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SIR WILFRID'S JUSTIFICATION

Let the peanut, jingo tory politicians who have for the last three years been howling themselves hoarse against the Liberal policy of building a Canadian navy us provided by the Navy Bill of 1910, read the following and then sit down and think:

Ottawa, Aug. 5.—A Canadian navy is being got together under the Naval Service Act of 1910 as quickly as possible under the present conditions. It was announced by the government today that two submarines which have just been built at Seattle for the government of Chili have been purchased. The purchase was made quietly a few days ago, before the actual declaration of war. Steps are being made to man them with naval reservists now in Canada. A few special officers are being obtained from the British admiralty.

With the Rainbow, which is now in commission, the two submarines will form a very valuable defence asset against any possible raids from German vessels, which may be detached from the German squadron now on the Pacific.

On the Atlantic coast the call for naval reservists to man the Niobe has met with a prompt response and the cruiser should be in commission in a few days. Parliament will be asked to pass a vote for the two submarines purchased from Chili as soon as it meets. Details as to their cost and armament are not yet given out.

A special issue of the Canada Gazette published today contains a notice declaring that the Niobe and the Rainbow have been placed at the disposal of his majesty's imperial government. There is also a formal proclamation announcing the receipt of the message from Britain stating that war had been declared against Germany.

Why haven't we been building these submarines in Canada instead of in the U. S. giving employment to the laborers of another country?

The following which lately appeared in The Montreal Daily Mail, makes interesting reading at the present time.

The return of Sir Wilfrid Laurier to the capital today from his summer home at Arthabaskerville, Que., is an indication that in the face of the present crisis all party lines are wiped out. Sir Wilfrid will lend his counsel to the Government, and support them to the utmost of his ability in their purpose of aiding Britain to the limit of the Dominion's powers.

It is learned that a naval contractor who had tendered for certain government work under the Laurier navy plans has been asked by the government if he could undertake certain work immediately.

A more recent Ottawa despatch says:

Sir Wilfrid Laurier, leader of the opposition, was summoned by messenger to Rideau Hall by H. R. H. the Governor General at 4 o'clock this afternoon. He was in conference with the royal duke for an hour or so.

The British Weekly—the organ of the Nonconformists in England—though admitting that the Free Churches have worked for disarmament, and working until Sunday for neutrality, now recognizes that the disclosures of Sir Edward Grey and the arguments based thereon are sorrowfully convincing that the country cannot without loss of honor or the gravest peril forswear her obligations to France and Belgium.

A bill has been introduced in the British House of Commons which proposes that any peer or baronet, or the holder of any hereditary or courtesy title shall have a right to disclaim the same by deed registered in the court of Chancery. The more sweeping clause declares that any heir or heiress to any peerage, baronetage or other hereditary title born after the passage of the bill shall not be entitled to succeed thereto, and that upon the passage of the bill the then holders of peerages, etc., shall be the last of their kind, all their titles lapsing with their deaths.

St. John Times—The farmers of New Brunswick should make provision for a greatly increased area of land under cultivation next year. There is every indication that they will find a profitable market for all they can produce.

VOLUNTEERS FOR ACTIVE SERVICE NOW IN BARRACKS

War Contingent Being Quartered Here—Recruiting Continues Actively—Ald. A. B. Kitchen and H. M. Blair, Secretary of Public Works Among the Volunteers

Recruiting went on briskly Saturday night, Sunday and this morning for the active service contingent called for by the militia department. Officers of the 71st York Regt., who are recruiting the local force, were present in uniforms and Saturday night the 71st Regt. Band played a program of patriotic music in front of the Armory, Carleton street. Included in the program were "The Maple Leaf Forever," "O Canada" and "Rule Britannia."

OVER FIFTY ENROLLED.

Up to noon today fifty-two volunteers had passed the medical examination and had been enrolled. There are a number of these volunteers who have seen service in South Africa and in the Imperial forces. Others are being examined and enrolled at Stanley, St. Stephen and Milltown and a large contingent from Burr's Corner is expected to come here for medical examination.

APPLY FOR COMMISSIONS.

P. E. Rosenorn, at present located at Brownville, Me., and recently on the engineering staff of the Fredericton & Grand Lake Railway, was passed and entolled this morning. Mr. Rosenorn served nine years in the forces of Denmark and has made application for a lieutenant's commission in the Canadian active service contingent. Jasper A. Winslow of this city, has passed the medical examination and has also applied for a commission.

ALDERMAN VOLUNTEERS.

Ald. A. B. Kitchen of this city, was among those passed by Major Wainwright, the medical officer, last night and enrolled with the others. Harry M. Blair, secretary of the Provincial public works department, did the same.

— AFTER RECRUITS.

Yesterday Lt. Col. H. F. McLeod and Major A. B. Snow, who has been attached to the 71st Regiment, went by motor to Stanley and made arrangements for recruiting there and along the lower Nashwaak. Major Snow is at Stanley today. Rev. A. Lindsay Skerry, who is rector of the Anglican church at Stanley, has volunteered as chaplain of the 71st Regt. and informed his congregation yesterday to that effect, saying the church would be closed as he was going to the war. Rev. Mr. Skerry is a South African War veteran.

"Dogs of war" is not a mere metaphor; in the middle ages mastiffs were used as auxiliaries in attack, and were equipped with mail studded with spikes and scythes, so that they could even attack cavalry. Henry VIII offered King Charles V of Spain forty thousand men and four thousand war dogs to fight against France. Of late, to a certain extent, a use has been found for dogs in the army to aid sentries in detecting the presence of the enemy.

An interesting attraction in one of the European zoological gardens is a pair of tame llamas that carry passengers about the grounds. They are declared to be the only creatures of their kind in Europe that have been trained for the purpose. The animals draw a light carriage and at a recent test it was shown that they could easily pull a load of four hundred and fifty pounds. They are quite docile and readily answer to the rein.

The timberland enquiry having been disposed of it is now said that Lieut. Bill Berry will return from the United States where he has been living in exile since June 4th last.

Wanted

First or second class experienced teacher for School District, No. 2 Douglas. For particulars apply to CHARLES MCADAM R. F. D. No. 4. Fredericton.

Notice of Meeting

The August meeting of the Board of Trade will be held in the Board of Trade Rooms on the evening of Monday Aug. 10. A full attendance is requested.

Secretary,
H. S. Campbell,

SOLDIERS IN BARRACKS.

The members of the 71st York Regt who desired to be placed in quarters pending the movement from Fredericton, were placed in the barracks this morning. A guard was mounted and preparations made to quarter recruits as they come. The barracks-rooms will accommodate seventy-two men.

THOSE WHO VOLUNTEER.

The volunteers for active service who have been passed by Major Wainwright are as follows:

Lt. Col. H. F. McLeod.
Major A. B. Snow.
Capt. H. G. Desdes.
Capt. P. A. Guthrie.
Capt. J. P. McPeake.
Lieut. H. H. VanWart.
Lieut. F. Eason.
Lieut. C. W. Clark.
Sergt. J. E. Wilson.
Sergt. J. B. Rainsford.
Sergt. Osborne G. Burr.
Corp. W. E. Masters.
Corp. M. S. Scott.
C. J. D. Love.
A. G. Brander.
H. Chase.
J. G. Fenety.
R. Sutherland.
J. W. Webb.
Sidney Hart.
Win. Jackson.
Lawson B. Hanson.
Oscar White.
James King.
N. W. Cameron.
E. Leaman.
L. A. L. King.
A. Brown.
George E. Colwell.
Frank Baxter.
Sidney Shepherd.
Robert Chappell.
Joseph Hughes.
J. G. Lawrie.
W. J. Pendleton.
W. R. Thompson.
Alfred Sheldon.
George Armstrong.
George Henderson.
Arnold Smith.
James Johnson.
Charles Allen.
Charles Atkinson.
Guy R. Turner.
C. E. Blair.
A. B. Kitchen.
H. M. Blair.
P. E. Rosenorn.
John Watson.
Thomas James.
Samuel A. Cuthberts.
J. A. Winslow.
Ed McDonald.

FREDERICTON BOY WHO HAS MADE GOOD

Mr. W. J. Sewell of Butte, Mont., Renewing Old Acquaintances Here After Many Years Absence

Mr. W. J. Sewell, an old time Fredericton boy, who has been living for seventeen years in Butte, Montana, and has made good, is spending a few weeks in the city, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. John Moore, Brunswick Street, and is receiving the glad hand from many old friends. Mr. Sewell served an apprenticeship as a carpenter and builder with Mr. Harry M. Clarke of this city, and went to Butte seventeen years ago. Like other Frederictonians who have located in that city, he found a warm friend in the late Hon. D. J. Hennessey, who assisted him to get a start. After working at his trade for some time Mr. Sewell engaged in the hardware business on his own account and he has made a success of it.

Asked in regard to Frederictonians located in Butte, Mr. Sewell was pleased to report that they were all doing well. He incidentally mentioned the fact that Andrew Haslin, a former dry goods clerk here, was to bid adieu to single blessedness the latter part of this month. The Canty boys, James, John and Daniel, are carrying on a large business in carpets and house furnishings, Daniel being in charge of the warehouse. They sent greetings by Mr. Sewell to old friends in this city. Mr. Sewell expects to remain here about three weeks. He was here last four years ago.

Dr. C. R. Fletcher of New York is here on his annual vacation, the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. C. Macnutt.

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WAS OVERLOOKED BY MR. FLEMMING

Following is a copy of the letter found among some old papers in the Provincial Secretary's office on Wednesday:

Kingston, January 1, 1853
Sir: I now transmit a list of the magistrates, copies of road certificates, 12 marriage bonds taken by me during the year 1852 and also blank license delivered by me, and I wish you to send me 12 more as soon as possible.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
E. B. SMITH.

The Hon. John R. Partelow.
The above letter in which was enclosed a £10 Commercial Bank Bill and a £2 Bank of New Brunswick bill was found among some old marriage license papers being assorted by Miss Hannebury in the Deputy Provincial Secretary's office on August 5, 1914.

DIED

On Sunday, August 9th in Montreal, Alice Maxwell Sherman of this city, in her 70th year. Funeral from the Cathedral on Tuesday at three o'clock. No flowers by request.

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.

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