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THE ALIEN AGITATOR.

THE GRAND TRUNK.

The Ottawa correspondence of the The United States is threatened from Times-Star today is very interesting two quarters by Bolshevism- Congress reading for maritime province people. has not only been considering of late The debate in parliament yesterday on the question of deporting foreign-born the taking over of that railway led to a agitators who go about advocating the discussion of the relative positions of St. overthrow of the government, but the John and Halifax on the one hand and secretary of state is urging the enact-Portland, Maine, on the other, in relation ment of legislation which would prevent to the ocean traffic of the Grand Trunk from 10,000,000 to 15,000,000 impoverunder government ownership. The min- ished Germans and Austrians from comister of railways was not very definite in ing into the United States. If it be true, his reply, but he did say that the traffic as alleged, that there is likely to be an would be kept in our own ports as much exodus of those people to the American as possible. He made the point that continent the matter is of as much in part of the Grand Trunk is in the Unit-terest to Canada as to the United States. ed States and therefore Portland must It is announced that Sweden and Ar-Kenzie recalled the fact that a part of the agreement when the Grand Trunk Pacific was built was that freight not routed by the shipper must go through our own ports; but we may as well take it for granted that a great many Cana-

road go out of our hands; and he broadly intimates that in the latter case it would go into the hands of the C. P. R.

The government measure will probably go through, and then it will be for the maritime provinces to maintain their rights in the matter of ocean ports.

Our Ottawa correspondent says it is believed the government may decide to operate the government railway in three divisions, with headquarters at Moneton, imported and included the element that in the latter case it their deliberate determination to wreck for their deliberate determination to wreck the formal founding of the town, a trading post called Fort Rouille had been maintained in what is now the west end of the city.

The old fort was destroyed by fire in 1759 and a new one erected. The successor of this one is now on the exhibition grounds there, where it has been following the enforced frugality of the later war years. It may be due to the surplus currency which war industries brought into being. But in any case, the general result is, baneful and tends toward pauperism. If the discount on Canadian currency abroad is to be wiped out and the prices of necessar-field the city started in reality in 1794 with the city started in reality in 1794 with the erection of public buildings near the discount of the city.

It was the city at no other time has prodigality meeting." For years, however, before meeting." For years, love, and has thriftines been more imperative. At no other time has prodigality for the meeting." For years, love, and has the rule. It may be due to the surplus currency which war industries brought into being. But in any lot

When the subject of publicity is un- Cathedral; Dr. MacKay, superintendent

der discussion, the newspaper reporter of education, and C. J. Burchell, K. C. When the subject of publicity is under discussion, the newspaper reporter ought not to be overlooked. Even those who may regard him as a sort of necessary evil will agree that his work is an element of progress. The local press is a means of publicity that is here everyday in the year. The reporter is not looking for publicity for himself. He represents an agency, however, that helps to keep more wheels moving than those which grind out a daily newspaper. Courtesy extended to him is personally appreciated, but he also gives value. If there is a lack of courtesy, it is not merely to him but also to the press he merely to him but also t merely to him but also to the press he represents. Some of the best publicity St. John has received in years past has intelligence, and they have excellent good as far as possible." Perhaps it is not for a newspaper to cry With Gen. Yudenitch within twentyits own wares, but when there is boosting to be done the cause which has a idly on a hundred mile front, and with reporter, and not in a way that would

stamp him as the unwelcome guest.

Science Monitor, in a letter from Rus-credit on the trade generally. sia, writes that, contrary to the general Premier Clemenceau won a great victory in the French Chamber of Deputies by no means starving, and that "despite all the upheavals, catastrophes, socialistic experiments, and destructiveness of the civil war, Russia is still rich." He the prohibition of Sinn Fein, Irish the whole of South Russia "over
Premier Clemenceau won a great victory in the French Chamber of Deputies tory in the French Chamber of Salmon of flows with corn," that the peasants are Dublin will warm things up again in free to sell their produce, and that prices Ireland. of foodstuffs are lower than in London. This correspondent goes further and exthe Bolsheviki, and this prevents restoration of the means of railway and tele-

when the Bolshevists are rapidly losing mensely when the time comes to meet the needs of the rest of the country. It is fortunate indeed that this rich area has not been conquered and despoiled by the Bolshevists. When Kolchak and Denekine have accomplished their task the food problem will not be as serious as winter will be terrible in the portions of Russia ruled by, Lenine

The St. Mihiel salient.

"Wonder where we're bound for now?" spoke one doughboy during a momentary check.

"I dunno," replied a voice in the dark, "but I heard an officer say it was Metz."

"Huh! Metz?"

"Guerand he said the general meant to take it if it cost a hundred thousand lives."

Rev. C. Fr. Smrth, appointed principal of the Westminster Theological College Vancouver. He was formerly minister in Fredericton, N. B., Sydney, U. S. A., and Summerside, P. E. I.

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"Sure—and he said the general meant to take it if it cost a hundred thousand lives."

The third number on the programme was a saxaphone solo by Miss Birdie Vancouver. He was formerly minister in Fredericton, N. B., Sydney, U. S. A., and Summerside, P. E. I.

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LIFE'S EVENING. When a man is waxing old, and his whiskers change from gold to a sort of brindled gray, when his pep has slipped away, if he's fixed so he can rest, letting work go galely west, he will find life's gloaming gay, cheerful as a circus day. In my younger years I toiled till my galluses cheerful as a circus day. In my younger years I toiled till my galluses were spoiled, and I salted down some scads, saved the dollars of my dads; when six dollars came to me I would pickle two or three. Now I'm in the yellow leaf I am free from dread and grief. I don't have to work a bit when I am not feeling fit. I can run around and play with the dachshunds all the day; in my stately limousine I am burning gasoline, for I saved the silver wheels when the pep was in my heels, and I do not care a dern how much money I may burn. It is dire to see old lads going forth to earn some scads; it is sad to see old gents counting up their meager cents, trying hard to pay their way, when they should be out at play. Age comes on us, swift and sure; then it's beastly to be poor. You'll be old yourself, full soon; therefore, save the bright doubloon.

CANADA—EAST AND WEST

Dominion Happenings of Other Days

THE BIRTH OF TORONTO. dian shippers will route via Portland in immigrants, but they should be selected beautiful cities on dian shippers will route via Portland in with the utmost care. There are enough winter because of the shorter rail haul, imported, and native born agitators ceived frequently in the days of its winter because of the shorter ran name imported and native born agitators ceived frequently in the days of its thousands of men and the use of capital unless government action makes it more unless government action makes it more to keep the authorities busy. Peopositable to use St. John and Halifax. to keep the authorities busy. Peoposition was originally a great and materials that could be turned to profitable to use St. John and Halifax.

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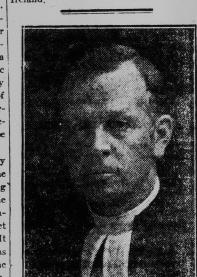
POST-VACATION PARODY (John D. Wells in Buffalo News.)

St. John has received in years past has been through the outside correspondence today. During the war we have necesof reporters on the local press. Of course all reporters are not alike, but those deall reporters are not alike, but those de-tailed to cover important events will one supreme object. But this waste not And this she declared was a "bed!"

few reporters in the neighborhood usual- armies on three other fronts advancing The "farm hand' 'who took my valises few reporters in the neighborhood usual-ly fares the best. On important occas-lons, therefore it is not by any means. Bolsheviki in Russia are in desperate "the "chore boy" and

The Calgary shoe dealer who last year made over \$10,000 profits on a \$30,000 Believe me, I've only been piking—capital had his nerve with him all the A correspondent of the Christian time. Dealers of his type bring dis-

says the whole of South Russia "over- Volunteer and Gaelic League meetings in talion.



THE NEED FOR THRIFT.

Saving is not always looked upon as an equally large percentage of Canadians who are dependent upon public charity. During the past five years practically all one of the most vast sums in the aggregate are now be-

Montreal or Toronto, and Winnipeg. If this be true the vigorous agitation in these provinces is bearing fruit.

PUBLICITY AND REPORTERS
Without particular application or reference to past, present or future occurrences in this city, but solely on his own account, a few observations concerning the newspaper reporter are quite in order. These observations may be regarded as somewhat biased because they are an office production, but the man who from the loftiest motives of piety presented a church with a furnace was described by some people as getting ready for the hereafter.

Wellington, N. Z., Sept. 17—With a springer band included the element that now talks of soviets and manufactures by manufactures by manufactures by more provinces is bearing fruit.

The Boy Scout movement, which is growing in popularity in St. John, is also in growing favor in Halifax and also in growing advertisement or future occurrences in this city, but solely on his own account, a few observations concerning educational convention in Winderson and the company of the provinces of the provinces of the provinces of provinces in the creation of public buildings near the form that was, 1803. The first provincial legislature had convened there six vears earlier. The first weekly was started on Nov. 5, 1808, by a royal proclamation. Three years afterwards advertisements offering negroes for sale were published. Peter Russell had a woman and her son to dispose of in that way. The women was valued at \$150 while the son, fifteen years of age, was held at \$200. In 1813 the city was captured by the Americana and Stripes replaced the British flag over the city for a time. A duel was fought there in 1817 and the first parliament buildings were burned accidentally in 1824.

The Liberty League literature shows that the subject to objections to prohibition which were supposed to be strong hat save been abandoned. It used to be said that the law could not be enforced, and that it greatile enforcement would be economically bad for the community. It would

probably measure up to the average in only cannot continue, it must be made She gorged me with prunes and bread puddings,
For this she got under my fur;
By taxing me forty-six fifty,
And I learned about grafting from

Were there with the open-faced mitts; As I said in the start, I have grafted

By ways that were smooth, but

To Wed in December. Premier Clemenceau won a great vic-Richmond, Carleton county, announce

Two miners went on a fishing expedition. But they were novices at the game.
"Hoo are ye gettin' on, Jock?" asked "Och, simply rotten!" was the reply. I don't believe my worm's trying."

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"Teccived from the dairymen, the retailers felt that they could not do business felt that they could not do business with the profitably without selling for 16 cents a quart.

"Wonder where we're bound for now?" one in cottages, and foregoing a bath-

their families.

The economic argument is therefore abandoned by the opponents of prohibition because it works the other way. Notion because it works the other way. Nothing is now left but the argument for personal liberty, and the plea that the kind of beer and wine desired by the opponents of prohibition is not intogicating but only "mildly stimulating." In addition to this, however, the Laberty League would have liquors which are admittedly intoxicating sold for use in the home. One may be stimulated at the bar and intoxicated at home if affirmative answers are given to the four questions.

Issue of the New Zealand Year Book, just published.

Although the prices listed in the Year Book are for 1917, they are, however, indicative of the general low level prevailing, prices having gone up only moderately during the last two years.

The highest price paid for bread was about 10½ cents for a two pound loaf. This average price prevailed in Wellington. In the town of Ashburton the same loaf sold for an average of about 8½ cents. The lowest price for a twenty-five pound bag of flour was found in the

TIMBER SCARCITY.

Friend (teasingly)—What makes that new baby at your house cry so much Tommy?"

Tommy (indignantly)—It doesn't cry so very much. And, anyway, if all your teeth were out and your legs so weak that you couldn't even stand on tem. I guess you'd feel like crying yourself!—Philadelphia North American.

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FARMERS AND MILK

Fredericton Gleaner:—On account of the clairy keepers of this city have refused to pay an increased price which cat that the dairy keepers of this city have refused to pay an increased price which are fully to price which are stimate that food prices in the price to the farmers for milk, the farmers to consumers with milk at a price which at you couldn't even stand on tem.

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PARLOR, COURTSHIP AND BATH Lights and noise were taboo, but there was some verbal expression of thought in undertones. The column was slogging forkard the night before the attack on Bray Council, Bedfordshire, is including Bray Council, Bedfordshire, is including

Oiled Clothing

| Black "Nore" Long Coats (English) | \$8.40 |
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| Diack Noic Dong Court (Canadian) | \$6.90 |
| Black "Blue Label" Long Coats (Canadian) | φυ.νο |
| Black "Red Label" Three-quarter Coats (Canadian | 1)\$6.50 |
| Diack Teed Laber Times quantity | \$9.10 |
| Black "Tower" Brand Coats (Canadian) | ΦΩ.00 |
| Olive "Tower" Brand Coats (Canadian) | \$8.80 |
| Office Tower Brand County (Consdian) | 11.20 |
| Olive 2020 Double Breasted Coats (Canadian) | 77,20 |
| Boys' Coats, "Tower" Brand, Black or Olive | \$6.00 |
| Boys Coats, Tower Brand, 22 | \$1.10 |
| Black Sou' Westers | ψ |
| Black Soft Hats | 95c. |
| Dressing for above Coats etc | 700 000 |
| Drossing for shove Costs etc. | 10c. cari. |



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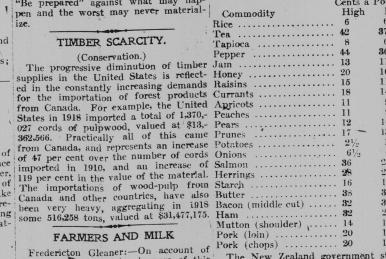
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cents. The lowest price for a twenty-five pound bag of flour was found in the city of Christchurch, about \$1; the highest, \$1.15 occurred in Rortorua. Oatmeal sold for about 5 cents a pound in Gore, this being the highest average price, the caution which went far and wide about a year ago when the epidemic of influence at the lowest about 40 cents. The highest price for coffee was about 40 cents a pound, and brought suffering and distress and earried away tens of thousands of our loved ones. A timely word or two may not be out of place to health authorities and the public generally.

Cents. The lowest price for a twenty-five pound bag of flour was found in the light country increased 28 per cent. since the more than 100 war, as compared to the

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The benefits of fresh air, healthy living and the early medical attention to colds and catarrhs should not be forgotten as some of the preventive measures which should claim our personal attention.

Let each one of us, like a good scout, "Be prepared" against what may happen and the worst may never materialize.

Commodity

High Low Rice.

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not adequately represent the increase in earnings. Enlistments in the Imperial forces and the demand for labor for war work have so affected the labor market that employment is much more regular than previously, while a considerable amount of overtime is being worked in various industries. This has undoubtedly had the effect of increasing earnings to a greater extent than that shown by the wages rates. Another influence which has benefitted certain classes of workers has been the drawing into skilled employment of men who were previously working at lower paid trades, and, in fact the general scarcity demand for labor has tended toward raising wage rates themselves above those fixed by awards of the courts."

The total estimated population of the

SAVE St. St.John N.B. MANS 4\$ \$\$ \$ LESS MONEY——BETTER VALUES

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