

## CANADA WILL VIRTUALLY GO DRY ON APRIL 1

NO LIQUOR IMPORTATIONS INTO  
NEW BRUNSWICK AFTER MARCH

**Manufacture and Importation of Intoxicating Liquors for Beverage Purposes Into Prohibition Province Will Be Stopped April 1--Quebec Can Brew Beer and Ontario Make Wine Until End of Year--The Regulations.**

Ottawa, March 11.—Canada virtually goes dry on April 1st. Under regulations issued tonight the manufacture of intoxicating liquors is prohibited from that date. It is provided, however, that in case the sale of intoxicating liquor of any class for beverage purposes is permitted in any province, this regulation shall not apply to the manufacture of such intoxicating liquor in such province until December 31st, 1918. The latter provision, in regard to manufacture, is operative in two cases: "The manufacture of beer in Quebec and the manufacture of native wines in Ontario."

In both instances, manufacture is to cease at the end of the present year.

The order-in-council authorizing the regulations recites that prohibitory laws have been passed and are in force in every province, except in the province of Quebec, where the prohibitory law is to go into effect on May 1, 1919. It is in order to make such legislation more effective, the order-in-council states that regulations have been enacted to supplement the provincial laws.

## Other Provisions.

Other provisions in the regulations are:

1. Nothing in the regulations shall prevent a manufacturer from making or manufacturing intoxicating liquor for sacramental, industrial, artistic, mechanical, scientific and medicinal purposes, in accordance with the terms of his license.

2. No person after the first day of April, 1918, shall send, take, transport into, or deliver in any prohibited area any intoxicating liquor or cause any intoxicating liquor to be so sent, transported or delivered.

3. No person after the first day of April, 1918, shall either directly or indirectly sell or contract or agree to sell any intoxicating liquor which is in or which is to be delivered within any prohibited area.

4. Nothing in these regulations contained shall prevent a licensee or manufacturer from selling, sending, taking or transporting intoxicating liquor to a licensee in any prohibited area or prevent a common carrier, by water or by railway, from transporting or carrying intoxicating liquor from being so carried through a prohibited area, nor prevent a licensee in a prohibited area from selling or delivering intoxicating liquor, for sacramental, industrial, artistic, mechanical, scientific and medicinal purposes, in accordance with the terms of his license.

## Special Licenses.

5. If in any prohibited area there should be no license authorized to receive and sell intoxicating liquor for sacramental, industrial, artistic, mechanical, scientific and medicinal purposes, the governor-in-council may authorize one or more persons in

such prohibited area to receive and sell intoxicating liquors for such purposes and any person so authorized shall be deemed a licensee within the meaning of these regulations.

6. The carriage of intoxicating liquor from a licensee or manufacturer to a licensee in a prohibited area and carriage through any prohibited area, shall be only by means of a common carrier, by water or by railway and not otherwise.

7. During the time any intoxicating liquor is being transported or carried into or through a prohibited area, as aforesaid, no person shall open, or break, or allow to be opened or broken, any package or vessel containing it or drink, or use, or allow to be drunk or used, any intoxicating liquor therefrom.

## Burden of Proof.

8. The burden of proving the right to make or manufacture intoxicating liquor, or cause intoxicating liquor to be made or manufactured or to send, carry or deliver intoxicating liquor, or cause intoxicating liquor to be sent, carried or delivered into or in a prohibited area, shall be on the person accused.

Infraction of the regulations imposes liability to a penalty for the first offence of not less than \$200, and not more than \$1,000, in default, imprisonment for not less than three months nor more than six months. For a second offence, imprisonment for not less than six and not more than twelve months.

Provision is also made for the issue of search warrants.

The regulations continue in force during the present year and for twelve months thereafter.

GOVERNMENT WINS  
THE MAIL SUITS

Railroads in United States Attempted to Recover \$4,000,000.

Washington, Mar. 11.—The attempt of the railroads to recover from the government \$4,000,000 under the old system of weight compensation for transporting mails was defeated today in the court of claims. The court reaffirmed a former decision in favor of the government.

The court also held for the government in the suits of New England railroads who claimed extra pay for transporting parcel post on the grounds that their mail contract did not require them to do so. They asked for large sums.

BAD COLD? TAKE  
"CASCARETS" FOR  
BOWELS TONIGHT

They're fine! Live your liver and bowels clear your head.

No headache, sour stomach, bad cold or constipation by morning.

Get a 10-cent box. Colds—whether in the head or any part of the body—are quickly overcome by urging the liver to action and keeping the bowels free from poison. Take Cascarets tonight and you will wake up with a clear head and your cold will be gone. Cascarets work while you sleep; they cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels. Remember the quickest way to get rid of colds is on your Cascarets at night to cleanse the system. Get a 10-cent box at any drug store. Don't forget the children. They relish this Candy Cathartic and it is often all that is needed to drive a cold from their little systems.

MANY AMERICANS  
ARE INTERESTED

United States Consul at Toronto Receives 200 Calls Daily Regarding "Slacker" Treaty.

Toronto, Mar. 11.—United States Consul Chester W. Martin here says he is being called on by 200 Americans daily regarding the effect of the "slacker" treaty now awaiting signature at Washington. He has wired for instructions as to its effect. Meantime he has issued cards to Americans which will protect them from Dominion police officers. These identification cards are only effective up to the time the treaty is actually consummated.

Only 400 Americans of military age have reported within the past week to Consul Martin.

## CASUALTIES

Ottawa, Mar. 10.—Casualties:

Killed in action—  
W. B. Smith, Fredericton, N. B.  
G. S. Parent, Lower Dumfries, N. B.  
Wounded—  
J. W. Mahany, St. John.  
T. J. Andrews, Halifax.  
A. M. Langille, Lunenburg, N.S.  
A. M. McLeod, Victoria, N.S.  
A. M. McAulay, New Aberdeen, N.S.  
T. L. Doucet, New Waterford, N.S.  
M. McDonald, Lyndale, P.E.I.  
C. N. Pooley, Halifax.  
Gassed—  
H. C. Buck, Upper Dorchester, N.B.  
G. M. Daniels, address not stated.  
Ill—  
W. H. Archibald, Musquodoboit, N.S.  
G. S. Keating, Truro, N.S.  
Cyclist Corps.  
Ill—  
J. H. Rogers, New Glasgow, N.S.  
Artillery.  
Wounded—  
Gunner J. P. McQueen, Kingshead, N. S.

## EDITOR DEAD

Peterboro, Ont., Mar. 11.—Ferman Richardson Yokome, 73, editor of the Peterboro Daily Examiner for the past 36 years, died today. While on his way to the office today he was taken ill and passed away an hour afterwards.

MRS. DE SAULLES  
GUARDIAN OF SON

Heiress Who Killed Her Husband Wins Another Victory in Court.

New York, Mar. 11.—Mrs. Blanca Erraurs de Saulles, the Chilean heiress, who was acquitted of the murder of her former husband, John L. de Saulles, one-time Yale athlete, was today by court decree made legal guardian of her son Jack. It was because of a dispute over the possession of the boy that Mrs. de Saulles shot and killed her husband at his Long Island country home last August.

The degree handed down today by the surrogate decides a legal contest between the mother and relatives of the boy's father.

## NINE DROWNED

New Orleans, Mar. 11.—Nine members of the crew of a large tug owned by the Bisso Tugboat Company were drowned shortly after midnight when the vessel sank in the Mississippi river near Pointe-A-La-Hache, La., after colliding with a steamer.

THE U. S. MADE NO  
DEMAND ON JAPAN

Has Not Requested Guarantee That Troops Will Be Withdrawn from Siberia as Soon as Crisis Over.

Oakland, Japan, Friday, Mar. 8.—According to a despatch to the Mainichi of this city, from Washington, the United States is demanding a guarantee for the withdrawal of Japanese troops from Siberia immediately the Russian crisis is over.

## Washington Denial.

Washington, Mar. 11.—It was authoritatively stated here today by officials in close touch with the situation that no such demand as referred to in the foregoing despatch has been made on Japanese by the United States and that such a demand would be tantamount to impugning Japan's faith which the United States had already recognized. It was also stated that if Japanese troops go to Siberia, the question of their withdrawal is expected to go before the peace conference.

WEEPING ECZEMA  
SOON RELIEVED

A Perfect Treatment For This Distressing Complaint

Wasing, Ont.  
"I had an attack of Weeping Eczema; so bad that my clothes would be wet through at times. For four months I suffered terribly. I could get no relief until I tried 'Fruit-a-tives' and 'Sootha Salva' The first treatment gave me relief. Altogether, I have used three boxes of 'Sootha Salva' and two of 'Fruit-a-tives', and am entirely well."

G. W. HALL.  
Both these sterling remedies are sold by dealers at five a box, 4 for \$2.50, or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.  
"Fruit-a-tives" is also put up in a trial size which sells for 25c.

## MOVIES OPEN

Sherbrooke, Que., Mar. 11.—With the exception of His Majesty's, all the other moving picture theatres kept open as usual yesterday, although an order had gone out from the city council to keep closed. It is understood that the proprietors kept open so as to form the basis of a test case should the authorities proceed to prosecute.

## NEW ISSUE

Offering of

**\$6,900,000**

Five Year 6% Refunding Gold Bonds

## CITY OF MONTREAL

DATED 1st DECEMBER, 1917 DUE 1st DECEMBER, 1922

Interest payable half-yearly—1st June and December.

Principal and interest payable in Gold at the City Treasurer's Office, Montreal, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York.

Bonds issued in Coupon form in denominations of \$100, \$500, and \$1,000.

## ISSUE PRICE—PAR.

A full half year's interest will be paid 1st June, 1918.

The bonds therefore give a net yield to the investor of about 6½%.

THE BANK OF MONTREAL, Fiscal Agent of the City of Montreal, is authorized to offer the above-named bonds for public sale on behalf of the City, at par, without accrued interest, payment to be made in full on 8th April, 1918, against delivery of the bonds at any Branch, in Canada, of the BANK OF MONTREAL, or of any bank the applicant may specify, or at the Agency of the BANK OF MONTREAL, New York or Chicago.

The issue is made to refund a like amount of Montreal Three-Year 4% Notes, the original issue having been made for public works, in anticipation of a permanent loan.

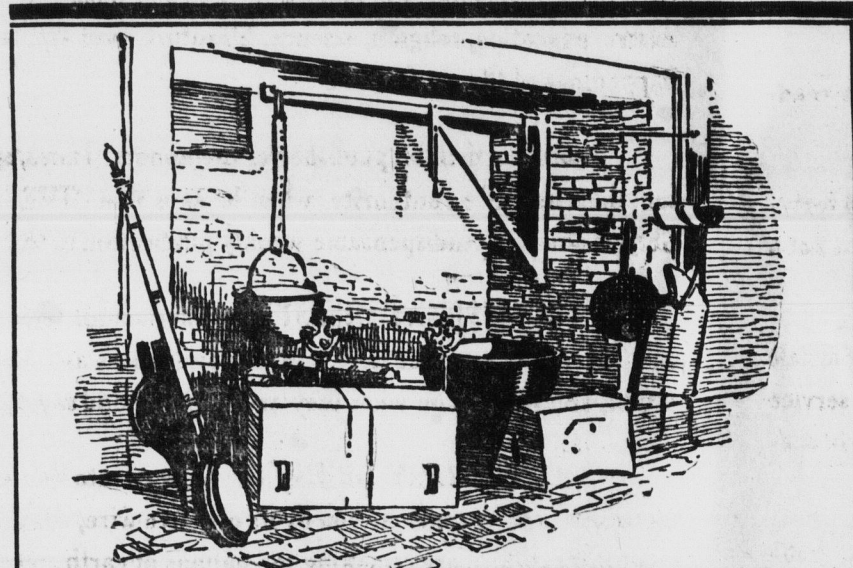
Beginning 25th February, 1918, applications for the bonds will be received by the BANK OF MONTREAL, MONTREAL, or any of its branches, from whom application forms and copies of the prospectus giving full particulars of the issue may be obtained on request. The offering is subject to withdrawal on or before the 18th March, 1918.

Applications should be addressed to the

## BANK OF MONTREAL, MONTREAL

and should contain full instructions as to place of delivery and payment suitable to the applicant, and the denominations of bonds required.

The issue is made with the approval of the Minister of Finance, Ottawa.

Baking Day in  
Grandmother's Kitchen

GRANDMOTHER did her baking in tin kitchens set before the fire. Sometimes she baked a sponge cake in an iron kettle, browning the top with hot coals heaped on the lid. On baking day the kitchen was filled with delicious fragrance because Grandmother made her cakes and pies with old fashioned brown sugar.

Gone are the cranes and bellows and tin kitchens but we still enjoy Grandmother's favorite dishes. Mince pies, plum puddings, cakes and many sweets and beverages are much better made just as she made them with soft brown sugar. It is easy to get both the recipes and the sugar with which to make them up. Lantic Old-Fashioned

Brown Sugars come in three kinds—Light, Brilliant and Dark Yellow—and are for sale by grocers throughout Canada. Brilliant Yellow is particularly good for baking. Grandmother's Recipes have been reproduced in a delightful little book which we will send to you for a 2c. stamp to cover cost of mailing.

Lantic  
Old Fashioned Brown Sugar

is put up only in 100-lb. bags with the well-known Lantic trademark from which your grocer will serve you any quantity you require. Our booklet tells you among other things how to keep brown sugar fresh, moist and ready for use.

Lantic Old-Fashioned Brown Sugars are made by the same firm that makes the famous Lantic "FINE" Granulated.

Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited

Montreal, Que.

SPINAL MENINGITIS  
KILLS 2 SOLDIERS

Guysboro and Shelburne Co. Men Die in Amherst Hospital.

Amherst, N. S., Mar. 11.—Private Charles P. Knocton, of South Intervale, Guysboro county, and Pte. L. Beecher Perry of Cape Negro Island, Shelburne county, died from spinal meningitis at the Highland View hospital yesterday. Both men are drafted under the M. S. A. and members of the Depot Battalion quartered in this town. The barracks are under strict quarantine.

## RICHIBUCTO

Richibucto, March 9.—J. M. Vaughan has returned from a trip to Halifax.

Miss Kate Nugent who spent Sunday in town returned to her home in St. John on Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. McInerney who has been visiting relatives here, has returned to Chatham. She was accompanied by Mrs. R. O'Leary.

Robert Irving who has been spending a few days in St. John has returned home.

Miss M. Manerall of St. Louis was in town on Friday.

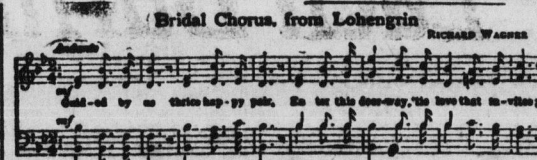
Miss Georgia Lawton and Mrs. Searles of Fredericton were in town this week attending the funeral of their father, Edward Lawton.

Wm. Ross received word on Tuesday that his only brother James of Berlin, N. H., had died on Feb. 26th. Mr. Ross was well known here, having been born in Rexton in 1871.

The young folks of the town have been having excellent skating on the river before the last storm but are cleaning the snow off a considerable amount of it and will probably be skating again shortly.

Miss Eugene MacDonald of Portland, Me., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. MacDonald.

## St. John Standard "Heart Songs" Story No. 9



"Swing Low, Sweet Chariot," or "Twinkle, Twinkle," you just felt yourself slipping away into dreamland until you never could remember the last words she sang. And these old lullabies are better today than they ever were.

The Opera from which this Chorus is taken is perhaps the most popular of all the works of Wagner. And the Bridal March, which appears on page 95 of "Heart Songs," is today heard the world over at weddings. To hear its strains is to recall in thousands of hearts the happiest moments of life. The words printed in this book are a very beautiful translation from the original German—and the music is that written by the great Master.

## MOTHER'S SONGS

Do you remember how mother would cuddle you up close to herself in the rocking chair, or tuck you in one of those dear old cradles of the time when it wasn't a crime to have rockers on the cradle? And as she rocked and sang "In the Sweet Bye and Bye,"

You can't put baby to sleep with the modern ragtime or the latest popular hit of the day. Musical though they may be, none of them have that soft, soothing effect, which those old-time lullabies sung by your mother had on the baby in the cradle—and which still affect us deeply in maturer years. A big song book that contains more than 400 favorites—old and new. Twenty thousand people contributed their favorite songs. Four years were required to gather the complete collection now published. Many never before included in any song-book. If bought in sheet music form at even three cents each, the book would cost \$12.00.

Every Reader Entitled  
to a Copy of  
"HEART SONGS"

Clip Coupon Hereafter in this paper and present at this office.