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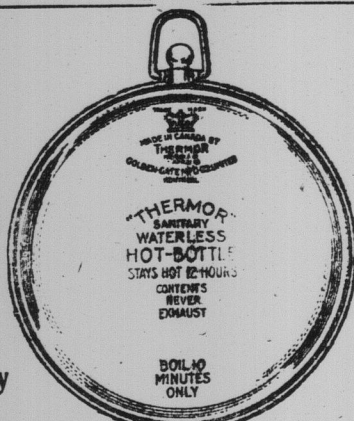
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## LOCAL NEWS

### TO JOIN NAVY

Frederick Larsen, a machinist in the  
Phoenix Foundry, left on Thursday  
evening for Halifax, where he intends to  
join the navy.

### DEATH OF CHILD

Much sympathy is being expressed for  
George Buchanan of 340 Main street in  
the death of his four-year-old daughter,  
Margaret, which occurred on Friday,  
after illness of a week. The funeral  
will take place on Sunday afternoon and  
will be private.

### ON THE RIVER

The steamer Hampton left Indian-  
town this morning for her last trip of  
the season up the Kennebecasis river.  
She had an exceptionally large cargo for  
Hampton and intermediate points. Next  
week she will go on the Badollet route  
and continue running from Indiantown  
to Hatfield's Point for the balance of  
the season.

### NOT THOMAS J. CARTY

An unfortunate error occurred in Fri-  
day's paper relative to the story of the  
two little colored boys who were lost.  
They were said to be the children of  
Thomas J. Carty, of 335 Marsh road.  
Mr. Carty is not a colored man, and has  
no small children. The boys in question  
are the children of a colored man named  
Carty, who lives in Pitt street.

### THE COUNTRY MARKET

With the exception of poultry, very  
little change in prices is reported in the  
country market. An abundant supply  
of poultry has somewhat lowered the  
price. Chicken is selling at 35 cents a  
pound, a drop of five cents, and fowl has  
dropped four cents, to twenty-eight.  
Ducks are \$2.50 to \$3 a pair, and geese,  
\$2.50 to \$3 each. Moose and venison  
are plentiful, and sell at thirty cents for  
steak. Wild duck is \$1.50 a pair. The  
prices in meats have not changed. The  
vegetable market is a good one.

## Y. M. C. I. BOWLING LEAGUE SEASON PLANS ARRANGED

The Y. M. C. I. Bowling League ses-  
sion is now arranged. A start will be  
made on October 29 and the schedule  
provides for games until the end of  
March. The season is divided into three  
periods in all. The dates are:—  
Autos vs. Canaries—Oct. 30, Dec. 18,  
Feb. 12.  
Autos vs. Eagles—Nov. 6, Dec. 31, Feb. 19  
Autos vs. Falcons—Nov. 13, Jan. 5, Feb. 26.  
Autos vs. Crows—Nov. 20, Jan. 15, Mar. 5  
Autos vs. Owls—Nov. 27, Jan. 22, Mar. 12.  
Autos vs. Sparrows—Dec. 6, Jan. 31,  
Mar. 21.  
Autos vs. Hawks—Dec. 11, Feb. 5, Mar. 26.  
Hawks vs. Eagles—Oct. 30, Dec. 19, Feb. 21.  
Hawks vs. Falcons—Nov. 7, Jan. 2, Feb. 20.  
Hawks vs. Crows—Nov. 14, Jan. 9, Feb. 27.  
Hawks vs. Canaries—Nov. 21, Jan. 16,  
Mar. 6.  
Hawks vs. Owls—Dec. 5, Jan. 30, Mar. 20.  
Hawks vs. Sparrows—Nov. 28, Jan. 23,  
Mar. 18.  
Hawks vs. Autos—Dec. 11, Feb. 5, Mar. 26.  
Sparrows vs. Falcons—Oct. 29, Dec. 21,  
Feb. 14.  
Sparrows vs. Crows—Nov. 8, Jan. 3, Feb. 21.  
Sparrows vs. Canaries—Nov. 16, Jan. 10,  
Feb. 28.  
Sparrows vs. Eagles—Nov. 22, Jan. 17,  
Mar. 7.  
Sparrows vs. Hawks—Nov. 28, Jan. 23,  
Mar. 18.  
Sparrows vs. Autos—Dec. 6, Jan. 31,  
Mar. 21.  
Sparrows vs. Owls—Dec. 13, Feb. 7,  
Mar. 28.  
Owls vs. Crows—Nov. 2, Dec. 22, Feb. 15.  
Owls vs. Canaries—Nov. 9, Jan. 4, Feb. 22.  
Owls vs. Eagles—Nov. 16, Jan. 11, Mar. 8.  
Owls vs. Falcons—Nov. 23, Jan. 18, Mar. 15.  
Owls vs. Autos—Nov. 27, Jan. 22, Mar. 19.  
Owls vs. Hawks—Dec. 5, Jan. 30, Mar. 20.  
Owls vs. Sparrows—Dec. 13, Feb. 7,  
Mar. 28.  
Crows vs. Owls—Nov. 2, Dec. 22, Feb. 15.  
Crows vs. Sparrows—Nov. 8, Jan. 3, Feb. 21.  
Crows vs. Hawks—Nov. 14, Jan. 9, Feb. 27.  
Crows vs. Autos—Nov. 20, Jan. 15, Mar. 5.  
Crows vs. Canaries—Nov. 30, Jan. 25,  
Mar. 15.  
Crows vs. Eagles—Dec. 7, Feb. 1, Mar. 22.  
Crows vs. Falcons—Dec. 14, Feb. 8, Mar. 29.  
Falcons vs. Sparrows—Oct. 29, Dec. 21,  
Feb. 14.  
Falcons vs. Hawks—Nov. 7, Jan. 2, Feb. 20.  
Falcons vs. Autos—Nov. 13, Jan. 8, Feb. 26.  
Falcons vs. Owls—Nov. 28, Jan. 18, Mar. 8.  
Falcons vs. Eagles—Nov. 29, Jan. 24,  
Mar. 14.  
Falcons vs. Canaries—Dec. 24, Jan. 29,  
Mar. 19.  
Falcons vs. Crows—Dec. 14, Feb. 18, Mar. 29.  
Eagles vs. Autos—Nov. 6, Dec. 31, Feb. 19.  
Eagles vs. Hawks—Oct. 31, Dec. 19, Feb. 18.  
Eagles vs. Owls—Nov. 16, Jan. 11, Mar. 1.  
Eagles vs. Sparrows—Nov. 22, Jan. 17,  
Mar. 7.  
Eagles vs. Falcons—Nov. 29, Jan. 24,  
Mar. 11.  
Eagles vs. Crows—Dec. 7, Feb. 1, Mar. 22.  
Eagles vs. Canaries—Dec. 12, Feb. 6,  
Mar. 27.  
Canaries vs. Autos—Oct. 30, Dec. 18,  
Feb. 12.  
Canaries vs. Owls—Nov. 9, Jan. 4, Feb. 22.  
Canaries vs. Sparrows—Nov. 15, Jan. 10,  
Feb. 28.  
Canaries vs. Hawks—Nov. 21, Jan. 16,  
Mar. 6.  
Canaries vs. Crows—Nov. 30, Jan. 25,  
Mar. 15.  
Canaries vs. Falcons—Dec. 4, Jan. 29,  
Mar. 19.  
Canaries vs. Eagles—Dec. 12, Feb. 6,  
Mar. 27.

## HANNA AND THE SPECULATOR

The Food Controller Must Do  
a Little Hard Thinking

### MAXIMUM NEEDED

Business Man Makes Clear State-  
ment Using the Price of Potatoes  
Here as an Illustration—Why  
Prices Are Boosted

The last issue of Toronto Saturday  
Night contains an article by the Cana-  
dian food controller. In it he outlines the  
causes of high prices and attempts to  
explain the difficulties with which he is  
confronted in his efforts to prevent them.  
He appears to believe a serious upheaval  
would occur through the fixing of maxi-  
mum prices.

As the fourth cause of the high prices  
he mentions the food speculator, and as-  
serts that this person is vigilantly guard-  
ed against. He refers to course to the  
large buyer who operates simply for  
speculation. But is he the only food  
speculator?

A St. John business man who believes  
Mr. Hanna should fix prices wants to  
know if Mr. Hanna would not find, on  
looking into his own buying, that he has  
himself unconsciously a food speculator.  
The St. John man says:

"We find the food speculator not only  
among the big speculative buyers. We  
find him also among the producers who  
hold their produce off the market; among  
the wholesalers who buy and hold more  
than they wanted under normal condi-  
tions; among the retailers who do the  
same; and last, but perhaps not least,  
we find him among the consumers who  
follow the same line of action, all with  
the same motive, who say: 'These are  
war times and prices will be higher.'  
With such an array of buying power the  
result is inevitable. Prices go up, and  
those who are not in a position to store  
away a supply are forced to pay. That  
exaggerates to buy ahead and buy more  
than is required would seem to be the  
chief cause of the steady advance in  
many lines, and it would also seem that  
to a great extent it might be prevented  
by the fixing of maximum prices on  
some articles at least, without creating  
any hardships. Take as an example  
potatoes. In this province on the present  
crop the price opened at about \$2  
per barrel. It is now \$4 to \$4.50. Where  
will it stop? Not until the buyers are  
satisfied that the market has reached the  
top and there is no chance of making a  
profit on the advance. But with the fixing  
of a maximum price that chance or hope of a profit by early and  
heavy buying would disappear, and no  
one would be obliged to pay more than  
is warranted by the conditions of sup-  
ply and demand, which would be deter-  
mined by the information gathered by the  
food controllers. Take as another example  
the present method of doing business  
and discourage speculation, a fair allow-  
ance should be given to the producer,  
the wholesaler and the retailer; and  
making due allowance for these, it would  
seem that potatoes have already ad-  
vanced more than is warranted by the  
conditions."

## The Man In The Street

"Water, water everywhere, but not a  
drop to drink," sadly remarked a  
stranger who was roaming the harbor  
front the other day in search of an obli-  
ving bootlegger.

Which merely goes to prove that he  
was a stranger.

Talking of water, a soldier decided  
that he was getting more than his share  
last night. He entered a local theatre  
wearing a wet uniform, but with fire in  
his eye, and accompanied by a police-  
man. He was seeking vengeance on the  
person whom he accused of throwing  
water on him. An explanation was  
sought, and given, and with a broad  
grin, but without the revenge he had  
demanded, he departed. The diving girl,  
performing at the theatre, had  
thoughtlessly hung her wet bathing suit  
out of the window as he was passing.

"Flying corps" only unit open to  
volunteers eligible under military service  
act," the morning papers announce,  
which is not much encouragement to the  
man who thinks his life too valuable to  
be risked in the trenches.

He can at least be thankful that the  
Canadian flying corps does not use Zepp-  
elins.

If all the applicants for exemption are  
successful, a medium-sized sea-going tug  
will be able to transport Canada's drafted  
contingent.

But a lot of those applications will be  
rejected, and a soldier's comfort worker  
suggests that they may have to provide  
an extra supply of socks to keep some of  
the feet warm.

The minister who threatens to an-  
nounce that all week-night church meet-  
ings will open "after the first show at  
the movie houses" will have the warm  
support of a large part of his congrega-  
tion.

The abolition of patronage will not  
appeal strongly to those who have been  
receiving patronage, those who hoped to  
get a share, nor the voters whose share  
of the spoils has been a cash considera-  
tion on election day. It looks like a hard  
winter for the grafters.

But we trust that the elimination of  
the graft will not lessen the enthusiasm  
parties whose interest in the salvation  
of the country becomes keenest just be-  
fore an election.

CONDITION SERIOUS  
Donald Walker, who was injured yester-  
day while playing football at Robt-  
son, is still in a critical condition, ac-  
cording to a report from the hospital  
this afternoon. It is said that he sus-  
tained an injury to his head last week  
while playing against the Robtson Col-  
lege team in Fredericton, and as a result  
had been unable to participate in practice  
games prior to coming here to play  
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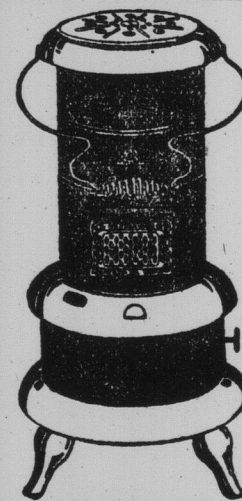
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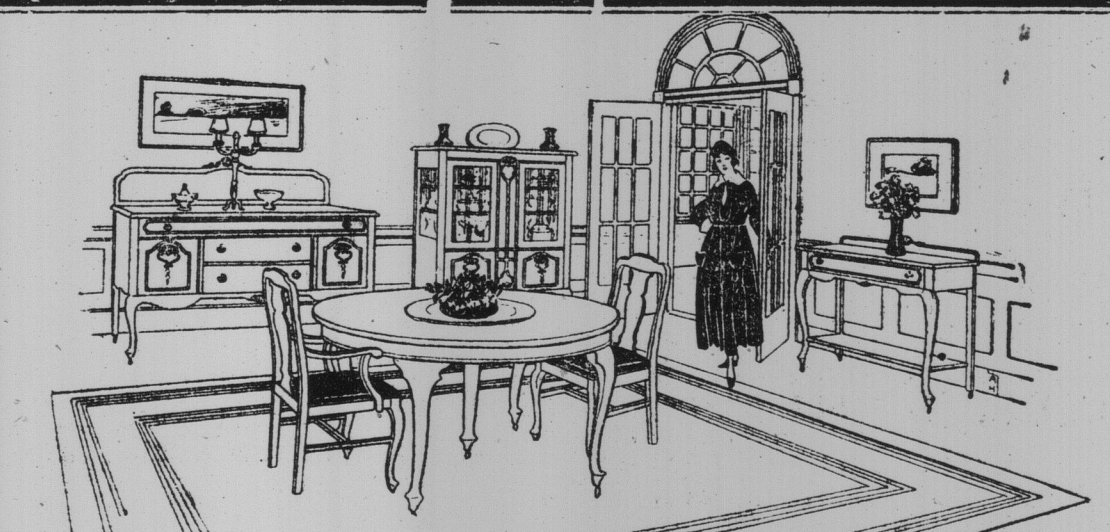
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