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Every day boxes from home are going to the boys in the trenches. And of the things they get, a great prize is WRIGLEYS—the Gum with Lasting Flavour.

It takes the place of food and drink in case of need—which is often. It keeps spirits up—gives vigour and vim. A packet in the pocket lasts a long time.

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Prohibition vs. Liquor Selling

(The Gazette, Chatham, Nov. 2, 1917.)
The Secretary of the Liquor Merchants' Protective Association has just written an article attacking prohibitory legislation elicited the following stinging reply from Dr. Robert Todd in the Vancouver World.

"The Prohibitionists claim that justice's crime is in exact proportion to the consumption of alcohol. They claim that a drink environment breeds drunkenness as a swamp breeds malaria. They further claim that the drunkenness comes as pus from a sore. They claim that insanity is the mad son of alcohol, that idiosyncrasy is its driving daughter, and that suicide is its despairing child. They claim that the economic waste of the liquor traffic is twice that of the present war in this country.

"Touching this economic question it might be of interest to those who are horrified at the destruction of the present war and who make light of the ravages of the drink traffic, to contemplate the following facts:

"Canadians killed by the Huns in Flanders since the beginning of the war up to June, 1916—2,000
"Canadians killed by King Alcohol during the same time—8,000
"Cost of war to that date—about \$150,000,000
"Cost of strong drink to Canada, directly or indirectly \$300,000,000.

"Foodstuffs, including corn, barley, rye, wheat and molasses, wasted in the manufacture of intoxicating liquors during 1914—274,652,927 lbs. (Inland Revenue Report) This would provide 1,100 lbs. per annum for each of our 250,000 soldiers at the front and in training. What a fine donation it would make to the Patriotic Fund or to the starving Belgians.

"Give us prohibition and we can continue the war indefinitely and be better off at the end than we are at present."

"Doubtless some will regard the above statements as almost beyond belief, but a little honest investigation will convince the most skeptical. The vital statistics in the Canadian Year Book for 1914 show a remarkable relationship to the number of insane and the amount of drink consumed. He will find that drink costs the Dominion eleven times as much as the revenue received and that in most municipalities the direct cost for poverty and crime alone amounts to five times the revenue received. He will find further that the tax rate in wet towns is sometimes double that in dry towns. It does seem incredible that any intelligent race of people would license men to deal out poverty, crime, insanity and death and more incredible still that any educated person could be found willing to defend it on the platform and in the public places.

GOOD AS WHEAT

"Good as the wheat" is an old motto, about as much the last word in meaning as "Safe as the Bank of England." A bag of No. 1 Northern clean as a whistle of cockle and fox-tail, was a symbol of sure value long before gold was known in the world. Wheat has been found in the Pyramids. The Egyptians just about worshipped wheat. The Bible calls it corn; so do the English. But when we say "good as the wheat" we refer to the bushel of brown, hard kernels worth by Government fixture this year, \$2.20. In the memory of living man when did "good as the wheat" mean more than it does now. Never. A bag of wheat weighing two bushels. But of course no man wants gold for his wheat. All he gets is a check made out in his favor on some bank and signed by the manager of some elevator company or willing concern. The check is converted into bills or goes on deposit. Good wheat; good paper; nobody asks any questions, because the company is O. K. and the bank is sound. If any wheat-seller had any doubt of either he would at once demand something else.

"I sold good wheat" he would say. "I want something as good as exchange."

"What makes the paper money good? The security of the corporation whose name it bears. The sounder the corporation, the nearer the paper comes to being as good as the wheat. But even a big company may go "broke." Back of the corporation is a concern whose guarantee on a piece of paper is better than either. The pledge of the Dominion of Canada to pay any man money for value received is as good as the wheat and as safe as the Bank of England.

The best pledge of the Dominion of Canada to pay is a Canadian Victory Bond; better than checks or bills—AS GOOD AS WHEAT! Suppose you change that twenty bags of wheat on your wagon, not into a check or notes or even gold; but into Canadian Victory Bonds of \$50 each, bearing interest at five and

Financial Statement Red Cross Societies

Financial statement of Newcastle Branch of R.C.S.

Balance on hand	\$681.94
Life member, Mrs. E. Hutchison	25.00
Fees \$8 percentage on books \$1.50	9.50
11 Afternoon tea and sale of cooking	338.75
16 Donation, Mr. D. Ritchie	2.00
Sale of pin 25 fees \$9.50	
Sale of yarn .60	10.35
Donation towards Xmas stockings	53.50
25 Fees	9.00
Life Member, Mrs. John Brander	25.00
Refund from Chatham Gazette	1.00
Yarn \$1.50, bal on tea \$1.15	2.65
Donation Mr. Allan Davidson	13.00
Donation Mrs. Burk White	5.00
Monthly M'Pe. Nelson	9.35
Monthly Mite, Chatham Head	3.65
Monthly Mite, Newcastle	52.20
	\$628.89

Expenditures	
15 John J. Weddall & Son	75.00
Expressage	.85
Treasurer for stamps	1.00
Secretary	1.00
Buying Committee	1.00
British Red Cross	325.00
Materials for Xmas stockings	53.50
Printing	4.00
	\$461.35
Balance on hand	\$167.54
Louise Harley, Treasurer	

LOWER DERBY SOLDIERS' COMFORT CLUB

July 1st to Oct. 31st, 1917

Receipts	
July	
2 On hand	\$ 2.68
3 Ice cream social	33.75
Sept	
11 Collection	.55
18	.50
25 Collection	.40
Oct	
3	.70
11	.40
15	.75
17 Mrs. Bateman collected	5.00
17 Mrs. Newman collected	2.00
18 Mrs. Grant collected	2.00
18 Emma Holmes collected	3.00
18 Mrs. White collected	8.50
26 Mrs. White for guess parcel	3.00
26 S. J. Shannon for guess cake	5.25
26 Sale of candy	9.55
26 Sale of apples	1.50
26 Sale of cake and lunches	32.52
	\$112.15
Expense	
3 Expense for ice cream social	.70
July	
6 yarn	5.50
Sept	
13 yarn	2.20
Oct	
9 yarn	7.50
11 2 yds cotton	.32
17 yarn	7.50
15 Postage for socks sent	2.60
26 Expense for social	2.50
31 hampers sent to soldiers	27.50
	\$56.72
Nov 1—Balance on hand	55.43
Sent 22 pairs of socks and have 17 pairs on hand Nov 1st	

DISQUALIFY ENEMY BORN

Melbourne, Australia, Nov. 12—Naturalized enemy born, also persons whose fathers are enemy born, are disqualified from voting in the referendum on conscription.

one-half per cent. per annum and as negotiable on the market as the best check or the best load of wheat you ever saw? It's worth considering.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Rheumatism Cured

In the days of our fathers and grandfathers rheumatism was thought to be the unavoidable penalty of middle life and old age. Almost every person had rheumatism, as well as many young people. Medical science did not understand the trouble—did not know that it was rooted in the blood. It was thought that rheumatism was the mere effect of exposure to cold and damp, and it was treated with liniments and hot applications, which sometimes gave temporary relief, but did not cure the trouble. In those days there were thousands of rheumatism cripples. Now, medical science understands that rheumatism is a disease of the blood, and that with good, rich, red blood any man or woman of any age can defy it. Rheumatism can be cured by killing the poison in the blood which causes it. There are many elderly people who have never felt a twinge of rheumatism, and many who have conquered it by simply keeping their blood rich and pure. The blood-making, blood-enriching qualities of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is becoming every year more widely known, and it is the more general use of these pills that has robbed rheumatism of its terrors. At the first sign of poor blood, which is shown by loss of appetite, palpitations, dull skin and dim eyes, protect yourself against the further ravages of disease by taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They have cured thousands of people—if you give them a fair trial they will not disappoint you.

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Manitoba Solid For Union Gov't.

Outlook for Union Victory Very Bright in Western Province

A Winnipeg despatch says that while there will be few acclamations in the coming election in Manitoba, there is a certainty of at least fourteen of the fifteen elected members being supporters of the Union Government. Of the Liberal representatives in the old parliament—Dr. Mulloy and Robert Cruise—the former will be the Opposition candidate in Provencher and the latter will be elected Unionist member for Dauphin. Dr. Molloy will be opposed by a Unionist in Provencher and with the application of the Wartime Election Act his defeat is practically certain. Mr. Cruise will probably receive an acclamation in Dauphin.

The only constituency in doubt is Springfield, which includes the city of St. Boniface. In this constituency is the sole anti-conscriptionist stronghold in this province, but even there the Unionist cause is not hopeless and if D. A. Ross, M. L. A., accepts the nomination he has an equal chance of victory with the opposition. His success would give Manitoba a solid Unionist representation in the next parliament. In the other constituencies the Unionist candidates will be about equally drawn from Conservative, Liberal and Grain Grower leaders. Hon. T. A. Crerar will contest Portage la Prairie and Marquette respectively.

In this province the Unionist government will have the enthusiastic support of the local administration. Hon. Edward Brown and Hon. T. H. Johnson, the strong man of the administration, will campaign for the province on behalf of the Unionist candidates. There is still an opposition party left, but it is so defeated in numbers and leadership that its opposition will not be dangerous. Manitoba political leaders of all parties were the first and have always been the most active in advocacy of union and there is deep conviction among the electors of this province of the necessity of a strong government freed from party entanglements. With such a sentiment prevailing, unanimity among political leaders, and a powerful press favoring union, the outlook for Union victory is very bright.

ESCAPED FROM RESTIGOUCHE JAIL

J. W. Fortin recently sent up for trial on a charge of having induced a girl 14 years of age, residing in Campbellton, to leave her home and accompany him on a trip through Nova Scotia under the promise of marrying her at Newcastle en route, and who was arrested in St. John and brought back to Campbellton, made good his escape from the Restigouche County Jail on Monday of last week. The manner in which Fortin made good his escape is the cause of much unfavorable comment. The jailer is said to have entered his cell to see if any of the brick in the wall were being removed or tampered with. Just as he entered Fortin walked out, closing the door after him on the jailer. Fortin is a married man, has a wife and four children living in a Quebec town not far distant from Campbellton.

PILES

Nothing known to science is better for this painful ailment than Zam-Buk. It reduces inflammation, stops bleeding, ends the agony. Easily applied and cleanly. Why go on suffering? Why not try it? Read the following cures.

Mrs. C. Hanson, Poplar, B.C., says: "I suffered for years with bleeding piles. The pain was often so bad I could hardly walk. I tried remedy after remedy, and finally underwent an operation, but only got temporary relief. At last I tried Zam-Buk. Perseverance with this remedy completely cured me, and there has been no return of the trouble."

Mr. W. J. Donovan, of New Edinburgh, Ont., writes: "For two years I suffered with bleeding piles. The pain was most intense. I tried one after another of the so-called remedies, but without effect. At last I decided to try Zam-Buk. This gave quick relief from the dull, gnawing pain, and perseverance with Zam-Buk cured me. The cure has been permanent."

ZAM-BUK ALSO CURES ECZEMA, BLOOD POISON, ULCERS, COLD SORES, CHAPPED HANDS, SCALP SORES, CUTS, BURNS, BRUISES, SCALDS and all SKIN INJURIES and DISEASES. All druggists and stores, or Zam-Buk Co., Toronto, post free for price. Refuse harmful substitutes and preparations advanced as "just as good."

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