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MRS. STONE TAKES THE LEAD IN THE MERCHANTS' BIG CONTEST

Some Remarkable Gains Made Last Week—Keenest Interest Among Candidates and Their Friends—The Sentinel's Big Offer Expires November 18th

Good Morning—There's a new leader in the Merchant's Big Contest. When the votes were counted it was found that Mrs. Stone had gone to the head with the magnificent total of 324,445. Miss Sprague is a close second, and Miss Stokoe made a gain of nearly 66,000 over last week. Miss Gladys Brown comes up from 59,940 to 113,370 which is going some. Miss True also made a surprising gain of over 50,000. Other candidates all gained showing that their friends are at work.

That beautiful Willis piano is not won yet and it will be well for the leaders to keep a lookout for astonishing developments.

In many of the stores the ballot boxes were filled to overflowing indicating that the keen interest that characterized the contest from the start is being kept up.

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The standing:
MRS. WALTER STONE 324,445
MISS MARY SPRAGUE 320,295
MISS FAYE STOKOE 268,950
MRS. C. J. JONES 104,945
MISS PEARL TRUE 100,355
MISS GLADYS BROWN 113,370
HAROLD BREWER 51,600
MISS EDITH SMITH 12,865
MISS GLADYS COLEPITTS 12,465
MRS. J. A. SPROULE 7,055
MISS PHEMIE CARSON 6,535
MISS CARRIE McGUIRE 3,745
MISS EDNA McAFFEE 6,235
MRS. TROY 3,270
MISS MARTHA CURRIE 2,005
MISS LYDIA DOW 1,010
MRS. J. WISE 150

Stores giving votes are:

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TWENTY YEARS AGO

From the Sentinel
November 10th, 1894

The N. B. Telephone Co. are going to connect Woodstock and Hartland by telephone. The poles are being placed.

Mrs. Fred Dickinson sends us a ripe strawberry, picked by her son in their field, near Victoria Corner, on the 2nd inst. Pretty good climate! ain't it?

John A. Carpenter, Bloomfield, met with what might have proved a much more serious accident, Thursday of last week. He fell from the scaffolding of his barn to the floor

below, quite a distance, and although no bones were broken he received quite a shaking up. Dr. Colter attended him.

Recently, Mrs. A. W. Rideout, Peel, was thrown from her carriage, owing to the horse taking fright and springing over a bank. Dr. Estey, of Hartland, was called, and found that while no bones were broken the bruises were severe. Mrs. Rideout was rendered helpless and suffered great pain, but her many friends will be glad to hear that she is recovering.

James Hayden has purchased a mill site at Hartland, just below where the Burrill mill stood, and has begun the construction thereon of a mill for custom sawing, house finishing, etc.

Alfred Scott, Hartford, while press-

MR FLEMMING DECLINES

Yesterday's Conference Fails To Solve Troubles in Local Conservative Politics.

(Times). Premier Fleming still seems to have his back to the wall, and is maintaining his defiant attitude. While the majority of the members of his party and others in authority would like to see him drop out of public life, quietly but irrevocably, before the publication of the report of the Dugal investigation, Mr. Fleming shows little inclination to concede to their wishes.

The conference which was held yesterday afternoon, it is said, did not improve the situation at all, and there is still a wide difference of opinion between the various parties as to the proper course of procedure. The hint, to put it mildly, that the government and the party could get along very well without him does not seem to have borne fruit, and Mr. Fleming is reported to be as eager as ever to resume the active duties of the office which, nominally, he still holds.

WHY?

Why is it that Lieutenant Governor Wood has not given to the public the report of the Royal Commission who investigated the Dugal charges? The report has been in his hands for several weeks. Is he so partisan that he is holding the report from the people, to give the Hon. J. K. Fleming and his accomplices time to seek some means of squirming out of the unenviable position into which they have wormed themselves by their crookedness?

Is he doing this of his own free will or is he simply the docile senile tool of unscrupulous politicians? We are inclined to the latter opinion, and it is only natural that men capable of robbing the province will go to any lengths to hide their crimes. One thing may be taken for granted, namely, that the report is unfavorable to the members of the government, else it would have been published long ago. The people have rights, however, and this ignoring of the people's privileges by the government will no doubt be resented when the opportunity offers.—Richibucto Review.

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WHAT HAS HAPPENED

A Concise Outline of the Trend of Events That Have Transpired in the War Zone

Russian has placed a short date loan of \$60,000,000 in London. The shooting of spies, some of them women, is reported as going on daily in France.

Since the outbreak of the war 85,000 oxen are reported to have been killed in Budapest.

It is reported that 5,000 German troops were drowned in Belgium by the cutting of dykes.

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Every Man Should Learn to Shoot
Writes Mr. R. Newton

A Long Course of Training to Make Good Soldiers—Advocates Special Military Drill for Men of Woodstock—Fraternal Societies Urged to Take Interest—Not Wise to Wait for Emergencies

Agricultural School,
Woodstock, N. B.,
Nov. 2nd, 1914.

Dear Sir—

It has become evident to all that the war situation is so serious as to leave room for only one opinion with regard to Canada's position. Our plain duty is to do everything in our power to help the Empire and its Allies in the great struggle to uphold freedom and democracy against the unscrupulous military autocracy of Prussia.

The citizens of Woodstock have shown no lack of loyalty. Local branches of the various societies for giving assistance in the war have been organized and are doing energetic work. But we are proudest of all of the fine body of young men who went from this district to serve their King and Country at the front. Another contingent will be called for soon, and I have no doubt that our young men will again answer nobly. It is for the purpose of emphasizing the importance of our loyalty in this respect that I ask for space in your columns, and also send a copy of this letter to our other local papers.

The supreme call to every man of fighting age in Canada is that he stands ready to defend his Empire and the great principles for which it stands, with his life if necessary. Germany is far from beaten yet. Indeed, the German army still has possession of practically the whole of Belgium, a considerable section of France, and a section of Russian Poland, while as yet her own borders are practically untouched. Naturally the hardest task will be to conquer Germany upon her own ground—and that still remains to be done.

We are agreed that we must win, but we cannot escape the conclusion that the cost will be terrific. From competent authorities comes the urgent advice that every man in the land should join some corps in order that he may learn how to shoot and the rudiments of soldiering. A long course of training is absolutely necessary before even the most capable men can make good soldiers and even though the majority of us may never have to fight we cannot be too strongly urged to be prepared. The fortunes of war are very uncertain, and no one can foresee the emergencies which may arise.

In these circumstances it seems to me that the responsibility clearly lies with our local military authorities to provide facilities whereby the men of Woodstock and the surrounding district may be enrolled in a special battalion for military drill on at least one or two nights each week, and further, that they should do all in their power to make the enrollment in this battalion as large as possible. As a measure of co-

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operation I would suggest that the various fraternal societies and other organizations of the town should take up this matter, and urge their members to join.

No doubt there are plenty of difficulties in the way of such a movement, but at any rate they are not greater than those our brave fellows at the front have to face in reaching

regularity

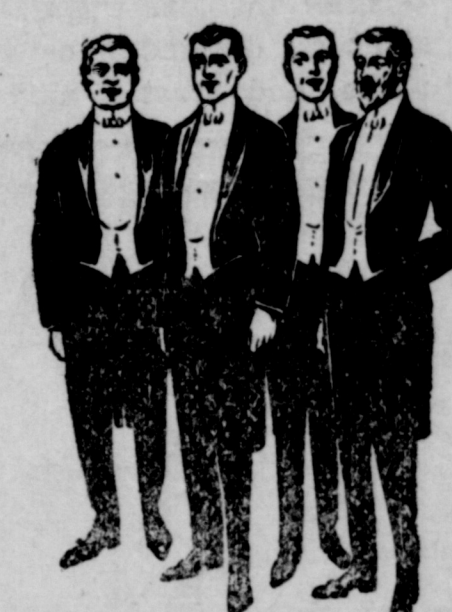
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Berlin. Drilling has become quite general all over Canada, and we should not be behindhand. It is not the part of wisdom to wait for emergencies before getting ready for them. Some action should be taken at once, and we look to our military authorities to initiate and control the work.

Yours very truly,
R. NEWTON.

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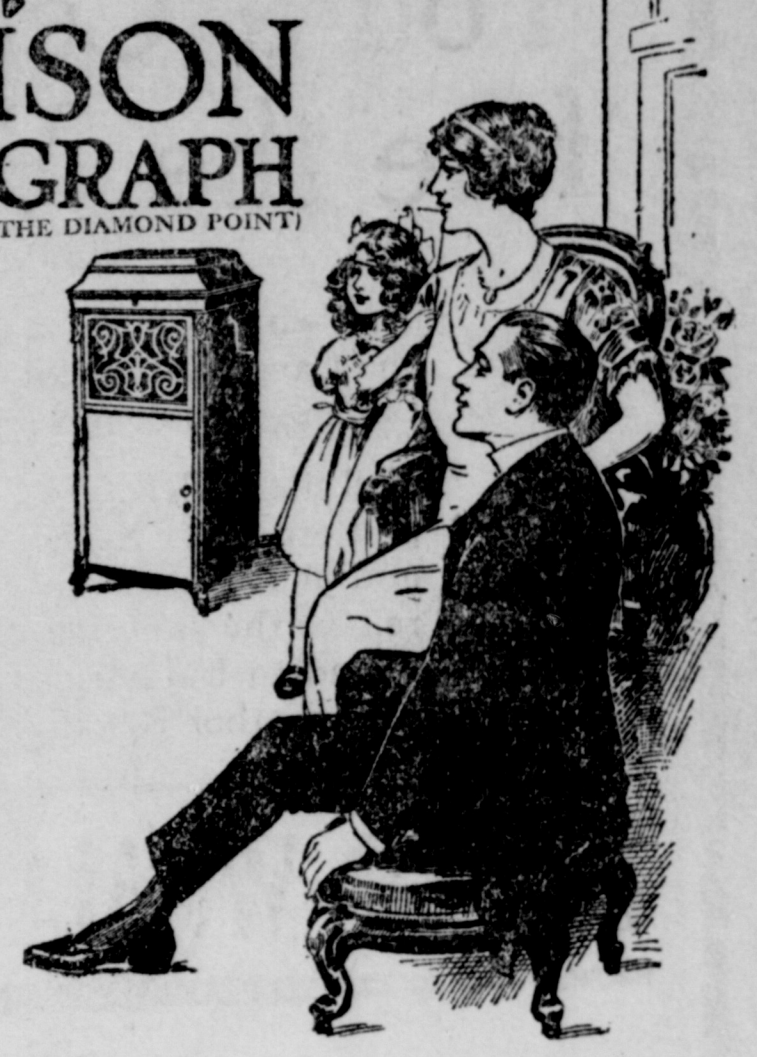
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