

THE ACADIAN.

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Editorial Briefings.

'At first the call was for men munitions and money,' says Food Controller Hanna. 'Now the cry is for men, munitions and food.'

The allies, including Great Britain, France and Belgium, need 460,000,000 bushels of imported wheat. North America will have to supply it.

When the people talk in favor of public honesty, our choice of their worst rogues as representatives there is something wrong with the people.

The Food Controllers of Canada and the United States will work in mutual harmony and understanding. Hon. W. J. Hanna, the Canadian Food Controller, and Mr. Herbert Hoover have known each other for some years.

'It is in the homes of the Province of Ontario that the great battles we are to face will have to be fought and won,' declares Sir William Hearst, Premier of Ontario, referring to the Food Controller's Food Conservation campaign. Premier Hearst's words apply to all Canada.

'Food Controllers in the United States and Canada were appointed in order that the men at the front might be fed,' says Hon. W. J. Hanna, Canadian Food Controller. 'In order that those behind at home should not go hungry, and in order that Great Britain and her allies should not have to retreat from the enemy for want of food.'

Britain in twelve months will have to import five million bushels supplies, according to the statement by Kennedy Jones, Director General of Food Economy, Great Britain. His calculation included the cereals at present on hand, the rate of submarine losses, the new tonnage to be available and the result of the campaign to eliminate food waste. Canada and the United States are looked to for five months' supplies necessary to be imported.

Besides an article entitled 'Canada's Amateur Soldiers,' which tells about the men who have helped to make famous the exploits of Canadian soldiers, The Canadian Magazine for August contains a good variety of interesting and instructive contributions. The place that liquor has in the everyday life of the Old Country is well described by Lacey Amy in an article entitled 'Liquor and the War,' and Austin Hamilton gives a splendid article on 'How Long Will Britain Last?' The work of the Royal Flying Corps in Canada as the basis of an article by Randolph Carlyle, and 'Alien Races in Russia' is the title of a timely article by Laura Denton. There are several excellent short stories of a seasonal character.

A Canadian officer in France wrote the Minister of Militia, Sir Edward Kemp:

'We were all delighted to see that the Conscription Bill passed its first reading in the House. If it had not we would have all felt that we had been deserted and left without help during this infernal struggle—noting dishonours officers and men so quickly as to be under strength, in which state one man has to do the work of three. However, all's well that ends well.'

The duty of every loyal Canadian is to see that the men in France are not 'deserted and left without help,' but that everything necessary and possible is done to keep the fighting forces up to strength.

France will allow the hunting of game for the first time since 1913. The closed season of nearly four years had resulted in damage to crops by depriving animals. The season will open only after the crop has been harvested and will be short. The government has decided that this measure is necessary to protect agriculture against the ravages of game, which has multiplied greatly in the three years during which only restricted destruction of depriving animals has been allowed. Hares, rabbits, pheasants and partridges are particularly abundant, while wild boar, driven from the forests of northeast France by the military operations, have done considerable damage in regions where they never were seen before. The opening of the hunting season, besides saving the crops, is expected to help relieve the provisions market.

Horse Racing. If you are an enthusiast do not miss the races at the Provincial Exhibition, Halifax, Sept. 12th to 20th. This year will excel all previous attempts at horse racing. Seven days of it.

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In the affections, in the sacrifices of all true Canadians, the real question is not what to do but who to do it for? What will give the greatest and surest power to Canada's soldiers at the front?

Win the war, is the first call, the supreme duty, the greatest concern. If, in the war, the rights of freedom and self-government is lost, then, for Canadians, all is lost; and in the defence of the rights of free citizenship the lesser must yield to the greater.

In this day of crisis for Canada, and for freedom in every country, the greatest enemy of liberty and peace is the organized and mad power of Prussian militarism.

Everywhere in all its entrenched strongholds, over all the world, or in Canada and in every other democratic country, nothing worth while will be left. Either for Canadians to-day or for their children to-morrow. Military power, with its hideous and belching program of explosives and all the rest of it, must be made to match and to overmatch the fiendish preparedness of the Huns.

There is no alternative, either for Canada or the world. There is no choice, either for individuals who hate war or for the nation that loves peace. Yes, hate it with a hatred that grows and deepens and becomes more relentless with every ghastly story from France and Flanders.

Some Food Restrictions.

An order-in-council has been promulgated prohibiting in public places in Canada the serving of beef and bacon on Tuesdays and Fridays, and at more than one meal on any other day. Substitutes, such as corn bread, oat cakes, potatoes, etc., must be provided at every meal at which white bread is served.

The term 'public eating places' includes any hotel, restaurant, cafeteria club or other place where meals to the number of twenty five per day are served to persons other than members of the family or household of the proprietor. The penalty for first offence is from \$25 to \$100, and for each other offence from \$100 to \$500, or three months in prison, or both. The use of wheat in the distillation or manufacture of alcohol is also prohibited with a penalty not exceeding \$5 000.

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Busy East Boosts Yarmouth.

The current issue of the Busy East gives the town of Yarmouth a well deserved boost, some forty odd pages being devoted to telling the story of that beautiful town. The number is very well illustrated, upwards of sixty half tone cuts being used to illustrate the excellent articles concerning Yarmouth and its manufacturing and business concerns. The cover of the number is one of the most attractive yet produced by a Maritime publication. Near the centre of the cover there is a reproduction of one of Bertha DesClay's paintings entitled 'The Blue Boat.' This is four color work and very creditably printed. Altogether this number is one that deserves the highest praise and should be read by every progressive citizen of Eastern Canada.

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have ever had in Halifax, because the Commission has made arrangements for more races than ever before. 'And in the third place, I believe that you will see greater crowds at September 12th to 20th show this year than ever before. I was recently on a trip through a considerable portion of the Province, and everywhere I heard people planning on taking in the Exhibition. 'Every horseman I know is tuning up his string in the expectation of the greatest fall of racing ever seen in these parts.'

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But everybody in this province is a partner in it. Would it not then be just as good business for each of us partners to spend our money with the other partner? How simple it all is. If we send our money away to buy our goods we are just taking that much money away from the sum total of wealth in our own province. We have not got that money to build up our own business.

But let's do some more supposing. Suppose you had a large number of clerks in your clothing store. Don't you think those clerks would be foolish if they bought all their clothing at some other store? Of course they would be. It would mean that there would be that much less business at their own store, and that much less money available for salary increases. In fact you would think those clerks were not the kind of thoughtful business men and women that are necessary to make a shop a success.

Yet our province may well be considered one big shop in which we all are employees. Is it not foolish for we clerks, then, to think that we can get increased incomes or in time any salaries at all if we buy from another store—another province? When we get right down to thinking about this matter the issue seems to be so simple and so easy of demonstration that we wonder we never thought of it before.

The money that is spent in the community will come back to the spender. Spend your dollars in your own province and you will get another chance at them. Buy from the home town merchant and you will have more with which to build up your own business.

But the dollar that goes out of the province seldom comes back again. It goes to build up the business of other provinces, and to support the people of other communities. It is as simple as A B C.

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Post Office Inspector's Office,
Halifax, 26th July, 1917.

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