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HERE THURSDAY

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A business man who believes that Food Controller Hanna should fix the price of potatoes without delay gave Montreal After Inspection of the following interview to The Times the Kiltier.

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WE ARE HERE TO HERVE YOU Lean from the active militia, will arrive in St. John on Thursday of this week to take over his new duties, was the information that was received in the city this morning. On the arrival of General Macdonnell the machinery in connection with the forming of New Brunswick into a separate district will be got under way. It means the approximately the seed alone cost the Ontario acre, the seed alone cost the Onta

terday reviewed by Brigadier H. H. McLean and the Union Jack, a tri-color and the Stars and Stripes were pre-

LOOKED LIKE A DAY

Charge — Other Matters Gone

come here to join the Canadian army.

"This is my first experience in a dry town, Your Honor, "said he, "and that was the trouble."

FURTHER PROHIBITION OF

Another prisoner was found asleep in coach-house near the Union depot last night, and was charged with vag-rancy. He made explanation to the magistrate that he was from Pennsyl-vania and had got into trouble in Mon-

A man was charged with not supporting his wife and four small children at his home in Brussels street. The wife said that the eldest two children were sometimes prevented from going to school on account of their lack of clothes. "Sometimes there was no food in the house," she said. "He provides food as a rule, but when he doesn't, we have to go without."

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Rev. George Scott, secretary of the Children's Aid Society, made two visits to the house and found the larder devoid of food and the children and wife thouse. hungry. The husband was put on the stand and said that he worked every this aftern week as a 'longshoremen, sometimes not earning as much as he did at other times. "It is preetty hard," he said "to pay for food, with everything costing as it does. I am doing the best I can, but sometimes the grocery bill is \$22. I get between \$10 and \$26 a week, and it is all one can do to make both ends meet.

"The megistrate thought that the form."

BURIED TODAY "The magistrate thought that the family must live on very good food, but Mrs. Dobson quoted a few prices of foods absolutely indispensable to life, and His Honor admitted that it cost more to live than would at first seem possible. In order to avoid having the family on the hands of the public His Honor. ily on the hands of the public, His Honor allowed the man to go free and admon-

ished him to take better care that there was always enough food in the house The four boys who were convicted of stealing five tires from J. Davis, in Clarendon street, were let go on suspended sentence, and under the agreement that they report every week for a month or so to His Honor to see that they are keeping straight. The four were reminded that they would be required as witnesses in the case in the county court against Eldon J. Wilson in charge of receiving stolen goods. The

One of the prisoners this morning, charged with drunkenness, said that another had given him the liquor. The latter man pleaded not guilty and deformed himself on the same of the new pavement can be laid. fended himself on the ground that he was but one of a party of three, includ-

MR. HANNA AND POTATO PRICES

Brigadier-General Macdonnell St. John Business Man Believes Controller Should Fix The Figures

"Mr. Hanna, in his address to the Wo-men's Canadian Club at Kingston, Ont. quoted as saying: 'If it is necessar; That Brigadier-General Macdonnell,

D.S.O., C.B., who was recently appoint not prepared to fix freak prices.

In fixing prices we have to be careful that we do not dry up the source of supply. The average crop of potatoes trict to fill the vacancy caused by the retirement of Brigadier-General Mc- in this country is 100 bushels to the Lean from the active militia, will ar- acre, the seed alone cost the Ontario

be got under way. It means the appointing of several more officers to this is fair play, the same desire for fair staff and thorough organizing of the play that has put us into this war and orovince.

General McLean arrived home this going to see the war through to successful finish is asking that fair prices. morning from Montreal, where he on Saturday inspected the 236th Kiltie batalion. The unit, he says, is one of the finest the public will stand solidly behind Mr.

The unit, he says, is one of the finest that has as yet been recruited in Canada and will cross to England with a strength of more than 1,200. On Sunday the unit was seen on parade in Montreal.

On Saturday night General McLean tendered a banquet in the Mount Royal Club to the officers of the battalion and all those who subscribed to the Kiltie fund.

It was learned that Captain Godfrey is public will stand solidly behind Mr. Hanna and support his efforts.

"But without the fixing of prices is there any guarantee that the producer will receive all that he is entitled to, to encourage production; or that the consumer will not have to pay more than he should, due to speculative buying and hoarding of supplies?

Mr. Hanna mentions the cost to the fund.

It was learned that Captain Godfrey of the unit will on the battalion leaving for England revert to the rank of lieutenant, so that he may get overseas. Captain Godfrey has been the chaplain of the unit since its organization and his work was very commendable.

General McLean said this morning that there was hope that the unit might be kept intact and cross to France as a unit in the 5th division. This was not at all definite but it was understood that a great effort was being put forth that

a great effort was being put forth that be one of the chief factors in forcing prices should disappear and the consum Montreal, Oct. 29 — The MacLean Highlanders, recruited in the maritime provinces, Boston and Chicago, were yesterday, reviewed by Paris Javan War.

(Chatham World.) A food controller who doesn't control anything, but sends out a stream of grandmotherly advice and exhortation to consumers in favor of thrift, is of little use Why doesn't Mr. Hanna do more and telk less? The steadiness in the flour market since a price for wheat was fixed shows what can be done. And a BEFORE PROHIBITION fixed shows what can be done. In the regulation that has stopped speculation and a tendency to hoarding in flour ought to be effective in respect to potatoes and many other things. There is a maxi-Five Are in Court on Drunkenness mum price for potatoes in England, and a farmer, was fined \$27,000 a few days Charge — Other Matters Gone
Into

There were five cases of drunkenness before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning, and several old-timers made the court look almost like before prohibition times All five were fore prohibition times. All five were an artificial scarcity has been created. toes to be held for a bigger price when an artificial scarcity has been created. The price has been boosted already from \$2 to \$4, and will certainly go up to \$8 ditional fine of \$200 or six months in jail for having liquor in their possession in the street.

One of the prisoners said that he was from the United States, and had just come here to join the Canadian army.

W. E. Anderson, imperial trade correspondent, has received a copy of the following cable from H. M. Board of Trade, London, England:

vania and had got into trouble in Montreal, losing his money. He then came on to St. John, where he was told that he could get work. He had no money, and so was forced to sleep where he could. His Honor allowed him to go on condition that he reported to him for a little while to make sure that his story was correct.

Story was correct.

Trade, London, England:

"Exportation of following things prohibited United Kingdom, October 18: Coir fibre, fish hooks, goatskins and sheepskins, animal hair, lead, farming machinery, hosiery, needles, seal oil, wool and manufacturers thereof."

Note—Prohibited exports of manufactures of wool here referred to apply only tures of wool here referred to apply only to reindeer wool and yarns, rags and

Donald Walker, who was injured while playing football at Rothesay last Friday afternoon, is still in a critical condition according to a report from the hospital

BURIED TODAY The funeral of J. W. Stevens took place this afternoon from his late residence, Prospect street, Fairville. Services were conducted by Rev. P. R. Hayward. Interment was made

TO PAY MONTH'S SALARY There was no meeting of the com-mon council committee this morning as there was no quorum, but the thre

in charge of receiving stolen goods. The case will come up on November 6.

The department still has some work

TECHNICAL EDUCATION was but one of a party of three, including the prisoner who made the charge. The third man had brought the liquor and had treated the others. The one making the charge admitted getting several drinks in the Returned Veterans' rooms in Union street. His Honor asked that the placee be closed up. The matter in question was deferred until the third party could be brought to advance technical education in that province.

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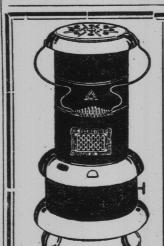
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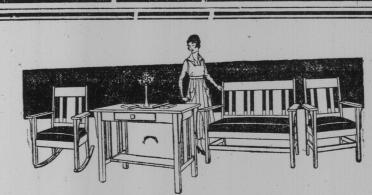
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