

BUY AT HOME==

A great war has always been followed by a period of business depression which seems more acute than an ordinary depression as it comes after the war period of intense activity. It was expected this change would be more marked than that following any previous war on account of it involving many more countries and many more people.

With past experience before it the Canadian Reconstruction Association immediately at the close of the war started a "Buy at Home" campaign. The purpose of this was to stop the stream of money sent out of the country to buy imported goods and to turn it back to keep the factories here working and the men employed. The events of the past two years prove that this was to be no exception and while this slowing up in business did not come as soon as was expected and was not apparent until a year or more after it was thought to be due, it finally came in full force in the fall and winter of 1920 and has continued to the present. The Reconstruction Association has made a complete analysis of the amount of money spent by various countries on imported goods. These statistics, when gathered together and compiled, brought out the fact that this country imported more goods in comparison to its population than any other country in the world and indeed almost twice as much as any other country. These figures also show that nearly eighty per cent. of all the goods imported came from the United States and that they amounted in a year to over \$800,000,000 or over \$2,000,000 a day. A further analysis of the actual imports showed that of the imported goods large numbers of similar goods were made in Canada and probably the buyer need not have imported them if he had wanted to buy at home.

It is no doubt true that many things are imported which cannot be bought from home manufacturers at as good advantage. There are frequently local conditions that make it impossible to compete with goods manufactured in large quantities under more favorable conditions. Other goods are imported because not being made here at all due in some cases to the demand for them not being enough to justify a Canadian plant for their production.

It frequently happens, however, that none of these conditions happen but there is a certain spite in the word "imported" both for the buyer and seller and a sale is made of foreign goods. At the same time just as good a purchase could be made as to quality and price on a home made article if either the buyer asked for it or if the seller offered it. This is the purpose of the "Buy at Home" campaign.

Not only here have past war conditions so adversely affected industry but in all other countries unemployment is more serious and most of them have adopted measures to protect their own working men and to keep out imported goods as far as possible. This has been done by the raising of import duties and other measures to encourage the use of home made goods and to keep out imported goods. This has had the effect of shutting off the market to manufacturers in different countries and this has especially affected the farmers and stock raisers in Canada who have been practically shut out of the market of the United States. While it is true that Canada buys a large quantity of goods in the United States, it on the other hand exports a large quantity more especially farm products into the United States. However, by the tariff, passed something like a year ago, the shipment of Canadian farm products has been practically shut out of the United States market. A tariff of about 70c. a barrel has prevented the shipment of large quantities of potatoes by the New Brunswick farmers to Boston, New York, and other points, which were formerly almost the best market for these potatoes. A duty of from 15c. to 30c. a lb. on wool has reduced the exports of wool to the U. S., 95 per cent. during a six months period, and the past week a bill proposing a duty of 15 per cent. on hides has been reported in the U. S. Senate which, if adopted, will close entirely the U. S. market for hides which now consumes a great quantity of the Canadian production.

With so large a part of the foreign market shut out the "Buy at Home" campaign becomes more important and it is only by supporting those who do business here that there will be a further market for farm products as well as manufactured goods.

In our previous advertisements we have called the attention to the fact that whatever reasons there may be for buying imported goods of various kinds none of these apply to fertilizer. Our prices compare favorably with the prices on imported goods. All the "Made at Windsor, N. S." brands are made of the best raw materials, properly mixed, dry and in good drilling condition and have given for ten years as good a yield of crops in all sections of the Maritime Provinces as any other imported fertilizer made.

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FALKLAND RIDGE
Rita Marshall spent the week-end at her parent's home.

Mrs. M. L. Roope, of Kentville, spent the week-end, guest at the home of the Roop Bros. and Miss Annis Saunders and mother.

Mrs. Harold Mason, and little Gertrude, left on Monday and are guests at the home of Mrs. Elton Saunders, at East Dalhousie.

Edwin Wile and daughter, Nellie, left on Thursday for Halifax, where Nellie is to enter the Victoria General Hospital for an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Fay Hill was successfully operated on for appendicitis on Tuesday, March 21st, at the home of her brother, Edgar Mason, by Dr. Kenny, assisted by Drs. Sponagle and Lindsay. She is being carefully nursed by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edgar Mason. She is making rapid progress towards recovery.

Many a fine-looking path has tracks in it that were made by the cloven hoof.

SIR JOHN EATON SUCCEUMS IN GALLANT FIGHT

Toronto Merchant Prince Takes Relapse After Six Weeks' Illness.

Sir John C. Eaton is dead. After a gallant and remarkable fight with the grim-reaper, over a period of six weeks, which last week seemed to have brought victory to the patient, the end came at 9:40 Friday night. The fatal relapse was reported Thursday. Lady Eaton, wife of Sir John, Mrs. Timothy Eaton, mother of the patient, and widow of the founder of the immense department store interests of which Sir John was president; Timothy Eaton, the eight-year-old son, who arrived from England only last week, together with other relatives and officials of the Eaton interests were near at hand when death ensued.

Sir John took a chill in February, while on a business trip to Montreal and New York. This developed into influenza, followed by complications.

WORLD'S FAIR AT MONTREAL

D. A. Lafortune, member for Jacques-Cartier, Que., is giving the way for a world's fair at Montreal, and when the Trade of Commerce Department estimates come before the Federal House at Ottawa, he will ask for a grant of \$200,000 for preliminary expenses for the same. He states that the Province of Quebec is prepared to advance a similar amount, while the city of Montreal is prepared to cooperate liberally.

PARADISE

Mrs. Joseph Longley is visiting friends in Wolfville.

Miss Leola Banks is visiting her brother at Morristown.

Mr. Ralph Balcom made a business trip to Lunenburg last week.

Mrs. A. C. Freeman and little daughter, recently visited friends in Clarence.

Mr. E. L. Balcom made a business trip to St. John last week, to purchase machinery.

Mrs. H. W. Longley spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Calnek, Upper Grandville.

Mr. G. D. Covert has sold his farm on the Balcom Road to Mr. A. Jakes, of New Bedford, Cape Breton.

The "Chewela" Camp Fire Girls hiked to West Paradise on Sunday last and attended service there by their pastor, Rev. W. S. Smith.

The Paradise Literary Society held their fortnightly meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Starratt on Monday evening. Following is the program:

History of Ireland—Rev. Mr. Robinson

Selection—Paradise Male Quartette

Reading—Miss Evelyn Longley.

Reading—"A young American girl travelling in Ireland in war time," Miss Leone Banks.

Chorus—"Tipperary"

Solo—Miss Marion Bishop

Reading—"Miss Maloney on the Chinese Question" (Irish dialect) Mrs. E. G. Morse.

Dialogue—"Casey takes the Census"

Reading—"The Cremation of Sam McGee" Miss Mabel Elliott

Selection by the Quartette

Reading—Ralph Kempton.

Duet—Miss Marion Bishop, Miss Bessie Durling.

Paper—A few notes on the music of Ireland and a sketch of the life of St. Patrick—Mrs. H. D. Starratt

Contest—"Characteristics of Pat"

A GOOD MEDICINE FOR THE SPRINGTIME

Don't Use Hard Purgatives. A Tonic is All You Need

Do not sick—but not feeling quite well. That is the way most people feel in the spring. Easily tired, appetite fickle, sometimes headaches and a feeling of depression. Pimples or eruptions may appear on the skin, or there may be twinges of rheumatism or neuralgia. Any of these indicate that the blood is out of order—that the indoor life of winter has left its mark upon you and may easily develop into more serious trouble.

Do not dose yourself with purgatives, as so many people do, in the hope that you can put your blood right. Purgatives gallop through the system and weaken instead of giving strength. Any doctor will tell you this is true. What you need in the spring is a tonic that will enrich the blood and build up the nerves. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills do this speedily, safely and surely. Every dose of this medicine helps to enrich the blood, which clears the skin, strengthens the appetite and makes tired, depressed men, women and children bright, active and strong. Miss S. L. McEchren, Nairn P. O., N. B., says: "I have been in the habit of taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills in the spring and they keep me in the best of health. I think it is entirely due to the use of these pills that I always have such good health."

Sold by all medicine dealers, or by mail, at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

GROW NUT-BEARING TREES

The advice to plant nut-bearing trees for shade and ornament in the older settled section of Canada is good, but, as most of it comes from other countries where the conditions are different, it must be taken with discretion. One very useful point in a recent article was to the effect that walnuts may be grown wherever peaches thrive. It is true that walnut trees have been grown where peaches are not generally cultivated, but as a rule the walnut will not attain its best development where it is too cold to grow peaches.

MAY NOT DISCUSS QUESTION OF UNION

It is said that no definite action may be taken this year to unite the Methodist, Presbyterian and Congregational Churches, as the Presbyterian special committee on property rights may not be able to report in time for the general assembly to deal with the matter at its next annual session. If the committee which is looking into the question of property rights is unable to report to the General Assembly this summer, the Methodist General Conference cannot go any further in the matter of union at its September gathering.

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