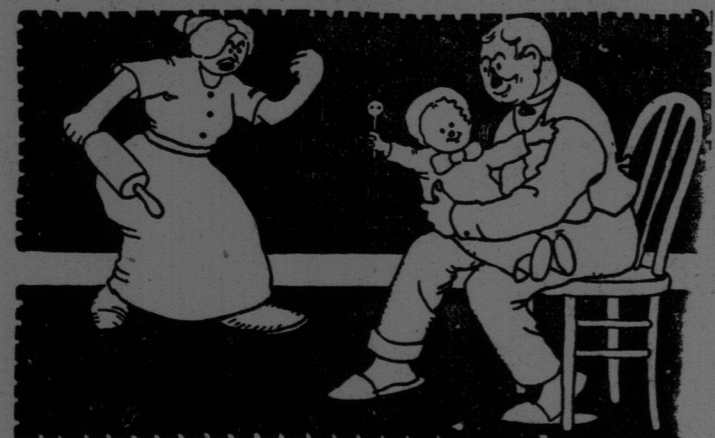


ROCKING CRADLE, NO MAN-SIZE JOB, SAYS WIFE—"YOU FOR THE PAY ENVELOPE"



Chicago, Feb. 18.—Ben Powell is as good a family man, as family men go, and not for the world would he forget his duty to his home. So when it came to a choice of carrying a hod on a cold winter day and staying home and "minding the baby," Ben stayed right by the fireside. But Mrs. Ben is that unreasonable,

FIGHTING THE BROWNTAIL MOTH

Illuminating Report by Major Philbrook on Work in Maine—The Parasite

Major Edward E. Philbrook of Portland, Me., until recently in charge of the gypsy moth work in that state, in his annual report on the campaign against the gypsy and brown-tail moths says:

Parasite Work. "The work of breeding parasites has completely changed the methods of fighting our insect enemies. It must not be thought that the task has been an easy one and without the aid of the government it could never have been accomplished. Millions of dollars have been spent in experimenting and along other lines in order to bring about present results. The work will be better understood when it is known that more than forty different kinds of parasites have been bred and tested in order to reach our present list of two or three that are really effective. In this work our government has received much aid from the entomologists of Europe and Japan, although in the final decision we have been obliged to rely on our own judgment.

"Many parasites which are effective in Japan are found to be worthless when transplanted to another climate and bred under different conditions. All of this knowledge has been worked out



Why "No Tea or Coffee" For Children?

Many parents who drink tea or coffee would not allow their children to touch it. The 1/2 to 3 grains of the drug, caffeine, in the average cup of tea or coffee, is far more injurious to the susceptible nature of a child than to an adult, but, just as constant dripping will wear away stone, so will the repeated doses of caffeine undermine the strongest constitution.

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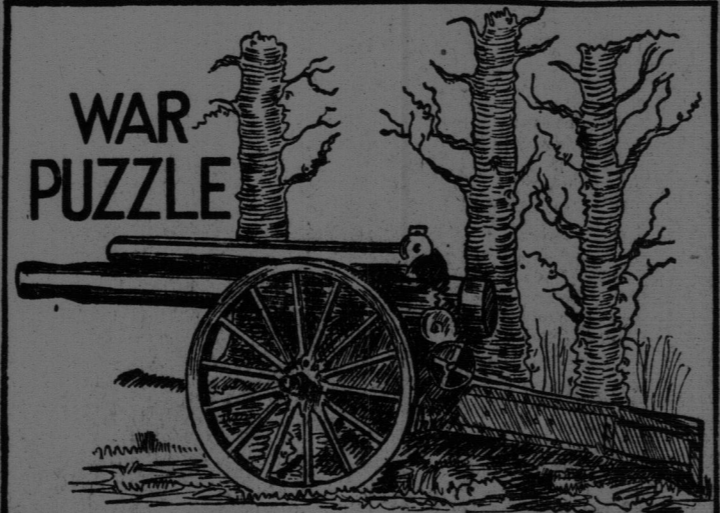
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Above will be found the picture of a modern gun of the kind that is being used in the present war. At a glance the gun and some old trees appear to be all there is in the picture, but by careful scrutiny some soldiers' faces will be found. There are 19 of these in all. Can you find them? It is an easy task, but by patience and perseverance can be accomplished.

You may win a prize by doing so. Many have done this as will be shown by the names and addresses published below. If you find the faces mark each one you find with a pencil. Then take a slip of paper on which you have written the words "I have found all the faces and marked them." Write these nine words plainly and neatly, as in case of fire, both writing and numbers will be considered factors in this contest.

This may take up a little of your time, but as there are TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS in cash and One Hundred premiums given away, it is worth your time to take a little trouble. Send your answer at once, we will reply by return mail telling you whether your answer is correct or not, and we will send you a complete Free List, together with the names and addresses of persons who have received prizes over Two Thousand Dollars in Cash Prizes from us, and full particulars of every other prize that must be fulfilled. (This condition does not involve the spending of any of your money.)

Names and Addresses of a few Prize-Winners in recent contests. Mr. W. A. C. Gray, 1000 St. John St., St. John, N.B. Mr. J. A. Jones, 1000 St. John St., St. John, N.B. Mr. P. M. H. Lawson, locomotive wiper, St. John, N.B. Mr. J. P. Mahony, baggage man, St. John, N.B. Mr. W. J. Mahony, yardman, St. John, N.B. Mr. J. T. MacGowan, clerk, St. John, N.B. Mr. R. H. McBride, letterman, St. John, N.B. Mr. W. J. McGourty, painter, St. John, N.B. Mr. A. McNutt, laborer, St. John, N.B. Mr. D. S. Russell, locomotive wiper, St. John, N.B.

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One of the Slighter Accidents. There is a good story in the "Nation" about one of the slighter accidents of the fleet. The other day the commander of a destroyer, rolling heavily in a gale, and with her engines disabled, tried to lessen the strain by lading out oil. The seaman engaged in this work was washed overboard, and washed back again by a returning wave. He picked himself up, saluted his officer and said, "Very sorry, sir; lost the bucket."

MR. VENIOT AND THE STANDARD

A Reply and a Challenge—Offers to Prove Charges of Graft

To the Editor of The Times: Sir—My attention has been called to an editorial in the St. John Standard of Feb. 11, in which Mr. Turgeon, M.P., and myself are held up to the public gaze as being disloyal.

So far as the reference to Mr. Turgeon is concerned I will simply say that the utterances that only have their existence in the mind of the Standard (and the editor of that paper) will have given to the empire of their flesh and blood for the defense of their liberties now enjoyed by them, they might have reasons for questioning the loyalty of others. Were there a stain of disloyalty in my make-up I would not today be casting longing eyes to the battlements of Europe, or the recruiting camps of the empire, to see if any harm had come to all that my wife and myself cherish most dearly.

While the Standard takes pleasure in reviling Mr. Turgeon and myself for utterances that only have their existence in the muddled brain of its informant, it has never uttered one word of condemnation of those Conservatives whose loyalty and patriotism were limited to the graft that they could make out of New Brunswick's gift of potatoes to the motherland. Can a greater traitor to the empire be found than he who seeks to make profit out of the dire needs of the British army?

The Standard's reference to what it calls my "misrepresentations" touching provincial politics, does not affect me in the least, knowing, as I do, the source from which it emanates. But for the information of the public I may say that on the occasion referred to, I dealt only with such facts as I could substantiate. For instance, when I gave in detail (not by insinuation) the names of certain government officials who had made false affidavits touching certain accounts, I made such statement knowing that I could prove it. When I read in that meeting the copies of padded pay sheets

and named the individuals, all known to those who heard me, I did so because I have the positive proof of what I stated. When I gave the date, the numbers and amounts of checks issued to individuals who never gave value for the work credited to them, I was prepared to stand by what I advanced.

And while I am on this subject, I wish to say that I have in my possession evidence of the existence of a systematic effort to rob the province of large sums of money, and if the attorney-general, who has promised to have each department of the government investigated, will grant me the privilege of producing witnesses and being represented by counsel when he opens such an investigation before an impartial tribunal, I will undertake and guarantee to prove every statement I may have made during the last two years touching graft in connection with the provincial administration.

Let the Standard's friends accept this offer, and then the public will be able to judge whether the charges I make are well founded or not.

As to violation of the political trust, I may say that the guilty ones in this respect are not to be found in the ranks of the Liberal party. That trust was violated on Oct. 14 last by the Conserva-

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Yours, P. J. VENIOT. Bathurst, Feb. 12, 1915.

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ST. JOHN I. C. R. MEN ON OVERSEAS SERVICE

Government Railway Sends 305 Men to Fight for the Empire

The second issue of Canadian Railway Employees Magazine, Safety First, fulfills the promise of the first number, containing many handsome illustrations and helpful articles by the heads of departments. J. E. Long, the editor, summarizes his own work as safety engineer in a very interesting sketch.

Of general interest is the list of 122 employees who have enlisted for the second and third contingents since the list of 178 was published in December. This makes a total of 305 I. C. R. men with the overseas forces, a small army in itself. The St. John names in the latest list are:

- W. H. Bazillian, car cleaner, St. John. J. T. Cooke, wiper, St. John. C. H. Callan, locomotive wiper, St. John. H. G. Case, locomotive wiper, St. John. John A. Dunlap, B. S. helper, St. John. W. J. Grant, car cleaner, St. John.