

The Daily Mail

Published every afternoon (except Sunday) at 613 Queen Street, Fredericton, by THE MAIL PRINTING COMPANY.

Telephone No. 67

Fredericton, N.B., November 17, 1914

THE RUSSIAN ADVANCE

The rapid advance of the Russian Army to the frontiers of Germany has been one of the remarkable features in connection with the present war. French and English military critics are loud in their praise of the efficiency displayed by all departments of the Russian army.

Commenting on this subject the Montreal Mail says:—

The announcement from Petrograd that the Germans have retired from Russian territory means that the German offensive directed against Northern Russia to divert the Russians from their plan of destroying the Austrian armies before marching on Berlin has been beaten back. This was a natural development to follow the mobilization and advance of the superior Russian forces. The Russians will now be able to tackle the Austrian problem and solve it unhampered by German flank attacks.

A particular effective arm of the Russian offensive so far has been the Cossack cavalry. Equipped with a cavalry force second to none in fighting ability and able to draw sustenance even from the devastated country through which it passes, the Russians are able to press hard on the rear of the retreating Germans. This Russian cavalry arm must be particularly embarrassing to the German General Staff in its calculations on retreating.

The speculator German advance into Russia was possible because of Russia's slow mobilization. Once Russia was mobilized up to sufficient strength however, the Germans fell back. What has happened in this case is what is due to happen right along. The forces Germany is able to oppose to Russia's millions on her Eastern frontier are incapable of stemming or rolling back the tidal wave of Russians. So long therefore as the Allies in France hold their ground, this war can come to but one conclusion. Germany is expected to bend all the strength she can possibly spare to the work of over coming the armies in France. Current reports of unprecedented severity in the fighting in the Western theatre of war suggest that Germany is making her supreme effort now, before the Russians get ready to follow up in force her retreat from Russian territory. Germany realizes that any success she may gain in the Eastern theatre will be but temporary and seems to be bending all her energies to striking a crushing blow to her enemies in the Western zone of war. Her chances are not bright when it is borne in mind that the Allied forces in France are already equal to her in numbers and are daily becoming better equipped.

The Montreal Herald says: "The loyalty of Liberals to the truce of party warfare which has been declared, has been attested again. They have allowed two new cabinet ministers to be elected by acclamation in their respective constituencies. The Conservatives would perform a graceful act if they were to follow suit by issuing the writ for the Westmorland constituency and allow a successor to the late Mr. Emmerson to be elected by acclamation."

"We shall not sheathe the sword which we have not lightly drawn until Belgium recovers in full measure more than all that she has sacrificed, until France is adequately secure against the menace of aggression; until the rights of smaller nationalities of Europe are placed on an unassailable foundation; until the military domination of Prussia is fully and finally destroyed."—Premier Asquith at the Guildhall banquet.

Mr. Philip McLeod, Conservative, elected at a by-election in Victoria, N.S., last winter, has been unseated by the courts for bribery and corruption. The court reserved judgment in the matter of his disqualification. The other member for Victoria is Premier Murray.

If there are any of our readers who are disposed to be pessimistic, for which there is not the slightest reason, we commend to them the words of Mr. C. F. Masternan, M.P., in a recruiting speech in London: "I am as sure of victory as I am that deeds done by nations or by men do not pay. I have no apprehension of any sort at all—and I speak as a responsible member of the government of this country—of the ultimate result."

The Financial Post of Canada says that the dominion should have an army of one hundred thousand men constantly in training. Every man, it says, capable of bearing arms, who is unemployed, should be enrolled. The military training should make better citizens of them. To provide work that is not necessary to give such men a chance to earn some money is an absolute waste at this time when trained men are needed.

LOCAL NEWS

REV. MR. NEWCOMB'S ILLNESS

A letter received yesterday from Mrs. A. F. Newcomb, who is in Boston with her husband, the pastor of the Brunswick Street Baptist Church, stated that the latter's condition as the result of an operation which he lately underwent is serious, but the physicians are confident that he will recover.

EAST LYNNE A BIG HIT

East Lynne, the greater six part production was shown to capacity audiences at the Gaiety Theatre last evening, notwithstanding the decidedly unfavorable conditions. The entire feature was undoubtedly one of the best visualizations of this well known drama that has ever been attempted and was most complete to the smallest detail. Today will be the last opportunity of seeing this highly successful photoplay.

TO FORM BOY SCOUT TROOP.

At a largely attended meeting in the City Council Chamber last evening a committee composed of Messrs. L. H. Bliss, Arthur C. Porter and G. M. O. Hawkins was appointed to take the necessary steps for the organization of an association to control the Canadian Boy Scout movement in this city. It was decided to merge the Cathedral troop of scouts into one large troop to be formed from the boys from all denominations. Mayor Mitchell presided at the meeting and among the principal speakers were Mr. Frederick R. Perrott, Dominion secretary for the organization of the Canadian Boy Scouts; Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, Very Rev. Dean Schofield, Rev. C. J. Flemington of Gibson, Dr. B. C. Foster and Mr. Lewis H. Bliss.

PRESENTATION TO SOLDIER.

Ray Brewer, who for some time has been in the employ of Waterbury & Rising, Ltd., as salesman at their King street store, severed his connection on Saturday evening and joined the Signalling Corps under command of Capt. A. O. Dawson. Prior to his departure he was summoned to the general office and P. M. Rising, on behalf of the staff, presented him with a handsome wrist watch bearing the following inscription: "Luck, the Crowd, W. & R., Ltd." He was also the recipient of a substantial cheque from the firm. Mr. Brewer is a son of Sergt. Major H. T. Brewer of Fredericton, and since coming to St. John has made a host of friends who, while regretting the cause that forces him and many other young men to go and fight the battles of the country, look forward to his return at an early date, after having given a good account of himself.—St. John Globe.

MAGIC READ THE BAKING LABEL NO. 1 ALUM POWDER

HUTS FOR CANADIANS AT SALISBURY PLAIN

London, Nov. 16.—The Daily Mail correspondent, who visited the Salisbury camps at the week-end, found that, despite the mud, damp and cold the Canadians were the merriest of merry fellows, playing rugby in the thick mud and singing their national songs. Already five thousand men have taken possession of the huts erected at Bulford camp which, in addition to their greater comfort and protection, bring the soldiers nearer to the railway. The War Office has eight hundred men at work building more and hope before the end of the month to accommodate the whole contingent in these huts.

Have You That TICKLING IN THE THROAT SENSATION?

This trouble is most distressing, and caused from a cold which has settled in the throat. How many people have lost a good night's sleep by that nasty, tickling, irritating sensation in the throat? The dry, hard cough keeps you awake, and when you get up in the morning you feel as if you had had no rest at all.

What you want to cure the cold is Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. This valuable preparation is composed of the most soothing and healing expectorant herbs and barks with which is combined the virtues of the world famous Norway pine tree.

Thousands of testimonials prove that what we claim is true. All we ask you is that when you ask for Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup see that you get "Dr. Wood's," and not some no-account substitute.

Mr. Charles S. Chase, Shelburne, N.S., writes: "Coming to Nova Scotia from the State of Maine, I caught a severe cold which persisted for many weeks, and was accompanied by a bad cough and a constant throat irritation. After trying many remedies, a friend handed me part of a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. It helped me so much I bought another bottle which completely cured the cough and allayed the irritation. It is certainly the best cough medicine I have ever tried."

The price of "Dr. Wood's" is 25c and 50c.

Manufactured only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

DUGAL REPORTS

(Continued from Page Eight)

tenant governor was expected this morning and his private secretary had liveried coachmen at the station to meet him. He failed to put in an appearance and cannot now get here before evening. The other members, although they now have very little say these days in affairs of state, will also be here this evening. If they did not come they would be unable to draw mileage and per diem allowance.

In addition to the regular business there will be some juggling to do in connection with the provincial accounts for the fiscal year, which closed on October 31st. It is known that the expenditure for the year has greatly exceeded the income, and as in other years, a lot of accounts have been held over and will now have to be paid. On the whole, the meeting promises to be an interesting one.

Wood's Phospholine,
The Great English Remedy.
Tones and invigorates the whole nervous system, makes new blood in old veins, cures nervous debility, mental and brain worry, despondency, loss of energy, palpitation of the heart, falling memory. Price \$1 per box, six for \$5. One will please, six will cure. Sold by all druggists or mailed in plain pkg. on receipt of price. New pamphlet mailed free. THE WOOD MEDICINE CO., TORONTO, ONT. (Formerly Watson)

PERSONAL

Mr. G. P. Glenzie of Campbellton, is registered at the Barker House.

Mr. Frank D. Swim, M.P.P., of Doaktown, is among the visitors in the city today.

Messrs. Arthur Culligan and D. A. Stewart, M.P.P.'s, for Restigouche, are at the Barker House.

Hon. J. A. Murray is at the Barker House.

Mr. Stuart Campbell of Sackville, is among the guests at the Queen.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McKay of Harvey Station, are guests at the Barker House.

Mr. George P. Olts, of Meductic, is a guest at the Barker House.

Mr. Robert Caldwell an operator in the Western Union Telegraph Company's office in this city, left yesterday on a holiday trip through Nova Scotia.

TO THE POLICYHOLDERS OF THE PRUDENTIAL INSURANCE CO. OF AMERICA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a meeting of the policyholders of the Prudential Insurance Company of America will be held at the Home Office of said Company, in the City of Newark, New Jersey, on Monday, the Seventh Day of December, A. D., One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen, at Twelve o'clock, Noon, to consider the purchase by the said Company, for cash out of its surplus for the benefit of its policyholders, of such shares of its capital stock as may be offered for sale at the price of \$455 per share, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 99 of the Laws of New Jersey, 1913, and the order of the Chancellor of said State, made July 28, 1914.

At such meeting every policyholder of the Corporation who is of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, and whose policy has been in force for at least one year last past, shall be entitled to cast one vote in person or by proxy.

FORREST F. DRYDEN,

President.

Dated Newark, New Jersey, October, 13, 1914.

FARMER'S SUPPER

Don't forget the Tea and Sale in the Methodist vestry Wednesday, Nov. 25th, beginning at 5.30 o'clock. There will also be a sale of useful articles. Adults tickets, 50 cts.; children 25 cts. Orchestra in attendance.

Cold Weather Comforts Here

We have just opened a magnificent range of Comfortables and Down Quilts

Direct from the manufacturers

Warm, Well Filled Comforters, neat designs as low as \$1.65 each and up to \$4.25.

Beautiful Down Quilts, guaranteed down-proof, English make, in a large variety of colorings to suit your room.

See our Special Down Quilts at \$4.85 and \$5.25 each. Others up to \$17.50 each (satin covered).

White Wool Blankets, Red Wool Blankets, Grey Wool Blankets, Ibex Shaker Blankets.

Buy now and get the good of these during the cold fall nights

JOHN J. WEDDALL & SON

Blankets

Down Quilts

Pictorial Review Patterns

Rat and Mouse Traps

Hold 'Em Traps

Known the world over. Catches the animal alive

Also a large variety of

Spring Traps

R. CHESTNUT & SONS

WHOLESALE

The Hardware People

RETAIL

Domestic Sanitary and Heating Engineers.

OVER 65 YEARS' EXPERIENCE
PATENTS
TRADE MARKS, DESIGNS, COPYRIGHTS &c.
Anyone sending a sketch and description will quickly ascertain our opinion free whether an invention is probably patentable. Communications strictly confidential. HANDBOOK on Patents sent free. Oldest agency for securing patents. Patents taken through Munn & Co. receive special notice, without charge, in the Scientific American.
A handsomely illustrated weekly, Largest circulation of any scientific journal. Terms for Canada \$7.50 a year, postage prepaid. Sold by all newsdealers.
MUNN & Co. 363 Broadway, New York.
Branch Office, 60 St. St. Washington, D. C.

RUSSIAN CHIEF STOPS SALE OF ALCOHOL

London, Nov. 16.—A despatch from Petrograd to the Times says:—

Grand Duke Nicholas, the Russian commander-in-chief has over-ruled the decision of the Council of Ministers favoring the sale of beer and light wines and has now ordered that wherever martial laws prevail the sale of alcoholic drinks of any kind shall be forbidden.

"This decision was taken because drinking among officers quartered at remote places had not ceased."

Mr. John A. Young, M.P.P., of Tynemouth, is in the city today.

Hear Ye! Hear Ye!

It is no longer fashionable to cultivate a swarthy skin. The best way to avoid it is to use **Elderflower Witch Hazel Cream** on the face, hands and arms after bathing, boating, tennis or motoring. It relieves the skin from burning caused by the summer sun, and leaves it smooth and cool.

25c a Bottle.

HUNT & MacDONALD

"Boy Scout" Rubbers

The kind you have been looking for; made with extra heavy duck Linings, protected toes and heels. The only rubber that will give satisfaction for boys.

H S. CAMPBELL SHOEMAN