IME STANDARD, ST. JUHN, N. B., IUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1919. The St. John Standard with free paving at the expense of mother, so long will there be dissat-faction with City Hall methods and aterminable deluy in necessary Little Benny's Note Book Published by The Standard Limited \$2 Prince William Street, St. John, N. B., Canada. H. V. MACKINNON, Manager and Editor. **Dominion** and BY LEE PAPE. DV LEE PAPE. Park Ave. News. Meather. Peeple that dident hold their hat on wishing they had whe other peeple chase it. Big Perrade. A big perrade of about 15000 soldiers from the war marched down Broad Street last Satidday followed rite in back by Benny Potts, Ed Wernick, Skinny Martin and Levroy Shoozie. Spoarts. Puds Stmkins and Lew Davis had a setting down contest in Ardest, Puds winning by breaking one of the sitinnie legs of the gilt chair they was using for the contest, which they put it together agen to look as if it haden bin broak yet, and Puds is wondering weather his won she finds out. ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, MARCH 25, 1919. **Maple Leaf Tires** PROVINCIAL FINANCES. "Yesterday The Standard asserted that trust funds and other receipts were purposely included in the state-ment of revenue for no other purpose ican to create an alleged surplus. This is absolutely untrue. Like The Standard's other statements it is mere invention, deliberately published in the hope of misleading the public No trust funds or other receipts helt for special purposes appear in the Government's statement of ordinary revenue."—Telegraph, January 30th. Yet the balance sheet included tin the angle of things, a Patriotic and War Duroses asserted to the the thouses appear in the for special purposes appear in the for special purpose appear in the for special purposes appear in the for special purpose appear in the for special purpose appear in the for special purpose appear in the for special purposes appear in the for special purpose appe WHAT THEY SAY ARE GOOD TIRES Beating Prohibition Baltimore Star: "It is claimed that there are at least 100,000 ways to beat prohibition, and when you realize the number of persons who are preparing to try all 100,000 you can readily un-derstand how much respect the peo-ple of the country have for fanatical tyrants." Other Tires May Be. Let us show you these famous Made-in-Canada Tires mother will think the setting down contest is a good enuff of a ixcuse wen she finds out. Bewty Departmint. Deer editor, how can I make myself bewtifill if I aint? Skinny Martin. Anser. Ware a bewtifill faits face. Intristing Facks About intristing Peeple. Sam Cross always gets dizay wen he looks down on the ground frum away high up. For this reason he is seldom saw on roofs. Sissiety. A electrick door bell by pushing a button has jest bin put in Miss Mary Watkinses house insted of the kind you haff to pull the nob, being easier to werk but not making the door open eny sooner. and permit us to say that we carry an extensive line of Chesring the Smoker. Seattle Post-Intelligence: "After regulating the price of bread and but-ter, doubless the government com mittee to lower the cost of living will see the need of jumping hastly to the consideration of the altitudi-nous price of smoking tobacco. **Automobile Accessories** <text> of All Kinds. Prompt and efficient service. Reasonable prices-Our motto **GERMANS RELEASE** T.MªAVITY& SONS,E" SPARTACAN AGENT Was Arrested in February in 0/0/0/0/0/00/0/0/0/0 Connection With a Spartacan Uprising in Germany. From Iron Betrothal Rings to Gold and Solitaire The giving of the ring to mark a betrothal was an old Roman custom. The ring was probably a mers pledge that the contract would be fulfilled.

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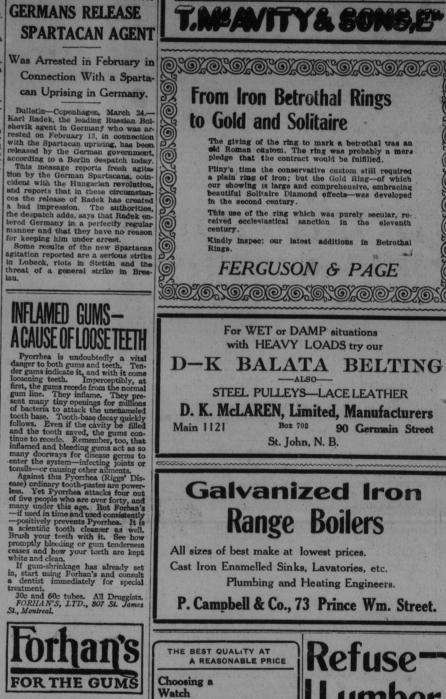
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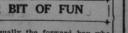
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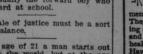
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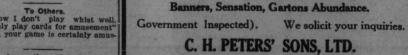
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