

## VICTORY LOAN FINANCES BIG LIVE STOCK EXPORTS

Sir Thomas White Says Industry Dependent Largely  
On Success of Big Loan

In the past fiscal year Canada had a surplus of animal exports amounting to \$142,245,195, of which the cattle, mutton and pork products amounted to \$100,000,000. This large business was absolutely dependent on the ability of the Government to finance the sales to Great Britain out of the Victory Loan of last year.

Sir Thomas White, Minister of Finance says: "The Victory Loan (1917) maintained the live stock market. The Government has urged the farmers to raise hogs. It is, therefore, vitally important that the entire bacon product should be sold at a good price. Last year's surplus of pork and beef, valued at \$100,000,000, was purchased outright for the British Government. Canadian bacon enjoys a great vogue in the Old Country and the loss of the British market would be a serious matter to this industry."

**Britain Buys on Credit.**  
The situation, of course, was that Canada had to advance the money for the British Government's purchases, and would not have been able to do so had it not been for the success of the Victory Loan. Last year the people contributed \$416,000,000 in loan money. It was a good investment for them—5% per cent, and tax free—but the best thing was it helped to carry on some of the immense industries which would have lagged for want of markets. Out of the proceeds of the Victory Loan the farmers and manufacturers received huge sums of money for their produce exports to Great Britain and the amount was charged up against

the Mother Country. It is a matter of bookkeeping, but the big thing is our splendid markets were maintained.

**Growth of Industry.**  
The growth of Canada's live stock industry is one of the big features in connection with our export trade. In 1913 we had a total trade in animal exports of \$29,704,128. During the fiscal year ended March 31 last our animal exports had reached the gigantic figure of \$142,245,195. That was an increase of 470 per cent. It was because of the success of the 1917 Victory Loan and previous loan issues that the Government was enabled to maintain and enlarge these markets.

It is important, therefore, that this year's loan shall be an overwhelming success. Sir Thomas gives as the absolute minimum the sum of \$300,000,000 that must be raised. But the main objective is \$500,000,000 and it is this figure that should be raised. Canadians have had the most prosperous business in history. The Government will need huge sums to carry on war and after-war promotions. Will the people rise to the situation and assure there shall be no fall down?

### THE CROSS HIS PUT IN DEATH:

A posthumous award of the Victoria Cross has been made to Corporal Harry Garnet Bedford Minor, a Chatham soldier, who died August 8 last of wounds received when, single-handed, he captured a German machine-gun and its crew and then attempted to capture a second.

## NO PRETENSE OF JUSTICE IN RUSSIA TO-DAY

British Government Will  
Exact Atonement for  
Outrages Committed  
APPALING CARNAGE

By Courier Leased Wire.

London, Oct. 31.—Discussing the position of British subjects in Russia in the House of Commons to-day, Lord Robert Cecil, assistant secretary of state for foreign affairs, said that the government's information was that the amount of bloodshed by the present government of Russia greatly exceeded anything that ever took place under the imperial regime.

"There has been no pretense of justice," he said. "People of all nationalities have been arrested and imprisoned without any reason being given. Moreover, there has been a large amount of casual murder and brigandage throughout all of European Russia." There has also been reckless destruction of all means of subsistence. The British Government will shrink from nothing within their power to get every British subject out of Russia and unquestionably mean to exact justice on the people guilty of these outrages when they are able to get them in their power."

## BRITAIN HAILED AS RUSSIA'S SAVIOUR

Chief of Military Mission in  
Siberia Given Warm  
Welcome

Tokio, Tuesday, Oct. 29.—A War Office communication issued to-day says:

"Gen. Knox, chief of the British military mission in Siberia, arrived at Omsk last Saturday. He was warmly welcomed by a large number of officials of the Siberian government and guards of honor. The commander-in-chief of the Russian troops held a review at noon, which was participated in by all the Omsk garrison, who cheered Gen. Knox."

"British troops arrived in Omsk Sunday. Gen. Volog Vosky, commander of the Russian troops, received them. A triumphal arch which had been built at the entrance to the railroad station was decorated with the Union Jack. The Russian troops and the populace generally, including school children, lined the streets and gave to Britishers an ovation. Great Britain was hailed as the saviour of Russia. The Siberian government distributed publications, while the newspapers enthusiastically praised British chivalry in rescuing Russia."

## SAUERKRAUT? NO! LIBERTY CABBAGE

German Name Should Not  
Prejudice Canadians  
Against Dish

Considerable prejudice exists in the minds of a good many people on the subject of sauer kraut and there is some hesitancy about using it because it is always associated with Germany. As a matter of fact, sauer kraut was first made in Holland, although the Hun, with customary acquisitiveness, took it up and made it more or less of a national dish. It is manufactured extensively on this continent and is made in many homes. There should be no hesitancy about using it on the same scale as before the war. It is not really of German origin. In the United States it is now called "Liberty Cabbage."

To make sauer kraut the outside leaves of the cabbage should be removed and the core cut crosswise several times and shredded very finely with the rest of the cabbage. Pack into a clean barrel, keg or tub, taking care to distribute the salt as uniformly as possible, using one pound of salt to 40 pounds of cabbage. Sprinkle a little salt in the container and put in a layer of 3 or 4 inches of shredded cabbage. Pack down with a wooden utensil like a potato masher. Repeat with salt, cabbage and packing until the container is full or the shredded cabbage is all used. Press the cabbage down as tightly as possible and apply a cloth and then a glazed plate or a board cover which will go inside the holder. On top of this cover place stones or weights of some kind, which will serve to force the brine above the cover.

Allow fermentation to proceed for ten days, or two weeks, if the room is warm. In a cellar or other cool place from three to five weeks will be required. Skim off the film which forms when fermentation starts and repeat this daily if necessary to keep it from becoming scum. When gas bubbles cease to arise, if the container is tapped, the fermentation is complete. If there is scum it should be removed. As a final step pour melted paraffin over the brine until it forms a layer from one quarter to half an inch thick to prevent the formation of scum. This is only necessary if the kraut is going to be kept for a long time.

### KINGSTON HAS TOWER OF REFUGE:

Although the current epidemic has raged with extreme severity in Kingston, that city has one tower of refuge, and a single case having developed within the penitentiary walls. Apparently the "pen" is as hard to get into as to get out.

## PREVENTING WASTE IN WOOD INDUSTRIES

By-Products May be Put to  
Numerous and Various  
Uses

Saw-mill waste amounts to about 40 per cent. of the original tree. The first lumber, on the average, represents only from 30 to 35 per cent. of the tree. New developments in the utilization of wood waste are being made continually, but it is false economy to burn or waste unless the by-product industries can be carried on at a profit. Effective utilization calls for a variety of chemical and mechanical processes which must be adapted to the form, species and quantity of wood waste available at any point. Slabs, edgings and trimmings represent 15 to 17 per cent. of the tree. Among the more common uses are fuel, boiler, box shooks, small cooperage, small wooden articles, kraft and sulphite pulp, excelsior, wood flour, wood wool and producer gas. Sawdust accounts for another 11 per cent. and is used to some extent for fuel, producer gas, briquettes, potting materials, insulating, packing, bedding in stables, floor sweeping, compounds, composition flooring blocks, linoleum, improving clay soils, smoking meat and fish, blasting powders, wood flour, plastics, porous bricks, mixing with mortar and concrete, distillation. A large amount of sawdust and excelsior, bark amounts to about 10 per cent. of the tree. It is usually used for fuel, although hemlock and oak bark are important in the tannin industry. A recent development is the use of spent hemlock bark for mixing to the extent of about 30 per cent. with ray stock in the manufacture of roofing felts. Experiments on use in wall board, indurated pails, conduits and wall paper give promise of success. In the manufacture of special wood products a good deal of wood is lost, during seasoning, by decay, due to poor methods of storage, and also by warping and splitting. There is a large waste in converting wood into the desired shape for the finished article. Proper combination with plants making small wood articles brings about a great economy of material. Shavings find use as fuel and to some extent for packing, bedding, drying, wall board manufacturing, fibre-board. Beechwood shavings are required in large quantity by vinegar factories, but this is another case where specially cut wood is usually used instead of relying on by-product wood from various plants.

### INCREASED FIRE

By Courier Leased Wire.  
With the American Army North-west of Verdun, Nov. 1, 9.30 a.m. (By the Associated Press.)—Greatly increased fire by the American heavy and light batteries began this morning all along the front of the American first army.

### RECOGNIZE OMSK GOVT.

By Courier Leased Wire.  
Archangel, Monday, Oct. 28.—(By the Associated Press.)—In response to a message from Omsk, the government in Northern Russia, headed by Nicholas Tschelchewsky, has determined to formally recognize the All Russian authority of the Omsk government.

### COMMUNICATION CUT.

By Courier Leased Wire.  
Paris, Oct. 31.—Communication between Agram and Plume and Budapest and Vienna has been totally interrupted. The Czechoslovaks have cut the railroad between Berlin and Vienna near Bohenbach and German trains can go only as far as Schnadau, according to a Zurich despatch to The Journal.

Plume is the principal seaport of Hungary. Agram is the capital of Croatia and Slavonia and is situated near the Save River, 75 miles inland. Bohenbach, where the railroad between Berlin and Vienna has been cut, is a town in Bohemia, near the Saxon frontier, and is situated on the Elbe River.

### AID FOR RUSS PRISONERS.

Copenhagen, Monday, Oct. 31.—The Copenhagen office of the Moscow war relief committee asks the Associated Press to convey to America an appeal in behalf of the more than two million Russian prisoners in Germany and Austria, who appear to have been generally forgotten. At least 200,000 of the prisoners are ill and death announcements reach the Copenhagen committee daily, literally in bundles. Similar committees, formerly working in London, Paris, The Hague and Berne have been forced to abandon their work owing to difficulties of obtaining food for the prisoners, thus placing everything upon the local committee. The funds of the Copenhagen committee are nearing exhaustion and the committee cannot send more than 20,000 parcels monthly. The committee declares that unless funds are received even this trifling relief must end.

### SAVE TO WIN

If you WANT paper, SAVE it.  
If you don't save it, you don't NEED it.  
If you don't save it, you don't NEED it.  
If you don't save it, you don't NEED it.  
Canada needs the Money that buys its way to the Victory.

## VEILED FACES IN EDMONTON:

A true follower of the Prophet will feel quite at home on Edmonton street cars these days, all passengers wearing the veil—or rather mask. It has precisely the appearance when worn by a lady of the sacred face covering of virtuous womanhood in strict Mohammedan lands.

## GERMAN NAMES IN THE MESSAGE:

Captain Minard of the Dominion Police at London is investigating the finding of an exhausted homing pigeon bearing a cipher message which was found on the farm of William Needham, London Township. The message bears German names.

## CAN THIS BE HINDENBURG?

John Harbibal of Fenelon Falls, sold a hog to the Farmer's Club last Tuesday that was officially recorded as weighing seven hundred pounds and a little over.

The Home Guard's Hand Grenade—The Victory Bond.

## BUY VICTORY BONDS Women's and Misses' COATS For the Wintry Weather



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## Announcement

Owing to delay of materials and scarcity of men, our new store has not been completed, therefore Saturday we will be at our old store, 76 Market Street, where we will have many bargains in the highest grade of Ladies' Ready-to-Wear.

This will be our last Saturday at this store, and we want it to be one of the largest of the business, and to do this we are offering bargains that will agreeably surprise you.

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## Public is Warned against using dangerous Hair Preparations

Recent research on the part of hair specialists reveals the fact that many disagreeable and obstinate scalp diseases are caused and rendered incurable by the indiscriminate use of shampoo preparations.

Chemical analysis proves that most liquid preparations for shampooing contain an excess of alkali (a harmful irritant), which eats its way into the pores of the scalp, rots the roots of the hair, thus causing it to fall out.

The surest, safest and easiest way is to make your own liquid. Buy a carton of Velnor at any drug store. Dissolve one of the small packets into half glass of fresh water and you will have an abundance of pure non-injurious liquid that, aside from cleaning the hair thoroughly, will relieve itching of the scalp, falling hair and dandruff, also improve the natural color of the hair. Velnor being in concentrated form, never spoils and will keep forever.

## Spanish Influenza

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