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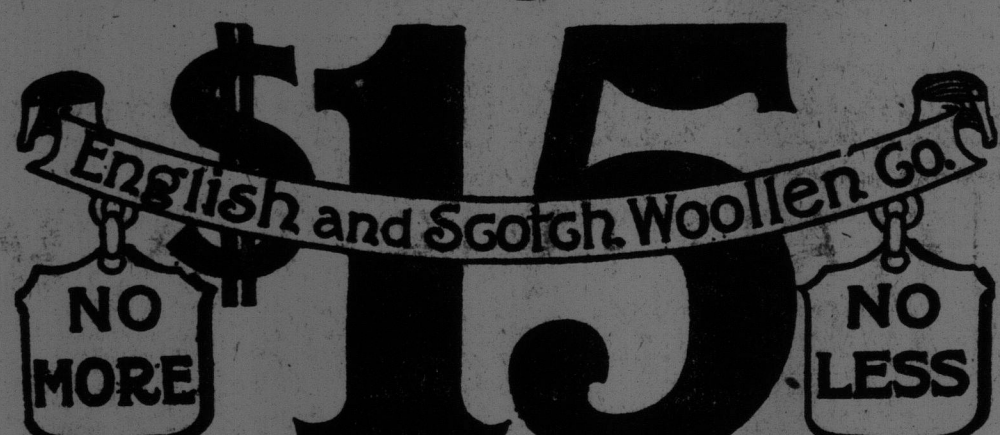
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To the Measure of a Man

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CANADA IN THE WAR

Capt. J. D. K. MacNaughton has come from Halifax where he has been since February last, to Sussex to join the 85th as paymaster.

Richard Reid, agent general for Ontario, in England who returned to London yesterday from the front said that the Canadians had been in action for the last week and the fighting had been the hottest of the whole campaign.

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Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, or protruding piles. No surgical operation required.

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MORNING NOTES OF THE WAR

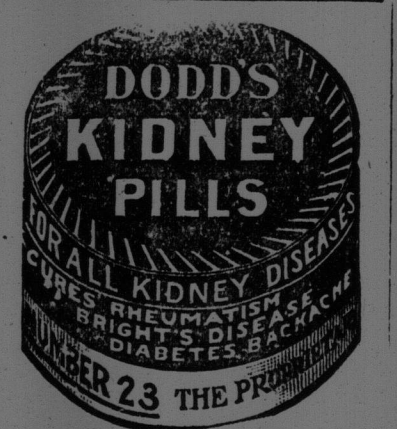
The rioting which took place in different parts of England this week caused by mobs concentrating against German residents, subsided yesterday when Premier Asquith announced that all aliens of the enemy countries in the United Kingdom were to be interned.

King George has stricken off several names from the roll of members of the "Order of the Garter" including that of the Kaiser.

In the House of Lords yesterday, Lord Haldane foreshadowed a new system of recruiting in England when the present congestion is relieved, as the heavy losses at Ypres indicate that immense forces will be needed to win the day.

R. S. Hardie Baugh, a rose enthusiast of Ontario, Cal., is displaying a bloom which measures 6 inches in circumference. The rose is perfectly formed and

fragrant. A fertilizer of rotted potatoes was responsible for the magnificent bloom.



LOCAL MINSTRELS

A GREAT SUCCESS

The "Ebony Swells" Give Thoroughly Enjoyable Performance in Opera House—Lady Minstrels a New Feature

An old time minstrel show with many new time features delighted the audience which crowded the Opera House last evening to see the opening performance of the "Ebony Swells." Both in the originality of the programme and the thoroughly artistic way in which it was given the minstrel show surpassed even the greatest expectations of those upon whom the responsibility for its success rests. Applause and demands for re-enactment, showed how thoroughly the audience enjoyed the efforts of the amateur entertainers.

To James S. Ford, who has worked night and day in the preparations for the entertainment directing the rehearsals and who acted as music conductor last evening must be given much of the credit for the success of the musical programme. E. Murray Olive, a former member of the old B. & A. C. Minstrels, who acted as stage manager, shares the honors for his effective work in the preparation of the distinctive minstrel features.

The entertainment is given under the auspices of the members of the Loyalist Chapter I. O. O. E., and the proceeds will be devoted to patriotic purposes.

One of the novel features introduced was the part taken by the young lady members of the "circle" an innovation in minstrelsy. F. C. MacNeil, as inter-locutor, kept the rapid-fire dialogue going with great success. Most of the jokes were of local significance and many of the songs also were on local topics, which added to their interest and to the enjoyment of the house.

F. C. MacNeil was the capable inter-locutor and the circle consisted of the following: Miss E. M. Schofield, Miss M. Fink, Miss N. Brown, Miss W. Stammers, Miss B. Foster, Miss G. Ganss, Miss J. D. Bridges, Miss E. Sturdee, Miss K. Walker, Miss M. DeSoyes, Miss V. Whittaker, Miss S. Silver, Miss K. St. John, Miss J. Knight, Miss C. McAvity, Miss K. Treuman, Miss I. McLean, Miss B. Blanche.

W. S. Peterson, C. B. D. Gandy, Stewart Bell, W. Holden, A. C. Ritchie, R. F. McLaughlin, D. S. Robit, C. B. St. John, Chester Borne, A. Gandy, Fred. Jones, Rosebud Small, Tilly Tinkie, Lily Lake, Jack Frost.

Chorus—Claude Grandpierre, Miranda White, Eliza Snow, Jack Blossom.

The programme was carried out as follows:

Part I.
Overture.
Ebony Swells Fordini group.
The Keep a Knockin' Frank Palma.
I Ain't Spoken Noel.
Eliza Snow.
'Tis But a Little Padded Flower. Thomas.
Miss M. DeSoyes.
Shall We Ever Be Able to Fly Miranda White.
Fairy Tales Herbert.
The Company.

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The location of the kidneys, close to the small of the back, renders the detection of kidney trouble a simple matter. The note of warning comes from the back. The kidneys become overtaxed and fail to do their work at nature's call.

Backache is the signal sent out by the kidneys the minute they become overtaxed. Those who heed the warning when it first comes, usually have but little trouble.

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Mr. Greig Murphy, Lower Ship Harbor East, N.S., writes: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills in my family with great success, and don't think there is a better pill for the kidneys. I was very miserable with my back, and could hardly get about. I got a box, and tried them, and found that they were really good, so I took all about eight boxes, and soon found my back cured, and my kidneys as well as ever."

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AN ABSOLUTELY TRUE STORY

Of How E. L. Marshall of Shreveport, La., Was Cured of a Stomach Trouble That Kept Him Out of Work for Months.

Shreveport, La.—"I had a bad stomach trouble for years and became so weak I could hardly walk or do any work. My appetite was very poor, then I was advised to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and very weak and nervous, and it seemed impossible to get any relief. I was so bad I could not work for months at a time. I tried too many remedies to name, but without help. I saw Vinol advertised and tried it, and soon noticed an improvement. I continued its use and now my stomach trouble is completely cured. I am a well man enjoying perfect health and have gained in weight."

E. L. MARSHALL, Shreveport, La.

The recovery of Mr. Marshall was due to the combined action of the medicinal tissue building elements of the extract of cod's livers, aided by the properties of tonic iron, contained in Vinol, which seldom fails to strengthen and tone up the tired, over-taxed and weakened nerves of the stomach and

Alexander Jones Burt.
Jack Frost.
The Jingle of de Bell on de Cow...
Tilly Tinkie.
Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming C. B. Shelton.
The Watermelon Party Lily Lake.
Wake Up, Gabriel Jack Blossom.
Part II.
Quartet—Dona You Cry My Honey
Miss L. Knight, Miss J. Knight, C. Brown, J. C. Salmon.
Juggling Miss Furlong, Mr. Guy.
Banjo dreams Totten Brothers.
Back and wing dance Quartette—Dixie Kid
Miss W. Stammers, Miss N. Brown, Miss B. Blanche, Miss I. McLean.
Part III.
Grand Finale—The Ebony Swell Parade
The Company.
Orchestra—Violins: H. H. Macmillan, Miss Dunlop, Miss Lynch, N. S. Harrison, J. LeRoy Thorne, Mr. Bowers.
Celli: Miss Lynch, Bass: Mr. Bowers.
Piano: Miss Hogan, Flute: Mr. Edwards, Clarinet: Mr. Stephens, Corset: Mr. Burk, Drum: George Stephenson.

SOLDIER FROM CAPITAL WRITES OF HILL 60 FIGHT

Private Robert Phillips Describes it—Lieut. Leo Lynch Recommended For Commission With Royal Field Artillery

Writing to Chas. O'Connor, of Fredericton, Private Robert Phillips, a Fredericton soldier, with the Dorsets, says the British capture of Hill No. 60 was effected in thirteen minutes. "First," he writes, "the place was undermined, then dynamited and blown up with electricity."

This was on April 17. Facing the hill were the King's Own Scottish Borderers and West Kents. The Dorsets were on the right and I think the Northfolks on the left. The hill was blown up at sharp seven o'clock in the evening, and then followed the heaviest fighting since the beginning of the war. As soon as the firing finished the West Kents rushed the hill, followed by the King's Own Scottish Borderers. With sand bags the trenches were soon put in shape again. The Germans were game, however, and came back with a strong counter attack, but could not regain the lost ground.

"The next day there were more artillery duels, but at night the Germans lost another line of trenches. Both sides seemed tired out by this time and things went along pretty quietly until the next night, about five o'clock, the Germans started again, and this time right in our own trenches. We lost none of our men, but had forty wounded. Frank and I bandaged some of them up. It was surely a night of horror and I won't forget it soon."

Lieutenant Leo Lynch, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Timothy Lynch, in Fredericton, has returned to Montreal. He has been attached to the Divisional Ammunition Column and has been recommended for commission with the Royal Field Artillery. He is a graduate of McGill University, and has been with McLeod & Mann in Montreal for the last two years.

Corporal A. L. McNair, son of A. McNair, Buctouche, N. B., a former U. N. B. student, has gone to France with the draft from the 12th Battalion that crossed on April 26. Mr. McNair had received a letter from his son, in which he enclosed a letter of appreciation from Scotland Yard for the part he played in capturing a murderer in London, Sergt. Fred Walle of Pennic assisted in the capture.

LOSS FIVE TIMES THE REVENUE

To the Editor of the Times-Star: Sir—I recently exposed the notion that if we were rid of the liquor traffic our taxes could be reduced 25 per cent. That was calculated from figures taken from the United States, especially California, Indiana and Kansas. In California a comparison between twelve wet and twelve dry towns of about the same size showed that the average tax rate in the twelve dry towns was \$1.54. These figures show that the average tax rate in the wet towns is 40 cents per \$100 higher than in the dry towns.

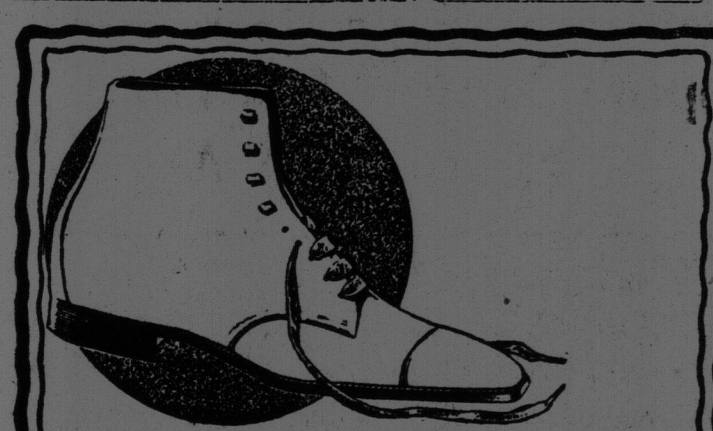
In Indiana statistics gathered by Ex-Governor Hanley showed that of six licensed cities with an approximate estimate of \$100,000,000 the average city tax rate was \$1.85 on \$100 worth of property. In the six prohibition cities with about the same assessment the tax rate was 50 cents on \$100 worth of property. These figures show that the tax rate in the wet cities is about double that of the dry cities of about the same size. Kansas City saved \$50,000 on two items, police and criminal justice, the very first year.

But let us take as an example of what might be done right at home in our fair city of Hamilton, not one of the worst by any means, and this is how it figures out. The cost of crime and poverty, Sir Oliver Mowat and many judges have often told us that three-fourths of all the poverty and crime is due to drink. Three-fourths of \$268,555 is \$201,416. That being the case we have the immense sum of \$214,692 as the cost to the city of the liquor traffic. This is about thirteen per cent. of our tax rate, raised by a levy of \$2.10 on every \$100 worth of property. That is only what lies on the surface, there is loss in many other ways which cannot be calculated, but judging by the experience of many American towns might easily increase the saving to or beyond the amount of my estimate.

Out of all this expenditure, loss and injury to business, we drag as from a garbage heap \$42,000 in license fees, leaving a net loss of \$178,692. In view of these facts it is not the height of folly thus to cut off the revenue at the source by making men so poor that they cannot help to pay their share of the taxes.

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Invictus—the best good shoe
A last for every purpose and every foot, fashioned of fine leather with careful workmanship.



RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. David Stephenson.

George A. Earle, of this city, learned yesterday by telegram of the death of his sister, Mrs. David Stephenson, at Rosetown, Saskatchewan. The late Mrs. Stephenson was a native of Woodstock (N. B.).

The death of Mrs. William H. Sippell of Hamilton, N. B., occurred on May 7 as the result of an operation for appendicitis. She was formerly Miss Irene Williams of Long Beach and was married only a year ago. She is survived by her husband and seven brothers. Captain E. C. Williams, Brown's Flats, Hudson L., of Malden, Stanley A., of St. John; J. R. and Leonard B., of Long Beach; C. B. of Ottawa, and Rev. J. W. of Centerville.

Nicholas Pearson of Riverside, Albert County, died at his home there on Wednesday. Mr. Pearson, who was sixty-five years of age, is survived by his wife and two brothers, Isaac of St. John and Mark in California and two sisters, Mrs. Alfred Copp, Vancouver, and Mrs. E. E. Peck of Riverside.

CHEWING GUM FROM TREES "HENS" SCHEME

Benson, Mich., May 14.—Hen Stratton, the Luther Burbank of Benson county, is conducting a series of interesting experiments with his chewing gum tree. Last fall lightning struck three trees in his woods, and when he looked over the damage he had an idea. One of his young maples was split in two, the big spruce next to it was splintered, and the slippery elm a few feet away was hewed from top to bottom. He pulled the three together, bound them tight together for twenty feet and let them grow that way. He thinks the sap of the sugar maple will flow through the spruce gum and turn out the finest kind of maple-flavored gum. He added the slippery elm to make it softer chewing.

POLICE NEWS

John Lane, sentenced for threatening the life of Mrs. Lupe; James Moore for escaping from the Industrial Home, and William Shaw, for stealing a pair of shoes, were sent to Dorchester penitentiary yesterday.

A fourteen year old boy, charged with stealing a purse containing \$1.40 from Miss Stevens in O. H. Warwick's store, was before the police magistrate yesterday. Evidence was given of his incorrigibility and he was sentenced to the Industrial Home.

In the police court yesterday afternoon a charge against a man named Lewis for assaulting a man named Lewis was dismissed. The woman had attempted to assault the man, but he had been moved from the house after the purpose of retrieving a sewing machine which had been left as security for the rent and the landlord had prevented her from entering.

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