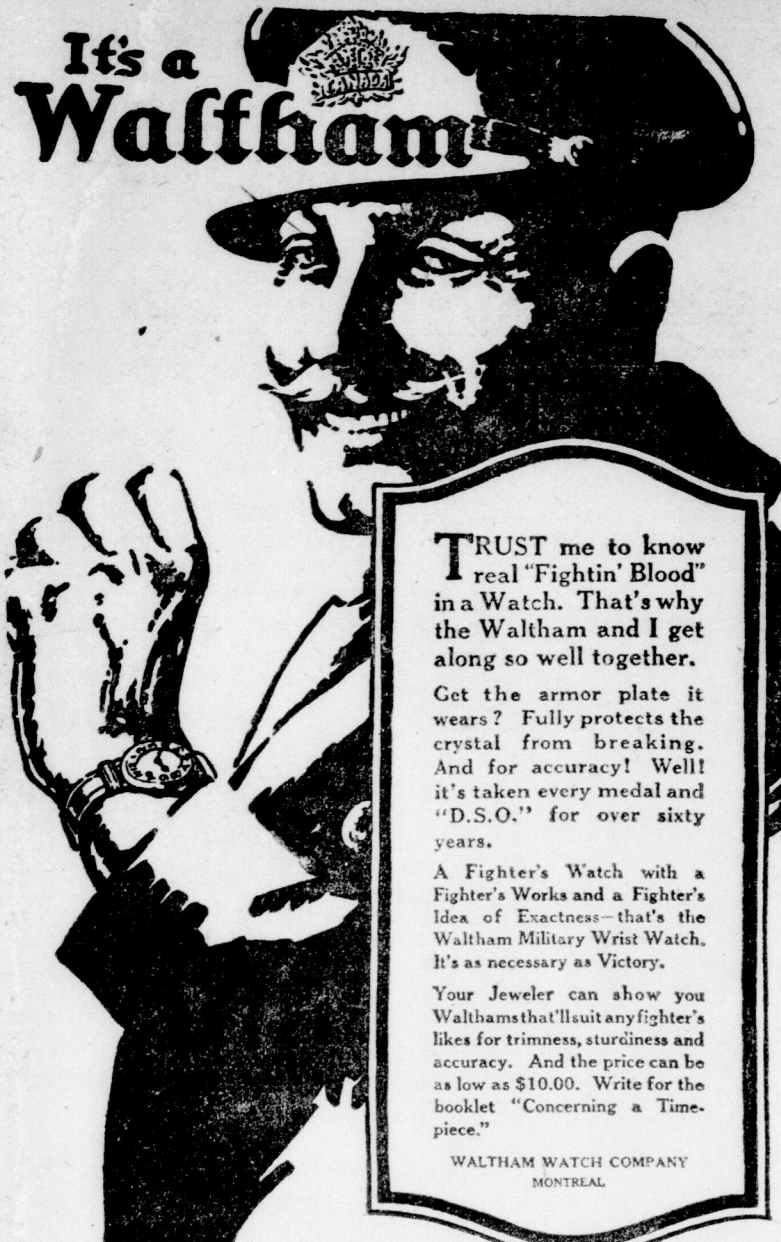


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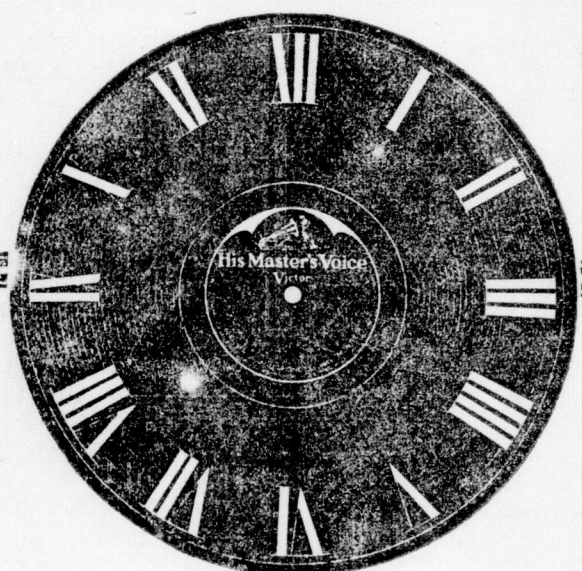


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MINISTER OF LABOR IS "KEEPING TAB" ON PRICES; THAT'S ALL

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HAS "REGULATED" COSTS

Talks of Investigations, But
 Cannot Tell What the
 Results Were.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
MARGIN NARROWS.
 OTTAWA, May 10.—The division
 came at midnight, and the motion
 was lost by the narrow majority of
 11 on a straight party vote, 40
 Opposition and 51 Government.
 This is the narrowest party
 majority since the Government took
 office.

OTTAWA, May 10.—Parliament con-
 cluded the first stage of the budget de-
 bate, tonight, with a division on the
 free wheat amendment offered by J.
 Turpin. There are other amend-
 ments, it is understood, so the debate
 is still far from being ended.
 The debate was continued by Hon.
 Thomas Crothers, who assailed the
 Opposition for criticisms which they have
 directed upon him as a minister, and
 upon the department of labor, over
 which he presides. He declared that
 the Opposition had made "sneering re-
 ferences" to himself and "groundless
 accusations against the department,"
 and were paralyzing the department
 at a time when the "destinies of man-
 kind were trembling in the balance."
 He said that A. K. Macdonald, for in-
 stance, had made sweeping and in-
 sulting statements as to the manner
 in which the labor department was con-
 ducted. Mr. Crothers held that his was
 probably the most difficult and exacting
 department in the Government.
 During his term there had been but
 one serious strike in Canada, and the
 number of days lost by dissatisfied
 wage-earners in disputes was a half
 million less than during the five years
 previous to his taking office.

What He Has Done.
 He had decreased the cost of admin-
 istering the department considerably.
 He paid a tribute to organized labor's
 part in the war, stating that of the
 36,000 members of Canadian unions,
 30,000 had gone to the front, or a fifth
 of the total.

Those who remained looked after the
 dependents of those who fell.
 Hon. Mr. Crothers declared that the
 department had taken effective steps
 to regulate the cost of living. Inves-
 tigation showed that, on the whole, ex-
 cessive prices were not being charged.
 Mr. Pardee interrupted with a state-
 ment that the council of Hamilton pro-
 tested that excessive prices were being
 charged there for coal.

Mr. Crothers said he had the com-
 plaint looked into.
 Mr. Pardee wanted to know if the
 charge was well grounded.

He's "Keeping Tab."
 Mr. Crothers replied that he was not
 familiar with all of the reports which
 came to his department, as they got
 them by hundreds. The member for
 Lambton could rest assured that he
 was keeping tab on all of these things.
 "That's all you are doing," said Mr.
 Pardee.

E. M. MacDonald wanted to know
 what the department was doing
 to regulate the cost of living, and Mr.
 Crothers invited him to come down to
 the department for a half hour some
 morning and find out.

"You are keeping up the cost of liv-
 ing, that's about all," said Mr. Mac-
 Donald.

"The House and the country know
 him and I don't care what he thinks,"
 said Mr. Crothers, pointing to Mr. Mac-
 Donald.

Mr. MacDonald came back with the
 report that the minister was indulging
 in childish talk.

Trusts Publicity.
 The minister said he did not pretend
 that he had succeeded in reducing the
 price of things very much; he was a
 great believer in publicity, and believed
 that it would most effectively force
 the prices of commodities to the proper
 levels. So far as he knew there were
 no dealers selling at exorbitant rates.

Mr. Pardee stood up and declared
 that the minister did not know, and
 would not listen to a specific case, such
 as that from the city of Hamilton.

Mr. Crothers angrily told Mr. Pardee
 that he had the floor and did not pro-
 pose to yield it. He declined to listen
 to the statement which Mr. Pardee
 sought to read to him.

He concluded with the statement that
 the working people were better off
 than ever before; they were getting
 large wages and were putting money
 in the banks.

Just Back-Bencher.
 W. S. Loggie, Liberal of New Brun-
 swick, following, characterized the
 conduct of Mr. Crothers as that of a back-
 bencher, rather than that of a minis-
 ter of the crown. Expressing what he
 said was his personal view, Mr. Log-
 gie declared that the time had come
 for a coalition government, which would
 secure the men needed for overseas
 service, "by voluntary enlistment or
 otherwise."

On finances Mr. Loggie said that the
 time had come to take the duties of
 food, and to make considerable reduc-
 tions in duties on manufactured ar-
 ticles. Last year each family had con-
 tributed in taxes an average of \$40
 to defray the cost of war, and \$75
 for the general expenses of the coun-
 try.

Mr. Loggie declared that the canners
 of Canada had a protection which
 amounted to 40 per cent, and that they
 took full advantage of it. He said
 one of the causes of the high cost of
 living.

U. E. Marcell, Liberal of Bagot, who
 has two sons at the front, said that
 Hon. Mr. Blouin and his associates
 in the Nationalist party had spent years
 in educating the young men of the
 centres of Quebec along certain lines.

The result of this education was the
 reception which Mr. Blouin received
 in Montreal last night when he
 went there with another sort of a
 message. Mr. Blouin was reaping the
 crop he had sown.

Figures Which Talk.
 Fred Pardee, reading from a
 report of conditions in Hamilton which
 showed that potatoes bought for \$1.03
 to \$2 a bag were being held for the
 present high prices and higher; that
 coal which could be sold at a profit for
 \$8 a ton was being marketed at \$12.
 Conditions had been investigated by
 Mr. O'Connor of the labor department,
 who had gone away announcing that
 prosecution would be instituted within
 two or three days. The Hamilton au-
 thorities had waited for two or three
 weeks and then demanded action. The
 result was the visit of another official
 of the department and another promise,
 which had not been fulfilled. Hamilton
 was a sample of the conditions through-
 out Canada. It was high time that the
 Government woke up and took some
 control over the prices of food and
 fuel; the people were looking to the
 Government for relief from the exorbi-
 tant prices which were oppressing them
 beyond measure. It was true that
 wages were higher today and that peo-
 ple had more money today than five
 years ago, but it was also true that a
 dollar did not have the purchasing
 power it had five years ago, and that
 with more money the people were
 worse off than they had been.

Mr. Pardee spoke with approval of the
 bon entente, but said that if, in years
 to come, certain elements are allowed
 to continue to develop schisms as they
 have in years past, Canada would never
 achieve the results she otherwise would.

**GOVERNMENT MAY TAKE
 OVER LLOYDS BUSINESS**
 LONDON, May 11.—According to the
 Daily Mail, the Government is arrang-
 ing to extend its insurance to ships.
 Hitherto the Government has insured
 only in view of the high rates now
 charged by Lloyd's for ordinary risks.
 It is probable the Government will soon
 arrange with Lloyd's to take over all the
 latter's business.

CANADIAN SOLDIER'S LETTER

Says Dr. Cassell's Tablets Have Kept
 Him Fit Through Two Wars.

Sapper A. Hartley of the A Company,
 Canadian Engineers, whose home ad-
 dress is 506 Trafalgar street, London,
 Ontario, is one of many who have writ-
 ten in praise of Dr. Cassell's Tablets.
 He says: "As a constant user of Dr.
 Cassell's Tablets, I would like to add my
 testimony to their value. I used them
 when I was in the South African War,
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NO STEEL SHIP BUILDING FOR AT LEAST THREE YEARS

Mark Workman Says Scarcity of the
 Metal is Chief Cause.

MONTREAL, May 10.—Canada will
 not be in a position to build steel ships
 for at least two or three years, said
 Mark Workman, president of the Do-
 minion Steel Corporation, in an inter-
 view here today. He said the scarcity
 of steel was the chief cause.

Mr. Workman stated that the en-
 tire output of the Dominion Steel Cor-
 poration's plant had been con-
 tracted for by the munitions board up
 to the middle of 1918, and the chances
 now were that this contract would run
 into 1919.

CAUSES DEATH OF LITTLE BROTHER AND GOES INSANE

Strange Case of Girl Child, Jealousy of
 Petting Given Baby.

SASKATOON, May 10.—After causing
 the death of her 4-year-old brother by
 cruel treatment during fits of morbid
 jealousy, Evelyn Ruth Hanson, aged 7,
 a daughter of Oswald Hanson, a farm-
 er near Lovena, has become insane, and
 will be handed over to the au-
 thorities. Jealousy of the petting her
 baby brother received from the pa-
 rents, the girl, it is alleged, struck the
 child, trampled on his stomach and
 beat him with a shovel.

KITCHENER AIRMAN FLIES TO HOME TOWN

Loses His Way On Camp Borden Flight
 —Relief Party Wrecked.

KITCHENER, May 10.—Flying Cadet
 Owen Thamer of this city arrived here
 in an airplane this morning from Camp
 Borden, after losing his way and cir-
 cling the 110 miles in 75 minutes. Lieut.
 Watson, who was on duty at the camp
 this afternoon to in-
 spect Thamer's machines before making
 the return trip, but were caught in a
 wind-pocket in landing and their air-
 plane was wrecked. The occupants
 were badly shaken, but escaped injury.

TRIAL SET FOR OCTOBER

Newsprint Men to Face Charge of
 Illegal Price Fixing.

NEW YORK, May 10.—The trial of
 the five members of the Newsprint
 Manufacturers' Association and two
 others charged with violation of the
 Sherman anti-trust law for alleged
 price-fixing, was today set in the fed-
 eral court for October 8 next. The
 defendants are George H. Mead, Philip
 T. Dodge, Edward W. Backus,
 George Chahoon, Jr., G. H. P. Gould,
 Alexander Smith and Frank J. Sensen-
 brenner.

ALBERTA TO VOTE JUNE 14 AND 15

WINNIPEG, May 10.—The Free Press
 has a special dispatch from Calgary
 stating that the provincial election will
 be held in Alberta on June 14 and
 15.

HENSALL.

HENSALL, May 10.—The funeral of
 Mrs. Roy Stewart, widow of Charles
 Stewart, a lifelong resident of Hen-
 borne Township, who died at the home
 of her nephew, John Glenn, on Tues-
 day, was held today.

Mrs. Stewart had been ill for a year
 as a result of a general illness. The
 funeral was of a private nature.
 No family survives.

RED CROSS RALLY.

FOREST, May 10.—The ladies of the
 Lake Shore Red Cross Workers are
 making extensive preparations for a
 big rally at Lake Valley Grove on May
 24. Meals will be served, and a good
 program given, besides several other
 attractions.

BARBER CURED OF ECZEMA

Generously Tells Others How
 Cure Was Effected.

Toronto, Ont., April 28.—No one is
 better qualified to judge of treatment
 for skin troubles than the barber. He
 finds his customers bothered with bar-
 ber's itch, pimples, eczema, and
 has his own difficulties in treating
 these conditions after shaving.

Mr. Lewis learned from a customer
 about Dr. Chase's Ointment, and when
 he contracted eczema, applied this
 treatment with most satisfactory re-
 sults. He is naturally enthusiastic now
 in recommending this ointment to any-
 one suffering from similar skin trou-
 bles.

Mr. George Lewis, barber, 202½ Wel-
 lesley street, Toronto, writes: "It was
 for some time troubled with an eczema
 eruption on the scalp and obtained
 temporary relief by the use of a tonic.
 About six months later little blotches
 broke out on my face and the doctor
 pronounced the trouble to be eczema.
 I heard of Dr. Chase's Ointment
 through a customer who was cured by
 this treatment after trying many reme-
 dies in vain, so I began the use of this
 ointment and in a short time the
 eczema entirely disappeared from my
 face and scalp. You can imagine my
 relief, as I am a barber by trade and
 having a face covered with pimples or
 blotches was not conducive to good
 business. I shall take great pleasure in
 recommending Dr. Chase's Ointment to
 any customers with facial or other
 troubles of this nature."

Dr. Chase's Ointment, 60c a box, at
 all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co.,
 Limited, Toronto.

FREE PANTS SATURDAY ONLY!

Those who failed to get served dur-
 ing last Saturday's rush, when we
 made our astounding offer of an
 extra pair of pants free with every
 suit of clothes or overcoat, will have
 just one more opportunity—tomorrow
 from 9 a.m. till the store closes at 10
 o'clock. There are no smart tricks
 about this offer—only one condition,
 your order must be placed between
 9 a.m. and 10 p.m. Saturday.



The Privileges of the Biggest Tailoring Organization in Canada Are Yours

Walk in and select your suiting or overcoating. We take
 your measure and will tailor you the finest and best fitting
 clothes you ever wore—WITH AN EXTRA PAIR OF
 PANTS FREE.

**WE POSITIVELY WILL NOT
 REPEAT THIS OFFER**

On Monday and Tuesday numbers of our regular custom-
 ers came into the store and pleaded with us to extend the
 Free Pant Offer, as they were absolutely unable to get into
 the store last Saturday. We were forced to refuse, but
 they were so insistent and pressing in their demands that
 out of a sense of fairness and fair play to those who were
 unable to get served, we have arranged with headquarters
 to renew the offer for tomorrow.

But This Is Absolutely the Last Day This Season You Will Have This Privilege

Remember, an extra pair of pants with every suit or overcoat
 from the finest range of spring fabrics ever shown in London.

The pants are cut from the same cloth as you select for your suit, and made
 to your measure as you wish.

With woollens soaring in price this is a great bargain.
 STORE OPENS AT 9 A.M.—CLOSES AT 10 P.M.

Last Saturday was a tremendous rush all afternoon. We would
 suggest that you come as early as possible and avoid the con-
 fusion of many buyers.

Out-of-Town Customers If you cannot come to the store on Saturday, we will hold this offer open
 for you until last mail on Monday, up to which time a letter from you in-
 closing a small deposit will entitle you to the full Free Pants benefit. We will send you full assort-
 ment of our miniature travelers' samples, together with the latest fashion plates, an easy self-meas-
 uring chart, and should we fail to please you we will refund your money.

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