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GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

IT'S A GENUINELY GOOD GEM PROGRAMME

Charles Ray in "The Deserter" and DeWolf Hopper in "Poor Papa," make an A 1 programme of seven reels at the Gem tonight. For tomorrow The Yellow Menace and other features. Tonight's show is an excellent one.

Three Canadians Make Good Escape

Break German Prison Camp and Reach Holland Safely; It Was Second Attempt

London, Sept. 22.—The statement recently made from Holland that live wire on the frontier had been cut by the Germans seems to be borne out by the fact that three Canadians have arrived in England this week, having escaped from prison camps. They arrived together but two of them were from Selsigen and one from Munster. The three met in Holland at the consulate and were sent to England. Corp. Edward Edwards, of Toronto and M. C. Simmons, of Trail, B.C., the former of the P.P.C.L.I., the latter of the 7th Battalion, were taken prisoners at the second battle of Ypres last year. They were sent to Giessen, from where they were transferred to Celle and then to Selsigen early this year. The last-mentioned place was a farm camp, where the land was being reclaimed and cultivated. They had made an attempt to escape from Giessen, which being unsuccessful, entailed fourteen days in a dark cell for each, followed by a certain "strafing" for a few weeks. Nothing daunted, they made another attempt on the 23rd August this year, and this time after 20 days of hardships and dangers obtained their freedom. The actual distance to the frontier was about 160 miles, but to avoid detection they made wide detours. The escape was made when a guard was temporarily absent, and there was no chance of taking rations or extra clothes with them. Fortunately the weather was not bad for sleeping out of doors and living on uncooked food. Their daily menu comprised succulent roots such as turnips and potatoes, with berries and other fruit found growing and beyond water their only drink was milk drawn from kindly kine. Not caring to frequent the main roads, they considered it safer not to cross bridges, so were obliged several times to swim rivers and canals which in that part of Germany are abundant. An effective disguise was contrived by the aid of a stray paintpot, which altered the color of their uniforms. Once when they came to a canal bank they were challenged by an elderly sentinel, but as it was two to one and they looked of the tramp variety, he did not stay to discuss the matter, but allowed them to go by turning his back. When the two men got into Holland they did not know where they were definitely, although they suspected they were safe, as they tried to cook some food in an empty house. The villagers who approached them were quite friendly, and gladly escorted them to the local authorities; in fact, when it became known that the men were Canadian fugitive soldiers the village band turned out and played them up to the mayor's house. Arrangements were made with the nearest consul to take charge of the men, and within a few days they reached London.

James Jerrie Burke, G. Co., 8th Battalion, was taken prisoner at Ypres also. He had been in camp at Munster and escaped alone. As the three men were given a holiday when they arrived and reported to headquarters, Burke had got out of town before he could be asked to tell his story.

HOW TO DO IT

A "Man Doctor" unchivalrously declares that women do everything rather less perfect than men. They don't cook so well, they don't make dresses quite so well, they don't (so we have heard, though the medical accuser is dumb on this point), trim hats quite so well as a man who sets himself to millinery.

If you have a feeling that your wife doesn't cook so excellently as she ought just you take home a bottle of H. P. Sauce tonight. Suggest to her in the mildest possible manner, that you like H. P. with cold meats, that its good with eggs and bacon, delicious with crust of bread and cheese—unparalleled as a flavoring to insipid gravies, ragouts or made up dishes. In this, as in most other domestic matters, a grain of help is worth a bushel of fault-finding. But you should be quite sure that it is H. P. Sauce that you take home with you. 7.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

McKENNA—On October 16, to Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McKenna, 34 Water street, West End—a daughter. (Montreal papers please copy.)

DEATHS

FRAULEY—On October 16, Margaret Genevieve, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frauley, Point Lepreaux, leaving besides her parents, three brothers and five sisters.

Funeral Wednesday morning at 8.45 o'clock from Fitzpatrick Bros. undertaking rooms to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem. Friends invited to attend.

TRAINOR—At Bangor, Me., on Thursday, October 12, 1916, Ambrose Trainor, in his thirty-second year.

Interment at Bangor on October 14.

THOMPSON — At Willow Grove on the 15th inst., Henry Thompson, aged 66 years, leaving his wife, three sons and one daughter to mourn.

Funeral on Wednesday at 2.30 from his late residence, Willow Grove. Friends invited to attend.

ARMSTRONG—On October 16, Margaret, beloved widow of the late John Armstrong of this city, leaving two sons and one daughter to mourn their loss.

Funeral private, Wednesday afternoon. (Boston papers please copy.)

LOCAL NEWS

Annual meeting of Natural History Society this evening.

Wanted—Bell boy, Royal Hotel. 10—20

Look for the announcement in tomorrow's paper of The People's Cash and Credit Company (different from the rest.)

We test your eyes by the best methods. K. W. Epstein & Co., Optometrists, 193 Union street. Open evenings. T.f.

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LADIES!

Get your new fall coat where you can get the best style at the lowest price in town—that's Wilcox's, Charlotte street, corner Union. 10-19

Fall Fix-ups at Duval's, 17 Waterloo. 10-23.

Now it's boys' overcoats at $4 and up. See them in the window.—Turner, out of the high rent district. 440 Main. T.f.

If you are particular about your shoes sir, come, see our $5 and $5.50 shoes in the new fall styles.—Wiezel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street.

SWEATERS.

Our Military Sweaters for men at $2.75 and $3.75 are the best in town for the money. If you are looking for a sweater you should see our lines—they run in price from $1.50 to $6.50. It pays to shop at Wilcox's, corner Union and Charlotte streets. 10-19

"Burn RADIO Chestnut, the superior kitchen hard coal.—Consumers Coal Company, sole vendors." t.f.

MEN'S SUITS

In the old blue worsted cloths, made up in the latest style, at $18, $20, $22 and $24. They are equal to any suit made to order at $25 or $30. Call and see them. It will pay you to get your suit at Wilcox's, Charlotte street, corner Union. 10-19.

Our new lines of necklaces and pendants are winners. $5 to $85. Poyas & Co., 12 King square (near Imperial.) 10—19

J. G. Glick, Ladies' Tailor, 106 King street. 11-1

Children's week begins Monday, October 23. Bring the little folks and have their pictures taken and receive the large $3 picture free. Make your appointment early. The Reid Studio, Corner Charlotte and King streets. 10-18

For your soldier boy. Send him a few tins of Borden's Reindeer Brand Condensed Coffee. Made in the minute, simply add boiling water. A 25c. tin will make twenty-five cups.

RIVAL HORSES

The owners of "Pearl Pick" wish to announce through these columns that their horse will race "Billy The Kid" for $100 a side and that the money has been posted with John O'Neill. They wish the race to be run in Fredericton, and want to have the matter settled one way or the other before ten o'clock this evening. Speaking to The Times this afternoon the owners of "Billy The Kid" said they have had $200 posted for the last week for a race with "Pearl Pick." They said they could not understand why it was necessary to go out of the city to race their horses.

We're ready to fill the fall requirements of any man with the best men's shoes made to sell at any stated price. See our splendid shoes at $4.50, $5 and $5.50.—Wiezel's Cash Stores, 243-247 Union street.

SAMPLE SUITS.

Just arrived, a full line of samples in ladies' suits. Prices from $18 to $40, less 20 per cent. while they last. Wilcox's, Charlotte street, corner Union. 10-19

Being exclusive makers of high-grade eyeglasses, you get the best at K. W. Epstein & Company's, optometrists, 193 Union street.

Father Morriscy's

Stomach Remedy for the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Gas on Stomach, Sourness and all forms of stomach troubles. No Cure—No Pay. Price 50c. All Druggists.

PERSONALS

Miss Lidie Mayes, Miss Elsie and Sybil Oliver of Arlington, Mass., who have been the guests of Mrs. S. M. Wetmore and Mrs. J. C. Beatty of Tower street, West St. John, returned home by train this morning.

Owen W. Smith, C. E., of Regina, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Charles Heales, Rockland road, has left again for his home in the west. He also visited friends at Port Williams, Kentville and Falmouth, N. S.

Mrs. Francis M. Proud of Port Richmond, Staten Island, New York, is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. C. Amland, 107 Mecklenburg street.

George Ackman, claims agent of the C. G. R., arrived home today from Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fleming left today at noon for New Glasgow.

Kenneth J. McRae arrived home today on the Boston train from Portland.

W. F. O'Connor, formerly a member of the board of comptrollers of Halifax, and now a resident of Ottawa, is at the Royal hotel.

Rev. Dr. E. B. Wyllie and Mrs. Wyllie of St. Stephen are in the city today on their way to Chatham, N.B., where Dr Wylllie will be inducted as minister of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

Rev. A. G. Archibald of New Glasgow is at the Royal Hotel today.

Mrs. R. A. Cameron has returned home from Providence, where she has been attending the marriage of her daughter.

H. C. Grout, general superintendent of the C. P. R., New Brunswick division, arrived home at noon today from Boston and New York. He witnessed the world's series games between the Red Sox and the Brooklyn Dodgers.

Mrs. P. J. Quinn, of Boston, is visiting Mrs. Sarah Cullinan, 67 Stanley street.

GERMANS LOSE FIVE MORE AEROPLANES

Paris, Oct. 17.—French and German aeroplanes yesterday fought sixty-five engagements in the region of the River Somme, says today's French official statement. Five German machines were brought down.

WHICH DO YOU WANT?

Ninety Four Trip Tickets to All Parts of the World, or Twelve Hundred and Fifty Five Dollars?

At a cost hardly worth mentioning, an opportunity is to be given somebody to shake the real estate of St. John off their feet for a few months and visit some of the larger centres of the world. This is an inducement held out by the City Cornet band in offering one of their popular around the world lotteries. A strip containing four tickets will cost but one dollar ($1), a single ticket twenty-five cents. Steve Brodie took a chance, why shouldn't you? It is truly worth while. Secure your lottery ticket now.

Listen For The Bronchial Wheeze When You Breathe Deeply

It means that disease will soon attack the lungs. Wheezing is distressing to the sufferer and annoying to his friends. Nothing half so certain in branchitis and throat trouble as "Catarrhozone"; it gives instant relief and cures even the worst cases. Bronchitis fairly flees under the magic influence of Catarrhozone which cures so thoroughly the disease never returns. Other remedies may relieve, but Catarrhozone cures bronchitis, catarrh and throat trouble for all time to come.

Beware of dangerous substitutes meant to deceive you for genuine Catarrhozone which is sold everywhere, large size containing two months' treatment costs $1.00; small size, 50c; sample size, 25c.

RECENT DEATHS

Miss Margaret J. Frauley.

Miss Margaret J. Frauley, a student nurse at the St. John Infirmary, died yesterday after a brief illness. She was twenty-one years of age, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frauley, Point Lepreaux. She leaves to mourn, besides her parents, three brothers—Frank, a student at St. Francis Xavier, Antigonish; Henry and Joseph, at home; also five sisters, living at home.

The death of Daniel M. Henderson took place at the General Public Hospital yesterday after a short illness. He was a bridge builder and was a member of the I. O. O. F. and the A. F. and A. M. He leaves, besides his wife, two small children, his mother, father, three brothers and three sisters. The funeral will take place on Wednesday morning from Chamberlain's undertaking parlors to the 7.15 o'clock train.

SASKATCHEWAN POLITICS

Ottawa, Oct. 17—The retirement of Hon. Walter Scott from the premiership of Saskatchewan and the situation that will develop from it cause considerable interest here. It is expected that if not immediately, at least before many months a provincial general election will be held. The impression here is that the new premier will be Hon. J. A. Calder or William Martin, Federal M. P. for Regina.

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LOCAL NEWS

FOREIGN MISSION BOARD

Rev. J. A. MacKeigan left last evening for Toronto to attend the fall meeting of the foreign mission board of the Presbyterian church in Canada.

CASE OF TWO BOYS

Two youths, one aged 13 and the other 15, who were searched out here upon request of the police authorities in Campbellton, will be handed over to the Children's Aid Society to be further dealt with. They came here to work. The local police officials say that their duty ends when they have located the boys.

RESTAURANT CHANGES HANDS

George and Peter Schol of Montreal, have purchased Wanamaker's restaurant from the proprietor, George D. Wanamaker, and will operate it under the name of the Belmont restaurant. Mr. Wanamaker is retiring from the restaurant business but will continue the management of the Imperial Hotel of which he is one of the owners.

Rouland's Lot Is Not a Happy One

New York, Oct. 17.—Clarence Rowland, manager of the Chicago White Sox, is an unenvied man. He stands today the topic of knockers, the undeserving recipient of derision from a bevy of Chicago fans.

And Rowland's position is a peculiar one. He could have done nothing to correct it, even if he had won a pennant for the White Sox. The credit would not have been his. The Chicago fans, much the same as any other species of fans, would have placed the crown on the brow of another, and would have refused to see it all right elsewhere.

Rowland started this season with a club acknowledged to be strong enough (on paper) to walk away with the American League championship. But he struggled in the depths of second, third and even fourth place most of the season. For a short time he had his team out in front, and then began to falter.

When the crack appeared in the drive of his men, Charles Comiskey sent out a rush order for Kid Gleason to report. The Kid immediately began to come back. The result was that Gleason was given the credit. No matter if it was Rowland's efforts which elevated the Sox into their final chance at the pennant, Rowland would not have been given the credit. It would have gone to Gleason.

In the Same Boat

Now the Chicago fans have placed Rowland and Joe Tinker in the same boat. Both of their heads are due to drop, they declare, and they are picking Kid Gleason as the most prominent bidder for the managerial post with the White Sox.

Their, critics declare, Rowland has had two chances with one of the greatest teams the American League ever saw, but they say he has failed to make good. They have entirely overlooked the fact that Eddie Collins slumped in his hitting, and that Red Febar was taken ill at a point where his work would have done the most good. Rowland deserves some commendation for the fight he has made with his team, even if he didn't send it hurtling down the season's path to a pennant. It is a good guess that the former minor leaguer will start the season at the helm of the Chicago entry.

Joe Tinker's case is different. Tinker had a pretty fair team and he wrecked it to run in some Federal leaguers and new talent from the minors. He has failed to build a team, and his crown apparently is tottering. But it looks as if the knockers have begun too early on Rowland.

Miss Martin Sinnott, of New Hartford, Conn., underwent her third Caesarean operation there, a daughter being born. Mother and infant were reported as doing well.

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Many a man has secured it when eye strain was removed by properly fitted glasses.

Eye strain always slows up the brain, causes bodily ills which cut down efficiency. It may be present when sight is fine, and therefore unsuspected, because the eyes are adjusted without conscious effort.

Sharpe's scientific equipment for testing eyes detects eye strain if it is present. The glasses we provide, being made to order, correct defects in refraction and remove eye strain.

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Not a "Loophole" In Temperance Act

Cannot Operate Through Bonded Warehouses; Brewers Can Deliver Single Bottle on Orders Taken Outside Province

(Toronto Mail & Empire.)

The "loophole" in the Ontario Temperance Act by which it is claimed ex-shopkeepers under the Liquor License Act, may utilize bonded warehouses in doing business, is not worrying the Ontario License Board. As a matter of fact, it is no "loophole" at all, since it has been recognized by the authorities from the first that no Ontario legislation could interfere with a bonded warehouse, a federal institution. Using a bonded warehouse does not permit any sale of liquor in the province, and the privilege of direct deliveries to purchasers of liquor ordered outside the province, has already been recognized in regard to breweries and distilleries.

A morning newspaper editorially warned the government and the temperance people against the possibility of deliveries of a single bottle of liquor being made from a bonded warehouse, instead of three or more as now required by federal regulations. It was pointed out in this connection yesterday that a consumer can get a single bottle delivered to him from a brewer or distiller provided the order goes first to Montreal. The bonded warehouse is further away from retail distribution than the brewery.

Officials of the license board yesterday made it clear that any attempt by ex-licensees to handle liquor by such a subterfuge as having a go-between outside the province, who nominally made the sale to the customer and handled the money would bring prompt prosecution whether the ex-licensee as "cartage agent" got the liquor through a bonded warehouse or a brewery or distillery. Mr. Eudo Saunders, solicitor of the board, pointed out yesterday that the judgment in Rex vs. Lanseer, in 1908, delivered by Chief Justice Meredith left no doubt that the "intention" of the accused party was sufficient reason for conviction.

Mr. Saunders yesterday said that his opinion that apparently deliveries could legally be made from bonded warehouses was not given after consultation with Hon. I. B. Lucas.

"My legal opinions are my own," he said, emphatically, "and I take them from no one. I never discussed the matter with Mr. Lucas as the Globe insinuates."

A CHANCE.

Eighty men are urgently needed for the Composite Battery stationed at Partridge Island, so that the 9th Overseas Siege Battery can proceed overseas. This is a chance for the men who, on account of being slightly under the required measurement for overseas, and yet anxious to do his bit for his country, may enlist. There are many men in the city who are willing and anxious to serve their country at the front, but who feel unable to go overseas at the present time on account of family responsibility or other personal reasons. By enlisting in the Composite Battery he could feel that he was serving his country at home, and allowing another man to go overseas.

COUNCIL THIS AFTERNOON

Among the matters to be dealt with at the weekly meeting of the common council this afternoon will be the confirmation of the approval of the proposed harbor survey, the award of the pipe cleaning contract, the award of the Main street paving contract and the grant of $800 to the Natural History Society. Other grants which were held up this year also may be brought forward, and the Clarendon street work may be further discussed.

Gin Pills FOR THE KIDNEYS

PAIN IN SMALL OF BACK

From time to time we learn of cases where the free sample of Gin Pills is sufficient to relieve the distressing pains in the back. Here is such a case coming from the British West Indies.

Britton Hill, St. Michael's, B.W.I. May 24th, 1915.

"I received your sample of Gin Pills and would say that I was suffering from a very intense pain in the small of my back for some days. After I had taken the sample, the pain was gone.

Sanford Weeks."

All druggists sell Gin Pills at 50c. a box, or 6 boxes for $2.50. Sample free if you write to NATIONAL DRUG & CHEMICAL CO. OF CANADA, LIMITED Toronto, Ont. 72

THRILLING ADDRESS BEFORE MEMBERS OF ROTARY CLUB

The Rotary Club has never had a larger attendance at a luncheon nor has the club heard a more brilliant address than that delivered today by Rev. Dr. deBlois. In none of his addresses in this city has he struck a higher note or held an audience more completely under the spell of his eloquence. Autocracy was the subject of his address, and its three fold threat to the world he found in Germany, Japan, and the proletariat as represented in America by the I. W. W. Beginning with the remark that he had nine relatives who are officers in the British army and navy, Dr. deBlois declared that all Americans whose forbears were of Anglo-Saxon stock sympathize with the Allies, not for love of England or France, but because they realize that the Allies are fighting the battles of true democracy. With unerring touch he set out the record and the purpose of the Prussian autocrats, and what German victory would mean. Passing then to Japan he described her as the Germany of the Orient, seeking to gain greater power at any cost, in sharp contrast to the real democracy of China. Dr. de Blois' closing words dealt with the proetariat and the dangers to be faced, after the war, and he made a most eloquent appeal to every man to be ready to do his part in the cause of true democracy in the world.

ALLAN LINE STEAMERS.

The following Allan line sailings have ben announced from this port for December: St. John to Liverpool—Corsican, Dec. 2; Scandinavian, 16. St. John to Glasgow—Scotian, Dec. 5; Pretorian, Dec. 23. St. John to London—Corinthian, Dec. 6; Sicilian, 23.

BAD COLD? TAKE "CASCARETS" FOR BOWELS TONIGHT

They're Fine! Liven Your Liver and Bowels and Clear Your Head

No Headache, Sour Stomach, Bad Cold or Constipation by Morning

Get a 10-cent box.

Colds—whether in the head or any part of the body—are quickly overcome by urging the liver to action and keeping the bowels free of poison. Take Cascarets tonight and you will wake up with a clear head and your cold will be gone. Cascarets work while you sleep; they cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember the quickest way to get rid of colds is one or two Cascarets at night to cleanse the system. Get a 10-cent box at any drug store. Don't forget the children. They relish this Candy Cathartic and it is often all that is needed to drive a cold from their little systems.

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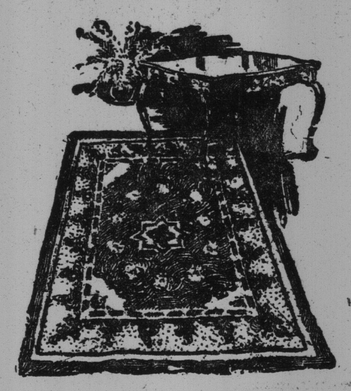

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PATRIOTIC FUND

Monthly—Collector of Customs and Staff. Of this amount $20 is to be handed over to Red Cross, $75; Mrs. Green, two months, $2; J. Firth Brittain, two months, $4; B. C. Holder, two months, $6; Mrs. N. Laracy, two months, $1; Mrs. D. Fullerton, two months, .50; Mrs. J. Lynch, two months, $1; Miss Donohue, two months, .50; J. M. Humphrey & Company, $50; Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Crawford, $2; H. A. Powell, $75; Rev. L. Ralph Sherman, $5; Benj. Mirey, $2; Geo. A. Coster, $10; M. A. Bowes, $1.

NEWS OF FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Oct. 17.—Mrs. Marianne Churchill Grey, widow of Benjamin Grey of Springfield, Kings county, died this morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. E. Clowes, Maugerville. She was eighty-two years of age and leaves one son, Charles E. Gilbert of Cleveland and three daughters, Mrs. C. E. Clowes, Mrs. N. H. Otty and Mrs. John C. Clowes of Gagetown. She was a native of Nottingham, England, a daughter of Rev. Charles Churchill, at one time stationed in Fredericton. Her first husband was Hon. G. H. Gilbert who represented Queens in the local parliament in pre-confederation days.

It is estimated that 50,000 barrels of apples have been shipped from Fredericton to the American market during the last three weeks. Of this quantity 30,000 have been sent by W. W. Boyce & Co. The price paid the farmers was eighty cents a barrel, the highest which has prevailed here in years.

Rev. J. S. Sutherland, new pastor of St. Paul's church, arrived last evening and will be inducted tonight.

The Sunbury circuit court met at Burton this morning, Judge Chandler presiding but, there being no business, it adjourned sine die. The new judge was congratulated on his elevation to the bench.

Law examinations are going on here today before Dr. T. C. Allen, A. R. Slipp and P. J. Hughes. Following are the candidates for attorneys: C. R. Barry, Gregory T. Pheeney, B.S.C., E. Allison McKay, Fredericton; J. Wilfred Estey, B.A., L.L.B., Saskatoon; F. C. Squires, Woodstock; C. M. McDade, St. John. Candidates for second intermediate are H. Murray Lambert of Sunny Brae and A. M. Furmingham of Bathurst; first intermediate, S. Howard Hicks, Sackville and E. C. Atkinson of Fredericton.

CUSTOMS INSPECTION

W. G. Ball and T. J. Lynton of Ottawa who have completed a trip of inspection of the various customs houses in the Maritime provinces, are in the city today on their way back to headquarters.

PATRIOTIC CAUSES

Red Cross Appeal.

Never since the beginning of the war have the needs of the Red Cross been as urgent as they are today. The ever lengthening list of casualties, containing so many familiar names, brings home to us more strongly than ever, the great necessity for keeping up and increasing all our efforts in connection with this society. Its scope is wide, and those for whom it cares are many and many of them near and dear to Canadian hearts. The following telegram just received by Lady Tilley from Canadian Red Cross headquarters, contains an appeal which must surely find an answering response. Lady Tilley, Provincial Red Cross Society, St. John, N. B.:

"Cable received from commissioner presses need of knitted articles such as socks, balaclava helmets, trench caps, mufflers ten inches by fifty-eight, mitts, wristlets nine inches long with or without thumbhole, khaki day shirts with collars, and comfort bags, urgently needed. Please impress on workers that need of Red Cross supplies of this nature was never so urgent as at present.

"A. M. PLUMPTRE.
Sec. Executive
Can. Red Cross."

Shipments are made from provincial headquarters, St. John, each week, and supplies received are forwarded with but little delay. In the midst of all our busy work we cannot afford to forget the Red Cross, to whose ministrations many of our men owe their lives.

Christmas Gifts for the 26th.

Will the friends of the boys of the Fighting 26th kindly take notice that a special appeal is being made to provide each boy with a Christmas parcel. All donations may be left at the rooms of the Soldiers' Comfort Association, C. P. R. building, in care of Mrs. John Keefe, not later than Tuesday, October 24.

For the 140th Battalion.

Mrs. Harold Perley, Pagan Place, will be glad to receive and forward any Christmas boxes for men of the 140th Battalion, to which Major Perley is attached. She will also be glad to receive any cash contributions with which to purchase Christmas boxes for men of the battalion.

WORTH KNOWING

Women are liable to ailments which cause constant ill-health and on which they may consult doctors without much relief. It is well worth knowing that they can get at the nearest drug-store a simple medicine, made of roots and herbs, which is just what they need to recover health. That medicine is Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.