

SPORTING GOSSIP

LOCAL BOWLING THE SENIOR LEAGUE.

The bowling fans of the Y.M.C.A. alleys witnessed a double header on the alleys last evening when the Swans vs. Owls met...

Table with columns for Swans and Owls, listing names and scores for the first game.

Table with columns for Autos, listing names and scores for the second game.

SPARROWS.

Table with columns for Sparrows, listing names and scores.

ON BLACK'S ALLEYS.

Western Union vs. T. S. Simms' quintettes, respectively, did not meet as scheduled in the Commercial League last evening...

PILOTS.

Table with columns for Pilots, listing names and scores.

PANTERS.

Table with columns for Panthers, listing names and scores.

FORMER BASEBALL MANAGER SUICIDES.

Baltimore, April 8.—Moses N. Frank, president of the City Jail Board, and former president of the Baltimore International League baseball club...

SUNDAY BASEBALL.

Providence, R. I., April 8.—The Senate today by a vote of 26 to 11 passed in concurrence with the house the bill legalizing the playing of professional baseball on Sunday...

THE SCANDINAVIAN.

The R. M. S. Scandinavian, which will probably dock at Sand Point Friday, has on board a total list of 864 officers, other ranks and military dependents...

MORE CHANGES IN PHYSIQUE THAN IN STYLE.

The altered physique of the home coming warriors has found its truest reflection in a "Type B-erect form" suit. The figure, transformation effected by military training has made new clothes an absolute necessity for most of our heroes.

A story is told of an officer who left home when women wore bustles and wide skirts, and when he came back found them dressed after the pattern of a bean-pole. He said to his wife: "Why, when I left home you reminded me of the letter O; now you look like a capital I."

It is a transverse transformation in the physique of the men who have been undergoing such strenuous military service. They have a figure and bearing which has been shown for years in the Semi-ready physique Type B-erect form. This requires particular designing and cutting.

The Semi-ready Store at King and Germain streets has just received from the shops some extra special Semi-ready suits for \$35—the equal in quality of most \$50 suits.

"We have suits in every physique type to fit the normal man and he who is hard-to-fit," said Mr. Creary.

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TESTIMONY OF JOHN A. HEYDLER

National League President Concludes Evidence of Organized Baseball in Defense for \$900,000 Damages Brought by Federal Club.

Washington, April 8.—Testimony of John A. Heydler, president of the National League, today concluded the evidence of organized baseball in defense of the suit for \$900,000 damages brought by the Baltimore Federal club under the Sherman anti-trust law.

Brief rebuttal evidence for the plaintiffs was expected to close the case and attorneys for the defendants then planned to present a motion for an instructed verdict of dismissal.

President Heydler's testimony dealt principally with the club's practice of holding players on "reserve" lists. The number of players on these lists is about 1,800, of which the minor leagues have 1,300 and 500 less than in 1913.

Mr. Heydler conceded that, largely as a result of Federal League competition baseball conditions in 1914, were such that disaster was imminent and that, therefore, it was deemed to remove the cause.

Testimony previously given by former President Gilmore of the Federal League, President Johnson of the American League and others than President Rasin of the Baltimore Federals, was presented when the baseball "peace pact" was concluded and was corroborated by Mr. Heydler.

IT'S BUTTER, BUTTER, WHO'S GOT THE BUTTER

Price is Soaring Skywards—Six Large Firms Without Any Yesterday—May Reach Dollar Per Pound—Quotations Elsewhere.

Those who had occasion to ask for butter at their dealers yesterday and were met with the reply: "Sorry, we're all sold out," are wondering why there is a scarcity of butter and why the price is soaring.

"That the supply of butter has been greatly decreased is a fact beyond cavil. Six of the largest grocery stores in the city did not have a pound for sale yesterday at noon, and there is not much prospect of the conditions getting any better in a hurry.

Many people are being blamed for this shortage. Some say that there is an immense amount of butter in cold storerooms which were "hoarded" during the days of war. And still another fact pointed out is that the dairyman can get far better returns for good rich milk and heavy cream than he can from skimmed milk and butter—and so the buck is passed along to the ultimate consumer, who always gets it in one way or another.

There was some butter in the city yesterday, but the quantity was so small and the price so high that it was probably locked up in the store safes at night rather than in the usual ice chests. Ordinary dairy butter was quoted at 62c by one concern and creamery butter at 60c, but the other dealers were "hoarding" like Johnny Walker's whiskey.

Of course it has been stated that Europe is on the basis of a five hundred billion pound shortage in her yearly production, but that is Europe, with all of America, Asia and the highly productive Danish countries to draw from.

Canada alone had, at last official report, a "butter surplus" of 1,500,000 pounds over last year, and the sister country to the south is in an equally open state.

The suggestion is made that the price be fixed for local consumption and that export be banned. The former is a question of policy for the Government, but from what could be learned today, it is most improbable. The disposition is to regard price fixing as a complement of the war, and to remove all restrictions now. As a matter of fact, during the war, prices were fixed only on some commandeered commodities. The system followed was rather that of limiting profits.

With regard to the suggestion banning of export such, of course, is possible, but the producers put up the argument that export trade is sought to be developed, and if they are prevented from getting markets, they will go to other countries.

The present price is not due to the fact that great quantities are being exported, for they are not. Only half a dozen carloads have been exported in the last month, because not enough is being made for home consumption and reserves are being drawn on. The price is determined, not on what is being put in actual sales, but rather on what is being offered.

Government officials hope for some improvement in things from the consumers' standpoint in the summer, but they are not optimistic unless dairymen abroad come back quickly. The Market Elsewhere.

New York—Best butter 69c to 70c; good butter 66c to 67c; Boston—Best butter 68 1/2c to 69 1/2c; good butter 67c to 68c; Philadelphia—Best butter 70 1/2c to 72c; good butter 68c to 70c; Chicago—Best butter, 65c to 66c; good butter 63 1/2c to 64c; Toronto—Best butter 70c, very little offering.

MARSHAL FOCH FORESAW DANGER OF GERMAN AGGRESSION

All is indicated in a Letter to be Read at a Dinner in Honor of General Wilson, Chief of the Imperial General Staff—Praises the Work of Sir Henry Who Was a Most Valued Allied Helper.

London, April 8.—(British Wireless Service)—That Marshal Foch foresaw the danger before the outbreak of the war of German aggression, is indicated in a letter which he has sent to London to be read at a dinner which the members of the House of Commons are to give soon after Easter in honor of General Sir Henry Wilson, chief of the imperial general staff.

Marshal Foch says: "Long before the war General Wilson and I worked together to prepare for the struggle against the German peril, which we both foresaw. It is due to the success of his mobilization and his careful and detailed plans for transporting troops that the British army was able to arrive quickly on the field of battle, as soon as the government had come to a decision."

BRITISH MILITARY AND U.S. IMMIGRATION IN MIX-UP

As a Result of Someone's Lack of Proper Knowledge 2,700 Soldiers, Mostly Americans, Who Served Under British Flag Are Penned up Aboard Ship in New York.

New York, April 8.—Twenty-seven hundred officers and soldiers, a majority of them Americans, who are veterans of war as soldiers under the British flag, remained penned on the steamship Mauretania at her dock here today, because the United States immigration, and the British military officials had not agreed as to the status of these troops.

The ship sailed from England without a manifest list, because the British military authorities said none was necessary, the officers and men being regarded as troops being repatriated. The Immigration Authorities here, it is said, have taken a different view, looking upon them as passengers, and here, today, because the United States immigration, and the British military officials had not agreed as to the status of these troops.

Mr. Sweeney did not think that St. John had such housing. Anyway the Board of Health regulations were supposed to govern housing. He believed that he was helping farmers to provide homes for their boys and hire help. It would be better policy to help our own people than bringing in immigrants.

HOUSING BILL UNDER DISCUSSION AT FREDERICTON

Hon. Dr. Baxter Makes a Strong Appeal on Behalf of the Workingman.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 8.—Much interest was manifested in the housing bill to take advantage of the Dominion government's loan, and various speakers voiced emphatically their recognition of the need of improved housing for the working classes of the province.

Mr. Baxter made a particular striking speech, pointing out that the war had revolutionized the workingman's outlook on life, and various speakers should need to bestir themselves to facilitate the creation of conditions, enabling the working man to enjoy a fair measure of comfort. Having learned his power, the workman would not, hereafter, accept, with patience, a condition of affairs permitting some people to make huge fortunes with little exertion, while the workman could not hope to obtain more from life of toil than a roof over his head.

Mr. Potts said he did not know whether any houses would be built under the act, but he was glad to see that the government hoped it would be of assistance, particularly to returned soldiers. If they had government with backbone they would make St. John a decent place to live in for the workingman. Municipalities should do something too.

The Premier—"Why didn't you do something when you were in the council?" Mr. Potts—"I was needed up here." Mr. Campbell moved that provision should be made for tearing down un-

PROHIBITION CAUSE OF MUCH TROUBLE IN HALIFAX

Temperance Delegation Meets Halifax Board of Control and Spade is Called a Spade.

Special to The Standard. Halifax, N.S., April 8.—A temperance delegation waited on the Board of Control today to urge the reappointment of Inspector Tracey. A session was created when A. P. Buckley said he was not present to oppose Mr. Tracey's reappointment, but he would like to ask the temperance delegations what promises they had made every night to abstain from drinking together to strengthen as rapidly as possible, weak spot in the link to combine our efforts to reinforce our hand-tried armies, and once again enable them to go forward, and as I recall memories, still so fresh in my mind, I can see him always before me as one of the most capable, most loyal and most valiant soldiers of the Allied armies, and one of the greatest servants of his country."

ACID IN STOMACH SOUNDS THE FOOD

Says Excess of Hydrochloric Acid is Cause of Indigestion.

A well known authority states that stomach trouble and indigestion are nearly always due to acidity—acid stomach—and not, as most folks believe, from a lack of digestive juices. He states that an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach retards digestion and starts food fermentation, then our meals sour like garbage in a can, forming acid fluids and gases which inflame the stomach like a toy balloon. We then get that heavy lumpy feeling in the chest, or eructate sour food, belch gas, or have heartburn, flatulence, waterbrash, or nausea.

He tells us to lay aside all digestive aids and instead, get from any pharmacy four ounces of Jad Salts and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast while it is effervescent, and furthermore, to continue this for one week. While relieved follow the first dose it is important to neutralize the acidity, remove the gas-making man, start the liver to stimulate the kidneys and thus promote a free flow of pure digestive juices.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and sodium phosphate. This harmless salt is used by thousands of people for stomach trouble with excellent results.

VENIOT-FOSTER GOV'T FILES UP DEBT

blinking black and took up a good deal of time. Mr. Murray (Kings) and Mr. Baxter criticized the proposed amendment strongly, saying that it practically reduced the functions of the comptroller general to that of a rubber stamp, and claiming that a better system of protecting the province should be devised.

After passing the audit bill the government were so elated that they forgot their good resolution to keep down to business and tried to start another budget debate. The honorable provincial secretary brought in a bill to abolish the practice of leasing a financial statement within 60 days of the close of the fiscal year and straightway proceeded to discuss matters which he evidently forgot to deal with in his budget speech.

He admitted that the statement issued by the government on December 31st was misleading. But said that was the fault of the system of book-keeping. Other governments had developed the habit of issuing cheerful financial statements on Dec. 31st as a sort of New Year's present to the people, and later on finding out that they were not so rich as they thought they were during the festive season.

The Veniot-Foster government being too young and innocent had unwittingly fallen into the same mistake, and misled the people as to the state of provincial finances. So they proposed to cut out the statement which was bound to be misleading. They did not want to be again caught deceiving the people if they could help it.

Mr. Murray, the opposition leader, said it had always been understood that the financial statement issued on December 31st was not absolutely correct, but only approximate. It might be cut out, but the present government had only themselves to thank for proclaiming in the party papers that they had a surplus of \$20,000 when they really had a deficit of \$124,000. There was absolutely no reason why they should not have issued an approximately true statement.

Mr. Baxter said people would infer from the attitude of the government that they wanted to conceal something. Within 60 days of the government ought to be able to give a reasonable true statement of the financial operations of the year and they should also publish the complete general report before the session of the legislature so as to give opportunity for examining it before the budget debate.

How Mr. Foster said that on the actual cash transactions of the year they had a surplus. But unfortunately the cash transactions did not show the complete financial operations of the year.

The Premier then expressed surprise that the bill which would abolish statutory requirement should have been presented to the house before he was consulted about it, and peremptorily ordered that it be laid over until he had an opportunity to give it his attention.

GERMAN PRESS ATTACK ERZBERGER

Say His Agreement With Foch Only Adds a New and Deplorable Concession to Allies.

Zurich, April 8. (French Wireless Service)—Many German newspapers are attacking Matthias Erzberger and the German government for the agreement reached with Marshal Foch at Spa last week concerning transportation of Polish troops from France to Poland. Some call the agreement a "new and deplorable concession" by Germany to the Allies.

The Voelksliche Zeitung, of Berlin, says that the transport of the Poles through Germany will be difficult because of the lack of means of transportation.

"Will Erzberger, who easily consented to the Allied demands at Spa, kindly tell us how he intends to solve this grave question of the transportation of the Polish troops?"

PERSONALS

H. G. and J. H. Marr returned home yesterday from a week's visit to Montreal, Toronto and New York.

Paris, April 7.—(Havas)—The commission on the League of Nations will hold a plenary session, tonight, and it is expected that the members will vote on the amendments on the Monroe Doctrine and racial discrimination offered by the Americans and Japanese respectively.

LENINE'S REASON FOR FOOD SHORTAGE IN PETROGRAD

Says Refusal of Taking Peasants to Deliver Wheat to Bolsheviki is the Cause of Trouble.

Washington, April 8.—(Reuter)—Ukrainian peasants to deliver wheat to the Bolsheviki, together with the disorganization of the railway system in Russia, was blamed by Premier Lenin, in a recent speech in Petrograd, for the desperate food situation in the former capital of the Russian empire. Swedish press reports, transmitted to the state department today giving a summary of Lenin's speech, quote the Bolsheviki president as saying his Petrograd audience that he had implored the Ukrainian Soviet to send fifty million pounds of wheat to a score of cities in Petrograd and Moscow, communities where the government are in possession of the hands of the opponents of the Soviet government, and that the peasants were trying to starve the Bolsheviki.

Lenine is further quoted as saying that half of that amount of wheat would be given to the government, the other half to the peasants. It was impossible to get more, but that it seemed doubtful if they would be able to get even twenty-five million pounds. He declared that the peasants were mere playthings in the hands of the opponents of the Soviet government, and that the Bolsheviki were trying to starve the Bolsheviki.

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Meet Members of the Cabinet to Discuss Better Pay and Better Hours of Work.

Ottawa, April 8.—Conferees between postal employees and members of the government are in progress today, and will be continued tomorrow. This morning's conference was between representatives from William Post, Postmaster-General, and the postal clerks and post office clerks. They were received by Senator Blenden, Postmaster-General, and Hon. N. W. Rowell, president of the privy council, and Dr. Coulter, deputy postmaster-general. The claims uncovered a wide field of include generally questions of better pay and working conditions. The conferences are in progress in Toronto, Hamilton and other points to meet the government.

MAY CLOSE ROMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

Financial Bankruptcy Facing That System in Ottawa.

Ottawa, Ont., April 8.—A possibility of financial bankruptcy for the Roman Catholic school system of Ottawa, forcing the closing of all the separate schools in the city before the end of the year, was intimated this morning by Mr. S. M. Genest, chairman of the separate school board. Mr. Genest stated that the present financial condition of the school system, and indications for the future, positively preclude the possibility of the board of trustees being able to continue the administration of the schools to the end of the year, unless the financial situation is improved in some way, which prevents the school board from borrowing money is lifted in the near future.

LAPLAND HAS BIG BUNCH OF SOLDIER

There Are Two Officers and 67 Other Ranks for St. John District.

Ottawa, April 8.—With 1,574 Canadian soldiers on board, the steamship Lapland is now on her way across the Atlantic. She will probably dock at Halifax on April 11.

For the Halifax dispersal area there are seven officers and 100 other ranks; St. John, two officers and other ranks; Moncton, one officer and 35 other ranks; Charlottetown, one officer; Quebec, two officers and eighteen other ranks; Montreal, two officers and 174 other ranks.

COUGHED, COUGHED ALL NIGHT LONG

Terribly wearing on the system the cough that comes at night and prevents sleep. Sometimes it is a constant cough, cough that will not be quieted.

Sometimes it is a choked-up, stuffy feeling that makes breathing difficult, and sleep impossible. Whatever kind of a cold or cough you have, Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is the remedy you need to cure it, for the simple reason that this valuable preparation combines all the lung healing virtues of the Norway pine tree which is combined with cherry bark, and the soothing, healing and expectorant properties of other excellent herbs and banks.

Miss Margaret Landry, Bristol, P. I., writes—"I am writing to you for a reason I have been troubled by Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. "Last fall I took a severe cough and cold in my head. It was unable to cough at night. I could not sleep, but cough, all night long. Friend advised me to use Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and before I had second bottle was used, it was entirely cured, and I have found this the best cough medicine I can buy."

Do not accept any other "pine" preparations when you ask for "Dr. Wood's." This remedy has been on the market for a quarter of a century. It is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pills in each bottle, and costs 25c and 50c. Manufactured on the T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Advertisement for Purdy Flour, featuring a large illustration of a flour sack and text describing its quality and availability.

Advertisement for Raincoats, featuring an illustration of a raincoat and text describing its features and availability.

Advertisement for Gilmour's, 68 King St., featuring an illustration of a soldier's outfit and text describing the store's offerings.

Advertisement for The Weather, featuring a weather forecast table for various locations.

Advertisement for Quinine, featuring an illustration of a bottle and text describing its benefits for malaria and fever.

Advertisement for Bromo Quinine, featuring an illustration of a bottle and text describing its benefits for various ailments.

Advertisement for DIED, featuring an illustration of a man and text describing a funeral service.

Advertisement for CARD OF THANKS, featuring an illustration of a man and text expressing gratitude for a service.

Advertisement for O'KEEFE, featuring an illustration of a man and text describing a business opportunity.

Advertisement for Beecham's Pills, featuring an illustration of a bottle and text describing its benefits for constipation.

Advertisement for How To Make a Real Wrinkle Remover, featuring an illustration of a woman and text describing a beauty product.

Advertisement for GERMAN PRESS ATTACK ERZBERGER, featuring an illustration of a newspaper and text describing a political event.

Advertisement for PERSONALS, featuring an illustration of a man and text describing a social event.

Advertisement for DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, featuring an illustration of a bottle and text describing its benefits for kidney ailments.

Advertisement for FUCH PRaises WORK OF AUSTRALIANS, featuring an illustration of a soldier and text describing a military achievement.

Advertisement for FOR YOUR Bread, Cakes and Pies you will find Purdy Flour, featuring an illustration of a flour sack and text describing its quality.

Advertisement for MORE BREAD AND BETTER BREAD AND BETTER PASTRY, featuring an illustration of a loaf of bread and text describing a flour product.

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Quinine That Does Not Affect Head Because of its tonic and laxative effect, LAXATIVE DROMO QUININE (Tablets) can be taken by anyone without nervousness or ringing in the head. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature on the box, 30c.

DIED.
STEWART—On the 8th inst., Charles Robert Stewart, son of the late Robert Stewart and Emma Wilson.

Funeral from his late residence, 93 Sydney street, on Thursday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock.

ROBERTSON—In this city on the 7th inst., Agnes, widow of George Robertson.

Funeral to be held Wednesday afternoon from the residence of Charles T. Logan, 254 St. James street. Services commencing at 2:30 o'clock (Daylight time).

O'KEEFE—In this city on the 7th inst., William O'Keefe, leaving his wife, three sons and three daughters to mourn.

Notice of funeral later.

CARD OF THANKS.
The family of the late James L. Eagles take this opportunity of thanking their many friends for kindness and beautiful letters of sympathy. Also members of the Temple of Honor and W. C. T. U. and friends for delicacies and flowers during his illness.

To build yourself up when you feel run down—to bring back health, appetite and strength—take

Beecham's Piles

How to Make a Real Wrinkle Remover

In these days of cleverly advertised "beautifiers" and "rejuvenators" it is hard for a woman to believe she can make a simple home remedy for the removal of wrinkles which will do her much more good than the average made preparation. There's nothing in the world so effective for erasing or preventing wrinkles, age marks, bagginess of cheeks and chin, as a simple and harmless solution made by dissolving an ounce of pure powdered saxolite in a half pint of witch hazel. These ingredients of course can be had at any drug store. Use the mixture daily for a while as a refreshing wash lotion. The quick and satisfactory results will surprise you. Even the most stubborn wrinkles produce very marked improvement. The wrinkles are less in evidence and the face has a firm, "solid," comfortable feeling. Soon you will look considerably less than your age.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS

FOR CONSTIPATION

have stood the test of time. Purely vegetable. Wonderfully quick to banish biliousness, headache, indigestion and to clear up a bad complexion. Genuine home signature *Bread Food*

THE COMMUNISTS FAILED TO SCARE THE ALLIES

Movement, Engineered by Karolyi, Has Reacted and Scared Out Those Who Planned it.

Budapest, Monday, April 7.—(By The Associated Press)—It is considered certain here that the communist movement was engineered by Count Michael Karolyi, the former president, to scare the Allies by a spectre of Bolshevism and thereby draw attention to the situation in Hungary. It was a measure of despair, the results of which have scared out those who planned the move as it has given an opportunity for Bela Kun, the foreign minister, to attempt to become a dictator of the Trotsky type. The communists are opposed by the socialists who are attempting to form a moderate socialist government.

All who dare, from waiters to manufacturers, inform the correspondent that none but a few mad men in Budapest want nationalization of property and other similar communist schemes. Bela Kun in speeches yesterday and today attempted to make the people believe that the visit here of General Smuts, the Allied commissioner to Hungary, was the recognition of the aims of the communist government.

It is reported in some quarters that General Smuts came here with authority to adjust new boundary lines for Hungary under the armistice, but that he left here for Paris by way of Prague without doing so.

ALL EXCITED OVER LIQUOR QUESTION

Special Election to be Held at Wellington, N. Z., to Settle the Liquor Status.

Wellington, N. Z., April 8.—Much excitement is preceding the special election to be held on Thursday, April 10th, to decide upon the continuance of the liquor license system or prohibition with compensation to liquor interests. Both sides express confidence in the result. If prohibition is not carried future polls will be held for decision of the triple issue of continuance of licensing prohibition without compensation or state purchase and control, an absolute majority of the votes cast being necessary to carry any of the propositions.

MERCHANT KING DIES SUDDENLY

Frank W. Woolworth Passed Away at His Long Island Home Yesterday.

New York, April 8.—Frank W. Woolworth, founder and proprietor of the chain of five and ten cent stores in the United States, Canada and England, whose death occurred suddenly today at Glen Cove, Long Island, suffered a nervous breakdown about six years ago and has been in failing health since that time. He had been able to take an active interest in his business affairs, however, until last Friday, when he went to his country home on the advice of his physicians. He developed a cold on the trip and gradually grew weaker. His doctors gave nervous exhaustion and septic poisoning as the cause of his death.

PROPERTY MISSING AFTER KINMEL RIOT

Several Persons Fined in London Court for Swiping Tea, Meat, Bread and Clothing.

London, April 8.—(Canadian Associated Press)—A lot of Canadian government property was missing after the Kinmel Park outbreak and several persons were fined yesterday at the local sessions of being in possession of it. The goods included tea, meat, bread and clothing. The lawyer who appeared for the accused said that it was impossible for him to resist the temptation to sample the things which were thrown about during the riots and when tons of tobacco and cigarettes were given away by the soldiers.

MOTHER PLEADS FOR HER SON

Cottin's Mother Intercedes in His Behalf With President Poincare.

Paris, April 8.—Mrs. Cottin, mother of Emile Cottin, who was sentenced to death several weeks ago for his attack on Premier Clemenceau in February, today appealed personally to President Poincare to exercise clemency in her son's case. The mother was accompanied to the president's residence by her son's lawyer.

STATE OF VICTORIA MOVES RAPIDLY

Has Expended Over Five Millions in Land for Returned Soldiers.

Melbourne, April 8.—The State of Victoria, of the Commonwealth of Australia, has expended up to date more than \$5,200,000 in the purchase of land for the settlement of repatriated soldiers. It was announced today. A total of \$7,500 acres has been purchased.

F. A. DYKEMAN & CO. Easter Exposition

Giving formal display to the delightful new styles for Spring and Easter.

Commencing Wednesday, April 9th, and Thursday, 10th, and continuing on till Easter.

An exposition of lovely modes in which Paris and New York unfold their choicest and most fascinating secrets fully and freely to you.

Presenting with metropolitan eclat and profusion Fashion's latest approvals in

SUITS, FROCKS, COATS, LINGERIE, SKIRTS, BLOUSES, NECKWEAR, GLOVES AND HOSIERY.

SUITS

which form a vitally important item in her wardrobe—Dame Fashion has been lavish in her variety. There are youthful little box Coats, or smart Coats with "hoesteering" belts. Fashionably narrow skirts are shirred at the waist, and the majority of the Suits introduce a delightful and effective contrast with the very new waistcoats.

Tricotage, Wool Poplins, Fine Serges, and Gabardines, are the fabrics in highest favor, while Navy Blue holds undisputed sway as the favorite color, with Dust, Grey, Caster, Taupe, Fox, to offer variety. Price \$25.00 to \$75.00.

COATS

the SPRING COATS which do service with everything from trim Serge Dresses to sheerest summer frocks. Buttons form the chief trimming, as well as accentuating the long, graceful lines. Such delightful materials as Velours, Tricotines, Bunny Cloth, Evora Cloth, Poirer Twill, and Whiteys are employed in their development, and the colors are again Rookie, Dust, Stone, Caster, and Blue. A particularly striking feature, and by no means a small one, are the over-collars on these Coats. Colors such as Dust, Victory Red, French Blue, in plain checks and spots are exceptionally rich, in such silks as Kumsa-Kumsa, Willow-Faille, Dew-Kist. Excellent values at \$25.00 to \$55.00.

FROCKS

Blue Serge, and Serges and Satin developed in straight lines, are the main features of the Spring Street Frocks. Should it sound as though there were a sameness, such thoughts are dispelled by the interesting trimmings which give variety, such as exquisite embroidery, in large and effective designs, done in Soutache Braids, yards and yards of this beautiful embroidery work finishing off the panels with rich fringe. Buttons are used on the more tailored models. Then, too, there are the Georgette Frocks with their delightful embroideries and irresistible charm in both light and dark colors. \$22.50 to \$65.00.

DYKEMAN'S

You Will Attend, Of Course

THE STORE HAS BLOSSOMED INTO SPRING AND EASTER DECORATIONS.

What a difference between door closing yesterday and door opening this morning. To early shoppers it would seem as though Magi and their Aides have been at work practising spells.

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MR. FOSTER'S SCRAP OF PAPER.

Premier Foster appears to regard the platform adopted by his party at the St. John convention as a scrap of paper. When B. F. Smith remarked in the House the other evening that the leader of the Government had gone back on his promise to build the Valley Railway to Andover, Honorable Mr. Foster rose in his place and blandly inquired if the promise to which reference was made was that in the platform of his party when in opposition.

Then he sat down again, as if he had said all there was need to say, and indicating that the party platform on which he was returned to power was no concern of his Government. He did not, like another prominent statesman, even take the trouble to plead necessity for repudiating the solemn promise of his party in convention assembled. He simply dismissed the whole matter with a wave of his hand and the self-satisfied smile of one who is superior to such things as obligations binding upon the ordinary man.

It can scarcely be said that Mr. Foster's refusal to carry out his party's promise is due to his overwhelming passion for economy. At any rate he does not appear to be particularly worried by the extravagant manner in which the minister of public works has been piling up expenditures on roads and bridges and charging the outlay to capital. Nor is his present attitude dictated by any rigid regard for truth, for one would be told the House that the delay in extension of the railway to Andover has been due to the fact that the Government had decided to make a third survey. The next week he told the Victoria-Charlottetown delegation that he could not raise the money for this construction, partly owing to the fact that the Prudential Trust Company had taken the proceeds of the sale of bonds for twelve miles of railway and invested it in business on the Pacific Coast, which part of America apparently has first claim on the use of New Brunswick's money.

It is his professed desire to have the Dominion Government take over the Valley Railway he should be anxious to see that railway to Grand Falls as rapidly as possible for, as Mr. Smith pointed out, the Dominion would take it over all the quicker if it had trunk line connection. Indeed, it may readily be argued from the Premier's attitude that he does not want the Government to take over the road, for the two principal arguments urged in support of this course would only be strengthened by the completion of the Valley Line. One of these arguments is that a great system of national railways would then be provided with a direct route to the winter port of St. John. The other is that the Dominion Government should give the Maritime Provinces better railway facilities by way of compensation for their contribution towards the construction of roads and railways in other parts of Canada.

As this paper has repeatedly pointed out, commission in itself is not altogether to blame for the measure of satisfaction or otherwise that it is accorded. The responsibility for the proper administration of civic affairs rests with the people themselves, and unless the electors of St. John are prepared to see that those chosen to handle the business of the City are the best men available for that purpose, it matters but little whether we have commission, board of control, ward system or some other form in operation. Commission Government has some good points. The aldermanic system had its good points. No one plan is or ever will be ideal, and while there seems to be a growing dissatisfaction with the present method of administration as well as with some of the men elected to office, it may readily be expected that unless a direct personal interest is displayed in civic affairs by the great majority of the people in their form of government and in the men elected, no form of administration will be satisfactory.

able to expend more than thirty-two thousand dollars of the patriotic and war purposes fund—so-called—on anything which in any sense can be regarded as for patriotic or war purposes. The remaining sixty or seventy thousand dollars collected under that assessment has gone for road ditching and into that same fund so ruthlessly squandered by Peter Veniot has also been dumped the other large amount taken from women and children in the form of an amusement tax. Of this amount St. John contributes nearly one half. The bulk of it comes from boys and girls who save their pennies to go to the picture shows and who have to add one cent to the price of the ticket of admission in order to meet the insatiable demands of Mr. Veniot, who is endeavoring to appease his hungry supporters all over New Brunswick. Every man, woman and child who goes to a theatre today is contributing to a party campaign fund to be at the disposal of Mr. Foster and his friends, just as those who were liberally robbed of more than one hundred thousand dollars for so-called patriotic and war purposes are contributing to that fund. The language used by Mr. Potts in relation to the amusement tax was altogether too mild to express the feelings of the people of New Brunswick in this particular regard.

Mr. Burchill considers it good business to support campaign funds, and it is people of Mr. Burchill's class who should put up the money required by Mr. Veniot and the others for the maintenance of their party organizations in the different counties, instead of forcing pennies from the children for such purposes.

COMMISSION.

Since Commission Government was introduced in St. John some six years ago, opinion has differed as to the wisdom of our people in making the change. There can be no doubt that the adoption of the present form of government was very largely due to the efforts of a comparatively small group of prominent men who, by a well organized campaign, placed very clearly before the people the weaknesses of the old system and the prospective advantages of the new, and who through the organization of the Citizens' Committee, undertook to keep in close touch with Commission Government and to guarantee its successful operation. Though well organized, it did not take the trouble to point out any of the advantages of the old Government or the weaknesses of the new, nor did the Citizens' Committee ever attempt to live up to its agreement to act as an advisory board. Having established Commission Government in St. John, the new scheme was allowed to drift. Those who promoted it took no further interest in it, and the weaknesses of Commission Government which might have been avoided by continued interest on the part of those responsible for it, have been growing more apparent every year. There are numbers of people who oppose commission, but their opposition has not recently taken the form of active hostility to the extent of urging the return to the old method of government. This may be a development of the near future, but Commission Government in itself is no worse today than it was when adopted by St. John.

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Mr. Potts brought up in the House recently a matter which is of interest to practically every one in every town and village in the Province. This is the iniquitous amusement tax imposed by the Premier's Government, purely as a means of revenue, to which the Provincial Government is not entitled, and which the people have no right to pay. Had this province been called upon to meet any extraordinary expenditure, such as has been faced by the Federal Government, during the past few years some reason might have been found for the imposition of special taxation of this nature, and under circumstances such as described the people would not strenuously object. But New Brunswick has had no such extraordinary expenditures not already generously provided for. In view of the possibility of calls being made upon the provincial treasury for patriotic and war purposes, the Veniot-Foster Government a year ago imposed direct taxation of one hundred and eighteen thousand dollars and for this they have not the least shadow of an excuse. That direct assessment on the people is nothing more or less than an outrage, for it is admitted by the provincial secretary himself that even by the widest stretch of imagination he has not been

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Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE.
I had 10 cents yesterday, being a nickel and 5 pennies with different dates on them, and after supper I thought, Gosh, I know what, I'll go around and ask Mary Watkins if she wants to go to the movies.
Which I went around to, and Mary Watkins was sitting on her front steps just settling there, me saying: "There's a grate movie around at the movies today, have you saw it?"
No, have you? said Mary Watkins, and I said, No, and she said, Then how do you know its grate?
The pictures outside look grate, I said. Which she dident say anything, and I said, Do you want to go and see it, I got 10 cents.
O, Id just love to, said Mary Watkins. Which jest then I felt in my pocket was the money was, and all I could feel was the nickel and 4 pennies, and the more I felt the more I couldnt feel the other penny on account of it not being there, me thinking, Gosh, Gosh. And I felt in all my other pockets and all they had in them was wat they was supposed to have, me thinking, Gosh, Gosh.
Well, Im glad we're going, anyway, said Mary Watkins. Proving my arguement dident have any effect, and on the way around I said, Im kind of tired of movies, are you?
No, said Mary Watkins. And we kept on going, me thinking, Gosh, Gosh, I know, Ill axidently on perpsis drop all the money I am getting the tickets and then say I cant find one of the cents.
Which I well, I know, were they give you 2 spoons with a 5 sent plate of ice cream if you ask them, lets go there.
Which we did, me using the extra 2 cents for 2 donuts.

A BIT OF VERSE

THE FARMERS' INNINGS.
(Toronto Star).
I guess you city fellows, who just think you're awful smart,
Have had a jolt lately, that has given you a start.
Us farmers' getting wiser now, and down there in Ottawa,
We've spoke sharp to our members, for to vote sign that law,
That daylight saving business, that you city folks desire,
So's, you can raise more garden truck, and no more be a buyer of stuff us farmers have to sell, give us all the josh;
Well, we have put a crimp in that, we surely have, by gosh.

And don't forget, you city folks, with you're not yet through,
There's many another thing we want, excepting just the boot,
We're going to knock the tariff out, and have free implements,
And you had better knuckle down, unless you've got no sense,
Till now you've had just all the easy, and made the laws to suit,
And us poor farmers nothing got, excepting just the boot;
But times have changed, and now we stand united one and all,
Just watch us, city people, and you'll see the tariff fall.

I know we're making money, and are having real good times,
A piling up the dollars, and a spending just the dime;
But long you've had your innings, right now we rule the deck,
So we will make you trot a heat, we surely will, by heck.

A BIT OF FUN

Where to Look.
Hokus—I've been looking for Hempeks everywhere, I wonder where he is.
Pokus—Have you looked under his wife's thumb?—Judge.

Something Erudite.
"Young air!"
"Yes, mamam!"
"I apprehend through perusing the paper that you are delighted to have him with you once more."
"But—er—er—it is a bit depressing at first. However, I suppose we'll have to get used to living up to the dignity of having a lieutenant in the family all the time."

A Severe Strain.
"Glad to hear your son is home again. Of course you are delighted to have him with you once more."
"Yes," replied Mr. J. Fuller Gloom. "But—er—er—it is a bit depressing at first. However, I suppose we'll have to get used to living up to the dignity of having a lieutenant in the family all the time."

Knew the Price.
A woman decided to give a party, and purchased a hat stand which she admired. While showing her purchase to a visitor her little boy came in and forgot to remove his hat. Thinking to teach him a lesson, she said:
"Tommy, what did I buy that hat stand for?"
"For a dollar and a half," answered Tommy promptly, "but you said that I was not to tell anyone."

A Barrister's Break.
A barrister, not so discreet as he

WHAT THEY SAY

Fort Leavenworth Style.
New York Herald: Of the 10,000 private sentenced to forty years' prison for refusing to drill, went about his disobedience too mildly. Should have been conscientious Objector, refused to fight or do anything else, thus winning honorable discharge and full pay.

Provincial Functions.
Toronto Globe: The function of health regulation belongs primarily to the local authority and Provincial superintendence. If the officials of the new Federal Department are wise, they will keep this in mind, and not try to encroach on Provincial jurisdiction.

A Tempered Drought.
Toronto News: According to the License Board, Ontario doctors have issued over half a million prescriptions for intoxicating liquors since wartime prohibition went into effect. It is clear that this province is scarcely "dry." But no sound argument for the re-establishment of the open bar can be based upon these considerations.

Time For a Square Deal.
From the Kingston Whig: Lord Shaughnessy, in a recent address to over five hundred C. P. R. officials, summed up the demand of the workingmen of the province as follows: "The opportunity to enjoy the good things of life that those in higher positions have enjoyed." The captains of industry are beginning to recognize the fact that there must be a wider measure of co-operation between employer and employes.

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WIRELESS LEAKED; BOOZE WAS LOST

Sydney, N. S., April 8.—On information supplied by local officials, two carloads of liquor, consigned to Cape Breton points, have been seized in transit at Moncton. Local temperance circles are much aroused over this part of the province and important developments are looked for.

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**RECEPTION FOR
THE N. B. UNITS**

Captain Rising Coming Home
to Arrange for Home-coming
of 26th—Meeting Held
Yesterday—Big Welcome
Awaits Heroes.

The following communications were
received yesterday by Mayor Hayes
relative to the home coming of the
"Fighting 26th" and other N. B. units:
6th Can. Infantry Brigade,
March 14, 1919.
Headquarters, 26th Battalion:
Reference to 2nd Division demobilization
instructions, units will submit
by March 17 the name of a senior
officer recommended to be despatched
to the dispersal centre of their bat-
talion in Canada to arrange for the
reception of their unit.
(Sgd.) J. BLACK, Captain,
Staff Capt. 5th Can. Infantry,
Brigade
March 15, 1919,
26th Canadians.
Headquarters 5th Can. Infantry Bri-
gade,
Reference your order of March 14,
undernoted is name of senior officer
recommended to be despatched to dis-
persal area of this battalion in Can-
ada (P. M. Rising, Captain).
(Sgd.) W. R. BROWN, Lt.-Col. D.S.O.,
The 26th on its return is to be ac-
companied by the 104th Battalion
band Captain Rising has already
left Belgium and is to cable the major
as soon as he leaves England for St.
John.
A London despatch says the 26th N.
B. Battalion will be in England in the
course of a few days.
Mayor Hayes yesterday received
word from Captain Rising regarding
his appointment and added that the
26th would come home with a strength
of 700 men.
A meeting of the Mayor and commis-
sioners, with members of the re-
ception committee was held in the
Mayor's office yesterday morning
when the following resolution was
adopted:
"Resolved that the mayor and commis-
sioners, recognizing the necessity
of having a much larger reception on
the occasion of the return of the large
units expected soon, request the re-
turned soldiers' reception committee
to invite the different organizations
of the city to send a representative
each to confer with them and the
commissioners as to laying out a pro-
gramme of reception."

UNION SQUARE FOUNTAIN.

The fountain suggested for Union
Square is six feet, eleven inches high,
with a base forty-four inches square,
eleven inches deep. Towards the
walk is an arm, containing a bubble
for people, facing the street or
square is a large basin holding four
drinking cups for horses. These cups
are stationary, measuring six inches
across. The water bubbles from the
bottom and washes away all ob-
jectionable matter into the basin,
whence it is carried into the sewer.
Horses cannot get their noses into
the large basin, neither can the water
overflow to render the street wet
and objectionable. At the base are
two drinking places for small animals.
The basin is set high enough to al-
low the pole or shaft of a wagon to
go underneath.
Facing the walk it is proposed to
have an inscription telling the object
of the fountain, which, it is hoped,
will be a continuous reminder of what
is owed to the dumb animals and an
incentive to the young to more con-
siderate treatment of their four-footed
friends.
This type of fountain is endorsed
by the Massachusetts Humane So-
ciety, which has installed several of
them. It has been tested in all kinds
of weather and will not become clog-
ged by sediment or freeze in cold
weather.

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**COMMON COUNCIL
REGULAR MEETING**

Give \$1,000 to G. W. V. A. to
Assist in Payment of Per-
manent Secretary — Will
Purchase New Truck and
Rock Drill.

The Common Council yesterday
passed a vote for a grant of \$1,000
to the G. W. V. A. to assist them in
the payment of a permanent secre-
tary; gave Commissioner Fisher au-
thority to purchase a two and a half
ton truck and a rock drill; accepted
the tender of F. J. McInerney for the
making of the uniforms for the em-
ployees of the ferry department; ap-
proved of the tender of the
fountain at the head of Brussels
street, and decided to take up an
important question at an early date.
During the discussion on the pur-
chase of the truck for the Public
Works Department, Commissioner
Jones took Commissioner Bullock
somewhat to task for asking the
number of questions, contending that
he and Commissioner Fisher had gone
very thoroughly into the matter and
recommended the best course to
pursue.
Mayor Hayes presided, and Com-
missioners Bullock, Jones, Thornton
and Fisher were present.
The report of the committee of
the whole, as already published, was
adopted.
The Commissioner of Finance and
Public Affairs reported payment for
the month of March amounting to
\$3,570.98, and recommended payments
of departmental accounts, as follows:
Public Department \$1,745.95; Public
Safety Department \$1,802.88; Public
Works Department, \$1,788.38; Water
and Sewerage Department \$1,560.13;
Harbors, P. & P. Lands Dept. \$3,288.33
Adopted.
The Commissioner of Harbors, Fer-
ries and Public Lands recommended
that the offer of the Roman Catholic
Bishop of St. John of \$625.00 for a
conveyance in fee simple of lots 1058,
1061 and parts of 1058, Brooks Ward,
be accepted, and that upon the pay-
ment of the purchase money to the
Chamberlain of the City he be given
a deed under the Common Seal. The
present rental is as follows: For
lots 1059 and 1061, \$6 each, or \$12.00
in all; part of lot 1058, \$8.00; part of
lot 1058, \$5.00; total, \$25.00 per
annum. Adopted.
A communication from the Trades
and Labor Council, enclosing a copy
of their resolution sent to the Pro-
vincial Government asking the enact-
ment of a law making it the duty of
any eight hours, was received and
filed.
A letter from the Dominion Associa-
tion of Fire Chiefs, asking the sym-
paty of the City, was received and
endorsed a clean-up campaign begin-
ning May 5, 1919, was referred to the
Commissioner of Public Works.
A communication from the G.W.V.A.
pointing out that the Association had
grown so that a permanent secretary
was needed, and asking the City to
grant a grant of \$1,000 toward
the salary of such official, was
read. The letter called attention to
the fact that the City had never
received from the G.W.V.A. a grant
of money for the organization.
Mayor Hayes said he was in
favor of making the grant. It was
seconded by Commissioner Fisher and
was adopted.
Commissioner Thornton
that the request be complied with,
payments to be made monthly and to
begin June 1.
Commissioner Jones opposed the
motion, he could see no reason why
the city should pay any part of the
salary of an official whom they did
not employ.
Commissioner Bullock favored the
making of the grant, but thought it
should be made plain that all appli-
cations ought to be in the first of
the year.
Commissioner Jones said the Salva-
tion Army was just as deserving as
the G. W. V. A. and their applica-
tion for a grant had been turned
down, and moved the matter be re-
ferred back for further consideration.
This failed to find a second and the
original motion passed, Commissioner
Jones voting nay.
On motion of Commissioner Bul-
lock, John Hamilton was granted
\$107.50, half pay for time lost through
illness.
Commissioner Bullock moved that
Mr. Thomas W. Russell, Chief
Draftsman in the Harbor and
Lands Department be paid his salary
in full up to the 30th day of April
instant. Adopted.
Commissioner Bullock moved that
the tender of Frederick J. McInerney
for making and furnishing fourteen
uniform suits for the ferry employees,
according to sample, at \$40 per suit,
or \$560.00, be accepted, and contract
entered into accordingly, but as the
total amount exceeds the estimate the
balance be assessed for next year if
found necessary. Adopted.
Commissioner Fisher moved that all
the tenders received for trucks be
rejected, and he be given authority to
purchase from the Clyde Car Com-
pany one Clydesdale truck at \$4,743, as
none of the tenders provided just
what was wanted.
Commissioner Bullock wanted to
know the prices of some of the other
trucks and why they would not do as
well as the one recommended. Com-
missioner Fisher thought the ques-
tions a little unfair, as it placed him
in the position of knocking other
trucks, but expressed his willingness
to give the information privately to
Commissioner Bullock.
At this juncture Commissioner
Jones rose to his feet and read the
riot act to Commissioner Fisher. He
bothering Commissioner Fisher. He
and the Commissioner of Public
Works had given a great deal of
thought to the matter. Commissioner
Bullock was not criticized in the same
manner when he had matters before
the council, and it was time for a let-
up on this sort of thing.
Commissioner Fisher rather spoilt
the effect of his colleague's address
by admitting the right of any com-
missioner to ask for information.
The motion of Commissioner Fisher
passed.
On motion of Commissioner Fisher
he was given authority to purchase
for Faldoutown crusher, one Little
Giant rock drill.
On motion of Commissioner Fisher
the plans for the proposed drinking

**PLEASANT SOCIAL
IN KNOX CHURCH**

Pleasing Programme Last
Evening in Celebration of
the Church's Second Anni-
versary—Was a Large At-
tendance.

A social, in celebration of the
church's second anniversary, was held
in the Knox Church Sunday School
rooms last night, with the pastor,
Rev. H. C. Fraser, presiding.
Instrumental selections by Misses
Madeline de Soyres and Mary Mc-
Arthur were among the most pleas-
ing numbers on the programme,
which was splendidly balanced with
John Stenhouse and Harry Shaw,
soloists and Miss A. K. Wilson, ac-
companied.
There was also a most expressive
reading by Miss Robertson and an
address by the Rev. Mr. Fraser, who
reviewed the history of the church
during the past two years, and the
hope of even a greater and better
future.
Refreshments were served by the
ladies of the congregation under the
direction of Mrs. J. F. McLaren.
About 250 were present.

**CARDINAL MERCIER
MAY SPEAK HERE**

Letter from Him Received
Yesterday by Secretary of
the Canadian Club.

Secretary C. W. Romans of the Can-
adian Club yesterday received the fol-
lowing letter from Cardinal Mercier,
Archbishop of Malines, Belgium:
"It is a gracious attention on the
part of the St. John Canadian Club
to invite me to speak before its mem-
bers on the occasion of my visit to
Canada. I am very grateful to them
and will make note of it. As soon
as I have made decision as to my
voyage and itinerary I will write you
a decisive answer."
"Accept, Mr. Secretary, the assur-
ance of my most sincere and devoted
thanks."
D. T. Cardinal Mercier,
"Archbishop of Malines."

OBITUARY

Charles Robert Moore Stewart.
The many friends of Charles Robert
Moore Stewart will regret to learn of
his death, which occurred yesterday
at his home, 98 Sydney street, after
an illness of several weeks. He was
a son of the late Robert Stewart and
Emma Wilson, and was formerly in
the employ of T. McAvity and sons,
as foreman in the munition plant.
Besides his mother, Mrs. Thomas Wil-
son, he leaves a sister, Miss Hazel
M. Stewart, in the employ of Pad-
dington, Wetmore and Morrison, of
this city.

Death of Children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Louis Wilson, of
249 Brussels street, will have the sym-
paty of friends in the death of their
eighteen months old son, Robert
Gordon.
The death of Mary Josephine Cor-
mier is calling forth expressions of
sympathy from the friends of her pa-
rents, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Cormier, 330
Charlotte street, West End.

**Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin T.
McCluskey, of 141 Bridge street, will
be sorry to learn of the death of their
infant daughter, Constance
Gerada, which occurred yesterday.**

**Welcome News: Lots of Remington
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A. Milne Fraser, Jas. A. Little, Mgrs.
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than the 10th day of May next.
W. A. LOUDON,
Secretary.
Fredericton, N. B.
7th April, 1919.

**WHOLESALE AND
RETAIL CLERKS**

Meeting Held Last Evening—
Committee Appointed to In-
terest Clerks in the Work of
the Association.

The wholesale and retail clerks of
the city met last evening for the sec-
ond time to further the aims of their
proposed organization. A. C. Wilson
presided and F. W. Banford acted as
secretary. Quite a few were in at-
tendance at the meeting which met
in the Board of Trade rooms.
A committee consisting of four em-
ployees of each wholesale and retail
house in the city was appointed to
further the work of the association
by interesting other brother employes
and to draw up a code of bye-laws and
constitutions which will govern the
association. The committee to report
at a later meeting of themselves
which will meet, notice being given
through the press. Many questions af-
fecting the association were discus-
ed at the meeting. It seems prob-
able that at the next meeting the per-
sonnel of its officers will be named. A
feature of last evening's meeting was
the number of young lady clerks in
attendance. It is the intention to have
all and every clerk recognized with
the association which is being formed
with the objects of promoting
greater mutual feeling between em-
ployers and employees, and for the
promotion of the welfare of its mem-
bers.

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maker or tailor can sup-
ply the deficiencies, but
the overfat carry a burden
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FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN

Royal Standard Furnish Library At East St. John

Regent of the Chapter Presented Artistic Cosy Recreation Room to the County Hospital Yesterday Afternoon.

All the difference between a room in an institution and a room in one's own home has been made by the Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. E., who have furnished the library and recreation room in the East St. John County Hospital.

There was a pleasing little ceremony enacted yesterday when the regent of the chapter, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, in the name of the chapter presented the newly furnished room with all its fittings to Dr. Ferris, superintendent of the hospital.

A number of members of the chapter were present and the nurses and doctors of the institution, including Dr. Ferris, Captain Sparrow, Lieut. A. W. Turner, Miss Hill, the superintendent, and the nurses of the hospital. Several of the commissioners of the hospital were also guests on this pleasant occasion.

Mrs. Smith, in making the presentation, spoke of the keen interest which the Royal Standard Chapter has always felt in the hospital and now that there are soldiers as inmates this interest was intensified and deepened. The members felt they were privileged in being allowed to provide a room that would be attractive and comfortable and where patients at the hospital could have the companionship of those of all ages who had written the books to be found on the shelves. The spacious shelves were well filled with volumes and Mrs. Smith referred gratefully to the many citizens who had assisted in providing this library.

Mrs. Smith also praised the work of the soldiers whose baskets and trays were displayed and spoke of an exhibition to be held this week of these art and handicrafts.

Dr. Ferris in accepting the gift said that the influence of a contented mind could hardly be measured in its effect upon the health and he felt very grateful indeed for the beautifully furnished room which he knew so well would be used and enjoyed by all. It would be of the utmost benefit to all who were in the hospital.

Brief speeches of appreciation were made by Captain Sparrow and Lieut. Turner who endorsed heartily all that Dr. Ferris had said. The nurses expressed their pleasure and said that it was a delight in passing by the recreation room to look in and see all the pretty things there. Afternoon tea was served by the chapter and the guests made a tour of the building, visiting the soldiers and many of the patients.

The committee who purchased the furnishings were Mrs. F. A. Peters, Mrs. A. S. Bowman and Mrs. W. B. Tennant and they are to be congratulated upon the cosy homelike room which is so artistic and delightfully attractive. The walls are of a buff shade with a narrow border in which dark green, blue and rose are mingled. These shades are carried out in the drapery which covers the brown wicker chairs and hangs at the windows and was used for pillows. A note of contrast is seen in several cushions of deep blue and others of rose white. The covers of the tables have the same rich colors. Fine Japanese rugs are on the floor, a desk is fitted with a brass desk set, tables are conveniently placed and soft light falls from a mahogany lamp with a rose shade. There are several pictures on the walls, one the gift of A. Likely. Mrs. Smith states that shortly she hopes to receive portraits of their Excellencies the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire which pictures will serve to remind those who see them of the visit paid by the duke to the institution which covers the brown wicker chairs and hangs at the windows and was used for pillows.

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LET'S TALK IT OVER

UNION HOURS FOR HOMEMAKERS?

They say, that is many men do—that women have no sense of humor and sometimes perhaps it is just as well for men if they haven't. My own private opinion is that the shoe is on the other foot and that if a census could be taken it would be shown that the valuable help through life—a sense of humor—is more largely developed on the feminine side of the house. The main difference is that a man sees a joke and laughs about it while a woman just smiles and keeps on enjoying the funny side of it all indistinctly.

You see men don't know how funny they are and yet they keep saying what amusing things women are. Doesn't that prove my point? Now every labor union and almost every band of men are asking for a certain number of hours work only each day. What about the wives who work all day and after finishing up the tea dishes sit down to mend or darn or patch? Does she get any extra money for her time over the eight or nine hours day? Remember her work begins long before the man, for she perhaps has to rise early and prepare the family breakfast. (She must supervise it at least). Get a lunch ready perhaps and see that the children are fit to go to school. It's "Johnny are you sure you're taking your medicine?" Mary, you left your spelling book on the parlor table last night. Baby dear have you a handkerchief? Hurry Tom or you will be late for I want you to do an errand for me before nine o'clock. All father does before he starts for the office, shop or factory, is to eat his breakfast, but mother has put in some sixty toil-filled moments already.

Then there are the dishes to be washed, beds made, rooms tidied and before this is done it is time to get the dinner ready. Meat must be prepared, vegetables cleaned, and in many homes it takes ten minutes as well as actual labor to make up a dinner out of what is procurable. That meal over and everything cleared away, there is sewing or shopping to do or any of the many calls upon one's time and conscience to be attended to and the tea hour is at hand. More food to cook, more dishes to wash, children to summon for recesses or bed, garments crying out for patching, some household sewing which must be seen to and the hundred and one tasks which have called forth that well-known couplet regarding the fact that "Women's work is never done."

A man's work may be hard manual labor or it may be exacting figuring, responsibility may be his but in the majority of cases he has a line mapped out for him to follow. A woman may have to wash or scrub, then be tidy to answer the door bell. She may have to cook the dinner and act as the gracious hostess; she may have to make a new suit for daughter out of a last year's one of Aunt Jennie's and finish it in time for fussy daughter to wear to an afternoon tea. In all of these avocations she is liable to be interrupted not once but twenty times during a morning by telephone, door bell, visitors, accidents, or any housekeeper can tell you thousands of experiences. My claim is that while men work hard, many women work harder and if men are going to talk so much about long hours it will dawn upon the women that it is just about time some of the inequality of their schedule was readjusted. I'm not mentioning anything about salaries either, but will just quote you one case given in an application for a divorce in the United States. My husband used to put a dollar bill on the mantelpiece once in a while when he got in a good humor. There are not many home like that one feels sure.

What do you think about an eight hour day for home makers or shall they keep on just making that home happy and smiling, as if at some joke of their own when they hear men say: "Women's work is never done." MARGUERITE.

DOES MA WISH SHE WAS PA?

"I wish I had a lot o' cash." Sez Pa one winter's night; "I'd go down South an' stay a while. Where days are warm an' bright." He set an' watched the fire die. Seemed lost in thoughtful days. Till Ma brought in some fresh pine knots. An' made a cheerful blaze.

"I wish I had a million share Or stock in Standard Oil." Sez Pa, "I wouldn't do a thing." Ma made the kettle boil. An' mixed hot biscuits, tried some ham An' eggs (smelt good you bet!) Fetched cheese an' doughnuts, made the tea. Then Pa—set down an' et.

"I wish I was a millionaire." and devotion in the work the Order had had a successful year.

The treasurer, Mrs. D. Dishart, submitted a satisfactory report including mention of several responses to appeals for worthy causes. Reports from the standing committees, the Spiritual, Hospital and House were given, that of Mrs. Cunard the mover of the house, and the most satisfactory state of affairs and excellent results accomplished in the work of the Order. She paid a tribute to the matron of the Guild, Mrs. Davidson, and spoke of her splendid management and her influence for good. Mrs. Cunard referred to the convention to be held in St. John, and stated that she felt improvements should be made at the Guild before this event.

Mrs. Crockett, in the president's address, thanked the circles, and individual members for loyal support and cooperation. The year just passed had been one full of effort, and now that the war was over that work had not ceased but rather there seemed to be more calls for assistance. She said she felt the King's Daughters must stand shoulder to shoulder in fulfilling the tasks of the future and though the work might be along other lines, she felt sure it would be as faithfully performed. It was gratifying to be able to welcome two new circles—"The Good Cheer Circle" and "In His Name Circle"—and their members were wished every success. Reports received from the seven circles of the Order showing that much had been done during the year and to carry out the ideals of the Order and give comfort, sympathy and assistance where it is needed.

W. C. T. U. Send Sympathy To U. S.

Much Business Transacted at Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon—Late President of Massachusetts Union Well Known Here.

The weekly meeting of the W. C. T. U. held yesterday in Orange Hall was largely attended and several matters of importance were discussed. The president, Mrs. David Hipwell, presided and opened the meeting with the reading of Psalm 91, giving a helpful talk on this Psalm showing how the promises which it makes are conditional. The devotional service was led by Mrs. W. H. Humphrey and several members offered prayers for the cause of temperance. The hymn, "All the Way My Saviour Leads Me," was then sung.

Two new members were welcomed yesterday, Mrs. William Porter and Mrs. L. Ellison. A collection for missions was taken. Moved by Mrs. R. D. Christie and seconded by Mrs. Seymour, a resolution of sympathy was passed to the late Mrs. Katherine Lou Stephenson who was a member. Mrs. Stephenson was state president for over twenty years and was personally known to many of the members through her attendance at several W. C. T. U. conventions, so that very general regret was felt at the news of her death. Mrs. Hipwell spoke of receiving a request from Mrs. Deemer of the North End W. C. T. U. asking that they might be allowed to share in the flower mission for the West Side Military Hospital. A report was heard from those who attended the social service meeting recently and it was asked that a committee should be appointed to attend the next session. Mrs. R. D. Christie will name members from the four unions.

Mrs. Seymour told of the work accomplished at the jail. The services held at the Seaman's Institute have been well attended. Mrs. Seymour reported and a fine address had been delivered by Rev. Peter McArthur of Glasgow.

C. W. B. M. AUXILIARY

The C. W. B. M. Auxiliary of the Coburg street church met last evening at the residence of F. R. Barbour, Spring street.

Miss Marion Flahar, who recently returned from overseas, where she was employed with the V. A. D.'s, in an English hospital, was the guest of honor for the evening and delighted all present with some pleasing reminiscences of her work while overseas. All expressed themselves as agreeably pleased with the account as recorded by Miss Flahar, and Miss Flahar is the daughter of the assistant postmaster of the city.

Later in the evening, "Lend a Hand," "Opportunity," "Doorkeepers," "Good Cheer" and "In His Name." Seven members of the executive were elected who will serve for three years as follows: Mrs. H. W. Robertson, Mrs. C. A. Clarke, Mrs. Arthur Kirkpatrick, Mrs. George Henderson, Mrs. W. J. Binshaw, Mrs. F. A. McFadden, Mrs. Plumpton.

It was decided to hold the Sunday afternoon services monthly instead of quarterly, and the second Sunday in each month was chosen. The election of officers will take place next week.

Miss Helen Colwell, Houlton, Me., is visiting Miss Gertrude Tibbitts. Mrs. C. Pugsley, formerly Miss Della Sisson, well-known here, arrived on Saturday from British Guiana, where her home has been since her marriage to Rev. Mr. Pugsley a few years ago. She will spend some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sisson of Plaster Rock. Mrs. Gaunter returned on Tuesday from Boston. Miss Eva Milne is visiting Fredericton friends. Misses Isabel and Frances Wootton entertained their young friends pleasantly on Tuesday. Mr. George Ridgewell, Plaster Rock is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ervin. Mr. Carl Flemington has returned from a visit with his brother, Humphrey at Sackville. Mr. Barry Anderson came home on Tuesday from Fort Erie.

BERLIN THREATENED WITH BIG STRIKE OF ALL TODAY

London, April 8—Reuter's Berlin correspondent says he learns that the whole of Berlin's metal, machine and construction workers and the tramway will start a general strike tomorrow.

WILL RETURN

Miss G. M. Perry, National Traveler's Aid secretary of the Dominion Council, Y. W. C. A., who has been closely identified with the local port work for the past winter, was called away from the city by relatives and which required immediate attention and left last evening on the Montreal from Boston. She expects to return later to St. John.

ANDOVER

Andover, April 8—Many friends here will be interested to learn that First Lieut. J. Harvey Murphy of the New York 27th Division, has received from General Ryan, a citation "for meritorious service in forward areas under enemy shell fire, in evacuating wounded during operations against the Hindenburg line." The citation ranks the same as the Croix de Guerre of the French Army. First Lieut. Murphy, who served in the 107th Ambulance Corps was the oldest doctor from New England States at least, serving in the front lines, and was the oldest officer of the 27th, being about fifty-three years of age. Dr. Murphy, whose boyhood home was in this place is the youngest brother of Mrs. S. P. Waite, and has many relatives and friends who are glad to learn of his safe return to his home in Dexter, Me.

Mr. Thomas Bedell spent last week-end with his wife and family, who are spending the winter here. He returned to St. John on Monday. Rev. Charles Flemington visited Upper Kent friends last week-end. Pte. Guy Watron arrived from overseas on Monday and is being welcomed by friends. Mrs. P. Armstrong spent part of the week at Grand Falls. Last Monday evening Mrs. S. P. Waite was hostess at the dinner hour, when among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Reed Bedell, Miss Gertrude Tibbitts and Mr. Tibbitts. Mr. Ernest Matthews arrived home from St. John on Monday last.

Mr. Ralph Hayden, Woodstock, was the guest of Mr. William Curry the past week. Mrs. Gillen of New York, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. W. Moore. Mrs. Edward Duane and daughter, of Montreal, returned Monday from Woodstock, where they spent a week with relatives. Mrs. Minnie Everett has gone to Fort Fairfield to spend some time. Mr. Rideout of Hartland, has accepted a position with H. N. Dickson and Jacksville. Mr. Norval McPhatt of the Bank of Montreal, has been transferred to St. John. He will be much missed by his young friends. Mrs. Harry Tibbitts returned on Wednesday from a visit with her father, Mr. John Anderson of the Barony, York Co. Mr. Frank Stevens, of Bridgetown, N. S., is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Helen Stevens. Misses Margaret Curry and Pearl Waite were guests of Mr. Jane Ervin at Fort Fairfield on Thursday. Mr. Ivan C. Rivers left on Thursday for Charlottetown, P. E. Island, where he has accepted a position with the Western Union. Mrs. Rivers expects to go in a few weeks. Miss Helen Colwell, Houlton, Me., is visiting Miss Gertrude Tibbitts.

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Leave Grand Manan Thursdays at 7.30 a.m., for St. Stephen, via Campbell, Eastport, Cumming's Cove and St. Andrews.
Returning leave St. Stephen Fridays at 7.30 a.m., to be permitted, for Grand Manan, via St. Andrews, Cumming's Cove, Eastport and Campbell.

Leave Grand Manan Saturdays at 7.30 a.m., for St. Andrews, via Campbell, Eastport and Cumming's Cove, returning same day at 1.00 p.m. for Grand Manan via St. Andrews.
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Leaves St. Andrews Monday evening or Tuesday morning, according to the tide, for St. George, Back Bay and Black's Harbor.
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This company will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date without a written order from the company or captain of the steamer.

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SEALED TENDERS will be received at this office until noon on Monday, April 14th, 1919, from any person or persons willing to contract with the Government of Prince Edward Island to run a steamer of about 200 tons registered, and holding a certificate to carry not less than 200 passengers and capable of maintaining a speed of not less than 10 knots per hour.
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L. B. McMILLAN, Secretary of Public Works

There will be sold by PUBLIC AUCTION at Chubb's Corner, April 22nd, the farm owned by the late Elizabeth Armstrong, containing 150 acres, situated at Gardner's Creek on the shore of the Bay of Fundy, 21 miles from St. John. 2005 down, the balance on delivery of deed.
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LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Date.	Time.	Ship.	Agent.			
9 W	5.54	6.56	7.03	7.43	0.47	1.20
10 T	5.53	6.57	8.05	8.43	1.54	2.25
11 F	5.51	6.59	9.03	9.35	2.56	3.24
12 S	5.49	7.00	9.55	10.10	3.15	4.14

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
April 9, 1919.
Arrived Tuesday.
S S Ardgrove, 3194, Yeats, Gibraltar, bal.
S S Coruna (cooler), Sydney, Coastwise, stuns Valinda, 66, Lewis, Bridgetown; Granville, 60, Collins, Annapolis Royal.
Cleared.
S S War Gazelle, 3171, Masters, Queenstown.
S S Atherton, 2570, Blauit, Falmonth, for orders.
Coastwise, stuns Empress, 612, Mc Donald, Digby; Grand Manan, 130, Hersey, Wilson's Beach; Valinda, 66, Lewis, Clementsport; Granville, 60, Collins, Annapolis Royal.

Stearns in Port.
Sardinia, berth 1.
Molita, berth 2 and 3.
Frankmere, berth 4.
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Scottian, berth 6.
Montcalm, berth 7.
Murturton, outside berth 7.
Daleham, berth 14.
Nunbridge, berth 15.
War Pariah, berth 16.
War Gazelle, Sugar Refinery pier, Seattle, West Side Long Wharf.
Dierissa, Pettinick wharf.
Manchester, Port, McLeod's wharf.
Cornwall, coal pocket.

May Not Arrive Till Tomorrow.
From the last report received from the S. S. Saturnia, it is not expected that she will enter port before ten o'clock tonight, and probably not until tomorrow morning. At Monday noon she was 640 miles east of Cape Sable and even making faster progress than the early days of the voyage, she could not make an earlier entry than around midnight tonight.

Oil Tanker Disabled.
Halifax, April 8.—In tow of the United States tug Iroquois, the American oil tanker J. H. Guffey, arrived in port this morning from St. Johns, Nfld., to which port she was taken in February, after having been picked up at sea disabled.
Her Rudder Disabled.
With her rudder disabled the Newfoundland schooner Metamore, Captain Carver, bound from Jamaica to St. John's, with cargo of sugar, put into Halifax Monday morning.

Nova Scotia News.
The handsome tern schooner St. Clair Thorsen, which was launched last week at Belliveau's Cove, was rigged on the ways.
Dr. T. H. Macdonald will shortly commence the building of a 350-ton tern schooner in his shipyard at Meteghan.
The Annapolis Shipbuilding Company intend to lay the keel for another schooner without delay. The Maplefield which was launched last week, will be operated by the company.
Charles McNeil, of New Glasgow, expects to launch his handsome new three-masted schooner on April 16. The name "Annapolis" has been chosen for the vessel and Mr. McNeil expects to direct her movements for a time himself. She is without doubt one of the finest schooners built in Nova Scotia for some time and the other ship, the "Annie B. Anderson," built from the same design and model has proved herself to be a marvel of speed and carrying capacity.

Abandoned Southern Trip.
The schooner Nellie Dixon, which sprang a leak while on the passage from St. John to Barbados, and put into North West Harbor, and was afterwards towed to Yarmouth and Meteghan for repairs, has abandoned her southern trip and will go to the Magdalen Islands for a cargo of fish for her owners in Beaver Harbor. Her cargo of lumber and shingles, which the vessel was carrying to Barbados, is being purchased by the Canadian Wood Working Co., Ltd., and the cargo is being landed at T wharf, Yarmouth.

FUNERALS
The funeral of Miss Elizabeth McGrath took place yesterday morning from her residence, 72 1-2 Waterloo street, to the cathedral where requiem high mass was celebrated by Rev. R. B. Fraser. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery. The funeral was attended by many friends. Four uncles were pall-bearers. A large number of spiritual bouquets and floral offerings were received.
The funeral of George D. Titus took place from the residence of his parents, 128 Chesley street, yesterday afternoon. Service was conducted by Rev. R. P. McKim and interment was made in Cedar Hill. Members of the Knights of Pythias marched in a body.
The funeral of Miss Olive Allan took place yesterday afternoon. Rev. Canon R. A. Armstrong conducted service and interment was made in the Methodist burying ground.

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AROUND THE CITY

FAIR AND COOL

NOTICE

Effective immediately, The Standard office will operate on Daylight time. The business office opens at eight o'clock (Standard time) and closes at five o'clock. Advertisers will please govern themselves accordingly.

TOWBOAT HERO SANK

The river tug Hero sank at its berth, Marble Cove, Indiantown, Monday night.

THE ST. JOHN RIVER

The river is open as far as the Devil's Back, because the cold spell is retarding the freshet. Since Sunday the water has fallen eighteen inches at Fredericton.

A STILL ALARM

The firemen were called yesterday afternoon by a still alarm to extinguish a chimney blaze at the residence of J. Vermer McLellan, Horsefield street. No damage resulted.

ONLY ONE DRUNK

Evidently the recent fines being imposed in the police court on the recent numerous liquor charges and drunkenness, has served as a warning to others, an improvement being noted last evening, as only one arrest for drunkenness was made.

LAPLAND FOR HALIFAX

The militia department has been advised that the steamer Lapland, with 1,974 Canadian troops on board, sailed from England on the 3rd and will probably reach Halifax on April 11th. She carries 103 officers and 1,872 other ranks.

DAYLIGHT IN DOCKYARD

The employees in the dockyard at Halifax took a vote on daylight saving Monday, which resulted in 75 votes for and 70 against. This gave a majority of six and daylight saving went into effect there yesterday morning.

FINE WESTERN WEATHER

Commissioner Bullock yesterday received a letter from Vancouver, stating that the thermometer there on the day the letter was written registered 82, and the rose bushes were in bud. He added that daylight saving time was in force there.

WITH CANADIAN TROOPS

The Megantic, with two thousand returning Canadian war veterans, reported yesterday that she would be off Chebucto Head at two o'clock this (Wednesday) morning. She will dock at eight o'clock, standard time, in Halifax.

A FALSE ALARM

About 8:30 o'clock last evening some irresponsible person sent in a false alarm from Box 42 on the corner of Duke and Wentworth streets. This is the second false alarm that has been sent in during broad daylight within the past few days.

COAL HANDLERS' UNION

The scheduled meeting of the Coal Handlers and Trimmers' Union, Local 810, did not materialize last evening, as specified, on account of the absence of many of its members, who were at work. President Frank Freeston stated that the meeting would be held in their rooms on April 22nd.

PAY DURING ILLNESS

In regard to the matter of pay to members of the city departments during illness, the commissioners met yesterday morning to establish a uniform rule for all departments. It was decided that in case of sickness of permanent men half pay was to be granted for less than one month, and full pay for the remainder of the period.

VISITED LOCH LOMOND

Inspectors McAlain and Garnett made a trip to Loch Lomond last evening and were arrested. A Ryan of the charge of having liquor in his possession, contrary to the statutes, by not having a prescription. The accused was lodged in Central Station last night and will face the charge today. The person was supplied the wet goods may also have to answer a charge.

ANOTHER INSPECTOR

The force of sub-inspectors in the city was increased yesterday, when a former member of the Moncton police was sworn in for duty here to assist Inspectors McAlain and Garnett. This makes three inspectors for the city. Inspector T. T. Mann returned to the city yesterday, and will remain here for a few days before proceeding to his home in Campbellton.

TO ELMSDALE FOR BURIAL

The mortal remains of the late Miss Edith Dorothy Fisher passed through the city yesterday en route to her former home at Elmsdale, Kings county, N.S., for burial. The late Miss Fisher succumbed to acute atrophy, while residing in Red Deer, Alberta. The remains were under escort and consigned to the Jacques Crine Funeral Home in Red Deer.

GIVEN WRONG INFORMATION

An item which appeared in yesterday's Standard, stating that two young men while under the influence of liquor broke a large plate of glass window in George Cameron's drug store and paid forty dollars damages to save appearing in the police court, is entirely incorrect. A small pane of glass in the store door was broken accidentally and the young men paid the damage amounting to three dollars. It happened in the early evening just after the young men had left church and Mr. Cameron was aware it was a trifling accident. The information given in yesterday's paper was obtained by the reporter from a policeman and at the time was thought to be correct.

BOARD OF HEALTH REGULAR MEETING

Reports Submitted by Inspectors—Interesting Debate on Dairy Cattle, Milk and Stored Meats—Also Filthy Backyards.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of Health was held yesterday afternoon at 8:30. John Kelly presided. There were present Chief Medical Officer, Doctor Melvin; Sub-district Health Officer, Doctor J. F. L. Brown; George Blake; Walter H. Golding, and Secretary T. M. Burns.

Communications were dealt with including applications for inspectorships in the parishes of Lancaster, Musquash, Simonds, and Saint Martins. A committee was appointed to take up the matter.

Other communications included correspondence from the Militia Department at Ottawa, over the settlement of accounts in connection with loans of furniture, bedding, etc., to the influenza epidemic hospital.

An application for any position of the health board nursing staff, which might be vacant, was recorded. Doctor J. F. L. Brown submitted his quarterly report, which showed a marked improvement in the public health, succeeding the dreadful period of the influenza epidemic.

Upon the arrival of Doctor H. L. Abramson, Provincial Pathologist, and Doctor J. Fred Johnston, Dairy Inspector, the matter of milk regulations was reopened and exhaustively discussed. Doctor Abramson answered numerous questions relative to bacteria count, and the butter fat percentage in milk of various grades.

Doctor Johnston submitted interesting data touching upon dairy cattle in connection with his duties, through the jurisdiction of the Board of Health. Both gave much valuable advice, as did Doctor Melvin, and Doctor Brown, of the government office.

It was decided that the bacteria tests made of many samples of milk collected throughout the city would be recorded, and upon the receipt of these samples, and others, the health authorities would proceed upon the results.

In co-operation with the local government experts, in the General Public Hospital, the Board of Health is now systematizing all milk inspection upon a scientific basis, and it is evident that St. John will in the near future, compete with more modern cities in the matter of graded milk.

During the discussion Doctor Abramson deprecated the method now being employed in sterilizing milk cans and bottles in most city dairies, and claimed that fifteen pounds steam pressure, for fifteen minutes, through the necessary and safe requisite to assure complete and thorough sterilization.

Reference was made to the tardy deliveries of outside milk through the local vendors, some of the milk being thirty-six hours old before reaching the consumers. Inspector McConnell reported of a large quantity of stored meats, which he and the district health officer considered as unfit for human consumption, and it was decided that the board should investigate this matter with a view to having the responsible parties for such a condition of affairs take action for its destruction. This is in addition to some carcasses of meat condemned in the retail market of late.

It was decided at the meeting to take immediate action against a number of property owners who have been delinquent in making sanitary changes as suggested by the Board of Health Inspector, and ordered done by the Board itself. The full penalty of the law will be visited upon those who violated the above law, in endeavor to clean up these relics of the past.

The usual number of bills were passed, including a large sum in connection with provisioning the epidemic hospital during the influenza scourge. George Blake strongly urged that the Board's inspectors make a thorough inspection of all back yards, alleys and household areas in every portion of the city, as Spring is fast approaching, and a vigorous clean-up was necessary, as these filthy premises were a menace to the health of the citizens, and every time he noticed such premises he insisted strongly that they be cleaned up, and so to it that they were.

POWER BOAT CLUB READY TO ASSIST

Will be on Hand With Hundreds of Motor Craft to Escort to Port Troopship With the Fighting 26th on Board.

If the vessel bearing the 26th Battalion arrives at this port at the right time of day and during the right turn of the tide, it will be greeted at the entrance of the harbor and escorted to its berth by a flotilla of from two hundred to three hundred small power boats, decked with bunting and probably provided with musical instruments.

This was the decision arrived at last night at the quarterly meeting of the St. John Power Boat Club, with Commodore John C. Chesley presiding.

GET TOGETHER BANQUET HELD

Men of Queen Square Methodist Church Assembled Last Evening—Enjoyed Excellent Fare and Programme.

The first "get together" banquet for the men of Queen square Methodist church last night proved an unqualified success. About eighty men were present and thoroughly enjoyed the excellent fare provided by the ladies of the congregation under the leadership of Mrs. K. Duncan Smith, Mrs. F. S. Williams and Mrs. A. B. Gilmore.

After due justice was done to the tempting viands a vote of thanks had been tendered the ladies through an excellent speech by William Hawker, the men repaired to the large school room, where a most pleasing and varied programme was carried out.

Among the numbers were a piano duet by Kenneth Robb and Harry Dunlop, and address by A. B. Gilmore, a violin solo by Harry Hetherington, and the choir, under the leadership of the Rev. Mr. Morris.

R. Duncan Smith acted as chairman and introduced the speakers in his own happy style. Mr. Gilmore, in his address, gave a splendid history of the church, taking his audience back 125 years when a few men who had left New York had asked that a preacher be sent to this locality and a Mr. Bishop was chosen for the appointment. Mr. Bishop's first preaching was in the house of a Mr. Kelly on September 25, 1791, and organized a Bible class the following Sunday.

The Kelly house soon became too small and three months after the first preaching the Methodists moved into the building formerly used by the Old Trinity congregation, the first frame house built by the Loyalists.

Following this what is now known as the old Germain street church was erected at the corner of Germain and Horsfield streets and dedicated Christmas day 1808, 17 years after the occupation of the Old Trinity building.

Up to 1847 the church depended upon candles for illumination, but in that year gas lighting was installed, the church being the first to use this form of lighting.

The church congregation worshipped until the great fire of 1877, and during that time the Centenary, the Exmouth and the Portland, the Carleton and the Camarthen street churches had been erected, besides the many others all over the province. After the fire the church location was changed to the present one at Queen Square and the formal dedication was held October 1879. The Centenary of the church organization was celebrated in 1891, and that of the Sunday school in 1909.

In closing Mr. Gilmore advocated a proper memorial for the old Kelly building, now the site of the F. E. Williams store, and concluded with the finale of the Rev. Dr. Wilson's address at the Centennial celebration in 1891—"The difficulties to be dealt with, though numerous, are as formidable as ever, and realizing that all true success is dependent upon the presence and power of the Holy Spirit, let us each seek that richest endowment and go forth and engage in the work with humble trust and heroic faith."

The address of the Rev. Mr. Morris was a clear cut exposition of the church work and facilities, placing the church before the men of the congregation as a business proposition. He plainly showed that the attendance has been dropping, and that the men should not leave all the work to be done by the women.

Following the address a general discussion was held in which nearly all participated, among the subjects under discussion being that of "free power."

LAWYER'S REMARKS IN POLICE COURT

Asked Why All Should be at Beck and Call of Liquor Inspectors Who Have Cases Postponed from Time to Time.

In the police court yesterday afternoon counsel appeared in the interests of a defendant charged with supplying liquor to another. The case was postponed for hearing yesterday having had its initial hearing on Monday afternoon. Due to the absence of the chief inspector, the counsel remarked, "Why should all be at the beck and call of liquor inspectors?" The court endeavored to frustrate the contention in the mind of the counsel but the latter again repeated, "With decided emphasis I again remark that cases have been delayed and postponed to suit the dispositions of the inspectors." With that solemnity resigned throughout the whole court room for a time, then some chuckled and laughed, the magistrate chuckled, the counsel walked away and His Honor called, "What's next?" The case will be resumed after counsel has conferred with the inspectors relative to a date for its continuation.

Chief Inspector Rev. W. D. Wilson, it was later learned, passed through the city from Moncton, to his home in the capital, without stopping over here as intended.

FONT INSTALLED IN ST. JOACHIM'S CHURCH

The parishioners of Saint Joachim's church, Silver Falls, of which Rev. C. P. J. Carleton is pastor, recently installed a new font in the rear of the church. The font was the work of the late Father McDevitt, who was stationed at Saint Danstan's church, Fredericton. At the services on Sunday last, the pastor, Rev. Father Carleton, spoke feelingly of the late priest and of his good works while on earth. At the conclusion he reminded the congregation to pray for the repose of the departed priest's soul, and congratulated all his hearers on their good work in installing the font to the departed apostle's memory.

MEETING OF HOUSING COMMITTEE HELD

Representatives from Board of Trade, G. W. V. A., Rotary Club and Trades and Labor Met Last Evening—Provincial Act Discussed.

The housing committee, recently organized in the city to investigate ways and means of furnishing more residences in the city and thus alleviate present congestion, met last evening in the Board of Trade rooms, Prince William street.

Representatives of the Board of Trade, G. W. V. A., Rotary Club and Trades and Labor Council were present, as well as Messrs. Trade, Misses E. Agar, R. E. Armstrong, W. F. Burditt and A. H. Wetmore; Rotary Club, George N. Hatfield; G. W. V. A., Lieutenant's Grove, Simpson and Bourke, with J. Scurrah representing the Trades and Labor Council. A copy of the provincial act governing the issuing of tenements was read and discussed to some extent, finally it was thought expedient to await the return of the answered pamphlets sent out recently to members of the G. W. V. A., Trades and Labor Council and similar organizations in the city. Different phases governing the new housing problem were exhaustively discussed and it is felt, that in the near future, definite action will be taken and the old Loyalist city will have more and much better housing accommodation—a circumstance which can be greatly aided at the present time.

It was ascertained at the meeting that \$2,000 would purchase a new house as planned, this could be paid for by the owner in time to suit his or her respective pocketbook, in paying so much every month. The monies to be obtained for the erection of such residences as being proposed would be loaned from the Dominion government payable in a certified time at five per cent interest.

The meeting adjourned to meet again in the future, when pamphlets which have been sent out will have been answered.

The fac-simile of the pamphlet follows:

- (1) Would you like to buy a new house in monthly instalments which would amount to but little if any more than the rent you usually charged?
- (2) Or would you prefer to rent a house?
- (3) How much rent per month are you now paying and for how many rooms?
- (4) How much rent per month could you afford to pay for better accommodation?
- (5) How much per month could you afford to pay in monthly instalments to buy a house and pay for it in 20 years?
- (6) How many of the following named rooms do you require? Cross out those not needed.
 - Living room, dining room, kitchen, bed room, bedroom, bedroom, bedroom, bath room, cellar.

Signed..... Address.....

THE STORE HAS BLOSSOMED INTO SPRING AND EASTER DECORATION

What a difference between door closing yesterday and door opening this morning. To early shoppers it would seem as though Magi and their Aides have been at work practicing spells.

The store this morning is laughing with the very joyousness of Spring and Easter. Glorified with lavish decorations of beautiful Spring bowers, flowers, ferns and other accessories, feathered songsters adds charm and pleasure to the scene. This transformation is merely an emphasis that the Spring Shopping Season is here, and also of the fact that in these Dykema fashion displays are presented lovely and exclusive styles in Suits, Gowns, Coats and fine dress accessories that are worthy of the smart shops of New York. The Spring and Easter shopping season is here and cases have been displayed that are ready, to give service not to be matched outside the largest cities. —DYKEMAN'S.

CITIZENS' MEETING TONIGHT. A meeting of the committee and of citizens favorable to the city's power bill will be held in the Board of Trade rooms tonight, 7:30 standard, 8:30 daylight time, to arrange for sending representative delegation to Fredericton.

Remember the Fair in Prentiss Boys' Hall tonight. Splendid prizes.

LENEN SERVICES. Interesting Lenen services in connection with Centenary Church will commence this (Wednesday) evening 7:30. Spring Shopping Season is here and also of the fact that in these Dykema fashion displays are presented lovely and exclusive styles in Suits, Gowns, Coats and fine dress accessories that are worthy of the smart shops of New York. The Spring and Easter shopping season is here and cases have been displayed that are ready, to give service not to be matched outside the largest cities. —DYKEMAN'S.

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