

WHAT IS INDIA?

ALTHOUGH the mind of the British public is for the moment absorbed with problems nearer home, the question of the future government of India will shortly become urgent.

Brahmins, and the Brahmins extol her to the skies. What is the meaning of Home Rule? More appointments to Brahmins, more Brahmin collectors and more district judges.

A PASSER-BY

W HITHER, O splendid ship, thy white sails crowding, Leaning across the bosom of the urgent West.

RECORD OF "CHIPMAN" LONG AND FAITHFUL

QUARANTINE BARQUE LOST IN HURRICANE ENJOYED INTERESTING CAREER

DANGEROUS WOMAN SPY MEETS FATE

Paris, October 15.—Mlle. Mata-Hari, the Dutch dancer and adventuress, who two months ago was found guilty by a court martial on the charge of espionage, was shot at dawn this morning.

TOWN COUNCIL

Town Hall, Thursday, Oct. 11, 1917. A quarterly meeting of the Town Council was this day held in Chambers at 10:30 p. m.

LORD SHAUGHNESSY ON THE MILITARY SERVICE ACT

Montreal, Oct. 14.—A statement warmly endorsing the Military Service Act and urging its extension, if necessary, to all branches of industry furnishing supplies and war material, and demanding the punishment of frothy jingoes whose only contribution to the war is their language, was issued by Lord Shaughnessy, the French press in the province of Quebec today.

SENT TO PRISON FOR SINKING GERMAN STEAMER

Aiken, S. C., Oct. 11.—Paul Wiese, editorial writer of the Charleston, S. C., American, and Captain Klattenhoff, of the German steamship Lidenfels, were convicted in federal court today of conspiracy to sink the ship in Charleston harbor, and sentenced to two years in federal prison at Atlanta and to pay a fine of \$1,000 and costs each.

SULTAN KAMEL DEAD

DEATH OF THE EGYPTIAN RULER IS REPORTED IN LONDON

London, October 10.—The Daily Telegraph says it learns that the Sultan of Egypt died at noon Tuesday.

NEW SULTAN OF EGYPT

Cairo, Egypt, Thursday, October 11.—The accession of the new Sultan of Egypt, Ahmed Foad, was marked today by great pomp and ceremony.

JAPANESE LOAN TO CHINA

Peking, October 15.—China and Japan have signed an agreement concerning the lease of the Kirin-Chang-chun Railway, Manchuria. Japan will loan China 6,500,000 yen at 5 per cent. for a period of thirty years.

UNTRIFIED AND READY

The associate editor of this paper has been promised a good whipping by a certain young man of this town, that is, if we ever used his father's name in this paper.

RECRUITING IN NEW BRUNSWICK

- The official report of the result of recruiting in the Province of New Brunswick, for home and overseas service, for the week ending Oct. 13, is as follows: St. John County—4

BRITISH PARLIAMENT REASSEMBLES

London, Oct. 16.—Parliament reassembled today after a recess of two months and began grappling with a big list of legislative and administrative work.

VEL

Time Table

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S.S. "Connors" leaves: Leave Saint Andrew's at 7:30 a. m. for Grand camp, Campobello.

SERVICES

Rev. W. M. Services every 7 p. m. (2:30 p. m. August.) Sunday Services: Rev. Thomas Hicks, Sunday at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Friday evening at 7:30 p. m.

TAL GUIDE

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FLOODS IN CHINA UNABATED

HOMELESS PEOPLE SUFFERING—ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION'S RELIEF WORK

Peking, Thursday, Oct. 11.—The floods along the Hoang-ho show no signs of abating, and the area under water in China Province is increasing. Floods are reported from six other provinces, but they are on a smaller scale. Considerable damage has been done however, and the people driven from their homes by the water are suffering.

UNSIGNED CORRESPONDENCE

We have frequently called attention to the fact that we cannot print correspondence in the BEACON unless we know the writer. But correspondents persistently overlook this fact.

Up-River Doings

St. Stephen, N. B., Oct. 17. His Honor, Lieut. Governor Ganong has been confined to his home during the past week with illness. Latest reports of his condition are that he is slightly improved.

GRAND HARBOR, G. M.

Thursday evening a social will be held at Black's Harbor in aid of the Church fund, and on Thursday the 25th, a social will be held in aid of the Red Cross.

Mr. Edward McGrattan, of H. McGrattan Sons, has been in Sydney, N. S., where the firm have a branch of their business. Mr. Leo McGrattan accompanied him home.

On Friday evening last a number of the young people attended a party at Mr. and Mrs. Walter McKenzie's, Mascarene. The affair was in the nature of a surprise party, and thoroughly enjoyed by the large number present.

Mr. Henry Epps, of Sunny Brae, N. S., was the guest last week of his brother, Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harding, of St. John, who spent the summer at the Manor House, returned to the city this week.

Mrs. E. McGrattan and Miss Elizabeth visited the Border Towns this week.

Mrs. Nelson Dodds, Miss Alice Mattheson, and Messrs. Jet and Horace Stewart motored to St. John on Sunday to meet Mr. Nelson Dodds, a member of the Kluge band, who is home on sick leave.

Mr. Hazen McLean returned this week from a visit with relatives at Tower Hill. Misses Mary McMillan and Julia Murray are guests of relatives at the Border Towns.

Mr. E. Carr, of Fredericton, was a guest at the Victoria over the week-end. Monday afternoon and Tuesday morning the medical-examinations of the eligible young men was held in the Town hall.

The month of October so far has favored the big game; very few hunters have been able to go out, the weather being so disagreeable. Moose meat at the markets commands almost the same price as Western beef and deer meat is like turkey, none offering.

The Red Cross Society met on Friday evening on account of the severe storm which prevailed on Thursday evening, the usual time of meeting.

Mrs. Mary Cline, an aged lady, is suffering severely from a broken hip, which she sustained by a fall last week.

Mrs. H. M. Merriman and daughter, Miss Maude, and Miss Emma Davidson were passengers to Watertown, Conn., on Monday, after a very enjoyable season at the Merriman Homestead here.

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Mrs. James Brown spent a day of the past week with friends here.

Miss Ruth Davidson went on Wednesday last to train at the Calais hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Slias McLellan entertained a few friends on Saturday evening, the occasion being Mr. McLellan's birthday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Calder, Mr. Archibald Calder, Miss Emma Davidson, Mr. Leslie Gough, and Mr. and Mrs. Win. McLellan.

Mr. Joel Mitchell returned home last week, and reports his brother, Alley, seriously ill at Haverhill, Mass.

Mrs. Atwood Savage and baby, Joyce, and Miss Mildred Brown returned on Wednesday from a visit with friends in Boston and vicinity.

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WILSON'S BEACH, C-BELLO

Oct. 17. Mrs. Lebaron Leslie, of Deer Island, is visiting her old home here.

Mrs. J. W. Mathews returned on Friday from a delightful visit with relatives in St. John.

Mrs. Clara Smith and children, of St. John, are visiting Mrs. Warren Brown.

Mr. Archie Brown, of St. John, spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brown.

Mr. Thomas Fitzgerald, who has been on the sick-list for some time, is slowly recovering.

Mrs. Gordon Lank came from St. John on Wednesday to help care for her father, Capt. Simeon Brown, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. Mariner Calder returned recently from a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Calder in St. Andrews.

Mrs. Jerry Newman, of Eastport, is visiting Mrs. Burton Newman.

The Misses Edna Rice, Bessie Savage, and Evelyn and Myrtle Newman, of Lubec, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Galus Brown and Mrs. Luther Brown spent Tuesday at St. Andrews.

Mr. Campbell, of Eastport, spent a short time with his aunt, Mrs. Mary Pressly, at Head Harbor last week.

CAMPOBELLO

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Oct. 17. Mrs. Albert Wooster and Mrs. Filson Ingalls left on Monday to attend the U. Baptist Women's Missionary Convention in Fredericton.

Mrs. A. M. Dakin spent a few days of this week in Eastport, Me.

The friends of Mrs. Clarence Gardner are pleased to know that she is recovering after a serious illness.

Mrs. Lewis Gupill, of Castalia, was calling on friends here on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dakin announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Iva Marie, to Mr. LeRoy Ellsworth Russell, of Russell's Island, Grand Manan.

Mr. and Mrs. Afton Cossaboon have gone to McAdam-Jet, for the winter.

Mrs. Howard Outhouse, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Young, has returned to her home in Tiverton, N. S.

Mr. Owen Dakin and Miss Sadie Dakin spent Sunday with friends at Seal Cove.

The Pythian Sisters will hold a Harvest Supper, Wednesday, October 31, in Castle Hall. Supper tickets 35 cents.

Mrs. Errol Treccartin entertained a company at an old-fashioned quilting party on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 10. Those present were Mrs. Frank Young, Mrs. Evelyn Ingalls, Mrs. Grace Titus, Mrs. E. J. Sawyer, Mrs. Grant Dakin, Mrs. Albert Cronk, Mrs. A. M. Dakin, Mrs. Wm. Leighton, Mrs. Augustus O'Neill, and Miss Iva Dakin.

Mr. Manford Thomas has arrived home from Bar Harbor, Me., where he has been engaged in the shoe repairing business. We are pleased to note that he will continue the business here.

On Wednesday afternoon and evening of this week, Mrs. Albert Cronk entertained at a thimble party. Covers were laid for fourteen.

The stork has visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tate and left a baby boy.

NORTH HEAD, G. M.

Oct. 18. Pte. Frank Stanley has returned home after two years' service in France. He enlisted in the Canadian Sixth Mounted Rifles, but was transferred to another Battalion in England. Pte. Stanley has been through much heavy fighting, being twice wounded. He now has his discharge, and will enter a convalescent Home in Canada.

Miss Ruby Gaskill has returned from Eastport where she has been visiting friends.

Mrs. Florence Flagg and Mrs. Jack Burnham went to Eastport and returned on Saturday.

A concert will be given by the young people of North Head in Cover Memorial Hall on Halloween night.

The Red Cross Society met at the Odd-fellow's Hall on Tuesday and packed Christmas boxes for the Grand Manan boys now in France.

Mrs. Charles Stanley, of Duck Island, is visiting her mother, Mrs. George Taton.

WHITE HEAD, G. M.

Oct. 12. Mrs. Coleman Gupill entertained in honor of her birthday, Monday the 8th, at an evening party. Music, which included several songs, and games made the evening pass very pleasantly, and Mrs. Gupill served a bountiful supper. Amongst those who were able to be present were Mr. and Mrs. Chester Frankland, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Morehouse, Mrs. Hillman Robinson, Miss Thillie Robinson, Mrs. Newman Flagg, Mrs. John Carroll, Mrs. Queenie Small, Mrs. Hector Leary, Mrs. Frank Zwicker, Mrs. Roy Morse, and Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Wilson.

A Pie Supper was given by some of the young people in the Hall on Tuesday evening to raise funds for the payment of the new hall of the Loyal Orange Order. The supper was most successful and realized \$26.00. The new hall is being built by Mr. Andrew Cheney and Mr. Howard Treccartin, and looks very fine already.

The young people's Christian Endeavor met in the Church on Wednesday evening and there was a large attendance. The president, Ervin Cossaboon, presided, and was assisted by the vice-president, Clifford Morse.

A Supper was given in the Hall on Thursday evening, but owing to the heavy rain storm, very few were able to be present.

Mrs. Lescumb Hartford called on friends in Lambertville on Friday.

Our community who shocked and saddened on Friday evening, Oct. 12, by the passing out of George B. Stuart. Much sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

The friends of Lorenzo Lord are pleased to see him about again after a most severe illness.

Mr. B. G. Morang and son, Bertie, are doing mason work at Wilson's Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lord have returned from a very pleasant visit with friends at Red Beach, Me.

Mr. W. C. Balcom, Jeweler, gave the island a call on Saturday.

Miss Hazel Lambert entertained a number of friends on Monday evening.

Mrs. W. Welch, of Leonardville, visited Mrs. F. Fendleton on Saturday evening.

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GOLF CURE-AL FROM THE FEW WORK OUT. LEARN ONLY BY

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THE NEED OF IT If clubs are not want considerable time, they oiled and kept in a dry theory that woodent imp driving power after som they should be chang time, but it is always one's mind to part with which has done good as as it takes some time accustomed to a new we take part in important panionship should alwa wooden clubs, as an easily happen. An iron shaft, too, is and so, if possible, and in fear of the "Cruelty to a spear iron should also other item of golfing pe india-rubber or metal ceilent plan to have the stamped on all the club done on payment of a s of the greatest service club gets adrift from its identified at once by th good deal of worry and putter especially is lik with other people's club the excitement of finit forgets to give it to the it away unconsciously v green.—New York Even

GOLF CURE-ALLS BEGIN FROM THE WRONG END

FEW WORK OUT, BUT PLAYERS LEARN ONLY BY EXPERIENCE

THE words of Ecclesiastes, "God hath made man upright, but they have sought out many inventions," are as true of golf as of everything else. Nature framed the players to stand up to the ball and hit all the faults of style by which they shaft off trees, pull and slice, and but the invention of their feeble will. The cure for these faults is only by practice to bring them back to the confidence and simplicity of their first efforts—albeit with more careful aim and attention better concentrated. The inventions in the way of error which weakness has sought out are by no means to be cured by the seeking out of still more subtle inventions, though many golfers, to their own undoing, imagine that such is the case. Practically every golfer has tried out some method or other by which this or that fault in his stroke can be cured, according to the claim, but there are few which really work out; still less the cure-all tips that are guaranteed to give immunity from every disease known to mortal player. In a good many cases the cure is doomed to failure from the very beginning, because they tackle the problem from the wrong end. They start from the fault instead of starting from the absence of fault which characterizes the successful stroke.

This absence of fault does not arise from any particular method in the stance or the grip or the swing, though to many it will seem the rankest heresy to say so. But the thing is proved by the fact that indifferent first-class golfers attain the result by means of styles widely divergent while the duffer himself will drive well one day, and the next, repeating, with excess the methods of his first success will break down utterly and inexplicably. But this last is a thing the possibility of which the true beginner, à la Kipling, "can never understand," so that of all the superstitions of the links, there is none which meets with more general acceptance than the fallacious belief that if the golfer who is playing well could but stop and obtain a mental record of the stance, grip, and swing which he is using, so as to preserve them for the future, he would never fall into sin again.

MIDDLE AGES OF GOLF. There is a book which has come down from the middle ages—that is, the middle ages of the game of golf—which contains a story of an ingenious player who, being one day in excellent form caused a carpenter to construct a wooden framework, a round him that he might always have a record by which to adjust himself at any time to the stance and style which had proved so successful. According to the tale, the man's caddy was instructed to carry this "mould of form" around the course, so that the inventor might from time to time test himself for any falling from grace as represented by the original stance.

Men or women who are real devotees of the links will give some thought to the care of their clubs. If they are properly looked after they will last much longer, and be more satisfactory in many ways. Small repairs, such as the renewing of grips and the refastening of bindings, should be seen to at once. Periodically it is wise to revarnish the heads of wooden weapons, as otherwise they are apt to become dry and brittle. After a round in wet weather each club should be taken out separately, dried and oiled, and only replaced in the bag when the latter itself has been thoroughly dried. A waterproof bag with a hood will be found a great protection for the clubs of those who play golf in all kinds of weather.

It is very important to keep the handles dry, otherwise the shaft is likely to turn in the hand when the grip is wet. Although rubber and kid grips are comfortable to hold, and are used by many, they are not satisfactory in a rainstorm, and the ordinary cotton glove is much the most serviceable one for all-round work. It is prudent to carry two or three pairs of gloves if the match is an important one, as a dry pair may make all the difference between success and failure.

THE NEED OF DUPLICATES. If clubs are not wanted for use for any considerable time, they should be carefully oiled and kept in a dry place. There is a theory that wooden implements lose their driving power after some years, and that they should be changed from time to time, but it is always hard to make up one's mind to part with an old favorite which has done good services, especially as it takes some time to get thoroughly accustomed to a new weapon. Those who take part in important matches and companionship should always carry duplicate wooden clubs, as an accident may so very easily happen. An iron shaft, too, is very liable to snap, and so, if possible, and if the player is not in fear of the "Crusade to Caddies Society," a spare iron should also be carried. Another item of golfing paraphernalia is an iron-rubber or metal case. It is an excellent plan to have the player's initials stamped on all the clubs. This can be done on payment of a small fee, and it is of the greatest service if by chance the club gets adrift from its owner. It can be identified at once by the initials, and a good deal of worry and trouble saved. A player especially is liable to get mixed up with other people's clubs, as the player in the excitement of finishing a game often forgets to give it to the caddy and carries it away unconsciously when leaving the green.—New York Evening Post.



The Riverman

By Stewart White

When a rough, sturdy, man-mustering lumber driver, boss of the lawless "river jacks," starts out to win the heart and hand of an aristocratic young woman of eastern wealth and fashion, interesting things are apt to happen. They do happen, as readers of this story will agree. Jack Orde is the type of man who has gone into the American wildernesses and reclaimed them from themselves, from lawbreaking and debauchery. The brilliant author's description of the battle between man and nature and between man and man in the lumber fastnesses of the great north-west set one's blood a-tingle. They show that man is superman when courage swells his heart. And the wooing and winning of Carroll Bishop by Jack Orde supply captivating romance that cannot fail to charm.

Chapter 2

THE next morning dawned clear and breathless. As soon as the wind died the logs had begun to drift slowly out into the open water. The surface of the pond was covered with the scattered timbers floating idly. After a few moments the clank of the bars and ratchet was heard as two of the men raised the heavy sluice gate on the dam.

Four more had by this time joined the two men who had raised the gate, and all together, armed with long pole poles, walked out on the funnel shaped booms that should concentrate the logs into the chute. Here they prodded forward the few timbers within reach and waited patiently for more.

Jack Orde wandered back and forth over the work, his hands clasped behind his back, a short pipe clinched between his teeth. To the edge of the drive he rode the logs, then took to the bank and stroked down to the dam. Meeting Tom North's troubled glance, he grinned broadly.

"Told you we'd have Johnson on our backs," he remarked, jerking his thumb up rivily toward a rapidly approaching figure.

This soon defined itself as a tall individual with a choleric blue eye. "What in hades is the matter here?" he yelled. "We're right at your rear, sir."

"Case of wait for the wind," agreed Tom North. "Old Daily will be headed. He must be about out of logs at the mill, and I expect Johnson's drive will be down on our rear most any time."

"It's there already. Let's go take a look," suggested Orde. They picked their way around the edge of the pond to the site of the new mill.

"Stuice open all right," commented Orde. Orde walked out on the structure and looked down on the smooth water rushing through.

"Ought to make a draw," he reflected. Then he laughed. "Tom, look here!" he called. "Climb down and take a squint at this."

The sluice, instead of bedding at the natural channel of the river, had been built a good six feet above that level; so that, even with the gates wide open, a "head" of six feet was retained in the slack water of the pond.

"No wonder we couldn't get a draw," said Orde. "Let's hunt up old W h a t's-his-name and have a powwow." "His name is plain Reed," explained North. "There he comes square," said Orde, now. "The owner of the dam snapped into view as a lank and lengthy white-haired individual dressed in loose, long clothes and wearing atop a battered old plug hat.

"You haven't been square," said Orde. "You aren't letting us get our logs out." "How so?" snapped the owner, his thin lips tightening.

for a good many who have contracts to fulfil. And no logs means the mills must close. Thousands of men will be thrown out of their jobs, and a good many of them will go hungry. And with the stream full of the old cutting, that means less to do next winter in the woods—more men thrown out. Getting out a season's cut with the flood water is a pretty serious matter to a great many people, and if you insist on holding us up here in this slack water the situation will soon become alarming."

The old man brought to earth the front legs of his chair with a thump. "And if the whole kit and caboodle of ye starved outright," said he, "it would but be the fulfillin' of the word of the prophet who says: 'So will I send upon you famine and evil beasts, and they shall devour ye, and pestilence and blood shall pass through thee, and I will bring the sword upon thee.' The Lord has spoken!" And don't forget Stewart. Ye take make of God's smilin' land waste places and a wilderness by your own folly shall ye perish."

Orde wrinkled on his head. "Sure," replied Orde, puzzled. "Look all you want to. The scenery's free." "Yes. But can you put me up?"

"Oh, as far as I'm concerned," agreed Orde heartily, "with the help of his contagious chuckle, "I'm only river boss. You'll have to fix it up with the doctor—the cook, I mean," he explained, as Newman's face looked pained. "You'll find him at camp."

In the center of the stream the work had been gradually slowing down to a standstill with the subsidence of the sluice gate was opened. Tom North, leaning gracefully against the shaft of a peavy, looked up eagerly as Orde approached.

"Is it peace or war?" "War," replied Orde briefly.

"You and Rafferty have quarrelled." "We have," replied Mr. Dolan. "Can't you become reconciled and talk it over?" "I don't think so. Every time we talk it over the conversation leads up to a worse fight than we had before."—Washington Star.

"What is your opinion of—?" "Don't go any further," interrupted Senator Sherman. "I have had several opinions which I was obliged to change when I got further information as to the facts in the case. I am not taking any more chances."—Washington Star.

A girl who was running a London bus was making out her first report. Under the heading "Accidents" she stated: "Bumped into an old gent." Under the heading "Remarks" she said: "Simply awful!"

"Is your wife hard to please?" "I don't know. I have never reached that stage."—Judge.

"By your own folly shall ye perish." "And you ain't even made a start gettin' through this dam! We'll lose the water next!" "Keep your shirt on," advised Orde. "If you want these logs pushed any faster, do it yourself!"

"If you can't get out logs, why do you take the job?" roared Johnson. "If you hang my drive, blank you, you'll catch it for damages! I tell you our mill needs logs, and what's more, they're a-goin' to git them!"

Orde found the old mill owner occupying a chair tilted back against the wall of the building. His ruffled plug hat was thrust, as usual, well away from his high and narrow forehead. He was whittling a pine stick, which he held pointing down between his spread knees, and conversing animatedly with a young fellow occupying another chair at his side.

"I want to talk this matter over," Orde began. "We can't afford to hang up the drive, and the water is going down every day. We've got to have more water. I'll tell you what we'll do: if you'll let us cut down the new mill we'll replace it in good shape when we get all our logs through."

"No, sir!" "Well, we'll give you something for the privilege. What do you think is fair?" "I tell you I'll give you your legal rights and not a cent more," replied the old man.

"Well, Mr. Reed, stop and think what this means," returned Orde. "No logs means no lumber. That is bankruptcy

CO-OPERATION IS REQUIRED

MILITARY SERVICE ACT WILL WORK SMOOTHLY WHEN ALL THE PEOPLE REALIZE ITS BENEFITS

Ottawa, Oct. 16.—It is by the co-operation of all concerned that the Military Service Act will be applied most smoothly and with the least possible delay and trouble. This is plain, now that the programme to be carried out has been explained to the country in its broad outlines.

The men to be selected themselves, their parents or near relatives or their employers are being called upon to assist in the business-like operation of the Act, and the kind of response that is made to this appeal will be an interesting indication of good sense and democratic spirit of the Canadian people. Leading authorities here are unanimous in agreeing that, when the people get to understand the ultimate value of the Military Service Act, its fairness and its advantages, it will work so smoothly that the country will hardly notice its application.

"Bobbie, you're very naughty. I heard you tell steady to go to the devil." "Ye needn't worry mother. She never does what I tell her."—Life.

HOW THE TROUBLE STARTS

If more people knew how Rheumatism and kindred ills started there would be infinitely less suffering.

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"You haven't been square," said Orde. "You aren't letting us get our logs out." "How so?" snapped the owner, his thin lips tightening.

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PROGRESS OF THE WAR

[October 11 to October 17.]

NOT much space is required for a summary of the week's progress of the war, for the news thereof was more than usually meagre.

On the Western front the operations in the Ypres sector of Flanders claimed the most attention, though attempts at advances were rendered very difficult in consequence of the inclement weather.

The interest in the Russian campaign centred in the German occupation of the Island of Oesel at the mouth of the Gulf of Riga, the whole island having been taken by them.

The week was without news of the campaigns in Mesopotamia and Palestine. To what extent the death of the former Sultan of Egypt and the accession of the new one affects the situation in that country can only be conjectured.

From the East African campaign there was news of the closer envelopment of the Germans in the vicinity of Mahenge. Hostilities in the Austro-Italian campaign were somewhat relaxed in consequence of the severity of the weather.

It is not possible to speak with accuracy or in detail of the week's results of the German submarine campaign, as the particulars of the losses of shipping from this cause are now being withheld almost entirely.

The little gleam of hope that the war might end before another winter holds the contending armies in its relentless grip has died out, and another winter's campaign seems inevitable.

The numerical statement issued by the British authorities for each calendar week indicates a diminution of losses, however, and inspires the belief that British and Allied navies are dealing more and more successfully with this serious menace.

UNION GOVERNMENT AND ELECTIONS

THE announcement of the formation of a new Government at Ottawa was received too late for insertion in the BEACON last week, and to-day we can only make brief reference to it.

Those who place the interests of the country before those of political parties, who in a crisis like the present are willing to sink all differences and to unite in a common purpose in support of the country's needs, will welcome the coalition government which has been formed under the premiership of Sir Robert Borden.

It is greatly to be regretted that the fusion of parties was not made earlier and is not now more complete; for it was certainly every way undesirable that an election should be held while the war is in progress. Since, however, it has come to pass that an election must be held, it is inconceivable that an administration like the present one can be defeated at the polls; though much will depend on the selection of candidates in the various constituencies.

The election seems likely to be held in December, so there is not much time available for the selection of candidates, as nomination must precede the date of the election as to the 17th of December, as has been intimated, then nomination must be on 19th of November.

The political situation created by the formation of the coalition cabinet is almost unique in the political annals of Canada, and some extraordinary developments are certain to ensue. So far as

Charlotte County is concerned it ought not to be impossible to obtain a candidate whom all parties could support; but such candidate should have other qualifications than the mere possession of commercial ability and a good Bank account,—he should have a record of active interest in and devotion to the public affairs of the County, the Province, the Dominion, and the particular community in which he dwells.

MINING PROSPECTS AND MINING LAWS

"Riverside, Albert, Oct. 4.—There is quite an extensive mining boom on in this part of Alberta County. Some months ago Mr. Henry Copp, of Midway, about seven miles from here, discovered veins of copper running through his property.

On investigation he found it extended from Waterside to Mary's Point, a distance of thirteen miles. He, his three sons and two sons-in-law, with Mr. W. J. Cowan, promptly took out a mining lease of the whole territory. He has had mining engineers examine the seams and the ore assayed, and the results have been very satisfactory.

There are two seams, one sixty-five and the other twenty-five feet wide. The pitch of the rock is 65 degrees, which indicate that the seam is over one thousand feet deep. The samples of ore indicate that the ore is very rich in copper.

The owners have given an option on the property to a syndicate headed by Hubbard of Chicago for seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and the chances now are that before another year an extensive mining operation will be well sprung on the upper waters of the Sheepy."

* * * We print the foregoing clipping, taken from a St. John daily paper of two weeks ago, not as an item of news but as a text for a few comments on a subject that has not received from the press of the Province the attention it needs.

Extensive mining booms can easily be started in any county on just as slight evidence and preposterous claims as are forthcoming in Albert County. The press seems ever-willing to give the other consideration than securing copy for a "scoop." If a sieve were used instead of a scoop many of those loudly heralded "potentialities of wealth beyond the dreams of avarice" would never see the light of day.

To one familiar with mining booms and boomers' methods there is no novelty in the announcement that a vein of copper has been found in Albert County, extending a distance of thirteen miles; and the statement that there are two seams (probably each thirteen miles in extent), one 65 and the other 25 feet wide, must impress the credulous ready and prospective investor with the enormous possibilities of the property.

The magnitude of this bonanza is further emphasized by the fact that the seam (which one, or both?) is over 1000 feet deep, because, according to the miners' logical rule recently discovered in Albert County, the pitch of 65 degrees indicates that depth! The ore has been assayed and the result is satisfactory, and a syndicate, headed by a lineal descendant of the old lady who sent the cupboard to get her poor dog a bone, has an option on the property. And it is not at all unlikely that before another year mining operations will be in full swing, though the "mining" may go in deeper than the pocket of the gullible investors.

Oh yes, it has a familiar ring, and possibly the same results may ensue that have made many men wiser and sadder in other mining booms. It may be as well to point out that usually the really good mining properties of the world are not "boomed" at all.

There is one item of information in the article quoted that demands attention, namely, that the man who made the alleged discovery of a rich and extensive mining property promptly took out for himself and his family a mining lease of the whole territory, presumably thirteen miles long, and possibly the same width. Thirteen is an unlucky number, twelve and a half would have been more propitious.

The moral by which we wish to point this tale is that the Government of New Brunswick should have a properly organized Department of Mines, so that prompt and authentic information would be given concerning any genuine mineral discoveries; and that the Government should at once revise the mining laws of the Province and eliminate the objectionable feature that permits large tracts of land to be held for mineral prospecting by a few individuals for long periods for speculative purposes.

Licences to prospect should be granted on the most moderate terms possible; and licences to work mines should be limited in number to any individual, and only in the case of mineral deposits being proved or reasonably conjectured; and such mining licences should be held only so long as a certain amount of work is done annually on the properties designated.

With a properly constituted Department of Mines and a code of mining laws based upon proper principles, the Province of New Brunswick might hold a much better position relatively to the other Provinces of the Dominion in the matter of mines and minerals, miners and metallurgists, than is the case at the present time.

ZOOLOGISTS RETURN FROM REMOTE CHINA

FOUND COUNTRY INFESTED WITH CHINESE ARMY DESERTERS—LINK BETWEEN SHEEP AND GOATS BROUGHT HOME

Roy C. Andrews, head of the Asiatic Zoological Expedition of the American Museum of Natural History, has arrived in New York, after a series of remarkable and thrilling experiences in remote parts of China.

He brought with him as excess baggage forty-one cases of large and small mammals, birds, and reptiles. The Asiatic Expedition was sent out a year ago last March. Its object was to find zoological material in regions of China.

"We have obtained," said he, "the most extensive collection of the kind ever brought to China by a single expedition to any part of the world. It includes a wonderful series of gorals and serows, the largest series now possessed by any museum. These animals represent interesting stages between the true sheep and goats, and are especially interesting from a scientific standpoint. They are, however, only part of vast material secured in a region hitherto zoologically unknown."

"We got a sambar, which is a very large deer, almost as big as an American moose. We also captured small deer. We took two kinds of monkeys—about six or seven different specimens. We also obtained muntjac, polecats, civets, and genets."

The expedition was financed by the Jesup fund of the American Museum of Natural History and by John B. Ford, Sidney M. Colgate, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. L. Bernheimer, James B. Ford, Mrs. Adrian Hoffman Joline, Childs Frick, and Lincoln Ellsworth. Its personnel including Roy C. Andrews, of the department of mammalogy of the Museum; Edmund Heller, who was with Col. Roosevelt in his African expedition, and Mrs. Roy C. Andrews, the official photographer, who has taken many remarkable color photographs. The explorers were aided by six servants, several men trained to skin animals and birds, and by fifteen muleteers.

"The people regarded us as strange beings," said Mr. Andrews. "Only a few of them had ever seen a white man, and fewer still had ever beheld a white woman. They were especially interested in Mrs. Andrews. As she wore male costume, they were very curious, for they could not understand whether she was man, woman or boy. They were especially interested in her photographic work, for photography was a new art to them."

We were fortunate in not having the work of the expedition embarrassed by going on in all parts during the entire time of the revolution. One of the worst difficulties that prevail in the outlying provinces of China at the present time is infested by robbers. In fact, a caravan

October 23.—Edgell, 1642. Ypres, 1914. Carriage sacked by the Vandals, 439. Francis, Lord Jeffrey, Scottish judge and literary critic, born, 1773; Lord St. Aldwyn, British statesman, born, 1847; Robert Bridges, English poet laureate, born, 1844; Marquess of Lansdowne, assumed office of Governor General of Canada, 1883.

October 24.—Tycho Brahe, Danish astronomer, born, 1546; Peace of Westphalia ending "Thirty Years' War," 1648; William Penn first landed in America, at Newcastle, Del., 1682; First patent for a friction match granted to Alonzo Phillips, Springfield, Mass., 1836; Death of John Doe and Richard Roe, 1852; Daniel Webster, American statesman and orator, died, 1852; Rt. Hon. Sir Horace Plunkett, British statesman and agriculturist, born, 1854; MacKenzie family murdered by Slavin and Breen at Misses, St. John's County, 1857; Queen Victoria of Spain, born, 1877.

October 25.—St. Crispin, Agincourt, 1415. Balaclava, 1854. Demosthenes, Greek orator, died, 322 B. C.; Alfred the Great of England, born, 849; King of Transvaal, South Africa, 1900.

October 26.—Sir Godfrey Kneller, German portrait painter, died, 1723; Charles F. Dupuis, French astronomer, born, 1742; Dr. Philip Doddridge, English divine and author, died, 1751; Count von Moltke, star, American statesman, died, 1880; North-West Passage, 1850; Hon. A. L. Sifton born, 1858; Elizabeth Cady Stanton, American leader in women's advancement, died, 1902.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY RECRUITS

We are informed by Capt. Geo. P. Ryder, Recruiting Officer at St. Stephen, that the following men enlisted last week for overseas service:

Wm. John Burns, Scotch Ridge, 65th Battery. Harold V. Lyons, St. Stephen, Canadian Engineers. John Frederick O'Dell, Musquash, 65th Battery.

James Spearin, Scotch Ridge, 65th Battery. Reuben Thibideau, Elmville, Foresters. James McKenzie Weatherly, Little Ridge, 65th Battery.

Any men desiring to enlist after this date and after having passed the Examining Board now sitting in Charlotte County, can do so by making application to Capt. Johnson, A. M. C., President of the Board, who is authorized to provide transportation to any unit the man wishes to join. After men are "called" under the Military Service Act they no longer have a choice of units.

Capt. Ryder is no longer in the pay of the Military Department, but will continue to perform voluntarily all in his power to assist the Military Authorities.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper

THE MACLAINE

London, October 13.—MacLaine of Lochbuie has been wounded for the second time in France where he is serving as a major in the British army.

He attracted attention in 1913 when he appeared on the vaudeville stage in New York under his Christian name of Kenneth Douglas Lorne in order to obtain money to pay taxes and other duties against his estate in Scotland.

Walter—"What will you have, sir?" Diner—"Oh, bring me an assortment of proteins, fats, and carbohydrates—I leave it to you, Henry—say about eight hundred calories."—Boston Transcript.

MISS Ethel Richardson was the guest of her daughter-in-law, Miss Carol Hibbard, at a delightful party on Thursday last week.

Mr. Richard Shaw has returned from St. Stephen. Mr. Wm. Rollins and family of Montreal.

Mr. Oscar Rigby returned to Montreal. Rev. Father O'Keefe, of Kingston, spent a couple of days in town.

Mayor Greenlaw and Miss Greenlaw are on a trip to Boston. Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Malloch, and Mrs. Douglas and McAlenau, of the Battalion, have been home on furlough.

Miss V. Byrne is visiting in Boston. Rev. G. H. Ebnat returned from Boston on Tuesday.

Miss Nonie Sheehan is visiting in Lunenburg. Miss Norine Cunningham, been the guest of her grandmother Angus Kennedy, has returned home in Medford, Mass.

Miss Emily Donahue is visiting in Lunenburg. Mr. and Mrs. Brewer have guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bismarck.

Mr. E. A. Cockburn and Master Cockburn have returned from New Brunswick towns. Miss Lillian Dick, who has been her sister, Mrs. R. L. Brewer, in Quebec, arrived home on Tuesday evening.

Miss Ada Cross, who has been relatives in Beaver Harbor, home on Sunday.

Miss Sullie Mowatt is visiting in Boston. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Smith on Wednesday from a trip to New York, and Boston.

Mrs. M. N. Cockburn entered Tuesday evening. Rev. Wm. Fraser entertained men of his congregation in Merol Tuesday evening.

Mayor Greenlaw and Miss Greenlaw returned from Boston on Monday. Miss May Morris has closed here and has gone to St. John's.

Mrs. J. F. Worrell and Master Worrell have gone to Boston. Dr. Worrell.

Mr. Martin Greenlaw has received his son, Pte. E. F. Greenlaw, 26th Battalion, has died as the result of an accident. The sympathy of the community goes out to the family bereavement.

Rev. B. O. Hartman, of Millbrook in the Methodist Church, day morning and evening. Thomas Hicks will conduct the same day in the Methodist of Stephen.

St. Andrew's Church was the pretty quiet wedding on Wednesday when Mrs. Nellie Cookley, the late Edward Cookley, was married with Mr. Louis H. Rev. Father Meahan performed the ceremony.

Mr. G. Durell Grimmer was of a painful accident on Thursday. A horse, belonging to G. G. law, frightened by the whist Grand Manan, ran away and a carriage where Mr. Grimmer was seated was overturned and Mr. Grimmer was hurt with bruises.

A meeting of the Y. W. P. A. at the home of Mrs. Geo. H. Monday evening. The president, Mrs. Hare, and the ex-president, Mr. Hare, were appointed to purchase a Christmas stockings, and decided to take Paul's Hall for a day and to hold a series of moon evenings.

The Medical Board under the Service Act began work Thursday noon in St. Andrew's. The board consisted of Capt. B. F. Johnson, Dr. Wade and Dr. O'Neill. In the twenty-four were examined in Class A, 2 in Class C, and the board will sit in St. Andrew's week on Thursday afternoon and Friday morning. For the men on Deer Island a bell is notified that there is board at those places, so it will save for them to report on Saturday. Johnson left on Friday. Dr. O'Neill, St. Andrew's. St. Andrew's. St. Andrew's. St. Andrew's.

nizes you. He has finished grown tired of you, in fact "works" the same victim in three weeks. You and I are to him as it were a bond and you depart with a prayer die a stray's death at the Military Police.

One month travelling straggled wagon you never catch like an honest mascot, the "the lead." In some way there are few moves on the great War game that he will patronize a score of three months; travel from Western Front to the again, taking care never renew an old acquaintance he makes the mistake of

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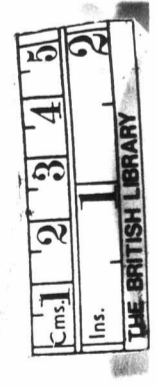
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Social and Personal

Miss Bessie Grimmer has returned from St. Stephen. Mr. Harry Goodchild, of St. Lambert, is the guest of his daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ralph Goodchild. Mr. Goodchild is the composer of several well-known popular and patriotic songs. Miss Ethel Richardson was the hostess at a delightful party on Thursday evening of last week. Mr. Richard Shaw has returned from Montreal. Mr. Wm. Rollins and family are on a hunting trip. In the Montreal Star of October 15, appears a picture of Lieut. Wade who was wounded on Oct. 2nd. Lieut. Wade was one of the officers attached to the Pioneers at St. Andrews last year. Miss Carol Hibbard has returned from a trip to Boston and Castleton. Mrs. Elmer Rigby entertained on Friday afternoon at a birthday party for her little daughter, Frances. Mr. Oscar Rigby returned from St. John on Tuesday. Rev. Father O'Keefe, of Kingsclear, spent a couple of days in town this week. Mayor Greenlaw and Miss Elaine Greenlaw are on a trip to Boston. Sgt. Summer Malloch, and Ptes. Cronk, Douglas and McAlena, of the 23rd Battalion, have been home on furlough. Miss V. Byrne is visiting friends in Boston. Rev. G. H. Elliott returned from a trip to Boston on Tuesday. Miss Nonie Sheehan is visiting relatives in Lubec. Miss Norine Cunningham, who has been the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Angus Kennedy, has returned to her home in Medford, Mass. Miss Emily Donahue is visiting friends in Lubec. Lieut. and Mrs. Brewer have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bismarck Dick. Mr. E. A. Cockburn and Master Robert Cockburn have returned from a trip to New Brunswick towns. Miss Lillian Dick, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. R. L. Brewer, in Montreal and Quebec, arrived home on Monday. She was accompanied by Lieut. R. L. Brewer and Mrs. Brewer. Miss Ada Cross, who has been visiting relatives in Beaver Harbor, returned home on Sunday by auto. Miss Susie Mowatt is visiting friends in Boston. Mr. and Mrs. George E. Smith returned on Wednesday from a trip to Washington, New York and Boston. Mrs. M. N. Cockburn entertained on Tuesday evening. Rev. Wm. Fraser entertained the gentlemen of his congregation in Memorial Hall on Tuesday evening. Mayor Greenlaw and Miss Elaine Greenlaw returned from Boston on Thursday. Miss May Morris has closed her home here and has gone to St. John on a visit. Mrs. J. F. Worrell and Master Donald Worrell have gone to Boston to join Dr. Worrell. Mr. Martin Greenlaw has received word that his son, Pte. E. F. Greenlaw, of the 25th Battalion, has died as the result of an accident. The sympathy of the community goes out to the family in their bereavement. Rev. B. O. Hartman, of Milltown, will preach at the Methodist Church on Sunday morning and evening. The Rev. Thomas Hicks will conduct services on the same day in the Methodist Church, St. Stephen. St. Andrews Church was the scene of a pretty quiet wedding on Wednesday morning when Mrs. Nellie Coakley, widow of the late Edward Coakley, was united in marriage with Mr. Louis Hivon. The Rev. Father Meahan performed the ceremony. Mr. G. Durell Grimmer was the victim of a painful accident on Thursday morning. A horse, belonging to G. K. Greenlaw, frightened by the whistle of the Grand Manan, ran away and knocked a carriage where Mr. Grimmer was. The carriage was overturned and smashed, and Mr. Grimmer was hurled out, covered with bruises. A meeting of the Y. W. P. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Geo. Hibbard on Monday evening. The president, Mrs. W. Hare, and the ex-president, Mrs. V. Lamb, were appointed to purchase the articles for the Christmas stockings. It was decided to take Paul's Hall for the winter, and to hold a series of monthly social evenings. The Medical Board under the Military Service Act began work Thursday afternoon in St. Andrews. The board is composed of Capt. B. F. Johnson, A. M. C., Dr. Wade and Dr. O'Neill. In the afternoon twenty-four were examined, 20 passed in Class A, 2 in Class C, and 2 in E. The board will sit in St. Andrews each week on Thursday afternoon and evening, and Friday morning. For the information of men on Deer Island and Campobello it is notified that there will be no board at those places, so it will be necessary for them to report at St. Andrews. Mr. Johnson left on Friday with Sgt. C. Stard for Grand Manan, to examine on the Island.

Local and General

NOTICE TO SUBSCRIBERS

As previously announced, beginning on September 15 we sent out statements to all subscribers to the BEACON whose subscriptions were due or overdue on that date. The response has been gratifying for the most part, as many have made prompt payment for arrears and renewals; but some have neglected the matter, and to them we wish to convey the request that they will attend to it as soon as possible. The trouble and expense involved in sending out statements are very considerable and altogether unnecessary, as the date to which each subscription is paid is shown on the address slip. The change in this date is equivalent to a receipt for a renewal subscription when received. There will be a Baptismal Service at the Lighthouse Beach, weather permitting, to-morrow, Sunday, Oct. 21st, at 2.15 p.m. All are cordially invited. The Rally Day Services at Greenock Church, last Sunday, were well attended. At the Young Peoples' Meeting, in the afternoon, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith gave an eloquent and very practical talk which was greatly appreciated. In Chamcook on Tuesday evening a very successful dance and box social was held. The proceeds, which amounted to \$130, are to be sent to Miss Eileen Clinch, a Red Cross nurse on active service, to be used in the way most needed. Notice has been received that on Oct. 31, will close the oldest milk business in town. For over thirty years Denley's milk has held a reputation for richness and purity. It is with real regret that the people of St. Andrews see the end of this enterprise. Prof. Southwick, of Emerson College, is to give a miscellaneous evening in Memorial Hall on Monday, October 22. The affair, which is under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club, is looked forward to with pleasure by the people of St. Andrews. Judge Carleton was in Town on Tuesday for the Speedy Trial of the two lads who broke into the Wren Drug and Book Store. White, who was out on suspended sentence, was given two years in the Dorchester penitentiary, while the other boy was released on promise of good behavior. The beautiful Fire Opal Scarf Pin, given to Mrs. E. A. Smith for patriotic work, was drawn by Mrs. Geo. W. Babbitt, of St. Andrews-by-the-Sea. Mrs. Smith wishes to express her appreciation of Mr. Marshall Hodgman, of St. Louis, whose efforts at the Algonquin Hotel in disposing of the pin, were so eminently successful.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. George Stuart and family wish to thank all those who so kindly helped and sympathized with them in their recent sad bereavement; also to those who sent flowers. REMEMBER THE SOLDIERS As the Y. W. P. A. wishes to send off its parcels at an early date, the Association would like all socks donated to be sent in on Tuesday, Oct. 23rd. The Association intends to send a box to every soldier from St. Andrews. Bay-side, Boca-bec and Chamcook, who has enlisted at St. Andrews. It would help the work greatly if the relatives or friends of these soldiers would send their addresses to Miss Freda Wren before Thursday, Oct. 25th. The addresses may be sent either by mail or by telephone to 58-31.

THE BAND OF MERCY UNION'S REPRESENTATIVE IN TOWN

Mrs. Veith, honorary secretary of the Band of Mercy Union, was in town this week and has been endeavoring to stimulate local interest in the work of the Union. Mrs. Veith comes from Ottawa, and is the widow of the late Major Frederick Harris Veith, a distinguished Canadian soldier, a native of Halifax, who won honors for himself and his country in the Crimean War. He was actively engaged in the taking of Sebastopol and Kinburn. Coming to New Brunswick after the war, Major Veith was stationed at Fredericton with the 63rd Regiment, and was officer-in-waiting at the Government House when the Prince of Wales, afterwards King Edward VII, visited there. Subsequently he was appointed a position in the government service at Ottawa. Mrs. Veith has always taken a great interest in the prevention of cruelty to animals, and the education of children, to the end of inculcating a real love and understanding of "our dumb friends." Especially is she interested in the passing of more stringent laws for the protection of our wild birds. From an economic point of view such laws are extremely necessary, as we depend upon our wild birds to take care of our insect pests, which are responsible for an enormous annual loss to the farmers of Canada.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY COTTAGE CRAFT

On Thursday afternoon Miss Nellie Mowatt entertained the heads of the different departments of the Cottage Craft at her home "Beech Hill." Those attending from Waweig were: Miss Alice Nixon, Mrs. Warren Bartlett, Miss Winnifred Thomas, Miss Thelma Thomas from Rolling Dam; the Misses Bertha Richardson and Jessie Boyd; from Bay-side: Mrs. David McLaughlin, Mrs. August Greenlaw, Miss Marion Greenlaw; from Chamcook, the Misses Edith Townsend, Ruby Rankine, Mrs. Lawrence Parker, Mrs. John Scullion; from St. Andrews, Mrs. Patrick Parker, Mrs. W. Hare, Mrs. W. Carson, Misses Bessie Thompson, Georgie Carson, Freda Wren, Jennie Trussell; from Bartlett's Mills, Miss Helen Gilman. Miss Mowatt gave a most interesting talk on the work telling what had been accomplished and what was to be done. It put on the proper footing the work should be something to pass down from generation to generation. Now it is merely a fashionable fad, but it contains great possibilities. Four years ago Miss Mowatt started by buying sixty dollars' worth of rugs to sell during the summer, now in one day when she goes through the country she buys up two hundred dollars' worth of rugs, bags, etc. It is surprising how the work has grown. Orders come from every state. Every day large stores write for samples. It is a fine thing for Charlotte County to be the centre of this industry. She cannot keep this place unless good work is done. The women of Charlotte are beginning to take a position in the world as people who do artistic work. Now what is needed is to put the work on such a basis that it can be carried on by descendants of these workers. The theory in the beginning was that as the people lived in the midst of artistic surroundings, tides, red sandstone rocks, blue hills and fir trees, they must be artistic for they have absorbed these artistic ideas. The work has grown so greatly that the heads of the departments must look after their workers and choose their colors. They must train themselves to see harmony, and nature is the best guide. Fall is the season for color, grey, brown, red, orange. June is a beautiful month, but it is only blue and green. But harmony alone is not sufficient. There must be beautiful lines, such as a leafless tree against the sky. Beautiful coloring can be spoiled by awkward lines. Above all there must be careful workmanship. Poor work is discouraging. People ask for work. There is work to be done, but it must be done well. The reputation of Charlotte County is at stake. The work must be kept up to the standard. Every article sent out must be perfect. The colors must be chosen carefully to suggest something in nature. There is as much harmony in colors as in music. No work must be a discord. Each piece must have character. In the beginning work was given only to needy people, but the needy people were not always competent. Good workers were necessary no matter what their social position was. A work must be perfect to be saleable. One person's poor work reflects on all the rest. One great difficulty was the spirit of jealousy between the workers. They should compare their work with the world's not with their neighbours. As natives of Charlotte County workers are all proud of the work of Miss Helen Gilman. Workers should be as one. There should be nothing small in their ways. Because they live in a big country they should have a width of vision as broad as their horizon. There are several pot-boilers that sell well but they will not last. In Cottage Craft two things have been done worthy of places in museums. One was a rug, hooked by Mrs. John Morrison, of good colors, bright but in harmony. The other was the County Fair table cloth, embroidered by Miss Helen Gilman. It is a winter's work, original, distinctive of Charlotte County, signed by the maker. To be expert the workers must always be alert to see what in nature can be used. They must work with their minds as well as their hands to take the beauty of Charlotte County to send into the world. With a few remarks on Craft and some illustrations, Miss Mowatt closed her address.

LARGEST MOOSE HEAD ON RECORD

Fredericton, Oct. 16.—The record moose head taken in the province of New Brunswick was taken a few days ago near Bathurst Lake by L. A. Russell of Tracadie, Gloucester Co., word to that, effect being brought to Fredericton to-day by Charles Cremin, the guide, near whose place the animal was killed, the spread of horns is 72 inches, beating the widest spread previously recorded by 34 inches. The head is expected to arrive here this evening to be mounted by a local taxidermist. Dr. W. L. Munroe, of Providence, R. I., held the record for getting the largest spread of horns in New Brunswick until the kill of Mr. Russell. The spread was 66 1/2 inches.

DISTRIBUTION OF SEED GRAIN AND POTATOES

FROM THE DOMINION EXPERIMENTAL FARMS. 1917-1918. By instructions of the Hon. Minister of Agriculture a free distribution of superior sorts of grain and potatoes will be made during the coming winter and spring to Canadian farmers. The samples of grain for distribution will consist of spring wheat (about 5 lbs.), white oats (about 4 lbs.), barley (about 5 lbs.), and field peas (about 5 lbs.). These will be sent out from the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, by the Dominion Cerealist, who will furnish the necessary application forms. A distribution of potatoes in samples of about 3 lbs. will be carried on from most of the Experimental Farms, the Central Farm supplying only the province of Ontario. All samples will be sent free by mail. Only one sample of grain (and one of potatoes) can be sent to each applicant. As the supply of seed is limited, farmers are advised to apply very early. J. H. GRISDALE, Director, Dominion Experimental Farms.

CHEAPER FISH FOR CENTRAL PROVINCES

Ottawa, Oct. 16.—The naval department is considering the advisability of paying the transportation charges on the cheaper grades of fish from the Atlantic coast to the central provinces, thereby giving dealers in the interior opportunity to secure a supply of cheap fish.

BORN

Born, on October 11, to the wife of Edward North, Campbell, a daughter.

DIED

TURNER—Suddenly, on the 17th October, 1917, at Hillhurst, Quebec, Charlotte Co., Ida Alice, eldest daughter of the late J. D. and A. J. Turner, St. John, N. B.

OBITUARY

MRS. CHARLES WADLIN. Beaver Harbor, N. B., Oct. 16. The community was saddened Saturday, 13th inst., when it was learned that Mrs. Charles Wadlin had passed away. Deceased, who was 36 years of age, had been in poor health for several years, but the last illness was for only about a week. She had many friends who will sincerely mourn her sudden death. In the home, to which she was very devoted, she leaves a husband and four children, Ernest and Roy, in the Canadian Navy, and Blair and Verta at home. The funeral, which took place on Tuesday afternoon, was largely attended. The services at the grave and church were conducted by Rev. H. E. DeWolfe, of St. George's, who gave a very impressive address from the words "Lo, I am with you always." The choir sang "Asleep in Jesus," "Glad that thou wast mild and lovely," and "Abide with Me." The floral tributes were very beautiful. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the bereaved family.

BRITISH RED CROSS APPEAL

TAG DAY Mrs. George Elliott, 1st. Vice President of the local Red Cross Society, organized a most successful "Tag Day" in aid of the British Red Cross on Thursday. Through-out the Dominion the day was observed as "Our Day," and collections were made in response to the appeal of the British Society. The collecting in town was done by fourteen girls, members of the Junior Red Cross, Phyllis Cockburn, Mina Pendlebury, Mabel Elliott, George Meats, Hazel McCurdy, Alice Wilson, Hazel McCurdy, Sadie Stinson, Robina McLaren, Margaret McConvey, Helen Boon, Helen Rigby, Gladys Horsnell, and Hazel Stinson. When the boxes were opened a grand total of \$87 was found to be result of their labors. St. Andrews has always responded willingly to patriotic calls, and in this case it responded beyond what could have been hoped for. Besides the amount collected on "Tag Day," the sum of \$25 was contributed by the local Red Cross, and three welcome donations of \$5 each have been received from Lady Van Horne, Miss Van Horne and Mrs. Fraser, which brings the total contributed by St. Andrews to the British Red Cross to the sum of \$127. Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows

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CHOP FEEDS (Experimental Farms Note) The term "chop" or "chop feeds" is a general one used to denote a class of feeds which are essentially oat products.

SMUGGLING TUNGSTEN TO GERMANY New York Oct. 11.—A plot export, presumably to Germany, tungsten, a metal used to harden steel, from this country on board a Scandinavian-American liner, in violation of the Espionage Act, was broken up to-day with the arrest of three men here.

GREY TO VISIT AMERICA London, Oct. 13.—The Globe to-day says it is expected that Viscount Grey, former Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, will visit America.

PERU PORTS TO BRITISH SQUADRONS Lima, Peru, October 11.—The use of Peruvian ports to a British squadron has been granted by the Government. For the extension of this privilege President Pardo has been thanked by the British Minister.

Devotion. CANADA GEORGE the FIFTH, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India. To all to whom these presents shall come, or whom the same may in anywise concern—GREETING: A Proclamation calling out the men comprised in Class 1 as described by the Military Service Act, 1917.

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And Whereas it is further provided by our said Military Service Act that applications for exemption from service shall be determined by our said local tribunals...

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SAVING SUBSTITUTE CANADIAN FOOD CONTROL SUGGESTIONS OF WAR-TIME DISHES

Friday To save Beef try Tomato Rabbit TOMATO RABBIT 2 tablespoons butter 2 tablespoons milk 1 cup milk 1 cup strained milk 1 cup finely rolled 1 cup grated bread crumbs 1 teaspoon salt 1 teaspoon Cayenne Heat the tomatoes in a sauce and add the soda. Make a sauce of flour, milk, and add the tomatoes and bread crumbs. Just before combining these, wash the tomatoes thoroughly, and let them drain to boil or the cheese will leathery.

Save Bread and Flour by mixing flour with White occasions Try GRAHAM MUFFIN Graham flour, 1 1/2 cups Molasses White flour, 1 cup Soda, 1/2 cup Sour milk, 1 cup Salt, 1/2 cup Mix and sift dry ingredients; and molasses; beat well and muffin tin.

No Adv in 3 Y With war-time produce high for nearly a food, it must be to those who love that there has been price of Red Rose and the great increase in Rose Coffee this is appreciated. People everywhere more coffee than Red Rose Tea is of its superior Coffee is economical its quality and price to maintain in w

nizes you. He has trusted grown tired of you, in fact "works" the same victim for three weeks.) You and you are to him as it were a bone and you depart with a prayer die a stray's death at the Military Police. One month travelling saw wagon (you never catch it like an honest mascot, being the lead, in some way there are few moves on the great War game that he do three months; travel from Western Front to the other again, taking care never renew an old acquaintance. he makes the mistake of re



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CANADIAN FOOD CONTROLLER'S SUGGESTIONS OF WAR-TIME DISHES

Tuesday
Instead of Beef or Bacon serve Creamed Finnan Haddie
CREAMED FINNAN HADDIE
Pour boiling water on the Finnan Haddie. Leave a few minutes, and pour off. This takes away the strong smoky taste. Lay the fish in a baking pan and cover with milk. Cook gently in the oven until done. Make a white sauce, using the milk that is on the fish. To one cup of this milk use two tablespoons of flour, two tablespoons of butter and one-eighth teaspoon of pepper. Carefully remove the bones from the fish, breaking the fish as little as possible. Add this flaked fish to the white sauce. Re-heat and serve at once.

Save Wheat Flour by making more use of Cornmeal
Try CORNMEAL GEMS
Cornmeal, 1/2 cup Eggs, 1
Flour, 1 cup Sugar, 1 tablespoon
Milk, 1/2 cup Melted dripping 1
Baking powder, 3 tea- tablespoon
spoons. Salt, 1/2 teaspoon.
Mix and sift flour, baking powder and salt; add sugar, milk, egg, well beaten, and melted shortening. Bake in greased gem pans in a hot oven.

Friday
To save Beef try Tomato Rarebit.
TOMATO RAREBIT
2 tablespoons butter 2 tablespoons flour
1 cup milk 1/2 cup stewed and strained tomatoes
1 teaspoon soda 1 cup grated cheese
1 cup finely rolled bread crumbs 1/2 teaspoon mustard
1 teaspoon salt Cayenne to taste
Heat the tomatoes in a saucepan, and add the soda. Make a sauce of butter, flour, milk, and add the tomatoes. To the cheese add the salt, mustard and cayenne and bread crumbs. Just before serving combine these with the sauce, and when thoroughly heated, serve. Do not allow to boil or the cheese will become leathery.

Save Bread and Flour by mixing Graham flour with White occasionally.
Try GRAHAM MUFFINS
Graham flour, 1 1/2 cups Molasses, 1/2 cup
White flour, 1 cup Soda, 1/2 teaspoon
Sour milk, 1 cup Salt, 1/2 teaspoon
Mix and sift dry ingredients; add milk and molasses; beat well and bake in muffin tins.
(Recipes by Domestic Science Expert, Food Controller's Office.)

D. M. FORBES'S WILL

Frank Hills and Maurice A. Edwards, of London, have applied for ancillary probate of the will of Daniel Mackintosh Forbes, governing director of Forbes, Munn and Co., of London, who died at Milton, Maybole, Ayrshire, Scotland, December 13th last, leaving property valued at \$764,758. The Ontario estate, inventoried at \$12,074, consists of: \$1,835 in debenture stock of the Toronto Power Co.; 25 shares J. H. Sherrad Co., \$1,250; 25 Cocksack Flow Co., \$1,225; 50 Tuxett Tobacco Co., \$3,900; 50 Brazilian, \$3,000; 20 C. P. K., \$3,280; 24 Northern Ontario Light and Power Co., \$864. After providing for his relatives and a year's wages for his servants in Scotland, \$1,000 for the Homes for Little Boys at Farringham, England, and \$15,000 for his kinsman, Dr. John R. Mackintosh, of St. John, N. B., the testator bequeathed the remainder of his estate to Edinburgh University, of which he was a graduate. The deceased asked that he be buried beside his sisters in Kilkerran Cemetery, Campbelltown, Argyshire, and that his executors pay the railway expenses of any of his London friends who may attend the funeral, and if necessary charter a steamer to take his body from Glasgow to Campbelltown. His dogs, he directed, should not be sold, but should be placed in good homes, and his executors are authorized to provide funds for their maintenance.—Toronto Telegram.

O DEAR BRITAIN!

BUT, O dear Britain! O my Mother dear! Needs must thou prove a name most dear and holy To me, a son, a brother, and a friend. A husband, and a father! who reverse All bonds of natural love, and find them all Within the limits of thy rock shores. O native Britain! O my Mother dear! How shouldst thou prove aught else but dear and holy To me, who from thy lakes and mountain-hills, Thy clouds, thy quiet dales, thy rocks and seas, Have drunk in all my intellectual life, All sweet sensations, all ennobling thoughts, All adoration of the God in nature, All lovely and all honorable things, Whatever makes this mortal spirit feel The joy and greatness of its future being? There lives nor form nor feeling in my soul Unborrowed from my country! O divine And beautiful island! thou hast been my sole And most magnificent temple, in the which I walk with awe, and sing my stately songs, Loving the God that made me!

—From "Fears in Solitude," by Samuel Taylor Coleridge (Born October 21, 1772; died July 25, 1834.)

SERIOUS SHORTAGE OF FATS

It is not necessary for the food controller to announce the fact that there is a great shortage of fats in the world to-day; the prices for butter, lard, salt pork, and soap all give the purchaser a pretty clear idea that something is not quite as he could wish it to be. It is therefore "up to us" to guard carefully all the fats that are obtainable, to make sure that the utmost good is got out of them, and that nothing is wasted. In a large family the care of fat and drippings is an important item, and every housekeeper should give it special consideration. When meat of superior quality there is usually some fat that should be trimmed off before it is cooked, and more will then roast out than can be properly used for the gravy; therefore about three-quarters of an hour before the meat is done, pour off all the drippings from the roast, into a dish, and set them away to cool. Save all the nice pieces of fat and put those that are not so good into the soap-grease. In warm weather the good pieces should be clarified once in three or four days; in winter once a week. If you have boiled lamb or boiled beef which has been slightly salted, take the fat that cools off on the top of the liquor, and add to that poured off from the roast, first scraping off any specks that may be on the underside of it. To clarify, cut small all the pieces saved, and put them into a small kettle; cover it and put it on the stove where it will not burn. It should be heated slowly and occasionally stirred. When it looks clear the cakes of drippings and any other pieces of fat should be added. As soon as it again becomes clear, pour it through a little sieve or colander with very small holes.

WAR DUTIES MADE EASIER

WHEN TASKS ARE UNIVERSALLY PERFORMED, SAYS CELEBRATED CANADIAN BUSINESS MAN
Ottawa, Oct. 15—It is easier to perform a patriotic duty when the duty is universally recognized and performed. This is the opinion of many keen observers who have recently come into contact with war-time life in Great Britain and France. A celebrated Canadian business man whose services have been availed of several times in recent years by the British Government said recently: "I was greatly impressed both in France and in Great Britain with the cheerful endurance of conditions such as we Canadians will not have to live under to the end of the war. It seemed to me that the public mind had become made up and set with the concentrated will of millions of people, so that war duties did not produce the reactions one might have expected from a naturally peace-loving people." To explain the popular war service which, in Great Britain and France, has astonished the world, this gentleman quotes the familiar phrase, "Everybody's doing it."

MONTREAL EATS 3,000,000 POUNDS OF FISH ANNUALLY

Several interesting sidelights on the fish industry in Canada and its relation to the present food situation were revealed during an interview to-day with Mr. J. A. Paulhus, one of the largest fish dealers in Canada. According to Mr. Paulhus, altogether too little attention has up to the present been given to the food-value of fish in supplementing meat which is becoming more and more scarce through abnormal conditions brought about by the war and which should be conserved as much as possible for the use of the men at the front. The immense value of Canada's fisheries are very little appreciated, said Mr. Paulhus. "We hear much about our mines and our forests, but very little about our fisheries, whereas they are one of Canada's foremost assets." So far this year, the Grand Banks of Newfoundland have produced over two million quintals (1-cwt.) of codfish alone, representing a total value of \$20,000,000. At least 3,000,000 pounds of fish are consumed in Montreal every year and it is estimated that over 300,000,000 pounds, worth \$40,000,000 are disposed of every year in Canada. Referring to the Government's proposed control of the fish supply, Mr. Paulhus did not seem very optimistic as to the result. The Government cannot reverse the order of things in a day's time and in the end the consumer will have to pay as much as before. October 30 will be observed as a National fish day. This annual celebration was originated by Mr. Paulhus three years ago as a means of encouraging the use of fish throughout the Dominion. A committee has been formed to arrange this year's celebration. It is expected that the publicity will give an added impetus to Food Controller Hanna's campaign for a more extensive consumption of fish.—Montreal Herald Oct. 15.

TO MAKE SOAP WITH ASHES

Provide a leach cask, that is, one that is large at the top, and small at the bottom. If this is not readily obtained, procure a hoghead that will not leak, have the head taken out at one end, and set it propped forward a little, upon logs placed right and left, and high enough from the ground to set a pole under the front side. There should be a hole in the bottom, close to the front, with a tight plug in it. Lay in two or three bricks around the plug hole, and across them, some bits of board, so as to reserve a space, and keep the ashes from packing close against the plug hole; also place several bricks here and there over the bottom with straw or brush laid on them. Then have the ashes put in and pressed down, till the hoghead is very full. Scoop a hollow in the centre in which to pour the water, and then fill it with cold soft water, until it will absorb no more. The next day see if the water has settled any, if so, add more. When it is full cover it up. After three weeks, draw off the lye, and put it into the soap barrel, then pour into it twenty pounds of grease, of all kinds, tried and rough, ham skins and scraps, boiling hot. Stir it very thoroughly and every day. Have the hoghead filled again, and after three or four weeks draw off the lye, which will be a fine hard white soap. The following method of making soap with ashes has been tried and proved good.

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"Thirteen is bad luck. I proposed thirteen times to as many girls." "And got turned down? That was bad luck." "No the thirteenth took me."—Baltimore American.

"I'll never ask Jibway to lend me another cent!" "Did he hurt your feelings?" "I should say so! I asked him to lend me a dollar until Monday, and he asked me, 'What Monday?'"—Birmingham Age-Herald.

"De man dat wants to do all de talking," said Uncle Eben, "is mighty likely to leave other people do most of the thinkin'."—Washington Star.

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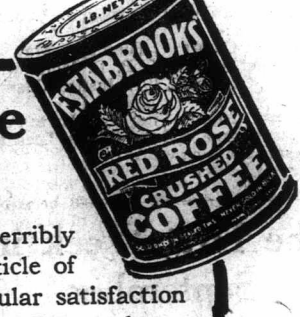
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My "girl" just sings as she works. She was getting cross before. I don't blame her. I ought to have been considerate of her surroundings as well as my own.
When you come over and see how refreshed my whole home is since I've fixed the floors, you too will get some new linoleum and matting.
Come over—HELEN.
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NEWS OF THE SEA

LETTER FROM LORD NELSON TO LADY HAMILTON

(Nelson was a bad sailor.) "MEDUSA," DOWN, August 31st, 1801. MY DEAR EMMA, DEAREST, BEST FRIEND OR NEAREST—Sir William is arrived, and well; remember me kindly to him. I should have had the pleasure of seeing him, but one of my lords and masters, THORNBURGH; therefore I am sure, neither you or Sir William will feel obliged to him.

The weather is very bad, and I am very sea-sick. I cannot answer your letter, properly; but I am writing a line, to get on shore, if possible; indeed I hardly expect that your letter can get ashore. I entreat you, my dear friend, to work hard for, and get the house and furniture; and I will be so happy to lend it to you and Sir William!

Therefore if you was to take the Duke's house, a cake house, open to everyone he pleases, you had better have a book at once; you never could rest one moment quiet. Why did not the Duke assist Sir William when he wanted his assistance? Why not have saved you from the distress, which Sir William must every day feel, in knowing that his excellent wife sold her jewels to get a house for him; whilst her own relations, great as they are in the foolish world's eye, would have left a man of his respectability and age to have lodged in the streets. Did the Duke, or any of them, give him a house then? Forgive me! you know if anything sticks in my throat, it must out. Sir William owes his life to you, which I believe he will never forget.

To return to the house—the furniture must be bought with it; and the sooner it is done, the better I shall like it. Oh! how bad the weather is! The devil, here, wanted to plague my soul out, yesterday, just after dinner; but I would have seen them damned, before they should have come in. The Countess Mountmorris, Lady this, that, and 'other, came alongside, a Mr. Lubbock with them—desire they might come in. I sent word, I was so busy that no persons could be admitted, as my time was employed in the King's service. Then they sent their names, which I cared not for; and sent Captain Gore, to say it is impossible; and that if they wanted to see a ship, they had better go to the Oerystel (a sixty-four in the Downs). They said, no; they wanted to see me. However, I was stout, and would not be shown about like a beast; and away they went.

I believe, Captain Gore wishes me out of his ship; for the ladies admire him, am told, very much; but however, no captain could be kinder to me than he is. These ladies, he told me afterwards, were his relations. I have just got your letters; many thanks, for them! You do not say, in the end, Sir William is arrived. I am glad that you approve. You may rely, my dear friend, that I will not run any unnecessary risk! No more boat work I promise you; but, ever, your attached and faithful

NELSON & BRONTE. To the Duke and Lord William, say everything which is kind; and to Mrs. Nelson.

I am so dreadfully sea-sick, that I cannot hold up my head! * * * Admiral Lord Nelson was born September 23, 1758, and was killed at the Battle of Trafalgar, October 21, 1805.

ON GUARD AT THE READING GATE

It is a fine thing to guard our homes against alien soldiers of whose purposes we are all aware. But it is also very important to guard them against other insidious foes that creep in under the disguise of friendly entertainers to plunder and destroy the cherished ideals, the lofty standards, the clear views that have given the home its character. If you will familiarize your young people with the best reading, they will not be likely to crave what is inferior and demoralizing. The Youth's Companion is a powerful influence in awakening a taste for what is best in reading. It is on guard at the reading gate! Nothing cheap, mean, or hateful passes its challenge. But neither does the crabbled and dull and austere Chery idealism of the Companion's counterpane. Put it on guard at your reading gate!

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THE YOUTH'S COMPANION, Commonwealth Ave., Boston, Mass. New Subscriptions Received at this Office.

"Father, won't you give me money enough to pay off my poker debts? You might pardon the rashness of youth." "I might, son, but I am not going to make allowances for it."—Baltimore American.

ECONOMICAL FINISHING OF HOGS AT PRESENT FEED PRICES

(Dominion Experimental Farms Note) In choosing feeds for fattening hogs choice is of necessity more limited than in the case of other classes of stock. With young pigs, where skim-milk and pasture are available, the use of the high priced meals and concentrates may, in view of high prices, be limited and full benefit derived from the former cheap, home-produced feeds. With a reasonable amount of wheat middlings, shorts or ground oats, good growthy pigs may thus be produced. For the finishing period, however, a more concentrated, more rapidly fattening ration is required. The swine-feeder at once asks, "How can I profitably finish hogs at present feed prices?"

Corn, barley, oats, middlings and shorts are the most desirable grains and meals for hogs in Eastern Canada. With corn at from \$88.00 to \$90.00 per ton, barley \$60.00, oats at \$65.00, approximately, and with the two former meals most difficult to procure, some cheaper grain must be used in the finishing ration. Wheat middlings and shorts even though high in price, (\$45.00 approximately), must be relied upon for the major part of the meal ration. At the above price middlings offers, in addition to any one of the grains previously mentioned. By net cost is meant the total cost of the digestible nutrients, less their material value.

Oats or barley, one part, shorts and middlings, two parts, with some milk product, or lacking the latter, ten per cent. oil meal, should supply as economical a growing ration as is generally available. With the likelihood of a material drop in the price of oats and the more practical prospect of cheaper corn, when the new crop moves, the above ration could be improved. Corn, shorts, and oats, equal parts with skim-milk is an excellent ration. The addition of some fish-meal, even as a small proportion, to the shorts, middlings, skim-milk ration would distinctly improve it as a finishing ration. Corn, must, however, reduce materially in price to be considered an economical hog-feed.

At the present time feed wheat, as procurable in Western Canada, forms an excellent hog-feed, as has already been well demonstrated. To the more central and Eastern sections this particular feed is not generally available. In many localities, however, an elevator by-product known as buckwheat screenings, may now be purchased. Further information concerning the distribution of this material may be had by addressing the Mgr. Government Terminal Elevators, Fort William, Ont., or the Live Stock Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa.

Analysis of this particular grade of screenings reveals the following composition: Wild buckwheat, 58%; broken wheat, oats and flax, 29%; weed seeds, 9%; chaff, 4%. In view of the weed seeds present it should be ground as finely as possible. Experimental evidence, as afforded by swine feeding tests, at the Central Experimental Farm, would go to prove that this material is of considerable value. During the winter of 1914-15, in an experiment calculated to throw light on the value of the hog-feed of various grades as represented by the various grades of screenings, buckwheat screenings compared favorably with a standard meal and milk ration. Two of the rations compared were as follows: No. 1, part; plus skim milk. No. 2, Finely ground buckwheat screenings plus skim milk. Without entering into the details of this test (See Experimental Farms Report, Vol. I, 1915) it may be stated that the actual prices paid or charged for products as far as those fed the regular meal rations and standing therefore slightly lower in total gains, stood first in economical production per 100 pounds gain. With the meal ration valued at \$20.00 per ton (1015 prices) and the buckwheat screenings at \$14.00 (nominal) the cost per pound gain was 4.7 cents in the case of the pigs fed the former and 2.7 cents for those fed the latter ration.

The swine feeder would be well advised in making inquiry into this particular feed, the eastern distribution of which is controlled by the Live Stock Branch at Ottawa. From the latter source further announcements may be expected in the near future.

SWEDISH VESSELS WERE SEIZED

LONDON, Oct. 11—The British government has requisitioned the Swedish steamers Ephyra, 1,582 tons, Bellgrove, 1,284 tons, Cremona, 1,225 tons, and Phyllis, 1,481 tons. These steamers, which are now in British ports, although flying the Swedish flag, are mainly British owned. This action has been taken in order to protect the British capital invested in the ships, as the German Prize Court has decided that notwithstanding a neutral flag they will treat such vessels as British. The steamers heretofore will fly the British flag and be armed for defence. Their owners will be compensated by the government.

JUSTIFIES BRITAIN

London, Oct. 2.—Gen. Louis Botha, Premier of South Africa, in addressing the opening of the convention of the South African party, according to a Reuter's dispatch from Pretoria, said the war was forced upon the Allies, and the only thing to do now was to fight to a finish. The Premier added: "Let peace be one which will be beneficial to the whole world and enable every country to shape its future on a sound basis."

MINIATURE ALMANAC

Table with columns: Day of Week, Sun Rises, Sun Sets, H. Water a.m., H. We e.p. m., L. Water a.m., L. Water p.m.

PHASES OF THE MOON

Table with columns: Last Quarter, New Moon, First Quarter, Full Moon.

FALL AND WINTER TIME TABLE

Grand Manan S. S. Company Grand Manan Route Season 1917-18 After October 1st, 1917, and until further notice, a steamer of this line will run as follows: Leave Grand Manan Mondays at 7 a.m. for St. Stephen, via Campobello, Eastport, Cummings' Cove and St. Andrews.

TRAVEL

THE BATTLEFIELD ONCE this soft turf, this river, were trampled by a hundred feet and armed by the...

P. E. I. CAR FERRY MAKES FIRST REGULAR TRIP

Charlottetown, Oct. 15—The car ferry steamer began her regular freight service between Port Borden and Cape Tormentine today, the first cargo to leave the island by that route being potatoes for western points. Passenger service will be started shortly.

The second largest sale of Typewriters in the Maritime Provinces, the VERY largest sale of Typewriters in New Brunswick at one time is a Milne Frasers' achievement in closing a deal for 34 Remingtons for the St. John Business College, in which they trade out 32 other makes—NOT WANTED ANY MORE. A. Milne Fraser, Halifax, N. S.

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NOTICE WHEREAS my son, Seymour Holt, has been granted his majority by me this is to notify all to whom it may be of interest that I shall not be responsible for any debt contracted by him after the date hereof. S. GEORGE, N. B., October 15, 1917. C. DAVID HOLT, 16-2wp.

NOTICE The Annual Meeting of the Grand Manan Silver Black Fox Company, Limited, will be held at the Office of Frank Ingersoll, North Head, Grand Manan, on Friday, October 26th, at two o'clock in the afternoon, or on the arrival of steamer Grand Manan. Dated at Grand Manan, N. B., October 8, A.D. 1917. W. A. FRASER, Secretary

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE ST. ANDREWS, N. B. R. A. STUART, High Sheriff Time of Sittings of Courts in the County of Charlotte: CIRCUIT COURT: Tuesday, May 8, 1917, Chief Justice K. B. D. McKeown; Tuesday, October 2, 1917, Justice Chandler. COUNTY COURT: First Tuesday in February and June, and the Fourth Tuesday in October in each year. Judge Carleton

The First Week in September is the beginning of our busy season, but you can enter anytime. Send for new Catalogue containing tuition rates and full information

S. Kerr, Principal Tuesday, September 4 is the day on which classes will be resumed at FREDERICTON BUSINESS COLLEGE Write for information as to our courses of study. We must have a large number of graduates next year to supply the great demand for office help. W. J. OSBORNE, Prin. Fredericton, N. B.

MARITIME STEAMSHIP CO., LTD. Until further notice the S.S. "Commodore" will run as follows: Leave St. John, N. B., Thorne Wharf and Warehouse Company, Ltd., on Saturday, 20th inst. at 10 p.m. for St. Andrews, N. B., calling at Dipper Harbor, Beaver Harbor, Black's Harbor, Back Bay or Lettice, Deer Island, Red Store or St. George. Returning leave St. Andrews, N. B., Tuesday for St. John, N. B., calling at Lettice, Back Bay, Black's Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Dipper Harbor. Weather and tide permitting. Agent—Thorne Wharf and Warehouse Company, Ltd., Phone, 2561. Mgr. Lewis Connor. This company will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date without a written order from the company or captain of the steamer.

ST. ANDREW CHURCH—Rev. W. M. Fraser, B. Sc., Pastor. Services every Sunday, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. (7:30 p.m. during July and August.) Sunday School, 2:30 p.m. Prayer services Fri. day evening at 7:30.

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ST. ANDREWS POSTAL GUIDE ALBERT THOMPSON, Postmaster Office Hours from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Money Orders and Savings Bank Business transacted during open hours. Letters within the Dominion and to the United States and Mexico, Great Britain, Egypt and all parts of the British Empire, 5 cents per ounce or fraction thereof. In addition to the postage necessary, each such letter must have affixed a one-cent "War Tax" stamp. To other countries, 5 cents for the first ounce, and 3 cents for each additional ounce. Letters to which the 5 cent rate applies do not require the "War Tax" stamp. Post Cards one cent each to any address in Canada, United States and Mexico. One cent post cards must have a one-cent "War Stamp" affixed, or a two-cent card can be used. Post cards two cents each to other countries. The two-cent cards do not require the "War Tax" stamp. Newspapers and periodicals to any address in Canada, United States and Mexico, one cent per four ounces.

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WET SHEET AND A FLOOD SEA A wet sheet that follows fast. And fills the white and rustling. And bends the gullant mast. And bends the gallant mast. While like the eagle free. Away the good ship flies, and Old England on the lee. O for a soft and gentle wind! I heard a fair one cry: But give to me the heaving breeze. And white waves heaving high. And white waves heaving high. The good ship tight and free. The world of waters is our home. And merry men are we. There's tempest in yon horned cloud. And lightning in yon cloud. But hark the music, mariners! The wind is piping loud. The wind is piping loud. The lightning flashes free— While the hollow oak our palace. Our heritage the sea. (Born December 7, 1784; died 30, 1842.)

THE WAR DOG NEVER confuse the "War dog" of the "dog of War." The a direct product of the War, but yet met him collecting for a succoring the wounded, or as police, or hauling a muddled or helpless. Yet the War dog was Army; it represents a square "cushy" bed. The new draft for a mascot; but the old him better. A shameless biter, dandy, mendacity, fleas, good dirt and unequalled plausibility. You meet the War dog on so road. He will probably wear his neck a piece of dirty cord to the eye patch and drooping on being encountered with the cape of some medicant. "property" in fact, and put the self, the writer is convinced, has not actually caught the War dog for the "parted" you long have seen him, and he has his own. You become conscious one white just behind you see the War dog, his eyes filled with entreaty, crawling towards stomach. He advances inch by inch, being encouraged with words of invitation the paras his lean body (it is strained to actually it is well padded with from officers' kitchens) up to and selecting a puddle in the deep mud, rolls upon him smiles tearfully up at you. Then his grimy fore-paws. Then he forward merrily as per schedule and give him your last piece cake. You introduce your ways crawling on his stomach; swear to the dog's mischief; be a trifle of straw fork port, and in about ten minutes settled for the night. The War dog has seen his paws. He joins the mess with an ill-concealed grin as boats of the rat-catching. The dog at home. The War dog hurriedly as a mouse appeas his victim, apologize for him how he has been shaken by what a noble creature a food and kind treatment will be rest is simple. The War dog court) invades your parcels, and brings you it with all and sundry—except Quarter. He is fought thrashed by the regimental (his size), and the battalion limericks about you and you. Then suddenly you War dog. You are just beginning to having moved into another of a noisy group in a not wine-shop. But the War dog nizes you. He has finished grown tired of you, in fact "works" the same victim (or three weeks.) You and you are to him as it were a bone and you depart with a prayer die a stray's death at the Military Police. One month traveling smug wagon you never catch like an honest mascot; the ing the lead." In some great War game that he do He will patronize a score of three months; travel from Western Front to the again, taking care never renew an old acquaintance. He makes the mistake of fu