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TAILORS SCARCE

There is a dearth of tailors in London. With the demand for clothes largely exceeding the supply, there appears to be little hope of filling the ranks of alien workers, depleted by the war, with Brit-

"The London Globe" reports that in his evidence before the Select Committee on Pensions at the House of Commons Captain Brady stated that approximately 20,000 men could be absorbed in the trade. Some hundreds of undesirable aliens who were engaged in it, he said, had

The secretary of the London branch of the National Federation of Merchant Tailors informed a "Globe" representative that it was true the trade had been allowed to get into the hands of aliens. In the large cities, especially in the East End of London, there is a very large percentage of alien labor and at meeting of the Garment Workers' Union, which has branches all over the country, it is no uncommon thing for the proceedings to be conducted in Yiddish, as otherwise the spreeches would not be understood.

Since the early days of the war there had been a great shortage of labor in the East End on account of the intermment of the aliens, chiefly Germans, Hungarians and Austrians. The secretary of the London branch Worked for Low Wages

"The alien element originally got a footing in the trade over here," said the secretary, "through undercutting the English wage market, and they would work for as many hours as were required. Now, however, the position is reversed, and the foreigner today is frequently earning higher wages in the tailoring trade than the British journeyman."

In reply to a question as to how far it is likely demobilized or disabled soldiers could take up the trade and relieve the situation the secretary stated that he was the originator of the scheme for giving trade training in tailoring to ex-service men, so far back as November, 1914, but the results had proved disappointing. Few Seek Training

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Few men had come forward to attend the instruction classes which had been formed in London and the chief, cities. Probably not over 200 ex-soldiers altogether had taken up the work and the average attendance at the classes, which are held daily, is only about twenty. The men apparently do not settle down to the monotony of the training, and they also regard the work as being more fitted to women. Another drawback is the attitude of the trade unions which regard the men, when they have passed through the classes as dilutees, and do not recognize them as having undergone the regular training of the trade.

Tailoring is especially suitable for their legs in the war," said the secretary "so the results of the classes are specially disappointing. Under the government scheme of trade training, they get a maintenance grant, separation allowance for a wife, traveling expenses and other allowances that may be considered necessary"

DEATH OF PERCY E. GIGGEY.

The death of Percy E. Giggey took place at the home of his mother, Mrs. Fred Giggey, Hampton, last evening after a long illness. He was a son of the late Fred Giggey, who passed away a few years ago, and was well-known throughout the province, having been an athlete holding the maritime record for the half mile. He was employed with Emerson & Fisher, Limited, St. John, for some years and was very popular, and efficient in his work. Besides his mother he leaves two brothers, Fenwick F. at home and J. Wilbur of Montreal, and one sister, Mrs. S. Emma Burden, aged fifty-seven, died yesterday in Fredericton. She is survived by her husband, who resides at Queensbury, and two sons, both in the west.

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RECENT WEDDINGS

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel The home of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Currie, Campbellton, was the scene of a quiet wedding at 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, September 9, when their daughter, Janet, was united in marriage to W. Kenneth Clawson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Clawson, of St. John. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Hugh Miller, assisted by Rev. J. W. Woodside, in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom.

Teakles-Steeves.

Elgin, Sept. 11.—An event of much atterest to a large circle of friends took lace at 9 o'colck Wednesday evening place at 9 o'colck Wednesday evening at the Baptist parsonage, Elgin, when Brunswick H. Teackles, son of High Teakles of Portage Vale, was united in marriage to Miss Katherine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Steeves of Elgin-The ceremony was performed by Rev. R. A. Burrows. They were attended by Charles and Miss Hattie Steeves, brother and sister of the bride. The bride looked lovely in a dark navy blue serge suit with hat to match.

Robinson-Perry.

Sussex, Sept. 10.—A wedding of much interest took ulace today at Sussex (N.B.) when Miss Ella M. Perry, daughter of Mrs. Annie and the late Rev. W. H. Perry, was united in marriage to Archibald B. Robinson of Penobsquis

Budovich-Hoffman.

A pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Hoffman, 151 Adelaide street, when their daughter, Miss Minnie, was united in marriage to Jacob Budovich, of Fredericton. The happy pair will make their home in Fredericton.

Lesser-Kaplansky.

On Wednesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Hayes, Westmount, Montreal, Miss Bessie Kaplansky, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kaplansky, was married to Alex. Lesser of St. John, son of Mrs. J. H. Lesser, Montreal. Dr. Raphael H. Melamed, assisted by Rev. I. de La Penha, officiated. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a white charmeuse satin gown, hand-embroidered in daisies, with flesh-colored centres, and wore a long tulle veil and crown of white velvet flowers, and carried a shower bouquet of orchids, roses and sweet peas.

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Mrs. A. L. Kaplansky, mother of the bride, wore a black charmeuse satin gown hand embroidered in black and delfh blue, and a corsage of swetheart roses. Mrs. J. H. Lesser, mother of the roses. Mrs. J. H. Lesser, mother of the groom, wore a black gown with jet trimming, and a corsage of roses. The matron of honor was Mrs. L. Levy of Toronto, who wore an American Beauty shade velvet gown, and a picture hat of black, and carried a shower bouquet of tea roses. Miss Anne Lesser, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and was gowned in white taffeta, with a black velvet picture hat, and carried a shower bouquet of sweetheart roses. Miss Sylvia Blumenthal was flower girl.

The best man was Sam Lesser, brother of the groom. The house was beautifully decorated with white asters and gladioli. After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Lesser left for New York and Atlantic City. The bride's traveling suit was of taupe grey velour cloth with mole skin trimming and small black velvet hat.

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RAILWAY MEN WILL MAKE ATTACK ON COST OF LIVING

Detroit, Sept. 12—The United Brother-hood of Maintenance of Way Employees and Railway Shop Laborers, in convention here, is undertaking action to force down the cost of living. This is being done independently of the government move in the same direction, although the organization plans to co-operate with the Department of Justice in the latter's investigations.

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Questionnaires have been sent to the full membership of the brotherhood, asking information as to the cost of necessities of life in every part of Canada and the United States.

Whether living costs are quickly brought back to normal or not, delegates to the convention indicated they are determined not to accept any compromise on the brotherhood's wage demands. Walker D. Hines, Federal Director of Railways, who is to address the convention tomorrow, is expected to state the Railroad Administration's stand on the wage question, and strike action on the wage question, and strike action by the organization may depend on what he will have to say. The matter will be fought out on the convention floor Fri-



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