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MANY DEMONSTRATIONS

Moving Pictures, Baby Clinics, Diet Kitchen and Other Features.

Child Welfare Week will be observed and the Child Welfare Exhibit held in London the week of February 10, instead of the 3rd, as at first arranged. The change was decided upon yesterday at a largely-attended meeting of the general committee in order to secure the most suitable building in sight, the entire second floor of the Young Men's Christian Association building, which will give ample space and suitable rooms for the Provincial Government exhibit, the local demonstrations, lectures, child welfare, educational moving pictures, the baby clinics, which are to be a big feature, the diet kitchen, where demonstrations will be given of modifying milk and preparing other food for babies, etc., under the direction of Miss Stanley, lady superintendent of Victoria Hospital. There will be room also for a rest-room for mothers and other visitors who are spending some time at the exhibit.

Change the Name.

It was further decided at the meeting yesterday to change the name "Child Welfare Committee" to "Child Welfare Association," and make the organization a permanent one. It was considered that this movement was justified by the large attendance, much larger than at the inaugural meeting, and also by the high-water mark of interest manifested.

D. H. McDermid, chairman of the general committee, presided, and reports were presented by the various committees, which indicated that plans are progressing in a most satisfactory manner, not only for the exhibit, but to interest the public.

The introductory work is being done by the publicity committee, the convener reporting that speakers have been engaged all this month almost every afternoon and evening addressing meetings on the subject of child welfare.

Canvassing Districts.

The mothers' clubs are each canvassing their own districts to see that all parents of young children are invited to attend and also to take advantage of the clinics for the little ones.

Letters are being sent out to every Women's Institute branch of Western Ontario, and notices to the Western Ontario papers calling attention to Child Welfare Week and special attention to Western Ontario day. Sunday of Child Welfare Week is to be observed as a Child Welfare Sunday in the city churches, and the idea is being extended as far as possible out through Western Ontario. Plans were also outlined regarding other forms of publicity through the schools, newspapers, etc., and acknowledgment made of the kind cooperation assured on the part of the press.

Supervise Clinics.

Dr. H. A. McCallum reported that Dr. Tillmann will have supervision of the clinics, which will be held each afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. The exhibit will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., and in the evening there will be special lectures, with musical numbers and other entertainment. Dr. Shiell stated that lectures, six in all, will be given on such subjects as "Pre-natal Care of Mothers," "Infant Care and Feeding," "Care After One Year of Age," "Dental Supervision in the Schools." An address on a special subject will be given one evening by Dr. H. A. McCallum.

Reports of Conveners.

No feature afforded more interest than the reports of conveners of committees responsible for exhibits. Among the organizations represented in the special exhibits and demonstrations will be Victoria Hospital Graduate Nurses' Association, the Children's Aid Society, St. Joseph's Hospital alumnae, the Institute of Public Health, the household science department of the public schools, the school nursing department, the Tuberculosis League, the Victorian Order of Nurses, public health department and Institute of Public Health. Dr. Fuller, school dentist, will demonstrate his work by dental clinics during the week. Miss Mulvaney, supervisor of art in the public schools, is looking after posters and decorations, and Mrs. Charles E. Wheeler and E. W. G. Quantz are arranging for the musical programs. Special arrangements are being made by a sub-committee of the publicity committee to make the Western Ontario day as pleasant as possible for the mothers who bring in their little ones to the clinics from outside points, and also for other visitors.

Special Prizes.

With regard to the prizes of a $5 gold piece to be offered, one each day to the child that day making the highest record in the physical efficiency test, it was decided to extend the age limit for competition to three years, instead of confining it to babies under one year.

Miss Brenton announced that she had secured an adequate number of volunteers to act as guides and otherwise render assistance daily during the exhibit.

It was decided to ask the Rotary Club to be responsible for "transports," interpreted as automobiles, to be on hand each day for service, and some means of convenience to bring mothers with little ones from, say an outlying district like Chelsea Green, not accessible to the car line.

Col. Gartshore, convener of the finance committee, was given an estimate of the amount required to finance the Child Welfare Exhibit, which will be in the neighborhood of $400.

Considering the educational value, not only to the city but available for all Western Ontario, and the value of the clinics to the little ones, this is considered a moderate amount.

CHILD WELFARE.

Dr. Hill will speak on Child Welfare at the regular meeting of the Mother's Club of Lord Roberts School on Thursday evening. The public is invited to attend.

The Dread of an Operation

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BOARD OF WORKS TO FALL IN LINE WITH SLOGAN OF ECONOMY

No Unnecessary Work To Be Done This Season.

The board of works started off on its annual business career last evening, but transacted very little business. The aldermen took advantage of the occasion to familiarize themselves with the work in hand. However, the members were all agreed on one subject, and that it was necessary to economize. No unnecessary work will be undertaken this year in the way of local improvements.

At the opening of the session, Ald. Moorhead congratulated the chairman on his election. He declared that Controller Moore had always shown himself capable, and as chairman last year, he had given excellent service. He expected that there would be harmony in the committee during the year.

Notice of a judgment against the Arnot Construction Co., in charge of the sewage disposal works, was given the committee. The matter was referred to the city solicitor.

Taxing Buildings.

The matter of taxing city buildings encroaching on city streets was referred to City Engineer Brazier to report. It is probable that he will secure a surveyor to discover where the buildings are, the amount of the encroachment and the rental required by the city.

The question of improving the Wellington street boulevard was brought up. The parks commission refused to do the work, and the council does not care to undertake it. The matter was laid over for further consideration. The construction of a sidewalk on Barker street to St. Peter's Cemetery was laid over, so that City Clerk Baker could communicate with the parties interested.

The committee decided to file the proposition of ex-Mayor Stevenson that street markers be secured.

The matter of providing drinking water at the bathing places was laid over until the estimates are prepared.

Was Laid Over.

The proposition to issue $100,000 for storm sewer purposes was also laid over, until a report from City Engineer Brazier is presented.

Controller Moore stated that $8,000 was necessary to pay for work already done, and some work was necessary. However, it is not likely that the large amount will be asked for.

The provincial board of health approved of plans for a sanitary sewer on Cheapside street. The work will be done in the spring at an estimated cost of $3,200.

The suggestion of Mayor Somerville that no local improvements be put down, was agreed to, and nothing will be done except on petition by the property owners, and then only if it is considered absolutely necessary.

The annual question of heating the east end hall come up, but this was also laid over, until an estimate of the cost is secured, at the suggestion of Ald. Moorhead.

Henry Bros. claimed damages for trespass on their property on Paul street. This was referred to City Engineer Brazier to report on.

Louis in February to attend the good dress, called attention to the need of the strictest economy during wartime. Controller Moore declared that this would be followed.

City Engineer Brazier will go to St. roads convention.

Some minor matters were attended to.

FIXED LIMITS FOR ASSIGNED PAY

No Reductions or Increasts Possible Without Permit.

The amount of assigned pay now being paid in Canada to dependents of non-commissioned officers and men may not be increased or decreased on account of promotion or reduction in rank, before July 1, 1918.

This announcement made in camp orders also makes exception in cases where, in the opinion of the chief paymaster, London, England, a reduction should be made owing to the state of the soldier's account; in such cases, the chief paymaster is to take the necessary action, and notify militia headquarters at Ottawa of it.

If a soldier wishes to send more money than he has assigned he may still do so through "family remittances" through the chief paymaster, London, England. The order does not affect soldiers in Canada.

REWARD FOR CAPTURE OF MARELLO MAY BE OFFERED BY COUNTY

When the county council meets for its winter session on Tuesday next, January 22, it is understood a motion will be made to offer a reward for the capture or information leading to the arrest of George Marello, the confessed burglar, who escaped from the county jail on Saturday, December 27.

Marello's whereabouts to the present are as much a mystery as they were one hour after he made his successful break for liberty after knocking out Turnkey William McLeod with a stove poker.

Two clues were run to earth since Marello vanished, but neither resulted in anything. Circulars have been sent all over the country, but up to the present have failed to bring any results. Some of the county councillors are, it is understood, in favor of offering a reward in the hopes that it may act as an incentive in locating Marello.

Norma Talmadge, one of the screen's greatest favorites, at the Majestic Theatre today and Thursday, in a wonderful photodrama, "The Secret of the Storm Country."

PATRICIA

The glory of the east and all the progress that has been accomplished in the west meet in the newest Fox Kiddies feature, "Aladdin and the Wonderful Lamp." It is a thing of beauty beyond the power of the imagination to describe and without regard to whether they are big or little those who act in it set a standard of excellence that few grown-up actors can surpass.

This is the Fox Kiddies feature where the children meet their elders on common ground and ask no favors. The principal roles are taken by children. They carry on the theme of the story and they stand beside the older folk who appear in the play with perfect confidence which is fully justified.

At the Patricia Theatre Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

MAJESTIC

Norma Talmadge in "The Secret of the Storm Country," is the attraction at the Majestic today and Thursday. In the character of Tess Hannibel, the great screen star is seen at her best.

Tess makes the sacrifice which brands her child with shame, but finds a true friend in Lawyer Young, who takes her into his home, educates her and protects her against the machinations of Ebenezer Walderstricker, Frederick's jealous brother-in-law. After several years Frederick returns and discovers his child, but Tess upbraids him for his lack of manhood, and sends him away. Walderstricker's child is kidnapped by Mother Moll, the witch of Squattertown, and imprisoned in her hut on the island. That Walderstricker orders the village set afire to rid him of his squatter enemies. Tess plunges through fire and a blinding storm to restore the child to its parents. Walderstricker repents of his wickedness and Frederick dies confessing the wrong he did Tess, while Tess finds happiness in the devotion of Lawyer Young, to whom she is married after many years of devotion.

RED CROSS DRIVE WILL BE DECIDED EARLY NEXT WEEK

Action Deferred Until After Patriotic Fund Meeting.

Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore announced today that he would arrange a patriotic fund meeting to be held early next week, when it will be decided what action shall be taken to raise funds for 1918.

Sir George Gibbons stated today that no action regarding the Red Cross drive would be taken until after the patriotic fund meeting.

LATE AMOS LONGFIELD VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA

DORCHESTER, Jan. 14.—The funeral of Amos Longfield, held this afternoon from his home on concession 4 of North Dorchester to Ingersoll Cemetery, was conducted by Rev. Donald McKay. He died after a two-weeks' illness with pneumonia. He leaves a wife and six children, Lloyd, Earl, Gordon, Melborn, Clarence and Mabel, two of whom are at present very ill. Four sisters, Mrs. R. J. Howe, Crampton; Mrs. W. J. Coats, Mrs. Barr and Miss Rose Longfield, all of Mossley, and six brothers, Wesley, Ingersoll; William, Mount Brydges; Robert, Leamington; Richard and George, Grand Rapids, Mich., and Jonathan, Detroit, also survive.

THE VICTIMS OF LA GRIPPE

Every winter la grippe sweeps over Canada like a scourge, leaving behind hundreds of health-wrecked victims. Ask any of those who have been attacked by la grippe what their present condition of health is and most of them will answer: "Since I had the grippe I have never been well." This trouble leaves behind a persistent weakness of the limbs, bad digestion, shortness of breath, and palpitation of the heart, caused by the thin-blooded condition in which grippe almost always leaves its victims after the fever and influenza have subsided. They are at the mercy of relapses and complications, often very serious. This condition will continue until the blood is built up again, and for this purpose nothing can equal a fair treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. From the first to last dose these pills make new, rich, red blood, which reaches every organ and every nerve in the body. Thus the lingering germs are driven from the body, and the weak, despondent victims of la grippe are transformed into cheerful, healthy, happy men and women.

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GIVE UP BUSINESS TO SOUND APPEAL OF STRICKEN FRANCE

Paulist Choristers Will Inaugurate Restoration Movement.

When the Paulist Choristers, the concert organization of Chicago, appears in the Winter Garden next Thursday under the auspices of the Musical Art Club, the occasion will mark the inauguration of the local movement in aid of the restoration of Northern France, which has been adopted by the Allies on this side of the water of the Entente powers. It is planned that the movement shall be carried on by a representative committee as a spontaneous recognition of the pitiable condition of that part of Northern France which has been the theatre of war and has been subjected to wanton destruction by the invading Germans before their evacuation.

Authorized by the French Government, the commission has taken up the problem of the rehabilitation of that part of France upon a scale so broad and comprehensive as to assure the administration of the fund to be raised in such a manner as to obtain the most immediate and permanent results. Aid for France was invoked by Field Marshal Gen. Joffre and M. Viviani on the occasion of their recent visit to America, and the plans then under consideration have crystallized into the organized effort of which the visit of the Paulist Choristers is the avant courier.

As possessors of an undoubted influence through their music upon the hearts and minds of men the Paulist Choristers as a body recognized a vocational call to the spiritual and patriotic mission for which the progress of events had prepared the people. How else would one hundred men and boys giving up business and all other calls start on a six months' trip with no thought of profit to themselves; how else would the Paulist Community have contributed the services of the most noted male choir in the country?

Repatriate Inhabitants.

The object of the fund is not religious. It is not to rebuild churches, but to repatriate the inhabitants of the country, to house them, and to provide means whereby they may again earn their livelihood. It is a work which appeals to persons in every walk of life, to men of all creeds and of no creed.

All the evidence from the stricken and devastated country unites in showing that the insensate vandalism and destruction inflicted under Prussian orders has been the outcome of deliberate, malignant purpose, and without the slightest hope of military advantage. While the purpose of the restoration fund is not the rebuilding of churches, the cathedral towns furnish a pointed example of German barbarism. In all Germany there was no work of architecture to compare with the glories of St. Quentin Cathedrals. Rheims was occupied by the Germans but nine days, but for two years and a half Rheims Cathedral was the target for artillery fire and for bombing from the clouds, a slow agony of torture, and St. Quentin was put to the torch and reduced to ruins.

An eruption of Vesuvius, the disaster to Martinique or the earthquake which destroyed Guatemala can have wrought no more thorough desolation than has marked the path of the Hun in Northern France. To make these lands habitable again is the noble aim of the French Commission, an undertaking in which our citizens are privileged to join.

SEVEN FROM STATES, TWO FROM DISTRICT, IN TUESDAY'S LIST

Nine Recruits Taken On At Local Armories.

Seven of the nine recruits who signed up on Tuesday at the armories were from the United States, the other two being from this district.

The following are the men who volunteered: R. H. Hall, Grand Rapids, W. O. R.; N. Dean, Detroit, W. O. R.; L. J. Treacy, Detroit, C. E.; D. Riddell, Detroit, C. E.; H. S. Lasley, Cleveland, W. O. R.; E. D. Butler, London, W. O. R.; James Reid, Cleveland, W. O. R.; Cecil Johns, Cleveland, W. O. R., and C. A. Rush, London, 7th Details.

URGES PRESBYTERY TO TAKE AN INTEREST IN CHILD WELFARE WORK

The afternoon session of the London Presbytery was devoted mainly to routine business. John Currie of Belmont presented a report on remits from the general assembly. One of these was that the representation of the presbytery should be reduced to one clergyman in every ten and one elder to a similar number. After some discussion it was decided to reduce the representation of the presbytery to one in every eight.

Rev. J. G. Stuart was appointed on the committee of bills and overtures.

An address to the presbytery on the question of child welfare work in the city was given by Rev. W. R McIntosh, who supplied statistics which showed the proportion of preventible deaths of children in the city during the past year. He urged the members of the presbytery to take greater interest in the work being done relative to child welfare.

Rev. R. Stuart of Dutton presented a report with regard to the number of aged and infirm Presbyterian ministers in the city and district.

A report by the auditors of the accounts of the presbytery showed that they had been correctly kept. Rev. W. Martin also submitted a statement relative to the accounts, which was unanimously adopted.

TREAT OF THE YEAR TOMORROW NIGHT

The Paulist Choristers, who will be heard in concert at the Princess Winter Garden tomorrow (Thursday) night, have the reputation of being the finest "boy choir" in America. This celebrated choir, with its wonderful boy sopranos and splendid bass and tenor vocalists, will be heard in a magnificent program—the finest ever presented by a visiting choir in this city.

The choristers will appear on the stage in picturesque French uniforms of grey-blue, with red trimmings.

The directors of the Musical Art Society guarantee that the Princess Winter Garden on this occasion will be comfortably heated by fuel unsuitable for domestic purposes. If any person finds the building too cold he can have his admission refunded. The plan is now open at Heintzman's.

LONDON POULTRY ASSN. ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

At the regular meeting of the London Poultry and Pet Stock Association the following officers were elected: President, T. A. Faulds; first vice-president, J. Clare; second vice-president, R. Beamish; secretary and treasurer, J. C. Andrewes; superintendent, W. J. Siesor; assistant superintendent, W. H. Wilkey; directors, E. A. Brill, George Burgess, F. Smoothey, F. Hessell, J. B. Jones and Ed Smith; delegates to Western Fair board, T. A. Faulds and Wm. McNeil; auditors, A. J. Morgan and W. B. Brown.

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MANY VIMY HEROES IN PARTY WELCOMED HERE LAST EVENING

Six From London and Forty-Nine From District.

After a delay of about seven hours, due to the disorganized state of the railroads, a party of 55 soldiers returned from overseas arrived in the city via C.P.R. at 6 o'clock last night. The men were expected to arrive before noon, but their progress was interfered with by the results of the storm. Six of the party were Londoners.

The guard of honor was provided by the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, and representatives of the Soldiers' Aid Commission and the Great War Veterans' Association, and members of the headquarters staff were on hand to meet them. They were taken in the waiting automobiles to the clearing depot in the old Princess avenue school, where they were given their supper and an official welcome. They were then hastily looked over by the doctors and after a visit to the paymaster given passes to spend a few days with their families before returning to the clearing depot for treatment, duty or discharge.

Six From City.

Among the Londoners to return was Charles A. Graham, who left here with a draft from the Canadian transport section of the Army Service Corps. He was wounded at Hautot. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Graham, 950 Queen's avenue.

Other Londoners in the party were: Albert McVean, 29 Becher street; Chas. Bullen, 64 Fullarton street; Edward Pepper, 851 William street; H. Smith, 9 Ridgeway, and Walter Schafer, 513 King street.

Charles Hollis of Galt went over with the 34th Battalion and received wounds at Fresnoy, which necessitated his return to Canada. Harry Dagley of Petrolea was wounded at Lens while a member of the Canadian Engineers' Lance-Corp. Henry Latham of St. Thomas, a 33rd Battalion man, was struck down at Fresnoy; Daniel J. Petty of Galt went away with the 34th Battalion, and was wounded at Vimy Ridge; Alex McCaw of St. Thomas was wounded at Lens, while serving with the 21st Battalion.

Wounded at Vimy.

Corp. Harry O'Connor of Windsor received his wound at Vimy, while with the 26th Battalion; Harry Elliott, a 2nd Battalion man from St Thomas, was wounded at Fresnoy; and John Desmond of St. Thomas left Canada with the 91st Battalion and was wounded at Vimy Ridge.

James Kerr of Chatham was invalided home from England, after serving with the 127th Battalion; Harry Payne of St. Marys was invalided home from the 8th Reserve Battalion in England; Bombardier Harold Dunsmore, Stratford; John Miner, Clinton, a 58th Battalion man; W. Elliott of Cape Croker, a member of the 160th Battalion; John Carter of St. Thomas, who served with the 1st Battalion; Sam Herron, Millbank, who left here with the 110th Battalion; R. Joyce of Stratford, an A.M.C man; Peter Middlemore, Walkerville, a member of the 4th Battalion; William Green, Cameron, Mo.; and Robert Hamilton of Shakespeare, a member of the Princess Pats, were invalided home, after serving in England and France.

Other Arrivals.

Other men who arrived were: Michael Telford, St. Thomas; Thomas Page, Chatham; Al Bolton, Walkerton; Arthur Bolton, 43 Moy avenue, Windsor; Arthur Cocker, 135 Lincoln road, Walkerville; Lester Jackson, Tillsonburg; John Moore, Strathroy; James Mugford, Benmiller; Roy Morris, Salford; David Mack, Ingersoll; Edgar Pritchard, Chicago; Thomas Purvis, Hespeler; Wm. Stone, Wallacetown; Alex Smith, Rodney; Charles Tough, Shakespeare; Ernest White, Kingsville; Wm. Vickerman, Tilbury; V. Wenzel, Stratford; V. Hopkins, Leonard House, Windsor; Thomas Convey, San Francisco; Joseph Bray, 31 St. Catharines street, St. Thomas; Stanley Golding, St. George street, St. Thomas; Charles Borthwick, 180 Cambridge street, Stratford; Wm. Routly, Thorndale; Wm. Little, Preston; Herbert Isaac, Muncey; Robert Edwards, Union; Walter Brown, Ridgetown; Harold Fry, Listowel.

CAPT. WHISLER STOLE $62,826 FROM CAMP

CAMP FUNSTON, Kas., Jan. 15. — An official check of the funds of the army bank at Camp Funston shows that Capt. Lewis Whisler stole $62,826.21 when he robbed the bank last Friday night, slaying four men with a hand-axe and injuring a fifth. The accounting is final and was given out at divisional headquarters this afternoon. No trace of the missing funds has been found, so far as can be learned.

HANNA ORDERS SEIZURE OF 300 TONS OF ONIONS

VANCOUVER, Jan. 15.—Three hundred tons of onions shipped to Vancouver recently by growers in the Kelowna district and held in storage here were seized today on behalf of Food Controller Hanna. The seizure was made by the British Columbia representative of the food controller in the matter of food and vegetables, on telegraph instructions from Hanna.

CIVILIAN POPULATION WILL BE INCLUDED IN WAR AGAINST DISEASE

Ontario Government Promises Drastic Measures.

TORONTO, Jan. 15.—There is to be no "touching lightly" upon the serious problem that the Provincial Government has taken up when it brings in legislation to cope with venereal diseases, it was learned today, and something far more drastic, far more severe than is generally supposed will result from the investigation now going on and the consequent part that the Government will take in handling the matter.

The civilian population, as well as the military, will be taken into account, and some of the plans which have been suggested are now in operation in the military camps.

KATHLEEN BURKE IS HONORED BY EMPIRE FOR RED CROSS WORK

OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—A cablegram received here states that his majesty the king has named Miss Kathleen Burke a commander of the British Empire in recognition of her services to the wounded of the Allied armies and for her work in connection with the Scottish women's hospitals and the Red Cross.

Miss Burke, who is well known in Canada, has raised over one million dollars for the Red Cross. She is the only woman who was ever allowed to appear on the floor of the New York Stock Exchange, where she spoke in behalf of the Red Cross. She was also the first woman who was permitted to visit the Verdun front.

FORMER EMPRESS OF RUSSIA NOW INSANE

Kaiser's Sister's Condition Reported Hopeless.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 15.—The former Empress of Russia, according to German newspapers, has become insane, and is now confined to a sanatorium at Tobolsk, Siberia. Her condition is reported to be hopeless.

The former empress was reported last September to be seriously ill. She accompanied the former Emperor Nicholas Romanoff when he was transferred from Tsarskoe Selo to Tobolsk.

FAMINE'S GRIP GROWS EVER TIGHTER ON BERLIN

STOCKHOLM, Jan. 15.—Food conditions in Berlin have become so much worse, according to advices reaching here, that the population is compelled to exist almost entirely on the rationed quantities of bread, meat and potatoes, virtually no vegetables or fruit are reaching the city, and no game is to be had, owing to the beginning of the closed season.

Some of the greater Berlin municipalities, it is stated, have been forced to reduce the potato ration from seven pounds to six pounds.

NEW-BORN BABY'S BODY FOUND IN BASEMENT

TORONTO, Jan. 15.—The body of a new-born male infant was found this morning in a furnace in the basement of the Cooper Cap Company off Spadina avenue. The body was found wrapped up in a newspaper by the fireman, and in reporting the case to the police he said that the parcel was not in the furnace when he last attended it on Monday evening.

BRITISH IMPORTS SHOW AN IMMENSE INCREASE

LONDON, Jan. 15.—The board of trade returns for December show that imports increased over the corresponding month last year by £9,415,000, while exports decreased £2,787,000.

For the year 1917 the total imports were £1,065,256,000, and the total exports £525,308,000.

BRITAIN NOT HURRYING TO RECOGNIZE FINLAND

LONDON, Jan. 15.—Arthur J. Balfour, secretary of state for foreign affairs, was asked in the House of Commons today whether Great Britain knew that France and the Russian Government had recognized the republic of Finland, and if so, why there was delay on the part of Great Britain in doing likewise.

Mr. Balfour said the British Government was aware of the recognition accorded Finland by France and the Russian government, but it was the Government's view that before taking the formal step of recognizing Finland it would be desirable to ascertain what the Russian people think of the situation.

TO PROTECT MIGRATORY BIRDS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—A Senate bill to give effect to the convention between the United States and Great Britain to protect migratory birds was favorably reported to the House today by the foreign affairs committee. The convention already has been ratified by the Canadian Parliament.

SMALLPOX IN HAMILTON.

HAMILTON, Jan. 15.—Another case of smallpox was discovered at the C. O. R. barracks today, and the patient has been isolated. Shortly before Christmas a case was discovered, and the regiment was quarantined, and it was said this will not be necessary this time.

Don't Hawk, Blow, Sneeze or Cough; Use "Catarrhozone"

When germs attack the lining of the nose, make you sneeze and gag—when later on they infest the bronchial tubes—how can you follow them with a cough syrup?

You can't do it—that's all. Cough syrups go to the stomach—that's why they fail.

But Catarrhozone goes everywhere—gets right after the germs—kills them—heals the soreness—cures the inflammation—makes Catarrh disappear. Not difficult for Catarrhozone to cure, because it contains the essences of pine balsams and other antiseptics that simply mean death to Catarrh. Large size costs $1, and contains two months' treatment; smaller sizes, 25c and 50c, all druggists and storekeepers.

LESS MEAT IF BACK AND KIDNEYS HURT

Take a glass of Salts to flush Kidneys if Bladder Bothers You.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and you kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts cannot injure anyone; makes a delightful effervescent lithia water drink which millions of men and women take now and then to keep the kidneys and urinary organs clean, thus avoiding serious kidney disease.

SAGE TEA DARKENS HAIR TO ANY SHADE

Don't Stay Grey! Here's an Old-Time Recipe That Anybody Can Apply.

The use of Sage and Sulphur for restoring faded, grey hair to its natural color dates back to grandmother's time. She used it to keep her hair beautifully dark, glossy and attractive. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect.

But brewing at home is messy and out-of-date. Nowadays, by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you get this famous old preparation improved by the addition of other ingredients, which can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well-known downtown druggist says it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the grey hair disappears, and after another application or two, it becomes beautifully dark and glossy.

Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite for those who desire a more youthful appearance. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.