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GERMANS FIND VERDUN COULDEST HARDER THAN THEY EXPECTED; ARE RUSHING MEN FROM OTHER FRONTS

FRENCH DRIVE ENEMY FROM TRENCHES AT LE MORT HOMME AND IN CAILETTE WOOD

Crown Prince Throwing Forces Brought from Russia, Serbia and Macedonia Into Action at Verdun, Where Strong Resistance of Allies Have Upset German Calculations.

ENEMY CLAIMS CAPTURE OF 600 METRES OF BRITISH POSITIONS AROUND YPRES, BUT BRITISH REPORT SAYS TWO CRATERS AND A TRENCH NEAR ST. ELOI ONLY GAINS ENEMY MADE.

Coincident with the arrival of the Russians on the western front comes the statement from Paris that the Germans, owing to the strong resistance of the French at Verdun, are withdrawing large forces from their fronts in Russia, Serbia and Macedonia, and throwing them into this hotly contested theatre. Here the French, according to the latest official communication, have delivered an attack near Le Mort Homme, northwest of Verdun, and succeeded in driving the Germans out of portions of a trench previously captured by them. The Germans admit the entry by the French of German trenches in the Cailette wood, west of Vaux, after a heavy French attack, but say that otherwise the attack was repulsed with heavy losses.

Around Ypres the Germans, according to Berlin, attacked and occupied the British positions. The British official report concedes a German gain here, but says that except for two craters and one trench near St. Eloi, and the Ypres-Langemark road, the Germans were expelled from all the positions they captured.

In Asiatic Turkey the Russians are giving no rest to the Turks. They have now dislodged them from mountain positions south of Bitlis, and pushed forward their forces toward Sghert, which lies ninety miles east of Diarbek, their objective in the operation which seeks to cut off communication between the northern and southern Turkish armies.

Heavy fighting continues in the Tehokur region, where the Russians are pressing forward in their attempt to capture Daburt and come into contact with their army now occupying Trebizond.

The usual bombardments are going on along the Austro-Italian front, and the Germans are dumping up their rain of shells on the Russian positions at the Ikskill bridgehead.

Germany's submarine campaign goes on apace, and the British steamer Cairngowan and the British bark Raven Hill have been sunk. The crews of both vessels were landed.

The British cabinet crisis over conscription has been ended by an agreement between the members of the ministry who held divergent views on the subject.

BRITISH STATEMENT.

London, April 20.—The British official statement on the campaign in France and Belgium, issued tonight, reports quite heavy fighting around Ypres. The Germans succeeded in penetrating the British line, capturing two craters and one trench. At other points they were repulsed. The statement reads as follows: "Last night the enemy, after a heavy bombardment attacked our line about Ypres at four points—St. Eloi, the Bluff, Wieille, and on the Ypres-Langemark road. "His infantry penetrated our line, but has been ejected everywhere except at St. Eloi, where he captured two craters, and on the Ypres-Langemark road, where he retires one trench.

"Near Mametz a hostile raid failed to reach our trenches. "There has been some mining activity today about the quarry and south of Givenchy-En-Gohelle, in which we had the advantage."

FRENCH REPORT.

Paris, April 20. (11.30 p. m.)—The communication issued by the war office tonight reads: "In the Argonne our artillery commanded the roads of communication behind the enemy front and the Malancourt wood. "West of the Meuse great artillery activity prevailed in the sectors of Hill 204 and Avocourt. An attack launched by us in the region of Le Mort Homme enabled us to drive the enemy out of some sections of a trench occupied by him on April 10. "East of the Meuse a violent bombardment occurred in the region of Douaumont and Vaux. There were some artillery guns in the Woëvre. The day was comparatively calm on the rest of the front."

"The Belgian official communication reads: "The day was marked by bombardments on both sides at various points, especially in the sector of Dixmude. "Italians hammering Forts Luserna and Belvedere. "Rome, via London, April 20.—The following official communication was issued today: "Between the Adige river and Brenna the activity by both sides has been limited. "Yesterday our artillery, by an effective fire, continued the demolition of Austrian forts in Luserna and Belvedere. "In the Col Di Lana the booty collected up to the present includes one heavy gun, four machine guns, hundreds of rifles and large quantities of ammunition and provisions. "On the Isonzo front rain and fog have hampered our operations, but our artillery succeeded in starting a fire in the inhabited centre of San Martino Del Carso, and at an ammunition depot southwest of the same locality. "An enemy aeroplane dropped bombs on Bassano, but without causing loss of life or damage to property."

PRINCETON CREW WINS.

Princeton, April 20.—Princeton's varsity crew defeated Harvard's eight on Lake Carnegie late today by about a half foot. The junior varsity race was won by Harvard by two lengths.

FOR OTHER FELLOWS TO DO WORRYING, SIR SAM SAYS

Minister Spending Greater Part of His Time on Matters That May Come Before Royal Commission.

Ottawa, April 20.—Major General Sir Sam Hughes left tonight for London to spend Easter with his family, this being the first opportunity of a reunion with them since his return from England. Sir Sam is still attending to the business of his department requiring his immediate attention, but the major portion of his time is being devoted to conferences with his counsel, going over all the details of his connection with any matters which may be investigated by the Royal Commission. Sir Sam still expresses absolute confidence as to the result of the investigation and maintains that, "It is the other fellows who need do any worrying."

HUNDREDS OF DEAD FOUND IN TURK TRENCHES

Following Fighting with British Sunday and Monday on Right Bank of the Tigris.

London, April 20.—The following British communication concerning recent fighting in Mesopotamia was issued this evening: "Further details of the fighting on the right bank of the Tigris river, April 16-17, previous to the Turkish counter-attacks, show that the enemy left between 200 and 300 dead in the captured trenches and two field guns and five machine guns. Prisoners amounting to 180, including eight officers, also were taken. Our losses were comparatively small. "An aeroplane reconnaissance after the enemy's counter-attack the night of April 17-18, disclosed the fact that a large number of Turkish ambulances were busy all day removing the wounded."

Turks Say British at Kut-El-Amara in Critical State.

Constantinople, April 20, via London.—The war office announces that the position of the British army which is being besieged at Kut-El-Amara is becoming very critical, and that the British commander has ordered the civil population to evacuate the town on account of the scarcity of food.

The statement follows: "Mesopotamian front: There are no new developments. The position of the enemy invested at Kut-El-Amara is becoming very critical. The hostile commander, in order to avoid difficulties in connection with the food supply, recently ordered the population to evacuate the town and has been expecting aeroplanes to drop small bags of flour in the town."

GOLD STRIKE NEAR STURGEON

Fort William, Ont., April 20.—According to authentic reports there has been another mild strike made in the Canadian Government Railway west of here near Sturgeon, and the utmost secrecy is being maintained regarding it. For some time there has been a quiet influx of prospectors into the district, and yesterday saw the arrival here of four Buffalo men whose intentions are to make a prospecting trip along the line of the railway.

SECRET SESSION OF THE BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Next Tuesday When All Information About Army's Number and Needs Will Be Supplied.

THE LAST SECRET SESSION WAS IN 1878.

Real Crisis Surmounted and Settlement Satisfies all Sections of Opinion Represented in the Government.

London, April 20.—The whole nation was surprised and the great majority of the people were cheered, by the unexpected announcement after the cabinet meeting this morning that the cabinet decided, over the question of extending military conscription had been compromised. Thus the country is saved from the anxious days it would have suffered until parliament re-assembled on Tuesday, and from the newspaper controversy which would have raged meantime.

The Labor party, which was the only political group united against further measures of compulsion, is credited with paving the way to the agreement. The leader of the Labor party, Arthur Henderson, president of the board of education, proposed, according to the reports, a further trial of voluntary enlistment, with the promise that the Laborites would consent to a gradual extension of conscription if it proved necessary in order to secure the number of men which the military authorities consider essential.

The Labor members, together with others demanded that they be informed on the exact position—what number of men had already been enrolled and pledged; how many the war office requires to enlarge the army and replace the wastage by casualties and combine to the coalition. Consequently a secret session of both houses will be convened Tuesday, at which the government will supply full information.

All Parties Satisfied.

An official statement tonight declares that the settlement satisfies all sections of opinion represented in the government, and emphasizes that the sole reason for the secret session of parliament is to supply confidential information to the members.

Until Premier Asquith's statement yesterday the public failed to realize that the government was actually on the brink of dissolution, as hostile newspapers have strenuously advertised previous crises, which failed to crystallize. This time, however, at least, was not a division on party lines. The Northcliffe press, so-called, supported by the Conservative Morning Post, has attacked the coalition cabinet, and particularly the prime minister, for failure to frame and execute a vigorous war policy, and has demanded general conscription under the watchword "Equality of sacrifice for all."

The Liberal papers, with the exception of the Daily Telegraph, and most of the provincial papers, supported the government.

Andrew Bonar Law, secretary for the colonies, has strongly supported conscription, but it is believed that he placed the retention of the coalition cabinet above every other consideration in importance.

Some of the newspapers have hinted that Field Marshal Earl Kitchener, secretary of war, and Lieut.-Gen. Sir Wm. R. Robertson, chief of headquarters staff, threatened to resign unless the government met the war office requirements for troops. But the Nation denies this, and says: "No pistol has been put at Mr. Asquith's head, save by his own friends," referring chiefly to Mr. Lloyd George.

The King, the prime minister and most of the cabinet members left London this evening to spend the Easter holidays in the country. A secret session of parliament is almost unprecedented. The last secret session of the House of Commons was held in 1878.

Only the most important officials of

FRANCE DEEPLY MOVED BY COMING OF THE RUSSIAN

ARRIVED ON GREAT FLOTILLA OF TRANSPORTS AND NEWS OF COMING KNOWN TO FEW—WILL FILL GAPS CAUSED BY RECENT FIGHTING—OCCASION OF GREAT DEMONSTRATION IN THEIR HONOR.

Marseilles, April 20, via Paris, April 21.—France's principal seaport was gay with bustling today in honor of the arrival of a force of Russian troops—the first manifestation of greater cohesion and unity of the Entente Allies growing out of the resolutions of the Paris conference.

The Associated Press correspondent of the troops, was informed in a high quarter that the arrival of the Russians was chiefly a demonstration of Russia's friendship. The public attached special significance to the event. It knows that the French army is not short of effective; further it believes that the European war must be decided on the western front, and feels therefore that the Russians have come so that all elements of the Allied host may be represented when that decision is reached. Hence the Russians are looked upon as the heralds of happy endings of great moment.

This feeling manifested itself in enthusiastic cheering as the drab columns of men filed down the quays and marched through the city, singing their marching choruses. A Moscow boy of thirteen named Maniat, who has been adopted by one of the regiments, was the first person to land. He received an ovation. He has been eight months on the Austrian front.

The Russians are all picked men. Most of them are decorated with the St. George's Cross.

The arrival of the Russian troops is regarded here as an event of great importance, and of significance from both a military and political standpoint. It represents realization of hopes aroused earlier in the war by reports that large bodies of Russians were coming.

The Russians came on a great flotilla of transports. Not a single word of their coming was permitted to become generally known until they actually had concluded the journey, and were landing on French soil.

The Russian forces will be used to fill in gaps on the western front caused by the recent fighting.

The arrival of these soldiers has made a profound impression in France which is deeply moved by this manifestation of Russian good will in the substantial form of their appearance.

No exact details are yet available regarding the number of Russians.

DESERTER GIVEN A YEAR IN JAIL WITH HARD LABOR

Special to The Standard.

Sunder, April 20.—Private Frank Tierney, of Havelock, a member of the 104th Battalion, was tried today before Stipendiary Magistrate Folkins on a charge of deserting. The information was laid by J. Col. Fowler, through Adjutant Hieldand, and the prosecution was conducted by R. St. John Preese. Defendant pleaded guilty and was sentenced to a year's imprisonment with hard labor in Hampton jail.

A public meeting was held here tonight to discuss the advisability of adopting the daylight saving scheme and a resolution was passed asking the town council to bring the same in force on May 1st.

At an inquest held here today before Coroner Wallace on the body found at Newtown, yesterday, the verdict of the jury was that the remains were those of Sherman Constantine the young man who had been missing since last fall, and that he had met his death from causes unknown to the jury. No foul play is suspected and it is thought he came to his death from exposure.

The house, besides the members, will be permitted to attend.

The press censorship is a guarantee against the information the government reveals becoming public. It would be an offence against the defence of the Realm Act for newspapers to publish reports if they were able to secure the information.

BERLIN HAS RECEIVED NOTE FROM WILSON

Chancellor at Army Headquarters Has Not Seen it Yet.

BERNSTORFF CALLS ON SEC. LANSING.

Lansing, However, Refuses to Accept Views of German Ambassador as Official—Wilson Showed with Congratulations.

Bulletin—London, April 21 (3.05 a. m.)—The American note to Germany was handed in at the German foreign office Thursday evening by James W. Gerard, the American ambassador, says the Exchange Telegraph Company's Amsterdam correspondent.

The Chancellor, the correspondent adds, has not yet seen the note, as he is at army headquarters, but he has communicated with the foreign office by telephone.

Washington, April 20.—Count Von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, called at the state department today and had a twenty-five minute conference with Secretary of State Lansing regarding the latest phases of the submarine controversy. Mr. Lansing listened with much interest to the suggestions made by Count Von Bernstorff, which he understood the ambassador was ready to make for his own government for its guidance in framing a reply to the American note. The secretary, however, was not disposed to accept the views expressed by the ambassador as being official. He was described authoritatively as having declined to regard them as the ambassador's own opinion and informative of the latter's desire to prevent a break between his country and the United States. The President, having laid the condition that there must be an abandonment of the present submarine methods, Secretary Lansing takes the view that there must be a direct and formal response from the German government itself before there can be discussion of the various phases of the subject, or of any alternative propositions, short of absolute compliance with the American demands.

As a result of his conference Count Von Bernstorff sent another communication to this government this evening. It was made clear at the German embassy later that the ambassador did not expect to call upon Secretary Lansing again until after his government had made formal reply to the American note.

Just how long the United States is willing to wait for the German reply has not been disclosed. All officials agree that "a reasonable time" will be allowed. Press despatches announcing that the note had arrived in Berlin were read with much interest, but official word of the delivery of the communication was lacking.

Washington was deluged with telegrams during the day. Great numbers which arrived at the White House congratulated President Wilson for his stand. Congressmen representing districts with large German populations received hundreds of messages from individuals and organizations protesting against any action by congress which might lead to war between the United States and Germany.

Senators and members of the house were reluctant to enter into any discussion of the situation. The address read by President Wilson repeats in the respective committees dealing with foreign affairs. It was sent to the committees merely for their information. No formal action on it is possible.

Wm. Jennings Bryan, former secretary of state, who resigned because he thought the President's policy in the Lusitania case was leading to war, came to Washington today. He did not disclose his plans, but said he had come to render any aid possible to prevent trouble between the United States and Germany.

STEAMSHIP LINE BETWEEN NEW YORK AND VIGO, SPAIN

Under Spanish Flag Financed With American Capital, Spanish Gov't to Guarantee Earnings of 5 per cent.

New York, April 20.—Plans for the organization of a \$20,000,000 corporation to operate the proposed steamship line under the Spanish flag, between Vigo, Spain, and New York, were announced here today by the local Spanish-American Chamber of Commerce, which confirmed recent reports that the Spanish government would, in June, grant executive sanction to the project.

A fleet of eight fast passenger and freight vessels will be operated, according to the plans, and the Spanish government intends to guarantee the corporation earnings of five per cent. It is proposed to have the line financed with American capital, and local financial interests are understood to have expressed confidence in the success of the venture. Pending the construction of vessels of modern type, a provisional service will be established with three steamers and sailing every ten days. No date for the first sailing has been determined.

# OVER SCORE MARITIME PROVINCE MEN IN LIST

## TWO MEN ON HONOR ROLL YESTERDAY

### Several More Who Tried Could Not Pass Doctor—Yesterday With Local Soldiers.

#### ROLL OF HONOR.

- Herbert Morton, Rothesay.
- Dean Pugh, Westport, N. S.

Recruiting in St. John has surely taken a slump this week. Only two men were able to get by the doctor yesterday, although several more tried. One man who came in last night, and was turned down on account of flat feet, claimed he had walked twenty miles in a day without any trouble, and thought he ought to be passed.

From St. Lucia. Lieut. McKay and twenty-four men of the R.C.G.A., who have been stationed for some time at St. Lucia, returned yesterday on the Chambray and will go to Halifax tonight. Lieut. Smart of the 38th Ottawa Battalion, who has been on duty in Bermuda, returned yesterday.

Col. McLean will leave tonight for Halifax on business connected with the command.

115th. The men of the 115th are being given a good deal of training in route marching under company commanders. Yesterday afternoon they were out around town and will probably be out every fine day. Three men were taken on strength. Lieut. Pichard reported for duty, having finished his course at the Royal Infantry School, Halifax. Today the orderly officer will be Lieut. D. B. Clark, the officer in charge of the picket will be Lieut. Dever. Routine work will be the order of the day.

Yesterday the 149th held a route march and field day. They started out in the morning and took their dinners with them. After arriving at their destination they had company and battalion drill under the watchful eye of the O. C., Lieut. Col. Beer. Today the officer of the day will be Lieut. A. W. Thorne and the day will be spent in routine work.

### HOW TO PUT ON WEIGHT AND IMPROVE YOUR LOOKS.

You know you are too thin—you eat and eat, but never get an ounce fatter. Nerves are weak, color is bad, strength seems exhausted. It is not hard to get fat. You must eat more. Ferrozene and which your appetite grows. It turns all you eat into nutriment and building material—fills your veins with rich, red blood, gives you ambition and vigor. For a tissue builder, a fattening tonic, one that restores permanently, there is nothing to compare with Ferrozene. Try it and see. 50c. at all dealers.

## STRONGLY ENDORSE WEST SIDE ROUTE

At a well attended meeting of the residents of the southern portion of the parish of Westfield and the northern portion of the parish of Lancaster, held in Grand Bay hall, Tuesday evening, April 18th, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

"Whereas it has been brought to the attention of this community that the provincial government is being petitioned in regard to the different routes available for construction of the Valley Railroad (so called), and whereas the opinion of this meeting, the natural advantages are so overwhelmingly in favor of the western route that we feel it our duty as citizens and ratepayers of this province to use what means are within our power to have this road routed via the west bank.

"Be it therefore resolved, that in view of the fact that the eastern route would cost upwards of millions more than the western route, would open up less territory, would be more or less of an obstruction to navigation on the St. John, on account of the bridges, and would take a much longer time to construct, and would cost more for maintenance after construction on account of these same bridges, we do respectfully urge the government to have this road routed via the western bank, thereby doing the greatest good to the greatest number as well as saving the people millions of dollars at this time of financial stress.

"Be it further resolved, that a copy of the foregoing be mailed to the Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, also a copy to The Standard, Telegraph, Times and Globe newspapers."

Dated Grand Bay, N. B., April 19, 1916.

Great removal sale of millinery at Mrs. J. Brown's, would open up latest style millinery at greatly reduced prices.

### EASTER FLOWERS.

Under the Auspices of the "Blue Cross." Lovers of horses buy your Easter flowers at Pedersen's, corner of Princess and Charlotte street, and at old Oak Hall, King street, and side fund.

### THE STANDARD "TRAVEL CLUB"

This coupon is good for one vote if presented at The Standard office before May 2. Place to the credit of

Name.....

Address.....

## FOUR N. B. MEN IN CASUALTIES OF THE GERMAN PARLIAMENT

Ottawa, April 20.—The casualty lists issued today include the following: Infantry.

Killed in action—Keith Bruce Crosby, Carleton, N. S.; Pioneer Norman Stewart Fowler, Newfoundland.

Missing—Pioneer Frank Giotter, Water street, Dartmouth, N. S.

Wounded—Grey Kinsman Adams, Deep Brook, N. S.; Leo Barwick, Dominion No. 4, Glace Bay, N. S.; Arthur Richard Batson, Newfoundland; James Francis Cody, Milltown, N. B.; John Wilbert Gallant, Summerside, P. E. I.; Pioneer Jas. Harper, New Waterford, C. B.; Albert Reinald Lamont, R. C. R., Halifax, N. S.; Lance Corporal Percy J. Lusden, (dangerously), Canso, N. S.; Pioneer Geo. Alexander MacKay, Balmoral Mills, Col. Co. N. S.; Sergeant Davy Palmer, Roston, N. B.; Francis Henry Purcell, Milltown, N. B.; Pioneer Thomas Whitfield Ritchie, Portland street, Dartmouth, N. S.; Walter Vantassel, Digby, N. S.; Albert Hoese, Jostias Mines, N. S.; Lance Sergeant Haughton, Sydney, N. S.; Alexander Randolph Morrison, Sydney Mines; Harry L. Beach, kin at Honeydale, N. B.; James Brennan, kin at Sydney Mines, N. S.

### EXECUTIVE OF RETAIL MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION WILL MEET HERE TODAY

Appointment of Secretary for Organization of the Principal Matter to be Considered.

A meeting of the executive of the Retail Merchants Association will be held in this city at ten o'clock this morning, to consider among other things the appointment of a secretary for the association. The executive is composed of Messrs. Murray of Fredericton, DeWolf of St. Stephen, Daniel and McIntyre of St. John, and Mr. Trovorn, secretary of the Dominion Association.

At the annual meeting recently held in the City of Fredericton, this matter was under consideration but no appointment was made. It is understood that there is a difference of opinion among the members as to the re-appointment of Mr. Cameron, and at the Fredericton meeting a committee composed of A. O. Skinner, H. W. Rising and James McGovern, were appointed to interview Mr. Cameron, check up his accounts and report to the executive and their report will be received at the meeting this morning.

### LIQUID CATARRH REMEDIES USELESS—ONLY RELIEVE NEVER CURE.

They go direct to the stomach, have very little effect on the linings of the nose and throat, and are apt to fail to cure. Only by cleansing the air passages, by relieving the inflammation and killing the germs is cure possible. No relief or anti-septic, but is so successful as Catarrhoxone. In breathing it, you send the richest pine balsams right to the seat of the disease. Irritating phlegm is cleared out, hemorrhages, coughing and hacking are cured. For a permanent cure for Catarrh, nothing equals Catarrhoxone, get it today, but beware of dangerous substitutes meant to deceive you for genuine Catarrhoxone. All dealers sell Catarrhoxone, large size containing two months' treatment, costs \$1.00; small size, 50c.; sample size, 25c.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal.

A. S. Williams, A. G. Caley, G. H. Denley, Montreal; W. E. Austin, Toronto; F. Goodson, Montreal; A. W. Bennett, Sackville; P. Thompson, Fredericton; I. Owen, London; G. H. Smith, Toronto; M. L. Hemmaway, Boston; J. K. Oswald, H. E. Halliey, J. B. Stewart, Montreal; W. P. Anderson, Ottawa; Mrs. J. M. Cook, Boston; Mrs. J. Tingley, Apohaqui; C. A. Browning, Halifax; D. A. Rose, Capt. M. C. Calgary; A. Webb, Andover; Dr. and Mrs. F. P. Eaton, Truro; W. H. Wilkinson, Fredericton; A. Walker, St. John; Mrs. A. E. Deig, Halifax; Mrs. G. Watt, Miss Elizabeth Tweedie, Chatham; F. J. Capon, M. Capon, J. Welsman, Toronto; Mrs. R. A. Corbett, Boston; Mrs. C. T. Warner, Boston; F. E. Barrett, Sherbrooke; H. V. Furnival, Toronto; M. L. Fraser, New Glasgow; T. E. Day and wife, New Glasgow; D. B. Smart, Ottawa; D. W. Robb, Jr., Amherst.

### GIRLS! BEAUTIFY YOUR HAIR AND STOP DANDRUFF

Hair becomes charming, wavy, lustrous and thick in few moments.

Every bit of dandruff disappears and hair stops coming out.

For 25 cents you can save your hair. In less than ten minutes you can double its beauty. Your hair becomes light, wavy, fluffy, abundant and appears as soft, lustrous and charming as a young girl's after applying some Danderine. Also try this—moisten a cloth with a little Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. This will cleanse the hair of dust, dirt or excessive oil, and in just a few moments you have doubled the beauty of your hair. A delightful surprise awaits those whose hair has been neglected or is scraggy, faded, dry, brittle or thin. Danderine beautifies the hair, Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; cleanses, purifies and invigorates the scalp, forever stopping itching and falling hair, but what will please you most will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair—fine and downy at first—but really new hair growing all over the scalp. If you care for pretty, soft hair and lots of it, surely get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and just try it.

## PLOT TO WRECK MUNITIONS PLANT AT DUNKIRK, N.Y.

Native Born American Fooled by Detectives and Offered to Blow up Munitions Works in Canada and U. S.

New York, April 20.—A man described as Harry L. Newton, an expert mechanic and a native born American, was placed under arrest today by the police, who declared that Newton had entered into an agreement with a supposed German in reality a detective, to blow up a munitions plant at Dunkirk, N. Y., and had offered to do other work of similar character.

### LOCAL BOWLING SWEEPS WIN SERIES.

The second series of the City Bowling League will be brought to a close tonight when the Tigers and Elks will roll.

The Sweeps have won the second series and the Ramblers captured the first. These two teams will now have to roll off for the championship.

In last night's game the C. P. R. team and the Wanderers broke even, each taking two points. Smith of the C. P. R. was the highest scorer, having a pin fall of 133 in his second string, rolling a total of 332, which averages of 110 2/3. The individual scores follow:

C. P. R.	Johnson	78	76	83	234	78
Smith	98	123	101	332	110 2/3	
McDonald	88	102	92	280	93 1/3	
Casey	74	66	80	220	73 1/3	
Brown	84	91	89	264	88	

Wanderers.

Wright	101	93	77	271	90 1/3	
Garrin	100	84	78	262	87 1/3	
Wright	98	92	231	93 2/3		
Smith	90	71	83	244	81 1/3	
Brown	90	103	99	292	97 1/3	

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### RUSSIAN GOVT. WANTS TO PURCHASE CANADA CAR PLANT

Toronto, April 20.—Purchase of the Canada Car and Foundry Company plant, which is situated in Port William, and its transfer to Russia, is sought by representatives of the Russian government, and all that remains to be done is the completion of an agreement between the company and the city council of Port William, before the deal is put through. Involving as it does the transfer of a plant valued at two millions dollars, this scheme is but a small part of a plan by which the Russian authorities aim to increase the rolling stock of their railways for war purposes.

### GEN. LESSARD CHANGES PLAN.

London, April 20. (Gazette Cable)—Brigadier-General F. L. Lessard, who had booked his passage by the Lapland, sailing on April 20th, and sent his baggage aboard, changed his mind at the last moment and decided to remain in England for a time.

### GERMANS CAPTURE DANISH STEAMER.

London, April 20.—The Danish steamer England, bound from Boulogne for Copenhagen, has been captured by the U-boat, and sent his baggage aboard, changed his mind at the last moment and decided to remain in England for a time.

### FUNERALS.

The funeral of Charles Hastings took place this afternoon from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Smita, Elliott row. Services were conducted by the Rev. V. R. Jarvis and interment was made in Fernhill.

George D. Prescott, of Albert, was at the Dufferin yesterday.

Judge Hewson and Mrs. Hewson, of Moncton, were at the Dufferin yesterday.

L. J. Tingley, of Annapolis, was at the Dufferin yesterday.

Arthur Webb, of Andover, was a guest of the Royal yesterday.

Color Sergeant Dean, instructor of the Canadian Signal staff is at the St. John hotel. Sergeant Dean is instructor of the 115th and 149th battalions.

Miss J. Hazel Maxwell is visiting her brother, Herbert J. Maxwell, Fredericton.

Miss Mariel Corbery and Miss Kate McLaughlin left last night for Halifax.

Lieut. Col. Beer, O. C. of the 149th, left last night for Halifax.

Rev. W. R. Robinson and J. Willard Smith came in from Fredericton last night.

### OBITUARY.

Mrs. Margaret M. Hamm. Many friends of Mrs. Margaret M. Hamm, wife of Philip N. Hamm will learn with the deepest regret of her death which took place about eleven o'clock last night at her home 141 Union street. Mrs. Hamm had been ill for some time, but her death was rather sudden and unexpected. She was a daughter of the late Captain John Stetman, of Halifax. Some years ago Mr. and Mrs. Hamm resided in the North End, but removed to Moncton, returning to this city last November. She leaves beside her husband, one son, Arthur, of this city. The funeral will take place from her late home tomorrow afternoon, the services commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

## N. Y. LEGISLATURE VOTES TO UPHOLD PRES. WILSON

Albany, N. Y., April 20.—The Republican legislature of New York, in the closing hours of the 1916 session tonight, adopted a resolution pledging its support to President Wilson and congress in any action necessary to maintain the nation's honor and its willingness to support Governor Whitman in "any exercise of authority for that purpose to the fullest extent of the resources of the state."

### BANK CLEARINGS.

Winnipeg, April 20.—Bank clearings for week ended today were \$27,787,733. For the corresponding week last year \$25,722,195. In 1914, \$25,248,110.

Toronto, April 20.—Clearings at the Toronto banks for the week ended today with comparisons, were: This week: \$47,730,976; last week, \$43,716,392; year ago, \$35,964,769; two years ago, \$46,792,396.

Montreal, April 20.—Montreal bank clearings for the week ended April 20 create a record. They amounted to \$73,141,702, as compared with \$49,650,538 in the corresponding period in 1915, and \$57,620,320 in 1914.

### WANTS TO PURCHASE CANADA CAR PLANT

Toronto, April 20.—Purchase of the Canada Car and Foundry Company plant, which is situated in Port William, and its transfer to Russia, is sought by representatives of the Russian government, and all that remains to be done is the completion of an agreement between the company and the city council of Port William, before the deal is put through.

### GEN. LESSARD CHANGES PLAN.

London, April 20. (Gazette Cable)—Brigadier-General F. L. Lessard, who had booked his passage by the Lapland, sailing on April 20th, and sent his baggage aboard, changed his mind at the last moment and decided to remain in England for a time.

### GERMANS CAPTURE DANISH STEAMER.

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### FUNERALS.

The funeral of Charles Hastings took place this afternoon from the residence of his sister, Mrs. Smita, Elliott row. Services were conducted by the Rev. V. R. Jarvis and interment was made in Fernhill.

### OBITUARY.

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Paris, April 19 (Delayed)—General Joseph Simoen Gallieni, who resigned as minister of war last March on account of illness, underwent an operation today at Versailles for an abscess of the kidney. The operation is reported to have been carried out under satisfactory conditions.

While working in a scene for "Walta," in the poorer section of Los Angeles, Jane Grey discovered two little girls who had never seen a picture show. She presented them with funds for theatre tickets for a month.

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## PROHIBITION

### Galleries of Legislature Crowded

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Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 20.—The prohibition bill was introduced in the legislature this afternoon by Attorney General Baxter who, speaking before a larger attendance in the galleries than is usual made one of the most stirring speeches heard in the House in years. He reviewed the history of temperance legislation in the province and pointed out how this government instead of promising the temperance people one thing and doing another had industriously circumvented the effect of the prohibition, finding a date for a vote by the people and providing for conditions under which the election shall be held.

Prohibition will come into effect in New Brunswick on May 1st, 1917, and there will be a referendum at a future date which has not yet been determined upon, but which will probably not be until after the war. In the meantime, prohibition will have had a proper test in this province, and people will know by that time whether they want the law to remain in force or would prefer present conditions, or perhaps a removal local option law. Counties which are now under the Scott Act, however, will thus be given until May 1st of next year to have that act repealed so far as they are concerned. Counties which have not repealed the Scott Act, but still have it in force by May 1st, 1917, will be deemed as in favor of retaining the Scott Act rather than prohibition, and will not be included in the territory which will vote upon the referendum when it takes place. The repealing of the Scott Act in any county, however, will automatically bring the prohibition bill into effect in that county at that time, which means that the first campaign on the part of the temperance forces in the province will no doubt be to have Scott Act repealed and prohibition brought into effect in the counties where the Canada Temperance Act is now in force.

The bill as printed for distribution in the legislature sets forth that if the governor-in-council shall refer the matter to the people, the act shall be allowed in so-called non-intoxicating beers which shall be allowed to be sold, but it was announced that it has been determined to fix the percentage at two per cent, which is a smaller percentage than allowed under present New Brunswick Liquor License Act, which fixes the percentage at two and a half per cent.

The enforcement of the act will be under the supervision of an inspector, with a corps of assistants, each municipality to pay its own costs of the enforcement of the act from its receipts in such cases. The quantity which can be sold under a prescription is limited to six ounces, and only one sale to one person per day can be made under prescription, and only in the case of prescriptions by physicians for persons in country districts who could not readily reach a licensed vendor, so that more than six ounces can be sold in such cases.

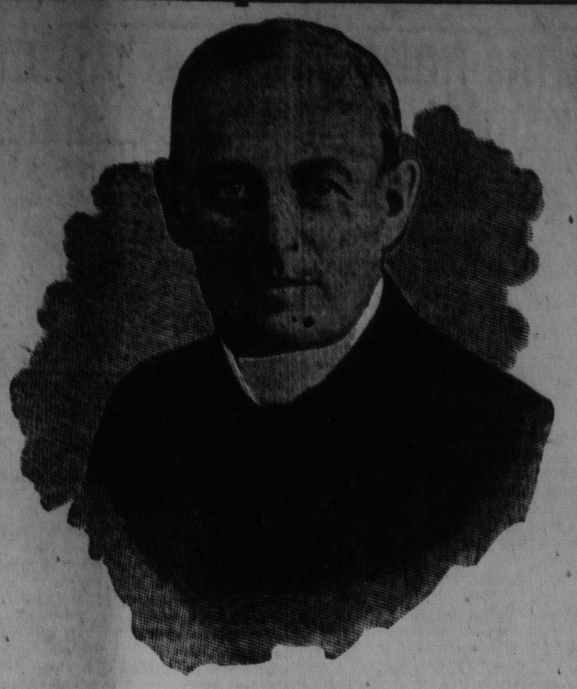
Doubtless there will be some amendments to the bill as it goes through the house. The bill will be taken up in committee by the House next week and many amendments are to be made in the printed bills as agreed upon at government caucuses. The House has adjourned until Tuesday evening for the Easter vacation, when it resumes the first business will probably be the introduction of the St. John Valley Railway legislation.

Col. Guthrie in the House this afternoon spoke to a question of privilege for the purpose of calling a statement which had been made by J. M. Chappell, a local contractor for cement work, who is also employed as a messenger in the House, in connection with a payment of \$75 which Chappell claims he made in connection with a contract which he had for constructing a concrete walk at the legislative buildings. Chappell claimed that two days before he got the contract Colonel Guthrie told him he could get the work if he paid 10 per cent. of the amount of the job to H. M. Blair, who was then secretary of the public works department. Colonel Guthrie showed that he left here for the war in August and was on the Atlantic ocean with the first Canadian contingent when what Chappell alleges to have taken place occurred.

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# PROHIBITION BILL INTRODUCED IN HOUSE YESTERDAY

## Galleries of Legislature Crowded—Measure Brought Down by Hon. Mr. Baxter in One of Most Striking Speeches Heard in House in Years—Reviews History of Temperance Legislation and Shows How Bringing Down of Bill Gives Lie to Insinuations Made by Certain Opponents of the Government—The Summary of the Printed Bill.



Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, Attorney-General, who introduced prohibition bill.

ing to satisfy every temperance advocate and the moment he got elected by assistance of temperance influence, that moment his ardor seemed to diminish and he expressed his loyalty by cutting down the salary of the inspector. Politics has been played—sometimes party politics has been dragged into it. I do not pretend to cover all instances with that day—there has been honest and vigilant enforcement—there is vigilant enforcement. Good men have given their services and we think the act is a success but there is always temptation. If a strongly Scott Act party succeeds one year, the idea is to cut down one man by attacking him perhaps in a Scott Act stronghold and gradually it comes about that somebody else takes the place who may be more pliable. The people could enforce the Scott Act if they wanted to, but machinery for selecting those who shall enforce it is radically defective. We can give them a better implement and I believe that that better implement is contained in the bill which I am now presenting to the House.

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(Woods) told him that he had better make an affidavit. Sometimes later Chappell asked him what about the member for York in connection with the matter and he told him that the only thing for him to do was, if he was going to make any statement at all to tell the truth.

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Dr. Price said that he had not heard the earlier portion of the remarks of the hon. member for York, but as his name had been mentioned by the hon. member for York who had risen to speak regarding his friend Mr. Blair, ex-secretary of public works, he felt he should make some statement. He had heard the hon. member for York say that he had told him that he would have to go to the board of works department and pay Blair ten per cent. of the price to get the job. This alleged statement Chappell said so upset him that he was dumfounded. Next day, however, he went to the department and got the job, and after the job was completed he paid over \$75 to Mr. T. V. Monahan of this city. He (Guthrie) denied to him then as he denied to members that he ever had any such conversation with Chappell or with the public works department, or recommended Chappell for the job. His colleague, Mr. Young, also said that he has no recollection whatever of anything being done on Chappell's behalf nor did he know anything about it until the work was being done. Personally he (Guthrie) knew nothing whatever of it until his return from the front. The time this conversation was alleged to have taken place was on 7th October, 1914, and the date of the contract was October 8th, 1914. He (Guthrie) left Fredericton on the 20th of August and at the time the conversation was supposed to take place he was on the water. He did not know, neither did he care, what Harry Blair had got against the government or against any member of the House, but he would allow no screws to be put on him on behalf of Blair or anybody else. He had no connection whatever with the transaction referred to. He had learned that \$75 was referred to was paid on a certain note which had attained some little local notoriety, and he was also told by a friend that two members of the party to whom Chappell referred were Mr. H. W. Woods, one of the members for Queens, and Dr. O. B. Price, member for Moncton. He made the statement he then did because he understood the story was going the rounds and he thought it his duty in justice to himself to take the earliest opportunity of giving the lie to it.

Mr. Baxter introduced a bill to amend the Factories Act, which had been referred to was something regarding which the government knew absolutely nothing. If there was anybody who had anything to say which would detract from the honor of any member of the government or of the house he would ask him to come forward. The policy of this government had been to show the public that it would not countenance suppression of anything of that nature and their desire had been to have people have confidence in the government and he trusted that members of the house as a whole had that confidence of the people and that the members of the government were in the most happy state. He desired to state again and to emphasize that there were no conditions of the party interest except the members of the party, as a whole and that the party honor rests upon the shoulders of every individual member.

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Mr. Baxter said that for benefit of member from Moncton he had felt like to explain that it had been supposed that this matter was being worked up for the purpose of restraining Mr. Blair from something which he might have to reveal respecting members of this house.

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## QUOTATIONS IN THE ST. JOHN MARKETS

There have been no very important changes in the prices of commodities during the week. Sugar continues to soar, a further advance of ten cents in all grades having occurred early in the week. Molasses is cheaper. Some slight changes have taken place in prices of canned goods. Eggs are cheaper. Jobbers report steady trading in all departments just now. Late quotations are here given.

Sugar, standard	\$7.80	@	\$7.85
Rice	0.75	@	0.85
Yapoon	0.11	@	0.12
Beans			
Yellow-eyed	4.30	@	4.60
White	4.00	@	4.30
Cornmeal, gran.	0.00	@	0.00
Cream of Tartar	0.50	@	0.52
Cornstarch, cleaned	0.12	@	0.12
Molasses	0.57	@	0.58
Peas, split, bags	6.25	@	6.30
Barley, pot, bags	0.25	@	0.30
Haltish			
Chick, seeded	0.10	@	0.10
Fancy, needed	0.10	@	0.11
Salt, Liverpool, per sack, ex store	1.05	@	1.10
Soda, bicarb.	0.10	@	0.20

Flours			
Manitoba	0.00	@	7.35
Ontario	0.00	@	7.95
Ontario, standard	0.00	@	8.00
Oatmeal, rolled	0.00	@	6.25
Cornmeal, bag	0.00	@	1.85

Canned Goods			
Beef			
Corned	5.00	@	5.50
Corned	2.50	@	3.00
Beans			
Baked	1.80	@	1.75
String	1.10	@	1.15
Clams	4.00	@	4.25
Crab	1.10	@	1.15
Horling, kippered	4.50	@	4.75
Oysters			
Is	1.70	@	1.75
Is	2.50	@	2.55

Pineapples	2.15	@	2.15
Strawberries	1.70	@	1.70
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Peas	1.07	@	1.10
Peanuts, 24	1.80	@	1.85
Peanuts, 36	2.40	@	2.45
Pumpkin	1.10	@	1.15
Raspberries	2.17	@	2.20
Salmon			
Pink	5.00	@	5.25
Choke	8.75	@	8.80
Red spring	8.75	@	8.80
Tomatoes	1.25	@	1.35
Strawberries	2.45	@	2.45

Provisions			
Pork, Can. mess	29.00	@	29.50
Pork, Am. clear	39.00	@	39.50
Beef, Am. plate	25.00	@	25.50
Lard, pure	0.14	@	0.14
Lard, comp. tubs	0.14	@	0.14

Meats, Etc.			
Country	0.06	@	0.08
Butcher	0.09	@	0.12
Western	0.10	@	0.12
Chick, cut	0.14	@	0.18
Veal, per lb.	0.08	@	0.10
Mutton, per lb.	0.09	@	0.12
Butter			
Tub	0.50	@	0.50
Hell	0.50	@	0.50
Creamery	0.32	@	0.36
Eggs, fresh	0.24	@	0.26
Eggs, case	0.20	@	0.21
Cheese, Can.	0.19	@	0.20
Pow, per lb.	0.25	@	0.25
Turkey, per lb.	0.28	@	0.30
Chickens, per lb.	0.25	@	0.30
Potatoes, bl.	2.50	@	3.00

Fish			
Blotches, boxes	0.75	@	0.95
Cod			
Medium	0.25	@	0.30
Small	0.00	@	0.00
Finnan haddies	0.60	@	0.68
Herrings			
Gr. Manan, bibs.	6.00	@	6.75
Kippered, boxes	0.80	@	0.80
Haddock	0.00	@	0.00
Halibut	0.00	@	0.14

Fruits, Etc.			
Apples, N. S., bib.	2.50	@	2.50
Cocoanuts, sacks	4.50	@	5.00
Almonds	0.37	@	0.37
Bananas	1.75	@	2.50
Walnuts	0.15	@	0.14
Dates, new	0.07	@	0.08
Pilberts	0.14	@	0.16
Lemons	0.30	@	0.30
Calli, Oranges	3.50	@	4.00
Onions, Amer.	2.00	@	2.00
Peanuts, roasted	2.10	@	2.15

Hay, Oats and Feed			
Hay, car lots, tons	17.00	@	18.00
Hay, per ton	18.00	@	20.00
Moss, small lots			
bags	29.00	@	30.00
Oats, per bushel	0.50	@	0.50
Costa, car lots, bags	0.50	@	0.50
Straw, ten lots, bags	29.00	@	29.00

Oils			
No. 1 lard, com.	0.00	@	1.14
Royalite	0.00	@	0.10
Premier motor gaso	0.00	@	0.55
Fire	0.00	@	0.55
Furniture	0.00	@	0.55
Turpentine	0.00	@	0.72

Hides, Skins, Etc.			
Sheep hides	0.15	@	0.15
Cat skins	0.20	@	0.21
Tallow, rendered	0.00	@	0.00
Stony skins, April	1.00	@	2.00
Wool, washed	0.25	@	0.30
Wool, unwashed	0.25	@	0.30

## ADVERSE FACTORS WERE TOO STRONG

Market Rallied for Short Time, but Fell Back.

## WEAKNESS IN WAR GROUPS PRONOUNCED

Liquidation at its Height in Last Half Hour, Practically Whole List Being Effected.

New York, April 20.—For a brief time, the market rallied, but the adverse factors which brought about the extreme weakness of the previous day, opening prices were mostly at substantial advances, and trading was broader, if less active, the speculative contingent taking a more cheerful view of the international situation. Improvement was short lived, however, another selling movement of increasing proportions being encountered later, which not only obliterated most gains, but caused further market recession. Weakness was again most pronounced in the war group, some of those issues, together with others indirectly allied thereto, falling to the level of the year.

## PRODUCE PRICES ON MONTREAL MARKET

Montreal, April 20.—Corn—American No. 2, yellow, 86 to 87. Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 54 1/2; No. 3, 53; extra No. 1, feed, 53. Flour—March spring wheat, patents, 6.50; second, 6.10; strong hakers, 5.90; winter patents, choice, 6.00; straight rollers, 5.30 to 5.40; in bags, 2.45 to 3.50.

## MONTREAL MARKET

Ames Holden Com.	27	27 1/2
Ames Holden Pfd.	72	72
Brantford L. H. and P.	75	75
Canada Cement	71	71 1/2
Canada Cement Pfd.	61	62
Can. Cotton	44	46
Crown Reserve	44	46
Detroit United	99	99 1/2
Dom. Bridge	22 1/2	22 1/2
Dom. Iron Pfd.	49	49 1/2
Dom. Iron Com.	96	98
Dom. Tex. Com.	82	82 1/2
Laurentide Paper Co.	18	18 1/2
MacDonald Com.	13	14
Min. and St. Paul	118	122
St. Bon. Steel and C.	106	106 1/2
Ottawa L. and P.	120	120 1/2
Ogilvie	131	131
Penman's Limited	61 1/2	62
Quebec Railway	23 1/2	24
Shaw-W. and P. Co.	132	132
Sher. Williams Co.	155	155
Spanish River Com.	7 1/2	8 1/2
Toronto Rails	11	11
Tickets Tobacco	21	21

## NEWS LETTER FROM MONTREAL EXCHANGE

Montreal, April 20.—An uncertain market like Wall Street has been showing for the last few days is bound to have its effect on our stocks. Certainly our market gets strength when any change is given it.

## BETTER FEELING YESTERDAY ON THE MONTREAL MARKET

Unsettled Tone Owing to Uncertainty Over German-American Relations Gave Way and Prices Rallied.

Special to The Standard. Montreal, April 20.—The unsettled tone that characterized the market yesterday owing to the uncertainty about German-American relations gave way to a better feeling today as a result of which prices rallied and sold on a higher level throughout the day's trading.

## MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS

Ames Holden Com.	27	27 1/2
Ames Holden Pfd.	72	72
Brantford L. H. and P.	75	75
Canada Cement	71	71 1/2
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## WINNING WHEAT CLOSE

May	114 1/2
July	116 1/2

## NEW YORK COTTON MARKET SALES

Jan.	12.46	12.49	12.45
Mar.	12.63	12.61	12.62
May	11.90	11.92	11.61
July	12.80	11.97	12.01
Oct.	12.82	12.16	12.20

## BUOYANCE OF STEEL CANADA JUSTIFIED

Splendid Plant, Earnings Good and Outlook is Excellent.

## TWO NEW MILLS NEARLY READY

Recent Reports of Large Revenue Not Exaggerated—Shareholders Visit the Plant. Special to The Standard. Montreal, April 20.—That the recent buoyancy in the price of Steel Canada is justified by the earnings of the company, that the outlook is most favorable from the standpoint of the shareholders are among the impressions brought back from Hamilton by some large shareholders who visited the plant yesterday, and conferred with the management. It is believed that the shareholders may not see in the annual meeting on Tuesday of what the attitude of the present management is with regard to a distribution of profits.

## CLOSING LETTER OF N.Y. MARKET BY E. & C. RANDOLPH

New York, April 20.—After holding steady throughout a good part of the day, the market sold off late trading due to less favorable reports regarding situation in Mexico. The American expeditionary force will advance no further, and the official report says it simply marks time until decision reached as to the change that is to be adopted in Mexican situation. Distributing reports regarding Mexican government attitude towards this country helped to increase unsettlement. Some recovery was made from the lowest prices before the closing. Ambassador Ven. Burnhant was quoted as believing that the situation between this country and Germany was not yet passing the point of diplomatic settlement. The first March railroad report to come to hand was that of Kansas City Southern, showing a net gain of over 16 per cent. for the month. Accounts were largely even up preliminary to Friday's holiday, and the market gave no clear indication on what to base future operations.

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## WILL SUPPLY EDMONTON WITH ELECTRIC POWER

Edmonton Power Co. and City Sign 21 Year Agreement—Result of a Long Investigation of Project.

Special to The Standard. Edmonton, April 20.—After two years expended in an investigation of the project the outcome of which was a favorable report the Edmonton Power Company, Limited, which was organized by G. W. Farrell, of the firm of G. W. Farrell & Co. of this city, has made an arrangement with the city of Edmonton covering a period of 21 years for a minimum annual supply of electric energy of 25 million kilowatts at the rate of 1c. per kilowatt at hour during the life of the contract, the price to decrease on a sliding scale until the consumption of the city reaches 150 million when the rate becomes 5c. per k. w. hour.

## STOCK QUOTATIONS ON N.Y. EXCHANGE

Am. Beet Sugar	87 1/2	87 1/2	88 1/2
Am. Car. P.	61 1/2	62	60 1/2
Am. Loco	67	68 1/2	67 1/2
Am. Wool	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Am. Smelt	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Am. Steel	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Am. Tel.	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Atchafalpa	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Am. Can.	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Balt. and O. C.	85 1/2	85 1/2	85 1/2
Balt. Loco	88	88 1/2	88 1/2
Bell Steel	420	427	427
C. F. I.	48	48	48 1/2
Chino	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Consolidated	61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Cruc. Steel	83	84 1/2	83 1/2
Erie Com.	34	34 1/2	34 1/2
Gen. Elec.	119	119 1/2	119
Gen. S.	74 1/2	75 1/2	75 1/2
Lehigh Val.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
N. Y. C.	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Nor. Pac.	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Pen. S.	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Ray Steel	88	88 1/2	88 1/2
St. Paul	88	88 1/2	88 1/2
Sou. Pac.	95 1/2	95 1/2	95 1/2
Sloss	51	51	50 1/2
Studebaker	122	122 1/2	122
U. S. Steel	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
U. S. Steel Pfd.	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
U. S. Rub. Com.	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Westing. Elec.	69	69 1/2	69 1/2

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## CHICAGO GRAIN AND PRODUCE PRICES

(McDOUGALL & COWANS.) Chicago, April 20.—Wheat—No. 2, red, nominal; No. 2 red, 1.05 to 1.15; No. 2 hard, 1.15 to 1.25; No. 2 hard, 1.15 to 1.25. Corn—No. 2, yellow, 77 to 81; No. 4 yellow, 73 1/2 to 74 1/2; No. 4 white, 74 1/2 to 75. Oats—No. 2 white, 44 1/2 to 45; standard, 46. Rye—No. 2, 86 to 87 1/2. Barley—62 to 76. Timothy—4.50 to 5.00. Clover—10.00 to 10.00. Pork—22.75 to 23.37. Lard—11.70. Hbs—11.50 to 12.50.

Wheat			
High	114 1/2	115	114 1/2
Low	114 1/2	115	114 1/2
July	114 1/2	115	114 1/2
May	76	75 1/2	75 1/2
July	76	75 1/2	75 1/2
May	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
July	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2

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# A Column Which Is Supposed To Be Of Interest To Women

Herein are Related Facts and Fancies Concerning the Activities of Individuals and Organizations, the Home, Fashions and Other Matters.

NEWS OF WOMEN'S CLUBS.  
We are always pleased to receive any news of Women's Societies, fashion notes, new or tried recipes, etc., which may be of interest to our readers and we will publish same when suitable. All communications for these columns (not for publication), and to be addressed to the Editor, Women's Column, The St. John Standard, St. John.

says Old Doctor Ma' Ginn. If the divinity mixed with man is less than far from good. Faith, let us be honest at least mead as devil or saint we should.

ELECTION DAY.  
There are, I believe 1700 women in St. John who have the power to vote in the civic election, on Monday. Every woman who has an opinion of her own, and especially the women who pay taxes, surely has made up her mind as to those among the aspirants for civic honors, who will best administer the city's affairs. Surely women are most keenly interested in the welfare of our city, and the way to show that interest, is to exercise your franchise. Remember that Monday is the time to hand your written opinion, not say later: "I wish so and so had not won the election."

And though few of us walk the path that the Holier men have trod, To be fair wif the stunner as well as the saint.

FOR LITTLE PEOPLE.  
Checks of all sizes, in black and white, brown and white and blue and white, have the favor in children's coats, both for the small girl and her

small brother. Black and white checks have special favor for they are particularly crisp and smart along with little hats that supply the childish note of color. And always the black and white checked coat is made youthful and gay by the addition of white trimmings and buttons, or collar and facings of taffeta silk—Dutch blue or old rose with the black and white check seem to be best liked. Occasionally an exclusive little garment will show some other shade in its trimmings; for example, a black checked coat in black and white has collar and cuffs of corn-colored satin with buttons of ivory tinted hose. A lining of the pale corn-colored satin adds a rich note. A dainty coat of brown and white check has collar and cuffs of olive green taffeta, a ripple cape to the waist showing a lining of the same olive green. Collar and cuffs are of spotted white plique-detachable, of course, for laundering. A wee girl, obviously dressed for an afternoon call, wears a captivating hat of pink chiffon and a trimming of small pink roses and leaves. Her strap slippers are black and the short socks white with black and pink stripings.

Those privileged to be present at the series of teas and entertainments given by the King and Queen to wounded sailors and soldiers at Buckingham Palace last week are never likely to forget the experience. Nothing the least like those gatherings has ever been seen under a Royal roof before; nothing has brought the most democratic King and Queen a great Empire has known into such close and intimate contact with the heart of the country. For the wounded lie close to the hearts of every one of us, and what is done by the Sovereigns to give them pleasure and show them good-fellowship is done for us.



THE GERMAN SPY UNMASKED.  
A powerful scene in "The White Feather," which will be presented at the Opera House next Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, by Albert Brown and the entire original New York cast under the direction of William A. Brady, Ltd.

Those who thought a tea-party with Queens and Princesses presiding at the tables was bound to be a formal and ceremonial affair, should have been present in the Royal Mews any afternoon of the three, especially when the Canadian and Australian soldiers had been through the crust of reserve that always sits lightly upon them, and were trying out for autographs of their hostesses. Queen Alexandra must have been tired with writing her name but she smilingly obliged the very last applicant, as did Princess Mary, the Princess Royal, Princess Arthur of Connaught, and indeed, any of the Royal ladies who were asked. They were as obviously delighted to please the men as the men were eager to be pleased.

In addition to the ladies named, those who helped Their Majesties on one or all days included Queen Amelia of Portugal, who came in nurse's uniform on the Wednesday and kept an attentive eye on some of her patients from Wandsworth, the Grand Duchess George of Russia, Prince Albert, Princess Louise, Duchess of Argyll, Princess Christian and her daughters, the Duchess of Albany, Princess Alexander of Teck, Princess Maud and the Duchess of Teck.

OBITUARY.  
Daughter of William J. McCauley.  
The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. William J. McCauley, 18 Camden street will regret to hear of the death of their daughter, Evelyn Elizabeth, who passed away at her home yesterday. The little one was a bright little girl, and was a general favorite. The funeral will be held at 3:30 tomorrow afternoon.

YOUR SICK CHILD IS CONSTIPATED! LOOK AT TONGUE  
If cross, feverish or bilious give "California Syrup of Figs."  
No matter what ails your child, a gentle, thorough laxative should always be the first treatment given. If your little one is out-of-order, half sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, Mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that his little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad, or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

## "TIZ" PUTS JOY IN SORE, ACHING FEET

"My, how 'Tiz' Gladdens Tired, Swollen, Burning Feet—It's glorious!"



Ah! what relief. No more tired feet; no more burning feet; no more swollen, aching, aching feet; no more soreness in corns, callouses, bunions. No matter what ails your feet or under the sun you've tried without getting relief, just use "Tiz." "Tiz" is the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous excretions which puff up the feet. "Tiz" cures your foot trouble so you'll never limp or draw up your face in pain. Your shoes won't seem tight and your feet will never, never hurt or get sore and swollen. Think of it, no more foot misery, no more heavy iron corns, callouses or bunions. Get a 25-cent box at any drug store or department store and get instant relief. Wear smaller shoes. Just once try "Tiz." Get a whole year's foot comfort for only 25 cents. Think of it.

# Children's News Of The St. John Theatres Told In The Right Way

Who's Who and What's What in the Picture Game and on the Stage --- Film Favorites and What They Say and Do.

## Letters Received From His Boys and Girls

### TODAY'S LITTLE JOKE.

"I want my hair cut," said young Robsworth, as he went into the barber's shop, "and I want it cut like father's, with a little round hole on top."

### EXTRACTS FROM THE MAIL BAG

Dear Uncle Dick:— Glad Spring is here. I thought I would try this contest. Hope I will be successful. I am glad spring is here. I go to school most every day. I am in the seventh grade.

From your niece, Alma Price. Sends sympathy. Jordan Mt.

Dear Uncle Dick:— Yes, I do like to have a chat with you once in a while. I got the Kalser buttons, and thank you very much it is pretty. I do just love the spring and the pretty birds and to hear them sing. My papa is setting a lot better. I will have to close this time with best wishes.

From your niece, Ora J. Tait. Has Brother in England. Centreton, Kings Co., N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick:— I am sending you the word contest, and also a colored picture. This is a lovely morning. We will soon be finding spring beauties, and they will be fully around here. My brother is in the 5th Battalion, at Westernhanger Camp. He is in the hospital with the German measles. Hoping some of my answers may be right.

I remain your niece, Ames E. Miller. Trying to Get Prize. St. George's, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick:— I have read your letter this week, and I am sending you a drawing of my cat. I think you will like it. I receive satisfactory, as I would like to give a prize.

From your loving nephew, C. M. Pottle. A Nice Writer. Hatfield Pt., N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick:— I did last week's contest, and I have done this week's contest. I hope I will get something out of one of them. You told us kiddies to watch the Daily Standard, but we only take the weekly, and therefore I will miss a lot. Papa is talking of taking it later on. I will be glad when he does take it, so that I can read the Corner more. With best wishes and heaps of love.

From your niece, Elsie Urquhart. Has Brother in 104th Battalion. Folskna, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick:— I have joined the Corner again, and colored a little girl, and hope to get something for it. We have had some nice weather, but it is snowing today, and is pretty cold too. Well it will snow as much as they grow plenty, we can go picking May flowers now, have a brother in the 104th, and he is married.

From your niece, Kathleen Folskna. Likes the Certificates. Oromocto, N. B.

Dear Uncle Dick:— I thank you very much for the certificate you sent me. I would like to get a prize very much. I am trying to get it this time. I am ten years old, and I will be eleven the first of July. I will be glad when summer comes. Well I guess I will have to close for this time.

Your niece, Evelyn McCrear. Reading Page For Some Time. Cody's, N. B.

My Dear Uncle Dick:— I have been reading your page for some time. And have been greatly interested in it. I am sending the names of the flowers.

## Wonderful Bilious Remedy Actually Prevents Attacks

There are two great causes of biliousness, one is constipation and defective liver action. When Dr. Hamilton's Pills are taken, they do not only correct constipated bowels, but act upon the liver as well. Quite unlike ordinary medicines which purge and give temporary relief, Dr. Hamilton's Pills remove the conditions which cause biliousness, and thus permanent cures are effected. No person who occasionally suffers from the headache, bad stomach or bilious complaint, get a 25c box today.

## The Unique.

Yesterday presented Bessie Barriscale (so famous for her acting in the "Miracle of Life") in a play called "The Mating" in this picture Miss Barriscale takes the part of a young country girl called Doris Willard, who finds a mate in an unusual way. There are many good parts in the story, indeed it is all good, but the outstanding scenes are those portraying life at "Hamlin College," evidently a large school for "lappers." It might be called a "snobs college" for it is a vivid picture of that class of school where girls learn everything but charity and get very false ideas of the true values of things in life. There is when he comes to the rescue of Doris among a group of girls looking like a little white rabbit, hemmed in by hungry cats" as he says. There is a very funny pajama party with many incidental and a touch, which ladies will particularly appreciate, is Doris in her dowdy clothes studying a fashion page where are pictured some of Lucille's creations. Miss Barriscale's facial expression is wonderful and she shows her versatility in a story like this. The audience evidently were right there with her for they applauded her triumph very heartily. This is a very fine production of the New York Picture Corporation. It is an especially interesting picture for the holidays.

of failure, they took up the Famous Players, re-organizing the company, and forming the Famous Players Film Service, Ltd., with B. Allen as president, J. J. Allen, vice-president, and J. Allen, secretary. For two years they spent huge sums of money, and today have the biggest feature business in Canada, comprising the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play Co., The Oliver Morosco Photo Play Co., and the Pallas Pictures. They also keep a man in London looking for big European productions. This company buy the best productions made by other companies, but their own are handled exclusively by their own exchange. Paramount is the name of the releasing firm in the United States.

Wednesday matinee engagement, comes from a militant young woman's arming herself with a basketful of emblems of cowardice, with the idea of presenting one to each young man she meets who has not done his bit. There is nothing in the play to offend the most sensitive person, nor is it a "knock" at the man who stays at home, and it has a vein of brilliant comedy that relieves the intensity of the action. A group of clever German spies, using their small east coast hotel as their rendezvous, are endeavoring to convey information about the movements of the intensity of the action. A group of clever German spies, using their small east coast hotel as their rendezvous, are endeavoring to convey information about the movements of the intensity of the action.

"The Birth of a Nation."  
The right way to spend the holiday today is to attend the Opera House at either the matinee or evening performance at 8.15. There are plenty of good seats left for both performances. The engagement of this attraction is rapidly drawing to a close. It may never come again, so nobody in St. John should miss seeing this great spectacle and hearing that delightful orchestra.

The company never realized until lately, what a field the Maritime Provinces could be. The first of the year the head office (now Toronto) decided to study the possibilities here, and sent Mr. I. Sookins as a special representative to look over the situation very carefully. They decided that this part of the country is entitled to the very best productions to be had, and Mr. Sookins remained here to install the No. 1 service the 1st of May. The pictures are released in Montreal and come here from there. This means we will get the first plays of this company much sooner than ever before. The Opera House will show here fine picture plays, and all sorts of improvements are being planned. New orchestra, new machines and lots of things.

## ALICE FAIRWEATHER.

### THE "WHITE FEATHER" NEXT MONDAY.

The title of "The White Feather" which comes to the Opera House on Monday next for a three nights and

MATINEE Today 2.15 OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT at 8.15  
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WED. MATINEE - - - - \$1.00, 75c, 50c  
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"THE GREAT DIVIDE"  
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ST. JOHN, N. B., FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 1916.

*"We are fighting for a worthy purpose, and we shall not lay down our arms until that purpose has been fully achieved."—H.M. The King TO THE PEOPLE OF THE EMPIRE—Every fighting unit we can send to the front means one step nearer peace.*

### ST. JOHN'S TRADE.

The statement showing the increase in St. John's export trade for the fiscal year, published this morning, will be read with keen attention by every citizen interested in the prosperity of this city and port. The statement is truly a remarkable one inasmuch as it shows that during the year the export trade of the port has increased by more than \$76,000,000. Practically all of this great increase is found in the Imperial supplies shipments.

Attempts have been made by some opposition newspapers to create a feeling that, even with every berth occupied and steamers lying in the stream, with the railroads hauling to their capacity and the volume of traffic much greater than ever before in history, St. John is not getting all the trade that should come here. It was this spirit which prompted the Telegraph to the other morning to feature a story to the effect that this port was not getting as much grain for shipment as its position entitled it to.

It is recognized that grain shipments are of less value to any port than package freight and the package freight trade through St. John this season has been very heavy, so heavy in fact that the railroads have been engaged in hauling package goods where they formerly hauled grain.

The question of elevator facilities has nothing to do with the present situation for if the harbor front was lined with grain elevators from Reid's Point clear around to the newest of the Sand Point docks, no more grain could be stored in them or shipped through them than the railroads could haul. The intimation that grain shipments which should come to St. John are going to Halifax is also incorrect, for inquiry from the Intercolonial Railway will show that the Halifax shipments are no heavier in comparison to former years than are our own. Portland, Maine, is getting a larger grain trade than in other years and at the end of the season may show a larger number of steamship sailings to the more valuable freight, the profitable class of goods which require the most handling and consequently represent the greatest amount of work for the men who get their livelihood from the winter port trade continues to come to St. John.

Irrespective of what prejudiced newspapers may say St. John is having the greatest and most profitable winter port season in her history and to small share of the credit for that fact fairly belongs to Hon. J. D. Hazen, our energetic representative in the Dominion Government.

### SIR SAM AND HIS ACCUSERS.

It was not to be expected that opposition newspapers would be satisfied with Sir Sam Hughes' address to the House of Commons, in explanation of the fuse contracts forming the basis of the allegations made by Mr. Kytte and Mr. Carvell, and which will be thoroughly probed by the Duff-Meredith commission, but those who have read the very complete reply of the Minister of Militia will realize that he has already done much to dissipate the apparent seriousness of the allegations. Of Sir Sam's speech the Toronto Mail and Empire of Wednesday says:

"Though it is not on the floor of the House of Commons that the Kytte charges are to be thrashed out, it is well that they have not been left unanswered there. Mr. Kytte's speech in the House was widely published, produced a sensation, and put the country in a state of expectation for what Sir Sam Hughes would have to say. Yesterday Sir Sam delivered a speech which went far to satisfy at least the public's curiosity, and, better still, to enable them to take a more impartial view of the question at issue. Mr. Kytte's speech looked formidable when it stood alone. After hearing what Sir Sam had to say, now, that the matter is under judicial investigation, many people will perceive that much in Mr. Kytte's speech that looked like demonstration of certainties is by no means now to be so regarded. Unquestionably, Sir Sam Hughes' remarks, reserved though they were bound to be, were calculated to be, put another face on the matter. The attack on him was very meagrely conducted. Not until he had left the country was the Kytte mine sprung. Sir Sam had let it be known that he was leaving, and at his instance the Prime Minister had asked the leader of the opposition if there was any

question requiring Sir Sam's presence here. Sir Wilfrid had said that there was none of which he was aware. Mr. Carvell dragged out his speech to inordinate length, but would not bring it to any point against Sir Sam while the latter was present, and moved the adjournment of the debate in order seemingly that he might have the advantage of Sir Sam's absence for its continuance. Then he could talk of the Minister of Militia's "running away." Whatever the commissioners may find it will not be that Sir Sam Hughes ever showed himself afraid of meeting any adversary. He came back as quickly as possible to confront his accusers. He will devote most of his time to the contest to be waged with them before the commissioners, leaving the duties of his department in the meantime largely in the hands of the Prime Minister."

### ANOTHER HERO.

The deepest sympathy of the entire province will go out to Hon. J. D. and Mrs. Hazen in the bereavement caused by the death of their youngest son Lieutenant James M. Hazen, who passed away yesterday in France from wounds sustained in the defence of the Empire. It has been said that "death loves a shining mark," and the truth of that old adage has never been more strikingly demonstrated than in the case of the brilliant young officer whose demise has brought such general grief.

Lieutenant Hazen was a splendid type of sturdy young Canadian manhood. A student of the Royal Military College at Kingston, he was a capable officer and had been highly commended by his superiors. His death is a distinct loss, not only to his bereaved family and many friends, but to the whole community, but tempered with the sorrow will be the consoling and compensating knowledge that he gave his life for the noblest of all causes—the cause of freedom and righteousness.

### THE PROHIBITION LEGISLATION.

The legislation to provide for the prohibition of the liquor traffic in the province of New Brunswick was introduced in the Provincial Legislature by Attorney General Baxter, yesterday afternoon, and will be considered when the House re-assembles after the Easter vacation. While the bill, as introduced, will probably be somewhat amended in its committee stages and before it becomes law, it appears to be progressive and good legislation, inasmuch as it takes cognizance of the rapidly growing public sentiment in favor of the abolition of the liquor traffic and meets the desire of the great mass of the people in an eminently fair way. It will also be fair to men engaged in what is at present a legalized business, as it will afford reasonable opportunity for them to dispose of stocks on hand before it becomes operative.

The cause of prohibition has received a tremendous impetus as the result of the Empire war and the decision of first class powers of Europe that national efficiency can best be promoted where the traffic in alcoholic beverages is not recognized as a legal commercial undertaking. Other Canadian provinces have adopted similar legislation which it is believed will work to general advantage and New Brunswick will do well to follow suit.

The introduction of the prohibition legislation as a Government measure amply refutes the insinuation made by base opposition partisans that the Clarke Government was committed to the liquor party. That insinuation was not credited when it was made. The speech of Attorney General Baxter, yesterday, shows that there never was the slightest foundation for it.

### THE VALLEY RAILWAY ROUTE.

To the Telegraph and Times and other newspapers charged in the attempt to create a prejudice against the west side route for the St. John Valley Railway on the alleged ground that another route would give better connection for transcontinental trade we commend the following from the St. John Globe, a staunch and consistent Liberal newspaper: "Not too often, not too strongly, can be repeated and reiterated the statement that such business as St. John will get as a result of the construction of the Valley Railroad depends not on the route followed, but on the arrangement entered into between the

owners of the Valley road and the owners of the connecting road, the National Transcontinental. That is the essential fact to be kept constantly in mind in considering the problems of the future. When Mr. Hays and Mr. Chamberlin and the Grand Trunk managers had their eyes on the Valley road as the outlet for a Canadian winter port, their opinion as to the route to be followed was of importance. They wanted the east side, because it kept them independent of both the Intercolonial and Canadian Pacific. Mr. Chamberlin and his associates are not now talking of a Canadian winter port connection. They have abandoned the National Transcontinental and the Valley road and have thrown on the Federal and Provincial governments the task of working out the problems of the future. That is why it is no longer necessary to give thought or consideration to their opinions. That is why it is today wise and prudent to give thought and consideration to the views and opinions of the Intercolonial and Canadian Pacific. They are the ones who will operate both the National Transcontinental and the Valley road. The business the Valley road and St. John get depends on the business the government-owned and operated system can give here. The Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific can give us nothing. Because this is the situation—and it is the situation, plain and in a nutshell—it must be plain to every citizen of St. John and of New Brunswick that the future of the Valley Railroad, the future of St. John, so far as National Transcontinental business is concerned, depend not on the route followed in reaching St. John, but on the trade arrangement the government of New Brunswick makes in return for extending the road to suit the wishes of the owners of the National Transcontinental."

The gentlemen who, at the recent public meetings in the Board of Trade rooms, went on record in favor of the east side route, or the newspapers which commend that route because it is the one the Government will not adopt, can provide no fair and convincing answer to the foregoing argument. It is eminently sound business practice to complete the road by the route which will be of greatest value to the parties operating it for the interests of the operators and of the port of St. John are identical.

No woman is immune to superfluous growths, and because these are likely to appear at any time it is advisable to always have some delatone powder handy to use when the occasion arises. A paste is made with some of the powder and water and spread upon the hairy surface; in about 2 minutes this is carefully removed and the skin washed. You will then find that your skin is entirely free from hair or fuzz. Be sure, however, to get real delatone.

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Weather—Showers, unless you have got your umbrella with you. Grate Discovery. On an exciting voyage of exploration, the editors of the Park Ave. News discovered a place where you get 2 milk-shakes for a cent. Anyone wishing to know where it lay can find out for the sum of one cent. Lost and Found Department—Lost. A pen knife with 2 blades, one missing and the other broken in half. Suitable reward. Found—Nothing. Slightly Notes—Miss Mary Watkins has returned from the South, where she has been spending 2 days with her aunt, who lives 6 blocks south of Miss Watkins' home. Miss Watkins sees that she didn't notice any difference in climate. Wanted to Exchange—A electric light torch that don't work, for bicycle bell. (Advertisement). Sports—race was held on Puds Simkinses front stoop to see who could count up to a million first. Nobody won on account of the sum of the fellow forgetting how much they had counted up to, and the rest having to go home to suppur, but it was an exciting race on account of everybody counting out loud. Pome by Skinny Martin. Little drops of brick and stone Make the miter towers. O see the April showers Trying to make May flowery! Intriguing Facts—The moon is 238900 miles away, but you don't haf to have extra good eyes to see it.

### SOLENN SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES

Maundy Thursday was observed yesterday in all of the Roman Catholic churches and in a number of Episcopal churches. Today, Good Friday, a holiday in this city, will be marked by solemn services in all the churches of both denominations, and by many Evangelical churches. At the Mission church of St. John Baptist (Anglican), there were celebrations of the Holy Eucharist at 7:30 and 9:30 a. m., matins at 9 a. m. and solemn evensong at 8. Pontifical High Mass was celebrated in the Cathedral on Waterloo street, at 9 o'clock. His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc pontificating. During the ceremony the holy oils for use in the diocese during the coming year were blessed. Rev. L. Guerin, C. S. C., of St. Joseph's University, was the High Priest. Rev. Wm. Duke was deacon, and Rev. J. W. Holland, of St. George, sub-deacon. Rev. J. Gervais, of Cape Sable, and Rev. C. P. Carleton, of Peteraville, were deacons of honor. Rev. F. A. Bourgeois, D. D., was the master of ceremonies.

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# PROHIBITION BILL INTRODUCED IN HOUSE

(Continued from page 2.)

Speaker, are we going to give back to the boys who have gone forth to fight for the solidarity, for the continuity of this Empire? If we bring them back to us, in the Castle of Liberty, in the Province of the Queen, we are again finding foothold in the life which they left. I do not think that I need discuss the question of whether prohibition is a good thing or a bad thing. I think that the question of whether it is a good thing or a bad thing is a question of fact, and I think that the question of fact is a question of fact, and I think that the question of fact is a question of fact.

Every wholesale licensee shall keep an accurate record of every sale of liquor made by him and shall show the time when the sale took place, the name of the person to whom it was made, and the kind and quantity sold. A retail licensee shall only authorize the sale of liquor for medicinal purposes and under the prescription of a physician, and no more than one sale shall be made under one prescription; or the sale to a dentist in a county court judge. Licensees may be transferred upon the recommendation of the chief inspector.

Today besides the large number of states in the United States we know that Manitoba has adopted an act very similar to the one I am presenting today. Alberta has an act under direct legislation, the plan prepared by the temperance people and submitted to a referendum and carried by a large majority. There they are bringing us a proposal to do, an act into force by direct legislation, to take effect as will be described later on. In the Province of Quebec immense changes have taken place in the sentiment of the people since 1898 through the influence of many temperance workers and through the influence of commercialism of the day, that utilitarian which does not wish to see anything lost. Areas within which liquor may be sold in Quebec are being not gradually but swiftly restricted and it is only a matter of time when liquor will be sold only in the cities of Montreal and Quebec.

The prohibition bill is a summary of the printed bill dealing with prohibition introduced in the legislature yesterday by Hon. Mr. Baxter. The title of the act is "The Intoxicating Liquor Act 1916" and it shall come into force on proclamation by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council and shall apply to every part of the province in which the Canada Temperance Act is not in force. In the event that any act relating to any county or municipality is not in force immediately come into force.

I do not like to detract in anyway from the gravity of this issue. I do not like to speak out of harmony with the majority of the House, but there is one matter that I think in justice to this government I have a right to say to the House at this time. It is less than a year ago that with his own majesty and audacity a certain person who is unfortunately too well known throughout the province of New Brunswick, by insinuations and suggestions, tried to convince the public of the province that this government stood close to the liquor interest and that a campaign fund was being being raised. It was a malignant slander. It was done not from a high purpose of relieving this province from any stigma, it was done in order that justice might be had, but from the lowest of partisan motives. Certain men thought that they could restore the day when to make a charge against a government was followed by what is popularly known as sitting on the lid, by a refusal to investigate, refusal to clean house. But, Sir, the influence which attempted to fasten the charge upon this government of having connived with the liquor interests, the liquor dealers, I said that it was untrue, I said it was malicious; but Mr. Speaker, and gentlemen, it has its answer before the people of New Brunswick today in this bill. No man, or body of men, who had anything that could be revealed against them for having engaged in any such traffic or negotiation would dare for one moment to present to the country, to go into operation without having the taking of a vote, an absolutely prohibitory measure.

Every person having been three times convicted for violation of the act shall be considered "a persistent violator" and upon subsequent conviction shall be imprisoned with hard labor for one year. Any person having been granted to any person, company or firm except by application to the provincial secretary accompanied by affidavits and a bond as required by the act, such bond to be for the principal \$500 and the surety \$350 each. All applications for licenses shall be advertised in the Royal Gazette as soon as possible after the 1st of March of each year. It shall be the duty of the local inspector within two weeks of such advertisement to inspect all the premises for which a license has been applied and report to the chief inspector and any ten or more ratepayers resident near a store or warehouse proposed to be licensed may object provided three weeks' notice chief inspector. The latter will then fix the time and place for hearing such application and objection and in respect of such hearing shall possess all the powers and authorities of a county court judge. Licensees may be transferred upon the recommendation of the chief inspector.

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## Late Sport News

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Washington, April 20.—President Wilson opened the local baseball season here today when he threw out the first ball in the game between Washington and New York. The President was greeted with enthusiastic cheers from a capacity crowd when he tossed the ball to Umpire Connolly.

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## Prohibition Introduced In The House Yesterday

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ing violated the provisions of the act attempting to compound or settle the offense and any person concerned in or connected with any such attempt shall be liable to imprisonment with hard labor for three months. Any person tampering with the witness or attempting to bribe or use threats to one shall be liable to a penalty of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500, for each offense.

No licensee shall accept in payment for liquor sold by him anything except current money or the purchaser's own cheque, under a penalty of \$30 or a month's imprisonment, and no licensee shall receive payment in advance for liquor agreed to be sold. No liquor shall be sold on credit, and if any is so sold the price therefor shall not be recoverable in any court; this, however, does not apply to sales made under a wholesale license.

**Penalties.**  
All penalties or fines in money recovered under the act shall be immediately paid to the convicting magistrate and by him at once turned over to the treasurer of the city, town or municipality which bears the expense of administering the act; and no judge, magistrate, inspector or other person shall have any power or authority to remit, suspend or compromise any penalty or punishment inflicted under the act. In the event of the imprisonment of any person upon the several warrants of commitment under different sections, the terms of imprisonment under such warrants shall be consecutive and not concurrent.

**Prosecutions.**  
The provisions of the act for the prosecution of offenses are largely along the same lines as those under the Canada Temperance Act and the Liquor License Act. No action shall be taken against any inspector or other person employed in carrying out the provisions of the act except on one month's notice being given to him stating clearly the cause of action and the name of the party intending to bring same and the place of proposed trial and no evidence shall be produced on the hearing of anything of which notice has not been given and no judgment shall be given to the plaintiff unless delivery of such notice is proved.

It shall be the duty of every policeman, constable or inspector who sees any person apparently under the influence of liquor in any public place or public conveyance or at any fair, tea-party, picnic or society gathering to take such person before a magistrate or town clerk or person authorized to administer oaths and make such person disclose on oath whether he had drunk any liquor on that day and if so, the nature and quality of it and when, where and from whom obtained and whether purchased or not. If such person refuses to give such information he may be imprisoned until he does so, but such imprisonment shall not continue for longer than 24 hours from the time of his arrest.

**Appeals.**  
Except in the case of a licensee there shall be no appeal from a conviction or order of a magistrate or justice of the peace but a convicted licensee may on entering into bond with sufficient sureties in the sum of \$200 each, may appeal to a Judge of the Supreme Court in Chambers who shall have the power to retry the case. An appeal from any order of dismissal of a summons may similarly be made by the chief inspector.

**Beer License.**  
Provision for granting beer licenses for the sale of non-intoxicating drinks is much the same as those at present in force under the Liquor License Act.

**General Provisions.**  
While the act is intended to prohibit transactions in liquor which take place wholly within the province, except under license or as otherwise provided, and restrict the consumption of liquor within the province, it shall not effect and is not intended to effect bona fide transactions in liquor between a person within the province and another person without the province; but any person who by himself or agent brings into the province from any place outside of it any liquor knowing or intending it to be dealt with illegally shall be liable to a fine of not less than \$100 nor two months imprisonment, for a first offense with increasing penalties for subsequent offenses; and the onus shall be on the person bringing the liquor into the province to prove that he had reason to believe that it would not be unlawfully dealt with.

All express companies shall keep an accurate record of every delivery of liquor made by them, and such records at all times to be open to the view of any inspector and a copy thereof delivered to him on demand, under penalty of non-compliance of not less than \$20 and not more than \$80.

No person under the influence of liquor or of any exhilarating or stimulating drug shall drive an automobile or motor vehicle on any public highway and the use of any liquor or drug shall be prima facie evidence that the person is under the influence thereof. The penalty for contravening this section is the fine of \$25 or 10 days imprisonment.

### Shipping News.

**MINIATURE ALMANAC.**  
April—Phases of the Moon.  
New Moon ..... 2nd 10h 21m p.m.  
First Quarter ..... 10th 10h 36m a.m.  
Full Moon ..... 18th 1h 7m a.m.  
Last Quarter ..... 24th 6h 38m p.m.

Date	D. of W.	Sun Rise	Sun Sets	H. Water a. m.	L. Water p. m.
21	Fri	5:34	7:11	1:20	13:49
22	Sat	5:32	7:13	2:08	14:42
23	Sun	5:30	7:14	3:06	15:44
24	Mon	5:28	7:15	4:09	16:50

**PORT OF ST. JOHN.**  
Arrived Thursday, April 19, 1916.  
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**DOMESTIC PORTS.**  
Halifax, April 19—Apr: Schs Erie

### BRITISH PORTS.

Liverpool, April 18—Arr: Str Colman, McDonald, Boston; Str Earl of Elgin, Leslie, New York.  
Newport, April 18—Str: Str Clary, (Nor), Loubserg, C. B.

### FOREIGN PORTS.

Portland, April 19—Arr: Str Cape Breton, McDonald, Louisburg, C. B.; Schs James L. Maloy, Rockland for Boston; Maoma, Gayton, St. John, N. B. for New York; William Booth, Greenleaf, Norfolk; tug Cruiser, towing barge Kaleva, from Louisburg, C. B., coal.

Rec'd April 19: Str Cape Breton, McDonald, Louisburg, C. B.; Schs Christie A. Cox, King, Clark's Harbor, N. S.; Str Iola, Davis, Cardiff.  
And April 18: Schs Francis Goodnow, Norfolk; Charles H. Kinck, do. Sld April 16: Schs Charles Darwin, port, Baltimore; Emily F. Northam, from Long Cove, New York; Childe Harold, from Calais for do; T. W. H. White, from New York, Rockland; Mattie J. Ailes, from do, Lubec; Vineyard Haven, April 18—Arr: Sch

### RECENT CHARTERS.

Steamer F. J. Linnah, West India trade, six months, basis 40c, June. Sch Calumet, Miragant to Chester, Pa., logwood, p. t. Sch Henry Lippert, Philadelphia to Liverpool, 4500 bbls petroleum, \$5 per bbl, prompt. Sch Addison E. Bullard, Hazel to Chester on New York, with logwood, p. t.

### BOUND FOR ST. KITTS.

Sch Macroe Dell, which was recently overhauled and redited at Yarmouth, sailed from that port on Monday for St. Kitts with a general cargo.

### A LARGE FREIGHT.

Sch Sullivan Sawin, just arrived at


Boston from Kittery, will haul out for general repairs, after which she will load freight at St. John, N. B., for Cuba, getting \$20,000 for the run, one of the largest freights ever paid a vessel of her size, she measuring only 599 tons. The Sawin was built at Bath in 1874 and the freight above mentioned is double what she would have sold for before the war.

### SEAMEN RESCUED.

Captain A. J. Mills and two seamen, Fred Riley and Christopher Strandquist, of the schooner Silver Spray, were brought in to Boston Monday by the Prince George. The Silver Spray, which was owned in Machias, Me., was wrecked in a storm 30 miles off Portland on April 1, while bound from Lubec, Me. to New York.

### LONGSHOREMEN'S WAGES.

Longshoremen's wages have recently been given a boost at nearly all the Atlantic coast shipping ports. At Montreal a five cent an hour increase was given them on general cargo, the rate now being 35 cents an hour for day work and 40 cents an hour at night. At Philadelphia the new scale is 35 cents an hour for day work, 50 cents for night and 60 cents for Sundays and holidays.



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I'M ALL DRESSED FOR THE BALL—NOW IF I CAN GET PAST MAGGIE I'LL BE HAPPY!

WHERE ARE YOU GOIN', DEAR?

JUST GOINNA FIX THE FURNACE BEFORE I GO TO BED—

WHO ORDERED THAT COAL SINCE I WUZ DOWN HERE? I'LL NEVER FIND ME HAT AND SHOES—

## The Broad

(Continued from yesterday.)

"And why?"  
"Cos you was the very identical chap I come up from Tonbridge to find?"  
"Were you sent to find me?"  
"Eas'y a bit—you're a blacksmith, isn't you?"  
"I told you so before."  
"You're more, you looks a blacksmith in this there leather apron, an' w' your face all smutty. To be sure, you're powerful like 'im—Number One as was my master as now is—"  
"Did he send you to find me?"  
"Some folks might take you for a gentleman, mees'n' you off and like, but I know different."  
"Ah how?"  
"Well, I never 'eard of a gentleman turn'n' 'isselt into a blacksmith, afore, for one thing."  
"Still, one might," I ventured, "No," answered the Postillon, "with a decisive shake of the hand, 'tis 'isselt in natur'; when a gentleman gets down in the world, an' 'as to do sum'mat for a liv'n', 'e generally shoos 'isselt—ah! an' I've knowed 'em do it too! An' then I've noticed as you don't swear, nor yet curse—not even a damn."  
"Seldom," said I, "but what of that?"  
"I've need a deal o' the fine quality in my time, one way or another—many's the fine gentleman as I've 'em groomed for, an' never a one of 'em 'e didn't curse me—ah!" said the Postillon, sighing and shaking his head, "ow they did curse me!—specially one—a young lord—oncommon fond o' me 'e were too, in 'is way, to the day 'is 'oss fell an' rolled on 'im. 'Jacob,' says 'e, short like, for 'e were a-goin' fast. 'Jacob,' says 'e, 'damna your filthy filthy ugly mug!' says 'e; 'you bet me as that cursed brute would do for 'im.' I did, my lord," says I, "I remember as the tears was a-runn'n' down all our faces as we carried 'im on the five-barred gate, that bein' 'an' earl, or a gentleman as 'e was, you was right, 'Jacob,' an' he damn'd you! you' right; 'e; 'you'll find a tenner in my coat pocket 'ere, you've won it, for I sha'n't last the day out, 'Jacob.' An' 'e didn't utter no 'word' to me as we got 'im 'ome, an' left me a 'red pound in 'is will. Ah! gentlemen as 'is gent's is all the same, ordl. love 'you! there never was one 'em but damn'd my legs, or my liver, or the chaise, or the 'osses, or the road, or the Inns, or all on 'em together. If you was to strip me as naked as the palm of your 'and, an' to strip a lord, or a earl, or a gentleman as naked as the palm of your 'and, an' was to place us side by side—where'd be the difference? We're both men, both flesh and blood, an' 'e well—then wieser'd be the difference? 'Ow to tell which is the lord an' which is the postillon?"  
"Who indeed?" said I, setting down my hammer. "Jack is often as good as his master—and a great deal better."  
"Why, nobody," nodded the Postillon, "not a soul—'till we opened our mouths; an' then 'twould be easy enough, for my lord, or earl, or gentleman, bein' naked, an' 'not likin' it, 'e'd curse you, or curse me, or 'twould fall a-swearin' 'eavens 'ard, damnin' everybody an' cursin' everything, an' never stop to think, while I—not bein' born to it—should stand there in 'is shiverin' an' tryin' a curse on 'e myself, maybe—but Lord! mine would n't amount to nothin' at all, me not bein' nat'rally gifted, nor yet born to it—at 'is brings me round to 'er!"  
"Her?"  
"Ah—er! Number Two—er as quarrelled w' Number One all the way from London—er as run away from Number One—er about—er?" Here he fell to combing his hair again with his whip-handle, while his quick, bright eyes dodged from my face to the glowing forge and back again, and his clean-shaven lips pursued themselves in a senseless whistle. And, as I watched him, it seemed to me that this was the question that had been in his mind all along.  
"Seems she did manage to run away from him—Number One—she is probably very well," I said. "Ah—to be sure, very well, you say—ah, to be sure!" said the Postillon, apparently lost in contemplation of the bellows; "an—where might she be now?"  
"That I am unable to tell you," said I, and began to blow up the fire while the Postillon watched me, sucking the handle of his whip reflectively.  
"You work uncommonly—er—drownd me if you don't!"  
"Pretty hard!" I nodded.  
"An' gets well paid for it, pr'aps?"  
"Not so well as I could wish," said I.  
"Not so well as 'e could wish," nodded the Postillon, apparently addressing the sledge-hammer, for his gaze was fixed upon it. "Of course not—the 'ard'er a man works the wuss 'e gets paid—ow much did you say you got a week?"  
"I named no sum," I replied.  
"Well—ow much might you be gettin' a week?"  
"Ten shillings," I said.  
"Gets ten shillin' a week?" he nodded to the sledge-hammer. "That ain't much for a chap like 'im—kick me if it is."  
"Yet I make it do very well!"  
The Postillon became again absorbed in contemplation of the bellows; indeed he studied them so intently, viewing them with his head now on one side, now on the other, that I fell watching him, under my brows, and so, presently, caught him furtively watching me. Hereupon he drew his whip from his mouth and spoke.  
"Supposin'—," said he, and stopped.  
"Well!" I thought, and leaning up on my hammer, I looked him square in the eye.  
"Supposin'—not—are you a-staring at my feller?"  
"You have said, 'supposin' twice—well!"  
"Well," said he, fixing his eye upon the bellows again, "supposin' you was







# Would You Like to Spend a Year in College at the Expense of The Standard?

## IF SO, READ THIS!

### A GENERAL OUTLINE

**SOMETHING ABOUT WHAT THE STANDARD OFFERS TO THOSE WHO DESIRE TO JOIN ITS "TRAVEL CLUB."**

The Standard has pleasure, this morning, in announcing a prize competition open to the Maritime Provinces which it believes will attract a great deal of attention, will be a source of enjoyment and financial profit to a large number of active young men and women, and which will bring a considerable amount of business to this paper. This undertaking is in the form of a "Travel Club." Arrangements have been made whereby this paper has joined with a syndicate of twenty or thirty newspapers in Canada and the Eastern United States in the promotion of an important excursion across Canada to Alaska and return east through the United States. The entire party numbering in the vicinity of two hundred will leave Toronto about the middle of July on a special train, travelling over the Grand Trunk Pacific. Stops will be made at all the important points on the way west. There will be excursions and side trips to different places of interest, the western train trip terminating at Prince Rupert. From there a steamer will be taken for three days northward journey through the wonderful Inland Passage to Skagway where a day or more will be spent. The party will return by steamer over the same route but will go by Vancouver, Seattle and Portland, where the train will be taken for the eastward journey. Coming east stops will be made at many of the principal cities, and there will be a two days' side trip through Glacier National Park. The entire trip will occupy about thirty-two days, and all expenses will be borne by the newspapers participating in the affair.

The Standard has made a very satisfactory contract. This paper may send two or more members with the party, the winners of the trip to be selected by the votes of the readers of The Standard.

It has been arranged by The Standard that six trips shall be offered in this way, of which five will be awarded to the five persons obtaining the highest number of votes, while the sixth trip will be given in addition to one member of the club who secures the leading position.

This is an undertaking in which when anyone enters it is easy to secure the co-operation of friends who will save votes for them and who will help in every way possible.

Everything will be over in two months and The Standard strongly advises all those who would enjoy such a magnificent outing as is now being offered or who would appreciate a year in college to get busy at once. Other particulars will be found in an announcement elsewhere in this paper and all who are interested should write for instructions. This club will close on June 24th.

### JOIN THE STANDARD "TRAVEL CLUB" AT ONCE

If you do not desire to go on this great Travel Club trip, you may take a year's course in any Provincial College.

If you are at all active and endeavor to secure the co-operation of your friends you may win during the campaign valuable special prizes in cash or goods.

If you fail to win the big trips which we are offering, you will receive from The Standard ten per cent. in cash on all the subscriptions turned in by you, so that you will be well paid for whatever work you do.

If you are not in a position to enter this "Travel Club" yourself, perhaps you have some friends whom you would like to nominate. If you happen to nominate the one who wins, you will receive twenty-five dollars in cash.

Has your friend been nominated? If not, send in the name today. You may get twenty-five dollars out of it, and at any rate you will help your friend to win something never before offered in New Brunswick.

### NOMINATION BLANK GOOD FOR 1000 VOTES

I wish to become a member of The Standard "Travel Club." I understand the rules and agree to comply with the same.

Name .....

Street .....

City or Town .....

I desire to nominate ..... as a member of The Standard Travel Club. I vouch for his or her eligibility.

Name .....

Address .....

Write or call at The Standard office for any further information which you may desire about this great offer. Interest your friends in the proposition. Perhaps there is someone whom you would like to take along on the trip. If so, get that other friend associated with you and both work together in an endeavor to win the double prize trip which we are offering. Then both of you can go west, or both of you can go to college.

Do not delay, send in your name now.

*Herewith this newspaper announces the greatest "Travel Club" in the history of Eastern Canada. Six residents of New Brunswick may have a trip across Canada to Alaska & return through the United States.*

*Should they not desire to take the trip four of the winners in this club may select a year's course in any University in the Maritime Provinces. They will also be given an opportunity to secure for themselves valuable prizes in cash and otherwise, and if any who enter the club fail to win these leading prizes they will receive a cash commission of ten per cent on all the money turned in by them which will be sufficient to pay them well for the labor they expend.*

*Read this offer. It has never been equalled in the history of New Brunswick, and it is an opportunity which you cannot afford to miss.*



**Ends  
June  
24**

### THE STANDARD "TRAVEL CLUB"

This "Travel Club" is a plan by which The Standard expects to secure additional circulation and to collect payment on subscriptions now existing. It offers certain rewards to those who participate in the work. The principal prizes to be given are six trips across Canada by special train from Toronto to Prince Rupert, thence by steamer up the Alaskan coast, returning to Portland, Oregon, and by rail back home through the United States. There will be side-trips, and stops will be made at many interesting points. All expenses other than purely personal ones, will be borne by The Standard. Five of these trips will be awarded to the members of the "Travel Club" securing the highest number of votes, and the member securing the highest number of all, will be entitled to take a friend along on the trip free of charge. That is, two trips are given to the one leading the poll.

The Club is open to any person of good character in the Maritime Provinces, and the winners will be decided by the votes of readers of The Standard.

These votes are secured in three ways, first by the nomination coupon which is printed in this paper and which is good for one thousand votes—this can be used only once; secondly by the daily coupons which will appear during the next two months, which coupons are good for one vote if clipped out and sent in to be placed to the credit of the member; and thirdly by votes on subscriptions to The Daily or Semi-Weekly Standard according to the schedule published herewith.

This campaign is straightforward. There are not a lot of complicated rules. There will be no buying of votes, for The Standard desires all members of the Club to understand that our idea is to get circulation in a legitimate manner, and that those who participate will win the prizes as the result of their honest efforts. Everyone will have a fair chance and no schemes of vote-getting will be tolerated which are not consistent with the proper aim of this newspaper in securing circulation in a legitimate way.

Subscriptions may be secured by the members in any part of the Province. Members in St. John may work wherever they wish, and members in other parts of the Province may turn their efforts to this city if they so desire.

From day to day The Standard will publish the names of those who are entered as active members, together with their standing, and will, in every way possible, assist the members in their work.

During the course of the Club a number of special prizes of considerable value such as pianos, cash, etc., will probably be awarded for work done during certain periods, but the winning of these prizes will not affect the chances of any members to win the trip prizes. In addition to this, at the close of the Club there will be paid to those who have not been successful in winning the trip prizes, ten per cent. of the total cash which they have turned in. It will be seen by this arrangement that no one can lose, for all will have earned good wages on the work they have done.

There will be no bonus votes. That is, subscriptions will count for exactly the same number of votes at all periods of the campaign. There will be no particular time at which these subscriptions will be worth more than at other times.

The Standard has arranged that if desirable only two of those winning the trip prizes must take the trip. The four others if they wish, or as many of them as desire to do so, may select instead a full year's course in any Provincial University. This feature will appeal to some who do not desire to go west and to whom the opportunity of securing an education will be of advantage.

The Standard will pay a prize of \$25.00 to the person nominating the member of the Club who eventually proves to be the winner of the double trip prize.

In and undertaking such as this, members who enter can very readily secure the co-operation of their friends, and by a little earnest effort can easily perform effective work, such as winning one of the big prizes, one of the special prizes, or at the very least gain ample return in cash for the labor which they do.

There is everything to gain, and there is no possibility of losing. Cut out the nomination blank and send it in at once. It will start you with one thousand votes. Then see some of your friends, interest them in your work and you will be surprised to find how readily they respond.

Do you know that in a circulation campaign put on by The Standard a few years ago, the winner lived in a little village called Nordin, in Northumberland County? Do you know that in a circulation campaign put on by The St. John Sun, some ten years ago the winner lived in a little village in Albert County? Do you know that in a circulation contest put on by The Standard a few years ago the winner of the first prize lived in Fairville? You do not need to be in a centre of population to make good in this class of work. People living in small villages have just as much chance as those living in the larger communities, for much of the success they attain is due to the co-operation of their friends.

Have you any friends? If so they will help you. They will become as much interested as you are in your success, and they will do everything possible to see you obtain your desire.

Your circle of acquaintances is large. You will be surprised to find how easy it is to pile up thousands of votes by a very few hours of effort.

### YOUR TRAVEL DREAMS IN BRIGHT REALIZATION— A TRIP THROUGH YOUR OWN COUNTRY

Ask your friends to save the ballots which appear in The Standard every day.

Have you friends who are not now subscribers to The Standard? A yearly subscription will get you several hundred votes.

Tell all your friends that you are determined to see your own country, and determined to be one of the members to go west with The Standard "Travel Club."

Make use of the nomination blank given herewith.

Call or write to "The Travel Club," The Daily Standard, St. John, and you will be given further particulars about this great offer.

**THE STANDARD - ST. JOHN, N. B. - TRAVEL CLUB**

THE WEATHER. Forecasts. Maritime—Moderate winds, mostly northerly, fair and not much change in temperature.

Around the City

The Police Court. John Gorman was fined \$50 yesterday morning for supplying liquor to soldiers in uniform.

Schools Close for Easter. The schools closed yesterday for the usual holidays at Easter.

Flags Will Be Flown. In accordance with instructions from I. C. R. headquarters, all flags on the government's lines will be flown at full mast on Saturday, April 22, from sunrise to sunset.

An Inebriated Sextette. The drunk crop is one that seldom fails, and six intoxicated men were locked up at police headquarters last night.

Y. M. C. A. Directors Meet. The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Y. M. C. A. was held last night in the parlors.

St. James' Boy Scouts. Members of the St. James' church Boy Scout troop held their meeting at headquarters last night.

Telephone Service Interrupted With. Telephone service on and with the West Side exchange was interrupted for about twenty minutes yesterday morning.

Missionary Meeting. The U. B. W. M. U. of the Main street Baptist church held their annual Easter meeting yesterday afternoon.

SPECIAL MATINEE OF "WHITE FEATHER" ON MONDAY. On Easter Monday there will be a special matinee performance at the Opera House of the great British play.

Miss Vivian Petrie, of Kingston, is visiting Mrs. Richard Hooper, of Queen street.

Grand Concert by 104th Band of Sussex, City Hall, West End, April 25, 1916.

LIEUTENANT JAMES H. HAZEN, SON OF MINISTER OF MARINE, DIED IN FRANCE YESTERDAY

Callant Young Officer Succumbed to Wounds—Major T. Malcolm McAvity Was With Him When He Died—Sincere Sympathy to Bereaved Family.

General regret and deepest sympathy will be expressed to Hon. J. D. Hazen and family in the death of the minister's younger son, Lieut. J. M. Hazen, who died yesterday of wounds received in action in Flanders.

The first intimation of the death of this gallant young officer was to be received locally when Hugh Mackay, brother-in-law of the deceased, received a telegram from Hon. J. D. Hazen, who is in Ottawa.

Lieut. Hazen was connected with the 25th Battery, 7th Brigade, Field Artillery, in Flanders, and, as far as known last night, had been about two miles from the place where Major McAvity was stationed.

ST. JOHN'S EXPORTS SHOWED GREAT GROWTH DURING YEAR

Returns for Fiscal Year Ending March 31 Showed Export Increase of More Than \$76,000,000—Tonnage also More Than Doubled.

The Board of Trade has received from Hon. J. D. Hazen a statement of the value of exports through the port of St. John for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1916.

Hon. J. D. Hazen has also forwarded the Board of Trade a statement showing the shipments through the port of St. John for the month of March as follows:

Table with columns for destination (Rhodesian, Turcoman, etc.) and tonnage for 1915 and 1916.

MAJ. M'KENZIE CONSCRIPTION LOSES IN Y.M.C.A. DEBATE

Dalhousie Man Now Senior Major of the 26th Battalion and Second in Command.

The many friends of Major A. E. G. MacKenzie, of Dalhousie, will be interested in the fact that he is now senior major and second in command of the 26th Battalion.

Grand Concert by 104th Band of Sussex, City Hall, West End, April 25, 1916.

CIVIC CONTEST, LIKE OTHER, GROWS WARM

Friends of All Candidates Busy Yesterday—Mayor Frink and Commissioner McLellan Confident of Re-election.

Yesterday with its beautiful spring weather was a favorable day for all the aspirants for civic honors.

The friends of Mr. Hayes are working hard to elect him and undoubtedly he will poll a big vote.

Commissioner McLellan expects to win without serious difficulty.

In the meantime there is another busy man and that is Clerk Herbert E. Weddinger.

As the Ballot Will Appear. For Mayor: James H. Frink, Robert T. Hayes, George Frederick Fisher, Harry R. McLellan, Arthur W. Sharp, James L. Surru.

The proper way to vote is to cross out the names which are not favored.

There will be no change in the polling booths or in the list of scrutineers from those for the primaries.

WEST INDIES LINER BRINGS NEARLY TWO HUNDRED PASSENGERS

The Royal Mail Steam Packet Line steamer Chignecto, Capt. Adams, arrived in port yesterday afternoon from the West Indies with the mails and a large cargo.

The passengers list included 30 first cabin, 10 second and 130 third class.

Easter Gloves and Neckwear. The main requisite in a kid glove is the wearing qualities and fit.

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