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FRENCH BUT FOUR AND HALF MILES FROM PERONNE; BRITISH EASILY BEAT BACK GERMAN ATTACK; BEGINS NOW TO LOOK LIKE DANGER FOR LEMBERG

British Beat Back Attacking Germans

Latter Easily Repulsed in Charge at Thiepval

Knell of German Initiative Sounded When British Bombardment Began—Enemy Found Crouching in Dug-Outs Believing Counter Attacks Would Rescue Them

London, July 5.—A Reuter despatch from the western front says the Germans made a counter attack on the new British positions at Thiepval, after a heavy bombardment, but were easily repulsed. Prisoners are quoted as having said that German units are being rushed to the Somme front from as far as Verdun to the east and Lens to the north.

BUSY ALL ALONG

90 MILE FRONT London, July 5.—Reuter's correspondent at the press camp in France says that not merely twenty miles of the main operations but the whole ninety miles of the British front are being kept busy all along.

"So well does the enemy know this," says the correspondent, "that he does not transfer a single gun or man from any part of the defensive between the Yser and the Somme to try to stop the British push. From the day the British bombardment began the knell of German initiative was sounded."

An order issued to the German troops and followed by British soldiers, continues the correspondent, "proves that it was known that the British intended to deliver their attack on July 1, and it was thought that the attack would be directed between Roye and Elie."

THE POSITION

ON JULY 4 Press Camp, in France, July 4.—When flashes of chain lightning shot out of the heavy clouds, which burst in torrents of rain over the battlefield, drenching all the combatants, washing the curtains and tops of the dust-laden ambulances, making small rivulets of the streets of the ruined villages, the British and German guns did not interrupt their shelling of LaBoisselle, which for eight days has been the object of an unceasing bombardment, the German shells breaking in

SHOCKING DEATH OF A LITTLE BOY

Killed in Accident on Merry-Go-Round at Fort Fairfield

A fatal tragedy marked the Fourth of July celebration in Fort Fairfield, Me., yesterday, when Jean Rameau, a six-year-old boy, was almost instantly killed as a result of an accident on a merry-go-round. He was playing with another child and was knocked off his seat. His legs shot underneath the running board and he was caught by a wire sawyer, which hoisted him from his seat and in addition forced his head so hard against the flooring that his skull was crushed in. The boy was a bright young fellow and a general favorite in the town.

ANOTHER SOLDIER IS HOME FROM THE WAR

Private Walter Cochran, son of Peter Cochran, of Chatham, returned to the city today on the Maritime Express after spending several months on the firing line. He is suffering from shell shock. He crossed on the S. S. Gramplan, which arrived in Quebec on July 1. He is twenty-four years of age and was employed in the Sugar Refinery prior to his enlistment with the 14th Battalion, from which unit he was transferred on his arrival in England. Private Cochran has some narrow escapes, having been buried on four occasions by the explosion of German shells. He was buried twice at Festubert, once at Givenchy and once at Ypres.

DEATH OF CHILD

Friends of Robert Dunlop, High street, III sympathize with the loss of his youngest daughter, Elizabeth Muriel, who died yesterday after a brief illness.

Roumania May Yet Join The Allies

London, July 5.—Bucharest despatches to Amsterdam state that the parties Take Jonescu, former minister of the interior, and M. Filipescu, former minister of war and leader of the Conservatives, have joined forces and in future will together. Both parties are frankly in favor of intervention in the war by Roumania in the side of the entente allies.

SUSPENSE IN BERLIN NOW IS ADMITTED

New York World Correspondent Cables About Battle

MILLIONS OF MEN AND THOUSANDS OF CANNON

Germans Used 1,480 Car Loads of Ammunition to Capture One Hill at Verdun and This is Being Outdone Now in the Fearful Drive of Allies

New York, July 5.—In a special cable from a staff correspondent, Karl H. Von Wiegand, the New York World publishes the following from Berlin dated yesterday:

"More than 8,000,000 men, and at least 10,000 cannon of all sizes are in deadly struggle on the front from Verdun to above Arras. It is estimated that men are facing one another in the French and English offensive in the greatest battle of the war."

"From the very meagre reports received here from the German side, it appears that the terrific artillery duel, which precedes all attacks, surpasses anything of the kind in war and is beyond the power of the imagination to conjecture, the picture in the mind. It is said to exceed even the concentrated fire of the hundreds of German guns on the French works around Verdun which, up to the present, had been the highest point in artillery activity."

"Mountains of ammunition are being used by the French, English and German in the battle raging on both sides of the Somme. Some idea of the quantity of shells and shrapnel used in a modern artillery battle may be gained from the fact that the Germans, I am informed, used thirty-seven trainloads of forty cars each in taking Hill 204 at Verdun in the battle of the Meuse, the French and English appear to be merely attempting to blast their way through the solid German wall. Up to noon today only the most meagre reports reached Berlin from the west front, but from those it would appear that the German line is withstanding the terrific assault fairly well."

Germany is awaiting the outcome of the French-English offensive with a mixture of suspense and quiet confidence.

FORMER JUDGE TODAY WITNESS

Laskey Case Taken Up — Fines for Jurors Who Do Not Attend

The supreme court circuit sitting resumed this morning with Judge Barry presiding.

The criminal case of the King vs. Thomas Laskey was taken up. In this case the prisoner is charged with stealing a suit of clothes belonging to Hon. J. G. Forbes, and a coat belonging to a servant in the employ of Mr. Simms, J. King Kelley, K. C., appeared for the crown; the prisoner was not represented.

Evidence for the prosecution was given by Hon. Mr. Forbes, Detectives Barrett and Briggs and Mr. Gilbert, who conducted a second hand store in Mill street. Laskey took the stand in his own defence and denied the charges of theft. The case was given to the jury at noon.

The judge made known the fact that the petty jurors who were absent from the hearing of the court would be fined \$8 unless they could, within a reasonable short time, give satisfactory excuses for their failing to attend after being summoned.

REVEREND QUARTERMASTER SERGEANT OF 105TH WEDS A CARNEGIE HER. INC.

Charlotteville, P. E. I., July 5.—Quartermaster Sergeant (Rev.) Willard Kempton Charman, of the 105th P. E. I. Battalion, was married this morning to Bertha Hattenbury, daughter of Nelson Hattenbury of Charlottetown. The bride was accompanied by her father, who won the Carnegie medal and \$2,000 as a companion from throwing several years ago. She is a Mt. Allison graduate. The groom also is a graduate of that institution.

Bert Dickie of Cape Traverse, thought to have been drowned, was picked up yesterday by a boat. He had drifted a long distance.

Mexico's Reply Received

Washington, July 5.—The reply of the de facto government of Mexico to the demands of the United States, conflicting in terms and giving assurances of a desire to reach a friendly settlement of the difficulties was delivered to the state department today.

People Beginning To Leave Galician Capital

London, July 5.—A Budapest despatch to the Post says: "Considerable numbers of the population have been fleeing from Lemberg in the last few days for Hungary and Olkow. So extensive has been the exodus, the commander at Lemberg has issued the assuring statement that Lemberg is not in danger yet. He advises the people not to leave the city."

BRUSILOFF PUSHING ON

London, July 5.—According to special despatches from Petrograd the steady advance of General Brusilloff's left wing, despite the desperate resistance of the Austro-Germans, indicates that in a few days his front will assume the form of a regular arc centred in Lemberg.

The semi-permanent fortifications of the Austro-Germans, these despatches say have now all been captured and destroyed on this front, where they planned to hold the Russians while the Italian campaign progressed. It is not believed that any formidable second or third line fortifications have been constructed behind this front.

SUCCESS FOR THE RUSSIANS

Petrograd, July 5.—The official statement issued by the Russian war office last night says: "Fighting in the region northwest of Baranovich continues, the enemy defending himself stubbornly and endeavoring to repulse our offensive. In the village of Zhuravich, east of Baranovich, the railway station changed hands several times, but now is in our possession. In many sectors artillery fire continues with increasing intensity. In the course of these engagements the brave Major-General Perzoff and Col. Perzoff were wounded."

Northeast of Casaritsk, in the region of the village of Gaganak, we took by storm a strongly fortified element of the enemy's position. Kolkoi our troops captured first line trenches in the region of the village of Sosnina. South of the village of Sosnina, we have been successful in capturing the village of Wolf front as far as the region of the river Lipa.

On the Galician front artillery has been in action in many places, and on our extreme left wing there was fighting against strong rear-guard of the enemy in the spurs of the Carpathians."

TODAY'S SESSION OF BAPTIST DISTRICT MEETING IN ST. JOHN

The fifth session of the sixth district meeting of the United Baptist churches was held this morning with Rev. F. P. Dennison in the chair. Devotional services were led by C. W. Walden.

Rev. Dr. David Hutchinson read the annual obituary report. He mentioned the loss that the Baptist clergy has sustained in the death of Rev. Dr. McInnes, who was denominational treasurer. He said that in his death there was a distinct loss to the home mission work.

Dr. Hutchinson paid a high tribute to his work in the community and remarked that his Christian and clerical qualities had made him respected by all. His death was greatly regretted by the district. Dr. McInnes passed away in September of last year. Although never stationed in St. John as a minister, he made his home here as his work demanded, and he was widely known by his people.

Rev. R. J. Colpitts, editor of the Maritime Baptist, submitted his report. Despite the present day conditions and the times, his report showed that the paper had flourished to its fullest extent. He said reading in the homes today was very different from that of years ago, and it was the most fundamental and critical question that the church has to contend with. He made mention of the quotation from Pope Pius at the head of the editorial column of the New Freeman, telling the need of religious literature and a religious press. Coming directly to the progress of the paper, he said that it was up to the standard of last year, despite war conditions.

Discussion followed the reading of this report and some questions were asked and answered. The editor was given a vote of thanks for the efficient manner in which he had handled the paper during the last year.

The session was brought to a close by those present joining in prayer.

A business meeting of the women of the sixth district of the Baptist churches was held this morning in the Leinster street Baptist church. Mrs. J. H. Freeman presided, and the business of a routine nature was dealt with. Mrs. E. M. Sipprell is to give a short talk this afternoon, taking as her subject, "Round Table Work."

CAUSED A STIRR

The delivery test of C. F. Francis was standing peacefully outside his premises in Mill street this morning when suddenly two unknown individuals appeared and after a wild dash into the wagon started madly towards Dock street. There was only a little boy and a fair lady in the store at the time and they were so bewildered by the suddenness with which the whole thing happened that they were utterly at a loss what to do. However "some one" telephoned to the police headquarters and investigation followed and proved that the two "smart ones" were only playing a joke. The team was found in North street later and was returned to the owner again, much to the relief of the clerks.

Phelan and Pheland WEATHER BULLETIN

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

Synopsis—An area of high pressure covers the great lakes and fine weather now prevails in nearly all portions of the Dominion. A tropical disturbance is centred this morning near the north coast of the Gulf of Mexico.

Hurrah! Fine! Maritime—Fresh northeast winds, clearing, Thursday moderate winds, fair and a little warmer.

POSITION OPPOSITE CLERY IN HANDS OF JOFFRE'S MEN

They Also Capture Line of Enemy Trenches East of Curlu

Heavy Fighting Continues at Verdun But Germans Attack There Only to be Repulsed—Losses of French in Big Drive Reported Light

Paris, July 5.—The French have captured a line of German trenches east of Curlu, so the war office announced today. They have also captured Sormont Farm, facing Clery.

The advance reported indicates that the French are moving eastward along the north bank of the Somme River in their movement toward Peronne, in the combined Anglo-French offensive in Picardy. Clery, the most advanced point mentioned, is four and a half miles northwest of Peronne.

COLIN MCKAY HAS CHAT WITH CAPT. McAVITY

Only 14 Officers of Old 26th With Battalion

THIS WAS AT END OF MAY

Regiment itself Would Hardly Be Known in St. John — The Big Attack at Ypres Foreseen—Lamentable Word of Our Gallant Men

(By Colin McKay). France, June 2.

"What do I think of war? Well, they say that you stand a chance of getting used to it or of it."

It was a captain of the 26th (P. McAvity), looking merry and bright, and as big as a house.

But it's a rough game all right," he added.

"Of forty officers who came over with the battalion only fourteen are now left; the rest are dead, wounded or sick. As for the battalion, St. John would hardly know it. We've had a big lot of casualties."

This was in the latter part of May. The captain was bound up the line. Already the Canadians were in the Ypres salient, mostly a ragged land of shell craters rather than trenches. All winter the 26th had held trenches, that in spite of continuous labor were at times mere ditches full of icy water. "Often," said the captain, "the water was up above our waists, pump and bale as we would. At times the men would get right up on the parapet and bale. And the Germans would do the same on their side. Everybody was more interested in keeping their heads above water than fighting. Extraordinary things, those queer lines of the trenches. Either side with a machine gun could have bagged a lot of men, sitting on the parapets. How the officers and men of the 26th kept fit under such conditions I don't know? But we hadn't any sickness attributable to the long hours in an icy mud bath."

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VICTORIAN NURSES

A meeting of the Victoria Order of Nurses was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Senator Daniel, Princess street. Those present were: Mrs. Dyer, Mrs. J. V. Ellis, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. G. F. Smith, Hon. R. J. Ritchie, Hon. J. G. Forbes, Senator Daniel and C. H. Hallamore. Business of a routine nature took up the time of the meeting. Owing to the fact that there has been less sickness this month than last the nurses reported that there had been considerable let up in their work.

SENT UP FOR TRIAL

In the police court this morning Nettie and Thomas Anderson were arraigned for the alleged theft of several articles from the home of Mrs. Frank Theall, 171 Main street. Both Mr. and Mrs. Theall gave evidence and said that the defendants had sublet two rooms. They had been there some time and on last Tuesday moved away. Since they had gone, Mrs. Theall said she missed several articles, among them iron, a quilt, sheet, pin cushion, axe, table cloth and some dishes. Those produced in court were identified. When Mrs. Theall called on the Andersons to collect the rent, she said she noticed her missing goods and secured a search warrant, after the defendants had refused to return the articles.

The evidence of Detective Barrett, who executed the warrant, was also taken. The magistrate said that there was enough evidence to commit the defendants for trial and he sent them up.

CONNERS-CALDWELL

A pretty wedding took place this morning at ten o'clock at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. D. J. McPherson, when George Hallin Connors, of Upland, Kings County, was married to Miss Hadassah Eugenie Caldwell, of Millstream, Kings county. The bride wore a navy blue traveling suit with white picture hat and carried a bouquet of pink and white roses. Mr. and Mrs. Connors will reside at Upland.

BOYS ESCAPE

Two boys escaped from the Boys' Industrial School this morning. One was prominent in the recent juvenile breaks and robberies that affected several city firms. The other has acted on different occasions in police court circles. Both boys were doing four year terms for breaking and entering.

FRENCH DRIVE ON BOTH SIDES OF SOMME

Paris, July 5.—The French resumed the offensive during the night on both sides of the Somme. South of the Somme they made further progress toward the river, particularly at Sormont Farm. This position on the left bank opposite Clery is in progress. German attacks on French positions there were stopped by the French fire. The number of prisoners taken thus far exceed 8,000. The number of cannon taken has not been ascertained.

On the Verdun front heavy fighting is still in progress. West of the Meuse the French repulsed a strong German attack in the region of Avocourt and Hill 204. East of the river there was a violent bombardment of Thiaumont redoubt and the Chemont sector.

FRENCH LOSS VERY LIGHT

Paris, July 4.—The astonishing feature of the Picardy battle so far as the French are concerned is the small loss incurred. Reports thus far received show that one army corps which took a prominent part in the fighting lost just 800 men. The regiments which took Flaucourt did not lose a single man. All the wounded who have been brought to Paris hospitals speak of this extraordinary immunity.

GERMAN LOSSES PLACED AT 60,000

Press Camp in France, July 4.—The total number of prisoners taken thus far in the Anglo-French offensive probably has reached 15,000. Judging from these figures, the German losses, as a whole, it is estimated here, have been at least 60,000.

PARCELS TO SOLDIERS

A correspondent asks for information regarding the best and cheapest way to send parcels to Camp Valenciennes and to the front. Parcels can be sent by parcel post at the following rates:

To Valenciennes—Ten cents for first pound and six cents for each additional pound; limit, sixteen pounds.

To England—Twenty cents a pound, up to a limit of eleven pounds.

To France—Twenty-four cents for first three pounds, thirty-two cents for three to seven pounds.

Parcels should be done up securely, preferably in tin boxes, wrapped with cotton cloth and addressed in indelible ink.

SENSATIONAL ESCAPE OF GERMANS FROM CAMP OF INTERNMENT IN ONTARIO

Kingston, Ont., July 5.—Three Germans made a sensational escape from the internment camp at Fort Henry yesterday. They were "trusties" and were given the job of fixing a gasoline boat owned by one of the officers for the fort. A military policeman was in charge and went out with them on a trial spin in Navy Bay. They were given only a limited amount of gasoline, but they secretly procured an extra supply and hid it in the boat. When they had gone out from Navy Bay they seized the policeman, tied him securely and laid him in the boat. Then the man poured extra fuel into the engine and headed the boat for the foot of Wolfe Island and entered the American Channel and stopped about two miles east of Cape Vincent. Here they landed and started for the inland. They left the policeman in the boat. It is supposed the men are now in some New York village.



Last Word of the Day From Scenes of Battle

Allies' Pressure Maintained With Gains On Three Fronts—French Now Fighting in Open and Using Cavalry

London, July 3.—Pressure of the Entente Allies on the Central Powers continues without abatement and while nowhere has any great amount of territory been recovered...

ORDER BARRING THE KILTS NOW COUNTERMANNED

Ottawa, July 3.—The kilt is to be given another chance. The order banning the Highland costume because of its cost compared with trousers, is to be relaxed...

RECENT DEATHS

Sydney, N. S., July 4.—The death of Senator William Macdonald occurred at midnight tonight at his residence at Glace Bay...

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Miss Iva Florence Ayer took place this afternoon from her late residence, 29 White street...

RETURNING TO WAR

Captain B. F. McNulty of Moncton, who has been serving with the British forces in Saloniki with the Royal Army Medical Corps, passed through the city today on his way back to the firing line...

TOURIST SEASON OPENS

The season for tourists from the United States is generally expected to open soon after July 4, the national holiday, but the local hotel men did not expect it to open quite so suddenly as it did yesterday...

NEWS OF MARITIME

Hullam Slipp, son of A. B. Slipp, M. P., who has been taking a course at the Halifax Naval College, has been transferred to the 104th Battalion, and has gone overseas with that corps...

MEN IN WAR

Ex-Ald. Hugh O'Neill, of Fredericton, has received a letter from his son, Gunner Hugh O'Neill, Jr., who is serving in France. The letter stated that the writer had taken part in the fighting at Hooge, in which the Canadians fought well and had thousands of casualties...

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MARRIAGES

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DEATHS

DUNLOP.—On the 4th inst., Elizabeth Mariel, youngest daughter of Robert Dunlop, aged 47 years and a half year old, died at her father's home, 47 High street, on Thursday at 2.30 p. m. in the Mission Church of St. John Baptist.

CARDS OF THANKS

Mrs. Honorah Hurley and family wish to thank their many friends for kindness in their recent bereavement, especially H. Usher Miller and employees of the mill for their kindness, and floral tributes they also wish to thank the Painters' Union and the St. John Power Boat Club for past kindliness shown to their late son John Hurley and for the beautiful floral tributes.

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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

PAULINE FREDERICK IN SPLENDID PLAY

To Play "Audrey" in Famous Players Adaptation of a Great Novel Pauline Frederick, whose beauty and powerful emotional histrionism have made her the foremost dramatic actress on the screen today, is the star of the Famous Players—Paramount picture, "Audrey," an adaptation of the celebrated novel by Mary Johnston, which is the feature picture at the Opera House tomorrow, Friday and Saturday...

LOCAL NEWS

ON THE RIVER. Freight and passenger travel on the St. John river are beginning to pick-up and the outlook for good business during the remainder of the summer looks bright. The steamers are daily bringing in the city small quantities of strawberries...

REMEMBERED IN HALIFAX

In the Horn Reef naval fight on May 31, Lt. Commander Hon. Hugh Fielding lost his life on H. M. S. Defence. Mr. Fielding visited Halifax station on H. M. S. Cornwall some five or six years ago. He was a young man of unusual ability and gave promise of a most brilliant career.

EXAMINATIONS IN PROGRESS

More than 200 candidates are writing the university matriculation and the Normal School entrance examinations in the High School. The examinations opened yesterday morning and will continue until Friday, under the supervision of Inspector W. M. McLean.

SYNOUD COMMITTEES

The work of the Anglican synod committees was completed this morning when the Board of Education and the committee on constitutions and canons transacted routine business. There was also a meeting of the committee on the retreat for the clergy, which will be conducted at Robitney in September by His Lordship Bishop Richardson.

THE SOUL MARKET

Elaine Elton (Madame Petrova), a musical comedienne, presented the powerful Broadway drama "The Soul Market" at Imperial tonight and tomorrow, which some phases of stage life in big cities and the slave markets of Babylon and makes a strenuous fight to correct this great wrong. In a word, this gives some idea of the plot and trend of the sumptuous production which will head the list this change of programme.

BANNER BILL TONIGHT

Rivalling even "The Strange Case of Mary Page" the Gem's additional big attractions for tonight and tomorrow are two other subjects—A Biography and "The Shaghaled Baby." With a tense chapter in the Mary Page series, it makes a great triple bill that is bound to please. Put the Gem on your list for this mid-week.

THE LASKY CASE

In the Lasky case, referred to on page 1, Lasky was found guilty of stealing from Hon. J. G. Forbes' house and not guilty of stealing from the Simms' house.

NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS. 50c.

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LOCAL NEWS

Boys' khaki pants for 39c. at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

Audrey's week-end advt. will appear on page 3 tomorrow.

Grand concert at Temperance Hall, West Side, July 6, 8.30 p. m.

One of our best tonight at Gem—"Mary Page" and two other feature dramatic subjects.

Landing, Acadia Picout Nut Soft Coal, George Dick, 46 Brittain street, Phone M 1116.

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Great selection waists and middies at 9c. C. J. Bassen's, Union and Sydney.

Shop at the People's Dry Goods Store, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches.

One teaspoonful of "Carbonoid" to five gallons of gasoline means a clean engine.

Have you tried Ingersoll Pimento Cheese? It's like "cream cheese, with delicious flavoring."

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EVERYBODY'S STORE

Bring your boys for their suits. Bring your girls for their dresses. Bring your whole family for their footwear. Bring your friends for all their shopping to Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches.

Boys' overalls for 39c. at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

AT THE PALACE

See your old favorite, King Bagat, in the five-part picturization of Harold McGrath's play, entitled "Half a Rogue," and a sparkling Neator comedy tonight and Thursday at The Palace. Good pictures always.

FATHER MORRIS'S

Father Morris's Remedy for Rheumatism and all Kidney troubles, purely vegetable. No Cure—No Pay. All drug stores. Price 50c.

OTTAWA CASUALTY LIST

Ottawa, July 4.—Casualties:—Infantry Killed in action—John R. Armour, Upper Kent, N. B.; James T. Ball, Picton, N. S.; Frank L. Gaster 71 Chapel street, St. John, N. B.; Stewart Smith, Tecum Tech, N. S. Died of wounds—Victor Dawe, Newfoundland.

WOUNDED

Wounded—Wilfrid W. Huestis, 19 Kensington Road, Charlottetown; Joseph F. Kennedy, 21 Reserve Mines, C. B.; Jas. G. Kinch, English, P. E. I.; Lance Corporal Clayton Crowley, Weston Bay, Nfld.; Pioneer Wm. A. DeWolf, Upper Water street, Halifax, N. S.; Clarence Bryong, Lower Water street, Halifax, N. S.; Joseph McDonald, McKay's Corners, Glace Bay, C. B.; Henry Ralphs, Reserve Mines, C. B.; William Gillis, Enmore River, P. E. I.; Enoch A. Mamahon, A. S. N. S.

MOUNTED RIFLES

Killed in action—Roy A. Chaplin, Upper Musquodouit, N. S. Artillery Wounded—Corporal Jas. H. Suttie, Yarmouth.

LATE BITS OF SPORT

Canton, Ohio, July 3.—Johnny Griffith, an Akron lightweight, shaded Charlie White of Chicago here yesterday in two fast rounds. Griffith outboxed his opponent and maintained an edge on points.

Saginaw, Mich., July 3.—Lucile Spier, a filly owned by G. W. Slaughter of Birmingham, Michigan, established what is said to be a world's record for a fifth and sixth heat trotted on a half mile track when she went a mile here yesterday in 2:19.1 and 2:14.1 respectively.

Indianapolis, July 3.—Albert Binkenbush, aged twenty-two, of Indianapolis, a motor cycle racer was killed in the last lap of a ten mile race at the state fair grounds yesterday afternoon when he lost control of his machine and it crashed through the fence. A splinter from one of the boards passed through his chest.

SMITH-FERRIS

In St. Phillip's church last evening Rev. J. H. Franklin united in marriage Miss May Ferris and John Smith both of this city. The bride wore a suit of gray silk, with hat to match and carried a bouquet of roses. Miss Ada Jones was bridesmaid and Walter Jones acted as best man. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Smith drove to the bride's home where a dainty wedding luncheon was served. They will spend a short honeymoon in New York and upon their return will reside in Charlotte street. Many presents were received.

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PERSONALS

Lieutenant-Governor Wood arrived in the city last night and left again this morning for Fredericton. H. C. Groat, superintendent of the Atlantic division of the C. P. R., and Mrs. Groat and child returned today from Portland and the White Mountains, where they were on a holiday trip.

Mrs. Carson, Mrs. Donald Stewart of Alexandria, Ont., and Mrs. Walter Blachley of Winnipeg, arrived in the city today and are spending a few days with Mrs. J. H. A. Anderson. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taylor left yesterday at noon for Ste. Anne-de-Beaupre, where they were on a holiday trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lydon and daughters, Dorothy and Carmela, left on the Montreal train on the pilgrimage to Ste. Anne de Beaupre. Miss Kate McCann of Fredericton, who has been visiting the Misses Harrington, Adelaide street, left this morning for Bear River, N.S. Fredericton Gleaser—Louis F. Sharkey returned to St. John last evening, having spent the week-end visiting relatives. D. McCatherine is to leave this morning for New York to consult specialists as to his health. He will be accompanied by his daughter, Miss Ina McCatherine.

Mrs. George Garnett and children left for Garnett Settlement this morning to spend the holidays. Miss Florence Annette deMille has close her music class in the city, to take a few weeks' vacation. Miss deMille is at present visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. deMille, Sussex. Boston Post.—Mrs. Wm. Mackenzie of St. John, N. B., accompanied by Miss Bessie Hayes returned home on Friday after spending two weeks between Fall River and Boston. While here Mrs. Mackenzie was the guest of her brother, Capt. Robert Clark and her daughter, Miss Lillian Mackenzie who now lives with her uncle.

Capt. Robert Clark and family are going on a two weeks' cruise to Portland, Me. and Bar Harbor. Captain Clark is one of the best known yachtsmen in Boston and has been to both New York and St. John in his private yacht several times.

Mr. and Mrs. George Macaulay and daughter, Irene, and their guest, Miss Cora Bennett, spent Monday and Tuesday at Spruce Lake. Miss Kate Phalen left on Saturday evening to visit friends in Boston and Maine.

Mrs. H. G. Ashford, wife of Lieut. Ashford and Mrs. G. Osgood, wife of Lieut. Osgood, will leave tonight for Valcartier to join their husbands who are attached to the 140th Battalion, C. E. F. Miss Emma E. Barry, nurse, is in England for war duty. She is a sister of Dr. J. M. Barry.

RECENT WEDDINGS

On Monday morning, in L'Assomption church, Moncton, Miss Evangelin, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Romain LeBlanc, of that city, was united in marriage to Donald LeBlanc, now residing in St. John, Rev. Father H. D. Cormier officiating.

APPRECIATES THE RETURNED SOLDIERS

Editor Times:—When I read your editorial last night on the entertainment given July first by the returned soldiers a lump that was pretty big came in my throat. I was not able to go that day though I bought some tickets. Will you kindly send this \$2 to the treasurer, and I would be glad to have the opportunity to express in this way some slight degree of the gratitude we all must feel to the men who have made such sacrifices and endured such agonies for us. ONE OF YOUR READERS.

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STORM HEAVY ON THE NORTH SHORE; BOOM STANDS PRESSURE

Chatham, N. B., July 3.—A heavy easterly storm, which has been raging along the north shore since early on Monday, has abated somewhat, although there is a very strong wind blowing yet. The water in the estuaries up river rose rapidly on Tuesday, and it was feared there would be a break in the main South West boom, as the water there was higher than at the time of the big break last year, but the water is falling gradually today and the logs appear to be safe.

The drives which were hung up this spring are all coming on well now. According to latest reports there is better water now than at any time this spring. Down the coast the storm was the worst for many years, and the fact that it broke on Monday would keep the fishing fleets in the harbors. Otherwise a large number of boats would have been caught outside with their fishing tackle, and the loss of life would have been heavy.

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ST. JOHN, N. B., JULY 5, 1916.

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WHY? Why does Lieut. Gov. Wood retain as one of his advisers a gentleman who is not a member of the legislature, and therefore not responsible to the people? Have we abandoned the principles of responsible government?

STILL PRESSING FORWARD

The Russian advance guard is again over the Carpathians, into the plains of Hungary. The Russian forces have pierced the German lines at two places farther north, and are attacking with great vigor along most of the eastern front.

The French have captured two more German positions on the road to Peronne, and Major General Maurice declares that only German soldiers in open field formation now lie between the French and the river Somme, and the last of the defensive works in that sector have been captured.

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Meanwhile in Germany the Socialists are growing restive, and are circulating a manifesto among the workmen, urging them to make their voices heard in protest against the bureaucracy and the war.

IT ANSWERS THE STANDARD

It places the Standard to describe all critics of Sir Robert Borden as partisans and hirelings and utterly unworthy of attention. Well, the Toronto World is a Conservative paper. What does the World say? Here it is:

"Discontent with the Borden government is growing; and unless Sir Robert takes a firmer hold of things, goes in for freer re-organization of his cabinet, frees himself from Nationalist entanglements, he will not be able to save either his government or the Conservative party.

Whenever the Borden government is criticised for failure to do its duty in regard to recruiting or any other matter relating to the war, the baser sort of Tory organ makes a fiery appeal to race and religious prejudice, and makes an attack upon Sir Wilfrid Laurier. Whenever a criticism of Sir Sam Hughes is offered, this same sort of Tory organ makes a violent assault upon Mr. Carvell and Mr. Kite, who exposed the grafters and rake-off men. If abuse were argument, the Tory organs would long since have silenced all opposition, but the people of Canada are not deceived.

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The Russians are again so close to Lemberg that its capture appears to be only a matter of a short time.

THE SCHOOL BUILDINGS.

That was a timely warning which Chief Supt. Carter gave the teachers of the province in his brief but pointed remarks on schools as social centres. It was quite evident there were some teachers present, and St. John teachers at that, who were disposed to applaud any remarks in opposition to the wider use of school buildings. To these Dr. Carter quietly observed that it would be unwise for any teacher to attempt to put any obstacle in the way of this movement, which was sweeping over the continent. That they might discourage and delay it was quite possible, but unwise. Gently but firmly the chief superintendent pointed out that the school buildings were not the property of the teachers, nor even of the trustees. The latter were the custodians, and they and not the teachers were responsible for the school property. Dr. Carter went further, and ventured the remark that for a teacher to object on the ground of a little personal inconvenience would be objecting on the very lowest ground.

There is food for thought in what he said. The citizen who is not a teacher should object to any right use of the people of their own property. Experience has shown that when the people make a wider use of the school buildings they take a greater interest in the work of the schools, and in the improvement of buildings and grounds. The testimony of school superintendents in Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary, Edmonton, and other western Canadian cities, and of teachers in the United States, is to the effect that there is no injury to school buildings and the general effect of wider use is beneficial. There is force in Dr. Bridges' remark that the school buildings of St. John are not adapted for a social centre work on any large scale. Some lack assembly rooms, and the latter where they exist are not on the ground floor; while in the class rooms generally the furniture is not adjustable or movable. We must recognize this condition of affairs. And yet there are schools that could be used, and whenever changes are made they could be made with wider use in view, and all new buildings could be designed for social centre as well as day school work.

There is an opportunity now to develop a fine playground near the Aberdeen School. How valuable it would be if all the people living near could be called together in the Aberdeen building to get them interested in a neighborhood playground for their boys. Under wise leadership an immense benefit could be derived from the more general use of the school buildings in the evening.

It is very gratifying to learn that the board of health now has both the power and the disposition to order certain tenements made fit for habitation or closed up. There are too many such tenements in this city and a vigorous campaign against them would do great good.

The Standard believes the Borden Club could find a returned soldier qualified to be its president. There is no doubt at all that to be president of a Borden Club at the present time is about as serious a job as facing a German battery. But if there are returned soldiers equal to that great task, why not make one of them secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Commission?

The Frederick Mail observes—"The St. John Standard thinks that Mr. F. B. Carvell, M. P., and Mr. G. W. Kite, M. P., should resign their seats in parliament because of their activity in bringing certain rogues into the limelight. Every boodler and war profiteer in Canada heartily concurs in the Standard's expressed opinion of Messrs. Carvell and Kite." The real trouble with the Standard is that it is afraid of more exposures nearer home.

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In the mission church during the bombardment were the Grand Duke and Dowager Grand Duchess Louise, as well as the Dowager Duchess of Hesse. The service was continued, however, despite the explosions occurring outside, the entire assemblage singing a hymn. Afterwards, before the raid was entirely over, some explosions still being heard, Grand Duchess Louise visited the wounded.

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Now Major Fairweather.

Lieut. Charles Fairweather, of Sussex, who left this city as a subaltern, is now a major, having been through the recent heavy fighting and received this splendid promotion.

Capt. May Promoted.

It is reported that Captain F. F. May, who has seen service with the 20th Battalion, is to be promoted to the rank of major, to take command of one of the companies of the 105th P. E. Island Battalion under the command of Lieut. Colonel Ings.

Lieut. L. B. G. Bonnell of the 62nd Regiment, returned home from Aldershot where he successfully passed the lieutenant's examinations in infantry.

It is reported that Captain Frederick F. Giegy has been appointed second in command of one of the companies of the 14th Battalion, P. E. Island.

Four of the four subalterns were to get vacant captaincies.

Mrs. John Leadbetter of 15 Middle Street, St. John, has received word that her husband, Sgt. John Leadbetter, of the Royal Canadian Regiment, was seriously wounded in the head and arm and was later injured by a falling tree in the recent big battle on the western front.

**A SHATTERED ROMANCE**

Quincy, July 5—Miss Alma Johnson of Crane street, who left here a year ago for Buenos Aires to wed an engineering officer of the battleship Rialavia, and who was to be here in a few days, many months ago as letters would indicate her presence in Argentina, is now on her way home to the United States with her romance shattered.

According to a letter received by her aunt here on Saturday, Miss Johnson was unable to locate her fiance after she arrived in Buenos Aires, although he was well known among the engineering corps of the battleship when that vessel was here building.

Several Quincy girls became engaged to Argentina naval officers while the Rialavia was building here and several went to Argentina after the ship sailed and were married there. Others were married in this country.

**THE BAPTIST DISTRICT**

India's loyalty to the British empire in the great war and a general discussion of the wonderland of the East was the subject of the twelfth annual meeting of the United Baptist churches of the sixth district of the New Brunswick association, Dr. DeWolfe, of Acadia University, and Rev. Dr. W. C. Kierstead, of U. N. B., also took up very interesting phases of the work and gave liberal discussions.

Dr. DeWolfe took up the ideals of education in Acadia. He said that education was related only physically to men, and that an education that did not touch religion was faulty. A relation of what he had done for the university showed that 300 students had enlisted and that the Seminary Red Cross had also been organized.

Dr. Kierstead dealt chiefly with foreign missions in relation to the war. He said that the efficiency of the missions had not been impaired during the past year by the falling off of financial aid from the western provinces.

**CHURCH OF ENGLAND PULPITS**

The board of missions of the Church of England met last night at the Institute, Princess Street. The attendance was good and various reports were presented and passed. The financial report was very satisfactory.

The following assignments were made: Rev. H. Bennett to the parish of Cambridge and Waterhouse; Rev. J. Alban Bates to the parish of Ludlow (N. B.); Rev. Arthur Tatstone to serve at the Cathedral for a few days; Rev. T. W. Fisher to return to New Brandon, Gloucester county (N. B.); Rev. Mr. Ellis, formerly of Moncton, to go to Shediac.

Several committees of the Church of England were held in the afternoon. Much routine internal work was done by the committees on the preservation of church records, church literature, the Ordination candidates council and the board of finance. The Right Rev. Bishop of Fredericton, Archdeacon Newham, St. Stephen, and Forsyth, Chatham, were amongst those present.

**THE BAPTIST MINISTERS**

(The Maritime Baptists)

The churches at Seal Harbor and New Harbor will become vacant at the end of August. Pastor C. F. Rockingham is resigning the work to enter upon a course of study at Acadia.

Rev. A. W. Currie, of Penobscot will have the sympathy of all in the sorrow which has come to him through the sudden tragic death of his daughter. While bidding farewell at Penobscot to a friend in the 104th she was hit by another train and so badly injured that she died without regaining consciousness.

Rev. A. C. Archibald of Lowell, Mass., will spend his vacation at Deer Brook, N. S., during July and August.

Rev. M. G. Tupper, pastor of the Baptist church at Irasburg, Vt., but formerly of Kings county, N. S., recently received word from Ottawa that his brother Carey J. Tupper had been killed in action in France.

Rev. W. H. Robinson has accepted a call to the Southampton field so recently made vacant by the lamentable death of Rev. J. B. Woodland.

The deep and sincere sympathy of the whole denomination will go out to Dr. DeWolfe, a veteran treasurer of Acadia University. On Saturday, June 24th, he was called to Ottawa by the sad intelligence of the death of his son, Avar C. Cohoon of the civil service. A useful and promising life has been brought to an early close. He will be greatly missed not only in the home circles but also in the Fourth Baptist church, of which he was a valued member.

All friends of Acadia will be glad to know that Joseph E. Howe, M. A., has been secured as house master of Acadia

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**Board Condems Three Dwellings**

At a meeting of the Board of Health yesterday, orders were given that three landlords must make necessary improvements to their premises or else close the properties.

In response to a communication from the St. John Association for the prevention of tuberculosis the board decided to contribute their share of an increase in the salary of the trained nurse employed by the association.

The secretary was instructed to proceed against all milk vendors, selling milk in the city of St. John, who have not yet taken out the necessary licence. The delinquents to date number about fourteen.

A report by Miss Brophy, with respect to cases of tuberculosis, was admitted and approved.

Dr. Johnston, dairy inspector for the city submitted a report in which it was stated that certain premises are not meeting the requirements, although, in the majority of cases, conditions were sound.

**GERMAN TRIBUTE TO CANADIAN GALLANTRY**

London, July 4—The Cologne Volkszeitung, describing the gallant stand made by the Canadians at Ypres at the beginning of the month, says many of them made an obstinate resistance, preferring to be killed rather than surrender. One general and several officers who refused to give in were killed. The general drew his sword and when a sergeant demanded his surrender he cut him through the face, whereupon an infantryman bayoneted him. Many such groups who resisted desperately and refused all mercy had to be cleared out with bombs.

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**Board Condems Three Dwellings**

The fate of Sergeant-Major Roy T. Armstrong is still in doubt. Although reported "killed in action" the authorities at Ottawa and London would not confirm this report. Hopes are now being entertained that he may be a prisoner in Germany.

The following letter dated June 14th, from Harry Armstrong, brother of the Sergeant Major, attached to the same battalion, indicates the uncertainty:

"The 2nd of June was the worst day ever seen on this front. It was terrible. Roy and I were both in it, but not together. I never wish to see anything like it again. It seemed impossible for anybody to live through it. They first exploded a mine under our trenches and then sent over thousands of shells accompanied with machine gun and rifle fire—then came the charge, but it was easy for them as most of our men were put out of action by shell fire. The men who were left, however, did great work, holding them off wonderfully, but it was impossible, so few against thousands.

"I was fearfully worried about Roy as I knew he was in the front line. I got to his company as soon as possible, but out of the six that were left, I could get very little reliable news. Some stated they had seen him after he was wounded the second time. I have tried my best ever since to get trace of him, but without results. There is still one chance he may be a prisoner in Germany."

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WANTED—IMMEDIATELY, GIRL for housework. References required. 98 Sydney. 4432-7-11

WANTED—MAID, GOOD WAGES. Apply to St. John County Hospital. 4434-7-11

PASTRY COOK WANTED, APPLY Dufferin Hotel. 4431-7-7

WANTED—COMPETENT GENERAL maid, Small family. Good wages. Apply 92 Princess street. 4431-7-8

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Mutt and Jeff—Everybody Should Have Two Vacations a Year, of Six Months . . . By "Bud" Fisher

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**NOTICE!**

WHEREAS EVERYBODY IS ENTITLED TO A VACATION AT LEAST ONCE A YEAR AND WHEREAS THERE IS NO BETTER TIME TO TAKE ONE THAN IN THE SUMMER, WE HEREBY DECLARE WAR ON WORK AND HOP TO THE MERRY OLD YEARLY LOAFING PERIOD. ROCKEFELLER, DON'T WORK SO WHY SHOULD WE. JUST WHERE WE ARE GOING WE DON'T KNOW. WE MAY GO WHERE A LOT OF OTHER GUYS MAY SPEND THEIR SUMMER, IN MEXICO. THEN AGAIN WE MAY SIMPLY GO TO CALIFORNIA AND SHOOT WILD GOATS. SHOOTING MEXICANS IS MORE EXCITING FOR THEY CAN RUN FASTER AND ARE MORE NUMEROUS. BE THAT AS IT MAY, WE WILL BE BACK IN THE PAPERS AGAIN VERY SOON SO DON'T FORGET US.

Mutt and Jeff.



LAST NIGHT'S WAR CABLES

London, July 4.—The two British official despatches issued today record little change in the situation on the British front. They show that the Germans have brought up strong reinforcements from other parts of their line, and are stubbornly contesting every yard of the British advance. Torrential rains today, however, hampered the offensive operations, and the British action was confined mostly to consolidating the ground already won.

The French have captured two more villages, and are on good roads to Peronne. But there is yet no decrease in the violence of the German attacks in the Verdun region.

Despatches from German war correspondents indicate the realization that the Central Powers are losing the initiative, which their favorable position on the interior lines enabled them to hold throughout the long course of the war. Moreover, in commenting on the enormous resources in munitions and war material the Entente Allies have been able to pile up through the wearying months of preparation, they equally recognize that a profound change has occurred in the relations of the belligerents. Simultaneously with the opening of the Anglo-French offensive, the Russian armies are again attacking on the whole length of their front.

An entirely new offensive has been opened against Prince Leopold's Bavarian forces in the region of Baranovich, where the Russians have pierced the German lines at two places; while the Italians are maintaining strong pressure along their entire front.

The British newspapers consider that these events prove that the moment of "the great squeeze" has at last arrived, and not since the war began have hopes run so high. Nevertheless, almost every British correspondent on the

western front warns against being over sanguine, and daily reiterates that the progress must necessarily be slow and methodical.

Up to the present the Anglo-French captures in the battle of the Somme total more than 14,000 prisoners, 12 heavy guns and 28 field guns. This booty represents, for the man in the street, a very satisfactory result of a little over three days fighting.

In the face of the exciting events on the western front, the Russian operations, to some extent, have been lost sight of, but they are of increasing interest. Reports in the Austrian official communications of the fighting southeast of Tlumach indicate that Gen. Von Bothmer's forces must have fallen back from the Tarnopol front, in an effort to meet the threat to his communications. It is thought that Von Bothmer may be forced to retire to Lemberg.

An attack by land and sea against Field Marshal Von Hindenburg's forces in the north, together with a new Russian attack at Baranovich, promises interesting developments which are likely to have an influence in the Lutsk region, where the Germans hitherto have been able to hold the Russians.

London, July 4.—(N. Y. Times)—A despatch to the Morning Post from Berna says:

"Speaking at a meeting of the Leipzig city council on Wednesday last a Socialist councillor said:

"The people are being bled so mercilessly they must not only be impoverished but also ruined in health. Muller-Meningens has threatened that the people will rise in force and that will happen. There is an end to all patience."

London, July 4.—Russian cavalry patrols have crossed the Carpathians and entered Hungary, according to a wireless message received here from Bucharest.

of entrenchments, and machine guns everywhere.

"Only consolation is that they must be in bad shape—fed up completely. When their resistance begins to weaken they'll want to throw up the sponge, I think. But you can never tell. Fritz is certainly a fighter, and an artful beggar. Before he does give in I dare say he'll put up a stiff fight. I have a notion he'll make a big attack on our lines at Ypres before very long."

And the captain of the 26th had not been many days up the line before the Germans began their offensive against the Ypres salient, an affair that cost the Canadians over 10,000 casualties in a short time. What part the 26th played in that affair I do not know at present, but it is certain that it acquitted itself well—the old original boys and the reinforcements from the 56th and other maritime battalions.

One thing may certainly be said of the 26th—it has made itself a reputation of which the people of New Brunswick and P. E. Island may well be proud—it has worthily upheld the reputation of the First Canadians in France. If Col. McAvity, ill in England, and chafing to get back with his boys, is not permitted to return to the front, he may at least derive consolation from the conviction that the battalion will "carry on" as he would desire it to "carry on" in all grim determination to make good its hard-earned reputation for valor commensurate with the dignity of the old loyalist city.

Another thing may be said of the 26th—O. C. officers, N. C. O's and men have been like a family in France. That wasn't just the case in St. John or in England. Several young officers have said to me:

"The colonel has always been a bit of a father to us, though sometimes arbitrary and peremptory in his way. But Major Brown in St. John and England made me feel I wasn't worth my salt; very resentful he was and rather scornful. When we landed in France the colonel became more fatherly, and Major Brown—well he changed completely. Times when I could hardly keep my eyes open and didn't know whether my platoon was standing on its hands or feet, the major would come along, borrow a cigarette, and tell yarns and jokes that soon had us wide awake, unmindful of fatigue and laughing at life and death. Marvellous old campaigner! And the colonel would come along and talk to us in the same comradely manner—though with less of the old soldier's bluntness."

The colonel was loathe to relinquish his command; always keen to share the dangers and troubles of his men. He took no furlough—though entitled to it by all the rules of the game—all illness obliged him to leave England.

COLIN McKAY HAS CHAT WITH CAPT. McAVITY

(Continued from page 1.)

The 26th expended much ingenuity and labor on their trenches; made them in dry weather fairly tenable, if not exactly cozy. Then with the rest of the Canadians they moved into the Ypres salient, and began to find life more exciting. There it has been for weeks, mainly a matter of fighting for positions in the shell and mine craters, with little chance of constructing tenable trenches. In the night one side might manage to erect a parapet of sand bags, and dig a shallow trench connecting two craters; the next morning the opposing artillery blew down the sand bags and messed up the trench. All day each side crouched under intermittent shell fire; all night the efforts at trench making were interrupted by bombing parties in mostly making more noise than damage.

"It's mainly an artillery duel," observed the captain. "Maybe the artillerymen enjoy it, but when you're the target—it's not at all pleasant. According to most of the newspapers you'd think that the Germans had exhausted their supplies of men and munitions—that it was all over except the shouting. But up the line you get a different impression. While they've been hammering away at Verdun, fighting the greatest battle of all history, they've been pumping shells into our front and most of the British front harder than they ever did before. It's really marvellous the way they keep up the deluge of shells."

"Some time ago, when I was on leave in London, I had a talk with an Australian officer, and he said to me: 'By all accounts the German artillery is pretty good, but you ought to have been in Gallipoli—then you'd have known something about shell-fire. The way the Turks threw over shells was the limit.' The other day I met the same chap, and asked him how the German artillery compared with that of the Turks. 'Well,' he said, 'I thought old Abdul could throw over shells like a house afire, but he's not in the same class with old Fritz. Certainly old Abdul threw them over a power of shells, but it was mostly small stuff. Old Fritz starts sniping at you with 42 and 59, and that's a pretty entertainment. When he gets busy throwing over heavy stuff—well, son, his entertainment knocks old Abdul's into a cocked hat. Old Fritz is a wonder,' said the Australian."

"When will it be finished?"

"That's what we'd all like to know. Some say it may go on for another year and a half. I have a feeling that it will end before Christmas. We've been making big preparations; but then we don't know what Fritz has been doing. He's got a good punch left yet."

"Any day we can take a few of their trenches. And they can do the same with us. It's mainly a matter of concentrating artillery fire. If we could

get them out in the open and have a real go at them, we could drive them all right. But they have line after line

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London, June 7.—During the first months of the war the allies were most complacent about the economical aspect of the great conflict. England, with her enormous wealth, thrifty France and rich Russia were considered to furnish a combination of financial strength that the central powers could never compete with.

BASEBALL
Boys' Club League.
The Beavers will play the Victorians this evening on the Peters playground.
Remainder of Schedule.
July 6.....Boys' Club vs. Victors
July 7.....Beavers vs. Victors
League Standing.
Victors..... 7 4 687
Boys' Club..... 6 4 660
Alerts..... 6 5 543
Victors..... 2 8 206

Mathewson has been ailing since he pitched against the Braves in rain and mud last week.
Catcher Doolin is coaching Pie Wain as former Yale pitcher.
The Clevelanders have secured two new pitchers in addition to Beebe. They are John Ferguson of the Portsmouth Ohio State League Club, a right hander, who has won eleven out of twelve games, and Lee Fohl, who when his star pitcher Merion recovers from an injury the Clevelanders will pass the Yankees.

WILLARD AND MORAN.
There are thousands of well-informed boxing experts who believe that in a contest longer than ten rounds, Frank Moran, the challenger, will outpoint Jess Willard and wrest the world's championship boxing title from that marvelous athlete.
A study of the motion-pictures meeting at Madison Square is said by those who have seen both the actual combat and the films, to show an entirely different light on the loser. It is certain that in the pictures at least, Moran gives every reason for the support and admiration of his followers.

THE TURE.
To Attend Races.
H. G. Kitchen, W. E. Vaughan and Thomas Raymond left Fredericton yesterday morning for Houlton to attend horse races there. They made the trip in Mr. Kitchen's automobile.
Houlton Races Postponed.
Houlton, Me., July 4.—On account of the muddy condition of the track the horse racing meet scheduled here for today has been postponed to Thursday, July 6.

STUCK UP FOR HIM.
'I was a real hero today.'
'In what way?'
'The mob at the ball game were all against the umpire, and I had the nerve to tell them that I thought his decisions were all right.'
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'The Tribune, of course, gives only the general opinion, but it is the duty of the press to educate as well as to give expression to public opinion. To ignore the serious risks undertaken by Samsonoff and Townsend—risks that were deliberately undertaken for a common purpose—is not quite justice or history.
NAPHER OF MAGDALA.
Lyndale, Ire of Skye, May 28, 1916.

THE BIG LEAGUES
Double Headers Across The Border Yesterday
Holiday Games Close
Brooklyn Took Two From The Giants; Boston Won Both Games in American League
National League
At New York: Brooklyn 7; New York 6 (afternoon) Brooklyn 5; New York 2.
At Pittsburgh: Chicago 5; Pittsburgh 0.
Second game: Pittsburgh 1; Chicago 0.
At St. Louis: St. Louis 8; Cincinnati 1.
Second game: St. Louis 4; Cincinnati 1.
American League
At Philadelphia: Boston 11; Philadelphia 2.
Second game: Boston 5; Philadelphia 2.
At Cleveland: Detroit 6; Cleveland 2.
Second game: Cleveland 6; Detroit 2.
At Washington: New York 1; Washington 0.
Second game: Washington 6; New York 4.
At Chicago: St. Louis 2; Chicago 1.
Second game: Chicago 7; St. Louis 6 (18 innings).
International League
At Baltimore: Newark 8; Baltimore 2.
Second game: Baltimore 5; Newark 1.
At Richmond: Richmond 5; Providence 8.
Second game: Richmond 6; Providence 1.
In Rochester: Montreal 10; Rochester 2.
Second game: Montreal 4; Rochester 1.
At Buffalo: Buffalo 2; Toronto 0.
Second game: Buffalo 5; Toronto 2.

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**THE MONCTON BRIDGE**

Moncton, July 4.

Editor Times:—In your issue of July 3, you give prominence to an item copied from the "North Shore Leader," which you say speaks for Hon. John Morrissey, making reference to matters connected with our contract for the construction of the sub-structure of the Moncton bridge over the Petitcodiac River.

It is not our policy to notice comment in reference to our work, but this article is so absolutely false and so evidently inspired by a discarded politician, who is more largely endowed with the spirit of a disappointed office holder than brains, that we are bound to refer to it.

In the first place, we have a job in hand which the late honorable minister endeavored to award the Foundation Company, Ltd., at a price much in excess of our figure for the same work. We do not question the ability of the Foundation Company to have carried this job to completion, had same been placed in their hands, but we see no reason to assume that our company has not shown unquestioned ability to carry out its work according to its contract.

We know of only one job in the eastern provinces where the conditions were as difficult as this Petitcodiac River at Moncton, and this job we refer to was on the Shubenacadie River near Mailand. Who built that work and what were their experiences? A New York company, included in the personnel of

**The Man In The Street**

The most popular phrase: "It looks like more rain." ...

And no one comes back with the old saying that appearances are deceiving.

Mr. Mahoney must be fond of lickings, if he wants to try his luck in Westmorland again.

Why let Westmorland have all the fun? The Liberals in St. John would enjoy an opportunity to trim a couple of government candidates, and the empty seats are awaiting occupants.

Five divorces granted at Fredericton yesterday and four more cases on the docket! New Brunswick seems to be getting the habit.

The next divorce case of importance will be settled at the polls instead of in the courts, when the case of the People of New Brunswick versus the Government of New Brunswick comes to trial.

The American eagle did not flap its wings quite so vigorously on its anniversary yesterday, was it because of the missing feathers?

Sydney is chuckling over having captured the nickel refining plant. And, when the breeze blows from the direction of the new plant, the citizens cast their handkerchiefs from their nostrils long enough to console themselves with the old saying that "it's an ill wind (with emphasis on ill) that blows nobody good."

The chief indoor sport among the farmers along the lower reaches of the river these days is the joyful task of figuring out how much they can afford the government for the Valley Railway right of way.

"Where Ignorance is Bliss, 'Tis Folly to Be Wise."

A good story is told at the expense of one of the local commission brokers who, while calling on one of the North West wholesale firms on July 4th, overheard a competitor, representing some American staple lines, make the remark that, as this was a holiday, there was no change in the market. Without stopping to think that yesterday was the Glorious Fourth, the first broker butted in with the question: "Say—(calling him by his Christian name), is this your birthday?" It was too good a joke to spoil for the innocent broker and neither buyer nor the other broker enlightened him regarding the nature of the holiday.

An Unwilling Acrobat

Did you ever see a man standing on his head while holding the reins on a spirited horse?

No? Well, it isn't done, usually, but once in a while stunts like that are pulled off for the benefit of the privileged observers.

An automobile party coming in the Marsh road passed a carriage in which were a driver and another chap, the latter leading a second horse. They noticed that the led horse appeared restive and so slowed down. The auto driver then turned around to see how the other was getting along, and the sight that greeted his eyes was that of the passenger standing on his head in the middle of the road, still grasping the reins of his unruly steed. Rushing back to make inquiries he found that the man had adopted the course as the best means of controlling the situation. The led horse, frightened by the car, had stopped suddenly and the result was a sudden fight through the air, ending as the chauffeur had seen. There was no serious damage done but the volunteer has sworn not to lead any more horses to town.

Why He Was Sore

Soon after the recent Nova Scotia elections two Liberal business men were standing in the city market discussing the glorious victory with considerable elation. When their conversation was over, one of them turned to a stall holder to ask him the price of some meat. Instead of quoting the price, the market man spluttered out that he would sell no meat at all to a — Grit. The would-be purchaser, naturally, was surprised to find a merchant letting his politics interfere with a sale, but later on, he realized that the indignation displayed was not so unreasonable. The Liberal victory in Nova Scotia had cost the market man just a cool \$200 on a bet.

**NO PLAYGROUND FOR KIDDIES OF FAIRVILLE THIS YEAR**

The fact that the city playgrounds opened yesterday brings to mind that there will be no effort made in Fairville this year to provide supervised play for the kiddies. Three years ago some ladies with the community council raised sufficient means by a tag day to equip the playground and operate it for two seasons, without making any further public appeal, a small deficit being made up by few generous citizens.

This year, however, with the many demands of patriotic causes, the committee felt they could not successfully conduct a money-raising campaign and so the wee tots are also bearing their share in the great war.

All the iron swings and other portable equipment are stored in the school house ready to be used when required. The school is outside, but well covered from the weather, and next summer perhaps the old school field will again resound with the joyous chatter of youngsters in holiday time.

Meanwhile there is a great opportunity for some person of means and inclination to give "these little ones" a very helpful summer, the direct results of which, no doubt, would mean much in their future.

**MR. WALLACE IS AWAY TO HAMILTON**

R. G. Wallace, who has been manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at St. John for some four and a half years, left last evening to assume his new position in Hamilton, Ontario. Mr. Wallace carries with him the hearty good wishes of St. John business men. The affairs of the Bank of Nova Scotia have been ably managed by him during a period which called for tact as well as business ability. This condition arose out of the amalgamation of the Bank of New Brunswick with the Bank of Nova Scotia, and it involved a great amount of work. Mr. Wallace proved to be the right man in the right place.

Apart from his banking activities he has been very active in all patriotic and charitable work, and his readiness to respond to every call to the full extent that his family duties permitted. That both she and Mr. Wallace will win their way in Hamilton goes without saying.

**WITH THE LOCAL SOLDIERS**

Capt. Jas. M. Magee, D.D.S., is temporarily administering the office of officer in charge of dental service for No. 6 District at Albertopolis, while Capt. G. K. Thomson is at Valcartier, organizing a C. A. D. surgery.

Paymaster Sergeant C. Le Roi Moore, of the 28th King's Battalion will proceed tonight to Halifax to take a course in the paymaster's office in Halifax.

Lieut. Roy A. Davidson of the 118th Battalion is home from Valcartier, owing to the serious illness of his father, he is accompanied by Mrs. Davidson.

Lieut. J. F. Mahony of the 2nd regiment has returned from Altonabon after he has successfully passed the lieutenant's examinations in infantry.

Otty Polkins, son of R. W. Polkins of this city returned home recently from Toronto, where he was in the employ of the G. T. P. as an engineer, and is assisting in securing recruits for No. 1 Construction Company of which he is a member. This company has now a strength of about 800 and has received offices in Toronto, Winnipeg, Montreal and through the maritime provinces. Twenty-four men for this unit arrived in the city today.

**LOCAL NEWS**

**WAS ONLY 20 YEARS OLD.**

The late Private William F. Peacock, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Peacock, of Little River, whose death occurred on July 1, as the result of wounds received on March 29, was only twenty years of age, and not twenty-three, as at first reported.

**MRS. CHARLOTTE MILNE.**

William J. Nagle of this city has received the sad news of the death of his only sister, Mrs. Charlotte Milne, widow of Gideon F. Milne, at her home in Dorchester, Mass. Mrs. Milne who was a daughter of the late William and Catherine Nagle of this city, was first married to the late James L. Hamilton of this city by whom she leaves one son, Robert L. Hamilton of Independence, Kan., and one daughter, Mrs. Norman Shaw of this city. By her second husband she leaves one son, William Milne of Chicago, and two daughters, Mrs. John Ayres of Dorchester, Mass., and Mrs. Devonport, also in the United States. Her death occurred on June 22, and interment was made in Dorchester.

**SHACKLETON ARRIVES AT PUNTA ARENAS, CHILE**

Punta Arenas, Chile, July 5.—Sir Ernest Shackleton, Antarctic explorer, arrived here today.

Punta Arenas, the most southerly town in the world, situated on the Strait of Magellan is the port where the Uruguayan government has fitted out another relief expedition to rescue the main body of Lieut. Shackleton's Antarctic party left on Elephant Island. Shackleton's first attempt to reach Elephant Island on a vessel lent by Uruguay failed, and on June 25 he returned to Port Stanley, Falkland Islands.

**LIEUT. KNOWLTON OF 26TH TO STAFF AT SHORNECLIFF**

Lieut. C. D. Knowlton of the 26th Battalion has been appointed to the instructional staff at Shornecliff, England. Some time ago it was reported that it was possible that he would return to Canada and take command of a company in Lieut.-Colonel Guthrie's battalion in recognition of the young man's excellent service. The position at Shornecliff, however, is a very acceptable one and his many friends will be delighted to hear of his promotion. Just what position he has received is not known, but it is understood that the position is a good one.

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