

FOOD SITUATION NOW DESPERATE

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Belgium and Italy, and the millions of men of those countries engaged in war activities, that Great Britain and her allies—always importers even in normal times—must rely on Canada and the United States for food. Bread, beef, bacon—and the supply promised to be unequal to the demand.

Mr. Hanna stated that the total requirements of the allies and neutrals for the present year were 1,100,000,000 bushels of wheat. For this same period the production of Europe was estimated at 645,000,000 bushels, there must export 455,000,000 bushels, the normal rate of consumption, it was estimated that Canada and the United States would have only 300,000,000 bushels to set from the shores, leaving a shortage of 160,000,000 bushels. To make up this shortage is the paramount duty which the food controllers of Canada and the United States have set themselves.

The basic methods upon which the controllers are working was then outlined by the speaker, who is working in co-operation with the food controlling authorities of the United States. The elimination of waste in hotels, restaurants, public places and homes of Canada was pointed out as a first requisite. And in the United States and the United States might make up the deficit of 160,000,000 bushels of wheat required for exportation, it is necessary that every man, woman and child in these two countries must substitute other food for at least from one-third to two-fifths of the wheat products they now consume. This point is something which the food controller wishes everyone to realize to its fullest for upon compliance with this need depends to a great extent much of the great issue now at stake.

Consulting With Hoover

Dealing with the progress that had been made in the matter of organization, Mr. Hanna outlined his visit to Washington, where he spent two busy days with Mr. Hoover and his associates. At this centre was found the best brains of the United States with a staff of two hundred, which was to be increased to five hundred. After consultation with Mr. Hoover, Mr. Hanna went on to Ottawa where he found others of service from experts along many lines—professors of the university, inspectors of schools, heads of various concerns and unanimity of assistance everywhere.

Mr. Hanna read recent telegrams showing things being done in the United States, and his reply giving an outline of the organization here. In many respects the plans were similar. In Canada it was intended to reach every household in the Dominion, with the co-operation of provincial governments and working through farmers and women's institutes, schools, Red Cross, Daughters of the Empire, National and local councils of women, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., church societies, and other public places. There would also be local organizations formed, and demonstrations given in domestic economy, and in the care and handling of perishable foods in order to release the exportable.

Organization Voluntary

It was pointed out that the organization would be largely voluntary. The press was prepared to do its part, and that a committee had been arranged to proceed at once to lessen waste and direct food supplies to hospitals, restaurants and other public places. The committee consists of Judge Hugh Rose, of Osgoode Hall; Miss Watson, of George Wright, of the Waterhouse, Toronto; Mr. Hutchinson, of the C. P. R., Montreal.

A letter was read from Arthur J. Hodgson to Sir Robert Borden pointing out the great waste going on in Canada as he saw it on his recent return from England, and suggesting a

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Polly and Her Pals

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LAKE SHORE RED CROSS GARDEN

Orchestra, on Saturday, at 8 o'clock, on the lawn at the Red Cross Garden, 144 Lake Shore Road, between the Red Cross and the Hotel. The orchestra will play under the direction of Mr. Franklin Davis. The garden is open from 10 o'clock to 10 o'clock. The garden is open from 10 o'clock to 10 o'clock.

PLAYS PICTURES, AND MUSIC

THE ROBINS PLAYERS.

At Ruth Sherwood had not lost her passport, and if Wilfred Fether had not had his automobile stolen, the chances are that Grant Stewart would never have written "Arms and the Girl," the war comedy which Edward H. Robins and the Robins Players are going to present for the eleventh week of their third successful stock season at the Alexandra, beginning next Monday night.

THE SERENADE TODAY.

The excellent opera company at the Grand Opera House closes the season today with two performances of the delightful comic opera, "The Serenade." Not in years have music-lovers had an opportunity of hearing a more able company, and those who heard "Robin Hood" and "The Serenade" are loud in their praise of the work of the company. Never before in the history of theatricals in Toronto has such an able company been heard in standard operas at popular prices.

LOEW'S.

"The Small Town Opera Co." one of the most unique acts in vaudeville, is a feature attraction at Loew's. The feature attraction at Loew's is "The Small Town Opera Co." one of the most unique acts in vaudeville, is a feature attraction at Loew's. The feature attraction at Loew's is "The Small Town Opera Co." one of the most unique acts in vaudeville, is a feature attraction at Loew's.

PETROVA AT MADISON.

The internationally famous screen star, Madame Petrova, will be seen at the Madison Theatre for the first half of next week in "The Undying Flame," a powerful and enthralling photodrama around which has been woven the spell of ancient and modern Egypt. Those who go to the Madison next week will see Petrova at her best.

FINE DRAMA AT THE STRAND.

In "The More Excellent Way," a splendid Vitaphone Blue Ribbon feature, which will be presented at the Strand Theatre on Monday and Tuesday, Anita Stewart and Charles Richmond are exceedingly well cast. Anita Stewart takes the part of a young ward of a trustworthy man of mature years, who wins her promise to marry him. But youth likes to mate with youth, and the girl's fancy strays to a young reprobate, of whose treachery she learns just in time to save her from disaster.

"THE WHIP" COMING.

The big sporting photodrama "The Whip" returns to the Grand Opera House next week, opening on Thursday, July 12.

BANK CLEARINGS INCREASE.

Calgary, Alta., July 5.—Bank clearings for the week ending July 5 show an increase of \$2,500,000 over the figures for the corresponding week last year.

Society

Conducted by Mrs. Edmund Phillips

Mrs. W. E. H. Massey has left town for July and August and gone to the White Mountains. Miss Madeline Massey, who is in Boston and going on with her.

Mrs. Willis Chipman gave a small shower yesterday afternoon at her home, 144 Lake Shore Road, in honor of Miss Lewis, who is leaving town for the summer.

Mrs. H. M. Dixon, whose husband, Colonel Dixon, is in the army, has taken a suite of rooms at the Berkeley Hotel, Asso., for the summer.

Capt. Ross Cameron, M. C., who was severely wounded a short time ago, is making a good recovery in the Manchester Hospital, and has been able, with the aid of his wife, to write an acknowledgment of the parcel of comforts sent him by the ladies committee of the U. E. Loyalist Association.

Mrs. Cananelli is at Mrs. Burham's, 10 Madison, where, until she leaves town, as her house is being repaired, she is undergoing repairs.

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AT THE BEACH.

Judging from the nightly crowds, Scarborough Beach has about the most popular bill of the season this week. Jack and Jessie Gibson give an admirable ukelele act, and the Flying Cape are sensational in their aerial stunts. The music is provided by the Imperial Military Band. There will be performances this afternoon and evening, and on Sunday there will be two concerts.

THE HIPPODROME.

The first authentic pictures of the arrival of General John J. Pershing and his American officers and men in Paris, France, is offered as a special attraction at the Hippodrome next week. "The Promise," a five-act Metro production, starring Harold Lockwood and May Allison, is the headline feature. The picture tells a thrilling story of the downfall and regeneration of a youth in the lumber country of the Northwest. "The Promise" is a five-act Metro production, starring Harold Lockwood and May Allison, is the headline feature.

RECONSTRUCTING MASSEY HALL.

Massey Hall is undergoing extensive alterations during the closing season. The entire stage is being rebuilt and enlarged. The dressing rooms and offices will be late in being built up on Richmond street. One great advantage of this reconstruction is that every seat in the large auditorium will command a full view of the entire stage. The entire hall will be redecorated. Many notable artists, as well as unusually large spectacular attractions, are booked for next season, commencing with D. W. Griffith's wonderful picture, "Intolerance," which will open on August 25 for a run during the Canadian national exhibition time.

FAVORS MONTHLY PAYMENT.

Despite the opinion of certain members of the Toronto police force and the Trades and Labor Council, Chief of Police, Mr. G. H. Macdonald, has decided to accept a monthly system of payment for the police force. The monthly payment is satisfactory, and that the monthly payment is satisfactory, and that the monthly payment is satisfactory.

BETTING MEN SENTENCED.

William J. Vadden, who pleaded guilty to keeping a common betting-house at 428 College street, was sentenced to prison for six months, and ordered to pay a fine of \$200, when he came up in the police court yesterday. Frank Mills, his employee, was sentenced for 60 days and ordered to pay \$100.

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OPEN PLAYGROUNDS DURING HOLIDAYS

Some Trustees Think This Might Save Cost of Summer Schools.

PRINCIPALS CHANGED

Promotions of Men of Military Age Are Only Temporary.

"I would have every schoolyard in the city open from 7 in the morning until evening for the children to play," said Dr. Noble at a meeting of the management committee of the board of education yesterday. The matter of heating for the open-air schools, and providing additional outdoor seats and blankets for the forest schools were under discussion. Trustees Noble, Hunter and Houston contended that these schools created an unnecessary expense. The schoolyards, with a returned soldier as a supervisor, would meet the situation just as well, said Trustee Noble. It was decided to supply the extra blankets required for the forest schools. The matter of heating for the open-air schools, and providing additional outdoor seats and blankets for the forest schools were under discussion.

Leave of absence for overseas service was granted to F. Asbury of Harbord Collegiate, who had been principal of George Street School, who had applied for a change of position, is to be granted an increase in salary.

A letter was read from the Toronto Tax Reduction Association, asking that more attention be paid to the school, and that the curriculum be cut down and advising vocational guidance. This letter commended the work of members of the board. It was decided to tell the tax reduction association that the minister of education has laid down the school course, which must be followed.

WOMEN VOLUNTEERS APPRECIATED.

Fifty Young Women at Waterloo Doing Good Work With Berry Crop.

Special to The Toronto World.

Waterloo, July 6.—Waterford berry farmers are beginning to realize what acquisition to the village and country-side they have in the 50 young women staying in the Teater Hotel, who have loyally come forward to help harvest the berry crop and to be useful to the farmers. Their work is proving of the greatest help and is much appreciated by the community. The greatest care is being taken by the women in picking and grading the fruit, and their work is of the highest standard.

THE UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL SUPPLY ASSOCIATION.

The following principals are to be transferred: (a) Mr. N. S. Macdonald, from Dufferin School to Ryerson School; (b) Mr. G. F. Smith, from Bolton Avenue School to Dufferin School; (c) Mr. W. R. Noble, from Deer Park School to Bolton Avenue School; (d) Mr. J. J. Farnley, from Kew Beach School to Glen Hill Avenue School; (e) Mr. J. T. Tolchard, from Coleman Avenue School to Kew Beach School.

W. Mason, assistant master in Perth Avenue School, is promoted to be acting principal of Coleman Avenue School. A discussion was caused through the transfer of F. A. McEwen, assistant master of Front Street School, to the position of acting principal in Coleman Avenue.

Trustee Edmunds contended that such positions should be held by men putting a premium upon those who stay at home, and this would be greatly unfair to those at the front. Inspector Cowley said it was clearly understood that those taking positions as acting principals would have no precedence over the men at the front in their return, but would be placed in the front line.

It was finally decided to appoint Miss Mark of Kew Beach to the disputed position.

Additional classes will be formed in the following schools: (a) Brock Avenue School, one class; (b) Essex Street School, one class; (c) Glen Hill Avenue School, one class; (d) Kitchener School, one or two classes; (e) Leslie Street School, one class; (f) Niagara Street School, one class; (g) Norwood School, one class; (h) Regal Road School, one or two classes; (i) Roden School, one class; (j) Wilkinson School, one or two classes; (k) Williamson Road School, two classes.

SPAIN DESIROUS OF KEEPING NEUTRALITY

Premier Says Articles in British and French Press Give Wrong View.

Paris, July 6.—At a meeting of the Spanish cabinet presided over by King Alfonso, as reported in a Havas dispatch from Madrid, Premier Dato outlined the situation in regard to labor problems, most of which were said to have been solved in a satisfactory manner. Dealing with the diplomatic situation, the premier referred to comments in the foreign press which he did not consider just. He spoke particularly of articles in the French and

ALARMING EPIDEMIC

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Remarkable interest has been aroused by the ever-increasing number of cases of hair troubles reported from all parts of the world, and more especially in the great metropolitan centres. Thousands of men and women are finding hair trouble, premature baldness and loss of hair, troubling them today as never before.

HOW THE HAIR IS BEING POISONED

Mr. Edwards, the Discoverer-Inventor of "Hairene," and "Hairene Hair-Drill," whose hair opinion was sought, had much to say on this subject.

There is certainly a great increase in the number of hair troubles, and it is not a task to realize how the hair is being poisoned. In the great metropolitan centres, where there are hundreds of thousands of men and women suffering from hair weakness, which is the result of the hair being poisoned by the use of cheap hair preparations, the hair is being poisoned by the use of cheap hair preparations.

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