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POWER REGULATIONS STRICTLY ENFORCED; SUPPLY IS SCARCE

Hydro Managers To Confer On Situation.

The power situation shows no improvement, in fact, regulations were more strictly applied than usual today, General-Manager E. V. Buchanan reported. The city was held down to the exact limit of its power, and accordingly had to be very careful in handling the supply.

General-managers in many of the larger municipalities have been asked to attend with a deputation which will wait on the power commission in Toronto Tuesday to talk over the power situation and discuss ways and means of dealing with it.

The conference has been suggested by P. B. Yates of St. Catharines, and general-managers from London, Toronto, Hamilton, Guelph, Brantford, Kitchener, St. Thomas, Windsor, Chatham and Woodstock have been invited.

TRAINS FROM EAST DELAYED BY SNOW

Some Three Hours Late From Montreal.

Heavy snowfall to the east was responsible for the C. P. R. train from Montreal being later today than it has been before this winter. It was scheduled to arrive here at 11:20, but was not expected to pull into the Richmond street depot until nearly 12:30, being over three hours behind time. Trains from the east on the G. T. R. were also late, but the one from Montreal was due to arrive in the city only about 40 minutes behind time this afternoon.

The snowfall east of Toronto last night was much heavier than it was here, and train operation between Montreal and Toronto were delayed considerably. The main line of both Grand Trunk and C. P. R. were kept open, but the trains proceeded only slowly, in some instances behind the plows.

Officials of the C. P. R. report heavy snowfall about Goderich, which has been causing great difficulties during the past few days. Plows have been working between Goderich and Guelph on the C. P. R., and trains have been operating far behind time. No lines have been completely tied up in the Goderich district, C. P. R. officials claim.

Trains from the west on the G. T. R. and C. P. R. were no later than usual today.

V. A. D. NURSES TO GET VOCATIONAL TRAINING

Government Promises This to G. W. V. A. Executive.

Vocational training is to be given to returned V. A. D. nurses, as well as to returned soldiers, according to a statement made by Lieut.-Col. W. G. Coles at the recent general meeting of the G. W. V. A. He said that the matter had come up for discussion at the last provincial executive meeting held in Toronto last week, and that assurance had been given to the meeting that steps were to be taken by the government along these lines.

The agitation arose among the veterans of the war to secure this training for the nurses because many cases of hardship had been brought to their attention. Many of the nurses have suffered from illness during the war, and consequently are unable to follow their former professions. In spite of this no training was given to enable them to follow some other suitable occupation as is given to returned soldiers.

SENIOR S. S. CLASSES HAVE GOOD TIME AT DUNDAS CENTRE CHURCH

Young Men Likely To Get Building for Indoor Games.

The banquetting room in the Dundas Centre Methodist Church was the scene of a merry gathering last night, when over a hundred members of the senior classes of the Sunday school sat down to supper and a fine program of toasts. The classes present included No. 3 Club, with President A. E. Cowley; class 50, taught by E. N. Hannah; class 36, with Roy Adair at its head, and C. J. Beal's class.

A. E. Cowley was an excellent toastmaster and the toasts of the evening included: "The King;" "The Times We Live In," by Winnett Lewis and Professor J. H. Bowman; "The New Top Story," by Reg. Sumner and Dr. B. E. Wilson; "My Parish," by A. R. C. Hourd and Rev. W. E. Pescott, B. A.; "The Young Man in Business," by Harry Sharratt and G. F. Cowper; "Our Men's Organizations," by Charles Goddard for class 50, Roy Adair for class 36, and John W. Cahill for No. 8 Club; "Raise the Blinds," by Don. C. McNaughton and C. E. German, and "The Ladies," by Leonard Tait and E. N. Hannah.

While gathered together the young men discussed the great need of a building that might be utilized as a sort of club house for reading, basket ball and indoor games of all kinds, so that the church might be a place where the boys might profitably spend seven days a week instead of one. Dr. Wilson and C. E. German were strongly in favor of such a scheme and spoke for the trustees, promising that they would do everything possible to further such a scheme.

The musical portion of the program included a piano duet by G. F. Cowner and T. H. Yull; flute solo, T. G. Bain; violin solo, Ernest White. Accompanists during the evening were W. B. Wortman, Ernest White and G. F. Cowper.

DELAYED MAILS CAUSE GREAT INCONVENIENCE

Delayed mails have occasioned a great amount of inconvenience to the businessmen of the city, according to a report made by officials at the local postoffice. Large mails from the east arrive in the city at noon, and in the past this mail was sent out for delivery at 1:30 o'clock, enabling answers to be made to the letters on the same day. Now the letters are not delivered till 3 p.m. as a rule, and often not until next day.

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Apparition of Virgin Is But Trees' Shadow

Priest Investigates Supposed Appearance of Virgin.

Metz, Jan. 24.—Excitement among the people of Noveant, a small village near here, over the supposed appearance of the Virgin near a churchyard, has been calmed by an investigation conducted by religious authorities. It was said the apparition appeared at a certain time each day, seeming to stand on the steps of a little vila, and much credence was given the stories of those who claimed to have witnessed the phenomenon.

Father Bentz, who made a careful inquiry, posted himself one evening at a point where others claimed to have seen the Virgin, and at once solved the mystery. He found two trees some distance away, which, just at sunset, cast a shadow presenting a clear outline of a statue of the Madonna, the resemblance being very striking.

Bishop Rutch of Metz, commenting on the case, said when it was explained to him:

"We must not expect too many miracles. We have just witnessed one of the greatest miracles of all times—the return of Lorraine to France—and we can afford to wait a little while for another."

Consumes $10 Meal and Then Refuses to Pay

Naples, Jan. 23.—Dominico Misiano, brother of the Socialist Deputy Misiano, accused of desertion from the Italian army, has been arrested here for eating $10 worth of food in a restaurant and afterwards confessing that he was without money.

MILITARY HOSPITALS ARE TRANSFERRED TO SOLDIERS' RE-ESTABLISHMENT COMM.

All Patients Will Now Rank as Civilians.

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—All except five of the hospitals which during the war were directed by the Canadian Army Medical Corps have been transferred to the department of soldiers civil re-establishment, and the word "military" has been deleted from the title of each, indicating their reversion to the status of civil institutions. Nine hospitals transferred to the department of soldiers' re-establishment at Kingston, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Calgary, Stratheona, Esquimault and Halifax will now be known as follows: Sydenham, St. Anne's, College Street, Deer Lodge, Col. Belcher, South Edmonton, Esquamoult and Camp Hill.

A statement issued yesterday by the department of militia and defence indicates gratifying progress in demobilization of patients in military hospital ships. The number of Canadian soldiers in hospitals in Great Britain is now practically nil in comparison to 48,000 a year ago. In Canadian military hospitals the number has been reduced below 3,000.

The patients have ceased to be soldiers, and now rank as civilians. The staffs are also composed of civilians, although in most cases the doctors and nurses have served in the Canadian expeditionary force. The process above referred to is going on quietly and steadily, and it is hoped that in the near future one or more of the five remaining military hospitals in Canada will be transferred to the department of soldiers civil re-establishment. The results obtained in the respect mentioned have been most gratifying to the military authorities.

CASE COMES TO SUDDEN END: WITNESS ADMITS GIVING FALSE TESTIMONY

Hare Action Excited Great Interest Throughout Cotton World.

Manchester, Eng., Jan. 24.—Trial of the famous Hare cotton spinning case in chancery, came to an abrupt close here when one of the principal witnesses confessed he had given false testimony. Attorneys for the plaintiffs thereupon agreed that judgment should be entered for the defendants, with all the costs of the action.

The Hare Spinning Company, Tolmorten, brought suit against Messrs. Leigh, Limited of Oldham, Sir John Leigh and Messrs. Collett, Vaughan, O'Neil and Mellor, declaring that the defendants wrongfully combined or conspired together for the purpose of defrauding the plaintiff company.

The action excited great interest in the cotton world, although the amount sought in the way of damages was about $20,000, the legal expense for the first day alone were in excess of that amount, it was said.

Over £2,000 was spent on printing the correspondence read in the case, and the briefs, if placed on top of each other, would reach a height of twenty feet.

GOT MILITARY CROSS FOR CONSPICUOUS GALLANTRY

Gazette Tells of Deeds Done by Capt. S. E. McKegney.

Official statement is made in the London Gazette of the deed for which Capt. (Rev.) S. E. McKegney, formerly of St. David's Anglican Church, was awarded the military cross. He was decorated by King George in person.

The terse, official language, outlines the "deed" as follows: "For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty during the attacks near Cambrai on the 28th of September and 1st of October, 1918. Throughout he was continuously present on the battlefield dressing the wounded and assisting in their evacuation amidst very heavy fire. He had no rest for two days during which time he was indefatigable in carrying out his duties and relieving the suffering."

Mr. McKegney was rector of St. David's Parish, Hamilton road, before enlisting in the Canadian Chaplain Service, and being posted to the 58th Battalion. He was educated at Huron College, and was graduated with honors. He was also a prominent member of Nassau, Orange Lodge, 2170, and Inniskilling Preceptory of the Royal Black Knights of Ireland, No. 834. At present he is rector of St. Paul's Church, Clinton.

LOCAL G. W. V. A. REFUSES TO SIGN FLYNN PETITION

Although the Dominion executive of the G. W. V. A. has announced that it will allow the circulation of petitions to aid in the fight of the association for further gratuity, no steps are to be taken along this line by the local branch, until official word has been received from headquarters.

A petition is being circulated in this city at the present time by the Flynn faction which is conducting a strong fight in Toronto. The G. W. V. A. is strongly opposed to this faction, claiming that it is doing more harm than good to the cause of the fight, and therefore will have nothing to do with the petition that is being circulated, members of the association here having refused to sign it.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. G. R. Bartram, 59 Dundas.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY H. J. Childs, druggist, 682 Dundas.

ASKS A CHEAPER RATE ON NEWSPRINT FROM CANADA TO S. AFRICA

Publisher Declares Greater Quantities Would Then Be Consumed.

Ottawa, Jan. 24.—By Canadian Press.—That better freight conditions would result in greater use of Canadian-made newsprint and book papers in South Africa, is the claim of Robert Muir, manager of a large printing and paper concern of Cape Town, South Africa, who yesterday waited upon the Canadian trade commission to ask their assistance in the matter.

Mr. Muir, whose company operates a chain of publications in South Africa, said that before the war the freight rates from Scandinavian and Canadian mills had been the same, but now there was a difference of $15 per ton weight in favor of the former. The South African users, however, do not want the Scandinavian output if they can get Canadian paper, so are asking the Canadian trade commission and the department of trade and commerce to use their influence with the Elder-Dempster Company, whose steamers carry the paper, to have the freight rates reverted to a pre-war basis.

EXPECTS TO MAKE DASH TO THE SOUTH POLE IN AEROPLANE

Commander of British Expedition Starts in June.

London, Jan. 23.—By the Associated Press.—Dr. John L. Cope, commander of the British imperial Antarctic expedition, which will leave England in the steamer Terra Nova next June for a five years' tour of exploration in the Antarctic seas, says an attempt will be made to dash to the South Pole in an aeroplane. Today he told the Associated Press how he hoped to accomplish this undertaking.

"The 'plane we are taking with us," said D. Cope, "is being specially constructed, and will be so designed that it can land on the ice by means of skids. Three men will make the dash for the pole from the top of the great ice-barrirer at the Bay of Whales.

"From the starting point it will be a continuous climb, since the plane will have to cross a mountain range with peaks 11,000 feet high. The pilot will be Capt. G. H. Wilkins, who participated in the flight between England and Australia.

"The plane will be fitted with a patent sledge attachment, which will be used to carry provision and equipment if anything happens to prevent the journey being continued in the air. With a full load the crew and aeroplane will weigh 12,600 pounds. Its speed will average 93 miles an hour.

"Of the three men in the 'plane, one will be the pilot, the second the navigator and wireless operator, and the third myself. I will be the observer, and my duties will be to chart and photograph the country over which we pass.

"I have had considerable experience in sledging during years spent in the Antarctic region, and in the event of accident I will lead the party back to our base over the great ice mountain and glaciers. Naturally the great enemy we will have to face will be the Antarctic blizzard, but given fairly decent weather and reasonable luck I am convinced we will safely return to our base.

"If the weather is favorable I intend to commence the flight for the South Pole next Christmas Day."

INFERIOR SANITARY CONDITIONS ARE CAUSE OF TYPHUS EPIDEMIC

Warsaw, Jan. 24.—Inferior sanitary arrangements on the Russo-Polish frontier are said to be responsible for the alarming epidemic of typhus which is raging in Poland and the Baltic provinces. More than a million cases of the disease have been reported to Red Cross officials.

Refugees from Russia cross the Polish border without being inspected by health authorities, it is said, and many of them are said to be suffering from typhus or to be infested with vermin which carry the disease.

Unless outside assistance is forthcoming, it is said, there is little hope of combatting the epidemic.

WINNIPEG DAILIES PUBLISH FOR FIRST TIME IN SEVEN DAYS

WINNIPEG, Jan. 23.—(By Canadian Press.)—All three Winnipeg newspapers published editions this afternoon for the first time since the newsprint shortage forced them to suspend one week ago, a small shipment of newsprint having arrived from the Fort Frances mills.

In a joint statement the publishers say that these shipments do not in any way indicate submission to government orders, but "the Winnipeg dailies feel justified in assuming from Paper Controller Breadner's presence at the mill that these orders will be enforced by him."

The limited supply can last for only a few days, but no efforts will be spared while it lasts to give the public a reasonable normal service.

"Should the orders of the Government be further defied or evaded, a further suspension is inevitable at an early date," it says, in conclusion.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

FUNERAL OF F. J. DARCH.

The funeral of Fred J. Darch will be held on Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock to St. James' Church, South London. Interment will be made in Woodland Cemetery.

WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY.

Windsor, Jan. 24.—Mrs. Margaret Stewart, wife of James H. Stewart, manager of the London Mausoleum Company, died suddenly of acute indigestion last night.

Imperial Oil Limited

Arrangements have been made whereby shareholders holding warrant shares may deposit same with this company instead of forwarding to the Imperial Oil office at Toronto, as required by the circular of January 12.

The London & Western Trusts Company, Ltd.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

Although the country roads are reported by some to be in fairly good shape last night's storm seemed to have discouraged the farmers, for only a few made their appearance on the local market this morning.

Dressed hogs by the quarter were the largest offering. The price was a little firmer. For front quarters, 25c to 27c a pound was being paid and for hind-quarters 27c to 28c, with some asking higher.

Dressed chickens were fairly plentiful, and were selling at 35c to 37c a pound retail.

Vegetables of all kinds were scarce, and showed a tendency toward strengthening in price.

Butter and eggs were fairly plentiful.

Grain, per cwt.—			
New oats, cwt.	$3 10	to	$3 11
Barley, per cwt.	2 80	to	2 80
Grain, per Bu.—			
New oats, bu.	1 05½	to	1 05¾
Wheat, per bu.	2 00	to	2 00
Barley, per bu.	1 34½	to	1 34¾
Vegetables—			
Cabbages, per doz.	1 50	to	2 50
Cabbages, per head	15	to	25
Potatoes, per bag, wholesale	2 65	to	2 75
Potatoes, per bag, retail	3 50	to	3 60
Potatoes, per bu.	2 25	to	2 50
Potatoes, per peck	40	to	60
Lettuce, per doz.	40	to	50
Parsley, per doz.	40	to	50
Sage, savory, doz.	40	to	50
Green onions doz.	30	to	40
Dry onions, bu.	3 40	to	4 00
Onions, per peck	1 00	to	1 00
Beets, per bu.	75	to	1 00
Carrots, per bu.	75	to	1 00
Parsnips, per bu.	1 25	to	1 50
Winter radishes, per doz bunches	40	to	40
Hubbard squash	15	to	25
Pumpkins, each	15	to	25
Green and red peppers, per doz.	8	to	10
Celery, per doz.	40	to	75
Turnips, per bu.	60	to	60
Fruits—			
Apples, ungraded, bbl	5 50	to	7 00
Apples, domestic bbl	6 50	to	6 50
Apples, No. 1, bbl.	6 50	to	7 50
Apples per peck	30	to	60
Apples, per bu.	2 25	to	2 50
Hay and Straw—			
Hay, per ton	28 00	to	30 00
Straw, per ton	13 00	to	14 00
Dairy Products, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	73	to	74
Butter, dairy, lb.	70	to	72
Eggs per doz, strictly fresh	80	to	90
Honey, extracted, 5-lb pails	1 50	to	1 50
Dairy Products, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	70	to	70
Butter, dairy lb rolls	68	to	70
Butter, crocks, lb.	68	to	68
Eggs, fresh, doz.	75	to	75
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	57	to	60
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Ducks, each	1 95	to	1 00
Chickens, each	1 25	to	1 70
Chickens, per lb.	30	to	37
Turkeys, retail, lb.	53	to	55
Turkeys, wholesale	50	to	52
Geese, per lb.	30	to	32
Live Fowl—			
Ducks, per lb.	22	to	24
Old Fowl per lb.	20	to	20
Spring chickens, lb.	25	to	26
Turkeys, per lb.	45	to	45
Geese, per lb.	22	to	25
Live Stock—			
Fat sows, per cwt.	13 00	to	14 00
Small pigs, pair	8 00	to	12 00
Hogs, alive, cwt.	17 00	to	17 25
Meats Wholesale—			
Dressed pork quarter per lb	25	to	28
Dressed hogs, whole	23 00	to	24 00
Veal, per cwt.	25 00	to	27 00
Beef, per cwt.	14 00	to	16 00
Heifer beef cwt.	18 00	to	20 00
Mutton, per cwt.	16 00	to	18 00
Spring lamb, cwt.	22 00	to	25 00
Rabbits, dressed, pair	50	to	60
Hides and Wool—			
Cow hides, No. 1	24	to	25
Cow hides, No. 2	24	to	25
Cow hides, No. 3	23	to	24
Calf skins, No. 1	60	to	65
Calf skins, No. 2	58	to	60
Horse hides, each	8 00	to	9 00
Kip, per lb.	39	to	40
Sheep skins each	2 50	to	3 00
Wool unwashed—			
Fine, per lb.	53	to	55
Coarse, per lb.	40	to	42

FLOUR.

TORONTO, Jan. 23.—Manitoba Flour—Government standard, in jute bags; Toronto, $13.25.

Ontario Flour—Government standard, in jute bags, prompt shipment; Montreal, $9.65@9.85; Toronto, $9.85.

Millfeed—In carlots, delivered Montreal freights, bags included; bran, $45 per ton; shorts, $51@52 per ton; middlings, not quoted; good feed flour, $3.00@3.75 per bag.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 23.—Flour—Unchanged; shipments, 56,007 barrels.

Bran—$43.

MONTREAL, Jan. 23.—A good steady business continues to be done in flour in all directions, and the market is active with a firm undertone.

The market for millfeed is active and firm.

The demand for rolled oats is fair, and prices rule firm.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, war grade, $13.25@13.55.

Rolled Oats—Per bag, 90 lbs., $5.15 @5.25.

Bran—$45.25.

Shorts—$52.25.

MONEY.

London, Jan. 24.—Closing: Money, 3¼ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 5 per cent; three months, 5⅝ per cent.

Bar silver, 80¼d per ounce.

Bar gold, 113s 6d.

Gold premiums at Lisbon, 140.

OILS.

London, Jan. 24.—Calcutta Linseed—January and February, £53.

Linseed Oil—108s.

Petroleum—American refined, 1s 9¼d; spirits, 1s 10½d.

Turpentine Spirits—185s.

Rosin—American strained, 55s 6d; type G, 60s 6d.

Tallow—Australian, 111s.

WALL STREET.

New York, Jn. 24.—Wall Street, 10:10 a.m.—Steels, motors and shippings comprised the firm to strong issues at the opening of today's stock market. Oils, equipments, coppers and food shares reacted within moderate bounds.

10:30 a.m.—The final session of the week on the stock exchange opened with further irregular price changes, although gains predominated. Yesterday's strong features, notably independent steels, were again conspicuous under the lead of Crucible Steel, which made a new high quotation for the current movement. Shippings and several of the utilities, including People's Gas, also improved, and General Motors recovered part of its recent decline, but oils reacted moderately. Trading came to a standstill within the first half hour.

WALL STREET REVIEW.

New York, Jan. 24.—Extreme weakness of foreign exchange and another advance of interest and discount rates to highest points ever ordered by the federal reserve bank, were of themselves enough to effect an irregular reaction of quoted values in this week's dull stock market. The break in exchange, which caused leading remittances to fail below all previous levels of depreciation, was again mainly precipitated by trade balances unfavorable to the European countries. The movement doubtless received further impetus from enforced liquidation here and abroad. Efforts of the central bank to release "frozen" credits evidently apply to foreign bills no less than to better known, and more negotiable forms of financial accommodation which have been subjected to speculative influences.

Shorts had the best of the week's operations, in so far as losses exceeded gains, but hurried covering was occasionally noted in some of the high grade industrials and specialties controlled by professional interests.

In the important lines of industry, production continued at high pressure. Statements of the United States Steel and Bethlehem Steel Companies, covering the final quarter of 1919, are to be issued next week. They are expected to throw an interesting light upon labor conditions during that period.

G. W. V. A. EXECUTIVE REFUSES TO SEND BORDEN SUGGESTIONS

Dominion Body Reaffirms That Re-establishment Is Inadequate.

JUSTICE WAS NOT DONE

Executive's Recommendations Already Thrown Out, Will Give No More.

OTTAWA, Jan. 23.—The Dominion executive of the Great War Veterans' Association in session here, passed the following resolution:

"That this association indorse the principle of proportional representation for the proper reflection of public opinion, and that the prime minister of Canada be requested to summon a speaker's conference, similar to the one which met in Great Britain in 1917, to discuss this matter and report its findings to the House of Commons at the earliest possible date."

The following letter was sent to Premier Borden today:

"Sir, in reply to your letter with reference to re-establishment of returned soldiers I am instructed to say that the comprehensive plan together with other recommendations, placed before the parliamentary committee contained all the suggestions and general principles which were authorized by the Great War Veterans' Association.

Unanimous Report.

"The unanimous report of the parliamentary committee disapproving of that entire plan was indorsed by the Government. The Dominion executive, therefore, while reaffirming their belief in the inadequacy of the re-establishment methods now in operations, can add no further suggestions or recommendations to those already made by them and rejected by the Government until they are authorized to do so by the next annual convention of the Great War Veterans' Association which meets on the 22nd of March next.

"The Dominion executive of the Great War Veterans' Association are grateful to you for your letter.

(Signed) "C. G. MacNeil, Dominion secretary-treasurer, G. W. V. A. of Canada."

Justice Not Done.

The closing session of the conference of the Dominion executive of the Great War Veterans' Association here approved of permission being given to local, provincial and districts commands to circulate public petitions asking for further financial aid from the Government as a means of solving the re-establishment problem.

The proposed heading for the petition is as follows:

"That justice was not done to the soldiers when the House of Commons at its last session refused to vote funds for re-establishment in the form of gratuities; that the financial and only reason for refusal had been noted by the easy success of the last Victory Loan, and that we respectfully request the House to reconsider the question and solve the problems of re-establishment by providing substantial gratuities for all who served in the Canadian Expeditionary Forces and their dependents, and for such imperial or allied soldiers as have heretofore been within the scope of Canadian gratuities."

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TORONTO DETECTIVE SAYS APOLOGY WORSE LIBEL THAN ARTICLE

Toronto, Jan. 23.—The trial of the libel suit brought by Detective George Young against Mrs. Charles George ("Ida Webster") of the World staff, and the World Newspaper Company, Limited, for $5,000 damages, after having occupied the time of the assize court here, presided over by Chief Justice Sir Glenholme Falconbridge for the last two days, is still unfinished. The taking of evidence was concluded this afternoon and the counsel addressed the jury, but the judge postponed his charge until tomorrow morning.

Mrs. George testified this afternoon in her own defence. She stated that the World had published an apology to Detective Young, but it had proved unacceptable. The plaintiff's counsel, George Wilkie, asserted that the "apology" was a worse libel than the original article that had been complained of.

The plaintiff, in the witness box, denied charges of drunkenness made against him by other members of the force, which charges had partly formed the alleged libellous newspaper article.

PLAN IS NOT ACCEPTABLE.

London, Jan. 24.—A wireless dispatch received here from Moscow referring to the resumption of trade by the Allies with the Russian co-operative organizations, says:

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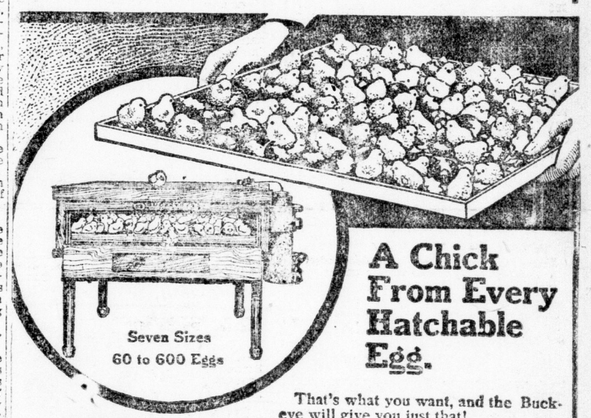

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