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SATURDAY MORNING, NOV. 14.

Anti-British Germans in the University.

When President Falconer called a special meeting of the students of the university some time ago, to lay the military situation before them, he asked the professors to suspend the classes for the occasion. All of the professors, but one, did so. The exception was a German of most pronounced anti-British views. He has two colleagues on the staff of professors who are equally violent and pronounced in the expression of their sympathies in the war between their fatherland and Great Britain and her allies.

We are not so narrow as to demand the incarceration of every German in Canada, but we think that when Germans come here and eat our salt, they might regard the common decency and courtesies of life. It is a growing belief that Germans are rather proud of not observing the common decency and courtesies, and regard such boorishness as a proof of culture. It may be German culture, and should be confined to the limits of that nation.

At all events we have no use for such culture in the state university of Ontario, and we believe that President Falconer would be supported by public opinion, and by those "higher up," if he gave the gentlemen in question a gentle intimation that their services could be dispensed with. There is nothing in their work that could not be equally well done by native Canadians, who would be glad to support the British cause and not malign and vilify it.

Had the German professors adopted the attitude of another German in the university, or, in other words, no complaint would have been made, but the nurturing of anti-British sentiment and unpatriotic feeling is no part of the university's business.

"By Our Loving Friends"

Years ago a man whose appearance fully bore out his statement wrote to "Penny" saying:

"Ten years ago I used a cake of your soap, and I have used no other since."

A young farmer unable to decide whether he ought to enlist or stay at home, writes to The Toronto Globe for advice and says:

"For weeks I have scanned your columns to obtain some light to help me, but in vain. Thus 'we are advertised by our loving friends'."

The World, in no boastful spirit, is glad to say that its readers are able to get both light and refreshment from its columns. That able financier and archaeologist, Mr. John Mackay, to whom we are indebted for exhuming and republishing the excellent treatise by Professor White on "The Money of the French Revolution," is kind enough to write us:

"The breakfast table would be a good deal less enjoyable in the mornings were it not for the breezy and entertaining views of The World on financial questions."

Starving Scholars

A return made from forty-one schools in the city shows that more than 700 of the scholars are not getting enough to eat. In eleven schools it is said that the teachers supplied funds from their own pockets to remedy this condition of things. While we are contributing to Belgium and the missions in Gorriboolaha, we should not neglect our own household.

There is always a fear, and quite rightly, that efforts to help may lead to pauperization, but it is better to let a few be pauperized than any starved. We doubt if any hungry children would be very seriously pauperized by filling their empty stomachs.

A committee has been appointed to report on the matter, and we venture to suggest that the members might go on one scant meal a day during the time they are considering the matter. Such experience would generate practical sympathy.

Feminine Brains in Evidence

Suffragists and non-suffragists alike should be able to unite in expressing their gratification over the great success attending the operation of Women's Institutes in Ontario. The convention of the past week exhibited something of the importance to which the movement has attained in the last ten years, and the appearance on the convention platform of notable women from all parts of Ontario indicated the growth of feminine intellect and mental ability to an extent that few who are not in touch with such movements as all appreciate.

In politics there is nothing that is so feared as brains. When brains come along all the politicians unite to suppress the innovation. Hence the deadly mediocrity of this division of social activity. Feminine brains are in evidence. Hence the opposition to suffrage. But brains cannot be permanently suppressed.

Ashbridge's Bay Disappearing

About the only thing that is going on as usual around Toronto is the harbor improvement scheme, under the harbor commission. People who like to knock the idea of commission government of the city will have some explaining to do with the hydro-electric and the harbor commissions, among others, before them. During the year \$1,500,000 has been spent in reclaiming Ashbridge's Bay, piling, dredging, sand-pumping, cribbing and all the other activities by which chaos is reduced to comeliness.

One fact alone gives the ordinary citizen a vivid impression of what is being done. A bulk of 20,000 cubic yards of sand a day has been pumped out of Toronto harbor thru a 24-inch pipe to Ashbridge's Bay, nearly a mile distant, turning the marsh into solid land. About a hundred acres have already been reclaimed in this district.

Radicals Profitable as Light and Power

One of the suggestions made by enemies of the hydro-radical movement was that the hydro-electric distribution of power and light had not yet sufficiently justified itself to warrant an extension of the principle at the present time. The return made recently by Sir Adam Beck, indicates that the success of the municipal union has been beyond all expectation. When a dozen municipalities were at first persuaded to ally themselves together for the purpose of placing Niagara power at the disposal of the citizens at cost price, it was considered a triumph to have so many take the risk, and of course opponents were as confident of failure as the hydro supporters were of success. Forty municipalities are now in the union, and the surplus profits for the first nine months of the year show that, to fears need be entertained for the proposed kindred activity.

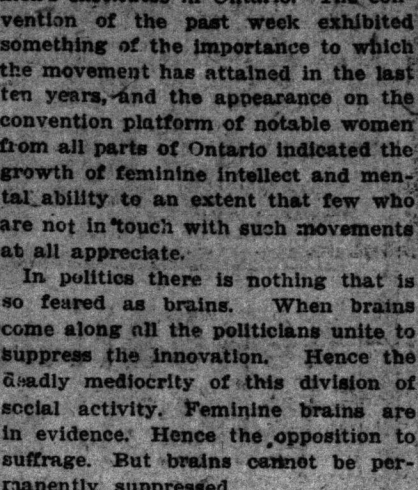
A Red Letter Day

The American business man sees a red letter day in his November calendar. Next Monday the Federal Reserve Act goes into active operation, releasing for the aid of business nearly \$400,000,000 now hoarded in bank vaults thruout the country, or mobilized in the great reserve banks in New York. The savings of the people, hoarded in and about Wall street, will be largely decentralized, and from its hiding places everywhere currency will come forth to extend credit and revive business so long enervated by the hoarding of wealth and the ravages of stock speculation.

For the first time the collective wealth of the United States and the almost boundless credit of the federal government will be available to the farmer, the merchant, the manufacturer and the business man everywhere, who is entitled to credit and who needs money for the legitimate demands of business. Currency can no longer be contracted or credit curtailed by the greedy buccaneers of Wall street. We are getting away from that not distant time in the past when the Kansas farmers found it cheaper to burn corn for fuel than to exchange it for coal.

No doubt some will fear an inflation of the currency which will lead to disaster. But it must be remembered that regional banks have no temptation to abuse their trust. All profits over 6 per cent. go to the government. Then, again, the new national currency will be protected by large reserves and every note will be retired automatically when it comes into the possession of the government, or into the possession of a regional bank, other than the one upon whose

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requestion it has been issued. In the course of a year the government collects a billion dollars in taxes, so that in the ordinary course of business notes will be redeemed and retired every day. Finally, if the redoubtable obligations are not promptly met, it is handled by currency units, any outstanding regional bank can be promptly suspended, reorganized or wound up by the government, which also has recourse against all member banks.

But if the business men on the other side are too sanguine they have at least just now a certain hope of some relief. The Canadian business man sees no such red letter day on his calendar. He is phony and resourceful, and hopes for the best, but he is like a workman without tools, so long as he is handicapped by currency units daily contracted and credits unduly curtailed. He can at best look forward to the coming session of parliament, will he find Mr. White no less daring and resourceful than Lloyd George and no less persistent and courageous than the secretary of the treasury at Washington?

BEEKEEPERS ELECTED

J. C. BYERS PRESIDENT

Convention Closed Yesterday With Address on Rearing Queen Bees.

The Ontario Beekeepers' Association closed their annual convention yesterday with the election of J. C. Byers as president; W. T. Krouse, vice-president; J. Armstrong, second vice-president, and Morley Pettit as secretary.

William Linton of Aurora gave a talk on "Sweet Clover, Its Culture and Uses," and showed how his cultivation outside its value to beekeepers could be of profit as a dairy product.

S. W. L. Sladen, agriculturist, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, also addressed the members on the "Simple Method of Rearing and Introducing Queens."

This week's Sunday World has many views of the second contingent troops now in barracks at Exhibition Park, Toronto, including a group view of the "Queen's Own Trench on the Steps of the Transportation Building," "Major-General Lussard's Picked Guard," "Members of the 35th Regiment from Barrie," "The 51st Detachment from Sault Ste. Marie," "The 51st of Hamilton," "The 36th, Taken at Ravina Park." If you have a friend or relative in any of these groups be sure and obtain a copy of this week's Sunday World as a souvenir of the second contingent. For sale by all newsdealers and newboys at five cents per copy.

WINTER EXODUS BEGINS.

About 300 people left the Union Station this week bound for the British Isles. This is the beginning of the outflow of those who spend the winters in Great Britain.

GRANTED APPROPRIATION.

The board of control recommended to council yesterday that the request for a further appropriation of \$97,000 to complete the new school of commerce be granted.

PILES CURED at HOME by New Absorption Method

If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding Piles, send me your address, and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption treatment, and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial, with references from your own locality if requested. Immediate relief and permanent cure assured. Send no money, but tell others of this offer. Write today to Mrs. M. Summers, Box P65, Windsor, Ont.

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NEW BUILDING FOR EDUCATION BOARD

All Departments to Be Housed on Technical School Site.

REPORTING ON PLANS

One Hundred Thousand Dollars to Be Expended on New Administration Quarters.

One hundred thousand dollars will be expended by the board of education for the erection of an administration building for the various departments of the board. It will be erected on the vacant land on the south side of the present Central Technical High School on College street, just west of McCaul.

The property committee yesterday afternoon appointed a special committee to report upon the plans for the building at the next meeting. The special committee will comprise Chairman Jackson, Trustees Dr. Noble, Dineen, Hodgson and Vokes.

Contracts were let for the seventy thousand dollar enlargement of the North Toronto High School. One firm which tendered was black-listed because the superintendent of buildings reported that his work was too slow and otherwise unsatisfactory on other contracts. The tender was seven hundred dollars lower than any other sent in, but the committee went on record as making no contract with firms which failed to give satisfaction to the head of the building department with respect to their present contracts with the board.

Work was ordered proceeded with as rapidly as possible on the new \$60,000 school for the Runnymede district on Colborne road. It will be a 12-room building, but will be built as the first wing of a 23-room school.

FUNERAL OF H. A. BROWN.

The funeral of the late Henry A. Brown took place yesterday afternoon at the Necropolis from 191 McCaul street. Mr. Brown, who was a resident of Toronto for over 25 years, died on Thursday morning at St. Michael's Hospital after a long illness.

CANADA NOT TO BUY ANY U. S. CRUISERS

Naval Service Department Not Alarmed Over Safety of Pacific Coast.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—The rumor that the Canadian Government was contemplating the purchase of American built cruisers for the protection of the Atlantic and Pacific coasts is denied by the naval service department. Additions to the Canadian naval service, either in men or ships, have not been considered by the government. And, as to the safety of the Pacific coast which arose after the recent naval engagement off Chile, has diminished greatly in the last few days.

OLDSKINS FOR SAILORS.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—The Department of Censorship issued an appeal today for funds to provide oldskins and rubber boots for the 5000 bluejackets serving in the Atlantic squadron under Rear-Admiral Hornby. Winter is close at hand and the sailors are reported to be much in need of these.

GOVERNMENT SPOILS ANOTHER SPY STORY

Towers That Aroused Suspicion Were Put Up for Geodetic Surveys.

By a Staff Reporter. OTTAWA, Nov. 13.—Farmers in the Counties of Wellington, Perth and Huron reported to Ottawa the erection of a party sent out by the government to erect towers at long distances apart on which lights were seen at night.

It was suspected that this was a signal system used by alien enemies within the country. The government found that the towers were erected by the observatory at Ottawa to make geodetic surveys. The lights were placed on the towers at night to establish accurate distances.

Fast Montreal-Toronto-Detroit-Chicago Train Service.

These solid de luxe trains, carrying buffet-library-compartment observation cars, electric-lighted standard sleepers, together with standard dining car service between Montreal-Toronto-Detroit-Chicago, via Canadian Pacific and Michigan Central railroads, are known as "The Canadian," and operated daily through the Michigan Central twin tubes between Windsor and Detroit.

Westbound: Leaving Montreal 8.45 a.m., arriving Toronto 5.40 p.m.; leaving Toronto 8.30 p.m., leaving London 9.33 p.m., arriving Windsor 12.10 a.m., arriving Detroit 11.35 p.m. (central time), leaving Detroit 11.55 p.m., arriving Chicago 7.45 a.m.

Eastbound: Leaving Chicago 6.10 p.m. (central time), arriving Detroit (M.C.R. Depot) 12.45 a.m.; leaving Detroit (Fort Street) 11.40 p.m. (eastern time), leaving Windsor M.C.R. Depot 2.10 a.m., leaving London 5.15 a.m., arriving Toronto 8.30 a.m.; leaving Toronto 9.00 a.m., arriving Montreal 6.10 p.m.

Full particulars from Canadian Pacific ticket agents or write M. G. Murphy, District Passenger Agent, Toronto.

ROYAL CANADIAN INSTITUTE.

The Royal Canadian Institute will meet at the Physics Building, University of Toronto, this evening at 8 o'clock. Professor R. Angus, University of Toronto, is expected to give an illustrated address entitled: "Proposed Waterworks System for Toronto." The public are invited.

INQUEST WILL BE HELD.

Michael Donovan, 45 years old, an employee of the Royal Canadian Hotel, George and Front streets, died in St. Michael's Hospital early yesterday morning, and was removed to the morgue in the afternoon. He had a fainting spell in the hotel and was picked up unconscious, death resulting after admission to the hospital. An inquest will be held.

OFFICER SWEARS GERMANS WERE CURSING GOVERNMENT.

George Muller and Ernest Shuster Remanded in Court.

Two Germans, named George Muller and Ernest Shuster, were charged in the police court yesterday before Magistrate Ellis with disorderly conduct on the street. An officer stated that Muller was cursing the government and the soldiers. The magistrate was of the opinion that it was not safe for them to be at large and remanded them in custody for one week, to allow of an investigation being made.

WE have just issued from our press a motto card, "Queensland" printed in two colors, suitable for framing.

Anyone applying at our office will have one.

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NEW APARTMENT HOUSE.

The city architect department yesterday issued a permit to N. G. Brown for the construction of a 110-room apartment house at 153 Sherbourne street. This apartment house will be ten storeys high.

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For Patriotism, because they are "made in Canada." Only the best Canadian barley malt is used in their making, and the choice hops used are largely Canadian-grown.

All bottles, Crown seal stoppers, labels, cases and barrels used by O'Keefe are also made in Canada. Thousands of Canadian workmen are employed, directly and indirectly, in the production of all these things, and in buying O'Keefe's you contribute to your own country's well-being.

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