

# SUFFERED TERRIBLE AGONY

## "Fruit-a-tives" Alone Gave Him Quick Relief

Buckingham, Que., May 3rd, 1915. "For seven years, I suffered terribly from Severe Headaches and Indigestion. I had belching gas from the stomach, and I had chronic Constipation. I tried many remedies but nothing did me good. Finally, a friend advised 'Fruit-a-tives'. I took this grand fruit medicine and it made me well. To everyone who has miserable health with Constipation and Indigestion and Bad Stomach, I say take 'Fruit-a-tives', and you will get well."

ALBERT VARNER.

50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or sent postpaid by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa, Ont.

### CHAMPION KNITTER OF THE NORTHWEST.

The champion knitter of the Northwest has been found in Mrs. Anna Hellen of No. 1610 11th Avenue, Seattle, who, while closely watched and timed at division headquarters one day recently knit one sock in two hours and eighteen and one half minutes and the other in two hours and nineteen minutes.

The half minute was used in walking across the floor to cool her hands in water. A half hour was taken off for lunch between the end of the first sock and the beginning of the second.

Women who watched Mrs. Hellen could not tell which style knitting she was doing, so fast did her fingers go. She says that she knits holding the yarn in her left hand and "picking" it.

The socks were regulation No. 11 knit on No. 3 needles.

### BORN

S MILEY—At Port Dufferin, H'f Co., April 24th, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas Smiley, a son, Clarence Lynds.

RUDOLPH—At Harrigan Cove, H'f Co., April 25th to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rudolph, a daughter.

CAMERON—At Moose River, H'f Co., April 28th to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Cameron, a daughter.

BALCAM—At Port Dufferin, H'f Co., May 2nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Balcam, a son—Horace Edward McIntosh.

SPEARS—At Moose River, H'f Co., May 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. John Spears, a son.

McDONALD—At Harrigan Cove, H'f Co., May 7th to Mr. and Mrs. John W. McDonald, a son.

FALICK—At Port Dufferin, H'f Co., May 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Falick, a son.

SMILEY—At Port Dufferin, H'f Co. May 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Smiley, a daughter, Edith Margaret.

JOHNSTON—At Harrigan Cove, H'f Co., May 23rd, to Mr. and Mrs. John J. Johnstone of Chignecto, Mines, a daughter.

### REGISTRATION BOOTHS.

In the town of Truro for the registration of all citizens, over 16 years, of age on Saturday June 22, there will be many booths throughout the town.

Already there Registration Booths have been arranged at:

Alice Street School.  
Central Schools.  
The Y. M. C. A.  
Willow Street School.  
Armory.

The public will be informed of other Booths, yet to be provided.

The object of the Registrar of the County of Colchester will be to make this man-power registration, as convenient for the public as possible.

On Registrar Day the Books will be open from 7 a. m. to 10 p. m., or even later, as necessary; and these Books will be in charge of Deputy Registrars. All information can be obtained from W. B. Armstrong, the Registrar for Colchester. We may say, by the way that the Registration card for Males contains 13 questions and for Females 16 questions; all of which must be answered; and must be signed before a Deputy Registrar on Saturday June 22.

### WILL SOON BE IN SESSION

London, June 8—It is officially announced that meetings of the Imperial Cabinet and the Imperial Conference are expected to commence within a few days. A majority of the representatives already have arrived.

### WEDDING BELLS

#### WALKER-MALCOLM.

The marriage took place in Vancouver, Wednesday May 29th, of Mr. Archie Walker, formerly of New Glasgow, and a son of Mrs. R. A. Walker, Willow Avenue, to Miss Florence Malcolm, formerly of Tatamagouche, N. S. The ceremony was performed by Rev. W. H. Smith, D. D., also a Nova Scotian formerly of Merigomish.

Their many friends in distant Nova Scotia wish Mr. and Mrs. Walker much happiness.

#### REV. W. F. PARKER RECOVERING

Major J. H. McDonald, assistant director of the Chaplain Service in London, cables to the effect that Capt. (Rev.) W. F. Parker of Sussex who was reported dangerously wounded in a hospital raid in France two weeks ago is now in the Red Cross Hospital at Etaples, France, and is progressing favorably.

#### AN ENJOYABLE TRIP

Mr. C. B. McMullen and Alonzo McCallum returned home on the 5th from a bit of a trip thru Upper Stewiacke, Col. Co. They were accompanied by the well known colored gentlemen, Messrs. John Byard, and Fley Paris, who enjoyed themselves immensely.

The scenery in the Upper Stewiacke, Springside and Newton Mills, districts is at this season very beautiful indeed. The cultivated fields everywhere are rich in their fresh new dress of green. A drive thru these sections of the country is well worth time and money to go many miles to see.

The crops too look fine and the farmers hopes are high for a bountiful harvest.

#### BLOODLESS WOMEN.

#### Feel weak depressed and Worn Out all the Time—Do Not Eat Well or Sleep Well.

It is an unfortunate fact that nine women out of ten are victims of bloodlessness in one for or another. The girl in her teens, the wife and mother, the matron of middle age, all know that it is miseries. To be anaemic means that you are breathless after any slight exertion—you feel depressed and worn out all day. You turn against food and cannot digest what little you do eat. At night you do not sleep well and in the morning you wake up tired and feeling unfit for the day's duties. Perhaps there are splitting headaches, or pains in the back or side. Often a feeling of dizziness and despondency. These are the signs of anaemia, or bloodlessness. There may be only one or two of these signs noticeable, but the more there are the greater are the ravages of the trouble. There is only one way to cure anaemia, and that is by increasing and enriching the blood supply, and there is only one medicine can do this speedily and effectively—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills purify the blood. It is in this way that thousands and thousands of weak, ailing girls and women have been restored to the joy of energy and good health through their use. Give these pills a fair trial and you will enjoy that health and strength that is the birthright of every woman. Mrs. W. H. Neff, Hughes Avenue, Toronto, says:—For several years I suffered from a weak and watery condition of the blood. At times I would be so bad that when I walked up stairs, I would have to sit on the top step and rest. Sometimes my face would swell to about twice its natural size, and at other times my feet would swell so that I could not put my shoes on. Frequently I would take fainting spells, and was wholly unfit for any work. I was under a doctor's care most of the time, and if I felt better for a time it was only to have the troubles worse than before. While in this condition I was visiting a friend who had great faith in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and she got me three boxes. By the time I had taken these I felt so much better that I got six more boxes, and before I had taken them all I was again enjoying the best of health; had increased in weight, my appetite improved, and I have not had a symptom of a relapse to the old.

You can get Dr. Williams' Pink Pills from any dealer in medicines, or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 for the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

#### AIR RAID OVER PARIS.

Paris, June 7—German airplanes raided the Paris district last night thru a heavy barrage. Some bombs were dropped. One person is reported dead and several wounded. Material damage was done. The "All clear" was sounded at 12.20 a.m. Friday.

Sunday June 30th has been appointed by the Canadian Government as a day of national prayer and humiliation for success of the Allies.

The Newfoundland Government are offering \$3,000,000 ten-year 6 1/2 per cent Bonds at par. The money is for war purposes.

Miss Bertha Pineo is visiting friends in Halifax.

The wedding announcements are out of Miss Kennetha Etter and Mr Geo. Faulkner, the wedding to take place this month.

Miss Grace Fullerton, Winnipeg is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. R. Hodgson, Victoria St., West.

Major J. Plimssoll Edwards, President of the Nova Scotia Historical Society, is endeavoring to arrange an pilgrimage of the members to Annapolis Royal on Dominion Day.

Conductor Whit Hopper is making an addition to his fine home on Pleasant Street. The Blding will be widened on the front, and converted into two half Self-contained houses, the Conductor will occupy one house, and his son, Dr. A. D. Hopper, will occupy the other. The property is on the corner and when completed will present a good appearance.

The 34th Annual meeting of the Halifax Presbyterian of the W. M. S., will be held at Musquodoboit, Harbor, on June 12. The names of delegates should be sent to Mrs. H. G. Guild.

Mr. F. J. Neal, probationer, for the Methodist Minister, who has been supplying the Brunswick Street, Church, has been called to the colors and is ordered to report to the Military authorities at Halifax at once.

Laurence A. McKenzie, has sold his farm and residence at Greenfield, and will move into Truro shortly. A few years ago Mr. McKenzie built one of the finest and most modern houses in Colchester at Greenfield, and the purchaser has certainly secured an ideal Country home.

The Misses Muriel Henderson and Alice MacCallum have returned from Oxford, where they were in attendance at the Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church.

Rev. J. W. Godfrey and C. E. Bentley are back from the meetings of the Church of England Synod, held in Halifax.

Up to the 3rd inst upwards of 74,600 men have reported under the Military Service Act; some 88,000 have been called to report.

Pte. G. A. Henderson, formerly of South Maitland, who was in employment in Truro, and who joined the 17th, and was one of the first soldiers to go overseas has returned home invalided from European battlefields. He did his part nobly and we all hope for his early convalescence.

The Montreal Methodist Conference after a pretty hot discussion, by a close vote will recommend the General Conference to permit laymen to act on the stationing committee.

The estate of the late John Martin, M. P. Glengarry, Ont., is valued at \$4,075,987. The succession in duties will be over \$550,000.

Over 1,500,000 Mexicans are living in the United States a large majority of whom are miners. They belong to Labor Unions and have now induced Premier Gompers of the American Federation of Labor to extend the Labor movement to Mexico.

Lance Corporal Filmore, Great Village, who joined the 193rd, in Truro, is among those invalided from the War. He arrived here on the 4th.

The Manitoba government has sold to the Dominion government the building and grounds of the old Agricultural college for \$880,000 in Winnipeg. It will be used as a permanent re-educational establishment for returned soldiers.

A cablegram dated London, June 3rd, announces the safe arrival of Major A. A. Durkee. The Major sailed from New York, May 18.

A famine in tin and tin plate is prophesied by Toronto tin manufacturers who urge that the government launch a campaign for salvage of old tin and conservation of supply.

A. B. Carter, Brentwood, phone 912 has good working horse for sale.

Mrs. Ensign Laing is making arrangements for an Apron and Dust Cap Sale to be held in the S. A. Hall, on Monday night June 24th. Remember the date.

### MODIFYING SECRET TREATIES.

A press despatch recently published in the Montreal Gazette stated that arrangements are under way to modify the treaty made secretly by Russia, France and England with Italy concealing certain territories for entering the war "for freedom and democracy." The treaty was published by Trotsky. The treaty specified that Italy was to receive Trentino and Dalmatia with other certain territories and a share in the division of Turkey on the Mediterranean Sea, close to Adalia. And in the event of expansion of French and English domains, Italy was to get her share and they all were to divide up Africa. Furthermore, England was to assist Italy to negotiate on the London market on good terms a loan of not less than 50,000,000 pounds sterling.

In view of these things President Wilson's congratulations to the Italians upon commemoration of their entrance into the war "for freedom and democracy" sound very hollow.

At a meeting of the Royal Geographical Society a back grant was awarded Capt. R. A. Bartlett. The President said Capt. Bartlett had commanded the Karluk in the Stefansson expedition in 1913 to the Arctic Seas on behalf of the Canadian Government, and the award was made chiefly in recognition of his splendid leadership of the expedition after the vessel was lost.

### LIFE IN OTHER WORLDS.

The possibility of life in other worlds is a problem of perennial interest. The eminent astronomer, Sir Robert Ball, holds that our earth as a member of the solar system possesses no extreme attributes which would lead us to infer that it is the only suitable abode of life. The circumstance that the greater the internal heat which it still possesses leads him to infer that if life exists on Jupiter or Saturn or Uranus or Neptune, it must be of a type different from that which flourishes on the earth. But so far as internal heat is concerned, Mars, Venus, and Mercury occupy much the same position as the earth. On a planet, however, which possessed double the mass of the earth bodies would weigh twice as much. A horse, for instance, would be subjected, to a load equal to putting his own weight on his back. It is, therefore almost impossible for us to form a conception of the characteristics of creatures adapted for residence in worlds of great mass. As a general rule, the size of the animal should vary in inverse direction to that of the globe on which it dwells. The upshot of Sir Robert Ball's investigation is that there is probably life on some of the other globes, but it is in the highest degree unlikely that any organism we know here could live on any other globe elsewhere.

### LINGAN ITEMS.

The fishermen of this locality have been greatly hampered in their fishing this season owing to drift ice, with the exception of herring, which have been fairly plentiful. There have been no fish caught yet. If conditions continue to improve as they have for the last couple of days the lobster fishing will commence and the factory will soon be going to its full capacity.

A few prominent men have bought a codfish trap which will be operated off the coast this summer. This is the first one that has been here and no doubt they will meet with success as it is in the capable hands of Mr. Simon Cashen. Mr. Cashen is an experienced man, as he owned and operated a fish trap on the Newfoundland coast last summer.

The farmers are certainly making a great show towards greater production, everything that can be ploughed up has been turned red. The Dom. Coal Co., Ltd., has again ploughed up their big field this year and filled it with potatoes. This was once the greatest Golf Links in the Province but had gone to Pasture until last Spring.

Mr. John Laffin one of our biggest farmers has put in a large crop of potatoes, oats and wheat and vegetables, and will be able to supply the market.

Mr. Martin Sweeney of New Waterford has taken up his summer residence in the fine house owned by Mr. Matthews, and expects to do his bit along the line of greater production.

Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Michael Burke, as her son and only support has been called to the colors.

Barnaby has a great many friends in Lingan and Waterford who wish him all good luck.

The people of Lingan congratulate Mr. Loran Roach on his moving into his fine new house.

The Roach homestead was burned a couple of years ago and the family had the misfortune of losing all their household and personal effects and also considerable cash. Now the young people will be expecting Mr. Roach to give them a good old fashioned wedding.

### HOW TO TELL BEST LAYERS.

By looking at the color of the earlobes and shanks of Leghorn hens in October you can tell which have been the greatest layers in the past season. The yellower they are the fewer the eggs they have laid.

### HAD WORST CASE OF CONSTIPATION DOCTOR EVER KNEW.

Although generally described as a disease, constipation can never exist unless some of the organs are deranged, which is generally found to be the liver. It consists of an inability to regularly evacuate the bowels, and as a regular action of the bowels is absolutely essential to general health, the least irregularity should never be neglected.

Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills have no equal for relieving and curing constipation and all its allied troubles.

Mrs. F. Martin, Prince Albert, Sask., writes:—"I had one of the worst cases of constipation my doctor said he had ever known, and Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills cured me of it. My father-in-law had used them, in fact he was the one who gave them to me. A number of people around here use them, and they all say that they are the best pills they ever used."

Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills are 25c. a vial at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

### A GERMAN OFFICER A BIT SICK OF HIS JOB.

London, June 6.—A letter written by a German officer, and sent to the Morning Post by its war correspondent gives evidence of the tenacity of the French resistance against the present German offensive. "I lie in a wheat field under a heavy gun fire, waiting orders to attack," says the letter "the day has been a hard one. We attacked and received many gun bullet from all sides and our losses have been considerable. Today we are advancing. How shall we be received here? I hope we will soon be relieved. I have only 85 men left and for four days they have had no warm food nor sleep. We shall certainly soon be relieved, at any rate from the first line, but I doubt whether we shall be leave the field of battle. We now have been in action four days,—how thankful you are not here. If you only knew what we see, you would doubtly appreciate your quiet existence. Our orders are prisoners and nothing else. If you could only imagine what it means to take prisoners who defend themselves like madmen, until you are only three yards from them."

### GRAND SHIPBUILDING RETURNS GREAT BRITAIN.

London, June 6.—Merchant tonnage completed in United Kingdom yards and entered for service during May 1918, was 1917, 274 gross tons, the highest figure for any month during the past year. Official figures published today show that the completions for May, marked an increase in tonnage over April 1918, of 85,741 tons. The next highest figures for any month in the past year were 161,674 gross tons in March 1918. The total completions for the twelve months ending May 31, 1918, were 1,406,838 gross tons. The corresponding figures for the year ending April 30, 1918 were 1,270,337. Commenting upon these figures, the controller general of merchant shipbuilding says the satisfactory output in May reflects great credit on the whole industry, particularly on the firms engaged in fitting out vessels. The average time for fitting out has been reduced considerably. In one instance during May, a 5,000 ton steamer was completed for service within nineteen days of its launching.

### NEW ROUTE TO WESTERN CANADA.

Runs Through Famous Clay Belt of New Ontario and the Cobalt District.

On your next trip to Western Canada why not travel over a new route, see the wonderful land opened up in New Ontario by the Transcontinental Railway and gain a glimpse of Timagami, and the Cobalt silver mining region?

You may use two famous trains on your journey without any added expense for railway fare as compared with any other route. The Interna-

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your stomach. Keep it strong and well. When food disagrees with it, strengthen it with

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tional Limited will carry you to Toronto, where "The National" starts on its westbound flight. "The National" uses the rails of the Grand Trunk to North Bay the Temiskaming & Northern Ontario Provincial Government Line to Cochrane, and the Canadian Government Railways to Winnipeg, where it links up with the Grand Trunk Pacific for all important points in Western Canada.

A pleasant daylight run to Toronto, and evening in the Queen City and "The National" is ready to carry you westward. The departure of "The National" from Toronto is at 9.00 p. m. on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturdays. North Bay is reached early next morning and there opens up for your admiration all the lakeland beauties of the territory served by the T & N. O. line. These are followed by a wonderfully interesting trip through the sparsely populated territory of New Ontario, giving the traveller the opportunity of inspecting this fertile region, including the famed clay belt where tens of thousands of settlers will make their homes in the future. The arena of New Ontario is 330,000 square miles, fully four times the size of old Ontario, and in addition to great expanses of good farming land, timber, it has wonderful resources in minerals, water power, fish and game.

The three railways have combined to make the passenger service over this new road the equal of that offered anywhere on the continent. The smooth, straight and level roadbed embodies all that has been learned in three quarters of a century of railroad building. The greatest travel comfort is assured. 7-6-1d.

### GERMAN SPY ARRESTED IN ATLANTIC CITY—GAVE INFORMATION TO SUBMARINE

Atlantic City, June 8—A German giving his name as Fritz Flage, who the police believe to be one of the number responsible for the mysterious signals flash from points along the coast, since the operations of German Submarines began on this side of the Atlantic, was arrested last night and held to await investigation by the naval intelligence bureau. According to Detectives, who search his room, maps were found of the Atlantic Coast from Virginia to Massachusetts with detailed drawings of Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Baltimore, Hoboken and Norfolk, showing industrial plants and the easiest routes to them by water and rail. Pictures and drawing of guns, forts and studies of explosives and a book, which appears to be a code, were also found in the prisoner's room.

### FLOOD THE SUBMARINES.

London, June 6—(Delayed)—German submarines were flooded in their attempt against a convoy, which included ships carrying American troops and American Red Cross workers, according to the Rev. Father Waring, of Baltimore, one of the Red Cross party, who arrived in London yesterday. The protecting destroyers got into action quickly on two occasions last Sunday, but Father Waring did not know whether any submarines had been sunk.