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A lady reader of the Truro News, writing on May 13, from Dinsmore, Sask. says: "I read every line of the Truro News."

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DISEASE AMONG PRISONERS.

Moscow, May 17—One million of the 3,100,000 Russia war prisoners held in Germany and Austria-Hungary are total invalids.

FISHERMEN AT SUTHERLANDS LAKE.

Messrs. D. C. McDonald, Chas. O'Brien, Geo. Thomas, and Will Sutherland, spent the 22nd, at Sutherland's Lake fishing.

The registration of the man and woman power of Canada, from 16 to 60 years of age, will take place on June 22.

Someone in Halifax advertises for a chauffeur at \$20 per week salary. Many ministers receive less than that and have to support a family and keep a team.

Rev. William Armstrong, Baptist missionary in India, a brother of the late Hon. J. N. Armstrong, North Sydney, died in India, May 8.

THE LATE MISS JESSIE AGNES JARVIS.

What a shock we all got when word went thru the town on Friday the 23rd, that the well known Miss Jessie Jarvis had died, after a few days illness in a military hospital in Halifax.

This noble Nursing Sister, beloved by every acquaintance, had left her Truro home to assist in caring for Canadian invalid heroes from the European battle fields.

All acquaintances grieve over the passing of this young lady; and extend to the widowed mother and soldier brother, Pte. Ralph Jarvis of the 9th Siege Battery, St. John, the deepest sympathy in this particularly sad and sudden bereavement.

The funeral took place at 2.30 Sat. afternoon from the residence of Mr. C. B. McMullen Park Street

MRS. BECKWITH, SISTER OF REV. A. R. YEOMAN, DIED IN HALIFAX, ON MAY 22.

Mrs. Beckwith, wife of A. H. Beckwith C.E., of Spokane Wash., died on the 22nd at the residence of her mother, Mrs. James Yeoman, Inglis Street, Halifax.

Besides relatives mentioned above there survive two brothers, Rev. A. R. Yeoman, rector of Aylesford, and Robert Yeoman, barrister of Halifax.

DIED IN CHARLOTTETOWN ON MAY 22nd.

Rev. D. B. MacLeod, Presbyterian Minister, who had been a pastor at Quincy, Mass; Zion Church, Charlottetown; Somerville, Mass. and Upper Stewiacke, Col. Co., died in Charlottetown on May 22nd.

Owing to ill health he resigned his charge at Stewiacke and went to the Island to spend his remaining years at his old home in Orwell. He arrived in Charlottetown a fortnight ago, but was too ill to leave the city.

"A BUNCH OF GIRLS."

(Written for the News by Minnie May Crawford, 13 years old.)

The Girls can't wear the Khaki, Nor the girls can't cross the main But they'll fight for King and Country Tho the best of them are slain.

We'll uphold you boys in economy And we'll save up all the wheat; Just push the Germans back, Boys, And to the Kaiser speak.

Just tell him there's a bunch of girls You think he'd like to meet— A bunch of true Canadian girls Who never knew defeat.

And if he doesn't wish the pleasure As our flag unfurls, He'll run a hundred miles or more From just "A bunch of girls." MINNIE M. CRAWFORD.

TOWN COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the Town Council was held in the Council Chamber on May 20th, 1918.

Present Mayor W. R. Dunbar and Councilors R. S. Boyd, W. H. Semple A. R. Coffin, and H. A. Johnson.

On motion the reading of the minutes of the last meeting of Council held May 7th, 1918, was dispensed with.

This special meeting was called for the following purposes:— To deal with the matter of Moving Picture Film Exchanges locating in Truro, and to pass a resolution in reference to the issuing of Bonds.

On motion the following resolution was passed:— "That the License Committee be instructed to fix a license on Moving Picture Film Exchanges at Truro at \$50.00 per year per Company, and that the Committee be recommended to maintain said rate from year to year until the year 1925."

WHEREAS by an Act of Legislature of Nova Scotia, passed by the said Legislature of Nova Scotia, at its session 1918, being Chapter 99 and entitled "An Act to enable the Town of Truro to Borrow Mon-

ey," Town of Truro was authorized to borrow the amount of Twenty Two thousand Six hundred (\$22,600) and

THEREFORE RESOLVED that the sum of Twenty Two thousand Six hundred Dollars (\$22,600) be borrowed for the following purposes: To retire and cancel five per cent (5 per cent) Bonds for the sum of Nineteen Thousand Dollars (\$19,000) issued in 1917, said Bonds being now hypothecated to the Royal Bank of Canada, the balance of said issue not having been expended—\$15,100.00 To retire Bonds maturing 1918— 7,500.00 Total. \$22,600.00

AND that Debentures be issued for the same redeemable in thirty years and bearing interest at Six per cent (6 per cent) per annum.

AND FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor and Town Clerk be authorized to have Debentures printed in the following denominations:— 35 at \$500 \$17,500.00 51 at \$100 5,100.00

Said Debentures to be dated May 1st, 1918, and to bear interest at (6 per cent) per annum such interest to be payable half yearly on the first day of November and the first day of May.

AND FURTHER RESOLVED that said Debentures with interest Coupons attached, be prepared in accordance with the provisions and forms prescribed by the "Municipal Debentures Act of 1914."

AND FURTHER RESOLVED that until such times as the Bonds are prepared, that the Council are hereby authorized to issue Interim Certificates for the same, and the Mayor and Town Clerk are hereby authorized to sign and seal such Certificates on behalf of the Town.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor and Town Clerk be authorized to sign said Debentures and affix thereto the Corporate Seal of the Town of Truro in accordance with the provisions of said "Municipal Debentures Act of 1914" and the Town Clerk be authorized to sign said interest Coupons as provided for by said Act and its amendments.

AND FURTHER RESOLVED that the Town of Truro reserves the right to redeem and pay off the entire issue of the Debentures at one hundred and five per centum (105 per cent), and interest accrued to the date fixed for payment, at any time after the 1st day of May, A.D., 1923, upon giving sixty days notice of the same by advertisement in one of the Newspapers published in the City of Halifax and in one newspaper published in the Town of Truro by not less than three insertions in such papers per week, during said period of sixty days."

On motion the meeting adjourned.

STRONG ENOUGH TO DO HOME-STEAD DUTY.

Sidney Bent Gives the Credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Six Years Ago He Had Kidney Disease So Bad His Friends Said He Would Not Live Long.

Lydiard, Sask. May 20th—Strong and healthy, and able to do the heavy work of homestead duty, Mr. Sidney Bent, a well-known settler here, is telling his friends of the great benefits he received from using Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Six years ago I suffered a lot from my back and kidneys," Mr. Bent says, "I tried a lot of medicine and drugs, but kept getting worse, till some of my friends said I would not live long."

"Four years ago I decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. After taking the first box I felt so much better I decided to continue he treatment."

"The result is I have been able to do homestead duty for the last three Winters."

"I would advise anyone suffering from kidney trouble to take Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have made their reputation by curing kidney diseases and the ills that spring from diseased kidneys. They are no cure-all. But if you are suffering from rheumatism, lumbago, sore back, diabetes or some other form of kidney trouble, ask your neighbors what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for them."

WANTED—A maid in family of four Apply Mrs. Angus Mac-Eachern, Riverside, Bible Hill. 22-5-2d-2w.

CREAT RIVETTING FEAT.

London May 15—The Clyde has beaten the London rivetting record, according to the Daily Mail. Thomas Devine, a former soldier, at the Dalmar yards of William Beardmore and Company, has driven 4,422 rivets in a side of a ship in nine hours. The London record, made last week by Robert Rarrant was 4,276 rivets in a tank the same time.

TORTURED FOR NEARLY TWO YEARS.

Mrs. Plante Found Relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

She tells How They Helped Her Kidney Disease and Made a New Woman of her.

Ste. Florence, Que. May 24th—(Special)—"Two boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills made a new person of me." The speaker is Madame M. L. Plante, of this place, and her numerous friends here fully verify her statement.

"For nearly two years," Mrs. Plante continues, "kidney disease tortured me. I heard of Dodd's Kidney Pills, and made up my mind to try them, and to my surprise they did me good almost at once. Two boxes cured me completely. I recommend them to all my friends."

Mrs. Plante is only one of many who have had a similar experience. They were weak and run-down and sick all over. Dodd's Kidney Pills helped them. How? Simply by curing the kidneys. The diseased kidneys were the cause of all the trouble. They were ailing to strain the impurities out of the blood, and the result was disease all over the body. Dodd's Kidney Pills helped the kidneys, the impurities were strained out of the blood. The result was pure blood, and good health all over the body. The cause of the disease had been removed.

The First Woman To Vote In America

By Carrie Chapma Catt.

It is perhaps not so generally known as it might be that the first white woman to vote in America was a New Yorker. Her name was Lady Deborah Moody. Her voting was not extensive, but it was at least equal to that permitted to any man in the colony.

In 1632 she was left a widow with one son. In 1640 she sailed for America and purchased a farm in Massachusetts. Evidently she was not possessed of a large store of worldly goods, since a contemporary wrote of her, 'she is a good lady, but almost undone by buying Master Humphries' farm.'

Possibly she was quite "undone" later, since in 1642 she removed to New York and settled at Hemsstead. However, in the year previous her Salem church had called her to task for holding that baptism of infants was no ordinance of God, and history records that she came to New York in order to secure religious liberty.

Liberty of worship she undoubtedly found, but she had literally jumped from the proverbial frying pan into the fire, as an Indian war was raging on Long Island. One day her house was completely surrounded by a large band of natives brandishing their battle-axes. She managed to disperse them, but for many months she lived, as did her neighbors, in constant dread of unexpected treachery.

So bravely did she repel attacks of the Indians during the war that Kieft, the Dutch director general, gave to 'ye honored Lady Deborah Moody,' her heirs and two others a patent for the great tract of land now covered by the town of Gravesend, and there she lived until her death.

It so happened that in the year 1655 Gravesend had neglected to make its usual nomination of officers to Director Stuyvesant, then the head of the colony. In consequence he wrote to Lady Moody the oldest patentee of the town and to two other inhabitants, asking them "to perform the duty as required by their patent." A month later the nominations were sent in a document signed by Deborah Moody and John Tilton "in behalf of the rest." Had it not been for this incident the fact that Lady Moody performed the same political obligations as the men of the colony would never have been known. For how many years she possessed the right and whether there were other women patentees similarly privileged the records of the times do not reveal.

From all which it will be seen that whoever the woman who gets to the polls first at the first election after the long-forgotten suffrage victory November 2 it will not be possible for her to claim the proud distinction of being New York's first woman voter. Lady Moody beat all comers by 250 years.

Mr. Alexander Coppin, operator in the Cable Office at North Sydney was in town on the 16th en route home from Halifax, where he successfully past his examination as a soldier. The military authorities are sending him back to his duties in the Cable office until further orders.

Windsor, N. S. May—15-A forest fire is raging on the Midland Railway between West Gore and Clarkesville. Fifty soldiers from the Depot here have gone to help save West Gore a prosperous village surrounding the Antimony Mine. A black fox farm behesen destroyed.

HEART WAS BAD

WOULD WAKEN UP IN DISTRESS.

There is nothing that brings with it such fear of impending death as to wake up in the night with the heart pounding and thumping. This uncertain and irregular heart action causes the greatest distress of both mind and body.

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills strengthen and invigorate the heart, so that it beats strong and regular, and tone up the nervous system so that the cause of so much anxiety becomes a thing of the past.

Mr. Archie Beaumont, Edgett's Landing, N.B., writes:—"Have been bothered with my heart and nerves for about six years, caused by overwork and worry. My heart was so bad I would waken up several times during the night in great distress, and my heart thumping. About a year ago I took three boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and they helped me a great deal."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50c. per box at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

TO SETTLE ANY DIFFICULTIES

London, May 15—The Admiralty has issued a circular, informing the workmen at the royal dockyards and other naval establishments, says a despatch to the Times from Portsmouth, that the admiralty has decided to appoint committees of workers to deal with questions relating to their welfare and conditions of service. The committees, it is added, will be elected by ballot by the workers and will be empowered to submit their decisions to the officers of the departments concerned with the right of appeal, if necessary to a special committee, elected by the other committees. Any questions that cannot be settled locally can be submitted to the admiralty.

TERRIBLE DISTRESS IN SOME AUSTRIAN PROVINCES.

London, May 15—A graphic picture of the terrible economic distress prevailing in Bosnia and Herzegovina is published by the newspapers Glashtoboda of Agram, Austria. The paper declares that only two provinces in the Austrian empire have suffered more terribly from the war than Bosnia and Herzegovina.

Those two provinces, it says are Galicia and Bukowina, which were the cockpits of great conflicts between the Austrian and Russian armies. Nevertheless, the situation in Bosnia and Herzegovina is horrible.

As a result of such economic misery the deaths exceeded the births by 5,000 in 1915 and by 23,711 in 1916. The number does not include the dead found on battle fields. All the live stock has been destroyed and consumed by the army. In consequence it is impossible to till the ground, which was formerly done exclusively with oxen.

HOUSING WORKMEN.

U Ited Stated Repress tatives of the People Ask that This be Done.

Says the American Federationist:— On January 18, 1918, the United States Senate passed S. 3889 appropriating \$50,000,000 and authorizing the United States Shipping Board, Emergency Fleet Corporation to purchase, lease requisition or acquire, by condemnation or otherwise, lands and erect houses for shipyard employees. On February 12, 1918, the House passed S. 3889 with amendments and the bill then went to conference.

H. R. 9642, by Representative Mahler of New York, made provision for an expenditure of \$50,000,000 by the Department of Labor for housing munition workers and other workmen engaged in industries producing war material, and was referred to the Committee on Labor of the House, which held hearings upon the measure. On February 13, 1917, a motion of Representative Clark of Florida, the bill was taken from the House Labor Committee and referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds. This Committee is now holding hearings upon the bill.

CUTICURA HEALS ITCHING ECZEMA

So Bad Could Not Sleep. Red With Water Blisters and Burning.

"I had eczema so bad I could not sleep. It first started on my arm, then I had it on my body so that I could hardly wear my clothes, and I had to stay in bed. My flesh was dark red with water blisters, and burning and itching."

"Everything I tried seemed to make me worse, and I had the trouble for nearly two years. I read about Cuticura Soap and Ointment, and I got them. They did me good right away, and now I am entirely healed." (Signed) Mrs. Peter McIntosh, French River, Ont., April 10, 1917.

How often such distressing, disfiguring skin troubles might be prevented by every-day use of Cuticura Soap and Ointment for all toilet purposes. For Free Sample Each by Mail address post-card: "Cuticura, Dept. A, Boston, U. S. A." Sold everywhere.