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(By F. Raymond Ward, M. D.)

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It is given as a statistical fact that seven out of every ten people in the United States are suffering from nerve exhaustion, and of this number less than half realize it. They know that they have gloomy thoughts, a depression of mind, an impaired memory, dizziness and headache, wakeful nights and spells of extreme exhaustion, but they attribute it to any other cause but the right one. They feel languid, irritable and restless, the why and wherefore of which they cannot explain. They are suffering from nerve exhaustion, a condition which is undoubtedly the means of causing more misery and crushing more hopes than any other trouble that flesh is heir to.

Nervous exhaustion will not cure itself. The sufferer who thinks that nature alone will bring about a restoration of health is simply deluded by a false hope. He will realize that (if the power of realizing is left him), when he becomes a hopeless victim to one of the many diseases which follow in its path.

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Fireworks, great assortment at Wick's, opposite Post Office.

W. A. Sherwood, of St. Catharines died suddenly at his home.

Campbellford passed a bylaw to spend $19,000 on improving the light plant.

The Men's Federation of London passed a resolution condemning the holding of race meets while the war continues.

NEWS OF NORFOLK

Latest Casualty Lists Include Names of Still More Simcoe Men

DOG TAGS PURCHASED

Other News Notes of Interest From Simcoe and Norfolk County

(From our own Correspondent)

Simcoe, May 15.—There will be a mass meeting in the town hall, on Thursday evening to hear representatives of the Hamilton Board of Trade on the question of food production.

Yesterday's Casualties

Pte. Wm. Broughton was reported yesterday as having died of wound on the way to the hospital. The family live on Head street, and we understand that there are other members at the front.

Pte. Henry Johnston, known here as Sgt. cook of the 133rd, has received a gunshot wound in the left arm. His wife and nine children live in town.

And Still Dogs

The extended time for the payment of dog taxes expires at eight o'clock to-night. The following additional tags have been purchased; 118, C. S. Gunning, Irish terrier; 119, D. Solman, collie; 120, Mrs. Griffin, collie; 121, Dr. Richardson, Boston bull; 122, Jos. Murtland, hound; 123, Jno. Law, coach; 124, Mrs. E. James, collie; 125, Mrs. Fred Diver, fox terriers; 126, Wm. Hooker, hound; 127, S. Broughton, collie; 128, F. La Fortune, bull terrier; 129, Mrs. Chas. Butler, fox terrier; 130, C. Peach, fox terrier; 131, E. Winters, coach; 132, John Prentice, collie.

Firemen in Danger

Electrician Shoemaker has requested us to mention, for the benefit of firemen and others, that the power distribution wires are not to be played with by any one climbing trees or directing a stream of water from the fire hose. He says he was dumbfounded to see the indifference with which firemen directed the stream in the vicinity of the court house square the other evening at practice. Mr. Shoemaker states that the insulation on this wire is not sufficient to prevent the high voltage current from breaking through and into the water stream. This will be another matter for the consideration of those vitally interested.

Press Photographs

Senator and Mrs. McCall returned from St. Catharines on Saturday evening. Senator McCall returns to Ottawa this evening for the resumed sitting of the upper chamber.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Wilson and Mr. N. O. Stillwell, of Tillsonburg, were week-end visitors with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Ostrander.

Odds and Ends.

The transformers for the auxiliary motor at the pumping station, are being set up.

Potatoes sold to-day off the car, purchased by Mr. Nell, at $4.20 a bag. The price down town is $3.60 a bushel, or about $1.00 a peck. $2,000 was the handsome price paid for the car load.

Jas. Dickson, of Woodhouse, sold 175 bushels of wheat here last week and bought an automobile with the proceeds.

The School Board, at a special meeting held last night, arranged for the cultivation of the North Ward site, having determined not to build there this year. One member estimated that $8,000 to $10,000 might have been saved had the 1915 council voted money then for the work.

Rev. J. H. McBain presided at a meeting of the Board of the Rockford, Mt. Zion and Renton circuit. The whereabouts of the absent pastor, Mr. Terry, is not yet known. Rev. Rowe of Norwich, preached again on Sunday. Mrs. Terry will herself take charge next week.

Simcoe readers can do business with The Courier through the local Agency, P. O. Box 311, or Phone 356-2, through which all matters of delivery, subscription and advertising may be arranged, or news items forwarded.

Potatoes Met With Ready Sale

The Western potatoes which are being offered for sale by the city, are being disposed of very quickly, and a large number of orders have been received for the New Brunswick "murphies," although these have not yet arrived. Market Clerk McCauley this morning stated that practically all the western spuds had been sold, but Ald. M. M. MacBride is authority for the statement that more will be procurable on the Saturday market. The delivering will be about completed to-night, of all orders which were given to either the market clerk or to Mr. J. T. Burrows, accompanied by cash. Ald. MacBride stated to the Courier to-day that if some citizens who had given their orders to other than Messrs. Burrows or McCauley, or had not paid for their potatoes, that delivery could not be expected. It was explained that as the proposition was being operated on a cash basis with absolutely no profit to the city, that C. O. D. deliveries could not be reasonably expected. It was the aim of those conducting the enterprise to accommodate and render the best possible service to the people of the city, but this could only be done with their co-operation, and assistance. The New Brunswick product is momentarily expected, and Ald. MacBride is now engaged in investigating the delayy.

ADDRESS TO MERCHANTS OF THE CITY

Retail Dealers Heard Speakers From Dominion Association

How best the war time situation, which for the past two years, with ever increasing potency, has affected the retail merchants of the Dominion, can be combatted, was outlined last night in a forceful address delivered to the members of the Brantford Retail Merchants Association in the Board of Trade chambers in the Temple Building, by Mr. Wm. C. Miller, provincial secretary of the Retail Merchants Association of Canada. Mr. D. W. Clark, of Toronto, who is a member of both the Dominion and Provincial executives, also spoke briefly in support of the facts presented by Mr. Miller.

There was a representative gathering of merchants engaged in every class of trade in the city, and the encouraging and appreciative manner in which the remarks of the speakers were received was contended in a token of renewed activity in this section. Mr. W. J. Mellen acted as chairman for the evening, and in introducing the speaker, he said that as one who had been intimately associated with the movement locally since its inception, the success anticipated had not been achieved, largely on account of the inevitable interruption to progress occasioned by the outbreak of war, at the point when the organization was just commencing to become effective. He thought, however, that the situation of the last two or three years, during which time unusual and dangerous conditions had presented themselves, rendered more complete and efficient organization imperative.

Mr. Wm. C. Miller.

The principal speaker of the evening, Mr. Miller, in opening a comprehensive address, stated that the work of the provincial body had not been as satisfactory in the past as had been desired, largely through the depletion and disorganization of the staff through enlistment. He then proceeded to point out the many channels through which the retail merchant would benefit through being connected with the Dominion organization, and directed the attention of his hearers first to legislative evils that had been avoided through efficient organized opposition to measures that constituted a peril to progress of business as maintained by the retail merchants of the province and country. He reviewed the clauses of the Workmen's Compensation Act, as they affected the retail merchant, and pointed the disadvantages to him accruing through the operation of the measure. Through the efforts of the association in presenting the case to the government, the retail merchants who could not be fairly included in the list of those employers of labor who became liable for damages in the event of accident, were eliminated, from those provided for in the Act. The Bulk Sales Act, which also contained a menace to retailers, had been satisfactorily amended. Other evils, such as the co-operative movement, the practice adopted by some merchants of adopting trading stamps to increase their business, the transient traders, false advertising and non uniformity of weights, etc., had been rectified through the endeavors of the Dominion Association. The smuggling of goods across the border had been investigated and stricter precautions urged upon the customs officials, the consequence of which had been of considerable benefit to Canadian merchants. The methods being pursued by mail order concerns in forwarding catalogues to prospective customers and defrauding the government out of its lawful postage are now in the process of investigation, and action has been urged upon the proper authorities in this connection.

The speaker emphasized the augmented service, which the association was preparing to supply to its members during the coming year and referred to such departments as the insurance expert, who free of charge examines policies of all kinds, the transportation expert, who audits freight bills, the credit reporting department, through which agency members may become acquainted and warned against businessmen who are not to be trusted, and who are consequently placed upon the "blacklist."

The particular matter now claiming the attention of the Dominion Association is the bill that has been introduced into the House of Commons by W. E. Knowles, M.P. of Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan, which proposes to prevent manufacturers from placing a standard value upon their products, and refusing to wholesale to merchants who decline to maintain the fixed selling price of the article, by declaring this practice a criminal offense. This measure was characterized by the speaker as the most pernicious piece of legislature that had ever been introduced into any government.

In conclusion Mr. Miller made a strong appeal for moral and financial assistance from the local members, towards the provincial and Dominion organizations.

Mr. D. W. Clark

Mr. Clark spoke briefly along similar lines to those taken by Mr. Miller. He doubted if ever before retail merchants had been confronted with obstacles of equal magnitude to those with which they are now contending. He pointed out that all other classes are constantly organizing and improving their present effectiveness by so doing, and thought that the retail merchants should follow the example of other elements of the population, and also endeavour to strengthen their powers.

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Wash Skirts made of Poplin, Bedford Cord, Repp, plain and fancy Gabardines and velvet corduroy, many smart styles to choose from and prices range *$4.50, $3.50, $2.50, $2.25, $1.75, $1.50* and..... **$1.25**

Silk Suits

These popular *Silk Suits* are made of soft Chiffon, Taffeta and fine Corded Silk, heavy Shantung and Silk Poplin. The styles are the very newest and the finish and lining are the best. Colors black, navy, brown, green and sand, sizes 34 to 42, special at *$35.00, $33.50, $30.00* and..... **$25.00**

Raincoat Specials

Ladies' and Misses' Raincoats in Silk finished Poplins, made with raglan or set in sleeve, colors navy, grey, olive, and black, special at..... **$6.50**

Ladies' and Misses' Whitewear at Special Prices For May Day Selling

Children's Middy Blouses made English Drill, with belt, lace sides or plain all white trimmed navy, copen, and red, all sizes, special at *$1.50, $1.25, $1.00* and..... **79c**

Ladies' and Misses' Middy Blouses, Paul Jones Make, navy flannel collars and cuffs, long sleeves, sizes 12 to 42, special..... **$2.00**

Children's Colored Gingham Dresses, sizes 2 to 6 years, worth $1.00, special at..... **79c**

Ladies' Silk Sweater Coats with belt or sash in rose, goblin, canary, helio, purple, kelly, copen, etc., at *$22.00, $20.00, $18.00, $15.00, $10.50, $10.00* and..... **$8.00**

Infants' Cream Cashmere Coats, embroidered Cape, many styles, sizes 6 months to 3 years, special *$4.00, to $2.50* and..... **$2.25**

Ladies' White Cotton Drawers, embroidery and lace trimmed, special at..... **50c**

Corset Covers, dainty styles, some with short sleeves, special values at *$3.00 to $1.00, 79c., 59c., 50c.,* and..... **29c**

Ladies' Corset Covers, dainty lace and embroidery trimmed, special at..... **39c**

Habutai Silk Waists $1.59

Tailor Made White Habutai Silk Waists, dainty styles, large collars, sizes 34 to 44, Special at..... **$1.59**

New Cloaking

New Sport Coatings, in plain plaids, checks and stripes, in all the newest shades for spring wear, special at, yard *$2.50* to..... **$3.50**

Cotton Vests, 15c

Ladies' Cotton Vests, short or no sleeves, good quality, special..... **15c**

Cotton Night Gowns, 79c

Ladies' White Cotton, Slip over and high neck styles, embroidery and lace trimmed, several styles, regular $1.00, special at..... **79c**

See Window Display

Brassieres in mesh, hook back, sizes 34 to 44, special at *75c* to..... **65c**

MILLINERY

Black and Colored Trimmed Millinery, all smart styles, this season's shapes, special at..... **$3.75**

SILK SPECIALS

Habutai White Silk, 36 inches wide, special at..... **59c**

Novelty Silks in Stripes, Checks, Plaids and Sports, 36 inches wide, big range of patterns, worth $1.00 and $1.25, special at *75c* and..... **90c**

Taffeta Silk Chiffon, made in black and colors, 36 in. wide, reg. $2.00, special..... **$1.50**

Colored Paillette Silk, in black, navy, green, maize, cream, brown, navy, Special at..... **$1.00**

Habutai Silk Stripe Waistings, 36 in. wide, choice patterns, special at..... **$1.50**

All Wool Serge 65c

All Wool Serge in black, brown, green, grey, 4 inches wide, special at..... **65c**

Special Values in Sheetings

Heavy English White Sheeting, 2 1-4 yards wide, special at..... **49c**

Heavy White Sheeting, 72 in. wide, even round thread, special at, yard..... **39c**

Fine White Twilled Sheeting, 2 yards wide, special at, yard..... **37 1-2c**

Extra Special White Sheeting, 81 inches wide, free from dressing and worth 40c yard, Sale price, per yard..... **33c**

Great Bargains in Turkish Towels

Heavy White Turkish Towels, special at, per pair..... **30c**

Large Size Colored Turk Towels in plain grey, or with red stripe, special at, pair..... **45c**

Colored Bath Towels, good heavy weight, special at, pair..... **59c**

Extra large size *White Turkish Towels,* special at, pair..... **75c**

Heavy Grey Linen Finished Bath Towels, easily worth $1.25 pair, special at..... **85c**

Fancy Colored Turkish Towels in check and with fancy borders, special at, each..... **65c**

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A big assortment of Pure Linen Table Napkins, in dozen or half dozen quantities, worth almost 50 per cent more, prices per dozen, $3.29, $3.75, $3.98, $4.98, $5.35 to..... **$9.75**

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Specials in Canton Flannels

Unbleached Canton Flannel, 26 inches wide, worth 12 1-2c yard, special at, yard..... **9c**

Heavy Unbleached Canton Flannel, 27 inches wide, 15c quality, special at 8 yards for..... **$1.00**

Heavy White Canton Flannel, 27 inches wide, special at 6 yards for..... **$1.00**

2 Pieces only of White Table Linen, 68 inches wide, pure linen, special at, yard..... **$1.00**

1 Piece only of Pure Linen Damask, 70 inches wide, worth $1.75, special at, yard..... **$1.35**

3 Pieces of Heavy Pure Linen Damask, 68 inches wide, special at per yard..... **$1.59**

Great Savings in White Flannelettes

Buying Flannelettes at these prices and laying them away for fall you will save 5c to 7c per yard as this class of material has advaned almost beyond reach.

White Flannelette, 27 in. wide, Special at 10c yard

Fine White Twilled Flannelette, 29 inches wide, Canton Flannel finish, worth 18c, special at, yard..... **15c**

Plain White Flannelette, 1 yard wide, worth 22c. yard, Sale price, yard..... **18c**

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TOTAL BOOTY.

By Courier Leased Wire.

With the French Armies in France, May 15.—(From a staff correspondent of the Associated Press)—According to authoritative figures now available the French and British armies between April 9 and May 12 captured 49,579 Germans, including 976 officers, 444 heavy and field cannon, 943 machine guns and 386 trench cannon.

Fireworks, great assortment at Wick's, opposite Post Office.

W. S. Mann, manual training instructor at the Owen Sound Collegiate Institute, has accepted a position at Ottawa.

GOING OVERSEAS

Sapper Ed. T. McLaren, of the Canadian Engineers, who was a visitor at his home here in the city yesterday, returned last night to Toronto, and left that city to-day for St. Johns, en route, and will be accompanied overseas by a host of good wishes.

AUCTION SALE

On Saturday, May 19th, at 11 o'clock a.m. by virtue of the Landlords Warrant issued by W. F. Cockshutt, to J. M. Dyckman, against Charles Wong, Lim Yip and Linn Yoe, the goods and chattels in the King's cafe, 15 Queen street, consisting of mirrors, tables, chairs, clock, national cash register, kitchen range, utensils, dishes, silverware, bed and bedding, and all other goods on above premises. S. P. Pitcher, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE

Of Real Estate.

I have received instructions to sell by public auction Saturday, May 19th, at my office, 10 Queen street, the following property:—

Firstly—Corner lot Number 14, according to a plan of subdivision of the southerly part of Lots "2" and "R" on the north side of West Mill street, made for John T. Hewitt and Charlotte Livingston, and registered as Plan Number 345.

Secondly—Corner lot Number 17, according to a plan of subdivision of the Southerly part of Lots "2" and "R" on the north side of West Mill street, made for John T. Hewitt and Charlotte Livingston, and registered as plan Number 345.

Remember the date, May 19th, 1917, the time, 8 p.m., the place 10 Queen street.

Robert Bryson, Prop. J. T. Sloan, Auctioneer

Mail Contract

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa, until Noon, on Friday, the 8th day of June, 1917, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails on a proposed contract for four years, six and three times per week each way respectively between Obsweken P. O. and G. T. Railway Stn. at Onondaga and between Obsweken P. O. and Sixty Nine Corners Post Office from the Postmaster General's Pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Obsweken, Onondaga and Sixty Nine Corners and at the office of the Post Office Inspector, London.

G. C. ANDERSON, Superintendent

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P. D.	8.50	9.00	11.00	1.00	3.00	5.00	7.00
		12	11.12	1 12	3.12	5.12	7.12
		26	11.26	1.26	3.26	5.26	7.26
		40	11.40	1.40	3.40	5.40	7.40
		46	11.46	1.46	3.46	5.46	7.46
		53	11.53	1.53	3.53	5.53	7.53
		00	12.00	2.00	4.00	6.00	8.00
		18	12.18	2.18	4.18	6.18	8.18
		31	12.31	2.31	4.31	6.31	8.31
Galt	8.38	10.48	12.48	2.48	4.48	6.48	8.48

GALT TO PORT DOVER

Southbound Trains:

Daily Except Sunday	a.m.	a.m.	a.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.	p.m.
Gl's	7.16	9.13	11.13	1.13	3.13	5.13	7.13
P'r's	7.28	9.27	11.27	1.27	3.27	5.27	7.27
B'ford	7.45	9.45	11.45	1.45	3.45	5.45	7.45
Lv	7.50	9.47	11.47	1.47	3.47	5.47	7.47
Mt. P.	8.02	9.59	11.59	1.59	3.59	5.59	7.59
Ok'd	8.08	10.06	12.06	2.06	4.06	6.06	8.06
W'ed	8.21	10.20	12.20	2.20	4.20	6.20	8.20
S'coe	8.34	10.33	12.33	2.33	4.33	6.33	8.33
Pt. D	8.46	10.45	12.45	2.45	4.45	6.45	8.45

To Remove Dandruff

Get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little into your hand and rub well into the scalp with the finger tips. By morning most, if not all, of this awful scurf will have disappeared. Two or three applications will destroy every bit of dandruff; stop scalp itching and falling hair.