

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT HAS PROVEN JUNK SHOP

Mongrel Sheep Palmed off on Minister Tweeddale as Being Pure Breed; Inferior Seeds at Fancy Prices Were Bought for the Municipalities and \$1.00 Commission Per Barrel Was Paid on Potato Purchases—Hon. B. F. Smith Makes Some Pointed Statements.

Fredericton, April 3.—Mr. Smith (Carlton) said he could not recall seeing any other member who had taken up as little of the time of the House, during the present session as he had. He congratulated the honorable member and could assure him that his conduct towards him reflected the appreciation of the importance of his services.

By-Election. The honorable member, when asked about the vacancy in Carleton during the session of 1917, had stated that the vacancy was not filled because he felt it would be unfair to the one country, he did not see how those honorable members could so far forget themselves as to introduce a vote of censure into the proceedings of the House.

Government Claims. The government had made credit upon itself for the success of the campaign for greater production. In that connection he wished to say that there was a beautiful harvest last year and he did not think the government had a right to take credit that belonged to the province.

Revenue. The honorable member for West-NO CONSTIPATION NO PILES. We think, without a doubt, that constipation is the most prevalent, and at the same time, one of the greatest troubles human nature is afflicted with, and causes more sickness than anything else.

Valley Railway. Teaching upon the Valley Railway the speaker said this had been a political football for a quarter of a century. The first real move towards its construction had been taken by the Hon. administration in 1908.

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PARIS PRESS SEE ANOTHER DELAY IN PROCEEDINGS

The Appointment of General Smuts to Investigate Hungary Looked Upon as Bad Omen.

Paris, April 3.—One of the happenings in peace conference circles yesterday, the Matin and the Journal today in alluding to as a "great event." The council of four actually issued a communique, the newspapers point out, but it is added, "it was only to tell us that General Smuts is going to investigate Hungary."

AMERICAN COUPLE IN TURKEY WILL BE TRIED FOR TREASON

James Spohr and Wife Charged With Aiding German Spy System in Palestine and India.

Washington, D. C., April 13.—Newton D. Baker, Secretary of War, has approved a request of the British military authorities in Turkey that they be permitted to arrest on charges of treason James Spohr, a naturalized American citizen, and his wife, declared officially to have been "close" associated with the head of the German spy system in Palestine and among British Indian subjects.

TRYING TO RUN LIQUOR BLOCKADE

Sydney, N. S., April 3.—Liquors of various kinds, to the value of \$20,000, consigned to the official vendor at Glace Bay, have been seized by County Inspector Lamont during the past two days.

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REORGANIZATION OF U. S. ARMY BEING PLANNED

Programme Provides for An Air Service With 1,700 Planes in Actual Commission and a Personnel of 1,923 Officers and 21,853 Men.

Washington, April 3.—Army reorganization plans upon which the war department is now working, it was learned today, provide for an air service with approximately 1,700 airplanes in actual commission and a minimum available reserve of 3,400 additional planes. This is based upon the proposed military establishment of 508,000 men in which total air service personnel will be 1,923 officers and 21,853 men.

DOMINION POLICE SHOOT DESERTER

Man Arrested Under M. S. A. Attempted to Escape and Was Stopped by Bullet—Reported in Serious Condition.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, April 3.—Dominion Police Officers A. Fogan and Joe Richard, who are rounding up deserters under the Military Service Act for trial by court martial, a few days ago shot a man named Martin Doherty, who is reported to have attempted to escape after his arrest.

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