

START NEW WAR ON PROFITEERS

Dutch Towns Import Goods And Undersell the Merchants There

AMSTERDAM IN LEAD

Imports Butter from Denmark And Put in On Sale at Bargain.

AMSTERDAM, April 4.—(By Mail) A number of Dutch municipalities including Amsterdam, are going into the important business, themselves, in an effort to force down the cost of living and expose profiteering.

A year ago, some of the municipalities bought American shoes and put them on sale at a price much below that charged by the Dutch merchants.

Some months later, they imported beef from the Argentine, and put it on the market at about half the price charged for Dutch meat.

The latest move of the Amsterdam city council is to import into Holland, one of the greatest dairying countries in the world, butter from Denmark which is to be sold at a price of 50 Dutch cents a kilogram below the quotations for Dutch butter of the same grade.

These municipalities, in which there are many socialists, believe that Dutch middlemen demand exorbitant profits and that this habit can only be broken when the people and they can buy imported commodities much cheaper than domestic even after freight and duty charges have been paid.

Dutch manufacturers have demanded of parliament a protective tariff, in addition to the ordinary five percent duty charged on most commodities, but the government has declined to adopt a general policy along this line.

For years Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator has ranked as a reliable worm preparation and it always maintains its reputation.

Found Woman Dying.

Brookville.—A butcher delivery boy who noticed all the blinds drawn on the house of Mrs. Almira Montey, Merrickville, investigated and found the aged woman, who lived alone, lying on the floor unconscious, having suffered a stroke of apoplexy. The next day she passed away. Mrs. Montey was predeceased by her husband and all her children and was 82 years old.

A Bird Sanctuary.

Peterboro.—A numerous flock of wild geese arejourning in North Monaghan, dividing the attention between ponds on T. Lillio's farm and a nearby property. Reeve McIntosh says they have been there several weeks and are apparently the regular semi-annual visitors that appear every spring and fall, flying between migratory flights northward and back again to the south. The farmers do not molest them as they feed in the low lands which they evidently have come to regard as a preserve, and sanctuary. They remain for a short time until they receive some occult sign that beckons them onward, and a morning comes when the temporary flocks disappear, some miles from the city.

A Corrector of Pulmonary Troubles.—Many testimonials could be presented showing the great efficacy of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in curing disorders of the respiratory processes, but the best testimonial is experience and the Oil is recommended to all who suffer from these disorders with the certainty that they will find relief. It will allay inflammation in the bronchial tubes.

Boat Leaves for Toronto.

Kingston.—The tug Earl King of the Russell Company of Toronto was the first boat to leave the harbor this season with the exception of the Willie Island and Cape Vincent ferries. The Earl King was laid up here last fall at the completion of the navigation season and has been overhauled and repaired here. The tug King engaged in towing the dredges in the Toronto harbor. She made several trips to Kingston last season and is quite well known here.

Water High At Bancroft.

Bancroft.—Not for many years has the York Branch been so high here. The heavy rains and spring freshets have caused two dams to break away above Baptiste Lake. The dam at Baptiste is anything but safe and should it go out the business section of this village will be completely under water. The water has risen to an alarming height, reaching out to Hastings Street at different points.

BRING WINE, FOOD, EAT BETWEEN ACTS LATEST VIENNA PLAN

VIENNA, April 4.—(By Mail) Theater managers complain that upholstery of their houses is being ruined by the new habit of playgoers bringing their suppers and eating them during the entire acts.

Because of the lighting and transport restrictions performances here begin at seven o'clock. The result is that persons cannot go home from business and after the theatre the restaurants have closed.

It is said that dozens of sardine boxes and other meat cases, crumbs of bread and cheese and meat scraps are swept up after each performance while all the filth and dirt is trodden into carpets and rubbed in the seats.

It is not unusual to see a family open up the supper, produce wine and glasses and calmly dine between the acts.

SWORD DUELLING IS STILL POPULAR

Students at Heidelberg Not "One of Us" Unless Marked by Cuts

MUST NEVER QUIT

Surgeons Stand By to Sew Up Cuts and Slashes—Not Much Danger

HEIDELBERG, Germany, Apr. 4.—Sword duelling in the University of Heidelberg is as popular and as common today as it was more than 500 years ago, when this oldest of German schools was founded. Virtually every student who has passed the first year wears a sword scar on the left side of his chin or the left cheek or a bandaged head which advertises that the scar is in the making.

Duels do not always arise from anger or quarrels, but out of the necessity of providing the student with the diploma of sword prowess, or to give him sword practice which affords the students great delight. They are sometimes arranged, like a boxing bout, by fraternities which have developed certain differences of opinion. Five round duels are popular.

"Surgeons stand by to sew up the wounds after each round, which usually last a minute," said a Heidelberg man, who wore a deep scar on his chin. "If neither student is badly damaged, the fight will go the full number of rounds decided upon, after which the stitches the surgeons have taken will be counted and the man with the fewest stitches will be declared the winner."

"Should, at any time during the encounter, a combatant dodge a sword stroke his opponent immediately declared winner. That is the unforgivable thing in the students duelling code—to dodge a stroke."

Except infrequent combats between older students, when heavy swords are used, duelling in Heidelberg is not dangerous. The heads and necks of the fighters, and the abdomen are protected by leather guards.

Some of the favorite duelling places are ancient cafes and beer rooms, the floors of which are always covered with sand. The walls lined with huge maps and hung with engravings of pictures and trophies of the fight. These places are sacred to students and it would be a serious offence against custom of half a thousand years for a stranger to wander in and sit down in some storied chair.

The university is still a law unto itself, and the civil authorities of the town of Heidelberg never, under any pretext, interfere in student affairs. Punishment is administered to refractory students by university authorities. The university is now in the top story of the building, a fine stonemason for the student confined in one of these cells to leave his name and the date of his imprisonment written on the walls.

NONCHALANTLY ORDER 1,000,000 EGGS FOR MEN OF U.S. PACIFIC FLEET

VALPARAISO, CHILE, April 4.—Officers of the supply ships which accompanied the United States Pacific fleet on its recent South American cruise struck a staggering blow to the pride of local produce merchants when 1,000,000 eggs were ordered for the return voyage to American waters.

Egg laying is not at high tide in these latitudes at this season and it is doubtful whether the Valparaiso merchants were able to fill one-third of the big order.

Sick in Bed for a Long, Long Time

C. H. POBRAN NOW PRAISES DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Saskatchewan Man Gives the Reason Why Dodd's Kidney Pills Have Become the Standard Canadian Kidney Remedy.

Haford, Sask., Apr. 4.—(Special) Dodd's Kidney Pills have few more faithful friends in any part of Canada than C. H. Pobran, well known and highly respected here. He gives the reason in a few words that go right to the point.

"I was sick in bed for a long time before I used Dodd's Kidney Pills," he says, "and I am healthy now. I am very thankful I used Dodd's Kidney Pills."

It is friends like Mr. Pobran who have given Dodd's Kidney Pills the reputation which for twenty years has stamped them as Canada's standard kidney remedy. They have been used for all forms of kidney disease such as backache, urinary troubles, dropsy, diabetes, rheumatism, and heart disease. They have given satisfaction. If you haven't tried Dodd's Kidney Pills ask your neighbors about them.

Are Requiring the Line.

Kingston.—On Thursday the local representatives of the Ontario labor employment bureau placed a number of men on railroad repair work. Now that the frost is almost out of the ground, the railroad companies are placing extra gangs on the track work.

Still Raiding Cottages.

Port Hope.—Mr. G. V. Strong, Port Hope, received word that burglars had gained an entrance to his summer cottage at Presquille Point. No particulars were given of the amount of damage done. Burglary in summer cottages has been carried on in a wholesale manner this season.

MORE DISORDERS IN LONDONDERRY

Another Constable Shot and Killed by Men Who Made Escape

BOMB ELECTRIC STATION

Quartette Wounded by Rifle Bullets But Building Is Unharmed

BELFAST, April 3.—Serious disorders occurred in Londonderry last evening. Constable Higgins was shot and killed by assassins who escaped. Two bombs were thrown at the electric light station and two soldiers were wounded, and in rifle firing that followed the attack two civilians were injured. The station property was not damaged by explosion.

Week's Casualties 46

Dublin, April 2.—The week's casualties among crown forces again were heavy, says the official weekly review, which places them at 46. Nineteen casualties were sustained by the police, five of them being men killed, and fourteen wounded. The military had 13 killed and 24 wounded. There were 26 attacks on the crown forces, of which 22 were ambushes. Sinn Fein assassinations of civilians, the motive for which, according to the review, was friendly relations of the victims with the police and military, numbered nine.

Fourteen raids by armed masked men on clerks of the county petty sessions court were made last night and today for the purpose of seizing funds realized from dog licenses. A large number of similar raids were carried out earlier in the week, resulting in hauls estimated at nearly 1,000 pounds which, it is declared, is being handed over to the Daily Eireann.

A Child and a Bomb

Dublin, April 2.—A child found a bomb today in the ruins of the Ross Carbery Police Barracks, the scene early yesterday of a Sinn Fein attack, and handed it to a policeman who, seeing the pin was missing threw it into the street. It exploded, killing two persons and seriously wounding three others.

OWNS 60 PAPERS; STINNES BUYS MORE

Vienna, April 4.—According to reports current in newspaper circles Hugo Stinnes, the great German capitalist, is buying up the Austrian press on a big scale. It is said that he has acquired three papers in Vienna (The Tagblatt, Mittags Zeitung, and the Oet Uhr Blatt) one in Linz and one in Graz and has started a new paper in Klagenfurt. He owns 60 papers in Germany.

A Poe to Asthma. Give Asthma half a chance and it gains ground rapidly. But give it repeated treatments of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy and it will fall back. There is no half way measure about this remedy. It goes right to work and gives prompt relief. It reaches the most breathing passages and leaves no place for the trouble to lurk. Have it by you for ready use.

With so thorough a preparation at hand as Miller's Worm Powders the mother who allows her children to suffer from the ravages of worms is unwise and culpably careless. A child subjected to the attacks of worms is always unhealthy and worms is stunted in its growth. It is a merciful act to rid it of these destructive parasites, especially when it can be done without difficulty.

CHEYENNE, Wyo., Apr. 2.—L. C. Leshar, a farmer who ran away from his California home many years ago, has been informed that his father has died and willed him \$2,000,000. He will keep his card in the farmers union and erect a home for broken down laborers.

It has Many Qualities.—The man who possesses a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil is armed against many ills. It will relieve a cough, break a cold, prevent sore throat, it will reduce the swelling from a sprain, relieve the most persistent sores and will speedily heal cuts and contusions. It is a medicine chest in itself, and can be got for a quarter of a dollar.

Packing Cases Robbed of Contents.

Port Hope.—Two large packing cases containing liquor were robbed of their contents at the uptown G.T.E. freight sheds at Whitby. The men given this name, applied for delivery of them, but S. McPhadden, the G.T.E. agent, noting that he was a stranger, refused delivery pending identification. The chief of police later ordered the liquor held until something could be learned about the applicant for the liquor.

Took Wrong Medicine.

Smith's Falls.—Miss Harriet Alice Hamer, a former Smith's Falls nurse, employed in an Exeter, Sask., surgery, took Colman's salve from a bottle which had recently been labelled and died on the next day. She saw service overseas as a nurse and was born in Smith's Falls.

Served Twenty-Three Years.

Kingston.—Lieut. W. G. Bailey, who resided from the position of A. D. C. on the district headquarters staff, M.D. No. 3, has served twenty-three years on the permanent force. He has been granted the rank of captain dating from February 1st.

The ease with which corns and warts can be removed by Hollway's Corn Remover is its strongest recommendation. It seldom fails.

LOOTING OF GRAIN SHIPS PART OF DAILY WORK

VIENNA, April 4.—Whole-sale looting of grain barges bound from Yugoslavia to Vienna has led to more than 100 arrests, according to the newspapers. The sailors have an arrangement with the illicit dealers. They sound the siren to indicate what kind of cargo they carry, the smugglers put off in boats and buy all they want, which is resold through the left hand trade at an advance.

More than 50 carloads of foodstuffs are reported to have been thus looted.

NO GRAND JURY IS NEEDED HERE

Only Criminal Case On Slate to be Dealt With Other-wise

The grand jury notice for the assizes which open here next week has been struck out, the only criminal case which was to have come up having been dealt with by re-election and trial before the judge.

33 KILLED IN MEXICO WRECK

EAGLE PASS, Texas, Apr. 4.—Thirty-three persons were killed in a collision between a freight and a passenger train on the Mexican National line at Villa Garza, between Parrand and Monterey, according to reports received here today. The time of accident was not given. The only identified person was Victor Villareal, candidate for mayor of Piedras Negras, a town opposite Eagle Pass, the report said.

"Macassa" Again Opens the Season

TORONTO, Apr. 4.—Navigation from Toronto harbor was officially opened today when the steamer Macassa, of the Canada Steamship Lines, under Captain G. Coran, entered the harbor from Hamilton and won for her commander the harbor-master's hat for 1921.

"Three Dollar" Plan Has Seven Supporters

Interest centres around the city council committee's proposal to pay themselves three dollars for every council meeting and every committee meeting. It is claimed by those favoring the proposal that the recommendation will carry with seven votes in its favor. At least two will oppose.

TURKS CLAIM BIG VICTORY

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 4.—The Greek army which has been operating against Eskid Sheesleski Shehr, has been driven back behind the Bursa line, following its defeat by the Turkish Nationalists. It was asserted here today. Authoritative sources declared confirmation of reports to this effect had been received.

New Cheese Instructor.

Campbellford.—Mr. John A. Murray has been appointed cheese instructor for the Campbellford section for the year 1921.

Mr. Murray has made cheese for seventeen years, twelve of which were spent in Prince of Wales territory, and has always been considered one of the best makers in the district. At the close of his course in Kingston he stood third among those who took first-class honours, and was awarded a diploma. In the cheese competition at Belleville a few years ago, Campbellford took first place in the highest score per factory and out of the four classes entered. Mr. Murray stood first in two and well up in the others. With such qualifications, Mr. Murray's appointment will meet with general satisfaction.

Miss Laura Thompson of this city is spending her holidays at her home in Madoc.

Mrs. Spry and daughter, of Albert in Madoc, are rehearsing acquaintances.

Mrs. Waite of this city is visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Leavens, of Oshawa.

Miss Marion Bentley, of Belleville is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. T. H. Thompson, Madoc.

Mrs. E. J. Britton was one of the active workers in Murray and Coleman Ward section of St. Michael's church.

HOTLY DENIES STORY OF GIFT TO MR. BIGGS

Parkins, Dundas Garage Man, Alleges Whole Thing is Frame-up

DISCREDIT THE U.F.O.

Says Minister's Connection With the Truck Deal Will Stand Probe

HAMILTON, April 4.—Hotly repudiating the grave allegations made by Roy Reynolds before the Public Accounts Committee of the Legislature on Friday in connection with the purchase of \$112,000 worth of Sterling trucks for the Provincial Public Works Department, L. C. Parkins, the Dundas garage man who sold the trucks to the Government, claims that the story was a frame-up by certain political interests which are determined to discredit the U. F. O. movement.

As for the attempt to involve directly Hon. Frank C. Biggs, Minister of Public Works, in the matter, Mr. Parkins declared that the Minister was a man of unimpeachable honesty. The latter's connection with the truck deal would stand the fullest investigation, Mr. Parkins said, for Mr. Biggs had acted legitimately and there was nothing pertaining to the matter at all that was irregular.

OBITUARY

MRS. WICKSON DIES

Lucy Elizabeth Wickson passed away at her home, 50 East Moira St., after an illness extending over two years. She was born in Gloucestershire, England, and for ten years had lived in Belleville. She was a member of St. Thomas' Church. The husband and ten children survive, the latter being Mrs. E. Martin, of Latta, Mrs. W. L. Dawn of Alberta, Kathleen, Annie, Olive, Margaret at home, Henry G. of Toronto, W. F. of Sidney, John E. of Toronto and James A. of Sidney. Mrs. Tough of Moira St. and Mr. E. Cook, of Gordon St., are sister and brother of deceased.

DAVID WHITNEY DEAD

David Whitney, aged 76 years, died in the County House, of Refuge yesterday. He was a native of Enderbury and had been a farmer. For thirteen years he was an inmate here.

MRS. CLAPSADDE DIES

Mrs. Stephen Clapsaddle died today at her home, Park Street, Thurlow. Deceased was formerly Miss Etta Sleeth. She was born in Frontenac County in 1874 and had resided here for eleven years. Surviving is her husband. Deceased was an active member of the Holiness Movement and was formerly an evangelist in the Salvation Army and Holiness movement. She was taken seriously ill on the 2nd of December. The remains will be taken to Roslin for interment Wednesday.

MRS. KILPATRICK

Mrs. Kilpatrick, a well-known lady died last evening at her home in Foxboro. She was a Methodist and leaves one daughter. Until the death of her husband she had lived for many years in Thurlow.

MRS. J. A. ZUFELT

The death occurred in Toronto on Sunday of Mrs. J. A. Zufelt, a former resident of Belleville. Her maiden name was Nina Walt. She had been ill for several months. While a resident of Belleville she attended Bridge St. Methodist Church. Surviving are her husband, two sons William and Delbert, of Toronto and one daughter, Mrs. Roy Duffin.

The body is being brought to Belleville for interment.

TELEPHONE COAST LIFE

At the regular monthly meeting of the Belleville Ministerial Association today, Rev. Dr. Cleaver spoke on Indian life along the British Columbia coast, telling of fishing, hunting and the habits of life of the Indians and of the coming of the missionaries to them.

FUNERAL OF MRS. ROE

The funeral of the late Mrs. J. J. Roe, who died in Regina took place this morning from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford, Foxboro, to St. Michael's Church. Rev. Father Killeen celebrating a solemn requiem mass. Interment was made in St. James' cemetery, the Rev. Father Whelan officiating. The bearers were D. Donovan, M. Rose, C. Hamilton, C. Stewart, H. McDonald, K. Prestice, L. Howe and G. Thompson.

CHILD OF A VERY ILL

Harold Taylor, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Taylor, is ill in the hospital with pleuro-pneumonia.

COT THE LIQUOR FROM STRANGER ON BOARD TRAIN

Unknown to Crew Mounted Engine and Ran Into Thirsty Friend

DISMOUNTED IN CITY

Magistrate Fines Two Men \$20 and Costs Plus a Warning

Thomas Ryan, admitting that he was intoxicated when arrested last night on George Street, told Magistrate Masson that he got his liquor on a train near Colborne. He was on the engine tender.

"Was it on the engine you got the booze?"

"Yes."

"You say the crew on the engine gave you the liquor?"

"No. It was a man who got on at Colborne."

To the court he said that the crew did not know he was on the engine. His intentions were to ride straight through to Montreal.

"I suppose it will be \$20, and costs or one month in jail," said Magistrate Masson and Ryan stepped out of the box.

Joseph Labarge told a like tale on a like charge. The head who jumped on the engine tender at Colborne was a middle aged man, according to Labarge's story, and produced two bottles. They "killed" the first bottle, drank from the second and reaching Belleville got off and wandered around town.

"Seeing the beauty of the Garden of Eden?"

"We felt like that about that time." The story was cut short with a \$20 fine or one month in carceration.

USE BOMBS IN BELFAST; NO ONE HURT

BELFAST, April 4.—Belfast this morning had its first experience of bomb throwing. Two bombs were hurled at men guarding the Ulster Club, at which General Bainbridge, in command of the troops in Ulster, is a frequent visitor. Only one of the bombs exploded, however, and this caused neither damage or casualties. The bomb throwers escaped.

Plate Glass Door In Bits Following Cale Battle, Sunday

There was a sound of shivering glass last night at the Newfoundland Cafe, up street Sunday and a police court explanation will likely follow. Two youths had an argument with one of the Chinese waiters over an account, and glass flew. The Chinaman rushed to close the front door but one got out before the door closed. The second guest kicked at the plate glass front with a gaping hole in a result. The police declare they have the names of the rioters.

U. S. Comes In With Suggestion To The Germans

WASHINGTON, Apr. 4.—Hope that negotiations will be re-opened by Germany and the Allied Governments for a new schedule of reparations, was expressed in a memorandum transmitted to Berlin by the State Department, it was announced today, at the Department. It was sent to Loring Dressel, United States High Commissioner, for communication to German officials.

DIED

CLAPSADDE.—At her home, Park Street, Thurlow, Etta Clapsaddle, aged 50 years, wife of Stephen Clapsaddle.

WICKSON.—In Belleville on Sunday April 3rd, Lucy Elizabeth Wickson, wife of Henry Wickson.

ZUFELT.—In Toronto at 301 Kenelworth Avenue, on Sunday April 3rd, Nina Walt, beloved wife of J. A. Zufelt.

McCORKELL.—At Gravenhurst, April 3rd, 1921, Lillian Myrtle Haight, wife of Joseph E. McCorkell.

ROE.—At Gray Nuns' Hospital, Regina, Elizabeth Burd, wife of J. Roe.

ADD 652 NAMES TO VOTERS LISTS

Registrations in Belleville Compare Favorably as to Number

Six hundred and fifty two names

were added to the voters lists in the city of Belleville at the courts of revision, as follows:

Foster, Samson and Murney wards 211; Ketcheson, Baldwin and Bleeker Wards, 246; Coleman Ward, 101. Total 652.

The registration in Belleville was fairly large in comparison with other places.

HOSPITAL HERE NEEDS \$10,000

Council May Be Asked For Money and Citizens Sure to be

Belleville General Hospital will require about ten thousand dollars this year and plans are being discussed as to raising the fund. It is proposed to do so by private subscriptions to the amount of three thousand dollars. The city may be asked for a one mill assessment this year for hospital expenses.

The proposition has not yet come before the attention of the council.

WEDDING BELLS

CHILVERS—BURTT.

At the Tabernacle parlourage this morning the Rev. W. Elliott united in marriage John Henry Chilvers and Gladys Irene Burtt, both of Belleville. The young couple were unattended and after the ceremony left on their honeymoon trip to Quebec. The groom is a well-known Grand Trunk employee.

DAINTON—MEDHURST

At St. Thomas' Church rectory on Saturday the Ven. Archdeacon Beamish united in marriage Stanley Dainton and Miss Rosina May Medhurst, both of Belleville.

DOYLE—TISDALE

The marriage was celebrated on Saturday evening of Eugene Michael Doyle and Miss Helena Stella Tisdale, both of this city, by the Ven. Archdeacon Beamish at St. Thomas' rectory.

MARRIED

SHEFFIELD—CLARKE.—On March the 23rd at Campton Methodist parlourage, by the Rev. J. S. McMullen, Mr. Walter Carl Sheffield to Miss Frances Mae Clarke, both of Thurlow.

FOUND—LANGABEER.—On March the 31st at the Campton Methodist parlourage, by the Rev. J. S. McMullen, Mr. Harry H. Pound to Miss Bessie F. Langabeer, both of Thurlow.

FASHION NOTES SAY

That the uneven hem prevails in newest French models, many of which have longer skirts.

That perhaps the most striking phase in millinery, as well as dresses, is that fabric, straw, ribbon, feathers and flowers are all of the shiny (or crepe) order, leaves, petals and clusters of fruit all "shiny."

That London reports that corduroy velvet, printed in colored floral designs, and the last word for mystery, and the material, which is among the hardest wearing fabrics obtainable, is greatly improved by the patterns.

ON CHARGE OF GAMBLING.

Secret. Boyd, Officers Johnson and Booth and Inspector Collison participated in a raid on Bridge St. East business section on Sunday evening and as a result five foreigners will be brought to court for gambling on the Lord's Day. Cards and money were in