

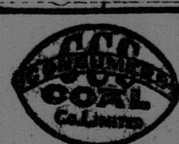
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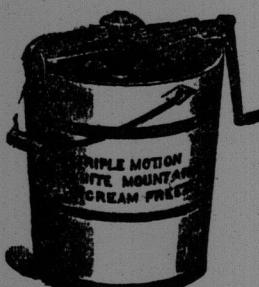
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## TAX COMMISSION NOT APPOINTED

Council Wants Time For Consideration—G. M. McDade as Secretary—School Board Appointment Held Up Also

The list of names proposed by Mayor Prink for places on the new assessment commission as given in the Times last evening was laid before the common council yesterday afternoon with the addition of that of George M. McDade, as secretary of the commission. The members and secretary are each to receive \$500 for their services and incidental expenses will be paid on order of the mayor.

Commissioner Potts protested against the list as being too representative of one class while neglecting another. Other commissioners wanted time for further consideration and so, after a discussion which lasted until 10 o'clock, the matter was laid over for decision until Wednesday next.

Commissioner Wigmore proposed the name of G. Herbert Green for appointment to the board of School Trustees in place of T. H. Bullock whose term has expired. Several of the commissioners took the stand that the city should be represented on the board by members of the council and a later meeting was left open until a later meeting when the appointment of additional commissioners will be taken up also.

Contracts for supplying coal to the city, water and sewerage and harbor and ferries departments were awarded to the estate of G. E. Colwell and J. S. Gibbon & Co. Ltd.

Commissioner Wigmore was given authority to complete the purchase of the McCart property at Robertson's, Lake Road, for \$400.

Reversion leases were granted to Robert A. Orr for a lot in Guy's ward to W. O. Dunham for a lot in Brooks ward.

Commissioner Russell was authorized to call for tenders for 40,000 feet of deals for wharf repairs. His recommendation that \$1000 be spent on repairs to the house occupied by John Sims in consideration of an increase of \$100 in the rent was laid over for consideration.

John W. Breen, 609 Main street, was given permission to erect an electric sign.

The council refused to pay half the cost of a new sidewalk in front of the new post office building.

Permission to erect additional telephone poles was deferred.

The mayor reported that he had received complaints that city constables have made heavy overcharges when distraining for rent. The matter was left to him to provide a remedy.

Ingersoll Cheese is high in quality, low in price. Good to keep on the table every meal.

**WARM TRIBUTE PAID  
TO DR. THOS. WALKER**

The valued services of Dr. Thomas Walker, as president of the Home for Incubators, were referred to yesterday at the annual meeting of the association. The members of the association, in a resolution of thanks and appreciation, moved by G. S. R. B. Emerson, J. S. Gregory, John Sealy, G. F. Fisher, F. B. Ellis, C. W. Hallam, Mrs. J. A. Alvey, Mrs. David McLellan, Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. R. O'Brien and Mrs. W. C. Hazen Grimmer, G. S. Mayes relatives. The incorporated members are E. H. Turnbull, W. R. Turnbull, Dr. T. Walker, S. D. Scott, F. P. Starr, Dr. Silas Alward, Hon. R. J. Ritchie and Peter R. Inches.

The report submitted by T. E. Dunlop was that seventeen patients had been admitted to the home and that there had been eleven deaths. There were at present, thirty inmates and the care that had been bestowed on them was to the satisfaction of the staff. Attention was directed to the need for dental care of the patients and this matter was referred to the new board.

**Now Strong for Reform.**  
The Manitoba Tories have turned to purity and reform as a relief from the crooked work of the past, and the elected Sir James Aikins, K. C., M. P., at their leader. He has accepted and, in a speech announcing the fact, denouncing former leaders for their grafting practices and crooked work, and promising clean living for Tories in Manitoba in the future.

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Trimmed Outing Hats, including Penit, Brazilian etc. \$1.50 to \$2.00  
Sport Hats in Pique, Corduroy etc. .... 50c. to \$1.00  
Untrimmed Hats in all Colors ..... 25c. to 50c.  
Ladies' Raffia Straw Hats ..... 25c.  
Children's Raffia's ..... 10c.  
Entire Flower and Wreath Stock, Which Includes the Most Desirable Shades, Silk Roses, etc. .... On Sale at 25c. each  
Black Velvet Ribbons—So popular just now, in extra good qualities, silk back; shipment just arrived—One inch, 10c.; 1 1/2 inches, 15c.; 2 inches, 20c.; 2 1/4 inches, 25c.

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## ITALY'S KING AT FRONT CONSTANTLY

Energetic Monarch Encourages His Troops, Proves Almost a Companion

(Boston Globe Correspondence.)

Rome, July 11.—"We have seen among us on the front the sacred and revered person of the king; our wounded, heard his words of consolation; our brave now receive his praises. Let us all answer, 'Long live the King!' with a stronger will and a purer conviction of victory."

So a famous Italian general addressed his troops one day last week. He only put into words the love for their king that animates all Italian soldiers. If they honored their sovereign before Italy entered the tremendous struggle, they adore him now, for he has proved himself their true friend; he has become almost their companion.

At the front King Victor Emmanuel is as modest as he is brave. Although the Italian constitution gives him the right of peace and war and the command in war of land and sea forces, King Emmanuel has insisted on taking orders from Generalissimo Cadorna.

Early the king could have taken the field as commander-in-chief, and doubtless he would have distinguished himself, for he has studied the science of war since childhood; he entered the army at an early age, and soon after attaining his majority, in 1898, was appointed to command an army corps. He is always in close relations with his generals and intimately acquainted with the powers and means of foreign armies; indeed he has studied military conditions and strategy in Germany, and follows every move made from day to day in the present conflict.

"Head of Army in Gen. Cadorna." "The head of the army is Gen. Cadorna. I am only one of the officers in the service of Italy." These may not be the king's exact words, but this is the sentiment he expresses frequently.

The king's cheerful indifference to danger equals his simplicity and lack of affectation. But it is the despair of the Generalissimo. Only yesterday he had a narrow escape from death—certainly from being wounded.

During the attack by the Italian forces on Monte Baldo the king took personal charge of one of the 75 millimeter guns and even fired many shots himself. For many hours he watched the operations. It was raining hard and when His Majesty returned to headquarters in his automobile he was wet through and covered with mud.

He crossed the Ionio, south of Monte Nero on a pontoon bridge. After sunset an officer of the general staff reported to the king that an attack by the Austrians was expected during the night and that it would be unsafe for him to remain on the left bank of the river.

"If this point is dangerous for my soldiers, it is my place," replied the head of the House of Savoy, and he remained there the entire night, passing from position to position and encouraging his troops.

**Enthusiasm for the King**  
The other day the soldiers fighting on the banks of the Ionio were discussing a telegram, which said that the king had shared a dangerous march with the Alps and had decorated with his own hand a corporal of two privates who had accomplished feats in his presence. The men believing the king still in the Trentino, were envying the Alps their luck in having him with them, when a cry arose, "The King!"

And cries of "Long live the King" grew nearer as the monarch, in gray-green uniform, without any stripes, appeared on horseback. The enthusiasm was intense; men crowded around his horse could not move.

"What do they want, these brave fellows?" said the king to his aide. "Do they expect me to cry 'Long live the King' as well? That would be too much."

Then raising his cap in the air, he shouted, "Long live the soldiers of Italy!"

On another occasion the king was in the midst of his troops when a sharpnel passed over his head, the forerunner of further projectiles of the same kind. According to the regulations every man should throw himself flat to give the least possible mark for the bursting fragments. The king seemed to hesitate, but a private near him took him by the shoulder and made him bend down.

Covered With Dust by Shell.  
Just then the dust thrown up by the shell fell on the king and covered him. The king raised his head, took up a little of the earth that had fallen on him and said, "It is a good omen."

General Cadorna, however, on this occasion, was almost angry. He did not as had been reported, but his king under arrest, but he begged him to remain for at least five days at a certain distance from the front. The king quietly replied, "I obey."

The king's seeming omnipresence among his soldiers; they seem to believe that he is on every battle front every day, that he is always where peril

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Men's Fine Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers ..... Sale price, garment, 35c.  
Men's White Cheeked Madras, Athletic Style, Shirts and Drawers. Sale price, garment, 20c.

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seems greatest or where encouragement and succor are most needed.

Certainly the monarch is a most energetic personage. In his gray automobile he dashes over the flat roads of Prail, appears on horseback on the hills near Gorizia, climbs on mule back the Carnic Passes, and, aided by an entourage of footmen, visits the peaks overlooking Rovereto.

When the army retires to its tents at night the king sketches the plans of battle for the next day, or sends his daily report to his family. He always speaks of his "wife and children," never of the "queen" or "the prince and the princesses." Crown Prince Humbert, in one of his letters, asked his father when he would return home to his "boy." King Victor Emmanuel replied he could not leave while thousands of his "boys" were risking their lives.

**AUSTRIA'S OFFERS  
TO ROUMANIA**

One Taken to Mean Turks Can Held Out For Only Another Month

Bucharest, July 15.—The Austro-Hungarian minister here on Wednesday last presented to the Prime Minister proposals offering Rumania certain neutrality and facilities for supplying Turkey with munitions of war.

She offers to cede to Rumania part of Bukovina as far north as Sereth, and at the same time to undertake the treatment of Rumanians in the monarchy, granting a university to Brashov, large admission of Rumanians in Hungary to the public service, and greater liberty of administration to the Rumanian churches.

An alternative proposal affects the entry of Rumania into the field of action on the side of the Germanic powers. In this event the ceded territory would be extended to Caernowitz and the line of the Pruth and the frontier on the Danube would be extended beyond the Iron Gates and include Mehadia. The undertaking mentioned in regard to the situation of Rumanians in Hungary, would also apply, but allowing complete autonomy to Transylvania. There was also an undertaking that the Austro-German armies will occupy Bessarabia and hand it over immediately to Rumania.

The significant point is that they have fixed the term of one month in which either alternative arrangement must be agreed to. This is the time the Germans hope that the Turks will be able to hold out in the Dardanelles.

The proposals are being considered by the king and prime minister. In political circles they are regarded as a manoeuvre to delay diplomatic action by Rumania.

Ingersoll Cheese is the cheese that spreads like butter. Three varieties. Made in Canada.

Roses which are being grown in pots should be stood out on a bed of ashes during the summer, and those which have their permanent quarters under glass should be examined for red spider, a tiny but destructive insect which is found generally on the under-sides of the leaves.

**ROINCARE'S DOUBLE**

Felix Decori, Secretary of the President of France, Frequently Mistaken for the Latter.

Paris, June 28.—(Correspondence.) President Poincare has not so many doubles as has ex-President Fallieres, but he has one that is more often taken for him. His position, however, is more exposed, for he is the president's own secretary, Felix Decori. He has the same height as the president, his hair is almost as thin and he wears a beard pointed in the same style.

Those who are granted an audience by the president are obliged first to go through the apartments of the military staff, then the office of the civilian secretary, before reaching the president's apartments. The doorkeeper who introduces them announces their names in each room they pass through, a formality that disturbs those who are received for the first time, and by the time they arrive in a quiet room, not filled with military uniforms, they are relieved at the sight of a man in civilian dress, behind a desk, covered with documents, and whom they easily mistake for the

president if they have never been presented before.

M. Decori has acquired a most gracious knack of correcting their error and putting them at their ease.

When the president makes an official visit to some public institution or inaugurates an exposition or something of that sort, he generally goes in a motor car with General Dupage. His civilian secretary, M. Decori, follows with another military attaché of the Elysee in another car.

The ceremonial requires that the civilian secretary's car shall pass that of the president 200 yards before the arrival so as to be present when the president appears before the authorities delegated to receive him. Those who are not familiar with this ceremony inevitably mistake the first car for that of the president and receive the secretary with presidential honors.

The secretary has adopted a stereotyped form for use in reply to the official greetings—"You will tell all that to the president presently."

United States exports for the week ending June 19, were \$49,177,227; and the imports \$30,418,271.

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