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WEATHER—SNOW

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BRITISH ARMY WINS FURTHER SUCCESSES IN NORTH FRANCE

BRITISH PENETRATE THIRD TRENCH LINE

Enemy's Position Entered Northeast of Armentiere--- Mine Blown Up By British Southeast of Loos With Good Effect --- French Do Little Fighting Yesterday Because of Severe Wintry Weather.

BAD WEATHER PREVAILING ON NEARLY ALL BATTLE FRONTS MILITARY OPERATIONS HAVE BEEN HELD TO VIRTUALLY SMALL ENGAGEMENTS—SNOW STORMS BRING OPERATIONS SOUTHWEST OF RIGA TO A HALT.

London, Jan. 29.—The report from British headquarters in France tonight reads: "We blew a mine yesterday afternoon southwest of Lens with good effect. Early this morning we raided the enemy's lines northeast of Vermelles, bombing his dugouts and inflicting many casualties. "The enemy's positions also were entered by us last night northeast of Armentiere. Our troops penetrated the enemy's third line again and destroyed his dugouts, together with their occupants. A considerable number of Germans encountered in the trenches were killed. In addition a few prisoners were secured in the course of these raids. "There was considerable artillery activity on both sides during the day north of the Somme and also in the Ypres sector. We caused a large fire in the enemy's lines. Our heavy artillery has been active north of the Ancre and against the enemy's headquarters, billboards and dumps in the neighborhood of Lens. "Much successful work was accomplished by our airplanes yesterday, and some fighting took place in the air. One enemy machine was destroyed. One of our machines is missing."

Heavy Gun Fire.
Paris, Jan. 29.—The communication issued by the war office tonight reads: "Artillery actions on both sides and grenade fighting occurred in the sector of Hill 304, on the left bank of the Meuse. Long range artillery engagements took place in Lorraine. The usual cannonade occurred on the rest of the front. "An enemy airplane was brought down by our artillery in the region of Dannemarie. Bombs have been dropped on the open town of Luneville; there were no casualties. "Belgian communication: "Particularly lively artillery fighting took place in the course of the day in the sectors of Dixmude, Steenstraete and Het Sas. In the direction of Ramscappelle and Noordschoote the artillery duel was less violent."

Fighting in Turkey.
London, Jan. 29.—A British official communication issued this evening concerning the fighting on the Iraq front in Asiatic Turkey says: "As the result of operations Saturday night and Sunday we are now in complete possession of Turkish first and second lines southwest of Kut-el-Amara, on the right bank of the Tigris on a front of 4,500 yards. We also hold the enemy's third and fourth lines on a frontage of 600 yards. "Turkish dead to the number of 950 already have been counted and collected. More remain to be counted. Prisoners aggregating 127 were taken, together with one gun, one machine, three trench mortars and a quantity of other material."

Russians Repel Turks.
Petrograd, Jan. 29, via London.—In their offensive movement in Galicia, south of Brzany, the Russians captured and blew up a number of trenches held by the Turks, afterwards drawing to the original Russian line, where attacks launched by the Turks were twice repulsed. "The text of the statement reads: "Western front: In the Riga region the enemy's activity was limited to fire directed upon our trenches. "Southwest of the village of Potutory, 623 miles south of Brzany, our troops during Friday night gained possession, after bayonet fighting of the enemy's first line trenches. "Notwithstanding a number of desperate counterattacks by the Turks,

which were repulsed with great enemy losses, our troops exploded six enemy mine galleries, demolished his trenches and withdrew to our original position. After this the Turks twice attacked our detachments but were beaten back. "During our occupation of the enemy's trenches we captured one officer and twenty-eight men of the Turkish rank and file. "Roumanian front: During the battle of Saturday northeast of Jacobeni, southwest of Kimpolung, our detachments took prisoner thirty officers and more than 1,000 men. "Caucasus front: The situation is unchanged."

Berlin Statement.
Berlin, Jan. 29, via Tuckerton.—In the fighting along the northern end of the Russo-Galician front, in the region of the River Aa, the Germans have increased the number of Russian prisoners to twenty officers and 2,700 men, the Overseas News Agency says. They also have captured twenty-one machine guns and two mine throwers. "There was less activity on both sides of the Aa on Wednesday night," says the news agency, "but on Thursday morning the Russians resumed the attack, bringing in fresh troops. The Russians were mowed down by the German fire. The gaps in their ranks were filled with new reserves, who were sent to certain death. Their attempts to pierce the German line were futile. "On the western bank of the river German troops attacked, notwithstanding deep snow, and captured all the main positions. Renewed Russian attacks on Friday were repulsed."

CAPT. MASTERS CHOSEN MAYOR OF MONCTON

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 29.—The city election here today resulted as follows: Mayor, Captain J. E. Masters. Aldermen at Large, F. C. Robinson, H. H. Warman. Ward 1—A. C. Chapman, P. A. Bellevue. Ward 2—J. E. Wetmore, C. H. Milton. Ward 3—David Steeves, A. J. Curran.

LIEUT. GOV. WOOD TAKES RESIDENCE AT FREDERICTON

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Jan. 29.—Lieut. Governor Wood has taken the residence of Dr. T. C. Allen for the period of the session of the provincial legislature, opening on March 8. Dr. Allen will make a lengthy visit to the south.

ON FARMERS LARGELY DEPENDS PROSPERITY OF THE PROVINCE

Hon. James A. Murray, President Fisher and Mayor Mitchell Speak at Annual Convention of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association—Demand for Farm Products Greater than Supply—What Government has Done.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, Jan. 29.—Taking as their slogan Increased Production, farmers and dairymen from all parts of New Brunswick gathered here tonight at the opening session of the forty-first annual convention of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association. The opening meeting was fairly largely attended, but the largest delegations are expected to reach here tomorrow morning. Trains were running behind schedule tonight and as a result many of the members of the association were unable to attend the opening session. Hon. John A. Murray, minister of agriculture, delivered an instructive address.

Conference of Entente Powers on Representatives of Allies Assemble at Petrograd to Discuss Pressing Issues.
London, Jan. 29.—A conference of representatives of the Entente Powers is assembling in Petrograd, says a Reuter despatch from the Russian capital today. France is represented by Gaston Doumergue, minister of the colonies, and General Castelnau; Great Britain by Lords Milner and Revelstoke, and Italy by Senator Vittorio Scialoja and General Count Ruggeri Laderchi. These representatives, together with military and political suites accompanying them, says the despatch, have arrived for the conference.

WANTS TO TAKE \$1,000,000 FROM BANKS

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—Mr. Duncan Ross, Liberal, West Middlesex, has given notice of a resolution providing for the taking over by the government of all unclaimed bank balances amounting to a total of about \$1,000,000 now held by the banks. This money, Mr. Ross thinks, should be devoted to the patriotic fund.

REVOLUTION IN COSTA RICA

President Gonzalez Deposed from Office and is a Fugitive in United States.
San Jose, Costa Rica, Jan. 29.—President Alfredo Gonzalez, of Costa Rica, has been deposed from office by the military forces of the capital, supported by a great number of citizens. The administrative power has been conferred on the Minister of War, Frederico Tinoco. The deposed president was allowed to leave the city and he fled to the United States. A successor will be elected on April 1. High taxation and his desire to hold office for another term led to Gonzalez's downfall. He was elected in 1914.

\$300,000 JEWEL ROBBERY

Lenox, Mass., Jan. 29.—The theft of jewels valued at \$300,000 from the summer home here of Mrs. Robert

DR. EDWARDS SHARPLY CENSURES MR. CANNON

Quoted Laurier's "Dear Lucien," the Rejected of Dorchester, as Saying "If You Elect Sevigny There Will Be No End to Sacrifices Canada Will Have to Make."

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—(By leased wire)—Before the orders of the day were called Mr. McKenna, Lib., Cape Breton, drew the attention of the Prime Minister to a telegram which he had received from the Nova Scotia Underwear Company, complaining of alleged unwarranted confiscation of coal consigned to private firms in order to meet the coal shortage of the government railways in the Maritime Provinces. The company complained that the action of the intercolonial management in commandeering coal privately owned was illegal, high-handed and unnecessary.

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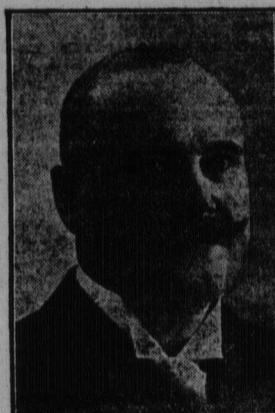
PREMIER GIVES EMPHATIC DENIAL TO TURRIF'S STATEMENT

Assiniboia Member who Carried Grit Boodle Bag to Carleton Co., Had Charged Sir Robert Borden with Being Opposed to Recruiting.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—(By leased wire)—An unequivocal denial was given by Sir Robert Borden in the Commons today to an allegation with regard to his attitude towards recruiting made by Mr. J. G. Turriff during the course of his speech in the debate on Friday. Mr. Turriff had told the House of Commons that the Prime Minister had intimated to the Toronto Recruiting Committee last spring that, if he had his way, there would be no more recruiting in Canada and the attention of the people would be turned to the development of their industries.

PARLIAMENT MAY WORK OVERTIME

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—With a view to expediting the business of parliament which must be put through before Sir Robert Borden leaves for the old country, the prime minister has given notice of a resolution providing for Wednesday night and Saturday sittings of the House for this week and next. The resolution also provides that government orders shall have precedence over all other business.



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ANOTHER BIG QUEBEC CHURCH IS BURNED

Lennoxville Edifice, Fourth in Past Few Months.
Sherbrooke, Que., Jan. 29.—The fourth serious church fire in Quebec during the past few months occurred at Lennoxville late Saturday, when St. Anthony's Roman Catholic edifice was burned. A short circuited wire was the cause of the fire. The loss is \$30,000. The day before the beautiful parish church at St. Louis de Courville, Montmorency Co., was destroyed, the blaze starting from the furnace. The loss was \$100,000, insurance \$75,000.

THE LIFE OF DR. VAN ALLEN THREATENED

Pro-Germans in Boston Peevish with Celebrated Rector of Church of the Advent—Known in St. John.
Boston, Jan. 29.—Rev. Dr. William H. Van Allen, rector of the Church of the Advent (Episcopal), states that he has received three letters containing threats against his life because he believes, he has been outspoken in denouncing Prussianism. The rector, every Friday night during the month, has talked on different phases of the war and has freely expressed his condemnation of certain published acts. Speaking of the letters, the rector said that "it is a rotten cause that has with it the desire to assassinate its critics. I have yet to hear of threats to critics from the French, the English, the honest Irishman, or from the honest German. Of the pro-Kaiser sort, however, this is not so. I do not take these letters seriously and have no yet asked permission to carry a revolver."

NOVA SCOTIAN COULD NOT MARRY BOY

Latter Arrested in Somerville When Couple Apply for Marriage License.

Boston, Jan. 29.—Because he claimed to be twenty-one years old when he was only nineteen, John Leo DeLay, a state house employe, is under arrest. DeLay and Miss Helen G. Otis, a stenographer, also nineteen, went to Somerville hall to get a marriage license, when he called a second time he was arrested. Miss Otis is a Nova Scotia girl and lives with her aunt, Ella C. Sutherland, in Somerville. Her parents reside in Nova Scotia. It is not known when the wedding will occur.

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THE MEMBER FOR RICHMOND, MR. KYTE, NOTWITHSTANDING HIS RECKLESS CHARGES FELL TO THE GROUND LAST SESSION, PLAYS TO THE GALLERIES AGAIN—HON. CHARLES MURPHY PUT UP BY LAURIER TO DEMAND INVESTIGATION OF HUGHES CHARGES.

Ottawa, Jan. 29.—(By leased wire)—as to whether the Irish Rangers of Montreal were to be broken up or would be enabled to go to the front as a unit. Hon. Mr. Kemp replied that he was getting a report from Sir George Perley, overseas minister of militia, in regard to the question. The Carvell of Richmond, Geo. W. Kyte, Lib., of Richmond, in resuming the debate on the address, noted at the outset that as yet no member of the government with the exception of Sir Robert Borden, had made any attempt to reply to the criticism from the opposition benches since the debate started. No account had been given of the stewardship of the past year, nor had any explanation been offered in regard to the charges made by Sir Sam Hughes in his letter of resignation from the government. Mr. Kyte thought that parliament and the country were entitled to more frank and courteous treatment. The member for Richmond had considerable to say in regard to the recent appointment of senatorial representatives from Nova Scotia. He noted that the appointment of Senators Tanner and Crosby left Cape Breton without any senatorial representation whatever, although up to the time of the present parliament the island never had less than three senators.

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Several years ago a shot was fired through a sanctuary window of the Church of the Advent while Rev. Dr. Van Allen was officiating. Rev. Dr. Van Allen is no stranger in St. John. Two or three years ago he preached a sermon at the Mission Church of St. John Baptist. He is one of the most powerful preachers in the United States and is usually outspoken in his opinions. He is one of the high church leaders in Massachusetts, service order, the Queen's medal with two clasps and the King's medal with two clasps.

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TRANSPORT SUNK IN THE MEDITERRANEAN SEA

MONCTON HAS SET EXAMPLE TO PROVINCE

Railway City Made Particularly Good Showing in Filling Out and Returning National Service Cards.

The magnificent showing made by the City of Moncton in filling out and returning national service cards is one that might be profitably emulated by every parish, town and city in the province. Approximately 90 per cent. of the cards sent out have been returned through the postman satisfactorily filled out by the recipient.

Postmen.	Cards Distributed.	Cards Collected.
Leo J. Doucet.....	668	514
W. D. LeBlanc.....	389	356
C. E. Welton.....	427	440
J. W. S. Milton.....	522	482
S. H. Mills.....	724	613
George Gilvear.....	419	403
Lloyd Ripley.....	419	201
Gordon Addy.....	221	201

Major L. P. D. Tilley, director of national service for New Brunswick, will be leaving St. John for Ottawa the first of next week to attend a meeting of the directorate at the capital. He informed The Standard yesterday that the returns from the postmasters throughout the province were of a very satisfactory nature, the exemption of three or four who have not as yet taken upon themselves the responsibility of seeing that each and every individual to whom a card is given fills it out and returns it. In cases of which there are a large number, where the postmaster takes a deep interest in the man power census of his particular community the results have been highly gratifying. Only a very small percentage of the population have absolutely refused to accept the card.

MAINE PUPILS SEND MONEY TO DR. FRINK

The pupils of Miss Nellie Whitaker's school in the Hayden district of Fort Fairfield, Me., have forwarded a sum of money to former Mayor James H. Frink for the Belgian sufferers. Dr. Frink wrote a letter to Miss Whitaker, thanking the school for its gift and complimenting the Maine boys and girls on the splendid spirit manifested.

TWO QUEENS CO. MEN INJURED IN WOODS

Special to The Standard. White's Cove, Jan. 29.—Jarvis Barton of Mill Cove while chopping in the woods cut his foot badly and is laid up. P. R. McLean while chopping last week in the woods fell and broke some of his ribs and is at present confined to the house.

SOLDIERS HONORED AT NEWCASTLE CHURCH

Special to The Standard. Newcastle, Jan. 29.—A special service in honor of our brave Canadian soldiers was held in the Methodist church last night, at the close of which the pastor, Rev. Dr. C. W. Squires unveiled an honor roll of forty-three names. Of the number, Bernard Briggs, Raymond Hare and David Jordan gave up their lives.

TRANSPORT SHIP FILLED WITH TROOPS SUNK BY SUBMARINE

Berlin Claims Also that German U-Boat Torpedoed British Tank Steamer Garfield in Eastern Mediterranean—Apparently those on Troopship Perished.

Berlin, Jan. 29, via wireless to Tuckerton, N. J.—The sinking of a transport ship filled with troops in the Mediterranean by a German submarine on January 25 was announced today by the admiralty. The vessel sank in ten minutes.

The following announcement was issued: "A German submarine in the Eastern Mediterranean on Jan. 25 sank a fully laden steamer of about 5,000 tons, and on Jan. 15 the armed British tank steamer Garfield, 3,800 tons, bound from Malta to Port Said with coal and oil. The captain of the Garfield was made prisoner.

"The same submarine on Jan. 25, about 250 miles east of Malta, sank with a torpedo an armed hostile transport steamer, proceeding eastward, conveyed by a French torpedo boat. The steamer, which was crammed with troops, sank within ten minutes.

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Dr. Edwards said Sir Wilfrid Laurier and other Liberal leaders in Quebec had been making statements calculated to stir up strife and to give an excuse for not enlisting. He quoted a statement by the naval expert of the London Chronicle, the organ of British Liberals, to the effect that Admiral Beatty could have overwhelmed the enemy at the battle of Jutland had the British government been able to give him three or four more battle cruisers. That three battleships had not been available was not the fault of the Conservative members but lay at the door of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and members of the opposition.

French Enlistments. Mr. Edwards said that the view of the Nationalist leaders, and those of the prime minister had been as exacting as that of the opponents now expressed by Mr. Bourassa and his fellow Nationalists could be found in addresses of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The total number of French-Canadians enlisted throughout Canada for active service was, he said, 17,400 of whom 14,200 had gone overseas. The member for Frontenac said that no one could make him believe that French-Canadians were less courageous than the French-Canadians who had gone to the front had proved the equal of the best troops in the world. A certain set of politicians in Quebec, however, had had as their chief stock in trade anti-British talk and had sought victory by appealing to passion and race prejudices. The member for Edmonton had said that which led him to believe that the government view Dr. Edwards agreed and he asserted that just such talk had emanated from Liberal members of the house, including Mr. J. G. Turfiff, whose wild assertions were not calculated to encourage recruiting.

Laurier's Duplicity. From Sir Wilfrid Laurier had on a number of occasions during his long career been heard words which had a tendency to excite the regard of the people for Britain and British institutions. The fruit of such seed which had been sown by him was now being reaped in his own province. Dr. Edwards said that if Sir Wilfrid Laurier believed that the beginning of victory would be attained by the extension of the term of the present parliament in order that all the soldiers now at the front might not be discharged. Moreover, if Sir Wilfrid and his followers believed that the soldiers would vote against the government, he would have a second reason for favoring the extension of the parliament.

Hon. Charles Murphy, Lib., Russell said that three committees should be appointed to investigate the statements made by Sir Sam Hughes in his letters to the prime minister. The allegations contained in Col. Bruce's report upon the Canadian army medical service in England and the report of Sir Douglas Haig upon the Ross rifle. Mr. Murphy asserted that if the statements of Col. Bruce and Sir Douglas Haig were true many Canadian lives had been needlessly sacrificed and for that the government should be held responsible.

The debate was continued by Messrs. Hughes, Lib., Kings, P. E. I. and Nicholson, Con., Queens, P. E. I. Mr. Devlin, Lib., Wright, moved the adjournment of the debate. Sam Hughes will speak tomorrow afternoon.

Congratulates Sevligny. He offered his congratulations to Hon. Albert Sevligny but still more to the people of Dorchester county and took their verdict as an omen that the day of political demagogues in Quebec had passed.

Referring to Hon. Charles Marcell's statement that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had offered to let past by-election go by acclamation because of his desire to keep Canada united. Dr. Edwards asked whether Sir Wilfrid's views in this respect had changed? If not, why the opposition in Dorchester? Mr. Marcell had predicted the defeat of Mr. Sevligny because public men must be held to their declarations. Had Sir Wilfrid Laurier ever been true to his word? How about free trade, the reform of the senate and a hundred other policies?

Corners Marcell. Dr. Edwards after reading the Nationalist resolutions declaring against Canada's participation in foreign wars, then queried Hon. Charles Marcell as to whether those views had been wrong in 1911 and were wrong now. Mr. Marcell answered yes to both questions, whereupon Dr. Edwards insisted that that did not prove that Mr. Sevligny had been wrong in 1911 and was therefore all the more right now. He drew attention to Mr. Marcell's statement that if the minister of inland revenue had preached the same doctrine now as in 1911 he would have been returned by acclamation.

The Bonaventure member, however, rose to explain that this had been a misrepresentation of his statement which had been really the other way about. Further statements by Dr. Edwards then drew from Sir Wilfrid Laurier the assertion that he had intended Mr. Sevligny should be re-elected in Dorchester because in 1911 he had been beating the party drums in Quebec and appealing to the vast

MAYOR PARKER GRIMMER IS UNOPPOSED

Popular St. Stephen Executive Will Serve for Third Term—Election Wednes-day.

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, Jan. 29.—Nominations for the town elections to be held on Wednesday closed tonight. For mayor F. Parker Grimmer is returned by acclamation for a third term.

The council nominations in Queen ward are Thomas Toal and W. George Nelson, members of last year's board, and John M. Fwelling.

In Kings ward they are Leroy Hill and William S. Higgins of the old board, Amos A. Mallory and D. A. Nesbitt.

In Dukes F. D. J. Graham and David Johnson, members of the old board, are returned by acclamation. Two councillors are chosen by each ward.

For assessors C. N. Vroom and T. K. McGetchy are unopposed. Mayor Grimmer has filled the office for two years and has made an excellent record. His administration has been careful and judicious and he has taken a prominent and creditable part in all local activities of the war. He is represented by three sons in khaki, two of whom have been in the trenches for many months and it is confidently expected that he will be supported by a strong council board during the coming year. His unanimous return to the mayoralty chair at this time is a well deserved recognition of valuable public service.

DEEP MYSTERY DIMS HISTORY OF COLUMBUS

Shows Discoverer a Mystic with Visions Tinged by Avarice.

Four and a quarter centuries have passed since Christopher Columbus sailing in search of the golden shores of Cathay and India, "discovered" a new world. Yet the clouds of mystery have lifted little from the personality of this greatest of adventurers since that time. His origin, the experiences of a good two-thirds of his life, even the date of his birth, are but matters of guesswork today. And to the closing days of his life are revealed to us more in myth and legend than in actual historical fact.

The most popular of living Spanish authors, Blas Ibanez, in a recent novel, treats much of a "certain Christopher" known also as Colombo, but he lifts the veil only a trifle. He pictures more the great navigator's amazing complexities, his inconsistencies and his frailties. Whether Columbus was, as he always claimed, a Genoese, or whether he was a Portuguese or a Jew, Ibanez confesses he cannot ascertain. The novelist finds little evidence to support the sailor's contention of Genoese ancestry and much to support the belief to the contrary.

His "Favor That of Fanatic." Ibanez declares that Columbus had "all the characteristics of the ancient Hebrew; a religious fervor to the point of fanaticism, a tendency to prophecy, and an aptitude to mix religion with business. The cryptic phrases of Isaiah guided him as strongly as did logic and mathematics. Victims, too, he had, and once he claimed to have talked with God in person." A fantastic, fanatical mystic, yet with a very material streak in his make-up, the man seems to have been.

Nowhere have historians been able to find a trace of Columbus's life in Genoa or of any admitted relatives there. He claimed a relationship to the great seafaring family of Colombo, famous among Genoese navigators; but the family of Colombo did not admit of this relationship. Some historians have maintained that Columbus professed this high Genoese origin in order to obtain a better hearing before the Spanish court, already plagued with cranks who believed in lands beyond the seas.

That Columbus lived in Lisbon for a time has been established, for his will leaves certain sums to "merchants in Lisbon with whom he had dealt," and from whom Ibanez finds it easy to believe, the navigator had borrowed money quite extensively in his days of penury. The will also leaves a sum to a "Jew who used to

FIRST EARL OF CROMER DEAD

London, Jan. 29.—Evelyn Baring, first Earl of Cromer, former British agent and consul-general in Egypt, died suddenly this evening. He had been ill for some time.

The Earl of Cromer was born in 1841. He was appointed British agent and consul-general in Egypt in 1883, but resigned in 1907 owing to ill-health. It was said that Earl Cromer's sway in Egypt had been almost as absolute as that of an Emperor.

Grip Never Falls. A crop that apparently never fails is that of drunks, for there is hardly a day but a number of names are registered in the King Street East rest house with "drunk" added. Last night's total amounted to four.

OFFICIAL OPENING OF Y.M.C.I. LARGELY ATTENDED LAST NIGHT

New Recreation Building Said to Be Finest in Eastern Canada—Large Number Attend Opening Ceremonies.

A large number of visitors and friends of the Y. M. C. I. attended the formal opening of the institution yesterday afternoon and last night.

The building was thrown open to the general public at 1 o'clock and many took advantage of the opportunity to inspect one of the finest recreation buildings in eastern Canada.

During the evening the City Cornet band played a choice musical programme. The spacious assembly hall, which seats about 600, was crowded to hear His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, and several priests from the nearby parishes speak on the work of the institution. Father Gaudet of the 165th Battalion was also present.

The diving and swimming exhibition by Messrs. George Magee and James P. Winston, proved very interesting. Both gentlemen are proficient in aquatic sports. There was a large number around the swimming pool, and from the time that Magee took the first plunge the interest of the audience was shown by applause. The men executed the different strokes with great ease and grace, plainly demonstrating that the smallest child can be entrusted to their care. The instructors gave exhibitions of the different strokes including the breast, side, English overarm, Trojan and the Australian crawl.

Another feature of the aquatic exhibition was the freak and fancy diving. Such dives as the somersault, back and arm dive were efficiently executed. The basketball match between the "Ryans" and the "Willets" on the floor of the gymnasium furnished the most interest for the visitors. The game resulted in a win for the "Willets." The lineup was as follows: Ryans—Ketchum and White forwards; Hunter centre; Ryan and Marcus, defense. The Willets—Willett and Thompson, forwards; Treat, centre; Duncan and Stirling, defense. In the second half Thompson was replaced by Bambrick.

In addressing the audience in the assembly hall Bishop LeBlanc traced the institution from the inception of the idea. His Lordship said it was his desire to see at least 1,000 members in the list before the close of '17. He expressed himself as highly pleased with the support he has received from the different priests throughout the city and the Catholic people in general. He impressed upon the young men the advantages of such an institution and explained the proposed activities in the various departments.

The president of the association, John Keeffe, followed. He said that it gave him pleasure to be present on such an auspicious occasion, and felt sure that the young men of the city would lend their whole support to the success of the institution.

A musical and literary programme, in which Messrs. M. T. Morris, S. C. Hurley, P. Joyce and H. McQuade participated, brought to a close a pleasant and profitable evening.

be at the gate of Jewry in Lisbon." But not until Columbus came to the court of Ferdinand and Isabelle do the shadows lift from his life. And even the eight years he spent as a suppliant at the court are a trifle hazy. His first voyage was made when he was in his sixth year. He was penniless then and there is no reason to believe he had ever been much better off financially.

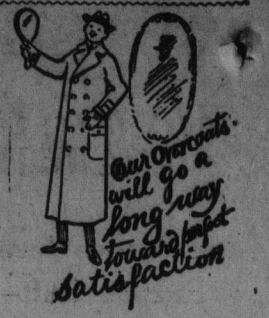
That he was born outside Spain is quite certain, for the naturalization papers given to his younger brother, Diego, a priest, so state. His family historian, Don Fernando, Columbus's illegitimate son, who accompanied him on his last voyage, substantiated this fact, but adds little further. And the most intimate conversations of the old admiral were with this favorite son.

Ibanez's book is valuable chiefly for the light it throws on the character of the navigator. "He was a man of intuition with more fancy than fact in his makeup," it states, "a combination of fanaticism, ambition and avarice; a mixture of the miserly rabbi, the imaginative Moore and the romantic knight."

The illusions that he obtained from the obscure passages of Biblical literature, assertions from the visionary Deleas, even choral passages from the "Iliad" of Seneca, persisted even after he had made three voyages to the new land. The fresh water which he noticed at sea off the coast of Venezuela came "from one of the four rivers that flow by the Earthly Paradise," he wrote.

And he located this paradise at the mouth of the Orinoco, which on a lofty mount, Elishah and Enoch awaited the day of judgment.

Mrs. Sarah Pittfield. Special to The Standard. Dorchester, Jan. 29.—The death of Mrs. Sarah Pittfield, relict of Oliver Pittfield, late of St. John City, occurred at the home of her brother-in-law, Mr. Thomas Anderson, in this town, at nine o'clock this evening. Death resulted from pneumonia contracted on Friday last.



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This long overcoat for \$15 to \$28—and when the storm is over or when walking, you want one of our knee length overcoats for comfort in getting around. When the rain is with us, you'll want a raincoat with you.

All the overcoat family are boarding with us and are ready for service—come in and get acquainted.

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RETURNED MAN GETS AN IMPORTANT POST

Another returned hero has received an important position. Esbert Robertson, of this city, who has been much service at the front, and who was badly injured, has so far recovered as to enable him to take the position of provincial organizer for the Naval Recruiting Committee. He will report today to Captain Mulcahey, the secretary of the committee.

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No cutting, no plasters or pads to press the sore spot. Putnam's Extractor makes the corn go without pain. Takes out the sting overnight. Never falls—leaves no scar. Get a 35c. bottle of Putnam's Corn Extractor today.

Lumber Manager Here. Maurice Tufts, the manager of the Pejeapoc Lumber Company at Great Salmon River, was in the city yesterday on business. Mr. Tufts is a local man who has made good with the concern and is now in complete charge of their important interests in this province. George Wallace, the woods foreman for the company, accompanied Mr. Tufts to the city.

Disorderly House Raided. About a half hour after last midnight Inspector Caplan with Sergeant Rankine and Police Constables McNamee, Biddiscombe and McAnish, made a raid on the house situated in the rear of 17 Brunswick street, and arrested Edward Marr on the charge of being the keeper of a disorderly house. The officers also placed under arrest a being immigrant, John Adams, John Kane and Fred Johnson. The quartette will appear in the police court this morning and will be given a chance to answer to the charge.

Dr. J. C. Doore was taken to the infirmary last evening suffering from a severe cold.

WHEN YOU CAN'T SLEEP YOU SHOULD USE MILBURN'S HEART and NERVE PILLS

Sleeplessness is caused by the nervous system becoming deranged. Perhaps too much worry has gotten on your nerves, perhaps you have overworked yourself, or have been excessive in your use of tobacco, but whatever the cause, the nervous system must be built up again before restful sleep can be assured.

Those whose rest is broken into by frightful dreams, nightmares, sinking and smothering sensations, who wake up in the morning as tired as they went to bed can have their old, peaceful, undisturbed, refreshing sleep back again by using Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.

Mrs. John Sloan, Haley Station, Ont., writes: "Over a year ago I was very nervous. I could not sleep at night, and I would faint at the slightest fright. I tried several doctors, but they did me practically no good. I noticed your advertisement, and immediately tried Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and I am proud to say they cured me."

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"You'll like the flavor"

BRITISH WILL ATTEND MOVEMENT

More Vessels Sighted in Washington

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START WORK ON BRIDGES

Nerepis Structure Bridge With Contractors is Substantial Progress

"Work on the construction of the Valley Railway is being pushed. Wherever it is winter works such as the bridge work substantially being made."

This was the statement The Standard yesterday. Thompson, C. E., chief of the St. John and Quebec Company.

Mr. Thompson said he would witness the completion of the bridge work above the bridge over the spring. Track laid in the field as well as from the bridge would be started in the construction of the bridge.

In connection with the intention to complete the bridge at an early date, it will have three spans, fifty feet each and of sixty feet. The structure combined road and railway.

The foundations of the bridge, which are the same size as the Nerepis, has been completed. The work on Jones Creek will also proceed.

Bring in

MR. DAVID M. H. H.

BRITISH FLEET BLOCKADES BIGHT OF HELIGOLAND

WILL ATTEMPT TO STOP MOVEMENT OF U-BOATS

More Vessels Sunk by German Under-Sea Piratical Craft—Berlin Government Tells Washington Why British Steamer Traverack Was Torpedoed.

London, Jan. 29.—The Berliner Tageblatt, says an Evening News despatch from The Hague, announces a British blockade of Heligoland Bight, involving, to some extent, portions of the Dutch and Danish coasts. It says the measure is mainly directed against the entrance and departure of German submarines.

Advice received in Washington Saturday from the American embassy at London announced a warning issued of an extension of the North Sea zone designated as "dangerous for shipping," the area extending from a point of the Jutland coast to a point seven miles off the coast of the Netherlands. This takes in the entire German North Sea coast including the German naval base at Heligoland, and including a large stretch of North Sea waters.

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START WORK ON IMPORTANT NEW BRIDGES FOR THE VALLEY RAILWAY

Nerepis Structure Will Be Combined Road and Railway Bridge With Three Spans—Labour Problem for the Contractors is a Serious One—Ross Thompson Speaks of Substantial Progress of the Work on the Valley Line.

"Work on the construction of the Valley Railway is being pushed vigorously. Wherever it is possible to do winter work such as the rock cuts and bridge work substantial progress is being made."

This was the statement made to The Standard yesterday by Ross Thompson, C. E., chief engineer for the St. John and Quebec Railway Company.

Mr. Thompson said that this week would witness the commencement of the erection of the bridge at Nerepis. It was the desire to have all the bridge work above high water mark before the spring freshets were encountered. Track laying from Westfield as well as from Gagetown south would be started in the early spring. Mr. Thompson looks forward to the early completion of the railway. Upwards of five miles of track have already been laid by the contractors for constructional purposes.

In connection with the bridge work Mr. Thompson explains that it is the intention to complete the foundation and superstructure of the Nerepis bridge at an early date. The bridge will have three spans, two approaches fifty feet each and a channel span of sixty feet. The structure will be a combined road and railway bridge. The foundations of the new bridge at Oaknobog, which structure will be the same site as the bridge across the Nerepis, has practically been completed. The work on the bridge at Jones Creek will also be pushed vigorously.

INVESTIGATION INTO THE CAUSE OF THE FIRE AT THE ST. JOHN COUNTY HOSPITAL

Building Committee of Municipal Council Hold Enquiry Yesterday—Witnesses Tell of Conditions Which Were Found—Nobody Willing to Accept Responsibility.

The inquiry into the cause of the fire at the St. John County Hospital was held yesterday afternoon in the court house by the building committee of the municipal council. The warden conducted the inquiry and the other members of the committee, Messrs. Fisher, O'Brien, Boland and the county secretary were present. Evidence was heard from those in charge of the institution, the installing parties and from a travelling representative of the firm who supplied the range, as well as from the employees of the institution who had charge of the kitchen on the night of the fire. Chief Blake and other members of the fire department also testified of conditions as they found them the night of the fire.

H. B. Schofield, chairman of the hospital commissioners, was the first witness. He told of buying the range from the Gurney Foundry Co., the kitchen fittings including the range was to cost \$1,450 installed in the building. Dr. Farris had found fault with the foundation of the furnace and he did not know himself that it was set on the wooden floor, he thought it was set on galvanized iron. He had charge of the insurance and had placed it through T. B. and H. B. Robinson, and their representative had inspected the building before the installation of the range but was satisfied with the explanation given.

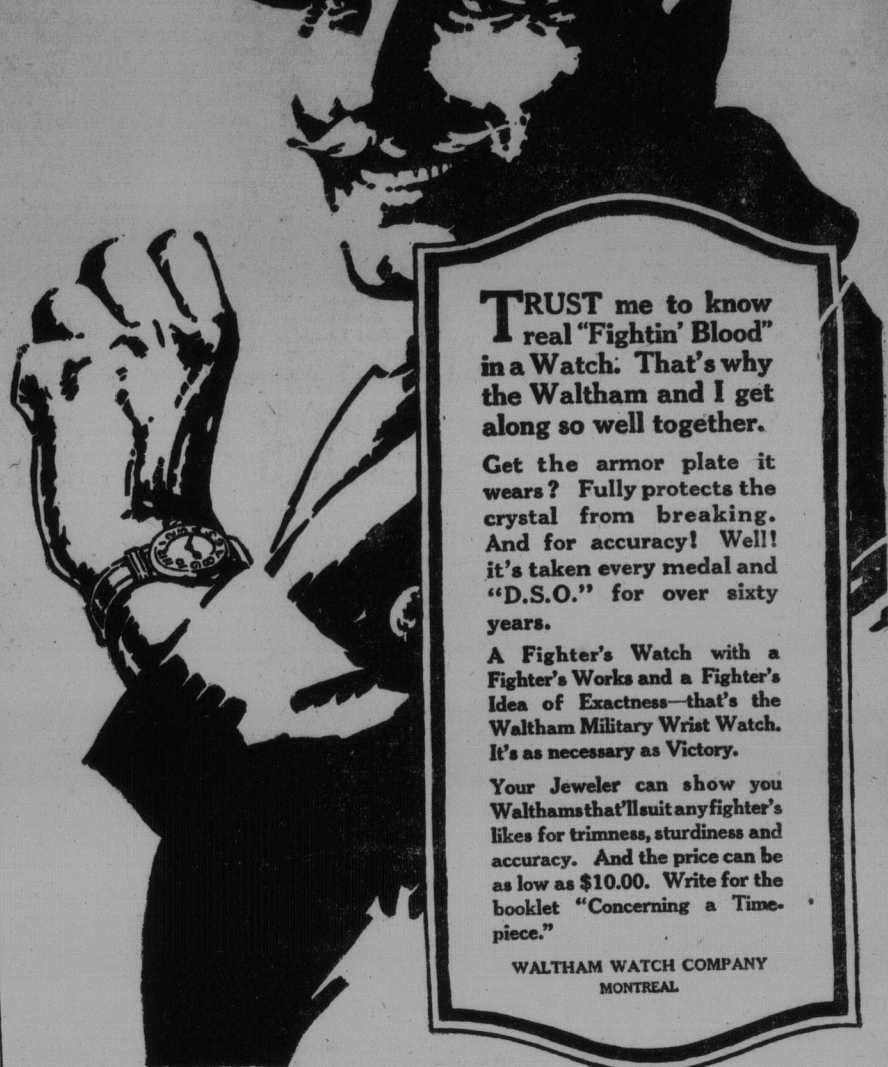
R. B. Emerson, of Emerson & Fisher, who had installed the range, was the next witness. The range had been installed by their foreman, Mr. Allan, according to directions furnished by the manufacturers. They had not sold the range nor were they agents of the Gurney Co.

W. C. Allan, foreman for Emerson & Fisher, was the next witness. He had been employed for twenty years in the business and considered himself competent to install a range such as the one in question. He had not received any detailed instructions, merely a blueprint from Mr. Brodie. There was a card in the range which said to fill a shallow pan accompanying it with sand and put it under the range but no directions regarding any foundation or brick hearth.

Dr. Farris, superintendent of the hospital, had seen a range not quite as large as this one in the provincial sanatorium in Nova Scotia, which was set on the floor and it had set fire to the floor. When the range was being installed in the hospital, he had suggested a cement base and the matter had been referred to Mr. Brodie, who had expressed himself as satisfied with the directions sent by the Gurney people and the matter had rested there. He judged that the fire had caught under the oven. He had gone into the kitchen about eight o'clock on the night of the fire and found an extra large fire in the stove and opened the top to cool it off. About eleven o'clock he was called and told by the maids that they smelled smoke and started looking for fire. When he had made sure there was a fire he sent a call to the city for help and stretched their own hose. At first there was no pressure of water, but as soon as the pump got to work they had plenty of water. He did not think that the present fire fighting equipment was sufficient for their needs and four times in the last month they had been without water all day.

Simon Aumen, assistant cook, judged that the fire was under the parti-

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WALTHAM WATCH COMPANY MONTREAL

NORTHERN N.B. IS PROSPEROUS

The growth of the towns on what is termed the North Shore of New Brunswick, especially Bathurst and Campbellton, is apparent to any visitor who goes there after an interval of several years. He finds more people, more industries, better stores, and greater activity on every side. The towns of Newcastle and Chatham, on the Miramichi, are also flourishing. That section of the province, from the Miramichi to the Restigouche, has great resources, especially in lumber, and there are many enterprising concerns which give employment to large numbers of men and pay out very large sums in yearly wages. A large development of the pulp and paper industry is one of the promising prospects of the future, and there is an abundance of raw material. There are also thirty farmers in the northern counties, and altogether that portion of New Brunswick offers much to the settler and investor. It is expected that region will provide the site for some of the farm settlement communities which the government hopes to plant in the province in the not distant future, each of them around an illustration farm to be a guide and helper for the new settler. The reclassification of the crown lands of the Province will also be of benefit to the north shore counties, providing information of much value for settlers, lumbermen and manufacturers.

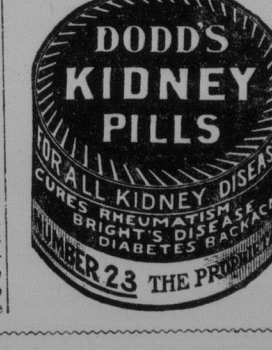
On the Miramichi at the present time there is also a good deal of interest in the development of mineral deposits which may prove of considerable value. The taking over of the railway from Campbellton to the Maine border as a permanent part of the government railway system should be followed by a policy of development of industry and traffic along that line. —Maritime Merchant.

MARKED PROSPERITY IN CANADIAN WEST

Special to The Standard.
Montreal, Jan. 29.—Grand Trunk Pacific officials in Montreal are receiving reports indicative of the prosperous conditions which prevail in the great agricultural territory served by the line in Western Canada. One correspondent at Holden, Alberta, states that with good crops and high prices received for grain, the price of raw land is keeping up to about twenty dollars an acre. This is considered cheap, however, as many farmers are regaining from the soil in a single season the whole purchase price of their land.

Special to The Standard.
Toronto, Jan. 29.—The report that ore running 4,000 ounces to the ton had been found on the Hargraves property, has been confirmed, which no doubt accounts for the renewed interest in the stock, 27,000 shares changing hands. It is thought that the new six-inch vein which has been located on the 375 foot level of the old workings, is an extension of the No. 2 vein of Kerr Lake. A wino will be sunk on this ore chute at once.

A settler in this Holden district of Alberta bought a quarter section of raw land in 1915 for \$16.50 an acre. He broke up fifty-three acres and last year sowed it to wheat, threshing \$2,900 worth of grain. The price of the farm was \$2,640, so that the one crop off fifty-three acres paid for the one



Bringing Up Father



is caused by the becoming deranged. Such worry has gotten perhaps you have tried, or have been in use of tobacco, but use, the nervous system up again before be assured.

MR. JIGGS—YOUR DAUGHTER THINKS I'M A FINE MAN—MAY I CALL ON HER AGAIN?

NO—LET HER KEEP ON THINKING IT—

SIR—I'LL HAVE YOU UNDERSTAND I'M AN OFFICER IN THE ARMY—

BY GOLLY—I'LL BET YOU'RE AFRAID OF "MILITARY HAIR BRUSHES"—WHY AREN'T YOU FIGHTING NOW?

THEY WON'T LET ME—MY TEETH ARE NOT GOOD—

YOU COME FROM A FINE COUNTRY—

BY GOLLY—THEY WANT HIM TO BITE THE ENEMY—

YOU KNOW... I-BUK... AT YOUR STORE... The blood is full of impurities... Worms in candy... Thin... Ranny Folks... Permanent Flesh... developed men and are heard to say... why I do not get... in just this: You matter how much... digestive organs... making elements of... passing them out... waste... a means of gently... active circulation... intestines to absorb... and hand them over... they may reach... taken, run-down tis... up. The thin per... a dry sponge... for the fatty mass... being deprived by... alimentary canal to... food. A splendid... overcome this sta... building elements... of fats is to...ous flesh building... so rapidly sold in... cents. Take a little... every meal and see... quickly fill out and... by flesh form over... each body and... at... is have Sargol on... whole... the one if you are not... in weight it... on the guarantee... age. It is inexpen... highly efficient... gist who is unable... \$1.00 money order... to the National... Antoine St., Mont... te ten days treat... us postpaid, in plas... is recommended... ter and while exeer... of nervous ind... been reported, care... out using it unless... desired.

65TH MEN SHOW A KEEN INTEREST IN THEIR WORK

St. John Does Well for Popular Unit in Recruiting—Enjoyable Social Function when Military Men are Civilians' Guests.

"All the boys think about is work with a chance to get overseas as soon as possible. They want to learn all they can while here, so that when they once move they will not stay near at any point. They are looking for a through ticket from Woodstock to France. The interest in the work of the battery seems to increase every day."

This was the statement made to The Standard yesterday by Captain J. C. Berrie, of this city, the second in command of Major Evans' 65th Battery, one of the most efficient artillery units in Eastern Canada.

Three recruits joined the 65th last week, two of the number being from this city and one from Woodstock. The officers of the Battery state that St. John has done well for the Battery along recruiting lines. Praise is heard for the work of Sergt. Dykeman at the local office.

"TIZ" GLADDENS SORE, TIRED FEET

No puffed-up, burning, tender, aching feet—no corns or callouses. "Tiz" makes sore, burning, tired feet fairly dance with delight. Away go the aches and pains, the corns, callouses, blisters, bunions and chilblains.

"Tiz" draws out the acids and poisons that puff up your feet. No matter how hard you work, how long you dance, how far you walk, or how long you remain on your feet, "Tiz" brings restful foot comfort. "Tiz" is magical, grand, wonderful for tired, aching, swollen, smarting feet. It is comfortable, most happy, you feel. Your feet just tingle for joy; shoes never hurt or seem tight.

LOST HUNGARIAN CROWN JEWEL FOUND IN CHURCH.

Budapest, Jan. 28.—One of the jewels of the Imperial Crown, which was reported missing after the coronation of King Charles, has been found in the Cathedral. It was not known until after the loss was discovered that the settings of several of the stones were loose. A thorough overhauling of the crown has now been ordered.

BORN. HOPKINS—On January 29th, to the wife of F. Hopkins, 30 Seely Street, son.

DIED. WATSON—In this city, on the 29th inst., Mary Elizabeth, aged nineteen years, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Watson, Hampstead. Funeral at Hampstead, Wednesday, the 31st, at 2 p. m.

PROVINCE ENLISTED 64 MEN IN PAST WEEK, ST. JOHN SUPPLIED 41

This County Again Far in the Lead in the Matter of Recruiting—Nine Counties Failed.

For the second time since November 1st, 1916, nine counties in the province of New Brunswick have failed to enlist a man within a period of seven days. The total for last week, although not as good as the week previous, is still in the average circle, 64 men enlisting. Of this number St. John supplied 41. The 237th Railway Construction Battalion secured no less than 25 of the total.

The tabulated list follows: St. John County—236th... 6, 237th... 18, Canadian Engineers... 4, Machine Gun Draft... 4, 8th Field Ambulance... 1, Div. Am. Column... 1, 165th... 1, Dental Corps... 2, Home Service... 2, R.C.N.V.R... 3, 41

THE POLICE COURT.

In the police court yesterday morning a youth was allowed to go with a warning for furiously driving a horse along the corner of Union and Waterloo streets.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

Portland, Jan. 25, 1917. Kennebec River, Me. Perkins Island North Lodge Broy, 1A, 2d-class tall can, was placed in its proper position on January 25, 1917, having been reported dragged from its position on January 15th.

LOOKING FOR NICKEL.

Special to The Standard. Cobalt, Ont., Jan. 29.—A number of claims known as the O'Connor Group, in the New Lake district, are being diamond drilled at the present time in the belief that there may be some connection with this district and the Alexo Mines nickel deposits, a few miles south, from which point a large amount of nickel ore is being shipped to the Mond Nickel Company at Con. The New Lake district is located a short distance north of Porcupine Junction.

FAIRVILLE COURT.

In the Fairville court yesterday before Magistrate Allingham Wm. Bradley and Wm. Kingston were charged with breaking into the premises of the Ready Brewing Company. Both men were committed for trial, but as a strong case had not been made out against Bradley Magistrate Allingham decided to admit him to bail. J. R. Mooney appeared for Bradley.

DAYS OF RHEUMATISM NOW OVER!

Its Strange Power is the Marvel of Thousands it Has Cured. You will welcome the good news that "Nerviline" rapidly relieves the most excruciating pains. Nerviline penetrates deeply into the tissue, and possesses pain-subduing power at least five times greater than anything heretofore discovered. Its curative influence upon rheumatic pains is really wonderful.

HAPPY FUNCTIONS HELD LAST EVENING

Western Union Officials at Dinner at Dufferin, While W. H. Thorne Co. Staff Have Enjoyable Function at the Manor House.

Two enjoyable functions took place last evening. The officials of the Western Union Telegraph Company were the guests of Manager G. M. Robertson at the Dufferin Hotel, while W. H. Thorne and Co., Ltd., entertained their staff at a dinner followed by a dinner at the Manor House.

SHIPPING NEWS.

MINIATURE ALMANAC. January—Phases of the Moon. Full Moon, 8th... 3h. 42m. a. m. Last Quarter, 16th... 7h. 42m. a. m. New Moon, 23rd... 3h. 40m. p. m. First Quarter, 29th... 9h. 22m. a. m.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Rockland, Jan. 26.—Ard schrs Mary Langdon, Rockport for Boston; William Booth, Searsport. New York, Jan. 26.—Sld schr Abenaki, Port Reading for Nantucket. Baltimore, Jan. 25.—Sld schr Samuel P. Bowers, Vta.

SOCIAL SERVICE WORK IN ST. JOHN

Committee in Charge of Recent Congress Board Give Gratifying Reports at Meeting in Board of Trade Yesterday.

That the recent social service congress is already having results locally was evidenced at a meeting of the local committee who made arrangements for the holding of the congress, in the Board of Trade rooms yesterday afternoon, A. M. Belding being in the chair.

HEAVY SALES OF POTATOES

Houlton, Me., Jan. 29.—A New York buyer has purchased 30,000 barrels of Arrostook potatoes at \$5 a barrel. Twenty thousand barrels of the lot were bought of Arthur Libby of Fort Fairfield.

PENSIONS WILL COST GREAT BRITAIN £50,000,000

London, Jan. 28.—When the New British Pension Minister, G. N. Barnes unfolds his new pensions scheme next month, it will be found that it will cost the country not less than 50,000,000 pounds a year. According to Mr. Barnes' forecast of his scheme, there will be a minimum of one pound a week to widows of soldiers and sailors who are unable to do any wage-earning work, while adequate sums will be paid to disabled and crippled men, irrespective of their ability to return to active civilian life.

McRAE PORCUPINE CO. OFFERS TREASURY STOCK.

Special to The Standard. Toronto, Jan. 29.—The McRae Porcupine Gold Mines, Ltd., is offering through S. G. Jackson & Co. 200,000 shares of the company's treasury stock at 50 cents a share for the purpose of meeting development work 72 acres in extent. The McRae property is situated in Deloro township.

THREE CALLS FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT

None of the Fires Reported Yesterday Were Serious.

The fire department was called out on three occasions yesterday. Shortly after noon an alarm from box 41 called the department to Frederick Sherrard's house on St. James' street for a slight blaze that was quickly extinguished.

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The Maritime Steamship Co., Limited. On March 3, 1916, and until further notice the S.S. Connors 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, Back Bay or L'Etete, Red Island, Red Store or St. George. Returning leave St. Andrews, N. B., Tuesday for St. John, N. B., calling at L'Etete or Back Bay, Dipper Harbor, Beaver Harbor and Dipper Harbor. Weather and tide permitting.

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS. IMPORTANT CHANGE OF TIME. Sunday, January 28, 1917. DEPART ST. JOHN. No. 18. 7.00 a. m. for Moncton and Halifax. Connection for Ocean Limited for Montreal. No. 14. 2.00 p. m. for Moncton, Halifax, The Sydneys. Connection for Maritime Express for Montreal. No. 24. 5.15 p. m. Sussex Express. No. 10. 11.30 p. m. Moncton, Halifax, The Sydneys. ARRIVE ST. JOHN. No. 9. 6.15 a. m. Halifax, Moncton, The Sydneys. No. 23. 9.00 a. m. Sussex Express. No. 13. 5.35 p. m. Montreal, Halifax, The Sydneys, Moncton. No. 17. 11.45 p. m. Montreal, Halifax, Moncton. NO CHANGE IN THE SUBURBAN SERVICE.

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THE GRIT PRESS AND SIR SAM

When Sir Sam Hughes was Minister of Militia in the Canadian Government there was nothing too vile for the Grit press to say about him. In mobilizing and organizing the first Canadian contingent he did a wonderful work but was accorded but scant recognition by the very Liberal organs that today are hailing him as a hero, and printing his correspondence with the Premier as an evidence that Sir Robert Borden's Government is incompetent. Such newspapers appear to be well content to take Sir Sam's letters as authoritative opinions on the competency of the administration although the same newspapers were formerly accused to regard the ex-Minister of Militia almost as a dangerous lunatic.

From one end of Canada to the other the Liberal newspapers of a few months ago attacked Sir Sam Hughes without mercy. He was, we are told, making Canada a subject for ridicule and handicapping her efforts to participate to the fullest extent in the war. By the same authorities as was adjudged guilty of almost criminal conduct in connection with the Shell Committee and John Wesley Allison. The Liberal Monthly, which claims to be the organ of Sir Wilfrid Laurier even went so far as to intimate that Sir Sam was insane, and the Premier was roundly berated because he retained him in the cabinet.

But what a change has come over the Liberal organs of "public" opinion. Today Sir Sam Hughes is a wise man, and we learn that the members of the Government are quaking in their shoes for fear that, when he speaks on Thursday he may say things. Suppose he does; suppose he does not, in the aggressive style that is all his own, that the Government has done things he did not want done, and left undone things he did want done, how, in the face of their previous attacks, can the Liberal press accept his judgment as to the wisdom of doing or not doing those things?

While a member of the Government, Sir Sam was the object of the condemnation of every Liberal newspaper in Canada. Now that he is a private member of the House they discover him to be possessed of mines of wisdom, the existence of which they never before suspected. It is absurd, but merely on a par with other absurdities, of which the Liberal newspapers are guilty in their effort to play the political game.

MORE GRIT UNTRUTHS.

That George W. Kyte, Liberal member for Richmond, should arise in the House of Commons and give utterance to statements that he knows to be untrue, is no particularly new experience for him. Yesterday, however, to judge from the Canadian Press report of the debate, he was more than usually reckless, and this time turned his attention to the appointment of officers in the Canadian forces and in Canadian recruiting and other war work. Mr. Kyte declared in effect that for a Maritime Province officer to obtain preferment he must be a Conservative. A similar statement had been made previously by Mr. Alphard Copp, Liberal member for Westmorland, but in his case it was ascribed to ignorance. Mr. Kyte, however, has been a member of the Canadian House of Commons longer than his Westmorland colleague and knew better.

In the selection of officers for appointments overseas, or for important posts in connection with military matters in Canada, no attention has been paid to their political affiliations. Mr. Kyte and Mr. Copp can obtain striking evidence of this if they desire it. Mr. Kyte, in his own province, can turn to the cases of Major J. K. Mackay, a close friend and supporter of E. M. McDonald, Liberal member for Pictou, or to Mr. McDonald's son. He can refer to Major Chisholm of Antigonish, a relative of the former Liberal member for that county, and going into his own island of Cape Breton to Lieutenant W. F. Carroll, Liberal member for Cape Breton South, who enlisted as a private in May last and was speedily given a commission. There are numerous other examples in Mr. Kyte's province

which stand as living reputations of his statement. Mr. Copp has even more evidence against him. Brigadier General McLean was an active and aggressive Liberal while the Big Wind of the Tantramar was still at school. Lieutenant Col. James L. McAvity, chief recruiting officer for this province, has a record of years as a prominent member of the Liberal party. Other members of the McAvity family have not been hampered in their military careers by the fact of their politics. Lieutenant Col. A. E. G. Mackenzie, now commanding the "Fighting 26th," was a Liberal candidate in Restigouche county, while Mr. Copp's own law partner had no difficulty in securing an important military post despite his business association with the man who now seeks to misrepresent the Government's disposition in the matter of such appointments.

Messrs. Kyte and Copp are members of Parliament as members of the Liberal opposition. It is the function of an opposition and opposition members to criticize an administration and such criticism, at times, may be beneficial. But it is not the function of public men to deliberately misrepresent the actions of political opponents, even though by so doing they may hope to gain some temporary political advantage.

"INFORMATION WANTED."

Under this heading the Telegraph, yesterday morning, expressed concern over the operations of the New Brunswick Farm Settlement Board and demanded that a full return of the Board's activities should at once be presented to the public.

Either the editor of the Telegraph is suffering from severe mental strain, or the office boy was in control of that newspaper's editorial column on Sunday night. Every year since the Farm Settlement Board's appointment there has been a return of the very information for which the Telegraph asks and some of the facts for which it professes such burning curiosity have been published in its own columns. If not, it was only because our contemporary's Political Fictionist was too busy manufacturing fiction to look for facts, for all necessary information has been available at all times.

The Telegraph may recall certain definite statements it made in connection with one property purchased by the Farm Settlement Board which were proven to be absolutely untrue. In that case there was too much information to suit that newspaper. Every transaction in which the Farm Settlement Board has engaged is above board and open and all information concerning it can be obtained from the secretary. But the Telegraph is not as anxious for information as it is to create prejudice against an organization which by the excellence and value of its work has already justified its existence many times over.

On Saturday morning last the Telegraph gave large first page headlines to a charge by J. G. Turritt of Assiniboia that Sir Robert Borden had made a statement to the effect that he was opposed to recruiting. Yesterday the Premier gave a complete and unmistakable denial to the Turritt charge. It remains to be seen what sort of headlines the Telegraph will use this morning.

European War Veterans. At a meeting of the European War Veterans' Association in their rooms, Charlotte street, last night, two returned heroes were elected to membership. The two new members are Harry Armstrong of the Third Division Signalling Corps, and Sergeant Thomas Meehan, formerly of the 26th Battalion. The association passed a hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. J. H. Pittelton for donations of music and books. A motion was passed that all members rejoicing overseas units be kept in good standing in the association until their return home.

A Skating Party. The members of the Senior Employed Bible Class of the Y. M. C. A. with their lady friends, and accompanied by C. J. Legge, the class leader, met at the Y. M. C. A. building last night and from there they proceeded to the Queens rink where skating was indulged in. They returned later to the Y. M. C. A., where an informal programme was carried out.

CAMPABELLO RESENTS U.S. PAPER'S SQUIBS

John P. Calder, Inspector of Fisheries Objection to Slurring Remarks of Eastport Sentinel Regarding Canada and Empire.

We are in receipt of the following copy of a letter forwarded during the week to the editor of the Eastport Sentinel by John P. Calder of Campobello, inspector of fisheries:

To the Editor of the Eastport Sentinel:— My attention having been called to recent editorial squibs in your paper with regard to certain phases of the present war, and also having in mind other unkind references in your paper in connection with the same subject, I desire to make use of your valuable space for the purpose of placing before your readers the views of a Canadian on those matters, even though your remarks are unworthy of answer.

Several weeks ago you stated that "We should worry our German U boats as long as the Phalarope is stationed at Campobello and the mighty Curlew is 'outside.'" The St. Croix Courier commented on the slurring remarks, and you this week-end your reply thereto with the following sentence: "But never mind, if you noble patriots, devotion and self sacrifice of the women of the Empire. The last words of Edith Cavell as she bared her breast to the Hun bullets and thanked God that she had the opportunity to die for her Country more truly represents the attitude of our women in the great struggle."

In so far as your remarks about the Phalarope and Curlew affording protection against submarine attacks, or four latest effort in which you say that it won't be necessary for some time yet to place the Phalarope in the St. Croix harbor for safety I can only reiterate that such crude jokes are unworthy of being noticed. The safety of these islands, however, from such attacks and the attendant horrors of German invasion rests not on these small fishery patrol boats, but rather on the greatest institution in all the world—the navy of Britain. If the time unfortunately should come when we were threatened with an attack it would be of no use to tow us into the St. Croix harbor if such were possible, for no place on the American continent would then afford us a haven of refuge. Rest assured that the safety of the islands of Passamaquoddy along with all other portions of the North America continent depends on the ability of the British Navy to keep the German fleet bottled up in the Kiel Canal, or to sink them if they come out.

No doubt you are aware that certain American papers are debarred from entering Canada on account of the hostile attitude assumed by them and that the remedy could be applied to your case if your remarks were worthy of consideration. However we content ourselves with taking a charitable view of your writings and conclude that you really are attempting to be humorous. Such being the case we harbor no ill-feelings towards you for your unkind remarks and will try and bid them from our memories along with the many bitter disappointments we have experienced.

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have received from the President in connection with activities of the U boats, which you find a fit subject for jest, but which in reality is a serious menace to the commerce of the world and one of Germany's greatest practical assets. I would call your attention to the fact that the war had gone on for more than a year before Germany took the plunge to let her submarines loose again at merchant shipping. The first notice given out by the Kaiser in connection with the limited campaign they were to carry on called forth a vigorous protest from your President. Germany was told that such steps would be in violation of international law and contrary to the dictates of humanity; she was further told that if American lives were endangered by such method she would be held to "strict accountability." Since then the newspapers have enlarged their field of operations until they have taken in nearly every sea in the world, both enemy and neutral ships are being ruthlessly destroyed by them, the world is repeatedly shocked by the frightful losses of innocent lives and no action is taken.

The newspapers during the past few days have contained accounts of the havoc wrought to shipping by a German raider in the South Atlantic. Among others a number of American ships were sunk. What about the principle laid down by your Government in the "Pye" case, which was that belligerents had no right to sink captive ships at sea but must take them before a Prize Court?

Is that matter to become the subject of "notes," and is German gold to be offered in payment for these outrages, as is to be done in connection with the cruel murders of your fellow citizens by U boat commanders? Again when U 53 operated from Newport and sank so many ships and a clear path for the cruel torpedoes was left by your destroyer fleet, even though the destroyers were engaged in rescuing victims you cannot blame us from contrasting their inaction to the stand taken by Chichester on that famous day at Manila Bay when he moored the British ships between the German fleet and the one commanded by the late Admiral Dewey and informed the German commander "that blood was thicker than water." We are also compelled to note that Germany was to be held to "strict accountability" for the loss of American lives only, while in a note of protest to Great Britain in connection with delay of mails and freight the President stated that he was acting as the champion of the rights of neutrals. No mention made of neutral rights in connection with the illegal and barbarous German submarine warfare but their champion when dealing with the legal blockade being maintained by England. The hardest pill of all for us to swallow was the recent speech of your ambassador at Berlin, who gave a clean character certificate to all

the German butchers and assured them of the great friendship of the United States. When we come to add to the foregoing your own nasty references, is it to be wondered at that we feel disappointed, to say the least over these matters? In closing, Mr. Editor, I desire to pay my tribute to the American people, many of whom spend their numbers with us, and practically all of whom are heart and soul with England her Allies in the titanic struggle. We have the kindest feeling toward the people of Eastport, who have generously responded when called on to contribute for patriotic purposes. We have the greatest respect and admiration for the thousands of young Americans who have enlisted in the Canadian army to battle the modern Hun, which a celebrated American has designated as being the pledge of North America to the Allies of the world. Finally, you and we have a common ancestry, common ideals and a common destiny, and we believe it will take more than the mistakes of governments or the jibes of newspaper editors to disturb the very pleasant relations which happily exist between the people of the two countries.

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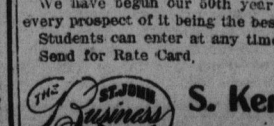
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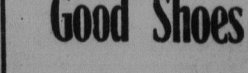
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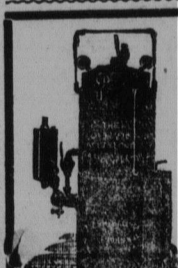
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Council Discusses Business Restrictions—Inspection of Streets, Sidewalk Openings and New Assessment Act.

The common council yesterday discussed the assessment act, a proposed act respecting the inspection of public streets, resolutions presented by Commissioner Fisher re business restrictions and sidewalk openings.

Commissioner McLellan announced his intention of moving for the dismissal of the building inspector if the latter had granted a permit for the fitting up of a factory on Princess street. The matter of opening up the streets in winter was also brought up. All the commissioners were present except Commissioner Wignora.

Com. Fisher's resolutions, which were presented and which will be discussed more fully at a later meeting, are:

"Building restriction" resolution: "That legislation be sought authorizing the common council to enact a by-law to be entitled the 'Business Restriction By-Law,' providing for the preventing of the establishing or locating in the future, without permission from the council, of any business premises on such streets and parts of streets as may be from time to time determined by the council. Business already established to be allowed to continue, but without substantial enlargement excepting with permission from the council. The garage by-law to be repealed."

Resolution re sidewalks: "That in all cases of alleys opening on public streets from which there is a flow of water across the sidewalks, also in all cases where alleys are not kept in a clean and tidy condition, the owners of such alleys be required to keep them in good condition and to prevent the flowing of water across the sidewalks, excepting that in residential sections, the property owners may be excused from providing underground drainage for the alleys when they undertake to keep the sidewalks clear of ice and thoroughly clean."

In the matter of business restrictions, Com. McLellan said he learned for the first time that the building inspector had issued in December last a permit for the remodelling of a barn on Princess street, and the installing there of machinery for the purpose of operating an overall factory.

The commissioner of public safety said he would recommend the dismissal of the building inspector if he had granted permission for this work.

The New Brunswick Telephone Co. wrote in regard to the dangerous condition of the sidewalk in front of their building due to the flowage of water over the sidewalk.

It was suggested by Commissioner McLellan that abutments be compelled to care for the surface water on their properties.

It was suggested by Commissioner McLellan that the assessment commission's report be re-submitted to them for some action following the criticism which was evoked at the public meetings and the mayor will take up the matter with Prof. Kierstead.

Commissioner Russell reported that he had been in communication with Hon. J. D. Hazen in regard to the military authorities taking over the guard duties and Mr. Hazen had taken the question up with them. The commissioner felt that the city should keep the watchmen.

Com. Fisher brought up an application from Mr. Genter requesting permission to open Mill street to connect the new National Drug Company's system with the water main.

Objection was entered by Commissioner McLellan, on the ground that the "dead of winter" was not a proper time in which to open the street, when there was no urgency to do the work before spring.

Com. Fisher thought it undesirable to open the street before spring.

Further consideration will follow advice to Mr. Genter from Toronto headquarters.

Com. Fisher spoke of posts and valves to be used "turn city" for the sprinkler system. He favored valves.

Com. McLellan said there were enough water and sewerage obstructions in the city now. He opposed posts.

Com. Fisher said Montreal and Toronto do not allow these posts. He would not recommend installation of posts.

In discussing the proposed act concerning inspection of public streets, the committee agreed that when the city gave permission for sidewalk openings to be made, the city must be willing to accept responsibility for accidents to people using the sidewalks.

Com. McLellan said the rights of the public must not be interfered with.

He strongly opposed traps in the centre of sidewalks.

Section 5 of the proposed act, having to do with excavations, will be referred to the city solicitor for further interpretation.

The city solicitor will also be asked if the bill would give the city authority to close any sidewalk openings.

Freeze Feet and Ears.

After spending Saturday night in the woods, Walter Harrington, 149 Adelaide street, who had been lost, found his way to safety Sunday morning. Both feet and ears were frost bitten.

ANNIVERSARY OF DEATH OF CHARLES I

Was Once Canonized by Anglican Church, and Services For His Memory Are Still Held.

Today is the 268th anniversary of the beheading of King Charles I. of England, or as he is termed by a portion of the Anglican and Episcopal churches "St. Charles the Martyr." King Charles once occupied a place in the Anglican book of Common Prayer, and it was customary to hold services in many churches in his honor.

Services are still held in quite a number of the churches in England and the United States, and to some extent in Canada. In the United States there is an Episcopal organization known as the Society of St. Charles the Martyr, with headquarters in Philadelphia, and services are held each January 30 in St. Mark's, St. Clement's and the Church of the Annunciation, Philadelphia; Church of St. Mary the Virgin, Trinity, St. Ignace and the Church of the Transfiguration, New York; Church of the Advent, St. John the Evangelist, St. John's (Roxbury) and St. Margaret's (Brighton) Boston.

A Boston Celebration.

In 1889, when the 250th anniversary of the beheading of King Charles was elaborately celebrated at the Church of the Advent, Boston, Mass., those who participated were severely criticized by many of the descendants of the Puritans in that city, the English Puritans having been mainly instrumental in the death of their King. King Charles was beheaded in front of his own banquet hall at Whitehall after a mockery of a trial by the Cromwells, and those bitterly opposed to what they were pleased to term "Popery, Prelacy and Presbyterianism," although historians agree that King Charles was nothing except a believer in the Stuart doctrine of the Divine right of kings and a staunch defender of the Anglican church, mistaken as he might have been, and probably was in administering the affairs of state.

The official calendar of the Episcopal church for the present year says regarding Charles:

"In the authoritative editions of the Book of Common Prayer this is a red letter day. It has illegally been removed from the calendar since the year 1869 by the printers without sanction of either church or realm. The history of the degradation of the commemoration is set forth in detail in Vernon Staley's article on 'The Commemoration of King Charles the Martyr.' Church people have every right to protest against so palpable a mutilation of the Prayer Book, and to advocate for a restoration of the omitted commemoration. Human speaking, the English church owes its continuance to the fidelity and heroism of King Charles I., who was martyred on January 30, 1649, by the Puritans for refusing to abandon Episcopacy. Had Charles I. yielded this point he might have saved his life, but the English church must have perished, at least as a true portion of the Catholic Church of Christ."

OBITUARY.

Robin A. Cropley.
Fredericton, Jan. 29.—Robin A. Cropley died at his home in this city last night. Deceased had been in failing health for several years past. Mr. Cropley was one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Fredericton, having conducted his printing business in this city for years. He was a son of the late Major Cropley, for many years editor of the Capital. He was fifty-two years of age and is survived by a widow, formerly Miss Eva Orchard of St. John, and one son, Frank A., of this city. Mrs. T. C. Allen of this city is a sister of the deceased.

Mrs. Ernest A. McLean.
Mrs. Annie Partelow Robertson, wife of Private Ernest A. McLean, now overseas, died at Norton yesterday, aged thirty. Mrs. McLean was a

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daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Raymond of Norton and besides her husband and parents is survived by three brothers, Rev. Harry D. Raymond of Barrie, Ont.; Kenneth of Norton, and Lieut. L. Carleton, with the 24th Battalion, Montreal Grenadier Guards.

Charles W. S. Barker
Andover, Jan. 29.—Friends were grieved to hear of the death of Mr. Charles W. S. Barker, Four Falls, where for many years he has been postmaster. Mr. Barker was about 80 years of age, and is survived by his wife and one daughter, Mrs. Charles Rideout of Amherst, N. S., to whom much sympathy is extended.

Joseph A. Isajli
Boston, Jan. 29.—Joseph A. Isajli, ex-Turkish consul in Boston, died last week, at his home on Gorham Ave., Brookline. The post of Turkish consul in Boston had been in the Isajli family for nearly 60 years. The father, Joseph Isajli, a merchant of Smyrna, first held the position and upon his death his son Oscar succeeded him. Upon the latter's death by drowning Joseph A. Isajli became consul.

At the age of 23 he was appointed vice consul for France and remained in the position until 1877. He was made Turkish consul here in 1883.

In 1897 Mr. Isajli, still being Turkish consul, was arrested in New York, charged with the mismanagement of funds entrusted to his care. The case attracted world-wide attention because of the international complications which developed in connection with it.

The consul was brought to Boston, tried and sentenced to not less than 14 years' imprisonment. Repeated efforts by his faithful wife and friends finally resulted in his being pardoned in June, 1909. He was relieved of the office of consul soon after the case against him developed. In 1881 Mr. Isajli married Marie Homer, who survives him.

Miss Mary E. Watson.
The death of Miss Mary Elizabeth Watson, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Watson of Hampstead, occurred in this city yesterday morning after an illness of two weeks' duration. Miss Watson had been a member of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Prince William street, and was a bright and popular young lady. Miss Watson was nineteen years of age. Besides her parents, she is survived by one brother, Charles, of the office staff of Baird & Peters, and one sister, Mrs. T. C. Ledingham, also of this city. The funeral services will be held last evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. Ledingham, 79 Elliot Row. Interment will be made at Hampstead.

Miss Elizabeth Gleason.
The death of Miss Elizabeth Gleason, aged twenty-four years, occurred on Sunday at her father's home in Milford, after a lingering illness. Besides her father, James Gleason, she is survived by one brother, Michael, and one sister, Miss Evelyn, at home.

James McCann.
The death occurred on Sunday, Jan. 28, of James McCann, eldest son of the late Abraham and Catherine McCann. He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. John Tierney of Anagnone, Mrs. J. S. Malone of Minneapolis (U.S.A.), and Miss McCann of 161 Bridge street, with whom he resided.

The funeral will take place this morning at 8:30 o'clock from the late residence.

Charles Baillie's Will.
By the will of the late Charles Baillie, King street, tobacconist, his two sons, Charles W. Baillie, St. John, and Alexander H. Baillie, of Montreal, are named executors. The estate is valued at \$38,000, of entirely personal property. The sum of \$250 is willed to his son, Alexander H. Baillie, \$250 to his daughter, Mary Baillie of Roxbury, Mass., \$250 to his daughter, Caroline E. Baillie, and to his wife, Martha J., all the household effects and personal property. After her death to his children, all to receive share and share alike. To his son, Charles W., is left the goodwill of the business, stock in trade, etc., on King street, to pay three per cent. of the total yearly cash receipts to his mother for the rest of her life.

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NEWS AND COMMENT FROM THE FINANCIAL WORLD

STEEL STOCKS SHOW DECLINES IN WALL ST.

Scotia Down 3/4, Bethlehem 10 and U. S. 1 1/2 — New Haven Collapses, Hitting 43 3/8, Almost Low Mark.

New York, Jan. 29.—Beginning with a general demonstration of strength today's listless and highly professional market soon reacted, virtually all gains giving way to losses of one to three points among leaders and greater recessions in the speculative shares.

The superficial character was indicated by the limited volume of the trading. Only 460,000 shares were dealt in. United States Steel and other conspicuous industrials, as well as copper, shippings, a preponderant percentage of the whole.

United States Steel. More than ordinary interest attached to the course of United States Steel because of tomorrow's quarterly meeting of the directors, when action on the common dividend is to be taken, together with publication of the financial statement. Steel moved between 11 1/2 and 11 3/4, closing at the low price, a net loss of 1 1/2 points.

Bethlehem Steel lost ten points on two sales, and low-priced industrials yielded one to two, with 4 3/4 for Nova Scotia Steel.

Metals and shippings became heavy after their early advances, and sugar, leather and paper succumbed to moderate pressure. The automobile group dropped throughout with an extreme loss of six points for Central Motors, and one to two points for subsidiaries. Inactive specialties were irregular, reflecting the operations of pools and cliques.

New Haven Heavy. The heaviness of New Haven which fell to 43 3/8, within a small fraction of its minimum price of many years, was a disquieting feature in the raw day division, representing a manifestly easier or reactionary tendencies. Reading and other coals were firm until the final hour, when the entire list was at lowest levels.

Exchange rates on the belligerent countries were again confusing, denials, marks and lire making concessions, although not to recent low records, with steadiness in remittances to London and Paris.

The firmness of bonds was the more striking in view of the unsettled ground, except for a slight shade of United Kingdom's.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

	Open	High	Low	Close
Am Beet Sug	82 1/2	82 3/4	82 1/2	82 1/2
Am Car Fy	69	69	67 1/2	67 1/2
Am Loco	77 1/2	77 3/4	77 1/2	77 1/2
Am Sng	58 1/2	58 3/4	58 1/2	58 1/2
Am Smelt	108 1/2	108 3/4	108 1/2	108 1/2
Am Steel Fy	69 1/2	69 3/4	69 1/2	69 1/2
Am Woolen	46	46 1/4	46	46 1/4
Am Zinc	40	40 1/4	39 3/4	39 3/4
Am Tele	126 3/4	127	126 1/2	126 1/2
Anacosta	83 1/2	83 3/4	83 1/2	83 1/2
Archison	106 1/2	106 3/4	106 1/2	106 1/2
Balt and Ohio	81 1/2	81 3/4	81 1/2	81 1/2
Bald Loco	54 1/2	54 3/4	54 1/2	54 1/2
Beth Steel	435	435 1/2	430	430
Butte Rap Tr	77 1/2	78	77 1/2	77 1/2
Butte and Sup	61	61 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
C. P. I.	47 1/2	47 3/4	46 1/2	46 1/2
Chino	55 1/2	55 3/4	54 1/2	54 1/2
Cent Lead	89	89 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Can Pac	161 1/2	161 3/4	160 1/2	160 1/2
Cos Gas	131 1/2	131 3/4	131 1/2	131 1/2
Cruc Steel	63 1/2	64	62	62 1/2
Ernie Con	31 1/2	31 3/4	31 1/2	31 1/2
Ernie 1st Pfd	46 1/2	46 3/4	46 1/2	46 1/2
Gr Nor Pfd	116 1/2	116 3/4	116 1/2	116 1/2
Good Buy	59 1/2	59 3/4	58 1/2	58 1/2
Gen Elec	170 1/2	170 3/4	169 1/2	169 1/2
Gr Nor Ore	37 1/2	38	36 1/2	36 1/2
Indus Alcohol	124 1/2	124 3/4	121 1/2	121 1/2
Inspira Cop	58	58 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Kans City Sou	24 1/2	24 3/4	24 1/2	24 1/2
Kenne Con	46 1/2	46 3/4	45 1/2	45 1/2
Lehigh Val	77 1/2	78	77 1/2	77 1/2
Mer Mar Pfd	86 1/2	86 3/4	84 1/2	84 1/2
Mex Petrol	102 1/2	102 3/4	99 1/2	99 1/2
Miami Cop	42	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
NY NH and H	45	45 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
N. Y. Cent	101 1/2	101 3/4	100 1/2	100 1/2
Nor and West	137 1/2	137 3/4	137 1/2	137 1/2
Nor Pac	108 1/2	108 3/4	108 1/2	108 1/2
Nat Lead	60 1/2	60 3/4	60 1/2	60 1/2
Nevada Cons	24 1/2	24 3/4	24 1/2	24 1/2
Ont and West	27 1/2	27 3/4	27 1/2	27 1/2
Penn	56 1/2	56 3/4	55 1/2	55 1/2
Press Sd Car	82 1/2	82 3/4	81 1/2	81 1/2
Reading Con	101	101 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Repub Steel	79 1/2	79 3/4	78 1/2	78 1/2
St Paul	90 1/2	90 3/4	89 1/2	89 1/2
Son Pac	97 1/2	97 3/4	96 1/2	96 1/2
Son Rail	31 1/2	31 3/4	30 1/2	30 1/2
Stuebaker	109	108 1/2	104 1/2	105 1/2
Union Pac	143 1/2	143 3/4	142 1/2	142 1/2
U. S. Sd Con	114 1/2	114 3/4	112 1/2	112 1/2
U. S. Rub	59 1/2	59 3/4	58 1/2	58 1/2
Utah Cop	107 1/2	107 3/4	105 1/2	105 1/2
Westinghouse	53 1/2	53 3/4	52 1/2	52 1/2
West Union	98	98 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd	120 1/2	120 3/4	120 1/2	120 1/2

C. P. EARNINGS FOR DEC. Montreal, Jan. 29.—Canadian Pacific earnings for the month of December show a net decrease of \$480,000.

MONEY CHEAP AND STOCKS LOW IN U. S.

No Depreciation in Retail Trade and Business Shows Little Lessening in Activity, Says Bache.

New York, Jan. 29.—Bache's Review says: The reports of retail trade from all parts of the United States, as shown by Dun's Review, do not indicate any depression or endeavor to cut down expenditures because costs are so high. On the contrary, these reports are optimistic in character. Business has had a little lessening of activity, partly seasonal and partly perhaps produced by the peace talk. The feverish buying of the last few months has subsided, as has competition in buying and the consequent putting up of prices. The whole situation has thus been cleared of unwholesome characteristics, but Dun's now reports the momentum of buying increasing. The outlook in this country and also in the attitude of foreign demand is for broad activity. High prices have ceased to be any sort of a break on buying and the obstructions of inflated costs upward. The business world recognizes the fact that some time prices must begin to recede, but does not see any early prospect of peace. It sees also a small supply of goods in many directions and a continued demand. Under these circumstances, business goes on at the higher level of cost, but unaffected by what might be considered the rarified air in which we are proceeding.

Money is cheap and prices of securities, especially stocks, are comparatively low. In normal times such a combination works for higher prices. It may and probably will, under present circumstances, eventually. The disturbing uncertainty of international happenings keeps the combination from working out at once. Meantime, investment money is accumulating all over the States. It finds some vent in the bond market. This money is accumulating not only in the hands of the public that lost large amounts in the peace drop, but in many other hands. Slowly these reports will realize the opportunity in the market. In the meantime, however, which is natural at this season may run its usual course, or the market may be jugged out of its rut by unusual happenings.

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MONTREAL SALES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Morning. Montreal, Monday, Jan. 29th.—Steel Canada Pfd.—13 @ 96 1/2. Steel Canada Bonds—1,000 @ 97. Steamships Com.—50 @ 34 1/2. Tram Debentures—200 @ 76. Canadian—20 @ 46. Textile—10 @ 80 1/2, 5 @ 81. Can. Cement Pfd.—4 @ 95. Steel Canada—10 @ 65 1/2, 100 @ 65 1/2, 20 @ 65 1/2. Dom. Iron Pfd.—21 @ 94. Dom. Iron Com.—25 @ 67, 75 @ 66 1/2, 20 @ 66 1/2, 5 @ 68. Shawinigan—50 @ 128 1/2, 20 @ 128. Dom. War Loan—4,000 @ 97 1/2. New War Loan—500 @ 98, 11,000 @ 97 1/2. Bell Telephone—10 @ 145. Can. Car Com.—170 @ 32 1/2, 20 @ 32 1/4, 50 @ 32 1/4. Toronto Ry.—15 @ 83 1/2, 10 @ 83 1/2, 10 @ 83. Can. Car Pfd.—110 @ 75, 75 @ 76, 25 @ 75 1/2, 50 @ 74 1/2, 100 @ 74, 25 @ 73 1/2. Laurentide Pulp—25 @ 186. Riordon—10 @ 114 1/2. Scotia—10 @ 114 1/2. Forgings—25 @ 194, 25 @ 194 1/2. Spanish River Com.—10 @ 16 1/2. Dom. Bridge—35 @ 149. Brompton—100 @ 59, 10 @ 58 1/2. Tram Power—125 @ 38. Can. Cotton Pfd.—5 @ 63 1/2. Afternoon. Steel Canada Pfd.—1 @ 96, 5 @ 96 1/2. Steamships Com.—25 @ 34. Steamships Pfd.—5 @ 83 1/2, 5 @ 93, 10 @ 92 1/2. Brazilian—75 @ 45 1/2, 40 @ 45 1/2. Textile—25 @ 81. Can. Cement Pfd.—5 @ 95. Can. Cement Com.—30 @ 64 1/2. Steel Canada—5 @ 65 1/2, 70 @ 65 1/2, 25 @ 65, 35 @ 64, 20 @ 64 1/2, 25 @ 64 1/2. Dom. Iron Pfd.—25 @ 94, 2 @ 93 1/2. Dom. Iron Com.—25 @ 65 1/2, 75 @ 66 1/2, 100 @ 66, 100 @ 65 1/2, 250 @ 65 1/2, 235 @ 65, 250 @ 64 1/2, 25 @ 65 1/2, 50 @ 64 1/2. Shawinigan—20 @ 130. Civic Power—1 @ 82, 25 @ 82 1/2, 6 @ 82 1/2. Dom. War Loan—5,000 @ 97 1/2. New War Loan—100 @ 98, 2,000 @ 97 1/2. Can. Car Com.—80 @ 32, 50 @ 31 1/2, 50 @ 31 1/4. Can. Car Pfd.—40 @ 70, 50 @ 72. Riordon—25 @ 123, 25 @ 123 1/2. Scotia—75 @ 112. Quebec Ry.—25 @ 23 1/2, 100 @ 23 1/2, 230 @ 24. Forgings—25 @ 194 1/2, 25 @ 194. Dom. Bridge—45 @ 149, 25 @ 148, 2 @ 150. Brompton—45 @ 57 1/2. Ames Pfd.—30 @ 56.

NEWS SUMMARY

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Jan. 29.—U. S. Senator Stone says second communication has been sent to Germany concerning German raiders in holding American prisoners. Germany preparing new submarine warfare against British shipping according to Washington following announcement of British admiralty of establishment of new mine fields. Republicans of House preparing big fight against sale of \$300,000,000 bonds provided in revenue bill. International Harvester Co. declares regular quarterly dividend of 1.24 p. c. on Pfd., payable March 1 to stock record of Feb. 10th. D. J. & CO.

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PRICES EASE OFF IN AFTERNOON TRADING

Apprehension in Wall Street that Arming of all British Vessels May Cause Complications.

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Jan. 29.—Prices eased off pretty steadily during the afternoon and the gains of the early morning were considerably more than lost in most issues. There was no particular reason for the weakness in the market, unless it is apprehension of what may follow Great Britain's determination to put 3 guns on all her British ships, and our relations with Germany and our relations with Germany might again be complicated if she should adopt a policy of sinking ships without warning. The market was not active, as the public consistently refuses to undertake operations at the present time. It is thought by some that action of the Steel Corporation directors this week, coupled with the showing that the resumption of the "leak" hearing today clearly showed that it would turn as much of inquiry against Wall Street and its methods of operation as possible. There has been no development to change the outlook in the market unless it is possibly the international situation referred to above. E. & C. RANDOLPH.

CAR STOCKS STRONG ON MONTREAL CHANGE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Montreal, Jan. 29.—Opening prices were firm with strength shown in the car stocks. The rest of the market was very dull. During the afternoon there was more activity and a lower tendency throughout the list. Car Pfd. from its high of 76 sold off to 72 1/2, and the common from 32 3/4 to 31 1/4. The weakness in the New York market caused some weakness here and the steel stocks showed declines. Curbee Railway was firm throughout the day at 24, and Shawinigan was better, an odd lot selling at 130. Civic was steady at 82 1/2 to 84. There was no news to account for this unsettled movement. We must expect the markets to be like this for some time.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Chicago, Jan. 29.—Wheat, No. 2 red, 1.80 1/2; No. 3 red, nominal; No. 2 hard, 1.83 1/2 to 1.87 1/2; No. 3 hard, nominal. Corn—No. 2 yellow, 1.01 to 1.01 1/4; No. 4 yellow, 97 to 1.01 1/4; No. 4 white, 97 to 1.00. Oats—No. 3 white, 56 1/2 to 57 1/2; standard, 57 1/2 to 58. Rye—No. 2, 1.46 1/2; No. 3, 1.49. Barley—1.90 to 1.97. Timothy—3.50 to 5.50. Clover—12.00 to 17.50. Pork—31.50. Lard—16.22 to 16.27. Hops—14.87 to 15.50. Wheat. High. Low. Close. May 179 1/2 170 1/2 171 1/2 July 151 145 146 1/2 Sept. 139 1/2 134 1/2 135 1/2 Corn. May 101 98 97 1/2 July 100 97 97 1/2 Oats. May 57 55 55 1/2 July 55 53 53 1/2 Pork. Jan. 31 1/2 31 3/2 31 3/2 Mar. 30 29 29 1/2

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PRESIDENT OF DOMINION STEEL OPTIMISTIC

Special to The Standard. Montreal, Jan. 29.—Mark Workman, president of the Dominion Steel Corporation, arrived in the city today after a week's absence in New York. Mr. Workman stated that there was no special significance to his New York visit, but continues extremely optimistic on the steel outlook, and says steel men across the line look for still higher prices. Mr. Workman stated today that a meeting of the steel directors would be held here during the coming week, probably on Thursday. The meeting of the directors will be only a routine affair, although it is possible that the figures for the third quarter of the corporation's year, which ended January 31, may be ready by that time. No dividend action is looked for on the street until April. Around April first the directors meet to declare the half-yearly dividend on steel preferred, and while nothing definite can be obtained from headquarters, it is believed that some action may be taken on the common around this date.

Steel Trade Statistics. Special to The Standard. New York, Jan. 29.—Sales of rolled steel products that have come to the surface the last five days have amounted to 1,000,000 tons, half of which tonnage is significant, in direct export to Europe to be used in the manufacture of war munitions. The railroads are responsible for approximately 130,000 tons, including 50,000 tons of rails, 65,000 tons of bars, plates and shapes for car construction, 10,000 tons for locomotive building, and 10,000 tons for truck supplies, bridges and other structural work. Of the 50,000 tons of rails, only 25,000 tons were reported specifically. Of the 65,000 tons for car construction 20,000 tons are for foreign work. It is estimated that inquiries now in the market including the steel required in building railroad equipment, aggregate nearly 3,000,000 tons, half of which is designed for export.

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SCOTIA MAY MAKE NEW BOND AND STOCK SOON?

Special to The Standard. New York, Jan. 29.—A report is current here in financial circles that Nova Scotia Steel and Coal Co. is contemplating a bond issue and that some announcement may be made during the course of the week. If this information is correct it is believed to indicate that the company is well advanced with its project for the liberal extension of the manufacturing end of the company's operations to keep pace with the extensive and valuable supply of raw materials controlled by the company. It is believed that the financing plans will follow the lines of some of the large steel corporations, such as Bethlehem Steel, and include both stock and bond issues. This would suggest that the management will adhere to its original intention of recouping the shareholders for their long wait since the war broke out and not only issue bonus stock but offer the shareholders an opportunity to subscribe for new stock at an attractive price, at the same time raising additional capital by means of a bond or debenture issue. The present bonded indebtedness of the company is \$5,787,196 five due 1959, besides which there is debenture stock outstanding to the amount of \$4,000,000 which could also be extended if deemed advisable so long as the total does not exceed the paid-up capital. Whatever form the financing may take it is associated with the evident intention to greatly extend the operations of the company.

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MARKET MAY BE MORE OR LESS IRREGULAR

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) New York, Jan. 29.—There seems to be an impression in some quarters of the street that the stock market will be irregular until the approach of the end of the present Congress, which expires by limitation in March. It appears to be the impression that the new Congress that will immediately sit is so evenly divided that disturbing legislation will be blocked. Banking interests which are closely interested in the Wabash Securities are putting their clients who desire a low priced railroad investment into the Wabash Pfd. "A" issue saying it is one of the best bargains offering in this class. The reorganization of this road is regarded in high quarters as having been eminently successful. Railway equipment stocks continue to be absorbed for both speculative and investment account. This is notably the case in Pressed Steel Car, Ann. Car and Foundry, New York Air Brake, Westinghouse Air Brake and General Electric. The pressure of investment money is so great according to conservative interests that continued overflow into the stock market is regarded as certain. N. Y. F. B.

WINNIPEG WHEAT CLOSE

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Winnipeg, Jan. 29.—Wheat, No. 2, 1.80 1/2; No. 3, 1.83 1/2; No. 4, 1.86 1/2; No. 5, 1.89 1/2; No. 6, 1.92 1/2; No. 7, 1.95 1/2; No. 8, 1.98 1/2; No. 9, 2.01 1/2; No. 10, 2.04 1/2; No. 11, 2.07 1/2; No. 12, 2.10 1/2; No. 13, 2.13 1/2; No. 14, 2.16 1/2; No. 15, 2.19 1/2; No. 16, 2.22 1/2; No. 17, 2.25 1/2; No. 18, 2.28 1/2; No. 19, 2.31 1/2; No. 20, 2.34 1/2; No. 21, 2.37 1/2; No. 22, 2.40 1/2; No. 23, 2.43 1/2; No. 24, 2.46 1/2; No. 25, 2.49 1/2; No. 26, 2.52 1/2; No. 27, 2.55 1/2; No. 28, 2.58 1/2; No. 29, 2.61 1/2; No. 30, 2.64 1/2; No. 31, 2.67 1/2; No. 32, 2.70 1/2; No. 33, 2.73 1/2; No. 34, 2.76 1/2; No. 35, 2.79 1/2; No. 36, 2.82 1/2; No. 37, 2.85 1/2; No. 38, 2.88 1/2; No. 39, 2.91 1/2; No. 40, 2.94 1/2; No. 41, 2.97 1/2;

LATE SPORTING NEWS

GOOD SKATERS FOR SARANAC CHAMPIONSHIP START TODAY

The entry list for the international outdoor speed skating contests, to be held at Saranac Lake, N. Y., today, tomorrow and the following day, is the heaviest in history. H. Cody, Lot Roe, H. Cosgrove and E. Stevenson are the Toronto skaters who will compete, and they will meet with the fastest competition in the United States. It seems a pity that speed skating is becoming a thing of the past in St. John, for it was in these international meets that Fred Logan became champion. Then there was Gordon Nuttall, who won the boy championship in one of these meets in Montreal, and many other St. John skaters competed, and although not winning championships, they made an excellent showing. In no many years ago that St. John was on the map for champion skaters, but of late years the interest has lagged considerably, and the winterport of Canada is no longer represented in the big events. On past performances the most dangerous rivals of the Toronto men are Ray McWitter and Arthur Staff, of Chicago; George Pickering, the New Jersey champion; Walter Kuhns of New York, and Jack Walker and Karl Sambril, of Saranac Lake. There will be many dark horses in

this year's races, many of whom, from their local reputations, threaten to be serious contenders for the championship. Bjork, the champion of France, who is now attending Columbia University, at New York, has entered all the events. John Ruping, of Waterbury, N. Y., who has participated in previous international contests, recently won the two-mile championship of New England, at Springfield. He is credited with having lowered the record of John Nielson in that race. Cody and Roe are looked upon by magnates as being among the most formidable of the competitors. Cody won the most points in the international outdoor contests last year, while Roe, for several years a favorite with the fans, has come within an ace of many a championship. The performances of Cosgrove and Stevenson are being looked for with much interest. There is a general feeling of regret that Fred Robson, the retired Toronto skater, will not be in this year's races. Robson has won more single events in the international contests than any other man and he was a criterion of sportsmanship on the ice. He will be missed by skating followers, to whom he was the best known of the speeders.

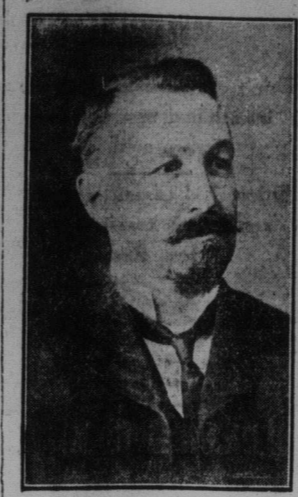
CARLETON WINS FROM ST. ANDREWS

A match was played last night between the St. Andrews and Carleton Curling Clubs, the Carleton curlers winning out by a score of 90 to 74. The score by skips follows:

St. Andrews' ice.	
St. Andrews	Carleton
E. C. McNeill...10	H. Lingley...17
C. H. McDonald...19	Jas. Scott...9
Dr. Sargent...12	Chas. Coster...12
Total...41	Total...35
Carleton ice.	
A. H. Merrill...12	M. F. Mooney...19
S. C. Beatey...15	J. F. Belyea...10
R. M. Magee...6	S. M. Beatey...23
Total...33	Total...52
Grand Total.	
St. Andrews...74	Carleton...90
Majority for Carleton...16	

ON FARMERS LARGELY, DEPENDS PROSPERITY OF THE PROVINCE

(Continued from page 1)
Lack of Production. Farmers, he said, did not produce sufficient wheat, pork, cheese or butter. In fact the demand was far greater than the supply. He declared that this was the farmers' lost opportunity with co-operation as a step in the direction of advance.



W. W. HUBBARD.

ment. He impressed upon the delegates the necessity of handing down to posterity, and boys who were now fighting battles of the Empire on Europe's battlefields a heritage which they might well feel proud of. "Our slogan should be increased production," he declared, "and should we not as an association, as true loyal British subjects pledge ourselves at this annual meeting to do everything that is in sympathy with present day demands upon us."

In closing he paid a tribute to the late Dr. C. C. James, former commissioner for agriculture. An address of welcome was tendered by the delegates by Mayor Mitchell, who, in the course of his address, lauded the provincial department of agriculture for their progressive policy. His Worship tendered the visitors the freedom of the city and expressed the hope that their stay in the capital would be a pleasant one.

The principal address of the evening was delivered by Hon. J. A. Murray, of Sussex, Minister of Agriculture. Hon. Mr. Murray was given a most enthusiastic hearing as he pointed out the problems of agriculture in this province.

He said that success of the past year was due, in a large measure, to the publicity campaign carried on in New Brunswick and reviewed work of the department since it took charge. Owing to his still suffering from a cold, Hon. Mr. Murray was only able to address the delegates very briefly, and it was quite evident that he spoke under difficulties. At the outset he touched upon the war and referred to his recent visit to London where he had seen, as it were, the very heart throbs of the nation and became impressed with the unbreakable spirit of grim determination that dominated the empire and permeated throughout the overseas dominions and their provinces, of which New Brunswick had a proud record of valor and self sacrifice, a spirit that meant to see the war, which was really a struggle for freedom, righteousness and for life itself, fought to a victorious termination.

Greater Publicity. Previous speakers had referred to the prosperity of New Brunswick, and he believed that this was an evidence that the province was just coming into

its own. As a result of publicity which the government had given to the province lately, its resources and advantages were becoming more widely known and the offices at St. John and Fredericton had received scores of enquiries from western Canada and the New England states. He thought that we should show our faith in the province by still greater publicity of its many attractions.

After the War Immigration. Continuing Hon. Mr. Murray said that while immigration from Europe might not come immediately after peace, he was firmly convinced that a great tide of immigration was coming some time soon as a result of the war. New Brunswick would get its share of immigrants and in 10, 15 or 20 years time there would result a greater population than we had ever dreamed of 20 years ago. He based this assertion on intell. received from soldiers at London office and by C. F. R. officials.

Progress in Agriculture. He was glad to say that they had made considerable progress in agriculture in the province. The department of agriculture existed for the purpose of aiding farmers, and farming and was at the disposal of the Farmers' and Dairymen's Association. He invited their assistance, co-operation and constructive criticism in working out the best policy for the province. He referred to the recent engagement of Prof. J. W. Mitchell as superintendent of the live stock and dairying division as a step which he felt would result in the building up of these important branches of agriculture. He was satisfied that dairying and mixed farming were the basis of successful farming in New Brunswick.

Mr. Murray referred very briefly to many other forward steps which his department had initiated, including demonstrations given by the clover hatter, lime rock crusher and ditching machines. The campaign for the use of home mixed fertilizers, the work of women's institutes, the building of agricultural schools and vocational and elementary agricultural education work.

In conclusion he hoped that their sessions and deliberations would prove eminently successful and prosperous. The reply to the address of welcome was very briefly made by H. H. Smith, of Hoyt Station, in place of A. J. Gaudet, who was unavoidably absent.

The following committees were appointed: Finance—Scott, Shaw, Isaac W. Baird, James Bremner.

Resolutions—M. A. McLeod, W. E. Palmer, W. W. Hubbard, Sidney DesBrisay and Frank Fawcett.

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LOCAL BOWLING

In the City League on Black's alleys last night the Ramblers captured the four points from the amateurs. The individual scores follow:

Amateurs.	
Armstrong	116 90 94 300 100
Huggard	85 75 76 246 81
Waycott	65 104 74 243 81
Hatfield	74 99 75 218 82-3
Ramsay	88 99 77 264 88
438 467 396 1501	
Ramblers.	
Duffy	91 104 95 290 96-2-3
Jordan	89 90 82 270 89
Beattie	86 99 82 267 89
Coughlan	91 105 94 290 96-2-3
Covey	107 82 100 289 96-1-3
464 489 453 1406	

The Specials and Sweeps bowl to night.

In the Y.M.C.A. Bowling League last evening the Condors won four points from the Canaries. The score was as follows:

Condors.	
Brown	102 103 103 308-102-2-3
McBride	111 94 103 308-102-2-3
Smith	94 99 79 272-71-1-3
Gorman	95 98 79 272-70-2-3
McKean	104 110 109 323-107-2-3
506 464 473 1443	
Canaries.	
Kennedy	84 87 93 244-81-2-3
Daley	86 80 103 273-81
O'Leary	88 87 73 248-82-2-3
McGibbon	82 82 94 248-82-2-3
Riley	109 132 110 351-117
459 448 455 1370	

Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL. A fast basketball game was played yesterday at the Y. M. C. A. between the Beavers and Crusaders in the High School League, the Beavers winning by a score of 11 to 6. The line-up follows:

Beavers.	Forwards.
Willet	Barbour
Thomas	Cochrane
Centre.	
Anglin	Fleming
Guards.	
Jordan	Clayton
Cross	

The figures in connection with the thoroughbred industry of the United States as revealed by The Jockey Club's records for the last five years, or during the period when racing was under restrictions which hampered it almost to the point of extinction, are interesting. The official records show that 1,553 exportation certificates were issued for males and females of various ages during that time by W. H. Rowe, the official registrar of The Jockey Club.

"These certificates do not by any means furnish an accurate estimate of the number of thoroughbreds we lost," said Mr. Rowe a few days ago, "as many consignments to England, Germany, Australia, Argentina, and other South American points were sent without any other papers than the foal certificates, and we are now getting communications from these countries where some of the mares have produced something good and their breeding must be confirmed. "I would say that quite as many animals went without our certificates of exportation, so that 2,000 would not be too high a figure to place on the total shipments of thoroughbreds from this country from 1910 to 1915, inclusive. "Our records, however, show that the tide has turned, and is strongly, the importations during 1914 from the abroad totaling 190 head, while the current year to date is responsible for 406, with 70 more on the Atlantic at the present time. This will bring us well up to the 700 mark, with another month to fill out the year. A number of the horses and mares which went abroad represented the best blood lines in our stud book, and many of them we could ill afford to lose; but we are getting in exchange representatives of families that have been most successful abroad, and they should leave their impress on the thoroughbred future of the United States."

WAR VETERANS' SPORTS.

Plans were discussed at the weekly meeting of the European War Veterans' Association in their rooms on Charlotte street last night, concerning the coming skating tournament to be held at the Victoria rink on the 13th of February. The following racing schedule has been fixed on for that evening: One mile match race between two of the best skaters in the city, one mile, half mile, 440 and 220 yards races, open to all; military mile race, open to men serving in Canadian expeditionary forces; half mile race, open to all ladies, and half mile race open to boys under sixteen years of age. There will be a band in attendance for the general skating will follow the races. Entries to the various races can be made by writing or calling in person to Sports Committee of the European War Veterans' Association, 38 Charlotte street.

THISTLE PRESIDENT'S TROPHY. The following rinks curled for the president's trophies at the Thistle rink last night:

Rink 6.	Rink 8.
L. P. Thayer	Wm. Edgett
H. Stubbs	H. Warwick
J. M. Penderish	R. E. Crawford
H. C. Olive	W. A. Shaw
skip.....24	skip.....4

HARTLAND

Hartland, Jan. 29.—Mrs. S. Sippelle returned this week from a few days visit with friends in Woodstock. Little Miss Inez Currie, who was so seriously ill with pneumonia is much improved.

Miss Edna Jensen returned this week from Centreville, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Hagerman. Miss Grace Thompkins and Miss Wilna Hunter Stuckey, were in the village Wednesday, the guests of Mrs. Underhill.

Zeke Sippelle entertained very pleasantly a number of his young friends at his home, Tuesday evening, it being his 13th birthday. Mrs. W. E. Allenbrook and Mrs. J. W. Southern returned to their respective homes in Boston and Wicklow, after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. White.

DOUGLAS HARBOR

Douglas Harbor, Jan. 29.—On Tuesday evening, Jan. 23rd, the Progressive League of this place gathered at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Coakley, the occasion being a surprise party for one of their members, Harold A. Coakley, who has recently donned the uniform. A very pleasant evening was spent in music and games, followed by refreshments served by the young ladies, after which Mr. Stephen Colwell on behalf of the other members of the league presented Private Coakley with an address and a signet ring. After taken completely by surprise, Pte. Coakley replied in a few fitting words, after which Mr. Coakley on behalf of himself and wife thanked the friends for their kindness and appreciation of the ones soon to join them. The company dispersed after the singing of the National Anthem.

P. E. Coyle of Brookline, Mass., has been elected president of the Eastern Steamship Lines, Incorporated, the new corporation which is taking over the property of the Eastern Steamship Corporation, of which President Calvin Austin is receiver. Aaron B. Cole of Elliot, Me., is clerk and treasurer. The capital stock of the Eastern Steamship Lines Incorporated is \$2,500,000 common and \$2,500,000 preferred, which will soon be offered on the Boston stock exchange. The property of the old corporation including the St. John leases and the steamers which come to this port, the North Star, Calvin Austin, Gov. Dingley and Gov. Cobb, was recently sold under foreclosure proceedings. The directors of the new concern are President Coyle, E. C. Ramsdell, Boston; J. W. Brophy, Boston; H. A. Ham, Wollaston, Mass.; H. F. Pearsall, Boston; Arthur Lane, Arlington. Walter W. Stanzman, Boston; Samuel T. Oldfield, Reading, Mass.; and Frederick A. Jones, Winthrop, Mass.

DAILY ROUTINE FOR SEAMEN PLEASANT LIFE

As part of Canada's contribution of 500,000 men for overseas, the Dominion Naval Department has organized the Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve, the coming year in the Empire effort at the same rates of pay as in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces. Men enlisting in this reserve are ranked as able seamen and paid \$1.10 per day, with \$20 per month separation allowance to wife or dependants. No special experience or training is required, and men who are physically fit and between the ages of eighteen and thirty-eight, even if they have never seen the sea, are given the unusual privilege of joining the navy at full seaman's rank at a wage many times in excess of that paid the regular British Navy seaman and rated two ranks higher than that allowed ordinary "green" recruits.

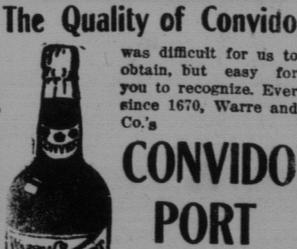
The naval seaman upon enlistment receives a full kit of clothes consisting of two cloth caps, one white duck cap and cap covers, three duck working jumpers, two duck uniform jumpers, two serge jumpers without cuffs, one serge jumper with cuffs, two jerseys, four pairs duck trousers, three pairs serge trousers, two pairs socks, one pair shoes, one pair boots, three blue jean collars, three banders, two night shirts, two handkerchiefs, one blanket, one handkerchief, two bed covers, one comb, brush, hammock, knife, blacking brushes, clothes brush, hair brush, scissors, soap bar, "housewife," comb, toothbrush, cap boxes, prayer book, overalls, lanards, etc., the whole being packed in a brown canvas kit bag, which is lashed up in the hammock. Each seaman receives two hammocks, Oilskins, sea-boots and watch coats are issued to those men on duties which require them. A stock of ready-made clothing is kept in the naval depots and aboard many ships and issued to the men when necessary to replace lost or worn out kit.

After enlisting at the recruiting offices in Canada the recruit is sent with an able seaman's kit, and thence forward on the first ship to a naval training depot in England. At the training school the R. N. C. V. R. man receives instruction in the rudiments of naval drill and discipline; is taught the distinguishing ranks and flags; how to look after his kit and lash his hammock, and is given at least two months' preliminary instruction in rifle and onet drill, foot drill and as much knowledge of seamanship as can be given ashore, and a general idea of signalling, naval gunnery and torpedo work.

When considered competent enough the naval seaman is drafted to a man-of-war and entered on her watch bill. A card is given him which details him to his mess in one or other of the various departments of fore-castle men, foretop men, maintop men, or quarter-deck men, and in either the port or starboard watch and the subdivisions thereof. In his particular watch or subdivision he is given details as to his position in event of collision, torpedo attack, outbreak of fire, going into action, or abandoning ship. Each of these manoeuvres calls for different duties, and at sea he will receive his training in them.

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Blame. How prone we all are to put the blame on somebody else. From Adam down this has been a failing of the human race...

WOMEN FARMERS.

While female management of farms is somewhat rare in Canada—except in cases where the death of male management has thrown the burden upon wife or mother or daughter...

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During the past year, the thousands of letters received in connection with the Children's Corner of The Standard, have revealed two outstanding facts. First, that the boys and girls of Eastern Canada are being particularly well trained in composition...

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Table with 3 columns: Subject, Date for reaching this office, Awards will be published.

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A HINT FOR ST. JOHN. There is a town in Southern France, called Villiers-le-Duc, where no baby under a year old has died in ten years...

Villiers-le-Duc contains about 1,000 inhabitants, and the average works out at a fraction over 18 per thousand; so that over 180 babies have been born, all of whom have lived.

No other place in the world is able to show such a record, and it has only been made possible in this case owing to a series of ordinances issued by the mayor of the town, and which are strictly enforced.

These provide, amongst other things for proper food and rest for the prospective mother, who is obliged to notify the authorities at least two months before the expected event. Free medical aid is also available for mother and child, both at birth and afterwards.

Dr. Anna Shaw says Mother Eve, who ate the first apple, was the first feminist. Does anyone recollect any feminist ameliorating this estimable woman? No? Well, then, possibly, Dr. Shaw is correct.

WOMEN'S BOYCOTT. A movement is on foot among women workers on women's and children's garments, for the boycotting of all man-made wear of this nature...

HOME FOR INCURABLES. The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Aid was held at the Home for Incurables yesterday afternoon. Reports were heard of the Christmas entertainment and regular routine business transacted.

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture World and on the Stage--Favorites and What They Say and Do.

IMPERIAL. If Diogenes had been out with his lantern around where Dennis O'Hara was he would have stopped in his search and said: "I need look no farther for my honest man."

It is fine in moving pictures how the families of the grafters always get under the rotten bridge or are burned up in the flimsy building. In real life it is usually the innocent who suffer for the guilty.

The Universal Weekly showed views of the huge losses which the American Navy has suffered by storms this season, several of the latest styles for men and some of those clever H. Mayer Cartoons.

MARRIAGES. Henneberry-Doyle. Miss Mary C. Doyle, daughter of Mrs. B. Doyle of this city, was united in marriage in the Cathedral yesterday morning to Charles H. Henneberry...

CANADIAN POETRY. Whatever the war may or may not be doing to American poetry—and much is being said about it—there is a remarkable showing of Canadian poets. One Toronto house is issuing this month three volumes by soldiers...

UNIQUE. Well, the person under the striped cloak was not Patsy, but an unknown character who sort of melted away. If it was an Apache, why was it not arrested. If it was a perfectly innocent being why was it in such suspicious surroundings?

FUNERALS. The funeral of Paul McAlison took place yesterday morning from his late residence, Clarendon street, to St. Peter's church, where requiem mass was celebrated by Rev. Frederick Coughlan. Interment was made in the old Catholic cemetery.

SLEEPLESS NIGHTS OVERCOME BY SAFE METHOD. Worry, overwork, overstudy and indigestion cause insomnia. Healthy, natural sleep can be produced by drugs.

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Campbell, Jan. 29-7 held in the skating rink very successful. The large attendance, an of ice, and the lengthy must rendered the event a success. The boys of the rink made the evening enjoyable one to the skaters and spectators.

The most original prize Miss Edna Farrer, and Miss, who represented the prize being travelling set; the men's of military brushes was Mr. Duncan Galton, who a Canadian Soldier upon's back." The ladies prize jewel case was won by Miss Helen Mowat, who represented the children's prize set, tell to little Miss C. drew, who represented White and Blue."

The members of the St. John's Association were very entertained at a party given at the home of Mrs. M. J. Taylor on Thursday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Percy B. pedra, were in town last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Kenne.

Miss Jean McEllan, attending at the Children's Home, is spending her vacation at her parents, Mr. Alex. McEllan, Gerrard. Miss Alberta Stoves, visiting at her home here, to resume her studies at the Children's College. Master Robert Taylor, grandsons, Mr. and Mrs. Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman L. rejoicing over the arrival of their daughter at her home in recently. Miss Helen Dawson of was visiting Campbelltown week. Miss Annie Russel of in town, the guest of Mr. E. O'Donnell.

Mr. Wm. Dickie's man pleased to see him out of a recent illness. Mrs. F. K. Wallace e formally a few of her one afternoon last week. Mrs. R. A. Gambell of visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Harry W. Smith to spend some time with friends in Winnipeg. Mr. Robert St. Onge week from River Glade, where he accompanied his who is a patient at the torium there, receiving that trouble.

Campbelltown friends in the announcement of Miss Edith S. Hecht, both of Mr. Wm. Montgomerie Mayor Montgomery of in town last week with mother, Mrs. D. O'Keefe. Mrs. D. G. Stewart was in town last week, Mr. and Mrs. L. Winton. Miss Greta Wall has ham to take a business.

Nursing Sister E. L. No. 3 General Hospital is home on leave, was week the guest of her H. Taylor, Main St. Lieut. Harry D. Warren ed from overseas on C on leave for a short time in Sussex, was in town guest of his uncle, Dr. B. Miss Morris is enjoying visit the guest of Mr. A. Devendish, in Moncton.

Miss Lizzie Stewart who has been the guest at Cross Point, has on winter in the States. Mrs. J. O. Pichette, a her daughter, Corine, is visit her daughter, Miss attending the convent in Quebec City before Mr. Robert Currie of is visiting relatives he of last week renews in Dalhousie.

Among those from Dalhousie and the funeral of the late Malcolm were Hon. C. Mr. Frank McEvoy, Mr. Ineson, Mr. Andrew J. James A. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. John Midgley.

Mrs. George McKen a number of her young tea hour one afternoon guests included Mrs. E. Harold Armstrong, C Mrs. Hugh A. Carr, M Miss Beatrice Richard Mowat, Miss Mary G. Misses Langley.

Mr. Harry B. Anslow last week in Dalhousie. Mr. Charles Alexander visitor to Dalhousie in Miss Helen Mowat from Flat Lands to studies at the Campbell School.

Mrs. John Baldwin, received word from two Canadian Forces and prisoners of war in G her that her son Col. Baldwin of the 6th B and reported missing, in action on June 2nd, before enlisting a Royal Bank of Canada and was very popular.

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CAMPBELLTON.

Campbellton, Jan. 29.—The carnival held in the skating rink last week was very successful. There was a very large attendance, an excellent sheet of ice, and the lengthy programme of music rendered by the Campbellton Brass Band made the evening a most enjoyable one to the large number of skaters and spectators present.

The prizes were awarded as follows: The most original prize was won by Miss Edna Farrer, and Miss Jean Jardine, who represented "Scottish Lassies," the prize being a handsome travelling set; the men's prize a set of military brushes was awarded to Mr. Duncan Gallon, who represented "A Canadian Soldier upon the Kaiser's back." The ladies prize, a beautiful jewel case was won by Miss J. Gardin, who represented the "Abolitionists." The children's prize, a drawing set, fell to little Miss Catherine Andrew, who represented "The Red, White and Blue."

The members of the Soldiers' Comforts Association were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. L. Claxton last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Baker of Matapedia, were in town last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George G. McKenzie.

Miss Jean McLellan, nurse in training at the Children's Hospital, Toronto, is spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. McLellan, Gerrard St.

Miss Alberta Steeves, who has been visiting at her home here, has returned to resume her studies at the St. Stephen Business College.

Master Robert Taylor is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dickie, in Charlottetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman McKenzie are rejoicing over the arrival of a little daughter at their home in Tide Head, recently.

Miss Helen Dawson of Maple Green, was visiting Campbellton friends last week.

Miss Annie Russell of Newcastle, is in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. O'Donnell.

Mr. Wm. Dickie's many friends are pleased to see him out again, after his recent illness.

Mrs. W. K. Wallace entertained informally a few of her friends at tea one afternoon last week.

Mrs. R. A. Gamin of Montreal, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. Harry W. Smith left last week to spend some time with relatives and friends in Winnipeg.

Mr. Robert St. Onge returned last week from River Glade, Albert County, where he accompanied his son James, who is a patient at the Jordan Sanatorium there, receiving treatment for throat trouble.

Campbellton friends are interested in the announcement of the engagement of Miss Edith Shapiro to Mr. Isidor Hecht, both of Quebec.

Mrs. Wm. Montgomery, wife of Mayor Montgomery of Dalhousie, was in town last week, the guest of her mother, Mrs. D. O'Keefe, O'Leary St.

Mrs. D. G. Stewart of Dalhousie, was in town last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Winton, Andrew St.

Miss Greta Wall has gone to Chatham to take a business course.

Nursing Sister E. Lilly Dickie of No. 3 General Hospital, France, who is home on leave, was in town last week, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Taylor, Main St.

Lieut. Harry D. Warren, who arrived on leave for a short time in Dalhousie, was in town last week, the guest of his uncle, Dr. Beverley Sproul.

Miss Morris is enjoying a pleasant visit the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Devendish, in Moncton.

Miss Lizzie Stewart of Chatham, who has been the guest of Mrs. Joliet at Cross Point, has gone to spend the winter in the States.

Mrs. J. O. Pichette, accompanied by her daughter, Corine, left last week to visit her daughter, Margarite, who is attending the convent at Three Rivers, Que. They will also visit friends in Quebec City before returning home.

Mr. Robert Currie of Saskatoon, who is visiting relatives here, spent part of last week renewing acquaintances in Dalhousie.

Among those from Dalhousie to attend the funeral of the late Mr. Thos. Malcolm, were Hon. C. H. Lablache, Mr. Frank McEvoy, Mr. Timothy Robinson, Mr. Andrew Barabie, Mr. James A. Reid, Mr. David Malcolm and Mr. John Midgley.

Mrs. George McKenzie entertained a number of her young friends at tea one afternoon last week. The guests included Mrs. E. Sargeant, Mrs. Harold Armstrong, Chipman N. B., Mrs. Hugh A. Carr, Mrs. J. Barabie, Miss Beatrice Richards, Miss Lillian Mowat, Miss Mary Graham and the Misses Lingley.

Mr. Harry Anslow spent part of last week in Dalhousie.

Mr. Charles Alexander was also a visitor to Dalhousie last week.

Miss Helen Mowat has returned from Flat Lands to take up her studies at the Campbellton Grammar School.

Mrs. John Baldwin, Dalhousie, has received word from two officers of the Canadian Forces and who are now prisoners of war in Germany, telling her that her son Corporal Gideon Baldwin of the 6th Mounted Rifles and reported missing, had been killed in action on June 2nd. Corporal Baldwin before enlisting was teller in the Royal Bank of Canada in Dalhousie, and was very popular. Campbellton

CAMPBELLTON.

friends extend sincerest sympathy to the family in their sad loss.

Mr. J. McCormack, formerly of Chatham, but who for the past few years has been holding a responsible position with the Sussex Mercantile Co. in Sussex, has severed his connection with that firm and taken a similar position with the Tobique Company, at Campbellton. Mr. McCormack was very popular with all, and before leaving Sussex was presented with an address, and a purse of gold by his fellow workmen.

The dates for the North Shore Bonspiel, which is to be held in Dalhousie are fixed for February 13th and 14th.

Mrs. Hugh A. Carr held her first reception since her marriage at her home, Chapel Hill, on Thursday last, afternoon and evening. The house was beautifully decorated for the occasion with cut flowers and potted plants. The bride received in her wedding dress of white satin, and was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. Alex. Mowat, who wore a beautiful gown of black satin.

Mrs. George I. McKenzie ushered the guests to the dining-room, where Mrs. James W. Morton and Mrs. Harold Armstrong presided over the beautifully appointed tea table, centred with American Beauty Roses. Assisting with the refreshments were Miss Lillian Mowat, Miss Tessie Lingley and Miss Hazel Mowat. Little Miss Helen Lunan attended the door.

Mrs. A. F. Ingram entertained a number of her friends at an informal and delightful little tea on Wednesday afternoon last.

The many friends of Mrs. Hugh Miller will regret to hear that she is confined to her bed through illness.

Messrs. Maxwell M. Mowat and Fred Kerr have returned from a trip to New York and Boston.

Mr. J. Cantin is visiting friends in Montreal and Quebec.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce McBeath, Gerard St., are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby girl at their home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Harquail and Mr. and Mrs. George A. Killam are also receiving congratulations on the arrival of baby girls at their homes this week.

Friends of Coun. D. A. Arnesau, who is at present in a hospital in Quebec City, will be glad to know that his condition is slightly improved, and his family hope to have him removed to his home here the last of this week.

ANDOVER.

Andover, Jan. 29.—Rev. J. R. Hopkins preached his farewell sermon to a large congregation Jan. 21st, and left on Monday for Welland, Ont., to spend a short time after which he expects to go to Florida.

Mrs. Douglas Burns, who has been visiting her old home here for three weeks, left for her home in Welland, Ont.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Holt, Fort Fairfield, spent a few days the early part of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Guy Porter.

Mr. John Curry returned to Estcourt, Que. Jan. 31st.

Mr. William Matheson of Cabano, Que., spent the week-end at his home here.

Miss Margaret Curry was in Woodstock last week for a short visit.

Mrs. John Stewart, Mrs. Mary Stebbins and little Donna Stebbins have returned from a month's visit with relatives in Boston and vicinity.

Mrs. T. J. Carter returned last week from a short trip to Woodstock.

Miss Ruth Hopkins is the guest of her aunt, Miss Sarah Watson.

Mr. William Curry spent part of the past week in Fredericton and Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Reed Bell and Miss Josephine Bell spent several days in Woodstock, the past week, where they went to visit Gunner Paul Bell of the 65th. Siege Battery.

Capt. Harry Hopkins of Amherst, N. S., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hopkins.

Mrs. Myrtle I. P. Carvell, St. John, was the guest of Mrs. J. W. P. Dickie last week.

Miss Grace Porter entertained a few friends at the tea hour on Tuesday.

The Willing Workers Mission Band met with Miss Pearl Waite Tuesday evening.

Rev. Chas. Fleming was in St. John the past week attending the Social Service Congress.

Mr. LeBaron Bull, Fredericton, was the guest of Mrs. D. R. Bell, recently.

The W. A. of the Church of England, met with Mrs. J. Allan Parley, on Tuesday.

T. J. Carter, M.L.A., spent the week in St. John and Fredericton.

Miss Marion Lawson of Caribou, Me., was the guest of Miss Millicent Carter, the past week.

Mrs. Frank Howard returned on Thursday from a pleasant visit with St. John relatives.

Lieutenant Mark Anderson of Amherst, N. S., spent the past week with his family.

Messrs. Murray Wright, Stanley Waugh, Charles Olmstead, Harry Gilman, and Frank Henderson attended the auto show in Montreal.

The death occurred suddenly at Wapke, on Tuesday, the 24th, inst., of the late Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNair of Mechanic, Kings Co.

The funeral was held on Saturday morning from the home of Mrs. Pringle, after which Benjamin Lodge, F. and A. M. took charge of the service. Interment was made in Presbyterian Rural Cemetery.

James McNair and Hamilton McNair of Wapke, were guests of Mrs. Pringle Kelly last week.

Bruce Waugh went to Florenceville, recently.

The Round Table Literary Club gathered at the home of Mrs. R. B. M. Wiley and spent a jolly evening in games and music. The affair was a genuine surprise to Miss Annie Magill, the retiring president of the club. A tempting lunch was served by the young ladies after which Miss Annie Magill, on behalf of the members, presented Miss Magill with a fine painting by Wallace Nutting as a small token of appreciation and esteem. Miss Magill made a feeling reply. Among those present were Mrs. J. W. P. Dickson, Mrs. George Clark, Miss Frances Tibbits, Miss Grace McPhail, Misses Margaret and Janet Curry, Misses Annie and E. Stewart, Miss Beatrice Gillett, Misses Myrtle and Pearl Waite, Messrs. Sandy MacAlary, Kenneth Robb and Donald Wiley.

NEWCASTLE.

Newcastle, Jan. 29.—Mrs. Walter Morrell is visiting her daughter-in-law in Woodstock.

Mrs. MacArthur entertained a number of friends at a knitting party at the manse, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael McKinnon of Mulgrave, N. S., are visiting Miramichi friends.

Major Randolph Crocker of the 38th Battery is much improved in health since his return from France on January 1st.

Noble Miller of the Royal Bank staff was called to his home in Windsor, N. S., last week, because of his mother's illness.

Miss Margaret Robinson has returned to Boston after a month's visit to her mother, Mrs. John Robinson, Sr., at the "Pines."

Miss Fowler and the Misses Pedolin have returned from a two months' visit to Montreal, where Miss Minnie Pedolin successfully underwent medical treatment.

D. W. Stothart is improving rapidly from his operation for appendicitis performed at the Miramichi Hospital last week.

Ernest Hutchison of Douglastown, who has been very ill for the last seven weeks, is still in a critical condition.

Miss Marion Bulmer of Moncton, spent last week with Mrs. J. D. MacMillan.

Rev. S. J. MacArthur attended the Social Service Congress last week, and was elected one of the vice-presidents of the Social Service Council of New Brunswick.

Miss Muriel Bate was the guest of Miss Helen W. C. Crockett, Fredericton, Wednesday afternoon.

The marriage of Miss Lulu Russell of Newcastle, and Mr. Guyon Merriman of Chatham, took place in Chatham on Tuesday 16th, inst.

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HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, Jan. 29.—Mrs. H. D. Cleveland has returned from a visit of two months with friends in Amherst.

A letter received by relatives here from Private Joseph Smith of the original 104th, and who has been drafted, mentions having met O. A. Reid of Albert, who has become Quartermaster Sergeant.

J. Clifford Stevens of Halifax, came today to remain for a few days at his home.

Miss Bessie Rogers returned to Montreal, last week, having spent the past month with her mother, Mrs. J. E. Rogers.

Mrs. James Lynds of Hopewell Cape, who has been in poor health for the past year is very low with no hopes of recovery.

Miss Margaret Lynds, teacher of elocution at the Normal School, is with her mother.

A carnival was held Wednesday evening at the Hillborough rink. This was the first one held this year. Prizes were awarded for the best costumes.

Mrs. Zilia Newcomb went to Springhill, N. S., on Tuesday morning to be with her sister, Mrs. George Nelson, who is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Cecil Jones son of Mr. and Mrs. James Jones is very low with pneumonia. Slight hopes are entertained for his recovery.

WHAT CAUSES YOUR DISTRESS

Impure blood is at the root of many ailments. When nature fails to do her proper work the blood is impure, and this impure blood causes distress through the kidneys. The kidneys are the filters of the blood and when they are clogged with impure blood, the system is in distress. This is what causes your distress.

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THE WEATHER.

Maritime - Southeast to southwest winds, mild, with snow or rain.

Toronto, Jan. 29.—The weather has again become extremely cold in the western provinces and interior of British Columbia, and also along the Pacific coast is cold, with snow.

Table with columns: Temperature, Min., Max. Rows include Prince Rupert, Victoria, Vancouver, Kamloops, Calgary, Edmonton, Battleford, Saskatoon, Prince Albert, Medicine Hat, Moose Jaw, Regina, Winnipeg, Port Arthur, Parry Sound, London, Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal, Quebec, St. John, Halifax.

Around the City

Conductor Transferred. Conductor "Sandy" Brown, who has been in charge of day trains between Moncton and this city, was transferred last night to the express which leaves this city for Halifax at 11.30.

Two Ribs Fractured. A longshoreman named John Barry, fell from an upright to the deck of a steamer at Sand Point and fractured two ribs. His injuries were attended to in the emergency hospital after which he was removed to the Rupert Hotel in Mill street.

J. F. Bullock Injured. J. F. Bullock of the Imperial Oil Company fell 30 feet into a pump shaft on the Ballast wharf yesterday morning and dislocated his right shoulder. He was conveyed to his home on German street and attended by Dr. L. M. Curran and L. A. McAlpine.

St. David's Y. P. A. The Young People's Association of St. David's church held their regular fortnightly meeting last night with President J. S. Archibald in the chair. The chief feature of the programme was an illustrated lecture on the Louvre by Mrs. J. M. Lawrence. Black's juvenile orchestra also gave several selections and Messdames J. M. Barnes and J. F. Archibald gave a piano duet which was well liked.

St. John Conservative Club. A largely attended meeting of the St. John Conservative Club was held in their rooms, marked building, last night. The address of the evening was delivered by F. L. Potts and several of the members spoke briefly. Mr. Potts dealt with the issues of the day in a masterly speech and his remarks were greeted with applause.

Canada and the Returned Soldier. J. S. Dennis will deliver his able and eloquent address on "Canada and the Returned Soldier" in the Knights of Columbus hall on Tuesday evening, February 6, under the auspices of Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. F. This is a subject which should interest every loyal Canadian and Mr. Dennis will tell what the Canadian government proposes to do for the returning heroes. Don't forget the date, Tuesday evening, February 6.

War and Finance. At the Rotary Club luncheon yesterday J. M. Robinson read an interesting paper on the war and financial conditions. He drew a comparison with the experience of the northern states in the civil war, and showed that conditions were similar during this war, and he believed would be similar after the war, a brief period of readjustment followed by a period of prosperity. He expressed the view that the war would not last another year. A hearty vote of thanks was moved by W. S. Fisher and seconded by R. E. Armstrong.

PERSONALS

J. Leigh White, M.L.A., of Grand Falls, was 46 years of age yesterday. Wm. Appleton, general master mechanic of the Canadian Government Railways, Moncton, observed the 36th anniversary of his birth yesterday. Dr. W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of education, left last night for Ottawa to attend an important educational conference in that city this week. Joseph Finley, who left for New York on Saturday, will be joined by A. H. Hamilton, who left last night. They are sailing in a few days for Bermuda to spend several weeks.

WEST-ED MAN DECORATED HOME TELLS OF EXPERIENCES

George P. Hennessy, of "Fighting 26th," Among the Soldiers Who Returned From the Firing Lines.

"You can tell the people for me that I went over to the front and had a good time and I am glad I went," said Private George P. Hennessy, who arrived in the city yesterday in a party of 320 returned men from the firing line.

Private Hennessy left St. John as a member of the original 26th Battalion and up until September 18th was actively engaged with the enemy on the western front. He told The Standard last night that there were twenty members of the 26th Battalion on the firing line.

Private C. M. McDonald, a native of Sydney Mines, C. B., but who enlisted in the 7th Battalion in the west, was also in the party. He was wounded in the engagement at Noquet Farm, a short distance to the rear of Courcellette. He is returning to his home in Sydney Mines after an absence of twenty-two years.

Private H. H. Fraser of Hampton was also in the party. He has been residing in the west for many years. He enlisted in British Columbia. "All Americans who really want to fight are in Europe," said D. E. Carr of the Army and Navy Club, Washington, to a Standard representative last night at the discharge depot. "I just wanted to fight so I left the United States shortly after war was declared and enlisted with the 24th Battalion at Montreal. I saw service in many of the important battles on the western front, including Ypres and St. Eloi.

The other Maritime Province men in the party are as follows: Pte. Belliveau, M. F., 115 Botford street, Moncton. Pte. Buckley, M., 265 Thompson street, Sydney, N. S.

Mrs. Jane E. McBride. The death is announced in Hyde Park, Boston, of Mrs. Jane E. McBride of Burlington, N. S., where interment will occur.

RECRUITING TAKES FINE JUMP AHEAD

Twenty-three Men Signed Honor Roll at Local Office Yesterday — Five Others Failed to Pass.

A party of six leading citizens of Saint Pierre reached the city yesterday and are guests at the Royal Hotel. "We are going to fight the Hun and help bring victory to England, France and their allies," was the way in which one of the party expressed their intention of going to the front to join the French army.

A large party of returned officers and men were in the city yesterday, reaching here about 4 o'clock. They were enthusiastically received on their arrival here.

Three of the number wore decorations received from the king for gallantry in action. Lieut. F. B. Behan, a son of G. B. Behan of Toronto, wore the military cross which he received for gallant conduct with the 3rd Battalion on the Somme. Mr. Behan did not care to discuss the incident, but it is known that he was in charge of the signallers of the battalion and carried out daring work, which proved invaluable for the Canadian forces.

Another gallant officer who wore the military cross was Lieut. J. Sims, also of the 3rd Battalion. He received the coveted decoration in connection with his work as grenade officer in the battle of the Somme. The lieutenant organized an attack on the enemy trenches. He went out with a party of fifty men and while only five returned the raid was a most successful one as information of great value was received.

Captain Handley, an officer of the Welsh Fusiliers, who was in the city yesterday, was another officer to be awarded the military cross. He went out and attended the wounded under heavy fire at great danger to himself. Major Mansell of the 1st Pioneer Battalion reached the city yesterday. He is home on special leave.

Captain Burton of Swift Current, an officer of the 29th Battalion, came home yesterday on a short leave.

Lieut. E. H. Raymond of the 14th Battalion, who was in the city on his way to his home in London, Ont. He was wounded while fighting on the Somme front on September 27th last.

Another officer who was wounded in the Somme fighting is Captain A. R. Hamilton of Montreal who was with the 11th Cheshires. Lieut. McEasters, another Upper Canadian who was also with the Cheshires returned yesterday.

Lieut. A. W. May of Ottawa who was with the 21st Battalion is home on sick leave. He was in the West Cliffe Hospital at Folkestone. The patient in the next bed was Lieut. Gregory of St. Stephen who was with the famous 26th Battalion. "They don't make any better fighters than the 26th," was the compliment paid to the New Brunswick boys by Lieut. May.

Mrs. Cecil Porter, wife of Captain Porter of the 26th, reached the city yesterday. Mrs. Porter has been keeping house in England. Her husband has been mentioned in despatches on two occasions and has also been recommended for a decoration. He has done great work at the front.

ANOTHER HOSPITAL IS PLANNED

Large Number of Cot Patients Reached the City Yesterday—Local Hospital Ready in About Three Weeks—Engineer Graham Here.

That the Dominion Hospital Commission were seriously considering the establishment of another new discharge hospital either in New Brunswick or Nova Scotia was the statement made to The Standard last evening by a high military official. There are such a large number of cot cases to receive the attention of the commission that it has been deemed expedient to establish another hospital, just how soon the work will be undertaken has not yet been announced. There were a large number of cot patients arriving in the city yesterday. Captain Lambkin and Lieut. Kidner were in the city in charge of the transport of these men to the Upper Canadian hospital. They arranged with Major S. S. Wetmore who was in charge of the party for the transfer of the men to the hospital cars that were in waiting and the comfort of the men was seen to by these officials. "We expect to have the new discharge hospital in the city in readiness in about three weeks," said Engineer D. F. Graham of the Dominion Hospital Commission, who reached the city yesterday from Ottawa. Mr. Gra-

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HONOR ROLL

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Recruiting took a leap ahead yesterday in St. John, when no less than 23 men made application for enlistment. Of this number 23 were accepted and the other five are to be examined this morning. Thirteen of the party enlisted in the 257th Battalion. This unit is certainly adding new life to the situation in this province.

At the rate of enlistment the 250 men required from New Brunswick will soon be secured. Lieut. Morton intends to visit several of the larger towns in the province this week where he will hold meetings in the interest of the 237th.

PREMIER CLARKE ON ROAD TO RECOVERY

Was Much Brighter Last Night and it is Expected That He Will Soon Be Around Once Again.

The many friends of Hon. George J. Clarke, premier of the province, will be glad to learn that he is rapidly improving and his condition last night was such that hopes are held out for his speedy recovery. His condition for a time was regarded as critical, but it is thought that the worst of the attack is over and inquiry at his home late last night brought the cheering response that he was much brighter and on the road to recovery.

TO INSTALL MODERN TOILET FACILITIES IN TWO CITY SCHOOLS

Trustees Pass Estimates for Reports to Amount of \$19,282.50 at Meeting Last Night.

A special meeting of the Board of School Trustees was held last night to deal with the estimates and appropriation of the repairs to the several buildings. Those present were R. B. Emerson, chairman; Trustees Nagle, Day, Smith, Coll, Russell, Green, Manning; Superintendent Bridges and Secretary Leavitt. Repairs to the amount of \$19,282.50 to the various school buildings were passed. These include the installation of new and modern toilet facilities in the Aberdeen and Victoria schools, a general cleaning and painting of the High School and the placing of new boilers in the Victoria annex. All the other buildings will come in for a share of the renovating made possible by the increase in the vote for repairs.

ham will superintend the installation of the heating apparatus at the new hospital. He is a McGill graduate and for the past two years has been the engineer for the Ontario government. In addition to the new hospital planned for the Maritime Provinces the commission has also under consideration the erection of a large new hospital in the west. In fact it is likely that more than one building will be erected. Winnipeg will undoubtedly be the centre of a large new hospital.

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SALE OF Cut Glass, China and Casserole Dishes. An opportunity to add to your service most desirable pieces, not defective in any way, but reduced to clear, as they are odd patterns and numbers. IN CUT GLASS. Bowls \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50 each. Nappies from \$1.40 to \$2.90. Sugar and Cream Sets \$2.25 to \$4.90 pair. Spoon Trays \$3.00 to \$3.25 each. Vases \$1.90, \$3.50, \$4.25. Water Sets, Pitcher and Half Dozen Tumblers, \$7.00 to \$8.00 Set. Sugar Holders 70c. each. Pitchers \$4.00. Table Sets—Sugar, Cream and Spoon Holder \$6.00 Set. Odd Numbers in Frappe Glasses and Tumblers Greatly Reduced. CASSEROLES—Nickle Frames, Oval and Round Shapes, from \$1.75 to \$3.75. IN CHINA. Limoges Cups and Saucers. Bread and Butter Plates. Breakfast Plates. Sugar and Cream Sets. Fruit Saucers. Mayonnaise and other Odd Dishes. 20c. to \$2.00 each. BAVARIAN CHINA. Gold and White Pattern. Cups and Saucers 35c. Bread and Butter Plates 20c. Breakfast Plates 25c. Dinner Plates 30c. each. Platters, Vegetable Dishes, Fruit and Oatmeal Saucers, all reduced. SALE THIS MORNING IN ART DEPARTMENT. Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited