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LOCAL NEWS

The 4th Siege Battery under Major N. P. McLeod, M. C., resumed drill last evening in the Carleton drill hall, with quite a number of recruits upon its strength.

At a mass meeting of labor men last night in the Longshoremen's hall, Water street, P. C. Sharkey, J. E. Tighe, J. L. Sugrue, A. D. Colwell and others gave addresses in the interests of F. A. Campbell, Labor candidate for commissioner. He gave an address on his platform, and was pledged hearty support.

On a voyage to the south last month, the Parrsboro tern schooner Minus Prince came near losing four of her crew, three seamen and the young son of W. H. Smith, her captain. The lad had been washed overboard and a boat was put off to his rescue. He was in the water an hour and a quarter, clinging to a life buoy, before he could be rescued.

RURAL DEPOPULATION.
Brookville Recorder: Farming has, of course, improved since days gone by. The farmer of today has telephones, automobiles, permitting ready access to towns and cities, improved farm implements and the prospect of the early advance of electricity to the farms. These are great improvements upon the conditions the pioneers had to face not so many years ago. Farming then was indeed a great struggle and hardship, and few will begrudge the farmer the ameliorating conditions which prevail today.

The secret of rural depopulation, however, would seem to be that the urban centres have advanced a good deal faster in the way of shorter hours of work, comforts, conveniences and opportunities for amusement and monetary gain. Some of this must be transferred to the rural sections in some way in order to equalize matters.

Douglas Avenue paving tender calls for asphalt which is designed for residential type of streets. Despite what Mr. City Assessor says there is no assurance that Abutters there are to be given any Special Consideration. First per lineal foot rather than Mr. Agar's Fifty Cents. Think It Over and Call Main 2555 For Further Information.

WHY JAPANESE HAVE OCCUPIED VLADIVOSTOK.
New York, April 8.—A Tokyo despatch filed March 31 says Japan will not withdraw troops from Siberia at once because of her peculiar geographical position and dangers threatening her subjects. This is thought to explain the occupation of Vladivostok by Japanese soldiers on April 5.

The St. Lawrence.
Quebec, April 8.—(Canadian Press)—Ice conditions in the river St. Lawrence, west of the port of Quebec, indicate that the ship channel between Quebec and the port of Montreal may be free and open to navigation early next week.

BUILD GOSPEL CRUISERS.
New York April 7.—To raise money for a fleet of cruisers to take evangelists, newspapers, magazines and Bibles to families in isolated sections of the globe a new world movement has been begun by the Baptists of northern and western states.

RESISTS EFFORTS TO SAVE HER LIFE

Hamilton, April 8.—Resisting to the last every effort that was made to save her after she had jumped into the bay, a young woman, believed to be Helen Trombley, whose home is at 458 Wilson street, sank near the revetment wall. Though efforts were made to recover the body by the police, they were not successful. They did, however, secure her hat, and this was later identified by a sister of the young woman. She had recently suffered a nervous breakdown. The woman was seen on the revetment wall acting strangely. The police were called, and when they arrived in the patrol wagon she jumped from the wall into the water. A line was thrown to her, but she pushed it aside. A boat hook was then procured, and it caught her clothing, but she pulled the hook out and sank not to rise again.

GIRLS AT VASSAR COLLEGE COOKING OWN BREAKFASTS.

Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 8.—"College girls are not domestic" is the statement which Vassar wishes to disprove. A cooking class has been started. In a special kitchen in the basement of assembly hall the girls may be seen at work, white capped and aproned, each at her separate little stove and with her own pots, pans and dishes. The result of the first lesson was a delicious breakfast. The girls also do their marketing as part of the lesson.

GIRLS SECRETLY DRINK.

London, April 8.—Revelations of a "factory girls' secret drinking club were made by a welfare worker in opposing the granting of a license to a suburban tavern. She said the granting of these licenses would give the girls more facilities for drinking. She said many girls take liquor into the factory to drink.

HELD 24,000 INQUESTS.

London, April 8.—Since his appointment as coroner for North East London, Dr. Vivian Westcott has held some 24,000 inquests, in almost sixty of which murder verdicts were returned. Dr. Westcott, who is seventy-two, has left for South Africa on a vacation.

WALKED 205,296 MILES.

Chailley, Eng., April 8.—Having served as postman from when he was seven until he was sixty-four, James Pointing is said to have walked 205,296 miles. He has retired and his neighbors are indignant that his compassionate gratuity amounts to only \$75.

SUSPEND GIRL SMOKERS.

Boston, April 8.—Four young women students at Wellesley have been suspended from college for smoking cigarettes in the dormitories. It was reported. Officials of the institution decline to discuss the case.

HAS SUNG 4,000 SOLOS.

London, April 8.—Known throughout Derbyshire and Nottinghamshire as the "singing preacher," James Bettison has preached 4,000 sermons, sung at least 6,000 solos and has traveled 15,000 miles. He is seventy-two and still at it.

GETS A MONOPOLY IN TOBACCO IN ECUADOR.

Rome, April 7.—An Italian company has secured a tobacco monopoly in Ecuador, in return for which Italy is to undertake construction of public works in that country.

CLOTHING TO GO HIGHER SAYS MR. CREARY

But He Will Sell Semi-ready Clothes Below the Price in Pocket During His Big Removal Sale Which Opens Today.

Mr. Creary states that in the year 1919 the price of Botany tops on the Bradford Wool Exchange climbed from \$1.60 a pound to \$2.92. This was the closing price of the year. It was a steady climb.

In January 1919 the price was \$1.50. In June it ran up from \$2.00 to \$2.10. In July it went to \$2.22. In September the price was \$2.47. In December the price closed at \$2.92, or exactly \$2.92 and 4-10 of a cent per pound. Very coarse wool such as is used for carpets and known as Lincoln Hogs, closed the year at a price of 83 cents a pound.

Before the war—in 1914—Botany wool tops sold at 56 cents; crossbred tops sold at 40 cents; coarse wools at 27 cents. What is the future? The increase in the finer wools, the Botany tops used in the manufacture of worsted is equal to 420 per cent. Can anyone look into the future and say when prices will be normal, or when they will again appear reasonable? An English woolen buyer came to our store the other day and said that he looked for some cloth to go as high as three shillings a yard, and other costs have not gone as high as 500 per cent. Had they done so, a \$15 suit, for example, would be a pre-war \$15 suit. Look as we will, and wish as we would, there seems little likelihood of any price relief in 1920. Wages continue to climb. My advice to all who are in need of clothes is to take advantage of our Big Removal Sale, concluded Mr. Creary.

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DEVELOPMENT OF THE NATURAL RESOURCES URGED

Ottawa, April 7.—Development of Canadian natural resources and the establishment of a more uniform system of experimental farms occupied practically the whole time of the house of commons at this afternoon's sitting. The first question, that of natural resources, was raised on a motion by Captain Manion, Fort William and Rainy Rivers, the second by Donald Sutherland of South Oxford. On natural resources the western members seized the opportunity to urge the transfer of the western sources to the provincial governments. "The present situation was 'impossible,'" I myself heard Sir Robert Borden declare in 1911 "that he would do all in his power to see that the resources were turned over to the provinces," so Dr. Sutherland declared further. He spoke of millions of feet of lumber and millions of tons of the best coal in Canada lying within eight miles of the government-owned railways.

In his motion, Captain Manion urged that the government should, as soon as possible "bring forward a policy having for its object the development of the natural resources of Canada."

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

Some damage was done last night in a fire in the store of Shepherd & Haining, Fredericton.

In a decision by the Canadian Railway Commission yesterday at Ottawa it was said their powers were limited as to control over express companies.

The preliminary examination of John Everson in connection with the Tupperville tragedy has been opened at Bridgeport, N. S.

The Board of Commerce at Ottawa yesterday announced that it would have no longer the control of newspaper, as the supreme court had decided against its jurisdiction in this respect.

The steam trawler M. F. F. from Liverpool, N. S., was abandoned by her crew of twenty-five at sea on Tuesday. Eight of the crew are missing.

MARY PICKFORD.

Reno, Nev., April 7.—A suit to set aside the decree of divorce granted to Mary Pickford now Mrs. Douglas Fairbanks, will be filed next week by the attorney-general of Nevada, according to a statement made today by Robert Richards, deputy attorney-general, who has been investigating the circumstances under which the decree was granted.

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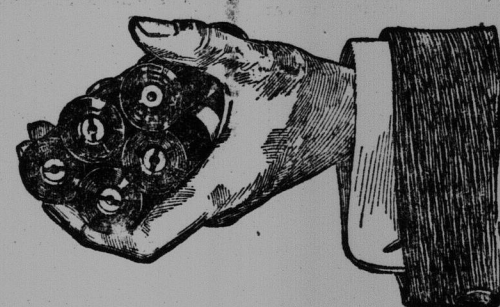
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BREAKS INTO SING SING.

Ossining, N. Y., April 8.—Andrew Wasser, escaped lunatic from the Hudson River Insane Asylum, in Poughkeepsie, broke into Sing Sing prison. Asked if he wanted to go back to the asylum, he said: "No! I like this place better." He was sent back.

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