Use the left over meat. Even the smallest portions can be made into appetizing dishes when combined with a small quantity of Sing discharge papers,

## 2 MUTCH

By a member of the Non-Fighting Quan termaster's Department for the birth cer-SIR: I wish to protest. I don't mind tificates of my five children,

being stopped and asked by a sailor wear-By a Gentleffien With a Badge That ing a cartridge belt full of cartridges and He Flashes At Me So Quickly That I a pistol and a bayonet, for my registration Can't Read It, for a copy of my income card. That is all right. But I object to tax return, By a Maiden Lady Wearing a Uniform

being asked, all day long, on the streets, and a Rapacious Look, for my marriage By a National Protective Leaguer for certificate. my birth certificate. By a Home Defenser for my auto-driv-

er's licence, By a Security Leaguer for my dog li-

cence.

ults

I am a perfectly good citizen, and am willing to do everything the Government wants me to do. But is not this cruel and unusual punishment for a comparatlvely innocent man?

By a Police Volunteer for my gas bill, By a Patriotic Spy Snooper for my SingYours; PATRIOTIC. — The New York Evening Post.



## THE BEACON, SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1918

## CANADA FOOD BOARD MR. MACMASTER ON THE WAR EDUCATIONAL DIVISION THE TRUE LEAGUE OF NATIONS

CANADA FOOD BOARD NOTES

At a meeting at Chertsey for the organization of the new Chertsey Division, a

Never perhaps since the opening of the resolution was unanimously passed dewar have the Allies had more sound claring that the first object of the Nationeason for optimism than at the beginning al Unionist Association was the winning of this last quarter of the year 1918. The of the war.

enemy has been defeated in a succession At the invitation of the meeting, Donald of battles on the Western Front. His Macmaster, the member for the present successes of the spring have been division, has issued a statement of his neutralized and his campaign upset. A views on the war. In this he says that million and a half men have been added one of the important domestic questions to the Allies' Military resources from the growing out of the war is the presence of United States. The submarine menace the alien in our midst. As to the alien has greatly declined. The number of naturalized before the war, he points out ships for carrying supplies has been great- that all certificates granted since the war ly augmented. The efforts of this con- are now referred to a committee, presided tinent to keep the soldiers fed and stave over by a Judge, and if the committee off threatened starvation in Allied Europe reports that it is desirable that a certificate until the new harvest became available should be revoked, then the Secretary of has been gloriously successful.' And fur- State must revoke it. This will cover all ther, the harvest of Great Britain, of that class of people who ran to cover on France and of Italy have, in some meas- the breaking out of the war. As to the ure, overcome the disadvantages reported ordinary unnaturalized enemy aliens, they earlier in the year by reason of weather should, Mr. Macmaster states, either be conditions and are being safely garnered deported or interned, and none should be by the help of women, boys, civilians from the cities, prisoners of war, and soldiers whatever, although "there are some serreleased from active duty at the front for vices of a very special and delicate charshort periods. Greater than all these acter on which it may be necessary to factors of success in "food fighting," will employ enemy aliens, but such employbe the magnificant harvest being reaped by farmers of the United States. This with the safeguards necessary to protect year's harvest promises to be the greatest the public interest." As to aliens of on record.

It cannot be be too emphatically urged, however, that the necessity for conservation of food and increased production of whose jobs they covet." food will continue in this country while

the war lasts and for some time afterwards. The encouraging news as to the release of the strain which was viewed so seriously earlier in the year should not lead us to relax our efforts now, except in so far as the Canada Food Board may revise the food regulations as circumstances warrant from time to time. The results which have been obtained on this continent by the use of substitute foods for Russia and Rumania." those required overseas are the basis of the optimistic outlook of the Allied food

situation in Europe to-day. The situation of the immediate future is based on the continuation of those efforts. The food reserves of the world at war have been exhausted. The 1918 crops in Allied countries must be conserved for the future and our efforts to produce foodstuffs in greater abundance must not be

together united and determined to mainrelax. tain their common interests."-The Times There is grave danger always when a London. crisis is passed, of falling back into the condition from which we have escaped, through the relaxation of our vigilance **KEEPING SCHOOL UNDER SHELL** and our energy. The Food Controllers of the Allies have, warned us of this er. We should be warned also of persons who well-meaning, but nevertheess in the interest of the enemy, urge that all such efforts to conserve and produce are now superfluous and that the danger is passed. The danger is not passed. But we have found a way of overcoming it and we must follow that safe path until the war is over. WHY FISH ARE HIGHER not of the subterranean kind. One frequently hears the question Why are fish so high?" Many people who accept the increased ost of meats, vegetables and other food, of clothing, rent and other essentials, as matters of fact, ask this question. Sometimes they add : "It costs nothing to produce fish." s my reply. It is true that fish grow unaided in the ocean. There is no cost for planting or cultivating. But to harvest fish, i. e., to catch them, does cost money. The folowing tables show briefly and eloquently the chief reasons for the increased cost of into the cellar. BEFORE THE WAR Cost of vessel, \$10,000 to \$15,000. Cost of sails, \$700 to \$800. Cost of gear; \$3.50 per tub. Cost of ice, \$2 to \$3 per cwt. Cost of provisions, \$200 per trip. Now Cost of vessel, \$20,000 to \$30,000. Cost of sails, \$1,600 to \$1,700. Cost of gear, \$11 to \$12 per tub. Cost of Ice, \$4 per cwt. Cost of provisions, \$400 per trip. It costs the fishermen more to fish. also costs him more to support his family ashore.-Fishing Gazette. \_ **AUTOMOBILE OWNERS** others. IN CHARLOTTE COUNTY Additional list published in the Roya Gazette of September 4. 930 Charles W. Young, St. Stephen. 9933 Georgia E. Young, St. Stcphen. A. W. Little, St. Stephen. Harry B. Epps, St. George. Rev. F. T. Wright, Seal Cove, Grand Manan, Louis H. Porter, Algonquin Hotel, St. Andrews. R. B. Harvey, Seal Cove, Grand Manan P. M. Small, Woodward's Cove, Grand Manan. Vernon Johnson, Woodward's Cove Grand Manan. Mrs, W. L. Harvey, Woodward's In the western provinces the consumption Cove, Grand Manan. J. Sutton Clark, St. George N. B. F.SW. Andrews, St. Stephen. Mrs. J. E. Ganong, St. Andrews. nard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc. conserve meat supplies.

employed in any confidential relationship ment should be invariably surrounded neutral origin, "it is difficult to deny these W. H. THORNE & CO. LTD., ST. JOHN, N. B. the hospitality of our freedom, though it is done at the expense of our own citizens On the war situation generally Mr. Macmaster says:-"Our first duty as a people is to be united and stedfast in our GEODETIC SURVEY OF CANADA progress for a number of years, until the endeavors to bring it to a conclusion. There is not the faintest sign of our being able to do so by negotiation. The enemy may talk about peace, but his acts are all of Canada, in charge of Mr. H. F. J. Lam-

peace approved by the enemy we have the work of triangulation. The Geodeticbut to look at the conditions imposed on survey was started some years ago by Dr. King, then Chief Astronomer of Canada

Referring to the proposal for a League and His Majesty's Boundary Commissionof Nations, he asks:-"How is it possible er, with head quarters at, the Dominion to contemplate a League of Nations in Observatory at Ottawa. The work of this new survey, which, by the way, had which Germany is a partner? The true League of Nations is the League of been long delayed in Canada (being an institution which all countries of the world Nations that is now fighting against her regarded as essential if accurate maps of a brutal tyranny and rapacious greed. The country are to be had), soon outgrew its day has come, and it has been long overaccomodation in the Observatory and the due, for the whole British family to stand Trafalgar Building, and, through the influence of Dr. King, a building all to itself was erected near the Observatory,

and this the Survey now occupies. Its operations are two-fold, first, to

resent time we have a scheme which extends over most of the settled A S stated in our last issue, a number of the staff of the Geodetic Survey of the Northwest, and have, as well, many

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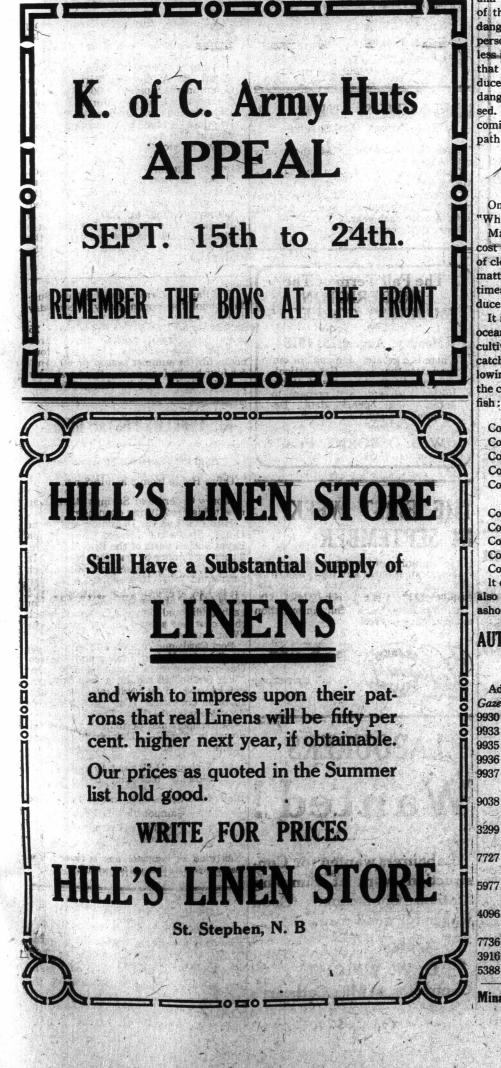
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acts of war, and if we wish to contemplate bart, has been engaged in this vicinity on After the death of Dr. W. F. King, in the thousand miles of primary level lines. spring of 1916, the positions of Chief Astronomer, His Majesty's Boundary Commissioner, and Head of the Geodetic Survey, remained unfilled till last winter. when Mr. N. J. Ogilvie, of Ottawa, became head of the Survey, Dr. Otto J. Klotz was given the position of Chief Astronomer, and Mr. J. J. McArthur that of H. B. M. Boundary Commissioner

Of late the feeling has been growing that the primary survey points should be made more accessible to the public, and with this in mind the work this summer along the Bay of Funday between St. John and St. Andrews has been carried out, and very accurately determined

points have now been established. The cover the country over with what is called size of the triangles referred to is very a network of triangles, which is known great, the length of the sides varying



Keeping school at Reims, under the fire of German guns, is naturally attended by peculiarly hazardous conditions. Some of the schools are in huge wine vaults, far underground; others are in buildings that have cellars, into which teachers and pupils flee for safety when danger impends. An article in the Atlantic Monthly describes the morning experiences of a teacher whose schoolroom was

FIRE

The sessions begin as usual at half past eight, writes the teacher. I am giving a lesson in oral arithmetic, when, all of a sudden, my assistants, who have remained above, come rushing down the stairway-"The bombardment is close by!"

"Bring your children down instantly!" Suddenly a terrific noise deafens us. I'wo shells have fallen on a house close

by. The little ones begin to tremble and cry. Aided by my teachers, I quickly form them in groups-encouraging them the while-in order to take them down

We have hardly begun to go down when we hear above our heads a tremendous crash, mingled with the noise shattered glass. Another shell has fallen on the building, penetrating the first two concrete layers and smashing all the windows. The children, who are a little way behind, are terriffed and begin to shriek. Some soldiers, who have taken refuge with us take them in their arms and quickly carry them down. The older ones, whom I am leading, remain perfectly calm, and go down quietly. Below, wc gather them about us and comfort the most timid. My assistants meanwhile are comforting

Our stay in the cellar lasts two hours. It seems to us extraordinarily long. So far as most of the children are concerned, it is a surprise, and it ends by amusing them. At last, about twenty minutes past two, hearing nothing more, I go up to make sure that the bombardment is over. The pupils come up, two by two, each of the older ones leading a little one. I form them in line, and each of us takes, charge of a group. Then I dismiss them

for the afternoon.' **INCREASED FISH CONSUMPTION** 

The consumption of Atlantic fish in Ontario for the first six months of 1918 was 500 per cent. over that of last year. of Pacific fish has also been vastly increased since the war, but Canadian fish consumption is still far short of the one pound per week standard recommended by the Canada Food Board in order to

s the Primary scheme, whose corners solid rock, and by means of concrete piers. By the very accurate measurement of the angles of these innumerable triangles at night with a large instrument, and acetylene lamps to project a beam of light towards the angle where the observer is making the measurement, and by measured bases (each of which is very accurately measured side of one of these triangles) at long intervals across the country, the geographical position and the length of

all these sides of triangles are determined. With this accurate data at their disposal it becomes an easy matter to coordinate all the maps of a country and to determine their true relative positions. This network of triangles extending for hundreds of miles across the country is subect to all manner of errors, some accidental and others of a permanent nature which are not sensibly apparent until checked up by reference to points, at stated intervals, astronomically determined

and known as Laplace points. Secondly, the running of precise level nets, which are lines throughout the country over which very precise levels have been taken,

and fixing the sea elevation of points mean sea level.

As was stated, this work has been in ted to revised regulations.



rom 25 miles up to something over 100 are permanently marked on the earth's miles as the extreme limit. In the Passasurface by copper boards let into the maquoddy Bay the work has been in conjunction with some hydrographic work carried on by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey. In St. John the points will be immediately available for harbor use. On the summit of Chamcook Mountain is established one of the corners of one of the large triangles, and another is at the northern end of Grand Manan Island.



Candy manufacturers in Canada have used, in the past, eleven per cent, of all the sugar consumed in Canada. This has been reduced to a maximum of 51 per cent. by the Canada Food Board, owing to the sugar situation.

## **NEW SUGAR REGULATIONS**

New sugar regulations have been put into effect by the Canada Food Board by which restaurants are limited to two pounds of sugar for every 90 meals served. along those courses, and marking by while soda fountains and ice cream estabmeans of primary Bench Marks on which lishments are restricted to 25 per cent. of s stamped a number, the name of the the average monthly amount of sugar Survey, and, lastly, its elevation above the used during 1917. The various manufacturers using sugar have also been subjec-