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**TRYON, HAMPTON AND BONSHAW**—Rev. J. S. Mackay will conduct service next Sabbath, the 22nd Tryon 11 a memorial service to the memory of Bruce Mackay, Hampton 3 and Bonshaw at 7.30.

**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.**—Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Wadman, Crapaud announce the engagement of their daughter, Winnifred to Mr. John S. Shirley of Boston, Mass. Marriage to take place next month.

**READY TO WEAR HATS.**—The wonderful showing of new hats includes imported models—ready to wear hats—designs trimmed and made up in our workrooms—now trimming materials—all shown at Charlottetown's greatest millinery store all day today. Moore & McLeod Limited. 1504-9-20M11.

**CORNWALL ANNOUNCEMENT.**—Rev. J. Heaney will conduct service next Lord's day at North Wiltshire 11, Kingston 3, and Cornwall 7. The service at North Wiltshire will be dedicated to the memory of Private Daniel McKinnon who was recently killed in action. The service at Hamshire at 7 will be conducted by Mr. J. D. Seaman.

**VISITED BANK.**—Mr. H. V. P. Jones, Assistant General Manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, spent Wednesday in Charlottetown. After visiting the local branch Mr. Jones and about a dozen friends were entertained to luncheon by Mr. G. W. Harrison, Manager of the Charlottetown branch. In the afternoon he left on return to Toronto, going by motor to Summerside and calling at Port Borden by the way. This was Mr. Jones' first visit to Prince Edward Island and he expressed himself as greatly pleased with conditions here.

**MASSEY HARRIS CONVALESCENT HOME.**—The Guardian is in receipt of bulletin 18 of the Kingswood Convalescent Home, Englian, equipped and maintained by the Massey Harris Company, its associate companies and their agents and employees. This number continues the story of this excellent institution, reference to which was made in a former issue of the Guardian. In addition to the Prince Edward Island soldiers previously mentioned as being treated there the later bulletin gives the name of John B. McDonald, Charlottetown, and Samuel Elliott, Winsloe Station.

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**AUSTRIA SEEKS PEACE**

Asks Warring Nations to Meet in Conference.

All Belligerent Governments Invited to Enter Into Non-binding Discussions With a View to Bringing War to an End—Germany Also Offers "Terms" to Belgium But No Word of Reparation.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The Austro-Hungarian Government on Saturday officially invited all belligerent Governments to enter into non-binding discussions at some neutral meeting-place with a view to bringing about peace. The Holy See and all neutral nations also will be notified.

The Austro-Hungarian Government states that the object of the conference would be to secure an exchange of views which would show whether those pre-requisites exist which would make the speedy inauguration of peace negotiations appear promising.

The Government announces that a note embodying its suggestions had been addressed to the various belligerent powers, and that the Holy See had been apprised of the proposal in a special note. The Governments of the neutral states also had been made acquainted with the proposal.

The proposal calls for all the belligerents to send delegates to a "confidential and unbinding discussion on the basic principles for the conclusion of peace, in a place in a neutral country and at a near date that would yet have to be agreed upon."

The proposal says the conference would be one of "delegates who would be charged to make known to one another the conception of their Governments regarding those principles, and to receive analogous communications, as well as to request and give frank and candid explanations on all those points which need to be precisely defined."

It is understood that the British Government has received the Austro-Hungarian peace note and also the proposal, previously referred to, that all the powers should withdraw their troops from the Murman territory.

It is also learned that Germany has made a peace offer to Belgium. The terms of this proposal are as follows:

That Belgium shall remain neutral until the end of the war.

That thereafter the entire economic and political independence of Belgium shall be reconstituted.

That the pre-war commercial treaties between Germany and Belgium shall again be put into operation after the war for an indefinite period.

That Belgium shall use her good offices to secure return of the German colonies.

That the Flemish question shall be considered, and the Flemish minority, which aided the German invaders, shall not be penalized.

The proposal contains no word respecting reparations or indemnities, no admission that Germany wronged Belgium.

"Austria again is Germany's cat's paw," was the comment generally heard in London to-day when the news of Austria's invitation to the belligerents, "to confidential non-binding discussions at a neutral centre," became public. It was not considered surprising that Austria should make a move to secure peace, for Vienna since the early days of September has been the scene of many conferences of the statesmen of the Central Powers and of Teutonic allied monarchs.

Week before last Admiral von Hintze, the German Foreign Minister, was there, and besides having a long conference with Baron Burián, the Austrian Foreign Minister, was received in audience by Emperor Charles. Likewise King Ferdinand of Bulgaria, on his way back to Sofia, had a conversation lasting an hour with Emperor Charles.

Talaat Pasha, the Turkish Grand Vizier, also has been hovering around Vienna and Budapest and giving out interviews declaring that a military victory by either side is now impossible.

It had been thought the Austrian Emperor intended to ask for mediation either by the King of Spain or the Queen of Holland, but he has gone no further than, without disclosing any terms, to ask for a non-binding discussion, and incidentally by sending a note to the Pope, to endeavor to secure the Pontiff's support for the proposal.

**Alles Naval Council Meet.**  
PARIS Sept. 16.—The Inter-allied Naval Council assembled at the Ministry of Marine, Friday, under the presidency of Georges Leygues, the French Minister of Marine. Great Britain, the United States, Italy and Japan were represented at the conference, and the Naval Attaches of the allied nations accredited to London, Paris and Rome were present.

**British Casualties.**  
LONDON, Sept. 16.—Casualties among the British forces reported for the week ending Saturday total 21,445, compared with an aggregate of 20,640 in the previous week. The casualties were divided as follows: Killed or died of wounds: Officers, 563; men, 3,514. Wounded or missing: Officers, 1,702; men, 15,666.

**Charged With Homicide.**  
LONDON, Sept. 16.—Pte. John Powers Moore, Canadian Royal Highlanders, remained in London charged with causing the death of Henry Burton, a civilian, said he saw Burton trying to rob a soldier and so felled him. He did not intend to injure him.

**Fighting is in progress in the Russian province of Nizhni-Novgorod, between the peasants and the Soviet troops.**

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**NOVA SCOTIA HORSE BOUGHT.**—Mr. Geo. R. Clark of Kensington, recently purchased a handsome dapple gray roadster from Mr. William Brown, Lorneville, N. S.

**GOING OVERSEAS.**—Miss Gertude Gallant who has graduated from the Hillsboro County Hospital, Manchester, N. H. is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Gallant, Summerside. Miss Gallant expects to leave shortly for France, having enlisted with the American Army of Nurses.

**CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.**—The Rev. D. MacLean will preach at St. Catherines on Friday the 20th at 7.30 p.m., Nine Mile Creek, Saturday at the same hour, Sabbath the 22nd, Canoe Cove 10.30 a.m., Churchhill 2.30 and in the people's church at 7 p.m.

**INTERSCHOOL FIELD DAY.**—The teachers and pupils of Kensington High School, and five contiguous school districts will hold grand field day at Kensington on Thursday Oct. 3rd. Much interest is taken by pupils teachers and a large attendance is expected. The athletic competition consists of relay races, running, jumping and other stand ard events, besides many other fun producing sports. A gala day for everybody is looked for.—K

**TRYON METHODIST CHURCH.**—Rev. P. A. Fitzpatrick, Minister Tryon at 11 a. m. "The Task of the Church." Crapaud, at 3 p. m. "Don't Give Up." Victoria at 7.30. The Minister will assist in the big Rally Day programme. Splendid musical and literary exercises—have been arranged. Special collection. Young and old are invited.—Crowd Victoria Church next Sunday night. There is a welcome for you.—Mr. Richard Metcalf will conduct service at Applin Road at 11 o'clock.

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**RUSSIAN PRINCE ARRESTED BY BOLSHEVIK**

LONDON, Sept. 15.—Prince Peter A. Kropotki has been arrested at Petrograd charged with participating in an English conspiracy against the Bolsheviki Government, according to an Amsterdam despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Co.

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**REPORT FROM THE MT. ALBION RED CROSS**

A report of the work done by the Mount Albion Red Cross from January 22nd to Sept. 3rd 1918 as follows:

To Balance on hand from last report	\$14.25
Received from collections during this time	\$52.31
Proceeds from public sale of goods given by the society and others held at Joshua Ballums on March the 19th	\$50.00
Mr. Robert Jenkins' ice cream festival	\$20.40
Social at Hartney hall July 23rd	\$35.63
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$172.59</b>
Expenditure amt received	\$172.59
Paid out for yarn	\$86.10
Paid towards prisoner of war since January 22nd	\$42.66
Expenses in connection with the socials	\$3.37
<b>Amount expended</b>	<b>\$132.13</b>

Donations:—Mrs. Christina Chandler, 1 lb yarn. Mrs. W. R. Chandler, 1 pair socks. Mrs. John Jenkins, 2 pairs gloves. Mrs. Baswell Jenkins, 1 pair gloves and 1 lb rolls. Mrs. B. Jenkins, 1 pair socks. Mrs. Richard Stewart \$1.00, pr. socks and 1 lb rolls Mrs. R. Jenkins \$1.00.

92 pairs of socks has been handed in by the Society and 13 boxes, packed and sent to the boys at the front with a fair quantity of yarn on hand, and a balance in the funds of \$40.66.

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**IN MEMORIAM**

MR. MICHAEL FITZSIMMONS

The whole community was sorry to learn that Mrs. Michael Fitzsimmons of Montrose had passed away on the evening of the 12th instant. The deceased lady was in her 64th year and was very highly esteemed among a large circle of friends and acquaintances for her many estimable qualities of head and heart. She was a daughter of the late Duncan McLean, Esq. of Long River and she leaves to mourn her husband, four daughters and three sons, Mrs. John Dorgan, Mrs. Alonzo Ready, Tignish, and Mrs. Ray Shea, Montrose and Emily, Calgary, who was at her mother's bedside in her last moments; Messrs. Cosmas and Michael, Calgary, Lieut. Daniel, R.F.A. Toronto, Another son Bernard was recently killed in France, while serving with the American troops.

Her funeral took place to the Sacred Heart Church, Alberton on Saturday morning last and was largely attended.

The Guardian joins in sympathy with the bereaved family.

**PERMANENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE**

OTTAWA, Sept. 18.—Prominent members of the opposition in Parliament and party workers gathered in Ottawa and conferred with Sir Wilfrid Laurier in the capacity of a permanent advisory committee.

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