrs. Teed, Allen, and Murray. Miss Dunham was much appreciated in her rendering of a fine solo, whilst Scout Waring, gave an exhibition of his ability on the piano. Some 30 boys were present, who are looking forward to a very busy season. Already twenty-seven have passed a second class scout, and they hope to soon get still more proficient.

A Prisoner of War Of the thousands of Scouts and Scout Officers taking part in the war, quite a number have been captured by the enemy, and now spend their time in a prisoners' camp.

Amongst those is Lieutenant Eric Walker, the Chief Scout's private secretary, who will be known to many readers.

He was a member of the Royal Flying Corps, and when he made his first flight across the Channel he had a very narrow escape of coming down on the enemy's lines owing to a thick mist.

This was a prelude to other adventures of his which we hope he will be able to tell us one day. On one occasion he rose to a height of two miles in the air, and several times returned with a number of bullet holes in his machine.

Once at a height of 8,000 feet, he passed a number of wild ducks; evidently they were not intending to be bagged for a German stew-pot!

Mr. Walker made many flights over the enemy's lines, and did other varieties of air scouting, until one day, after an unusually long flight, the machine went wrong and he and his companion had to come down in hostile country.

For four days they managed to dodge the enemy, but eventually they were taken prisoner, and are now confined at Mainz, Germany.

The blue dress, for instance, may be decorated with blue pins, blue buttons and blue beads. The coral-pink frock is worn with coral jewelry; lavender costumes are enhanced by amethysts, and so on in the whole line of semi-precious stones.

The tailored suit calls for a certain style of jewelry in which the plain, practical feature is emphasized. The correct watch is the strap bracelet which fastens around the wrist, and can be consulted without disturbing the dress of the owner. Such a watch speaks for the common sense of the wearer.

Concerning the care of jewelry, the emphasis should be laid upon cleanliness. To clean diamonds, wash them carefully with a brush dipped in

Results of The Standard Contest.

First Prize. Grover Crothers, (115 names), Millstream, Kings Co., N. B.

Second Prize. Adam Marchbank (112 names), Sussex, F.F.O. No. 3, Kings Co., N. B.

Certificates of Merit. Susie Stevens, Amanda McCumber, Arnold Willis, Eva Belding, Lillian G. Peters.

Winter Games

The Manager In this game everybody leaves the room except two persons. One of whom acts as the proprietor of the room, and the other one as the door-keeper. The door keeper brings one person into the room, and asks what animal he or she would like to see. He says come this way and takes them to the proprietor who is sitting on a chair with a big clock over him and looking glass in his hand. Whatever animal they wish to see they are told to look in the looking glass, and they see themselves, this causes a lot of fun.

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CAN A WOMAN KEEP A SECRET

Telling of Secrets Causes Endless Trouble.

Is the oft-repeated assertion that no woman can keep a secret true?

I say "No!" (writes a correspondent). The fault really lies in the fact that a woman will often give a promise of silence on the spur of the moment, and realize, on reflection, that it is her duty to divulge what she has heard. Possibly that is how women earned their reputation of being "blabbers." They are no sages to learn what there is to know that they may make promises without thinking. A man once told a woman in confidence that he was not, as generally supposed, a bachelor, but was separated from his wife. His confidante was put on her oath not to divulge the secret, which she kept religiously until a year later, when she heard accidentally that he was about to marry an old school friend. It appeared that she was right, but she had made her promise, and she had to live with the secret caused trouble between the lovers, because the girl, annoyed that she had not been told her fiance was a widower. The man had remained silent because he did not care to make known the fallings of the woman he once called wife.

The world would be much more pleasant, and far more secrets would be kept, if everyone were to mind their own business; but, unfortunately, there are certain folks who have such a wonderful magnetic power that they seem to charm the secrets out of one.

Here's a case where the telling of a secret caused endless trouble. A certain young girl told her best friend that she was married, but made no promise not to say a word to anyone. A few days later, while

In the pulpit and pew

BAPTIST

The Taunton Station church was recently re-opened after a new steel ceiling and walls with other repairs had been completed. Bro. J. S. Starr who is in charge of the Beechbe circuit is winning confidence and esteem of the people.

The St. John West church was the scene of a goodly gathering when the annual day of the Carleton Auxiliary of the W. M. was held. The meeting was presided over by the Mrs. L. O. Beattie. The programme was varied and instructive. Mrs. Long, Mrs. Vincent, Mrs. Westmorland and others took part in the service. E. A. Westmorland, delivered a helpful address contrasting the number of women mentioned in the Old Testament to those of the New, and the larger number who today serve the church and are working for the enlargement of the Kingdom of God.

We note that in Brunswick street church, Halifax, several Wesleyan sailors from ships of the navy in that port found their way to the service. There is always added volume to the congregational singing when these men attend church.

Not a few of the ministers of the St. John district, as well as laymen, very much regret that at the financial meeting this fall, the vote was adverse to a November meeting, hence some matters of importance have to stand in abeyance until spring.

The Rev. H. S. Broad, the new pastor of St. Stephen gave his people a plain, straight Gospel appeal, in words that all understood on behalf of the Bible Society. He made the Bible shine forth in power and beauty.

The Rev. Thomas Pierce is reported to be preaching strong sermons to his people on the Oak Bay district, and the Rev. W. Weddell, A. R. St. Andrews has been visiting Trigon and friends again, but they did not white about it. As for our enemy, we now had his measure, and there was no need for the depression which had been deliberately spread abroad in this country. We had noble allies and a noble cause, but the one Ally we should be concerned to have on our side was God.

No Need for Depression.

Chaplain Captain Thattersall, on furlough from the front preaching on a recent Sunday in Fermo Park Baptist church, London, (Eng.), said he had written many letters to mothers and wives announcing the loss of their husbands. One mother replied: "I am a proud mother, though a sorrowful one, to think that my boy did his duty for home and country." Of the three great engagements on the western front he had been in two. He had seen our men going into the trenches; their step was firm and steady, their eyes serious but without fear; they looked as those who had long thoughts, but not gloomy, conclusions that this was the supreme hour of their life. He had visited them in their billets and trenches and dug-outs, talked with them and prayed with them. They were brave, grand men; they knew they might never see home and friends again, but they did not white about it. As for our enemy, we now had his measure, and there was no need for the depression which had been deliberately spread abroad in this country. We had noble allies and a noble cause, but the one Ally we should be concerned to have on our side was God.

The Baptist Times, (Eng.), has the following under "Baptist Times" Table Talk:

Many of our ministers are perplexed as to what reply they should make to the call they have received from Lord Derby's Committee to join the army. The matter is being taken up with the authorities, but we may say that a blunder has been made by the committee. The letter in question has not been sent to the clergy of the Church of England and ought not to have been sent to Free Church ministers. Even Russia is exempting Baptist ministers from military service. No doubt the mistake will at once be rectified. It is, of course, open to any minister who feels it as his duty to enlist to do so on his own initiative.

Recognizing the Officers of the Sunday School.

A unique service was held at the Summit avenue church, Jersey City, on October 24. The officers of the Sunday school were publicly recognized after the usual opening service. Pastor R. T. Craig called each officer by name and presented to him a certificate of election. Then the officers read respectively with the pastor the recognition certificate, printed on the certificate and composed of Scripture quotations. During the service the teachers of the Sunday school were requested to go forward. Twenty-two responded, standing in a semi-circle facing the audience. The teachers stood with bowed heads while the officers read their covenant from the certificate. As the teachers turned and faced the officers a boy and a girl stepped from the audience with bouquets composed of autumn leaves and flowers, for each officer. This part of the program closed with a prayer by Mr. Snyder. For the second part the pastor introduced Rev. Isaac B. Burgess, secretary of the State Sunday School Association, who gave an interesting and impressive address on the importance of Bible education for the child.

Five Conditions of Success.

At the New York State Convention Rev. John M. Moore, D. D., secretary of the Department of Missionary Education, spoke at the Young People's Union of the five fundamental conditions of success which lie back of all educational and financial methods: (1) a new definition of missions in the light of new world conditions; (2) a new appreciation of the Gospel as fully adequate for individual and social salvation; (3) a new emphasis on education—Biblical, missionary and academic; (4) a new dependence on prayer as a vital force; (5) a new devotion to Christ as friend and Savior.

METHODIST

A visitor writes "On Sunday last we listened to one of the ablest and most timely sermons we have heard in a long while. It was delivered from the pulpit of the Methodist church Sackville. The preacher was Rev. David Hickey. The basis of his utterance was "Halleluiah, for the Lord God Omnipotent reigneth."

The discourse was clear in style elevated in tone, the intensity of its patriotism only equalled by the intensity of its spiritual fervor and withal eminently instructive. Best of all the gracious and halloving influence of the Divine spirit rested upon the assemblage. It was good to be there, and we rejoiced in the assurance that

she her health permitted her to attend and always anxious to hear about the work when any of our members called on her during her long illness, but we mourn not as those who have no hope, she has but passed on before, to take the reward for her long and faithful service. The Union has decided to hold a short prayer service on Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock and invite all ladies who are interested in our brave boys at the front to meet with them to pray for God's blessing on our dear soldier lads, that this war which is being waged in the cause of righteousness and freedom may be successful and soon peace shall reign in our world. All ladies will be made welcome and we hope to have a hearty response to this invitation.

Plans for the suppression of the drink evil were discussed and a great inspiration for more earnest work was felt by the members. As one told of the eloquent words of Bishop Richardson recently, a man of unbounded influence, of splendid courage, he spoke with great force in favor of total prohibition. Plans for the better housing of the poorer classes, which lie within the scope of our activities and the carrying out of which brings us into very close contact with the people, the strong drink, were as usual formulated at the opening of the winter season. Recent disclosures of terrible crimes perpetrated upon children, have startled the city. Not inappropriate are Mrs. Brodwin's hopeless words:

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All and singular the real, personal and mixed property, lands and premises, leases, leasehold premises, water powers, buildings, plant machinery, securities, stocks, shares in other companies, concessions, rights, privileges, trade marks, franchises, patents, and stock in trade of HEWSON PURE WOOL TEXTILES, LIMITED, the above named defendant, including the lands and interests in insurance policies which are more particularly described in the issue of the "Guardian," a newspaper published in the town of Amherst, on the Thursday of each week for thirty days from the date hereof and in bills posted in the County of Cumberland, copies of which may be had at the office of The Eastern Trust Company, Hollis Street, Halifax, N. S. or from plaintiff's solicitor.

The general property of the Company and the interests in insurance policies will be sold separately.

TERMS: Ten per cent deposit will be required at the time of sale, the remainder on delivery of deed.

Dated at Amherst, in the County of Cumberland, this seventh day of September, A. D. 1915.

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FOR GOD AND HOME AND EVERY LAND

The St. John Women's Christian Temperance Union held their weekly meeting. We have been called on to mourn the loss of one of our oldest members since our last meeting. Miss Jane Lockhart was a member of this organization since it was first formed; a faithful worker as long

DECLARE SUBSTANTIAL DIVIDEND

New York, Nov. 12.—A quarterly dividend of \$8 a share and extra dividend of \$4 a share were today declared on the old common and preferred stocks of the Electric Boat Company, one of the prominent war stocks. These dividends for legal reasons, will not be payable until the first week in January.

SPRUNG A LEAK.

Sch James L. Maloy, from Apple River for Boston, with lumber, sprang a leak Monday night off Boone Island. She arrived at Boston on Wednesday and is not badly damaged.

TAKE NOTICE that John B. Bardsley, of the City of Saint John, in the City and County of Saint John and Province of New Brunswick, Manufacturer of Hats and Caps, in pursuance of the provisions of Chapter 141 of the Consolidated Statutes of New Brunswick entitled, "An Act respecting Assignments and Preferences of Insolvent Persons on the tenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, make an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to the undersigned, John A. Barry, Esquire, of the City of Saint John in the City and County of Saint John and Province aforesaid. And also that a meeting of the creditors of the said John B. Bardsley will be held at the office of the said John A. Barry, Esquire, Assessor, Robinson Building, No. 19 Market Square, Saint John, N. B. on Friday, the Nineteenth day of November, A. D. 1915, at three o'clock in the afternoon, for the appointment of inspectors and giving directions with reference to the distribution of the estate, and transaction of such other business as shall lawfully come before the meeting.

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Coal mining rights of the Dominion, in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, the Yukon Territory, the North-West Territories and in a portion of the Province of British Columbia, may be leased for a term of twenty-one years renewable for a further term of 21 years at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 2,500 acres will be leased to one applicant.

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By E. Ashmead Bartlett

I do not suppose any race except the English would have attempted this expedition to the Dardanelles, and I am quite certain that no other nation would have persisted in it after the many obstacles and set-backs we have encountered from the start. The first attempt to force the passage on March 18, with the fleet alone, is considered by most of the minor nations of the Near East as sufficient proof of our madness; the actual landing from ships, in the face of an unbroken enemy, and the storming of forts and field works covered by barbed wire, confirmed the impression of our state of mind already formed, and it was only when we proved our ability to hold the positions thus won, in the face of great superiority of numbers, that it began to dawn on the many interested spectators in the Near East that there was method in our madness after all.

As a nation we have a peculiar habit of conceiving great schemes and rushing into them at a moment's notice without counting the cost, relying on the bravery of our troops to see us through the initial stages, on the remarkable aptitude which, as a nation, we have always displayed for educating ourselves to conditions of which we had only formed the most rudimentary idea, and on the wonderful ability of our officers and the men to adapt themselves to new surroundings. All this, with us, takes the place of the years of study devoted by foreign General Staffs to any naval or military enterprise before it is ever embarked upon.

Wedge's Thin End

Ours is a somewhat amateurish way of conducting war, but when examined carefully, it has its advantages over the Continental, as well as its disadvantages. Continental General Staffs strike with the blunt end of the wedge, relying on the first blow to break down all opposition. We have seen this over and over again in the case of Germany. But, if the first blow fails, there is no further weight behind the movement, and the situation remains in statu quo. We always strike with the thin end of the wedge, one sharp end so finely that it seems impossible for it to inflict any real injury on the victim of our choice.

We do this because the thick end is very seldom ready at the moment we strike, and we have to pile up weight gradually behind our first lunges. The Dardanelles expedition is a good case in point. At our first lunge the thin end snapped altogether, leaving two of our battleships and one of the French at the bottom of the Dardanelles, while several others were seriously damaged. At first this reverse seemed final and crushing in the eyes of Near Eastern spectators. To them a battleship, whether new or old, is the last word in a nation's power and glory. She must be guarded as a sacred thing and never risked except under circumstances of the most dire necessity.

From that date the expedition was regarded as doomed to failure. We sought for allies, but they were loath to throw in their lot with what appeared to be a losing, or even an already lost, cause. Then, when the army, in adequate numbers, appeared on the scene, the curiosity of the Near East was again aroused, but few believed we should succeed. Since the landing this pessimism, tempered with curiosity, has gradually changed to admiration, and it is realized we are determined to "see the show through."

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marking of the fleet, to whom constant risks and the excitement of the sea as the breath of life, but on the old home-ported recruits who were called back to the colors to man this auxiliary fleet at the outbreak of war. The ships are the oldest of veterans, and so are their crews. In some of the ships out here there is hardly an active service rating on the upper deck.

There are many men between forty-eight and fifty-six years of age. Nearly all are fathers, and many are grandfathers. They have reached that age when, after a hard life at sea, they might reasonably expect to look forward to passing their declining years, surrounded by their children and grandchildren, in the happy enjoyment of their small pensions and engaged in the civilian pursuits each may have adopted at the conclusion of his period of active service. This, of course, is an anomaly which could only occur in the English service.

It ought to bring a blush of shame to the cheeks of all those who are still clinging so desperately to civilian life, hoping that their country will therefore they are swallowed up in the set of militarism. While thousands of an age peculiarly eligible are hanging back, hundreds of fathers and grandfathers are pushing them out at the Dardanelles, working all day and sometimes all night at incessant physical toil or facing the guns, mines, and submarines. Yet they do not grumble or complain. Indeed, these veterans decrease well of their own country. They have been called back to the colors leaving everything they hold most dear. Many have perished, and many more must perish before the great task is done.

Thus, in spite of our losses in ships, the moral effect of this expedition on the wavering outlookers in the Near East has changed for the better. Every fresh loss increases our prestige rather than diminishes it. Ships are being sunk, but the day's work goes on elsewhere just the same, and shortly afterwards another takes its place from our apparently inexhaustible supply.

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ways give precedence to a married woman. Open the door for her and stand aside to let her go out of the room, except when she is your hostess. In that case, she will pay you this civility, and you must march along without hanging back and making a fuss.

Times when you should take the lead are: 1. When you are with men. A man always expects you to go first and set the tone of the conversation, no matter what his age may be. 2. When you are with girls younger than yourself. 3. When you are taking a party of people about in a strange place. For instance, if you have asked several girls friend to meet you at a tea-shop you should walk in first and choose the table.

4. When you are with any person who, through backwardness or nervousness, desires more than anything else to be left in peace. There are many of these backward folks, who fully appreciate the kindness shown by anyone who will take the trouble of "rushing them."

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MEN OF NEW BRUNSWICK LOOK WITH PRIDE ON THE GLORIOUS RECORD OF THE 104TH REGT.

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The men were without the daily ration of rum at that time served in the British army. We are assured, notwithstanding, by Col. Playfair, who was at that time a lieutenant in the regiment, there was no grumbling, but all were cheerful and good tempered.

Rainsford's Heroism
When the company to which Lieutenant Charles Rainsford belonged arrived near the foot of Lake Temiscouata a violent snowstorm came on which, with the intense bitter cold, rendered it impossible for the troops to attempt to cross the lake, a distance of eighteen miles, without the danger of perishing, and they were consequently unable to resume their journey for three days. Meanwhile, the next company under Captain Geo. Shore arrived at the lake. Supplies being exhausted, Lieut. Rainsford heroically resolved to cross the lake and proceed with all haste to Riviere du Loup for assistance. Two soldiers of the Light Infantry, Peter Patriot and Private Gray, volunteered to accompany him; both belonged to the Upper St. John. Their services were gladly accepted; each of them carried his knapsack, musket and ammunition. Leaving camp at daylight they journeyed half way across the lake when they met a man named William Long, who was employed by the government to pilot people across the lake to the portage to the St. Lawrence. Long was on his way to ascertain the cause of the delay of the troops he had been expecting. He returned with them to his log house where Rainsford and his men made a hasty meal, and then pushed on to Riviere du Loup. The snow continued to fall during the day and the air was bitterly cold. Upon their arrival at the depot on the St. Lawrence all was excitement, and no time was lost in loading up toboggans with pork, biscuit, tea, sugar, etc., for the famishing soldiers. Seventeen Canadians were engaged and off they started with the toboggans. Although they had already marched over 50 miles on one of the worst days of the winter, Charles Rainsford and his two men accompanied the relieving party back to Lake Temiscouata. They reached there at daybreak the following morning and were greeted with loud hurrahs, and unbounded enthusiasm by the men of the two companies who had in the meantime succeeded in crossing the lake.

Only One Man Was Lost
Soon the famishing soldiers were partaking of good, substantial food. This march of some ninety miles on snowshoes performed by Captain Rainsford and his two companies in the course of a single day and night, and under such circumstances, will always be regarded as a wonderful example of courage and endurance. Like many another brave man, Mr. Rainsford was wont to speak of his own exploits with diffidence, preferring rather to speak of the deeds of his comrades in arms.
In a description of this march to Quebec, published in 1872 in the British Standard, Colonel Playfair says: "We crossed on the ice and entered Quebec on the 27th February, 1,000 strong, without losing a single man." The regiment did, however, lose one man, and he is buried in the old churchyard at Woodstock. This we learn from the parish register in which Rev. Mr. Dibblee has made the following entry: "March 17, 1813: Buried Lane, a soldier of the 104th Regiment who was taken sick on his way to Canada, and died at Mr. Rogers."

It Will Live in History
The march of the 104th, considering the season of the year, the nature of the country traversed, and the extraordinary severity of the weather, must take its place amongst the greatest marches in history, and it was practically accomplished without any loss. Benedict Arnold in his expedition against Quebec via the Kennebec river in 1777 lost more than 300 men through cold and exposure. The dis-

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"Women's Canadian Club, Montreal, \$250; women of St. John, N. B., through the Women's Canadian Club, \$100, second subscription.
Her Royal Highness had previously forwarded \$3,000 to the Canadian Red Cross Society in London, and has now cabled a further installment of \$350.

FIVE LIVES LOST WHEN STEAMER FOUNDERED ON LAKE TEMISKAMING

Cobalt, Ont., Nov. 12—Four lives were lost on Lake Temiskaming yesterday afternoon, when, in a brisk gale, the steamer Allen, owned by the operating Pontiac Navigation Company, foundered. Nothing was known of the accident until this morning, when the Lessee, Mr. Gibbons, called at the wharf at North Temiskaming and found that the boat had not arrived.

DEBT OF TORONTO'S DEBT IS \$83,753,846

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WHY RUSSIA WAS CALM IN FACE OF APPARENT REVERSES

Prince Demidoff, Russian Minister to Greece Shows How German Drive on Russia Has Failed—Confidence in Army and Resources

(Correspondence by the Associated Press).
Athens, Oct. 29.—That Russia is warring quite as much against militarism in Russia itself as in Germany is the declaration of Prince Demidoff, the Russian Minister to Greece. In a frank summary of the present situation in Russia Prince Demidoff told the Associated Press correspondent that he could not see upon what the German claims to victory over Russia were based, and he developed a view of his own situation which left the Central Powers in a perilous rather than a satisfactory position following their successful drive on the imperial forces of Russia.

Prince Demidoff's family is popularly supposed to be the richest in Russia. Its foundations having been laid in the time of Peter the Great by Nikhita Demidoff, who opened up some immensely productive mines at Nevskiy, in the Ekaterinburg district of the empire, in 1699. The first of the Demidoffs became the Krupp of his day, having been entrusted by Peter the Great with the manufacture of cannon for the imperial service.
"From every standpoint," said Prince Demidoff, "the German drive on Russia seems to have been as much of a failure as the German drive on Paris a year ago. It had two definite objects, to crush the Russian army in a great pincer and to force Russia to sue for a separate peace.
"The first has patently failed. The Germans have given it up. They are digging themselves in, as they did in France, and are preparing to transfer part of their troops elsewhere. It was a mad thing to attempt, anyhow. You might as well call it a drive on Irkutsk as anything else, for all the definite object it may be said to have had. Pounding at an immense Russian force, withdrawing with admirable order across the Russian steppes, is like chasing a will of the wisp through a swamp; the further you go the worse it gets and the less chance you have to get out safe and sound. Russia is like a pillow. You can make a hollow in it by punching it with your fist; but when you take your fist away, slowly, inevitably, it comes back."
"But suppose the fist is kept there?"
"How long do you suppose the Germans can do that? It's simply a problem in mathematics. Remember one thing, the further an army extends its line the more men are required to hold it, and the further the line is from its base the more men are required to feed and clothe and supply it with munitions. And the increase in ordinary chess, hard attached across the ground; while at the same time the process of extending the line in the

face of a series of daily rearguard actions itself reduces the effectiveness with which the movement is made. For there is no advance without its price in men, dead, permanently disabled and those taken prisoner, as well as in the freshness of the troops engaged.
"Now with the Austrians and Germans there is a definite, known maximum number of men available. It may be as great as you please, but it is fixed. Every German killed, permanently disabled or taken prisoner is one available German less. That is the key to the whole situation; it is a problem in subtraction. So long as the Austrians and Germans have not succeeded in crushing Russia, the process of subtraction goes on indefinitely. Extending their lines only hastens the inevitable end, because it increases the number of men essential merely to hold the line.
"So, on the German side, you have two cardinal elements of the situation, neither of which is an element of victory—a price paid in men and strength without definite concrete result, and an ever increasing price to pay in the necessity for supplying and victualing an immensely extended line. On the Russian side you have two predominant elements, neither of which is an element of defeat—an unbroken, undisciplined, determined force and an as yet scarcely seriously touched reservoir of fresh troops.
"The same analogy holds true of the financial situation of the Central Empires in relation to the Allied Powers, and especially to Russia. Our resources, our borrowing capacity, if you please, is virtually unlimited, because the security we have to offer is unlimited. The resources of the Central Empires are very limited indeed and do not become less so with time.
"It is in the knowledge of this that we are serene in our conviction of final and complete victory.
"The second purpose of the German drive on Russia was to force Russia to conclude a separate peace. It only shows how the Germans have wholly misunderstood the Russian character, as they wholly misunderstood both the French and the English. They thought the French were a degenerate people, who had no fight left in them. They thought that Great Britain was sadly divided, on the verge of civil war. Instead, the entire British Empire is in the struggle heart and soul. And instead of forcing Russia to a separate peace the Germans by their very drive on Russia have unified the Russian people as they have never been unified before. You have today a spectacle in Russia which is truly grandiose—100,000,000 of people absolutely united, with but one thought, their Emperor, and with one aim, to crush the Emperor in person at their head, determined to

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purge Russia of the invader forever if it takes a generation. There is, as a matter of fact, more unity of understanding and confidence among the Allies at this moment than there is among the Germans themselves.
"The Central Empires have failed in both their attempts. Where, then, is their victory over the Russians? Though lacking sufficient munitions to undertake an offensive all along the line, we can still harry the Germans, at the very least. Every day we contribute our part to the process of subtraction, which is the secret of the final victory. And this method is really more effective toward the final dejection of the war than a mere technical triumph. For the purpose of the war is to finish with militarism for good and all. To do that the victory of the Allies must be absolute; we cannot parley with the military crowd in Germany; they must be got rid of. As the war is being fought, victory may be a long way off yet, but every day some of the military crowd in Germany and Austria are being got rid of. The longer the process goes on the more surely is militarism done with. And that's what we want."
"Even in Russia!"
"Most of all in Russia. Russia needs peace for a colossal internal industrial development, which is scarcely compatible with an immense military establishment forced upon us by the ruthlessness of our neighbors. We need our men to dig in our mines, to plough our fields, to lay our railroad tracks in our factories. The living hell of militarism is that one single military power in a group of peaceful nations can force all the rest to become military powers, whether they will or not. Well, we have all been chased by that German military nightmare too long; we are going to stop it."

GETS BIG WAR ORDER FROM ALLIES
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