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U. S. UNCOVERS SINN FEIN PLOT

FARMERS DEMAND MEMBERS KEEP UP EXEMPTION FIGHT OR RESIGN SEAT

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, May 21.—Members on the Government side are today receiving telegrams from all parts of Ontario urging them before the session closes to use their vote and influence to revoke the order-in-council cancelling the exemptions of young men between the ages of 20 and 22 inclusive, "inasmuch as we believe that it would result in a serious diminution of the production of food upon our farms." The telegrams are being sent because of the pending prorogration of parliament. In many of the constituencies petitions have already been circulated among the electors, such petitions being addressed to the sitting member.

HELP OR RESIGN.

It is urged in such petitions that past and further proceedings under the order of April 20 in connection with the withdrawing of men from the food production be deferred until the registration discloses the forces available for the most effective prosecution of Canada's war effort.

"Failing in this," the petitions conclude, "we request that you present your resignation, in order that we may be permitted to elect a successor who will properly represent and present our views in Parliament, and your petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray"; the various local organizations have been advised "to get after your members by wire if you cannot get your petitions to Ottawa before Tuesday, May 21st."

NO INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES UNLESS PROPERLY SIGNED

Fire Department Probe, Aske d by Trades Council, Will Not Materialize, Says Ald. F. E. Harley, Unless Specific Signed Charges Are Made —Chairman Characterizes the Allegations Referred to Co mmittee by Council as Anonymous Letter.

There will be no investigation of the charges against the fire department as they now stand.

This is the purport of a statement made today by Ald. F. E. Harley, chairman of the finance committee, to which the charges were referred to be dealt with.

Ald. Harley's statement is based on the contention or technicality that the charges, as they stand today, are in the form of an anonymous communication. The charges are not signed He contends that the committee and council members do not know who is making the charges.

"We want something to investigate," he stated, when asked if the application for an investigation would be granted. "There must be proper charges. The present charges are not signed. True there was a letter attached to them, when the communication was placed before the council by the city clerk. The letter was received early in the day."

This letter was from Secretary George Wakeling of the trades and labor council, in which he stated that there would be a deputation present at the meeting of the council to present the charges.

According to Ald. Harley, the sheet of charges, unsigned, was presented to the city clerk during the council meeting.

"We don't know who is making the charges," he declared. "There is no one we can go to for information. It is up to those who are behind the thing to come out in the open. We cannot entertain anonymous letters. We have got to have something to go on. We have got to know who is making the charges. If we have proper charges and the persons making them appear in person to offer evidence to substantiate them, then they will be given a hearing."

The charges as filed with the council were handed to City Clerk Baker by R. Hessel of the trades and labor council. Later several other members of the trades and labor council attended the meeting.

Not Read to Council.

The city council was not given an inkling as to what the charges contained. The formality of reading them was dispensed with, and the question was referred to No. 1 committee. The aldermen seemed to be totally disinterested in what allegations might be contained in the three closely typewritten pages.

Some of the allegations made deal with matters of discipline. Judging from the foot note appended there are more to come. The trades council stated that it would have additional charges to prefer when the investigation is held, and added "that it would prove them.

The chief's brother, Capt. Tom Aitken of No. 3 station, is involved in the charges, as are also members of his station. At this station there is but one union man.

Some of the aldermen regard the affair as a "show down," the point of issue being whether Fire Chief Aitken is to control the department without interference, or whether he is to be dominated by other forces.

The Charges.

The allegations as presented follow:

April 8, 1918—Report by firemen on Algrove case: Algrove came to Central fire hall for instructions; he got in a temper and used unbecoming language to the assistant chief. The men and assistant chief demanded the chief to reprimand Algrove. He was suspended for one day. Since then there has been no ladder practice.

Another case of laxity on the part of the chief: The captain and lieutenant at No. 3 fire hall fought until one knocked the other out, and the chief took no action whatever in the case. Also one of the men of the same hall choked the captain till he was nearly strangled, and threatened to throw

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YOUTHS MUST REGISTER AS SOON AS THEY ATTAIN AGE OF 19 IS THE EXPLICIT RULING UNDER M. S. A.

Continuous Registration of Newly Called Class Provided For in Special Instructions Sent to the Registrar Here.

A circular, sent out by the military council of the department of justice dated May 15, in which the military service act is made explicit with reference to the registration of 19-year-old men, was received today by Acting Deputy Registrar H. F. Beresford.

Under the proclamation issued on May 4 the point was not made clear as to when a young man must have attained the age of 19 years to be liable to service. It was at first believed that men who had attained the age of 19 on or after May 4 last would be called upon to register.

The explanatory circular received today states definitely that under the act, with respect to the 19-year-old men, that continuous registration is provided for. In other words, every young man who becomes 19 must register whether his birthday falls in this month, June, July or any future month.

This ruling will mean that every young man who is a British subject must register ten days after his birthday if he is not already 19 years.

Acting Deputy Registrar Beresford calls upon all men, under the 19-year-old call, to register early, as nothing will be gained by waiting until the last days of this month.

"Send in your name in full, your place of residence, and usual postoffice address. A receipt will be sent to each man who registers. All the man has to do is to await instructions from the deputy registrar," is the advice given. Mail letters to Deputy Registrar, Bank Building, London, Ont.

THE WAR SITUATION

Delay in the launching of the expected German offensive, apparently is giving the Allied troops little concern as they improve their positions here and there by strong local attacks. Whether the Germans are prepared to renew the heavy fighting is not yet clear, but strangely, they do not react against the Anglo-French nibbling tactics.

Positions Improved.

On the Lys front between Mont Kemmel and the heights of Mont Rouge and Scherpenberg, the French have greatly improved their positions in a forward movement along a front of two miles. Not only were important gains made but more than four hundred German prisoners were captured. The enemy has yet made no counter-attack there, nor has he made any effort to retake the village of Ville-Sur-Ancre on the Somme front, captured in a gallant attack by the Australians Sunday.

Rushing the Outposts.

Between the Somme and Arras the British are harassing the Germans by rushing their outposts, and the French have been successful in similar operations in the region of Rheims, in the Champagne. The German artillery fire is especially violent on the sector south of the Somme and north of Bethune, northwest of Arras. To Bethune has come the fate of so many other towns and cities of Northern France, and it is now a mass of ruins as a result of the German bombardment.

Fierce Aerial War.

There is no let up in the intense aerial activity. In fighting in the air British aviators have destroyed 27 German machines and driven down 3 others out of control, as well as burning three balloons. Bombing squadrons are busy behind the German lines, and Monday a ton of bombs was dropped on Landau, northwest of Karlsruhe on the Rhine. Several fires were started.

On the Italian and Macedonian fronts there have been strong patrol actions.

11,000 UNION MEN TO QUIT AT WINNIPEG

Will "Down Tools" Today Until Civic Strike Is Settled.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Winnipeg, May 21.—Eight thousand railway workers in Winnipeg went on strike at 8 o'clock this morning, closing down shops of four railways here—Canadian Pacific, Canadian Northern, Grand Trunk Pacific and Government railway. Street railway men strike tonight.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Winnipeg, May 20.—Eleven thousand union men will "down tools" Tuesday afternoon, and will not return to work until the civic strike is settled. These include 8,000 railwaymen and all street railway employees. The city insists the unions promised not to strike again during the war, but the men refuse to let go their "weapon."

HAIG IMPROVES FLANDERS POINT

Strengthens Grip Northwest of Merville and Crushes Counter-Attack.

London, May 21.—Northwest of Merville, in the Flanders salient, the British improved their positions last night, the war office announces.

Thirty prisoners and six machine guns were taken by the British in this operation.

A counter-attack on the new positions, launched this morning after a period of heavy shelling, was crushed by the British artillery and machine guns.

HUNS ARE THROUGH WITH AGGRESSION, SO RUSSIA IS ADVISED

Berlin Sends a Conciliatory Reply to Recent Protest.

Moscow, Wednesday, May 15.—The German reply to the protest against German invasion of Russian territory as a violation of the Brest-Litovsk treaty, sent to Berlin by Foreign Minister Tchitcherin, is most conciliatory. It says that the German role in Ukraine and Finland is ended, and that there is no intention to carry out further aggressions. The note says that Germany will help Russia in the negotiations with the new nation, and emphasizes the wish to maintain Russia's friendship.

Germany's changed attitude, Nikolai Lenine, Bolsheviki premier, told the central executive committee tonight, was due to the international situation and to unexpected difficulties in Ukraine, but he cautioned the committee against undue optimism, saying that peace is insecure as treaties are scraps of paper.

SOVIETS DECIDE NOT TO TAKE ALLIED AID

London, May 21.—The extreme right of the Moscow Soviet yesterday held the view that it was necessary for Russia to lean upon the Allies, especially Japan, in the struggle against Germany in Siberia. This wing was outvoted.

FIGHTING FIRE OF NEW TYPE—THAT OF LABOR CRITICISMS

Advertiser Illustrations.

FIRE CHIEF JOHN AITKEN, veteran head of the city fire department, who has come under fire as result of the trades and labor council demand for an investigation into affairs of the London brigade.

DEFYING THE HUNS' GAS

Advertiser Illustrations.

Asphyxiating gases and mustard shells have no terrors for these French artillerymen, who are "feeding the Huns" 155mm. pills. That the position of the men is extremely hazardous is indicated by the fact that they are performing their duties while wearing gas masks.

PENSION PROBERS SAY LABATT IS DISABLED--NO GOVT. PULL; APPROVE HIS RESIGNATION

Totally Unfit, Is Statement of Mr. Rowell in Tabled Report —Many Recommendations Made to Improve Present Pensions System.

Ottawa, May 21.—After 1 o'clock this morning, Hon. N. W. Rowell, chairman of the special committee of the House of Commons appointed to report on the pension board, pensions regulations, etc., tabled the findings of the committee. The report contains a large number of recommendations to improve the existing plan of pensions, as well as a special report dealing with the pension granted to Col. R. H. Labatt, a member of the board, which has been the subject of some discussion in the Commons and throughout the country.

Labatt's Pension.

The committee finds that Col. Labatt is suffering from valvular disease of the heart, and that he is totally disabled within the meaning of the pension regulations, and that he was not suffering from this disability at the date of enlistment. It also finds that Col. Labatt was not granted a pension by misrepresentation or by any influence, direct or indirect, on the part of any member of the Government.

After paying tribute to the work done by Col. Labatt in the organization and development of the pension branch, the opinion is expressed that the increasing work and responsibility demands the whole time and energy of men of full physical vigor, and that "the committee is of the opinion that Col. Labatt's resignation, contained in his letter to the chairman of the committee should be accepted by the Government."

Pensions Recommendations.

Some of the chief recommendations of the committee follow:

1. That pensions should be awarded for disability in accordance with the rank, or acting rank, of the member of the C. E. F. at the time the disability was incurred.

2. That pensions should be discontinued upon the re-enlistment of a pensioner as a member in the expeditionary or naval forces, and that his case upon redischarge should be considered anew, as if his services had been continuous from his first enlistment.

For Totally Helpless.

3. That pensioners above the rank of lieutenant who are totally helpless may, in the discretion of the commission, be awarded a total sum by way of pension and allowances not in excess of that which a totally disabled and helpless lieutenant might be awarded.

4. That the commission may, in its discretion, award a pension not in excess of the rate for an orphan child to any child of a soldier who is not being maintained and does not form part of the family cared for by the widow, divorced wife, unmarried wife or parent of the member.

5. That no pension should be paid to or in respect of a child who, if a boy, is over the age of 16 years, or if a girl, is over the age of 17 years, except when such child or those responsible or its maintenance, are without resources, and the child is unable, owing to physical or mental infirmity, to provide for its maintenance, in which case the allowance may be continued until the child has attained the age of 21 years.

6. That the pensions of any parents, or person in the place of a parent, should be subject to revision from time to time.

7. That the board of pension commissioners be considered and developed as a civil rather than a military organization.

In that portion of the report dealing with medical examinations, it is recommended that so far as possible the examining medical boards should be composed of a civilian physician or surgeon of wide experience, an overseas member of the C. E. F., with actual experience of war conditions and cases, and an experienced representative of the C. A. M. C.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 77; lowest, 60.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 66; lowest, 46.

15,000 KHAKI VOTES WERE THROWN ASIDE, SAYS WRIGHT MEMBER

Charges Govt. To Blame For the Yukon Election Scandal.

Ottawa, May 21.—In the Commons this morning Hugh Guthrie presented the final report of the committee on privileges and elections, instructing the general returning officer to apportion the soldiers' vote taken in the Yukon election to the candidates for whom it was cast and to declare a candidate elected.

Devlin, of Wright, thereupon entered upon a review of the whole Yukon election matter. He said if the soldiers of the Yukon were disfranchised it was due to the Government's own action. Fifteen thousand soldiers votes had been cast aside, apart from the Yukon.

Mr. Devlin moved that the report of the general returning officer be referred to the supreme court for adjudication and decision, and that the decision of the supreme court be referred to the House for such action as it may deem proper.

Mr. Guthrie, in reply to Mr. Devlin, said that there was a good deal of force in the contention raised before the committee that the candidates were debarred from taking an appeal to the courts. He announced that a bill would be introduced and passed before prorogation, which would give the right to appeal to the courts for a period within forty days after the general returning officer makes his declaration. The bill would provide for the counting of the soldiers' vote no matter when polled. The bill would apply to the Yukon election only.

ONE MILLION U. S. BOYS WILL REGISTER JUNE 5

Washington, May 21.—Estimates today by Major-General Crowder indicate that probably three-quarters of a million men will be obtained for the army by the registration on June 5 of all youths who have attained 21 years of age since June 5 last. Fully a million youths, according to Gen. Crowder's estimate, will be registered. At least one-fourth of them, he thinks, will be exempted on various grounds.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—FAIR, SHOWERS.

Toronto, May 21—8 a.m.

Forecasts.

Today—North to east winds; fine and a little cooler.

Wednesday—Fresh easterly winds; fair at first, then some showers.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	56	44	Clear
Calgary	46	34	Fair
Winnipeg	..	38	Cloudy
Port Arthur	54	34	Cloudy
Parry Sound	68	46	Clear
Port Stanley	..	46	Fair
Buffalo	70	50	Cloudy
Toronto	81	46	Cloudy
Kingston	68	44	Fair
Ottawa	80	50	Fair
Montreal	80	50	Fair
Quebec	74	60	Fair
Father Point	44	38	Cloudy

Weather Notes.

A depression covers the Western States this morning, while a moderate cool wave is situated over the Great Lakes.

Showers have been experienced very locally from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, and snow is reported from Alberta to Saskatchewan.

GERMAN-IRISH AGENTS IN U. S. PLOTTED IRISH INSURRECTION WASHINGTON GOVT. DISCOVERS

Evidence of Conspiracy To Launch Uprising at Same Hour as the German Drive, Turned Over by U. S. Govt. to Great Britain, Partly Responsible for the Sinn Fein Arrests.

Washington, May 21.—Evidence of plotting between German and Irish agents in this country for an uprising in Ireland has been uncovered by U. S. Government agents and is partly responsible for the recent arrest of Irish leaders by the British Government. This evidence, which may be made public soon, is understood to show definitely that Irish leaders, mainly Sinn Fein sympathizers in the U. S. have been in touch with German representatives, who agreed to furnish money to finance a rebellion in Ireland, and possibly to send arms and ammunition to Ireland by submarines or blockade runners. There was even some discussion of the chances of sending German soldiers to take part in warfare on Irish soil.

The uprising was set for about this time, when the Germans had planned to reach the channel ports after their great drive in France, and it was believed England would be thrown into confusion by the German advance.

Planned to Free Ireland.

Ireland was to be freed entirely from British influence, if possible, and the Germans counted strongly on the Irish trouble to divert Great Britain's attention from the fighting in France and at the channel ports at the very time when it would be most necessary for the country to keep calm to prevent a German invasion. Information concerning these plots has been gathered by several investigating agencies of the United States Government and turned over to the state department, which forwarded it to representatives of the British Government.

In many cases the information provided leads by which British secret agents found evidence of plotting in Ireland. Negotiations were allowed to proceed for some time in the hope that more of the plotters would be rounded up finally, and the arrests are believed to have been ordered by British officials at this time because it became known that an open outbreak was about to be precipitated.

It was stated today that a number of Sinn Fein sympathizers in the U. S. are under watch for further developments in the Irish plot.

LAURIER TELLS BORDEN RULES MUST BE KEPT

Would Be Illegal Should Commons Sit On the Holiday.

Ottawa, May 21.—In the House this morning, Mr. Burnham asked if the Government had taken into consideration the great desirability of having the House adjourn instead of prorogue? Mr. Burnham thought members might show their enthusiasm by manifesting a desire to return.

Sir Robert Borden replied that he could not say the question had been taken into consideration at the present and Sir Wilfrid Laurier observed that as soon as business was concluded, Parliament should prorogue. Sir Wilfrid asked further if there would be an adjournment over the 24th, Friday, as it was a statutory holiday.

Should Observe Law.

Sir Robert Borden—If the House cannot prorogue before that date, I think we should sit.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier remarked that the law should be observed in the House above all places.

"We have sat before on statutory holidays," replied Sir Robert, "I think under the circumstances, we might observe the day better by attending to parliamentary duties than by adjourning from Thursday until Saturday.

Mr. Nickle repeated his question of yesterday and asked if it was the intention of the minister of labor to table the milling report before the end of the session.

Mr. Crothers replied that the report would be tabled as soon as completed. He expected to table it before prorogation.

Vien of Lotbiniere, who complained that military service officials were sending out notices in an indiscriminate manner, and that many farm boys, both in Ontario and Quebec, had been ordered to report as early as possible, was told that their instructions undoubtedly were to call out those in urban districts first. The premier promises to call the attention of the minister of militia to the matter.

CHILIAN CITY IS SHAKEN BY QUAKE

Many Buildings Destroyed by Shock at La Serena.

Santiago, Chili, May 21.—La Serena, capital of the Province of Coquimbo, was shaken severely today by earthquakes. A large number of buildings are reported to have been destroyed.

Valparaiso, Chili, May 21.—It is reported here that there was loss of life in the earthquake yesterday at La Serena, where a large number of buildings was damaged. Fire started in the centre of the town, causing further loss. The shock was felt to a lesser extent in neighboring villages.

DEVONSHIRE WILL VISIT MANY ONTARIO CITIES, MUSKOKA AND NIAGARA

Montreal, May 21.—His Excellency the Governor-General will visit, during the next few weeks, many of the principal cities of Ontario. According to present plans the Duke of Devonshire and his party will leave Toronto on May 25 by the Grand Trunk. Visits will be made to Hamilton, Niagara Fals, St. Thomas, Chatham, Windsor, Sarnia, London, Woodstock, Stratford, Kitchener, Guelph, Owen Sound, Collingwood, Barrie, Orillia and Gravenhurst.

From the Muskoka Wharf a trip will be made over the Muskoka Lakes.

The longest stay en route will be at Niagara Falls, where the Governor-General plans to spend several days. The tour will give his excellency an opportunity of inspecting many of the industrial centres of the province.

HERTLING, KUEHLMAN STRONGLY OPPOSED TO NEW TEUTON TREATY

London, May 21.—Strong opposition to the recently arranged alliance between Germany and Austria-Hungary is voiced by Chancellor von Hertling and Foreign Secretary von Kuehlmann, according to reports received in The Hague. The chancellor and foreign secretary are reported to have said that they washed their hands of the entire matter, as they objected to the methods by which the military part of the convention was devised over their heads by the German higher command. Gen. Ludendorff is said to be insisting that the agreement be passed and signed at once.

The military sections bind each party to aid the other with all its forces against any and every enemy, thus compelling Austria to place all her forces at the disposal of Germany.

BRANTFORD COUNCIL SLAMS UPPER HOUSE

Brantford, May 21.—In the dying hours of the city council last evening, the action of the Toronto City Council in favoring a referendum at the next general election for the abolition of the Senate came up for discussion. It was approved. Ald. Clement calling the Senate the "haunted home of desolate hopes."

IRELAND QUIET, STILL STUNNED OVER ARRESTS

No Untoward Incidents as a Result of Corraling Sinn Fein Chiefs.

CONDEMN DEPORTINGS

Anti-Conscriptionists Object to Carrying Off of Suspects.

London, May 21.—A total absence of excitement in Dublin is reported in all the dispatches to the morning papers from the Irish capital and as far as known here have been no untoward incidents in connection with the Sinn Fein arrests anywhere in the country. There are no outward indications that anything has happened, is happening or is about to happen outside Ireland's ordinary daily routine.

One of the correspondents of the Daily Mail says the people appear to be unperturbed utterly by the recent dramatic developments. He continues: "But appearances are deceptive. Dublin is not Ireland. The constitutional Nationalists one generally meets here are not representative of the wild hotbloods who have given strength to the Sinn Fein. Moreover, the whole country evidently is staggered by the suddenness of the Government's action and the people hesitate to commit themselves to any operation until the evidence against those under arrest is produced."

Irish Praise French.

On the other hand, some correspondents say the country is generally relieved over the arrests. A dispatch to the Daily Express from Dublin says:

"If Lord French had won a great victory on the western front, he could not have received more congratulations from the Irish than had been accorded him for the suppression of the seditious Sinn Fein. The country has recovered its normal temperature."

In the meantime, everyone in Ireland and Great Britain is awaiting production of the proof of a German plot and in many quarters it is believed there ought not be any delay in making it public. It is reported from several sources that the Government have no present intention of publicly arraigning those under arrest, who will be merely interned.

Compulsion Off For the Present.

The question of Irish conscription has not been abandoned, but that it is held in abeyance pending developments. Voluntary recruiting plans, according to the Dublin correspondent of the Daily Express, are being pushed forward in the belief that thousands of young Irishmen are tired of their non-combatant positions, the recruiting scheme will be given a thorough trial and upon its progress depends the eventual decision regarding conscription.

ANTI-CONSCRIPTIONISTS CONDEMN DEPORTATIONS.

Dublin, May 21.—A resolution denouncing the Sinn Fein deportations as an attempt to discredit and disrupt Ireland's united resistance to conscription and to prejudice Ireland's case in the eyes of friendly countries, was passed by the anti-conscription conference which met at Mansion House on Monday. An official statement, signed among others by John Dillon and Joseph Devlin, the Irish Nationalist leaders, was issued after the meeting. It insists on the right of Irishmen to be arraigned in their own country, and declares that an attempt was being made to poison the minds of the English people against the prisoners. The statement concludes:

Talk of English Plot.

"While standing steadfast on our good rights, we shall never cease to appeal to all friends of human freedom or to inquire for ourselves whether the present attempt to force civil war on the Irish people by a transparently false pretext of military expediency, does not really cover a wicked plot of English politicians to relieve themselves from their broken pledge to Ireland."

In addition to Messrs. Dillon and Devlin, those who signed the protest were William O'Brien and Tim Healy, representing the O'Brienite party; John McNeill and Alderman Kelly, representing the Sinn Feiners, and Messrs. Johnson ,Egan and O'Brien, representing the Labor party.

CAN'T HOARD SILVER.

Dublin, May 21.—An order-in-council makes it a criminal offence under the defence of the realm act to hoard silver in Ireland or to exchange or offer in exchange current coins for an amount exceeding their face value.

COUNTESS AT HOLLOWAY.

London, May 21.—Eva Gore Booth, sister of Countess Markievicz, who was arrested in Dublin last week, informs the Daily Express that she saw the countess arrive in London on Sunday. Countess Markievicz, she says, was taken to Holloway Prison, where she remains. No one is permitted to visit her.

THREE RETURNED MEN WOOD ALCOHOL VICTIMS

Winnipeg, May 21.—Sergt. W. A. Knox, Pte. A. Holbrooke and Staff-Sergt. A. V. Jesson, returned soldiers, are dead, after drinking wood alcohol as a beverage. Holbrooke leaves a wife and seven children, including a son on active service. Jesson leaves a wife and child.

WOMAN PRISONERS MAKE GETAWAY AT TORONTO

Toronto, May 21.—Stealing the acting matron's keys during the absence of the lady superintendent at the Toronto jail on Sunday afternoon, three women prisoners, after breaking one lock and opening other doors which let them into the courtyard, made a successful getaway by jumping over the fifteen-foot brick wall and another high fence by using a ladder, two tables and a stool. One, Martha Berry, was later picked up at the home of a friend in Weston, but the two other women, Frances Fletcher and Mabel Summerville, are still at large. It is alleged by other prisoners that to make their getaway secure, the Fletcher woman stole some drugs which she administered to Marion Dessol, another prisoner, held on a charge of manslaughter.

TWO LUCAN MEN HURT IN AUTOMOBILE UPSET

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Lucan, May 21.—Harold Nurse, a local veterinary surgeon, who recently came from near Milverton to practice with Dr. Tennent, and Richard Atkinson of Lucan were badly hurt when their automobile ran off the edge of a culvert and turned turtle on the 4th concession of Biddulph yesterday afternoon. Both men are in a critical condition from internal injuries, Mr. Nurse having five fractured ribs and Mr. Atkinson a badly-bruised spine.

TO BRING IN SEED CORN WITHOUT A LICENSE

Ottawa, May 21.—Owing to a very large number of applications for import licenses for seed corn covering quantities of one hundred bushels or less, the Canada Food Board have arranged with the United States food administration that shipments not exceeding the above quantity will be allowed importation without permit. Parties wishing to obtain small shipments under 100 bushels are to instruct shippers to make application to the war trade board, Washington, and export licenses will be granted freely.

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KNOLLWOOD CHURCH SUBSCRIBES $1,000 TO NEW BUILDING FUND

City Presbyterian Council Will Raise $2,000 More.

DISCUSSES COAL THEFT

Menace of Crime, Encouraged by Parents, Turned Over to New Council.

Business in connection with the new church for Knollwood Park was dealt with at a well-attended meeting of the London Presbyterian Council last evening, when it was reported that the little congregation at Knollwood Park has already subscribed in the neighborhood of $1,000. The council decided to meet this fine effort by raising double the amount, or $2,000, and a canvass for the sum will be instituted in the immediate future in the other congregations. The chairman of the board of managers and clerk of session of each church will form a finance committee to prosecute the canvass. The building will cost about $7,000 when completed.

Rev. James MacKay of New St. James' Church, Messrs. W. G. Murray, K. Jones, Robert Turnbull and George Dickie were appointed a building committee.

One of the questions to which a considerable amount of discussion was given, though no action was taken, was that of the filching of coal by children from the Grand Trunk yards, presumably in many cases with the consent of parents. The menace of permitting this to continue was pointed out, owing to its effect on the boys and girls. A question was raised in regard to action that might be taken by the Presbyterian Council. The opinion was advanced that just such a problem was one for the proposed Social Service Council of London to deal with when it is finally organized in June.

Rev. D. C. MacGregor explained the aims of the council, which is to be affiliated with the Provincial Social Service Council of Ontario and the Social Service Council of Canada, and its proposed constitution. The appointment of ten representatives from the council to attend the organization meeting was asked, and the following were named: Revs. D. C. MacGregor, W. R. McIntosh, James MacKay, W. S. Wright, and six laymen, Professor Paterson, Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, J. H. Laughton, E. E. Reid, W. Talbot and Summers. It was further stated that the Children's Aid Society will probably take some action re the taking of coal after the arrival of the recently-appointed secretary, Mr. Kelly of Goderich, who assumes his duties in June.

To economize on tea you should use only the genuine Salada. A pound of Salada yields so many more cups than does ordinary tea, that it is a real saving, compared to the ordinary tea.

SUMMER DRESS CORRECT!

Khaki Styles Will Now Conform to Prevailing Weather.

"Summer dress" is in good form at the local camps, and officers commanding may now use their own discretion in ordering dress of men undergoing drill or forming working parties; as a rule, the dress should be fatigue with straw hats. The walking-out dress will include jackets, belts and caps. When special parades are ordered walking-out dress will be ordered.

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TWO DOZEN CITY MEN ENLIST IN AIR FORCE IN ONE DAY HERE

Of 47 Recruits Volunteering Here Monday, 39 Were From This City, and 24 of These Go To Aerial Service.

Of the forty-seven volunteers who enlisted for service at the local mobilization centre on Monday, 39 were Londoners. Twenty-four of the volunteers joined the Royal Air Force. All of these were Londoners.

Three volunteers came from Sarnia; one from Woodstock; one from Ridgetown; one from Cleveland, and two from Thamesville.

Forty volunteers were placed in Category A-2, two in B-2, and five in Category C.

The following is a list of Monday's volunteers:

A. J. Collins, 63rd Battery, London; V. D. W. Davies, London; J. J. Fleming, R. F. C., London; R. H. Edsall, C. E., Thamesville; C. S. Logan, C. E., Sarnia; J. R. Secord, C. E., Thamesville; C. H. Taylor, London; C. M. Wilkins, W. O. R., London; Charles Barry, C. E., Cleveland; W. J. Liverance, C. E., London; A. R. Leclair, Sarnia; E. L. Gee, R. F. C., London; W. L. Dunbar, R. F. C., London; N. A. Deane, R. F. C., London; W. A. Bart, London; C. H. Harris, London; D. H. Turnbull, C. E., London; H. E. Cook, C. E., Woodstock; T. J. Hudson, R. F. C., London; A. H. Boyd, C. E., London; C. H. Haines, C. E., London; S. Read, C. E., London; L. Crockett, C. E., Sarnia; D. E. C. Beedle, W. O. R., Ridgetown; C. L. Algie, C. G. R., London; G. A. Newby, London; L. A. McNea, C. E., London; N. D. Whitmore, W. O. R., London; J. A. Gammie, R. F. C., London; D. Froyer, R. F. C., London; D. G. McLean, R. F. C., London; A. H. J. Oliver, R. F. C., London; A. W. Lucas, R. F. C., London; F. O. Beltz, R. F. C., London; H. B. Hutchinson, R. F. C., London; A. Anderson, R. F. C., London; I. W. Doadt, R. F. C., London; H. C. Rivers, R. F. C., London; G. G. Davis, R. F. C., London; W. W. Knott, R. F. C., London; A. E. L. Parkes, R. F. C., London; A. L. Benner, R. F. C., London; M. J. M. Kydd, R. F. C., London; W. R. Quennel, R. F. C., London; T. J. McFarlan, R. F. C., London; R. B. Brown, R. F. C., London; W. M. Bowers, R. F. C., London.

WORLD'S LARGEST PANAMA HAT

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SPEED UP COUNCIL SO MEMBERS CAN SPEED UP CROPS

County Solons Expected to Rush June Session.

The summer sittings of Middlesex County Council will commence on Monday, June 3. The most important question to be considered by the members of this body will be the striking of the county rate. An additional ¾ mill must be levied to cover the grant of $30,000 made to the Overseas Y. M. C. A. fund at a special meeting of the council in February last. At the same time certain back debts, provided for in the rate last year, will not again require attention, so that the Y. M. C. A. grant will not make the rate any higher than last year.

Last year's rate was 7⅞ mills, and this will prevail again unless some unforeseen financial obligation has to be provided for.

The question of production and how to solve the farm labor problem for harvest will receive some consideration.

The sessions of the county council have usually extended over the week. The feeling this year is that night sessions should be held, and the business wound up in three days in order to permit the councillors to get back to their homes. This plan may be adopted when the council meets.

GREAT LAKES STEAMSHIP SERVICE.

Canadian Pacific Steamship "Manitoba" now leaves Owen Sound 10:30 p.m., each Thursday, for Sault Ste. Marie, Port Arthur and Fort William. Steamships "Keewatin" and "Assiniboia" will sail from Port McNicoll Wednesdays and Saturdays, commencing June 1. ywt June 1

ENJOYED BRIEF FURLOUGH

Nursing Sister Groshow Had Two Weeks in England.

Nursing Sister J. B. Groshow, who is with No. 7 General Hospital in France, has recently enjoyed a two weeks' furlough in England, according to a letter from her which has reached London. One of the first ceremonies she was obliged to perform on reaching England was to obtain a bread and meat card—or go without any to eat.

"England looks to beautiful and clean," she says. Regarding France, she writes: "The women in France work terribly hard, and carry loads big enough for a horse. All the young men have gone, and only the old men and women are left to do the work. Everyone is draped in the heaviest kind of crape."

Before leaving France for England she had tea with Rev. Father Costello, a former Londoner, and in England visited her son, Sergt. Roy Groshow, who is now attached to the Moore Barracks hospital staff.

Strong Enough To Do Homestead Duty

Sidney Bent Gives the Credit to Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Six Years Ago He Had Kidney Disease So Bad His Friends Said He Would Not Live Long.

LYDIARD, Sask., May 20.—Strong and healthy, and able to do the heavy work of homestead duty, Mr. Sidney Bent, a well-known settler here, is telling his friends of the great benefits he received from using Dodd's Kidney Pills.

"Six years ago I suffered a lot from my back and kidneys," Mr. Bent says. "I tried a lot of medicine and drugs, but kept getting worse, till some of my friends said I would not live long.

"Four years ago I decided to try Dodd's Kidney Pills. After taking the first box I felt so much better I decided to continue the treatment.

"The result is I have been able to do homestead duty for the last three winters.

"I would advise anyone suffering from kidney trouble to take Dodd's Kidney Pills."

Dodd's Kidney Pills have made their reputation by curing kidney diseases and the ills that spring from diseased kidneys. They are no cure-all. But if you are suffering from rheumatism, lumbago, sore back, diabetes or some other form of kidney trouble, ask your neighbors what Dodd's Kidney Pills have done for them.

POPULAR LONDONER WHO IS NOW IN ENGLAND TO TAKE HIS COMMISSION

Word has been received here by Mrs. W. A. Bluethner, 193 Princess avenue, that her son. Sergt. M. R. Bluethner, who left here with the 34th Battalion in 1915, has been sent from France to England, and is taking a course for a commission.

Whilst in England training, Sergt. Bluethner reverted to the ranks in order to get to France with the C.M.R., where he was again made sergeant after a few weeks' service in the trenches. He has served continuously for two years at the front, until recently ordered to England, having been through all the big battles, including Passchendaele, Vimy Ridge and the Somme. Sergt. Bluethner is a well-known local boy, having been a student at the London collegiate prior to enlisting.

QUERIES REGARDING MILITARY SERVICE

Send In Your Problems and They Will Be Answered From Official Information by The Advertiser.

D. S. Q.—I am 21 years of age, A2. Is there any chance of getting leave of absence on the grounds that I have had one brother killed in action in France, and have two more serving in France at present? I am the only boy in the family left. If so, for how long?

A.—Yes; apply to your commanding officer when you report. You might get indefinite leave.

W. R. D. Q.—1. Please enumerate the different branches that are open for recruits.

2. Could a young man with good education train for an officer in either infantry or artillery?

3. Are they recruiting for the imperial navy yet?

4. Is there any chance of a young man getting into the R. C. H. A. or garrison artillery now?

A.—1. The 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, the Canadian Engineers, the Railway Construction Corps, the Skilled Railway Employees, the 1st Battalion, Canadian Garrison Regiment, the Inland Water Transport, the Steel-Armed Cavalry, and the Royal Air Forces are among those accepting men in this district.

2. No; no courses of instruction are open at present.

3. No, but for the Canadian Naval Service.

4. Neither of the units mentioned have recruiting depots in this district, and it is therefore impossible to state whether they are accepting recruits. There is a heavy battery at Cobourg, Ont., and a siege battery at St. John, N. B. Address the O. C. of R. C. H. A., in care of the Toronto Mobilization Centre, Toronto, Ont.

R. T. Q.—My son was born on April 26, 1899. Will he be required to register for the present draft?

A.—Yes; all those who are now 19 are called upon to register.

SOLDIER. Q.—I have been in the army since March 15, and have property bought on the installment plan. I don't receive enough money to meet my payments, and have been notified that it will be sold if I do not meet them. Could I get leave of absence for two months to meet them?

A.—Take the matter up with your commanding officer, and ask him what is advisable.

S. P. Q.—Can two brothers who come in the first draft both be conscripted, leaving no other man able to do anything on the farm?

A.—Yes; if they are category A. One might get leave if the other joined up.

R. G. Q.—1. Should my son who was 19 years of age November 20, 1917, go and enlist before June 1?

2. Could he get leave of absence until July 1?

3. What are his chances of getting into the flying corps or the 63rd Battery? Also the navy?

A.—1. He will be required to register before that date, but he need not report for duty till notified.

2. If he enlisted now, it is doubtful if he could get leave for such a long period.

3. The 63rd is over strength at present, and therefore not taking recruits. Apply for the Royal Air Force to Capt. Walter Smith, 402½ Richmond street, London, Ont. For the navy, write to the Naval Recruiting Officer, 103 Bay street, Toronto, Ont.

C. H. S. Q.—I was exempted while farming. I am 24 years of age, and not in the present call. Would the fact that I am running the farm of 150 acres alone, and that I have two brothers fighting overseas exempt me from military service?

A.—If exemptions were cancelled for men of your age, and you were category A, it is possible that you could obtain leave of absence on the ground of your brothers' service overseas.

INTERESTED. Q.—1. Will a young man coming 20 years of age have to register before June 1? And, if notified to do so, will he have an opportunity to choose his unit?

2. If a young man has been working for farmers every summer for the last three or four years and attending school in the winter, will he have any show for exemption along with the farmers' sons? He is now enagged in farm work.

A.—1. Yes; all who are 19 and all who have become 20 since October 13, 1917, must register. If they enlist before they receive a notice from the registrar to do so, they have that privilege. They will not be notified to report for service before July 1.

2. No exemptions are being allowed to men of the ages mentioned. They can get leave of absence on the ground of the service, death or disablement of other members of the same family in the C. E. F.

KILLED IN SCOTLAND

Official word has been received by Mrs. Richard White of R. R. No. 7, London, that her son, Pte. George Westley White, has been killed in Scotland. Pte. White enlisted here with the Canadian Forestry Battalion and left London in December for overseas. His mother received a letter from him one week ago. No particulars of his death have been received.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

SOLDIER'S VIEWS.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I have been very much interested in the letters you have been publishing in your paper regarding the fairness or the unfairness of this conscription policy.

Two letters which attracted my attention more than any others were published in this morning's edition of The Advertiser, and I was struck by the great difference in the spirit displayed by the two writers.

The first one was written by a lady, who signs herself "One Who Has Given Her All," and I consider it a splendid example of unselfishness and patriotism. This lady has given all she had to give, a husband and four brothers, to fight and perhaps to die or come back maimed for the sake of our country. Still she doesnt' complain. Mr. Editor, I count it one of the highest of honors to be able to fight for one who displays such a spirit of loyalty as this lady does, and I'm proud to say that the majority of our women are showing that same spirit.

Now, as regards the second letter, written by "A Mother With a Broken Heart," I would like to say, with all due respect for the feelings of a mother towards her boys, that there are thousands of other boys who have left mothers, wives, sweethearts, and in a good many cases families of small children to get along the best way they could, and have gone to France to fight, and thousands will never come back to their loved ones.

Now, is it any worse for those who are being left now than it was for those left months and years ago? I don't want that mother to think I am hard-hearted when I say she is showing a very selfish spirit in writing such a letter as she has written.

Taking my own case, for instance, and I am only one in thousands, I left a wife and four small children two years ago, also a widowed mother, to go and do my bit for the cause of freedom. My wife didn't complain. No, she bid me Godspeed, and prayed for my safe return. There are none who care more for their loved ones than I care for mine, and I am heartily ashamed to think that we have so many people in our country who whine and complain about a few hardships or the thought of parting for a time from the ones who are dear to them. Is it any harder for them than it was for me and my mates to leave our families, not knowing if we would ever see them again? I was among the lucky ones who came through, and although partially crippled and still in hospital, I am still willing to do my bit to help bring this war to a satisfactory conclusion. But if we allow a little bit of sentiment to stand in the way of what we know is our duty, we might as well quit right now and say we are licked, and let Germany do as she likes with this fair country of ours. If you think this is worth putting in print, Mr. Editor, you are at liberty to do so, and you will find these are the sentiments of practically every man who has volunteered for service. Hoping that I have not taken up too much of your valuable time, I will sign myself,

ONE WHO HAS FACED THE MUSIC.

London, May 18.

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On the practical side, which of course is the most important to you, Hood's Sarsaparilla for forty years has been demonstrating its curative power in relieving complaints arising from impure blood, low state of health, poor digestion, inactive kidneys and liver.

For your humors, or for rheumatism, weak stomach, loss of appetite, that tired feeling—take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It will do you good.

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The Heart pumps in each hour over 700 quarts of blood, drawing it through the different nerves and bloodvessels, purifying it, and pumping it out again. Should the Heart weaken, should the blood become tainted—then comes trouble. There are many causes of Heart Troubles and one real genuine treatment—Hacking's Heart and Nerve Remedy. It soothes the nerves, adds Tone and Power to the Heart, builds you up and makes you strong, purifies the blood. Great for High Blood Pressure, Epilepsy, Palpitation and Nervous Breakdowns. Keep up Courage, Don't Weaken. Be sure to get Hacking's. Price 50c a box, 6 for $2.50. Sold by all dealers, or by mail post paid, C. B. Hacking, Phm.B., Listowel. May20,21

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SMALLMAN & INGRAM Western Ontario's Mail Order House SMALLMAN & INGRAM

35 Ladies' Suits Wednesday Half-Price

$9.25, $10.00, $14.50 to $26.00

Women who know how much good material costs are invited to profit by this half-price grouping of high-grade suits. All are this season's styles—35 suits in the group, all properly cut and tailored, of serge and gabardine, in black, navy, sand and other shades. Ladies' and Misses' Suits in the following sizes, collectively 16 and 18 years and 36, 38 and 40; not all sizes in every style, but many styles to choose from, and many of these smart models are exclusive, just one of the kind. We cannot give descriptions of each, but will briefly list the prices, and these are a sample of what you will find:

One only Rose Serge Suit, half price $26.00
Two only Copenhagen Serge, half price ..... $17.50 and $19.50
One only Reseda Serge Suit, half price $22.50
One only Sand Gabardine Suit, half price $24.50

Also thirty other models in similar styles and colors, also blacks—all will be marked for half price Wednesday—an opportunity for a new suit for the holiday and after for half today's price. Sale Prices..... $9.25, $10.00, $14.50, $17.50, $18.75, $26.00

BRIDAL NAINSOOKS

We have four special numbers in Bridal Nainsook that are sure to please. Soft and fine and of even weave, these beautiful linegrie muslins were purchased before the price advanced. This means a big saving to you. We can recommend these nainsooks for their serviceable qualities. Free from filling.

33 inches wide ..... 22c yard
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40 inches wide ..... 40c yard
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Don't miss this opportunity to get your supply at the old prices.

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Summer brings the need of many aids to the complexion to protect against the relentless summer and biting winds of the shore. To give you a special opportunity to provide all of these necessary things we have arranged this comprehensive display of the best known toilet articles, "Burnham's." Special inducements at our Toilet Counter will assist you in making complete preparations for vacations to shore or country, as well as for those who remain at home.

Skin Bleach, removes sallowness and all skin blemishes, will not irritate. Price $1.50
Coarse Pore Lotion, refines the skin and makes it firm. Price $1.50
Aromatic Astringent, purifies the skin, may be used on the most delicate skin. Price $1.50
Tan and Freckle Lotion, removes tan and freckles and makes the skin smooth and white. Price $1.50
Whitening Cream, will bleach the skin, remove freckles, moth patches, tan and sunburn. Price $1.10
Refining Powder, relieves olliness and reduces the pores. Price 59c
Cucumber and Elder Flower Cream, a skin cleanser and beautifier 59c
Liliozone Hand Whitener, relieves chaps, healing, soothing and dainty 39c
Turkish Bath Oil for body massage, makes the skin soft, pliable and fine grained 59c
Cremozone, indispensable in the motor kit, allays irritation, excellent after shaving 59c
Face Powder, white and flesh, gives the face a velvety, transparent softness 39c, 59c, $1.10
Mani-Rosa, the new Oriental oil for dry manicuring 59c
Crescent Nail Cake, for imparting a brilliant and lasting polish, no acid or pumice, non-injurious and economical 25c
Burnish Nail Enamel, gives nails a delicate tint and lasting polish 35c
Griswold's Family Salve or Plaster, for burns, scalds, wounds, frost-bites, chilblains, boils, corns and external ulcers 40c
Compact Rouge 39c
Compact Powder, in flesh or white, with mirror 39c

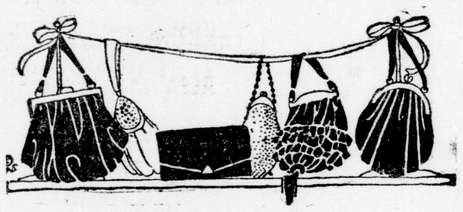
Traveling Toilet Requisites

Toilet Roll-Ups, made of dainty art cretonnes, rubber-lined, with separate pockets, etc. Special 48c
Pullman Aprons, in very pretty cretonne designs, with wash cloth pocket and sponge bag separate. Price, each $2.50
The Handy Bag, made with a drawstring, rubber lined, with separate compartments, etc.... $1.19, $1.50 and $2.50
Sponge Bags at ..... 29c, 35c and 39c each
Wash Cloth Pockets with wash cloth ..... 23c each
Bathing Suit Bags, navy or black ..... $1.00 each

TOILET WATERS, DAINTY AND LASTING

Locust blossom, heliotrope, glen rose, sandalwood, apple blossom, jasmine. Price $1.00

Smartest Bags for Your Holiday Outfit



Strap Purses, Hand Bags and Young Carpet Sacks, every conceivable style that is new and smart, will be found in leather, tapestry and other fabrics. A new Handbag or Purse will add a smartness to your holiday outfit.

Three dozen only Smart Hand Bags, Morocco leather, pouch shape with leather inlay, fancy crepe lining, fitted with coin purse and mirror, black only. Price $1.29
Genuine Pin Seal Bag, two smart styles, lined with striped silk, coin pocket in centre, fitted with mirror, leather-covered frame. Special ..... $3.50 and $3.75
Black Morocco Strap Purse, with double fold, with coin pocket for change, place for bills, also for car tickets, black only. Price $2.00
Handsome line of Better Strap Purses in genuine pin seal, patent leather, morocco, etc., with top or back strap. From ..... $2.50 to $20.50

Hand-Strap Purses, one of the most popular styles this season, strap on top or on back, patent leather, morocco, crepe, seal and panther, in black, brown, navy, green, etc Special, each $1.50

UNDERWEAR FOR SUMMER COMFORT

Here are a few lines that will appeal to men from two standpoints—comfort and economy, as the prices and descriptions will suggest.

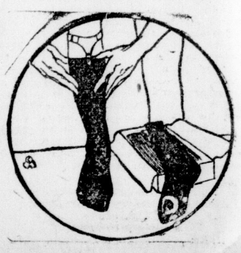
Athletic Underwear $1.18 Suit

Athletic Combinations, sleeveless, knee length, fine white dimity crepe and madras cloth, light, cool and cut to fit, marked at a low price for a clean-up on Wednesday; a few dozen suits only, sizes 34 to 44. Get your summer underwear before the holiday. Price ..... $1.18 suit

Balbriggan Underwear 59c Each

Shirts and Drawers of extra good quality balbriggan, white and natural shade, broken lines, long-sleeve shirts, ankle and knee length drawers, in a good range of sizes. We recommend these goods and the price is much below regular. See these on Wednesday. Price..... 59c each

Sale of Men's Socks Wednesday, 3 prs. for $1.00



Men's Fine Lisle Socks, black only, double sole and triple reinforced heel and toe, "mill seconds." It would be difficult to detect the slightest imperfection in this lot, but they are "seconds," and we sell them accordingly. You will have to see these to appreciate the value. About 35 dozen, sizes 10, 10½ and 11. They are extra good and worth much more than we ask on Wednesday. Sale price ..... 3 for $1.00

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EXEMPT PROPERTY CANNOT BE TAXED FOR SOME YEARS

City's Desire To Secure Levies Must Wait.

RED TAPE TOO BINDING

No Authority to Submit Bylaw Before 1919 Legislature Meeting.

The question of taxing all exempted property in London seems to have been successfully killed. There are some aldermen who want to go through with the proposal, but it is difficult to see daylight in any move that they may make.

When the city of London bill was sent to the recent session of the Legislature the question of taxing property was not embodied. However, its fate, if it had been, is easily ascertainable, as a similar measure from other quarters was quashed by the Legislature.

The city has not the legislative sanction to go ahead and submit a bylaw to the people, and as there will be no more sessions of the Ontario House this year, this council's hands are tied. All it can do is to slip the question on to next year's council with the recommendation that it ask the Legislature for a bill to authorize the city to submit a bylaw to the people. Then the bylaw would, undoubtedly, when passed, have to go back to the Legislature. It looks as if the untaxed property had a few more years of life.

"The Government at Toronto is rotten, anyway," said Ald. W. A. Wilson, and no one contradicted him.

War Service Badge Awards

The 24th list of war service badges sent out has been announced by Major C. O. Fairbank, who has charge of this department. Headquarters requests that recipients of badges send in their receipts for same, as many are not doing this. The list in full follows:

Class B.

W. G. Calder, St. Thomas; J. Chesney, Walkerton; P. M. Cooper, Windsor; A. Campbell, St. Thomas; John Baptist, Teeswater; H. Munroe, Detroit, Mich.; W. W. Hill, Guelph; R. J. Fulton, Stratford; W. S. Forrest, Parkhill; J. G. Knipper, 381 Hamilton road, London; L. Lamon, Chatham; J. C. Harling, Guelph; R. H. Clucas, Detroit, Mich.; T. J. Shaw, Windsor; T. H. Smallman, 134½ St. George street, London; E. C. Shephard, 572 Maitland street, London; J. L. Petrie, St. Thomas; A. J. James, Windsor; W. T. Gristey, Guelph.

Class D.

J. B. Baigent, Seaforth; R. W. Howard, Kitchener; H. F. Hall, Listowel; E. C. Perkins, Petrolea; C. A. Bray, Windsor; H. D. F. Davis, St. Thomas; A. Kerton, 84 Maitland street, London; W. H. Mitchell, Kitchener; G. U. Thomas, Petrolea.

ANOTHER YOUTH IN COURT FOR FAILING TO OBEY NEW ORDER

Lack of Useful Employment Charged by Police Against Him.

John Harding, 173 Horton street, appeared in police court this morning charged with a violation of the order-in-council which makes it an offence for any person not to be engaged in useful work. Harding, who is 18 years of age, said he had been working recently, but Chief of Police W. T. T. Williams and Sergt. Thomas Bolton stated to the court that Harding had only sought employment after he had been summoned to court.

The father of the young man was summoned by Chief Williams to give evidence. He stated that his son had been in a delicate state of health and was not strong enough to work.

Magistrate Graydon suspended sentence and warned Harding to stay at work, otherwise he would get steady employment in the county jail.

KICKING ON DUMP

Chelsea Green Residents Have New Grievance Against City.

Residents of Chelsea Green are complaining of the dumping of refuse on the west side of Adelaide street, south of the bridge, by the drivers of the city garbage wagons. The question is asked why the garbage is not taken to the incinerator.

That it is a public nuisance to make a dump of this spot is conceded by all who know the conditions. The suburbanites are considering taking some definite action if the practice is continued.

TIRED OUT? YOU NEED STRENGTH

The daily round of housework, with its countless responsibilities and annoyances, puts a terrific strain on the nervous system—as every housewife knows.

And—as every physician knows—overworked nerves become weak because they lose phosphates. Penslar Dynamic Tonic restores strength to the nervous system by restoring phosphates to the nerves. It is as simple and reasonable as putting coal on the fire or food in a hungry stomach.

Dynamic Tonic WILL strengthen your nervous system. It is a true tonic, free from alcohol. It feeds the starving nerves. It increases your energy, power and endurance amazingly. Get a $1.50 bottle—5 weeks' treatment—today. Trial bottle 75c. Sent anywhere on receipt of price.

Cairncross the Chemists

216 DUNDAS STREET, Phone 880.

CITY BREVITIES

LOSS IS $25.—Fire which started from a spark from the boiler-room caused a blaze in the roof at the factory of the Columbia Handle Company last evening. The loss will be $25.

MEETS ON FRIDAY.—The Red Cross Council will meet in Hyman Hall on Thursday, May 23, not on Friday, which is a holiday. The members are urgently requested to be present at this meeting.

GARDENING HINTS.—Ald. S. R. Manness has left a number of pamphlets entitled "Vegetable Gardening at Home and on Vacant Lots" with The Advertiser. They give some excellent advice to amateurs. They may be had for the asking.

CONCERT TONIGHT.—A splendid program has been arranged for this evening at the First Congregational Church in connection with the concert to be held in aid of the Sunday school orchestra. A number of well-known local artists will appear.

GRADUATES IN CLEVELAND.—The name of Miss Beatrice Rowe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rowe, 270 Ridout street south, appears in the list of the graduating class of Huron Road Hospital, Cleveland, Ohio. The commencement exercises are being held Thursday, May 23.

PRAYER ON HOLIDAY.—It was announced at the monthly meeting of the local Ministerial Alliance yesterday that there will be a regular noon day prayer meeting at Cronyn Hall Victoria Day, May 24, the members taking the view that many more people would be enabled to present on the holiday.

SOME ROASTING!—Firemen were called to the home of Thomas Mills, 1188 King street, at 1 o'clock Monday. On arrival it was found that a roast of beef in the oven had become overheated and created an unusual amount of smoke. The only damage done was the destruction of the roast.

THREE NEW PERMITS.—D. A. Brown took out a building permit to erect a $2,600 brick veneer residence at 165½ Wharncliffe road. Gorman & Eckert will erect a $1,500 frame building at its Rectory street plant. Mrs. A. Crow will erect a $600 frame dwelling on Hume street.

RESUMES DUTIES HERE.—Major W. W. Rowson, paymaster of this military district, has returned after an absence of several months, and has resumed his duties at district headquarters, Wolseley Barracks. He has been engaged on special duties in connection with the paymaster-general's department at Winnipeg.

FRATERNAL VISIT—About 65 members of Forest City and Ruth Chapters of the Order of the Easter Star paid a fraternal visit to St. Thomas Monday evening. E. T. Essery, worthy grand patron, and Mrs. J. Taylor, grand adah, two London members of the grand lodge were among the number. All report having spent an enjoyable evening.

OFFERS TO CO-OPERATE.—At a meeting of the eexcutive committee of the Local Branch of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, held in the rooms of the commission, Royal Bank Building, on Monday evening, a letter from the London Branch of the Soldiers' Wives' League was presented, offering to cooperate with the Soldiers' Aid Commission. The letter was referred to the relief committee.

MILITIA APPOINTMENTS.—Nursing Sister Emma Edith Granger, C.A.M.C., is taken on the strength of the C. E. F. in Canada, and posted to No. 1 District depot, with effect from the 21st April, 1918, camp orders state. Lieut. William Bruce Mitchell, R.L.C.E., is attached for duty to the Engineering Training Depot, St. Johns, Que., and granted the rank of lieutenant in the C. E. F., while so attached, with effect from the 15th May, 1918.

MOVING TO CITY—Rev. John Elder who was recently appointed to the pastorate of Chelsea Green Presbyterian Church, is moving into the city from his former residence at Bethel today. Mr. Elder has been in charge of the work for some time, and the members express the opinion that his labors here will be successful. A reception for Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Elder will be held in the course of a few days.

ANOTHER CASE OF SMALLPOX IN CITY FOUND LAST NIGHT

Ten Cases Now in London, Though Confined to One Factory.

Another case of smallpox was discovered in London last night. This, with the nine cases already reported, makes ten cases in all in London. Dr. H. W. Hill, M. O. H., says that the new case developed among the members of the family of a worker in the factory where the other cases developed. The other cass are well in hand, according to Dr. Hill.

Chickenpox made a great record and increased its number of spots about the city many thousands during the past week, when 21 new cases were reported. There were also three new cases of diphtheria. Measles, an old-fashioned disease like smallpox, gained 15 new victims; sore throat, 3; mumps, 2; scarlet fever, 4; whooping cough, 3, and tuberculosis, 7. This makes a total of 61 new cases of communicable disease which appeared in a week. There are now 80 cases in isolation.

The ten smallpox cases are confined to eight homes. None are in the hospital.

URGES RELEASE OF FARMER-JURORS AS SOON AS POSSIBLE

The county court jury sessions will open at the court house on Tuesday June 4, with Judge Talbot Macbeth presiding.

Two cases, which were adjourned from the last court sessions, have so far been re-entered for trial.

Judge Macbeth has received a communication from the department of justice urging the advisability of not bringing to trial any more jury cases than are found absolutely necessary.

The object is to release for work farmers who are called in for jury duty at a season of the year when they are most needed on their farms.

In order not to delay production the department of justice is advising that the same course be adopted throughout the Dominion.

VOCATIONAL TRAINING OF RETURNED SOLDIERS SHOWS BIG INCREASES

According to reports given out in Toronto, the vocational training classes here, conducted under the joint administration of the Invalid Soldiers' Commission and the Soldiers' Aid Commission, are growing. There are eleven instructions here, as compared with the five six months ago. The number of pupils has increased from 142 to 150.

The officials figures for the seven district centres are: Instructions—Toronto 32, six months ago 14; Hamilton 8, six months ago 4; London 11, six months 5; Kingston 20, six months ago 12; Ottawa 5, six months ago 4; Whitby 9, six months ago 6; Guelph 6, six months ago nothing.

In pupils the increase in the past half year is even more marked. The figures are as follows: Toronto 618, previous total 272; Hamilton 97, previous total 31; London 150, previous total 142; Whitby 198, previous total 125; Guelph 104, previous total nothing; Ottawa 59, previous total 41.

IRATE TAXPAYERS' OBJECTIONS OVER DUST PASSED ON

Aldermen Echo Kicks Against Oil Absence.

WANT MORE DUST-LAYER

Engineer Explains Situation and Is Authorized To Go On With Work.

Has your street been oiled as yet? If not have you approached the aldermen of your ward with a complaint?

Judging from the kicks the city dads registered at last night's council meeting the poor fellows have been, figuratively speaking, kicked all over their wards by irritable voters who strongly objected to carrying any more road dust in their lungs.

Quite innocently Ald. O. G. Keene brought down this storm of protest on to the head of the engineer, and gave the aldermen the opportunity of letting their bosses know they were looking after their interest with the least trouble to themselves.

Ald. Keene wanted to know what was the cause of the delay. Was it the same old story as last year, viz., that the street oiling would be completed in the fall. He thought that the oil necessary had been purchased in February, so that the work might be gone on with early.

Ald. W. Wilson, Ald. S. Manness Ald. H. Ashplant, Ald. F. H. Watkinson, Ald. Chas. Moorhead and Ald. J. P. Watt each in turn popped up in their seat and said their little say, to wit, that their streets needed oiling more than any in the city, and that they wanted the oiling done before the snow flies.

Ald. Wilson dilated at length on his troubles. Perhaps the mayor thought that his percentage of talk had exceeded the allotment of talk for a ward of the size he represented, and he called him to order, though it did seem that he had wandered just a little from the point under discussion. The alderman scored, however, when the others spoke.

"Why do you stop me, call me down, and let other aldermen speak?" he asked of the mayor. "I don't like it. I don't care for any man, even if it is the mayor or anyone else."

Ald. Keene said he had asked a question, and he did not see why these other aldermen should butt in.

City Engineer H. A. Brazier replied that it was only a couple of weeks ago that they were able to start oiling Last year the rains held up the work. He had purchased 40,000 gallons of oil, part of this had been rejected. He now asked permission to purchase 80,000 gallons of oil at 13 and 13½c, and said that the work would proceed as rapidly as possible.

The motion that the engineer go ahead and buy the oil and keep up the good work was carried.

DRAFTED MEN TO CONTINUE TO STAY AT QUEEN'S PARK

New Soldiers Will Report There for Service.

No. 1 Battalion, Canadian Garrison Regiment, the newly-formed unit, moved into camp at Carling Heights from Queen's Park on Monday. A portion of the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R., remains at Queen's Park, and according to information given out today will continue to do so for some time.

The idea of the military authorities is to have the drafted men report at Queen's Park, where facilities are perfect for handling them. Here they will receive their military outfits, and preliminary training before moving to camp at Carling Heights. The men are reporting at the rate of 250 per day.

DEPUTY INSPECTOR TAKES CHARGE OF DOMINION POLICE

Capt. Asa Minard of Windsor Appointed Chief of District.

Capt. Asa Minard, who has been acting as deputy inspector of Dominion police at Windsor, has been transferred here to assume the position of inspector for Military District No. 1.

Capt. Minard assumed charge of the office of inspector today. Lieut. C. H. Atkinson, until recently in charge, has been granted sick leave.

Capt. Minard enlisted with the 97th Battalion at Toronto and proceeded overseas with that unit. He was returned to Canada early last fall, and has been engaged in tribunal work and Dominion police duties since.

RARE BLOOMS SEEN IN TULIP EXHIBITS AT PUBLIC LIBRARY

Showing This Week Even Surpasses That of Last Show.

The exhibition of Darwin and later varieties of tulips which opened at the public library this morning, shows a wealth of color that rivals, if it does not exceed that of the show held last week. Members of the London Horticultural Society, who are lovers of flowers, are arranging to have frequent informal shows of this kind, where growers may place their blooms and see what others are doing in the same line.

Frank Wood has 60 varieties of these later tulips on show. His Bronze Queen is a magnificent flower, almost rich golden in color. Yellow Perfection is another that attracts attention, a great burst of bright color. Andre Dore is a variety that almost seems black, while Faust is another dark variety. Valentine is a rich, silky purple. E. E. Cook of Stanley street, has a show of rich brilliant red flowers in the variety Charmoise Brilliant. while Mrs. Clair Jarvis exhibits a tulip of the most delicate shade. W. O. Ruse of 120 Wilson avenue, exhibits a number of handsome varieties.

The exhibition is held in the west room at the front on the ground floor of the library, and the public is invited to visit the show today and Wednesday, all day and evening.

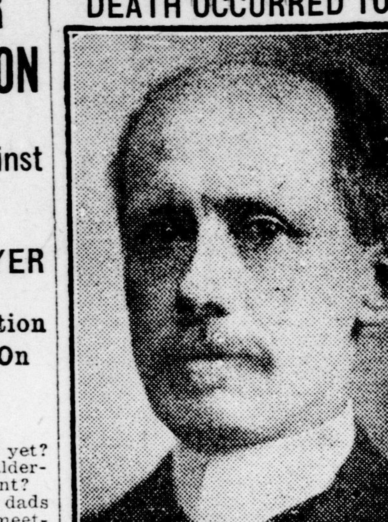
DANCE MOST SUCCESSFUL

Patriotic Affair of Lieut.-Col. Becher Chapter, I. O. D. E., Brings Out 300 Couples.

Under the auspices of the Lieut.-Col. Campbell Becher Chapter, I. O. D. E., a delightful informal dance was given at the Asylum on Monday evening. The dance was largely attended, more than three hundred couples spending an enjoyable evening. Music was provided by the Lombardo Boys' Orchestra. The kindness of Dr. W. J. Robinson for the use of the hall was greatly appreciated by the chapter.

The patronesses were Mesdames White, Greenaway, Bell and McWilliams. The proceeds will be devoted to the Soldiers' Comfort Fund.

PROMINENT LOCAL BANK OFFICIAL WHOSE SUDDEN DEATH OCCURRED TODAY



Advertiser Illustrations.

CHARLES G. HARPER, 472 Central avenue, inspector of the Merchants' Bank, who died in St. Joseph's Hospital after an operation.

VETERAN OFFICIAL OF MERCHANTS BANK DIES SUDDENLY HERE

Inspector Charles G. Harper Succumbed at Hospital.

35 YEARS IN SERVICE

Was Son of Late W. F. Harper, For Many Years Manager of Local Branch.

Charles G. Harper, 472 Princess avenue, for many years prominent in business and financial circles of London as a member of the inspection staff of the Merchants Bank, died suddenly in St. Joseph's Hospital this morning, following an operation.

Mr. Harper entered the service of the bank here as a young man and was for a time manager of one of the branches of the institution. Of late years he has been on the inspection staff. He had completed 35 years service. His father, the late William F. Harper, was for many years manager of the Merchants Bank here.

As a member of St. Peter's Cathedral parish, Mr. Harper took a keen interest in church affairs.

Besides his widow, Mrs. Kate Harper, he is survived by four daughters, Dorothy, Kathleen, Margaret and Jean, all at home, and by four sons, Gunner Edward F. Harper, now in France with a draft from the 63rd Battery here; Pte. William F. Harper of the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R., Charles L. Harper and John G. Harper of this city.

Fred F. Harper of Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons, is a brother. He is also survived by three other brothers and four sisters.

STONED, HE CLAIMS, FOR SAYING FARMERS SHOULD GO OVERSEAS

Westminster Farmer Accuses Neighbors of This Offence.

Upon the complaint of Clarke C. Warren, a Westminster Township farmer, six young agriculturists. all neighbors of Warren's, will appear before Squire Chittick on Saturday, each charged with disorderly conduct.

Warren alleges that the young men threw stones and bricks through his windows on Saturday evening last and caused him considerable annoyance in other ways.

The alleged misconduct on the part of the young men, it is claimed, arose out of a letter sent to the press in which Warren gave as his opinion that farmers had no more right to exemption than any other class of citizen. Warren claims that the young men took exception to his published letter, and showed their resentment as he alleges in his complaint.

MANY BENEFIT HERE THROUGH BONUS FOR ALL CIVIL SERVICES

Postmen and Clerks Get Boost, Though They Wanted Increase.

London's letter-carriers and post-office, customs and inland revenue department clerks will come in for an increased bonus, according to the latest return brought down in the House, allowing $3,000,000 to provide for such an allowance.

Those receiving under $1,200, and this includes letter-carriers and a majority of the postal clerks, get a bonus of $150 less any permanent increase they have received since January, 1917. This means the carriers will get the whole sum. Some of the clerks received an increase last year, and this will be deducted from their bonus. Besides this, all received a $100 bonus.

Clerks drawing between $1,200 and $1,550 will receive $100 bonus. There are quite a number in London who will also share in this.

Both the letter-carriers and the clerks made representations to the Government for an increase in wages instead of a bonus.

MERRY TRIO APPEARS IN COURT FOLLOWING SUDDEN POLICE RAID

More Evidence Anent Doings in Adelaide Street Home Will Be Presented.

Charged with acting in a disorderly manner at 52 Adelaide street, William Bowker, Clarence Milton and Margaret Johnson, all colored, appeared in the prisoner's dock in police court today.

Margaret gave her home address as Chatham, and stated to the court that she departed from the Kent County metropolis Monday afternoon with a ticket for this city, her object, she stated, being a visit with her brother.

According to the patrolman who arrested the trio, Margaret was visiting with the brothers of other persons.

Chief Williams asked that the case be adjourned until Thursday, as some of the "party" had got away when the patrolmen visited the house. An effort will be made to have the missing ones in court on Thursday.

Bowker and Milton were bailed, but Margaret will remain in jail until her trial.

NO FREE DINNERS WHEN DUKE COMES FOR ANY ALDERMEN

Attempt To Get Tickets Is Rudely Spoiled.

NO ALDERMANIC TRIP

Amendment Limiting Delegation to New York Convention to City Clerk Carries.

Ald. H. B. Ashplant tried to spear a free meal for himself and brother aldermen who want one at last night's council council meeting. Seemingly the alderman wanted to celebrate the visit of the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire to London in such a manner. He must look for some other method of commemoration.

The Canadian and Rotary clubs have been asked to arrange for a luncheon when their excellencies come to London. Ald. Ashplant suggested that the city clerk should be instructed to purchase tickets for all the aldermen who would attend.

As an after thought, he said that as the affair was under the auspices of the two clubs, and as some of the aldermen did not belong to either, and as some of them were workingmen, he thought that the clerk should get the tickets for them so that they could go.

Pay or Stay.

Controller C. H. Merryfield and Ald. S. R. Manness said that as the luncheon was being put on at the request of the council there would be no trouble in the aldermen getting tickets, and he could pay for his own, and thought that the other alderman could also dig up six bits to pay their own way. They will or stay at home.

Ald. O. G. Keene last night earned the undying gratitude of Ald. Ashplant. There was a jaunt on. It was an out-of-the-ordinary variety. It was to the National Municipal Convention at "Little Old New York." Ald. Ashplant wanted to go. Who wouldn't? City Clerk S. Baker wanted to go. In some strange manner this got to the ears of Controller C. H. Merryfield. When the communication dealing with the convention was read, the controller moved that Ald. Ashplant and Mr. Baker be named delegates from the council. No one seemed to object, and the mayor was about to put the motion when Ald. Keene moved an amendment that only the clerk be sent.

This kind of took the wind out of the aldermanic sails. Ald. Ashplant arose and said he would like to go to this convention better than any other.

Ald. Keene: "I'd like to go, too."

Ald. Manness then suggested: "Let's all go."

Objects to No. 1 Plums.

Ald. Keene here wanted to know why all the appointments to such conventions went to No. 1 committee. Were the members of that committee any better looking or had they any more brains than the members of No. 2, he demanded. He admitted that they were better spouters. He wanted to know what was the answer.

In the end the amendment carried. Mr. Baker goes and Ald. Ashplant stays at home or else goes and pays his own expenses.

WESTERN PREMIER DENIES RUMORS OF SUCCEEDING LAURIER

Hon. W. M. Martin Declares Nothing to Stories.

IS ON WAY OVERSEAS

Father Here Has Heard Nothing of Gossip Started at Canadian Hospital.

A dispatch from Ottawa states that Hon. W. A. Martin, premier of Saskatchewan, arrived in the capital on Monday, and his unexpected visit has started a fresh crop of rumors to the effect that he is to succeed Sir Wilfrid Laurier as leader of the Opposition and Federal Liberal party. The premier of Saskatchewan, however, it is stated, denies that he is there on such an errand, and that he replied to a question in regard to the rumor, as follows: "I have sufficient work to do out there to engage my whole attention. I intend to remain there.

"While renewing old acquaintances, he spent a good deal of time Monday meeting new men in the House, and from his own province. Hon. W. M. Martin represented Regina in the House of Commons for several years before accepting the premiership of Saskatchewan to succeed Hon. Walter Scott.

Concerning the rumors, Rev. W. M. Martin of this city, father of the distinguished young statesman, said today: "I had heard nothing of rumors such as are mentioned. I had a letter a couple of weeks ago from my son, in which he stated that it was probable he would be going overseas on business, and hoped to pay us a little visit on his way east. I did not even know that he was in Ottawa yet."

Hon. W. M. Martin, son of Rev. W. M. Martin and Mrs. Martin, Ridout street south, was born in Norwich. When he was still a small boy, his father received a call to the Exeter Presbyterian Church, and the future statesman's early education was received in that town and in Clinton. He won distinction in both his university course in Hall, sandwiching in between experience in teaching. Following the completion of his law course, he went west to enter a law partnership in the firm which subsequently became Balfour & Martin. He has had an exceptionally brilliant career, advancing with the rapidity which the opportunities of the west make possible to a man of his ability and sterling character. He is a nephew of Hon. Dr. Jamieson, speaker of the Ontario Legislature. His wife, a woman of exceptional charm and mental endowment, was Mis Violet Thompson of Mitchell. She is regent of the Provincial Chapter, Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire of Saskatchewan and a leader in patriotic work in the province of which her husband is premier.

CAMP BRIEFS

Staff-Sergt. Leah Leaving on Three Months' Leave.

Staff Sergt. Frank Leah, who has been seriously ill for some time, leaves for Ottawa on three months' sick leave tonight.

Major W. W. Rowson, C. A. P. C., resumes the duties of district paymaster, M. D. No. 1, with effect from the 21st instant, according to mobilization camp orders.

Capt. M. D. McTaggart, C.A.P.C., C.E.F., is struck off the strength of No. 1 Military District Depot from 25th April, camp orders oday state.

Pte. William E. Kydd (654483), having signed a confession of desertion, his court-martial has been dispensed with, and is ordered by the D. O. C., M. D. No. 1, to suffer the same forfeiture and deductions from pay as if he had been convicted by court-martial for the same offence.

Pte. John H. Smith and Pte. Harvey Varnie, 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R., have been discharged in order to re-enlist in the Royal Air Force.

OFFICERS EXPLODE STORY OF "GERMAN" ON DISTRICT STAFF

Brand Rumors as Malicious Attempt at Injury.

HAS LONG ARMY RECORD

Non-Com in Question Was Born in Heligoland When British Territory.

A rumor current in the city, during the past few days that there is a German, whose heart is with the fatherland, wearing the khaki, and stationed at Carling Heights, was exploded at military headquarters today. The facts are these: There is a non-commissioned officer employed on the sub-staff at Wolseley Barracks, who was born in Heligoland, of British parents, when it was British territory. He has served in the Canadian army for over ten years, his work being above reproach, and faithfully carried out.

"He is a victim of pure maliciousness. on the part of some unknown personal enemy," said Lieut.-Col. W. J. Brown, A. A. G., M. D. No. 1, when interviewed by The Advertiser today. "Someone is trying to make trouble for us in this matter. The soldier in question is one of our cleverest men on the sub-staff, and his work here has been of the highest order. Because a man is born in what is now German territory does not make him a German. His work with us has been very conscientious, and the public have been misinformed. His record with the Canadian army speaks for itself.

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NO INVESTIGATION

him out of the hall, and the chief took no action in this case.

November 8—Algrove, from No. 3, called to Central for ladder practice. After making a mistake he was put right by Capt. Mitchell, and on the second attempt was spoken to by Assistant Chief Scott. Algrove used abusive language and left the hall without permission. A report of the case was made out by Scott and Mitchell, and on the 12th Algrove was given a hearing before the chief, and for leaving the hall without permission was suspended one day by the chief. For his abusive language he received no punishment.

The result is that there has been no ladder practice since. When harmony does not prevail among head officers harmony is impossible among the men, and when no harmony. there cannot be efficiency.

March 8, 1918. On Friday, March 8, an alarm for Carling street was responded to, but on account of the men not being familiar with the operation of the four-way hydrant, a delay of from three to five minutes occurred.

March 30, 1918. On March 30 a phone message from P. J. Watt, Riverview avenue, came in. The chief responded, telling the ladder truck not to come. Six minutes after he sent a message, asking the ladders to respond.

Hose Not Tested.

On March 29 box 517 sounded. The chief refused to let the central respond. The men are not instructed in several pieces of apparatus, such as hand extinguishers, door-openers, collar nozzles, smoke helmets, pulmotor. The hose is never tested except when used at a fire.

August 20, 1916. Chemical, 40 gallons, No. 4 hall, out of commission and is still so. No. 5 has had only one officer for the past two years. When captain is off duty there is no one in charge. The chief's car is not put to the use it was intended for. It is used for joyriding.

September 2, 1916.—Tozer was suspended for being drunk, or having whiskey on the premises on September 4. He was dismissed by the chief. This was his fourth offence. On October 1 he was reinstated by the chief. Sinse then he has been promoted to captain over more experienced and men with perfect records. Tozer has been the means of good men leaving, and if allowed to act as an officer more men will leave. The chief has also promoted his son to a lieutenant over older and more experienced men. The chief has given his own son preference every time an opportunity has presented itself.

Fights Alleged.

November 28.—On November 28, 1917, Capt. T. Aiken, No. 3 Station, and one of his men fought in the station, but nothing was done to them. This has occurred several times in this station.

The chemical machine in No. 4 has not been in repair for two years, and is still out of repair, and in case of fire could not be used.

Chief Aitken continually leaves the fire hall and leaves no information as to where he will be, so that in case of fire he could not be called for.

Some of the men in the department for six months and over have never been instructed in the use of hand-chemicals, and therefore do not know how to use or fill them.

Some of the men have never been instructed in the use of smoke helmets, and the most of them are not in repair. Also, the majority of the men have never been instructed how to use the pulmotor.

A peculiar hydrant at Carling and Richmond streets that practically none of the officers and men have had any instructions in regard to how to use. Not long ago during a fire in that locality a hose wagon tried to make a connection to the hydrant and none of the men knew how to make the connection and had to put the hose on the wagon and drive a block to another hydrant, which resulted in a loss of time.

The box fire alarm system all over the city in an unreliable state. Very often it is impossible to get the number of the box call.

An alarm indicator bought two years ago is lying in the hall, never installed.

And also other charges that will be made and proven at investigation.

Say Charges Are Proper.

Officials of the trades council contend that their charges are proper, and not anonymous. Their letter was signed. The charges were not completely typed when the letter was sent. The understanding was that City Clerk Baker should pin the charges to the letter when they were handed to him. This was done. However, the officers of the trades council will not give the aldermen the opportunity to sidetrack the case on a slight technicality, they say, and will meet all their objections. They also state that they will be on hand with lots of charges and witnesses to back them up.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

DEATH OF MRS. PATTERSON.

The death occurred at her late residence, near Appin, after a long illness, of Mrs. Catharine Patterson, aged 79. She was born near Loch Gilpin, Scotland, and came to Canada in 1849 with her mother and brother and four sisters. She was the last member of the family. She is survived by three daughters and two sons, Mrs. D. Blue of Dutton and Mrs. McTaggart of Ekfrid, and Sarah Dugald and Archie at home. The funeral will be held from the family residence on Tuesday to the Eddie Cemetery.

OLD LONDON RESIDENT.

The death of Fredwick Bevan Hemsworth, aged 81 years, and a resident of London for many years, occurred at his residence, 866 Van street, on Sunday. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ellen Hemsworth, four daughters—Mrs. Ralph Jackson of this city; Mrs. H. Hall of Mortlach, Sask.; Mrs. W. Scott of Ealing and Miss Mabel Hemsworth at home; and four sons—Henry Hemsworth of Listowel, Charles Hemsworth of this city, Edward Hemsworth of Vancouver and George Hemsworth of Edmonton.

The funeral will be held from the family residence Tuesday afternoon. Interment will be made at Woodland Cemetery.

FREE!

LISTEN BOYS and GIRLS! A PAIR OF SHOES TO BE GIVEN AWAY FREE!

See the Giant Firecracker in our Dundas street window containing numbered coupons. Every boy and girl over the age of 6 years, and under 15 years, buying a pair of Running Shoes at this store between now and 9:30 Thursday evening, May 23, 1918, will be given a coupon, and the corresponding number will be placed in the large firecracker. At 9:30 p.m. Thursday a drawing will take place, and the boy or girl holding the coupon with a number to correspond with the first one drawn from the firecracker will be presented with a pair of shoes valued at $3.50, absolutely FREE.

A FEW OF OUR RUNNING SHOE SPECIALS FOR THIS WEEK.

Boys' and Girls' Low-Cut Running Shoes, $1.00 value, cut to 69c
Boys' High Black and Brown Running Shoes, cut to $1.23
Misses' High White Yachting Shoes, cut to $1.33
Youths' High Black Running Shoes, cut to $1.19
Youths' Low-Cut Black Running Shoes 98c

Our racks are loaded with Outing Shoe Bargains for all the family. Be sure to see them.

The Peoples Shoe Store

131 DUNDAS STREET. 12 MARKET SQUARE.

COLLEGE GRADUATES WILL GET DIPLOMAS ON FRIDAY EVENING

Annual Huron Convocation To Be Held Then.

SPECIAL ORDINATIONS

Two Divinity Students Who Have Not Finished Prescribed Course Receive Them.

Three men who are to be ordained and one who completed his course last October, will receive diplomas at the Huron College convocation exercises, which will be held in the convocation hall at the college on Friday evening next at 8 o'clock. The Bishop of Huron will preside, and present the diplomas, and the evening's program also includes a report from Rev. Principal C. C. Waller, and an address by Rev. W. Leslie Armitage, rector of St. James' Church, South London.

Rev. W. B. Moulton, who has been the incumbent at Holmesville for several months past, completed his college work in October last, but receives his diploma with L. T. Hagger of London; A. B. Mitchell, Hamilton, and J. Chapman, Ailsa Craig.

W. D. Davis, who has been assisting Ven. Archdeacon Richardson in St. Luke's and St. John's London Township, and Sergt. Eldon Garrett, will be ordained, owing to the need of men, though they have not quite completed the prescribed course. Sergt. Garrett enlisted from Huron College for overseas service early in the war, and after three years has been returned home, owing to severe wounds, which have incapacitated him for active service.

The Matthew Wilson medal for oratory this year has been won by J. Chapman, while A. S. Mitchell has been awarded the Haensall reading prize.

CONCILIATION BOARD NOT YET ARRANGED

It is not known whether or not the conciliation board, to inquire into the London street railway wage dispute will sit here on Wednesday.

F. H. McGuigan, the company's representative, is still tied up in Toronto. However, it is possible that word from him will be received later in the day. Charles Ferguson, the men's representative, is said to be ready to go ahead at any time.

The officers of the men's union are considering calling a mass meeting on Saturday night. They believe that by that time they will have the award of the board, providing the sessions are started tomorrow.

FUNERAL HELD TODAY

Thomas C. Knott, Prominent Real Estate Agent, Buried at Woodland.

The funeral of Thomas C. Knott, one of London's best-known businessmen, was held from the family residence, Carfrae Crescent, at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Services were conducted at 2:30 o'clock by Canon Tucker of St. Paul's Cathedral. Interment was made at Woodland Cemetery.

The pallbearers were: Messrs. J. P. Moore, K. C., A. Purdom, John Graham, A. M. Hunt, A. Eadie, and Nathaniel Mills.

The many floral tributes were a striking evidence of the esteem the late Mr. Knott held among his fellow citizens. While the funeral was strictly private, many of his former associates gathered at the home to pay their last respects.

The late Mr. Knott was recently stricken with uremic poisoning, and died in Victoria Hospital on Sunday afternoon after a short illness. He was a native of this city, and for 20 years was with the Dominion Savings Company, after which he went into the real estate business for himself, fifteen years ago. As a businessman he held the confidence of all who knew him, and his death came as a distinct shock to the community.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Knott, and one brother, William J. Knott, of D. S. Perrin Company, city, and also by two sisters, Misses Elizabeth Knott and Emily Knott, both of this city.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Chicago, May 21.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Corn—				
May	$1 27¼	..	..	..
July	1 43⅝	1 44¼	1 42⅞	1 42⅞
Oats—				
May	78	78¾	78	78¾
July	68	68⅞	67½	67¾

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.] Chicago, May 21.—Closing: Pork—May, $42; July, $42 32.

Lard—May, $24 62; July, $24 65.

Ribs—May, $24 75.

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Furloughed Firsts Get Another Brief Respite From Duty

Orders From Ottawa Cancel, For Time at Least, Return of Local Men.

Members of the 1st Contingent, at present home on furlough, were delighted with the dispatch received from Ottawa last night cancelling the date of their departure for England. As their leave expires May 30 it was necessary for these men to leave London today in order to arrive in England on time.

No explanation for the cancellation of arrangements was given, but the 18 men affected state today that they are quite satisfied with the order. One man had already departed from home yesterday, but was recalled from Toronto.

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, May 21.—Oats opened ⅛c to ¼c higher for May at 86⅝@87c, and ¼c to ⅜c higher for July at 83⅞@84¼c.

Flax opened unchanged for July, at $3 84½.

Inspections on Monday, 394 cars, of which 229 were contract grades of wheat.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.] Toronto, May 21.

	Asked.	Bid.		Asked.	Bid.
Am Cy..	34	30	Riordon	120	118
Ames, c.	21	..	Sawyer..	15	..
do pfd.	58	..	do pfd.	40	..
Barcel...	9¾	9⅝	Spanish.	15½	13½
Brazilian	34¾	34	do pfd.	53	50
B C Fish	47	..	St Ch, p.	57	..
Burt, c...	..	67	Stl Can..	65¾	65½
C Bread.	20	19½	do pfd.	91	90
C Car...	30¼	29¼	T Paper.	..	70
do pfd.	78	75½	Tor Ry.	61½	59
Cement.	60¼	59½	Tre'wey.	17	16
C S L...	40½	39½	Tw City.	46	44
do pfd.	76½	76	Win Ry.	48	..
CGElec.	103	102½	Bonds—		
C Loco..	61	59	Dom ...	202	..
do pfd.	..	82¾	Hamil'n	188	186
C Dairy.	..	40	Imperial.	185	..
do pfd.	..	81	NScotia	248	..
ConLife	375	..	Ottawa	201	..
Conlag.	310	290	Royal ..	208	..
C Smelt.	24⅜	..	Stand ..	200¼	..
Con Gas.	..	144½	Toronto	187	..
Canners.	35	30	Unio. ..	150	n.
do pfd.	..	68	Loans, etc.—		
Dome ..	840	775	C Land.	148¾	..
D Steel..	63	62⅛	C Perm.	162½	..
Duluth..	41	..	C Invest.	..	63
La Rose.	50	44	H Prov.	..	135
Mackay.	77	76½	H & E...	..	204
do pfd.	65	64½	20% pd	..	196
M Leaf..	98½	98	L Bank.	..	141
do pfd.	94	92	L & C..	126½	..
Monarch	..	39	N Trust.	199	..
do pfd.	80	..	T Trust.	..	200
N St Car	10	8	T Mort..	134	..
do pfd.	37	32	Bonds—		
Nipis'g.	900	875	C Loco..	..	85
NSSteel.	65	..	D Iron..	..	84
P Burt..	34	..	Elec Dev	..	86
do pfd.	77¼	..	Penmans	..	85
Penmans	75	73½	Ontario.	..	76
Petrol.	1375	1325	Rio Jan..	..	83
P Paper.	55	..	Stl Can..	..	92
Quebec..	22	21¾	War Loan,		
Russell..	75	..	1925...	95	94½
do pfd.	80	77	1931...	94	93½
			1937...	93	92¾

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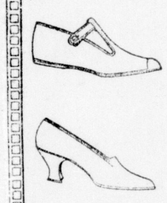

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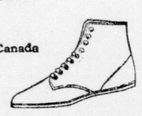

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IRISH LOSING THE SYMPATHY OF AMERICANS

Plot Disclosures Have Placed Whole Situation in New Light.

ARRESTS IN STATES?

Washington Said To Have Received Important Evidence From London.

[Special to The Advertiser by C. W. Gilbert.]

Washington, May 20.—Members of the administration declined to talk about the report from abroad that evidence against the Sinn Feiners who have just been apprehended had been furnished by this Government. If the British report is true, and it was passed by the censor in spite of the rather delicate assertion it contained, then the plotting must have extended to this country, and it would seem probable that arrests in this country were in order.

Some action by this Government indicating its sympathy with and support of the British Government would have a wholesome effect in Ireland, whether it consisted of acknowledgment that the United States had furnished evidence against the Irish plotters (if that is true), or the arrest of anyone in this country who may have been involved in communications with the Germans.

Would Help England.

A recent British weekly said that as many of the Irish looked to Wilson as their president as to King George as their king. A disavowal of sympathy with the Irish in their latest adventure would help England.

Ireland is not as articulate in Washington as once it was. Neither is the American continent with regard to Ireland, as clearly expressed as it used to be. It takes some inquiry and study now to ascertain just what America, as reflected in Washington, thinks of the present Irish situation. This much is clear. Ireland—at least Ireland as made manifest by the Sinn Fein—hasn't the sympathy in America she once had.

Sympathy Is Waning.

Men who were full of indignation over the execution of Pearse and the other poets and dreamers who conducted the Sinn Fein rebellion of a couple of years ago now are full of impatience with De Valera and his pro-German followers.

This is the typical American sentiment expressed in Washington. And it is not confined to typical Americans. Irish-Americans here, who have stood by Ireland in every quarrel she has had with England, are now disgusted and angry. They have no sympathy with the Sinn Fein idea that there is nothing to choose between Britain and Germany. They say that the first thing to do is to win the war, and after the war is won will come Ireland's turn. I am giving here the view of Irishmen who up till this moment have always sympathized with every effort of Ireland toward freedom.

The Irish Will Out.

"I don't pretend to say that all Irishmen agree with that view. All Irishmen do not agree with any view of anything. But many more Irishmen hold it than ever did before. And it is practically the unanimous view of Americans of the unhyphenated kind, as far as can be judged from Washington.

The feeling is that England has bungled in dealing with the Irish conscription if the Irish is felt, by many of those whose views are summarized above, to be the latest and worst bungle of all. But all the impatience that is felt over England's failure to tie in this loose end of her empire, to give the Irish what they want—consistently with Ireland's own safety and the safety of the anti-German world, is forgotten in the feeling of disgust over the willingness of the Irish to imperil the freedom of Western Europe in the pursuit of their quarrel with their rulers.

"Americans are for once able to look at Ireland a little with the eyes of England."

1,300 FRAUD CASES IN LAST ELECTIONS; CHARGE IS PLACED BEFORE THE HOUSE

Sensational Disclosures Will Be Aired Tomorrow--Greatest Election Scandal in History.

ROWELL GETS EXCITED WHEN CHARGE IS SPRUNG

Thirty Individual Cases Are Named, Including Two Bruces, Two Essexes, S. Huron, London, W. Middlesex, Kent and South Oxford Constituencies — Officers in Charge of Voting Come Under Fire.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, May 20.—There will be aired in the House of Commons on Wednesday next disclosures in connection with the taking of the soldiers' votes both in Canada and overseas during the election of December, which will cause to pale into insignificance any election scandal ever aired in the past in a Canadian Parliament.

On these disclosures over thirty individual charges have been based, each of which is of a very serious nature. It is further stated that the Opposition has been supplied by scrutineers, who assisted at the counting and allocation of the ballots, with evidence sufficient to prove frauds in 1,300 individual cases, and that the records when examined will establish similar frauds in three or four times that number of cases.

COPP SPRINGS SENSATION.

On Saturday last A. B. Copp, M.P. for Westmoreland, wrote to the prime minister, declaring that he intended to submit to the House evidence of an organized conspiracy under which colossal frauds were perpetrated in the taking of the military vote last December. Rising in his place this afternoon Mr. Copp stated that not having heard from the prime minister he assumed that it was agreeable to him that the matter should be proceeded with.

Then he began a recital of the charges which he intended bringing before the House, and on which he will base a motion for the appointment of a committee of inquiry similar to that which investigated election frauds in connection with the British Columbia prohibition vote, and of the same general scope as similar investigations conducted since the war began under the authority of the British Parliament.

ORGANIZED CONSPIRACY.

Mr. Copp undertook to state on his honor and responsibility as a member of this honorable House "that in the recent election a carefully organized conspiracy existed by which extensive frauds were perpetrated in connection with the soldiers' votes;

"That the aforesaid fraudulent conspiracy was particularly operative in the electoral districts of Kings and Queens, P. E. I., Cape Breton North and Victoria, Richmond and Cape Breton South, Cumberland, Digby and Annapolis, Pictou, Westmoreland, Restigouche and Madawaska, N.S.; Kent and Northumberland, N.B.; Brome, Sherbrooke, Chambly, Vercheres, St. Anns, St. Antoine, St. Henry, St. Lawrence, St. George, Montreal, Stanstead and Wright, Quebec; Algoma East, **North and South Bruce, North and South Essex,** East and West Hamilton, **South Huron, Kent,** Leeds and Brockville, Lennox and Addington, **London, West Middlesex,** Nipissing, South Ontario, Ottawa, **South Oxford,** Peel, Prince Edward, Russell and Welland, Ontario; Calgary and Edmonton, Alberta; and the Yukon."

ROWELL GETS FLUSTERED.

This was as far as Mr. Copp got this afternoon. Before the House had time to grasp the full significance of Mr. Copp's statements, Hon. N. W. Rowell hurried across the floor of the House, spoke hastily to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and, returning to the Government benches, engaged in an animated conversation with Sir George Foster, who was leading the House in the absence of the premier.

Interrupting Mr. Copp's speech, Sir George rose and stated that as the prime minister was not in the chamber, and could not very well be present during the afternoon—for these reasons he would suggest that the matter be not at present proceeded with.

Sir Wilfrid at once drew attention to the fact that the Government already arranged a very full program for tomorrow, by fixing the discussion of the Yukon election return, and the motion for the abolition of titles for that day. Sir George then suggested that Mr. Copp's motion should be made first order of the day for Wednesday morning. This being acceptable to Sir Wilfrid, the matter is in abeyance for the meantime.

The gravamen of the charges contained in Mr. Copp's motion, rests, not upon the soldiers who voted but upon the officers in charge of the voting, and upon certain "men higher up."

Mr. Copp, in the course of the five minutes he addressed the House, placed on Hansard the sections of the military service act dealing with the distribution and return to the general returning officer of the soldiers' ballots. He also placed on record the form of certificate used in connection with the taking of the soldiers' vote.

SMALL RAILWAYS BOUGHT IN FOR THE GOVT. LINES

Several Systems of the Maritime Provinces Gathered In.

IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

Borden Will Announce Make-Up of Party—Sifton Not Govt. Agent.

Ottawa, May 20.—Amongst the more important items of the supplementary estimates tabled today are the following:

For Temporary Assistance.

Provision is made for temporary assistance (except in the case of lighthouse keepers) for married men and for widows and widowers with children in the outside civil service, who are employed permanently and are giving their entire time to the public service for allowance on the following basis: (a) To each person in receipt of a salary at the rate of $1,200 per annum, or less, an allowance of $150, less any permanent increase in salary given to such person since January 1, 1917, provided, however, the total salary and allowance shall not in any case exceed $1,300; (b) to each such person in receipt of a salary at the rate of more than $1,200, but not more than $1,550 per annum, an allowance of $100, less any permanent increase in salary since January 1, 1917, provided the total salary and allowance shall not exceed $1,600.

Railway Estimates.

Railway estimates include the sum of $3,489,313, "to acquire free and clear of all charges, incumbrances or claims at any public sale, the Quebec and Saguenay Railway, extending from its junction with the Quebec, Montgomery and Charlebois Railway to Nairn Falls, about 62.3 miles, at a price not exceeding the amount named."

Provision is made for the acquirement of a number of short railways located in the Maritime Provinces, at a total cost of $518,000 The railways to be purchased, with prices:

Elgin and Havelock Railway, $30,000; York and Carleton Railway, $18,000; St. Martin's Railway, $65,000; Salisbury and Albert Railway, $75,000; Moncton and Buctouche Railway, $70,000; Kent Northern Railway, $60,000; Caraquet and Gulf Shore Railway, $200,000.

Imperial Conference.

Sir Robert Borden told Jos. Archambault that an announcement of the names of the members of the Government who would attend the imperial conference in London would be made in due course. He considered it inadvisable to state when the trip would be made, but said it was for the purpose of attending sittings of the imperial war cabinet and imperial war conference. The questions to be discussed, said Sir Robert, were confidential.

J. H. Sinclair asked for information about the military appointment of Rev. C. W. Gordon (Ralph Connor) of Winnipeg. The minister of militia stated that he had the rank of honorary major, his appointment dating from April 30, 1915. Major Gordon, said the minister, was still attached to the C. E. F., being detailed for special duty.

Sifton Not Government Agent.

Hon. Charles Murphy was told by Sir Robert Borden that Sir Clifford Sifton had no authority to act in any capacity in England for the Government. Mr. Murphy wished to know whether any communications had been exchanged between the Government and Sir Clifford relative to the acquisition of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific railways. Sir Robert replied that there had been no correspondence of this kind. If any misapprehension existed in London among shareholders of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, in regard to the policy of the Government toward the Grand Trunk, the premier said he thought it would have been cleared up by statements made in the House recently. Negotiations with regard to taking over of the Grand Trunk Railway system were being carried on with A. W. Smithers, chairman of the board of directors, and President Kelley. It was unlikely that the negotiations would be concludede during the visit of the ministers to the imperial conference, though probably the matter would be discussed at that time.

Wants Tax Primer.

The bill to amend the income tax act was read a third time. Mr. Lemieux suggested, in this connection, that the finance department should publish a primer, as was done in the United States, indicating how the income tax returns were to be filled in. Mr. MacLean replied that he understood such a publication was now being prepared.

In committee on a bill to amend the inspection and sales act in regard to fruit and potatoes, Mr. Pedlow had a fine point to raise. "I should like to know," Mr. Pedlow asked, "if the minister of agriculture considers tomatoes to be a fruit or a vegetable."

"The question is a poser to me," Mr. Crerar frankly admitted, "but I should class them as a vegetable."

Webster Says Fruit.

Mr. Pedlow was not inclined to accept this view. He produced Webster and from the definitions to fruit therein argued that tomatoes were a fruit, and therefore came within the scope of the bill.

The committee laughed and let the definition drop.

Speaking on the bill, Mr. Crerar said it sought to define more accurately what were known as "culls." It was based on the results of a conference of fruit growers, consumers and dealers held last winter.

Col. Currie observed that in the United States sale of immature fruit was forbidden. When the fruit could not be sold across the line, it was sent to Canada.

Mr. Crerar said it was not his intention to prevent the sale of immature fruit, but rather to have all boxes containing such fruit specially marked, so that the purchaser would know what he was buying.

The bill was finally reported from committee with one amendment, and given third reading.

The House then resolved itself into committee on a similar act applicable to vegetables, eggs, food containers, firewood and cement. Sir George Foster introduced an amendment providing that the act should not go into force for one year from the date of royal assent. After a brief discussion this bill was also reported and given third reading.

Mon. Martin Butrell's bill to amend the companies' act was given second reading and put through committee stage. It provides, among other things, that joint stock companies may have a minimum of three directors. The present minimum is a directorate of five.

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WHITE BACK IN SEAT.

OTTAWA, May 20.—Sir Thomas White, who returned to the capital today, entered the House of Commons chamber at 4:15 o'clock, and was received with loud applause.

"I hope," said Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who was speaking at the time, "I express the feeling of the House in welcoming the honorable the minister of finance." (Applause.)

BOMBS FALL IN CIRCLE NEAR LONDON HOSPITAL

London, May 20.—During last night's air raid a number of bombs fell in open places in London, some of them near a hospital which was seemingly protected by Providence, as the helpless inmates prayed. Near this hospital the bombs fell in a semi-circle, landing in the streets and shattering windows nearby. Passers-by saw the nurses at the cots comforting patients, while others were leading in prayer and singing. The windows had been blown out, and the persons nearby could plainly hear the chorus singing "Praise God, From Whom All Blessings Flow."

AUSTRALIAN WHEAT IS TO BE SENT TO THE U. S.

MELBOURNE, Australia, May 20.—In response to a request from the United States, the commonwealth has decided to charter American vessels to carry wheat to the United States.

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CHILDREN HAD WHOOPING COUGH

Whooping cough, although specially a disease of childhood, is by no means confined to that period, but may occur at any time of life. It is one of the most dangerous diseases of infancy, and yearly causes more deaths than scarlet fever, typhoid or diphtheria, and is more common in female than male children.

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Mrs. George Cooper, Bloomfield, Ont., writes: "It is with pleasure I can write and tell you that there never was a better cough medicine made than Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. Our children had whooping cough last winter, and that is the only thing that seemed to help them. It loosens up the phlegm so that they could raise it easily. I will never be without it."

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Mrs. R. Thomas, Eureka street, Petrolea, Ont., writes: "For over two years I suffered with my nerves; sometimes I would break down completely, and be in bed for a week at a time. I never could get any sleep until about three or four o'clock in the morning. A friend of mine one day advised me to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and a treatment of this medicine proved to be just what I needed. It soothed my nerves, made me sleep at night, and strengthened me in every way. I continued using the Nerve Food until I completely recovered. Now I would have no hesitation in recommending it to anyone suffering from nervousness or rundown system."

"I am acquainted with Mrs. Thomas, and believe her statement to be correct."—Thomas Kelly, Postmaster.

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Farmers May Ask Lambton Members For Resignation

Pardee and Armstrong Are Urged to Support Exemption Claims.

PETROLEA, May 20.—Word having been received from Ottawa that the amendment to the military service act, calling up young farmers for service would be discussed in the Commons tomorrow, Albert Hare of Forest, a member of the United Farmers of Ontario, called a hurried meeting of Lambton farmers this morning, when a resolution was adopted, calling upon the members of East and West Lambton to support in the House a measure rendering inactive the amendment until after the registration of man and woman-power next month. If Mr. Armstrong and Mr. Pardee fail to do this, petitions will ask for their resignations. Warden Annett was among those present, and John Farrell presided.

ROWELL IS EVASIVE REGARDING EULOGY AND ITS AUTHORSHIP

Ottawa, May 20.—At the evening sitting of the House of Commons there was a lively hour and a half, during consideration of the estimates of Hon. N. W. Rowell, president of the privy council. Opposition members were very persistent in their inquiries as to whether Malin Johnson, Mr. Rowell's private secretary, was the author of an article signed "Donald Hunt," in the Toronto Globe. They asserted that this article was very eulogistic of the minister.

Mr. Rowell declined to make any definite statement. He said that his private secretary had not written the article during office hours, and he did not know what his secretary did outside of office hours.

Hon. Jacques Bureau and other Liberal members insisted on a more direct answer, but Deputy Speaker Boivin ruled that the article written by the person known as "Donald Hunt" could not be made the subject of an inquiry unless it was prejudicial to the public interest or partisan.

CANADIAN GIRL CENTRE OF BOSTON MYSTERY

Boston, May 21.—With one hand holding a telephone receiver and the other clutching a 32-calibre revolver, Miss Nellie Lipsett, aged 19, was found dead in bed last night from a bullet wound in her head. Miss Lipsett's sister, Ruth, made the discovery when she returned from work. The young women lived together in an apartment in the Allston district. The police and the medical examiner said they were convinced that Miss Lipsett committed suicide, but that they were in the dark as to the cause. The sisters came here several weeks ago from Fredericton, N. B., where their mother lives.

FIVE NORSE SHIPS SUNK.

COPENHAGEN, May 20.—German submarines have sunk five Norwegian ships in the Arctic, according to a dispatch received here. They also shelled a Russian mail steamer, killing ten persons.

SEVERAL OFFICERS OF THIS DISTRICT ARRIVE WITH SHIP

A CANADIAN ATLANTIC PORT, May 20.—A steamer bringing 771 officers and men of the Canadian expeditionary force from England docked here shortly after noon today. The soldiers and civilians disembarked this afternoon. Special trains were in readiness to take them to their respective destinations.

Among the officers who arrived are:
Brantford—Lieut. C. E. Sewell, Maj. W. F. Newman, Lieut.-Col. M. E. B. Cutcliffe.
London—Lieut. G. S. Wright, Col. E. C. Davis.
Aylmer, West—Capt. H. Dunnett.
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Prof. Mulveny Answers Telephone Call

Hello! Is that Prof. Mulveny, Park-dale 4830?

Yes, lady.

Is Prof. Mulveny there?

Yes. Prof. Mulveny is speaking.

Have you a worm remedy for children?

Yes.

Could you tell me, if I brought my little girl down, if she had worms?

No, lady. I cannot tell by looking at children if they have worms.

You can't.

No, madam.

Couldn't you tell me if I told you all the symptoms?

No, madam. My remedy called Mother's Friend expels Worms, is an excellent Tonic and Builder, good for the Nerves, and is an excellent medicine for Regulating the Bowels; it brings away all filth and small intestinal Worms, is perfectly harmless and can be given to the smallest infant without fear of doing harm. A lady who is living on Shaw street got a bottle of this medicine for her baby two years old. She said she had no peace with this child night or day for four months; the doctor was calling regularly and did not help the child in the least. The little one took a bad spell and was choking. The mother opened its mouth and pulled out a stomach worm that was strangling the child. She rushed over to me and brought the child, also the worm, which measured eight inches long, with her. She purchased a bottle of Mother's Friend, and the second dose brought 17 more away. She was horrified at the sight, and brought the worms to me, which I have here in a bottle in my office, and many others from many happy mothers. So if you think it is a good investment to try Mother's Friend, it is $1.00 per bottle and 6c for postage in the city, and 20c extra for postage outside Toronto. Now, you understand it is not necessary to waste car fare bringing your children here, as I do not practice medicine, and have only the one remedy for sick children, which expels Worms if they are there. It is an excellent medicine for children, and has cured many little ones of St. Vitus Dance and Convulsions, also Fits. Call or send to 211 Ossington avenue (formerly Dundas street), Toronto. Phone Park 4830. Mother's Friend in powder form; each package makes twice as much medicine for $1.00; no danger of breaking and no cost for sending. Just send $1.00. yt

DAILY MAGAZINE PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

Secrets of Health and Happiness

An Air or Water Pillow of Rubber a Sanitary Sleep Aid

By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG, A. B., M. A., M. D. (Johns Hopkins University.)

Whether to sleep with or without a pillow—that is the question each individual has to decide for himself. One person needs must roost high, with his head well above the level of a bolster and two pillows, while another cannot abide either and sleeps well only when the head is on the mattress itself.

DR. HIRSHBERG

Physiologically, the average person may prefer to visit Morpheus with the head a bit above the line of the body, but there are so many exceptionally healthy individuals who enter the land of nod in other ways that the "physiological pillow" idea of Dr. Sheldon Leavitt of Chicago may solve the problem. For three years he had discarded the old-fashioned pillow with most happy results.

Ordinarily the posture in which most persons sleep for many hours at a time cramps the heart and blood stream, strains many chest and neck muscles and compresses important structures generally.

Sleepers are often seen with congested faces, snoring loudly, and as restless as a roasted popcorn on a red hot coal. Many of the postures assumed by sleepers are the direct upshot of the pillow they rest upon may well be productive of numb fingers, tingling arms and pins-and-needles sensations in the chest and legs.

What the Pillow Is.

The common garden variety of pillow pushes the head into unsymmetrical poses, squeezes nerves, veins and arteries and helps to cause bad dreams by the tension maintained in the neck and shoulders.

The ideal, sanitary and physiological pillow, according to the Chicago savant, is one that is not as soft as the ordinary pillow nor as hard as a cushion. It is as high as the outer edge of the shoulder, and fits into the space by the side of the head, neck and protruding shoulder.

Dr. Leavett's pillow is made of rubber or some similar material, which can either be inflated like an automobile tire casing—not the inner tube—or filled with cold or hot water like a rubber bag or thermos bottle. In appearance and form it is not unlike a foot cushion, but is more resilient, and gives somewhat like putty to hold the shape of the head and shoulders of the sleeper.

Habit the Factor.

Dr. Leavett claims that this new physiological pillow can be made by almost anyone capable of making a pin cushion. It does not contribute to that over-indulgence so characteristic of many persons of giving them a bed of roses and too soft a pillow to lie upon.

The matter in question, whether high pillows or low pillows are preferable, is not any more important than whether you sleep better on the right side or left side.

Some years ago I was convinced that I could sleep better without a pillow than with one; also that I could never sleep soundly on my left side. Determined to test both my will power, my ability to overcome a habit and my reasoning that there could be no physiological difference, very abruptly one night I made up my mind to sleep on two pillows and on my left side.

After a few hours wrestling with the broken habit of years I went to sleep and established the opposite habit, which has not yet been disturbed or switched into the other one.

Obviously, the human fabric in health acquires a happy facility by which it can change and adapt itself to an infinite variety of circumstances. A daffy-down-dilly or a feather pillow, hard-flint or a bolster, may each, as occasion offers, serve as pillows.

Answers to Health Questions

MRS. L. M., London, Ont. A.—If you send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your query repeated, I shall be glad to help you.

D. R. W.—Q.: I have a terrible pain under my left breast, in chest and under the shoulder. Will you please tell me what I could do for this?

A.: This may be due to constipation, overexertion, muscle strain, occupation, being too long in one position, etc. You should have a thorough physica lexamination made.

L. K. D.—Q. My little girl has a club foot. Can this be remedied?

A.: Yes, take your child to the nearest large hospital.

T. W. P. A.—A.: If you will send a self-addressed envelope with your query repeated I will be very glad to help you.

R. J. A.—A.: Your question is of a personal nature. If you will send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your question repeated I shall be very pleased to help you.

A READER.—A.: If you will send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your querles repeated, I shall be glad to help you.

R. W.—A.: If you will send a self-addressed envelope with your query repeated I shall be glad to help you.

R. K. A.—Q.: Please suggest a good face wash.

A.: The following is good: Rosewater, 2 ounces; sulphur 15 grains; glycerine, 2 teaspoonfuls.

A. R.—Q.: Can anything be done for bronchitis?

A.: Emulsion of cod liver oil or 2 to 3 drops of creosote in an empty capsule after meals help. You should consult your physician about htis.

Dr. Hirshberg will answer questions for readers of this paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. He cannot always undertake to prescribe or offer advice for individual cases. Where the subject is not of general interest letters will be answered personally, if a stamped and addressed envelope is enclosed. Address ALL INQUIRIES to Dr. L. K. Hirshberg, in care of this office.

To-morrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

WEDNESDAY, MAY 22.

Benefic influences prevail this day under the regency of Jupiter in trine aspect with Luna. This is an especially good transit, making for success, increase, gain, pleasure and profit in many directions. It brings honors and distinction, and also fosters romantic attachment and the health. It is a good time for undertaking new businesses and also for investments and speculation. A fortunate aspect of Moon to Mars heightens the business and organizing abilities, bringing enterprise, boldness, generosity, and also disposes of new projects, prospering military affairs, doctors, surgeons, outdoor sports and athletics. Also journeys resulting favorably are probable. An afflicted Venus portends some unkindly visitation to the domestic circle and in love affairs.

Those whose birthday it is are promised an active year with fortune increasing, but must cherish the home circle. A child born on this day will be enterprising, energetic and successful, when grounded in good personal habits.

The Origin of Famous Sayings

Helen Hunt Jackson, 1831-1885.

Father, I scarcely dare to pray,
So clear I see, now it is done;
How I have wasted half my day,
And left my work but just begun.
—A Last Prayer.

Words of Wise Men

Do not mistake sentiment for pity; the only time you are really doing good is when yu are doing something that actually helps.

There are few who would need advisers if they were only accustomed to appeal to themselves in their calmest moments.

One means very effectual for the preservation of health is a quiet and cheerful mind, not afflicted with violent passions or distracted with immoderate cares.

Resentment is the cause of nine-tenths of our strife, of misunderstanding, of false judgment. It is the root of personal estrangement, the breaking of friendship, domestic squabbles, and of much international bitterness.

No one can hold up his head with a joyous sense of freedom while he has debts that he cannot pay and liabilities that he cannot meet. If the "borrower is servant to the lender," much more is the debtor servant to the creditor. There is no slavery more abject, no chain more galling, than that which debt gradually winds around its unconscious victim.

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Ladies! This year's Panama Hats are more stylish than ever. See them at the new exclusive Jamaica Panama Hat Store, 246 Dundas street, next to Mason & Risch. Prices $1.35 to $6.75. b

ADELE GARRISON'S NEW

REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

A Battle of Wits With Otto.

The sound of footsteps on the stairs, stealthy, furtive, even though there was no danger of their being overheard, warned me that I must resume my stertorous breathing and prepare to face Otto's critical inspection of the bonds and gag Mme. Hofer had put upon me.

It was a comparatively easy task for me now, for I was no longer hopeless, sick with terror as I had been when I was carried upstairs and dumped into this room to wait for the arrival of the man with the scarred hand.

My heart was warm with gratitude to that strange woman, Mme. Hofer, who had arranged my bonds so that I could easily untie them, and had put the tiny pistol inside my coat. True, she had not known I was conscious while she was thus making it possible for me to escape the horrible fate awaiting me, but she had counted upon my having shrewdness enough to discover the looseness of the knots when I should awaken from the drugged stupor in which they supposed me to be lying.

Otto Inspects the Bonds.

Every nerve was vibrant with the determination neither to fail her nor myself—I guessed what the discovery of her laxness would mean to her—and I settled a trifle deeper into the couch, as a drugged person naturally would, and began again the heavy breathing which had deceived the conspirators before.

Otto strode into the room and over to the couch, Mme. Hofer's lighter footsteps following his.

"I wanted you to see for yourself," she said, her voice expressing nothing but meek submission, but I had a sudden psychic vision of the malicious mischief dancing underneath. "I have tied her up the best I knew how, but, of course, you are wiser than I about those things, and I wanted you to look at her."

He put out a huge hand, and lifting my hands bound together, dropped them again carelessly.

"You have done very well," he said indifferently, too indifferently, I said to myself with a little contraction at my heart. Then, still with an elaborately careless air, said: "You are going soon, are you not?"

Madame Is Determined.

"Yes, as soon as I put a few things together. We are all going except Ernest, and——"

"Me," the giant finished for her succinctly. "I am to wait with Ernest. So, I will just take the key to this room while we are here, then you won't need to have it on your mind any more."

I heard Mme. Hofer's quickly smothered little gasp of dismay.

"But I was to give it to Ernest."

"And can I not give it to Ernest just as well? What is the matter with you, Sophie?"

His voice held menacing suspicion as he turned on her.

"There is nothing the matter with me," she flared, "except that I will not have this murder you are planning—oh, yes, you can't deceive me, Otto, you are planning to put her out of the way in spite of what Ernest said. And while I don't care a pfennig what happens to the little pig, yet I do care what happens to my own neck. And I want to be away from this place at least 24 hours before you kill anybody. Then I'll be out of it."

I heard Otto take a step toward her, and then a sound of quick, running footsteps.

"I am not afraid of you," she shrilled from the doorway. "And if you don't want me to leave this room unlocked you go downstairs first. I am going to give this key to Ernest myself. Oh, Ernest!" she called loudly, as if she had just caught sight of the ferret-faced youth.

Whether her call was a ruse or not I didn't know, and I am sure Otto shared my uncertainty. But it made him obey her, and I heard him swearing sullenly as he made his way to the door and down the stairs past her.

Then Mme. Hofer hurried noiselessly to my side, thrust something cold and hard down my neck, and went out of the room, again locking the door behind her.

"It is a good thing for me this lock is an ordinary one," she soliloquized. "And it is a perfectly natural thing for a service woman to have a skeleton key. And—if I die, I die. That is all."

HER PROBLEMS

By Annette Bradshaw

WARTIME CHANGES

Now that father has learned to knit and can hardly be stopped for meals, the home situation is very different.

Painstaking Care of Your Hair a Step Towards Beauty

BY LUCREZIA BORI
The Famous Spanish Prima Donna

Even the most beautiful hair isn't a woman's "crowning glory" unless it's well-care for.

No part of the body will show lack of attention more quickly than the hair. When the daily brushing is omitted, or is too hastily done, the hair soon becomes lifeless and frequently coarse. A refusal to wear the hair in any but one style will sometimes cause bald spots. A too-hot curling iron will singe and split the hair.

Nothing is more in evidence about the hatless woman than her hair. Since a woman otherwise faultlessly groomed is condemned as a sloven if she hasn't a well groomed head, there remains but one thing for a self-respecting woman to do—give proper attention to her hair.

Always remember to dry the hair in the sunlight after a shampoo. There is no sweeter finer purifier than sunlight. Sun drying is much safer and better than the electric fan or artificial heat. Neither is it so likely to break the hair as the brisk rubbing with a towel, though the latter is very good for the hair if done properly.

Caring For Scalp.

The scalp should receive most of the rubbing and the long hair should only be clapped between the folds of the towels to press the moisture from it. To aid the hair to dry quickly, sit in the sunlight either indoors or out, according to the temperature, and, taking the hair by the long ends, shake it until all the strands of hair have been shaken out of the fingers. Continue to do this until the sunlight has reached every strand, not once but many times.

Oils of several kinds are beneficial to the scalp. Castor oil, for instance, helps to remove dandruff, when applied in very small quantities with a medicine dropper, so that it doesn't get into the long strands of hair. Thin the castor oil with a few drops of oil of lavender. Apply the oil after each shampoo, which should be at least every 10 days.

When the hair seems dry and lifeless looking, it may be necessary to use a brilliantine to give it a sheen. The brilliantine should be first applied to the hair brush. Place a few drops of the liquid upon the palm of the hand and work the brush about in it.

Time Only Cost.

An excellent brilliantine is made as follows:

Sweet almond oil..... 4 fluid ounces
Glycerine .. .. ½ fluid ounce
Eau de Cologne..... 2 fluid ounces
Oil of rose geranium.12 drops

When the hair is too oily, it may be made fluffy for dressing by wetting it with bay rum and rubbing it with a dry towel before the bay rum has had time to evaporate. In this manner much of the superfluous oil will be removed from the hair. Apply the bay rum with a small sponge.

The hair line is most important in the arrangement of an effective coiffure. The hair should be drawn high above the temples and brushed off the neck, leaving the ears partially covered.

To keep the hair attractive, the daily brushing and massaging of the scalp is as necessary as the semi-monthly shampoo. Before retiring, brush the hair well and massage the scalp to bring the blood to the surface, so the roots will receive nourishment. Then braid the hair loosely, so there will be no danger of it becomes tangled.

The hair can be kept scrupulously clean and well groomed at practically no expense save a little time. Almost every woman has it in her power to make her hair really a "crown of glory."

"DOING MY BIT"

Practical Suggestions on Individual Ways to Help Win the War.

BY ALBERT BARRETT SAYRES.

Preventing Plant Diseases.

Whatever the disease to which your plants or the plants of a neighboring gardener may have been subject last season, the best treatment you can give your plants this season is prevention.

Rust or blight is perhaps the most common plant disease. Sometimes it is accompanied by a general wilting of the leaves and an appearance of sickliness of the entire plant. The causes of such diseases are bacteria brought by insects or other agents from other plants so infected.

These diseases aren't easy to recognize. Often they're present a long time before they make their presence known. Once they gain a foothold they cannot be fought with much prospect of success.

Therefore, the recognized method of fighting such diseases—and the rarer kind that fortunately is seldom found in small gardens—is the spray which is used as a preventive. Of the many different sprays commonly offered the amateur gardener, the standard is what is known as Bordeaux mixture. This can be made by the gardener, but when needed only in small quantities is perhaps cheaper to purchase ready-made in concentrated form.

Diluted with water or used in powdered form, Bordeaux mixture should be applied frequently enough to maintain a thin coating over the surface of the growing plant. Then when the spores of disease are brought to the leaves or to the stem they are killed by the mixture before they can infect the plant.

Those vegetables that are especially subject to such diseases are cucumbers, melons, celery and beans.

Many food gardeners employ combination sprays—descriptions and directions for preparing them may be obtained from the Dominion Department of Agriculture, to guard against insects and fungus diseases. Nicotine may be added to this spray to make it effective against sucking insects also.

Making Feather Cake.

A cake this is very light and is inexpensive is the following:

To one cupful of sugar, add a teaspoonful of melted butter, half a cupful of sweet milk, a cupful of flour, an egg, a teaspoonful of baking powder, a very small pinch of salt and a teaspoonful either of vanilla or of lemon extract.

Combine these ingredients, turn the batter into a tin and bake. When well made this cake is light enough to make good the boast of its name.

KITCHEN ECONOMIES

BY ISOBEL BRANDS

OF THE APPLECROFT EXPERIMENT STATION.

Solving the Cleaning Problems With Handy Tools.

There are a number of good cleaning tools that will save you steps and make it possible for you to undertake a very heavy cleaning without fatiguing yourself unduly.

But a word of warning before you invest in cleaning tools. They bloom in infinite variety, and unless you're wary you may indulge in the purchase of many attractive tools that operate beautifully in the demonstrator's hands, but sometimes fail to work when you get them home. Before you buy any tool take it in your own hands and try to use it. Merely watching the demonstrator doesn't give you the information you need. Use the tool yourself—then ask questions.

There are three groups of tools that every woman should know if she wants to make her home cleaning easier.

The Three Groups.

Tools that will do the high reaching so that you won't have to stretch uncomfortably. This means tools on long handles, carefully shaped tools that will reach into the hard places, and some kind of stepladder which you can mount safely instead of trying to balance yourself uncertainly on ordinary chairs.

Tools that save rubbing. The polishing of silver, brass, copper, etc., can tire you more in a few hours than a whole day's work throughout the house. But there are many savers in this kind of labor in the shape of prepared polishing cloths, powders and chemically treated pans in which silver can be immersed. This makes excess rubbing unnecessary.

If your house is a large one, perhaps you can afford some duplicate tools so as to save steps. In a two or three-story house there should be separate cleaning devices like brooms, dusters, etc., on both the upper and lower floors. Of course, it does mean additional outlay but as the tools last longer the cost isn't greater in the long run.

Tools to Try.

Here is a list of some inexpensive tools which will save you much labor in your cleaning:

Long handle dustpan.
Triangle oil mop for hardwood floors.
Sanitary cleanser for mopping.
Handled scrub brush.
Mop wringer.
Folding pail.
Housemaid's bucket, kneeling pads.
Fountain stove blacking brush.
Broom and dustpan holders.
Dustless dusters and oil mops.
Hall brooms, dust brushes.
Dish towels, pot and scrubbing cloths.
Cotton plush shaped broom cover.
Polishing cloth for metal.
Chamois furniture cloth.
Polishing cloth for metal.
Bathtub and porcelain cleaner.
Toilet cleanser.
Toilet tongs.
Silver cleaning tray.
Silver cream paste.
Silver cleaning pan.
Floor wax and polisher.
Aluminum polish.

You can obtain these at most house furnishing stores.

Good Night Stories

By Blanche Silver

Illustrated by Gruelle.

THE WISE LITTLE CHIPMUNK.

One day as Willy Chipmunk was returning home from market with a basket of goodies he met Red Fox.

"Good afternoon," said Red Fox politely. "What have you in your basket?"

"Oh, kind Mr. Fox!" replied Willy Chipmunk, his teeth chattering. "It's filled with dainties for my mother."

"Give it to me!" growled Red Fox. "I'm very hungry."

Willy Chipmunk's heart thumped against his coat. If he refused, Mr. Fox would not only take the basket but eat him as well. So Willy Chipmunk disguised his fear and gayly said:

"Certainly! Let's find a shady place and together we'll have a picnic."

"Bravely spoken, little Chipmunk," replied Red Fox. "Had you refused me I should have eaten you. We'll lunch together," and he smacked his great big mouth, for he thought: "I shall eat him, anyway, silly fellow."

So away they trudged together, Red Fox holding one side of the basket and Willy Chipmunk the other.

Soon they met Brown Bear.

"Good-afternoon, comrades," growled Mr. Bear, for he was hungry, too. "What have you in your basket?"

"Oh, goodies. We're on a picnic. Come, join us," cried Willy Chipmunk, shaking in his little fur boots. What chance had a poor little chipmunk against two such big fellows?

Mr. Bear grunted and the three trotted on until they reached a tree overhanging a little pond.

"You two spread the cloth," suggested Willy Chipmunk, and then—when Mr. Bear and Red Fox turned their backs—Willy Chipmunk with his basket on his arm, ran up the tree as fast as he could go.

Coax as they could, Willy Chipmunk wouldn't come down, nor throw his basket to hungry Red Fox and Brown Bear, which made them very angry.

"We'll eat you when you come down," they growled, "unless you give us that basket."

So down at the foot of that tree they sat and sat until it grew dark and the moon came up and reflected itself in the pond under the tree.

"Whoever can dip the moon from the pond shall have my basket," cried Willy Chipmunk.

By this time Red Fox and Brown Bear were so hungry they were growling at each other. But they grabbed up two napkins and waded out into the pond and tried to dip up the moon.

It was no use, the moon wouldn't dip. The more they tried the madder they grew.

"He's fooling us!" cried Mr. Bear, and they rushed to shore, wet and cold and called Willy Chipmunk.

"Come down or we'll come up and eat you alive!" they cried, but no one answered, for Willy Chipmunk had hurried down the other side of the tree while they were out in the pond, and had scampered away home.

It was such a good joke on Mr. Bear and Red Fox that after a time they sat down and had a fine laugh together.

"Good thing it wasn't a cloudy night," laughed Mr. Bear.

"Wise little Chipmunk," exclaimed Red Fox. "We'll get him yet!"

But they never did, for Willy Chipmunk was more careful after that, and slid under the stone fences when he spied Red Fox or Brown Bear.

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SITUATION SAVERS EXTRAORDINARY.

COMPARED with the other armies of the Allies, Canada's force is small, but its effectiveness has been placed beyond question. Recently an imperial army officer remarked to a correspondent: "There is no trench the Canadians cannot take; there is no trench which, having taken, they cannot hold." Perhaps there is in the statement a degree of exaggeration, but it is so nearly true as to pass without much objection.

Remarkable as has been the whole record of the Canadians in France, their ability to hold points of vital importance and to accept successfully the role of saviors of the situation is outstanding.

In the early days of the war, when the Germans were sweeping on towards the channel port, Calais, there came a day when only a very few Canadians, lamentably lacking in artillery, stood between them and an easy gaining of their goal. The attempt to hold up the enemy's hordes appeared hopeless except to those young men from the Dominion who were on the spot. They never faltered. Others might break and run under the torrents of shells and clouds of gas, but they stood firm. They saved Calais and, in so doing, saved France and Britain if not from defeat at least from suffering a most serious blow. From that day Canadians were marked as among the most courageous, versatile and stubborn of the Allied troops. These men were infantry and their comrades afoot have upheld the record they made throughout the years of struggle.

Now Canadian cavalry has performed a feat of almost similar importance. "Since the beginning of the great German offensive the Canadian cavalry has covered itself with such glory as will live forever in British military history. Its capture of the big wood north of Moreuil and the charge of a squadron into a battery of German machine guns are in a class with Balaclava," says one correspondent. Cavalrymen of long experience and great eminence declare the operation the most famous cavalry action of the war, and Gen. Sir Henry Rawlinson specially addressed each unit after the battle in congratulatory terms, and stated that the points captured might have been fatal to the defence of Amiens if left in German hands.

To have blocked the way to Calais and saved Amiens, a most important centre because of its lines of railways and communications, are achievements of which any army would be proud; if Canada had done nothing else in the war, she would have done much for civilization. The divisions from this land are not numerous enough to win, singlehanded, great victories on a wide front, but they have done and are doing just as essential work, and wherever they are stationed in the line there is a stern and meaningfull notice for the Germans: "No admittance here."

WHERE WILL IT END?

THE RAILWAYS operated by the Canadian Government lost $5,000,000 last year. The railways operated by the United States Government sustained a loss of $107,000,000 in revenue for the first three months of this year.

The United States Government is operating railways for the purpose of prosecuting the war, and there is no indication that Government ownership after the war is contemplated. On the other hand the Canadian Government is enlarging its deficit-producing railway system as rapidly as the money can be obtained to make more purchases.

No one knows to what extent the five million dollar deficit will grow, but everybody knows that every dollar of Government deficit means another dollar of taxation.

Prussia alone has operated government railways successfully, for reasons which the war has made obvious. The natural conclusion is that if government-owned railways are to be operated successfully in Canada this country must be Prussianized.

To date Canadians have viewed this question rather complacently. It is certain that they do not want Prussian methods and they do not want deficits.

MEAT ALLOWANCE INCREASED.

HOW TRIVIAL hardships seem when borne by others, and how easily they are relieved! Monday's newspapers carried a dispatch from London, England, saying that the meat allowance in Britain had been increased, thanks to the arrival of big shipments of frozen meats. The majority of headings used over this item conveyed the impression that the British people were now in "Easy Street" so far as flesh foods went, and that the shortage had passed.

The fact is that, because of the increased supply, those Britishers whose purchases had been limited to six pennyworth (12 cents) twice a week many now spend eightpence (16 cents) twice in the seven days. Would we think an average meat allowance of less than five cents a day ample in Canada? Would we not rather consider it a tremendous sacrifice to live on that amount? If everything endured overseas were brought home in the same way, our perception of the true state of affairs would be keener.

BRITAIN'S SUBMARINES.

EVERYONE recognizes the magnificent work of the British navy afloat, but little is heard of the underseas boats, the submarines, yet they are playing an important part in maintaining mastery of the seas. Up to date, over forty German warships have been attacked successfully by British subs and some of these have been victims of dare-devil exploits worthy of detailed mention.

For instance: One young commander took his craft through mine-infested waters into Heligoland harbor, just in time to see through his periscope the crew of a German submarine assemble on their boat to receive the plaudits of the assembled crowds for their adventures against Allied shipping. The Britisher launched a torpedo which ended the career of the German craft and many of its crew, and then succeeded in escaping unharmed and returned to its home port.

On more than one occasion British submarines have attacked and sunk foe destroyers, and there have been many encounters with the enemy far under the surface.

So much is heard of the German submarines and so little of the British that an impression may be gained that the latter are performing no useful or dramatic tasks, but this idea would be contrary to facts. While the British do not seek to emulate the Germans in sinking merchant vessels and could not find them easily if they did wish to do so, it is probably true to say that they have done more fighting and have accomplished more work of real military value than have the Huns.

FLOWERS AND PEOPLE.

"IT'S WONDERFUL how these flowers can grow when, instead of pure dew, they are usually drenched with gas."

So said an American soldier in a letter which he had written to his mother inclosing fragrant flowers plucked near the first line trenches. Regardless of the foul and poisonous fumes, they had reared their heads above the ground and gathered from their surroundings the sweetness to transmute into perfume, refusing to become infected by the gases.

It is wonderful; but human beings are still more wonderful. Ask the returned soldiers which British troops are the most cheerful but most deadly fighters. They will not be unanimous in their answers, but some will say the little, undersized cockneys from the slums of London. They will declare that these little fellows can endure more hardship, work longer hours, fight more savagely and, withal, remain more cheerful and almost joyful than any troops in the world.

With ancestors of a type about which no boast can be made; brought up in the dark, narrow and insanitary streets of the great city without sight of the open fields, and outside the reach of pure air; without example or leading upward, whence do these men derive the super-human endurance, the courage and the broad humanity which makes them what they are?

People are more wonderful than flowers. Let those who shake their heads over downtrodden Belgium and devastated France, declaring it will take hundreds of years for them to recover, remember the flowers which bloom near the trenches; drenched with poison, trodden underfoot by marching armies and uprooted by shells, they bloom again. So will Belgium and France recover their vitality when peace again reigns.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Whenever things are going worse than usual with the Turks they hunt up some Jews and stage a massacre.

Bavarian tobacco reserves will be exhausted by the end of May and then the people will realize what war is.

Nicholas Romanoff probably will be delighted to live in Switzerland; in fact anywhere to get out of Russia.

The number of swine left in Germany is said to be under six millions. This includes only the four-legged variety.

If Hindenburg is waiting for his men to forget the fearful fighting of the last attack, the next push will be in the dim and distant future.

Chatham is annoyed by joy riders who indulge in speeding on the paved streets, says a dispatch. Chatham has lots of company in its misery.

The best that can be said of the Winnipeg labor trouble is that it is extremely regrettable. Whoever may be to blame carries a heavy load of responsibility.

Every German civilian having more than one suit of clothes must surrender the surplus to the Government for use on war workmen. For the purpose of this law the kaiser's sons will be considered as soldiers.

THE RULING PASSION.

[London Daily Mail.]

In other days when party hues
Cast strong reflections on my life,
I joined the war of reds and blues
And bore my part within the strife.
I knew the sorrows and the joys
Of shifting fortunes in the fray;
How vain they seem, those grown-up toys
That now are cast away

The passions that convulse the world
All lesser things have swept aside;
Beneath a greater flag unfurled
We stand as one, whate'er betide;
One for our land, our homes, our kin,
Lit by one faith that shall not fail,
That truth and freedom yet shall win
Their triumph and prevail.

And yet . . . and yet the men who rule
Still hanker for the things we spurn,
Trained in the politicians' school,
These have their lesson still to learn.
Their eyes turn inward from the field,
Where daily rise new heaps of slain,
To mark what each new move may yield
In votes or party gain!

OPENING.

Professor Edwin Bissel Holt of Harvard was discussing his recent assertion that the majority of college men fail because, in an age of specialists, a college education, instead of being special, is general.

"The business world," he said, "looks with distrust on the college graduate. I heard recently of a college graduate who visited a broker's office and asked to see the boss.

"An office boy received him, and while he waited with the boy in the anteroom, he said:

"'Do you know whether there's any opening here for a college graduate?'

"'There will be next Saturday,' the boy said, 'if I don't find the dollar raise in my envelope what I been askin' for the last six weeks.'"

NO GOOD REASON.

Hoover was talking about a food profiteer.

"The rascal's defence is specious," he said. "A ready but specious defence. It reminds me of the tramp.

"This tramp rose from his shady seat under a tree one warm May afternoon and hailed an old lady driving a grey horse.

"'Please, ma'am,' he said, 'will you, for the love of heaven, give me a few coppers to buy food?'

"'No, I won't,' snapped the old lady. 'You've been drinking. G'lang George.'

"Well, and suppose I have been drinking?' the tramp shouted after the receding equipage. 'Is that any reason why I shouldn't eat occasionally?'"

Bits of Byplay by Luke McLuke

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THE BURNED CHILD.

"Smith has been pretty careful since he was sued for breach of promise, hasn't he?" asked Brown.

"Yes," replied Jones. "He has gotten so he can write an eight-page letter and not say a thing."

ADVICE.

Son, beware of the bright lights,
Reform in your ways;
When you lengthen your nights,
You shorten your days.

PAW KNOWS EVERYTHING.

Willie—Paw, what is credit?

Paw—Something that enables you to get into debt, my son.

WOMAN.

Oh, woman, you are poor man's pet,
You fool him all you can;
You are the weaker vessel, yet
You sure can break a man.

VERY SIMPLE.

The squad from the nearby cantonment was out on a range for target practice. A lanky farmer approached the officer in charge of the squad, and said:

"Be you the boss of these here fellers?"

"Yep," replied the officer. 'What's the trouble?"

"Trouble enough," replied the farmer. "You fellers come around here shootin' every day, an' the shootin' worries my hens an' keeps them from laying. Now, what am I going to do about it?"

"Put ear mufflers on the hens," replied the officer.

THE INIMITABLE MRS. BEASLEY.

[Jackson Patriot.]

Many laughable squibbs Mrs. Beasley gave us, showing if a man is the head woman is the neck.

LEARN ONE NEW THING EACH DAY.

Small insects are stronger than large ones.

OUR JOE MILLER CONTEST.

Bob Mullane claims that the oldest joke is the one about the schoolteacher who was reading the Bible to the class and explaining the plagues. The teacher said: "And vast swarms of flies descended on the land and came into the houses of the Egyptians and covered their clothing and their tables and their food, but there were no flies on the children of Israel." And little Ikey Einstein held up his hand and said: "And there ain't none now, either, teacher!"

IS THAT SO?

There was a young man from the Seine,
Who had wooed a French maiden in veine;
When he said, "I'm the Duc
Lucien de McLuke,"
She whispered, "Oh, ask me againe."
—Boston Advertiser.

Then arrived a young man from the Sault
Sainte Marie, and he fell in love, tault;
"He'd married this Duc,
And deserves a reduc,"
She said, then he started to wault.
—Newark Advocate.

WHOA, FAN, WHOA!

D. D. Epp lives in Lushton, Neb.

A GOOD MAYOR FOR A PROHIBITION TOWN.

John Dryburgh has been elected may or of Helena, Montana.

ALL BALLED UP.

[From a proclamation Issued by the Mayor of Aurora, Ind.]

There has been a number of complaints of dogs, chickens and other animals destroying the gardens. Notice is hereby given that all those who allow any dogs, chickens, or other fowls to run at large will be dealt with according to law.

COME ON, FELLERS!

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And want to know what glory means,
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Your country needs some more marines.

NAMES IS NAMES.

Philip A. Line runs a hotel in Toledo, Ohio.

OUR DAILY SPECIAL.

A Morning After Lasts All Day.

LUKE McLUKE SAYS

Thus far we haven't heard a slacker put up the argument that some of the able-bodied men should stay home and swat the flies.

If you play poker long enough you will discover that while the other fellow can cop a $20 pot on three duces, everybody is looking out the window when you hold the royal flush that comes once in a lifetime.

About this time of year you will hear father and mother battling over what kind of wall paper they will get for the dining-room. Mother wants a tan, or something civilized looking, while father wants something that looks like the banners in front of a circus sideshow.

You may have noticed that as long as either side has a chance to win, arbitration is about as popular as a Chinaman with a yellow fever.

Once in a while the umpire is applauded. But when anything like that happens you can bet that the visiting team is getting all the worst of the decisions.

A bath makes a man think a heap more of himself. If you don't believe it take one some of these fine nights and see for yourself.

A man hasn't much to say to a girl when he can say what he wants to say on a postcard.

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OTTAWA, May 20.—Acting under instructions received from the registrar-general for the province of Ontario, Crown-Attorney Ritchie had eight well known physicians of the capital up in police court this morning before Magistrate Askwith charged with neglecting to register the births of children, at which they had officiated "forthwith," as prescribed by law. Fines were inflicted in three cases, the others being dismissed.

FRENCH TRAWLER LANDS UNDER-WATER PIRATE

WASHINGTON, May 20. — The sinking of a German submarine by a French trawler is reported today in an official dispatch from France. The trawler was commanded by First Mate Leroux and left a patrol base, and meeting the submarine promptly sank her and took prisoner the entire crew, including the captain.

The captain of a Spanish schooner who was on board the submarine was taken on the trawler, which returned without injury.

SHORTAGE OF TIN

TORONTO, May 20.—A famine in tin and tin plate is prophesied by local manufacturers who urge launching of a campaign for salvaging old tin to conserve the supply. Tin reaching Canada now is from the United States, as very little is coming from the mines of China and Straits Settlements. Tin has advanced within a month from 62c a pound to $1.30 a pound. Substitutes for tin-plated boxes, et cetera, in use in England are of cardboard and fibre and these may become largely used here.

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FARMERS HAVE NOT CEASED ENDEAVORS TO MODIFY NEW LAW

Committee Is Still Busy at Ottawa.

CABINET IS CONSIDERING

West Is Not Such a Unit as Premier Made It Appear.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, May 20.—Representatives of the farming communities have not ceased to press upon the Government the urgent necessity of modifying the new military service regulations, if production is not to seriously suffer and if exceptional individual hardships are to be averted.

C. W. Gurney of Paris, J. J. Morrison of Toronto, J. N. Kerningham of Goderich, M. Masson of Montreal, and Albert Monette of St. Vincent de Paul comprise the committee appointed to remain at Ottawa, and to look after the interests of the farmers and continue to press their claims. These men have been in touch with the ministers and members ever since the big delegation went away, and are not entirely despairful of results.

Cabinet Is Considering.

Even now the cabinet, it is stated, is considering certain modification. It has been stated that military authorities will be given certain discretion in the matter of granting leave of absence to individuals, the drafting of whom would create severe and exceptional hardship. The farmers' representatives, however, believe that little in the way of leniency can be expected from the military authorities, whose chief aim, after all, is to secure men for the front. The Government will likely be pressed to have agricultural representatives at each district headquarters, whose duty it will be to inquire into and report exceptional cases, and to press for their consideration.

West Not Satisfied.

While only Ontario and Quebec were fully represented at the big conference, and it was represented by the prime minister during the conference that the west, for instance, favored the Government's action and had no fault to find with the new regulations.

As a matter of fact, it is now stated that the resolution purporting to have emanated from the Alberta United Farmers was framed by only a small part of the executive, and was not indorsed by the majority of the organization.

Saskatchewan Kicks.

Moreover, a resolution passed by certain branches of the Saskatchewan Grain Growers and sent here by J. D. Musselman of Regina, has come to the attention of the Ontario farmers.

The resolution emphasizes the damage to cultivation which must accrue from the taking of only sons from farms. It states that many farms will be abandoned as a result of the new regulations.

In the meantime the Government is strongly urging that the incidence of the new regulations be postponed until after the new registration of man power has been completed.

SOLDIER KILLED IN BORDER ENGAGEMENT

MC. ALLEN, Texas, May 20.—Sergt. John Ullrich of Kawkawlin, Mich., was killed by a shot from across the Mexican line near Hidalgo. Four Mexicans were killed in the return fire.

GIVEN WARM WELCOME.

FOREST, May 20.—A rousing civic welcome was tendered Pte. Rutherford Walton on his arrival home this afternoon after two years' service on the firing line. He was met at the station by several hundred citizens and was escorted by the band. Mayor Hair read an address. The young hero was through some of the fiercest fighting of the war and his right arm is disabled from wounds. A younger brother enlisted soon after the war started, but after training for some time was given his discharge as being physically unfit. He is now here residing with his widowed mother, Mrs. E. Walton. An older brother is also fighting for the Empire.

FOREST FIRES IN N. S.

WINDSOR, N.S., May 20.—Thousands of acres of timberland and a number of houses have been destroyed by forest fires in this country.

The Anglican Church and hall at Queensport were destroyed in one of the many forest fires in Guysboro County yesterday.

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Cadet H. G. W. Ashley of the Royal Air Force, Toronto, is spending a few days' leave with his parents, Lieut. and Mrs. H. W. Ashley of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Gillies of King street have returned from Detroit, where they attended the graduation exercises of Harper Hospital. Miss Zella Gillies, their daughter, was one of the graduates.

Miss Lake, who has been visiting Mrs. Massie, King street, has returned to Ottawa and other eastern points.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William McClurg, Alisa Craig, when their youngest daughter, Hazel L., was united in marriage to Sergt. George Reid of headquarters staff, Wolseley Barracks, this city. Rev. W. H. Geddes performed the ceremony. The bride was becomingly gowned in navy blue. Among the out-of-town guests who attended the wedding were: Mrs. S. A. Connor, Miss Hazel Ketch of New York, Miss Margaret Reid of Guelph, and Mrs. James McClurg of Sault Ste. Marie, and numerous friends from this city and vicinity.

Mrs. Jackson of Parkhill is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gillies, King street.

A very pleasant surprise was given Ralph Sumner and John Archie McPherson Wednesday evening, when about 65 of their friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Sumner, 1st concession, Westminster, and presented the former with a safety razor and fountain pen, and the latter with a writing case, folding cup and mirror. Gunner Sumner of the 67th Battery, Toronto, was home on his last leave, and Mr. McPherson is soon to leave for the R. F. C. of Toronto. The address to Gunner Sumner was read by Miss Margaret Scott, and to Mr. McPherson by Miss Aldene Robinson. The gifts were presented by Miss Pearl Copeland. Will Grieve, reeve of the township, gave a very interesting talk on his trip to Ottawa with the farmers' delegation. The rest of the evening was spent in games and music, after which lunch was served.

RED CROSS AND C. W. C. A. COLUMN

Praise for the C. W. C. A.

Mr. Colmer has written a most interesting letter to Canadian Red Cross headquarters, telling of his recent visit to the front. His chief object in visiting the lines was to find if the C. W. C. A. could do anything more than it is already doing to promote the comfort of the men in the trenches. A few sentences from his letter will be of interest to those who are knitting and giving so generously that the C. W. C. A. shipments to our boys may never grow less.

"I met with no criticism whatever of the C. W. C. A. They all seemed pleased with the nature and extent of our work, with which they seemed to be familiar. They had nothing but praise for our methods, and for our selection of the comforts that are sent out—in fact, they thought our system was as good as it could be made, and practically had little or no changes to suggest."

Paper and Envelopes.

It is so encouraging to hear from time to time that all our gifts are so much appreciated by the boys for whom we work. We must not keep back anything we can possibly send that will add to their comfort. And the latest request, we must remember, is for writing paper and envelopes. We are going to send over a grand shipment of it one of these days. Anyone contributing to this special "comfort," will do well to give at once. "He gives twice who gives quickly."

For the Boys Who Have Come Home.

Almost every week brings home a new contingent of returned men. If we women of Western Ontario need anything to stimulate us to greater efforts in our Red Cross work surely we will find it in the sight of these poor broken war-worn heroes. Our hospitals are filling rapidly with these men, and they need every care we can possibly give them. We must keep the hospitals furnished with everything they need, of course, and we are doing that by virtue of much sewing, but we can brighten the long, weary days by little treats of flowers and fruit and good things to eat. And we should all have a hand in this labor of love. Just stop a moment and think of all the things you have that you value, and remember that you owe almost all of them to those men, and then you will think that nothing you can do for them will seem a trouble.

And the Boys In Prison Camps.

And don't let us forget those other less fortunate fellows over in Germany. Many of them are still waiting to be adopted by someone. It costs only $2.50 a month to keep one of them well fed.

The following men have acknowledged parcels: Ptes. F. E. Durham, Peter McKenzie, John Heavyside, Geo. Stacey, Frank Willis, W. B. Balmer, H. Lamond, H. S. Campbell, Robert Coats, James Cox, Lance-Corp. B. Hill, Ptes. G. Framme, A. Holland, Sydney Smith, W. E. Jasper, Corp. C. L. Lewis, Ptes H. C. Cross, H. Doarman, F. W. Gold, R. Pringle, A. Bryant, K. Banomer, C. E. Maughan, A. Relf, A. G. Roberts, T. G. Reeves and John McKenna.

MARION KEITH, Press Secretary.

DAILY BIBLE QUESTION CLUB

SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS ON THE UNIFORM LESSON FOR SUNDAY, MAY 26, 1918.

One Golden Text Suggestion.

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.

Jesus Silences His Adversaries.—Mark, xii., 1-44.

4. Verses 1-12—What do the "hedge," "place for the wine fat," and "the "tower" represent?

5. At what times does God expect to receive the fruits from the teaching and preaching of the gospel?

6. How did the Jews treat the prophets, Jesus, and his disciples?

Golden Text: Render unto Caesar the things that are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's.—Mark, xii., 17.

WE SHOULD USE OUR ELECTORAL FRANCHISE.

Under our democratic form of government every man has a right to the ballot, and it is his privilege and duty to exercise it. Some think it is their privilege either to vote or not, but while it is not a crime to abstain from voting it is certainly a moral delinquency. Every man is a factor in the government of the country, and if he refuses to use his franchise, to that extent, the mind of the country is imperfectly expressed. Our laws are the product of the united sentiment of the nation, and this can only be clearly expressed by the ballot; it is therefore every man's bounden duty to express his opinion at the polls. Those pious people who take no part in this world's affairs are to be commiserated; they certainly disobey the command given in this text.

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JIMMY COON STORIES

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MR. WOLF TRIES TO CATCH JIMMY COON.

Now, Mr. Wolf is a wonderful traveler, and he came to Mirror Pond one dark night, and he heard all about the famous race, when Jimmy Coon beat Mr. Black Bear. And Mr. Wolf said to himself: "Well, I'm surprised that big Mr. Black Bear should allow that little runt of a Jimmy Coon to beat him in a race! I'd like a chance to race that smart little goose. I guess I'd have a nice Coon supper after that race, all right!"

And, just in thinking how sweet Coon was, Mr. Wolf opened his big mouth very wide, and showed his big red tonge and his awfully sharp teeth, and he gave a terrible long howl that made all the Little People tremble in their furry boots.

And Jimmy Coon was hunting that dark night, and his heart leaped into his mouth as he heard that awul howl. No wonder little Jimmy Coon trembled all over as he heard that howl. You know that all the Little Folk fear Mr. Wolf more than any other foe in the Great Forest.

For Mr. Wolf can run as swiftly as the winter's blast, and he's as cruel and terrible in his hunger as a Tiger. And his nose is so keen that he can follow any of the Little People by the scent of their tracks. And woe to that little chap that Mr. Wolf decides to catch for his supper!

Now when that big and savage Mr. Wolf gave that awful howl which echoed over Mirror Pond, all the Little People scampered off and hid in their dens or hollow trees, except Jimmy Coon. Jimmy Coon was so far from his Hemlock tree that he didn't have time to hide. And Mr. Wolf saw Jimmy flying wildly around to find a hollow tree in which to hide. And all the Little People shuddered as they looked out of their high windows and saw Mr. Wolf howling loud enough to split your ear-drums, while he was leaping with immense bounds after Jimmy Coon.

And all the Litttle People were sure Jimmy was lost, and they screamed with fear. But in an instant the clever Jimmy tried a trick on Mr. Wolf; he jumped on a little log that crossed a deep pool over Murmuring Brook. And Mr. Wolf, with his big mouth wide open (showing his red tongue and his big, sharp teeth), pounced on that little log to finish Jimmy Coon.

But, wonder of wonders! Jimmy Coon had chosen a little rotten log, and it broke in the middle, and Mr. Wolf plunged heels over head down about ten feet into that icy cold water in that deep pool.

Mr. Wolf gave that awful howl which echoed over Mirror Pond, all the Little People scampered off and hid.

And Jimmy Coon shot up a tree like a sky-rocket, and hid in a hollow in the tree.

But he stuck his roguish head out of the window to see Mr. Wolf plunging around in that deep icy water, and Jimmy shouted out of his attic window: "Mr. Wolf, how'd you like to be the Ice-Man?"

Tomorrow—Jimmy Coon Pays a Visit to Mr. Black Bear.

BACKYARD GARDEN HINTS

(By The Girl With the Hoe.)

CORN.

Planting Table:
Plant—May-July.
Plant—2 inches.
Harvest—August 1.
Varieties for Ontario:
Early—White Cory, Golden Bantam.
Main Crop—Perry's Hybrid, Stowell's Evergreen.

Corn is a native of America. The location for planting should be warm and the soil rich. It cannot be too rich for corn. However, it will do well on comparatively poor land, and often the worst soil in the garden is chosen for the corn patch. Apply plenty of manure to corn soil.

If corn is wanted a week earlier than it could be obtained if grown entirely outdoors, the seed may be planted indoors in pots or strawberry boxes, two or three seeds being placed in each. When it has grown from six to ten inches in height it is transplanted outdoors, after being well hardened off.

Another way of forcing corn is to place a little manure in each hill, thereby forming tiny hotbeds.

Before the seed is planted outdoors, it may be soaked or sprouted in moist sand to hasten along the growth. Sow the seed from 1½ to 2 inches deep in hills from 2 to 3 feet apart, or in rows 2 to 3 feet apart. If sown in hills, 4 of 5 seeds are placed in small holes made for the purpose, and then covered with earth, which is tramped down over the seeds. Only 3 or 4 plants are allowed to come to maturity. If the seed is grown in rows, the young plants are later thinned to from 6 to 12 inches apart. Successive plantings should be made every ten days to insure a constant supply of fresh corn.

Sufficient cultivation should be carried on to keep down the weeds, the ground being always stirred after a rain to prevent a hard crust from forming on the surface of the earth. The cultivation should be shallow so that the roots of the corn are not disturbed.

Patriotic Western Ontario

Address All News for This Column to the Editor of the Women's Page.

DUART.—The Ladies' Aid of the Presbyterian Church recently sent forward their monthly boxes to the boys connected with the church who are overseas. They have faithfully forwarded these ever since the lads have been at the front.

WOODSLEE.—The Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. Thomas Plant and elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. L. Dornton; vice-president, Mrs. Ed. Plant; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Thomas Plant; directors, Mrs. S. F. Millen; delegates to the county convention, Mrs. (Rev.) Couzens, Mrs. (Rev.) Millen, Mrs. W. J. Allison, Mrs. L. Dornton and Mrs. J. J. Mansell. The past year has been a busy one for the ladies in the Red Cross work. The Women's Institute raised over $100 cash, and has sent many pairs of socks, hospital supplies, etc., to the boys at the front.

EMBRO.—Walkers' Red Cross meeting met at the home of Mrs. W. M. McKay, 24 members being present. The time was busily spent in sewing and knitting for the soldiers, and the collection amounted to $12.60. Several ladies who could not attend sent in a dollar each for the collection, and it is indeed gratifying to the society that they take such a deep interest in Red Cross work.

A play, entitled "The Chronothanataletron," given under the auspices of the Badminton club in aid of Red Cross work, was a decided success, all parts being exceptionally well done. The music, furnished by the orchestra, was excellent, and the proceeds amounted to $90. After the play lunch was served in the council chamber to those taking part by the ladies of the Badminton club.

TILLSONBURG. — The local Red Cross Society report shows an excellent month for local work. The receipts were as follows:

Monthly collections, $271.85; membership fees, $4; H. G. L. Club, $30; Russian Concert Co., $82.15; entertainment committee, $79.73; special committee, $256; Glen Meyer Red Cross Club, 25 towels, 37 pairs socks and 29 stretcher caps; Dereham Centre Red Cross workers, 30 pairs socks and 12 suits pyjamas; Delmer Red Cross workers, 3 suits pyjamas, 6 pairs socks and 10 stretcher caps; Miller Red Cross workers, 4 flannel shirts, 8 suits pyjamas, 43 pillow cases and 3 flannel binders.

The following disbursements were made: Flannel, flannelette, etc., $609.80.

The following articles were shipped to Toronto: 108 suits pyjamas, 72 day shirts, 216 pairs socks, 186 personal property bags, 18 many-tailed bandages, 24 towels, 24 pneumonia jackets, 42 pillowslips, 12 neckties, 18 housewives, 45 stretcher caps, 12 hospital handkerchiefs, flannel binders, 6 amputation D. C. and 72 triangular bandages.

REPORTS READ AT ANNUAL MEETING OF COUNCIL OF WOMEN

Protest Made Against Failure of School Board to Raise Women Teachers' Salaries.

The reports of the affiliated societies, read at yesterday's session of the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women, were most encouraging, in that they showed a successful year's work accomplished and the promise of future growth. Mrs. Boomer, who has for so many successful years occupied the chair, reviewed the business which was to come up at the meeting. A request coming from the local committee on investigation in regard to venereal diseases was read, the request being for definite action on the part of the women's council regarding the furthering of the cause for suppression of venereal diseases. As a result of this request the local council put themselves on record to the effect that they would do everything in their power, for this cause, Mrs. David Williams putting the motion, and Mrs. E. B. Smith seconding it.

Raising of Women Teachers' Salaries.

Miss Macklin's report on behalf of the School Teachers' Guild caused much discussion at yesterday's meeting. In this report the information was elicited that though a strong deputation of the women teachers waited upon the school board to ask for an increase in salary, this request was vetoed, though a number of men teachers received a substantial increase; for example, that of the principal of the Collegiate being $500, and that of the school inspector being $250 increase. As a result of this information the following resolution was moved by Mrs. Gordon Wright, seconded by Mrs. Tutt and carried by a standing vote:

"Resolved, that we, the representatives of the various women's organizations in London do emphatically protest against what is evidently a differentiation along sex lines, on the part of our school board, in this favoring some of the men teachers while vetoing the united request of the large deputation of women teachers: further resolved that we place on record our high regard and strong appreciation of the splendid work and continued faithful efforts of these same women teachers and our recognition of the stable foundations laid by them in the child life of our city."

To Hold Luncheon in June.

It was decided at this meeting that the local council would hold a luncheon in honor of Her Excellency the Duchess of Devonshire, honorary president of the society, during her sojourn in the city.

Matters relating to the annual meeting of the Dominion council to be held at Brantford were also brought under consideration. This meeting, which was to have been in session for a week, will begin on Tuesday, June 11, and will continue only until Friday, the 14th. The delegates to this convention appointed at yesterday's meeting were as follows: Mrs. E. B. Smith, Mrs. Gordon Wright, Mrs. R. M. Graham, Mrs. Rose, Miss Moore, Miss McDonald, Mrs. J. F. Thompson and Miss Roberts. Mrs. H. A. Boomer will also go in her official capacity.

A hearty welcome was extended by the society to the two new societies about to be affiliated with the local council, the Lord Kitchener Nursing Division and the Girls' Friendly Society. Words of sympathy were extended to the mother of the late Miss Aiken, and to the Trafalgar Chapter in the recent loss of their regent, Mrs. Callard.

Report of Affiliated Societies.

The reports of the different societies were then read. That of the Victorian Order of Nurses, submitted by Mrs. Blackburn, mentioned that the Ottawa grant of $400 had been cut off this year, which amount would have to be made up, and also expressed the gratitude of the society to the doctors of the city for their gift of a motor. Miss Macklin read the report of the Teachers' Guild, showing that the outstanding feature of the year had been the formation of a provincial association, a federation of all the Ontario guilds having taken place. The first president of this provincial guild is Miss Evelyn Johnston, from the London teachers' staff. The teachers' part in the national registration to take place in June was also mentioned. 135 women teachers having volunteered to help in this connection, giving their services free. The men registrars are paid. This society has helped in many patriotic works, having subscribed toward the Edith Cavell room in Byron Sanatorium and conducted a sock shower. This year the lectures provided by the Teachers' Guild took the form of a course on commercial law by Mr. McArthur.

Mrs. Bluethner reported for the Mothers' Union of Cronyn Memorial Church, this being the 30th anniversary of its organization by Mrs. Boomer. This society has done work for Dr. Grenfell, the Victorian Order of Nurses and Halifax sufferers. Mrs. A. B. Greer represented the Women's Canadian Club, which now has a membership of almost five hundred, and which besides giving its members the privilege of hearing speakers of eminence from time to time, tries to further greater patriotic interest in the institutions of the Dominion of Canada.

Mrs. Cook read the report of No. 4 Nursing Division, Mrs. Seaborn that of the London Convelescent Home, Mrs. Duncan reported on health, Mrs. McCann on the Sanatorium Aid, Miss Lukes for the Y.W.C.A., Miss Moore for the Women's Christian Association, and Mrs. Rose for the mothers' clubs.

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CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL BOX

Needs More Prayer.

Dear Miss Grey,—I have been impressed to write a few lines hoping you will give them space in your column. I think it so sad to hear so many people say that this one or that one has caused this awful war. Now our precious Bible tells us that this awful war would come; it is here, and what we need is more prayer and faith in God, from whom will come the great victory when he sees 'tis best. They need our dear boys at the front, but they need more praying mothers and people. Many would never have prayed, but taking their dear ones has softened their hearts. We need prayer for more production, for all man or woman can do will not make food, without God's hand to give suitable weather for crops to grow. The sooner people get on their knees in faithful prayer to our God, the sooner the war will end.

A FARMER'S MOTHER.

Medallions for Curtains.

Dear Miss Grey,—I would be very grateful to you, Miss Grey, if you would please send me the stocking foot pattern.

2. How can I clean an ermine fur?

3. I would like to crochet medallions for curtains, if you should happen to have a pattern, would you please send one to me? MAYFLOWER.

Ans.—Mix a quantity of common salt and powdered starch (one part starch to three parts salt; heat it, and rub into the fur with the hands. Place away in a drawer for a few days, then brush and shake well. Repeat if the fur is badly soiled.

No medallion designs are at hand. Could you not procure a choice from a needlework book?

Has Paid the Price.

Dear Cynthia Grey,—I am coming once more to your page. If it is not too much trouble, will you please send me the stocking foot pattern I have been reading about, size for a No. 5 shoe. I also want a lonely soldier's address when you have one to spare. My poor boy has paid the price, and is now lying somewhere in France, far from home and those who loved him best, but we know he has not given his life in vain. I thought I knew how to sympathize with mothers who had lost their boys, but now I know what a heartache is. I will still sign myself,

A SOLDIER BOY'S MOTHER.

Ans.—Dear mother of a soldier lad, what word of consolation can possibly assuage your grief. As you say, it is only when we lose our own dear ones that we really understand. However, on behalf of the Mail-Box readers—not a few of whom have also been bereaved—please accept sincerest sympathy.

Your requests have been attended to with pleasure.

Recipe for Marmalade.

Dear Miss Grey,—Would you please send me the stocking foot pattern? I have inclosed a stamp for you to send it. If you wish I will send it back. Could you please send a recipe for orange marmalade? From a

MOTHER OF NINE CHILDREN.

Ans.—The pattern has been sent, and there is no need to return it. Just a few weeks ago Mary Ann supplied this recipe for marmalade, and as it is "tried and true," I am glad to reprint it: Take three oranges and three lemons, soak them in one quart of water, in which add two teaspoons soda; leave one hour, then scrub with brush and rinse in clean water; quarter and remove seeds, put through food chopper; put all in two quarts of water and boil 30 minutes; take off, and weigh one pound of sugar to one pound of fruit, and boil 30 minutes, or until thick enough or jellies; remove and put into jars.

Eight There Already.

Dear Miss Grey,—I have inclosed the song, "The Lad In the Scotch Brigade." I think you have been asked a time or two for it. Is it too long to print? It's a pretty piece but a very old song. Isn't this war just terrible? Now, they are taking all the young boys they can. I do not believe in shirkers or cowards, but I think every man that is well and strong enough to shoulder the gun ought to go at his own free will. My man may have to go. He will not join on account of me and any children, but if he did I would not hold him back. I have eight there already, one killed, so I need no more there of mine, do I?

Could you tell me how and where to grow lavender in the sun or shade? I've some seed I'd like to plant. Has any reader an old song called "The Fatal Wedding"? I would like to get it if I could. I must now close with heaps of luck to the mail-box.

ENGLISH FLAG.

Ans.—The song you inclose is a very touching story, and not too long to print, I think. Re the lavender, a friend of mine once had a fine bed of the fragrant plant, and it appeared to grow freely in either shade or sun. Try yours in a spot, where it will have sun part of the day at least—preferably in the morning.

Has Been Forwarded.

"Pte. W. L. F."—Your address has been forwarded as requested. Am I at liberty to send it to anyone else?

Sent to "Rexy."

Dear Miss Grey,—Will you kindly send the inclosed letter to "Rexy," and thank you very much for your trouble?

S. A. S.

Ans.—No trouble at all, but a pleasure to do so.

ALL ABOUT PANAMAS

Don't fail to read the advertisement of the Jamaica Panama Hat Company on page 12 of this issue. It's to your interest. b

CHESLEY AVE MOTHERS' CLUB CLOSES THE YEAR

The Chesley Avenue Mothers' Club held their final meeting of the season, when a report of the year's work was read, also the treasurer's report, showing a neat balance on hand. Early in the war they adopted a prisoner of war, who is still maintained by the club. The sum of $51 was donated to the Children's Shelter.

Red Cross work up-to-date: 138 pairs of socks, 131 pillow covers, 118 towels, 6 suits of pyjamas.

Mrs. Rose, secretary of the Union Mothers' Club, conducted the election and installation of officers for the ensuing term:

Honorary president, Mrs. Fred Dowell; president, Mrs. Wm. Mason; vice-president, Mrs. James Patten; secretary, Mrs. Alex Stein; assistant secretary, Mrs. James McLean; treasurer, Mrs. Otto Hilbert; assistant treasurer, Mrs. George Hyatt; pianist, Mrs. Floyd Vanbuskard; press reporter, Mrs. A. E. Tutt.

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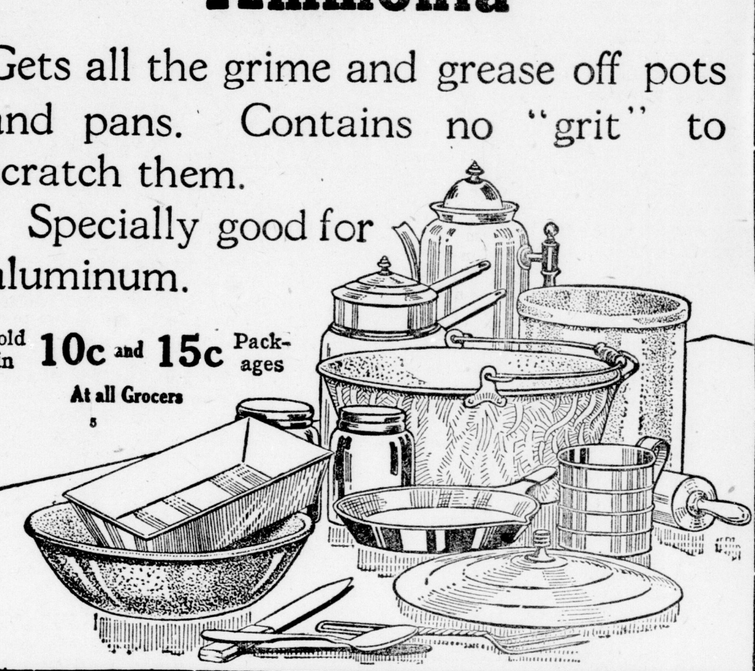

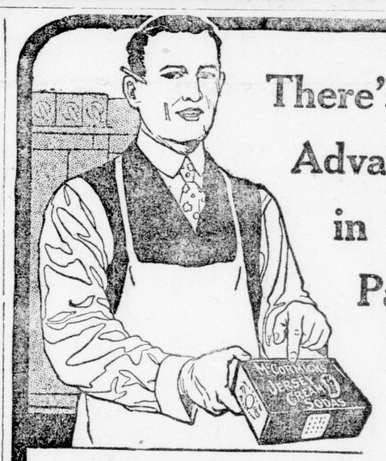

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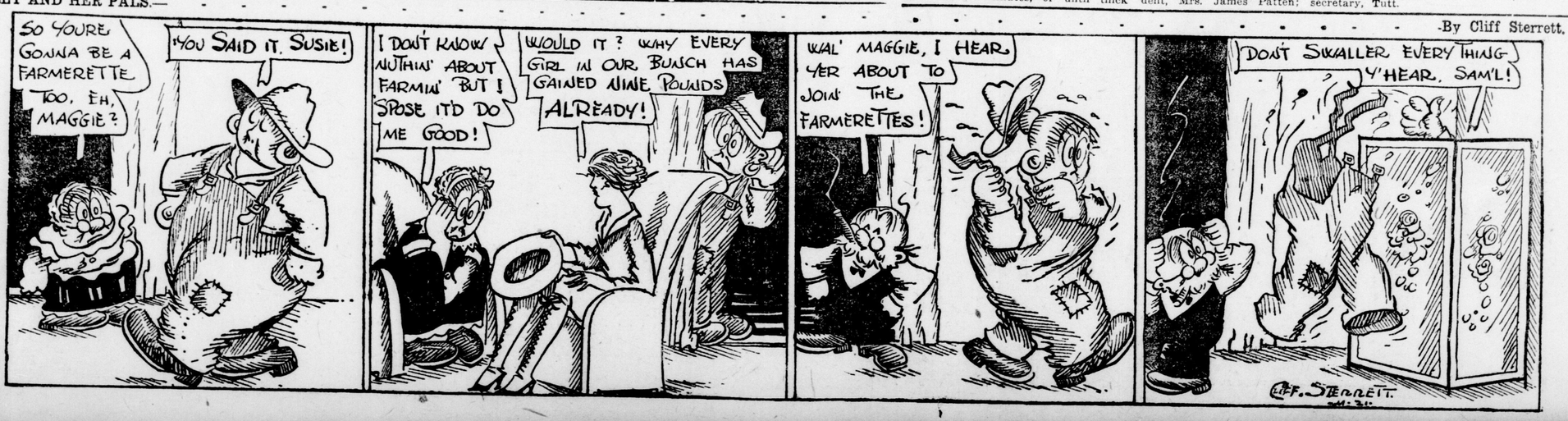
POLLY AND HER PALS.—By Cliff Sterrett.



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TEN-MILE MARATHON JUNE 19---BOXING BOUTS ARRANGED FOR SOLDIERS

SOLDIERS' BOXING BOUTS TO BE STAGED IN ARMORIES ON JUNE 1

Sergt. Bill Dyer, Instructor of Boxing at the Local Camp, Makes Arrangements—Big Negro Pugilist Will Compete for Heavies—All Weights Included.

King Sport in London is not dead as some people have been given to believe during the past three months. He is not even sleeping. Awakened from a long period of lethargy, Sport is now making up for lost time, and in several different directions will make himself very forcibly known before the month of May is over.

The credit for the rejuvenation of sport in the city is due to the soldiers. In the past year, unknown to the general public, a number of soldiers, prominent in the world of athletics before the war, have made their homes at the local camp grounds, and are now getting busy organizing themselves into teams and arranging for sport events.

Foremost among these sport enthusiasts is Sergt. Bill Dyer, formerly a well-known boxer, who is instructor of boxing at the local camp grounds.

Bouts at Armories.

Dyer and a number of athletes of his calibre have decided to hold several boxing bouts to be staged in the armories on June 1. Arrangements have already been made to hold bouts of all classes of local pugilists from the fly to the heavyweight variety. The fights will be among soldiers of the garrison, and will include a bout for the garrison championship. Prizes for the winners will be presented.

A number of boxers have been practicing at the local military gymnasium for the past three weeks. The material is as good as there can be found in Canada and some interesting and exciting bouts will no doubt be pulled off.

Negro Pugilist.

A boxer of no little prominence is Jack Ford, a negro member of the W. O. R. Jack is six feet five inches in height and about the build of the former world's champion, Jack Johnson. He has fought with Joe Jeanette, Sam McVey and Sam Langford in his time, and should be able to put up a fight of the real championship variety.

A prize for the best and most interesting battle will be offered. This should prove an incentive for all combatants to show their wares off to full advantage.

Sergt. Dyer, under whose supervision the combats will be staged, has participated in 347 fights. He fought with Peter Brown who was killed recently, besides having boxed with Mardelmoreau, formerly champion of France, Papke, Sid Russell of Australia, Herb Synott and Darky Daniels.

Dyer is a great friend of Freddy Welsh, formerly champion lightweight boxer of the world. Bill recently received a letter from Welsh, who is living on his farm, Long Hill, in Mount Summit, New Jersey.

Commenting on his experiences as a boxer in France, Dyer said that his bouts in Paris netted him the easiest money he ever collected. Frenchmen may be proficient with the foils, but when it comes to using the gloves they are not up to Englishmen and Americans. Dyer is a welterweight, and one of the most scientific pugilists that ever donned the mits.

STARTLING WINS THE LONG END OF PURSE AT JAMAICA TRACK

Harry Payne Is Defeated in Juvenile Event.

New York, May 21.—One of the important happenings of the Jamaica track yesterday was the announcement that next Friday would be set apart as Red Cross Day, and that all the receipts on that day will go to the Red Cross fund. A special Red Cross handicap at 6 furlongs will be arranged in accordance with the Highland stakes for 3 years, and four other races.

There was a continuation of high-class sport yesterday, with the Suffolk selling stakes for 2-year-olds and the Clarendon handicap as the features. The juvenile event brought about an upset in the defeat of Harry Payne Whitney's Purling, a daughter of Peter Pan, which graduated from the maiden class on Saturday with the greatest of ease. Robinson, who had the mount on Purling, was not as vigorous as usual in his handling of the Whitney entry, which was badly outrun in the early stages, while War Zone was cutting out a hot pace with Sweeplet in attendance.

Courageous and faint-hearted sprinters were pitted against each other in the Clarendon handicap, James Butters' High Noon the top weight, gave one of his exhibitions of curling up over the short distance of 5½ furlongs.

High Noon Curls Up.

High Noon was six lengths in front of Arnold on entering the stretch, with R. F. Carman's Startling some distance back. As High Noon faltered, Startling was urged along by Dominick until he captured the long end of the purse by half a length. High Noon saved the place by a length, with Arnold third.

H. P. Whitney's Thunderer, the Futurity winner of 1915, which bowed a tendon in the King's County handicap last Saturday, will retire to the stud, it was announced today.

A. K. Macomber's Sun Bonnet, the best 3-year-old filly of last season, also bowed a tendon, and will be retired.

Thunderer was in retirement for more than a year and a half in the hope that he would outgrow and overcome a weak tendon. He trained so well this spring that it was felt he would stand a campaign of racing, but he broke down in his first start.

First race, 3-year-olds and upward, selling, 6 furlongs—Millrace, 102 (Kummer), 16 to 5, 3 to 5, 7 to 10, won; Grayson, 100 (Ensor), 6 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Elderken, 103 (Hansen), 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:15. Lonchi, Pepper, Lithelick, Josie A., Machere, Pazza, Baccarat, Stamping Ground II., Speedster also ran.

Second race, for male, 3-year-olds and upward, selling, $600, 6 furlongs—Lady Gertrude, 103 (Rodriguez), 6 to 1, 9 to 5, to 7 10, won; Thistle, 108 (Byrne), 1 to 2, out, second; Wheat Cakes, 103 (Troise), 1 to 3, third. Time, 1:14. Louise V., Jane Mary, Ruthie M. also ran.

Third race, 3-year-olds and up, handicap, $700, 5½ furlongs—Startling, 116 (Dominick), 16 to 5, 6 to 5, 1 to 2, won; High Noon, 122 (Schuttinger), 7 to 5, 3 to 5, second; Arnold, 113 (Buxton), 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:06 1-5. Ima Frank, Etruscan, Yankee Witch, Green Gold, Greek Legend also ran.

Fourth race, Suffolk selling stakes, $2,000, 2-year-olds, 5 furlongs—War Zone, 112 (Knapp), 12 to 1, 4 to 1, 8 to 5, won; Purling, 108 (Robinson), 2 to 5, 1 to 6, second; Sweeplet, 99 (Erickson), 4 to 5, third. Time, 1:01 1-5. Sundial II., Court Jester II., Nelle Yorke, Bethinda, Umbala also ran.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and upward, selling, $600, mile and 70 yards—Frederick the Great, 100 (McAtee), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, won; Ledinosaure, 110 (——), 12 to 1, 6 to 5, second; Woodthrush, 95 (Bullman), even, third. Time, 1:47. Orderly, Sky Pilot, Star Shooter, Phalerian, Dragoon, Lord Fitzherbert also ran.

Sixth race, maiden 2-year-olds, $600 added, 5 furlongs—Lads Love, 115 (Robinson), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, won; Day Dust, 115 (Kummer), 5 to 1, 5 to 2, second; Under Fire, 115 (Brother), 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:02 1-5. Siesta, Top Rung, Balustrade, Donado, Lord Brighton, Plantarede, The Dauphin, Syrdarya, Miss Leola, Galatz also ran.

Siesta and Top Rung, Butler entry.

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COL. FRANK WARE PRESENTS TROPHY FOR 10-MILE RACE

Other Citizens Invited To Donate Special Prizes for Events.

It was announced today by W. Garlick, secretary of the sports committee, under the direction of the G. W. V. A., that Col. Frank Ware, D.S.O., had donated a handsome trophy for the 10-mile marathon to be run off in this city on June 19.

Anyone wishing to donate special prizes should communicate with Mr. Garlick.

DELAWARE SCHOLARS HOLD FIELD SPORTS; COMPETITION IS KEEN

DELAWARE, May 20.—The Delaware Continuation School pupils and ex-pupils had a field day Friday. Great interest was taken by the competitors and there were many close finishes. Miss Conway, the popular teacher, worked hard to make this first field day of the school a success, and was ably assisted by Mrs. E. Minnitt and Miss Jessie Lockwood. Rev. W. H. Hartley had charge of the boys' events and valuable assistance was given by Messrs. W. E. Pincombe and Gerald Johnstone. The results of the events were as follows:

Standing long jump—George Matthews.

Running long jump—George Matthews.

100-yard dash—Jack Lockwood.

Hop, step and jump—Jack Lockwood.

Running high jump—Jack Lockwood, height jumped 3 feet 11 inches.

Throwing ball for distance—Jack Lockwood.

Relay race—Captains of teams: Team 1, Jack Lockwood; team 2, Oulton Hammond; team 3, Jack Robinson. Winners by points: Jack Lockwood, 16 points; George Matthews, 10 points; Oulton Hammond, 6 points.

Catching tennis ball—Helen West.

Throwing ball for distance—Helen Johnstone.

Standing long jump—Winnie Mahler.

Running long jump—Helen Johnstone.

Throwing basketball into hoop—Lorna Branton.

Throwing basketball for distance—Helen Johnstone.

Walking race—Faye Bancroft and Freida Ryckman (equal).

Running high jump—Winnie Mahler. Height jumped 3 feet 4 inches.

Relay race—Reds won. Winners by points: 1, Helen Johnstone; 2, Ferne Branton; 3, Winnie Mahler.

The Patriotic Club have held their last dance for the season, which has been a most successful one. There was a large attendance and the Fisher orchestra provided excellent music.

Weather Forecast.

National League.

Brooklyn at Chicago, clear, 3 p.m.

New York at St. Louis, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.

American League.

Chicago at New York, cloudy, 3:45 p.m.

St. Louis at Washington, clear, 4:30 p.m.

Detroit at Philadelphia, cloudy, 3:45 p.m

Cleveland at Boston, cloudy, 3:15 p.m.

International League.

Jersey City at Syracuse, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.

Newark at Rochester, clear, 4 p.m.

Binghamton at Buffalo, cloudy, 4 p.m.

Baltimore at Toronto, cloudy, 3:30 p.m.

MOHA GIVEN DECISION.

Racine, Wis., May 21.—Bob Moha of Milwaukee was given a shade over Phil Harrison of Chicago by a majority of sporting writers who attended their 10-round bout here last night.

GREB BESTS SOLDIER.

Pittsburg, Pa., May 21.—Harry Greb of Pittsburg won by a close margin here last night in his 10-round bout with Soldier Bartfield of Brooklyn, N. Y.

WARHOP EASY FOR BALTIMORE BIRDS; LEAFS LOSE 10 TO 5

Jack Dunn's Squad Has Easy Time at Toronto.

BUFFALO TRIMS BINGOES

Twelve-Inning Neck-and-Neck Battle Goes to Buffalo.

TORONTO, May 20.—Jack Dunn's Baltimore Orioles made their first appearance of the season here today. It was a profitable afternoon for the Dunnites. The visitors hit Warhop to all corners of the lot, scoring ten runs to Toronto's five. Baltimore gathered 17 hits. Score—

	R.	H.	E.
Baltimore	2	1	0
Toronto	1	0	0

0 0 0 6 0 0 1—10 17 2
1 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 3— 5 11 3

Worrell and Egan; Warhop and Fisher.

BISONS WIN OUT AFTER LONG PITCHING DUEL

BUFFALO, May 20.—Buffalo won a twelve-inning struggle with the Bingers today by a score of 5 to 4, after one man had been retired in the last inning. The contest was a pitching duel between Cooper and Higgins. Binghamton secured a lead of three runs early in the fray, but Buffalo evened this at the close of the eighth. Binghamton again went into the lead in their half of the eleventh, only to have the Bisons come up on even terms in their half, and win out in the twelfth.

Carlstrom drove in the winning tally after Martin Murphy had been passed and reached second on a wild pitch.

Score— R. H. E.

Buffalo	0 0 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 1—5	10	1
Binghamton	0 0 1 2 0 0 0 0 1 0—4	12	2

Cooper and Meyers; Higgins and Haddock.

NEWARK EASILY TAKES ROCHESTER OPENER, 7--2

ROCHESTER, May 20.—Newark took the opening game of the series here today, defeating Rochester by a score of 7 to 2. Brogan was hit hard in the third inning, three safeties, coupled with three errors, giving the visitors five runs in this inning.

Score— R. H. E.

Rochester	0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2	5	3
Newark	0 0 5 0 1 0 1 0 0—7	9	2

Brogan and Smith; Jensen and Madden.

RAIN.

At Syracuse—Syracuse vs. Jersey City, game called at end of the fourth inning, rain.

BASEBALL AT A GLANCE

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	21	6	.778
Chicago	17	9	.654
Cincinnati	16	13	.536
Pittsburg	13	12	.520
Philadelphia	10	15	.400
Brooklyn	10	15	.400
Boston	10	17	.370
St. Louis	8	17	.320

Yesterday's Results.

New York 5, St. Louis 3.
Cincinnati 5, Boston 2.
Pittsburg 5, Philadelphia 1.
Brooklyn 5, Chicago 2.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Newark	10	2	.833
Binghamton	9	2	.818
Baltimore	7	6	.538
Rochester	5	6	.455
Jersey City	4	5	.444
Buffalo	5	6	.455
Toronto	3	8	.273
Syracuse	2	10	.167

Yesterday's Results.

Baltimore 10, Toronto 5.
Buffalo 5, Binghamton 4.
Newark 7, Rochester 2.
Syracuse and Jersey City—rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Boston	19	11	.633
New York	15	13	.536
Cleveland	15	14	.517
Chicago	14	11	.560
St. Louis	12	13	.480
Philadelphia	12	15	.444
Washington	12	15	.444
Detroit	7	16	.304

Yesterday's Results.

Philadelphia 5, Detroit 4.
Chicago 6, New York 2.
Boston 11, Cleveland 1.
St. Louis 4, Washington 2.

SPRINGSIDE WORKS WELL AT WOODBINE TRIALS ON MONDAY

TORONTO, May 20.—The railbirds flocked to Woodbine Park this morning to witness the workouts of the King's platers. Geo. M. Hendrie was a visitor to see his candidate, Springside, breeze one turn of the course. He displayed keen speed in the early stages, when he stepped the first furlong in 12 seconds, the ¼ in :23 4-5, ⅜ in :35 4-5, ½ in :48 4-5, ¾ in 1:15 4-5, and the mile in 1:46 2-5. Unfortunately, the colt grabbed his quarter during the work and inflicted a nasty gash. He cooled out nice'y, however, and showed no inclination to favor the foot.

Geo. W. Beardmore's Ladder of Light also showed a good performance. She had Red Admiral as mate in the early stages, but the 3-year-old tailed off badly and Ladder of Light drew away decisively in the last half. The fractional time was: ¼ in :25 1-5, ½ in :51, ¾ in 1:16, mile in 1:45 2-5, and the 1¼ miles in 2:15 2-5. Altar Fire went 1⅛ miles in 2:05 and Carry On ⅜ in :38 2-5.

Owner Christopher was on hand to see his plate candidate, Flame, cover the plate route of 1¼ miles in 2:17 4-5, the first ¾ in 1:21 2-5, and the mile in 1:50. As in her races last year, Flame shows no inclination to fancy a journey the distance of the plate, and both Trainer Dixon and Owner Christopher are doubtful about starting her in the big race on Friday. Loneland went a nice mile in 1:46 2-5.

The Leroy plater, Scarboro Beach, put in 6 furlongs in 1:18, which was all that was asked of him today. Jockey Gibson has been engaged to ride the son of Plaudmore in the race for the guineas.

The Giddings 4-year-old, Captain B. stepped 3 furlongs in :36 and pulled up a half in :51 seconds. He has all his foot this year.

The Millar candidate, McCorburn, with big weight up, covered the plate route yesterday in 2:18, the fractions being :25 2-5, :51 2-5, 1:19 2-5, and the mile in 1:48 1-5.

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Sportlets

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BREATHES THERE THESE MEN?

Breathes there the man with soul so dead,
Who, when the home team is ahead,
Does not cease to frown and fret,
And say, "We'll get the pennant yet"?

Breathes there the man with soul so good,
Who, when he slices in the wood,
Or shoots his ball into the muck,
Refrains from cussing his bad luck?

Breathes there the sort of optimist,
Who, after he has weakly missed
The pitcher's pills, and is called out,
Says, "Now, I'll hit a circuit clout."

Connie Mack thought he got a lemon when he captured Deal from the minors, and so let him go to the Chicago White Sox. Connie has regretted this ever since. It is a case where an alleged raw Deal was not so raw, after all.

The terrible Tigers and Hughey, their leader, are making their first swing around the eastern half of the American League, and about a million persons of various ages and two sexes are wishing them luck. They need it. The velocity of the Jungaleers' descent to the cellar position in the American League is no longer gaining momentum. It has gained it to its full capacity.

When Oskee Neale played baseball for the local Canadian League club talk was rife that he played just for the fun of the game, not giving two hoots for the cash. Oskee is now going great guns for Cincinnati and receives about $4,000 per season for his fun.

Now they talk of holding the Willard-Fulton brawl on Labor Day. Well, it would be hard to pick a better day on which to work the dear old gullible public.

"Where will Brooklyn finish?" is the problem which baseball dopesters are trying to figure out. To the casual observer it would seem that the majority of the Dodgers will finish in the national army.

Golfist Francis Ouimet says it takes skill to drive accurately. But wouldn't it be a much harder task to start the golf ball on its way without a club?

GIANTS CHEERFULLY ROMP ALONG TOWARD PENNANT; TRIM CARDS

Timely Hitting Wins for Brooklyn.

REDS DEFEAT BRAVES

Phillies Take 5 to 1 Beating From Pittsburg Pirates.

ST. LOUIS, May 20.—Poor fielding by the local team, coupled with opportune hitting by New York, enabled the latter to win the first game of the series today, 5 to 3.

Score— R. H. E.

New York	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 3 0—5	8	1
St. Louis	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 2—3	7	6

Perritt, Anderson and Smith; Sherdell and Gonzales.

MYERS SENDS PILL OVER FENCE AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, May 20.—Timely hitting, which included Wheat's double and Myers' home run following an error, gave Brooklyn a commanding lead over the Cubs today, and the visitors won the first game of the series, 5 to 2.

Myers, the first to face Carter, made his circuit drive when the ball bounded over the left field screen.

Score— R. H. E.

Brooklyn	4 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—5	10	0
Chicago	1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—2	8	2

Marquard and Krueger; Walker, Carter, Weaver and Killifer.

REDS GATHER HITS IN BUNCHES OFF RAGAN

CINCINNATI, May 20.—Cincinnati bunched clean hits off Ragan in the fifth inning today, and easily defeated Boston, 5 to 2.

Toney pitched air-tight ball until his team had the victory well in hand, when he let down a little, and the Braves scored two runs late in the contest. Toney's hitting was a feature.

Score— R. H. E.

Boston	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—2	6	0
Cincinnati	0 0 0 0 4 0 1 0 x—5	11	2

Ragan, Canavan and Wilson; Toney and Wingo.

PHILLIES LOSE INITIAL VISIT TO FORBES FIELD

PITTSBURG, May 20.—The Philadelphia Nationals made their initial appearance of the season at Forbes Field today, and were defeated by Pittsburg, 5 to 1. Cooper, in the box for the home team, held the visitors safe except in the sixth inning, when they bunched hits and scored their only tally.

Score— R. H. E.

Philadelphia	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1	5	1
Pittsburg	2 0 0 0 3 0 0 0 x—5	11	1

Prendergast, Watson and Burns; Cooper and Archer.

CRACK A. M. C. SOCCER BOYS TAKE ENGINEERS INTO CAMP BY 3 TO 0

The Army Medical Corps soccer team added another notch to their string of victories last evening when they defeated the Canadian Engineers by a score of 3 to 0. A sharp wind turned many a true shot away from the goals, but the score is fairly indicative of the superiority displayed by the Meds.

McKellar, Harris, Hall and Hardman played well on the forward line for the A. M. C., their combination and keeping the ball in the territory of their opponents four-fifths of the time. On the black line, Shaw, Arundell, Green and Whitehead took care of everything that came their way, and fed their forwards with well-placed and timely returns.

From present indications there is nothing in the military district capable of furnishing anything like interesting opposition to the crack medical corps team either in football or cricket. For this reason both aggregations are willing to take on any soccer or cricket team west of Jerusalem.

L. C. Lilleyman of the A. M. C. is looking after the teams, and would be pleased to hear from any outside or local aggregation wishing to take on the London soldiers for a game.

For the Engineers, Rollins was excellent in goal. He stopped many difficult shots and prevented a much larger score for the A. M. C.

The A. M. C. line-up was as follows: Goal, Lilleyman; backs, Shaw and Arundell; halfs, Whitehead, Patterson, Green; forwards, Harris, McKellar, Hardman, Bagnell, Hall.

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EX-CANADIAN LEAGUER STEALS WINNING RUN FOR PHILADELPHIA

Merlin Copp, Former St. Thomas Player, Had Big Day.

RED SOX HAVE CINCH

Mays Holds Indians to Five Hits—Boston Wins 11 to 1.

PHILADELPHIA, May 20.—With two out and the bases full in the fourteenth inning today, Merlin Kopp of the Athletics, a former Canadian Leaguer, stole home, beating Detroit, 5 to 4. He had reached third on a pass, a steal and Gardner's single. Kopp had a big day, a triple in the first inning blossoming into a run. He also had a double in the second. Philadelphia tied the score in the ninth inning. In the tenth, with the bases full, Davidson muffed Heilman's infield fly. Heilman was out under the rules, but Bush scored on the muff. Philadelphia tied the score again in this inning on a pass, an out and a single by Walker. In the twelfth Detroit forged ahead on singles by Vitt and Cobb, and Heilman's sacrifice fly, but the Athletics evened it up for the third time on singles by Walker, Burns and Shannon.

Score— R.H.E.

Detroit	0 0 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 1—4	9	3
Philadelphia	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 1—5	14	2

Dauss and Spencer; Myers and McAvoy.

CHICAGOS WIN THEIR FIRST GAME IN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 20.—The White Sox today won their first game of the season in New York, defeating the Yankees bf a score of 6 to 2. Williams, Chicago's left-hander, held New York to six scattered hits.

Score— R.H.E.

Chicago	0 0 1 3 0 0 0 1 1—6	10	1
New York	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 1 0—2	6	2

Williams and Schalk; Love, Mogridge, Russell and Hannah.

BAGBY EASY TARGET FOR BOSTON RED SOX

BOSTON, May 20.—Boston hammered Bagby for seven runs on six hits and Tris Speaker's error in the fifth inning today. Groom finished for the Indians, and was hit freely. Boston won, 11 to 1. The Red Sox hits sixteen safeties for a total of 24 bases. Mays held Cleveland to five hits. In the eighth inning he hit Speaker squarely on top of the head. The latter did not collapse, but ran the bases.

Score— R.H.E.

Cleveland	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—1	5	1
Boston	0 0 0 0 7 0 2 2 r—11	16	0

Bagby, Groom and O'Neill; Mays and Schang.

URBAN SHOCKER WINS HIS FAREWELL GAME

WASHINGTON, May 20. — Urban Shocker pitched St. Louis to a 4 to 2 win over Washington here today in his farewell game before joining the national army. Washington used up thirteen players in a vain attempt at victory. Gideon's three hits, a single, double and triple, sent home three of St. Louis' runs.

Score— R.H.E.

St. Louis	0 0 2 1 0 0 0 0 1—4	12	1
Washington	0 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0—2	4	1

Shocker and Nunamaker; Craft and Ainsmith, Casey.

BIG SPORT PROGRAM ARRANGED AT SARNIA FOR VICTORIA DAY

Golf Tournament, Bowling, Horse Races, Baseball and Other Pastimes Included.

SARNIA, May 20.—It is the intention to have a handicap match on the 24th of May at the golf links. Two sides are to be chosen, the club handicap ratings to be considered, the losing side to pay for a buffet lunch, arrangements for which will be made with Miss Allen, the lunch to be ready from 1 p.m. In addition to this there will be two prizes. First, for the lowest net score; second, for the next lowest net score.

It occurred to the games committee that it might be a good plan to have the members pick their own opponents, in other words, arrange for their own games for that date. The games committee will, of course, set the time and order of starting the games and will choose the sides, balancing them as evenly as possible.

The bowlers have arranged for a series of games to start at 10 a.m. on Friday, concluding with two games in the evening.

There will be a baseball match, a tug-of-war by the industrial workers, and horse races, for which prize money of $150 and $200 will be offered on the 24th.

Two bands will be in attendance, and dancing and singing will be included in the program.

YOUNG SPORTSMAN JOINS THE ROYAL AIR FORCES

TOM MASCARA

For three years a member of the Junior Y.M.C.A. basketball team, this season champions of the O.A.B.A. Mascara has signed up with the R.A.F. and reported for duty today. He had the distinction of piling up more points than the whole Toronto team in the basketball finals here recently.

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EXPENSIVE TROPHY TO BE GIVEN FOR 10-MILE MARATHON JUNE 19

G. W. V. A. Making Arrangements for Premier Local Field Day of Year, To Be Held June 19 — $1,000 in Prizes —Duke Asked to Award Marathon Silverware.

A ten-mile marathon race, to be held in London on June 19, the date set for what might be termed a Forest City field day, will mark an epoch in sports staged under the direction of the G. W. V. A. for the coming years.

A meeting of those interested in field sports was held in the G. W. V. A. club rooms yesterday, and it was decided to run off a number of track and field events on June 19, which bids fair to surpass anything of its kind ever before staged in this city.

The big feature of the day, the ten-mile marathon, will be open to every person in the city, as will the remainder of the sports. The events will all be staged under the auspices of the press, the merchants of London, the I. O. D. E., the G. W. V. A. and the Y. M. C. A.

One thousand dollars in prizes and trophies will be presented to the winners and everyone who enters himself for the ten-mile marathon will be given a prize whether he is among the first ten to finish or not. A letter has been written to the Duke of Devonshire, asking that he donate a $200 or $300 silver cup for the marathon. Should the Duke not see his way clear to presenting the trophy, arrangements will be made for the merchants to contribute toward a handsome piece of silverware for the premier event of the day.

Outside athletes will not be allowed to compete. The field day will be primarily a local event and all awards will go to local competitors.

Monetary Assistance.

A tentative canvas of merchants for monetary assistance toward the project was made yesterday, and every business head approached expressed himself as only too willing to help. It is the intention of the G. W. V. A. who are fathering the scheme to make it the banner sports period not only for this year, but as long as the Returned Soldiers' Association exists.

The trophy for the marathon will have to be captured three years in succession by the same contestant before it becomes his property. This is a means of making practical insurance against the silverware being separated from London.

Beginning with a comic cycle parade of the G. W. V. A. which will start at the market square, the field sports will include bicycle races of various distances, ordinary track and field events and several freak or stunt performances.

The $1,000 in prizes will be exclusive of the trophies and individual prizes offered by citizens of the city. As soon as the silverware and prizes are secured they will be displayed in The Advertiser window.

Comic Parade.

Following the comic parade, which will be headed by two bands to Queen's Park, the sports program will commence. It will include: 100 yards open handicap, 220, 880 and a mile handicap, 220 yards handicap obstacle race, 10-mile marathon, half-mile, one-mile and five-mile bicycle races, 100 yards for members of the H. D. S. A., 100 yards for soldiers of the garrison, half-mile relay race, 100 yards for boys and girls under 14. Other amusements will be tilting the basket and freak races.

The entry fee will be 25 cents. All entries should be in before June 5 to J. A. Cresswell, handicapper, of the G. W. V. A.

The judges are as follows: Col. W. G. Coles, Secretary J. Cunliffe, Major Mallard, M.C., Major Gordon Ingram, Lieut. A. Livingston, Sergt.-Major Anstie, Sergt.-Major Storey; events committee, chairman, Comrade Capewell; committee, Comrades Pugh, Tucker, Farrah, Galbraith and Whitehead.

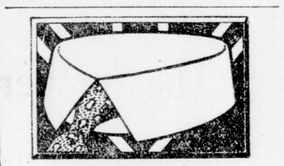
LOCAL NAGS TO BE ENTERED FOR RACES OF MICHIGAN TURF

London will be represented at the Michigan shortship races to begin about three weeks from today. Three nags belonging to J. Boyd of this city and one owned by L. Collins will probably be shipped for entry into the races some time during the first part of June.

Mr. Boyd is the owner of Elsie Onwardo, Eel Direct and Eel Royal. These steeds were stabled in Queen's Park for some time, but were moved to St. Thomas when a tunnel had to be erected near the stables at the local park. All steeds have made a good showing in their recent workouts at Queen's Park.

STRATHROY MAN BUYS HORSE AT BIG SALE

CHICAGO, May 20.—C. McKeigan of Strathroy, Ont., was one of the purchasers at the recent horse auction held here. He paid $660 for Aldino, 2:10¾, b.h. (9), by Aldino—Breda, by Stranger.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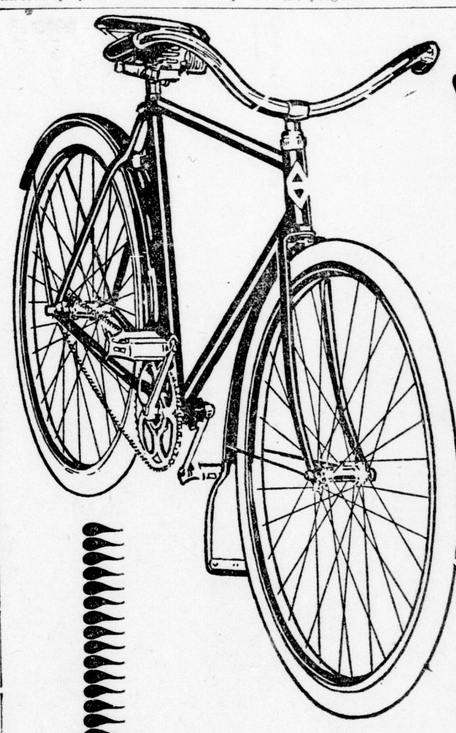

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BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

BORN.

ELLIOTT—To Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Elliott, 51 Elliott street, on May 19, a son (Thorold Teney). b

DIED.

CALLARD—Suddenly, on Thursday, May 16, 1918, Emily S., widow of the late John Callard, in her 68th year.
Funeral from the church of St. John the Evangelist Tuesday at 3:30 p.m. *87c

KNOTT—At Victoria Hospital, on Sunday, May 19, Thomas Caswell Knott, aged 55 years.
Funeral private on Tuesday. Service at 2:30 p.m. 88u

MARSHALL—At 844 Wellington street, on Saturday, May 18, Mary, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest H. Marshall, aged six days. 88u

McCOLL—At her home in the Township of Ekfrid, on Monday, May 20, Mrs. Annie McColl, in her 68th year.
Funeral on Wednesday, May 22, at 2 o'clock, to Eddie Cemetery. b

IN MEMORIAM.

LITTLEWOOD—Pte. George Littlewood, killed in action, May 21, 1917. "He died that we might live." b

MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.—EUREKA LODGE, NO. 30, meets tonight at 8 o'clock sharp for regular business and nomination of officers. Visitors welcome. J. W. Guthrie, N. G.

LONDON ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER meets this (Tuesday) evening at 7:45 in chapter rooms, Masonic Hall. Visitors welcome. C. W. McGuire, Z. C. C. Reed, Scribe E. P

SOLDIERS' INSURANCE—A MASS meeting will be held on the market ground on May 23, 8 p.m. to protest the action of city council. J. Hill, Hon. Sec. 89u

HAIG'S COMMAND: NO MORE RETIRING. Our brave men fighting backs to a wall. Those not fighting can pray God, who is the strong wall, not to retire from us at this time. City Mission nightly.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—ONE PAIR OF SIDE CURTAINS for auto. Reward. A. E. Gibbons, 467 Dundas street. *b

LOST—SCRIPT CERTIFICATE NUMBER V24959M Victory Bond for $1,000. Reward this office. *b

CLEVELAND BICYCLE, NO. 8641, lost Friday night, from front of Grand Opera House. Reward 4 Inkerman street. *b

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LOST — GREY WOLF STOLE — ON Brick street, Wharncliffe road, or in the city, Monday afternoon. Finder please leave at this office and receive reward. 89u

LOST — LETTER CONTAINING SEPARATION allowance check made out to Mrs. J. A. Hodgkinson. Reward. 405 Pall Mall. 89u

LOST—A GENTLEMAN'S BROWN leather wallet, containing valuable papers. Reward. Return to Box 123, Advertiser or phone 2648. *88c

LOST—PURSE, CONTAINING FOUR ten and two five dollar bills, between Bank of Montreal and Wellington road. Return this office. *88c

STRAYED FROM LOT 6, CONCESSION 1, Delaware, one red 2-year-old heifer; little white in forehead. Byron phone. Jerry Merrill. 88c zyw

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100 WHITE LEGHORN CHICKS, Barron strain, 4 weeks old. Phone 1799. b

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WANTED—PONY CART, SADDLE and bridle. Apply Charles Ferguson, Hyman Hall. Telephone 781. *89c

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SOUTH, CLOSE IN, NEW TWO-story red pressed brick, modern, mantel and grate, instantaneous heater, splendid new locality. Price reduced from $4,000 to $3,700 for immediate sale.
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FRENCH DRIVE FOE BACK ON 2-MILE FRONT

Several Hundred Prisoners Sent to Rear in Flanders.

DRIVE AHEAD NEAR RHEIMS

Australians Improve Positions Before Amiens—No Rest for the Boches.

WITH THE BRITISH ARMY IN FRANCE, May 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—The French troops who are fighting alongside the British have carried another of their whirlwind attacks to a successful conclusion in the Flanders battlefield, and have thereby advanced their line along a 4,000-yard front in the Locre sector.

Several hundred German prisoners have thus far been brought in. The prisoners have been sent on the happy road to the French rear.

No attempt was made to push forward to a great depth, and all objectives were gained. As a consequence there has been a decided improvement in the Allied positions.

MANY ALLIED SUCCESSES.

LONDON, May 20.—The Allied armies are not permitting the Germans to "get set" for a serious blow at the western front. At several points along the line there have been sudden blows at the German positions, and in all of them ground was captured by the Allies.

On the front east and northwest of Locre, on the northern side of the Lys salient in northern France, and just to the west of Kemmel, where some of the more intense fighting of the war has been going on, the French have advanced their line over a two-mile front. Far to the south, near Rheims, the French have advanced into the enemy's positions as far as the third-line trenches.

The Australians on the front before Amiens have been active, and have improved their positions.

Heavy Firing Near Kemmel.

Heavy artillery fighting is reported from several points along the front, it being especially severe near Hangard and south of the Avre, near Amiens. The Germans also report heavy cannonading in the region of Kemmel. The American sectors have been the scenes of fierce aerial battles.

A new German army, led by General von Below, is reported to have been definitely located in front of Arras. This army is said to be made up of units which were not thrown into the great battles on the Somme and along the Lys, and it is believed that it has been brought up to the Arras front to lead the coming attack on the Allied positions at that point. The German reserves are undergoing intensive training far behind the actual fighting front. It is pointed out that the German attack on March 21 was timed so that the Germans were able to take advantage of the bright moonlight for several nights. The moon is now just past the phase which signalled the advance from St. Quentin and Cambrai and the long-expected attack may be launched at any time.

Macedonia and Italy.

In the Italian theatre of the war the fighting in the mountains east of the Brenta River continues, reports telling of struggles on the slopes of the mountains.

The French troops in Mecedonia have taken the offensive near Lake Ochrida and have advanced to a depth of over twelve miles at some points. The object of this operation appears to be the straightening of an awkward salient in the line.

DISTRICT CASUALTIES

PRESUMED TO HAVE DIED

LONDON.
L. R. Stewart.
BRUSSELS.
W. T. Forbes.
WIARTON.
W. S. McDonald.
STRATFORD.
F. W. Puddel.
HANOVER.
W. S. Willis.

WOUNDED

DUNDALK.
M. McDowell.
PORT ELGIN.
Lieut. J. E. Monroe.

ILL

BRANTFORD.
Lieut. H. M. G. Smith.

VALCARTIER CAMP IS BEING PREPARED FOR TRAINING OF 5,000

QUEBEC, May 20.—A detachment of troops from Toronto, Kingston, London, Ottawa, Montreal and Quebec, left today to prepare the Valcartier camp, which will open by the first of June for the concentration and training of 5,000 Canadian soldiers. Another camp for 2,000 men is being rushed to completion in the very heart of Quebec City and will be opened by the middle of the week.

SARNIA FIRM GETS $2,000,000 ORDER

SARNIA, May 20.—Orders valued at $2,000,000 have been received by the Romeo Foundry from the General Motors Company, according to the manager, L. G. Blunt. Workmen have already commenced laying the foundation for additional buildings on North Christina street, and work on the big order will be commenced as quickly as possible. About 200 men will be employed.

BRITISH ADVANCE IS BENEFIT TO PERSIANS

NEW YORK, May 20.—Disease and starvation still follow in the wake of war in Northwestern Persia, according to a cable message from Tabriz, Persia, dated May 14, to the American committee for Armenian and Syrian relief. The British advance, however, is having "a good effect."

BRAKEMAN KILLED

Fall From Train Fatal to Man Found Unconscious Beside Track.

PRESTON, May 20.—Brakeman Arthur Wright of the Grand River Railway died in the hospital from a fractured skull. After throwing a switch at the outskirts of the town he was seen to signal the motorman to start, and climbed onto the train. He was not missed until the train reached the junction, and when the crew returned they found him lying beside the tracks unconscious. Prior to going railroading three months ago he was the driver of the fire truck here for some years. His wife and three small children survive. A brother is in the British navy. An inquest will be held at Galt.

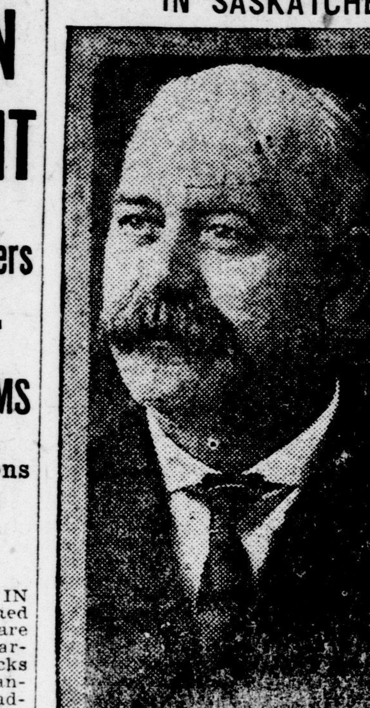
SWISS ARTIST DEAD.

BERNE, Switzerland, May 20.—Ferdinand Hodler, a leading Swiss painter, is dead here at the age of 65.

SNOWFALL IN QUEBEC.

QUEBEC, May 20.—After enjoying a hot Sunday that saw the mercury at 83, Quebec was treated at 12:30 today to a miniature snowfall.

BRANT COUNTY MAN HAS PUBLIC OFFICE IN SASKATCHEWAN



HON. GEORGE A. BELL, minister of telephones, has been appointed chairman of the local government board of Saskatchewan. He is a native of Brant County, Ontario.

ANZACS REPEAT GREAT FEAT OF RUSHING ENEMY

Indomitable Spirit Is Again Shown in Capture of Ville-Sur-Ancre.

WADED THROUGH MARSH

Waist High in Mud, Fought Their Way Into German Defences.

With the British Army in France, May 21.—By the Associated Press.—While the latest French operation was comparatively small, it was undoubtedly quite important. This importance is accentuated by the fact that the victory comes at a time when the enemy undoubtedly is ready and waiting for the signal to renew his huge offensive against the Allies.

Brilliant work was done Sunday by the Australians on the southern front, whereby they captured Ville-Sur-Ancre and advanced thereby on a front of about 3,000 yards. The overseas men were holding their new positions strongly Monday, and more than 400 prisoners were sent back to the cages. Again the Australians have evidenced in the face of great obstacles that indomitable spirit which has won for them in such hard struggles of the past.

Sank Waist Deep.

These same men, who made such a glorious record in the battle at the Broodzinde crossroads last summer, behind the same officers; who carried through the colors at Broodzinde, stormed their way into Ville-Sur-Ancre Sunday morning across marshes, into whose foul waters they sank waist deep at times.

In the region of Morlancourt the ground was not so bad, but farther north it was vile. The men sank to their knees in the slimy, clinging mud as they pushed on, and often they struck sheets of water, through which they had to wade up to their hips, while their feet were clutched by the morass beneath. They were protected in part by a creeping barrage from the British artillery and behind their sceen of breaking steel they worked forward determinedly.

Rushed the Defence.

Just northeast of Morlancourt is a hill which the Germans had manned heavily with machine guns, and from this elevation the enemy pumped a steady stream of bullets across the mist-shrouded marshlands in an attempt to stem the onrushing Australians. It was desperate work, but there was no hesitation on the part of the assaulting troops. The Australians rushed the defence in the face of a heavy fire and bombed the Germans out at close quarters, standing on the bank of a road and hurling scores of explosives down among the struggling masses of grey coats.

Two incidents during the fighting show striking contrasts that need no explanation.

One German surrendered to an Australian corporal, then when the corporal had lowered his rifle the German shot him dead. This German met the quick and painless fate which is meted out to his ilk on the battlefield.

Respect the Brave.

Another German, who had made a particularly hard fight with his machine gun, surrendered. He had fought as the Australians like to see a man fight. When it was seen that he wore on his breast the Iron Cross, strict orders were given that this decoration should not be taken from him. The colonel who led the attack was in the forefront throughout and captured a number of the enemy himself.

BURIED WITH HONORS.

PARIS, May 20.—Major Raoul Lufbery, the first American aviator to be killed as the result of an aerial flight, was buried today with full military honors by French and American detachments.

FLOUR

Toronto, May 20.—Listed quotations at Toronto are:

Flour—Manitoba, new standard, $10.95, bags; Ontario winter, new standard, $10.65, bags.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $35 per ton; shorts, $40 per ton, Montreal.

Montreal, May 20.—There were no developments in the local flour situation today. Prices for all grades were steady, with supplies ample to meet all requirements. The trade in spring wheat flour was quiet, the demand being limited and only for small lots to fill immediate wants.

A fair business continues to be done in millfeed, there being a steady demand for supplies in mixed car orders for country account, and quotations remain unchanged.

Flour—Manitoba, new standard, $10.95 @11.05.

Rolled Oats—Bags, 90 lbs., $4.85@5.

Bran—$35.

Shorts—$40.

New York, May 20.—Flour—Steady; springs, $10.75@11.20; winters, $10.85@11.15; Kansas, $10.90@11.25.

Rye Flour—Steady; fair to good, $10.40 @10.80; choice to fancy, $11.85@12.75 jute, spot and to arrive.

White Corn Flour—Steady, $5.50 per cwt.

Barley Flour—Dull, $10@11.50 per 98-lb. sacks.

Minneapolis, May 20.—Flour—Unchanged.

Bran—$28.25@33.25.

HAY

Montreal, May 20.—Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $17.

New York, May 20.—Hay—Unsettled; No. 1, nominal; No. 2, $1.50; No. 3, $1.20 @1.30; shipping, 90@95c.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

HAY SLOW AGAIN ON LOCAL MARKET

Few Loads Being Offered On Square Here.

Hay was slow on the market this morning. Only two loads reached the market on Monday, and a few loads this morning, selling from $10@12 a ton.

Oats are firm, selling from $2 65@2 70 per cwt.

A shipment of live hogs will be made on Wednesday, when $19 50 per cwt will be paid. Dressed hogs remain at $26 per cwt.

Butter is steady, creamery retailing from 48@49c per lb, and dairy pound rolls retailing from 44@45c per lb.

Eggs are steady, selling at 40c per dozen.

A large quantity of vegetables was offered on the square. Rhubarb and celery were in good demand, rhubarb selling from 30@40c a dozen bunches, and celery from 50@80c a dozen. Cabbags and tomato plants sold for 25c a box.

Beef is firm, selling from $17@20 per cwt. Lamb remains at the same price, $30@32 per cwt.

Grain, Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt.	$2 65	to	$2 70
Grain, Bushel—			
Wheat, per bu.......	2 10	to	2 12
Oats per bu.........	95 1-5	to	97 9-10
Vegetables—			
Celery, per doz......	50	to	80
Cabbage, per doz....	75	to	1 50
Home-grown potatoes, per bag	1 60	to	1 80
Rhubarb, per doz.....	30	to	40
Carrots, per bu......	35	to	50
Parsnips, per bu.....	50	to	60
Radishes, doz bunches	50	to	60
Turnips, per bu......	30	to	40
Onions, per bu.......	1 25	to	1 25
Beets, per bu........	50	to	50
Green onions	30	to	30
Hay and Straw—			
Hay, per ton........	10 00	to	12 00
Straw, per ton......	7 00	to	8 00
Dairy Produce, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	48	to	49
Butter, dairy, lb roll	44	to	45
Butter, crocks, lb.....	44	to	45
Eggs, per doz........	40	to	40
Dairy Produce, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	45	to	45
Butter, dairy, lb rolls	42	to	42
Butter, crocks, lb....	42	to	42
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	37½	to	37½
Eggs, basket lots, doz	38	to	38
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Chickens, per lb.....	33	to	35
Ducks, per lb........	25	to	28
Geese, per lb........	24	to	28
Turkeys, per lb......	33	to	35
Live Stock—			
Hogs, per cwt........	19 50	to	19 50
Fat sows, cwt........	17 00	to	17 00
Small pigs, pair.....	15 00	to	18 00
Butchers' Meats—			
Dressed hogs, cwt...	26 00	to	26 00
Beef, per cwt.	17 00	to	20 00
Veal, per cwt.	16 00	to	20 00
Heifer beef, cwt.	20 00	to	22 00
Lambs, per cwt.	30 00	to	32 00
Hides and Wool—			
Wool, unwashed, lb..	60	to	62
Wool, washed, lb....	70	to	70
Calfskins, per lb....	15	to	19
Country hides, lb....	8	to	9
City hides, lb.......	9	to	10

GRAIN.

Chicago, May 21.—Opening: Corn—July, $1 43½.

Oats—May, 78c; July, 68c.

Chicago, May 21.—Absence of any aggressive buying gave an advantage today to bears in the corn market. About the only demand came from local traders. Commission houses did most of the selling. Opening prices, which ranged from ¼c off to a shade advance, with May at $1 27⅞ and July at $1 43¼ @1 43⅝, were followed by a moderate further setback in the active option, July.

Oats showed relative firmness owing to congestion of the May delivery. Buying on the part of May shorts caused a decided bulge in that month. July, after opening unchanged to ⅝c lower, hardened a little, but later eased back to slightly below yesterday's finish.

PORT ARTHUR GRAIN STOCKS.

Port Arthur, Ont., May 21.—The statement of stocks in store in the public terminal elevators at Port Arthur and Fort William at the last weekend, with receipts and shipments during the week, follows:

In store: Wheat, 848,039 bushels; oats, 4,475,108; barley, 862,841; flax, 606,110.

Receipts: Wheat, 298,023 bushels; oats, 686,462; barley, 107,491; flax, 20,030.

Shipments: Wheat, 490,681 bushels; oats, 1,306,372; barley, 289,898; flax, 4,574.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, May 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 14,000; market weak; beeves, $10 60@17 75; stockers and feeders, $9 30@13 10; cows and heifers, $7 30@14 60; calves, $8@14 00.

Hogs—Receipts, 20,000; market was strong; light, $17 30@17 85; mixed, $17 05@17 80; heavy, $16 35@17 65; rough, $16 35@16 75; pigs, $14 50@17 50; bulk of sales at $17 35@17 75.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; market weak; lambs, native, $13 50@16 75; sheep, $10 @14 75.

Toronto, May 21.—Trade at the Union stockyards this morning was very slow. Medium cattle were easier. Prices were steady. Receipts, 619 cattle, 124 calves, 553 hogs and 8 sheep. Quotations:

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $14@15 25; do, medium, $13@14; do, bulls, $11@12 25; butchers, choice, $10 50 @11 25; do, medium, $9@10 25; do, common, $7@8; do, cows, choice, $10@12 25; do, medium, $9@9 50; do, canners, $5 75 @6; do, bulls, $9@9 50; feeding steers, $9 25@10 50; stockers, choice, $9@10 25; do, light, $7 25@8 25; milkers, choice, each, $90@140; springers, choice, each, $80@130; calves, $13@15.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $16@18; bucks and culls, $8@12 50; lambs, $20@21.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $20 50; f. o. b., $19@19 75.

East Buffalo, N.Y., May 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 125; strong.

Calves—Receipts, 150 head; stronfl, at $7@15 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,800; strong; heavy, $18 25@18 50; mixed, $18 60@18 75; yorkers, light yorkers and pigs, $18 75@19; roughs, $16 25@16 50; stags, $12@13.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,600; active; lambs, $11@17 50; others unchanged.

PROVISIONS.

Liverpool, May 21.—Beef—Extra India mess, 370s.

Pork—Prime mess western, 330s.

Hams—Short cut, 137s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 152s; clear bellies, 160s; long clear middles, light, 160s; do, heavy, 159s; short clear backs, 157s; shoulders, square, 128s.

Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 149s 6d; American refined, in pails, 152s; do, in boxes, 150s.

OILS.

Liverpool, May 21.—Tallow—Australian (in London), 72s.

Turpentine Spirits—125s.

Rosin—Common, 64s.

Petroleum—Refined, 1s 6⅝d.

Linseed Oil—62s.

Cottonseed Oil—68s 6d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 1s 2¾d.

London, May 21.—Calcutta linsed, £29; linseed oil, 58s.

Sperm Oil—£54.

Petroleum — American refined, 1s 10½d; spirits, 1s 11½d.

Turpentine Spirits—110s bid, 118s asked.

COTTON.

Liverpool, May 21.—Cotton—Futures closed steady. New contracts: May, 21.80d; June, 21.32d; July, 20.48d; August, 19.68d; September, 19.17d. Old contracts (fixed prices): May, 20.36d; May and June, 20.28d; June and July, 20.20d.

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WALL STREET.

New York, May 21—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Equipments, shippings, motors and various specialties featured the irregular gains registered in the first half hour of today's stock market. Prominent issues included Baldwin Locomotive, Marine preferred, Atlantic-Gulf, Studebaker, Distillers, American Sugar and Allis-Chalmers, at advances of 1 to 2 points. United States Steel made only slight improvement, and investment rails displayed little animation. Liberty bonds were again disposed to yield.

Noon.—Trading during the morning was the lightest for that period in over a fortnight. Prices manifested further irregularity, Baldwin continuing active at an extreme gain of 2¾ points, while Sloss-Sheffield advanced 2 points. United States Steel moved uncertainly, but shippings kept in the foreground with motors and sundry specialties, rising 1 to 2½ points. Rails lacked refinite trend, and American Telephone added to yesterday's setback. Liberty bonds were heavy.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

New York, May 21.

	Open.	High.	Low.	1:30.
Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Baltimore & Ohio.	55⅛	55¾	55⅛	55¾
Erie, com.........	16½	16⅝	16½	16⅝
Erie, 1st pfd......	32½	..	..	..
Great Northern...	91	..	..	..
Great Western...	7⅝	7⅝	7½	7½
New Haven.......	42	42¼	41½	42
New York Central	73⅝	73¾	73¼	73¾
Rock Island......	22¼	22½	22⅛	22½
St. Paul..........	44⅞	46½	44⅞	45¾
Pacifics and Southers—				
Canadian Pacific.	146¾	147¼	146⅜	147¼
Col. Southern....	18½	..	..	..
Missouri Pacific..	23⅞	..	..	..
Northern Pacific..	86¾	..	..	..
Southern Pacific..	85	85½	84⅞	85½
Southern Railway	24	24¼	23¾	24¼
Union Pacific.....	124	124⅝	124	124⅝
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio.....	59¾	59¾	59	59
Reading Railway.	87¾	88⅜	87¼	88
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers ...	35½	36⅜	35½	36
American Can....	47¼	48	47⅛	48
American Car....	79	79½	79	79½
Am. Locomotive..	67¾	68	67¼	67¼
American Sugar..	113½	..	..	..
Am. Smelters.....	81¼	83¼	81½	83¼
Am. Tel. & Tel...	97⅛	97⅛	96⅛	97
American Wool...	56	57⅛	55⅞	57
Baldwin Loco....	97½	99⅛	97½	98
Central Leather..	68	68½	68	68
Corn Products....	41½	42	41	42
Col. Fuel & Iron..	47	..	..	..
Distillers	61½	62¾	61½	62⅝
General Motors...	123	123½	122⅝	123½
G. Northern Ore..	31¼	31½	31¼	31¼
Inter. Nickel......	29¼	..	..	..
Ice Securities....	31½	31½	31	31
Marine, com......	29⅛	30⅜	29⅛	30¼
Marine, pfd.......	102¾	105	102¾	104¾
Pacific Mail......	30¼	..	..	..
Studebaker	41¾	43⅛	41¾	43¼
U. S. Rubber.....	58⅝	58⅝	58	58
Western Union...	90⅝	90⅝	90½	90½
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper.	68	69⅝	68	69¼
Inspiration	53⅞	55¼	53¾	54⅞
Miami Copper....	29⅜	29⅞	29⅜	29⅞
Nevada Con.......	20½	20⅞	20½	20¾
Ray Consolidated.	25½	25¾	25½	25¾
Utah Copper.....	84¼	85	84¼	85
Oils—				
Cal. Petroleum...	18	18	17¾	17¾
New Mexican.....	98	98⅞	98	98½
Texas Oil.........	153	154	153	154
Steels—				
Bethlehem Steel..	88⅛	88¾	88	88¾
Crucible Steel....	69¼	69¼	68¼	69⅛
Pressed Steel Car.	61	61½	61	61¼
Republic Iron....	88⅛	88½	87⅞	88⅛
Sloss-Sheffield....	66	68	66	67⅞
U. S. Steel........	108¼	109⅜	108¼	109¼
U. S. Steel, pfd...	110⅞	110⅞	110½	110¾
Bonds—				
Anglo-French 5's.	92¼	..	..	..

Sales to 1 p.m., 301,000 shares.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, May 21.—The stock market reopened cheerfully today, with the chief strength in investment stocks, investors finding it difficult to obtain supplies. G. T. R. stocks were strong on a revival of nationalization proposals. Greek and Brazilian bonds were leading features in the foreign section. Shippings were firm, but speculative issues were neglected. Money was plentiful and discount rates were easy.

Closing prices were:

British 5 per cent loan..........	93⅝
British 4½ per cent loan..........	99⅛
Consols, for money	56½
Atchison, com.	89
Baltimore & Ohio	58
Canadian Pacific	160
Chesapeake & Ohio	62
De Beers	12⅞
Denver & Rio Grande	5½
Erie, com.	18½
Erie, 1st pfd.	34
Grand Trunk	9¼
Illinois Central	100
Louisville & Nashville	122
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	6¾
New York Central	77
Norfolk & Western	111
Ontario & Western	22
Pennsylvania Railway	47
Rand Mines	2¾
Reading Railway	91
Southern Railway	26
Southern Pacific	89
Union Pacific	130
United States Steel	124

MONEY.

London, May 21.—Bar silver, 48⅞d per ounce.

Money, 2½ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 3½ per cent; three months, 3 9-16 per cent.

New York, May 21.—Bar silver, 99½c per ounce.

FIVE DELEGATES FROM LOCAL G. W. V. A. BRANCH TO HAMILTON MEETING

Veterans Here Will Be Well Represented at Annual Convention.

Five delegates from the Local Branch of the Great War Veterans will leave tomorrow for Hamilton, where they will attend the annual convention of Great War Veterans' Associations, which will be held in the Royal Connaught Hotel there.

The delegates who will represent the local branch are: Lieut.-Col. W. G. Coles (president), Major Ingram, Lieut. W. L. Aiken, J. Creswell and J. W. Cunliffe (secretary).

The convention opens Thursday morning and an address of welcome will be given by Lieutenant-Governor Sir John Hendrie of Toronto. General business will be discussed Thursday afternoon and evening. The election of officers and general business is the work planned for Friday morning. The field-day sports will be held at Dundurn Park Friday afternoon. All the delegates will attend this in a body.

The delegates will discuss general business on Saturday, and a large church parade will be held on Sunday. The delegates as well as the members of the Hamilton Branch will march to Christ Church, where special services will be held.

A report will be given by the local delegates at the next general meeting, which will be held Tuesday, May 28.

COUNTY CONSTABLES CAN REGISTER JOY!

Increased Fee Schedule for Court Attendance Goes Into Effect.

A copy of a recent provincial order-in-council increasing the fees of county constables has been received by Sheriff D. M. Cameron. The order provides that county constables shall receive $2.50 a day for attending high and county court sessions and $2 a day for attendance at county magistrate's courts. This is an increase of 50 cents a day for each court.

In future the fee for serving summons shall be 50 cents for the service of each document, instead of 25 cents, the present charge made by the county constables.

WOOL CLIP PRICE FIXED.

WASHINGTON, May 20.—The war industries board has fixed the price of the 1918 wool clip at the prices established June 30, 1917, at Atlantic seabound markets on the scoured basis.

MAY ASK ELECTORS TO CENSURE MAYOR FOR BANNING TALK

Ward Two City Father Objects to Curtailed Speech.

CLASH WITH THE MAYOR

Calling to Order Resented During Session of City Council.

Ald. William Wilson may call upon his electors in Ward 2 to censor Mayor C. R. Somerville for interfering with the freedom of speech of their alderman. Last night on two occasions Mayor Somerville put the brakes on Ald. Wilson, and this so peeved the Ward 2 representative that on the last occasion he left his seat mumbling, "What's the use of staying here. I can't get fair play anyway." He started for home. He got into the ante-room when Ald. F. E. Harley, his co-representative, caught him. His representations must have had some weight. In a little while Ald. Wilson was back in his seat.

The alderman and the mayor had two clashes. During the discussion of the street oiling, the alderman was told to take his seat. He had rambled a little from the point under discussion. Later he reprimanded the mayor for so calling him to order. The second clash came during the discussion of the market question. Ald. Wilson had presented an amendment to the original motion. The debate went the rounds of the board. Then Ald. Wilson wanted to reply. He said that he had made a motion, and therefore had the right the right to reply.

Mayor Somerville said that he had made an amendment and not a motion and only the mover of a motion had right to reply.

Ald. Wilson insisted that his was a motion.

The mayor denied him the right to reply, and told him to take his seat. "I will; I never get much fair play from you anyway," was his retort.

Ald. Wilson was not long in his seat before he decided to leave.

Ald. Manness was another speaker that was ruled our of order. He wanted to talk twice on the same subject. The mayor suggested that he was out of order. The alderman waited and then talked a little. The mayor expressed the opinion again that he was out of order.

"I kind of thought so," said the alderman resuming his seat.

COUNCIL DECLINES TO HELP DESTROY CANADIAN SENATE

Votes Seven to Four Against Indorsing Toronto Move.

COMPLIMENTS FLYING

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Is the Senate of Canada rotten?

Ald. H. Winnett, speaking on the question of indorsing the Toronto motion to abolish the Senate, asked the council Monday night if it were not then why were the people on both sides of politics clamoring for its passing?

The alderman's was one of several slams taken at Ottawa. Ald. Winnett waxed quite sarcastic. He said that "the bunch down there said they were working for democracy, all the while they were making the world safe for the aristocracy."

Ald. H. B. Ashplant was quite satisfied to indorse the Toronto suggestion that the Senate should go, especially when such a resolution got past a council in Tory Toronto.

Ald. O. G. Keene said that he had heard no agitation in London for the Senate to go. He did not know whether the people wanted the Senate or not. He thought that it was Canada's only safeguard. "Who knows but what a bunch of socialists or nihilists may get control of the Government?" he asked.

Ald. P. J. Watt came through with some interesting opinions. He referred to the Senate as a bunch of "old ladies, mostly asleep." "You have to fire a gun to wake them up," he said, declaring that he did not think they were much good. "It is a system of pensioning broken-down politicians," was another of his thrusts.

Controller C. H. Merryfield said that with union government, startling things were to be expected, and when Tory Toronto suggested that the Senate should go, he thought there must be something in it. He said there would not be a vote for possibly five years.

Controller E. S. Little suggested that perhaps Toronto had some inside information on the question of an election. There might be an earlier one.

On a vote of 7 to 4 it was decided, in so far as London is concerned, that the Senate will live.

RECITAL BY PUPILS DRAWS BIG AUDIENCE TO ST. ANDREW'S HALL

Interesting Program Well Rendered Monday Night.

A recital given by the pupils of Charles E. Wheeler, assisted by Mrs. Edythe Nash Hourd and Rev. G. Quinton Warner, drew a capacity audience to St. Andrew's Hall on Monday evening. The recital was given under the auspices of the Senior Girls' Club of St. Andrew's Church for patriotic purposes. The program was varied and each number was heartily encored. The readings given by Mrs. Hourd were especially enjoyed.

Instrumental and vocal solos were given by the following artists: Miss Pansy Colling, solo, "Buttercups Are Blowing"; the Misses Irene Cameron, Alma Dayton, Dora Bradish and Irene Tingey, played the "Grand Festival March" (for two pianos, eight hands); Miss Emma Park of Lucan, accompanied by Mr. Wheeler, played Mendelssohn's "Concerto in G Minor"; Miss Kathleen McGuffin, accompanied by Rev. G. Quinton Warner (cellist), rendered three solos in a charming contralto voice. An old English selection, "The Ash Grove," was given by Miss Lottie Martin. C. Wheeler was the accompanist of the evening.

PROLONGED DEBATES LEAVE MARKET RULE STILL IN DARKNESS

Butchers-Grocers Controversy Reopened.

WAS SETTLED FOR TIME

Sent Back to Committee, However, for Further Opportunity of Debate.

In a way the city council last night settled the long-drawn-out dispute over the butchers in the market house selling groceries, and again it did not. The debate which marked the discussion was as voluminous as ever, and the net result of three votes taken was that the question was left standing as it was. However, as some of the aldermen were congratulating themselves on their victory for the butchers, and the blow they had delivered to the high cost of living, and telling the mayor that the question could not be reopened unless by a two-thirds vote, a motion was introduced to the bylaw to charge those who sell groceries a higher rent than the butchers who confine themselves to meat.

The board of control recommended that the city treasurer and market clerk try and devise a solution. There was an amendement that the groceries be excluded, and another that the people be asked to vote on it. All three were negatived, and so after fully fifty motions and half as many debates, the question was left as it originally stood. Nobody was satisfied. The butchers still labored along in the same uncertainty. Their tenancy of the stalls is insecure. The grocers may get up strength enough to start the ball rolling again, and in the meantime they will be peeved that the council did not accept their viewpoint and stop the butchers competing with them.

The gathering had a merry time, and when the council came to the matter of queries an hour later, Ald. P. J. Watt said that he had not understood what he was voting on, the matter had been so muddled. The only way he knew how to vote was by watching Ald. Ashplant. Ald. H. B. Ashplant started to ask if the question was not dead, and only to be reopened by a two-thirds vote. Then came the motion for the high rental for the grocer-butchers. It will start its first debate before No. 1 committee.

E. H. Johnston and H. M. Douglass were chosen by the council as the new members of the board of health to succeed Ald. G. B. Drake and Controller J. H. Saunders, resigned.

The council accepted the proposal of the board of control that the Helena Costume Company should continue to heat the central fire station. The cost this year will be $719.25. Ald. S. R. Manness thought a boiler should be installed. Ald. H. Winnett said that the city could not heat the hall for double the Helena price.

The case of Paving Superintendent Hunter, like that of the market bylaw, was again resurrected. Ald. W. A. Wilson thought the council wrong in giving him any notice of dismissal, and wanted him hired from the 1st of June at $100 a month instead of $150. The council, on vote, decided to dispense with his services on June 30, and then the question of rehiring will be taken up.

Ald. Wilson branded such a step as "rotten."

City Clerk S. Baker will attend the national municipal gathering at New York in June.

Fire Chief John Aitken will go to the fire chiefs' convention at Chicago.

In view of the condition of the city's thaffic laws, a motion was presented asking that the city get a competent traffic man to come to the city and give advice on legislation. No. 1 committee will deal with the question.

The status of taxing exempted property was discussed. Since it has been discovered that the Legislature has already thrown out such a measure, the aldermen are in a considerable quandary as to what they may do. They will fish around for light.

MEN IN UNIFORM NEED NOT REGISTER; ALL OTHERS HAVE TO

Registration Orders Make This Clear.

KEEP ALIENS TOGETHER

Plans Being Made To Register Them at One Place in City.

Plans for registration of all persons over sixteen years of age on June 22 are now reaching a definite form, according to Richard Bayly, deputy-registrar for the city. Registration will take place in a manner similar to that of civic elections, the schools being utilized as much as possible, with an assistant deputy-registration officer in charge. In downtown districts stores will be used for convenience, and in some cases employees will be allowed to register at factories where they are employed. All workers in connection with registration must be volunteers, there being no salary attached to positions.

If desired by the deputy-registrar, registration can take place prior to June 22, in order to relieve congestion on that day, and it is likely that this will be done here, during the week of June 15 to 22.

The registration board at Ottawa has ruled that all men in uniform will be considered on active service, and therefore it will not be necessary for them to register. Three local institutions only are not required to have the inmates register. They are the Aged People's Home, Victoria Home for Incurables and Mount Hope Aged People's Home. This does not apply to the staffs, who must register.

If possible all aliens are to be registered at one place, in order to save expense, as it will be necessary to employ interpreters to obtain answers to the necessary questions. Further arrangements will be announced later, according to Deputy-Registrar Bayly.

COMPULSORY VACCINATION.

ST. JOHN, N.B., May 20.—In view of the smallpox situation in this city, there being some twenty cases, the board of health today ordered compulsory vaccination in the whole city.

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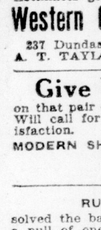
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WEDDING BELLS

WASSER—WEIDENBAUM.

A very pretty Jewish wedding took place Sunday evening at 6 o'clock in the Wellington Street Synagogue, when Miss Bessie Weidenbaum was united in marriage to Samuel Wasser, both of this city. Rabbi Phillip performed the ceremony, assisted by Rabbi Solomon. About 40 guests were present.

The bride was given away by her mother, Mrs. D. Weidenbaum, who wore a dress of pale grey georgette crepe, trimmed with beads. The bride wore a gown of white chamois satin, and carried a bunch of white roses. Miss C. Weidenbaum was maid of honor, and a sister of the bride, Miss Freda Weidenbaum, acted as bridesmaid, carrying a bunch of white carnations, and wearing a gown of white chamois satin. The groom was supported by Mr. and Mrs. L. Kraute of New York.

The groom's present to the bride was a diamond ring and diamond earrings, to the bridesmaid a pearl ring, and to the maid of honor also a pearl ring. During the ceremony the Tony Cortese Orchestra played the "Wedding March."

At the conclusion of the ceremony the wedding party motored to the home of the bride's parents, 244 Ottaway avenue, where a wedding dinner was served.

The young couple were the recipients of many beautiful presents, and guests were present from St. Thomas, Chatham, New York and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Wasser left on their honeymoon early Monday morning for Toronto, Hamilton, New York and other eastern points.

GOVERNMENT RED TAPE STILL BINDS TUBERCULAR PRISONER IN CELL HERE

Months Have Passed But Health Menace Still Remains.

While Government red tape is being slowly unwound, Higgins Hughes, the tubercular prisoner at the county jail, still languishes in that institution, where proper facilities for the treatment of his disease are not available.

Hughes, a colored soldier, was sentenced to an indeterminate period of not less than three months nor not more than two years when convicted on a charge of assaulting Dr. Shiels at Victoria Hospital. Hughes has been pronounced by Dr. James D. Wilson, the jail physician, as a menace to the health of the other prisoners and jail attendants. The Burwash farm authorities refused to permit Hughes to be transferred there. The case has been taken up, by Deputy Sheriff Watterworth, and Dr. Wilson, with the Ontario Government officials, several times. The only notice so far taken of Hughes by these officials was that his case would be taken under consideration. The strongest representations have been made to have Hughes removed. He has served two months beyond his minimum period, but the local officials have received no word of any action being taken to release the prisoner. Hughes is in an advanced stage of tuberculosis and it is expected cannot live much longer.

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BAPTIST SOCIETIES WELL REPRESENTED AT ANNUAL B.Y.P.U. RALLY

St. Thomas Pastor Speaker for Meeting.

Rev. F. Patrick Dennison, pastor of Centre Street Baptist Church, St. Thomas, was the principal speaker at the third annual rally of the Baptist Young People's Unions held in Talbot Street Baptist Church on Monday evening. A number of young people accompanied Rev. Mr. Dennison from St. Thomas. All the Baptist churches of the city were well represented at the rally.

"Talking with Jesus" was the subject chosen by Mr. Dennison for the address The difference between saying prayers and talking with Jesus and the conditions under which one could talk with the Lord were illustrated. "No man can go out into the world with a grouch if he has had genuine communion with Christ before leaving his chamber," said the speaker. Joy and power were mentioned as further results of communion with Jesus.

A solo by Mrs. May and a duet by Messrs. Talbot and Pierce were well received by the audience. The Scripture lesson was read by Miss Newbury. Miss Leach, the secretary of the association, called the roll. The meeting was presided over by Charles Geer, the president.

Rev. A. C. Bingham of Egerton Street Church urged those present to attend the B. Y. P. U. convention, which will be held in Ingersoll Thursday and Friday of this week. Announcement was also made of a monster picnic which is being arranged for Dominion Day in Woodstock. Plans are not all completed, but it is expected that everything will be arranged shortly.

FRUIT CAMP MAY BE ORGANIZED FOR BOYS TOO YOUNG FOR S. O. S.

Y. M. C. A. Now Working on Plan to Utilize Their Services.

As a result of the recent Soldiers of the Soil campaign, many local boys have been placed on farms in the vicinity of London. As the farmers were unable to accept boys under 15 years of age, many were disappointed, but if possible they too will be utilized in the country's service, if the plans of the local Y. M. C. A. are successful.

It is suggested that a large camp of these boys be formed in the vicinity of Arkona, under the direction of the Y. M. C. A., the boys to work in the daytime picking fruit on nearby farms, and the evenings to be devoted to recreation. A Y. M. C. A. representative will interview farmers in this district in the near future, and if possible a comp of this anture will be formed.

It is estimated that it will cost each boy $5 per week for board in camp, but as wages are high, each boy will come back with money in his pocket, knowing that he has helped in the greater production campaign. Full details of the scheme, if put into operation, will be announced later.

MAY GO TO U. S. ARMY

Battery Sergt.-Major Simmons of "Originals" To Be Instructor.

Sergt.-Major Bert Simmons, Canadian Field Artillery, and one of the "originals" of the 1st Contingent, may be sent to the United States army as an artillery instructor. Sergt.-Major Simmons, now home on furlough, has been placed in Category C by the examining medical boards, but because of his value as an instructor will hardly be released from service.

A veteran of the South African war, Sergt.-Major Simmons was one of the first London men to enlist. He acted as London recruiting sergeant of the Princess Patricia Canadian Light Infantry, and dropped his sergeant-major's crown to enlist in the old 6th Battery as a sergeant going overseas with the late Lieut-Col. Woodman Leonard's command. His service in France has been long and he wears two gold wounded stripes.

JUVENILE CRIME WAVE

Number of Cases Coming for Trial Here on Increase.

Juvenile delinquency is on the increase in the city, several cases being heard daily in the juvenile court. The solution of this problem seems as far away today as ever.

Following a wave of juvenile crime last autumn a number of boys were sent to the Industrial School, and through the winter the number of juvenile cases diminished. During the last two weeks, however, the epidemic seems to have broken out again, and at present the Children's Shelter is proving inadequate to hold the youthful offenders pending their trials. The offenders are nearly all cases of theft. The juvenile crime outbreak is attributed, by the majority of students of this class of delinquency, to the lack of parental control, bad companions, dime novels, and cigarettes.

WORLD NEWS BRIEFS

Cossacks and Chinese are fighting under General Semenoff against the Reds in Eastern Russia and Siberia.

U-boat 39, which sank the Lusitania, has put into a Spanish port badly damaged from an encounter with a French hydroplane.

Baron Rhondda has decided not to resign from the British food controllership.

A Dutch steamship bound from Stockholm to Rotterdam, has been seized in the Baltic by the Germans.

Russian Government charges the German with being responsible for the Turk outrages against the Armenians.

German submarines have opened unrestricted warfare on ships of Norway and are sinking many fishing crafts.

Another large Spanish ship has been sunk by the Germans.

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COUNCIL ACTION BLOCK TO SPEEDY CHARGE HEARING

Referring of the Allegations Against Fire Dept. to Committee Means Delay.

NO INTEREST DISPLAYED

Question Will Have To Go Before Committee and Board of Control Before Coming Back.

The council's action at last night's meeting in passing the fire department charges on to No. 1 committee without the formality of reading them or questioning whether or not there should be investigation, was a move tending to delay. To an onlooker, it was rather surprising that not one member of the council was curious enough to ask what the allegations were in the charges of the trades council. Not one alderman raised the question as to whether or not the council should decide the question of an investigation, for sooner or later it will be the council which will have to decide.

As the case now stands, No. 1 committee will be the first to know what is contained in the charges. It will meet, possibly next week, and read them over. Then will come the question, "Do they warrant recommending to the city council that an investigation be held?" If so, the committee will recommend that an investigation be held. This will go to the board of control. The board may pass the recommendation on as it stands or may make an additional recommendation. Finally, the question will get back to the city council. The council will then go into it, and finally pass it. This may be at the first meeting in June. Monday night's action seemed to indicate that there were some who would like to delay the probe as long as possible. In the committee, these may work for further delay, and be successful. For this reason it is safe to say that it will be nearer July than June 1 when an investigation, if one is ordered, gets under way.

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Douglas Fairbanks, the smiling and athletic screen star, featured in his latest success, "Headin' South," showing at the Majestic today.

snow-capped mountains, forest wilderness, the western plains, and the blazing desert.

Catherine MacDonald plays the leading female role, with Frank Campeau, the noted "heavy" of the stage and screen, as the arch villain of the story.

Many of the scenes in "Headin' South" were taken on the Mexican border during a time when trouble was brewing, and close watch was kept on the hundred Mexicans who were engaged to take part in the photoplay. One of the Mexicans was suspected of trying to start an uprising and was shot and wounded by a Fairbanks cowboy, who happened to be an Arizona deputy sheriff. The matter was taken into court, where it was held that the cowboy was justified in his action, as his promptness in squelching the Mexican had averted a possible riot. However, this incident cost Fairbanks $500 for attorney and doctor fees.

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WESTERN ONTARIO BRIEFS

FOREST.—Rev. J. R. Laverie leaves today for London, and this evening will be formally inducted as pastor of Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church.

KITCHENER.—The tag day held in aid of the Kitchener and Waterloo Hospital netted $2,000. Last year $1,850 was raised.

PORT TALBOT—Gill-net fishermen report good catches of perch and pickerel, and a ready sale for everything caught.

STRATFORD.—Chas. Dingman, of the editorial staff of the Winnipeg Telegram, has been appointed editor of the Stratford Herald, to fill the vacancy by departure of Ross Keane on overseas service.

GALT.—Out of eleven Class "B" men examined by the tribunal yesterday no exemptions were granted, one or two farm hands being granted short extensions to enable them to help in the crops.

MITCHELL.—Arthur Looker, aged 17, of concession 5, Logan Township, had his right arm badly smashed by being drawn into a gasoline engine while adjusting a belt.

Members of the Essex Border Utilities Commission are strongly opposed to the payment of $100 a day asked by Engineer Morris Knowles for preparing plans and estimates for a new waterworks system to supply the border municipalities.

Good progress has been made with the organization of the War Chest Association campaign at Sarnia.

Stratford has given the bylaw authorizing the expenditure of $15,000 for the city coalyard its first two readings.

Ingersoll banks have notified the council that they will discontinue receiving water and electric light bills after July 1.

James Henderson, a member of the St. Thomas Collegiate staff, has resigned, to go farming.

The assistant chief and thirteen members of the Galt fire department have asked for an increase of $100 a year in salary.

Kitchener council has decided to secure a municipal coalyard.

Union of the Knox and First Presbyterian Churches in St. Marys has been urged by Rev. P. N. G. Atkinson of Motherwell.

Frank Robinson, who appeared in the Windsor police court on six separate charges of theft, may be a draft evader, and he was remanded pending an investigation.

Members of the United Farmers of Ontario, living in Guelph Township, have asked Hugh Guthrie, M.P., to either use his influence with the Government to secure exemption for farmers and farm laborers, or resign.

Brantford council has approved the purchase of the two existing toll roads in Brant County, and called for an immediate report on the gas situation, including the supply of natural gas available, purification and the cost of an artificial gas plant.

Lightning struck several buildings and homes early yesterday at Kitchener, terrorizing the residents.

Announcement has been made that the Motor Truck Company of Smithford has secured a $5,000,000 contract for shells from the American Government. The contract will involve the expenditure of $1,000,000 in new buildings and equipment.

A score of St. Thomas youths have been arrested for damage done to the Grand Theatre there, will appear in court on Saturday.

Pte. Percy E. Prine, 2nd C. O. R., of Brantford, was sentenced to two years by a court-martial for deliberately maiming himself in order to escape overseas service.

Under the direction of the rural community life movement in Ontario, an institute will be held at Alvinston on June 7, 8 and 9.

In imposing a $50 fine on Sarkis Aroplan, a Brantford Armenian storekeeper, Magistrate Livingstone declared that he would afford every possible protection to the women of the city against foreigners.

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