



GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

"JANE EYRE" ON SCREEN MONDAY

Charlotte Brontë's Renowned Novel at Imperial With Alice Brady and Elliott Dexter

The introduction of Jane Eyre, best beloved of all fiction heroines to the screen, in the photodrama "Woman and Wife," starring Alice Brady, is a notable event which has been awaited with keen interest.

LYRIC THEATRE ESTABLISHES RECORD FOR LONG RUN

"Her Unborn Child" Playing Successful Two Weeks Engagement

"Her Unborn Child," the splendid spoken drama which began an engagement at the Lyric Theatre last Monday evening, will remain another week at the attraction at the same theatre thus establishing a record for the length of a theatrical engagement in the city of St. John.

GEM'S NEW SHOW SCORES A HIT

There's a jolly time at the Gem with the vaudeville performers and there's a deeply interesting picture, "Innocence" in the new programme. It was keenly enjoyed and heartily applauded by patrons last night. The picture is five reels; the acts number four, making a big bill.

Want Ads Are Money Makers

Conner and Fiske have a lively double act, with jokes and music and comedy. Carter and Cooney will get you sure in a dandy act. Flying mother, sensational in trapeze work far over the heads of the people, and the Bertrand Trio, three girls, are great entertainers. It's a lively, big, brisk, jolly, good programme. See it tonight at 7:15 or nine o'clock.

Douglas Fir Doors

We have now a complete stock of sizes. Get our prices. J. RODERICK & SON, Britain Street, Phone M 854

PERPETUATES FAME OF PRECIOUS SON

Emperor William Names New Rhine Bridge After the Crown Prince; Honors Hindenburg

Berlin, May 4.—At the direction of Emperor William, says an official announcement issued today, three new Rhine bridges have been named for the German Crown Prince, Field Marshal von Hindenburg and General Ludendorff.

PERSONALS

Mrs. David Corkey, David Corkey, Jr., and Miss Pauline, aged ten months, infant daughter of Joseph L. and Mary D. Murphy.

HALIFAX HAS POLICEWOMEN

Halifax Echo.—Mrs. May Virtue the city police woman who goes on duty today as assistant to Mrs. Egan, was sworn into office this morning.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c

BIRTHS

COCHRANE.—On the 3rd inst., Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cochrane, 36 Cranston avenue, a son.

DEATHS

MURPHY.—In this city on the 4th inst., Mary Pauline, aged ten months, infant daughter of Joseph L. and Mary D. Murphy.

IN MEMORIAM

COBHAM.—In loving memory of my dear husband, Pte. Walter Cobham, who died of wounds received at Vimy Ridge May 4, 1917.

THOUSANDS OF EGGS WERE DISTRIBUTED

Improving Laying Strain in New Brunswick—The Lumber Drives

Fredricton, May 4.—The distribution of eggs by the poultry division of the department of agriculture to improve the laying strains in the province will be completed in about a fortnight.

STRIKE OF WINNIPEG CITY EMPLOYEES SPREADS

Winnipeg, May 4.—Eighty-five employees of the Winnipeg waterworks department struck yesterday for higher wages, following a strike by city electricians.

LOOK TO RED BALL

On dusty, thirsty days, a drink of cool, refreshing Red Ball is just what you need. Keep Red Ball on the shelf—once you've had it you'll always keep it in the house.

IN THE SENATE

Ottawa, May 4.—In the senate yesterday, the bill providing for the sale of the Bank of England was discussed.

DEATH OF CHILD

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy of 186 Waterloo street have the sympathy of their friends in the death of their infant daughter, Mary Pauline.

Gilbert's Cash Specials

- 1 lb. tin Crisco..... 30c. 1-2 lb. tin Crisco..... 45c. 1 lb. Pure Lard..... 35c. 1 lb. Oleomargarine..... 35c. 1 lb. Oleomargarine (Premium)..... 35c. 1 lb. pkge. Seeded Raisins, 13 1-2c. 3 MacLaren's Jelly..... 25c. 30c. bottle Holbrook's Sauce, 17c. 25c. bottle Lemmon Extract..... 15c. tin of paste..... 15c. 1 qt. Soy Beans..... 23c. 25c. tin Shrimps..... 19c. 1 lb. pkge. Star Cod..... 15c. 1 tin Snider's Tomato Soup..... 15c. 10c. cake Chocolate..... 7c. 25c. cake Baker's Chocolate, 20c. 25c. cake Dot Chocolate..... 20c. 15c. pkge. Macaroni..... 12c. 15c. pkge. Macaroni..... 15c. 20c. pkge. Macaroni..... 17c. 25c. bottle Lemmon Extract..... 21c. 55c. lb. Lipton's Tea..... 47c. Early June Peas..... 18c. tin Carrots..... 15c. tin Cauliflower..... 15c. tin

JOHNSTON'S HOTEL

At Loch Lomond is now open for the summer. Roads are in good shape and fishing is excellent.

ONLY BEGINNING TO FEEL PINCH OF THE WAR HERE

Mr. Adam Refers to Some Things They Are Doing in Motherland

"The people of Canada have a long way to go before they reach the standard of service and sacrifice which has been set by the motherland," said George Adam, president of the Canadian Soldiers' and Sailors' Association.

SECOND DAY OF AMUND'S ANNIVERSARY SALE

Special sale of men's negligee shirts from 7 to 11 tonight at Corbett's, 194 Union street.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB

Rev. (Prof.) J. W. Falconer, D. D., will lecture to the Women's Canadian Club this evening in the Congregational church hall at 8 o'clock.

RECENT WEDDINGS

The marriage of Miss Cora Bell, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Steeves, of Moncton, to Lester W. Steeves, took place on Wednesday afternoon, May 1, at the bride's home.

RECENT DEATHS

Mrs. Mary Killam of Petitoctiac, passed away on Monday at the age of seventy-five.

LOCAL NEWS

Amund's sale today. For a drink of quality say "Blue Ribbon," 8c. in the city.

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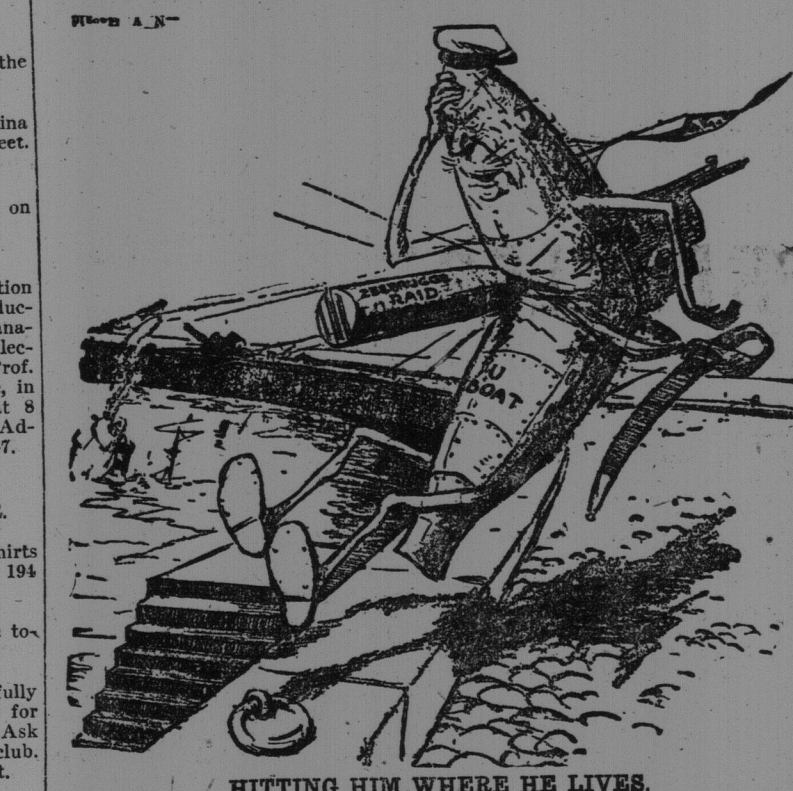
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MORSE'S TEAS advertisement with logo and text: Pure, Rich Indian Tea and Fine Young Ceylon Leaves—this is all that enters the Morse package.

Laborers and Carpenters WANTED advertisement: Apply Grant & Horne, McAVITY PLANT, MARSH ROAD



HITTING HIM WHERE HE LIVES. N. Y. World.

ENGLAND RESTRICTS USE OF ALL LIGHTS advertisement: Railway Service To Be Reduced As War Measure

WANTED Few Men for Handling Bark. Apply PETERS' TANNERY advertisement

GERMAN GUNS ROARING advertisement: (Continued from page 1) British Losses Quarter Million.

TRIS SPEAKER AND LOU MCCARTHY LEAD advertisement: Former's Batting Average is .526 in Eleven Games—McCarthy's .500 in Eight

EXCHANGE OF PRISONERS advertisement: Moscow, April 27.—The exchange of prisoners with Germany will soon begin.

SNAP Cleans All Hands advertisement: Keeps the skin smooth and soft.

L. L. Sharpe & Son advertisement: Jewelers and Opticians, 21 KING ST., ST. JOHN, N. B.

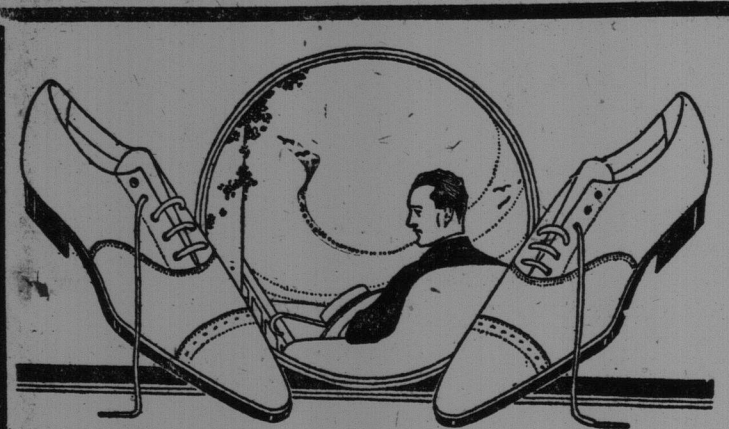




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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1918



**OXFORDS**  
A Real Spring Treat

If you are one of the many men who are just waiting for the Oxford days, then come right in and see us. We can't supply the weather, but as for Oxfords, we have them in just the comfortable styles that bring joy to your feet and with just enough new style to dress them up.

**CALF-KID-RUSSIA**

Whatever your particular leather, we can please you, as our entire Spring Stock is now in, and, of course, your size is there, too.

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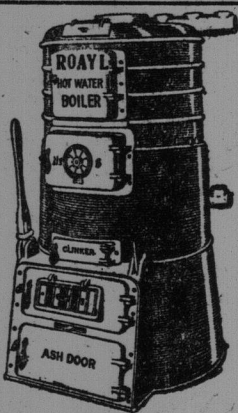
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**ROYAL Hot Water BOILERS**  
— AND —  
**IMPERIAL RADIATORS**

The most improved ideas in generation and radiation of heat are combined in Royal Boilers and Imperial Radiators. If you are interested, let us send you our descriptive literature. We will be pleased to supply you with information as to size and cost, without obligation. Write us NOW.

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Jas. Robertson Co., Ltd., Agents, St. John, N. B.

**This New Hosiery Fits Perfectly**

Mercury Hosiery is fashioned differently from others. The ankles are narrowed and fit without a wrinkle. The toes and heels are perfectly turned. The calves are full fashioned. The tops are widened, therefore more comfortable than any others. It is seamless from toe to top.

While it is only a little more than a year since we started knitting this new Mercury Fashioned Seamless Hosiery it has achieved a wonderful success. Women who have worn one pair invariably purchase more Mercury Hosiery. Such sightly, shapely hosiery has not hitherto been obtainable even in the finest imported lines now off the Canadian market on account of war conditions.

Cashmere in black, white, grays and browns. Cottons, Mercerized Liales, Pure Silks, in all fashionable shades.

Mercury Mills, Ltd., Hamilton, Canada.

**Mercury Hosiery**  
For Ladies and Men.  
Also Underwear for Men, Women and Children.

### War Garden Bulletin

**PRACTICAL DAILY GUIDE FOR VACANT LOT AND BACK-YARD GARDENERS EN-LISTED IN GREAT-ER PRODUCTION CAMPAIGN**

Issued by the Canada Food Board in Collaboration With Experts on the Staff of the Dominion Experimental Farm

**SEEDS.**

Make every seed count this year. The amateur gardener has a weakness for using more seed than is absolutely necessary. Three poor overcrowded plants will not produce as much as one good strong one which has had room to develop perfectly. Through the medium of the War Garden Bulletin specific directions will be given from time to time as to the quantity of seed to be used in planting the various kinds of vegetables, how deep you should go and the distance that should be allowed between the different rows.

Seed is scarce—that is the chief reason why you should not be prodigal in your use of it. Every plant in its place is as gold—but every surplus plant is a weed. Make sure before you start putting in your seeds next week that the soil is in the right condition to receive them. It should be loose and friable. Young seedlings do not require very rich soil in the first instance but it is absolutely essential that it be well "worked."

Remember conditions in a country as large as Canada vary. Some portions are weeks ahead of others. These bulletins aim to strike about the average for Canada as a whole.

### WAR TIME RECIPES

Prepared by Prof. Frances R. Freeman, Home Economics Director, United States Food Administration, Orono, Maine

**"Eat Potatoes and Save Wheat."**

To boil them so that they will be "fit for a king" drop the unpeeled potatoes into boiling salted water and cook twenty to thirty minutes. Drain the water off at once. If they are cooked too long or allowed to stand in the water they get soggy.

If you peel the potatoes before cooking them you will waste time and potatoes both. You may throw away a sixth or even a quarter of the good part of the potato with the skins. Also, if the potatoes aren't covered up by the skins while cooking, some of the valuable material will soak out into the water. Even very small potatoes can be economically used, if they are boiled in their skins.

**For Best Mashed Potatoes:** Peel the boiled potatoes, mash and beat until very light, adding salt, fat and hot milk, a half cup of milk to six potatoes. If dinner is not ready to serve, pile lightly in a pan and set in the oven to brown.

**The Baked Potato**

**DON'TS TO HELP YOU!**

Don't have your oven too hot.  
Don't have different sized potatoes.  
Don't delay in getting them in—they will be hurried along towards the last.  
Don't fail to allow 45 minutes to an hour for a medium sized 6-ounce potato.  
Don't pick too big potatoes.  
Don't put them in your oven dripping with cold water.

**Potatoes for Your Main Dish.**

Potatoes, left over or fresh, may be combined with fish or cheese, for nuts or meat or other material, often to make the main dish of a meal.

**Potato Sausages—**One cup mashed potatoes, one-half cup ground nuts, fish or meat, one egg, well beaten, one and one-half teaspoons salt, one-half teaspoon pepper, salt pork, bacon or other fat.

Mix the mashed potatoes and seasonings with the ground nuts, fish or meat. Add beaten egg. Form into little cakes or sausages, roll in flour and place in greased pan with a small piece of fat or salt pork on each sausage. Bake in a fairly hot oven until brown.

**Hungarian Potatoes—**One quart cooked potatoes, 2 tablespoons fat, 1 tablespoon chopped onion, 2 tablespoons parsley, 1-4 teaspoon paprika, 2 cups tomatoes, 1 teaspoon onion.

Brown onion slightly in fat and add to diced potatoes. Add remaining ingredients except parsley to potatoes and mix in greased pan. Bake covered in a moderate oven 45 minutes. Sprinkle top with chopped parsley and serve.

**Cottage Pie—**Cover the bottom of a baking dish with hot mashed potatoes, add a layer of cold roast beef, chopped or cut into small pieces, seasoned with salt and pepper and onion, and moisten with some of the gravy. Cover with another layer of mashed potatoes. Bake until dish is heated through and potatoes browned on top.

**American Potato Peanut Loaf—**One pint mashed potatoes, 1 cup ground peanuts or 1 cup peanut butter, 2 teaspoons salt, 1-2 teaspoon pepper, 1-2 cup milk, 2 teaspoons fat, 2 eggs.

Beat the entire mixture together and

### Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

Stores Open at 8.30—Close at 6 o'clock Daily, Saturday 10 p.m.

#### SALE OF MANUFACTURERS' SAMPLES OF Children's Coats and Dresses

Starting Monday Morning

This is a splendid opportunity to buy Children's Summer Garments.

**At Bargain Prices**  
These Coats and Dresses are genuine bargains and cannot be duplicated at anything like the sale prices quoted.

**Children's Coats and White Linen and Pique Dresses**, in numerous dainty styles for spring and summer wear for the little tots, ages 1 to 4 years.  
**Sale Prices, \$2.75 and \$3.00**

**Children's Colored Coats—**Rose, tan, fawn and saxe, in lustre, repp and serges, nicely trimmed with fancy collars and belts. Some of these styles suitable for boys as well as girls. Ages 1 to 4 years.  
**Sale Prices, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.75**

**Children's White Linen and Pique Dresses—**Ages 2 to 4 years. . . . **Sale Prices, \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$1.75**

Bring the children and have them fitted, as there will be no approval in this sale.

**MONDAY MORNING IN WHITEWEAR DEPARTMENT**

### Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

#### Latest Novelties in Summer Neckwear

For MEN And BOYS

Our display of the new styles is most attractive. Entirely new designs and color effects, as well as materials. All in the popular large open-end shape. . . . 50c. to \$3.00

Don't fail to see the new Combination Set—Collar, Necktie and Handkerchief to match, shown in pretty light striped silk; a real practical novelty, complete. . . . \$2.50

**NEW SOFT COLLARS—**In all the latest cloths and most popular shapes, in white cotton and colored stripe silks. . . . 20c., 35c., 50c.



#### Special Sale of White Curtain Muslins

**STARTING MONDAY**

These dainty materials are in spots and figured patterns, suitable for sash or long curtains, 36 and 45 in. wide. . . . **Sale Price, 20c. yard**

**CURTAIN DEPARTMENT**

### MT. ALLISON GIRLS' FOR FARM WORK

At the request of the principal, the entire Mount Allison Ladies' College student body, comprising more than 200 girls, met to discuss the question of greater production during the summer of 1918.

The scheme of the Mount Allison girls is to hire out during the summer, or during any particular season of the summer, in groups of two or three or as many more as may be wanted, to those farmers either in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia or Prince Edward Island, who actually need their services.

There will be a supervisor at the college to see that the conditions under which these girls work, at the various places to which they go, are all that may be desired. Any one wishing to secure further particulars regarding this joining up of girl-power to production, needs only to write to Miss Aids McAnn, Mt.

### ANNIVERSARY OF THIRD REGIMENT ARTILLERY

The 3rd Regiment New Brunswick Canadian Artillery is 125 years old today and the founding of the regiment will be celebrated on Partridge Island this afternoon, where the regiment is now on active service. The officers, N. C. O.'s and men of the regiment will be

### C. P. R. REFUSES TO REMOVE THE RAILS

The C. P. R. representative at a conference between the railway and the city yesterday afternoon expressed the view that it would be impossible for the C. P. R. to remove the tracks on Germain street, West St. John, without a general tie-up in the traffic next winter. Commissioner Fisher expressed an opinion last night that the matter would require some investigation but that nothing could be done for the present.

### Does Your Stove SMOKE

Then Prevent It By Using

**WITCH SOOT DESTROYER**

**Witch Soot Destroyer**  
Chemically Cleans Chimneys

**NO FLAME, NO ODOR, NO DANGER, NO DIRT.**

**DIRECTIONS:**

Make a bright, hot fire, then place a "Witch" (unopened) in the hottest part. Shut down all plates and open all dampers leading to chimney. In a few minutes all flues will be cleaned of soot.

If chimney is very dirty you may require two packages to obtain the desired result.

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This range is good all the year round for the most exacting kitchen work—wired glass door with thermometer, warming oven and warming shelf.

Clean, cool, comfortable.

"Satisfaction," a beautiful well illustrated booklet telling all about McClary's gas appliances will be sent free for the asking.

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Engine Room Artificers, \$1.35 to \$2.75 Seamen 90c. to \$1.10, Stokers \$1.00 to \$1.25, Carpenters \$1.20 to \$2.40, Stewards \$1.10 to \$1.50 per day and \$25.00 monthly separation under usual conditions. Some vacancies for Boy Stewards, ages 16-18. Pay 50c. daily. Free Kits, Free Messing.

Qualified men cannot find a better way to serve their country during the war.

Commanding Officer,  
**H. M. C. S. NIOBE,**  
HALIFAX, N. S.  
or Naval Recruiting Secretary,  
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### GARDEN CROPS WILL NOT THRIVE WITH WET FEET.

That garden crops will not give good results unless the soil is kept well cultivated is pointed out by the specialists of the U. S. department of agriculture. Cultivation is not intended primarily to kill weeds, although this is important, but to loosen the surface and let air into the soil so as to provide a more congenial environment for the roots of the plants. Plants in soil which is too wet turn yellow and if not relieved by proper cultivation and drainage, languish and die. Too much water in the soil dilutes the soil solution, impedes the formation of nitrate, destroys desirable soil organisms and permits the development of undesirable ones.

Soil which has been too wet, if allowed to dry and bake, offers an environment as uncongenial for plants as when too wet. Either extreme, therefore, should be guarded against.

If the soil is naturally wet, provide surface or the drains. If inclined to make after rains, cultivate as soon as it is dry enough. As a rule, stirring the surface two inches will give better results than deep cultivation.

If the home garden is located near the kitchen door, the hoe and rake can be kept conveniently near so that old mounds can be spiced in cultivating.

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Horse a splendid driver, Everything in excellent condition. A bargain. Address—Alex. Lesser, 555 Main Street, Phone Main 2909. 5-11.

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"The vessel jerked violently as she started on her downward course. In the twinkling of an eye we were thrown into the same position as before - only more so - with our legs dangling and our hands gripped in the effort to hold on and prevent being thrown all of a heap. We eventually emerged none the worse for the trip, but with a vivid impression of what must be the life of the gallant crews to whom our experience was a trifle as compared with theirs. In the midst of shot and shell and with their own guns blazing away."

"The roar of the machinery in the confined space was terrific. A man with the strongest lungs, shouting in the ear of a man of the loudest hearing could not make a syllable heard."

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PROVINCIAL RED CROSS

A meeting of the provincial Red Cross was held yesterday in the mayor's office with Mayor Hayes presiding and Lady Tilly present as organizing president. It was reported that four new chartered branches were established in New Brunswick - one at Lower Woodstock, Scotch Colony, Grafton and Rexton. Reports from the Prisoners of War Work showed that the sum of \$697 has been raised in the last three months. Canadian prisoners who have escaped report that the Red Cross parcels are received safely and are greatly appreciated. Miss Clements submitted the secretary's report and said that in three months 862 boxes of supplies containing about 85,000 articles had been forwarded.

One hundred and twenty-four new members had been added in New Brunswick, making over 900 in the province now.

The treasurer's report showed receipts with balance to be \$6,006 and the expenditures to be \$1,447.84 with a balance on hand, May 1, of \$4,558.77. New Brunswick is asked to raise \$100,000 next year for the Provincial Red Cross Fund. Three members of the Commercial Travelers' Association were present and offered assistance.

Mrs. Lawrence reported that proceeds from the lantern slides shown in New Brunswick fifteen times were \$400. Wm. McIntosh gave a report on the spangnum moss, which is a great necessity in surgical dressing. A draft of \$600 was voted to the prisoners' war work. A vote of thanks was extended to Miss A. L. Brook for two months' assistance in shipments.

SUCCESSFUL CONCERT.

A concert, held in Temple of Honor Hall, North End, last evening under the auspices of Alexandra Circle, Soldiers' Comforts Association, was largely attended and proved most successful in every way. Rev. Mr. Hutchinson presided. The programme follows: Selections, Black's orchestra; violin solo, Rhod Spensery; dialogue, The Tracker and the Trail; violin and piano, Mr. and Miss Dunlop; solo, Miss Edna Watters;

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(Continued from Page 1, Col. 7.) and among the papers seized was a torn folder and worn "scrap of paper." Inspector Dunlop for the first time in his many years of service bowed his head in defeat. He was completely baffled and the hidden message of the unmany jumble of letters remained a profound mystery.

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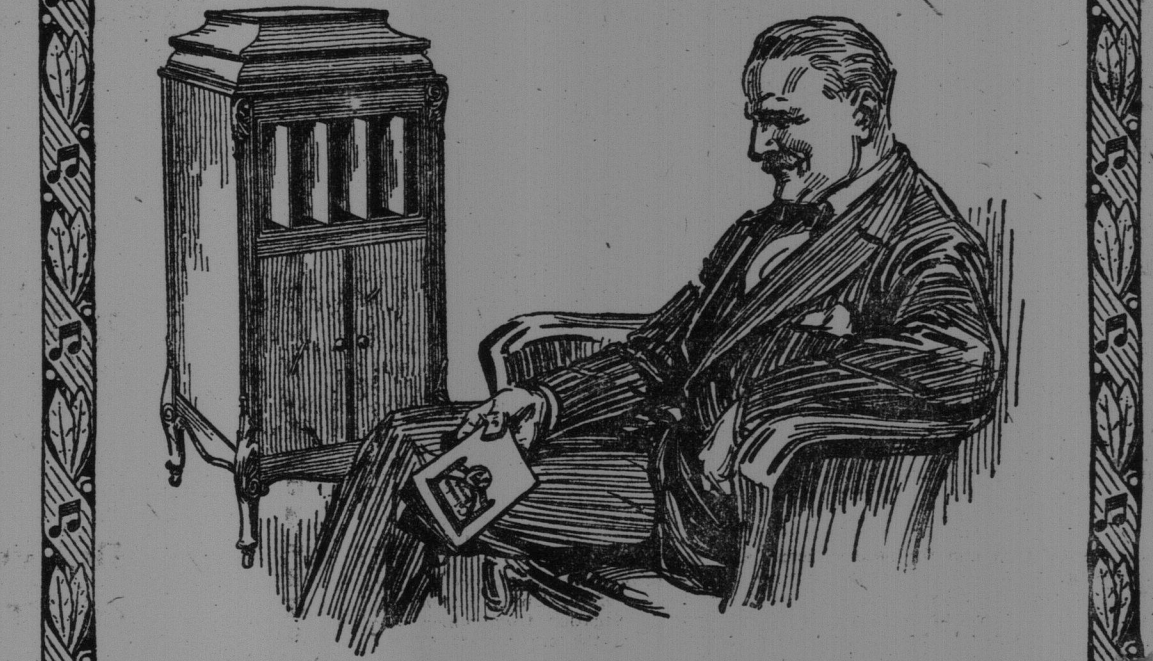
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## Need Fighters More Than Food Producers

Government Refuses to Consider Exemption For Farmers

Big Delegation of Ontario Farmers Wait on Cabinet But are Told That Two Weeks' Leave of Absence is Only Relief That Can be Promised

Ottawa, May 3—A representative deputation of some two hundred Ontario farmers, for the most part summoned by telegraph yesterday by the officers of the United Farmers of Ontario to meet in Ottawa today, interviewed the government this afternoon and pleaded for the temporary holding up of the new conscription regulations in so far as the taking of young men from the farms is concerned until at least the representations of the big deputation called for the 14th inst. are heard. The farmers, today, voiced a vigorous protest against the rigid provisions of the new order-in-council which leave no loopholes for any young farmer, no matter what the need of his labor on the farm. They maintained that if the government went ahead with its present policy, food production this year, instead of being increased would be decreased, despite the need of greater production to prevent starvation overseas.

### GOVERNMENT STANDS BY ITS GUNS.

The reply of the government as voiced by Sir Robert Borden, Major-General Mewburn, Hon. T. A. Crerar and Hon. N. W. Rowell was that the first need was men for the front to hold back the Hun and that although the new regulations undoubtedly worked hardship and threatened to decrease production the government knowing all the facts of the present acute condition must stand firm by the policy it had deliberately adopted. The men must come from the farms as from other industries and they must be obtained at once. There was no sign of any backing down on the part of the government.

Sir Robert's answer to the delegation was sympathetic but firm.

#### Ministers Agreed.

Sir Robert's statement of the government's attitude was backed up by the other ministers. "We took this action with our eyes open, knowing how important food production was and what the effect of the waiving of exemptions might be," said Mr. Crerar. "I urged all these difficulties upon my colleagues but we must—just the balance between the need of food and the need of men according to our best judgments. Even if we do take the boys from the farms we shall not yet measure up to the requirements of Britain and France. We are learning stern lessons from this war and because greater sacrifices are now required of us we must not just sit down and wring our hands. It is only the supreme need of the hour that has made us adopt the course we have taken."

The representations put forward by the farmers were made in no carping spirit. They protested their loyalty and desire to do what was best to meet the needs of the situation, but they emphatically asserted that they could not obey the request of the government to produce more if, at the same time, their sons and help were taken from them. Portions of their land, they declared, were already lying idle for lack of help to work it. Only men trained in agriculture could fill the needs. City labor had been tried and found wanting. Many instances were cited in proof. They admitted that the Military Service Act had not produced the expected results, but they urged that the government should not go from one extreme to the other and should now pause before drafting more men from the farm and take thorough stock of the situation. They claimed that, relying on exemption promises previously given, they had committed themselves to seeding more land and raising more stock than last year, but now the help on which they had counted was being taken from them and although seed might be put in they could not see how it would be harvested. There were limits to the number of hours a day that a farmer and a farmer's wife would work.

#### Leave of Absence.

While the government held out no hope of any reconsideration of the policy adopted, General Mewburn announced that a telegram had been sent out to all depot battalion officers instructing them to grant, when necessary, two weeks' leave of absence to any farmer to go back and complete seeding operations.

Sir Robert Borden intimated that, following the national registration of June next, the government hoped to be able to mobilize all labor in Canada to much better advantage than at present and thus meet the farm help problem of the coming harvest time. Hon. Mr. Rowell declared that the government would be glad to sit down with a committee of the farmers "in an effort to meet the situation as best we can."

Incidentally it was brought out by General Mewburn that in determining the ages of the men from 20 to 22 inclusive who are now drafted the reckoning date is Oct. 13, 1917, when the first call was issued. Thus men who became twenty after that date are not included in the present call, while those that became twenty-three after that date are included.

In presenting their case, today, C. J. Thornton, ex-M. P. for Durham, stated that the farmers fully appreciated the difficulties with which the cabinet had to deal during the present strenuous time. He said, however, that they were somewhat disappointed at the results of the government's deliberations. Last fall and particularly during the election campaign they had been assured that producers would be given special consideration because they were in the position to contribute to the success of the Allies by furnishing food. As a result of this assurance the farmers had strained every nerve to increase production and in many instances had done things they would not otherwise have done.

On behalf of the farmers, Mr. Thornton asked the government to consider

further the action proposed and to delay, if possible, the taking of men until the summer was over.

H. St. Clair Fisher (Lincoln and Welland) said that the farmers in these two counties were as patriotic as in any part of Canada. They had enlisted in large numbers and the farms were depleted because of this fact. Since the first of the month the young men called to the colors had left the farms, and now some of them were lying idle. These men, who had enlisted, should be allowed to return home, at any rate until seeding was finished.

C. W. Gurney (Brant) said he was the representative of the United Farmers of Ontario, a delegation from which was coming to see the government on the 14th. Mr. Gurney declared emphatically that the deputation had no desire to shirk responsibility, but the question for the government to consider was one of production or men as soldiers. If the government persisted in drafting the young men—production in Ontario at least—would be curtailed by fifty per cent. He stated the farmers were willing to appoint a committee to meet the government in an endeavor to solve the problem.

#### Premier Borden's Reply.

After declaring that he was sorry that he had not heard more than one speaker, Sir Robert Borden said: "I do want you to understand that a situation exists which you do not quite understand. I have been twice in France, at the front and I cannot bring myself to stop short at any measures to give our soldiers the support that they deserve."

"We talk of hardships and sorrow here in Canada; we have had hardships and God knows, too much sorrow, but we have no conception of what is going on in France at the present time. Production is absolutely essential, and the most commanding duty of the government is to see that it is carried on. But if we waited for further exemptions and our men were decimated and destroyed, what kind of an answer would it be to say we had increased production?"

The prime minister then spoke of the work of the tribunals making it clear that it was impossible to allow men to go through the ordinary procedure, in view of the great necessity for reinforcements immediately.

"We must have production as best we can," he continued, "but it is also for the government to consider how important and urgent is the need for men. I hope you will believe me when I tell you, as a minister of the crown, that the need was never more urgent than it is today. I want to tell you that, if the British line, of which our men form a part, breaks, I don't know where you would get a market for your product. You must realize that we did not take up this matter without serious consideration. It is a question that would make a man almost sweat blood before he could reach a conclusion. I, for one, can never bring myself to adopt any course which will not provide reinforcements for the men over there."

#### Speaks of Registration.

Sir Robert Borden then spoke of the measures which the government was planning to adopt in order to assist all industries, especially the farming industry. He made particular reference to the coming registration of men and woman power, stating that this method had been successfully carried out in Great Britain and France.

"I hope you will realize the awful responsibility which rests upon my colleagues and myself. I beg of you that you will look on it in that light. I believe that the difficulties you have are difficulties which in some measure can be overcome. The peoples of our race are never stronger than when confronted with problems which seem practically insurmountable."

#### General Mewburn.

Major-General Mewburn followed, explaining how the drafting of men from twenty to twenty-two years of age will be carried out. He said that requests had been sent to the military commanders in the various districts asking them

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## THE CRISIS!

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SOME CRITICISM

Budget, Military Service Act, New Taxes and Other Matters Under Fire—Development of Iron and Steel Industries Advocated

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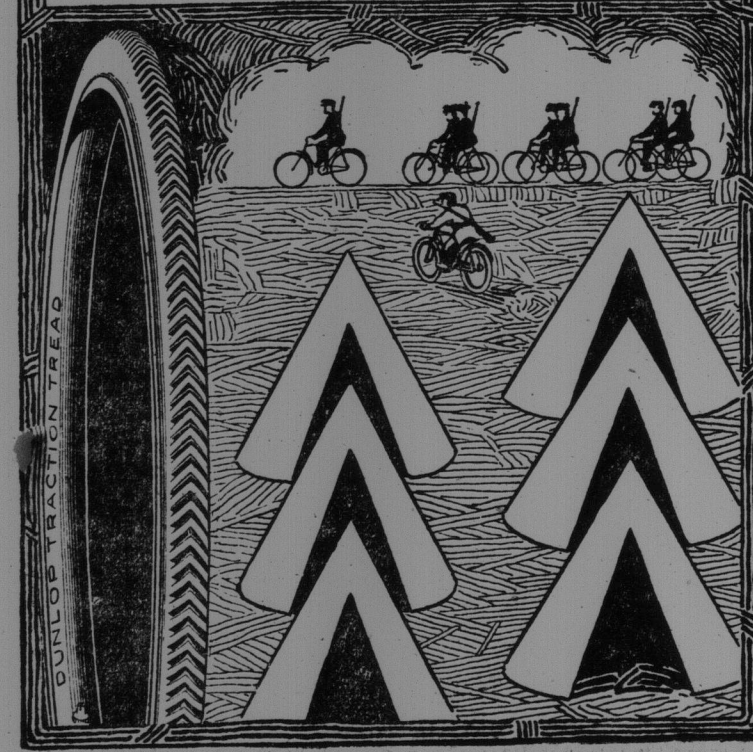
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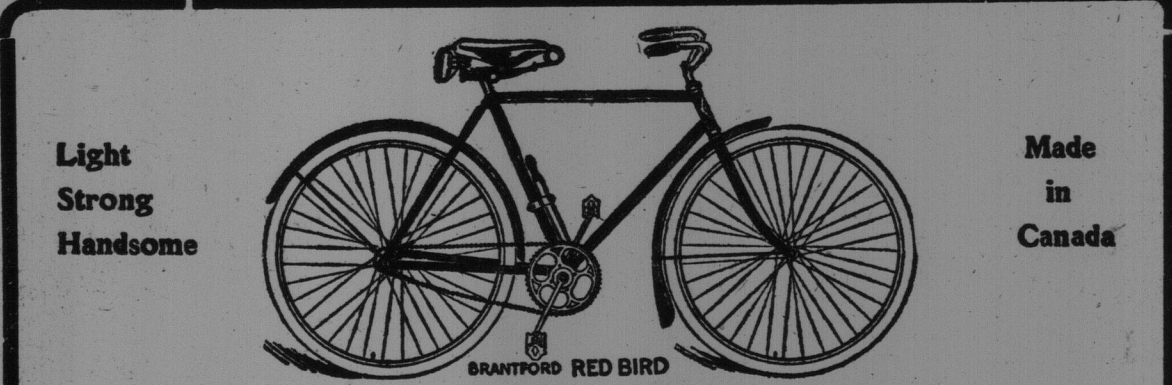
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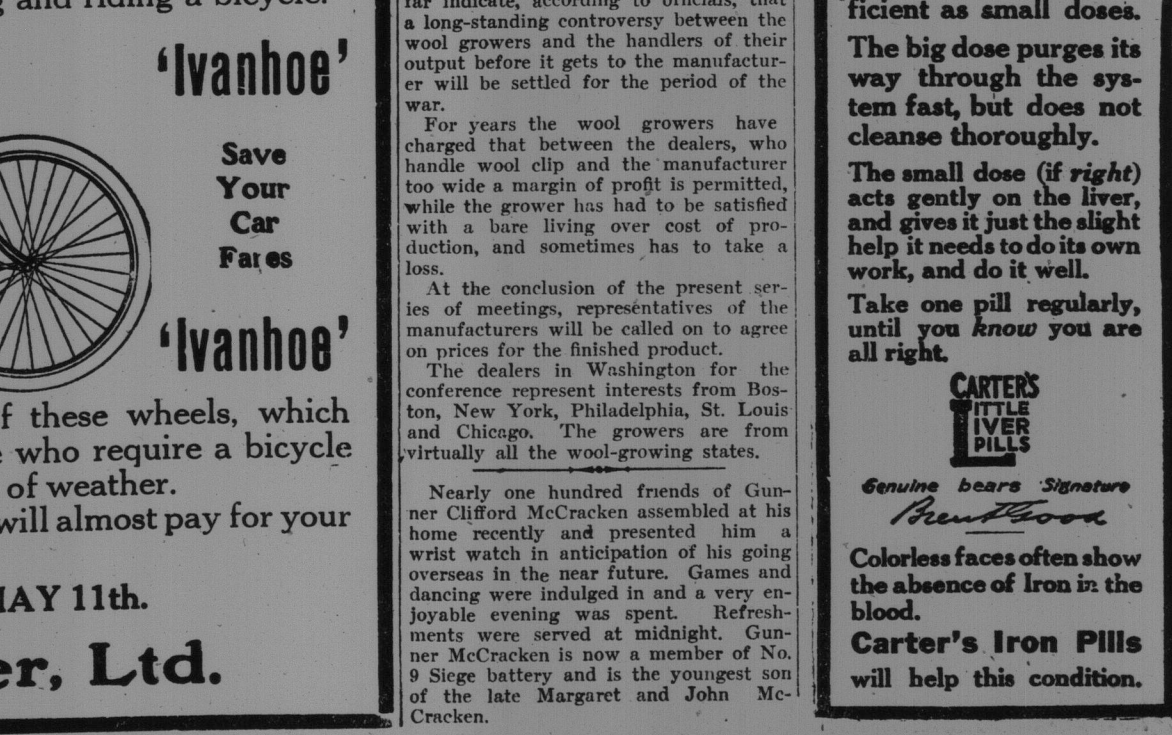
KILLED MAN WHO INSULTED FLAG; JURY ACQUITTED HIM

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., SATURDAY, MAY 4, 1918

## A Defence of The Secret Service

How United States Meets The Spy Problem

Extensive Precautions

Baseless Rumors of Inefficiency Gained Ground Because Service Cannot Endanger Operations by Revealing Work

Because it is necessary to keep most information secret makes it almost impossible for the bureau of intelligence, or bureau of investigation as it is called in the department of justice, to defend itself from innuendoes and even direct lies. This applies to all countries, but reference is particularly made to the Washington bureau, which of late has been much criticized. Zealous but misguided Americans have stated from time to time that ammunition manufactured in their country has been shipped recently to Germany and likewise that fourteen German spies secretly have been shot. The case of Walter Spoorman was featured in hundreds of papers, it being stated that Spoorman came over in German submarine No. 85 to Newport; that he was a high officer in the German army; that his trunk was filled with incriminating correspondence with von Bernstorff, Boy-Ed and others; that he visited American military camps in uniform of a captain in the United States army; that he was detected in the act of lighting a fuse to blow up the arsenal at Newport News, etc. It has also been stated, writes Thomas F. Logan in Leslie's, that the department of justice has pardoned large numbers of spies to enable them to attend to their private business and that they are at large without any restraint.

Good Intelligence System. It can be stated authoritatively that there is not a scintilla of truth in any of these statements. They are cited as examples of the kind of false rumors that work harm to the interest of the United States government, that incite prejudice and passion and destroy faith in a government that has a definite and intelligent policy in dealing with a great national war problem. The largest part of the intelligence system of the United States government is under the direction of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice. The navy department also has an excellently organized and aggressive intelligence bureau. So has the war department, under General Van Deman, whose headquarters are at the war college. The state department has an intelligence bureau, under one of the ablest secret service operatives in the country, familiarly known in Washington as "Bill" Nye. The treasury department has its own secret service, which is largely engaged in counterfeiting and smuggling cases.

How Espies Escape. The supreme direction of these forces quite naturally has fallen into the hands of Thomas Watt Gregory, the attorney general of the United States, and the

man who has formulated the policy of the government in this delicate problem. When matters of policy arise they are referred to the attorney-general. His policy is not accidental, nor is it merely an evolution of experience in handling many cases. It is based upon a careful study of the problem of a mixed population of many nationalities living in a democracy, under free institutions, guided by a constitution which lays great stress upon liberty and free speech and which at the same time defines treason as the giving of aid or comfort to the enemy. Outside of this provision in the constitution which defines treason, there are few specific statutes under which a person against whom there is evidence of treason can be tried. One of the men who have done most to create pacifism, to discourage the draft, and to undermine confidence in the war aims of the American government has come close to the constitutional definition of treason, but his statements have always been punctuated by shrewd "ifs," "ands" and "buts," and with conditions and hypotheses that would save him in a court of law, although not in the court of public opinion.

The department of justice is ready to try any man who may be charged with treason while the war lasts and there will be a prompt execution. But the American government, true to its traditions, will not prosecute any man unless the evidence indicates guilt. Fifty hundred cases are reported to the bureau of investigation of the department of justice alone every day. Each one must be investigated with the greatest care. Most of the fears represented in these complaints naturally are baseless, but a number lead to real clues, which must be followed. Prosecution results in many cases, internment of enemy suspects in others. Most of the real Austrian spies, however, quit the country with Dumba, and most of the real German spies—that is to say, the directing heads—quit with von Bernstorff.

What Spies Want to Know. What Germany is concerned most about is the location, number, time of departure, and character of the cargoes of ships. That is why the cables, wireless and mails are censored so rigidly. Little, if anything, is now getting

through. The department of justice has its well organized force covering the country. In addition the department receives considerable assistance from the American Protective Association, which is well organized and which is approved by the department of justice, but which has no other official standing. This association has done good work. Many loyal Americans have been annoyed since the war began by having their movements watched by some amateur Nick Carter. But, while many foolish complaints have been made, the civilian adjunct has helped measurably to safeguard the nation's interests.

## PARLIAMENT TO MEET IN MORNING

Ottawa, May 3.—The house begins morning sittings on Tuesday. It will also sit on Saturdays beginning Saturday, May 11, till the end of the session. In presenting a motion to this effect this afternoon, Sir Robert Borden said that certain reasons made it highly desirable that ministers should be relieved of their duties in parliament at no very distant date. There were two alternatives. One was to work a little harder and get through in ten days or so; the other to adjourn the house and meet again in the summer. Replying to a question by Ernest LaFollette, the minister of militia stated that men subject to the call for military service who have married since July 6, 1917, when the military service act was passed, are still regarded as single men. The house then took under consideration Hon. K. McLean's resolution upon which a bill is based, giving the dominion government power to renew or extend loans of the C. N. R. system maturing during the present year. Mr. MacLean explained that this power had not been taken in the legislation last session. As a great many of the C. N. R. issues bear a low rate of interest it is a difficult matter, he said, to secure their renewal without increasing the rate of interest. The legislation, the minister explained, would not increase the obligation of the dominion government. This step was desirable from the standpoint of national interest. He expressed the hope that renewals could be obtained for three years, which would probably be beyond the war period. At the request of R. L. Richardson, Springfield, the minister proceeded to read the list of maturing C. N. R. liabilities with which the government will have to deal.

## WED TO LORD ALASTAIR.

(New York Times). Word has been received in New York telling of the marriage, in Paris, of Mrs. Helene Demarest Leishman and Lord Alastair Leveson-Gower, son of the Duchess of Sutherland, who was married in the autumn of 1914 to Major Percy Desmond FitzGerald. The bride's former husband was John G. A. Leishman, jr., son of the former ambassador to Germany, and her second marriage will come as a surprise to her friends on this side, as there had been no announcement of divorce. Her engagement to Mr. Leishman was announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. Demarest, in the summer of 1911, while they were at their villa on Lake Como, Italy. At this time Mr. Leishman's father was ambassador to Italy. Their marriage took place in Milan several months later. About five



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Sport News of A Day; Home and Abroad

BASEBALL
National League
Pittsburg, May 3—St. Louis won from Pittsburg here today, 6 to 2. The score: R.H.E.
St. Louis . . . 02004000—6 10 3
Pittsburg . . . 00001100—3 6 3
Batteries—Dank and Snyder; Miller, Saunders and Schmidt.
Cubs Win Their Seventh.
Chicago, May 3—Chicago won its seventh straight game today by defeating Cincinnati, 9 to 8. The score: R.H.E.
Cincinnati . . . 12000140—8 12 2
Chicago . . . 00021020—9 14 1
Batteries—Bresler and Wingo; E. Hendrix, Weaver and Killifer.
Giants Annex Another.
Boston, May 3—New York bunched hits off Nehf in the first and fifth innings today, each time scoring two runs, and made a fifth in the seventh on Benton's pass and Kauf's triple, New York winning, 5 to 1. The score: R.H.E.
Boston . . . 20002010—5 9 0
New York . . . 00010000—1 6 2
Batteries—Benton and Bardeen; Nehf, Canavan and Wilson.
Phillies Very Weak.
Brooklyn, May 3—Brooklyn defeated Philadelphia in the opening game of the series here today, 5 to 2. It was the visitors' fourth straight defeat, and Whittier's run in the seventh was the first scored after thirty-three successive scoreless innings this week. The score: R.H.E.
Philadelphia . . . 00000101—2 8 4
Brooklyn . . . 12000009—5 10 0
Batteries—Mayer, Tinsop and Burns; Coombs and Wheat.
American League
New York, May 3—New York defeated Boston in an eleven inning game here today by a score of 3 to 2. Successive singles by Baker, Pratt and Pipp won for New York, with the decisive eighth support by the New York outfield saved Love in the eighth inning. The score: R.H.E.
Boston . . . 1100000000—2 10 1
New York . . . 0010001000—3 9 1
Batteries—Bush and Agnew; Love and Hannah.
Athletics Trim Senators.
Philadelphia, May 3—Philadelphia defeated Washington today, 8 to 6. Shaw, replacing Ayers with the score tied in the seventh, was batted freely. The score: R.H.E.
Washington . . . 30000102—8 13 2
Philadelphia . . . 20101031—8 10 1

The Wonderful Record Of The Red Stockings

Old Time Baseball Reviewed—Tour From Coast to Coast Without a Single Defeat

(BY JOE PAGE.)
Note—This is the fourth of a series of articles. While starting out to show to the baseball readers of America, what effect the war would have on the game during hostilities, and what benefits would accrue to the game, its supporters and the country in general after the war. I have become so much interested in the stories of the game, since its inception, as an amateur or semi-professional pastime in 1870, that I have wandered from the matter proper to tell of some of the more important events that have taken place. But I have treated that, like myself, the reader will possibly enjoy and appreciate these little aside stories of the American national game.

So far we have taken into consideration the formation of the first amateur or semi-professional league and carried it along to and through the Civil War, the game in civilian life and its wonderful record as a pastime with the soldiers and sailors of the Federal and Confederate army and navy during the war, thus causing an unprecedented revival of the game in civilian life after the war. Also we have noted the journey of the first eastern ball team to the west and vice versa. It is well at this point to take into consideration not only what these at that time wonderful baseball trips meant to the game, but what they meant as an advertisement and publicity propaganda for the only partially settled western country. For the reader must remember that in the years from 1850 to 1870, Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, in fact all of what is now known as the Central Western States, was but little more settled than the later added states of the union, such as Washington, Oklahoma and other former territories of the west and north-west are at the present time.

One can hardly question that more than likely when the first baseball trip was proposed, the advantages of making such a journey were not altogether viewed alone from the point of what good it would do for the baseball game, but as showing those accompanying the team what sort of an undeveloped farming Eldorado this wonderful western country was said to be by those hardy pioneers who had trekked into this land of promise years before they had gone out there long before the roads of steel were laid down. Log cabins were in the preponderance over the neat and pretty cottages owned by the wealthy settlers in the new towns and cities of that period, and which you may be sure, were very few and far apart. A few years later came the railroads and they were under great difficulties, for the riders were constantly hampered by Indians and outlaws of the prairies. Then it was that this trip of baseball was arranged and carried out to successful conclusion. The result was that on their return to the east the party had a most wonderful story to tell to the people of the thickly populated Eastern States, of the wonderful oppor-



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ST. JOHN SOLDIER WRITES TO TIMES OF RED TRIANGLE

What He Saw One Night in Y. M. C. A. Dugout Close To The Front Line in France—Good For The Weary Fighting Men.

The following letter relative to the work of the Y. M. C. A. in France was received this week from a St. John soldier who is in France, who has himself been in the front line and wounded, and knows from personal experience since 1915 all about the Red Triangle and its work. He writes:

"Having read a letter from a lady in Canada in which she tells of the criticism of a few returned boys, and being in a position to observe closely the work of this institution, I feel that some few people may be interested to read a short account of their activities in one line, namely the forward canteens.

"On a certain Sunday I made an arrangement whereby I was to go to one of our forward canteens and spend the night. After walking several miles and passing many batteries in action, I arrived at my destination. The canteen is in a brick cellar or basement, and consists of three rooms. It is not bomb-proof by any means, and boasts two large holes in the roof where German shells have played havoc. Seven men were killed by one of these shells just before our division took over this area.

The first room is about 30 ft. by 15, and has writing tables, piano and a large open fire-place. The second is considerably smaller and contains reading material and a gramophone. It also contains the eight gallon urn from which the men get their free tea—and it is free tea. This urn is practically never empty. The third room holds the canteen, where the men can buy biscuits, chocolate, canned goods, tobacco, etc. at very nearly cost price. The large printed price list hangs over every canteen and each man can verify his charge. The whole plant is lit by acetylene lamps, which must be kept burning continuously.

"The staff consists of a sergeant and two privates. The sergeant is known to me personally, and is a most conscientious fellow. He is personally at the service of each and every man who enters his quarters. His spirit is reflected by the sign hanging over the counter: 'Our motto, Service.' One of the others is forty-nine years of age and very happy, because he evaded the doctors in England, who told him he was too old for service in France. Incidentally this man fought at Passchendaele in the infantry. His one desire is to stay till the finish and go home with the boys.

"The staff sleep just behind the canteen on boxes on the floor. They keep open from 8.30 a. m. to 8 p. m., as long as the men come they are served. The canteen is near enough to serve the men in support, the artillery and working parties going up and returning from the front line.

"Among those I saw were many engineers who had been up on wiring parties and who were wet, cold and tired. The effect of hot tea need not be

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imagined on these men. The April showers are keeping the roads and trenches covered in mud and our men are strictly in keeping with the times.

"One chap entered and sat down at the piano. He played and sang for some time, and being a lover of music, I approached and entered into conversation with him. Imagine my surprise to learn that this man sang in the Imperial Theatre in my own city and knew quite a number of my best friends. He even recalled hearing my name mentioned on several occasions. His friends would not have known him that night.

"After he had gone to curl up in his dug-out, another entered and started to play the old favorite hymns, 'Lead Kindly Light,' 'Nearer My God to Thee,' and many others served to create a homelike atmosphere. This man had been a choir leader for many years and before making his home in Canada had the honor of appearing twice before the late Queen Victoria.

"Sitting back in a corner, I took notice to the signs round the walls. 'Special attention paid to working parties,' 'Free Stationery at the counter,' 'Free Tea,' and 'How About that Letter Home?'

"The supplies for this canteen go as far as possible by motor and then by horse transport. The writer found a vacant table and curled up at 2.30 a. m. with one blanket and two coats and slept till 8.30. He hopes that this slight appreciation of one ranker may count against the criticism of some few who expect too much for nothing. The activities of the Y. M. C. A. in France will form an interesting subject after this is over."

April 11, 1918.

The boys of the depot battalion were entertained in the Red Triangle rooms last evening by the Lend-a-Hand Circle of the King's Daughters' Guild. Mrs. George Amlund and Miss Alicia Haines looked after the musical part of the programme and the refreshment committee consisted of Mrs. H. Colby Smith, Mrs. Fred Whelpley, Mrs. Walter Golding and Mrs. Ernest Waring.

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Y. M. C. I. HAS HAD A GOOD YEAR

Crafting Reports Presented at Annual Meeting—Interesting Address by Rev. Wm. Duke

The annual meeting of the Young Men's Catholic Institute was held last evening in the local rooms in Cliff street. The chief business of the meeting was the presentation of reports from the various committees, on the general workings of the institution and the progress made during the past year. The general tone of the written reports submitted on behalf of the committee by their respective secretaries showed a progressive disposition in all the branches. The reports of the committees also held out timely suggestions which were favorably received.

Ernest Keefe, the president, submitted an exhaustive report on the general work carried on during the last year. The report was well prepared, showed careful attention to details and was admirably presented. It dealt with all phases of the institute work and he reported that the general progress was good and that success had been met with both financially and otherwise.

The election of new directors to replace those who are retiring, their terms being expired, resulted in the election of Thomas Nagle, John Keefe, John T. Power, Martin Doherty and Martin O'Leary. There were fourteen nominations.

Ernest Sterling read a lengthy report on behalf of the athletic committee. The report showed that a keen interest had been taken in all lines of sport. The report contained several suggestions all of which were favorably received.

The social committee submitted a report showing successful concerts and musical programmes held during the year. Reference was made to the play staged by St. Rose's Dramatic Club; concerts given by the City Cornet Band; snowshoe hikes and other activities during the winter. Timely suggestions were embodied in the report, all of which were referred to the incoming board of directors.

T. K. Sweeney, secretary of the committee, prepared the report. The educational committee's report showed that some twenty-five men and boys were in attendance at the night school held in St. Malachi's Hall. The report was signed by Dr. W. P. Broderick, president of the committee, and A. Gorman, secretary.

Rev. William M. Duke, spiritual director, spoke at length. He referred to the general interest displayed in the annual reports of the various committees. It was a difficult thing to start an institution like the Y. M. C. I. without some slight setback. The Y. M. C. I. however, was now being well shaped. Good success had been met with both financially and otherwise. It had practically been self-supporting. Reference to the work of J. J. McNamara, physical instructor, drew much applause. He paid him a high tribute for his work. Father Duke expressed the hope that Mr. McNamara would be here again next year.

Special attention was directed by the spiritual director to more activity in lectures, debating, etc. He urged the students next year among the Catholic societies of the city. He directed more attention to the boys' classes. The uplift of the institute for the coming year depended largely on these boys, he said. He congratulated and thanked the retiring members of the board of directors for their work and also the members of all the committees for the interest they had shown during the year just closed.

Father Duke also spoke of the possibility of affiliating the various Catholic boys' organizations with the province with the Y. M. C. I. and the holding of a convention or interchange of ideas.

THE 10 PER CENT. EXCISE TAX. Word has been received from Ottawa that manufacturers, wholesalers and dealers in all articles, such as automobiles, etc., subject to the new ten per cent. excise tax, will be permitted, if they so desire, to take out bonded warehouse licenses whenever convenient and

advisable to allow the same. The duty will then be paid as the goods are taken out of bond instead of being paid all at once. The license fee will be determined later and it will probably be a nominal one.

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