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EAST BOUND

7:10, 7:30, 8:10, 10:10 a.m.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, June 20.—The area of high pressure...

FORECASTS

Moderate to fresh easterly winds, fair and cool.

WINTER UNDERWEAR SALE

\$1.50 garments for 99c; \$1.75 garments for \$1.12.

GERMAN WORKMEN KILLED IN RIOTS

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London, June 20.—Heavily censored private messages in Stockholm indicate that peace demonstrations were held recently in Berlin, Hamburg and Cologne...

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Other speakers at the meeting, which was held under the auspices of the American Alliance for Labor and Democracy...

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BRANTFORD DAILY COURIER

THE COURIER, BRANTFORD, CANADA, THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 18.

TWO CENTS

AUSTRIAN PRESSURE FROM LAKE GARDA TO ADRIATIC WEAKENS

Enemy Held Completely in Check Along Piave Front

RESENT RAVAGES OF SUBMARINES

Samuel Gompers, President of American Labor Federation, Appeals to Nation

By Courier Leased Wire. Minneapolis, Minn., June 20.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, addressing a mass meeting here last night, made an appeal to American people to resent the ravages of German submarines which "are bringing the war to the threshold of this country."

REDUCTION OF BREAD RATION IS RESENTED

Austria Calls Upon Germany And Hungary to Send Food Supplies

GRAVE DISTURBANCES

Amsterdam, June 20.—Bulletin.—Vienna dispatches to German newspapers say that the reduction of the bread ration in Austria and Hungary caused immense excitement throughout the dual monarchy.

INTERVENTION BY ENTENTE IN RUSSIA ASKED

Future of Nation Depends On Allied Victory, Says Minister to France

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LONDON PEOPLE DON'T LOOK DOWNHEARTED? This picture was taken three weeks ago in London during the week-end when thousands of people sought a temporary relaxation from their toil, in the country, up the river, or beside the sea. Sea-bathing is a pastime that is never lacking devotees in the merry month of June, and this year it is as flourishing as ever.

U-BOATS UNEQUAL TO WAR AGAINST THEM CRITIC ADMITS

Losses Unavoidable Owing to Effectiveness of Allied Defenses

SAYS CAPT. PERSEUS

Admits Also That Sharpness of Defensive Measures May Increase

ALLIES NOT BEATEN

New and Flagrant Example of Hun Submarine Barbarity Comes to Light

GERMAN CROWN PRINCE DOES NOT RENEW HIS OFFENSIVE

Forty Thousand of His Troops Repulsed Before Rheims With Heavy Losses on Tuesday Night—Berlin Seeks to Belittle Failure of Blow

ENTERED GERMAN LINES

PARIS, June 20.—Bulletin.—French troops entered the German lines between Montdidier and the Oise River last night, and captured twenty prisoners, says the official statement issued today.

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ITALIANS REALIZE AUSTRIAN ATTACK CANNOT SUCCEED

Consciousness of the Enemy Failure Spurs Defenders to New Efforts

SPIRIT NEVER HIGHER

Emperor Charles of Austria Personally Directing Efforts of His Army

IS DISAPPOINTED

By Courier Leased Wire. Italian Army Headquarters, Wednesday, June 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Realization that the offensive of Austrian troops has failed is spurring the Italian troops to a desperate resistance along the Piave. Heavy fighting continued today around the Montello plateau on the north and rear of San Dona di Piave on the south.

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NORFOLK NEWS

DISTRICT DENTISTS IN SIMCOE

Convention of Practitioners From Many Parts of Province Here

SOME SIXTY PRESENT Forbidden Literature Circulated in Simcoe—Police at Work

OTHER SIMCOE NEWS

Simcoe, June 20.—(From Our Own Correspondent).—There were about sixty dentists in town yesterday from all parts of the district, including the counties from London to Dunnville and from Waterloo to the lake.

The convention was held to discuss what would be acceptable terms for absorption into Toronto University, and the program as outlined was followed. This was the topic of general discussion; the last number on the program and the conference, which, it was expected, would end at two o'clock, continued till 4.30 with much evidence of a desire for extension of time.

Speakers and Their Topics. Dr. W. E. Willmott of Toronto discussed "Dentistry and the War," setting forth the marked "achievements of the craft in fitting up soldiers with substitutes when nose, or part of the jaw had been shot away, and showing the unbounded possibilities of the profession in the matter of relieving the patient. There was, too, the work of the craft in the army and in the army hospitals, a splendid address.

Dr. Wallace Scocomb of Toronto outlined the work of the college year just closed.

Dr. A. E. Webster, Dean of the College, spoke on "Tendencies of Dental Education in Simcoe."

The meeting was held at the club house of the local Country Club. Whether dentists convened here on account of the geographical situation or the good railway connections, for we have seven roads out of Simcoe, or because Simcoe is the home town of Dr. Wm. McCreary, president of the Board of Directors, or because they looked for a centre whose chief magistrate was a dentist, we know not. At any rate, Mayor Siller made the boys a civic welcome. President Geo. J. McKie of the Country Club did likewise and Dr. McGuire, chairman for the occasion, delivered a fitting address after Dr. H. H. Abbott of London had replied to the addresses of welcome.

The Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario.

Perhaps it is generally known that in Ontario dentistry has reached a position of pre-eminence in the world's institutions of the craft. That the reputation of the Ontario College is world wide, now that the college has had applicants for post-graduate courses from the United States, the Antipodes, Western Europe, Asia and Africa. This is the organization of which our own Dr. McGuire is now president. The advance that has been made in dentistry in Ontario during the past three decades is marvelous. Dentistry has taken charge of what medicine has never seriously attacked and has accomplished so much, that the medical profession has practically abandoned this part of the human anatomy altogether.

It is no wonder, therefore, that the committee of district number five should have discussed the pros and cons of amalgamation with Toronto University. Conscious of a good past record and of present pre-eminence, financially able to stand alone and with a distinction for progressive pressure towards perfection, the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario consistently deliberates on this big question. It is not so much with the craft a question of "What shall we gain" by amalgamation, as it is a question of "What might we lose."

We might send hereto a list of the names of the men present, but they are not vain. Sometimes, it is whispered, they are compelled to remove sound teeth for vain needles, but they seem to be immune from the germ even at such close quarters. The other members of the committee with Dr. McGuire, were: Dr. Wm. McCreary, Dr. Taylor, Dr. Thomas, Dr. Heath, Woodstock; Dr. Waddle, Kitchener; Dr. Campbell, Galt.

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B. Altelaar.
Simcoe, June 20, 1918. 20-21-22

with schedules of the distances from crossing to crossing along those streets of the town where auto drivers are likely to sprint. These have the distance required to travel the distance at 15 miles and 20 miles an hour all tabulated.

A constable can easily, therefore keep tabs on his man without the knowledge of the driver. More than a week ago when Chairman Jackson and the Chief were taking the measurements—they might have got them off the town map—a ratepayer called at this office to know what "divination" the council was up to now to raise the taxes. We told him that the taxes were growing quite well without any assistance.

More Barred Literature. Last Sunday morning citizens on various streets found distributed to their verandahs or front doors copies of "The Morning Messenger."

The date of distribution for the sheet was well chosen. It contained a charge of compact between the Pope and the Kaiser, and local Orangemen were announced for a church parade the same evening. How easy to make believe that the Orangemen were putting it out.

Know Nothing Of It. The Orangemen had no part in it. It is a well devised Hun plan to set up creed strife in Canada, though possibly the innocent distributors did not know it. The police already have the names of five and the confessions of some of the six men who made the early Sunday morning trip and the bunch closing, appears to equal almost all the rest of the week. The deputies have been instructed to date the records on the day made, although the instructions call for all to be dated June 22nd. From reports to hand, it takes about three minutes to register the average woman and four minutes for the average man.

Regarding Exemptions. His Honor Judge Boles, handed out yesterday dispositions on the applications for exemptions heard a week or so ago, as follows:

- Turner, William, allowed till Oct. 15th, 1918.
- Sullivan, Stanley, disallowed.
- Townsend, George, disallowed.
- Sizart, Covert Wesley, cancelled from list.
- Maddiford, Chris, cancelled from list.
- Saville, Roy, allowed till October 15th, 1918.
- Shay, Chris, allowed till October 15th, 1918.
- Edgeworth, James O., allowed till Sept. 15th, 1918.
- Baechler, Fred W., disallowed.
- Pickle, Lorne, allowed till Oct. 15th, 1918.
- Abbey, Allen C., disallowed.
- Smith, John, allowed till Oct. 15th, 1918.
- McDonnell, Andrew, Thos., cancelled from list.
- Racher, Chas. E., allowed till Sept. 15th, 1918.
- Dunbar, Roy C., allowed till Sept. 15th, 1918.
- Caley, James Doan, reserved.
- Collings, Clayton, disallowed.
- York, Gordon Becher, disallowed.
- Boyd, Robert, allowed till Oct. 15th, 1918.
- Tench, Edwin Walter, allowed till Oct. 15, 1918.
- Butcher, Cecil Ward, disallowed.

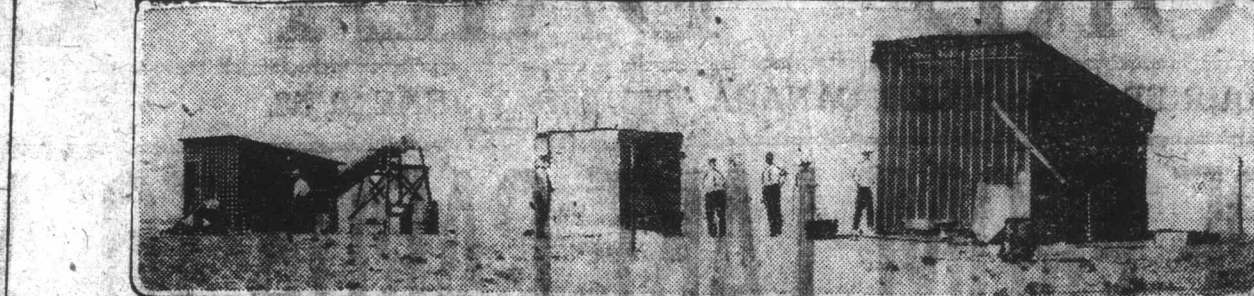
In the case of Mr. Butcher, Mathe-matical Master of the High School, the application of the Board of Education was withdrawn at Mr. Butcher's request.

ANOTHER FIRE IN TOWNSEND

Barns of J. J. Moore, Unionist, Were Destroyed Yesterday Morning

(From our own Correspondent) Simcoe, June 20.—Early yesterday morning news reached town that J. J. Moore, of Ville Nova, in Townsend Township, had lost his barns and outbuildings by fire, which destroyed also the contents, except the live stock, about four o'clock in the morning. Mr. Moore had some insurance in the Norfolk Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co., \$3,500 we believe.

We coupled with this report was the statement that the owner was a supporter of the Union Government, a string of political tendency not very popular in his neighborhood, and that he had recently refused to sign a petition presented him, requesting Hon. W. A. Charlton, M.P. for Norfolk in the Union Government, to resign his seat. Citizens about town are open in their expression of belief—founded, no doubt upon reported threats of intimidation—that the fire of these barns was an act of intimidation or retaliation. In other townships than in Town-

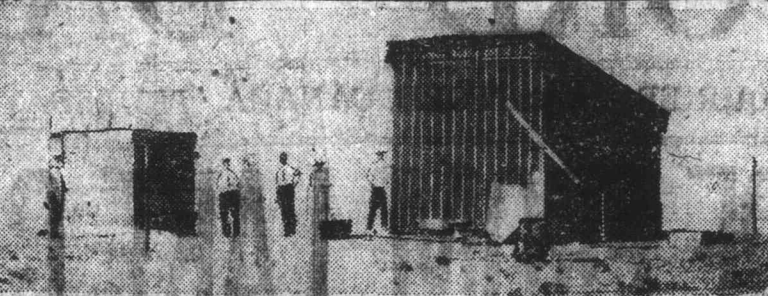


PERFECT VIEW OF THE SUN'S ECLIPSE.

(1) The Eclipse Station at Matheson, Colorado, where Prof. Ghant of Toronto went to obtain a good view of the sun's eclipse on June 8. His shelter is the one in the centre. (2) Shows the moon directly in front of the sun, producing the total eclipse. The bright rays are known as the Corona and are seen shooting out behind the moon. (3) The eight-inch telescope of Drake University erected at Matheson for observation purposes. (4) View of the sun a few minutes after total eclipse. The clouds were dense just before and after totality, but cleared away at the critical time.

SUGAR STATISTICS.

By Courier Leased Wire. Montreal, June 19.—A Havana despatch says: The season on the whole has been very favorable for grinding and the total output of sugar to date is 2,728,000 tons. Of this amount about 1,282,000 tons have been exported, about 1,444,000 tons stored at the different ports on the island ready for shipment. About 700,000 tons are stored at the different mills. It is expected the total output of Cuba for the season will reach 3,500,000 tons.



MAY GOOD MONTH FOR FISHING TRADE

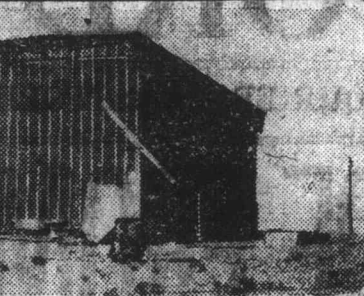
By Courier Leased Wire. Ottawa, Ont., June 20.—The total value in first hands of sea fish landed in Canada during the month of May was \$2,328,626, as compared with \$2,161,571 for the same month last year, according to the monthly statement issued from the Department of the Naval Service. This statement says that fishing was carried on under favorable conditions this year, but in the more easterly parts of Nova Scotia, ice which was slow in leaving the coast, interfered with operations.

TOWN NEARLY DESTROYED.

By Courier Leased Wire. Lethbridge, June 20.—The town of Warner, south of here, was almost completely wiped out by a fire which did \$250,000 damage last night. Assistance was given from the Lethbridge fire department. The places burned were Baker and Yates lumber yards, Yeal's garage, Brown and Mundy, blacksmiths and implements; Marr's blacksmith shop; Chinese restaurant; police barracks; Johnston's carpenter shop; Laughing Walls barn and corral, and two residences.

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The Daily Mail and Empire. BRITISH GAIN GROUND IN FIERCE FIGHT FRENCH ADVANCE LINES AT VERDUN



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Time Table Changes A change of time will be made on JUNE 23RD, 1918. Information now in Agents' hands.

Eat less Bread

LOANS TO PROVINCE By Courier Leased Wire. Victoria, June 20.—The three million dollar loan which the province negotiated recently with the federal government, has been received and with it bank overdrafts have been wiped out. Hon. John Hart, minister of finance, announced yesterday. The Dominion Government advanced the money to the province for five years at a rate of 6 1-2 per cent.

DR. BELAND TELLS OF HIS FREEDOM

How Former Postmaster-General Was Liberated From Germany

LETTER TO SISTER

Tears at Parting From His Fellow Prisoners-of-War

Delivery of the latest overseas mail has brought the first letter since his release from Hon. Dr. Henri S. Beland, M.P., former Postmaster-General of Canada and for the past three years a prisoner of war in Germany. Hon. Dr. Beland was recently freed from Berlin as a result of an exchange for the freedom of Prince Von Bismarck, who was a German prisoner of war in the custody of the British. The Canadian patriot statesman writes to his sister, Madame Nadeau, of Beauce Junction, Quebec, from Holland, a letter which will be of keen interest to his fellow-Canadians. The letter is written in French and is as follows:

"My Very Dear Ernestine: I am free! I am going soon again to see my people, to return to my dear Canada! It is so unbelievable after a long and painful captivity of three years. Here is, in a few words, the story of my being set at liberty."

"Nearly Took My Breath." "On the 19th of April I was unexpectedly called to the Berlin Commandant's office. A subordinate officer (non com) conducted me there. I was then told: 'You will be exchanged next week. Prepare to leave for Holland.' That is all, but you will be able to understand the effect it produced upon me. I nearly took away my breath. I had five or six days before me, but I began to pack up at once."

"Two days later the officer, in charge of the city (officer en chef) of the Stadtroger, probably a German name for one of Berlin city officers) came up to my cell and told me: 'The Minister of War gives orders to tell you that, if you wish, you are under the arrangement, to go by way of Antwerp, en route to Rotterdam, and pay a visit to your child at Cappellen.' Of course I accepted it. That would take, it was said, three or four days to communicate with the German Governor-General of Belgium and to receive the authority to travel through the occupied country. I waited. I wrote at once to Cappellen to announce to them the happy news of my visit and of my liberation."

"Two Weeks of Waiting." "A last after two weeks of impatient waiting, the same officer came back again. He was to accompany me to Belgium and told me that the journey to Cappellen was reserved for the occupying military authority for military reasons." (These three words in English and quoted.)

"It was necessary to pass directly to Holland. That took three days more and more procedure, photos, passports, etc. Military authority, police authority, and consular authority. Her Majesty the Queen of the Netherlands all three gave me as a pledge in huge papers marked, flourished, sealed, stamped, signed and counter-signed, all dressed up with my pretty little photos, representing me as almost dying!"

"The journey was fixed for Friday evening at 9 o'clock, from such a depot, etc. The checking and examination station on the German-Holland frontier was notified by despatch of my near passing. Thus on Friday night I was leaving my three or four companions (or fellow travellers), very worthy Englishmen, fine fellows and true friends, and my cell, No. 669, where I had lived for three years."

"I confess if, we all had tears in our eyes."

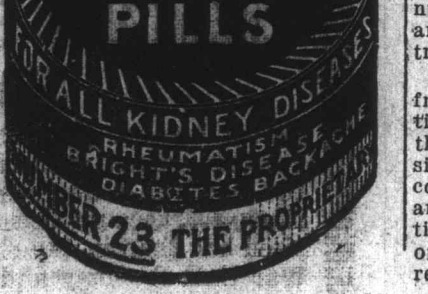
"All the non-commissioned officers were there, prepared to exchange a hand-shake, and First Lieutenant Blank, directing officer of the city (roster); who had also been ordered to accompany me to the frontier. Thanks to his mediation, a whole first-class compartment was placed at our disposal. The next morning at half-past seven we changed escort at Essen. From there we went to Wesel and the frontier station, where we arrived at noon on Saturday."

"Because of a mistake in the order, which had checked my valises, these went to a different frontier station. The telegraph was used and the following morning, Sunday, that is yesterday, the packages arrived."

"After the most minute examination of everything that was to pass with me, at eleven minutes past one we took the time—after having said good-bye to my officer, the train crossed the border."

"It was the guest of the charming Queen Wilhelmina!"

"It is impossible to describe those sensations and those feelings. At five o'clock I was at Rotterdam."



Parcel of Cod Liver Oil. "This morning, Monday, I sent a cablegram to you (Nadeau, Beauce, Quebec, Free (in English), Beland), and to Mr. George Perley (Canadian High Commissioner in London). The last package I received at Berlin was precisely the first parcel of cod liver oil from the doctor. I took some of it for five days. The others will do me good. A good fellow interned for the past three years and sickly."

"I do not yet know when Jeanette (Dr. Beland's daughter) will be able to come and rejoice in a good deal of correspondence will be necessary and this will take perhaps some weeks, for I cannot leave her home."

"Meanwhile, I am free! I am eating well, I am walking, I get the fresh air—that is much."

"I will write you once more in a few days."

"Your brother, 'Henri.'"

PLATINUM IS AT A PREMIUM

Metal Once Regarded as Waste, Now Sought After by All

By Courier Leased Wire. Washington, June 20.—New chapters in the romance of platinum, once thrown away as waste but now the most sought-after metal in the world, have been written since the war began. Nations are fighting for it. Adventurers are risking their lives to obtain it. Women spies and diplomatic agents are playing the game of international intrigue to control even an ounce of the "noble metal." Russia has virtually no platinum in this country, setting therefore a price of \$105 an ounce, as compared with \$22.85 ten years ago. Even this action, however, has not obtained sufficient of the metal for war purposes. Officials who failed to heed the warnings of platinum experts at the beginning of the war are wondering how they can retrieve their loss. Not surprisingly, the national necessity by using every legitimate means to obtain platinum. For the total amount of known platinum brought out the world is only 4,000,000 ounces, of which about one-fourth is in the United States. Much of that is virtually irreclaimable through use in dental work and personal jewelry, and the output, since the Russian debacle, has fallen to a fraction of what it was in times of peace.

It is the best reason which is giving officials so much concern. Russia has been the source of most of the world's platinum and, in 1913, was credited with a production of 250,000 Troy ounces. Columbia with 15,000 New South Wales and Tasmania 1275, United States, (California and Oregon being almost the only producing states) only 433, Borneo and Sumatra 2000 and Canada 50. The German invasion of Russia gave the enemy the opportunity of replenishing his stocks of platinum, to the detriment of the allies. Mining in Russia has virtually ceased now, even if the metal could be shipped out of the country, and the world looks to Columbia for platinum. Suggestions for a government monopoly of platinum have been advanced in the Colombian congress. Whatever action is taken, the fortunes of war will mean wealth for the southern republic. One of the most spectacular feats of the war was the concentration of 20,000 ounces of platinum in Russia by a young mining engineer, attached to the embassy there, who recognized the importance of obtaining the metal. Each precious brick, wrapped in a leather cover, was brought half-way across the world to the United States and turned over to the government for use in the manufacture of sulphuric acid, a constituent of explosives, for the manufacture of contact points in electrical apparatus and other uses necessary to war. An interesting history of platinum is given by the Latin-American Division of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

Platinum was discovered in what is now Columbia in 1735 by Spaniard named Don Antonio de Ulloa, who accompanied a French scientific expedition, and his account of it was first mentioned regarding the metal to be brought to the attention of Europeans. Its resistibility to acids and the difficulty of working it were remarked upon, but it was not considered to be nearly as precious as gold, and was used at times by counterfeiters as a basis for coins. It was not until the middle of the nineteenth century that the demand for platinum for use in chemical laboratories and for electrical uses brought its value up to the point where it ranked as one of the most precious metals.

In the placer mining of gold in Columbia it was formerly thrown away as waste, and when the rise in price made it more valuable than gold the ground on which the waste had been thrown because in its turn a field for mining operations, and even the streets of the principal centre of gold refining in Columbia, Quibdo, were torn up and the soil washed for particles of the new treasure. One man tore down his store in order to get at the ground beneath, and found so much platinum that he was enabled to rebuild and make an extra \$4,000 for his trouble.

Platinum is recovered principally from the beds of streams, the particles having been deposited there through erosion of large rocks, classified geologically as "tertiary conglomerates." The platinum grains are found with gold, the proportion varying from 1 to 50 per cent. of platinum. The two metals are recovered by washing the sand and gravel of streams.

MARKETS

TORONTO CATTLE MARKET.

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, June 20.—Trade was very slow at the Union Stock Yards this morning and prices were steady in all lines. Hogs were steady and sheep and calves were weaker. Receipts: 187 cattle, 92 calves, 1,127 hogs, and 136 sheep. Export: cattle, choice, \$15 to \$16.50; medium, \$14 to \$15; export bulls, \$11 to \$12; butcher cattle, choice, \$13 to \$13.75; medium, \$11.25 to \$12.50; common, \$9.50 to \$9; butcher cows, choice, \$11 to \$12; medium, \$9.25 to \$10.75; canners, \$5.50 to \$6; bulls, \$9.75 to \$10.50; feeding steers, \$8 to \$10.25; stockers, choice, \$9 to \$10.25; stockers, light, \$7.75 to \$8.50; milkers, choice, \$8 to \$14; sheep, ewes, \$14 to \$15; bucks and culs, \$6 to \$14; lambs, spring, \$11 to \$22; hogs, best watered, \$18; hogs, f.o.b., \$17; calves, \$16 to \$17.

Present imports of Columbian platinum by the United States represents almost the total viable exports of that country.

VERDICT FOR DEFENDANT.

By Courier Leased Wire. Springfield, Mass., June 19.—Chief Justice Alken of the Superior Court to-day ordered the jury to bring in a verdict for the defendant in the suit of the Hampden Railroad Corporation against the Boston and Maine Railroad Company to recover a construction account of nearly \$4,000,000 based on the failure of the Boston and Maine to ratify a lease of the Hampden Road. Judge Alken stated that he was not influenced by any question of fraud. The suit has been on trial since May 27. It is understood that an appeal will be taken to the Supreme Court.

MUST IMPROVE RATIONS.

By Courier Leased Wire. Montreal, June 19.—The rationing system must certainly be imposed in Canada within the next month and a half to protect citizens in general, L. G. A. Cresce, superintendent registrar for Quebec, stated to-day. Mr. Cresce said that within the last few weeks hundreds of thousands of bushels of wheat have gone down with vessels sunk on this and the other side of the Atlantic. Mr. Cresce's announcement was in support of a plea for registration in Quebec.

At Montreal Constable Albert Rivet was taken suddenly ill while on his beat, and was taken into a nearby house where he died a few minutes later.



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THE SITUATION.
 The Austrian offensive against Italy may now be regarded as having definitely failed of its object. Within the last twenty-four hours they have made some slight progress on the lower Piave but nothing of supreme moment. In this region the struggle still continues to be bitterly maintained with allied airmen pouring machine gun rounds into the Austrian troops occupying a narrow space on the right bank of the stream. It is reported that Emperor Charles is disappointed over the meagre results attained and that he has decided to make another desperate attempt before calling for German assistance.

The Teutons shock troops to the number of 40,000 who were hurled against the French lines in an effort to capture the city of Rheims were repulsed with great loss along the fourteen mile front on which the assault was launched.
 In the British House of Commons, Mr. McNamara, Financial Secretary of the Admiralty announced that as the result of the British operations at Zeebrugge, the German submarine base on the Belgian coast, twenty-one German destroyers and a large number of auxiliary craft and submarines are penned up subject to constant bombing. The blocking of the harbor had proved even more successful than at first anticipated.

The movement is said to be very favorable for an anti-German uprising in Russia if the people there have any spirit or initiative left. Tentative forces have been withdrawn to such an extent that any organized effort to overthrow their new masters could hardly fail of success. In the Ukraine the peasants are in state of revolt because the Germans have been seeking their produce without payment.

EVADING THE PROHIBITORY LAW.

On the strength of medical certificates a large number of people continue to secure their supply of whiskey from the dispensaries allowed by the authorities.
 The Toronto World recently asserted that two doctors in the Queen City had issued six thousand such certificates within a month and the Hamilton Herald relates that another physician in that city recently laughingly boasted that he had given 150 prescriptions on a single Saturday. The paper in question adds:
 "The customary charge made by the doctors for these prescriptions is one dollar per head, but the Herald learns that a local eye specialist has just raised his tariff to \$2, having found that his customers—that is to say, his patients—are quite willing to pay that price—or rather, that fee. It would be strange if the doctors were not ardent advocates of prohibition."

"At the dispensaries the patients are charged \$1.75 a bottle for whiskey that a few months ago would have been dear at a much lower price. Few commercial establishments in Hamilton do as steady a business as that which is done at the local liquor dispensary. On foot and in motor cars there is a constant procession of sturdy 'patients' of both sexes streaming in and out of that Bacchic temple of Esculapian each going in empty-handed and coming out with his or her parcel of 'wet goods' wrapped in pink paper."
 A remedy should certainly be found for this condition of affairs. Government control of dispensaries would probably be the better plan.

ROOSEVELT ON BOLSHEVIKISM.

In an article in the Kansas City Star, Theodore Roosevelt gives his ideas on the growing tendency to anarchy and what may be termed bolshevism among a small but noisy group of labor agitators.
 He points out that social and industrial advance must proceed by evolution and not by revolution and that at the same time the men whom he calls "the Romanoffs of politics and industry," should not be permitted to refuse to face facts and thus pave the way for the occurrence in other civilized countries of the ruin that has come over Russia.
 He voices his advocacy of the square deal all round in the following manner:
 "More stolid inaction, mere refusal to acknowledge the existence of trouble and the duty to remedy it amounts to playing into the hands of worst and most evil agitators. Such an attitude on the part of our political leaders is almost as bad as the failure to act with

stant readiness and full strength against disorder or as the time-serving cowardice which bows to and flatters the leaders of disorder.

What is needed is unhesitating and thorough going condemnation of action and against the anarchists and inciters to sedition and to class envy and hatred, and at the same time genuine and radical effort to secure for the farmer and for the workman and for every one else the square deal in actual fact. Neither attitude is enough by itself; the two must go together if results of lasting worth are to be secured.

While Col. Roosevelt believes that many of the leaders of the I.W.W. and kindred organizations are men whose activities partake of the nature of the criminal, he is also of the opinion that the rank and file of labor can be turned into disinterested, zealous and public-spirited citizens by right treatment.

Government interference is not the ideal method, according to the colonel. The most that the government should do is to create an atmosphere suitable to the growth of a spirit of public service, and the nature of this control must be determined by the necessities of individual cases. In this regard he says:
 "It is idle to say that no government action is needed on behalf of farmers and wage workers. Unquestionably such action will merely do harm unless at the same time the interests and permanent welfare of the business men of the country, great and small, are considered. But the action itself is necessary. It should be based on the theory that so far as possible the work of betterment, alike as regards farmers, workmen and business men, take the form of co-operation among themselves with the maximum amount of individual and collective effort and the minimum necessary amount of governmental control and encouragement.
 There must be sincere purpose to push forward and to remedy wrong; but there must likewise be firm refusal to submit to the leadership of either the criminal fringe or the lunatic fringe. Class hatred is a mighty poor substitute for American brotherhood."

NOTES AND COMMENTS.

With growing trouble at home and failure of the big offensive to deliver the goods, the lot of the Austrian Emperor these days may be classified as in "the pink class."

The delegates in convention at Simcoe were afforded a good time. So they should be, for men with a pull and with the ability to bridge difficulties are worth cultivating.

Only two more days for that registration and then if you have failed to toe the mark the old kit bag will not begin to be large enough in which to pack your troubles.

Desirous of doing something towards the war, A. Babcock, aged 97, has returned to his old trade of shipbuilding at Tacoma, Wash. In this he has set an example to many men of half his years.

June has evidently reached the definite conclusion that it is poor policy to become overheated.

TURK TROOPS SACK ALLIED HOSPITALS

Outrage May Mean Fresh Declaration of War by the U. S.

CONSULATES SEIZED

Washington, June 19.—Sacking of the American hospital at Tabriz, Persia, and seizure of the American and British consulates there by invading Turkish troops was reported to the State Department today by the American minister at Teheran.
 If the report, as it is reached, the minister is officially confirmed the outrages may be considered an act of war and settle the long pending question of whether the Ottoman allies of Germany should be formally listed among America's enemies.
 According to today's despatch the Turks sacked the hospital over the protest of the Spanish consul of Persia in charge as representative of American interests and in defiance of the Spanish flag flying over the building.

APPEAL FOR INTERVENTION.

Peking, June 19.—(By The Associated Press).—The far eastern Russian committee for the Salvation of the Motherland has resolved to appeal through Japan for immediate intervention in Siberia by Entente Allied forces. The Russians say there would be no difficulty in establishing an Allied army in Siberia. They frankly deprecate a purely Japanese expedition on the ground of what they term Japan's imperialistic and racial antagonism and memories of the Russo-Japanese war.

BULGARIA DIVIDED?

London, June 19.—The resignation of the Bulgarian cabinet caused a sharp decline on the Berlin and Frankfurt stock exchange, says an Amsterdam despatch to The Morning Post.
 While the German newspapers declare that the resignation of the Radetzky ministry will not affect the Bulgarian foreign policy, uneasiness is felt in Germany, as it is clear that strong differences exist in Bulgaria.

COUNTY COUNCIL ON ASSESSMENT

Lowering of the Brantford Township's Proportion Favored Yesterday Afternoon

The County Council yesterday afternoon discussed the matters of equality of assessment for the different municipalities of the county. Practically the entire afternoon was taken up discussing Brantford-Burford differences.
 Councillor Seace made the statement that Brantford Township's assessment would need to be lowered some \$200,000 this year much land held by realty companies having been reverted to farm property. In this case the township's assessment would have to be lower but as the total for the county could not be, some other municipality would have to bear this assessment.
 Burford, said Mr. Seace, should bear the assessment taken off Brantford Township property. A considerable discussion of the Brantford-Burford differences that they would bear \$100,000 of this if Burford would bear the other \$100,000. Much was discussed however as to the right Brantford should have to bear. Mr. Seace had to shift the burden to its neighbor. Burford, argued Mr. Seace, was the one township which should take the extra assessment.
 The position taken by Mr. Eddy was that Burford had by Mr. Eddy's sixth of her total acreage in land which was useless. This state of township and acreage over his figures. Reeve Eddy concluded that his township could not accept this \$100,000 "so graciously offered" by Burford. Adjournment was made, the committee merely reporting progress.

POLICE AT JESUIT COLLEGE

By Courier Leased Wire
 Guelph, Ont., June 20.—The next step of the Guelph Ministerial Association in connection with the visit of the Jesuit Novitiate is being held this afternoon at a meeting of the committee appointed to deal with the question, at which it will be decided whether to go on with a public meeting of protest early next week.
 Much depends upon a statement which it is expected the Dominion Government is issuing today, explaining the whole affair. The heads of the Novitiate here have nothing to say until the statement appears and the meeting is also awaiting it. The latter received a communication from the minister of militia, saying that a review of the Jesuit Novitiate is also awaiting it. The latter is satisfactory only so far as it goes.

TRAIN S. A. TROOPS IN U. S.

By Courier Leased Wire
 Paris, June 19.—Premier Clemenceau's newspaper, L'Homme Libre, has been received from Washington to the effect that a plan is under way for training troops of South American republics in the United States.

STATISTICAL CONFERENCE.

By Courier Leased Wire
 Ottawa, June 19.—Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce, opened today a conference on vital statistics here. The conference will continue tomorrow and Friday.
 R. E. Coates, Dominion statistician, presided.

LOAN APPROVED.

By Courier Leased Wire
 Washington, June 19.—A direct loan not to exceed \$17,320,000 to the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company has been approved by the War Finance Corporation. Conditions under which the advance will be made have not been made public.

CAN'T BELIEVE HUNS.

Paris, June 20.—(Via Reuters' Ottawa Agency).—A statement has been issued showing that the German communists on aviation cannot be believed. It states that the Germans lost 48 airplanes on the west front on June 2 and 49 on June 9-10, while they acknowledged only ten and eight, respectively. The British brought down 33 out of the 49.

TROUBLE IN AUSTRIA.

Milutin, London, June 20.—Serious rioting broke out in Vienna yesterday, says an Exchange Telegraph despatch from Amsterdam. The mob broke into a number of bakeries, stoned the residence of the Premier, and also one of the wings of the Hofburg Palace.
 Cavalry is being rushed to the capital to restore order. It is probable, it is stated, that martial law will be proclaimed. The rioting was in protest against the reduction of the bread ration.

KITH AND KIN.

The members of the Homestead Kith and Kin spent a pleasant evening at the home of Mrs. Aitchison, Chestnut avenue. The meeting was opened in the usual manner, and it was decided if any of the members wanted to get their coat through the Kith and Kin, they should notify Mrs. Cook, the president. A nice musical program was carried out by Mesdames Clark and Lewis, and a large number were present to enjoy the dainty refreshments served by Mrs. Aitchison. The evening was closed by singing "God Save the King."

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CANADIAN CASUALTIES

By Courier Leased Wire
 Ottawa, June 20.—Today's list of casualties reports one killed, one died of wounds, three died, 25 presumed to have died, seven missing, seven wounded, one gassed, and four killed by the enemy.
 The names from Western Ontario follow:
Infantry.
 Presumed to have died—409800 N. E. Rohan, Zephyr, Ont.; 803330 W. J. Brockton, Watertown; 213343 A. E. Ryndress, Essex; 730136 J. A. Bevan, Galt.
 Wounded—651472 G. M. Clark, Lucknow.
Machine Gun Company.
 Presumed to have died: P. M. Laidlaw, Hagersville, E. J. Hill, Artillery, Ill; J. W. McLeish, 71 Harvey St., Hamilton.
 Foresters Corps: Ill: J. Stroud, New Hamburg.

CONFIDENT RUSSIA WILL PAY DEBTS

French Government Fully Expects Re-payment of 500,000,000 Francs

By Courier Leased Wire
 Paris, June 18.—The French Government has confidence that Russia will eventually pay her debts, declared Finance Minister Klotz in the report will be issued yesterday. Socialist deputies had attempted a conference to discuss the renewal of the Bank of France and French investors in the Russian debt to France, but their efforts were foiled by the Finance Minister. Deputy Edouard Barth offered interpellation as to what government obligations in Russia. "I do not despair of the guarantee of the Russian state."
 The minister was interrupted by Socialist cries: "No," continued M. Klotz, "whether the Bank of Russia meets its indebtedness, I have confidence in the Russian state and French investors will not lose. It is not the government which contracts debts; it is the country."

NEW RATES NEAR.

By Courier Leased Wire
 Washington, June 19.—New export and import rates averaging somewhat more than 25 per cent. above existing rates, but not as high as in most cases as domestic rates will go into effect along with other freight increases next Tuesday, June 25.

The Kidneys and the Skin

If the kidneys are weak or torpid, the skin will be pimply or blotchy. Hood's Sarsaparilla strengthens and stimulates the kidneys, and clears the complexion. By thoroughly purifying the blood, it makes good health.

Margaret Garrett's Husband
 By JANE PHELPS

CHAPTER LXXXVI
 Searching for Help
 I tried not to weep. Bob might come home to dinner, and if he did my eyes would betray me if I shed ever so few tears. But more and more was the feeling that Bob didn't love me. I couldn't live without his affection.
 I never had been very much interested in any of the new religions, many of them so talked-of as peace-bringing theories. I like Bob, had been brought up in an orthodox manner, to attend an orthodox church, and had thought of no other as possible. But Mrs. Baldwin was willing to give faith and to heed anything which would help me master myself; and to regain Bob's love. So I determined to try to understand this new faith which promised so much to one in my nervous condition.
 I could not sit alone even although I had rushed home to do so. I put on my things and took a long walk. I had thought to stop and talk to Mrs. Baldwin, but changed my mind and took the long walk instead.
 The telephone rang just as I reached the house. I ran to answer it. It might be Bob.
 "Some lady telephoned while you was gone!" Della said as I took up the receiver.
 "Is this Mr. Garrett's home?" a feminine voice asked. A voice strange to me, but clear and musical.
 "Yes." Unconsciously my voice took on a cold, formal note. I felt as if there were danger about me, and that I could not prevent its happening.

"Has Mr. Garrett arrived home?" "This is Mrs. Garrett." I interposed instead of answering the question, "what can I do for you?"
 "Then Mr. Garrett isn't at home?" the voice said, just a hint of something very like malice in the tone. "Do you expect him for dinner? It is quite important that I speak to him."
 "Mr. Garrett usually dines at home. If you wish I will give him your message."
 "Thank you, you are very kind," the voice was saccharine, "but it is a personal affair between us. I'll call him later," and without waiting for a response to her "good-bye" she hung up.
 It may perhaps appear strange that while angry that another woman should telephone Bob, and refuse to give me, his wife, her message, I was not in the least jealous in the ordinary meaning of the word. Bob's loyalty I never had doubted; I should as soon have thought of doubting my own. But why couldn't people let him alone? Those silly women, writers and artists were constantly trying to get my things and to excite his interest in some book or story. He had his business, a good legitimate real-estate business. How happy I might be would they allow him to pursue that in peace.
 Bob did not come home to dinner, but shortly after it was cleared away Mrs. Baldwin came in.
 "You alone too. I thought perhaps you might be, so ran over for an hour. I, too, am a deserted wife," and she laughed a bit nervously.
 "Before I forget it, Mrs. Garrett I want you to promise to go and call on Mrs. Farnsworth with me. She used to live here before she mar-

ried and now has returned. I feel so sorry for her."
 "Who is she? I do not recall hearing you mention her," I replied.
 "No, I don't think I ever said anything of her to you. She was Eleanor Hastings and married Dick Farnsworth when she was about 18 years old. She must be about 28 now. They were very much in love, at least she was; and he seemed to be. But he was of a lively temperament and gathered a gay crowd about him wherever he went. She was often alone, especially when her babies came. She had three and lost them all, poor dear. Then suddenly she found out that he was untrue to her. That he was madly in love—as was his way—with another woman. She waited patiently for some time; saying nothing, but grieving in secret over his defection. She thought if she gave him all the liberty he wanted; if she ignored his frequent absences, he would tire. But she had not counted upon the strain it was going to be. She stood it about two years, when one night she let him know that she had been aware of his liaison all along. He told her he wanted his freedom and he she, upon his promise to marry the other woman, divorced him. But it almost broke her heart. That is it did at the time. I think she is glad now. Dick Farnsworth has never married the other woman, but has had several notorious affairs. Eleanor is a lovely woman, and I wonder that she has not remarried. Will you go and call on her with me, say to-morrow?"
 "Indeed I will! but don't you think if she had remained with him—her husband it would have been better?"
 "No. He was too careless of her in every way."
 To be Continued Tomorrow

MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS.
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By Courier Leased Wire
 San Diego, Chile, June 19.—Sir Maurice De Bunsen, who is visiting South American nations at the head of a British mission, arrived here last night. The British commissioner and his colleagues were welcomed enthusiastically. The visitors were taken to their hotel in the state carriage and the appearance of Sir Maurice was the signal for a manifestation of enthusiasm on the part of the people gathered at the station.

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Local News

MILITARY FUNERAL.

The funeral of the late Sergt. E. A. Hollister of the Great War Veterans' Association will take place with military honors to Greenwood Cemetery on Friday afternoon.

NUPTIAL NOTES.

A quiet wedding took place at Zion Presbyterian manse recently when the Rev. G. A. Woodside united in marriage Annie Straglin and James Haines.

WILL BAR HUMAN FREAKS

Mr. William Banks, chief theatrical censor, has been notified that particular pains will be taken at the border this year to keep out human monstrosities, freaks, and alien enemies in full fair troupe, inspectors are to see that any who cross the border, are immediately deported.

WAR LECTURES.

Dr. C. A. Jarvis, chairman of the local committee of the War Lecture Bureau, is in receipt of a letter from N. W. Rowell, president of the Privy Council, thanking the committee members for their volunteer efforts to make the bureau a success. It is, says Mr. Rowell, a source of satisfaction that the plan of the bureau has been so widely and so cordially approved. Brantford's record in this work is considerably above the average of cities of similar size.

WINS SCHOLARSHIP.

Master Reginald Jenkins has returned from Ridley College, St. Catharines, to spend the summer vacation with his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. C. E. Jenkins at St. John's rectory. Master Reginald is a gold medalist, having come at the head of the lower school, and in addition has won the Gerald Blake Memorial scholarship and a prize in English.

WON'T CUT OFF MEAT

A report has been obtained wide currency throughout the country to the effect that during July and August Canadians will be asked to subsist on a vegetable diet, meat being cut out from the menus. Inquiry at the offices of the food administration today elicited the reply that no such order has been issued, and that while a definite official statement was not forthcoming, it was intimated that any such restrictive regulation is not to be anticipated.

OSTEOPATH'S HONORED

Dr. C. H. Sauder and Dr. Christine Irwin, of Brantford, were elected President and Trustee respectively of the Western Ontario Osteopathic Association at the annual meeting, held at the Queen's Hotel, Stratford yesterday. The meeting was well attended. The principal papers given were "Hypertension" (high blood pressure) by Dr. R. F. Parker of Listowel; Bright's disease, by Dr. M. Sherriffs, of Guelph, and a demonstration of the specific value of urinalysis findings in cited cases, by Dr. Detwiler, of London.



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ST. JAMES' THEATRICALS.

The St. James' Dramatic Club are presenting "The Arrival of Kitty" at 8 o'clock to-night under the auspices of the Women's Institute. This is the sixth time this season the club have presented the piece.

REPORTED DEAD.

To-day's official casualty list contains the name of Pte. W. Winter, 219 Dalhousie St., Brantford, who has died. Pte. Winter went overseas with the 84th battalion two years ago.

SERGEANT'S HOME.

Sergt. Carey, C.S.M. Wakeling, and Sergt. Lockyer of the original Fourth Battalion at Niagara, are expected home to-night. They will attend the funeral of their brother "non-com." Sergt. Hollister, tomorrow afternoon.

CONVENTION MAY BE HELD.

Pressure is being brought to bear on the executive of the Baptist Union of Ontario and Quebec to have them reconsider their decision to cancel the convention which was to have been held in Ottawa in October. The congregations of the Union voted against holding the convention this year.

GARDEN PARTY.

The annual garden party of All Saints' Church, Mount Pleasant, held last night at the home of Mr. A. T. Briggs, proved a thorough success. The proceeds amounting to \$160. Mr. G. Raymond of the city occupied the chair, and a number of Brantfordites took part in the pleasing musical program rendered. The Grand River Band of the Six Nations was also in attendance.

ENTRANCE EXAMS ON.

A class of 220 pupils commenced to write on the High School entrance examinations at the Collegiate yesterday afternoon. While this number is not so high as in past years, there are really more candidates writing, for in past years county people came to the city for the examinations, while this year they are being held throughout the county, so that only city pupils are writing at the Collegiate.

TO JOIN R. A. F.

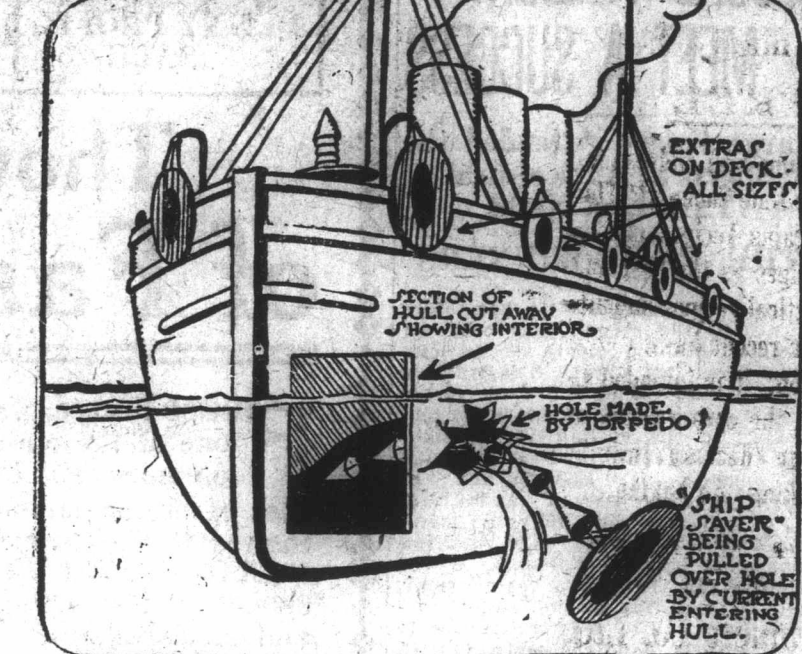
The announcement of some days ago that men of the first class under the M.S.A. would not be accepted as cadets in the Royal Air Force seemingly has been interpreted by Brantford boys of 18 and 19 years of age as meaning that no more will be taken on. This is incorrect, as boys under 19 can take the examinations and be placed on the list, to be called when required. Those taking this course will not be called on for military duty other than with the Royal Air Force.

STORY IS PURE FICTION

There is an absurd but widespread fable current in army circles, particularly overseas to the effect that there is a charge made against the estates of deceased soldiers for blankets in which they are buried. Nearly every man who has seen service overseas has heard it in some form or other, and from inquiries which have reached the military department it would appear that it has received some credence at home by relatives of Canadian soldiers. Such belief, is, of course, without foundation, in fact, the story is branded at Ottawa as one of fiction.

REGULATE SALE OF ALCOHOL

If wood alcohol, which has killed quite a number of thirsty individuals within the past few months, is to be taken out of the reach of people who want to use it as a beverage, the Ontario government will have to deal with the matter. The Dominion has no control over its sale. That is the effect of communication that has been received by the Ontario License board from the chief analyst of the inland revenue department. Since hearing from Dr. McGill the board has been advised that the power to regulate the sale of wood alcohol rests in the Legislature, which can deal with it through the Pharmacy Act. In the meantime there is apparently no practical means of preventing a druggist from selling wood alcohol, even though there may be reason to believe that it will be used to make liquor.



UNIQUE DEVICE SAID TO BE SINKING SHIP SAVER.

X. S. Henalee of Chattanooga, Tenn., has patented this device for saving sinking ships. The device consists of a number of unshaped buckets to which are attached a number of discs made of steel. When a boat is torpedoed the buckets are lowered and when the hole is reached are pulled through the hull by the force of the current. The last one drags the disc into the hole where it is held by suction.

COUNTY COURT

The case of Ritchie vs. Cunningham will be heard at the county court next Monday.

FIREMAN ON HOLIDAYS

Fireman James Stevenson returned to his duties at the central station this morning and Fireman Bert Watson commenced his vacation.

LOCAL BOWLEIS BEATEN.

Four rinks of the Heather Bowling Club journeyed to Paris yesterday afternoon for a friendly match with the Paris bowlers. The Brantford men were defeated on the Paris green.

BUILDING PERMITS

Permits have been issued at the city engineer's office to Mrs. J. Molloy, 189 Drummond, \$150 frame verandah; Thos. Barrowclough, 67 Po street, \$60, frame verandah; and Frank Kitchen, 18 Palmerston Av., \$75, frame porch.

WAR-CHEST

At a meeting of the British Red Cross committee held this morning the idea of a war chest was canvassed for this city. Mr. F. Cockshutt was appointed delegate to attend the meeting of an organization in connection with the matter.

APPOINTMENT AT PETAWAWA

Harold Vansickle, one of the local Y. M. C. A. workers, has received an appointment on the Y. M. C. A. National military camp work for the summer, and left yesterday to take this position at Petawawa camp.

PAYING TAXES

Already many citizens are paying their assessment taxes for this year. The fact that a large number are paying the second installment now instead of waiting till the fall, is a sure sign of prosperity, comment the local collectors.

WORK OF MILITARY POLICE.

The civil branch of the Military Police have put 2,051 men into the army since they began operations in Military District No. 2. Prosecutions of aliens who fail to file up to the registration regulations have resulted in fines amounting to more than \$25,000 being imposed. The average cost of putting a defaulter into uniform was \$22.

EXPECTED HOME.

Secretary MacDonald of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, received word this morning that the following men would arrive in Toronto, today, from overseas and could be expected home in Brantford immediately: G. Wilson, 65 Mohawk St.; Original First; E. Prime, 33 Peel St.; W. F. Hannaford, 217 West Hill St.; T. Wadell, 33 Terrace Hill St.

POLICE COURT.

Chas. Bloxham, who was to have appeared in the police court this morning for a breach of the Motor Vehicle Act, was unable to appear on account of illness. The case was adjourned till Tuesday. Harold Miller, charged with driving an automobile without lights, was warned and allowed to go. Robert Jones, a Paris motorist, left his car standing in a street with the lights off. He was given a severe warning.

PARK CARS ON MARKET

Chief Slemin has received a letter from City Clerk Leonard outlining the clause in regard to the parking of cars as passed at a recent council meeting in connection with the report of the Buildings and Grounds committee. This reads: "All parties attending theatres must park their cars on the market square and not leave them in the streets." The Chief called attention to this by-law this morning and is asking that all motorists cooperate with him. In such case it may be possible to secure the services of a man at a nominal charge to patrol the square at night and look after the automobiles parked there.

EXTEND BOUNDARIES.

The special committee appointed to go into the matter of extension of the city boundaries met yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms and formed a permanent organization. W. B. Preston was elected chairman and Geo. A. Ward, secretary. T. Harry Jones, city engineer, has undertaken to have plans prepared for the committee of the settled areas adjacent to the city, that is Terrace Hill and Eagle Place. Ratepayers may make application by petition to the committee within the city limits, and the committee will do all in their power to further their interests. After the meeting the committee members made a motor trip to Terrace Hill and Eagle Place, and made themselves familiar with the layout of these localities.

PARIS DOES NOT FEAR FOE GUNS

"I Would go to Work as Usual, Were City Under Fire," Said Working Girl

OPTIMISM REIGNS

Paris, June 19.—With the Germans fifty miles from Paris, the sole topic of conversation is the victory which the Italian armies are making and their successful counter-attacks which cause keen delight here.

The announcement in Swiss newspapers attributed to the inspiration of the German General Staff, predicting that Paris will be subjected to an intense bombardment within a few days are meeting with cynical comment untinged by any touch of perturbation.

"The Germans have as much chance to enter Paris as I have to occupy Du Barry's apartments or the Versailles Chateau," was the remark of a girl worker given as an indication of the temper of the park and the city.

"But if the Germans should get within bombing distance of Paris and shell the city, would you go?" the young woman was asked.

"Yes, I go to work as usual," she replied.

A somewhat different view of eventualities is taken by Louis Puech, a Paris deputy, who is taking a prominent part in the work of the committee of deputies for the defence of Paris. He writes to the Matin advocating the taking of certain precautionary measures.

"The capital is no more threatened to-day than it was three months ago," says the deputy in his article. "Nobody doubts the solidity of the front nor fears a fresh withdrawal. But we must exercise foresight which we too often have failed to do in the past."

M. Puech argues that guns with a greatly increased range may some day hold Paris and its suburbs under fire, when panic and serious disorders might develop among the millions of inhabitants, while there would certainly be a certain destruction of supplies and valuables in the city, the material wealth of which runs into many billions.

The exodus from Paris would immediately become general if Paris became the target for an intensive bombardment, the deputy predicts, and it has been decided in that event to make transportation available for everyone and to extend it without cost to those unable to pay.

Persons in the number of 50,000 could be taken out daily under this plan and measures have been taken to raise the number to one hundred and fifty thousand daily in case of an emergency.

The accumulated wealth of the capital the deputy adds, would be reaped progressively with everything affecting the national defence taken first, and then all things affecting the national interest otherwise, such as art collections, private property, raw materials, tools and merchandise would follow in due course.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sayles returned from California and will spend the summer here.

VETERAN SEAMAN DEAD.

By Courier Lensed Wire. Montreal, June 20.—Captain Archibald Reid, for a quarter of a century port warden of Montreal, and concurrently until last year Lloyd's surveyor, died here yesterday. He was born in Liverpool 72 years ago.

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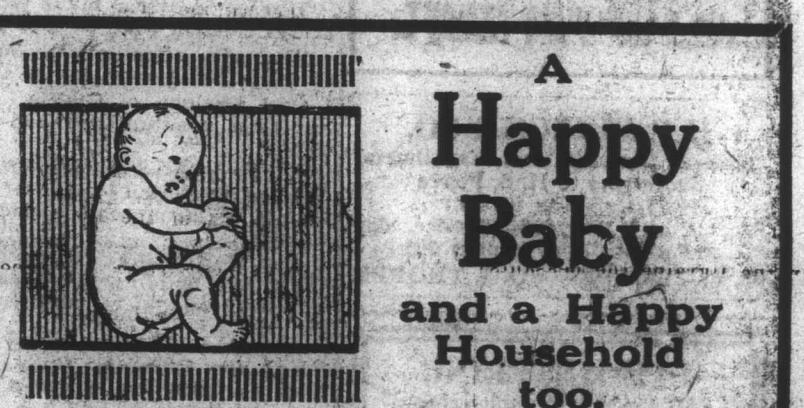
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MARRIED. PATE-McCLURE—In Brantford on Wednesday afternoon, June 19th by the Rev. J. W. Gordon, Mary Heron, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John McClure to Andrew Wilson, youngest son of Mr. James Pate. DIED—

DIED. HOULING—At the Wellesley Hospital, Toronto, on Thursday, June 20th, Allan Lloyd, second youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Houlting, 121 Park Ave., aged 18 years. Funeral arrangements later.

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The funeral of the late Florence Hudson, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert K. Hudson, 15 Walter St., took place yesterday afternoon at Mount Hope cemetery. Rev. K. D. Garrison, of Gospel Tabernacle conducted the services.

Messrs. Harry and Edward Davis, Wm. Richardson and Thos. Gardner, uncles of the deceased, were pall bearers.

The floral offerings were: Pillow—Father and mother. Wreath—Grandma, Aunt Lucy and Violet. Uncle Harry, Uncle Tod and Aunt Edie, Aunt Lillie and Laura, Watson's Cutting room. Cross—Playmate, Marjorie, Mr. and Mrs. Brown.

Sprays—Aunt Lizzie and Uncle Willie, Mr. and Mrs. Wedlake, Peru and Violet Creath, Mrs. Albert Shepherd and family, Mrs. Cullen and family, Mrs. Brown, Annie Kelly and Ida Potter, Blanche and Beesie, Ida Hughes and Maggie Brown, Mrs. Potter and family, Lydia and Mary Dicker, Mr. J. Fitzpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. T. Gardner, Mr. Willets and Mrs. Hainer, Primary Dept. Gospel Tabernacle, Mrs. Carey and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. Edwards, Kith and Kin Esler Place, Mr. Linscott, and Davidson, Mrs. Neaugant, Mr. and Mrs. Richardson, Sr., Mr. Mrs. Miller, Salisbury Lodge, S.O.E., Mrs. J. R. Fenell and family, Mr. Robinson and family, Mrs. Farr and family, Mrs. Howell, Lucy and Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Nurlah, Mr. and Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Yule's class and Miss Kertle's Bellview School, Mr. Henry Detschkin, Miss A. Ballanger, Annie Skett, Cousins Jennie, Jack, and Howard, Mr. and Mrs. H. King, Irene and Albert Larsons.

C. O. F. IN SESSION

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, June 20.—The Canadian Order of Foresters decided in convention here to meet next year in London. The Montreal men tried for a further discussion of rates took place this morning, and though an increase to present members was voted down, it is likely a motion that new members pay standard or government rates will be adopted.

NEWS NOTES

Newsmen in New York found crying fake extras will be arrested. Disease deaths in U. S. army camps totalled only 94 last week. The price of milk is to be raised to 11c after August 1 in Chicago. Carl Swedelin, of Seattle, Wash., has been denaturalized and interned.

A new high record was created in Chicago when ten cars of cattle fetched eighteen cents a pound live weight.

A Washington Signal, New York, left building has been sublet within 30 days at an advance of 100 per cent.

A Tombs "trust" asserts that Franz von Rintelen, German spy, tried to enlist his aid in a plot to escape jail.

John Devoy, editor of the Gaelic American, New York, has been deprived of mail privileges on account of an article denouncing Britain.

Federal authorities have seized the western grazing estate of the late Henry Miller of San Francisco, valued at \$40,000,000.

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Paris, June 20.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press)—Lieutenant Rene Fonck, the young French "ace of aces" fought three distinct battles in the air when, on May 8, he brought down six German airplanes in one day. His record never has been equalled in aviation.

All three engagements were fought within two hours. In all Fonck fired only 66 shots, an average of little more than nine bullets for each enemy brought down.

The first fight in which Lieutenant Fonck brought down three German machines, lasted only a minute and a half and the young Frenchman fired only twenty-two shots.

Although Lieutenant Fonck is officially credited with bringing down 42 enemy airplanes in all, military aviators believe that he has sent down at least 60 machines. He is twenty-four years old, is cool in battle and handles both machine gun and airplane with great skill.

Fonck was leading two other companions on a patrol in the Moreuil-Mouillier sector on May 8, when the French Squadron met three German two-seater airplanes coming toward them in an arrow formation.

Signaling to his companions, Lieutenant Fonck dived at the leading German plane and, with a few shots, sent it down in flames. Fonck turned to the left and the attack hit from behind, but the Frenchman made a quick turn above him and with five shots sent the second Hun down to death. Ten seconds had barely elapsed between the two victories.

The third Hun headed for home but, when Lieutenant Fonck apparently gave up the chase and turned back towards the French lines, the German went after him and was fired in parallel and a little below, when Fonck made a quick turn, dove straight at him and sent him down within a half a mile of the spot where his two comrades hit the earth.

This ended the first engagement. Several German observation balloons had been brought down by French aviators. Lieutenant Fonck returned to his camp, waited three-quarters of an hour for the Germans to learn of that fact and send their chase planes to the scene of action. Then he, with two companions, went out to meet them.

Above Montier, he came upon a German plane which was regulating the enemy artillery fire, dived two thousand feet and sent the German plane to earth with a few shots.

Taking refuge in a cloud, Fonck lost his two companions. Emerging his two planes to start for his own lines, Lieutenant Fonck saw before him four single-seater Pfalz airplanes protected, at 1,500 yards above, by five German Albatrosses making for the French trenches.

With the convoying planes leading in a ten-second flight, Fonck overlooked the rear Pfalz machines, fired and saw it fall.

At the sound of his gun the two Pfalz machines in the centre of the German group turned, one to the right, and the other to the left, to attack the daring Frenchman. Fonck drove his airplane fourth Pfalz head, and a few shots under its tail sent one down in flames and the victor off to safety, leaving the two other Pfalzes and five Albatrosses crossing wounds which had struck the squadron.

The air fights were staged from 4,500 to 6,000 feet up. The first German fell at 4:05 p. m. and the last at 6:05 p. m.

Lieutenant Fonck used an ordinary Spivey machine equipped with two rapid fire guns. He has been a pilot since 1915, passing into a chase pilot about a year ago. On the day following his six victories he was made an officer of the Legion of Honor and subsequently was promoted first lieutenant.

POLITICS AND LABOR

St. Paul, Minn., June 20.—Political lines were being tightened today in anticipation of election of officers of the American Federation of Labor. In addition to the report on international relations, other committee reports were submitted to the convention.

President Compers, it was said, would be opposed for re-election. Secretary Frank Morrison, however, probably will have an opponent, James Wilson, chairman of the American Labor Union. Several other positions, including those of vice-presidents promise fights. Women delegates are centering their activities on naming Miss Agnew Nestor, member of the American Labor Union, to the executive council.

Three cities—Detroit, Seattle and Atlantic City, N. J., are seeking next year's convention.

A Colborne citizen, digging up an unutilized back yard, discovered an abandoned coal bin containing about 300 pounds of hard coal.

SECOND TWILIGHT MEET A SUCCESS

Large Crowd Attended the Sports at Agricultural Park Last Night

THE PRIZE-WINNERS

Over 500 enthusiastic spectators witnessed the second and best yet twilight athletic meet at Agricultural Park last night. The B.I.R.L. fine line-up for these meets which increase in popularity every week. In the cycling vic, Walker did the half-mile in 1 minute and 15 seconds. H. Jackson and H. McMillan came second and third. T. Cowell won the 100 yards men's race, with T. Blower and McCrimmon next best. Watson's scored highest. In the girls' team relay, with Niagara Silk second, Stangeby's third. The winners of the 2-mile bicycle handicap were (1) H. Jackson, (2) L. Nichols (3) C. Bonney. Jackson was cycling for the first time and won easily. More will be heard from him it is expected. S. Fraser rode a special Harley Davidson racer in the 2-mile race, the other two contestants confined to the ordinary special machines will be barred in the ordinary meets. Fraser won the silver medal easily, though 2 miles made a good showing. C. W. Hayes also entered but unfortunately spilled in the first lap and having to content himself with a third place.

The events for next Wednesday night are scheduled as follows: Event 1, cycling, 1 mile boys' race. Event 2, girls, 60 yds. skipping race. Event 3, men, team hustleball (8) men. Specials.

Event 4, cycling, 2 1/2 miles (silver and bronze medals). Event 5, running, 2 mile race, men's (silver and bronze medals). Event 6, motorcycle and sidecar, 3 mile race, special machines, season ribbons.

Event 7, 4 mile, special motorcycle match race. Taylor vs. Fraser. Event 8, half mile Ford car race (against time). Silver medals donated by C. J. Matheil.

Fun followed in the evening, when George Goulding of Toronto, has been in communication with Mr. Leo Morley, director, who hopes to secure Goulding for an exhibition at an early date.

W. C. T. U. ATTACKS BEEF, IRON AND WINE

Awakening in Regard to Patent Medicines Touched on at Convention

By Courier Leased Wire. Ottawa, June 19.—Delegates to the W.C.T.U. convention this morning discussed a report made by Mrs. John Scott of Montreal on the subject of medical temperance. It was asserted that certain patent medicines contain alcohol ranging as high as forty-five per cent.

Mrs. Scott in the course of her report quoted some of the highest medical authorities in Great Britain, the United States and Canada to show that since the beginning of the war there has been a wonderful awakening in regard to patent medicines. She expressed her regret that at the recent meeting in Hamilton of the Canadian Medical Congress no steps were taken in regard to this question.

Quantities of literature bearing on the subject of patent medicines are being distributed among the delegates to the convention. One pamphlet which will be sent broadcast from the headquarters of the W.C.T.U. to the provincial unions asserts that "beef, iron and wine is an easy way to drunkenness."

Questionnaires are being prepared to be sent by provincial unions to medical men in order to ascertain just where they stand on this question.

Mrs. Scott stated that the leading professors in medicine at McGill University speak strongly against alcohol as a remedial agent. "And," continued Mrs. Scott, "as long as there are people who think there is remedial value in alcohol, just so long will there be hopholes in our prohibition measures."

Alberta has enacted a law forbidding the manufacture or sale of any extract, patent medicine or medicinal wine with more than two per cent. alcohol and the delegates from the various provinces will work to have similar legislation in their districts. If we could get these laws," said the convener of the medical temperance departments, "we would soon find the sale of patent medicines drop. It is up to the W.C.T.U. in each province to take steps to secure a law the same as that of Alberta," concluded Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. Ann Gordon presented a report on the evangelistic work and Mrs. Gracie of Quebec told of the advance by legislation and petition.

ITALIANS GAIN

London, June 20.—News reached London this afternoon that the Italians have regained Cape Sile, the town on the left bank to the west of the Piave River, near its mouth, which was captured by the Austro-Hungarians.

It also reported that the Italians have regained all the territory between Zenson and the Posseltia canal. The Austro-Hungarians, it is declared, have been confined to the ground between the Posseltia Canal and the Sile Canal, on the west bank of the Piave River.

Application has been made to the Department of Justice for the liberation of "Venus" Cote from the penitentiary.

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C.O.O.F. ELECT OFFICERS.

By Courier Leased Wire. Toronto, June 20.—The Canadian Order of Oddfellows have re-elected Thomas S. Hudson of Montreal as grand master. The other officers elected were: Fred S. Delong, Hamilton, deputy grand master; R. Fleming, Toronto, grand secretary; W. H. Shaw, Toronto, grand treasurer; Dr. H. S. Bingham, Toronto, grand medical referee.

PLENTY OF EVIDENCE. By Courier Leased Wire. London, June 20.—Edward Shore, chief secretary for Ireland, stated in the House of Commons to-day that there was sufficient evidence against the Sinn Feiners recently arrested to enable their prosecution for treason, but that it was not desirable or necessary to institute it.



THE DUTCH PROVINCE OF LIMBURG WHICH GERMANY COVETS. The place lies down from the main part of The Netherlands and forms a sort of buffer between Germany and part of Belgium, as shown in the unshaded section of the map.

