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ALLIES ROUT GERMANS IN GREATEST BATTLE OF WAR

The Long-Expected Allies' Drive is Now Under Way and in the Preliminary Stages the Enemy Has Been Defeated at Every Point Where the Opposing Forces Have Come in Contact. While the British Troops Have Accomplished Wonders, the Showing Made by the French is Without Parallel. The Fighting on the River Somme, on the Middle-Southern Part of the Western Line, Has Been the Heaviest of the War. German Prisoners Captured in the Two Days Will Reach 10,000, the French Alone Capturing 6,000 in One Engagement. Incidents of Individual Bravery or Heroism are Numerous. In One Place Two Scottish Regiments Crossed Three Lines of German Trenches Without a Stop and Bayoneted Every Man They Found. A French Regiment Covered Themselves With Flowers Before Attacking a Village Held by Germans. Bullet-Riddled Flag of Regiment Was Carried Into the Village at the Head of the First Company and the Flower-Decked French Soldiers Put Every Man in the Garrison to the Bayonet. Stern Reprisals for German Cruelties Earlier in the War.

FRENCH DRIVE GERMANS OUT OF THIAUMONT WOOD AND TAKE MANY VILLAGES

Enemy Gives Way Before Determined Rushes of Gallant Allies—Thousands of Prisoners and Many Valuable war Trophies Fall to Victors—French Aviator Brings Down Fokker after Desperate Fight.

Paris, July 1.—The French have retaken the Thiaumont Wood according to the official statement issued by the war office tonight. The text of the communication follows:

"North and south of the Somme, following artillery preparations and reconnaissances carried out in the preceding days, the Franco-British troops launched this morning an offensive on a front of about forty kilometres (25 miles).

"In the morning, and during the course of the afternoon, along the entire front attacked, the Allied troops gained possession of the German first position.

"North of the Somme the French troops established themselves in the approaches of the village of Hardecourt and in the outskirts of the village of Curly, where the battle continues.

"South of the Somme the villages of Dompiere, Bequincourt, Busu and Fay have fallen into our hands.

"The number of unwounded German prisoners captured by the French troops won during the course of the day surpassed 3,500.

"On the left bank of the Meuse there was a violent bombardment in the whole region of Hill 304 and La Mart Homme.

"On the right bank about ten o'clock in the morning, our infantry moved forward to the assault of the Thiaumont Wood, which we are in possession of again.

"The afternoon was marked by a recrudescence of the bombardment in that region as well as in the sectors of Fumin and Chenois.

AERIAL WARFARE SUCCESSFUL.

"Aviation: On the night of June 29-30 a group of our aeroplanes carried out the following bombardments: Eighteen shells of 120mm were dropped on the Nesle station, and six of 120 millimetres on Reys, where a fire broke out. Two shells dropped on an automobile convoy, northwest of Beaulieu, were seen to fall in the midst of the cars. The same night thirteen of our aeroplanes dropped sixty shells on a German munition factory in the outskirts of Neyon. Their objective was reached by most of the projectiles the effects of which were observed.

"On the night of June 30-July 1, seven of our aeroplanes dropped shells on the Nesle station and crossing, and six on the neighboring military establishment. A fire was observed.

"In the course of a reconnaissance one of our pilots was attacked by a Fokker. Though wounded in the first encounter he succeeded in bringing down his adversary, who fell in the forest of Bezange. On his way back the same pilot was again attacked by an enemy biplane and wounded a second time. He succeeded in extricating himself and returned to our lines."

Belgian communication:

"Our artillery carried out today again with success destructive fires on the German works and batteries, particularly in the region of Dixmude. The enemy replied with considerable violence in the approaches to that town."

DOMINION DAY A QUIET HOLIDAY IN FREDERICTON

Fredericton, July 2.—Dominion Day was the quietest public holiday Fredericton has seen in years, although generally observed as a holiday. In the evening the fire department held a festival, the proceeds of which will go to purchase comforts for nine local firemen on overseas service with the Canadian troops.

Chief of Police John H. McCollom left on Saturday evening for Toronto to attend the annual convention of the Chief Constables' Association to be held there this week. He was accompanied by Mrs. McCollom. The city council refused to pay the chief's expenses to the convention and he decided to make the trip at his own personal expense. Patrolman Marshall is in charge of the force during Chief McCollom's absence.

London, July 2.—The hearing of the appeal of Sir Roger Casement, who on June 29 was found guilty of high treason and sentenced to death for complicity in the Irish rebellion, has been fixed for July 17.

BRITISH AND FRENCH TROOPS DRIVE GERMANS BEFORE THEM INFLECTING GREAT SLAUGHTER

Two Scottish Regiments Went Through Three Lines of Enemy Trenches Putting Every Man to the Bayonet—The Battle of the Somme Marks Most Critical, if Not Decisive, Phase of War—Allies Capture From 6,000 to 10,000 Prisoners as Result of Two Days Fighting.

Paris, July 2.—The battle of the Somme, now in full progress, marks the opening of the Franco-British offensive long expected as a critical, if not the decisive stage of the war.

Early reports today show that the Entente Allied forces are sweeping forward along a 25 mile front. The French already have taken about 6,000 prisoners, while the Allied lines have enveloped, within the last 24 hours nine villages and fifty square miles of French territory held until now by the Germans.

The fighting lines extend between a great number of small villages which are usually devoted to textile industries, while the outlying agricultural sections are level fields chiefly devoted to beet culture for the extensive sugar production of France.

The intense bombardment of the last four days was the signal for an advance over these fields beginning at 7.30 o'clock yesterday morning. The Allied artillery then lengthened the range so as to cut off all communication between the first German line and the German reserves in the rear. This made it impossible for the Teutons to utilize their perfect organized places for the shifting of troops and for the bringing up of reinforcements. It is thought by French military observers that the Germans miscalculated the intentions of the Entente Allies and expected the attacks further to the north.

FRENCH CAPTURE MANY TOWNS.

The villages which the French captured in the first sweep include Dompiere, Bequincourt, Busu and Fay, and these and the towns taken by the British—Montauban and Mametz—were all found to have been strongly fortified by the Germans. The Allies, profiting from their experience in this war, quickly threw up strong earthworks around the villages thus taken in order to protect them against counter-attacks. It was not before night, however, that the Germans were able to deliver any counter-attack. This was centered against the French position on the outskirts of Hardecourt and it was repulsed with heavy losses, ending in a precipitate retreat.

In addition to the military success the terrain over-run by the Allied troops has an exceptional strategic importance. Four of the towns captured by the French are only seven miles west of Peronne, the chief railway from the German center at Cologne to the German front in the region of Noyon and Soissons.

The German headquarters is at St. Quentin, twenty-five miles southeast of Peronne. Already the French forces threaten Peronne with the evident purpose of cutting the trunk railway there, which is an indispensable artery for German military reinforcements.

STORIES OF BRAVERY.

A correspondent at the front, in describing the capture of Dompiere, says the soldiers of one corps, taking example from their commander, went into battle covered with flowers.

"That," said a general, pointing to a carnation in his buttonhole, "will fade yonder where the Germans are now."

The correspondent continues: "Two regiments covered themselves with glory in the fight for Dompiere, which had been transformed by the Germans into a veritable fortress. In the face of a fire from the machine guns that had survived the bombardment intact they rushed the posts with such impetuosity that the gunners were captured before they had time to put their quick fires into action.

"In the streets of the ruined village there was furious hand-to-hand fighting. Of the German garrison defending the town not one man got away. When it was over 140 bodies lay on the ground. The survivors were prisoners.

"The battle flag of one regiment, riddled with bullets, was carried into the village at the head of the first company.

"Two Scotch regiments in the region north of the Somme went over 3 lines of German trenches without a halt, stopping only in-

sulting the village of Montauban, where they put several hundred Germans to the bayonet, and took the entire staff of a regiment prisoner."

Desperate fighting continues around Verdun, and although this field of action is separated by nearly one hundred miles from the fighting in the north, Verdun is considered part of the vast movement now unfolding.

The French have now taken the aggressive at Verdun, today's report shows an attack on Dead Man's Hill, with heavy German losses and the taking of prisoners. The French are thus keeping the Germans fully occupied at Verdun, and are preventing them from sending reinforcements to relieve their weakened line in the north.

London, July 2, 7.45 p. m.—Fricourt, a town three miles east of Albert, the scene of desperate fighting between the British and Germans since the Entente Allied offensive was begun yesterday morning has been captured by the British, according to an official statement issued this evening.

The text of the official announcement says:

"Substantial progress has been made in the vicinity of Fricourt, which was captured by us at 2 p. m. today.

"Up to noon today some 800 more prisoners had been taken in the operations between the Ancre and the Somme, bringing the total up to 3,500, including those captured in other parts of the front last night."

KITCHENER'S ARMIES HAVE REPLACED SMALL FORCE AND HUNS FEEL BRITAIN'S MIGHT

Official Despatches from London Treat Saturday's Big Success as the Beginning of the End—Paris Says 'Twill now be 'Long Methodical Drive Until Enemy is Broken' and the End Comes.

London, July 2.—The official British despatches issued today report the continued success of the combined Anglo-French offensive. The Germans put into operation strong counter-attacks during the night and are apparently making desperate resistance, but the British troops have occupied Pricourt and the French have captured Curly and have seemingly nowhere had to yield the ground already gained.

The German lines in some places have been penetrated to a depth of two miles, and the prisoners taken by the French and British in the two days number many thousands.

North of the Somme, where the French and British armies are making contact, various points of technical value have been taken. The Allied struggle is to extend the hold over three rolling plateaus of from three to five hundred feet high, which stretches around Albert. At Pricourt, Contalmaison and Gommecourt the Germans made a most desperate resistance with a view to defending the high road which extends from Arras to Bapaume and Peronne and which is one of the main arteries of the western operations.

The German official report generally confirms the success of the first day's British operations, admitting the withdrawal of the Germans from their first line trenches and the abandonment of heavy material therein.

British Public Quietly Enthusiastic.

The British public still displays the same quiet enthusiasm, determination and confidence, fully understanding that no great drive like that carried out by the Russian commander, Gen. Brusiloff is possible against the depth, strength and rail power of the formidably organized German front, and that great sacrifices and possible setbacks must be prepared for. Many regrets are heard that Kitchener had not lived to see the results of his work. This is the first great battle in which the military legions he created are being put to the test.

Kitchener's armies have virtually replaced the first small expeditionary force sent out under Field Marshal French, which had to sustain the early battles of the war. It is also the first time that a great offensive has been carried out under well organized, coordinated allied strategy, not on the western front alone, but over the whole field of operations, and confidence is felt that the Allied commanders have no intention to risk reckless sacrifices of life for a mere spectacular advance. As one correspondent writes:

"There is no longer any attempt to pierce, as with a knife, but a slow, continuous, methodical push, leading to the day when the enemy's resistance will crumble at some point."

Paris, July 2.—"Artillery preparation the violence of which never has been equaled, marked the attack of the Franco-British troops in the joint offensive yesterday," says a semi-official note. "For more than a week, in fact, the continued preparation from the North Sea to Champagne, gave an inkling of it. The British, in particular, in the entire sector they occupied, had been methodically continuing an alternative system of intense bombardments and sounding operations here and there.

"According to the preliminary information, the Allied losses were slight, by reason of the efficiency of the preliminary work, while those of the Germans were said to be quite heavy."

The first day of the offensive is considered to have been fully satisfactory, although not as overwhelming as has happened before in similar operations, but it was extensive and is important, says the note, which adds:

"It is especially important, because it is rich in promise that the effort now is not a doubtful attempt to pierce the line, but rather a long continued drive, which will be methodical and which will economize life.

"It will be exercised from line to line until the day when the enemy resistance, continually hammered, will be broken at some point."

ENGINEERS IN VICKERS PLANT QUIT

5,500 of them Objected to "Dilution of Labor" and Stopped Work.

London, July 2.—A statement issued by the British official press bureau says:

"Five thousand five hundred engineers and allied workers at Vickers, in Barrow-in-Furness, struck over the dilution of labor last Monday. The strikers, regulated by their responsible leaders were threatened, under the Defense of the Realm and the War Munitions Acts. Picketing was prevented, and the public houses were closed. A general resumption of work with dilution of labor began last night."

BACK BONE OF GERMAN ARMY BROKEN, THOUGH THERE IS STILL MUCH HEAVY FIGHTING AHEAD

Great Britain and French Offensive Continues with Intensity and Fighting Kept Up all Day Sunday—Official Reports Speak of Steady Advances But Do Not Underestimate Formidable German Resistance—French have 6,000 Prisoners and British 3,500—Russia Records Additional Successes.

All through the night the British and French offensive, which began Saturday morning in the Somme and Amiens sectors, continued with intensity and there was no diminution in the battle on Sunday. Both British and French war offices report a steady advance at certain points, but speak also of the formidable German resistance.

Notwithstanding the terrific offensive against them, in the Somme river region, the Germans have not ceased in their efforts around Verdun. They have bombarded several of the Verdun sectors, and have launched infantry attacks against the French trenches. While Berlin declares that the French attacks against the famous Thiaumont Wood were repulsed by curtains of fire, the French war office announces that this strategic position has been captured by the French forces and is held by them.

Referring to the Anglo-French drive, the German official statement says that at several points of the first line trenches along the Somme, the enemy forces gained successes and were able to advance. A German division in this sector had to be withdrawn, and material in the first line, which was immovable and which had been rendered useless, was lost. In connection with the operations now going on aerial activity was marked. There have been many air fights, and Berlin reports that eight British and three French machines were brought down within the German lines, and that four others were shot down. The British admit that three of their machines were missing.

RUSSIAN LINES STAND SOLID HOLDING ALL GROUND GAINED AGAINST ONSLAUGHT OF HUNS

Austrians Batter Themselves to Pieces Against Ranks of Czar's Soldiers While Terrible Conflict Continues Along Whole Eastern Front.

Petrograd, July 2, via London—Desperate attacks against the Russian lines at various points have been definitely repulsed, according to an official statement issued today at the war office, although preceded by "gusts of fire" and made by infantry in mass formation. The text of the Russian official statement follows: "On our western front the enemy continues to deliver desperate attacks against some sectors between the Styr and Stokod and south of the Stokod. Yesterday afternoon the enemy artillery produced gusts of fire in the region of Koptel, Ghelovonka and Zabay, southwest of Sokal. An energetic attack then followed but was repulsed. "North-east of Kiselein, near the village of Trystom, we observed enemy troops mustering. The fire of our artillery dispersed and put them to flight. Southeast of Kiselein our fire

AT EVERY POINT OF CONTACT BETWEEN OPPOSING FORCES ENEMY HAS BEEN DEFEATED

British Troops Take Fricourt and Mametz—Thousands of Prisoners Captured After Bloodiest Fighting in World's History.

London, July 3.—British headquarters reports tonight as follows: "Heavy fighting has taken place today in the area between the Ancre and the Somme, especially about Fricourt and La Boisselle. "Fricourt was captured by our troops about two p. m., and remains in our hands, and some progress has been made east of the village. "In the neighborhood of La Boisselle the enemy is offering stubborn resistance, but our troops are making satisfactory progress. A considerable quantity of war material has fallen into our hands, but details are not available. "On either side of the valley of the Ancre the situation is unchanged. The general situation may be regarded as favorable. Later information of the enemy's losses shows that our first estimates were too low. "Yesterday our aeroplanes were very active in co-operation with our attack north of the Somme, and afforded assistance to our operations. Numerous enemy headquarters were attacked with bombs. "In one of these raids our escorting aeroplanes were attacked by twenty Fokkers, which were driven off. Two enemy machines were seen to crash to earth, and were destroyed. "Some long distance reconnaissances were carried out, in spite of numerous attempts by enemy machines to frustrate the enterprises. Three of our aeroplanes are missing. Our kite balloons were in the air the whole day. "British Headquarters in France, July 1, via London, 10.22 p. m.—In pushing their offensive against the Germans, the British have taken the village of Mametz. "Fricourt, which has been held tenaciously by the Germans, has been surrounded. "The progress of the battle has been marked by steadily increasing intensity of the fighting throughout the day. North of the River Ancre it has been particularly severe. The enemy, in several villages, offered a strenuous resistance, but the gallantry of the British troops resulted in their gradually working around various strong points. "With Fricourt now surrounded the British further north are on both sides of the Gommecourt salient, and the village of Mametz is completely in their hands. A German counter-attack on Montauban was successfully repulsed. The number of prisoners so far taken in this region is about 1,500. The record naturally is incomplete, and other prisoners are being brought in. "The operations are being favored by fine weather. "The battle is characterized by the British effort to surround villages which the Germans have made a strong point of resistance. "At six o'clock tonight the British were around Gommecourt and Beaumont-Hamel, and fighting at this time was continuing determinedly, the first stage of what promised to be a long action developing. "Among the troops opposite the British, it has been found, were the Prussian Guard reserve division, which fought at Loos and Neuve Chapelle. The station at Lille was successfully bombarded today by British aeroplanes. On its return the squadron was attacked by twenty Fokkers, two of which were driven down in flames. Many raids continue to be made by the British along the northern part of the line. "Few German machines were seen in the air this afternoon. "Many raids continue to be made by the British along the northern part of the line.

AUSTRIANS DRIVEN OUT OF TRENCHES IN THE TRENTO

Italian Offensive Continues with Marked Success—Troops Gathering Now for Vigorous Attack on Austrian Fortresses.

Rome, July 2, via London—Continuing their offensive in the Trentino the Italians have begun an attack on the Austrian fortified positions between Zugna Totya and Foppiano, says the Italian official statement, issued today. The Austrians were driven from sections of trenches north of Pedescala, the statement adds, and some more trenches were captured between Selz and Monfalcone. In the latter battle 198 Austrians were taken prisoner.

Rome, July 2, via Paris, July 2.—The text of the Italian statement follows: "Between the Adige and the Brenta we are continuing our offensive vigorously. In the Vall area our infantry have begun an attack on the lines strongly held by the enemy between Zugna Totya and Foppiano. "Our artillery is shelling Fort Pozzoahio. "On the Pasubio the enemy is offering stubborn resistance from his fortified positions between Monte Spil and Cosmagnon. "Along the Posina-Astico line we are completing the conquest of Monte Majio and have occupied the southern side of Monte Selugio. "In the trenches north of Pedescala we attacked and drove out the enemy who left behind his arms and ammunition. "On the Asago plateau we had skirmishes with detachments of the enemy on the northern side of the Asa Valley. There was nothing of importance on the remainder of the front as far as the Carso. "In the sector between Selz and Monfalcone we brilliantly carried some more trenches and took 198 prisoners. A counter-attack was repulsed with very heavy losses. "Enemy aircraft dropped bombs on Marostica and on various places in the Lower Isontzo region. No one was killed. Very slight damage was done."

WAR SPORTS MADE A HIT ON HOLIDAY

Veterans Entertainment on Barrack Green Proved Highly Successful—Parade in the Morning.

The Barrack Green was the scene of great activity on Dominion Day, the occasion being the carnival under the auspices of the European War Veterans' Association. Hundreds of local citizens witnessed the parade, which was accompanied by the local Boy Scouts and members from the Police and Fire Departments, which took place in the morning. The parade was formed on King street east, and headed by two mounted policemen, left for the grounds about 10.30 o'clock. Many compliments were heard about the appearance of the war veterans, while the cadets in their navy uniforms came in for a large measure of praise. The detachments from the Police and Fire Departments contributed largely to the success of the parade. Some of the veterans who were noticed in the parade were Charles Tippetts, Joseph Dryden, Geo. Wilson, John Donahue, Garfield Brown, C. L. Moffard, F. Lodge, Kenneth Storey, J. J. Hill, A. R. Goucher, T. McBrine, William O'Dell, W. Thompson, George V. Curran, J. Marr, E. Derrick, Sergt. Puddy, H. Whiteneck, F. Manzer, L. Singer, W. Parlee, J. MacDonald, T. Beckingham, G. Duplessis, Louis Gorman, Joseph Tebo, E. McAllister, W. Masall, J. Fraser, George Smith, Talbert Northrup, W. Masson, Gordon Nuttall and Fred. Garfield. A barouche of wounded soldiers was in the procession, the occupants being John Beckwith, who was taken prisoner of war at St. Julien in April, 1915, and exchanged four months later at Berlin; George North of the 28th Battalion, and Sergeant Hyatt of the 5th Battalion. The City Cornet Band rendered their usual fine programme of music throughout the march. The parade reached the Barrack Green shortly before noon. There were attractions galore at the carnival. By no means the least interesting was the novel Pike which was, indeed highly creditable. The sports during the evening created much amusement. It is planned to repeat the sports this evening at 7 o'clock on the Barrack Green. A committee from the Women's Canadian Club, the Young Women's Christian Association and various Chapters of the Empire of which Mrs. G. A. Kuhring was the active convenor took charge of the refreshment pavilion and ice cream booths at the carnival.

ALLIED ARMIES ARE NOW CONSOLIDATING THE GAINS

British Headquarters in France, Saturday, July 1, via London, July 2.—The close of the first offensive over the front the Entente Allies have attempted, and the most extensive action of the war for the British, finds both the British and French consolidating their gains.

South of the Ancre river, where the infantry swept forward, Curlew was captured by the French, and Montauban and Mametz were taken by the British, with almost unbroken success, though again heavy curtains of fire and delays were due to stubborn resistance at some points, and particularly for the British from a German trench called "Dancing Alley." Word came back that the destruction by artillery of the first line trench was so complete that one British battalion occupied it with the loss of a single man. The Germans, in their defensive tactics, in many instances left the first line trench lightly held and then shelled it when occupied by the British, but the British carried on the fight to the second line. The Germans, in large force, fought fiercely north of the Ancre. At Gommecourt and Beaumont-Hamel, there was a terribly complicated intensity of action, with every method of destruction—like Verdun, with the Germans as defenders. When the attack was made in the morning the mist in the valleys made it difficult for the infantry units to keep in touch with each other, or the gunners to follow their advance, but a brilliant sunshine continued through the day, with clear air and summer heat. This afternoon, at four o'clock, the village of Thiepval was still being desperately held by the Germans. The place was viable to the observer before the British opened another artillery attack, which seemed to be churning it to dust, making it impossible for any human being to survive, even in the strongest redoubt. The British mortars also were busy, the projectile glinting under the sun as hundreds of them followed one another like a juggler's balls into the vortex of fire. So swift is the transport that some British wounded may already be in London. Prisoners are being brought in in batches as they are gathered from the dugouts not destroyed by artillery fire. The destruction of six German sausage-shaped balloons by British airmen early in the week evidently was a serious loss as none has been replaced. It was noticeable that the British aeroplanes over the battle field greatly outnumbered the German machines. Indignation was expressed by both the British and the French staffs over the statement in today's German wireless communication that a British air raid over Lille had bombed the church of St. Saviour. The statement was fiercely branded by the officers as a lie. Lille, it was pointed out, has been within the reach of the British heavy guns for a year without a bombardment and that the Entente Allied machines bombed only railway stations and military points and continue to do so.

CASUALTIES ON MIDNIGHT LIST

The midnight casualty list contains the following names: **INFANTRY.** Killed in Action: George W. Loughery, Sussex, N. B.; Charles L. Whitty, Milltown, N. B.; Previously Reported Missing, Now Officially Killed in Action: James Keoughan, Water street, Chatham, N. B. **Wounded.** Pioneer George A. Kitchen, Fredericton, N. B.; James L. Killorn, 20 Erin street, St. John, N. B.; John McGloin, 37 Murray street, St. John, N. B.

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WHAT BRITISH NEWSPAPERS SAY OF THE WAR SITUATION

London, July 3.—The London papers, in their editorials deal with the situation on the British front in somewhat reserved fashion, some of them pointing out that it is not yet known whether this is really the long awaited "big push," or only another feat in greater force than any of the previous movements.

The Graphic. "Our bombardment is still being maintained along the front, and the enemy does not know whether, at any moment we may rush another stretch of line. The necessity of sending adequate reinforcements to cope with the situation may necessitate the Germans abandoning the enterprise against Verdun."

The Express. "The war has entered a fresh, and probably the last, phase. Our hopes may well be high, but our patience must continue."

The Daily News. "The fact that Germany has lost painful fact that the offensive must

ST. STEPHEN HAD FAST HORSE RACES

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, July 2.—The sports at the trotting park on Dominion Day were well attended and full of interest. Every heat in the horse races was well fought out, and the ball game ended with a score of St. Stephen, 4; Woodland, 2. The horses were started by Edward Hamilton of Woodland who gave excellent satisfaction. In the 2 1/2 class Jack Barker, owned by Charles Cone, of Calais, took the first, fifth and sixth heats. Lady Pondy, owned by Hugh Love, took the second and third heats. Mr. Love drove the Lady the first heat, and Charles Kyle drove the remaining heats. Mattie March, driven by Daniel W. Doves, was third; and Mamie Ashbrook, driven by H. McBride, was fourth. The best time was 2:18 1/2, made in the second heat. Jack Barker and Mattie March were worked in combination against Lady Pondy. The 2.23 class was won by Midnight Dream, driven by A. Johnson, Helena P., by C. W. Groves, was second; Black Boss, by George McBride, third; Gills, by H. R. Halsey, fourth; Eugene, by Cone, fifth; Barium, by J. F. Dunsford, sixth. The fastest time was 2:24 1/2, by Helena P., in the first heat. Black Boss won the second heat, and Midnight Dream the next three.

HOLIDAY MEET MARKED BY GINGERY HEATS IN BOTH CLASSES—ST. STEPHEN WON BALL GAME.

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FRENCH MADE SMASH INTO A FINE BAG OF SECOND LINE MEN AND GUNS OF TRENCHES

During Two Days Fighting they Captured 6,000 Men Besides Cannon and Material—Aeroplanes Active.

Paris, July 2.—The number of wounded prisoners captured by the French during the two days' fighting, and who have been counted, is more than 6,000 of which at least 150 were officers. Some cannon and much other material has also fallen into our hands. Thanks to the very complete and efficacious artillery preparation and thanks also to the plan of our infantry, our losses have been very small. "On the north Verdun front there has been no infantry action. A very vigorous bombardment has been maintained in the region of Hill 304, and the Fleury and Dambloup sectors. We have set on fire three captive balloons in the Verdun region. "Sergt. Chalmat has brought down his fifth German aeroplane, which crashed to earth near Peronne, on the night of the 1st. One of our squadrons dropped 48 shells on the railroad station at Longueval, and eight on the station at Thionville. Another squadron dropped 33 bombs on the station at Briailles. Our aviators bombarded today the railroad stations at Anagny and Lacuey in the Ardennes. Sixty bombs struck buildings and railroads and a train was destroyed. "The Germans have dropped bombs of very large size in the neighborhood of Nancy and others near Belfort. An enemy air squadron hurled several bombs on the open town of Lunerville. This is noted in view of reprisals."

South of Somme Germans have Suffered Severely—French Capture Frise and Methencourt Wood.

Paris, July 2.—South of the Somme, the French have forced their way into the second line of the German entrenchments at a number of places and have captured the village of Frise and the Mereaucourt Wood, according to an official statement issued by the French war office tonight. "North of the Somme the battle continued all day, to our advantage, in the region of Hardecourt and Carst. East of this latter we carried a quarry which had been powerfully organized by the enemy. "South of the Somme we have obtained a footing in the second line of the German trenches at numerous places. Between the River and Assevillers the village of Frise has fallen into our hands, and also the Mereaucourt Wood farther east.

YOU OWE YOURSELF THIS RARE TREAT AFTER THE HEAVY MEATS AND THE CANNED VEGETABLES OF THE WINTER—WITH A JADED STOMACH AND REBELLIOUS LIVER—SHREDDED WHEAT WITH STRAWBERRIES—a dish that is deliciously nourishing and satisfying—a perfect meal, and so easily and quickly prepared. For breakfast, for luncheon or any meal.

TENNIS AT ANDOVER.

Andover, July 2.—The tennis tournament between Andover and Woodstock clubs, which was held on the local courts on Dominion Day, resulted in a victory for the local club. Seventeen events were played and the local club carried off the honors in eleven sets. Following the match the visitors were entertained at tea by the local club. "The task confronting the Allies is long, moody and difficult. The people at home must steel themselves to the a finish, and we shall see to it that the sacrifices are not made in vain."

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German Trenches for Seven Miles Captured in First Rush of Gallant British Infantry—From Souchez to Ypres our Troops are forcing Home What is Already a great Victory.

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VIOLENT FIGHTING BUT BRITISH GAINS

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"The large number of enemy dead on the battle field indicates that the German casualties have been very severe, especially in the vicinity of Fricourt.

"Last night parties of our troops penetrated the German trenches at various points on the front between Souchez and Ypres, in each case inflicting casualties on the garrisons before withdrawing. One raiding party captured sixteen prisoners.

"Yesterday, in spite of a high wind, a large amount of successful work was done in the air. An important railway depot was attacked with powerful bombs. A large number of other bombs were dropped on depots, railway junctions, batteries, trenches and other points of military importance in the enemy's lines.

"Considerable aerial activity occurred during the battle, but full details have not yet been collected. Our machines attacked a railway train on the line between Douai and Cambrai. One of our aeroplanes succeeded in dropping a bomb on trucks which exploded. Other pilots saw the whole train in flames, and heard further explosions."

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MANY SPENT THE HOLIDAY OUT OF TOWN

Favorable Weather and General Desire to "Get Back to Nature" Made for Heavy Holiday Travel.

The weather man was good to the pleasure seekers on Saturday, with the result that thousands of men and women and children, who were fortunate enough to get away from the city, thoroughly enjoyed the holiday.

The river steamers and the trains did a big passenger business. On Friday many citizens, taking advantage of the Saturday and Sunday double holiday, took an extra half day and left the city during the afternoon. Some of the steamers leaving their wharves at Indiantown were obliged to leave intending passengers behind, so as not to overcrowd. Every train leaving the Union depot and West St. John carried crowds bound for the country all wishing to get clear of the city. As a result the city looked almost deserted on Saturday.

If there are any trout left in the brooks, pools and lakes after the fishermen were through, they must certainly be in hiding, for the number of anglers who left the city in search of them was very large.

The steamer May Queen carried hundreds of people to Crystal Beach on Saturday where all enjoyed the picnic held by the Allies' Amusement Company. The Temple Band was present and discoursed music during the day. The St. John Brass Band held a picnic to Westfield and a large crowd were in attendance.

Special one fare rates were given on all the railway trains and steamers, and it has been a long time since the patronage from the city has been so heavy.

The annual cruise of the St. John Power Boat Club was held at Belyea's Point. Every motor boat in the fleet was crowded with members and friends, and the day at the point was one of the most successful ever held by the club. Lunch and water sports were indulged in and the party returned to the city late in the evening tired but very happy.

The people who remained in the city were amused by attending the movies and every theatre, and the capacity houses at all performances. There was a large number of the Moosepath track to enjoy horse racing, while the programme of sports held on the Barrack Square by the European War Veterans was largely attended. In addition to this, extra attractions were given at Seaside Park, the City Concert Band playing during the day, the usual games were running, and many people enjoyed the day at the seashore.

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A FRIGHTFUL DEATH! SUFFOCATED IN ASTHMA ATTACK

Every sufferer from Asthma knows the terror, the abject fear that overcomes them when struggling for breath. The old fashioned remedies may relieve, but never cure. Best results come from Catarrhose, which cures Asthma after hope is abandoned. It is because Catarrhose kills the asthma germ that it cures. Choking spells and labored breathing are relieved, suffocating sensations and loss of breath are cured. Every trace of asthma is driven from the system, and even old chronic experience immediate relief and lasting cure. Equally good for Bronchitis, throat trouble and Catarrh. The large one dollar outfit includes the inhaler and lasts two months, sold by all dealers or from the Catarrhose Co., Kingston, Canada.

Vivacious Vivian Reed, of the Sell Company, is haunted by an unknown admirer. Rather than feed her senses with perishable flowers and candy, she delights her soul with a portfolio of the latest musical scores each week. Who can he be? She says she wishes to thank him devoutly.

CARVELL'S CALETON COUNTY TOUR PROVED DECIDED FROST

All Telegraph's Boosting Could Not Arouse Enthusiasm for Dark L'n-tern Brigader and His Miserable Methods—Some Straight Truths Concerning the Gatherings at Centreville and Hartland.

(From a Special Correspondent).
Hartland, July 1.—Evidently Mr. Carvell and his friends are expecting a contest at an early date in Carleton county and are getting busy. They cannot regard the outlook as very favorable, judging from the special efforts they are putting forth to interest the electors.

Last week two meetings were held, one at Centreville and one at Hartland. These have been reported in the Telegraph as great successes, abounding in enthusiasm, and that the people were receiving Mr. Carvell with open arms and believing all he had to say. Positively and emphatically are these statements a contradiction of the facts. At both of these tremendous efforts were made to get an attendance. Special messengers and runners were kept busy for days previous to the meetings, stirring up the faithful and urging attendance.

At Centreville there was just an average attendance for the size of the place. There was practically no enthusiasm and it was only with the greatest difficulty that a chairman was obtained; in fact, it was necessary to send to the electric light plant for the man who operates the plant and to find a supply for him, before the meeting could be opened. Mr. Carvell spent the greater part of his time on the defensive, defending himself and his action in the shell investigation. During his entire defence, for nearly an hour's length, there was practically no applause. The audience sat grim and silent. Even his old-time henchmen recognized the coolness of the meeting and sat silent.

The last twenty minutes were used in a characteristic attack, bubbling over with viciousness and maliciousness against all those connected with the local government. At the close of the meeting, Mr. C. M. Sherwood moved a vote of thanks, which was hesitatingly seconded by Andy McCain. The chairman, Mr. Tweedie, without putting it to the meeting or calling for a vote, presented the same to Mr. Carvell. The Telegraph's report of this meeting has been causing much merriment throughout the entire section. The meeting was generally recognized as a very tame affair, which could not possibly give any encouragement to Mr. Carvell. The combination of Fred, Tweedie, C. M. Sherwood and Andy McCain, offering a resolution denouncing selfishness, greed and a job, is certainly regarded as a joke.

At Hartland, the next night, the experience at Centreville was repeated, only to a greater degree. The Opera House was about two-thirds full, fifty per cent. being Conservatives. Mr. S. S. Miller occupied the chair and Frank Carvell and Sam Miller sat cheek and jowl upon the platform. This was enough to make the audience merry and they were not slow to show their appreciation. It was evident that our friend Samuel did not relish the position, but he made the best of a bad job. Carvell's speech was simply a repetition of his tirade the night before at Centreville and a rehash of the dope which has been appearing regularly in the Observer and Sentinel. The people had already been surfeited with it and were suffering from an acute attack of political indigestion. Carvell labored earnestly to get himself right in his attacks upon Sir Sam Hughes but he failed to arouse the audience. They showed no appreciation whatever and the effect was certainly very evident upon the speaker, so much so that when he came to a conclusion, his attack upon the local government was exceedingly tame, realizing that the audience was not with him and that he was not making much progress with his speech. The roll of the meeting Mr. J. T. G. Carr moved the cut and dried resolution similar to the one at Centreville. Mr. Carr moving a resolution of this kind was rather an unfortunate choice. The people could not think of Mr. Carr's sudden change in the political faith, in the election of 1911, a change of faith and heart, which was strangely coincident with the sale of a certain piece of property to the Dominion Government, upon the recommendation of Mr. Carvell, at a price which made real estate owners in this town envious. They thought a boom in real estate must surely be coming, but it has not yet materialized. The "yeas" were called for by the chairman, but he was careful not to call for the "nays." There is not a shadow of doubt that if a vote had been taken on the resolution it would have been voted down by a good big margin. Amidst the laughter of the audience the resolution was presented to Mr. Carvell by Mr. Miller. In presenting the resolution, Mr. Miller apologized to Mr. Carvell for the lack of enthusiasm and applause, explaining that the people were thinning out and were too deeply impressed with his oratory to applaud. Mr. Carvell accepted the explanation, with the statement that he was not a believer in the resolution. This convinced the audience that the speaker was really sincere and he has been laughing over it since. Carvell, the big wind, not believing in noise! From these two meetings Mr. Carvell certainly gets no encouragement.

Ritchie, who is resigning, and who will be replaced at school opening by Miss Love, who has been second teacher.

Miss Lena Ritchie has conducted the school at Aroostook since January, 1915, and prior to that conducted school at Upper Kent, in 1910, Knoxville, Carleton Co., Glassville, Summerfield and Bristol, and Aroostook Junction.

Rev. T. A. Parker, rector of Norton, N. B., left today after a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. Wakes.

Mrs. W. H. London and son left today on a visit to Woodstock.

A fishing party of C. P. R. employees left by auto for the Miramichi, consisting of Conductors A. Gibson and C. Rolston, brakemen L. Grant and True and Engineer J. T. Smith.

Miss A. Love left today for her home in St. Stephen, and on her return will take the position of principal teacher at the school.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Manzer have been to Presque Isle on a driving tour.

Maurice Costello and Ethel Grandin have been engaged to play the principal roles in "Crimson Stain Mystery," a new serial to be produced by the Consolidated Film Corporation.

The meeting decided to obtain the services of a legal adviser to see what steps should be taken in the matter, as it is understood generally that the present valuation is not more than ten per cent. of the market value of the power plant at Aroostook Falls.

An auto party from New Hampshire who are touring the province arrived at Aroostook Junction on Saturday and were the guests of the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Gains, C. P. R. agent. The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Dunn, of Lawrence Station, Mrs. Meredith St. Stephen, and Mr. Frank Dunn, and Miss Edith Little of Hampstead, New Hampshire. Miss Olive Dunn of Fort Fairfield was also a visitor.

Mrs. O'Flaherty and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Delaney, from Montreal. Mrs. P. Louge and Mrs. Delaney left yesterday to visit Woodstock.

Sam Hartley has taken over the management of the C. P. Hotel.

The school closed Friday for the summer vacation, and this was made the occasion of a presentation of half a dozen silver fruit knives to Miss

IN THE CHURCHES

METHODIST.

Rev. Oliver E. Mann writing on Community Leadership, says, "As a rule the missionary's helpers in direct church work or along community lines are few. And there is one thing he must not neglect under any consideration, and that is the cultivation of his own spiritual life. He needs to be always on the watch, lest he become submerged in secondary matters. Oftentimes in his anxiety to be a 'mixer' he finds he is suffering spiritually, and is becoming incapacitated for spiritual leadership. At no time should spiritual leadership be accorded for community leadership; the former must always be the paramount consideration. The would-be community leader must learn to labor and to wait. His spiritual leadership must always form the basis of his community efforts." Says one, "You wish to know what I think a deaconess can do in a field like this. As to her special duties, they are Sunday School teachers waiting to be trained. Mothers waiting for such a deaconess to show them by kindness and sympathy (not by argument) their long lost Saviour. Hundreds of homes where parents have abandoned the church. An unselfish disinterested deaconess who goes to such homes can win many of them to Christ. She can leave traces and New Testament in homes where they will do good. Catechize the children, comfort hundreds of sorrowing discouraged souls, shut-ins, aged and neglected people. Report cases where real charity is needed. Keep the constitution roll of the church up to date—difficult task in this section. Assist the superintendent. Find and report new people to the pastor. Tell young mothers how to raise babies. Inspire the church and Sunday School to greater missionary activity. Instruct prospective church members in their homes. Organize the women of the church into visiting groups, and see that each member of the church feels the power of Christian fellowship. And can be a real pastor's assistant assistant, keeping him informed of special cases requiring attention. These multitudinous demands constitute a challenge to every young woman with consecration and ability—because only the very fittest may serve in this way— and are not among the men. What about the thousands of nominal Christian young women who are doing nothing to better their fellows? Our church needs you today, as she has needed her women before. Let us not be 'found wanting' in this time of crisis in our church and national life."

BAPTIST.

Dr. Meyer and Lord Kitchener.

In a letter to the editor of the Times, Dr. Meyer says: "I would like to be among the first to place a wreath on the grave of a statesman of memory of Lord Kitchener. Only last Thursday Dr. Clifford, Rev. J. H. Shakespeare, Dr. Garvis and I were favored with a long interview with him on the subject of the conscientious objector. It would not be fitting to give premature publicity to his proposals; suffice it to say that we left him vastly relieved and feeling that a satisfactory settlement was within view. One was struck with his splendid physique, his manly bearing, his unaffected manner, his quick apprehension of difficulties and ready resourcefulness. It seems impossible to realize that his great personality is withdrawn at this great hour of our need. He was the Bayard of the 20th century—without fear and without reproach."

At Kingston Church a very interesting event took place on May 31, when the members of the church and congregation met at a social gathering to bid farewell (for the time being) to its pastor, Rev. F. G. Guyton, he having volunteered for military service under Lord Derby's scheme, after having obtained the sanction of the deacons. The pastor has enlisted in the Civil Service Rifles, and joined his regiment on June 5.

A service of unique interest was held on May 24, when three friends, members of the Uxbridge Congregational Church, Uxbridge, who, basing his remarks upon 2 Tim. 1: 3, 8, 14, spoke of the deeper things which baptism stands—consecration, confession and commission. Many friends from the Uxbridge Congregational Church were present, and a spirit of gracious unity was manifest.

Dr. R. H. Clancy says: "If Christ had started on the day of his baptism to preach in the villages of India, and had continued up to the present, visiting one village each day, healing the sick and proclaiming the Gospel, he would still have left unvisited 20,000 villages in India. The villages of India contain nine-tenths of the population of the land, or more than 250,000,000 people. It is among these villages that the great mass movement is taking place."

Dr. A. Lincoln Moore, of the East Church, Cleveland, observed his first anniversary June 4. Dr. H. F. Stillwell assisted in the service. During the year Dr. Moore made 1,600 calls and 122 new members were received. The appointment was met in full. The income for the year in all departments aggregated \$10,000. Fourteen of the young people are in higher institutions of learning. Two young men are preparing for the ministry and one young woman is in the Chicago Training School.

Hon. Charles E. Hughes, lately of the Supreme Court of the United States, and formerly Governor of New York State, has been chosen as the Republican candidate for the Presidency of the United States, in opposition to President Woodrow Wilson, (Democrat). Mr. Hughes is a Baptist, a son of a Baptist minister, and was born in a humble parsonage at Glen Falls, N. Y.

Mr. Reginald G. Trotter, M. A., son of Professor Thos. Trotter, 11 Kendall Ave., Toronto, has won the Parker Fellowship of \$600 at Harvard University. After his graduation he went to Harvard, where he took his M. A. degree last year. He has specialized in Canadian History, and the scholarship now won is a recognition of his research work in that department.

Rev. G. B. Taylor, who came to Ontario several years ago from Scotland, and afterwards went to Western Canada, has enlisted for overseas service. At present, we learn from the Western Baptist, he has the rank of Quartermaster Sergeant. Though with a battalion since last fall, he has at the request of the church at Swift Current, continued to preach on Sundays, but is now relinquishing his charge. Mrs. Taylor and the family will remain in Swift Current during his absence.

Rev. Henry C. Mable, D. D., spent most of the last winter in the Southern States. In the course of the seventh year of his missionary lecturing he gave more than ninety addresses in three theological seminaries, six colleges, and many churches and other institutions. A selection from these addresses will soon be published in a volume under the title, "Experiential Elements in the Religious Life."

Capt. (Rev.) J. H. MacDonald is still employed as the Director of Chaplain Service in London. So arduous have the duties proved that his usual health was somewhat impaired and he was sent for a week to a rest-home in Wales. He left Wales greatly rested, on June 2nd, and resumes his again hard at work in London.

HEAD CONTACT FORCES DEFEATED

Fighting in World's

Thousands of the battle has been steadily increasing intensifying throughout the day.

River Ancre it has been severe. The enemy, in ages, offered a strenuous but the gallantry of the number of prisoners resulted in their gradual around various strong

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tonight the British, Gommecourt and Beau- and fighting at this time determinedly, the first at promised to be a long

to troops opposite the British found, were the Prussian reserve division, which took and Neuve Chapelle, on at Lille was successful today by British aviators return the squadron was twenty Polders, two of brought down in flames British machines reached base. Machine guns were seen this afternoon.

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SH INTO SECOND LINE

TRENCHES

Suffered Severely— Capture Frise and Court Wood.

July 2.—South of the Somme, have forced their way second line of the German captured the village of the Mercourt Wood, an official statement issued trench war office tonight.

At the Somme the battle on day, to our advantage, in a of Hardecourt and Curti, this latter we carried a which had been powerfully by the enemy.

of the Somme we have floating in the second line of men trenches at numerous Between the River and All the village of Frise has fallen hands, and also the Mercourt further east.

Owe Yourself this

Treat after the canned meats and the Winter—bles of the Winter—jaded stomach and liver—Shredded with Strawberries that is deliciously and satisfying perfect meal, and so and quickly prepared, breakfast, for luncheon meal.

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SPLENDID FRENCH SOLDIERS CAPTURED 5,000 GERMAN PRISONERS SOUTH OF ARRAS

DETAILED REPORTS OF FIGHTING SHOW THAT THE GERMANS WERE AT NO TIME ABLE TO WITHSTAND RUSH

All Positions South of Somme Captured by French in Saturday's Battles Have Been Maintained and Big Drive is Proceeding With Irresistible Force.

Enemy Wilted Before French Curtain of Fire and Sustained Bombardments From Monster Guns—Infantry Rushes Followed and Resulted in Utter Rout of Hun Legions—The Biggest Victory of the War.

Paris, July 2, 1245 p. m.—In the fighting south of Arras yesterday the French took prisoners five thousand Germans, according to the official statement issued today by the French war office.

"In the course of the night French troops captured the village of Curly, about seven miles southeast of Albert.

"A heavy German counter-attack upon the village of Herbecourt, ten miles southeast of Albert was repulsed, the statement adds. After repeated assaults the Germans were obliged to retreat in disorder.

"On the right bank of the Meuse, in the region north of the fortress of Verdun, Thiaumont, the official announcement says, was retaken by the French yesterday after changing hands five times.

"The position was heavily attacked by the Germans in the night, it is added, but without success.

HUNS RETREAT IN DISORDER.

"North of the Somme the fighting was fierce during the night. The Germans launched violent counter-attacks against our new positions at the approaches to Hardecourt. Our curtain of artillery fire and infantry fire inflicted important losses upon the enemy, who was forced to retreat in disorder, leaving in our hands 200 prisoners, of whom six were officers.

"Pursuing our advantage on the right bank of the Pevriere river we captured, after spirited fighting, the village of Curly, which we have entirely occupied.

"South of the Somme we have maintained all the positions conquered by us yesterday, and accomplished some progress between Harbecourt and Asselviillers during the night.

5,000 UNWOUNDED GERMANS SURRENDER.

"The receipt of new information brings the total number of unwounded Germans captured by French troops yesterday to more than 5,000.

"Between the Oise and the Aisne we took prisoner a German patrol which attempted to reach our lines near Bailly.

"In the Champagne we effected numerous reconnaissances on the enemy's front. Several of the reconnoitering parties succeeded in penetrating the opposing trenches, which they cleared out with hand grenades. We took 15 prisoners.

GERMAN ATTACK DRIVEN BACK.

"On the right bank of the Meuse a German attack launched last evening upon our positions to the north of the woods of Avocourt, succeeded in penetrating the advance elements of our trenches, but was completely driven back by our counter-attack.

"On the slopes of Le Mort Homme we effected an entirely successful coup de main. In the course of the fighting which took place in the enemy's trenches 50 Germans were killed, a score wounded and a number captured, with two machine guns.

"On the right bank several feeble attacks by the enemy upon the Thiaumont work, in which we are established, were easily repulsed. In this region a strong German force hurled itself against our first line elements but was dispersed after having sustained high losses. We made 16 prisoners, of whom two were officers. On the front west and south of Vaux there is great artillery activity on both sides."

ST. GEORGE

Sunday where she was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joseph Murray. Mrs. A. C. Gillmor and daughter, Frances, arrived here from Brockton, Mass., this week and will remain during the summer months.

St. George, June 29.—Miss Beattie McGratton motored to St. John on

Story of Salonica A Tale of Tragedy

History Has Spared Her Nothing in the Way of Disaster.

FIRE AND PLAGUE FAMILIAR VISITORS

Jews Form 56 per cent. of Population — Town Greek Until the Fifteenth Century

By George Renwick.

Salonica, June 27.—After six months Salonica remains to those whom the war has brought here, a city of mystery and fascination. Most war visitors know the "European" quarter where are the cafes, hotels and restaurants; they have explored the lower end of the chief street, Venizelos street with its shops offering everything at exorbitant prices. But it is beyond those places that the real, undiscovered Salonica lies, a city the extraordinary history of which has few equals in the world.

The story of Salonica is a tale of tragedy; history has spared her nothing in the way of disaster; all the misfortunes have been drawn in her by some fatal, mysterious magnetism. During the 22 centuries of her life every age has brought its evil and wrought its havoc here. Since the middle of the sixteenth century, for example, there have been no fewer than 18 serious visitations of plague and cholera; 15 times in the same period nearly every Old World climate, from hither to pillage; she has drunk to the very lees of the cup of bitterness; she has been the apple of discord among races. Hellenic, Roman, Byzantine, Norman, Frank, Lombard, Venetian, and Turkish has Salonica been, and now it is under Greek sway—

with a Turkish mayor! Are the storms of history over?

Salonica is a city of sharp contrasts and curious contradictions. The capital of Macedonia, she is not Macedonian. Her hinterland is populated by Vlachs, Albanians, Slavs, Bulgars, Greeks, Albanians, (Jews converted to Islamism, speaking mostly Turkish), Turks, Bulgars, gypsies, Russians, French, Germans, Albanians, Armenians, Hungarians. So here is an extraordinary museum, not only of language but of offices and religions. About half the population—consisting of Spanish Jews—speaks the Spanish of the time of Columbus, but of course, many borrowed words, mainly from Turkish and Greek; that Spanish is written mostly in Hebrew characters. The Jewish aristocracy uses Italian. French is the language of the largest shops, the cafes and restaurants, as well as of the upper business world. The petty trader speaks Bulgarian, Turkish, and Greek. In the port one mostly hears English (or is it American?) and Italian. The cabdrivers prefer Turkish or Spanish. And the Esperanto used by this mixture of peoples is Castilian, used by the Turkish carrier, the Greek waiter, and the gypsy bootblack when in doubt as to the nationality of a customer.

A Jewish Town.

Salonica is, more than anything else, a Jewish town. The Jews inhabit the centre and part of the suburbs—at the last census they formed 56 per cent. of the population—while the other races have planted themselves in "quarters" round about. The city was Greek in reality as well as in language until the fifteenth century, when the influx of Jews from the Spain of Ferdinand and Isabella took place. In 1493 it passed under Turkish rule, and then gradually became Latin in thought and Jewish in culture. The Jews certainly brought prosperity with them, making the place a little lost bit of Spain and an outpost of Judaism. Still everywhere one hears the Spanish of the time of Columbus, and indeed, did the great explorer come to life again he would find in Salonica a city bearing not a little resemblance, in population and language, to the Toledo of his day. The Spanish refugees were rich and cultured; they had relationships with all the most important parts of Eu-

KING AND QUEEN CHEER SOLDIERS

French Front in Belgian Flanders—The soldiers on this front are cheered by frequent visits of the King and Queen of the Belgians. On their last trip King Albert was in a general's uniform of khaki and Queen Elisabeth looked charming in a smart tailor-made suit of the same hue. Instead of the usual tunic she wore a Belgian soldier's steel helmet as a protection from stray bullets.

After examining the front line positions the King and Queen passed in review of infantry and sailors, who were delighted to see the royal couple, especially the Queen, who displayed on her jacket the French War Cross awarded her by President Poincare for bravery at the front.

While in one of the second line trenches the Queen expressed the desire to photograph the soldiers, and they were ranged before her.

Some of them who had been asleep in their dugouts asked for time to give themselves a "wash and brush up," but the Queen said: "No, no! You look more picturesque the way you are." They were taken as they stood. The Queen chatted with the soldiers for a few minutes and promised to send to their families signed copies of the photographs she had just taken.

The St. John Presbyterian of the Women's Missionary Society held its annual meeting in Andover, June 14-16. The retiring president was Mrs. R. J. Miller of Richmond. Her successor is Mrs. A. R. Melrose of St. John. The next year's meeting will be held in St. Stephen. The Mimschicht presbyterial will meet in Bathurst next Tuesday.

guages, settled down into a world, and a life of their own. The Frenchman finds himself quite at home in cafe and restaurant and cabaret; the British soldier, too, discovered that English is understood fairly well, and that he can shop without any great difficulty. In the new part of the city, in the hotels, cafes, and restaurants, he felt, perhaps, less the feeling of being abroad than he did in Calais or Boulogne. Yet beyond lies the city of mystery and contradiction, a Chinese puzzle of a place; and fascinating and Sphinx-like it will remain, I think, to all its war visitors until peace calls them home again.

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BERLIN FORCED TO ADMIT DEFEAT AT HANDS OF THE BRITISH, FRENCH AND ITALIAN TROOPS

CAREFULLY WORDED STATEMENT FROM HUN CAPITAL DECLARES "ENEMY PENETRATED TRENCHES"

To Allay Doubt and Anxiety German Authorities Declare British Losses Were "Heavy" and Gains "Unimportant."

Admitted Casualties in Aviation Department and Also Loss of "Useless Materials" in Front Line Trenches—British and French Advanced on 25-Mile Front and Everywhere Germans Were Dislodged from Positions With Heavy Loss.

Berlin, July 2, via London—In the great Anglo-French offensive, begun yesterday along a front of twenty-five miles to the north and south of the River Somme, the German official statement issued today says:

"The Entente Allied troops were successful in penetrating the German first line trenches at several points. The German division defending these trenches, it is added, had to be withdrawn to other positions. From Gommecourt to La Boisselle, the communication says, the British and French sustained very heavy losses, and obtained no advantages worth mentioning.

"The text of the German official statement says: "Western theatre: The great British offensive, in mass attack, which had been extensively prepared for many months past, began yesterday after strong artillery and gas preparation lasting six days over a front of twenty-five miles on both sides of the River Somme and likewise the Ancre Brook.

"From Gommecourt to the region of La Boisselle the enemy obtained no advantages worthy of mention. He sustained, however, very heavy losses.

ADMITS THAT BRITISH WON.

"On the other hand he was successful in penetrating at several points the first line trenches of our division in the region abutting both banks of the Somme and was able to advance. This division had to be withdrawn from the heavily shelled first line trenches into the positions arranged for checking an advance from the first to the second line. The material in the first line, which was immovable, and which had been rendered useless, as is customary in such cases, was lost.

"In connection with these extensive operations there were many artillery actions and numerous minor attacks on the adjoining front to the west and southeast of Tahure. They were everywhere successful.

"On the left bank of the Meuse, at Hill 304, French trench sections were captured and a French hand grenade attack was repulsed.

"To the east of the Meuse the enemy, with the aid of strong reinforcements, repeated his attacks many times yesterday and this morning on Froide Terre Hill, and specially against the fortified work of 'Blauvaert', but was compelled by our curtain of fire to retire.

"The enemy's aerial service displayed great activity. Our squadrons gave battle at various points, and inflicted upon him heavy losses. For instance, in the region of the front attacked, and in that of the Meuse, fifteen enemy aeroplanes were shot down, eight English and three French machines falling within our lines. Lieut. Baron Von Althaus put out of action his seventh opponent. We lost no aeroplanes but some pilots or observers were wounded.

"Eastern theatre: Army of Gen. Von Linsingen: The attack is going forward. The number of prisoners has been increased by seven officers and 1,410 men. At various points enemy counter-attacks were easily repulsed.

"Army of Gen. Bethem: German and Austro-Hungarian troops stormed the hill of Vorobijowka, a height southwest of Tarnopol, which recently had been occupied by the Russians and took from the enemy seven officers and 891 men. Seven machine guns and two mine-throwers were captured.

"Balkan theatre: There is nothing to report."

WANT INQUIRY INTO BELGIAN ATROCITIES

To Determine Whether They Were Committed by Teuton Hordes.

GERMAN PROFESSORS BLAME BELGIANS

Have Repeatedly Refused to Agree to Open and Fair Inquiry by Commission Composed of Equal Number of Germans and Belgians.

Germany having refused repeatedly to agree to an open and fair inquiry with Belgium to determine whether the atrocities committed in the small nation at the outbreak of the war were by Teuton hands or Belgian, as the Germans have declared, Dr. Jean Massart, a professor of the Free University of Brussels and vice director of Sciences of the Royal Academy of Belgium, has addressed a personal letter to ninety-three German professors demanding that they agree to the institution of a commission of inquiry comprising an equal number of Germans and Belgians under the presidency of a scholar of a neutral country, knowing German, French and Flemish.

These ninety-three professors, some time after the burning and sacking

"On November 24, 1915, the Belgian bishops addressed a collective letter to the German bishops, asking them to establish an impartial inquiry. This received no response.

"Let us not conclude from this persistent silence that in Germany the Free Masons, the socialists and the bishops fear the light. Let us assume rather that, not having launched themselves the accusations, they do not feel called upon to verify their accuracy. But this is not the case with the ninety-three signers of the manifesto. Because the latter evidently have the greatest desire to see confirmed in an incontestable manner their noty declarations.

"It is therefore with full confidence that we address ourselves to them to ask the institution of a commission of inquiry, comprising an equal number

of Germans and Belgians, under the presidency of a scholar of a neutral country knowing German, French and Flemish."

This letter was sent from Geneva, Switzerland, to each of the German scholars by Professor Dr. R. Chodat, recognized as one of the great lights of botanical science today. Dr. Chodat added a letter of his own, in which he said:—

"I have the honor to send you a letter from Dr. Jean Massart, of the University of Brussels, regarding the appeal which you signed with ninety-two of your countrymen. He begs me also to send him the answers that I might receive. It is our privilege as neutrals in Switzerland, to be able to serve as intermediaries between scholars whom the war has thrown into opposing camps. It also is a duty

which we cannot escape."

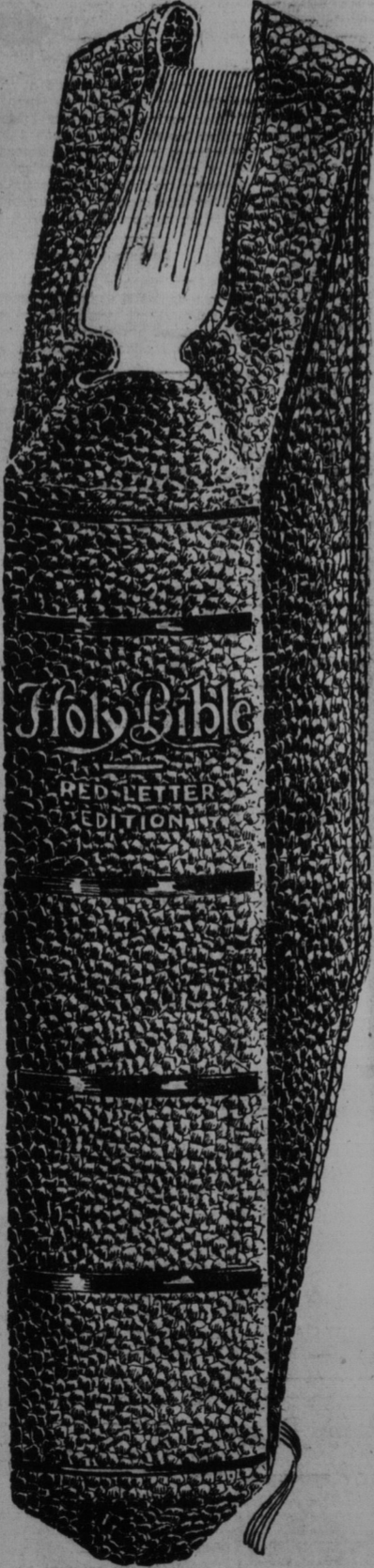
The Rev. Mr. Stilleman calls attention to other individual propositions that were made to Germany, aside from those noted in Dr. Massart's communication. He says that the day after the burning and pillaging of Louvain a proposal was made by the Germans to Mr. Ladeuze, rector of the University of Louvain, to send to Berlin three of his professors to make depositions regarding the events at Louvain. The Rev. Mr. Stilleman notes the unusual character of this—to choose witnesses from among the professors at the place where the events took place and send them to the German capital to give their testimony "before German judges and under what guarantee." The professors of the university were called together and after deliberation decided to make

the counter proposition to form an international committee of inquiry meeting at Louvain, and which would hear all the witnesses without distinction. This counter proposal received no attention.

"Short Family Prayers" by Rev. Alan Pollok, D. D., is the title of a little book recently issued by the board of Presbyterian Publications, Toronto. The book is intended to be an aid to the conduct of family worship. The prayers are brief, simple, tender, and deeply spiritual. "They come from the depths of the experiences of the writer as pastor and teacher. Dr. Pollok is widely known and venerated. He was long principal of the Presbyterian College, Halifax, and still a principal emeritus is closely connected with the College."

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ST. JOHN, N. B., MONDAY, JULY 3, 1916.

"We are fighting for a worthy purpose, and we shall not lay down our arms until that purpose has been fully achieved."—H.M. The King.

WHY?

Frank B. Carvell, Member of Parliament for the County of Carleton, N. B., and George W. Kyte, Member of Parliament for the County of Richmond, N. S., have made serious allegations against a responsible minister of the Canadian Government and responsible Canadian officials.

These allegations and comments upon them by the men named and the Liberal press have had the effect of defaming Canada and of arousing throughout the world a contempt and prejudice against this country.

Free and full investigation of the allegations made by Carvell and Kyte has shown there was no corruption or dishonesty on the part of the Minister of the Canadian Government or the Canadian officials referred to.

Why should Frank B. Carvell, Member of Parliament for the County of Carleton, N. B., and George W. Kyte, Member of Parliament for the County of Richmond, N. S., be permitted to remain in Canadian public life?

GREAT WAR NEWS.

The war cables of last night and yesterday, telling of the inception of the driving movement by the Allies on all fronts, and the great success marking the initial stages of that campaign, constitute by far the most important and most welcome news for months.

Personal of the despatches will show that the movement was in the nature of a concerted advance of all forces carefully planned and prepared for. Nowhere did it fall, while, in some of the areas, notably in the campaign on the Somme, it brought results greater than the Germans have been able to achieve in the last six months of fighting.

Briefly summarized the situation is this:

On that portion of the western line held by the British and Canadian troops five days of incessant artillery fire from heavy guns and trench mortars of terrifying ability, prepared the way for an infantry advance. The big guns demolished the German trenches and wire entanglements and then, with the path partially cleared for them the infantry regiments took matters in hand and with the bravery that has ever brought victory to the side of Britain drove the enemy like rats into the reserve trenches and, in some cases, through the third lines.

Further south, and toward Verdun, where the French have amazed the world by the character of their defence of that historic fortress, our gallant Allies have won new successes. Furious fighting for possession of positions formerly held by the Germans has turned to the French advantage and the captures made, taken in conjunction with the towns and villages which have fallen to the British, open the way for railway communication with important German supply depots. Consequently the strategic importance of the gains in the fighting of Saturday and yesterday may easily be accounted as of greater moment than the actual territory occupied or the number of prisoners taken.

But the good news of the past two days is not confined to the western front; while the troops there have written a glorious page in the history of the world's greatest war, the Italian armies fighting in the fastnesses of the snow clad Alps, and the Russians in the eastern war zone have not been idle. After a period of preparation the Italian offensive in the Trentino is being pressed with a vigor that will not be denied and already Rome reports the capture of some miles of Austrian trenches and a heavy attack on Austrian fortresses where the enemy's troops have concentrated. The battle around these fortified positions is likely to continue for several days, but the initial success seems with Italy, and there is every belief that the entire campaign in that area will have the desired result.

The Russian steam roller continues to smash its way over and through the German and Austrian forces opening it, and the day brings reports of new advances and an increased toll of prisoners. Russia's advance, after long severe reverses, has been one of the most remarkable features of the war. Months ago it was thought that the Muscovite forces had practically lost their bolt, and could no longer

THE USE AND THE ABUSE OF "THE MOVIES"

Mrs. Dora M. Smith Discusses Points Raised by Professor Kierstead.

To the Editor of The Standard: Sir,—No doubt many people were amused and amazed when they read Professor Kierstead's paper on "The Use and Abuse of the Movies," in your issue of July 1st.

It has always struck me as being a very singular thing that the more ignorant some people are upon certain subjects, the more competent they feel to criticize. Hence we have a college professor lecturing upon motion pictures; and no doubt the time is coming when Picture Exhibitors will enlighten the public upon "The Use and Abuse of a College Education."

Whoever chose Professor Kierstead as a fit and proper person to discuss this important subject in public, certainly used very poor judgment. There is only one man in New Brunswick really capable of presenting both sides of the case, and that is our own Dr. Bridges. He would not have found it necessary to run around the province acquiring information, and everyone concerned would have been satisfied with his verdict. The conclusions of a man who has possibly not seen more than twenty films in his life, are obviously not to be depended upon.

In beginning his lecture the learned professor stated that he wished to be regarded as an innocent bystander. Said he, "Our attitude in this matter is opposed to both these classes." I.e. those "for" and those "against," and then to prove how very unbiased his mind was, he proceeded to hurl the following expressions at the pictures, "degrading," "unworthy," "unwholesome," "immoral," "disgusting," "disgraceful," "evil influences," etc., etc. What kind of neutrality is this forsooth?

The audience were informed that the pictures deal with fighting and war, with love-making and adventure, with marriage and death, with hair-raising escapades and rescues, and with great sorrow and distress. The professor omitted to mention what subjects he would suggest to take the place of these. In one portion of his paper the speaker seemed to recognize the rapidity of his own arguments, and excused himself by saying that "pictures are like persons, some are good and some are bad, and some are, unfortunately," partly good and partly bad." Why the use of the word "unfortunately"? Tenneyson says, "This is all part of the human make-up." Professor Kierstead's assertion that the motion picture cannot call out the higher faculties of reflection or imagination, was a deliberate misstatement. Has he ever witnessed "The Grandfather," or "The Battle Cry of Peace," he would realize that these pictures will live for ever in the memories of those who have seen them.

It is begging the question to tell us that "someone" has said that "some" vicious pictures bring in the larger returns. I am told that in some of the Southern States a class of picture is shown which would never be tolerated in any other part of America. It is simply a case of temperament and climate. In some European cities there have been riots in the streets that would make the average Englishman or Canadian blush to the roots of his hair, but although I have seen these things I cannot imagine myself doing them. For some of us in Ruis it is usual for men and women to take their morning dip together, minus bathing suits of any description, yet one cannot think of the picture of St. John doing likewise. And so it is with moving pictures. There will always be a few who prefer the vicious films, but the ordinary individual craves for the good, the true, the beautiful. For some of us who like a little nature with our picture diet, the stories portrayed are altogether too moral. Virtue cannot always be depended to triumph over vice—on the screen. Indeed, of late years, the movies have been a heartless wretch that I am, realize only too well that before the end of the picture the handsome leading man will have the poor little thing tightly clasped in his arms. Only last week I sat next to two women whose robs might have been heard at the foot of King Street.

Quite recently I visited a local picture house and saw a film depicting life as it is today. It was crude but true. Did the people like it? Not at all. The remarks of the spectators as they left the theatre were as follows:—"awful," "terrible," "so unreal," "should never have been shown," etc. Later on the same evening I saw a production presenting life as fresh-water college professors and clergymen of the pearly tear would like it to be. Did the people like this film? Of course. Here are some of the criticisms:—"Beautiful," "wonderful," "so true to life," "sweet," etc., etc. Does this look as if the people of this city will ever crave for vicious pictures?

The heartrending story of the two little children who were sent by their mother to see a Russian play of intrigue and murder, only goes to prove that there are many people outside of lunatic asylums who should be in. No woman worthy of the name of mother would dream of sending

Little Benny's Note Book

My cousin Artie slept at our house last night and we was jest going to get ready to go to bed after ma had told us to 3 times, and I sed, Artie th ere a dandy ecko down at the corner, you know ware the long brick wall is, well thats ware it is, it eckos you back no matter wat you say. G, has it always bin there? sed Artie. I dont no, me and Pud Simkins discovered it yestidday, its a dandy ecko, all rite, I sed. G, lets sneek down now and try it, sed Artie. Wich we did, going down stairs without anybody hearing us and running down to the corner and standing across the street from the brick wall, us being the only ones out. What shall we yell to it? sed Artie. It dont matter wat you yell, I sed. And Artie put his hands up to his mouth like a megaphone and yelled I shood-worry. Worry, sed the ecko. It ony sed part of it, sed Artie. Maybe its memory aint much good, I sed. And I yelled, Ta ra ra ra boom tee ay now is the time for all good men to come to teh aid of the party. Party, sed the ecko. And Artie yelled, Kristofer Columbus discovered America in 1492, Canada is bounded on the north by the Arctic Ocean, Hudson Bay and the Atlantick Ocean, now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the party. Party, sed the ecko. G, all it can say is party, sed Artie. Well maybe some eckos cant even say that, I sed. And I was jest starting to yell something else wen a lot of waif came down on us and somebody sed, Hay, you darn fools, get out of that and let people sleep before I telefone to the piece station.

children of ten and eleven to witness a play of this description. Many parents do not make their films for infants, if they did grown people would not want to see them. When my innocent babes go to the movies it is to see a picture like "Robbie Rumps and His Pointer Pup." If I sent them to see "Camille" I should not abuse the producer of this firm for exhibiting it.

Professor Kierstead is not quite correct in his statement regarding the date of the first portrayal of the human face upon a screen. He places it in the year 1839, whereas it was a few years earlier. The first moving pictures, or portrayals of life in motion, were discovered in the year 1855 by an Italian, and it is extremely interesting to read the extract from this clever scientist's work. "Nothing can be so pleasing as to see great men and scholars and ingenious persons to behold than in a dark chamber by white sheets objected, one may see clearly and perspicuously as if they were before his eyes, hunting banquets, armies of enemies, plays and all things else that one desireth."

Nothing of importance seems to have been attempted between the experiments of Professor Muybridge in the nineteenth century. The latter's invention was given the name of "Zoo-praxiscopes," and the results obtained, with marriage and very limited, though beautiful, the clever English inventor, Donisthorpe, brought his machine, named "The Kinesigraph" before the public, and undoubtedly his method of projection paved the way for the motion picture as we know it. The honor of the invention of the first practical instrument with which could be secured a rapid series of intermittent photographs, which could subsequently be reproduced as a motion picture of any occurrence must be accorded to another Englishman, W. Friese Greene, who, although the inventor and originator of this whole arrangement, called the assistance of a clever mechanical engineer

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PEEL Peel, N. B., June 28.—Mrs. Howard Boyd and daughter, Margaret, spent a few days with relatives in Fort Fairbairn recently. Miss Marion McLean has returned to East Florenceville. Rev. and Mrs. P. J. Quigg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson of Lower Southampton last week. Mr. and Mrs. Manser Clark spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Pelkey, of Lansdowne. Miss Delilah Campbell is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell. Miss Geneva Clark was in Fredericton visiting her sister, Miss Lella Clark. Mrs. Willie Parent and children of Upper Queensbury, spent Sunday here.

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LT. F. J. CORR GAVE HIS LIFE IN "THE CAUSE" FRANK CORR'S LAST LETTER WAS A CHEERFUL DOCUMENT

On June 3rd He Wrote "This is a Great Life and I Like it Fine"—Less than Four Weeks Later Popular Young St. John Officer Made the "Supreme Sacrifice" in the Cause of Empire. "This is a great life and I like it fine." Such was the characteristically cheerful manner in which the late Lieut. F. J. Corr in his last letter home described the important and patriotic service he was rendering at the front. As stated elsewhere in this issue Lt. Corr was killed in action on June 29th. The news of his death cast a gloom over the city, where he was widely known and highly esteemed. His letter to his sister is as follows: Belgium, June 3rd, 1916. Dear Mamma—I received a letter and some papers from you a few days ago and was very glad to hear that everything was well at home. I also noted that old Tom was still alive and pestering you, but I hope that you are rid of him by now. Well, Mamma, I am sitting outside my dugout "somewhere in Belgium" writing this short note to you. It is a beautiful day but much cooler than we have it at home. It is four o'clock in the afternoon and I have only been out for a short time. My battalion is at present in the trenches and I am with it. I came out of the front line about three o'clock this morning with my men and am now about half a mile back. Each platoon takes a turn in the front line and I have just finished my turn of two days and two nights. We were in a very "interesting" part of the line, only about fifty yards away from the Hun, and believe me they certainly let us know they were there. What we had to contend with mostly were the snipers and you have to keep your head pretty low or they will get you. I had about twenty-five men in with me but had only one casualty. We were relieved about two o'clock this morning but have to go up tomorrow night. When in the front line trenches you get no sleep at all and in fact when you are up this far you have to be pretty tired to go to sleep as Fritz keeps banging away night and day. There was a big scrap over to our left last night and it was some fight while it lasted. One wonders how anyone can come out alive as it is just a veritable hell of rifle and cannon fire. When a scrap starts on any part of the front near you, you have to be very much on the watch as you never know which part of the line Fritz is going to attack and it may possibly be yours. However, this is a great life and I like it fine. As long as they do not hit me with one of their big shells I will be all right. We only stay eight days in the line and then go back to a rest camp, about five miles back for sixteen days. It is a good healthy life and I am enjoying excellent health. The country around here does not look too bad. Well, Mamma, I guess this will be all for now, as I have several other letters to write. I will write you soon again and hope to hear from you. The St. John papers are, as you know, very welcome. Remember me to all my friends, John, Nellie, Dan and all, and with love to all, I will close. Your loving brother Frank.

CHURCH UNION CIRCULAR WAS READ IN PRESBYTERIAN PULPITS IN CANADA SUNDAY

Presbytery of St. John will Meet Tomorrow to Discuss Documentary and Hear Reports of Recent Assembly Meeting—Rev. Dr. J. A. Morison Speaks of New Decision of Church Congress.

The July meeting of the Presbytery of St. John will open in St. Andrew's Church tomorrow. The question of church union is likely to be one of the leading matters to be discussed. In response to a question by the Standard as to the local situation with respect to church union, Rev. Dr. Morison of the West Side said it had not been discussed since the Spring meeting of the Presbytery. At Tuesday's meeting, however, he felt that there would be interesting reports, not only of the definite action of the Assembly in the matter, but that there would also be given by the delegates a more or less definite idea of the spirit which prevailed in the supreme court of the church during the discussion of this important matter. "The union has definitely been decided upon," said Dr. Morison, "and that by an overwhelming majority, and there is no doubt but that within the course of a very few years at most this union will attain to its consummation. I take it that the action of this Assembly corresponds so to speak to the announcement of the engagement of the daughter, the definite date of the marriage has not been fixed, nor do the young people just know when the auspicious event shall take place. But married they shall surely be."

OBITUARY The Late C. J. Stackhouse.

The funeral of the late Charles Joseph Stackhouse, who died in the General Public Hospital Saturday morning, as the result of injuries received in the Randolph & Baker saw mill, on Thursday afternoon, will be held from his late home, 87 Market Place, West St. John, this afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. The deceased, besides a loving wife, leaves five sons, three daughters and two sisters to mourn. The sons are James O., who is in France, a gunner with the heavy artillery of the first contingent; George, Charles, Herbert and Frank at home; the daughters, Mrs. Samuel Journey of this city, and the Misses Nellie and May at home. The sisters are Mrs. Agatha of Kenora, Man., and Miss Fannie Stackhouse of this city.

THE WAR AND ITS EFFECT ON THE CHURCHES

Rev. Dr. J. A. Morison Preached Forceful Sermon in West Side Church Last Night.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Morison preached a sermon of more than ordinary interest last night in the West Side Presbyterian church in which he dealt with the effect of the war upon the religious life of the nation. The text was found in the following words of the Prophet Amos: "We to them that are at ease in Zion; that lie upon beds of ivory; that stretch themselves upon their couches; that drink wine in bowls and anoint themselves with the chief ointments. But they are not grieved for the affliction of Joseph." Dr. Morison said in part: "Never in the history of ancient prophecy did a messenger of God rebuke the frivolities and sins of a people with words of more withering scorn than those employed by this fearless prophet of Tekoa. "With the keen blade of moral disapproval and condemnation he cut away the seductive garments with which the nation had covered its spiritual lapses and concealed its moral deformities and revealed in all their unadorned nakedness the repulsive weaknesses which were gradually sapping the nation's life. Truly the nation of Israel has fallen upon evil days." Continuing the doctor said: "Our interest in this old time prophecy is something more than that of the antiquarian who patiently digs in ancient ruins for the pure love of those relics which are symbolic at best of a type of life long since passed into oblivion. Nations and peoples change but man changes not and today throughout the world man in all his elemental traits and tendencies is still akin to those types of humanity that walked the earth in the far away days of Amos and Hosea and Isaiah. It is with this thought in mind that I have chosen this scripture tonight for our consideration. The present time in our national life is stirring the elemental passions of our people. There are coming more and more in evidence dispositions and feelings that for some time past have all but been forgotten or neglected by the nation's soul. All around the Empire there is a new spirit of thoughtfulness abroad which has been directly induced by the war, and to this Professor Scott Holland has given expression in the statement that 'men who have never thought much before have been set thinking now.' The same disposition to deal directly with the weaknesses of our national life is also to be observed in the English pulpit of today. In it is to be seen what John Wesley would call 'fearlessness' and 'pity' quite recently the Bishop of Winchester in a remarkable utterance delivered before the Church Missionary Society in London, declared in speaking of the conditions that characterized the nation before the war: 'We have emerged from a period of ease and contentedness and apparent security; one of those times in which men say 'Tomorrow shall be as this day and yet more abundant when the earth sitteth still and is at rest.' A time when an unenlightened present feels able to look with complacency on the strifes and tragedies of the past, when civilization seems to stand by its own equippage and solidity." There are no times more dangerous than these; they put statesmen on their guard; they conceal the strength and possibilities of evil; they dispose men to forget God or to leave out of account His Providence. Such were the marks of England before the war as seen by one of her ablest thinkers. The war has changed all this and the change is for the better. Men who never thought seriously have been set thinking and out of this spirit of thoughtfulness good to the individual and to the state as well as to all humanity is being brought forth. Dr. Morison concluded a very thoughtful sermon with the declaration that "God fulfills Himself in many ways and therefore even in this time of pain and confusion and strife I would have you look forward confidently to the future believing that since God is in His Heaven all must ultimately come right with the world."

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DIED. STACKHOUSE—Suddenly, in the General Public Hospital, on July 1st, Charles Joseph Stackhouse, leaving a loving wife, five sons, three daughters and two sisters. Funeral from his late residence, 87 Market Place, West St. John, Monday, at 2.30 p. m. Friends invited to attend.

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NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

FIRST HALF OF THE MEXICAN SITUATION YEAR MADE GREAT STILL HEAVY FACTOR MARKET SHOWING IN WALL ST. MARKET

Financial Men Look With Confidence to Next Six Months. Trading in Saturday's Brief Session was Distinctly Light.

MONTREAL REVIEWS MARKET SITUATION. SPECIALTIES RECORD SMALL PRICE LOSSES

Trade Conditions Generally Very Satisfactory—Another Dominion Internal Loan in Autumn. U.S. Steel Firm while Railways Showed Gains—Trade Returns Deal with Government Orders.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, July 1—Had not the stock market been closed today in observance of our national holiday, it would have entered upon the second half of a year which will in all probability go down in history as one of the most remarkable periods on record. So much has happened of an agreeable character in a financial way in the half year just terminated that the street is prepared for almost anything. It would be very much disappointed if it is not provided with some further agreeable surprise before the year is out.

Things have been accomplished in a business and financial way, which in the month of a prophet a year ago would have seemed sheer insanity. Money has been piling up in the country as the result of feverish business activity due to the war, and during the next few days dividend and interest cheques will flood the country to an aggregate never before reached in the history of the Dominion.

The re-investment of this money is expected to become a factor of considerable interest in the security market and bond houses, and the stock market is expected to get its share of it. Trade conditions throughout the country are reported to be in satisfactory condition and it is supposed to be only necessary to look at the statistics of railway earnings and bank clearings reported this week. Business men are still slightly apprehensive of what will come when peace is declared, but the very fact that they are making all preparations at that time will in a large measure modify any checks which may develop along business lines.

It is now agreed that the country is to have another internal loan in the autumn for \$50,000,000 or more and present indications point to a success in that connection.

STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE. Table with columns for stock names, prices, and changes. Includes entries like .Am Beet Sug 87 1/2, .Am Car Fy 5 3/4, .Amer Loco 6 1/2, etc.

CLOSING LETTER OF N.Y. MARKET BY E. & C. RANDOLPH. (McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, July 1—There was very little market activity today and the closing of accounts preparatory to the holiday of August 1st and Motor stocks were weak but there was some recovery in these as well as the general market before the closing.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES. Table with columns for date, high, low, and close prices. Includes entries like Jan 13.49, July 13.88, Oct 13.41.

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"PASTY FACES" CONVICTED. Eight Agitators to Pay £100 Each and Costs—Lord Derby Gives Evidence.

Eight officers and members of the No Conscription Fellowship were each fined £100 and £10 costs with an alternative of sixty-one days imprisonment in default of distress, at the Mansion House yesterday for an offence under the Defence of the Realm Act in respect of a leaflet which they issued, entitled "Repeat the Act."

The defendants who pleaded not guilty, were: Edward Grubb (hon. treasurer), Archibald Fenner Brockway (hon. secretary), William Joseph Chamberlain (organizer), Walter Henry Ayles, Alfred Barratt Brown, John Percy Fletcher, Morgan Jones and the Rev. Leyton Richards.

The leaflet was reproduced in the "Daily Express" last Saturday, and some mystery was introduced in the case when Mr. Fenner Brockway declared from the witness-box that the leaflet was not inserted in this journal.

The explanation is simple. The leaflet, with an intimation that the eight defendants had been summoned under the Defence of the Realm Act, was sent to the Daily Express by the No Conscription Fellowship.

Mr. Bodkin, in opening the case for the prosecution, said that the headquarters of the fellowship were at Merton House, Salisbury-court. The leaflet no doubt referred to the M.L.A. Service Act, 1916.

Other extracts read by Mr. Bodkin were: Admit the principle of conscription, and who can stay the march of militarism? Repeat the Act, that is your only safeguard.

Lord Derby, Director-General of Recruiting, was the first witness called. He said that he had read the leaflet and had experienced the effect of literature relating to conscientious objectors.

MONTREAL SYNDICATE BUYS PROPERTY UNDER OPTION TO KRUPPS. Molybdenum Limited, which Germans Tried to Get, Now Owned by Canadians.

Montreal, July 1—The announcement is made by the Canada Bond Investment Company that they have sold the property known as molybdenum, Limited, to unnamed local capitalists. At the outbreak of the war the molybdenum, Limited, which is situated at Renfrew, was under option to Krupps.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE PRICES. McDougall & Cowans. Chicago, July 1.—Wheat, No. 2, red, 1.06; No. 3 red, 1.02 to 1.08; No. 1 hard, nominal; No. 3 hard, 98 to 1.04.

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Majestic Steamship Co. Stmr. Champlain will leave Public Wharf (North End) on Tuesday and Thursday at 12 o'clock noon and Saturday at 2 p.m. for Hatfield's Point and intermediate landings.

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MANCHESTER LINE. From Manchester. From St. John. June 25 Manchester Port. July 9. Steamers marked * take cargo for Philadelphia.

THE MARITIME STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. On March 3, 1916, and until further notice the S.S. Conors Bros. will run, as follows: Leave St. John, N.B., Thorne Wharf and Warehousing Company, Ltd., on Saturday, 7.30 a.m. daylight time, for St. Andrews, N. B., calling at Dipper Harbor, Beaver Harbor, Black's Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Dipper Harbor. Weather and tide permitting.

EASTERN STEAMSHIP LINES. All-Sea-Way by Water. INTERNATIONAL LINE. Steamships Galvin Austin and Governor Dingley.

ARE YOU REALLY GOING BACK TO YOUR NATIVE LAND - BARON? BRINGING U. Illustration of a man in a hat and coat, possibly a soldier or a traveler, with a speech bubble.

THISTLES HAD THINGS EASY IN HOLIDAY GAME. Ripped Away with National in Exhibition in Connection with War Veterans' Sports.

Joe Dover's wrecking crew, known to baseball fandom as the Thistles, ripped away with their exhibition match with Bobby Sproule's Nationals at the European War Veterans' Carnival on the Barrack Green on Saturday afternoon to the tune of 19 to 5.

Thompson was on the mound for the Nationals, and was in good trim the first four innings. The ballion went up in the fifth session when the Thistles scored five runs. Smith relieved Thompson in the sixth inning, but he also was hit hard by the North End aggregation.

Table with columns for player names and statistics. Includes entries like Milan, I. f., Gibbons, 2nd b., Perry, 3rd b., Callahan, c. f., Devere, c., McNulty, 1st b., Lenehan, r. f., White, r. f., Knudson, p.

REXTON. Rexton, N. B., June 30—The funeral of Thomas C. Burns, held Monday morning, was largely attended. The remains were conveyed from deceased's home to the Catholic church where requiem high mass was sung by Rev. P. Hebert with Rev. J. J. McLaughlin as deacon and Rev. P. Gaudet of Richibucto Village as sub-deacon.

Miss Helen B. France has returned from a visit to her aunt, Mrs. I. B. Oakes at Wolfville.

Mrs. Goucher and children of Fort Fairfield are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Carson.

Mrs. James L. Hutchinson has returned from Moncton. Miss Edith Stuart has returned to Sheadiac.

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LATE NEWS AND VIEWS FROM SPORTING WORLD

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Romped Away with Nationals in Exhibition in Connection with War Veterans Sports.

Joe Dever's wrecking crew, known to baseball fans as the Thistles, romped away with their exhibition match with Bobby Sproule's Nationals at the Barrack Green on Saturday afternoon to the tune of 19 to 5.

The match was more or less of a slugging exhibition, the Thistles landing seventeen safeties and sending Sproule's pill chasers to every part of the field to locate the sphere.

Thompson was on the mound for the Nationals, and was in good trim for the first four innings.

Ballou went up in the fifth session when the Thistles scored five runs. Smith relieved Thompson in the sixth inning, but he also was hit hard by the North End aggregation.

Kandson was the box artist for the winners, and proved quite effective, especially in the pinches.

About 400 fans turned out for the game. James McAllister and Jack Copeland took charge of the umpiring and both gave entire satisfaction.

The following is the box score: Thistles AB R H PO A E

McNulty, 2nd b. 3 1 1 2 0 0
McNulty, 1st b. 5 2 1 0 0 0

McNulty, 3rd b. 4 0 2 1 0 0
Callahan, c. f. 5 2 4 3 0 0

Dever, c. 5 2 13 1 0 0
McNulty, 1st b. 4 0 2 1 0 0

Lezahan, ss. 3 1 0 3 3 1
White, r. f. 4 1 1 0 0 0

Kandson, p. 4 2 1 0 5 1
Totals 44 19 27 17 3
AB R H PO A E

McNulty, 2nd b. 3 1 1 2 0 0
McKee, 1st b. 5 2 10 0 0 0

Graves, ss. 4 0 2 1 2 1
Sproule, c. f. 4 0 2 1 2 1

Smith 3rd b and p. 4 0 7 3 0 0
McNulty, 1st b. 5 2 10 0 0 0

Parise, c. f. 3 0 0 1 2 0 0
Thompson, p. 4 0 1 1 3 0

Totals 36 5 11 24 8
Score by innings: Thistles 20105713x-19
Nationals 000200000-5

REXTON
Rexton, N. B., June 30.—The funeral of Thomas C. Burns, held Monday morning, was largely attended.

The remains were conveyed from deceased's home to the Catholic church where regular high mass was sung by Rev. F. Hebert with Rev. J. J. McLaughlin as deacon and Rev. Fr. Gaudet of Richibucto Village as sub-deacon.

Rev. F. Hebert also conducted the funeral service and Rev. Father McLaughlin preached. The pall-bearers were John McInerney, James Jardine, Edward McInerney, A. Key, Daniel Shortel and A. B. Carson.

RESULTS IN BIG LEAGUES SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Saturday.
At Cincinnati—Pittsburg 000100001-3 6 1
Cincinnati 010000000-1 5 1

At St. Louis, first game—Brooklyn 00100000-4 7 0
St. Louis 00120000-6 11 1

At St. Louis, second game—Chicago 000020001-4 9 1
St. Louis 000020001-4 9 1

At Cincinnati—Pittsburg 001100000-2 6 1
Cincinnati 011000102-3 9 1

At St. Louis—Chicago 00003-4 11 1
St. Louis 00010-1 8 1

At St. Louis—Chicago 01111000-5 11 1
St. Louis 000000101-1 6 1

At St. Louis—Chicago 000000000-0 7 2
Chicago 00000312x-6 11 1

At St. Louis—Chicago 0000121001-5 8 1
Philadelphia 000400000-4 6 1

At Cleveland—Cleveland 001000000-4 7 0
Cleveland 0110010001-5 9 1

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Cleveland 00012-3 7 1

GOOD RACES AT SACKVILLE ON DOMINION DAY

Matched Race, 2.40 and 3 Minute Class Provided Turf Fans with Good Sport

Sackville, N. B., July 2.—Dominion Day races on Sackville speedway drew a large crowd, notwithstanding the disagreeable weather.

The races were the best that have been held here for some time. The track was somewhat heavy, thus preventing very fast time being made.

The summary of results follows: Matched Race. Couquett, E. J. Anderson, Amherst 1 1 1

2.40 Class. Claude C. James Hennessey, River Herbert 2 3 1 1

Three Minute Class. Floretta, Thos. Etter, Amherst 1 1 1
Harry Clayton, G. Hopkins, Sprinshill 2 3 2

Class A Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class B Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class C Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class D Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class E Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class F Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class G Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class H Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class I Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class J Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class K Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
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Class L Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
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Class M Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class N Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class O Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class P Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class Q Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

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FAST RACING AT MOOSEPATH ON SATURDAY

Bingen Light Captured Free-for-All in Straight Heats—Takes Five Heats for Border Prince to Capture Class A Event.

A large crowd of people attended the racing on Moosepath Saturday and were treated to the best sport seen in this section of the country for some time.

In the Free-for-All, Bingen Light had to step the heat in 1:04 1/2 to capture the first heat, with Victor and Car Ferry right on his wheel.

The second heat was another fine exhibition of racing, the Bingen horse again winning with the others close.

The third heat proved most exciting, and although Bingen won the heat and race, the other horses were so close coming under the wire that a large blanket could cover the trio.

The class A event had four starters—Ozen D won the first and second heats, and then Border Prince, by Border Knight, Dam, Constantine, and owned by Thomas Hayes, the well-known horseman, showed both gameness and speed.

Free-for-All. Bingen Light, Short 1 1 1
Victor, Alexander 2 2 3
Car Ferry, Mullin 3 3 2

Class A Race. Border Prince, Hayes 2 2 1 1
Ozen D. McNamara 1 1 2 2

Class B Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class C Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

Class D Race. Ozen D. McNamara 2 1 1
Gertie Be Sure, McBeath 4 3 3 4

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WINNING STREAK OF THE GIANTS

The recent winning streak of the Giants recalls the great run of victories made by McGraw's team of 1904, the club which won the first of the five pennants which came to New York since the little Napoleon took charge.

The 1904 Giants won eighteen consecutive games before they were checked during the intervening twelve campaigns. It is, in fact, the best run of consecutive victories made in the National league since 1884, when the Providence team ran up a total of 20 consecutive wins.

Another merit is being arranged for next Saturday afternoon. Will Load Lumber. Schooner Ann J. Trainor, Captain Wasson, came up from Calais on Sunday to load lumber for United States ports.

Bathing Suit Found. Police Officer Fitzpatrick reports finding a bathing suit on Dock street, Saturday, and the owner can procure the same on application at police headquarters.

McGraw, Manning, Herbert and Kelly. Second game. Rochester 000000101-2 5 1
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Batteries—Ritter and Casey; Shocker and McKee.

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FOR HOUSE AND OUTING PARTIES

No luncheon hamper is complete without a carton of Red Ball Ale or Porter. No outing is really satisfactory unless the bill of fare includes a refreshing and invigorating drink such as these natural products provide.

Red Ball Ale and Porter are put up in most convenient form, in cartons containing one dozen quarts or two dozen pints, easily carried, easily packed, and easily shipped.

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Bringing Up Father



ARE YOU REALLY GOING BACK TO YOUR NATIVE LAND-BARON?
YES - MY COUNTRY NEEDS ME - I'M GOING TO THE WAR - I MUST SEE MR. JAGG'S BEFORE I GO.
AH! MR. JAGG - I JUST DROPPED IN TO SAY GOOD BYE!
THAT'S GOOD -
I'M GOING BACK TO MY COUNTRY TO JOIN THE ARMY - MY COUNTRY CALLS -
THAT'S GOOD NEWS!
WHY?
BECAUSE IF YOU ARE GOIN' BACK TO JOIN THE ARMY THE WAR MUST BE OVER.

A Column Which Is Supposed To Be Of Interest To Women

Herein are Related Facts and Fancies Concerning the Activities of Individuals and Organizations, the Home, Fashions and Other Matters.

This is a Women's War. Fully three thousand people gathered on Dominion Square Saturday evening for the regular meeting, for the Irish Rangers, which was addressed by Mrs. Henry Joseph, while a novelty was furnished in several recitations by Mrs. Joseph, Mrs. Mouton, G. Lette, with unaccompanied songs by Mrs. Wren.

Major W. D. O'Brien of the Irish Canadian Rangers, presided, and introduced Mrs. Joseph who during the past two years had done a great deal of valuable work with the I.O.D.E., as well as with other patriotic organizations, while two of her brothers, one of them Major Hugh Walker, were now at the front.



Miss Hazel Winter of Fredericton, Superintendent of the Women's Institutes for the Province of New Brunswick.

When women who want to learn to fly, the Misses Katherine and Marjorie Stinson of Chicago, will open an aviation school in San Antonio, Texas.

Women now form the start of the horse stable duty and grooming the horses, but are actually instructing the soldiers in riding.

Miss Adele M. Stewart, who holds an important position in the office of the Controller of the Currency at Washington, examines the reports of over 7,500 national banks at least five times each year.

NO WHITE FEATHERS

"Mothers and sisters, do not scatter white feathers—that is a cruel thing to do—but have the men to go for they are all needed, and death with honor in Belgium is far preferable to life here with dishonor."

A PITCHER OF MIGNONETTE

A pitcher of mignonette in the tenement's highest casement. Quasi sort of flower-pot, yet that pitcher of mignonette. 'Was a garden in Heaven set. To the little sick child in the basement.

FASHION NOTES

Dressing becomingly is an art understood by a small minority out of a great number of women. A most peculiar thing about this art is that very often those who can tell others just what to wear to look well appear to know how to dress becomingly themselves.

ANDOVER

Andover, June 30.—Mrs. George Kinney of Amesbury, Mass., has been the guest for several days of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beveridge.

FROM HERE AND THERE

Thirty women lawyers of Chicago have formed a Public Defenders' League for girls to prevent any girl from being sent to prison for a first offence.

OPERA HOUSE

PAULINE FREDERICK In a Gripping, Thrilling Famous Players drama "LYDIA GILMORE" Every wife—every mother should positively see this great picture

TOPICAL BUDGET Live Factual News from Abroad FUNNY ANIMATED CARTOON One Lang Screen of Laughter NEXT WEEK MON.-TUE.-WED. Victor Moore and Anita King in a thrilling, sensational drama "THE RACE"

Children's News Of The St. John Theatres

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture Game and on the Stage—Film Favorites and What They Say and Do.

Letters Received by Uncle Dick From His Boys and Girls

WEEKLY SKETCH. Rita Jolivet. Rita Jolivet, the well-known actress who recently became the Countess de Appico, has just arrived in New York following her appearance at the Oliver Morosco film studios, Los Angeles.

TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE. As the subject of their weekly essay the schoolmaster asked his pupils to say what they would do if they had \$1,000,000.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS. Uncle Dick wishes many happy returns to the following kiddies whose birthdays take place today: Dorothy M. Forster, 49 Stanley St. Eveleen McCree, Oromoto, N. B. Ruby Slipp, C. Hampstead.

Dear Uncle Dick:—I was awfully sorry I couldn't come to see you. I was awfully sorry I couldn't come to see you. I was awfully sorry I couldn't come to see you.

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Now for Another Big Week! A Brilliant Satire of the Politics and Frivolties of the Early '70's IMPERIAL Full of Mirth Provoking Situations and Sparkling with Genuine Humor TODAY AND TUESDAY "CAPTAIN JINKS OF THE HORSE MARINES" Clyde Fitch's fantastic comedy fashioned into a fascinating 5-act photoplay, V. L. S. E. Feature PRESENTING ANN MURDOCK The Famous Frohman Star and RICHARD C. TRAVERS The Noted Photoplay Actor

UNIQUE MON, TUES. AND WED. CHAS. RICHMAN, Star of "The Battle of Pease," and the Famous Broadway Favorite CATHERINE COUNTESS In the Play Extraordinary from the Wm. Fox Studios

LYRIC SEE THIS PROGRAM "THE MILL ON THE FLOSS" Miss Mignon Anderson in Edwin Thacker's Adaptation of George Eliot's Far Famed Novel

"THE IDLER" As Produced by Frohman's Empire Theatre, N.Y. Starring in its Dramatic Intensity—5 Acts

DANCING Of a Lightlike-Like Name Admiringly Exploited by THE WHIRLING LA MARS Thurs., Fri., Sat.—Mack O'Neil in "RITS O' BLARNEY"

Correspondence

CAMPBELLTON. Campbellton, June 29.—Miss Alm La Biello, of Newcastle, who is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Hon. C. H. La Biello and Mrs. La Biello, in Dalhousie, visited Campbellton friends last week.

Miss Ninetta Alexander of the Halifax Ladies' College, has arrived here to spend her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alexander, Main street.

Miss Margaret has gone to Claremont, N. H., to visit her sister, Mrs. F. Burke.

Miss Trices, of Moncton, is in town the guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Archer, Union street.

Mr. P. Troy, accompanied by her daughters, Misses Audrey and Eileen, were in town last week the guests of Mrs. Allan H. Troy, Main street.

Colonel Steven and Mrs. Steven, of Moncton, who have been the guests of their son, Mr. J. V. B. Steven and Mrs. Steven, Main street, have returned home.

Mrs. W. R. Pitman, of Newcastle, spent a few days of last week in town.

T. P. Drummond and children, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Adams, have returned to their home in Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. Koppell, of Montreal, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Koppell, Main street.

Miss Flora McKay, of Dalhousie Junction, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Gertrude Adams left last week to visit friends in the West.

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Mrs. Fred Alexander, who has been spending the past few months in Toronto, has arrived home and will spend the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander.

Mrs. Roland Moffat, who has been spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Malcolm, Susan Lake street, returned last week to her home in Montreal.

Mrs. F. G. Marr, of Montreal, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. Porter Mowat, Chapel Hill.

Mrs. J. L. Claxton and two children are visiting Mrs. Claxton's parents, Judge Hazard and Mrs. Hazard, of Charlottetown, P. E. I.

Miss Margaret Fair, of Oak Bay Mills, Que., visited Campbellton friends last week.

Mrs. Walter J. Appleton left last week to visit friends in Halifax and Stellarton, N. S.

Miss Stella Asker has returned from a pleasant visit spent with her sister, Mrs. H. H. Mitchell, in Montreal.

Miss Constance Murray has returned from the Halifax Ladies' College to spend the summer vacation with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Murray.

Mrs. Edward Alexander and family are occupying one of the Jolivet cottages at Cross Point, Que., for the summer months.

Mrs. Harry McMillan received word from Ottawa, last week, that her brother, P. E. Harry Nelson, had been wounded. Harry's many friends hope that his wounds are not serious and wish for him a speedy recovery.

Miss H. McKenzie, of Charlottetown, is in town for the last week of her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Bedford Harper and Miss Clara Goodwin of Belle Verte, are the guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Lunan, Prins William street.

Mrs. Charles Henderson, of Jacques River, was in town last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. Sandove Sly.

Miss Florence De Corvont left last week for Chicago to visit her brother.

Mr. D. S. McKay, of Dalhousie Junction, is the guest of Mrs. Norman McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Trafnor, of Watford, Mass., are in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre.

Mrs. Redpath and daughter, of Boston, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wallace.

Mrs. M. F. Moore has returned from New Brunswick, where she has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Roy.

Misses Helen and Katie McMillan, of Jacques River, were in town last week to bid farewell to their brother, Lieut. R. McMillan, of the 132nd Battalion, who went to Valcartier Camp on Tuesday.

Mrs. S. J. Trices is in Moncton, the guest of her brother, Mr. Guy Somers, St. George street.

Miss Jennie Sheals left last week to visit friends in St. John and Boston.

Mr. D. S. Treuman was a visitor to Jacques River last week.

Miss Helen Stevens has returned from Fredericton where she was a tending Normal School.

Correspondents' Corner.

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WESTFIELD

Westfield, June 29.—Rev. C. W. Nichols attended the Anglican Conference which was held at Rothesay this week. Judge and Mrs. McKewen returned from Toronto this week. Miss Dorothy Finlay spent Sunday at Westfield, guest of Miss K. Woods. Guests of Mrs. Leonard, at Ononette, on Wednesday were Mrs. C. F. Sanford and Mrs. Barracough of St. John. Miss G. Borden of Sackville, is visiting Miss W. Thomas. Miss M. Nixon, of St. John, spent a few days this week with Miss E. Kerr. Master Douglas Humphrey, of Hampton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Humphrey. Miss Helen Smith spent the week-end at Riverside with Miss D. Barnes. Miss Ethel Hawker was a recent guest of Mrs. R. Hawker, Ononette. C. J. Agor, of Toronto, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. G. Knowlton on Saturday. Miss Roberta Grimmer, of St. Stephen, was a recent guest of Miss Macnam. Mrs. Stewart of St. John spent a few days this week with her daughter, Mrs. H. Evans. Capt. F. P. May spent Sunday with friends at Hilldale. On Saturday Mrs. F. P. Elkin, Mrs. G. R. Ewing, Mrs. H. J. Evans, Mrs. H. Warwick, Mrs. G. L. Warwick and Mrs. Arscott spent the day at Riverside, guests of Mrs. Eustace Barnes. For the week-end Miss N. McIntyre of St. John was guest of Miss Jack. Guest of Miss Knowlton from Saturday till Monday was Miss L. Holly, of St. John. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Biggar and child of Montreal are spending several weeks with Mrs. Langley. Mrs. E. R. Sewell and children are visiting Mrs. A. Macaulay, Ononette. Miss Maud Magee was a week-end visitor of Mrs. D. W. Ledwith. Mrs. Radford, of Boston, who has been visiting Mrs. Warwick for a short time left for St. John Monday. The Misses Coster, of West St. John were visitors of Miss Smith on Sunday. On Saturday Mrs. T. Dowling and children were visitors of Mrs. E. Kerr, Ononette. Miss Lois Langley left on Friday to spend her vacation with her parents at Westfield. Mr. Bickard returned home on Friday from St. George. Mrs. A. C. Gilmore was the week-end guest of Mrs. A. B. Gilmore. Miss Jessie Gilliland is spending her vacation at Ononette. Mr. Fred Small and bride, of Malden, Mass., are guests of Mrs. W. E. Goiding. Miss M. Bulvea, who has been the guest of Mrs. Warwick, for the past two weeks, returned to Gasquetown on Monday. Mrs. H. Rathburn and child of St. John were week-end guests of Mrs. C. J. Rathburn. Miss Sadie Langley, R. N., spent Sunday with her parents at Langley. Mrs. Logan, of Fredericton, is visiting Mrs. S. S. McAvity, Hilldale. Mr. and Mrs. Clark and son, of Woodstock are spending the summer at the Cosman House. Mr. J. H. McDonald, of Nova Scotia, and Mr. Loney of Montreal, are guests at the Cosman House. Miss Dodge, of St. John was the week-end guest of Mrs. W. H. Smith. Mrs. Porter, of Gasquetown, is visiting Miss Porter, Hilldale. Miss Ida Smith has returned from a two weeks visit to Nova Scotia.

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, June 29.—Mr. J. Arthur P. Garden left Tuesday morning for Chatham, where he went to attend the meeting of the Pharmaceutical Society. Mrs. W. L. Carr who has been visiting in Western Canada, and points in the United States for the past six months, returned home on Saturday. Mrs. John Tye accompanied by Miss Grace Jones left for Sussex on Saturday. At the close of the Methodist Sunday School on Sunday last, Rev. Samuel Howard in behalf of the members of the school, presented Mr. J. Douglas Carey with a handsome gold head cane, suitably inscribed, to which Mr. Carey made a feeling reply. Since 1901 Mr. Carey has been a valuable member of the school and teacher of the Bible Class. He left for Westport for Bathurst, where he will act as assistant to Rev. F. A. Wightman. Mr. Carey has made many warm friends while residing here, who regret his departure. At the closing exercises of Edgehill Girls' College, Windsor, N. S., Miss Louise Prescott won the two prizes given in her form, one prize given for the highest average in all subjects, and a special certificate prize for the highest marks on the Scripps examinations. Miss Louise Prescott came second in music in the class that took the examinations before an examiner from the Royal Academy of Music, London, Eng. Pte. Clifford Shea of the 104th Battalion made a short visit with his mother last week. Mrs. A. P. Allingham of St. John, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Allingham. The sad news of the death of Rev. A. E. LePage, reached here on Monday. The deceased was visiting his son-in-law, Rev. Gordon Pringle at Kingsville, Victoria Co., and was in his usual health when leaving here Saturday. Besides a widow he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Nelson LePage, Vancouver, and son John T. of St. Boniface, and Alfred W., of Jamaica Plains, Mass. Mr. Herbert A. Hilliard of St. John, has purchased the H. M. DeWitt farm at Upper Woodstock. Mr. and Mrs. Hilliard will move into their new property this week. A demonstration was arranged for the reception of Private James Tompkins on the arrival of the late train Friday night. The band members of the battery and many citizens were at the station, but the soldier did not arrive. At noon on Saturday, the bugle band and members of the 66th Battery were present at the station, when he arrived and escorted him to his home. Universal sorrow is felt in the death of Jack Hipwell, in this town where he was well-known and highly thought of, and much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved family. Dr. Prescott, Mrs. Prescott and Misses Pauline and Louis Prescott have arrived home from Windsor, N. S. Hon. J. K. Flemming and Mrs. Flemming arrived home from Clifton Springs, New York, on Friday. Mr. Flemming has improved very much in health. Recently he was throughout the province look for a speedy recovery. Mrs. Charles Chase and son, Roland, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Zeph. Phillips, left on Friday for their home in Salem, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Wendall R. Jones of St. John, have been the guests of Hon. W. R. Jones and Mrs. Jones for the past week. Mrs. W. N. Hand received official notice Wednesday, that her son, Wilfred Hand was missing. He was a member of the 23rd Battery, and afterwards transferred to the Divisional Ammunition Column. Recently he was attached to the 1st Mortar Battery. Mrs. J. H. Thompson returned on Friday from Fredericton, accompanied by Miss E. Wilson of Bathurst, who will be her guest for a few days. Mrs. Julius T. Gardner still remains very ill at the home of her daughter in Nelson, N. B. Her son Harold of Vancouver is with her. Miss Ada McLean of Moncton, is the guest of Miss Alice Boyer. Hon. W. P. Jones spent a few days in Fredericton last week. Clarence M. Sprague, manager of the Eastern Securities Corporation, Halifax, N. S., who has been spending his holidays in town, left for Halifax on Saturday morning. Mrs. T. F. Sprague entertained very delightfully at the tea hour on Tuesday afternoon, at the Golf Club house in honor of her guest, Miss Annie Sprague of Sackville. Miss Mollie Coody who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James A. Gibson, has returned to her home in Centreville. Mrs. Charles Comben entertained a few friends with bridge Tuesday evening. Mrs. W. B. Belyea was hostess at a bridge of three tables on Wednesday evening. Mr. Harry Day left for Ogdensburg, N. Y., on Friday, to spend his holidays.

DORCHESTER

Dorchester, June 28.—Miss Jo Oulton left on Monday for Cape Tormentine, where she will be the guest of her cousin, Miss Lillie Easterbrook, at her summer cottage. Miss Myrtle Thomas left on Saturday last for St. Stephen, N. B., where she will visit friends for some time. Miss Meta Adams of Moncton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Burnett. Mr. W. F. Tait, J. A. Percy, L. O. Chapman and W. E. Bishop motored to Moncton on Sunday last, and spent the day. Mrs. Mabel Curcoran spent Friday

HAMPTON

Hampton, June 30.—Mrs. John E. Irvine returned on Monday from Montreal where she has been visiting relatives for several weeks. She was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Schofield, and Little Miss Barbara Schofield, of Montreal, who will spend the summer at Hampton. Miss Phyllis McGowan attended the closing exercises of the St. John High school on Tuesday. Among the visitors to Hampton last week were Major Brooks, Sergt. Smith, Corp. Newbury, Privates Lawrence and Murray, 104th Battalion, Sussex. Mrs. O. N. Chipman and Mrs. H. Cowan were hostesses at the Red Cross tea on Tuesday afternoon at the village. Sergt. Charles Lyons is confined to his home suffering from an attack of appendicitis. Dr. Catherine Travis is visiting this week in Charlottetown, P. E. I. On her return she will speak in Moncton and Andover. Mr. R. B. Green, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. John, spent Saturday with Hampton friends. Mr. Douglas Humphrey left on Tuesday to spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Humphry, Ononette. Mrs. John McAvity and daughter, Miss Katherine McAvity, are visiting friends in Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. J. Agor, of Toronto, were in town during their absence. Mrs. Stammers, Renforth, spent Sunday in Hampton, the guest of Mrs. A. H. Chipman. Mr. A. H. Crowfoot and young son, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Walker, have gone to the Cedars to spend a few weeks. Miss Pauline Williamson, Nawisewank, spent Sunday the guest of Mrs. Fraser Morrison. Miss Eleanor Dickson spent Sunday with Norton friends. On Saturday last Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. T. Carvell enjoyed a fishing trip to Theobald Lake. Mrs. T. Wm. Barnes and Misses Sibyl and Harriet Barnes spent Sunday in Sussex. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Schofield and family motored to Hampton on Sunday. Mr. Fred Patterson returned to his home at Grey's Mills, Kings county, on Wednesday. For the past year he has been attending the Hampton Consolidated School, from which he has just graduated with honors. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Piddington and two children, of Clifton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Wetmore. Miss Josephine Scribner spent Sunday in Sussex, the guest of Mrs. L. R. Murray. Miss Edith Steele, St. John, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Percy Ryder. Mr. Horton, Sackville, was a guest of Mr. W. Ritchie and Miss Ritchie on Tuesday. Miss Vivian Fowler, teacher at Kiburva, Victoria county, returned to her home on Saturday to spend her holidays in Sussex. Rev. A. H. Crowfoot is in Rothesay this week attending the meetings held at the Rothesay Collegiate school. Mrs. J. H. Green and daughters of South Boston, are spending a few days with Mrs. Green's sister, Mrs. Stephen Matthews. Mr. Robert DeLong, who is employed at cement work at Westfield, spent Sunday at his home here. Miss Grace Fowell, who has been taking an Arts course at Pratt's Institute, New York, has returned home to spend her vacation. Major A. A. Bartlett, of Charlottetown, P. E. I., was a guest of Miss Travis and Dr. Travis on Monday and Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Marr and family, St. John, are guests at the "Wayward Inn." Miss Florence Kelstead, St. John, spent Sunday the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis French. Mr. E. A. Schofield and Mr. F. M. Sproule attended the banquet at Sussex on Monday evening, given in honor of Lieut.-Col. Fowler, O. C. 104th Battalion. Miss I. Evans, Duck Cove, has been spending several days this week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Fowler. Mr. Myles McCready received word this week that his brother, Mr. J. W. McCready, is seriously ill at his home in Fredericton. Mrs. C. T. Wetmore and family left on Wednesday to spend a few weeks at Kingston. Mr. H. Lawrence, who has been teacher of Grades VII and VIII in the Hampton Consolidated School, for the

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TENDERS.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Common Clerk, City Hall, addressed to him, until 12 o'clock noon of Tuesday, July 11th next, for concrete pavement in North and South Market Lots. Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the Road Engineer, City Hall. All tenders must be accompanied with cash or a certified check for four hundred dollars as deposit. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. H. R. McLELLAN, Commissioner, P. S. D. ADAM P. MACINTYRE, Comptroller, St. John, N. B., June 30th, 1916.

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... Company is to produce real pictures in the near future. Marie Doro of the other.

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Around the City

Disorderly Boys. Mounted Policemen Donohue made a hurried call to Milligan's Lake, off the Sandy Point Road, yesterday afternoon, to disperse a disorderly crowd of boys.

Willfully Breaking a Door. Friday night Thomas Keating was given in charge of the police by Mary Lewis on the charge of willfully kicking and breaking in the door of her house, 17 Brunswick street.

Preached Farewell Sermon. There was a large congregation in the Methodist church at Welsford last evening when Rev. J. H. Gregg preached his farewell sermon. Rev. Mr. Gregg has accepted a call to the church at Pettitodine.

Qualified For Commission. Louis Ritchie, son of Joseph Ritchie of the post office, returned yesterday from Aldershot, where he successfully completed his qualifying course as lieutenant. A number of other New Brunswickers also passed the examinations.

Deserter Discharged. On Saturday Julius Jensen, a sailor, was taken into custody by the police for being absent without leave from a ship in port. He was detained at police headquarters for a time until it was found out that his ship had sailed without him and he was then allowed to go.

A Liquor Raid. Yesterday morning about 9.30 o'clock detectives Barrett and Briggs made a raid on a Main street home kept by a man named Burke and found a case of whiskey. The police have suspected Burke of selling illegally and having found the liquor will now charge him with having liquor for sale without a license.

Walter Brown in the City. Walter Brown, terminal agent for the C.P.R. at Montreal arrived in the city on Friday accompanied by Mrs. Brown, and they are the guests of Mrs. Brown's mother, Mrs. J. O. Beatty, Prince street, West St. John. After spending three weeks holidays here Mr. Brown will return to Montreal.

Presbytery of St. John. The presbytery of St. John will meet in regular session in St. Andrew's church tomorrow at ten o'clock in the morning. The business to be transacted—Session Records; Report on Courtenay Bay Mission; Home Missions; Report of Assembly Commissioners; Communications; and any other business that may arise.

An Artist in Town. Prof. Geo. Chavignaud, O.S.A., for the last four years in charge of the Victoria School of Art, Halifax, is in town on his way to his old home in Toronto. Mr. Chavignaud, who is a Breton Frenchman, has been in Canada some twenty-five years, and painted many valuable pictures. As the St. John Art Club have no rooms this summer, he has been persuaded to open an exhibition of paintings in the Royal Hotel sample rooms on Gorman St., open free to the public after Monday for a week. Mr. Chavignaud, who is accompanied by his wife and daughter, will make some drawings of local scenes which he thinks are most picturesque. Mr. Chavignaud is at the Elifton and will be pleased to meet any St. John art student and talk over local conditions.

Will Wed Today. An interesting event will take place at the residence of Mrs. E. A. Pidgeon, 100 Main street, at six o'clock this morning when her daughter, Miss Hazel Pidgeon, will be united in marriage to Gardner Ellsworth of this city. Rev. Dr. Hutchinson will be the officiating clergyman. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth will return to St. John where they will reside at 3100 Main street.

Gundry's is showing a strictly high grade lot of pants at most reasonable prices from \$1.00 up. Gundry's selections are different. You will rarely see the same goods in other stores. You will never be offered more up to the minute goods at better values.

MORE NEW BRUNSWICKERS FIGURE IN CASUALTY LIST

Pte. McCutcheon of Welsford Killed—Sergt.-Major Roy Armstrong of West St. John Also Killed—J. L. Killorn Wounded; Has Foot Amputated—Pte. McDonald of Welsford Missing.

Last night's casualty list contained the names of the following New Brunswick boys: Infantry. E. A. Williamson, Moyside, N. B. Wounded—Previously reported missing, now unofficially prisoner of war—Lance Corporal David H. Berden, Sheffield Mills, N. B. Wounded—Sergt. Burke McInerney, Richibucto, N. B. Engineers. Killed in action—Pioneer E. R. McCutcheon, Olinville, N. B.

Loss a Foot. James Leo Killorn, son of Mrs. Jennie Killorn of Erin street, who was reported as wounded on Wednesday last, has been admitted into No. 13 General Hospital at Boulogne, where it was found necessary to amputate his left foot. The many friends of the popular young soldier will regret to hear of the seriousness of his injuries.

The news that the doctors had to amputate the foot was contained in a message which reached Mrs. Killorn from the Militia Department at Ottawa yesterday morning. Young Killorn is 22 years of age and went to the front with the 26th Battalion, later transferring to the Pioneer Battalion and it was while fighting with the latter force at Hooge on June 17th that he was wounded.

A brother, Matthew Killorn, is with the 140th Battalion at Valenciennes.

Sergt.-Major R. P. Armstrong.

Word was received in the city yesterday to the effect that Company Sergeant Major Roy P. Armstrong, of the 6th Mounted Rifles was officially reported killed. Sergt. Major Armstrong is a son of James Armstrong of West St. John, and at the time of enlisting with the 6th Mounted Rifles was employed as book-keeper in the American Steam Laundry on Charlotte street. About a week ago he was reported as missing during the big fight near Ypres of the fourth and fifth of June. It was later announced that a search of the trenches had been made, and as Armstrong's body was not found, it was thought that perhaps he had been taken prisoner. Roy Armstrong was a young man of exceptionally good character and beloved by a very large circle of friends.

Pioneer E. R. McCutcheon. Word has been received from Ottawa that Pioneer Ernest R. McCutcheon, aged 25, of Olinville, N. B., had been killed during a recent engagement in France. He was the son of William McCutcheon of Olinville, and enlisted with the first contingent of a company of Pioneers in Calgary. The brave soldier has two other brothers wearing khaki, Charles, who is with the 7th Siege Battery, now in England, and Garfield, a member of the 140th Battalion.

Pte. A. T. McDonald. A telegram from the Militia Department at Ottawa yesterday announced to Dr. D. H. McDonald of Welsford, that his son, Private A. T. McDonald, of the 6th Mounted Rifles is reported missing. Private McDonald's brother, Duncan, is now in England with the 7th Siege Battery.

Recruiting for No. 1 Construction Battalion in the Maritime Provinces has been authorized and plans are being formulated for the prosecution of a vigorous campaign. Lieut. Fred G. Cross and Sergt. MacB. Smith reached the city yesterday from Toronto and will inaugurate the campaign in St. John today. They will have complete charge of the recruiting in the Maritime Provinces.

The organization of this battalion represents a new departure on the part of the Militia Department. The British government issues instructions for the formation of the battalion and at the same time asked the Canadian government to name the commanding officer. The Militia Department at Ottawa approached three railway systems as well as other private corporations with a view of securing the most efficient commanding officer and it is noteworthy that the man selected for the responsible office is a native of the Maritime Provinces, Lt. Colonel B. Ripley of Amherst, the well known C. P. R. construction engineer.

The work of the new battalion will include the taking over of the wreckage from the Royal Engineers such as bridges, railroad work, general construction and drainage and to attend immediately to the important work of repairing the damage done.

Discussing with The Standard the progress of the recruiting campaign for the new battalion, Lieut. Cross said that during the past five weeks upwards of 600 men had been recruited in Ontario and Quebec, while only ten were only landed within the past few days to include the Maritime Provinces in the campaign.

"We hope to secure about 100 men in the Maritime Provinces," said Lieut. Cross. "We plan to open office in St. John and Halifax and carry on an active campaign. We want bridge men, machinists, mechanics, carpenters and unskilled men as well as about ten cooks. The officers of the battalion are all qualified engineers, while the non-commissioned ranks will be given to the men according to their qualifications when fully mobilized."

Lieut. Cross will call on Lt. Col. Guthrie, Captain Tilley and Major Hayes today to discuss the arrangements for the recruiting campaign. It is expected that the new battalion will go overseas the first week of August. Lieut. Cross is a well known C.P.R. man and for the past twelve years has occupied the position of general inspecting engineer of the Department of Natural Resources at Calgary. His assistant, Sergt. Smith, is also a C.P.R. man who has made good. He is a former Charlottetown boy and has been with the company at Montreal. While in the city Lieut. Cross and Sergt. Smith are guests at the Victoria Hotel.

Fat Man's race—Pilot F. McKelvie, 1st; J. C. Chesley, 2nd. Ladies' race—Miss Long, 1st; Miss Thompson, 2nd. Sack race—A. Cooper, 1st; F. J. Knodell, 2nd. Three-legged race—F. J. Knodell, 1st; Burton, 2nd. Girls' race—Isabel Jamieson, 1st; Carrie Holly, 2nd. Potato race—Burton, 1st; Smith, 2nd.

A feature of the sports was the tug-of-war match between teams from the Algerines and the St. John Power Boat Club, which, after an exciting contest, was captured by the latter. The water sports were equally exciting and provided much amusement. The results were as follows: Tender race—Geo. Lee, 1st; H. Sullivan, 2nd. Speed Boat race—Malcolm Logan, 1st; Howard Holder, 2nd. Six h. p. boat race—Toothpick, 1st; Sweepstake, 2nd. Board race—Marian K., 1st; Ideal, 2nd. Bang and go back—Rainbow, 1st; Albatross, 2nd.

An enjoyable programme of dances was carried out in the evening, while the winners of the various events were presented with their prizes before the closing number. The boats reached the city on the return trip about 10 o'clock. The success of the cruise was due in a large measure to the work of Rear Commodore F. W. Tapley and Fleet Captain Stanley McMillin, who composed the committee in charge of the arrangements.

CARELESSNESS MAY HAVE BEEN CAUSE OF FIRE

Piles of Dangerous Rubbish Found Under Floor of I. C. R. Warehouse—Incidental Theory Now Doubtful.

It was ten o'clock on Saturday morning before the firemen were enabled to leave the ruins of the Government Railway freight shed at York Point. Even then a line of hose was left and men employed by the railway were at work all day pouring water on the piles of burning tea.

There has been considerable speculation as to the cause of the fire and many persons hint that it is the work of a firebug, the reason given being that there was no fire in the building when the warehouse men left it in the early evening. There is just as much reason to believe that the fire was accidental on account of the conditions under the warehouse when the firemen were enabled to crawl under the floor to put out the blaze there. The space under the floor of the warehouse varies from two to five feet from the ground to the floor, and in a number of places were found large piles of rubbish which included paper, straw and other inflammable material that could be swept up from a warehouse floor. This was found in piles reaching almost to the flooring. It looked very much as if planks had been raised in the warehouse floor and the sweepings thrown under the structure as an easy way of getting clear of it. It is just possible that a cigar butt may have been dropped in the warehouse and in the manner the rubbish was caught and smouldered for some time before breaking into flame.

When the alarm was given the first persons to arrive on the scene found smoke issuing from the eaves of the warehouse and it had all the appearance of coming from a fire burning in the floors. It did not present itself as serious at first, but in a very few minutes when one of the warehouse doors was opened it was seen that there was a big bed of fire under the floors, which spread with such rapidity that nothing could be done to check it.

RECRUITING SPEAKERS AT PICNIC AT MADAM

Col. Guthrie, Major Geggie and Daniel Mullin, K.C., Guests of Honor at Pleasant Outing.

Lt.-Col. P. A. Guthrie, officer commanding New Brunswick troops, spent the holiday at Madam Junction (A.C.M.) in attendance at the annual picnic of the R. C. church of which Rev. C. J. McLaughlin, formerly of this city, is the pastor. The outing was most successful and the various attractions were liberally patronized.

An interesting portion of the program were the addresses by Daniel Mullin, K. C., Lt.-Col. Guthrie and Major Geggie. Mullin delivered a scholarly address on the significance of Dominion Day and traced the rapid development of the Dominion since Confederation in 1867. Both Col. Guthrie and Major Geggie related some of their experiences at the front and were enthusiastically received by the large numbers in attendance. As a result of their addresses several recruits will likely be enrolled.

"PEG O' THE RING" AT IMPERIAL TODAY.

In addition to the Imperial's grand programme for the matinee today and tomorrow the new circus sensation "Peg o' the Ring" will receive its third chapter presentation. This instalment deals with the adventures of LaBelle (Grace Cunard) and Dr. Lund, Jr. (Francis Ford) in the hoodlums in the animal importer's premises where they are prisoners of the circus owner's jealous wife. Because of the school holidays this new story will be shown Monday and Tuesday afternoon. It is especially booked for the kiddies as it deals with clowns, circus acts, wild animals and is a regular weekly visit to Ringling Brothers, Barnum and Bailey's, Washburn's and the Wallace-Hagenbeck shows.

Engagement Announced. Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McDowan announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Lillian, to Mr. Robert Melrose, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Melrose, of this city, the marriage to take place in July.

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