

BOMBARDMENT IN REGION OF AVOCOURT WOOD CONTINUES

In Champagne Section French Capture Prisoners. Calm Reported on Rest of the Front. Further Successes of Belgian Expedition in German East Africa Announced. Troops Capture Island in Lake Kivu Which Germans Took at Beginning of War. French Dirigible Balloon Lost Off Sardinian Coast. Feared That Six of Crew Were Lost

Paris, May 15.—(Special)—The bombardment in the region of the Avocourt Wood and Hill 304, in the Verdun section, still continues, according to an official statement issued to-day by the French War Office. In a small engagement west of Mount Tetu, in Champagne, the French captured fifteen prisoners. Calm is reported on the rest of the front.

BELGIAN SUCCESS IN GERMAN EAST AFRICA

Paris, May 15.—(Special)—Further successes for the Belgian expedition which has invaded German East Africa were announced in the official statement issued to-day by the Belgian War Department at Havre. The statement says that Col. Molitor, in command of the southern column, occupied Kigali, capital of the German province of Ruanda, on May 8. The Belgian troops have also captured the Island of Kiviviri, in Lake Kivu, which the Germans took by surprise at the beginning of the war.

FRENCH DIRIGIBLE LOST AND SIX OF CREW PERISH

Paris, May 15.—(Special)—The dirigible balloon which is reported from Toulon to have fallen into the sea off the Sardinian coast belonged to the French Navy. An official statement issued to-day says that the balloon caught fire from an unexplained cause while flying over the Mediterranean last Friday. The remains of the envelope have been towed ashore at Toulon. Four of the six persons aboard are known to have perished, and their bodies have been recovered. The fate of the remaining two is unknown, but it is feared that they were also lost.

RUSSIANS THROW FRESH FORCES AGAINST TURKS

London, May 15.—(Special)—The only war theatre where infantry actions of any great importance are reported, on the line in France and Belgium and in the Austro-Italian theatre there have been minor engagements. On the Russian front bombardments alone are in progress. The Russians and the Turks are

keeping up their attacks and counter-attacks in the region south of the Black Sea littoral, and also west of the Persian border, where the Russians are endeavoring to force their way through the Mesopotamia region with Bagdad and a junction with the British forces farther south their evident objectives.

To the northwest of Erzerum, in the Kope mountain region, Constantinople reports the repulse with heavy losses of Russian attacks to regain lost positions. Petrograd admits that in this general region, around Erzingan and Aschikala, the Turks forced their advance guards to retire at some points, but says the Ottoman forces desisted in their attacks after having suffered extremely heavy casualties.

Further south, to the east of Mosul, the Russians are throwing a fresh force into the attack directed against the Bagdad region. There they have occupied the Rowanduz region, which lies some 120 miles north of Kash-I-Shirin, where they were last reported to be operating. This would place the Russian troops at points about 220 miles north and 120 miles northeast of Bagdad.

HEAVY BOMBARDMENT ON FRONT

The region of Le Mort Homme, northwest of Verdun, is again under heavy bombardment, while east of the Meuse an intermittent cannonading is in progress. No infantry attacks have been attempted. The Germans succeeded in entering British trenches in the Plongsteert Wood, but were immediately ejected, while British patrols captured German trenches south of La Bassée Canal. The Germans are showing considerable artillery activity against numerous sectors held by the British.

DESTRUCTION OF ZEPPELIN REPORTED

London, May 15.—(Special)—The destruction of another Zeppelin is reported in an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Copenhagen. It is said the Zeppelin was brought down off the west coast of Norway and that three British destroyers went in pursuit of it.

SPAIN SATISFIED WITH EXPLANATION WILL NOT RENEW APPEAL FOR PEACE

Accepts Germany's Apology For Loss of Spaniards by Sinking of Sussex.

SPANISH AMBASSADOR INSTRUCTED TO THANK GERMAN GOVERNMENT FOR NOTE.

Madrid, May 15.—(Special)—The Spanish Foreign Office has received a note from the German Government acknowledging that the steamer Sussex was torpedoed by a German submarine, the explanation being given that the commander honestly believed it to be a warship. The German Government greatly deplored the misfortune and expressed regret, which was all the greater because Enrique Granados, the Spanish composer, and his wife were among the victims. Germany further declared her readiness to indemnify the families of those who perished.

The Foreign Minister has instructed the Spanish Ambassador at Berlin to thank the German Government,

Pope Convinced That Initiative Must Come From Belligerents Themselves

PONTIFF DECIDES NOT TO COMMUNICATE CONDITIONS SUGGESTED BY CENTRAL POWERS.

Rome, May 15.—(Special)—A correspondent is informed through diplomatic channels that the Pope is convinced that any initiative in the direction of peace will fail unless based on direct pourparlers between the belligerents. Hence he will not renew his appeal for peace, nor will he communicate to the Allies the conciliatory conditions suggested by the Central Empires, in spite of the solicitations of the Kaiser, Emperor Francis Joseph, and the Kings of Bavaria and Saxony.

The Weather

Easterly wind; cool and becoming unsettled and showery.

NOMINATIONS IN PROVINCE

Four Eastern Townships Constituencies Went By Acclamation

Nominations for the Provincial Legislature took place throughout the Province of Quebec this afternoon from 12 to 2 o'clock. From reports received, there was very little excitement in the Eastern Townships constituencies.

FOUR BY ACCLAMATION.

Four seats went by acclamation in the Eastern Townships, viz.:

Richmond County—Hon. W. G. Mitchell (Liberal).
Brome County—Mr. W. F. Vilas (Liberal).
Missisquoi County—Mr. J. B. Goselin (Liberal).
Sherbrooke County—Mr. C. E. Therrien (Liberal).

CANDIDATES IN FIELD.

The candidates in the other counties in the Townships are as follows:

Stanstead County—Mr. P. A. Bissonnette, Liberal; Mr. H. Verret, K. C., Conservative.
Shefford County—Mr. W. R. Bullock, Liberal; Mr. Jodoin, Conservative.
Compton County—Mr. N. G. Scott, Liberal; Mr. Darche, Conservative.
Frontenac County—Dr. Gregoire, Liberal; Mr. J. H. Jacob, Conservative.

Wolfes County—Mr. N. P. Tanguay, Liberal; Dr. Thibeault.

FEW ACCLAMATIONS.

Politicians here figure that only one other Liberal seat will go by acclamation in the province, that being in one of the divisions in Quebec City.

It is also stated that there will be four Conservatives returned without opposition, namely: Col. Smart (who is with the overseas forces) for Westmount; Mr. Gault, in St. George's; Montreal; Mr. Sauve, Two Mountains; Mr. Labrissaniere, Champlain.

PUBLIC MEETING THIS AFTERNOON.

Mr. W. H. Lovell is returning officer for Sherbrooke county. A public meeting is being held this afternoon in the Art Hall at two o'clock the hour for the closing of nominations.

LOCAL MEN SUFFER FROM SHELL SHOCK

Ptes. Frank Ames And Harry Crawford Are Both in Hospital

WILL BE ALL RIGHT AGAIN AFTER A REST AT THE BASE HOSPITAL.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ames received a letter yesterday from their son, Frank, who was reported in the casualty list on Saturday. The letter was written after Pte. Ames had been knocked out on April 21. He stated that he was rendered unconscious when one of the large Hun shells exploded near where he was in the trenches. After regaining consciousness he was moved to the rest hospital. Pte. Ames is now there recovering from shock, and his many friends will be pleased to learn that he received no bodily injury. Pte. Ames is with the 5th Mounted Rifles.

HARRY CRAWFORD, LENNOXVILLE.

Word was received yesterday that Harry Crawford ("Coffee"), son of Mr. Geo. Crawford, Lennoxville, had been taken to hospital suffering from shell shock received on the 27th of April. Later he recovered sufficiently to be sent to the base hospital. Pte. Crawford belonged to the 53rd prior to enlisting for overseas, and went over with the First Contingent.

MORE HEAVY GUNS STILL REQUIRED

Only This Kind of Artillery Can Break Down German Front By French

SENATOR SUMBERT SAYS TEN TIMES AS MUCH MORE HEAVY ARTILLERY IS REQUIRED.

Paris, May 15.—(Special)—Senator Sumbert says: "Yet more guns are needed to give us victory. We are working hard, but I question whether we are working feverishly enough. We shall never have enough artillery of all calibres, enough aeroplanes, enough machine guns, searchlights, ammunition and other war supplies. Only this kind of artillery will be able to make a breach in the German front for our infantry to begin their advance. We still need ten times as much heavy artillery as we have now to bring that branch of the service up to the level of our infantry."

SECRET BASE OF PIRATES FOUND

Located by Italians in The Southern Mediterranean And Destroyed

FORCES OCCUPIED COAST TOWNS AND SEIZED ENORMOUS STOCKS FOR SUBMARINES.

London, May 15.—(Special)—A despatch from Milan to Lloyd's News says that the two chief secret bases of Austro-Hungarian submarines in the Southern Mediterranean have been definitely destroyed, as a sequel to the Italian occupation of Marsa, Morza and Porto Bardia, between Cyrenaica and Egypt. The despatch continues:

"The Italian warships navigated the coastal waters without mishap, though they were thickly sown with mines. When the contingents disembarked, one column marched on Borgo Suleim and seized enormous stocks of tinned meats and preserves which were ready for the submarines.

"Other parties searched the seashore, and huge supplies of benzine stored in barrels and metal casks were discovered in caverns and ruined wells.

"During the dredging operations the broken propeller of a submarine was found entangled in a steel net."

MARTIAL LAW IS MODIFIED

Brought About by The Visit of Premier Asquith to Ireland

FAVOURS ESTABLISHMENT OF A WAR COUNCIL IN IRELAND UNTIL END OF WAR.

Belfast, May 15.—It is announced that Premier Asquith will visit Belfast on Monday.

PARADES FORBIDDEN.

Dublin, May 15.—General Maxwell commanding the British forces in Ireland, yesterday issued a proclamation forbidding all parades and political or athletic meetings in Ireland without written police authority.

MODIFICATION OF REGULATIONS.

Dublin, May 15.—The great modification in the regulations of martial law gave the people of Dublin yesterday a freedom of movement strongly contrasting with the restrictions imposed since the rebellion. All may now come and go as they wish between the hours of four in the morning and mid-night. During the remaining four hours they must keep within doors.

COALITION OF IRISH FACTIONS?

London, May 15.—(Special)—Premier Asquith's visit to Belfast seems to give color to reports that he is trying to arrange a coalition between the Irish factions for a temporary war government of Ireland. There has been no rebellion movement in Belfast, and apparently the Premier's consultations with prominent men of that city naturally will deal with broader questions than rebellion in other parts of Ireland.

It is generally understood that Premier Asquith is responsible for this relaxation. The Premier's study of conditions and the sentiments of the people apparently convinced him that there was no great element of rebellion still remaining.

Mr. Asquith's chief occupation since his arrival in Dublin has consisted in seeking a method for the adjustment of the Irish crisis and in ascertaining whether it would be advisable to return to the former system of government or adopt a change of rule more in accordance with the wishes of the people.

WAR COUNCIL FOR IRELAND.

London, May 15.—A Central News despatch from Dublin says that Premier Asquith desires to establish immediately an Irish war executive council partly administrative and partly deliberative, and responsible for Irish affairs for the duration of the war. The council supposedly will be representative of all parties with the chief secretary for Ireland as its spokesman in Parliament.

SPRAYING AND PRUNING DEMONSTRATIONS.

A spraying and pruning demonstration will be held in the orchards of Mr. R. H. Smyth, Waterville on Wednesday, May 17th at 1.30. Another will be held at Mr. J. A. Rivard's, Compton on Thursday, May 18th at 1.30.

The orchard will get the best results when strict attention is given to the following points: (1) spraying, (2) pruning, (3) cultivation. The best fruits cannot be expected unless spraying is thoroughly done. It is just as important to cultivate and manure an orchard as for any other crop. Pruning is quite essential also.

Mr. W. G. McDougall of Lennoxville will conduct the demonstrations and every person who is in any way interested in orcharding is invited to attend.

CASEMENT ARRAIGNED

Supposed Head of Sinn Fein Rebellion Charged With High Treason

JULIAN BAILEY, A PRIVATE SOLDIER, JOINTLY CHARGED WITH THE SAME OFFENCE AT THE PRELIMINARY HEARING.

London, May 15.—(Special)—Sir Roger Casement, the supposed head and prime instigator of the Sinn Fein rebellion in Ireland, was arraigned to-day in the Bow Street Police Court for high treason. The few spectators who were permitted to enter the famous old police court were considerably surprised when a second prisoner was placed beside Casement in the dock. This man was Daniel Julian Bailey, a private soldier, whose home is at Wembley, a village near London. Bailey was arrested at Wandsworth, a London suburb, yesterday. He was jointly charged with Casement with high treason, but his exact connection with the Sinn Feiners has not so far been made public.

In the formal charge Casement is described as of no occupation and no fixed abode. The charge against both defendants reads: "For that they did between the first day of November, 1914, and on divers other occasions between that day and the 21st day of April, 1916, unlawfully, maliciously and traitorously commit high treason within and without the realm of England, in contempt of our Sovereign Lord the King and his laws, to the evil example of others in like case, and contrary to the duty and allegiance of the said defendants."

TRAITOR MAKES STATEMENT.

Casement is reported to have made a long statement to the authorities, and it is believed that this statement will considerably shorten the hearing before the magistrate. The police court hearing is merely a preliminary to the real trial, which will take place later before a panel of the Judges of the High Court of Justice. Attorney-General Sir Frederick E. Smith, A. A. Bodkin and Travers Humphreys appeared for the prosecution, and Prof. J. H. Morgan and Artemus Jones for the defendants. Sir John Dickinson presided.

BAILEY AN OLD SOLDIER.

According to the Attorney-General, Bailey was born in Dublin and joined the Royal Irish Rifles in 1904. He served with his regiment in India, and was honorably discharged. On the outbreak of the European War Bailey was called out as a reservist and sailed with the original expeditionary force to France. He was taken prisoner in September, 1914. The Attorney-General said that Bailey had related how a large number of Irish prisoners had been collected from various prisons in Germany and placed in a large camp at Limburg. Here they heard addresses by Casement, who tried to inflame their minds against the British Government and persuade them to break their oaths of allegiance and support him in his projected expedition to Ireland.

Unfortunately there had been differences in Ireland and recently unfortunate occurrences that had been regretted by the whole Empire, but it was a good augury that an Irish battalion composed of Protestants and Catholics and in which were only British patriots was being formed in the province. Tonight they welcomed the officers of that battalion and dedicated to them all the available Irish in the city of military age, with permission to take such other nationalities as they introduced. The chairman then introduced Capt. Campbell Stuart, the chief recruiting officer of the Irish Rangers.

AID FOR CROCKER EXPEDITION

Knud Rasmussen Expected to Reach Marooned Leader And Party To-Day

New York, May 15.—(Special)—Knud Rasmussen, the Danish explorer, is due to-day with his ship, the Kap York, at Thule, North Star Bay, where Dr. Edmund O. Hovey, of the American Museum of Natural History, leader of the Crocker Land Relief expedition, is marooned with his companions in the ice, according to letters received here by Rasmussen's wife, it was announced to-day.

The Crocker Land expedition sailed from New York on the whaling ship Diana on July 2, 1913.

LANDED SAFELY IN ENGLAND.

Cleveland, May 15.—(Special)—Mrs. E. Bannell received a cable on Friday from her son Harold of the signalling corps of the Grenadier Guards, stating they have landed safely in England.

MANY ATTEND RALLY FOR RECRUITS FOR IRISH RANGERS

Stirring Appeals Made For Men to Join Colours And Uphold Honour of Empire. What Sherbrooke Recruiting Association is Doing to Further the Good Work. Registration of Men Eligible for Service. Expected to Have Nearly 1000 Men on Sherbrooke List

Every part of His Majesty's Theatre was crowded last night at a Patriotic Rally held under the auspices of the 19th Canadian Irish Rangers, now recruiting in Sherbrooke.

Mr. C. W. Cate, K.C., presided and was supported by the speaker of the evening, Rev. Dr. Smyth (principal of the Wesleyan Theological College, Montreal), Lieut. Col. Girouard and Capt. Renouf (178th battalion), Major Dunsmore (117th battalion), Capt. Campbell Stuart and Lieut. Farrell (Irish Rangers), and Lt. Col. Sparring and prominent citizens. There was a large representation of the men in khaki in the audience and the Irish flags were given a prominent place. A united choir from the city churches occupied the rear of the platform and the Harmony Band was in attendance.

REGISTRATION OF ELIGIBLES.

In his opening remarks the chairman alluded to the efforts of the Sherbrooke Recruiting Association in the direction of the registration of all men of military age in the city and district. The work was nearly completed and it was hoped to have nearly 1000 names on the lists. They were endeavoring to obtain similar lists throughout the Eastern Townships to be available for all the units recruiting in the city and townships. M. Cate referred to the united sentiment throughout Canada, of admiration and pride for the men who had counted their lives not dear and had enlisted for overseas service. Sherbrooke was proud to have had the honor of assisting in the formation of a number of units.

There were three particularly in which the Eastern Townships were especially interested and which Sherbrooke had the honor of having located here for a short space of time, the 5th Mounted Rifles, most of whose officers and many of whose men were from the Townships, the 35th battery whose chief officers were of whose men belonged to the Townships, and then "our own E. T. battalion the 117th" of whose officers and men everyone was proud. The Sherbrooke recruiting committee was ready to further assist the 117th in bringing their forces up to full strength. Sherbrooke had also helped to recruit the Highlanders, the Grenadier Guards, the 148th, the 163rd and many other units and only a few days ago a splendid troop of young men left the city to join the battery being formed at McGill.

The chairman added that Sherbrooke was very glad to welcome the 178th and trusted that Col. Girouard, his officers and men would have a pleasant stay in Sherbrooke and that their ranks would be rapidly filled. But the special object of that meeting was in connection with another unit. There were no better fighters than the Irish and it seemed very suitable that a battalion distinctly Irish in its character should be formed in the Province.

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APPEAL FOR MEN TO RALLY TO COLOURS

Captain Stuart expressed his pleasure at being present to represent the Irish Rangers. They had come with no uncertain voice to ask the men to rally to the standard of the orange and the green, the most glorious colors under which any battalion could fight and under which even the colors of the rainbow would fade. He was pleased to acknowledge the practical manner in which the Sherbrooke Citizens' Recruiting Association had co-operated with the overseas forces during the past week in connection with the registration of names and hoped that the work so auspiciously and happily begun would come to a successful conclusion.

Capt. Stuart said it was almost an impertinence to state that the Empire and Canada needed every possible man for the war. The strongest appeal he could make for recruits was that on the far flung battle line of France and Flanders, Sherbrooke boys were fighting as well as they knew how and playing life's noblest adventure to the best of their ability. They were doing their duty and it was due to them to know that those they left behind were playing the game; they would be the other's judges all their lives.

WAR WAS AN OPPORTUNITY FOR PHYSICAL TRAINING

It enabled men to start life again with all the benefits

of their past experience no matter what they had been before. Notwithstanding its terrible toll of suffering and sorrow the war had done wonderful service for the country, and all those who returned and took part in the future administration of the land would be better fitted by the training received. This was really a wonderful opportunity for the young man from the farm, the store and the office to really make something out of life.

THE PART WOMEN PLAY

In paying a tribute to the mothers of the boys who have gone, the speaker said that great as had been the heroism of the Canadian and British armies there was no fairer page in the war's history than that

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RECRUITING FOR 178TH BATT.

Three Offices Have Been Opened in City. Lieut. Dufour in Charge

MR. O. S. PERREAULT OF MONTREAL, HON. COLONEL OF REGIMENT.—OPEN AIR MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT.

Three recruiting offices for the 178th regiment have been opened in the city as follows, one at No. 12 Bridge St., one at the Q. C. R. building on King St., near the Grand Trunk track, and the other on Liverpool St., near the bridge.

Lieut. J. A. Dufour is in charge of recruiting for the battalion in the city. Another recruiting depot will be opened shortly probably on Wellington Street.

Lt.-Col. Girouard, O.C., returned from Montreal on Saturday night where he interviewed Mr. O. S. Perreault, the manager of the Imperial Tobacco Co., and obtained his consent to accept the honorary colonelcy of the 178th.

An open air meeting in the interests of the battalion will be held at the corner of King and Wellington Sts. on Tuesday night.

BIG CROWD AT OPEN AIR MEETING.

A large open air recruiting meeting in the interests of the 117th E. T. Battalion, the 178th French Canadian regiment and the 199th Irish Rangers was held at the corner of King and Wellington Streets on Saturday night.

Ald. Parkes presided and stirring appeals were made by Major Dunsmore and Lieut. Smith (117th), Captain Watters and Capt. Renouf (of the 178th) and Lieut. Farrell (of the Irish Rangers).

The bugle band of the 178th was in attendance, Sergt. Fairbairn of the Rangers sang a song and Corp. Plourde of the 178th military police who stands six feet six inches high was introduced to the crowd.

The speakers put forth some convincing arguments and while each appealed for men his own corps the friendly feeling existing between each unit impelled the speakers to ask the men to join one of the other corps if they preferred it to their own so long as they enlisted.

RECRUITING FOR IRISH RANGERS.

A recruiting tent has been opened on Strathcona Square for the 19th Irish Canadian Rangers with Lieut. Farrell in charge. A gramophone plays Irish airs outside the tent.

THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

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Main Office (Dufferin Avenue),

E. W. Farwell, Manager;

A. P. Taylor, Assistant Manager.

Wellington Street Branch,

F. A. Briggs, Manager,

Upper Town Branch (King St.),

N. E. Dinning, Manager.

McKECHNIE'S BARGAIN LIST FOR TO-MORROW

Ready-to-Wear Section's Attractions for Tomorrow

Costumes

We are having great success with our costumes. Styles are right, clothes right, prices right. \$15.90, \$17.50, \$20, \$22.50 and \$25—black and colors.

Sizes for Misses—15, 16, 18, 19.
Ladies—32 to 45 bust.

Special
Ten Costumes from last season, were \$15 and \$20, now
\$10

House Dresses
Choose from this big lot of \$2.00, \$1.75, \$1.50 and \$1.25 values.
Tomorrow
\$1

Silk Waists
Big range, white, cream, black and colors.
for Tomorrow
\$3



White Sport Coats \$10.

We have five smart White Chinchilla, Flannel Coats, also a few Checks. These are right up to the minute. Some have color collars and make a very smart garment. Values in this lot are \$13.50, \$12.90 and \$12.50.

Tuesday Sale
\$10

ALSO

We add to this lot Twenty Spring Coats, Black, colors, mixed tweeds, \$12 and \$12.50 values.
Tomorrow
\$10

Silk Coats

These are specially desirable for elderly ladies, for present season and summer wear. Some plain, others neatly trimmed. Nothing flashy. We group these two lots for tomorrow.

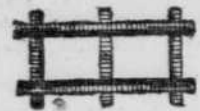
\$12, \$12.50 and \$12.90 values.
Tomorrow
\$10

Ladies' Waterproofs
Black and Tan,
\$8.00 values for
\$5

White Waists
Big range, for
Tomorrow
98c

Dress Skirts
Good selection black, navy and mixed goods,
for Tomorrow
\$3.95

Special Tuesday Prices on House Furnishings



Curtain Stretchers

Accommodates any size curtain.
Tomorrow,
per set
89c

Curtainging
A big range of Muslins, Nets, Voiles and Scrims, all double width, white, cream, and color combinations.
Sale price
22c

Window Shades
In greens or fawns, 6 ft. long and 8 ft. wide, on good Spring Roller,
for
39c

Oilcloth Remnants
Remnants of Oilcloths, various lengths and widths. Special clearing prices for tomorrow.

CREX GRASS CARPET RUGS

A highly advertised article, sanitary, inexpensive—brown, green and fawn color combinations. Regular price. Tomorrow.

27 in. x 54 in. \$1.25
36 in. x 72 in. 2.00
48 in. x 96 in. 3.25
2 yds. x 8 yds. 5.90
8 ft. x 10 ft. 8.75
9 ft. x 12 ft. 11.50

Carpet Borders
Four or five pieces Carpet Border, in Brussels and Tapestry qualities. Just the thing to enhance your old carpet or rug to fit the new room—\$1.00 and \$1.25 values,
Tomorrow, yard
50c

Extension Rugs
Brass Rugs with brass or white ends
10c
Tomorrow, three for
10c

White Cottage Poles
with white ends,
for
15c

Cretones
Good range of patterns and colors, for draperies or coverings.
20c lines, Tomorrow
20c

Lace Curtains
Serviceable quality, Nottingham lace,
\$1.00 line
85c

Stair Carpet Buttons
per dozen
20c

LIQUID VENEER

A specially treated dust-er cloth (value 25c), and a big 50c bottle
Liquid Veneer, 50c

O-Cedar Mops
These famous Mops in Round or Tri-angle shape with long handle. The Dollar Mop and one 50c bottle Veneer,
Tomorrow
\$1.25

Stair Carpets
Good quality Tapestry Stair Carpet, 27 in. wide, good colors and designs. Special 76c yard,
Tomorrow
68c

Stair Pads
To put under the stair carpet,
per dozen
\$1



Millinery

We are now showing some smart styles in the new white and black Straw Hats. Also new flowers and trimmings. We invite you to see us for your new Summer Hat. Corteous service—popular prices.

No one urged to buy.

GLOVES

Ladies' Silk Gloves
In black or white, with double tip fingers,
Tomorrow
45c

Chamoisette Gloves
Natural chamois cloth, also pure white. Sizes 6 to 7,
Tomorrow
85c

HOSIERY

Boys' Black Ribbed Cotton Hose, for
20c
Black Boot Hose, for
39c
Black Real Silk Black Hose, for
98c

School Umbrellas
with assorted handles, good steel rps, fast color top, 66c. kid,
Tomorrow
48c

Toilet Paper
Three ten-cent packages
for
22c

SUITSING SERGES

Special. Three pieces fine English Suitsing Serges, in black, navy and nigger brown, full 54 in. wide, good weight, finest all wool fabric. Value \$2.15 per yard.
Tuesday Sale
\$1.75

19c — WHITEWEAR — 19c
The chance you have been waiting for. Ladies' Corset Covers or Drawers, 25c. values,
Tomorrow
19c

Crepe de Chine
A handsome fine all silk quality in black, rose, salmon, beige, ivory, yellow, etc., etc., 40 in. wide, \$1.50 value,
Tomorrow
\$1.25

Whisks
20c. kind
for
15c

Towellings
For Roller, Hand or Wipers. Standard wearing goods. 15c. value,
Tomorrow
12c

Oxford Shirting
Pretty stripe designs in light color grounds, for shirts, work aprons or undershirts, 17c. value,
Tomorrow
15c

Wire Coat Hangers
Three 5c line
for
10c

Habitua Wash Silks
A superior fine quality Wash Silk in 36 in. width. All these colors—black, sky, pink, blue, navy, brown, ivory, black, \$1.00 value,
Tomorrow, per yard
89c

SILKS
A big clearing line, some plain, others with polka dot and figured patterns. These sold formerly at 40c, 50c, and 60c. We offer your choice,
Tomorrow, at per yard
25c

Corsets

Our Special Model Corset, medium bust. Extended hips, four good bone supporters. Sizes 18 to 28. Value \$1.25,
Tomorrow
98c

Linen Towels
All Linen Towels, good size. Usual 45c. a pair,
Tomorrow
35c

Clothes Baskets
Square shape Willow Clothes Baskets,
\$1.75 size for
\$1.50 size for
\$1.35 size for

New Rouchings
Shown on our centre tables, 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c and 50c. yard.

Dress Voiles
Fine quality Muslin Voiles in plain and figured styles. Various dainty colors, all double width,
Special To-morrow
45c

Near Silk Lining
36 in. wide, black and colors, highly mercerized, 45c. value,
Tomorrow
22c

Special
Infants' Delight Toilet Soap, three cakes in a box, "Overseas Special." Value 25c. a box,
Tomorrow
20c

Olive Oil
for medicinal purposes,
Big 20c. bottle,
for
15c

EGGS
Eggs, fresh, dozen
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ST. FRANCIS DISTRICT HAPPENINGS

Catherings By Daily Record Correspondents in Various Communities

MARTINVILLE

The Quarterly Communion service was held here on Sunday last and was very well attended. The ordinance of Baptism administered to the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Martin. Eight persons were then admitted to membership in the Church after which they received the right hand of fellowship from the stewards and pastor of the church.

The Sugar Social on Tuesday evening of last week was a successful and pleasant affair. A short, but very good program was given in the Church during the first part of the evening. Miss Hall, of Bury, was present and although she had been teaching all day, and was no doubt very tired, sang two songs in her usual charming manner. Rev. Mr. Miller gave one of Dr. Drummond's Habitual readings, The "Y's" gave a "Knitting Song"; a reading explaining the object and work of the Red Cross Society and the National Anthem brought the program to a close after which all repaired to the new kitchen, where Mr. R. Merrill superintended the boiling sugar. The proceeds were given to the Red Cross Society.

The Ladies' Aid Society was very hospitably entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W.A. Sharman, on Thursday afternoon of last week. About twenty were present including Rev. Mr. Pollock, of Moe's River. Owing to illness, Rev. Mr. Miller and Mrs. Miller were unable to be present. The friends were invited especially at this time to say good-bye to Mrs. Wm. Sharman, who will very shortly be leaving the home of Mr. Wesley Sharman for a future home in Bury. At the close of the business meeting the hymn: "Blest be the tie," was sung after which the Rev. Mr. Pollock read the scriptures and offered prayer. After the devotional exercises Mr. Pollock made a short speech in which he conveyed to Mrs. Sharman the regret which every one felt at her coming departure, the esteem in which she was held and expressed the hope that the absence would be only a visit, that she would return, to which Mrs. Sharman made a suitable and feeling reply in saying that as her great age (88 years) she expected never to return here, but that the next meeting place she trusted would be around the Father's throne.

The afternoon closed with a substantial and delicious supper, to which all did ample justice. Recent visitors include: Pte. Bert Collins, of the 117th Batt., St. Johns who came for the week-end, but was taken sick and obliged to remain; Mr. Sias Bachelor, of Sherbrooke, and Mr. George Sharman, of Hatley, in town during the week; Mrs. Wm. Caswell is spending a few days in Sherbrooke the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Wheeler; Mrs. Frank Haseltine, of Moe's River, the guest of Mrs. Ed. Sharman on Wednesday of this week.

MARBLETON.
The quarterly official of the Marbleton Circuit met at the Parsonage on Tuesday, the 9th inst., and was entertained by Rev. and Mrs. De Gruchy. There was a large attendance from all parts of the field. After the devotional exercises, conducted by Rev. Mr. De Gruchy, the financial reports of the churches, Ladies' Aids and Sunday school, were very satisfactory. Eleven members were received into the church during the year. The meeting was closed by prayer and the benediction.

Last Sunday evening a very impressive service was held in the Methodist Church at Bishop's Crossing, when the pastor received a number of men members into the church, after which the Lord's Supper was administered to a large number of the faithful. Including the other appointments, between 80 to 90 took Communion.

Mother's Day was observed on Sunday. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. De Gruchy making pastoral visits in Erie Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Arrivals and departures: Misses Vian and Jean Oughtred in Sherbrooke recently, the guests of Dr. M. S. and Mrs. Macdonald; Mr. Edward Westman from Sherbrooke and Compton, where he has been on a visit with relatives; Mr. H. G. Bishop a few days in Sherbrooke recently.

The Ladies' Guild was entertained on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. Fraser Staples, seventeen ladies being present. A busy afternoon was spent in sewing on aprons and other articles, preparing for a sale to be held in the Parish Hall on Saturday evening, May 27, beginning at 6 o'clock. The Guild will serve refreshments and home-made cooking, etc., will be for sale. At the close of a pleasant afternoon Mrs. Staples served nice refreshments, assisted by Mrs. E. J. Westman, Mrs. H. G. Weston, Mrs. F. C. Weston and Mrs. H. Staples.

LAKE MEGANTIC.
Mr. Allan McIver, and son, Donald, have just about finished building an addition to Mr. F.W. Ireland's camp at Gypsy Point 18 x 20 ft., that will give two good sized rooms. A new ice-house has also been put up during the winter and stocked with good clear ice. Mr. Ireland expects to arrive at Megantic with his family about the 1st of June, who will likely stay all summer as usual.

A party of fishermen sports from the States, arrived here on Friday, being the first arrival of guests for the Club House at Lake Maccannamac.

AYER'S CLIFF.
Miss Madam Bell, of the West Central African Mission, spoke to good congregations on Sunday, May 7, morning and evening, in the Congregational Church, Ayer's Cliff, and at Boynton in the afternoon. Miss Bell was well received and her very interesting addresses much appreciated. Monday afternoon a reception was held from three to six o'clock at the Parsonage in honor of Miss Bell. Many availed themselves of the privilege of meeting and talking with her.

and spending a delightful afternoon. Greetings were brought to Miss Bell from the church and Missionary Auxiliary by Mr. Moore, from the Christian Endeavor Society by Mrs. Johnston in a pleasing address. Mr. Malzard, pastor of Fitch Bay Church, spoke for his church and missionary society. A duet was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Johnston and Mrs. Lyon, which concluded the formal part of the programme. Mrs. Moore, assisted by the ladies of the Missionary Auxiliary, served the dainty refreshments. Wednesday morning Miss Bell bade good-bye to her friends here and continued her missionary itinerary, Brigham being the next place of meeting.

Alexandra Lodge, I.O.O.F., No. 59, attended divine worship in the Congregational Church here Sunday, May 14, 10.30 a.m., directly after which a decoration service was held in the cemetery near the church.

HATLEY.
A successful meeting of the Guild of St. James' was held on Wednesday afternoon at "Brookbank." The attention of the members was as usual devoted to needlework until the tea hour, when refreshments were served, followed by a social evening.

Mrs. M. Ayer, who was taken suddenly ill on Monday, and her daughters, Mrs. W. A. Hodges and Mrs. J. F. Woodman, hurriedly summoned, is more comfortable at present. Mr. Akhurst, of Coaticook, and Mr. W. Hovey and party, from Rock Island, here by motor on Wednesday. Mrs. L. Orcutt, of Kingscroft, with her little son and daughter, has been spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Pope, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Foot, of Moe's River, recent visitors at the home of the latter's sister, Mrs. Stephen Parker, Mr. Hyley, from On-ario, has left to spend a short time at St. Johns with his brother, Pte. J. Hyley, who is a member of the 117th Regiment, after a few days with his brother's family in this place. Mr. Mousley left on Thursday morning for Boston, Mass., where he will be a guest at the home of Dr. Charles W. Townsend.

The report which reached this place on Thursday evening, of the sudden passing away of the late John Harden, which occurred at his home at Compton village, on Wednesday evening, gave a distinct shock to the residents here, where the late Mr. Harden, who was the only son, and youngest child of the late John Harden, formerly of England, and his wife, Philinda Glidden, was born in this village, in February 1846, at the old Harden home, on Massachusetts street, now the property of the late Mrs. Harden's grand nephew, Mr. Owen Glidden, of this place, and occupied by Mr. Frank Drew. The late Mr. Harden spent the early part of his manhood, and married here, where his three eldest children, Edith, Mrs. Henry Longue, and Messrs. Harry and Herbert Harden were born. Besides his immediate family, Mr. Harden is survived by one sister, Eliza A., Mrs. Whitcomb, of Mentor, Ohio.

At a recent meeting of the Ladies' Aid, of the Methodist Church, a vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. (Rev.) F. Williams, the retiring president, by the Society, for the efficient manner in which she has filled the office during the past year. Mrs. Williams will be greatly missed in the Aid, where she has been a regular attendant, and a faithful worker.

Miss Annie Edson, of Massachusetts, here by motor, on Thursday, for the purpose of saying good-bye to old friends before leaving for her future home in Kingston, Ont. Pte. Albert Schuk, of the E. T. 117th, of St. Johns, spent a few days here, with old friends. At the last meeting of the Hatley Junior Red Cross, a resolution was moved by Miss Gage, and seconded by Miss Woodman, that a vote of thanks be tendered the members of the Hatley Dramatic Club, for their kind contribution of ten dollars, toward the resources of this juvenile society.

COATICOOK.
Miss Pearl Davies is the guest of her parents; Mr. James Rathbone, returned from a trip to the Pacific Coast; Mrs. W.W. Elder, Mr. and Mrs. John Elder, Mrs. Arnold Elder, and Mrs. Clifford Frost, were the guests on Thursday of Mrs. Gordon. Mrs. H.W. Elder, who celebrated her 82nd birthday on that day, has recently completed her 83rd pair of socks for soldiers at the front.

Mr. Ernest Armitage, of Sherbrooke in town to assist at the concert on Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. A.O. Norton returned from California where they have been spending the winter.

The Guild of St. Stephen's Church, will be entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Miss Mabel Fraser.

BURY.
A meeting of the Ladies' Aid was held at the home of Mrs. M. Beaton, on Thursday afternoon. There was a good attendance of members. The officers were elected at this meeting, and resulted as follows: President: Mrs. Alex. Dougherty; Vice-President: Mrs. Maurice T. Stokes; Secretary: Mrs. J.B. Greenleaf, re-elected; Treasurer: Mrs. G.O. Atkins, re-elected.

There were 20 members present at the St. Paul's Guild meeting held at the residence of Mrs. Robert Kane. A very busy afternoon was spent in sewing. It was decided to postpone the entertainment intended for May 24th. The sum of \$10 was voted out of the Guild Funds to be given to the Bury Patriotic Society for the purchase of wool for making socks for soldiers at the front. Tea was served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Bradley. Next meeting to be held with Mrs. J.W. Dawson.

HUNTINGVILLE.
The W.G.T.U. will meet with Mrs. Harry Aldrich Tuesday afternoon, May 16th. Visitors are cordially invited to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bell, Waterville, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Fairbrother Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. G.H. Garneau, Massawippi, visiting Mr. and Mrs. W.E. Thompson; Miss Call

Hereford, guest of Miss Bernice Huntington; Miss Emma Aldrich visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Aldrich; Miss Ethel Fairbrother, to Waterville guests of Mrs. Wm. Bell; Mrs. G. Astell has returned from a week's visit to Coaticook; Miss Mitchell, Spring road, guest of her aunt, Mrs. T.D. Bozer.

Miss Lowell has rented Mr. Sarraf's residence and is moving in this week.

WINDSOR MILLS.
The Rev. R.H. Buchanan, of Montreal, preached at St. George's Church on Sunday at morning and evening services. Collections on behalf of Canadian Missions were made.

On the first of June, Mr. T. E. Costello, the former owner of the Hotel Chateau Windsor, will take over the house. Mr. and Mrs. Costello are well-known to the travelling public.

OLIVER.
Recent arrivals and departures are: Mr. G. A. Robertson at "Hilcrest Farm" on Sunday; Mrs. Procter Magog the week at the home of Mr. A. Charvrelain.

Miss Elsie Rolfe of Marleton closed a successful term of school on Wednesday. Prizes were distributed to the pupils and Miss Rolfe received a number of presents. Some much needed work has been done on the roads between here and Magog this week, which should help to make travelling pleasant. The following is the result of the examinations at Oliver (District No. 3.) in order of rank: Grade III: Alina Robitaille; Grade IV: Charles Partington; Grade V: Elizabeth Partington, Margaret Allen; Grade V, Unifred Merrill, Isaac Saunders; Grade VI: Florence Abbott, Wallace Abbott, Gertrude Sharkey.

ASCOT CORNER.
The following is the order in standing of the Final Examinations of District No. 2. Ascot Corner. Grade VI.—Bernice Paige, Phoebe Paige, Karl Paige. Grade V.—Elsie Paige. Grade III.—Jennie Paige, May Clement. Grade I.—Irene Primer Mabel Paige, Clifford Barber. 1st Primer Senior.—Lillian Clement. 1st Primer Junior.—Howard Parnell.

TRENHOLMVILLE.
The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church held their monthly meeting with Mrs. John Boast on Wednesday afternoon. About fifteen ladies were present, and a very pleasant time spent. It took the form of a Miscellaneous Show for Miss Elida Boast whose marriage takes place shortly as each member of the aid presented her with a pretty gift with their united good wishes for a long and happy life. The proceeds of the tea amounted to \$8.00 which goes into the church funds.

BISHOP'S CROSSING.
Miss Alice Carlson reports having picked a bouquet of pansies on May 10th, this being very early for the present season in this place. Arrivals and departures include: Miss Edith McAuley home from Sherbrooke; Miss Dawson, of Erie, with her sister, Mrs. H. Kenney; Mr. W. D. Bodwell home from Springfield; Miss R. Jackson, of Coaticook, sister of Mrs. W. S. Stacey; Miss Elsie Rolfe home from Magog; Mrs. T. E. Bishop and Master Russell, Mrs. T. E. Evans and Miss Katherine and Miss Pearl Gilbert in Angus on Saturday; Miss M. G. of Portland, visiting Mrs. C. N. Andrews; Mrs. A. Joyce and Master Gordon in Sherbrooke; Miss Louise Weir home from Sherbrooke; Mrs. M. H. Heath to Coaticook to visit relatives; Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cole in Sherbrooke at Mr. F. Lindley's; Major F. C. Bishop home the week end from Sherbrooke. A dance will be held in the Town Hall under the auspices of the Daughters of the Red Cross on Wednesday evening, May 24th.

EAST ANGUS.
The members of the Ladies' Guild of Christ Church will entertain in the Parish Hall on Wednesday evening, May 17. A short programme will be given consisting of vocal solos and other views, after which lunch will be served. All are cordially invited. Mrs. J. Baldwin, of Sherbrooke, spent Saturday in town with friends on her way to Sherbrooke from La Pique where she has been visiting for the past three weeks.

The Ladies' Aid was entertained on Wednesday last in Cooper's Hall, by Mrs. R. H. Edwards, Mrs. H. H. Cooper, Mrs. Hodges and Mrs. George Learmouth. About seventy were present. The tables were very prettily decorated, and a most delicious lunch was served, the amount realized being \$8.75. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lantot, of Sherbrooke, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bourgeau; Mrs. E. A. Gorman and Mrs. G. Bender to Sherbrooke, Friday; Mr. J. Hillman, Jr., to Sherbrooke, Saturday.

ULVERTON.
The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. W.H. Rick on Friday evening, May 19th. All are cordially invited to attend.

A Liberal Rally

will be held this evening at
WATERVILLE
in the interests of the Liberal candidate, Mr. N. G. Scott. The speakers will be Hon. W. G. Mitchell, Provincial Treasurer; Messrs. Lacroix and Pannier, Montreal; Messrs. A. B. Hunt, Jacob Nicol, K.C., and the candidate, Mr. N. G. Scott.

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Various Communities

KNOWLTON.

The Annual Meeting of the Parochi-
al Guild of St. Paul's Church was
held at the Rectory. The secretary
and treasurer gave the yearly reports
which were satisfactory. The offi-
cers elected were as follows:—Presi-
dent, Mrs. James Carmichael; Vice-
president, Mrs. H. C. Knowlton;
Treasurer, Miss Mary L. Knowlton;
Secretary, Mrs. G. A. Mason; Fancy
Work Committee, Mrs. H. G. Mac-
Dowell; Mrs. A. A. Sent and Mrs.
F. A. Morgan; Plain Work Commit-
tee, Mrs. J. P. Hall, Mrs. B. M.
Ross and Miss E. L. Carr.
Mrs. I. Nelson has returned from
West Bedford; Mr. B. J. Martin and
Miss Martin are visiting in Bernston;
Miss Moquin of Eastman visiting her
sister Mrs. Arthur Page; Miss Car-
rie Miller of Boston visiting relatives
here; Pte. Roy Bullard of the 234th
Battalion has been visiting his par-
ents before going overseas.

WEST BOLTON.

Mr. W. W. Peters has rented his
farm to Mr. F. Dufresne, of South

Stukely. Mr. Peters and little daugh-
ter will make their home with his
mother, Mrs. J. H. Peters, in South
Stukely, who, with her daughter,
Mrs. A. George, has been with him
since the death of his wife.
Mr. H. H. Turner is convalescing
from his recent attack of pneumonia.
The condition of Mr. W. F. Brill
remains about the same.
Mrs. G. Ware and Mrs. Mildred
Peasley visiting in Bolton Centre
recently.

COWANSVILLE

Mr. Reginald Buzzell is improving.
Nurse Smith has returned to Mont-
real, but Nurse Black is still attend-
ing him.

Mr. A. A. Robinson, of Sutton, in
town on Thursday; Miss Katharine
Cotton has returned to town after a
pleasant three week's stay in Bos-
ton.

WATERLOO

Miss Lena Maguire, who has been
quite ill, is much better.

Mr. James Percy has returned from
Baltimore, Md., where he spent the
winter.
Miss M. Woolley left this week for
Saskatoon, where she will reside with
her brother.
Dr. Strong, who came over 'with

the wounded soldiers from England,
is the guest of Mrs. A. F. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, of Montreal,
were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs.
W. E. Hills.

Mothers' Day was observed in the
Methodist Church on Sunday. In the
morning the subject was "The incom-
parable love of a Mother"; in the
evening: "Reasons why many homes
are wrecked."

STANBRIDGE EAST

The following is the report of the
Final Examinations at the Laraway
School, District No. 21, Grade III—
Gerald Corey, Orval Casey,
Grade II—Forrest Miller,
Grade I—(8r.)—Lyle Corey, Clair
Corey.

Grade I—(Jr.)—Edith Corey, Al-
leen Meller.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Shufelt, of Farn-
ham, recent guests of Mr. and Mrs.
M. Callaghan; Miss Ida Savage, of
St. Johns, here for a few days, guest
of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Carter; Mr. P.
H. O'Dell, of Farnham, where he has
employment with the C.P.R.

Mrs. E. J. Scagel is seriously ill at
present.

Mr. L. A. Sewell, who was operated
on a second time at the Royal Vic-
toria Hospital, Montreal, is improv-
ing slowly; Mrs. M. Carter is recover-
ing from her recent illness.

Mr. C. Ransom, barber, had his
arm broken while cranking his au-
to.

The Ladies' Circle will serve a tea
in the Methodist Church Hall on
Wednesday evening next, May 17th,
from 5 to 7:30 o'clock.

The district school, about here,
have closed. Miss Mary Wright, who
taught at Stanbridge Ridge is gone.
At the closing of the school the par-
ents and friends of the scholars were
present and a short programme was
given. Prizes were awarded the
scholars in the various grades. A
flag drill was given in an efficient
manner. Miss Wright was present
with a nice chair. Miss Norton,
who taught at the Blinn School,
has also returned to her home at
Sutton, after a successful year. Pres-
ents were given her by the scholars
and they were also given remem-
brances. Miss Stewart, who taught at
the Laraway School, has returned
to Cowansville after giving good
satisfaction in her school. A picnic
was held on the afternoon of the
closing day.

IRON HILL

The Sunday School of Holy Trin-
ity Church, will meet during the sum-
mer at two o'clock.

Arrivals and departures: Miss Pearl
Blaney to Cumberland, Ont., for a
few weeks; Miss Gladys Ellis, guest
at her uncle's, Mr. John Chapman's;
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rusbridge and
daughter, Edith, who have been liv-
ing at Knowlton for the past two
years, have returned to their home
here at "Silver Maple Cottage"; Mrs.
D. E. Hadlock, Masters, Herman and
Wilfrid Hadlock and Mrs. D. F. Sweet,
of the "Ridge" to Sutton recently,
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace; Mr.
and Mrs. C. A. Beard and daughters,
Misses Elsie and Ardell, to Granby,
on Wednesday; Mr. and Mrs. John
C. Blaney to Berkshire, Vt., for a
few days guests of their son, Mr. and
Mrs. Wm. Blaney; Miss Edith Rus-
bridge, guest of Dollie Beard; Mr.
and Mrs. C. Manson, of Farnham,
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alva Beard,
at "The Pines" on Sunday.

FULFORD.

There will be service in St. Ste-
phen's Church each Sunday at 3
p.m., and Communion is observed the
second Sunday in each month. The
church attendance this spring has
been decidedly small, which is very
discouraging for the new pastor,
who drives six miles through all
kinds of weather and roads.

KNOWLTON.

Mrs. V. Blanchard and Master Romeo
Blanchard were in Montreal this week
and saw Pte. V. Blanchard, of the 163rd
Battalion, Ottawa, before his departure
for overseas.

Mrs. Clarence Stone, of Montreal, is
visiting at Mr. S. Stone's.

Helps the Washing

The addition of a little bluing to
water with which windows are washed
will brighten them better than soda
and with no risk to their paint.

Flapping Winged Aeroplane

A Frenchman has succeeded in fly-
ing with an aeroplane driven by flap-
ping wings instead of a propeller.

Afflicted with Lame Back
THREE YEARS AGO
COULD NOT SWEEP THE FLOOR.

Women are coming to understand that
weak, lame and aching backs from
which they suffer so much excruciating
pain and agony are due to wrong action
of the kidneys.

The kidneys are "overtaxed"—given
more work than they can do, and when
the back aches and pains it is hard for
a woman to look after her household
duties, for no woman can be strong and
well when the kidneys are out of order.

On the first sign of any weakness in
the back Doan's Kidney Pills should be
taken. They go right to the seat of the
trouble, cure the weak, aching back,
and prevent any serious kidney trouble
liable to follow.

Mrs. L. Gonslow, 683 Manning Ave.,
Toronto, Ont., writes: "I take great
pleasure in writing you, stating the ben-
efit I have received by using Doan's
Kidney Pills. About three years ago I
was terribly afflicted with lame back,
and was so bad I could not even sweep
the floor. I was advised to use Doan's
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Doan's Kidney Pills are 50c per box.
3 boxes for \$1.25; at all dealers, or mailed
direct on receipt of price by The T. Mil-
burn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

See that our trade mark, "The Maple
Leaf," appears on the wrapper.

"SALADA"

in your teapot, yields full value
for your money.

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Sold in Sealed Packets only. - Never in Bulk.

THE PEOPLE OF MARS

Plenty of Evidence That They are
Highly Intelligent and Build
Canals to Preserve Race

In 1877 the Italian astronomer,
Schiaparelli announced that he had
detected on the surface of the planet
Mars an intricate series of lines which
he believed to be canals. Their exist-
ence was not universally admitted and
it was strongly contended that they
were of optical production. Public
attention and interest were greatly
aroused when Professor Percival
Lowell, director of the Flagstaff Con-
servatory in Arizona issued a bulletin
containing photographs of the ruddy
planet which he claimed as corrobor-
ating the objective existence of the
canals and further insisted that it was
the abode of a race of reasonable
beings. Since then there has been
considerable controversy about the
canals and in an effort to arrive at a
final decision investigations were
started on an elaborate scale at Flag-
staff under the direction of astron-
omers and astro-physicists who em-
ployed all the most recent methods
of research. Dr. James H. Worthing-
ton in an article published in an Eng-
lish scientific journal declares "that
the explorers of the planet from the
standpoint of Flagstaff find abundant
reason to believe in the existence of a
highly developed and intelligent race,
making a last stand against the in-
creasing deserts of its world. The
famous canals are evidence of tremen-
dous and united efforts to eke out
the decreasing water supply to the
last drop. In this struggle we see in
some sense a forecast of what the
earth must also become in the fulness
of time." This conclusion is supported
in the article by a description of the
observations and by much technical
reasoning. Dr. Worthington insists
that there remains no rational doubt
of the existence of a race of canal
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DEATH FOR DESERTION

Strict Discipline Maintained in
France's Polyglot Army

If in the country near the rear of
the French battle line you see an un-
marked soldier's grave, with no cross
or wreath above it, most likely it is
the last resting place of an executed
man. Discipline is strict in war time.
Each French division has a regular
permanent court-martial attached to
it, which collects evidence of military
crimes, tries offenders and carries
out sentences. One of the officers of
such a court-martial was induced to
talk about his sombre duties. He
said: "You must remember that
armies to-day are made up of mil-
lions of men, men of all shades and
colors of political sentiments and re-
ligious creeds—anarchists and social-
ists, Republicans and Royalists, Jews
and Mohammedans. Out of this material
we have welded together an army the
like of which the world has never
seen. And this applies equally to our
allies and to less to our enemies.
"In these armies absolute obedience
is demanded of every man, and a
high plane of intelligent efficiency is
required of the individual in order that
he may maintain the standard of dis-
cipline of modern armies. Yet when
I tell you that I have been contin-
uously occupied in my present functions
with my division, and we have brought
before the court-martial only 315 men,
of whom 15 have been executed, and
9, who received capital sentences, par-
doned, you can see for yourself the
astounding discipline of our
armies.
"You would perhaps be surprised,
but most of our cases are due to
thoughtlessness on the part of the
"police." Every soldier knows that to
abandon his post in the face of the
enemy, no matter for how brief a
moment, is punishable by death, and
sometimes the best of men have been
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CITY NEWS

Notice: We buy second-hand furniture, clothing, small articles. J. Krawsky, 348 Wellington St. Tel. 1206.

Messrs. H. R. Fraser, K.C., and C. N. White, K.C., returned Saturday from a business trip to Ottawa.

Special reductions this week on all ladies' suits and coats. L. A. Bayley's. Pts. Ronald Fuller, of the 117th Battalion, was in town from St. Johns for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bean, of Montreal, spent the week-end in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pearson, London street.

Pts. George Burns of 117th Battalion is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burns Ascot Road.

Fine lingerie blouses, "Fashion Brand," regular price \$2.75, for \$1.49. L. A. Bayley's.

Mr. A. P. Taylor has returned to the city after a few weeks' holiday, spent at Atlantic City, N.J., New York and Montreal.

Corn removed—Dr. Hight, Chiropractor will be at St. Jacob's Hotel, Richmond, Thursday and Friday, May 18th and 19th.

Mr. George Macfarlane and his son, Mr. Stewart Macfarlane, have returned to Toronto after attending the funeral of Mrs. Henry Macfarlane in the city on Saturday.

The Y.W.C.A. Pollyanna and Sunbeam Clubs will hold a sale and Tom Thumb tea in the Association Hall on Saturday, May 20, from 4 to 6 p.m.

See window display of Ladies' Walk-over shoes "Pumps and walking shoes," about 200 pairs to select from all sizes. Choice, \$2.95. Chamberlain Shoe Store.

Mrs. G. Elery Read went to Montreal Saturday to say farewell to her son, Gunner Douglas Read, who left for Halifax yesterday with the McGill Battery.

Miss Paquette, of Paquetville, and her brother, Customs Officer at Rock Island, were in town recently visiting their aunt, Mrs. Etienne Chertier, Gordon street.

A meeting of the Massawippi Canoe Club will be held tomorrow, Tuesday night, at the Magog House, at 8 o'clock. This is an important meeting and of interest to all shareholders.

Miss O'Reilly, who has been on the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has resigned her position and returned to her home in Windsor Mills, owing to illness in the family.

Mrs. Carroll Cate was in town on Saturday from Lambton to say good bye to her brother, Gunner Karl LeBaron, of the McGill Siege Battery, and returned to her home this morning.

The engagement is announced of Miss Hazel Waterhouse, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Waterhouse, of Montreal, formerly of Sherbrooke, to Mr. Frank S. Taylor. The wedding will take place at Dixie early in June.

Mr. George M. Howard returned from a trip to New York Saturday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Howard, who had closed their winter home at Pinehurst, N.C., and who was warmly greeted by her old friends in this city.

Mr. Arthur Macfarlane was in town for the week-end from Montreal to attend the funeral of his aunt, the late Mrs. Henry Macfarlane, and was

EAST SHERBROOKE

Miss Thelma Honeyman has returned to her home from the General Hospital, much improved in health.

—Mrs. J. Sawyer, Mt. Pleasant St. has returned from a two weeks visit with Mrs. Gregory, Derby Lane.

—Mr. Jack Branswell returned to Montreal this morning, after spending the week end with his mother, Mrs. M. Branswell, Bridge St.

—Capt. Vere Hobart of the 148 Regiment, was calling on old friends while in town Saturday, on his way to Compton.

St. Agnes Guild tea at the Church Hall Tuesday, 4 to 6 p.m.

See window display. Ladies' Walk-over shoes, all sizes, about 125 pairs to select from special sale price, \$1.95. Chamberlain Shoe Store.

Rev. C. W. Nicol, of Ottawa, who occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's Church yesterday, was the guest during his stay of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reid, Wolfe street.

Mrs. A.L. Kezer, of Woodville, N. B., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Wingrove, 15 Hall avenue, who is undergoing a serious operation is progressing.

Gunnery Roy and Donald Foss spent the week-end in town with their relatives before leaving for Halifax with their unit, the McGill Heavy Siege Battery.

Mrs. Rupert Kaulbach and daughter, Miss Dorothy Kaulbach, from Lunenburg, N.S., were in town recently for a brief visit to Mrs. Kaulbach's sister, Miss Ruth Brown.

Mr. John Champoux, of Quebec, member of the Chaleur Bay Mills and the Champoux Lumber Company, was in town last week, and said that in his long experience there had never been a more favorable season for lumbering operations. Mr. Champoux is well qualified to deal with the subject, as the present is his 43rd year on "the drive" in lumbermen's parlance.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Lennoxville Methodist Church held its regular monthly meeting at Mrs. Adams, Church St., a pleasant feature of the meeting was the presentation of a life membership to Mrs. H. H. Clark (Pres. elect) by Mrs. Lahue (retiring Pres.) on behalf of the Society. This was made possible by a gift of \$25.00 to the Society from the Rev. E. S. Howard, Lawrenceville, Que., Mrs. Lahue's father. The Easter offering proved also to be very gratifying as the sum of \$25. was found in the little envelopes that had been given out to the ladies of the congregation.

LOCAL LIBERAL MEMBERS DID NOT OWN LOTBINIERE RAILWAY.

The statement which appeared in several papers to the effect that a senator and two Liberal members owned the Lotbiniere and Megantic Railway, which has just been taken over by the Government, is incorrect. Senator Mitchell never owned any stock in the company, and Messrs. F. N. McCrea, M.P., and E. W. Tobin, who owned the stock for some time, sold out their interests, and were paid the money for the same, in 1911. The report, therefore, sent out from Ottawa gave a wrong impression, said Mr. McCrea to the Record, and should be corrected.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH NOTICES
Tuesday—The Ladies of the congregation meet every Tuesday after-

\$25 Dollar Diamonds

We are showing some splendid values in Diamond Rings, Brooches and Earrings, all priced at \$25.00. Single Stone Rings, Three Stone Rings and Five Stone Rings, and Rings set with Pearls and Diamonds, Sapphires and Diamonds, Rubies and Diamonds, etc., etc. The diamonds are white and free from flaws. Be sure and see this display in our window.

A. C. SKINNER,

The Jeweler
on the Square.

noon to sew for the Red Cross Society.

Wednesday—Mid-week services on Wednesday at 8 p. m. Studies from the Book of Hebrews.

Thursday—The Ladies' Aid Society will meet on Thursday from 3 to 6 p. m. in the church hall. Tea served from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Friday—The Women's Missionary Society will meet on Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Primary Class Room. All the Ladies of the congregation are invited.

Choir practice on Friday at 8 p. m.

Saturday—St. Andrew's Auxiliary will hold a sale of cooking Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. Tea will be served during the afternoon.

AN E. T. BOY EARNS PROMOTION "SOMEBODY IN FRANCE."

Capt. J. Dewar Scott, A.V.C., son of Robert Scott, Scotstown, and a nephew of Dr. M.S. MacDonald, Sherbrooke, a graduate of Toronto University, 1915, has been promoted. Upon graduating Captain Scott got a Lieutenant's commission in the Imperial Army Veterinary Corps, and immediately sailed for England. After twelve weeks training at Aldershot he was sent with the Royal Field Artillery to France about the 1st of July, 1915, and has been actively engaged at the front ever since. He received his promotion as Captain last March. A younger brother, Stewart, is with the 73rd Royal Highlanders, now in England, and two cousins, sons of Mr. John Scott, of Montreal, late of Scotstown, Lieut. H.M. Scott, of the Royal Highlanders and Lieut. James D. Scott, of the Imperial Aviation Corps, are overseas for King and Country.

FORMER SHERBROOKE RESIDENT DEAD.

An East Lyme, Mass., newspaper of May 1 has the following in connection with the death of a former Sherbrooke resident.

"James Henry Nelson Day died suddenly at his home Saturday afternoon, April 29th about 5 o'clock. He had not been so well for a day or two and the doctor advised him to stay in bed for a few days, but half an hour before his death his attendant left him resting comfortably reading a magazine and when she went in again he had passed away."

"Mr. Day came to East Lyme about 21 years ago from Sherbrooke, Quebec, when the Park Bros. took charge of the woolen mill in this place and was placed at the head of the dyeing department and remained in that position until two or three years ago when his health made it necessary for him to give it up. When the mill changed hands in 1906 and many

changes were made in the operatives Mr. Day was retained. In disposition he was bright, genial and cheerful and made many friends who will miss him greatly."

"Mr. Day was born in Hawick, Scotland, and when a young man came to Cornwall, Ontario, and later to Sherbrooke, Quebec, where he was married to Miss Mary Campbell about 22 years ago. He is survived by his wife one brother, John, who lives in Marcellus, N. Y., four sisters, Mrs. Nellie Watson, Mrs. John Henderson, Mrs. Amelia and Miss Bella Day. His brother came Sunday and arranged to take the body to his home in Marcellus for interment."

THE LATE MRS. HENRY MACFARLANE

The funeral of the late Mrs. Henry MacFarlane, whose death occurred in Toronto, Thursday morning, took place Saturday at noon, from the Grand Trunk station to St. Peter's Church. A number of relatives, and old friends, were in attendance, several of the former having accompanied the body to the city. The bearers were, Dr. D. J. Austin, Mr. C. H. Fletcher, Mr. E. Hargrave, Mr. W. A. Hale, Mr. S. F. Morey and Mr. A. F. Simpson. The principal mourners were, Mr. George Macfarlane, Toronto, son of deceased, Mr. E. Winn Macfarlane, grandson, Mr. E. Winn Macfarlane, Mr. M. A. Macfarlane, Montreal, nephew, Mr. E. J. Beckett, brother-in-law, Messrs. Harry, Percy, and Frank Beckett, nephews, Mrs. B. Winn Macfarlane and Mrs. Percy Beckett were also present. The impressive service was conducted by the Rev. H. Reginald Bigg, Rector, assisted by the Rev. W. T. Haig, and the hymns, "Nearer My God, to Thee", and "Abide with me", were sweetly rendered by the choir.

The mortal remains were laid to rest in the family lot in the English Cemetery, Prospect street. Many exquisite floral tributes from the family and others covered the casket and were reverently laid in the grave.

The late Mrs. Macfarlane whose maiden name was Deborah (Dora) Bonnalie, was the eldest daughter of the late George Bonnalie, of Bonnalie's Mills, Orford. After her marriage to the late Henry Macfarlane, who was a well-known and successful contractor, and bridge builder for the G. T. R., she lived with her husband, successively at Stratford, Ont., Sherbrooke and Toronto. After Mr. Macfarlane's death, which took place twelve years ago, she resided with her sister, Mrs. E. J. Beckett, at "The Willows", Sherbrooke, for some years, but latterly had made her home with her niece, Mrs. Clarke, Dovercourt Road, Toronto.

Mrs. Macfarlane's health had long been failing, but she came quite suddenly, after a few days of extreme suffering, at the age of 77 years. She leaves to mourn her loss, her son, Mr. George Macfarlane, an adopted daughter, Mrs. E. Winn Macfarlane, a sister, Mrs. F. J. Beckett, Sherbrooke and a number of grand children, and great grand children. Nephews and nieces, who have the sympathy of all who know them in their sorrow. Deceased will be regretted by a large circle of friends in Sherbrooke and elsewhere.

CHILDREN'S GARDEN

A special donation of flower and vegetable seeds was distributed to certain grades of the High School, Queen St., Friday, and at 3 p.m., about 200 scholars were gathered in the Central Hall to listen to an address on the subject, in which the speaker gave very simple directions about sowing seeds, cultivation, etc., which should be of general interest and practical for other schools. These are summarized as follows:—

TOOLS.—Spade, narrow hoe with rake on the reverse, and a wide rake. If these are not available, the stove shovel, or a pointed stick and the fingers as a rake, — but have a "garden".

LOCATION.—Must have 2 or 3 hours sun at least daily, the more the better, and not under trees.

SHAPE & LOCATION OF BEDS.—Square or round beds, or preferably oblong, — say 2 to 3 feet wide, 4 or more long, — along by fences or

border, leaving grass in centre of yard.

SOIL.—Dug as deep as a spade will go and some manure, if practicable. If not, loosen up soil, get all grass out, and make very fine.

SEEDS.—Make trenches with stick, depth of 2 or 3 times size of seeds and trenches at least 6 inches apart or the width of a good size saucer. Sow the seeds to have a space about the size of 2 seeds apart or closer if desired, restore soil and press down a little with back of hoe or hand. Water with fine spray or with a broom dipped in pail of water and shaken over them. Keep ground moist until and after seeds come up. Thin out or transplant as they grow until each plant has space of a foresaid saucer. Cultivate occasionally with hoe to keep soil loose.

Seeds given out.—VEGETABLE — Lettuce, Beets, (letting latter grow thick to be thinned out for greens). FLOWER — Drummond Phlox, Sweet William, Dwarf Nasturtium. (All low growing bright flowered). Fall Nasturtium. — Each scholar receiving 1 pkg flower and 1 vegetable seeds and gladiolus bulb, plant latter same "twice its depth", support stalk with stick. In the Fall, when leaves turn brown put bulb with additional bulbs which have grown to it, in a cool cellar. If all bulbets are planted anew each year, the annual increase in rich soil will be nearly 7 fold. Flower gardens may be increased by transplanting wild flowers and ferns, but urged not more than 2 of a kind and that each child and person be careful not to injure roots of wild flowers, and in gathering flowers in woods and fields to be content with a few from which greater pleasure would be obtained than from a great quantity, and leave the plant in good condition.

BIRDS.—He advised throwing out crumbs for them, quoting the Bird Societies as reporting that the greatest destruction of birds was by cats, advised that if one wouldn't kill that cat then "keep it in the house", at least from 6 p.m. to 7 next morning, so that the birds might get their breakfast and live a little longer. He described 10 local songsters which all ought to know and love.

BEAUTY AND ART.—A distribution of Cards was to be made to each scholar who would agree to put it up in their bedroom.

These cards headed "The Love and Joy of Beauty is a path to the highway of content and thankfulness, leading to Love and on to Service for the Creator". Contained a beautiful picture "Orpheus greeting the sun rise" and a list of 28 joys of life. The speaker thought that any child who learned these, and could appreciate and rejoice in them as the gift and revelation of God as his or her Father, and love and worship Him for and through them, had laid the foundation for a life and character of ever increasing value. Announcement was made that at 2 p.m., on Saturday, 18th, at 56 Dufferin Ave., a plant of Golden Glow would be given to any scholar who had undertaken to grow the seeds and would apply for it. Also that until further notice, children and adults were invited to visit the garden there on Saturday and Sunday afternoons.

Scholars were urged to visit the Art Gallery, preferably by classes with teacher, discuss the pictures, compare their preferences, etc. The suggestion was also made that classes on graduating from certain rooms, or the building, might raise a fund and under competent advice, and with the approval of the Principal, purchase a picture, to bear under it the number or names of the class, and the members, and to be hung, as a pleasant souvenir and memory of their association, in the room or halls.

SHERBROOKE METHODIST CHURCH

The Women's Missionary Auxiliary will meet this Monday afternoon, with Mrs. A.L. Parker, Portland avenue.

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CORSET COVERS at 25c., 35c., 49c., 75c., 98c.

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Big Special in Underskirts

Three dozen lot of colored Satin Underskirts, in shades of purple, green, cerise, or pale blue, \$1.75 regular value. Special Sale price 98c



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A Visit to our Blouse Department on Tuesday Morning will convince early shoppers of the wonderful Bargains we offer in "Fashion Waists."

There are dozens of styles, some dainty embroidery trimmings, some pretty new effects in lace trimmings, some handsome tucked fronts, low necks, convertible collars, long sleeves, all sizes in the lot. A most unusual opportunity to procure a dainty summer blouse at less than half price **\$1.49.**

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MEGANTIC CO. HAPPENINGS

Budget of News from Various Sections of County

ST. SYLVESTER EAST.
Mr. Frank Monahan had a sale on Monday last, and good prices were realized for all, especially cattle and horses. Some cows went as high as \$74, and a horse for over \$200. Sheep also went at a high figure. Mr. Monahan and family are moving to New Hampshire to live for the present.

On Sunday last after the morning service took place the sad ceremony of burying the dead who were in the vault during the winter months. There was a large number of people present, amongst them being three young men in their uniform who have volunteered to help defend their country.

On account of the cold weather, seeding is not advancing, and the live stock has not as yet an abundance of grass.

Mr. C. Donnelly had a sale and he intends going to Thetford Mines for the present.

Mrs. John Turcott has gone to the Quebec Hospital to undergo treatment.

Mrs. Edward and Mrs. James Meaney, of St. Andrew's, have purchased the residence of Mrs. Onezime Laboureneau in the village, and intend moving there soon to reside.

THETFORD MINES.
A meeting of the St. John's Ladies' Guild took place last week at the home of Mrs. Paul Hamerich, under the presidency of Mrs. W. J. Woolsey. There were a large number of members and visitors present, among the latter being Mrs. Kirkland, Miss Dean, Mrs. Melville and Mrs. Schuster, of Black Lake. A pleasant afternoon was spent, and before dispersing refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Miss Frances Pharo and Miss Nita Hamerich.

Mrs. William Sharp, who has been quite ill for some time, is now making a good recovery.

FRANKNESS
Frankness is the art of saying things you honestly think exactly as you think them. To be frank is to be naturally straightforward. Look the other fellow in the eye. In the same manner as a straight line is the shortest distance between two points, so is frankness the only direct course between all people. Because nothing is wasted. The frank man is the man best to be trusted. Look the other fellow in the eye.

A DELICATE CHILD

Made Strong By Our Vinol
Fayetteville, N.C.—"My little daughter was in poor health, delicate and so weak it made us very uneasy. I heard about Vinol and decided to try it and the results were marvelous, her appetite improved, she gained in weight, and is now one of the healthiest children in town. Mothers of delicate children should try Vinol."—Mrs. GORDON JESSUP.
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RED CROSS RUMMAGE SALE

Interesting Plan to Aid Worthy Cause

WILL BE HELD IN 54TH ARMOURY, JUNE 5TH TO 10TH — APPEAL TO PUBLIC.

(From the Red Cross Committee.)
A "Red Cross" Bargain and Rummage Sale will be held in the 54th Armory (Belvidere St.) from June 5th to 10th.

The sale will open at 10.30 every morning and continue until 9.30 in the evening.

We now appeal to everyone to make this "Red Cross Sale Week," a most successful one. We want this sale to be "worth while" to the public a genuine, straight good Bargain sale. We want the public to benefit by this sale. We want the Red Cross to benefit by a good sum to carry on its much needed work.

The work of the Red Cross is endless as pain and suffering is endless. We all know what the newspaper's words, "big drives in the spring and summer," means to us all. It means we must face longer lists of casualties—it means we must face them calmly, preparedly, it means, more bandages, more dressing, more supplies of all kinds.
It means that each branch of the Red Cross must do its "bit extra," or some of our boys, our own plucky boys, are going to need something they cannot have when in hospital and we will be (partly at least) to blame.

The collectors for the sale will begin their work at once and if we are to make this week a record one in every way we must look to each one of us to GIVE US THE GOODS TO SELL.

We ask every householder, every merchant, every farmer in the surrounding country, and as many friends from the outlying districts who possibly can, to look around and see what they can spare for us. Perhaps you will not miss a piece of furniture from your home, some bit of porcelain, picture, books, clothing, kitchenware. From the farming district a donation of maple sugar, syrup, vegetables, or live stock will be most acceptable. Our city merchants have a large supply to draw from, remnants, garments of all sorts, grocery supplies, boots, jewelry, light fixtures, etc. The smallest gift will be as welcome as the largest. Money, although not solicited, is always welcome.

Each gift given means an added chance for a life to be saved. Don't let us "skip" our giving. Let us each give something "worth while."

If the collector misses your house, or does not find you at home, will you kindly telephone to Mrs. E. C. Fraser, 27 London street, phone 316, or to Mrs. E. H. Irwin, 23 Montreal street, phone 272. Arrangements will be made for your goods to be called for. This also applies to our out-of-town friends. If they will please notify one of these ladies arrangements will be made for transport of goods.

HAIG COOL IN EGYPT

Daring of Young Officer, Now Leader of Hosts

Absolutely fearless, Gen. Haig has had many a narrow escape on the battlefield. In the Sudan campaign of 1898 the General was with Lord Kitchener, who entrusted him with a lot of the necessary scouting before the Battles of Atbara and Khartoum. On one occasion he and three others came across a big zarcoba—a fortified enclosure of thorns and spiked palisades—big enough to hide an army. As the zarcoba was in the way of the British advance it was necessary to find out approximately what was behind that thorny defence in the desert. Gen. Haig calmly rode within 300 paces and sat his horse, noting the Derwishes within. Though a fusillade of bullets from Arab's muskets was fired in his direction, he escaped by a miracle, and was able to give Lord Kitchener information vital to the success of the dash for Khartoum.

Coaticook House popular home for travellers. Eng. Bouchard, Prop.

LATEST WAR DESPATCHES

BERLIN SAYS
BRITISH ATTACKS
WERE REPULSED

Berlin, May 15.—(Special)—The British have been attacking the German lines near Halluch in Northern France, in an effort to recapture the trenches recently taken by Germans there, but all their attempts have been repulsed, according to today's statement by the War Office. In the Verdun region the French failed in attacks near Dead Man Hill and near the Caillette wood. The text of the statement follows:

"Western theatre—Artillery and patrols on both sides have been active in many sections.

"Enemy attempted to recapture the positions taken by the Germans near Halluch. All attempts either broke down under German artillery fire or were repulsed in hand to hand fighting.

"French attacks in Meuse district on the west slope of Dead Man Hill, and near the Caillette Wood were easily repulsed."

CLEARED ENEMY
FROM A FIRST
LINE TRENCH

Paris, May 15.—(Special)—The text of the French official statement says:

"To the south of the Somme, near Vermandovillers, we delivered a coup de main which permitted us to clear the enemy from a first line trench.

"In Champagne there was great artillery activity on both sides in the sectors of Maisons De Champagne and the butte Du Mesnil. An invasion of a German work west of Mt. Tetu permitted us to capture fifteen prisoners.

"In Verdun region there were bombardments in the sector of the woods of Avocourt and Hill 304.

"Calm is reported on the rest of the front."

SAYS GERMANY IS BEATEN

Cannot Struggle Against The Overwhelming Financial Strain, Says Sam. Hill

END OF WAR IS IN SIGHT, AND PEACE WILL COME AS SUD- DEN AS THE GREAT WAR

New-York, May 15.—Samuel Hill, who was associated for twelve years with J. J. Hill in his railroad enterprises, but is not a relative, arrived last night from Liverpool, on the American liner Philadelphia, on which he made the round voyage. It was his thirty-ninth trip on the Atlantic. While the liner was in port on the other side, from Monday morning, May 16, to Saturday afternoon, May 16, Mr. Hill travelled to London, crossed over to France, dined with Albert, King of the Belgians, at his headquarters; visited the firing line in Western France, and Flanders, returned to London by way of Boulogne, met cabinet ministers, went to Scotland, visited the fleet at Leith, saw the harbor protection against submarines, and reached Liverpool some hours before the Philadelphia sailed for New-York.

Mr. Hill said he had made this rapid trip to get certain information and had succeeded in his mission, the nature of which he could not disclose until he had been to Washington, where he is going today.

"Germany is beaten," he said, "and the end of the war is in sight. Peace will come suddenly, as the great war started, in August 1914. There will not be another winter campaign. Germany cannot struggle against the overwhelming financial strain and the economic conditions prevailing since the war."

"In 1913, Germany imported 500,000 laborers to harvest her crops, and this year she will only gather in 60 per cent of the harvest of the year before the war."

A Morphine Bullet
A Pittsburgh scientist has patented a bullet carrying a tiny grain of morphine in one side to relieve the pain of a person or animal that it wounds.

New Jumping Jack
One of the newer German toys is a jumping jack mounted on the end of a tube, its movements being regulated by blowing through the tube.

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But none who views the second will miss any of those that follow.

A skillfully wrought play about a beautiful actress accused of murder.

The Production More than five hundred thousand dollars has been spent by the Essanay Company before *The Strange Case of Mary Page* reached the screen. Miss Mayo's elaborate gowns were designed by Lady Duff Gordon (Lucile). The Essanay name guarantees direction and photography unsurpassed.

A complete portrayal of stage life behind the scenes.

A massive restaurant and cabaret setting.

A mad motor car chase through Central Park, New York.

A heart-wrenching situation showing the branding of Mary Page and her frenzied flight in her night robe, as she seeks safety in the woods.

Fights that ARE fights.

Death-defying deeds.

Mystery, intrigue and a startling denouement.

The Cast Henry B. Walthall, the most finished actor in motion pictures, the hero of "The Birth of a Nation," will play the leading role. As the attorney in *The Strange Case of Mary Page* he has the greatest part of his career.

Edna Mayo, beautiful, appealing, the well remembered heroine of "The Blindness of Virtue," "The Misleading Lady" and "The Scapegoat" is Mary Page. She is a splendid artiste. This insures acting of the highest type.

See this Great Production at

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WED. and THURS. MAY 17th and 18th.

ATTACK MADE ON SIR SAM HUGHES

Motion of Censure in Connection With Sale of Defective Ammunition Defeated

HOTTEST DEBATE OF THE SESSION TOOK PLACE IN COMMONS OVER THE MOTION

Ottawa, May 15.—An Opposition motion censuring the Minister of Militia for the sale of defective ammunition to Vickers Limited, and calling for reference of the transaction to the Meredith-Duff Commission was, on Saturday, voted down by the Commons on a division of 40 to 17.

The present session seems destined to die hard. After the bi-lingual crisis the week might have been expected to end peacefully, but as a matter of fact Saturday afternoon and evening witnessed the hottest debate that Hansard records for the 1916 sitting of Parliament. It arose over the Opposition motion referred to.

As a matter of fact the ammunition sale in question has already been referred for investigation to the Davidson Commission, and the Opposition was informed on Saturday that any member who cared to make charges in connection with the matter could appear, represented by counsel and secure the fullest investigation. Mr. Carvell attacked Sir Sam Hughes and, during his remarks, communicated the information that William Travers Jerome has been acting for the Opposition in New-York in connection with the Kite charges.

FRENCH SHELL SUPPLY

Joffre Encourages Attacks, Reserves of Munitions Being Ample

The following order of General Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French army is asserted in Berlin to have been found in the possession of a French officer: "Order to the commanders of the different army groups. The enemy has made local attacks on different points of our front lately and all of them have been successful. This condition cannot continue without depressing the spirits of our army. I will not permit the period of waiting to lead to stagnation.

"Our troops must make every effort to repulse the German attacks, or to forestall them by attacking first. The efforts of the enemy can be rendered useless without sacrificing our infantry if the commanders make full use of our entire artillery, heavy and field, and our trench mortars. There is no necessity of saving ammunition, as we now have plenty of shells of all sizes. The Germans must in all circumstances be prevented from fortifying territory captured by them. Wherever they advance their new lines must be taken under concentrated fire at once and our troops must counter attack quickly after the necessary artillery preparation."—(Signed) Joffre.

Praised by Lord French
"I cannot speak too highly of the valuable services rendered by Sir Douglas Haig," said Field Marshal Sir John French in his despatches describing the Battle of the Aisne. This war has been our new commander's big chance, and he has seized it so well that he has added enormously to his already great reputation. The Aisne, Ypres and Neuve Chapelle all showed Sir Douglas to be "a leader of great ability and power," in Sir John French's words.

CITY NEWS

Ptes. E.W. Day and Leonard Ward, of the 148th Battalion, Montreal, were at Lennoxville for the week-end.

Lord's Private ambulance was called by Dr. Henry to remove Mrs. Pimm to her home in Lennoxville, from Sherbrooke Hospital.

Miss Pauline Wylie, who has recently made her home with her aunt, Mrs. H. Ranshouan, in Sherbrooke, left Wednesday for Jamestown, N.Y., to take a responsible position in connection with the Y.W.C.A. in that city.

COUNCIL MEETS TO-NIGHT

A regular bi-monthly meeting of the City Council takes place this evening at the City Hall at eight o'clock.

APPRECIATE LOAN OF HIS MAJESTY'S

The Sherbrooke Recruiting Committee and Capt. Stuart of the 199th Irish Rangers, desire to express their thanks to Mr. Teel for his generous loan of His Majesty's Theatre for the Sunday night meeting. Mr. Teel has been exceedingly good to the Committee all through the campaign in giving us the free use of his Theatre.

SELF-INFLICTED WOUNDS

Unwilling Conscripts Are Punished With Death For Serious Offence

French army discipline is described by a high officer as follows: "Breaches of discipline towards superior officers are unknown chiefly because we form one big family at the front. The men are so well looked after by their officers that they are as a rule beloved by them. 'Mon lieutenant,' 'mon capitaine,' are not hollow phrases, but express vividly the true relations between the men and their superiors. In every regiment there are one or two men to whom military service is unceasing. Some are nervous, others cowards, others what you might call 'conscientious objectors,' but France takes no notice of the whims or beliefs of the individual, and when the life of the nation is at stake every able-bodied man, be he priest or puritan, must go into the ranks with the rest.

"These men who are sick of the trenches spend their time devising means to get away. The easiest way to get an honorable discharge, they seem to think, is to wound themselves—shoot off their trigger finger and the like. This is a capital offence in time of war. But the case I refer to is that of a young lieutenant who was married three days before the outbreak of the war. He was a gallant young soldier, a fearless officer. But after a few weeks he became homesick, lovesick, or what you will. To get back to his wife was his one desire. Months passed and he could not get leave, so he took matters in his own hands and drove a bullet through his left forearm. He did not stop to think that it would soon be discovered that his wound had been caused by a French bullet.

"He was court-martialed and sentenced to be executed. I read the death sentence, and a few hours later a pardon reached us. But the young lieutenant knew his duty and fell fighting in the field without ever seeing his wife again. One must love no one but one's country in time of war."

MARRIAGE AND WAR; RESULTS IN FRANCE

Emancipated Girls Choose Own Partners—After-war Problems

Marriage is a very serious question in France, and the thought that after the war there will not be enough husbands to go round is agitating the breasts of the French girls. One of them, Mlle. Marie Laparcerie, has written a booklet of some seventy pages in which she gives wise counsel on this subject. The number of eligibles will be very restricted after the war," she says. "It will be necessary then, above everything, to resolve to be among the selected ones. Let this idea: Je veux me marier! (I want to marry!) be always present with you."

But the author does not take into account that the war itself is changing the whole position and outlook of her sex. For one thing, it has forced unmarried and married women into occupations and situations formerly filled exclusively by men, and from which it will be difficult for the men to dislodge them when peace comes. It has also taught women that they can make a living for themselves, and that marriage is not the only vocation open to a woman.

There is another and more subtle way in which the war has entered into this question of marriage; and this may have wide-reaching effects on the traditional French bargaining before choosing. Girls, before the war, were guarded like vestals, and hardly got a chance to meet young men, unless in the presence of mother or other dragon. Now the French maiden has gone out in her thousands as nurse, hospital help, worker for refugees or wounded, or into some other of the many activities created by the war.

She finds herself for the first time at liberty, she meets men, she gets to know them, she, herself, encourages or frowns on their advances, she does not hide herself behind her mother's petticoats and wait to have her life and future companion chosen for her. The war is the best marriage bureau France has ever known. Marriages of love occur every day, and the horrified parents have to bow to the imperious wills of their emancipated daughters. It is not unlikely that we shall see a radical change in the French system of arranging marriages after the war; or at least that the young people will insist on having a greater share in the arrangements.

FIDDLES FOR BABIES

Cannot Begin Too Early to Develop Music Tendencies

The success of the Musco School Settlement in New York commands a respectful hearing for the opinions of its founder, Mr. David Mannes, who writes: "Now, I would take a child at 2½ years of age, put a fiddle or a piano in the room, but no teacher, and say: 'Here is a toy. Try to do something with it.'"

"A nursery has a drum; why not a violin?" "Pretty soon the child will say: 'I want a teacher.' That will happen nearly every time. And so with eight singing and reading. The house will not lack a musical atmosphere long if you go about it this way."

Compulsory practice for two or three hours a day on an instrument or in voice culture, as Mr. Mannes remarks, certainly has a tendency to kill quickly any love of music with which the ordinary youngster has been born.

Stop the Switching
To prevent a cow switching her tail in the face of a person milking her a Maine man has patented a chain and hook to hold her tail against one leg.

HOW TO MODERATE USE OF TOBACCO

Many Hints to the Woeer of Nicotine on How to Be Less Fervent in His Love

Nowadays we must all economize in smoking, and the wise man sees that the "something" is a luxury. Economizing in necessities is a dangerous business. The principal luxury of the masculine Canadian is smoking. So let us see if we can economize in that. We won't begin by dropping it altogether; it's bad for our tempers.

Smoking is largely a matter of habit. A smoker gets accustomed to having something between his teeth; so, after he has had the first pipe of the day let him keep the cold pipe in his mouth; at any rate, it will be better than nothing at all!

Some Tips

A pipe with a very small bowl gives us another way out of the difficulty. A third dodge is to put a plug at the bottom of the bowl. Some smokers use a plug formed of a tiny piece of stale bread; it acts as a filter, and helps to keep the pipe clean.

Numbers of men say they "can't smoke a pipe." Possibly they have always tried to smoke what is known to the tobaccoists as a "pipe tobacco" either a dark shag—much too strong for them—or a flaked or coarse cut tobacco, and they can't keep it alight.

Let them try a light cigarette tobacco in a pipe. Keep the "baccy" fairly dry, and pack it rather tightly in the bowl. Then it will burn slowly and you get a mild, light smoke. The only reason why a coarse cut tobacco gives the pipe smoker a cool smoke is because it burns slowly.

Try Slowly

Another tip, for cigarette smokers, is—make a rule for yourself. A certain number per day, and no more. If you use a cigarette holder, you will find that pulling away at the empty holder is of some comfort to you.

Some smokers find that the use of a little snuff is a good substitute for a smoke. Other smokers get over the "craving" by sucking acid drops, or chewing gum.

One way of keeping down the "baccy" money is to have a little tobacco of a kind you know you do not like always at hand. For example, if you smoke Virginia cigarettes morning, noon, and night, try a Turkish when you think it's time to stop. You won't care for the smoke, but it will help to destroy your craving for the smoke that you know you do like.



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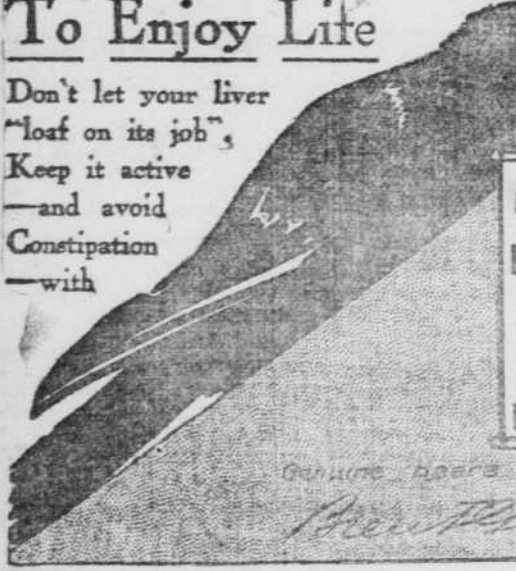
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Ice cream has been the dominating influence in the progress of the soda water industry since the advent of pure fruit syrups. The addition of this frozen palate tickler to soda water not only improves the richness and smoothness of the beverage, but at the same time it increased its food value. Statistics as to the consumption of ice cream show an enormous increase since it was first added to soda water, and the soda fountain has not only been the greatest quantity consumer of ice cream, but its advertiser. With the advent of the luscious sundae came the additional increase in the consumption of both soda and ice cream at fountains.

In the Spring of 1874 Robert M. Green of Philadelphia, who at that time was acting agent for John Matthews of New York, at the same time had begun the manufacture of smaller types of fountains of his own. He secured a concession to dispense soda water at an exposition held under the auspices of the Franklin Institute of Philadelphia, and stress of business compelled him to do something to attract the patronage of the public. At all events, such was the inspiration, according to Mr. Green, which prompted him to put ice cream in soda water.

GIVE YOUR MOTHER A CHANCE TO ENJOY LIFE

Don't be Selfish in Leaving the Best One in the World at Home When You Go Out to the "Movies"

"All alone again?" I said when I found my friend, Mrs. Brice, sitting by the fire with her knitting.

"Yes. Kate and Mabel have gone to the "movies," and they are going to have tea out somewhere. They want a little enjoyment, you know."

I agreed, but it struck me that a little outing would not have done their mother any harm. They were both business girls, and probably found the daily grind of office routine left them hungering for diversion.

It did not occur to them that continual housework might have the same effect on their hard working mother, and so Saturday after Saturday they went off to the theatre, leaving their mother to a repetition of every other day in the week.

Kate and Mabel were not more selfish than a good many other girls, but they did not realize that they were systematically leaving out in the cold the mother whose whole happiness was bound up in their doings.

Help Her to Enjoyment

If they were in trouble she shared those troubles, but when it was a case of pleasure they were content to let her stand aside and look on. Of course, she didn't complain—mothers don't—but deep down in her heart was the feeling that old age would have seemed much further off had she been permitted to share the pleasures of youth.

There are home pleasures, too, in which the mother should have some other share than that of baking cakes and looking after the creature comforts of the guests.

What Do You Think?

Why not arrange sometimes that mother shall be a guest in her own home? Plan your own little festivities, take all the preparations on your own shoulders, and don't ask mother to do anything save perhaps preside over the tea table your escorts have equipped.

Won't she be proud to do it, and won't she enjoy the cake she hasn't made and the scenes made from a recipe entirely new to her? Won't she enjoy, too, the fact of being fresh enough to take part in the after tea proceedings, and, more than all the thought which prompted her daughters to take the household responsibility off her shoulders.—Pearson's Weekly.

HAD SALT RHEUM ON HANDS.

Could Not Do Her Work.

Eczema of salt rheum is one of the most common of all skin diseases. It may centre itself on any part of the body, but there are certain places where it most usually begins, such as the bends of the elbows, the backs of the knees, the groove behind the ears, the scalp, on the palms of the hands, between the fingers, or on the soles of the feet.

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Save Your Paper

Save your old paper and rags! By so doing, according to the Department of Commerce, Washington, you not only will be enriching yourself to a certain extent, but will be adding paper manufacturers to solve what promises to become a very serious problem—the shortage of raw materials. The Department is sending broadcast letters to business firms urging them to conserve their old paper. Something like 15,000 tons of paper are manufactured every day in the United States and a large proportion of this, after being used, is thrown away or burned, with the result that just so much raw material must be obtained. Most of this paper can be used again in the manufacture of a slightly inferior grade.

Making Half Tones

Two Illinois inventors have patented a quick process for making half tones cuts by electrolysis.

Eggs by Post

A Minnesota inventor has brought out a box for transporting eggs safely by parcel post.

EDITOR-SOLDIERS RUN FRANCE'S PUBLICITY

Recalled From the Front to Manage Very Important Work—Photographs and Films Well Utilized

In the midst of war the French Government has opened a sort of Palace of the Press, a five-story mansion built to contain very modern flats. Each flat now contains a department of the Maison de la Presse. There is a floor for everything an accredited visitor can want. There is a diplomatic floor, a military floor, a propaganda floor, a photograph floor, a strategist's floor, and, at the top, the movies. The diplomatic floor is, of course, a branch of the Quai d'Orsay. The attaches still feel a little homesick for their venerable quarters, but the great use of centralizing all work connected with the press is clear to everyone.

Picture Record of the War

The military floor is inhabited by representatives of the War Office, some elderly officers on active service, others ex-civilians now mobilized. The Service Geographique de l'Armée—the official photographers who travel at the front—have taken thousands of remarkable pictures. Some are too realistic to be shown to the public, and only privileged visitors can see them, but in the main the useful innovation is that nearly all the pictures can be bought by the public at five cents apiece. There could be no better propaganda than photographs, for instance of Gerbovillers and Sermaz, in the state in which the Germans left them. Some photographs on glass can be used for lantern slides, and a lantern is installed to show them off.

The floor above belongs to the movies. Films have been taken at the front by official cinematographers. "I nearly had the life of the last operator I took to the front on my conscience," said the captain who was showing me over. "A shell burst within ten yards of us while he was turning his machine." The films once taken are the property of the War Office, and strict supervision ensures that they shall be used without authority. Some cannot be shown yet. The others are exhibited once or twice a week in the cinema room, and cinema managers, from neutral countries chiefly, are invited to see the pictures and make their choice. The military and strategical department contains much that is shown only to a few privileged visitors or the allied nations. There are collected there the maps drawn of the enemy positions from photographs taken from aeroplanes. The minuteness and accuracy of the maps are a ever new wonder.

Keeping Censors Popular

The staff of attendants of the Press Palace are all men who have been mobilized and, after months or a year at the front, have been called back. The rooms where one is shown maps and statistics and fed with information are full of uniforms, from corporal to colonel. But these warriors are all journalists, told off to do one benefit of the French Government, with journalists. The men in various uniforms were in peace-time editors or members of the editorial staffs of the Matin, the Temps, the Debats, L'Opinion, and so on. Since the beginning of the war several have been wounded, and several have won distinction. But when the Foreign Office decided to start a Palace of the Press, it decided that journalists mobilized would be of more use there than at the front, and recalled them. Thus the link between the press and the French war office now consists of a staff of men who are both soldiers and journalists. They are the link, also, between the press and the front. The Palace of the Press is sending various envoys—from this same staff of journalistic officers to allied and neutral countries, where they are the permanent representatives of the Paris Maison de la Presse for the duration of the war.

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STOP WORRYING

A Philosopher's Straight Talk on a Common Ailment

Here's the inspiration for this homily, taken straight from real life. Husband and wife are on their way to the station. The wife says something, and you can just catch her anxious, querulous tones. Borne on the wind comes the man's reply—rage and despair, mixed: "For goodness' sake do stop worrying!"

On the principle that we should endeavor to do the greatest good to the greatest number, this homily, then, is mainly for the ladies—pardon! The men are not exempt, only in a minority; and where the cap fits, they will, of course, wear it.

The drink habit, the drug habit, the nagging habit, the worry habit, are friends. They are home-wreckers and love-enders. The two former can be cured; the two latter have to be endured. And worrying is worse than nagging, for it masquerades as a virtue—over-anxiety, loving care, and so forth—when all the time it is a vice. "It's worry that kills." Yes, that's true enough. Worry alters your face, your expression, your voice, your outlook on life, in fact.

And have you ever seriously thought of the effect on others of your eternal worrying? It is taking the joy out of their lives entirely. Leave them their own horizon. They will get away from you if they can. You are getting yourself disliked.

That is more than sad as between a mother and her children. Yet it happens if "mother is always worrying." It's a miserable habit.

And what's the good of it? This perpetual dwelling on distant contingencies is silly and sickening. Excuse the word, but it is the right one. Worry produces nothing, alters nothing, hurries nobody. What's the good of it? Do you know that worrying is merely an inefficient substitute for action and forethought?

Test that statement. You worry over whether the dinner will be ready. It doesn't make the oven hotter, or saucepans boil more quickly, or put the hands of the clock back. Get into action, and do something to hurry things. You may worry over catching a train. That won't delay the train, or get you there any the sooner. You may lie awake all night worrying over whether the morrow will be fine.

What's the good? Worrying accomplishes nothing. And you will see that to worry is an admission of personal inefficiency. You can't think if you are always worrying. A good worrier has a poor head.

Worrying is a morbid anticipation of the worst. It goes with a diseased imagination and an unbalanced mind. Something's always going to happen—but never anything pleasant.

Why picture battle, murder, and sudden death because Tommy is ten minutes late home from school? Why worry? He's only watching a dog fight; and even if he were hurt, it would be of no use to worry.

It comes to this, that in every division of life when we've done our best, and done all, there's nothing more to do except to sit down and wait. And worry? No; the sentence ends at "wait."

You want to stop the habit? Good! Be active, then; content. Exercise foresight, and always expect the best. Don't imagine trouble. Don't worry over propositions. Bring clear thinking to bear upon them. Worry is the brain in a whirl. Keep buoyant.

What must be will be. It's no good worrying. It's all wrong. Worry kills!

NEW JAPANESE ANTHEM

S. Katayama has written a new national anthem for Japan. It is translated by the Japan Times as follows:

RULE DAI NIPPON

When Nippon first at Heaven's command Arose from out the morning tide, This was the charter of the land. That heralds cried both far and wide:

"Rule Dai Nippon! Yea, rise and rule with sovran sun! Thy day shall never more be done!"

The nations, not so blest as thee, Victims to wolfish passions fall, Whilst thou from hate and envy free Shall rise in peace a friend of all.

"Rule Dai Nippon! Yea, rise and rule with sovran sun! Thy day shall never more be done!"

The lines could be sung to the air of "Rule Britannia."

Electricity in Switzerland

A Swiss hydro-electric plant will install a 15,000 horsepower turbine, the largest in Europe.

Electricity in Switzerland

Patriotic Work In Sherbrooke

KING GEORGE CHAPTER I.O.O.F. PAPER SCHEME.

Anyone having magazines and newspapers to dispose of, please ring up 835, as the last shipment goes this week.

ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the Entertainment Committee held on May 12th, it was decided to give a Bridge and Five Hundred in the Art Hall on the afternoon of Saturday, June 3rd.

There will be a meeting of No. 12 Nursing Division of the St. John Ambulance Brigade at the Y.W.O.A., at a quarter of eight, Tuesday evening. All members are requested to be present.

SHIPMENT OF RED CROSS ARTICLES.

The Sherbrooke Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society shipped to the Montreal Branch on May 11th, 1916 the following—150 pillow slips, 100 plain towels, 130 bed pads, 25 sheets, 10 binder, 20 dressing gowns, 30 surgical caps, 15 khaki slings, 20 personal property bags, 25 day shirts, 20 wash

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Special piece of Black Paillette Silk, 36 in. wide. We recommend this number for its rich appearance and durability. Suitable for dresses and waists. Good value at \$1.50.
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Black Chiffon Taffeta, something scarce at the present time in Sherbrooke. Worth \$1.75.
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New piece of White Habutai Silk, full 36 inches wide. Washes like cotton. A real good silk for all purposes.
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A splendid choice of high class headwear of the newest and best values shown. Prices from \$3.00 to \$6.50.
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HONOR TO VETERAN AT EAST ANGUS

Sergt. Major Moffatt Receives Congratulations From Governor-General, &c.

SERVED IN THE CRIMEAU AND INDIAN MUTINY.—MAKE APPEAL FOR MEN TO JOIN COLOURS

East Angus, May 15.—(Special) — A very pleasing event took place on Thursday evening, when a large number of friends gathered at the Odd-fellow's Hall, to extend to Sergt.-Major Moffatt, congratulations and best wishes on the occasion of his 80th birthday. Mr. Moffatt was born in Scotland in 1836. In 1855 he joined the army and saw service in the Crimeau from December of that year to November 1856. In 1858 he was sent to India, where he was stationed for fourteen and a half years, serving first in an East India Company of Light Cavalry and later in the 20th Light Dragoons, which was for some time under the command of Lord Roberts. Mr. Moffatt was married in Seakot, East India, in the year 1864, to Miss Jane Atkinson. He left Scotland for Canada in that year, and has made his home in East Angus since that time.

A short programme was arranged for the evening which was enjoyed by all present. Major J.E. Palmer, acted as Chairman, and made a few appropriate remarks. The speakers were the Rev. Mr. Sincennes, Rev. Mr. Mick, Rev. Mr. Macdonald, Mr. Short favored the Company with a song entitled "The Old Brigade" and Mr. W. Muir sang "The Veteran," both songs being very suitable for the occasion.

At the conclusion of the program, Mr. J.A. Bothwell was called upon to say a few words and present Mr. Moffatt with an enlarged photograph of himself, and a gold headed cane.

CONGRATULATIONS FROM GOVERNOR GENERAL.

The Rev. Mr. Mick then added further to the surprise prepared for the Sergeant-Major by reading to him the following congratulations, which had been received by telegram and letter:—

From the Chairman of the Quebec District of the Montreal Conference: "As Chairman of the Quebec District of the Montreal Conference of the Methodist Church, I beg to tender to Sergeant-Major Moffatt, a veteran of the Crimeau and Indian Mutiny—my sincere congratulations on the attainment of his eightieth birthday.

"As a fellow Briton my heart warms to all the brave soldiers of the past and present who so wholeheartedly have served the British Empire and the best interests of the world."
(Signed) JAMES PLETTS.

To Sergt. Moffatt: "We extend to you our heartiest congratulations on attaining to your eightieth birthday, many happy returns of the same, may God our Father, continue to bless and keep you in all things, especially in the peace of our Lord Jesus Christ."
(Signed) REV. W.R. AND MRS. JOHNSTON.

To Rev. Mr. Mick: "Kindly convey to Mr. Moffatt my hearty congratulations on his attaining his eightieth birthday."
(Signed) REV. M.I. ROBINSON.

From the Government House, Ottawa.

To the Rev. Mr. Hicks: "Dear Sir:—I am desired by the Governor General to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd, ult., and to say that His Royal Highness has been very glad to hear that Sergeant-Major W. Moffatt, will be celebrating his eightieth birthday on the 11th, instant. His Royal Highness hopes that you will be good enough to convey his congratulations to Mr. Moffatt, both as an old comrade-in-arms, and as Governor General."

"His Royal Highness hopes that Mr. Moffatt is in good health and will live to celebrate many more birthdays."
(Signed) A. HADEN, Private Secretary.

To Sergeant Moffatt: "Accept hearty congratulations upon your eightieth birthday; the old soldiers of East India Company and Crimeau have set us a good example; Long life to you and best wishes."
(Signed) SAM HUGHES, Minister of Militia & Defence.

To the Rev. H. Mick: "I received your letter informing me of the intention of the citizens of East Angus to present to Sergeant-Major Moffatt an enlarged picture of himself on the occasion of his eightieth birthday, which takes place on May 11th, 1916. I wish you to extend to Major Moffatt my congratulations on the anniversary of his 80th birthday. It is a number of years since I have had the pleasure of his acquaintance, and during that time his sterling qualities have become well-known to me. His past record is already down in history as one of the British warriors. I understand he has served the Empire in Russia at the Crimeau war and also in India during the Indian Mutiny, and I have not the slightest doubt in my mind, even at his advanced age that he would like to be in the firing line today. This being impossible, I am sure he is doing his part to help the progress of this bloody war, at his home in East Angus, and his sincere hope and wish is that he may be spared to celebrate many more similar occasions."
(Signed) F.R. CROMWELL.

"To Sergeant-Major Wm. Moffatt: I learn that your fellow townsmen are preparing to celebrate with you your eightieth birthday. May I be permitted to send my congratulations on this happy event and to express appreciation of the services

WHAT E. T. WOMEN ARE DOING FOR PATRIOTIC FUND

RED CROSS WORK AT BISHOP'S CROSSING.

Bishop's Crossing, May 15.—(Special)—The Red Cross Society held their weekly meeting in the I. O. O. F. Hall on Saturday afternoon when all meetings will be held during the summer. There were 14 ladies present and a large supply of work consisting of stings, flannel shirts, hospital caps and knitting is now on hand. The next meeting will be on Friday at 2 o'clock p. m.

The daughters of the Red Cross met on the same afternoon with Miss E. Bartle, nine being present. Another supply of slings were on hand for the afternoon. The next meeting will be with Miss E. F. Matheson on May 27th.

LINGWICK ROAD. Arrivals include: Mrs. MacMullan from St. Johnsbury, Vt., where she spent the winter; Mr. P. Wright home from work in Sherbrooke; Miss Margaret Morrison, of Lowell, and Mr. J. MacLeod, of Farnham, called home by the illness of their brother; Misses C. E. Morrison and C. B. MacKay from their schools in Danville and Sherbrooke respectively; Messrs. Murdo MacAulay and Kenneth MacLean calling on hand. Mr. Robert Pringle has taken possession of his new farm, recently owned by Mr. P. Sherman.

which you rendered to the Empire, both in the Crimeau and in India.
(Signed) R. L. BORDEN.

ADDRESS FROM CITIZENS.

The following address was presented: To Sergeant-Major Moffatt: "For over thirty years you have been one of the most familiar figures in and about East Angus. If you do not know all, you are known by all, and every one recognizes you as a friend.

You are perhaps the oldest man in town, that is, you are the last one, or almost the last, now standing in the depleted ranks, and by your appearance, for a long time to come, many of your younger comrades will be cheered by your kindly word and venerable presence. We have long held that the age of three score years and ten is the maximum, but you, Sir, have this day attained the great maximum of four score, which comes only by reason of strength.

Your record among us has been one marked by honesty, truth and justice. Like the good Arthur of legendary fame you have revered your conscience as your king, and your vitality today, notwithstanding your great age, speaks in language more eloquent than words of your habits and manner of life.

Like most great men you have given attention to the weighty things of life: Religion, Reverence and Worship have long been given the supreme place in your life. This example will bear fruit in the lives of those who are now learning the true relation of values.

Any attempt we may make at this assembly to do you honor we feel to be very meager indeed. We are making a feeble effort to recognize and appreciate and repay the debt of Love, Honor and Respect due; which you have placed us during your long life. We know that it can never be paid in kind, but we pray you to accept our humble but earnest endeavour.

May many more happy years be added to your life, is the wish of your many friends.
(Signed) The Citizens of East Angus.

SEERGEANT-MAJOR MAKES REPLY

After the reading of the congratulations Mr. Moffatt was called upon for a few words, and everyone's presence was surprised and delighted, when the old Soldier of eighty years, complied with the request: "Ladies and Gentlemen—This is a complete surprise to me and it affords me much pleasure to be here to-night. I am highly pleased with the honor you have done me in placing me here as the 'object you came to look at.' I can hardly find words to tell you how I appreciate your presentation and your kindness. When I look back to my early days I feel I have much to be thankful for: The Master has carried me along at all times, not in affluence, but I have always had sufficient to get along with, that is to say I have never been in want nor have I been obliged at any time to beg or borrow; the Master has said he will never leave us or forsake us, and in any case, this has been carried out during my eighty years of age.

"I wish to thank you people of Angus for what you have done to-night. I have always received from you a loving and kindly spirit during the thirty years I have been with you. A great deal of what I have done here at Angus, has been brought about through my military training; the discipline learned in my younger days has left its effect, and I wish to say to all young men that it does not lower the standard of a man to become a soldier; I have pointed out to many that to be a soldier, is something to be proud of. Someone once said to me that a soldier is a man who is living on his country—I say a soldier is a man carrying out a contract with his country, and England will always pay her soldiers. The British Government has been just to me and will be just to all who serve under the British flag.

"When I was in the North West of India, I was invited to attend a meeting in the Council room in the village, and on talking with a man who had served under a ruler of his country and the ruler of Great Britain, I asked him which Government he preferred and he replied THE BRITISH GOVERNMENT. I asked him why and he said because we receive justice from the British Government. I have often wondered how it is that Great Britain takes first place among the Nations, and I have come to the conclusion it is because she believes in JUSTICE.

"Again thanking you all for your kindness in coming here tonight and helping me out in my surprise. Good night. The gathering dispersed with the singing of "God Save the King."

MANY ATTEND RALLY FOR RECRUITS FOR IRISH RANGERS

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filled with the part the women had played. The man who went had excitement and action to buoy him up, but the mother had only anxious days and nights of waiting. Women had the harder part to play and he appealed to those whose boys were able to go, to help to recruit the Irish Rangers in Canada, and to make that sacrifice which made mothers the real heroines of the war and brought peace nearer.

LOYALTY OF IRISH In view of what scheming enemies had tried to do in Ireland it was an opportune time for the raising of the Irish Rangers in Canada, and gave them great satisfaction to know they could throw that German lie across the line and prove the meaning of their loyalty to the throne and to the noblest ideals of civilization and liberty for which Irishmen in the past had laid down their lives and would take the opportunity and privilege of doing again in the future. There was no calling or profession so grand or worthy of admiration as that of the soldier who fought and died for his country.

COMPLIMENT TO OTHER CORPS Capt. Stuart paid a compliment to the 117th and 178th regiments. The commanding officer of the latter, Col. Girouard, here a name that had always stood for the best and finest in national life and he would later on bring added fame to the country. The war would be won, but the price of victory must be paid and it would be their pride to do their duty so that their children's children would not say they were found wanting.

REV. DR. SMYTH Rev. Dr. Smyth who was introduced by the chairman as one of those Irishmen who had done so much for the educational and national life of the country had a great reception. He reminded the audience that he had been in Sherbrooke before.

On the former occasion he came looking for money, in connection with the Wesleyan Theological College, but now he came looking for men. His present visit was in the interests of a cause above party, sect or denomination, a cause that was of transcendent importance to the vital interests of the Empire.

In explanation of his attitude in standing before an audience to appeal for recruits when he was not in khaki—and whatever difference of opinion may exist as to the advisability of sending spiritual leaders to the front they had at least been urged to do their share and the clergy-men of all denominations in Canada and the old country had set a splendid example—he stated that he had felt it his duty to place his services at the disposal of Col. Trihey but the medical officer of the Irish Rangers had the unique distinction of turning down the principal of the Wesleyan Theological College as unfit for service. He was a candidate for the Christian ministry and out of 50 or 60 students 32 were wearing the khaki and one of the professors was going vice. Practically every man in that with the 148th.

PRESENT WAR JUSTIFIED.

The teaching of the Christian ministry was peace and good will toward men. War was a great calamity and to none more than to the spiritual leaders. If this were a war of aggression conquest or trade war, he would not be on that platform. Were it one of those just wars he had the slightest doubt or one that was unavoidable he would not urge his fellow countrymen to give their lives for the cause. As a Christian minister his conviction was that war was only justified, when it was engaged in to prevent something worse. On that platform he took his stand, and in a logical, convincing and powerful manner set before the gathering, absolute proof that the war was inevitable. "As far as Britain and Germany were concerned it had to come sooner or later and thank God for our interests it came sooner rather than later."

Dr. Smyth reviewed the advance of Prussian militarism and the false teaching of Prussian philosophy, the building of enormous German munition factories and the employment of tens of thousands of busy German workmen therein. "The Kaiser's speeches that were supposed to be the production of a disordered brain were really the impression of ideals that had gradually taken possession of the Prussian mind." When the Kaiser sent Kruger a telegram before the Boer war the only reason he did not declare war on England was that he was not fully prepared.

Notwithstanding the great military preparation of Germany it would have been possible for the British Empire to have pushed the catastrophe aside for a few years when the war broke out. British people could have looked on while Belgium neutrality was violated which Britain had guaranteed to defend. They could have looked on while Belgium was devastated and crushed and while huge impregnable German forces were established on the shores of Flanders opposite the British coast, while the Germans overran France, rushed to Paris and captured Calais, and then prepared to do their very worst. Britain could have done this and kept out of the war, but it is impossible to conceive that German aggression would have ended at Calais! Britain had only too plain an intimation that her turn would come next. The German officers were taunting "The Day" when they would march on London. Great Britain looked on while Germany built up her tremendous army in comparison with which her own was a drop in the bucket, but Britain had her fleet. Knowing there was only this fleet between Germany and England no

sane man doubted for a moment when Germany commenced to enlarge her fleet at what power she aimed, especially in view of her statement that it was necessary to her high destiny.

There was no doubt Great Britain chose the wiser course in entering the struggle on the side of Belgium and the other nations and for her own existence. Had she not, the same atrocities that took place in Europe would have occurred in England. To have stood idly by would have been to reduce our Christianity to imbecility. The text, "If a man strike ye on the one cheek turn to him the other also," did not mean that if a bully struck one's wife or daughter with a clenched fist he should look the other way. No person knowing of the German cruelties, the sinking of the Lusitania and Germany's connivance in Armenian massacres doubted what would happen had her army landed in Britain.

Dr. Smyth emphasized that the war must be fought to a decisive issue and victory so that Canada and the other dominions could continue to live under the blessings of freedom and civilization. He made a stirring appeal for recruits for the Irish Rangers, and paid a tribute to the Irish who "were loyal notwithstanding a few hundred fanatics."

Lieut. Farrell of the 199th, also, delivered a rousing recruiting speech. During the evening the Band played several patriotic airs, bugle calls were sounded, the audience sang "O Canada," and the united choir sang the song presented to Canada by Bostonians, entitled "Canada, Our Canada."




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The following is the result of May

1916, examinations. Prizes awarded by the teacher:
Grade V.—Keith Willard.
Grade IV.—Ada Planche, Merle Willard, Vennie Smith.
Grade III.—Ivy Willard, Lionel Hurd, Homer Charest, Victor Charest.
Grade II.—Percy Rand.
Special prizes—Rufus Dawson, Keith Willard, Blanche Bergeron, Orval Bailey, Ada Planche, Merle Willard, V. Smith, Ernest Charest, Donat Bergeron, Lionel Hurd, Ivy Willard, Homer Charest, Victor Charest, Percy Rand. Attendance—Vennie Smith, Nelson Rouvreur, Ioli of Honor—Vennie Smith, Lionel Hurd.

Worth All His Cost
The owner of Diamond Jubilee, Senior Ignacio Ciresas, gave the late King Edward \$157,000, or \$1,500 guineas, for that horse. That it was no extravagant figure was established by sale of stock at Buenos Ayres. Nine Diamond Jubilee colts averaged \$2,736, and nine fillies \$5,286. This was the fourth lot of Diamond Jubilee's progeny to be sold, and in round figures they brought \$600,000.