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## RUSH OF NOMINATIONS IN THE PRIZE CAMPAIGN

**The Guardian's Automobile as the First Prize in Their Campaign is the Talk of the Province. Enthusiasm Runs High. Nominate Your Candidate To-day.**

Send in your application today before some more enterprising candidate gets started; otherwise they obtain votes which should rightfully be yours. More participants entered the race yesterday for The Charlotte-town Guardian prizes.

If you have not yet been nominated, or if you have not yet sent in your application, see that your name is sent to the campaign manager at once. Send or bring a subscription (paid-in-advance) to The Charlotte-town Guardian with the application, for three times the regular number of votes will be allowed for a subscription accompanying the application. Twice as many votes as called for in the regular vote schedule will be allowed on the next five subscriptions, after the first one if they are turned in within ten days of the date of the first one.

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## HEAVY FIGHTING AROUND VERDUN

**Heavy German Attack Repulsed and Prisoners Taken.**

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
PARIS, Oct. 16.—A German attack on the Verdun front last night was repulsed by the French, it is announced officially. On the Alsace front the artillery fighting was less intense. We made two successful attacks on the German lines one east of Rheims the other in the Argonne. In the region of Bourlles our detachments destroyed numerous shelters and brought back prisoners. German aviators dropped bombs last night in the region of Dunkirk. There were no victims and no material damage was caused.

### IRISH TROOPS IN SUCCESSFUL RAID

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
LONDON, Oct. 16.—Northwest of Bullecourt today Irish troops carried out a successful raid, says the official announcement. The enemy's artillery showed considerable activity during the night in the neighborhood of the Ypres-Stadet railway.

### AERIAL RAIDS OVER BELGIUM.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
LONDON, Oct. 16.—The aerial raids over Belgium were continued yesterday. In patrol encounters two German machines were driven down.

### HEAVY FIGHTING ON ITALIAN FRONT.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
ROME, October 15.—Heavy fighting took place yesterday along nearly the whole Julian front, the Italians withstanding violent local attacks by the Austrians, launched after extensive artillery preparation, the War Office announced today. Sharp reconnoitering encounters occurred at various points, in some of which prisoners were taken by the Italians.

### GERMANS HAVE TAKEN OESSEL ISLAND.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
BERLIN, Oct. 16.—Via London—The Germans have taken full possession of the main portion of Oessel Island at the entrance to the Gulf of Riga, the war office reports. The Russians have been isolated on Sorb Peninsula and are offering desperate resistance.

### RUSSIANS MAKING GOOD RESISTANCE.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
PETROGRAD, Oct. 16.—The German landing force on the Russian Island of Oesel is developing its success, the Russian War Office announced today. The Teutons are being reinforced with additional troops. Germans have instituted an offensive against the Svorb Peninsula in the south west of section of the island with the object of capturing the Russian batteries at Serel. These batteries cover the entrance to the Gulf of Riga.

### A CRUISER TORPEDOED AND MINE SWEEPER OVERDUE.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
LONDON, October 16.—The British armed mercantile cruiser Champagne has been torpedoed and sunk and the mine sweeping sloop Begonia is overdue and regarded as lost, says an official statement last night.

### TWO BRITISH STEAMERS REPORT ED SUNK.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—A report that the British steamship Memphis, formerly the Cambrian of 6395 tons gross, and the Bostonian 5,200 tons both of the Leyland line had been sunk reached here today.

## KANSAS STOCK YARDS SERIOUSLY DAMAGED

**Ten Thousand Head of Cattle Burned to Death.**

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
KANSAS CITY, Oct. 16.—More than one half of the Kansas City stock yards, the second largest in the country, was destroyed by fire early today. It was estimated after the fire had been brought under control after raging for two hours that seven thousand head of cattle had been destroyed. Some estimates ran as high as ten thousand.

## TWO MEDICAL BOARDS FOR P. E. ISLAND

Two Medical Boards have been appointed for Prince Edward Island under the Military Service Act. Number One Board with Captain J. A. McPhee, A. M. C. as President, Drs. Jarline and Tanton as members will sit in Summerside, commencing today, for a period of two weeks. Thence this Board will remove to Souris where they will sit for two weeks, thence to O'Leary for a period of one week; thence to Hunter River for one week.

Number Two Board is composed of the following members: Capt. A. Ross, A. M. C. President, Drs. George Caruthers and R. J. Ledwell, members. This Board will sit at Charlottetown up to November 15th then the Board will sit at Vernon Bridge for one week and at Montague for one week.

## EXAMINATIONS BY MEDICAL BOARD

The Medical Board disposed of twenty more applicants yesterday and a large number were held over for today.

Of course, it is not absolutely necessary for any man to report for examination before the Medical Board until he receives official notification from Military Registrar Stanley, but it is a good thing for those who can to be examined now and so avoid the rush that is bound to come later on.

All men eligible under the 1st draft proclamation must register at the nearest post office before November 10th.

Capt. J. A. McPhee, A.M.C. who was President of the Medical Board at Charlottetown, leaves for Summerside this morning to take charge of Medical Board there. Dr. McPhee is a son of Mr. John McPhee, of the city and practised in Summerside before enlisting for overseas service with the A.M.C. He was in the Standing Medical Board at Halifax and was sent here by Headquarters to take charge of the Medical Board work for this Province under the Military Service Act, acting under Lieut. Col. Jenkins who is Principal Medical officer for Prince Edward Island.

Below is the result of the medical examinations to date:

	Examined Yesterday	Total
A (1)—Men physically fit for trench warfare, with 6 mos. military experience . . . . .	0	0
A (2)—Same as above but without military experience . . . . .	7	47
B—Men fit for overseas work with auxiliary units, such as A.M.C., A.S.C., Dental Corps, Construction Corps, etc. . . . .	1	11
C—Men capable for home defence only . . . . .	1	17
E—Totally unfit for military service of any kind . . . . .	11	45
Totals . . . . .	20	120

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The realization of this project now depends solely on the understanding between Brazil and the Allies which Brazil considers essential.

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## SOCIAL SERVICE CONGRESS OPENED

**Large Representative Audience at Opening Meeting. Stirring and Eloquent Addresses by Visiting Delegates. Visitors Warmly Welcomed by Hon. M. McKinnon.**

The first session of the Social Service Congress opened last night in Prince of Wales College Hall. There was a large and representative attendance and the meeting was intensely interesting and inspiring throughout. In the unavoidable absence through illness of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, Rev. Dr. Fullerton presided, and in opening the meeting expressed sympathy with His Honour and his family in their recent bereavement. His Honour, he said, notwithstanding his sad loss, had fully intended presiding at the opening session of the Congress, but unfortunately was suffering from a serious cold which rendered it impossible for him to attend. The Chairman also regretted the absence of the Premier, Hon. A. E. Arsenault, who was prevented from attending through the intervention of unexpected important business. In Premier Arsenault's stead, Hon. Murdoch McKinnon delivered the address of welcome. He said it was a pleasant duty for him to extend a welcome to the distinguished visitors. They were to be welcomed to the province not only by reason of their high standing in the cities from which they came, but especially because of the great cause they represented. There were in this province opportunities which if taken full advantage of, would make for a high standard of social life, and a congress such as this could not fail to stimulate interest in the problems which were involved in any attempt at social reform. He said educational problems must go hand in hand with social reform. He welcomed those who had experience in such work and hoped they would have a pleasant time during their stay.

The next speaker was Rev. Canon Tucker of London, Ont. He said he received the kind words of welcome with gratitude and he felt that the best welcome that could be given to any deputation was the magnificent audience then present. In common with the members of the deputation and all others present, he regretted the absence of the Lieutenant-Governor because they knew from experience that the public men of Canada cherished it as one of their noblest traditions to identify themselves with the rank and file. He saw a familiar name on the programme, the name of Arsenault. He had been brought up in the oldest and in some respects the most noble province of the Dominion, Quebec. It had been his privilege since early years and that of his fathers before him to live in the midst of French-Canadians and to speak their language from infancy. He regretted that Premier Arsenault was not present although his place was ably filled by Hon. Mr. McKinnon. Questions had arisen with regard to the French-Canadians and the war and he would like to say that he had heard since coming to the island that in one battalion here there were no fewer than 48 Arsenaults. He questioned whether the same could be said of any English battalion in the whole dominion. Whatever might be said of the French-Canadians there were no nobler or braver soldiers than those who had gone from Canada.

Dr. Shearer, he said, came as the representative of the social service department of the Presbyterian Church in Canada while Dr. Moore represented the social department of the Methodist Church, and he himself represented the Church of England in Canada. They were all associated with friends from the United States, Dr. Hart and Mr. Johnson. The social work in which they were engaged had arisen from necessity. They did not care what men believed or thought so long as they were ready and willing to help uplift the helpless children, fallen women and criminal men. He outlined the object of the Social Service Movement. One of the objects was to secure legislation. This alone would not raise the fallen but it would help. He urged strongly the

enforcement of prohibition and of all laws calculated to benefit humanity. Dr. Hastings Hart of New York followed with an excellent though short address. He had visited the Alms House near Charlottetown and found that it compared favourably with similar institutions in his country. He related some of the steps taken in the United States to help the soldiers, spoke eloquently of the relation of the state to the soldier and concluded with an expression of hope that out of the great war now darkening the earth, there would grow fruits of peace which would contribute to the healing of the nations now torn and distracted by war.

The meeting closed with the National Anthem. The next session opens this morning at 9 o'clock.

## GOVERNOR-GENERAL IS IN HALIFAX

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
HALIFAX, October 16.—His Excellency, the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, and suite, arrived in Halifax at midnight on a special train. He remained on his private car until this morning when he will inspect H.M.C.S. Niobe and naval defences, and will lunch with the Admiral.

## CONDENSED SPECIALS

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## POTATO PRICES TO BE CONTROLLED

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
OTTAWA, October 16.—In the course of an interview, Hon. W. J. Hanna, Dominion Food Controller, said that while it is not proposed to fix the price of potatoes, the "spread" between the price paid the producer and that paid by the consumer will be fixed. By means of fixing the spread and licensing dealers throughout the country, the Food Controller will be in a position to control the potato market to as great an extent as is practicable.

## THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE, TIDE, MOON, ETC.

TORONTO, Oct. 16.—Fresh southwest to west winds, fair not much change in temperature.

The highest temperature recorded yesterday was 50 degrees above. At 10 a. m. it was 48 above; at 9 p. m. it was 48 above. The lowest the previous night was 46 above.

The tide will be high this morning at 11.51 and tomorrow at 12.34; it will be high tonight at 11.17 and tomorrow at 11.47.

The sun sets this afternoon at 5.30 and tomorrow at 5.28; it rises tomorrow morning at 6.36 and Friday at 6.38.

The moon sets this afternoon at 5.54.

There was a new moon on Monday, Oct. 15th at 9.41 p. m.

The first quarter of the moon will be on Tuesday, Oct. 23rd and 9.38 a. m.

The length of today will be ten hours and fifty-six minutes.

## SUMMERSIDE BOARD OF TRADE

The regular monthly meeting of the Summerside Board of Trade was held last night. There was a large attendance. The Secretary, Mr. R. H. McDonald stated that he had been requested by the Census Bureau to collect all information concerning the industries of Summerside. This information had been forwarded. A letter from the Minister of Justice concerning the Military Service Council and Medical Service Board was read. The Car ferry schedule was discussed at considerable length and the hope expressed that the service which had begun so auspiciously would prove of great benefit to the province.

The Secretary, Mr. R. H. McDonald tendered his resignation but on the urgent request of the Board consented to withdraw it. The meeting adjourned.

## French Ship Sinks Two Submarines

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
PARIS, Oct. 15.—(Delayed) French warships destroyed two Teuton submarines in the Western Mediterranean in the last week of September, according to information received today by the French Minister of Marine.

## COMING EVENTS ANNOUNCEMENTS, MEETINGS, ETC

\*\*There will be a meeting of McDonald Women's Institute tomorrow, October 18th at 7.30 p. m. A full attendance is requested to arrange for the packing of Christmas boxes for soldiers. 674-10-16M11.

## PREMIER OF SASK. STRONGLY ENDORSES THE UNION GOVT.

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
TORONTO, Oct. 15.—"I believe that the formation of a Union Government at this time was absolutely essential," said Hon. William Martin, Premier of Saskatchewan, in an interview here on Saturday. "This war is calling for the best brains and the most united action that is possible to be called to the work in hand. I know that there is some fault to be found with the men and methods used in connection with the new cabinet but in my opinion this is not the time to be a carping critic. I am willing to accord the new administration every opportunity to make headway with the herculean problems which confront them, and which will be constantly present for the duration of the war."

## German Regiment Almost Wiped Out

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
LONDON, Oct. 16.—British airmen in their attack on the Belgium town of Roulers caused the destruction of an arsenal in which was quartered a newly arrived German regiment. This information was related in a despatch from Amsterdam to the Central News Agency and was reported by a trustworthy correspondent on the Dutch frontier. One of the first incendiary bombs dropped, struck the Arsenal which immediately burst into flames. The confusion was added to by airmen who, descending to a low altitude, used their machine guns freely thereby increasing the casualty list which the correspondent said was enormous.

## MEIGHEN GOES TO WASHINGTON

(Canadian Press Dispatch)  
OTTAWA, Oct. 15.—Hon. Arthur Meighen, the new Minister of Interior, left for Washington, where he will be the guest of Lord Northcliffe, along with ex-President Roosevelt. It will be a rare meeting of three brilliant and strenuous men representing three types of manhood. No three men in their respective countries have accomplished more or worked harder for the triumph of the cause of democracy than Northcliffe, Meighen and Roosevelt. Lord Northcliffe on the occasion of his last visit to Ottawa was much impressed with the ability and personality of Mr. Meighen—hence his invitation to be his guest to meet Mr. Roosevelt.

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