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French Bag 25
Enemy Airplanes

Shot Down During Last
Night on West
Front

FURTHER PROGRESS MADE

Troops Advance on Aisne Front—
More Than 500 Prisoners Taken;
Austrians Say They've Taken
6,000 on Italian Front

Paris, Oct. 25.—Twenty-five German
airplanes were brought down by French
pilots last night or compelled to land in
a damaged condition. The announce-
ment follows:

"North of the Aisne the situation in
the sector between Bray-En-Laonnois
and Chavignon was not changed during
the night. On the front between Mont
Des Singes and Chavignon our troops
made further progress and reached
Robay Farm. The number of prisoners
taken up to last night in this region ex-
ceeds 500.

"There were vigorous artillery engage-
ments in the region of Corney-En-Laon-
nois especially in the sector of Vaux-
moustins. We dispersed German patrols
which attempted to approach our lines
east of Corney. An attack on the Sagnol
bridgehead, which the enemy made
after a violent bombardment, was repulsed.

"On the left bank of the Meuse there
was heavy artillery fighting in the sector
of Chaume Wood. In the region of
Esparges we carried out a detailed opera-
tion which enabled us to bring back pris-
oners.

"German aviators threw down two
bombs on Nancy. There were no vic-
tims.

"During the night of October 24,
twenty-five German airplanes were
brought down by our pilots or fell
disabled in the enemy lines."

Austrians Claim Success
London, Oct. 25.—Six thousand pris-
oners were taken by the Austro-German
forces on the Italian front in the be-
ginning of their offensive, according to
Vienna advices from the Central
News correspondent at Amsterdam.

British Success
London, Oct. 25.—The war office to-
day announced that another German
outlet south of Houthulst Wood
was completely repulsed. The unsuc-
cessful assault came after extensive ar-
tillery preparation last evening.

The Gains on the Aisne
London, Oct. 25.—(Via Reuter's Ot-
tawa Agency)—Telegraphing from
French headquarters, Reuter's corre-
spondent says:

"The strategic intention of the high
command in the Aisne battle was final-
ly and completely to thrust the enemy
off the crest line. We now hold prac-
tically the entire line of the crest be-
tween Craonne and Vauxaillon. In ad-
dition, we have a commanding view of
the Allette valley from end to end and
also a view up the Ardennes valley, at
the head of which stands Laon, and a
view northward across the plain over
the enemy communication to Anizy,
in the upper Courcy Forest. It will be
long before the full strategic efforts of
the victors are gained. Seventy tanks
operated very effectively despite the
break-neck ascents, accomplishing all
that was required of them.

"General Pennington of the American
army witnessed the battle and inspec-
ted the ground."

German Statement
Berlin, via London, Oct. 25.—The
German statement of last night says:

"In Flanders there were strong arti-
llery duels. At the Ourmin des Dames
only slight enemy artillery activity pre-
ceded; the French have not continued
their attack.

"On the Italian front the combined
operations are taking their intended
course. Up to the present some
thousands of prisoners have been
reported."

FIRST TO USE THE
FINGER PRINT SYSTEM
London, Oct. 25.—Sir William James
Herschel, discoverer and developer of
the system of identification by finger
prints, died yesterday. He was born
in 1809.

SAYS SITUATION IN IRELAND SERIOUS

West Declared to be on Verge of Armed
Rebellion Chiefly Because of Conscription

London, Oct. 25.—The seriousness of the situation in Ireland is insisted
upon by a correspondent of the Daily Mail, who has been following the Sinn
Fein doings in Ireland for several weeks. He declares that the whole of west
Ireland is on the verge of armed rebellion and continues: "The young priests
in Professor De Valera's train have suddenly awakened to the danger of the
park they helped to kindle and are now trying to quench it, but I fear it has
gone too far.

"The Sinn Feiners are sublimely confident and say that Tuesday's debate
in parliament shows plainly that the government is afraid of the troubled
waters. There is not the slightest doubt that the rock around which the troubled
waters are now swirling is the question of conscription. If it were definitely
announced by the government and leaders in Great Britain that no endeavor
would be made to force conscription on Ireland before another general elec-
tion it is possible that large numbers of Sinn Feiners would refrain from fo-
menting trouble."

The police are now arresting several local leaders in Cork and Limerick
out the Sinn Feiners say that these are small fry and do not matter. They
boast that the authorities dare not arrest Professor De Valera and Countess
Markievicz.

Editorially, the Daily Mail emphasizes the "extreme gravity" of the Irish
situation as revealed in Tuesday's debate in the House of Commons. It infers
that "the point of irrepressible conflict is being approached."

DANES KILLING THEIR
CATTLE AND PIGS AS
FOODER VERY SCARCE

Germany is Benefiting by Increase
in Supply of Meat

Copenhagen, Oct. 25.—The slaughter
of cattle and pigs owing to the lack of
fodder is proceeding at an increased
rate. It has resulted, not only in main-
taining the former export of such meat
to Germany, but even in augmenting it
somewhat.

A despatch from Odens, the centre
of the meat industry, says that the num-
ber of swine being slaughtered weekly
is more than double that of a few weeks
ago.

BRAVE QUEEN SAYS
ROUMANIA WILL
FIGHT ON TILL
VICTORY IS WON

Jassy, Roumania, via Petrograd, Oct.
25.—That Roumania will fight to the
bitter end until the struggle for the
freedom of the world and the restoration
of the rights of small nations is achieved,
Queen Marie of Roumania told the As-
sociated Press.

"Never will we lay down our arms
until the cause to which we have con-
secrated our lives is vindicated," declared
the queen, her voice full of determina-
tion and emotion. Attired in the uni-
form of a Red Cross nurse, she pre-
sented a picture of simplicity and dig-
nity. From under the hood of her uni-
form her face appeared delicately mould-
ed and deeply expressive of gentleness
and compassion. A stranger might have
taken the queen for the mother superior
of a convent, except for her youthful
appearance.

She received stout hearts of a foe
who was profiting by Russia's failure,
and she expected that the efforts again-
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WEEK'S SINKINGS
BY THE SUBMARINES

London, Oct. 25.—The admiralty
statement regarding sinkings and ar-
rivals, 2,648; sailings, 2,689.

British merchantmen over 1,500 tons
sunk by mine or submarine, seven; un-
der 1,500 tons, one. British fisher-
men sunk, none. British merchantmen
unsuccessfully attacked, including one
previously, seven.

Italian shipping losses
by submarines during the week end-
ing October 20 were three steamers of
more than 1,500 tons and one steamer
under 1,500 tons. One steamer was at-
tacked but escaped.

Paris, Oct. 25.—Only one French ves-
sel was sunk by a submarine or mine
under 1,500 tons, and one steamer of
more than 1,500 tons. The vessel lost
measured under 1,600 tons. Four ves-
sels were attacked unsuccessfully
by submarines.

The Norwegian steamer Leander, 2,968 tons, has
been sunk by a German submarine. One man
on board was killed. The Norwegian
steamer Ramfos, 3,726 tons, is stranded on the Norwegian
coast, a total wreck. She had a cargo
of 6,000 tons of corn for the Belgian
relief commission.

COTE, CHARGED WITH
SEDITION, IS FREED

Montreal, Oct. 25.—Alfred Cote, one
of a band of anti-conscription orators
arrested here on a charge of sedition, was
freed yesterday by Judge St. Cyr.
The judge took into consideration
that, though Cote had contended in a
speech that he had the right to tell his
friends not to go to war, he had also
warned them that he did not favor re-
volution.

Paul E. Mongeau, Fernand Ville-
neuve, Alphonse Bernier, and A. Gren-
ier, other orators under arrest for al-
leged seditious utterances, were com-
mitted for voluntary detention.

LATEST CASUALTY LIST.

Ottawa, Oct. 25.—Casualties:—
INFANTRY.
Wounded:
I. Hayman, St. Stephen, N. B.; D.
Dorion, Rogersville, N. B.

III.
A. J. Gunter, Northumberland, N. B.
T. D. Pidgeon, Westbury River, P. E.
I.

SERVICES
III.
C. R. Coram, St. John, N. B.; D. M.
MacDonald, Springfield, P. E. I.

JEAN BAPTISTE GOES
INTO LONG RETIREMENT

Montreal, Oct. 25.—Jean Baptiste Mi-
chaud, who stole five horses from a farm-
er and sold them to an abattoir, was
sentenced to the lake service of seven years
in the penitentiary.

For Oil Carrying
Sarnia, Ont., Oct. 25.—The Regina-
ville left yesterday for Montreal where
she will enter the oil carrying trade be-
tween Peru and Halifax. The steamer
will return to the lake service of the
Imperial Oil Company next year.

Get Wages Increase
St. Louis, Oct. 25.—The Washah Rail-
way today announced a ten per cent in-
crease in wages for its telegraph opera-
tors. About 600 men will be affected.

A FABLE THAT WENT WRONG.



"I smell lamb down the stream. I'll accuse him of fouling the water and then I'll eat him!"

"Acht! der Teufel! It is not a lamb but a lion, which grows bigger and bigger." "It is not quite the story of the wolf and the lamb. I will tell you why: because Germany expected to find a lamb, and found a lion."—Mr. Lloyd George, at Glasgow, June 28, 1917.

Toronto Liberals to Fight

Decide to Contest All Ridings in City—Political
Matters in Various Parts of Canada

Toronto, Oct. 25.—The central execu-
tive of the Toronto Liberal Associa-
tion last night decided to contest all
ridings in the city in which union gov-
ernment candidates are placed. The
committee has also appealed to all Lib-
eral organizations outside the city to
place at once Liberal candidates in the
various constituencies, as they phrase it
"to fight the battles of the people, and
not allow the moneyed interests to be-
come entrenched at Ottawa, under the
guise of a union government."

The organization placed itself on
spatch to the Gazette says that Hon.
F. F. Pardee in pleading his support
for the new union party at the nomi-
nation meeting in Sarnia yesterday.

Hon. W. S. Fielding
Montreal, Oct. 25.—An Ottawa de-
spatch to the Gazette says that Hon.
W. S. Fielding will probably be a candi-
date in support of the union govern-
ment. Yarmouth-Claire, N. S., is men-
tioned as his likely constituency.

Essex Meeting
Essex, Oct. 25.—John M. Godfrey was
the principal speaker at the win-the-
war convention held here this afternoon.
He said, must stand behind the enforce-
ment of the Military Service bill. In-
duction of foodstuffs must be maintained

ARBITRATION IN BOSTON
AND MAINE RAILWAY MATTER

Agreement Reached a Little While Be-
fore Men Were to Strike

Boston, Oct. 25.—The wage contro-
versy between the Boston and Maine Rail-
way and five thousand freight yard and
station employees was settled today a
little before the hour set for a strike,
through an agreement to arbitrate. The
men will remain at work pending ad-
justment of their demands.

NO FURTHER WORD OF
MICHAELIS RESIGNATION

London, Oct. 25.—Nothing has come
from any source up to early today con-
firming the report of the resignation of
Dr. Michaelis, German chancellor, to
London newspapers either ignore the re-
port or print it inconspicuously.

WEATHER
REPORT

Issued by Authority
of the Department
of Marine and
Fisheries, R. F. Stur-
geon, director of
meteorological service

Synopsis:—Since yesterday morning
the Atlantic coast storm has moved al-
most due north, causing heavy easterly
gales with rain in the gulf and maritime
provinces, and strong northerly winds
with rain in eastern and southern Ont-
ario. The weather is now fairly mild
in the western provinces.

Forecasts
Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh
northwest winds, clearing; Friday, fair
and milder.
Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawa Val-
leys—Fresh westerly winds, clearing to-
night; Friday, fair and milder.
Lower St. Lawrence, Gulf and North
Shore—Strong winds and gales from
eastward; rain; Friday, fresh winds
and showery.

Occasional Rain; Mild
Maritime—Strong winds and moder-
ate gales, shifting to southwest, occa-
sional rain and mild today and on Fri-
day.
Lake Superior—Fresh easterly winds,
fair; Friday, light snowfalls.
Western Provinces—Unsettled with
local falls of sleet or rain, not much
change in temperature.
New England forecast—Fair and
somewhat colder tonight and Friday;
fresh northwest winds.

LOOKING FOR DEER,
HE GETS A BEAR

Sunbury Man Gets One Weighing
400 Pounds—News of Fred-
erickton

Fredrickton, N. B., Oct. 25.—Shenton
Somerville, of Shirley, Sunbury county,
yesterday killed the largest bear report-
ed in New Brunswick this year. It
weighed 400 pounds. The carcass was
sold to a Fredericton butcher, who will
send it to Montreal. Somerville was
sitting in an old lumber camp watching
for deer, and the bear appeared unex-
pectedly.

Mrs. J. W. Olmstead, of this city, has
received a letter from her son, Private
Claude Olmstead, which states that he
has been declared unfit for further active
service and has been ordered to leave
for Canada. He will report at Toronto
for treatment. Private Olmstead left
Canada with the 160th Battalion, and
was drafted to a battalion in France. At
the battle of Vimy Ridge he was
wounded in the hand and arm.
Sergeant-Major H. T. Brewer, of this
city, has been recommended for an
appointment as military representative on
Tribunal No. 84, Fredericton. He will
accept the appointment.

Applications for exemption received so
far by the local tribunal number 186.

German Retreat Continues
On North Russian Front

Destroy Bridges And
Roads as They
Go

HIGH TONE TO
CARVELL SPEECH
AT NOMINATION
OF F. F. PARDEE

Vigorous Pronouncement by
New Brunswick's
Minister

WHY HE IS IN CABINET

Liberal Principles Firm as Ever
But Felt His Course Was
Proper One to Help in Win-
ning War—One Matter Insisted
on, the Wiping Out of Graft

(Special to Times)
Sarnia, Ont., Oct. 24.—"I am a Lib-
eral by faith and conviction, Liberal to
the core. But I believe the momentary
fate of political parties matters little
in comparison to the supreme obliga-
tions of the struggle which Canada
shares. There are two dominant war
issues, the issues between humanity and
the Hun at the front and the people and
the profiteers at home. I propose to put
these issues first whether in parliament
or out of it. It is my purpose to ad-
vocate and aid every measure calcu-
lated to defeat Germany and wipe out
the profiteers.

"On this decision I ask your mandate
as a Canadian till the war is won. I
return to you the nomination you gave
me two years ago; I leave myself en-
tirely in your hands, but let me say
this: if you renominate me I am resolv-
ed to do nothing that will not allow
me to look the returning soldier in the
face and say to him to the best of my
ability I stood by you.

"Fred F. Pardee, chief Liberal whip
in the House of Commons. The Cana-
dian war government is formed of Lib-
eral and Conservative united for a de-
finite purpose. That purpose my friend
Pardee has defined. I am just as
strong a Liberal, just as intense a Lib-
eral, yes, and just as much of a radical
as I ever was. My principles are un-
changed, my convictions unaltered; the
war must be won; that profiteering ceases
and the profiteers must go. I said that a year
ago, I say it now, I say more. I will
not remain in this government if it does
not see to it that profiteering ceases
and if it permits such things to happen
as ought not to happen.

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BLOW AT GERMAN
"KULTUR" AFTER WAR

Give up Habit of Sending Young
Men to Germany for Education

Easton, Pa., Oct. 25.—Plans for the
overthrow of German "kultur" at the
end of the war by an inter-ally educa-
tional exchange were announced here
today by Dr. Louis Brandeis, of Hobart
College, and Francois Monod, secretary
of the French high commission. Dr.
Powell said the idea was to cut away
at the before-the-war habit of send-
ing American young men to the gradu-
ate schools and universities of Germany,
and to abolish absolutely the old system
of exchange professors between Amer-
ica and Germany, and to substitute
therefor a system of giving Americans,
French and British easy access to the
colleges of the three nations.

BELIEVE MacCARTON
IS ON BRITISH SHIP
IN HALIFAX HARBOR

Halifax, Oct. 25.—There are no new
developments today in connection with
the arrest of Dr. Patrick MacCarton, a
Sinn Feiner.

The military authorities will not give
out any information. It is believed that
he is being detained aboard a British
ship and under guard.

World's S. S. Association
New York, Oct. 25.—The World's Sun-
day School Association, representing
35,000,000 students in 350,000 Sunday
schools, opened its annual convention
here.

NEARLY HALF IN CLASS A UP TO END
OF LAST WEEK

Ottawa, Oct. 25.—The calling up of the first class of men under the mili-
tary service act has resulted in a large increase in medical examinations. Last
week 85,656 submitted themselves for medical examination and of these 18,221
were placed in medical category "A." The total of men examined up to the
end of last week was 89,270, of whom 48,201 are classed as "A" men.

Toronto led last week in the number of medical examinations with Mon-
treal second.

RUSSIAN CIVIL POPULATION LEAVING
NAVAL BASE, ALSO PETROGRAD
AND REVAL—TREACHERY AIDED GER-
MANS IN MOON SOUND ATTACKS

Petrograd, Oct. 25.—The German re-
treat on the northern end of the front
continues. The war office reports that
last touch of the retreating Germans, who
destroyed all bridges, roads and build-
ings.

On Tuesday the Germans were report-
ed to be on the Rodenpois-Turkula line.

This line indicates an extensive re-
treat by the Germans, who are now back
of the Dvina river again.

Rodenpois is on the Great Jaeger riv-
er, about twelve miles north of the
Dvina. Turkula is on the Little Jaeger,
seven miles from the Dvina.

The Russian statement says that the
Germans who left their advanced posi-
tions have retired about fifteen miles
in the Riga region, near the Pskov
high road and in the sector of the
Little Jaeger river.

Fail Again to Land
German attempts to make another
landing on the Wreder peninsula in the
region of Tomba were frustrated yester-
day by Russian artillery fire.

Evacuating Kronstadt
Petrograd, Oct. 25.—The evacuation
of the naval base of Kronstadt has be-
gun by the civil population.

The removal of the civilians from
Kronstadt, which is the most important
Russian naval base, probably is a mili-
tary measure. The evacuation of
Kronstadt is moving from Petrograd, from
which the government also will go to Moscow.
The evacuation of Reval, another im-
portant port on the Gulf of Finland,
was reported last week.

In Gulf of Finland
Helsingfors, Tuesday, Oct. 23 (delay-
ed)—There has been no naval action in
the Baltic or in the Gulf of Finland
during the last two days. The Rus-
sian fleet is guarding vigilantly the en-
trance to the Gulf of Finland.

It is not believed that Helsingfors is
menaced by the German successes in
the Gulf of Riga. No measures of
evacuation have been taken, except that
the families of officials have been ad-
vised to leave the Finnish capital ow-
ing to the scarcity of provisions.

TRAGEDY
AIDED GERMAN

Petrograd, Oct. 25.—How the Ger-
mans were aided in the capture of Oesel
and Moon Islands in the Gulf of Riga
by sympathizers there is told by M.
Vishnevsky, a commissioner sent to ob-
serve conditions there and who escaped
in an open boat after the occupation.
He describes the heroic efforts made by
the officers to rally their men and as-
serts that several of them, including
General Martynoff, commander of the
garrison, committed suicide when the
troops surrendered.

That the Germans had knowledge of
conditions on the islands is indicated
by the fact that when an aviator,
brought down a German hydro-airplane,
the dead occupant was found to have
had complete plans, not only of exist-
ing, but of proposed fortifications. On
the plans places were marked for
bombing. General Martynoff's scouts
frequently observed lanterns flashing
from the shore and upon investigation
found a deserted cabin with a ladder
leading to the roof. Squares of canvas
folded lying on the ground were remov-
ed, but later were replaced by a mys-
terious hand.

In an effort to stem the surrender of
large bodies of troops, Vishnevsky and
others pretended to be sending signals
to Russian ships bringing help. In-
structions were issued by soldier com-
mittees, he says, that those wishing to
surrender should gather under white
flags. Commander Shishko, of the Re-
val Battalion of Death, it is related,
handed his sword to a soldier saying:
"I never will return home. Those who
can may save themselves or die as I."
He then shot himself. The Germans
gave two hours in which to surrender.
The majority of the garrison gave up
their arms within this time.

For Discipline
Petrograd, Oct. 23.—In his discussion
of the army situation before the parlia-
ment, Minister of War Verkhovski said
the government would introduce a bill
providing for the establishment of qual-
ified regimental disciplinary tribunals
which would apply a system of penal-
ties under which entire regiments, if
convicted of lack of discipline, would
have their leave stopped and their rat-
ions considerably reduced.

HOLDING DOWN THE LID



Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

IT'S A DANDY PROGRAMME AT THE OPERA HOUSE To the lover of real good singing, the vocal offering of Holmes and Reilly at the Opera House this week is a rare treat.

HENRY GRADY, AN OLD ST. JOHN BOY AT LYRIC, WITH "THE SEVEN PEARLS" An exceptionally pleasing playlet, "Never Again," is the vaudeville attraction at Lyric tonight.

"SUOS OF LOVE" One of The Best Comedies in Months At Unique Of all the laughable film skits ever screened "Suos of Love," a special Fox comedy at Unique tonight, boasts of some of the most ludicrous and laughable situations yet.

Coal Situation In Italy Better; Train Service Improves Rome, Oct. 25.—The railway companies announce an increase in the number of fast, freight and express trains throughout Italy owing to the improved coal situation.

BELIEVE LIBERTY LOAN GOAL HAS BEEN REACHED (J. M. Robinson & Sons' Private Wire Telegram) New York, Oct. 25.—Liberty loan official total at treasury department, \$2,715,000,000; official Washington believes that \$3,000,000,000 minimum has been subscribed.

Arthur Henderson Says: You can find good tailors in the small shops, some have taken a first-class certificate, but they only obtain their Bachelor of Arts degree when they become specialists.

FRENCH PRESIDENT PRAISES CANADIANS

Ottawa, Oct. 25.—The government has received cable advice that the Canadian military mission to France were officially received on October 18 by President Poincare.

LONDON STOCK MARKET London, Oct. 25.—While the tone of the stock market was generally firm today there was some irregularity in foreign issues, which were affected by exchange fluctuations.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c. BIRTHS CHASE—On October 25, to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Chase, 78 Water street, West St. John, a son.

DEATHS GOLDSWORTHY.—Suddenly, in this city on the 23rd inst., J. Henry H. Goldsworthy, eldest son of William C. and the late Jennie E. Goldsworthy, leaving his wife two sons, two daughters, father, three brothers and one sister to mourn.

MASSONIC NOTICE Members of New Brunswick Lodge, No. 22, F. & A. M., are requested to assemble at 308 Pitt street, without regalia, on Friday, the 26th inst., at 2.30 p. m. to attend the funeral of our late brother, Frank Gallagher.

STANDSALONE COFFEE—For Honest Value..... 37c. lb. GRAPE FRUIT New Jamaica (juicy).... 8c. each TOILET SOAPS—Castile (with wash cloth).... 10c. Rosarie, in amber or green.... 10c. Venetian Bath..... 12 1-2c.

Gilbert's Grocery We fit glasses which restore normal vision and preserve it. Don't wait for the change in your eyes to bring pain, distress, blurred vision. Consult Sharpe's optometrist now.

LOCAL NEWS

Y. W. P. A. meeting tonight at G. W. V. A. rooms, Union street, at 8 o'clock. When you need a pair of rubbers please call at Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street.

Dramatic and musical recital, Trinity Sunday School Hall, Friday evening, 10—12. Miss Amelia M. Green, classes in education for men and women's studio, Church of England Institute. 'Phone M. 2880-11. 10—12.

Men's neolin sole calf boots at Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street, for \$6.50 a pair.

Will the person who is harboring or has seen a black and white Pomeranian dog please notify H. Miller, 158 Douglas avenue, or 'Phone M. 1064. 67844—10—29

PREMIUMS Watch on Monday for the window display of premiums at Louis Green's, 89 Charlotte street. All these premiums are yours free in return for the coupons given away with every purchase of cigars, cigarettes, pipes and tobacco.

Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street, the home of better footwear, is where you will always get satisfaction.

NOTICE Regular meeting of Railway Freight Handlers' Union will be held in their hall Friday evening, Oct. 26, at 8 o'clock. As there is some important business to be dealt with, also an election of officers, all members are requested to attend. By order of the president. 10—27

Ladies' kid laced boots, only \$2 a pair. This is an extra good bargain at Steel's Shoe Store, 519 Main street.

AUTOMOBILE OWNERS, ATTENTION! Fred E. White, experienced machinist and auto mechanic, has taken over the business of Mr. Stackhouse at 168 Marsh road, and is prepared to attend to your requirements expeditiously. Make appointment by phone, if possible, to ensure prompt service. 'Phone M. 916.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION In connection with the 126th anniversary of Queen square Methodist church a congregational banquet was held in the parlors of the church on Tuesday evening. Rev. Hammond Johnson presided and 160 members sat down to a bounteous repast. The celebration was under the auspices of the anniversary committee and was one of the most successful functions held in years. Addresses were given by J. Willard Smith, C. M. Lingley, A. B. Gillmore, Lieut-Colonel Anderson, Rev. Thomas Marshall, Mrs. Thomas Evans, Mrs. F. E. Williams and R. Duncan Smith. Vocal solos were well rendered by Mrs. Gerow, Mrs. Colby and De Witt Cairns.

THE CORN MARKET Chicago, Oct. 25.—Fresh upturn in the price of corn resulted today from scarcity of offerings and from efforts of shorts to escape further traders. There was no sign of a recovery on the part of farmers to sell. Pit traders seemed disposed to await hedging pressure before becoming aggressive on the bear side. Opening quotations, which ranged from 3-8 cent off to 1/2 cent advance, with December at \$1.16 3-8 to \$1.17 1/2, May at \$1.11 3-4 to \$1.12, were followed by material gains all around. Persistent acquisition of oats for eastern account forced the oats market up with corn.

Cars for Sugar Crop Chicago, Oct. 25.—That sufficient cars to move the entire crop of the cane sugar belt and enough more in the north-west to handle the potato crop, have been proportionately stationed, was announced here today on behalf of the railroads war board.

May Standardize Railways New York, Oct. 25.—With the arrival of an imperial Japanese mission of three railroad experts here today, it was officially announced that Japan is considering the standardization of her railroads at a cost approximating \$23,000,000.

Nelson-McPherson Miss Mary V. McPherson was united in marriage to Michael Nelson, of Chipman, by Rev. E. J. Conway, in the Catholic church, on October 15.

CLIMO Is noted for his photos. The most appreciated gift is one of these. Christmas samples now ready. Come early and save disappointment. Studio, 35 Germain Street 11-17.

STAGE GEAR FALLS; MELBA IS INJURED

Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 25.—Mme. Nellie Melba, opera singer, was painfully injured during the presentation of "Faust" here last night when a row of lights at the back of the stage fell and struck her. She was bruised about the body and for ten minutes was semi-conscious.

Melba resumed her role after the curtain had been lowered for twenty minutes.

Melba sang in the St. John Opera House some years ago. LABOR SCARCITY IN PARTS OF QUEBEC; HAY STILL IN THE FIELDS Quebec, Oct. 25.—The scarcity of labor in Quebec is once more illustrated, this time in the vicinity of Sherbrooke. G. Jones, of Byronville, yesterday told the immigration society of the Eastern Township that through the scarcity of labor in his neighborhood hay is still in the fields, as are also potatoes.

USE RIVERS AND RELIEVE THE STRAIN UPON THE RAILWAYS Washington, Oct. 25.—Plans for greater utilization of navigable rivers to relieve the strain upon the railroads were entrusted to a waterway commission of seven members to be named by President Wilson.

ENCOURAGE FARMERS IN RAISING OF HOGS Ottawa, Oct. 25.—To encourage farmers to raise as many hogs as possible and to increase the production of the department of agriculture has issued a message on "the feeding and housing of swine."

BANK OF ENGLAND London, Oct. 25.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserves decreased 467,000 pounds; circulation decreased 29,000 pounds; bullion decreased 496,270 pounds. Other securities decreased 9,724,000 pounds; other deposits decreased 7,825,000 pounds; notes reserve decreased 401,000 pounds. Government securities decreased 266,000 pounds.

BURIED TODAY The funeral of Mrs. Dennis Murphy took place this morning from her late residence, Adelaide street, to St. Peter's church, where solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. P. C. O'Hare, C. S. R., who was assisted by Rev. F. Healy, C. S. R., as deacon, and Rev. F. Coghlan, C. S. R., as sub-deacon. Interment was made in the old Catholic cemetery.

PERSONALS Mrs. Thomas Dyer is visiting friends in Hillsboro, Albert County. Services were conducted by Rev. M. Boothroyd, representing the International Sunday School Association, in the city to attend local conventions.

TO BE WORN SHORTER Abbreviation of Woman's Skirt is Discussed Skirts are to be shorter and scantier. Such is the prophecy of that mysterious arbitress Fashion, whose decrees like those of Fate, none may resist. The question has already been raised by masculine censors morose, who naturally know nothing of the matter, how a restricting process can go on with due regard to that modesty which, as the Gaelic proverb has it, is the beauty of women. The obvious answer is that modesty is hard to define. It resides rather in the wearer than in the gown.

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LOCAL NEWS TIRE CASE CONTINUED Hearing on a charge of theft against a fourteen-year-old boy for stealing five tires from William M. Davis, 27 Clarence street, was continued this afternoon before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court. The tires were valued at \$125. The owner of the tires, Mr. Davis, said that on Tuesday morning he found the door of the garage open and the five tires gone. The staple had been drawn and the door forced. Murray Northrup also testified.

LOCAL NEWS FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH 2 No. 2 Engine House, King square. 3 No. 2 Engine House, Union street. 4 Cor. Bond and Water streets. 5 Cor. Mill and Union streets. 6 Cor. Mill and Union streets. 7 Cor. North West and Nelson street. 8 Cor. Mill and Bond streets. 9 Water street, opposite Junction's alley. 10 Cor. St. Patrick and Union streets. 11 Water street, opposite Potem street. 12 Cor. St. Patrick and Union streets. 13 Cor. Bond and Water streets. 14 Cor. Bond and Water streets. 15 Cor. Bond and Water streets. 16 Cor. Bond and Water streets. 17 Cor. Bond and Water streets. 18 Cor. Bond and Water streets. 19 Cor. Bond and Water streets. 20 Cor. Bond and Water streets.

LOCAL NEWS NORTH END BOXES 21 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 22 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 23 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 24 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 25 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 26 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 27 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 28 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 29 N. B. station, Rodney wharf. 30 N. B. station, Rodney wharf.

ROMANTIC STORY IS ADDED TO LORE OF ITALY'S FLAG When the Italian forces made their superb attack upon the Austrian positions and triumphantly captured Monte Santo last August, a picturesque scene was enacted that contributes a romantic story to the history of the national emblem.

Woman's Exchange Library Seventy new books just in. Authors: Rinehart, Blinnos, Gibbs, Richmond, Roche, Benson, Reynolds, Brady, Cranfield, etc. Costs only a few cents to rent them.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION REWARD OFFERED JAMES MANCHESTER OFFERS reward of \$20 for information leading to conviction of parties who carried away vegetables from his place, Manawagonish road, Tuesday night.

HALIFAX CONTINUES STRONG FOR EXEMPTION Halifax, Oct. 25.—The total registrations in the Halifax district to date are 4,702. Of this number 3,138 have made application for exemption and 570 have reported for military service.

DE ORO HOLDS LEAD New York, Oct. 23.—Alfredo De Oro of Cuba, holder of the three cushion billiards title, retained his lead over John Daly of New York by defeating the challenger, fifty to forty, here last night in the second book of a three night match. The total score is: De Oro, 100; Daly, 83. Last night's play lasted eighty innings. De Oro made a high run of five and Daly four.

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LOCAL NEWS

A rally service was held in the Victoria street Baptist church last evening. The pastor, Rev. B. H. Nobles, presided, and Rev. F. P. Dennison was the speaker of the evening. He took as his subject "Young People and Evangelism."

A Western Union messenger boy, named McKenna, who resides on Murray street, was severely bitten by a dog in Nelson street on the leg yesterday afternoon. The wound was dressed by Dr. Emery in Hawker's drug store on Prince William street.

A special meeting of the board of governors of the Industrial Home was held in the mayor's office yesterday afternoon for the purpose of investigating a complaint laid by a lad named McLean, who recently escaped from the home. The lad made a statement to His Honor Judge Armstrong that he had been ill-treated by the superintendent, Fred McDonald. The complaint was then lodged by his honor with the mayor. The board exonerated Mr. McDonald.

Commissioner D. Johnston and Inspector C. W. Baxter, of the fruit division of the department of agriculture, Ottawa, arrived in the city last night. They are here for the purpose of investigating fruit and vegetable prices. They intend going from here to Annapolis Valley, where they will study the apple conditions and, before returning, they will probably study the potato conditions in Prince Edward Island.

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Prediction of Twenty-Hour Service Between England and Newfoundland

Lines To All Colonies; English Aviator Pioneer Sees Aircraft as Great Force for Greater Unification of Empire

A twenty-hour air service between England and Newfoundland; air service thence across Canada; airplane flying from London to British South Africa colonies, and to all parts of the empire—this is the prediction of Lord Montagu of Beaulieu, a pioneer in aviation in England, in the September issue of Overseas.

"What the airplane is doing in war we all know," says Overseas, "but what is the part that it is to play in the development of our empire when peace comes?"

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The magazine presents a reply by Lord Montagu to the question: 'The scattered nature of the British Empire must be a source of weakness both politically and from the military point of view unless communication between the separate parts of the empire is easy and rapid. The linking up of the great English-speaking nations with the old Mother Country is a matter of supreme importance, and whereas the telegraph, both wireless and by means of cable, has done much and steamship communication has done more, the most potent means of drawing together the widely separated dominions will be the airplane.'

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"Rudyard Kipling once wrote: 'Transportation is civilization: One may say with equal force as regards the air, that air communication means civilization.' Really, rapid communication will mean the possibility of an Imperial parliament, for Australia will hardly be further in point of time from Westminster than was Edinburgh from London two years ago. Parliament was possible

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DON'T FORGET
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You can save \$5 on your overcoat if you attend our Surprise Sale. Penman's wool fleeced-lined undergar only 69 cents a garment—C. Magnusson & Son, 54-56-58 Dock street. 10-26.

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 - 4 lb. tin Pure Marmalade \$35c
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 - Tomato Catsup, medium, 15c, 2 bottles 25c.
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STEAM ENGINE PULLS TRAIN OF LOGS OVER SNOW

Those who are familiar with the history of the steam engine will recall that the first locomotive was operated on an ordinary highway. In this connection it is interesting to note that an engine is being used in a Wisconsin lumber camp during the winter months to haul a train of logging sleds over snow and ice. Popular Mechanics Magazine for November shows the engine at work in a full color illustration on its cover. An account of the accomplishments of this clever makeshift is given in the magazine. The scarcity of timber in the district is continually increasing the length of hauls and lessening the practicability of constructing tracks for logging trains. Reduction of transportation costs is therefore necessary for the profitable

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The Evening Times and Star

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The War Outlook
The war is all but won. We have only to set our teeth and the war will be won.

These are the words of Admiral Jellicoe. They are the words of Sir Edward Carson and Gen. Smuts, who also spoke to the English people yesterday, supplementing the prime minister's admonition: "Keep steady and we will win."

But we must keep steady, we must set our teeth, we must still be ready to endure and suffer, in order that complete victory may be attained.

As a reminder comes the news that the submarine toll was larger last week. Will it be still larger? That is the question still asked with keen anxiety.

In other directions the signs are more hopeful. The successful French drive on the Aisne, the withdrawal of the Germans on a wide front in Russia, the hurrying of German troops to aid Austria against the Italians, the persistent rumors of a desire on the part of Bulgaria and Turkey to get out of the war, the proofs of disaffection among German troops on the western front, the trouble brewing in the Reichstag, causing the Kaiser to go to Berlin to smooth out if possible the political situation—all these signs are favorable for the Allies.

There is therefore the more reason to set our teeth, to stand steady, and to be ready with every available resource to strike the last strong blow that shall destroy forever the power of Prussian militarism.

A SAD FAREWELL

The patronage committee is understood to have held its farewell meeting last evening. It is perhaps fitting that a veil should be drawn over the sad and solemn scene, but it may be observed that there were no oysters. Even cigars were not visible in quantity.

There was no melon to be sliced, but in its place a large lemon, which brought tears to troubled eyes. Naturally the members were reminiscent. It was impossible to meet under the shadow of dissolution without remembrance of the past.

The long procession of eager seekers after offices, or contracts, or jobs, or just plain graft, passed in review; and occasionally a twinkle crept into the corner of somebody's eye at the recollection of some ferocious squabble over pickings, or a sigh escaped at memory of a nice little rake-off, never to come again.

There was very little conversation. Thoughts were too deep for words. They had come to the parting of the ways. Silently they shook hands, wiped away a furtive tear, and drifted out into the storm, to pass a restless night and get up this morning to find Frank B. Carvell's iron jaw thrust out at them from the first page of the Standard.

POLITICAL DEVELOPMENTS
Today's despatches state that Hon. W. S. Fielding will probably be a candidate in a Nova Scotia constituency in support of union government.

The central executive of the Toronto Liberal Association will contest every seat in that city in opposition to union government and asks all Ontario Liberals to adopt that course. The Liberals of West Lambton, however, have re-nominated Mr. F. F. Pardee as a union candidate.

It is announced that as soon as the date of the election is fixed Sir Wilfrid Laurier will hold a great meeting in Montreal and open his campaign.

The new government has abolished patronage, not only in appointments to the public service but in the purchase of supplies. It also urges that every effort be made to have not more than one supporter of union government nominated in any constituency, as the government candidates must be indicated to the soldiers voting at the front.

At Sarnia yesterday Hon. F. B. Carvell set out clearly his reasons for entering the union government, and made it clear that unless there were an end to pro-sterling he and his Liberal colleagues would not remain in the cabinet. His address, of which a good report appears in today's Times, makes his position very clear and the report will be read with the keenest interest by all New Brunswick Liberals.

ROBBING THE POOR.

This newspaper yesterday charged that the present boosting of the price of potatoes is robbing the poor. It desires to repeat that charge with all the emphasis possible. For it is true. There is no scarcity of potatoes. They are being bought by speculators or held by farmers for hold-up prices. The man who can afford it fills his cellar and is safe, but the poor man who buys from day to day or week to week must bear the burden.

The food controller should act at once in this matter. He should fix a maximum price. The moment he does, speculation will stop, hoarding will stop, and the potatoes will come on the market. Let him fix the price high enough to assure the farmer a good profit, and thus he will not discourage production. That was what was done in the case of wheat.

There is now no speculation in flour and the farmers are getting more for their wheat than they asked when the question was first put up to them. So long as the price is not fixed there will be speculation, a hold-up for higher prices, and a grinding of the faces of the poor. We see what happens in connection with the order about the sale of cereals in packages. Dealers who had loaded up in the hope of an advance in prices are caught as they deserve to be.

If the new government really means business it will take action in regard to the price of potatoes and do it at once.

READ THIS, YOUNG MAN.
The Times has seen a letter received by Mr. A. Gordon Leavitt, secretary of the school board, from a man who is employed in a St. John factory and who took the course in mechanical drawing at the evening classes in Centennial School for two winters. He says one result was an increase of \$125 in his salary, another is that the manager often asks him to make drawings in connection with the work of the factory. His ability to do so in one case saved one portion of the plant from being tied up for a time.

This man's experience should be an inspiration to many others. The classes for this winter, which include both elementary and advanced mechanical drawing, and commercial arithmetic, will be opened next month, and there should be a large attendance. It is an opportunity for many of those who are engaged in industries to gain information and skill of the highest value to them. Before another year has passed it may be hoped that more courses will be provided and a wider opportunity given to those who were compelled to leave school at an early age. The time is coming when attendance at continuation schools will be made compulsory for all those who leave the day school without having come up to a certain standard of knowledge.

According to the Grain Growers' Guide, it cost the western farmer this year a total of \$27.50 per acre for a twenty-bushel yield of wheat, or \$1.37 1/2 per bushel. Assuming that he gets \$2.10 a bushel, or \$42 for the twenty bushels, he has a profit of \$14.50 per acre. He would thus get a profit of practically 50 per cent. on his capital. The western farmer should be able to put a lot of money into the war loan. They should also be able to provide some excess profits for the government, especially those with very large areas of wheat crop. The Dominion Board of Grain Supervisors has been very generous to them, for it fixed the price of wheat at 91 cents per bushel higher than was suggested by the Canadian Council of Agriculture, which represents them. The board fixed the higher price to stimulate production. The farmers should not overlook the fact that they can afford to be generous. If they do overlook it, the government should not.

Canadian Finance says that Assistant City Treasurer Buchan, of Calgary, recently stated that Calgary's taxes in arrears collected up to Sept. 25th of this year totalled \$470,577. Of this amount \$282,654 represents taxes due in 1915 and previous to that year and \$187,923 represents 1916 outstanding taxes. Mr. Buchan also stated that 1917 general taxes collected to the same date totalled \$545,461, added to which should be \$110,082 special and local improvement taxes. Mr. Buchan states that at the present time the city owes the banks the sum of \$650,000.

Northern Manitoba has rich mineral resources in which American financiers are showing a lively interest. Copper sulphide ore, gold-bearing quartz and molybdenite are found in abundance. The provincial government is taking steps to facilitate the development of the mining districts, and classes in blow pipe work, mineralogy, assaying and petrology are held at Manitoba University.

According to estimates made by the Saskatchewan department of agriculture, the potato crop in that province this year will total about 5,000,000 bushels. This is stated to be far below the average of former years and will probably not be any more than sufficient to cover requirements within the province, so that there will be none available for export.

There is no real scarcity of sugar except temporarily in some cases. As the Times pointed out some time ago, there is an abundance of raw sugar, both cane and beets, and it will soon be available. There is no cause for worry.

The Russian outlook is still discouraging. It is announced that the civil population is leaving Kronstadt and Petrograd, and that the capital will be removed to Moscow. The civil population is also leaving the port of Revel.

Now that oleomargarine may be imported free or manufactured in Canada the milk producers at Ottawa are talking of going out of business. Will milking goats once more browse around Fort Howe and the dumps of St. John?

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I could not prove and I have never attacked wrong doing unless I know it to be wrong doing. How, then, can I work with men whose maladministration I have been attacking? You ask me that. It's a fair and proper question. My answer is that if the best interests of the country and the best interests of humanity can best be served in Canada by this union then I believe in this union. I am prepared to do what I could not otherwise do.
The hardest blow that ever came to me was the severing of this issue with the wonderful statesman I have followed since boyhood. In his loyalty and good faith I have still the most profound confidence. He is the greatest Canadianian and his one idea is to do right, but I must follow my own convictions not those of another. I part from him on this issue because I believe I am right. No man does these things without heartaches. Men and women, it can't be done without them.
Mr. Carvell deemed that he had not changed his principles or his convictions one iota. I believe today what I believed before. I have never been asked to abandon my convictions. I should have been insulted had I been asked so to do. Those of us who support the union government take that position because we believe in the union government. We are more effectively do our part in carrying on the war.
Mr. Carvell said he believed that the infusion of Liberalism in the government of Canada would be conducive to good and effective results. Mr. Pardee and he had been talking about national problems and he had no hesitation in stating his conviction that the pensions to soldiers and their dependents must be made adequate and that even if wealth was to part with every dollar of its war time profits. (Cheers.) This was a debt the nation owed the soldier who had protected them and the conclusion of Mr. Carvell's address was that Mr. Carvell, "a man refuses to pay that debt he is not a Canadian, he is a Hun."
Wealth Must Pay
"Hitherto Canada had raised its revenue by customs and excise. With the tremendous financial war obligation this practically could not be continued and in so far as he was concerned it would not be conducted. Wealth must pay it.
I can make no announcement, governments do not make announcements through individual members but in the platform already issued there is an assurance of an increase in the income tax for which in the past Mr. Pardee and I have labored. The principle of making wealth pay a proportion of taxation has been established and will, I believe, be continued and extended. Wealth must pay a much heavier proportion than it has paid in the past.
Mr. Carvell intimated that there could be no radical changes in the fiscal system until the war was over, but agreed heartily with Mr. Pardee that something must be done, something drastic if necessary to put an end to war profiteering in food or in munitions, some effective system of food control must be devised.
The new minister of public works then told the reason which had determined him to attend the West Lambton convention. For weeks after the Liberals in the House of Commons had labored upon the issue of compulsory military service he was aware the West Lambton member had been putting in many sleepless nights pacing the floor and wrestling with his personal inclinations and his convictions. On one occasion Mr. Carvell had called upon him and asked what he had decided to do. "I am going to save my self-respect and do what's right," was Mr. Pardee's reply. "I made that decision my own," declared Mr. Carvell. "To those who may not see eye to eye with me, I ask them to respect the sincerity of our convictions for we never did a harder thing in our lives. We did what we believed to be right for our country and our convictions. For our country and our convictions. When we saw it was hopeless to reach a unanimous position in the Liberal party I

relation to what we believed to be Canada's national obligation at this time, there were two courses then open before us, we could entirely quit public life or we could do our part each as we saw it to help bring about things which we regarded as right and essential. Each of us reached his own decision, each of us acted upon it. I accept the position in the new union government.
A voice: "With a poor bunch."
"Did what I believed to be my duty."
Another voice: "What! No Liberals in it?"
"I can speak for no man but myself. I know I am just as good a Liberal as any man in this audience. I believe the principles of Liberalism; they are part of me. (Cheers.) I am in the very thick of this issue, I believe in the war. I want in freely and there are things happening of which I cannot approve I can get out just as easily. This is not a Conservative government. It is a Liberal government."
"Mostly Conservatives," interrupted a voice.
"This is a war government. Its purpose is to carry on the affairs of this country in a non-partisan way until the war is won. After demobilization the contest is concluded and each man can take the course he thinks best."
"You'll all be Tories then," exclaimed another.
"Does someone say I will be a Tory?" asked Mr. Carvell. "Well, I don't believe it. (Laughter and renewed cheers.) There is only one thing for a man to do in a crisis like the present and that is to do what he thinks is right."
Mr. Carvell, who had recently received word of the death of his son-in-law in action, added with considerable feeling that to understand the war tragedy it was necessary to pass through the Gethsemane of personal sacrifice. At the conclusion of Mr. Carvell's address cheers were given for the king, for the fighting forces, for Mr. Pardee and Mr. Carvell.

Hearing of argument on the application of the New Brunswick Telephone Company for permission to make their night rates effective at eleven p. m. instead of seven p. m. will commence before the Public Utilities Commission on Friday, November 2. This decision was reached at the meeting of the commission yesterday afternoon.
In reply to a question by Alderman McLellan of Fredericton, who acted as spokesman for the opposition, J. B. M. Buxter, K. C., for the company, said that the business was desired because so much business was held over from the day to secure the advantage of the night rates that the wires are congested at night.
When the commission adjourned some of the delegates visited the head office of the company to inspect charts and other documents in support of the company's contention, but did not seem satisfied with the evidence.
The company's application will be opposed vigorously.

GOVERNMENT PLANS

The decision of the government to abolish the patronage lists and purchase all supplies through the war purchasing commission has made it necessary to enlarge that body. As the present list, Sir Edward Keup, is going to England, another chairman will be appointed and it is expected that he will be a Liberal. Two additional members also will be appointed.
The government has issued an official statement urging that all supporters of the union government, whether Liberal, Conservative, Labor or Independent,

should get together in convention in each constituency and select union candidates. Candidates so selected will be entitled to soldiers' votes cast for the government candidate.

W. F. Nickle, M. P., has decided to run as a union candidate in Kingston, Ont. He resigned as a Conservative candidate five weeks ago.

At a Calgary meeting of Union government supporters last evening both parties were called upon to arrange for a joint convention for the selection of union candidates.

In order to promote war aims by closer co-operation between themselves and with the public the various railways of Canada have formed an association for this purpose.

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Molasses Corn Cake

Cornmeal, 1 cup; flour, ¼ cup; sour milk or buttermilk, 1 cup; molasses, ¼ cup; eggs, 1; soda, ¼ teaspoon dissolved in the milk; salt, 1 teaspoon; melted fat, 1 tablespoon. Baking powder, 1 level teaspoon in the flour. Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add the milk and eggs well beaten. Last of all add the melted fat, and bake in a shallow pan in a hot oven.

(Recipes by Domestic Science Experts, Food Controller's Office.)

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Broiled Finnan Haddies. Potatoes. Parsnips.
Steamed Ginger Pudding. Vanilla Sauce

The recipes for Bran Gems and Broiled Finnan Haddies, mentioned above, are as follows:

Bran Gems.—One and a half cups flour. Three-quarters cup bran. One cup sour milk. One half cup molasses. Three-quarters teaspoon soda. One teaspoon salt. Two tablespoons melted butter. Mix and sift dry ingredients, add milk to molasses, and combine mixtures; then add butter.

Ginger Pudding.—Half cup suet. Half cup sugar. One egg. Two and a half cups flour. Three and a half teaspoons baking powder. One quarter teaspoon salt. Two teaspoons ginger. One cup milk.

Turn into a buttered mould. Cover and steam two hours.

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HALIFAX EVENING SCHOOLS

The subjects to be taken up at the evening classes in the Technical College building in Halifax this season are: Business English, practical arithmetic, practical algebra, geometry and trigonometry, bookkeeping, mechanical drawing, machine drawing, machine design, architectural drawing, building construction, drawing architectural design, elements of electricity, dynamo-electric machinery, gasoline engines, automobile running and repair, steam engineering, surveying elements and chemistry, technical chemical analysis, dressmaking, cooking, millinery, etc.

A preparatory class in English and arithmetic will be held at Bloomfield street school for 8th and 9th grade students in that section of the city, who wish to get some more general education before entering a technical class in the college. Another preparatory class will be held in the Richmond school and a class in dressmaking will also be offered there for the convenience of the students in the extreme North End.

It is possible there will be one gasoline engine class for women and girls alone. Throughout the summer a class of girls who paid their own tutor have been given the use of the facilities at the Tech College building and it is expected these girls will for the winter form one of the regular technical school classes.

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One fine afternoon about twenty years ago a young homesteader in north-west Manitoba hauled a wagonload of his wheat to the local elevator. The buyer offered him seven cents per bushel below the proper market price. The homesteader entered an energetic protest, but was informed that "if he didn't like the price he could haul his wheat home again." There was no market for grain at that time. The homesteader, therefore, accepted the offer, and was properly skinned on the dockage into the bargain. Right then and there he learned a little lesson in monopoly. Some years later he had in a monopoly. The young homesteader today is the minister of agriculture in the new union government. Farm life in the early days of the west on the fringe of civilization, was not a simple thing. It was an exceedingly simple thing. It was an exceedingly simple thing. It was an exceedingly simple thing.

pulling T. A. Crerar through his early struggles as head of the farmers' company. His contribution to the farmers' cause is much more than his duty as president of the company. He has been at the front and on the firing line in every big engagement in which the organized farmers of the prairie provinces have participated in the past decade. It will be welcome news to the organized farmers generally that he is not to sever his connection with them, but will remain as head of the farmers' company.

It is easy to believe that Mr. Crerar was not anxious to become minister of agriculture. He already had one job big enough for any man in Canada, but the call of duty has never yet found him wanting. It was only because he believed it to be his duty that he accepted the portfolio of agriculture. The farmers of the west who know him will look forward to the day when his duty in Ottawa will be fulfilled and he will come back again to his position as a leader in the work of the organized farmers.

The new chief of the department of agriculture is well equipped for his work. Being well acquainted with the problems and the struggles of the agricultural industry, he knows that there is something besides greater production needed for success. His wide business experience will ensure that good men will be in charge of every branch of his department. He will be a most unpopular man with the job hunters, and he will have mighty little use for red tape. Mr. Crerar will never make a success as an old line politician. He is too much accustomed to asking the question: "Is

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It is right? and he is probably too old to learn how to ask the question: "Will it be of political advantage?" The conduct of the department of agriculture in these days is a real man's job, and there is a real man on the job.

\$100 FOR KAISER'S FUNERAL.

Boston, Oct. 25.—A woman visited a Boston bank and produced \$100 in small bills, which she placed on the cashier's desk. "I've been saving this for my funeral expenses," she said, "but I want to buy a bond to help along the Kaiser's funeral. The only thing I am sorry about is that I am afraid I cannot be present."

To Have Complexion That Men Admire

"A man may admit, with great specification, that powder and rouge are necessary aids to beauty," says a well-known writer, "yet deep in his heart he dreams of the woman whose loveliness needs no artificial touching up. Women who appreciate this, who give consideration to the masculine viewpoint, avoid setting anything that might indicate their beauty is not all their own."

Such women in increasing number are acquiring the marcellized wax habit. By applying the wax at night as they would cold cream, washing it off in the morning, they secure, and maintain, entirely natural complexions. Their faces exhibit no evidence of having been beautified. Nothing is added to the old complexion—the latter, instead, is discarded. Marcellized wax, procurable at any drug store (an ounce is sufficient), absorbs the dehydrated outer skin, gradually, almost imperceptibly. The fresh, clear, satiny under-skin which appears, bears a healthy, youthful bloom not comparable with the fixed artificial color.

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AUCTIONS
MORTGAGE SALE of Real Estate BY AUCTION At Clubb's Corner Saturday, Oct. 27, at 12 o'clock noon, freehold land, part of lots 129 and 130, on north-westerly side of Brussels street, together having a frontage of 51 feet, 8 inches, and depth of 75 feet; also the northwesterly half of lot 125, situate on the southwesterly side of Brussels street, having a frontage of 24 feet, 8 inches, and depth of 100 feet. T. T. LANTALUM, Auctioneer. H. F. PUDDINGTON, Solicitor. Office—45 Canterbury St.

HORSES, WAGONS, ETC.
FOR SALE—BAY MARE, ABOUT 1100 lbs., one double seated rubber tired carriage, one light high wagon, one sleigh, two sets harness. Phone W. 28-41, or Alfred Belyea, Lancaster street. 67846-10-29

FOR SALE—FAST BLACK DRIVING horse, cheap, also rubber tired carriage and harness. Apply evenings between 5 and 8 at 289 King street east. 67818-11-1

BUSINESS FOR SALE
A GOOD PAYING RESTAURANT Business, known as Club Cafe, on 54 Mill street. Apply to John Shing at the Club. 67894-10-26

RECENT WEDDINGS
The wedding of Miss Louisa Daley and Ernest Charlton, both of Greer Settlement, was solemnized in St. Martin's on Tuesday. The ceremony was performed by Rev. F. J. Lecroy.

No Longer a Pedestrian.
The San Diego Union wants to know what has become of the old-fashioned sport who used to run to every fire. With shoes selling at ten bucks a pair that gentleman has ceased to be a pedestrian.—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

ARE YOU GOING TO MOVE; OR HAVE YOU A HOUSE OR FLAT TO RENT?

This page of the TIMES is the city directory for the home seeker; and for the landlord who wants a tenant.

FLATS TO LET

TO LET—FLAT OF FIVE ROOMS. Apply 79 St. Patrick street. 67824-11-1
TO LET—SELF-CONTAINED flats, 4 and 6 rooms, also shop. Apply M. J. Wilkins, 391 Haymarket square. 67802-11-4

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TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, HEATED, modern conveniences, best location. Phone 1868-41. 67814-11-1
TO LET—FURNISHED BEDROOMS with breakfast if desired. Apply 114 Elliott row, left hand bell. 67822-11-1

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WANTED—BOARDERS, 148 CARMARTHEN. 67808-11-25
BOARDERS WANTED. APPLY 657 Main street, lower bell. 67762-10-30

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Lower flat 148 1/2 Mecklenburg, \$5.50. Flat 203 Main street, \$7.50. Flat 250 City road, \$9.50.

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HOUSE TO LET, NO. 85, IN TERRACE, Broad street, 11 rooms, bath, etc., ready for occupancy. Apply to P. Campbell & Co., 70 Prince Wm. street. 67804-10-31

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FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET until May 1 at 255 Germain street, 3 bedrooms, bath, maid's room, parlor, dining room and kitchen, hot water heated, coal and gas range, electric light. For further particulars apply estate of T. S. Simms, Box 1113, St. John, N.B., or Phone West 260. 67719-10-30

TO LET

TO RENT—SMALL BARN ON PITT street, near Princess street. Apply John Labatt, Ltd., 22 Water street. 67755-10-30

FLATS WANTED

WANTED—MODERN FLAT ABOUT six rooms, in city. Phone M. 2888 during day. 67653-11-21

FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED

WANTED BY YOUNG LADY—heated room, with or without board. Apply stating location and terms to Box G 85, Times office. 67755-10-30

STORES AND BUILDINGS

LARGE STORE TO LET, 578 MAIN street, concrete cellar, good business stand, two large windows, rental fifteen dollars, for immediate occupancy. Apply Carson, Water street, Phone Main 576. 67809-11-16

ROOMS WANTED

WANTED—THREE OR FOUR UNFURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping, from Nov. 1st. Address with full particulars Box G 85, this office. 67850-11-1

WANTED—BOARD

WANTED—BY LADY, BOARD FOR winter, in private family. Apply G 73, care Times. 67672-10-29

RECENT DEATHS

The death of Mrs. Marton Wale, formerly Miss Gladys M. Wilson of St. John, occurred at Boston recently.

The death of Oliver Collett of Randolph, occurred yesterday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Broudeau. The body will be taken to Shellie for interment.

At the ripe old age of ninety-three years, Mrs. Mary M. Lasky died suddenly while making a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Mabeo, on Tuesday evening. She leaves twenty grandchildren and twenty-three great-grandchildren.

The death of Mrs. James Wren occurred at her home in Musquash yesterday evening, leaving her husband and two sons.

The death of Francis Gallagher occurred here yesterday afternoon after a long period of ill health. Mr. Gallagher was for years connected with the parcel post in the customs service and was in his seventy-seventh year. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and two sons.

After fourteen years of service on the harbor ferry, Captain Leander Estabrooks died at his home, 118 Wainwright street, early this morning, after only a week's illness. Captain Estabrooks was born in Burton, Sunbury county, in 1858, and is very well known in St. John. He is survived by his wife, two sons, Harold and George, and one daughter, Miss Florence. The funeral will take place Friday afternoon at Burton. Services will be held this evening at the home of the late Captain Estabrooks.

CURFEW AT SYDNEY

Sydney has curfew law in effect. A number of youngsters were rounded up by the police last week after eight o'clock. The city ordinance in regard to hours during which children under fourteen years of age are allowed to be in public places is to be strictly enforced. The ordinance reads that no child under fourteen years of age shall be allowed to be out alone in public places after eight o'clock in the evening.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—MALE HELP

BOY WANTED—D. F. BROWN CO. 67826-11-1
ORDERLY WANTED. APPLY ST. John County Hospital. 67843-11-1
WANTED—YOUNG MAN, GOOD salesman, clothing and furnishings. Apply P. O. Box 382, City. 67808-10-31

WANTED—FEMALE HELP

WANTED—KITCHEN GIRL, TEN Eych Hall, Phone M. 1020. 67669-10-29
GIRLS WANTED. APPLY GENERAL Public Hospital. 67834-10-27
GIRLS WANTED—D. F. BROWN. 67847-10-26

ROOMS TO LET

LARGE PLEASANT FURNISHED front room, suitable two gentlemen or man and wife, 298 Germain street. 67828-11-1

COOKS AND MAIDS WANTED

WANTED AT ONCE—A GIRL FOR housework at 104 Elliott row, Small family. 67848-11-1

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED cook, general. Best references. Apply Box G 75, Times. 67774-10-31

SITUATIONS VACANT

WANTED—IF THERE IS A GOOD Soprano Singer in the city who would like a choir engagement, an application addressed to Choir Director, P. O. Box 1915, City, will receive attention. 67836-10-27

AGENTS WANTED

AMAZING SELLER—TABLETS that wash clothes spotlessly clean without rubbing. Promise to solicit orders with ten cents will bring samples for four washings. Make dollar an hour. Bradley's Co., Brantford, Ont.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—OCT. 24TH, RED COCKER spaniel answering to name "Buddle." Reward upon return to Donald Humphrey, 54 Orange street. 67840-10-29

FOUND

FOUND—KEYS ON FLOOR OF Duval's Umbrella Shop. Apply 17 Waterloo street. 67645-10-27

WANTED

WANTED—HORSE FOR THE WINTER for his board. Phone Main 2809. 67820-10-26

REAL CANADIAN UNITY.

(Financial Post)
At a time when there is a tendency in certain quarters to stir up animosities between the French and English speaking citizens of the Dominion and to sow disunion between the two races, it is a pleasant and a comforting thing to note how splendidly the financiers in Montreal and throughout the province of Quebec are working together in the interests of Canada's Victory Loan.

Lawyer's Unique Error.

The lovely lady consulted the popular attorney in regard to getting a divorce. She was particularly interested in knowing how much it would cost. After looking over the case the lawyer said: "This is comparatively easy. I can get you a divorce without any publicity whatever for \$500." She looked at him laughingly. "I am plenty of money," she said. "How much will it cost with plenty of publicity and everything?" He saw that she was a person who wanted things done right, so he hastily revised his figures.—The Argonaut.

"Cure Your Rupture Like I Cured Mine"

Old Ben Captain Cured His Own Rupture After Doctors Said "Operate or Death." His Remedy and Book Sent Free. Captain Collings called the sea for many years; then he sustained a bad double rupture that soon forced him to rest on his back for years. He tried doctor after doctor and tried every remedy. No results! Finally he was assured that he must either submit to a dangerous and abortive operation or die. He did neither. He cured himself instead.

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Captain Collings made a study of himself, of his condition—and at last he was rewarded by the finding of the method that so quickly made him a well, strong, vigorous and happy man. Anyone can use the same method. It's simple, easy, safe and inexpensive. Every ruptured person in the world who follows the same method should have the Captain Collings' book, telling all about how he cured himself, and how anyone may follow the same treatment in their own home without any trouble. The book and medicine are FREE. They will be sent prepaid to any ruptured sufferer who will fill out the below coupon. But send it right away—before you put down this paper.

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Mackinaw Coats, Hats and Leggings. Call and see them. They are very stylish. Price \$7.50 for the set.

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SAYS DISEASE MORE DEADLY THAN BATTLES

Doctors Must Share Blame, Says Secretary Daniels

Veneral Diseases Are Taking Heavier Toll Than the Somme or Vimy—Conscience and Doctors' Advice the Preventives

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Dealing frankly and boldly with the social evil as a menace to the nation's military efficiency, Secretary Daniels of the army in an address here tonight before the clinical congress of surgeons of North America, appealed to the medical profession "to end the false double standard that decreases military effectiveness."

"There is not an army in the field whose effectiveness is not reduced by reason of venereal disease," said Secretary Daniels. "The navy suffers likewise, and business hails because venereal diseases destroy the manhood of workmen and fighters."

"In the navy in 1915 there were admitted for treatment for venereal diseases 112 persons in every 1,000 and in the army 84 for every 1,000, the number in the army having been decreased from 145 to the 1,000 after the passage of an act stopping the pay of all soldiers admitted for treatment for a venereal disease."

"But these figures show a condition of immorality upon the part of the minority in both arms of the service that challenges the conscience of the authorities. In civil life the number afflicted is quite as large proportionately as in the military service. It has been pointed out that at the beginning of the three Austrian divisions of sixty thousand men were under treatment for venereal disease, while the German army in Belgium representing only a small part of the total German forces is reported during the first months of its occupation to have furnished 35,000 such patients. Canadian and Australian officers have deplored the ravages of this disease. The late figures from the British army give 78,000 cases and all other countries have also been weakened."

"More Terrible Than Battles" "Sir Wm. Osler places these infectious diseases at the top as a menace in war and in peace. The time has come to realize that this subtle foe of humanity must be conquered and it cannot be conquered by drugs and its resistance, saying it is a necessary evil, or applying palliatives. It is deadlier than smallpox or cancer or tuberculosis."

Only One Remedy "The remedy, there is but one—continence. It must be preached in the home, in the school, in the markets of trade, in the pulpits and military camps and among shipmates afloat. The eradication of the evil effects must be thorough, but the teacher who will be heard and heeded when the teachings of all others will fall on deaf ears is the word of authority from the medical profession. Young men expect ministers of the gospel to call them clean living. The preacher seeks to save their souls, and too many youths hardly realize that they have a soul. But they know they have bodies, and the doctor is the man to whom they trust the treatment of their bodies. When he preaches continence as the only rule of life to young men, and points out the dire penalty for lapses, his words have a weight no other admonition possesses."

Duty to Profession "You, gentlemen of the medical profession, deal with life and death. You bring the bodies into the world, and you close the eyes of the dead. Yours is the ministering function, the intimate touch and out of such relation you can enjoy an amazing power of suggestion. It is this power that America calls upon you to use. Tell our youths the truth. It is a duty laid upon you, not by the moral law alone, but by the laws of self-preservation that operates in nations as well as individuals. That duty imperative upon you now as never before. If you perform it, and our young soldiers heed your wise counsel—and many of them will, for you are teaching with lasting gratitude—you will contribute more to the winning of the war than manufacturers of shells."

Only God Knows Toll "Only God will ever know the toll in blood and tears that this sin has taken from the heart of the world—the price that the health of the race has had to pay for its submission to a falsehood, young lives ruined, futures cheated of promise, children called upon to suffer for the sins of the fathers, innocent women robbed of the right to happy motherhood, and the virility of a nation sapped at its very foundations."

"Today as never before American manhood must be clean. We must have fitness. America stands in need of every ounce of strength. We must cut out the cancer if we would live."

MERCHANT'S WIFE ADVISES ST. JOHN WOMEN

"I had stomach trouble so bad I could eat nothing but toast, fruit and hot water. Everything else soured and formed gas. Dieting did no good. I was miserable until I tried buckhorn bark, glycerine, etc., as mentioned in Adler's 'ONE TEASPOONFUL' benefited me INSTANTLY."

Adler's-ka empties BOTH large and small intestines. Relieves ALL CASES of constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICK-EST action of anything we ever sold. J. B. Mahoney, druggist.

LANGASTER FAIR

Opening of Drive For Funds For Christmas Boxes—Other Fairs in Progress

Last night saw the opening of the three-day fair of the United Soldiers' Helpers of Fairville in the Temperance Hall. Mayor Hayes opened the fair with a short address expressing a hope that the present effort to secure Christmas boxes for the Fairville boys at the front would be successful.

There were several booths and other amusements with the ladies in charge as follows:

- Domestic science booth—Mrs. C. K. McKel, Mrs. J. S. Smith, Mrs. H. M. Stout. Soft drinks booth—Mrs. George Currie, Miss Ethel Myles, Mrs. Joshua Cheeseman. Candy booth—Mrs. Walter Ross, Miss Gleason, Mrs. Gunter, Mrs. George Estey, Mrs. Beveridge. Fish pond—Mrs. Kenneth Currie, Mrs. S. Nelson, Miss May Myles. Country store—Mrs. John McKinnon, Mrs. Harris, Miss May Hayes. Wheel of fortune—Miss Charlotte Hayes, Miss Theodora McKel. Men's bean board—Marian McLaughlin, Frances Boyce. Ladies' bean board—Mrs. McCurdy, Ball toss—J. McKinnon. Miss Mary O'Brien was in charge of the grand lottery and was ably assisted by Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Miller. Cecil McKel was in charge of the door and Clarence Quinton of the tickets. The sum of \$4.50, the proceeds of a sale held by four little lads, Donald Colwell, Henry Mitchell, Stanley Ellis and Holly Hoyt, was presented to Mrs. A. W. Fraser, of the West Side S. C. A. for the lone soldiers' fund. About 1,400 people attended the high tea and sale at the Cathedral last evening. Among last night's prize-winners were: Rev. Francis Walker, ticket No. 121, Mrs. Murphy, Miss A. Travers, Mrs. Gallivan, K. Moore, P. J. Fitzpatrick, Rev. Father Walker. At the Dominion Lodge, L. O. A., fair on Simonds street last night No. 1516 won the duck prize. Other winners were: R. Campbell, H. Flewelling, S.

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Johnston, Mrs. McCormick, Miss Brickley and O. Dykeman. At the Carleton fair being held under the auspices of King Edward Lodge, No. 80, P. A. P. B., P. Nichols won the door prize and other prize-winners were: R. Croft, P. Dupluis, D. A. Duffy, Mrs. Belyea, Robert Jones and Frank Irvine.

Only One In Six Willing To Go

The first official figures, available at the provincial registration office in Prince William street since it started activities, were secured last evening from W. A. Ewing, provincial registrar under the Military Service Act. Up to date there has been a total of 2,064 cases of the first draft in New Brunswick who have registered. Of this total 389 have filled out the card for service and 1,725 have filed exemption claims.

Details of Services. J. A. Sharp, of West St. John, received the following word from Ottawa last evening in answer to enquiries relative to the condition of his son, Pte. Caswell Sharp, who was recently reported as dangerously wounded: "Cable received from England states that Pte. Caswell Sharp is at No. 42 Casualty clearing station with gunshot wounds left arm, right thigh, chin, eyelids and wrist. Further enquiries are being made and further particulars will be sent when received."

Lieutenant-Colonel J. L. McAvity, who has been away on a hunting trip for the last few days, returned to the city on the Boston train last night. Captain E. Albin Sturdee, of the 286th McLean Highlanders, left last evening for Montreal after spending a day here saying goodbye to relatives. He commands C company of the 286th.

Word has been received in the city to the effect that Lieutenant L. Edgar March, formerly city editor of the St. John Standard, is soon to return to Canada as an instructor.

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German Admits Wreck of Morale At Messines

Troops Under British Gun Fire In 'Midst of Hell,' He Says

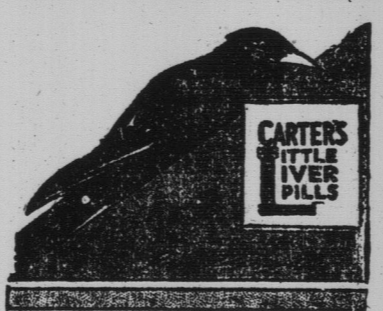
Gives Officer's Story—Tension Like Living on Edge of Volcano, is Teuton's Description

Exactly a month after the Battle of Messines, the Cologne Gazette was allowed to publish a remarkable description by Professor Wegener of some of the events of that fight, says The London Times. The article is quite valuable as a real account of the battle, and it is still pretended that the Germans "stopped the British advance."

Professor Wegener depicts a certain Major Von B— and his staff retiring to bed exhausted on the night of June 6.

The thick walls of the dugout deadened the sound of the cannonade outside that has been going on for weeks, and they provide a certain security, although no complete security, against hits from the heavy English guns. But it is impossible to think of the refreshment of sleep; one can only doze uneasily and feverishly. The strain of the last days and nights has been too terrible—more than one ever thought that human nerves could stand. Since the end of April the enemy has increased to an extraordinary degree the fire of his artillery in the Wytschaete bend.

He must have brought up an astonishing number of guns and fabulous masses of munitions, and now he is playing with them the old game which we know so well from the beginnings of the Champagne offensive. The attack is now proceeding to a general attack he has proceeded to destroy not only the positions but also the nerves of the defenders.



Two Splendid Things

One is plenty of open-air exercise. If you can't get all of that you should, it's all the more important that you should have the other tried-and-true remedy for a torpid liver and bowels that don't act freely and naturally. Take one pill every night—more only when you're sure it's necessary. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Genuine bears Signature. Colorless faces often show the absence of iron in the blood. Carter's Iron Pills will help this condition.

TO RELIEVE CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

If you have Catarrhal Deafness or head noises go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parment (double strength) and add to it 1/4 pint of hot water and 4 ounces of granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should be open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Any one who has Catarrhal Deafness or head noises should give this prescription a trial.

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A free sample of Dr. Cassel's Tablets will be sent to you on receipt of 5 cents for mailing and packing. Address: Dr. Cassel's Tablets, Ltd., 10 McCaul Street, Toronto.

Dr. Cassel's Tablets are the supreme remedy for Dyspepsia, Kidney Trouble, Sleeplessness, Anemia, Nervousness, Headaches, Neuralgia, Paralysis, and for weakness in children. Specially valuable for nursing mothers and during the critical periods of life. Price 50 cents per box, six boxes the price of five, from druggists and storekeepers throughout Canada. Don't waste your money on imitations; get the genuine Dr. Cassel's Tablets. Proprietors, Dr. Cassel's Co., Ltd., Manchester, Eng.

ers. What our troops endure is terrible and superhuman. Under the shower of shells and grenades the defensive works of the trench lines, which were constructed in a year's work, melt away or are transformed into a chaos of earth, supports, planks, iron girders and a maze of barbed wire.

Prefaced by Air Attack. The operations are prefaced by innumerable enemy night raids, the beginning of the preparations for attack, suddenly appeared here like a swarm of locusts and swamped the front. They also worked cunningly calculated methods. Their habit is to fly in three layers—one quite high and with their little machines almost invisible from the ground, one in the middle, and the third quite low. In this way they are almost always able to menace our air force from several sides at once. Just at the beginning of the Battle of the Somme, the English airmen who fly lowest show an immense insolence; they come down to 500 metres or even less from the ground, and shoot at our troops with their machine guns, which are specially adapted to this purpose. We, on the other hand, fight them from the ground with rifle and machine-gun.

The English artillery used poisoned gas from several sides at once. Just at the beginning of the Battle of the Somme, the English airmen who fly lowest show an immense insolence; they come down to 500 metres or even less from the ground, and shoot at our troops with their machine guns, which are specially adapted to this purpose. We, on the other hand, fight them from the ground with rifle and machine-gun.

Perhaps the worst thing of all is the permanent tension. Whether it is in one and in what form? It is as if one were living on the edge of a volcano, with unmistakable evidence that an eruption is imminent, but with nothing to betray the exact hour.

It is 4.15 (German time). There! Something is happening! What is it? A tremendous boom has thrown the dosing soldiers out of their beds straight up into the air. They try to cling to the bedposts and the walls. But these also are in motion, as if they were alive; it is hardly possible to keep upright. The blow is accompanied by a terrible crash, not so very loud, but so powerful and of such a kind as has never been heard before. They try to cling to the cabin of a swaying ship, and then one had the horrible feeling as if one's self and everything else were sinking into the ground. It turned out afterward that the gigantic crash and earthquake came from an English mine explosion which had taken place about a kilometre away, on ground held by neighboring division—an explosion on a scale hitherto unknown in this war. It was only the most northern of a whole number of similar explosions which the English had carried out along the whole Wytschaete bend.

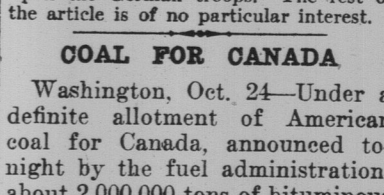
German Excuses. Wegener says that the British preparations had been going on for a year, and he repeats the usual argument that the ground was unfavorable for German counter measures. He insists afresh upon the necessity of an explosion of all the mines at the same moment and upon the tremendous force of the explosion, and proceeds: "It was a devilish refinement that the whole thing was left loose in the darkness in order to increase the horror and confusion, but just at the end of the night so that immediately afterward, at the first break of dawn, the drum fire which directly followed the explosion and to complete the chaos could be introduced by air observation of the most effective possible kind. The conclusion was good, for it is obvious that anything so terrible must have a disastrous effect on nerves so strained, and it is not surprising that the imaginations of those immediately concerned exaggerated their own impressions, and that people talked of whole companies and so on flying into the air—imaginations which have since turned out more and more to be erroneous."

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COAL FOR CANADA. Washington, Oct. 24.—Under a definite allotment of American coal for Canada, announced tonight by the fuel administration, about 2,000,000 tons of bituminous and 700,000 tons of anthracite will be permitted to move across the Canadian border during the next two months.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES. At the formal opening exercises of Pine Hill College in St. Matthew's Presbyterian church in Halifax last night, a memorial tablet to the late Dr. George Munro Grant was unveiled. Dr. Grant was pastor of St. Matthew's from 1883 to 1877.

In the supreme court yesterday in Dorchester, before Justice Crockett, the case of Raymond Proctor Nichols, charged with making seditious statements, was concluded, the result being a discharge of the jury. The prisoner was released.

Rev. F. Clarke Hartley and Mrs. Hartley, now of Truro, N. S., celebrated their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary recently.

A fire breaking out at night in the Touraine Hotel at Chatham forced the awakened guests to leave the building. Many of them could not do so and had to keep the doors of their rooms closed while waiting to be rescued by the firemen. There were forty guests at the hotel, two of whom were from St. John. All were eventually saved. The fire is said to have started in the basement.

NEW BRUNSWICKERS IN LONDON. Following is a list of callers at the New Brunswick government office, London, recently: Lieut. R. J. Maxwell, St. Stephen, 104th battalion; Pte. J. O. Spinney, St. George, 104th battalion; Capt. B. Kinney, Florenceville, R. A. M. C.; Capt. A. L. Donald, Moncton, 43rd Howitzer battery; Capt. F. A. Morley, Moncton, Can. For. Corps; Capt. H. O'Leary, Richibucto, 8rd C. T. M. B.; Gunner B. S. Colpitts, Richibucto, 12th C. F. A.; Pte. H. C. Brown, Moncton, 26th battalion; Pte. A. E. Speight, St. John, 4th Can. Siege Battery; Sergt. M. McCloskey, Boristown, 104th battalion; Lieut. H. E. Gillespie, Woodstock, R. E. late Can. Eng.; Gunner C. G. Beveridge, St. John, 4th battery, C. F. A.; Gunner M. C. Steves, Moncton, 88th battery, C. F. A.; Pte. E. B. Hicks, Sackville, 22nd battalion; Pte. H. E. Patterson, Sackville, 48rd battery; Major J. Kirkpatrick, Grand Falls, Can. For. Corps; Major E. C. Weyman, St. John, 4th London General Hospital; Major B. H. Caldwell, St. John; Pte. H. J. Culligan, Campbellton, Can. For. Corps; Lieut. C. McE. Steves, St. John, 9th Field Coy. Can. Eng.; Lieut. Col. S. Boyd Anderson, Moncton, 2nd Bde. C. F. A.; Mrs. Hugh Teed, Dorchester; Lieut. W. S. McDougall, Fredericton, 26th battalion; Lieut. W. H. Clarke,

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Fredericton, 18th N. B. battalion; Corporal Wilson H. Otty, St. John, 4th Can. Siege battery; Lieut. R. M. Murray, Sussex, Can. For. Corps.

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LOCAL NEWS

NO ARRESTS
 There was no arrest sheet this morning and city court went into session before Magistrate Ritchie at 10 o'clock.

ONE SESSION
 On account of the bad weather this morning there was one session today in the public schools of the city.

PROVINCIAL CONSTABLE
 Rev. George Scott, of St. John, has been appointed a provincial constable. He is agent for the Children's Aid Society here.

HALF IN CLASS A
 Eighteen men applied this morning for medical examination to the standing medical board. Nine were put in Class A, one in Class B, six in Class C, none in Class D, and two in Class E.

NO BUSINESS FOR COMMITTEE
 The common council did not meet this morning as the only business to be dealt with is being held over for a full meeting of the council when Commissioner Wignome returns.

NEW POLICEMAN
 Levi Graham, 24, was sworn in at a member of the local police force this morning. He stands 5 feet 11 inches and weighs 185 pounds. Before coming to the city he was farming in Queens county.

SALE TODAY
 A sale of unclaimed and abandoned goods was conducted in the appraisers' room in the Customs House this morning by Auctioneer F. L. Potts. The major portion of the goods disposed of at fair prices.

APITHE BIG GAME
 M. T. Morris left yesterday to spend a week in the woods in quest of big deer. Despite the fact that moose and deer are reported scarce, he is confident that he will be lucky enough to land a good specimen.

RECOVERY HOPED FOR
 Gerald McNulty, who sustained severe injuries resulting in the fracture of his skull yesterday afternoon and has been receiving treatment in the General Public Hospital, showed some signs of improvement this morning and it is thought, may recover.

RETURNED SOLDIER ILL
 Pte. C. M. Kelly, of 34 Clarence street, a member of the 1st Canadian Expeditionary Force, home on furlough, has been stricken with illness and removed to the military hospital, St. James street. Pte. Kelly was a member of the City Cornet Band. Very many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

TO ENTERTAIN PLAYERS
 Definite arrangements have now been made for the entertainment of Fredricton High School football team after the football game. The Y.M.C.A. rooms have been placed at the disposal of the High School and the teachers and a committee of pupils will make all the necessary arrangements for a good time.

COMMISSIONER ILL
 Commissioner Wignome, who has been in Ottawa for the last fortnight attending the sessions of the dominion conference on milk production and prices, has been ill under the care of physicians. He has recovered sufficiently to enable him to return and is expected to reach the city tomorrow.

TRAINS LATE
 The Montreal train was one hour and thirty minutes late this afternoon in arriving in the city. The delay was due to the train being late on the Maine Central.

The Boston train was two hours and thirty minutes late. The draw bar on the main car broke.

COMMISSIONER'S TRIBUTE
 Commissioner Jones paid a high tribute today to the late Captain Leader Estabrooks of the ferry service, whose death occurred early this morning. Both as a citizen and an official, he said, Captain Estabrooks was held in high esteem and his death is sincerely regretted by all those with whom he came in contact.

THE STORM OF TODAY
 The rain and wind storm, which swept over the city this morning, was not considered particularly heavy. Three-tenths of an inch of rain fell, accompanied by a strong easterly wind, which reached its greatest velocity between eight and nine o'clock when it was blowing at the rate of forty miles an hour. The temperature varied; the maximum reaching fifty-five degrees and the minimum registering forty-six degrees.

BOYS' CONFERENCE
 Local Y. M. C. A. leaders left early this morning for Fredericton to attend the boys' conference there this week-end. Included in the party were A. M. Gregg, L. A. Buckley, Rev. R. T. McKim and Rev. R. P. Hayward. The delegates from the various churches of the city will leave this evening. It is expected that the attendance at the conference this year will be very large as word comes that more than 160 delegates had registered this morning, not including Fredericton or St. John.

GOOD QUARTERS
 Lieutenant-Colonel A. H. Powell, in company with Captain May, inspected the work being done to the old quarters of the 118th battalion in the agricultural hall on the exhibition grounds yesterday afternoon. Colonel Powell said this morning that the building is being thoroughly renovated, new banks installed and those that were in the building are being newly painted. New doors have been hung and the building has been newly painted throughout. When the work is completed it will be as comfortable an armory as we have in the province.

RECEPTION FOR SOLDIER
 A reception last night was tendered Private E. Arbo, of Pleasant Point, who recently returned from overseas. The reception was given by members of P. P. section, No. 10, Temple of Honor, Pleasant Point, Harry Black president. The programme included: Reading, F. Burns; harmonica solo, C. Hamm; speech, H. Arbo; highland fling, I. Boyd; solo, J. McEachern; song, H. Straight; speech, William Arbo; solo, H. McEachern; recitation, H. Straight; speech, Gray Townsend; harmonica solo, Arthur Dolery; duet, Messrs. McEachern; recitation, William Somerville; speech, Private E. Arbo.

QUEBEC MAN LOST IN SINKING OF ANTLILES
 Quebec, Oct. 25.—The family of John Slattery, this city, have been notified that a son, William, was lost in the sinking of the United States transport Antilles.

HEAVY LOSS OF VOTES IN TWO OF CITY WARDS

Dufferin and Dukes Show Large Decrease; Greatest Gain is in Brooks

The revised list of voters for the city of St. John, effective on January 1, prepared by the Board of Revisors, of which H. A. Porter is chairman, will be filed with the common clerk and the sheriff of the county on next Tuesday. As the figures stand at present, there are 12,680 voters on the list, an increase of 882, as compared with last year's list. For use at the city elections there is an additional list of about 960 women taxpayers who are entitled to vote in city matters.

The increase in the number of voters is very definite evidence of an increase in the population of the city since last year. The increased number of residents is not limited by the increase shown on the list, as this increase appears after the names of a large number of aliens have been struck off. Under the new franchise act a large number of residents were deprived of their vote, and so do not appear on the revisors' list.

The number of voters in each ward last year and this year, with the difference in the totals, the reductions being indicated by the minus sign, is as follows:

	1916	1917	Difference
Guy's	1916	1917	ence
Brooks	515	808	293
Sidney	710	709	-1
Dukes	990	924	-66
Queens	928	946	18
Kings	690	727	37
Wellington	1,151	1,191	40
Prince	1,472	1,511	39
Victoria	935	944	9
Dufferin	1,255	1,152	-103
Lansdowne	1,229	1,226	-3
Lorn	1,217	1,298	81
Stanley	299	318	19
Total	12,198	12,680	482

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MOVIES OF NEW BRUNSWICK WOODS

C.P.R. Superintendent Grout Saw, in Chicago, Pictures Taken When Spot Writers Were Here

While H. C. Grout, general superintendent of the C. P. R., New Brunswick Division, was on a recent visit to Chicago, he was pleasantly surprised to receive an invitation to visit the Essanay Motion Picture Studio. While there a still more pleasant surprise awaited him for he was invited to see a private showing of a motion picture taken in New Brunswick last spring. The picture depicted the magnificent natural scenery of many places in the province, showing lakes and gorges, streams and wooded plains where big game abounds.

The picture was taken during a visit of prominent newspaper writers and correspondents, who came here on a fascinating trip as guests of the publicity department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, which corporation also arranged for the filming of the picture. This was the outing promoted by Joe Page, Freeman Owen was the Essanay representative. Among those who saw the pictures thrown on the screen in Chicago were Hugh Fullerton, Grantland Rice and Jack Light, who were members of the party who enjoyed the visit to New Brunswick. Fred Wilson, correspondent of the Toronto Globe, was one of the visitors at the studio. One prominent in the enterprise was T. J. Wall, general agent of the C. P. R. in Chicago.

Mr. Grout said that all who saw the pictures were very much impressed with views of New Brunswick. They thought the scenery was magnificent and the opportunities for fishing and shooting on a par with anything they had ever seen. All were unanimous in the opinion that the pictures would be a big boost to New Brunswick.

The pictures have not been released as yet, but will be in the near future and will be shown by the Essanay Company as one of a series of ten outing pictures.

THE EVANS MILLIONS

Local Registrar Receives an Inquiry From F. O.

John B. Jones, registrar of vital statistics, has received an inquiry from South Boston regarding the records of Robert Dawson Evans who was born in St. John on November 30, 1843. The writer believes him to be the son of John and Annie Scott Evans. As the official records do not go back that far, Mr. Jones has no means of verifying these facts unless someone in the city has the information which they could give him.

It is supposed that the information is wanted in connection with the claims which are being made for the estate of Mr. Evans' widow, a matter of millions being involved in the settlement in which several local relatives expect to share.

FERNIE MINERS QUIT.

Fernie, B. C., Oct. 25.—The miners of this camp quit work yesterday in pursuance of notice that they would do so unless their demands for settlement of a dispute as to minor matters pertaining to the agreement entered into when they returned to work in August are satisfied, and the non-union men join the union. About 900 men are idle. It is thought matters will soon be adjusted on the arrival of fair wage Officer Harrison and J. L. Parker, M. P. P. from Calgary.

THE BANK CLEARINGS

The St. John bank clearings for the week ending October 25 were \$1,881,116; corresponding week last year, \$1,758,298; in 1915, \$1,631,343.

Halifax bank clearings for the week ending today were \$3,891,755; for the same week last year, \$2,856,877; and for 1915, \$2,198,208.