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## CASUALTIES FROM BATTLEFIELD FILL MISSION QUARTERS

Fighting is Nearby and  
Stream of Wounded Re-  
quire Much Care

MORE THAN 105 ARE  
NURSED AT ONCE

Union Jack Flies on Com-  
pound Together With  
Red Cross Flag

A LETTER in which some in-  
teresting phases of the recent  
fighting in China, as seen by a  
medical missionary on the ground,  
was recently received by Miss  
Minnie Travis, of Hampton, N. B.,  
from her sister, Dr. Catherine  
Travis, medical missionary in St.  
Paul's Hospital, at Kwetche Hsuan,  
Pootung, China. The letter will no  
doubt be of much general interest  
as well as particular interest to Dr.  
Travis' many friends in this vicin-  
ity. Extracts from the letter are  
given as follows:

KWETCHE, Hsuan, China,  
March 13, 1926.  
"We've been having such a time here  
at the hospital with crowds of wound-  
ed men pouring in. Our wards and all  
outbuildings are full, and we're a score  
over at the Boys' School. It has been  
a hideous experience—these poor shat-  
tered mutilated creatures—many of  
them will drag on for months with in-  
fected fractures of the leg. It's sickening  
to see so much suffering and such  
an unnecessary business. Oh war!  
I've no words for my contempt and  
horror of it!"

Sunday, the 14th, yesterday, wasn't  
springlike—"twas summer. In the  
night a fierce north wind sprang up and  
the mercury dropped to freezing. To-  
day I almost froze going to the station,  
though I had two rugs and a woolly

## WHICH DO YOU PREFER?



It took more than the ordinary amount of courage for Miss Anna  
Brown, Ada (Kia), school teacher, to bob her hair. Her brown locks  
reached clear to the floor—but she finally had 'em cut short. Inset shows  
how she looked after it was all over.

scarf. The cold can't last, however,  
so late as this.

**PLANTING MANY TREES.**  
We are trying in the intervals of  
dressings and operations to get some  
tree planting done. I'm wild to get at  
it. I want to transplant a lot of low  
fence saplings, to fill in between some  
taller ones I set out last year to make  
a sort of screen between our house and  
the highway to the east. Also I want  
to root out some "Pride of India" sap-  
lings, unsightly things, and nurse some  
Acacia trees (my favorite tree out here)

to suitable spots. We're going to get  
two good ones to place beside the front  
entrance to north and south. Also some  
peach and apricot trees for our  
place, more for the bloom than the  
fruit—the Chinese will appropriate  
most of that by night, probably.  
I did tell you we built a very nice  
Chinese residence for Dr. Chang  
down at the southeast of our com-  
pound, in a newly acquired lot of land.

**NURSING WAR CASUALTIES.**  
I hardly know how we have survived  
the experiences of the last two weeks—  
it's been perfectly horrible. I went out  
to the station, driving the car, and tak-  
ing Dr. Chang and four nurses—that  
was one night at 11 o'clock, two weeks  
or more ago. We went around to  
several places crowded with hideously

wounded men. We ordered most of  
them into the hospital. For a day or  
two they kept pouring in. Then, when  
we were full to overflowing and we  
were worn out working and watch-  
ing, word came that there was another  
contingent to come. We decided we  
couldn't take in any more, but they  
came right along, so we put a lot over  
at the school. The biggest number we  
have had was 105 or a few more. We  
were cleared out a dozen or so, but  
it's a hard job to get them to go, even  
though their wounds are healed.

Tomorrow we have to clear out the  
school as it is opening very soon. We  
have the Rowsell's quarters full, the  
little north-gate house, and that build-  
ing to the right, as one comes into the  
compound; the Bible woman lives in  
the first end. The wards are crum full  
with wooden Chinese beds crowded in.  
I look after the men over in the  
school with very able help from Mrs.  
Williams. Miss Rapson has had  
charge of dressing the cases in the out-  
buildings. Dr. Shaw has the ex-  
-woman's ward full of courses of men,  
and my usual administrative and finan-  
cial work. Also I give ether for most  
of the operations, though Miss Rapson  
has done a lot since I have been going  
over to the school.

**FLY THE UNION JACK.**  
We made a Union Jack a few weeks  
ago—it's a beauty—exactly correct in  
the disposition of the colors in the St.  
Andrew's Cross. We had it flying for  
a couple of weeks "nailed to the mast,  
as it were." It was on a bamboo which  
was wired securely to a strong pole,  
which in turn was wired to one of our  
willow trees, up here in the corner next  
to the road, so as to be seen first thing  
by entering troops. A Red Cross flag  
is up near the gateway. We've not  
had any trouble at all, though we ex-  
pected it—the mud wall was trenched  
from end to end, at least at this north  
part, and I bristled with soldiers.  
The fighting took place a few sta-  
tions up towards Kaifeng from here.  
If I could only forget the horrors,  
and if the poor men could only  
forget their sufferings!

To night, my dear Alma and Mary  
are to be confirmed. Agnes gradu-  
ates in a month or two. She made  
very high marks in her Nurses' Asso-  
ciation of China exams. Mr. Lin got  
honors, too. No one failed and we are  
so pleased. I'll give your greetings to  
all the Chinese. From  
DR. CATHERINE TRAVIS,  
St. Paul's Hospital, Kwetche,  
Hsuan, China.

**SICK ABED  
EIGHT MONTHS**

After Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Vegetable Compound Could Do  
All Her Work and Gained  
in Weight

Melfort, Saskatchewan. — "I had  
inward troubles, headaches and severe  
"Pains in my back  
and sides. I was  
so sick generally  
that I could not  
sit up and I was  
in bed most of the  
time for eight  
months. An aunt  
came to visit and  
help me as I was  
unable to attend  
to my baby and  
could not do my  
work. She told  
me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Veget-  
able Compound, and after taking two  
bottles I could get up and dress my-  
self. I also took Lydia E. Pinkham's  
Blood Medicine. When I first took the  
medicine I only weighed seventy-  
eight pounds. Now I weigh twice as  
much. If I get out of sorts or weary  
I can't take it any more. I always take  
another bottle of the Vegetable Compound.  
I find it wonderfully good for fe-  
male troubles, and have recom-  
mended it to my neighbors. I will  
be only too glad to answer any letters  
receive asking about it." — Mrs.  
WILLIAM RITCHIE, Box 488, Melfort,  
Saskatchewan.

**WAS CRIPPLED  
WITH ECZEMA**

Mrs. Job Sims, of Crediton, Ont., is  
rejoicing in the fact that she can ap-  
pear before her friends and acquaint-  
ances with shoes on both feet, some-  
thing she was unable to do for a long  
time, owing to severe eczema which  
caused her no end of suffering.

Mrs. Sims is one of over 35,000 former  
sufferers from eczema, itch, tetter,  
salt rheum and similar skin troubles  
who declare they have entirely recov-  
ered through the use of Ovelmo treat-  
ment, a combination of scientific inter-  
nal and external medicines which  
druggists are now offering with a guar-  
antee of prompt results or money back.  
Regarding her case, Mrs. Sims says:  
"I tried nearly everything but got no  
better. I could not wear a shoe but  
after several treatments of Ovelmo the  
eczema left me. I feel I am perfectly  
relieved at this time."

This clean, odorless, stainless and  
pleasant treatment stops itching and  
burning at once, soothes the inflamed  
surface and causes eruptions to quick-  
ly heal, fade and disappear, leaving the  
skin beautifully soft, white and heal-  
thy. It also improves digestion and  
purifies the blood. Try it. Tell some  
suffering friend about it. Remember  
it must do the work or costs nothing.

**THE REAL THING FOR A  
BAD BREATH!**  
Mouth washes are fine things—but afford only  
temporary relief. Get at the cause—and you've  
solved the problem. Use 30 drops of Seig's  
Mouth Tonic in a glass of water removes the  
cause. Try it and you'll swear by it.

**Use the Want Ad. way**

## FORD SALES RISE, PROFITS DECREASE

Report For Last Five Months  
Shows Earnings Totalling  
\$794,316

Canadian Press  
WINDSOR, Ont., April 27.—Al-  
though the output of the Ford Motor  
Company of Canada shows a decided  
increase during the last five months,  
the profits are not as large as for the  
same period last year, it was discov-  
ered in a report to the shareholders.

The directors reported no mention  
of a dividend declaration. The reason  
for the five months' report is embodied  
in the fact that at the last annual  
meeting it was decided that the fiscal  
year of the company should close on  
December 31, and not July 31.

The total sales and income for the  
five months period, amounted to \$16,  
191,441.96. This is an increase of \$5,  
138,680.97 over the corresponding five  
months period of the previous year.  
This shows a profit of \$974,316.85.

**HOPE ABANDONED**

Freighter, Due at Panama Canal,  
March 22, is Given up  
By Owners

Canadian Press  
NEWARK, N. J., April 27.—Hope  
for the freighter Sudafco, overdue at  
the Panama Canal since March 22, was  
abandoned today by her owners, the  
Transmarine Corporation of Port  
Newark.

The ship was in command of Cap-  
tain T. Turner of Dutchess county, N.  
Y., and carried a crew of 28.  
The Sudafco left Port Newark for  
Pacific coast ports on March 13. She  
had a deadweight capacity of 5,500  
tons, and with her cargo was valued  
at \$600,000. Captain Turner command-  
ed ships for the American Line for  
25 years and during the war was in  
charge of an American transport.

**Had 43 Boils  
And Carbuncles  
At One Time**

Mr. Cland Melanson, Castleford, Ont.,  
writes:—"In regard to your remedy  
I have to say that B.B.B. was the only  
medicine I could get to relieve me of  
my boils and carbuncles.  
I had forty-three at one time, and  
my doctor told me to take  
Burdock  
Blood  
Bitters.

The first bottle I took gave me such  
great results that I took three more,  
and after I had used them I was com-  
pletely relieved of my boils and car-  
buncles."

Put up only by The T. Millard  
Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

**FLOODS PERIL TOWN**

Damage in Hanover, Ont., Esti-  
mated \$150,000; Dam, 2  
Bridges Swept Away

Canadian Press  
HANOVER, Ont., April 27.—The  
damage from floods in Hanover caused  
by the rising water of the Saugueen  
river during Sunday and yesterday,  
will probably exceed \$150,000. The  
big dam owned by the Canada Cement  
Company here broke away yesterday  
while the two bridges in the vicinity  
were also swept.

It is estimated that the cost of re-  
pairing the dam will be between \$50,  
000 and \$100,000.

**Here is the Proof**

That Dr. Chase's Ointment  
does positively relieve the  
most severe cases of piles.

While Dr. Chase's Ointment is  
recognized everywhere as the standard  
treatment for piles you may be inter-  
ested in this letter which describes one  
particular case. There are thousands  
of similar cases.

Mrs. Wm. Hughes, Appleton, Ont., writes:  
"Dr. Chase's Ointment cannot be  
equalled. I used it for protruding piles  
of the worst kind. When the Doctor  
said an operation was the only hope,  
I began to prepare for one, when I  
remembered reading about Dr. Chase's  
Ointment. I resolved to try it, and af-  
ter using two boxes I had no trace of  
the piles. It was the greatest relief I  
ever had. I only hope other sufferers who  
read this letter will lose no time in  
getting a box and see for themselves  
the miracles it works. It will be the  
best investment they ever put their  
money into."

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dry without rubbing, then apply  
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Soap daily to keep your skin clear.  
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appear when Absorbine, Jr.  
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Institution.

**Mexico Gov't Threatens  
To Seize R. C. Churches**

MEXICO CITY, April 27.—The  
government, it is officially announced,  
will give those Roman Catholic  
churches in the state of Michoacan,  
which closed in protest against the  
government's religious policy, ten days  
in which to reopen.

If they are not re-opened, it is said,  
they will be seized under the constitu-  
tional provision making churches na-  
tional properties and will be devoted to  
educational purposes.

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## Boys Are Cheaper To Raise Than Girls

NEW YORK, April 27.—It costs \$80  
less to raise a boy to the age of 18  
years than it does a girl, according to  
an insurance survey.

The figures were: girl \$6,167; boy  
\$6,077. It costs \$2,500 each to feed  
them. The cost of birth is placed at  
\$250. The girl's clothing costs \$1,025,  
the boy's \$912. That's where the dif-  
ference comes in.

## Religious Survey Report Submitted

A report on a religious survey of  
the city was presented at a meeting  
of the Ministerial Association in Cen-  
tury church yesterday with Rev. W.  
McN. Matthews in the chair. The re-  
port was made on behalf of a com-  
mittee by Rev. H. A. Goodwin and  
after consideration, the committee was  
instructed to continue its work. Rev.  
E. M. Aitken, Cavendish, P. E. I., was  
a visitor and briefly addressed the  
gathering.

A committee was appointed to draw  
up a program for next season's meet-  
ings, commencing in September. This  
report will be submitted at the next  
meeting. Those present in addition to  
the chairman were: Rev. E. E. Styles,  
secretary; Rev. H. C. Rice, Rev. J. S.  
Boyle, Rev. George Orman, Rev. H.  
Miller, Silver Falls; Rev. H. A.  
Goodwin, Rev. R. G. Fulton.

## Whites Fire Church Assault Negroes

Race Riots Threatened at Cat-  
eret, N. J., Following Fatal  
Stabbing

Canadian Press  
CARTERET, N. J., April 27.—The  
church of the First Baptist negro con-  
gregation from which negroes were  
driven by a white mob, was burned to  
the ground yesterday.

Race riots were threatened when  
Robert Ducet, a negro was arrested  
Sunday and charged with the fatal  
stabbing of John Carroll, a white  
boxer.

Shortly after Rev. George H. Reed,  
pastor, began the usual Sunday even-  
ing services in the negro church, bricks  
and stones were hurled through the  
windows. When the worshippers fled  
from the building, several were struck  
by stones thrown by the pursuing  
whites.

Yesterday the church was destroyed  
by fire. Firemen from several towns  
joined in attempting to save it, but  
were hampered by lack of water.

## AGAIN PRESIDENT

Mrs. O. A. Burnham Re-elected  
Head of The G. P. H.  
Alumnae

Mrs. O. A. Burnham was re-elected  
president of the alumnae of the Gen-  
eral Public Hospital at the annual  
meeting held last night in the nurses'  
home of the hospital with a large at-  
tendance of members present. Mrs.  
Burnham was herself prevented by ill-  
ness from attending and in her absence  
Miss R. Wilson presided. Very satis-  
factory reports were received from the  
various officers and committee con-  
veners and the activities of the coming  
year were discussed.

The election of officers resulted as  
follows: Honorary president, Miss E.  
F. Mitchell; president, Mrs. O. A. Burn-  
ham; vice-presidents, first, Miss R.  
Wilson; second, Mrs. Charles Belyea;  
recording secretary, Miss C. Gleason;  
treasurer, Miss Kate Holt; additional  
members of the executive, Mrs. Thomas  
Reynolds, Mrs. F. Chase and Mrs. A.  
Thompson.

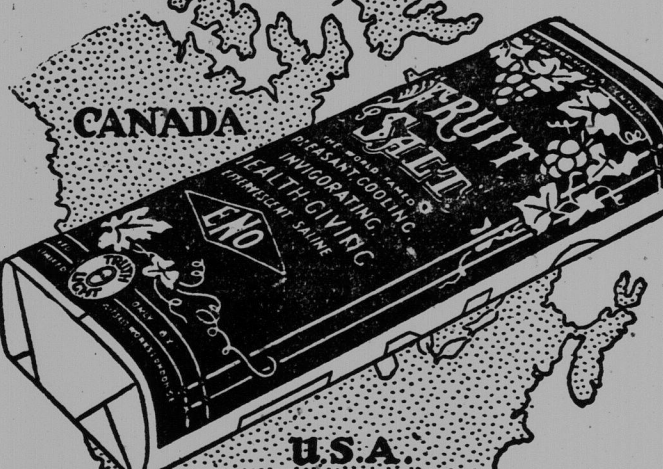
## Backward Season Hold Up Athletics

FREDRICKTON, April 17.—The  
late spring and the cold weather has  
put a quietus on spring sports among  
the three provinces.

The university track and field meet  
of U. N. B. also may be cancelled this  
season. Up to date there has been no  
opportunity for training, and the uni-  
versity closes for the year a fortnight  
from Thursday. The snow is barely  
dried out of the ground, and the soil has  
not been uniformly unfavorable over  
the three provinces.

Japan produced 85,000,000 pounds of  
cotton yarn in a recent month.

## ENO in the United States



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ing BARRYMORE Guaranteed RUGS because  
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corative trend. Their individuality is given ex-  
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in the beauty of their soft colors and fascinating  
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