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AN AMERICAN TRIBUTE.

The New York Times in an editorial on Britain Day, speaks in terms of the highest praise of the superb work accomplished by Great Britain in the late war. It pays a warm tribute to the "contemptible little army" which held the German hosts in check at Mons and also praises the work of the navy. It says:

"It is difficult to be moderate and at the same time do justice to the multifarious energy and power which Great Britain has developed in the war. The British Navy was the prime guarantee of the Entente, the condition precedent of its success. It swept the enemy warships and trade from the seas. It patrolled the sea roads of commerce. Because of its protection, supplies reached the Allies. The British fleet was the elemental, basic, constant, controlling factor of the military and economic situation. It strangled Germany with the blockade. Transportation, convoy, patrolling and mine-sweeping and submarine hunting—who can write the achievements of the British Navy?"

"When can the world forget that 'contemptible little army' of 160,000 which reached France two weeks after Great Britain came into the war, stopped the right of the German advance, fought unflinchingly, and perished for the most part? That an un-military people, accustomed to look to the sea for its defence, should have raised in the British Isles an army of 6,250,000 men, nearly one in seven of the population; that the dominions and dependencies should have sent 2,000,000 more; that the British Air Service, negligible at first, should have become larger than that of any of the other Allies; that some 4,000,000 men and women should have worked on the munitions for the British armies fighting in a dozen countries; that Great Britain should have greatly helped her Allies with money and supplies; that she should have kept her financial system sound in spite of the innumerable and unprecedented demands upon it; that the tank is due to her inventive genius; that while Haig was taking and giving tremendous blows in the west, Allenby and Marshal were bringing about the downfall of Turkey in Mesopotamia and Palestine and Syria—these are but chapters of British achievement in the war. The 650,000 British dead tell the story best."

The Dominion of Canada now has about the same population the United States had one hundred years ago. The close of the 19th century found the neighboring republic with a population close on to 75 millions of people. In the words of Sir Wilfrid Laurier, "the 19th century was the century of the United States; the 20th century belongs to Canada." It is freely predicted that the close of the present century will see Canada with a population close on to seventy-five millions of people.

Sir Albert Stanley, President of the Board of Trade, speaking at Ashton, says a cable from London, said that during all the years of his association with labor, no act had given him so much satisfaction as the granting of the eight hour day to railwaymen. That action might be taken as an earnest of the government's desire to fulfill every pledge it had made towards the people of Great Britain, and it was a good omen for the future that negotiations had proceeded in such friendly spirit. He paid also a high tribute to the railwaymen's services in war time.

A further important step towards securing for Canada a substantial expansion of its export trade is announced by the government in the creation of a Canadian trade commission. The board will have its headquarters at Ottawa and will co-operate closely with the Canadian mission in London with a view to securing for Canadian producers a share of the business arising out of the reconstruction work in France and Belgium and other war devastated parts of Europe.

The steamship George Washington, carrying President Wilson and the American delegates to the peace conference at Paris, was reported by the naval wireless as passing the Azores at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon. All

on board were well after the stormy weather through which the liner passed. The President expected to arrive at Brest on Thursday.

The steamer Olympic, with 5,000 Canadian soldiers on board, is expected to dock at Halifax on Thursday or Friday. The Olympic is the heroine of the seas. During the war she transported 300,000 troops across and sank two German submarines. It is said that the captain of the Olympic always declared that he had no need of a convoy.

THROUGH OUR SIEVE

Only eleven more Christmas shopping days.

No young man can write a sensible letter to the girl he loves.

No man ever thinks a woman talks too much—for a woman.

Germany's former autocrats are now engaged in the world's greatest alibi hunt.

When a husband and wife are of the same mind, it is a pretty safe bet that the mind belongs to the wife.

Why not give the German navy to Switzerland on condition that its activities be restricted to Swiss waters.

Germany will not be able to get out an edition of "Wer Ists" the German "Who's Who," this year. Nobody knows yet.

It is hoped that all the bachelor fighting men will be permitted to retain their uniforms and side arms—for marrying purposes.

Does any sweet young thing remember the day when the most fascinating "hero" her imagination could picture was the dashing "cowboy" of the movie dramas?

When they get back, perhaps the private in the ranks who has learned to obey, to cook and to make up his own bed will be far more satisfactory as a husband than the officer who has learned nothing except how to give orders and start a fight.

NORMAL BEAT FRESHMEN

Fast Game in P. N. S. Gymnasium—Score was 29 to 19.

The Normal School basketball team defeated the Freshmen team of the U. N. B. at the Normal gymnasium on Monday. The game was a good one with fast play throughout. Crocker and McRae starred for Normal while Willet and Cairns starred for the Freshmen. The score was 29 to 19 and the lineup was as follows:

Normal	Forwards	Freshmen
Crocker		Keene
Gilchrist		Cairns
	Centre	
Young		Bridges
	Defence	
Miller		Bates
McRae		Willet

The Normal School team plays the Sophomores at the U. N. B. gymnasium this afternoon.

WANTS A TAG DAY.

Fredericton, 9th Dec., 1918.

To the Editor of the Mail:

Sir,—Sunday was an anniversary of that decisive naval battle near the Falkland Islands. How about a Navy League Tag Day on Saturday, the 14th inst.? Surely a most appropriate season in which to remember the dependents of our splendid sailors. I respectfully suggest that the entire day be made use of, the available tag-dispensers being divided into "watches," and some of the residential streets be included in the itinerary.

Sincerely yours,
LEAGUE ENTHUSIAST.

New Telephone Manager

Mr. Frank Harris of Sackville has arrived here with his wife and family and has entered upon his duties as exchange manager of the New Brunswick Telephone Company. At present they are the guests of Mrs. Harris parents Mr. and Mrs. George Hazen, George Street. In the course of a few days they will remove to the dwelling house in St. John Street belonging to the estate of the late W. T. H. Fenety. Mr. and Mrs. Harris have many friends here who are extending to them a hearty welcome.

Hay in Market

There were several loads of hay in the market this morning the price asked averaging about \$15 a ton. Several loads of wood were also present but could be dealt with better in the High Finance Column.

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NEWCASTLE ORGANIZED FOR ASSOCIATED KIN

MR. AND MRS. G. WRIGHT HELD MEETING THERE

Organizing Meeting for Fredericton at Opera House on Thursday Night—Success on P. E. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Wright held a meeting at Newcastle last evening. Mr. Wright speaking on the Associated Kin of the C. E. F. It set the grass on fire, and the enthusiasm could not be kept down. Everyone fell in line and a fine corps of officers was elected. Ex-Mayor C. E. Fish in the absence of the Mayor presided. The meeting was held at the town hall which was donated for the purpose. The Rev. Mr. Bertram was indefatigable in working up the meeting, and much of the success is due to him. It was moved by Rev. Mr. Bertram and seconded by C. E. Fish that Newcastle should organize at once. The following officers were appointed:

J. D. Creaghan, Honorary President; J. S. Clarke, President; C. E. Fish, 1st Vice-President; Andrew McCabe, 2nd Vice-President; H. H. Stewart, 3rd Vice-President; William Locke, Secretary; Mrs. Copp, Treasurer; Rev. Mr. Bertram, Chaplain.

The executive committee was not completed but will be at a further meeting.

On the Island

As a result of the meeting held in Charlottetown, P. E. I., the different kin of soldiers who had complicated cases and had been unable to get justice besieged Mr. Wright at his hotel to get help.

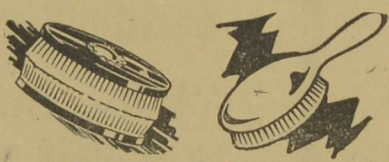
Meeting Here Tomorrow

At the meeting which will be held tomorrow evening in the Opera House Chancellor C. C. Jones of the U. N. B. will preside. Mr. Wright will deliver his address. A vocal solo will be rendered by Mrs. Frank Good. Such a meeting ought to challenge the interest of the public.

Improved in Health

Word from Boston is to the effect that the condition of ex-Ald. Joshua Limerick who has been seriously ill there for some time is somewhat improved.

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