

BRITAIN AROUSED AT LAST BY HORRIBLE STORIES OF BRUTALITY TO PRISONERS

People Have Been Infuriated and Germany's Chances for Mercy Are Slim—No Mitigation of Peace Terms Since This Has Become Known.

Hundreds of Heroes Taken at Kut Were Flogged to Death or Died from Other Torture Inflicted by the Fiendish Turks—Hundreds Were Allowed to Perish from Disease.

(By Arthur S. Draper.) Special cable to The N. Y. Tribune and St. John Standard London, Nov. 21.—Great Britain is horrified and staggered by the stories of the treatment of British prisoners which are inflaming public opinion to an extent only equaled by the worst submarine outrages.

PRISONERS HONOR HOLLAND'S QUEEN

Tens of Thousands Assemble to Greet Her—Unhitch the Horses and Draw Carriage Around the Parade Ground.

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Japan and China Raise Race Question

Tokyo, Wednesday, Nov. 20.—Japanese newspapers are suggesting that Japan and China raise the race question at the forthcoming peace conference with the object of seeking an agreement to the effect that in the future there shall be no further racial discrimination throughout the world.

INFLUENZA HURTS FISHING BUSINESS

Many Vessels Were Laid up by Sickness Among the Crews, Yet the Catch Has Been Better Than Ever.

FIRE LAST NIGHT IN CHARLOTTETOWN

Charlottetown, P.E.I., Nov. 21.—A four storey building owned by Grant and Kennedy, International Harvester Company agents, and dealers in automobiles and carriages, was badly gutted by fire tonight, their stock being almost all destroyed.

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Censorship Lifted As Affecting the Navy

As from noon on Wednesday, November 20, the admiralty has removed the war censorship restrictions placed upon press reports and printed articles pertaining to naval matters.

S.S. CAMPANIA IN COLLISION

Former Queen of the Seas Was Sunk by Striking a Battleship.

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Kolchak is Now Virtually Dictator—Opponents Are Placed Under Arrest.

MOVE WAS MADE ON MONDAY LAST

Kolchak Enjoys Something of a Reputation as an Officer and is Regarded as a Strong Man.

DATE OF THE AFFAIR NOT ANNOUNCED

Steamer Had Been Used of Late as a Mother Ship for Seaplanes for Navy.

BUT ONCE HELD THE ATLANTIC RECORD

In 1893 She Made the Run from New York to Queens-town in Five and a Half Days, Beating the City of Paris.

GERMANY FORFEITS HER CLAIM FOR FOOD

Britain Will be Betrayed Unless Retribution to the Full Extent is Exactd from Those Responsible.

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GENERAL DEMOBILIZATION OF BRITAIN'S GREAT ARMY IS NOT IN IMMEDIATE FUTURE

Military Conditions Will Not Permit This, for it Must First be Seen That Germany is Honestly Carrying Out the Terms of the Armistice.

IMPERIAL LEAGUE MEMBERS OBJECT

Claim That at Least Two Returned Soldiers Should Have Been Appointed District Commissioners.

RED CROSS CORPS ENTERS GERMANY

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Will Oppose Commissioners McLellan and Hilyard in Civic Election Next Month—Number of Stirring Addresses at Meeting in Longshoremen's Hall Last Night.

At a meeting in the Longshoremen's Hall, the recall proceedings took on an added aspect last evening, when two candidates were nominated, to run as opponents to Commissioners McLellan and Hilyard. John Thornton was one of the unsuccessful candidates in the last civic election, was nominated. The other candidate was John B. Jones, a former chief liquor inspector in the city. The first candidate's name was proposed by Alexander Corbett, the second candidate by Charles Stevens. The two were nominated from the floor, and were the unanimous choice of the meeting.

Mr. Kelly stated that he did not come to the meeting to participate in what was going on, but to receive an enlightenment on the issue now at stake. Understanding the issue to an extent he believed the cause was indeed a righteous one, and required the earnest attention of the citizens of St. John, a sort of tyrannical despotism, an autocracy in a manner on the part of some of the city fathers. The autocracy was overcome in Germany, and it seemingly remained that the same condition was to be overcome in this city, for, concluded Mr. Kelly, "Might is never Right. He urged all interested in the present issue to push forward with renewed vigor in the interests of right and justice."

The two candidates having arrived, the chairman called upon each for an address. John B. Jones arose, amid great applause, and thanked the meeting for the honor which was given him, and the confidence which they placed in him. Referring to the nomination, "Some," added Mr. Jones, "may wonder why I am a candidate. It is no occasion for surprise, as justice was what which prompted me to accept the honor."

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Continuing, he alluded to the past defeat, when he fell by the wayside, simply because of the lack of organization, and here would caution the members on this occasion to exercise that care to not lack the necessary organization, but to work in unison for the common cause, justice to all, regardless of color, creed, or any other condition.

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(Continued from Page One.) according to Lieut. General Horvath, prominent among the leaders in the anti-Bolshevik movement in Siberia, seen on his train at his headquarters. These measures, he said, included the area of many members of the Left of the Social Revolutionists, among them four ministers and assistant ministers.

The government, in the face of this accomplished fact, General Horvath explained, "found it advisable to share the directorate abolished and to transfer temporarily the superior authority to a supreme governor, whose power is limited by the council of ministers. In other words, there is mutual responsibility." The change in the government was accepted by the people and the troops without disorder. Lieut. General Horvath, minister of agriculture in the Kerensky cabinet, most of the propaganda leading to the coup is attributed. He had been in a minor role in the revolution, but he was enabled to carry on this work.

Admiral Kolchak, whose dictatorship over the Omsk government was announced, was on the sea before the Russian Revolution. He was compelled in June 1917 to surrender command of that fleet to the revolutionists. He did this with the understanding that he would be allowed to return to his home in the Far East. Later, in 1917, he visited this country at the head of a naval commission from the Kerensky government and discussed possible co-operation between the Russian and Allied fleets.

DISTRICT MEETING OF METHODIST CHURCH

The November district meeting of the Methodist Church, St. John District, Nov. 20th, 1918, was held at the Y. M. C. A. The presiding officers were: G. F. Dawson, (chairman), and Revs. Boothroyd, Elliot, Goodwin, Hells, Leard, McLaughlin, Marshall, Morris, Rice, Smart, and Messrs. Carey, Folsom and Jones. The Revs. McLaughlin and Marshall gave reports of the general conference at Hamilton, calling special attention to the increased allowances for superannuated ministers, to the full standing now accorded to women in the official life of the church, and to the new arrangements for keeping children and young people in touch with the church.

Rev. R. Smart of Westfield gave a thought-provoking address on "Social Service Up-to-date," pointing out the vital relations of Christianity to progress in all the interests of life, so that Christians can no longer be indifferent to the practical concerns of their time. Mr. Carey, lay pastor at St. Martins, followed with an address on evangelism, claiming a large place for spiritual revival in the activities of the modern church.

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(Continued from Page One.) Princes Albert, Sask. Nov. 21.—Up till one o'clock today no further news had come from the man-band of the Gervais bandits at Steep Creek. The news that a relief party who spent the night on watch at the scene of the murder had not returned, though it was expected that they would arrive by ten o'clock this morning in order that a relief party could be sent out. Gasoline and coal oil were taken out this morning. It is proposed to pour these liquids into the underground dugout and to smoke out the bandits. If that does not avail, dynamite will be used.

The system which is to be followed now with reference to the police, are anxious that there should be no further loss of life. The police are satisfied that the bandits will surrender or later be either captured or killed. The body of Corporal Charles Horvath, of Clinton, Ontario, who was brought to the city and an inquest will be held.

Princes Albert, Sask. Nov. 21.—It is believed that Dr. Gervais, under the name of Victor Carmel and Jean St. Germain, alias Bourgeois, he says they came to Steep Creek in the autumn of 1917, but that he did not know they had a system of dugouts on his farm. Gervais asserts that he is a graduate of Laval University and that he took a course in medicine. He claims that he is married and that his wife, who is very wealthy, is still living in Quebec. He says that the other bandits who were with him at Steep Creek were happy to say that they did not do any more work for the Germans than necessary. Machinery seemed to get out of order very frequently when they worked in munitions factories, and even less vegetables seemed to grow in the fields they tilled than if they had not been there.

LOCAL BOWLING

Table with columns for 'SENIOR BOWLING LEAGUE' and 'THE COMMERCIAL LEAGUE'. Lists names and scores for various bowlers.

Col. McQuay of Montreal Has Personal Experience of Brutality To Prisoners (Continued from Page One.) "It was a bravery maintained without the period of rest, relief, sports, etc., afforded to men at the front, and I am happy to say that they did not do any more work for the Germans than necessary. Machinery seemed to get out of order very frequently when they worked in munitions factories, and even less vegetables seemed to grow in the fields they tilled than if they had not been there."

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Specialty Good Values in Fine Overcoats and Suits

are the results of early and large buying, and close selling. You'll find these beautiful suits—these splendid, big warm overcoats in many models and many good fabrics—are fairly amazing values at \$20, \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40 and \$50. Fur collar overcoats—form fitting, short, smart—\$40 and \$50. Gilmour's, 68 King St. Christmas Neckties and Mufflers now ready.

THE WEATHER. Washington, Nov. 21.—Northern New England—Cloudy Friday and Saturday; probably rain or snow Saturday or Saturday night. Moderate north and northwest winds.

PERSONAL. Mrs. John Willis and two daughters, Misses Theresa and Olive, have gone on a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Willis' brothers in Portland, Maine. The management has announced that Miss Vera Alice Murray, youngest daughter of the Provincial Secretary and Mrs. Murray, to Lieutenant Hermon Murray, of military headquarters staff, St. John, the wedding to take place in the near future.

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Large advertisement for 'WILKINSON'S' skin cream, featuring a woman's face and text describing its benefits for skin care.

Vertical text on the far right edge of the page, including 'MEDICINE HAVE' and 'But Other Mer'.



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ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1918.

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

### ABOUT EDUCATION.

Somehow or other a few of us reasonably ordinary intelligence, have acquired the idea that the Board of Education exists for the purpose of promoting education in the Province. This board consists of the Chief Superintendent of Education, the Lieutenant Governor, and all the members of the Provincial Government. Among all these there is only one man who is supposed to know anything about education, and he is the Chief Superintendent. The others are departmental officers, business men and professional men from various walks of life, and as a matter of necessity, because of the profound ignorance which they must possess along educational lines, they can do nothing more than listen to the reports and accept the advice of the one member of the board who is supposed to know. There can be no doubt that these various financial arrangements, bond issues, loans, advances, etc., in connection with the Department of Education, but as for planning what branches shall or shall not be given attention, what shall be discontinued, what particular advantage exists in certain classes, the best methods of teaching, the qualifications of teachers and matters of this sort, it will be freely admitted, even by those members themselves, that they are entirely at sea. This condition naturally places in the hands of the Chief Superintendent practically absolute control of the whole educational system of the Province.

And on the judgment exercised by this officer must depend the success or otherwise of our entire system. In Moncton a situation has arisen which is creating a great deal of feeling in the railway town. Because of overcrowding in the city schools a number of teachers, through no fault of their own, were compelled to lose time, and that portion of their pay which is derived from the Provincial Government through the refusal of Moncton City to pay its own proportion of the salary and is now engaged in a somewhat heated controversy with the Chief Superintendent, touching the remainder.

The question has naturally arisen: What will be the policy of the Provincial Board with respect to the recent closing of the schools because of the influenza epidemic? In this matter there can be only one action. Provision is made for the full payment of teachers when time is lost through an order of the Board of Health. Consequently there will be no reduction anywhere in the Province on this account.

Another little incident which has occurred in the Province and is popularly known as the St. John technical school, is now engaged in a somewhat heated controversy with the Chief Superintendent, touching the remainder.

really got down to business until Labor Day had passed. The Provincial Board—with some slight justification this time—refused to pay its portion of the teachers' salaries for the time so lost, and the City of St. John, through its Board of School Trustees, made up to its teachers not only its own share of the salaries, but also that amount which the Province had refused to pay.

These little things are wholly unnecessary. They do not involve any great financial expenditure, but they are a policy which seems to be pursued by the present Government and the Chief Superintendent of Education, who form the Provincial Board, tends to create a great deal of friction, to cause annoyance, and to develop the feeling which certainly exists very strongly in this city, and evidently in Moncton as well, that the Provincial organization is not in existence for the purpose of advancing the interests of education throughout New Brunswick.

### DON'T OVERLOAD THEM.

Unfortunately for themselves, the motion picture interests have not yet come to be regarded as a legitimate commercial undertaking. There seems to be an impression prevailing among governments and other such organizations that picture people are leeches drawing the monetary life-blood of the country and growing financially fat on the profits that they make. Every time a town or province wants a little more revenue, the picture houses and film manufacturers are among the first to be assessed. At the present time there is a controversy between the film exchanges and the city as to the imposition of certain additional taxes, as are also the moving picture theatres. These latter, for instance, pay the Civic Assessment on their real estate and a certain additional assessment on their volume of business. They pay, as well, a third tax, based on their seating capacity. They pay a license fee, and they pay so much on every admission ticket sold.

This may be an easy source of revenue to the municipality or province, but it is rather overdoing the thing as regards the picture houses themselves. Some of these days clean entertainment will come to be regarded—as it evidently is not now—as a legitimate commercial undertaking, entitled to just as much respect as the merchandizing of any tangible commodity. It is not, in reality, an unnecessary extravagance, for people need enjoyment just as much as they need food. Nor do the film exchanges and the theatres draw from the people and retain for themselves all the money that is paid for admission. It will be found, if anyone cares to carefully go into the matter, that the profits of local picture houses are slim, that out of the total receipts all but a very small portion is expended right here where the theatres are located, either in the form of wages, in existing taxation, in insurance, and in the purchasing of material with which the entertainment is provided. The purchase price of material forms the revenue of the film exchanges, which, in turn, pay rentals, express charges, insurance, salaries, etc., and, in addition, leases of the films. The payments for these leases go to the film manufacturers situated elsewhere, and they, of course, have their own expenses together with certain profits. But it will be found that the amount of money actually sent away from any individual community because of the picture business is comparatively very small indeed, and for the ordinary theatre would amount to as much in the run of a year as one big operatic company would take away as the result of two performances.

Why not regard the entertainment industry in this brighter light, as a legitimate commercial enterprise, selling one of the necessities of life to the people who require it, doing a clean and honest business on a small margin of profit, and entitled to just as favorable consideration as any mercantile source?

A few days ago St. John, in its report of the Victory Loan campaign, challenged the province to equal the record of this city. Information was received yesterday that our record has been surpassed in certain respects by Loggieville. This little town on the Miramichi has a population of 1,000, and it has subscribed \$209,100.00 in Victory Bonds. This gives an average of \$209.00 for every man, woman and child. If this statement is correct—and there is every reason to believe it is—Loggieville has, in the amount of subscription, done much better than St. John, and

we very gladly step down to second place, taking off our hats to Loggieville for its wonderful success.

Great Scott! Still they come. Even Walter P. Goggin of Centre Millstream, aged nine, and old enough to know better, sends in two dandelions that he picked November 19. Will they ever stop.

### The Tiger of France.

New York Sun.  
In the gallery of the great whose names have been written indelibly on the page of history since the war began, none exercises a stronger power over imagination and affection than Georges Clemenceau. Last week the Senate of France declared him to have deserved well of his country; he has indeed deserved well of the world. When he came to the premier-ship the resources, the courage, the will of France were held in leash. Defeatists and traitors escaped the merited penalties of their treason. Tolerance in politics that came near to weakness handicapped the armies of the republic. At a momentous disaster to France meant disaster to civilization. French devotion, skill and strength were sapped by insidious enemies beyond reach of the military and apparently immune from attack by the civil authorities.

Then it was that the Tiger of France, old in years, old in wisdom, old in experience, young in vigor of mind and spirit, opened the door of his ripe knowledge of a full life of activity, all the determination of a mind and body dedicated to a single purpose, were devoted to the sacred task of the day. The follies and the crimes that had hampered his predecessors were assailed without fear; vacillation and indecision vanished; a challenge was thrown in the face of traitor and doubter, and the real France, the heroic France, was allowed once more to pursue her destiny unimpeded. His great work has been done without mock heroics, without posing, with a simplicity and directness unaffected and genuine. The humanity of the assault upon whom he opened the door of opportunity, has never been denied in word or deed or gesture. A fine contempt for consistency in small things has grown into high regard for the supreme consistency in those things that mattered. Truly, Georges Clemenceau has deserved well of his country.

### Canada's War Debt.

Edmonton Journal.  
If it were possible to take from Germany sufficient money to pay the whole of the cost of the war on the Allied side, a Canada would without any representations being made on her behalf, receive her just proportion of the indemnity money. But she should clearly recognize that there are those on the Allied side whose material losses have been infinitely greater than hers. Belgium, France, Serbia, Roumania and Italy, which had to bear the brunt of the German attack, have the first claim. The general opinion of those who ought to know is that the most that can possibly be taken out of Germany and her associates in the war will be all too little to satisfy the claims of these nations.

### Making the Armistice Good.

Boston Transcript.  
Let this great armistice, this gateway to a nobly constructive as well as a retributive peace, be made effective through prompt action on the part of the Allies. Let us see what we can do by land. Let there be no hanging back here, nor any softness about the full enforcement of the terms; let there be no listening to the handshakes of softs or Lammaches, of Germans abroad and pacifists or sentimentalists at home, who are trying by their appeals to make mischief between us and our Allies. If it is true that our soldiers must march to Berlin to make the armistice good, or must with their own hands open the gates of the peace camps, let us see what we can do by our earliest practicable moment.

### The Motherland's Part.

London Daily Express.  
To none, indeed, is the valiant Kaiserling man arrayed against the Kaiser does the cause of freedom owe more than to the cockney shopman, the stockier man from the shires, the American farmer, the Welshman with his terrier's grip. In France, in the Balkans, in Palestine, and in Mesopotamia, these men, led by officers who, before the war, were lawyers and bank managers, shopkeepers and farmers, artisans and schoolboys, have filled the months with valorous deeds, and most of which we are allowed to know nothing.

### Toppling Thrones.

Boston Transcript.  
Of the twenty-six separate German states, it is now said that nineteen have already disappeared, and the rest are likely to go. Outside of Germany the King of Bulgaria, and the Emperor of Austria, who was also King of Hungary, and the Prince of Liechtenstein, have abdicated and are gone. The "German Empire," both that of 1870 and the ancient and historical empire which included various domains to the westward and southward, has now been virtually cleared of monarchical power, and the people have a clean course for the setting up of their own rule, be it absolute or limited, tyrannical or free.

### Vibrations of a Chimney.

The great reinforced concrete chimney of the Kuhara Mining Company in Japan, the second tallest stack in the world, has a main shaft 150 feet high, with a diameter tapering from 42 feet 8 inches to 27 feet 5 inches, and a weight of 4,822 tons, increased to 9,131 tons by the foundation. A wind of twelve miles an hour is found by Dr. Charles Davidson to vibrate the top less than 1-32 of an inch. A wind of fifty-four miles increased the vibration to about an inch, and with hurricane force it reached 7.7 inches, the oscillations lasting 2.55 seconds.

The Manager—Can't you get your wife to do that cross-fire sketch with you?  
The Comedian—Can't say. When we together all she ever does is a cross-fire.

## Little Benny's Note Book.

BY LEE PAPE.  
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Yesterday morning it was colder than the dickens when I got up, ma feeling more like getting further underneath of the covers than getting all the way out of them, and I quick closed the window with cold air blowing on my pillow, thinking G, it would be all right if somebody came in and closed the window before I got up.  
And while we was eating breakfast I sed to ma, G, me, it sertainly gets cold early in the morning now, dont it, ma?  
I havent noticed it particularly, sed ma.  
I have, I sed. And I went on eating the cream off of my oatmeal and putting more cream on, and pritty soon I sed, Dident you notice it this morning, ma?  
Not particularly, sed ma.  
I did, I sed, and ma sed, So much the better, a little cold air is good for you, aint it? Is it if you aint in your pjammies, maybe.  
And I started to put sugar in my tee, taking out sutch a big spoon full that there was room for all of it in the spoon part and some had to go on the handle, on account of me ony being allowed to take one spoon full, and after a while I sed, Did you ever have anybody come in and close your windows for you in the morning, ma?  
No, and I never ixpect to, sed ma.  
Wy, do you think it would be bad for you, ma? I sed.  
Say, look here, young man, sed ma, do you realise there are thousands of soldiers waking up in the trenches every morning without even any windows to pull down?  
Yes, ma, I sed. And after a while I sed, They aint in their pjammies, tho.  
The subject is closed, sed ma.  
Wich it was, but not my window this morning.

### THE EDITOR'S MAIL

SHALL WE FEED THE GERMANS?  
Certainly! They have been eating 'chow' for some time, and I think that they should have a change of menu.  
Sawdust a la Wormy-sill.  
Fish  
Torpe-doe Shell-fish a la Tirpitz  
Crocodile Steak a la "Kamarad"  
Entrées  
Rattlesnake Chowder  
Vulture's Wings a la Zepplin  
Rat Ragout a la "Kaiser"  
Shark Cutlets Indian Devil Hash  
Rhino-cornas Sausages  
Liver and Bacon (Lizard Liver and Wild Boar Bacon)  
Pastry  
Crow Pie a la "Armistice"  
Liqueurs  
Kerosene, Turpentine and Gasoline.  
JAYESSKAY.  
St. John, Nov. 20, 1918.  
Editor of St. John Standard:  
Sir,—I notice in your issue of the 20th inst. where you invite comments from the public as to the desirability of providing Germany with some of the necessaries of life.  
Now, Sir, the public is under the impression that we have surplus of necessaries. In fact we have been obliged to purchase a certain amount of iron feed as a substitute for flour, and what is considered very strange, we have had to purchase more of the substitute than we did for the flour.  
No doubt it would be good business for the Canadian miller to ship flour to Germany at a big price, and boost the price in Canada, but it would not be fair to the people of Canada. I am of the opinion it would be piling on that proverbial straw that we read about.  
Mr. Hoover says there is hunger in Germany. It would be well to bear in mind that hunger would breed anarchy in Canada just as well as in Germany. If these would be philanthropists would care to send the Germans those millions of dozens of eggs and pounds of butter, also the tons of turkeys, geese, chickens, fow etc., that they are holding in cold storage, the public won't mind, as it is not likely that they will ever see them anyway.  
So far as I am concerned, not having taste for hen feed, I am in a position to donate quite an amount of it, also a dozen packages of Rough on Rats, otherwise to Hell with the Germans, charity begins at home.  
JAMES McMENAMIN,  
150 Victoria Street.

### WOODSTOCK

Embellishment.  
"Why did you take that tenderfoot's writ watch away from him? You wear one yourself."  
"Yes," rejoined Broncho Bob. "But I use mine to find out what time it is. He makes a perfectly good little clock an excuse for decorat'ing himself with a bracelet."

### THE BOARD OF HEALTH PERMITS

Schools to Re-open Monday, Nov. 18th  
St. John has escaped very lightly compared with most other places. We have had a good long rest and will welcome old and new students on the 18th, or as soon after that date as they can come.

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### HONOR ROLL

Driver Alexander M. Mr. and Mrs. James T. 04 Duke Street, West St. visited yesterday morning to see that their eldest Alexander Henderson, Canadian General Hospital, France, on November Spanish influenza which to pneumonia. Driver went overseas as a member first contingent in the train. During his four year he had been wounded two different occasions been discharged from a cently and had returned Besides his parents, he brothers, Private Alfred and David, at home.  
Corp. Alfred Word was received Miss Bortha Thorne to her brother, Corporal Al was seriously ill with p



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HONOR ROLL.

Driver Alexander Henderson. Mr. and Mrs. James T. Henderson, 84 Duke street, West St. John, were visited yesterday morning from Ottawa that their eldest son, Driver Alexander Henderson, had died in the Canadian General Hospital at Lestrepot, France, on November 19 from Spanish influenza which developed into pneumonia.

THE RATE CHANGED.

The secretary of the Board of Trade yesterday received a copy of the proposed supplement 12 to Freight Classification 16. This changes the rate on about one hundred articles.

UNION MEETING HELD.

The regular meeting of the Teamsters and Chauffeurs' Union was held last night. Several new members were initiated and routine business transacted.

INCREASE IN THE FLU CASES

Twenty New Cases Were Listed at Board of Health Yesterday—Wet Weather Responsible—Outside Reports.

There was an increase in the number of new cases of influenza reported to the board of health yesterday, and the responsibility for this condition is placed on the wet weather of the last few days. Twenty cases were listed and eleven houses were released from quarantine.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Mary Helen Barbour. The death of Mrs. Mary Helen Barbour, wife of Otty L. Barbour, news editor of the Daily Telegraph, occurred at her home Rockland Road yesterday morning, and the sad news was learned with sincere regret by a wide circle of friends.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

The memorial service in honor of Sergeant Signaller Clair V. Green, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Green, of Perth, N. B., killed in action on Sept. 27th, will be held in the Baptist church, Perth, on Sunday, Nov. 24th, at 2 p. m.

THE C. OF E. INSTITUTE 42ND ANNIVERSARY COMMEMORATED

Holy Communion Celebrated by Canon Armstrong at Morning Service in Trinity—Large Congregation at Stone Church in Evening—Hear Timely Sermon by Chaplain C. G. Lawrence.

"The returned soldier must not be left to die some day required jewel that we admire and exhibit for a time and then forget about. But rather in all our plans for his return, all his reconstructions, let us have color church and state, let us have color our thoughts, viz., that the returned soldier is a citizen with a certain additional ability and a certain additional interest in the progress and welfare," stated Rev. C. G. Lawrence, of Hampton, in a timely sermon last night in Stone Church at a service commemorating the 42nd anniversary of the Church of England Institute.

A service was held in the morning at Trinity church, and a special Holy Communion was celebrated by Canon Armstrong. At the evening service at Stone Church a large congregation was present, including the following clergymen, Rural Dean W. H. Sampson, Rev. G. H. Kuhring, rector of Stone Church; Archdeacon Crowfoot of St. Paul's church; Rev. H. A. Cody, of St. James; Rev. J. H. A. Holmes of St. Jude's, and Canon Armstrong. The large choir was present under the direction of D. Arnold Fox, organist, and special music was rendered during the service.

THE RETURNED SOLDIER.

St. John 6:12—That nothing be lost. I have undertaken to speak to you tonight on the Returned Soldier. In a very short time we shall have returned soldiers among us in increasing numbers. These men have created a new relationship in Canadian life. We have indeed had men return to us from a war before, but this is the first time in our history that we have had large numbers of men returning from a struggle in which our existence was at stake. They have not only saved us from the world danger, but it is generally admitted they had an influence out of all proportion to their numbers not only in their military achievements but in arousing the different parts of the Empire to a realization of their responsibility. So, as I have said, we find ourselves in a new relationship, and it is desirable that the pulpit, the press, and every other agency that helps mould public opinion in this country, should at once do whatever it can to see that this relationship is neither overlooked nor abused.

Let us get these men to exert their acquired ability and additional interest in our day of peace as they have abroad and our future is brighter than the dawn. III. And this brings us to the consideration of the practical side of the question. I assume that you agree with me that it is our sincere desire that nothing be lost to the country. We have a highly developed man-power that a great need has brought forth. The Divine Record tells us of a day long ago when a very great need could only be met with a very small provision. But the giving of that little resulted in sufficient for the needs of all. And when the great need became known four years ago we offered what we had and, thank God, it was multiplied beyond all imagination. And now, just as at that time, it is our duty to see that nothing be lost.

Took Severe Cold ON HIS LUNGS.

COUGHED PHLEGM and BLOOD. On the first appearance of a cough or cold, do not neglect it, but get rid of it at once before it has a chance to grow worse, and gets settled on the lungs, causing bronchitis, pneumonia and other serious lung troubles. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup will cure the cough or cold on its first inception and perhaps save you years of suffering. Mr. G. F. Straychuk, Canora, Sask., writes: "Last winter I took a most severe cold on my lungs and was coughing up phlegm and blood most of the time. I had the cough for over two months, and took a great deal of different medicines, but found no relief from them. At last a friend advised me to take Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, which I did, and I got a great relief in a very short time, and today I am enjoying good health again."

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CANADIAN GOVERNMENT AND MUNICIPAL BONDS Bought and Sold Eastern Securities Company, Ltd.

QUOTATIONS IN ST. JOHN MARKET Very few changes occur in the St. John market quotations this week...

Table of market quotations for various commodities including Groceries, Beans, Meats, etc.

Table of market quotations for Montreal Produce including Flour, Oats, Beans, etc.

TRADING VERY WEAK INDEED Market Yesterday Was Subject to Erratic Fluctuations—Sales Are Very Small.

MONTREAL SALES. (McDougall and Cowans.) Montreal, Thursday, Nov. 21—Morning.

Table of Montreal Sales for various commodities like Steel, Iron, etc.

Table of Montreal Produce for various goods like Flour, Oats, Beans, etc.

DEMAND NOT GREAT AND PRICES REASONABLE AT LIVESTOCK SALE The Fair at Fredericton Yesterday Was Rather Quiet for Several Reasons—There is a Surplus of Certain Animals in New Brunswick; the Victory Loan Campaign Has Taken a Lot of Money, and the Influenza Epidemic Interfered With the Attendance—Buyers Were Able to Obtain Good Stock at Reasonable Prices.

Fredericton, Nov. 21.—Owing to the late date at which the breeders' consignment sale of pure bred stock was held, the result was not satisfactory...

N. Y. QUOTATIONS. (McDougall and Cowans.) Table with columns for Open, High, Low, Close.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET. (McDougall and Cowans.) Table with columns for Jan, Mar, July, Dec.

CHICAGO PRODUCE. (McDougall and Cowans.) Table with columns for High, Low, Close.

WILSON'S "The National Smoke" BACHELOR Value, flavor and uniform quality. Carefully made for those who appreciate the best in cigars.

BANK OF MONTREAL HAS RECORD YEAR Thrift Pays, it is Found—Profits Are More Than Sixteen Per Cent. on Capital and Are Greater Than Last Year.

Montreal, Nov. 22.—The annual financial statement of the Bank of Montreal was issued today. The bank's assets have increased from \$289,562,670 in 1914, the first year of the war...

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WEEKLY REPORT OF BANK OF ENGLAND London, Nov. 21.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve, increase £289,000; circulation, increase £288,000; bullion, increase £585,456; other securities, increase £119,000; public deposits, decrease £236,000; other deposits, increase £2,969,000; notes, reserve, increase £231,000; government securities, increase £2,192,000.

THANKS THE PRESS FOR MAGNIFICENT WORK Toronto, Nov. 21.—Sir Thomas White has wired to W. J. Taylor, president of the Canadian Press Association, the following message of appreciation to the press of Canada: "I desire to express to Canadian Press Association and the newspapers generally throughout my most earnest appreciation of their magnificent work in the Victory Loan campaign."

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## NEWS OF SPECIAL INTEREST

### DECIDE TO POSTPONE CHRISTMAS TREAT

In View of Epidemic the Soldiers' Wives' League Considered it Unwise to Hold Large Gathering—Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon.

After some discussion as to what was best to do, the Soldiers' Wives' League at their regular meeting held yesterday afternoon decided to postpone the annual entertainment given by them to the children of soldiers at Christmas time.

Mrs. W. W. White stated that she was in consultation with Dr. Roberts, who felt that by the 21st of December the epidemic would be well over but another prominent physician who had been consulted, felt that there was grave danger in bringing together so many children, and that it would be the part of wisdom to hold the entertainment later on. Many of those present agreed with this view, a doctor's sister testifying to the constant calls upon the physicians at present as evidence of the prevalence of the disease. It was finally decided to put off the treat for the soldiers' children till after the New Year, when it is hoped there will be no danger, and extra attractions may be planned for the pleasure of the boys and girls.

The meeting opened by the singing of the three verses of the National Anthem and a prayer of thanksgiving for peace.

Some entertainments which had been arranged for at which the wives of members of the different units were to be the guests, have had to be given up on account of the influenza epidemic.

The following visitors gave reports of their work. Mrs. Corbet, for the Heavy Battery, Mrs. Ambrose, for the 52nd Battalion, Mrs. Perley for the 140th, Mrs. C. Robinson for the 144th, Mrs. Warwick for the 115th. One sad case was reported where a mother had died and left several small children to be looked after until the father returns from overseas.

The visitor for the League had been to the home and had made sure that the little ones were in proper care. Another visitor told of sending flowers to a returned man who had died out at East St. John. He had been looked after by the League during his illness there.

Mrs. Edwards spoke of the work of the V. A. D. and how the Soldiers' Wives' League might further their efforts in several peculiarly sad cases. Members of the Residential committee agreed to visit and to do what they could.

It was brought to the notice of the

### PARKS HOSPITAL IS WELL RUN NOW

Mrs. Skelton, V. A. D. Visitor, Hears Words of Praise for Matron and Home from Patients.

Mrs. A. C. Skelton who has been a member of the V. A. D. visiting committee for several weeks, in talking to The Standard yesterday said:

"In these days when one hears so much unfavorable criticism of things when they do not go right, I am glad to be able to say that I have been visiting some of the families who received treatment from the Parks Convalescent Home during the epidemic of influenza.

"One family consisting of four or five members has been recently discharged from the Home. They are still receiving food from the Diet Kitchen and they have nothing but words of kindness and praise for the treatment received there, and appreciation for the food. Everything has been done, they said, to give them every comfort under the circumstances.

"Mrs. Gundry, who is head of the nurses and orderlies, has been commended on every hand for the work which has been done. Most of the people were sorry to leave the Home."

Mrs. Skelton has personally visited a number of the people who have been discharged from there and all say that nothing was left undone to procure for those suffering every possible comfort.

A letter recently written in France by William Atherton, a former employe of The Standard, was received a few days ago. In part he states that the ground on which they were fighting on during the latter part of October had never been fought over before and consequently was not as badly cut up as was the ground where the Canadians started from, and the Hun has not been given much time to destroy the towns. The poor inhabitants have had to leave almost everything behind them as they fled. In one of the villages the Canadian boys entered they found many of the houses all furnished, and the boys were able to make their quarters comfortable. In the cellar that the writer occupied with several other sergeants and privates, they had a couple of tables, some chairs and proper beds to sleep on, which is a great deal better than sleeping on the floors, as they had been forced to do for some time back. They also had a stove which they procured from a vacant house. The boys did not have long to enjoy such comforts, as they were advancing so fast after the German. The Huns are a very tricky lot of people, and can't be trusted.

### COMFORTS FOR THE SOLDIERS

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### RECIPE TO DARKEN GRAY HAIR

A Cincinnati Barber Tells How to Make a Remedy for Gray Hair.

Mr. Frank Harbaugh of Cincinnati, O., who has been a barber for more than forty years, recently made the following statement:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home at very little cost, that will darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half pint of water add 1 ounce bay rum, a small box of Oxley Compound, and ounce glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray hair person look twenty years younger. This is not a dye, it does not color the most delicate scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."

### V. A. D. RECEIVE TWO DONATIONS

The V. A. D. were cheered yesterday by two large donations of money for use at the Diet Kitchen. The St. Andrew's Society voted the sum of \$100.00 for use in the relief of those of Scotch descent who were suffering from influenza. The King's Daughters from their Tithes Fund donated the sum of \$50.00 for the same good cause.

Eight or nine new cases were reported at the kitchen yesterday, and the staff of workers are keeping steadily at work.

### ST. JOHN COUPLE LEAVE FOR INDIA

Dr. J. H. West and Mrs. West, Formerly Miss Rosalie Waterman, Given Farewell Reception in Montreal—Going from Labrador to India.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Nov. 21.—From the coast of Labrador to the north hills of India, is a far distant call which two former New Brunswickers are answering. Leaving this morning for San Francisco, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. West, who began their long trip to India, Dr. West is a native of Moncton, while Mrs. West, who before marriage was Miss Rosalie Waterman, is a former St. John lady.

The First Baptist church here was the scene of a gathering of particular interest to New Brunswickers last evening, when a farewell reception was tendered Dr. and Mrs. West. Besides the guests of the evening, Dr. and Mrs. West, the chairman of the gathering was a former St. John man, Rev. Miles McCutcheon, for several years pastor of Brunswick street Baptist church, St. John, and now minister at the First Baptist church, Sherbrooke street, here, while another part was Rev. E. L. Orchard, formerly attached to a church in Fredericton.

The reception took the form of both a welcome and a farewell, inasmuch as Dr. and Mrs. West are but recently returned from Labrador, where they were engaged in medical missionary work. Rev. Dr. McCutcheon and Rev. Mr. Orchard extended welcome and farewell on behalf of the gathering.

Both Dr. and Mrs. West are graduates of McGill, where they had enviable records. Mrs. West coming to McGill after a brilliant course at the St. John High School, continued at McGill the excellent work, winning many honors during her student days. In the course of the reception last evening Prof. McNaughton, of McGill, spoke.

### HOPED THAT FILM EXCHANGES MAY REMAIN IN ST. JOHN

L. E. Ouimet Represents Motion Picture Board of Trade in Reference to Proposed Exchange of Films with L. Ernest Ouimet Yesterday.

It is most likely that the film exchanges will remain in St. John. Such is the impression gleaned by The Standard's representative in an interview with L. Ernest Ouimet yesterday.

Mr. Ouimet, who came to St. John to represent the Motion Picture Board of Trade in reference to the proposed exchange of films with L. Ernest Ouimet yesterday morning and it was arranged that he should speak before the council meeting in the afternoon.

Mr. Ouimet has the faculty of speaking in a straight forward businesslike way and he was able to show that the film exchanges were being asked to pay higher taxes in the City of St. John than that paid in Vancouver, Calgary, Winnipeg, Toronto or Montreal.

"First there is the Dominion tax," Mr. Ouimet said. "Then comes the import tax of \$30 per reel; next the provincial tax which we must pay in each province; then the censor tax on each reel of film in each province, and the tax in the city where we do business."

It was proposed to tax the exchanges on one-half the gross proceeds as well as on the personal income of each member of the staff. One exchange paid in St. John four years ago \$61, last year they were asked to pay \$440 to the city treasury.

It is claimed that the film exchanges pay out in the city \$100,000, including \$25,000 paid in salaries.

If the film exchanges had moved away it was said that the express companies would have to take off one man as it requires the services of one man to look after the number of films shipped.

All this does not take in the loss to the city of the personnel of the exchange staffs and the shifting of the centre of the industry from St. John to some other place in the province which would be a distinct loss to the city.

The exhibitor has to pay a war tax imposed by the Dominion government of 15 cents per reel for each day the film is used, an admission tax, a license tax, a seat tax, as well as property and personal taxes.

If the exchanges moved away the exhibitors would also have to pay the express charges on films which would add seriously to the already high cost of running a theatre and thus they would probably have to raise their prices of admission. This would be a hardship as the movies are the popular place of amusement for many who would be deprived from them if the cost were greater.

It was pointed out by many that the by-law may be amended so that the film exchanges may remain in St. John. Even with the amended by-law the express charges on films which had to be paid in Montreal or other cities.

### BETTER TREATMENT FOR THE PATIENTS

Manner in Which Old Ambulance is Handled Told to Board of Health Chairman Yesterday.

One of the ladies who has always shown keen interest in the work among influenza patients, spoke to Hon. J. W. Daniel, chairman of the local Board of Health, about the manner in which the old ambulance is handled. She explained to him the necessity for a second man, and for proper stretchers and blankets necessary for the care of those having to use the ambulance. Cases were cited to Dr. Daniel where two or three members of one family suffering from the influenza and pneumonia which had developed from the disease were compelled to get out of bed and walk to the ambulance because of the lack of some person to help with these patients.

Dr. Daniel stated that this was the first complaint ever received with respect to the ambulance and he would be glad indeed to have a second attendant for it, and also see that patients compelled to use it were better treated.

THE CANADIAN CLUB. An invitation was recently sent to His Excellency the Governor-General to address the members of the Canadian Club, and the following telegram of acceptance was received yesterday:

Ottawa. Secretary Canadian Club, St. John N. B.: With reference to Mr. Sladen's

### THE RED CROSS IS RUSHING SUPPLIES

The blood of every British person has boiled at the thought of how our men prisoners in Germany have been and are being treated by the unspeakable Hun. It will be some slight relief to know that help is being rushed to the relief of these soldiers who have already suffered so much, it will be long before this additional score against Germany, which has been so recently added to the long list of crimes can be forgotten.

Lady Tilley yesterday received the following telegram from The Canadian Red Cross Society, Toronto:

"Following cable has been received from Chief Commissioner overseas:—Ladies and Gentlemen of the Prisoners' Committee, food and clothing for fifty thousand prisoners have been sent to Holland; also today large supplies, drugs, medical comforts invalid foods. Supplies also being sent Denmark and Switzerland. Any supplies till needed in Germany will be forwarded from these centres. Communications and authentic information most difficult. Everything possible being done."

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 First quarter, 11th ..... 12h. 46m. p.m.  
 Full moon 18th ..... 3h. 32m. a.m.  
 Last quarter, 25th ..... 6h. 25m. a.m.

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 Quebec—Ar'd Nov. 15, stmr Sicilian, Europe for Montreal (and proceeded p.m.).  
 Sid Nov. 15, stmr War Beach, War Raily, Horarata, Aleicon, Novarra, Themistocles, Callagell, Marwaha.  
 British Ports.  
 Plymouth—Sid Nov. 14, stmr Tunisian, St. John.  
 American Ports.  
 Portland, Me.—Ar'd Nov. 18, schs Waltham, Elizabethport for Halifax; Samuel Hart, New York for Yarmouth.

**Memoranda.**  
 S. S. North Star, of the Portland line, putting out to sea in a heavy fog on Monday, collided in New York harbor with the oil tanker De Soto and passed so close to a patrol boat that six members of its crew jumped overboard, fearing the patrol boat was about to sink. The North Star apparently was not damaged and continued on its way.  
 Captains of steamers arriving at Portland, Me., the past few days, who were exposed to the heavy gales which swept the coast of Newfoundland last week, report it as one of the worst they ever experienced, the wind being of hurricane force, the boats for hours being tossed continuously by heavy seas, but all fortunately escaped serious injuries.  
 At Saultierville, N.S., on Sunday, the three-masted schooner, Merriam H. built by the Acadia Shipbuilding Co., was put afloat. This vessel is to come to St. John to load a cargo of flour for her home port, St. John's, Nfld.  
 The New York schooner Richard Permutant year round co-operation into Yarmouth on Wednesday and went ashore on the west side of Bunker's Island during the high wind of Friday morning. She was blown over power on Saturday. She will be towed to Dartmouth for repairs.

**MANY EXEMPTIONS GIVEN IN QUEBEC**  
 Hearing Begins in Quebec Under M. S. Act—Claim Money Paid to Secure Freedom of Draftees.  
 Quebec, Nov. 21.—In an editorial yesterday "Le Soleil," this city, says that the military exemptions in Quebec district have been many and scandalous. It starts with a comment on the revelations that sprang out of the Montgomery exemption scandal and says that should the government look into things in Quebec city and other districts, it would find a good many irregularities in the granting of exemptions from military service. In one instance, in Montmagny, it is claimed here, one youth paid \$2,000 to a certain official to be classified in "E."

The preliminary enquiry into the alleged selling of exemptions at Montmagny opened here today. The main witness today was Detective Garand of Montreal, who worked on this case. He stated that a number of blank exemption cards and papers were found in the belongings of Omer Guay, one of the men implicated in the case. At today's sitting Judge Langelle presided. The counsel and their lawyers alone were admitted at the hearing. The accused are Capt. O. Goulet, Mr. Omer D. Guay and Notary Geo. Pion.

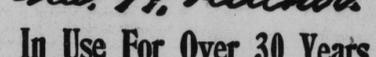
**PEDDLER LOST, AND MURDER SUSPECTED**  
 Quebec, Nov. 21.—New and sensational developments are shortly expected in the mysterious disappearance of David Bush, the young Armentan dealer who is supposed to have been murdered and robbed in the bush in the rear of Beauce county over a month ago. Residents in the rear of St. Ludger say that on the night of Badies's disappearance they heard revolver shots near the 9th Range of the parish.

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 "Your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh. Just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief. Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more yawning, sneezing, blowing; no more headache, dizziness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight."

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**NOTICE FURNITURE SALES AT RESIDENCE.**  
 We are now prepared to bid for sales of household furniture at residence. Our experience in handling furniture enables us to get the highest prices for goods of this kind and it is important that you bill your sales as soon as possible to secure good dates.  
 F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer and Real Estate Broker, ex. 96 Germain Street.

**NOTICE TO MARINERS.**  
 Notice is hereby given that the light on the Black Point gas and whistling buoy is not burning. Will be relighted as soon as possible.  
 J. C. CHESLEY, Agent Marine and Fisheries Dept. St. John, N. B., Nov. 14, 1918.

**CITY OF SAINT JOHN.**  
 Tenders for Wharf Property.  
 Sealed tenders will be received at the Common Clerk's Office, City Hall, addressed to him, up to 11 o'clock a. m. of Thursday, the 28th day of November instant, for the purchase of the City's portion of the wharf property in Sidney ward, now in the occupancy of Mr. George Dick, and formerly known as the "Quina Property." Terms and further information may be had at the office of the Commissioner of Harbors, Ferries and Public Lands. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.  
 T. H. BULLOCK, Commissioner of Harbors, Ferries and Public Lands.  
 ADAM MACINTYRE, Comptroller.  
 St. John, N. B., 20th Nov., 1918.

**WANTED**  
 WANTED—Night Engineer. Sain John County hospital, East Sain John.  
 WANTED—A Second Class Teacher. Apply stating salary to Alex. McMillan, Black Point, N. B.  
 EXPERT BRUSH MAKER wanted to take full charge of factory at Monreal, making hair floor brooms, and other solid back brushes. Only capable party need apply. Applications strictly confidential. Advertiser, 2555 Mance Street, Montreal.

**FITTERS WANTED FOR AUTOMAT SPRINKLER WORK.** Apply to F. St. Pierre, foreman, Robt Engineering Works, Ltd., Amherst, N. S.  
 WANTED—Young women, for typists. Training School. Apply to a permanent. Christ Hospital, Jersey City, N. J.  
 WANTED—Furnace Makers, Campbell or Union machine of raters, and club of masons. Apply High Car son Company Limited, Iawa, Ont.

**WANTED—Second hand perfect kerensie oil stove with two burners and without oven. Call 216 Main Street, in rear.**  
 WANTED—Experienced sprinkler fitters. Apply F. St. Pierre, foreman, Robt Engineering Works, Amherst, N. S.  
 WANTED—Second Class Female Teacher for District No. 1. Apply stating salary to A. D. Case, Secretary Wickham, Queens Co., N. B.  
 WANTED—Teacher at District No. 8, Parish of Hammondsport to teach. Apply stating salary to Seth DeLong, Secy., Hammondsport, U. S. Hibernia, Queens County, N. B.

**AGENTS WANTED**  
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**FOR SALE**  
 FOR SALE AT BARGAIN—S. R. Warren & Sons, Ltd., Pipe Organ, two manual with pedals, 16 stops, Quartered Oak cover. Apply Landry & Co., 78 Germain Street.

**FARM STOCK FOR SALE.**—Wishing to reduce our stock we will sell for cash, 3 cows, 3 heifers due to calve next month; 3 steers, one year old; 10 ewes, 4 rams, bred if desired; 2 registered boars; 2 horses, 2 colts. Can be seen Wednesday, Thursday and Friday week of October 20. Lonewater Farm, Nerepis, Kings Co.  
**LOST.**  
 LOST—Bunch of keys. Reward to finder. Apply Standard Office.  
 Saskatchewan Teachers' Agents—Established 1910, 1861 Scarth, Regina, secures suitable schools for teachers. Highest salaries. Free Registrar.

