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German Open Fresh Offensive On West

Heavy Attacks Against Allied Line Today; Early Reports Are That All The Efforts of Enemy Are Repulsed

The drive on Amiens, for which the Germans plunged desperately but failed to reach in their great offensive last month, was resumed today.

In the effort to push toward this important junction point and allied base, renewed after a two weeks' interval in which the main German effort was transferred to Flanders, the enemy this morning launched a heavy attack on a front of approximately twenty miles.

The line at which the German infantry is again being thrown extends from the district north of Albert, northeast of Amiens, to the Avre river, southeast of the city. Nearly all this front is held by the British, whose line links up with the French at the river Luce, about three miles north of the Avre.

It has been regarded as almost inevitable that the Germans would again strike here, as the advance of their right flank in the Amiens region was stopped short by the strong British resistance at Albert, lagging far behind their left, which was pushed at Castel to within a short distance of the Paris-Amiens railway. A further driving in of the wedge south of Amiens was thus virtually impossible unless the line to the north could also be advanced.

The attack here, furthermore, represents a continuation of the persistent German effort to push in between the French and the British by striking heavy blows near their points of junction.

The comparatively narrow field in which the enemy could attack with reasonable expectations of profit to himself has thus given the Allies warning, largely eliminating the element of surprise, which was so strong a factor in the earlier German success, and doubtless has led to the massing of strong Anglo-French forces at the point where the Germans are now striking.

The Germans have been working up a strong artillery fire along virtually the whole British southern front for several days, following the easing of their pressure on the Flanders front, but the preliminary intensive bombardment was of comparatively short duration. The drum fire began early this morning, followed shortly by the advance of the infantry.

What was apparently intended as a surprise blow, without notable artillery preparation, was launched by the Germans at dusk last evening northwest of Albert. The British were on the alert, however, and met the advance with a hail of rifle and machine gun fire, driving back the enemy.

Meanwhile the enemy has maintained hostile attack on the northern side of the Lys salient, near Brancourt, close to Mount Kemmel. The French were guarding this region and they repulsed the assault after sharp fighting, their artillery co-operating with the British guns in sectors, but last night there was a strong and severely punishing the enemy.

GERMANS ATTACK AGAIN

London, April 24.—Strong German attacks developed last evening in the neighborhood of Draucourt, on the Flanders front, but were repulsed by French troops.

Heavy infantry attacks are reported to be in progress this morning in the Albert sector, north of the Somme, and also between the Somme and the Avre rivers.

On the front northwest of Albert a German attack early last evening was repulsed. The French and British artillery inflicted severe losses on the Germans in the Flanders attack.

HEAVY BOMBARDMENT

With the British Army in France, April 24.—(By the A. P.)—The Germans began a heavy bombardment of the British positions in the Somme sector this morning, and the latest reports state that an attack is in progress.

A German bombardment of the British positions on both sides of the River Lawe, on the northern battle front, was begun at four o'clock this morning. A large section of the battle front is seething, although the definite dimensions of the infantry actions are not yet known.

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NEW POSITION FOR MAJOR KEEFE REPORTED

It is rumored in military circles that Major George Keefe, returned officer of the 26th Battalion, is in line for appointment as organizer and inspector of the Cadet corps in M. D. No. 7. This appointment will follow the forming of the province of New Brunswick into a separate district. At the present time Captain Black is the organizer and inspector for New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. Since the cadet corps throughout the maritime provinces have taken such a brisk spurt, the work is proving too much for one officer to handle.

Captain Black is well known throughout the province and is highly esteemed by all. His leaving the province will be keenly felt but he has organized well and is succeeded by an officer fully qualified for the position.

AVENGES BROTHER'S DEATH

Girl Kills Baseball Player Acquitted On Charge of Shooting Her Brother

Charleston, W. Va., April 24.—Acquitted in a court here a few days ago of the murder of John Weaver, whom he was alleged to have shot to death last November, Michael Waldron, minor league baseball player, was last night shot and killed by the former's sister, Sonoma Weaver, aged 22, at Hanford, a mining town twenty-six miles south of Charleston.

TIE UP STREET CAR SERVICE IN DETROIT

Detroit, Mich., April 24.—Street car service in Detroit was brought to a standstill this morning by the action of a small proportion of the motormen and conductors of the Detroit United Railway in voting last night to suspend work. About 500 of the more than 4,000 motormen of the union officers and sent out pickets to meet the men reporting for work this morning.

The motormen are seeking increases in wages of thirteen, fourteen and fifteen cents an hour based on the length of service and other changes in working conditions.

POLICE GOING AFTER LOAFERS IN ST. JOHN

Magistrate Ritchie announced in court this morning that the police intended to round up loafers in the city and find some work for them to do. He said that had a certain crowd of young men been in court this morning looking on, as they have been for some time, he fully intended to invite them to take seat on the prisoners' bench and would pass out a sentence to them. Chief Simpson when interviewed in reference to the anti-loafer law, said that the police force were going after the loafers in good style. He said that he is now just waiting for a copy of the order from Ottawa.

MISS MCCAIN SUCCEEDS MISS HAZEL WINTER

Fredericton, N. B., April 24.—Miss Hazel McCain of Florenceville has been appointed supervisor of Women's Institutes for New Brunswick in place of Miss Hazel Winter who resigned lately to accept a position in the west. Miss McCain is a graduate of the Lillian Massey School in Toronto and holds license from the Provincial Normal School. Lately she has been connected with the dietitian department of the Military Clearing Depot in Quebec. She is a daughter of Henry H. McCain of Florenceville.

The Big Ring Fight St. Paul, Minn., April 23.—Col. J. C. Miller, promoter of the Willard-Fulton fight, proposed for St. Paul on July 4, today decided tentatively to arrange for the bout, pending final decision by state authorities as to whether the contest will be allowed. More protests were received at the capital today.

Report New Volcano Seattle, Wash., April 24.—Par Western Alaska has a new smoking volcano on the mainland near Cape Douglas.

SPURRED ON BY KAISER'S SPEECH

There Are Reports of Intense Activity at the German Naval Bases

London, April 24.—Reports of intense activity at German naval bases, says a Daily Mail despatch from the Hague, are connected in some circles with an address that Emperor William made to submarine commanders in Flanders. During his speech he said: "The activities of the submarines, together with our victorious armies and fleet, are calculated to bring us a strong German peace. I am convinced that the united strength of these three weapons will, in a comparatively short period, make our opponents, who are still bent on destroying Germany's strong and free future, ready to accept an equitable peace."

GIVES LIFE IN WAR

Robert Stewart of Carmarthen Street—Father Went Over With The 26th

That Private Robert Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Stewart, 48 Carmarthen street, has made the supreme sacrifice, was the information received this morning by the parents from Ottawa. Private Stewart, although only a boy of eighteen, joined the 11th Battalion and with the unit crossed to England, where he was transferred to another infantry battalion.

Prior to donning khaki he was employed in Laguna's photo studio. Besides his parents he leaves two brothers, Fred and Cecil, and one sister, Marjorie, at home.

His father, Private Wilfred Stewart, just returned from overseas, having been invalided home. He is a member of the original 99th Battalion.

FINAL DRAFT OF PEACE TREATY WITH RUSSIA NOT YET ACCEPTED BY BERLIN

London, April 24.—Germany has not yet accepted the final draft of the peace treaty with Russia, according to a German wireless message received here purporting to give the text of a telegram sent to M. Tchicherin, Russian foreign minister, by Odolph Joffe, who has just arrived in Berlin as Bolshevik ambassador. Mr. Joffe's message reads: "Russian realization of the peace treaty is considered incorrect and nothing is known here of the final draft which is said to have been accepted by Germany." "Postponement of its publication is requested until the receipt of an authentic translation done here co-jointly by the German ministry and our embassy."

BOMB PLACED ON SHIP IN STATES TIMED TO EXPLODE AT FRENCH PORT

Paris, April 23.—The blowing up of the American steamer Florence H. off the coast of Brittany is believed to have been done, says the Radio Agency, by a bomb placed on board before she left the United States, so timed as to explode when the vessel reached port. Owing to a fire on board, the news agency adds, the bomb exploded prematurely.

WAR NEWS CHECKS STOCK MARKET RISE

New York, April 24.—(Wall street)—Gains extending from one to two points in Reading, Anaconda and Inspiration Coppers, Comatras Tobacco, and Loose-Wiles Biscuit were the distinguishing features at the opening of today's stock market. Otherwise changes were limited to fractions mainly upward. The motor group was irregular and specialties manifested variable tendencies. Dealings were light, interest again centering in the war situation.

Petroleum and minor war issues were included among the stronger stocks of the early period but an abrupt reversal set in on receipt of news of Germany's fresh offensive in France. Motors were most vulnerable, breaking 11-2 to 5 points, accompanied by adverse rumors. Shippings also reacted one to two points, accompanied by adverse rumors. Shippings also reacted one to two points and by noon little remained of the initial rise. The only striking exceptions were Fertilizer and Sumatra Tobacco at overnight gains of 11-2 to 8 points.

IS IN MONTREAL The sixteen-year-old girl who was reported missing yesterday afternoon, has been located. Chief of Police Simpson said this morning that he had been advised that the girl was residing in Montreal. It is said that she came to this city about one year ago with the Wanderland Show.

Naval Raid Was Daring and Glorious

Some Details of Brilliant Dash Received

Right into Enemy Harbor—Old Vessels Sunk to Block Channel; Much Damage To Enemy Works—Even German Destroyers Boarded—Canal Gate Reported Wrecked

London, April 24.—Two destroyers got inside the mole at Scarborough and blew up the dock gate, reports the correspondent of the Daily Mail. The feat, he says, seems incredible, but there appears to be (Continued on page 3, first column.)

SHOULD UNLOAD CARS QUICKLY

Enough Coal for Next Winter, Says Official, if This is Done

Montreal, April 24.—A sufficiency of coal for next winter would be ensured if the unloading of coal cars were proceeded with without delay, according to R. W. M. Neal, secretary of the Canadian Railway War Board, but as it is, the coal is not rapidly unloaded, the cars are idle, the sidings are occupied and the delivery at the mines is restricted. If this practice of unloading the unloading of coal cars is continued, he says, the railway companies will not be responsible for a shortage of coal next season.

McAVITY LEAGUE

In the final game of the league on the Victoria Alloys last night the King Street 8's, still winning the championship, defeated the following: King St. Union, Cummings . . . 71 85 73 228 Bewick . . . 64 75 72 211 Everett . . . 64 71 176 208 Stratton . . . 74 76 58 206 Legge . . . 85 68 80 238

4.5 Shell Plant. Phimey . . . 68 95 82 245 Gray . . . 79 78 79 236 Doherty . . . 64 71 176 208 Harrison . . . 66 69 78 218

In a special match game on the Victoria Alloys between the mechanical staff of the Standard and Flemings Foundry, the latter won last night after a very interesting game. The result follows:

Standard. Mantle . . . 77 74 236 Power . . . 88 71 27 241 Howard . . . 75 81 27 233 Dever . . . 69 76 86 230 Thurston . . . 87 86 81 264

899 891 404 1194 Flemings. Waters . . . 90 75 261 Knudson . . . 86 81 84 251 Stack . . . 69 71 74 214 McNutt . . . 78 76 98 247 McLennan . . . 72 84 88 239

405 402 409 1212 Flemings' win four points.

Boxer is Airman

Toronto, April 24.—Eugene Brossen, late of Montreal, holder of the American and Canadian writer-weight boxing titles, is now an airman. He is entered in the Ontario boxing championship to be held here on Saturday and Monday.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Sturpatrick, director of meteorological service. Synopsis.—The barometer is now highest over the lower lakes and Missouri Valley and low both east and west. The weather has become warmer in the western provinces and cooler in Ontario and Quebec.

Forecasts. Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Northwest winds, fair and cool; Thursday, fair and a little warmer; Friday, fair and a little warmer; Saturday, fair and a little warmer; Sunday, fair and a little warmer.

Upper St. Lawrence and Ottawa Valley—Fresh northwest winds, fair and cool today and Thursday; Friday, fair and a little warmer; Saturday, fair and a little warmer; Sunday, fair and a little warmer.

Maritime—Fresh southwest to north-west winds, fair and a little cooler. Superior—Moderate winds, fair and cool; Thursday, fine and a little warmer; Friday, fair and a little warmer; Saturday, fair and a little warmer; Sunday, fair and a little warmer.

New England—Fair tonight and Thursday, cooler tonight, moderate northwest to west winds.

VOCATIONAL EDUCATION BILL IN HOUSE

Mr. Masges, Dr. Campbell and Mr. Murray Support It

Hon. Mr. Veniot Announces Plans For Extensive Road Work, For Which He Asks Bond Issue—Hon. Dr. Roberts' Offer re Health Bill

Fredericton, April 24.—An act which is expected to be of great importance and vast benefit to the province was introduced in the legislature today when the Hon. Mr. Robinson presented a bill relating to vocational education. Frederick Westwood, who had served as chairman of the committee which had prepared the report on which the bill was based, addressed the house, reviewing the logic of the committee's showing in convincing fashion the wastage due to lack of practical educational facilities for the vast majority of pupils who now leave the schools in the early grades and the value of the proposed schools. The bill enables municipalities under the existing laws of agricultural and industrial training schools to look to the province for half the cost of maintenance.

Mr. Veniot was followed by Dr. Campbell, also a member of the committee, who spoke strongly in favor of the bill. The opposition leader also expressed approval.

There was an interesting announcement by Hon. Mr. Veniot, who introduced a bill to authorize an increase in the bus fares for passengers of \$400,000 to \$700,000. Among the roads on which he expected to expend this money were the Marsh and Spruce Lake roads, the Grand Falls road, the Houlton-Woodstock, Shippegan Barras, Campbellton-Dalhousie roads and other highways in Kent, Northumberland, Victoria and the road between St. John and Fredericton. Estimates for the work have not been completed and its extent will depend largely on labor conditions.

When the house went into committee on the health bill Dr. Roberts took up the challenge of the opposition and said that, so far as he was from seeking personal aggrandisement or profit that he was willing to undertake the work connected with the proposed department without portfolio and without remuneration and was prepared to submit an amendment to that effect. The offer was met with little grace on the part of the opposition and Dr. Baxter stated that if a separate department were created it must be under an elected minister and could not be directed as a separate department by a minister without portfolio. The house took recess at 1 o'clock and will resume at 3.

HORACE A. PORTER GRAND HIGH PRIEST

Annual Meeting of Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick

The thirty-first annual meeting of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Brunswick was held in the Masonic Hall this morning. The annual address of the Grand High Priest, Dr. Daley of Sussex, and the reports from the other officers showed the grand chapter to be in a very satisfactory condition. A change in the constitution was effected, namely that the chapter will hereafter meet on Monday, the day before the meeting of the Grand Lodge, instead of the day after it. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: Horace A. Porter, grand high priest; Daniel W. Kyle of Moncton, deputy grand high priest; George E. Day, grand king; Edward W. Jarvis of Woodstock, grand scribe; Peter Campbell, grand treasurer; J. T. Hart, grand secretary; Robert Clerke, grand tyler.

WAR GARDENING WORK

Through the kindness of Mr. Ganong the War Gardens Association have opened a very comfortable office in the Corona building, Union street east. The ladies of the affiliated societies are meeting with good success in canvassing for the association. Superintendent McIntosh says that he has many offers of small lots of land but would like to get a few larger lots near the city. A crop of Green Mountain seed potatoes has been ordered and arrangements are being made for distributing them in fifty pound and 200 pound bags.

Want \$1.85 For Heating Gas

ALL BUT ONE FOUND GUILTY

Jury's Verdict in Trial Over Plot For Revolution in India

San Francisco, April 24.—Twenty-nine persons—Hindus, former German consular officers, business men and others—were found guilty early today by a jury in the federal court of conspiracy to violate the neutrality of the United States through plots to foment revolution against British rule in India. Thirty were on trial and the only verdict of not guilty was returned in the case of John F. Craig, head of the Craig Shipbuilding Company yard, Long Beach, Cal.

The German defendants were not entitled to bail, Judge Van Fleet ruled, and the following were ordered interned pending sentence, which will be passed on next Tuesday: Franz Bopp, former German consul-general at San Francisco; E. H. Von Schack, vice-consul; Charles Tattendorf, bodyguard to Wilhelm Von Brincken, military attaché of the German consulate; Walter Suerback, navigating officer of the German gunboat Geier; Captain Edward Deinat, commander of the steamer Holsatia; German merchantman interned at Honolulu; Captain L. Heinrich Eib, commander of the steamer Ahlers; German merchantman interned at Elio, and Henry Kaufmann, chancellor of the German consulate.

The hall of each Hindu defendant was fixed at \$25,000. A fatal shooting in the court room yesterday was the result of a feud among rival factions of the Hindu defendants. Federal authorities said, and the dislike that existed between Ram Chandra and Ram Singh had been heightened by a controversy over a parcel of land in Canada owned by Singh.

WORD FROM FAIRVILLE SOLDIERS OVERSEAS

Word has been received lately from several Fairville boys now in course of training in England or more actively doing their bit in France. James Hennessey, Max O'Keefe and others of the late drafts have been working hard at training and report themselves well and enjoying their experiences. Leo Quigg, recovering now in England, writes that he has seen these boys and that they are in the best of health and anxious to get to France, as Supper Quigg seems to be himself, though he has seen three years of active service and has been gassed a couple of times.

John O'Keefe is now with an artillery unit on the western front, and has been through some of the recent heavy fighting.

AUTO SPEEDING IN FAIRVILLE AGAIN IS COMPLAINED OF

The matter of speeding automobiles through Fairville and out the Mannagonish road is again before the public, now that the condition of the roads is such that fast driving can be accomplished without danger to the occupants of the cars. Last evening about half past nine o'clock a car with three passengers, evidently from the city, as it came from the direction of the bridge, drove up Main street, Fairville, at racing speed without showing a glimmer of headlights. Several persons endeavored to catch the number on the car, but owing to the darkness and the speed at which the auto was going, the figures could not be made out.

Last year there were many near-accidents. It is not too early in the season to see to it that precautions are taken to prevent this dangerous practice from becoming popular this summer.

HAVE BUILT HUNDREDS OF MILES OF RAILWAYS BEHIND BRITISH LINE

London, April 24.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency)—In the House of Commons Hon. A. Bonar Law mentioned that in 1917 alone 900 miles of broad gauge and 1,000 miles of light railways had been constructed behind our lines.

WILL BE NON-COMBATANTS

Conscientious Objectors to be Put Into Khaki But Not in Fighting Ranks

Montreal, April 24.—Major-General W. W. Wilson, G. O. C., received from Ottawa yesterday an order setting forth that conscientious objectors are to be put into khaki and attached to non-combatant units such as the engineers, army service corps, ordnance corps or on clerical duties.

GERMANY ARMY IS MOVING ON VIBORG

Moscow, April 18.—(By the Associated Press)—The Germans after the capture of Viborg. The Finnish Bolshevik government is evacuating Viborg.

Power Co. Makes a Request For Authority

PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

F. R. Taylor Presents Case For Company and Dr. W. B. Wallace, for City, Opposes—Matter Stands For Consideration With Comment By Chairman City

Fred R. Taylor, K.C., appeared before the Public Utilities commission at a meeting held this morning and asked that the price of heating gas be increased from \$1.50 to \$1.85, the same as lighting gas. He gave a lengthy address, dealing with the situation of the New Brunswick Power Company, going into details regarding their demands for increases in rates.

He spoke about the bill presented before the legislature and the attitude taken by city authorities. He spoke of an agreement by which an investigation of the company's property was made. He said that the company had given every facility in order that the report be complete and comprehensive. Notwithstanding this, he said, the city had pressed a bill before the legislature and as a result a committee was to go into the matter and report at the meeting of the legislature in 1918. He said there was no explanation given by the city for their change of attitude and no criticisms were made into the investigation of the company's property. When the matter came up before the committee of the legislature, they were, he said, possibly influenced by statements made in newspapers wilfully distorting the situation.

He said that Mayor Hayes and others expressed themselves as favoring the matter being left to the members of the Public Utilities or some other special commission to deal permanently with the company's rates. Mr. Taylor then spoke about the increased cost of coal, inferior grade being supplied and the necessity of increasing a larger quantity than hitherto. He said it cost the company more than \$100,000 a year for this item alone, and that increased cost of material, increases in wages, etc., made it very hard for the company when it was taken into consideration that they did not get any additional remuneration for their service to the people.

The daylight saving bill had and was reducing, he said, the earnings of the electric light service by twenty per cent, and that it was needless to say how urgent it was that the matter be brought forward for the present time the company was not in a position to earn their bond indebtedness.

He then gave details of the gas plant and reviewed a report presented by Mr. Waterman, an expert. He said that during the last fifteen years the company had been earning \$4,500 a year. This sum, he said, was not sufficient to give the company a chance to put the plant in proper condition. He said that during the last fifteen years the company had been earning \$4,500 a year. This sum, he said, was not sufficient to give the company a chance to put the plant in proper condition. He said that during the last fifteen years the company had been earning \$4,500 a year. This sum, he said, was not sufficient to give the company a chance to put the plant in proper condition.

Chairman Otty said that he thought that the company was asking a good deal, considering the fact that within a week the matter would be placed in the hands of an independent commission with power to deal with the whole situation. He said that he did not think that the commission should be influenced by any action on their part. He said they might as well get the matter decided by the commission as to leave the matter free to deal with in its entirety by the commission. He then spoke about Mr. Waterman's report and said that after the commission received it they felt that they had not committed any error in judgment in granting the temporary increase, as the company ought to make some profit. He said they considered they had done all they could to relieve the situation as presented to them. He said he felt that the commission ought not to do, as he felt the special commission should be left free.

Dr. W. B. Wallace, K.C., who was present in the interests of the city, said that he did not know the case was coming up and was not prepared to make a final argument. He said he thought the board, under the circumstances, should not do anything to raise the price of gas. He said there was considerable criticism as to the present rate being paid. He thought it would be very opportune to make any further order and that the board should consider deciding their previous order. He asked the matter be allowed to stand. The board said that they would consider the application.

M. N. Cockburn, K.C., of St. Andrews, and H. A. Murchie, of Calais, appeared before the commission asking authority for the Calais Water and Power Company to issue \$50,000 bonds for an outstanding indebtedness.

A letter was read from N. Marks Mills, of St. Stephen, who said that such authority would cause serious inconvenience to the town of Milltown, and that he proposed to oppose the passage of the bill. He asked for a postponement of the hearing on account of illness. This was granted and adjournment took place until May 22.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

METROPOLITAN ATTRACTION COMING

The Lyric to House a Two-Week Engagement—First in the History of St. John—Twice Daily For Two Weeks

An only the very largest cities do theatrical or motion picture engagements run longer than one week, and a short time ago one week seemed impossible in this city.

Harry Cahill, a dominion policeman, and four soldiers testified that Reich made diabolical remarks about the king and queen and royal family and also declared that Germany would win the war, and that therefore it was useless to conscript young men to go overseas to fight a victorious foe.

ENRICH THE BLOOD

Hood's Sarsaparilla, a Spring Tonic, is Necessary.

Everybody is troubled at this season with loss of vitality, failure of appetite, that tired feeling, or with bilious turns, dull headaches, indigestion and other stomach troubles, or with pimples and other eruptions on the face and body.

GERMAN SPY CENTER IN SWITZERLAND HAS BEEN DISCOVERED

Paris, April 24.—Despatches from Switzerland state that an important espionage centre has been discovered in Geneva and Lausanne.

LOCAL NEWS

MILLS WORKING AGAIN

The strike, which occurred Monday in Murray & Gregory's and Stetson, Cutler & Company's saw mills, has been satisfactorily settled and both mills are operating today as usual.

IS IMPROVING

Word was received from His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc this morning that Rev. J. O'Donovan, pastor of the Church of the Assumption in West St. John, who was seriously ill in Boston, is on the road to recovery.

BURIED TODAY

The funeral of Henry Conway took place this afternoon from his mother's residence, corner of Union and Brussels streets, to the Cathedral, where burial services were conducted by Rev. Francis Walker. Interment was made in the new Catholic cemetery.

FINE IN LIQUOR CASE

Magistrate Ritchie this morning gave judgment in the case of Max Weber and Morris Witzman, charged with having liquor in his possession. He struck a fine of \$200 against the two, to be paid out at a later date.

AUTO CASES

J. M. Owen, R. W. Carson, W. T. White and John Scott were before Magistrate Ritchie this morning on various charges in connection with their automobiles. Mr. Owen and Mr. Carson were reported for not having their 1918 tags on their cars.

IN IRELAND

Dublin, April 24.—At a labor meeting in Athlone today it was resolved to oppose industrial as well as military conscription. Women workers pledged themselves to undertake no work previously done by men.

Sugar for Preserving

Washington, April 24.—Sugar for domestic canning and preserving this summer will be distributed under a modified certificate system by which each consumer will be required to sign an application for the amount needed.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

SKELDON—On April 24, to Mr. and Mrs. S. Skeldon, 87 Broad street, a daughter.

DEATHS

BANKS—At her late residence, 102 Sheriff street, on the 22nd inst., Mrs. Sarah Banks, wife of Edgar Banks and formerly Sarah Barton of Gibson, aged thirty-two years, leaving a husband, two children, father, three brothers, four sisters to mourn.

IN MEMORIAM

CULLEY—In loving memory Lullie Culley, who departed this life April 24, 1918.

For Health & Food Conservation Grape-Nuts THERE'S A REASON

ALLEGED TO HAVE SAID GERMANY WOULD WIN; ARREST IN MONTREAL

Montreal, April 24.—Albert Reclis of Winnipeg, is under arrest here charged with uttering a seditious libel. He pleaded not guilty.

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YOUR LAST CHANCE

Tonight and tomorrow night at Central Baptist church in the evening, the English Kenyon. Subject tonight, "The Lost Man and His Friend."

LADIES' WAISTS NOW 60c.

Ladies' waists in black or blue stripes, regular price \$1.25, special this week, 60c, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

GIRLS WANTED

To work on St. John Directory; must be able to write well and spell correctly. Apply Thursday morning, April 25, from 10 a. m. to 1 o'clock, to McAlpine Directory Company, 106 Prince William street, second floor.

AUCTION SALE

Come to Arnold's big auction sale tonight for bargains—wall paper, ladies' raincoats, children's dresses, lace curtains, lace and insertion, towels, dishes, enamel ware, etc., 17-19 Brussels; no sale Thursday night.

LECTURE THURSDAY EVENING

Under the auspices of the Saint John Art Club; Mrs. E. Atherton Smith will give an illustrated lecture, "Through Yosemite Valley With a Camera," in the German Baptist Institute Thursday evening, a splendid musical programme has been prepared. Tickets 25c.

OK HALL'S SALE OF TRUNKS AND BAGS

In order to introduce our new trunk and bag department, we are offering special prices on all trunks and bags purchased this week. See window display. Scovill Bros., Limited.

THE LUMBER DRIVES

Fredericton, N. B., April 24.—Driving prospects for the lumber drives in the central part of New Brunswick are good and driving is quite general. The warm weather brought the water in the majority of the brooks to a good driving pitch and the rains yesterday and today are helping matters although some operators think it may bring the water up too high.

Given Honorary Degree.

Montreal, April 24.—The honorary degree of doctor divinity was conferred by the Wesleyan Theological College here at the annual convocation last night upon the Rev. J. R. Saint, president of the Newfoundland Methodist conference. The degree was conferred in absentia.

LOCAL NEWS

Umbrellas, raincoats, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

FOR UMBRELLAS, RAINCOATS

At special low prices for this week, at C. J. Bassen's, corner Union and Sydney.

Go to Mrs. J. K. Storey's for correct styles and prices in millinery.

Remember rummage sale, Calvin church schoolroom, Saturday afternoon; will call for parcels if you ring Main 1839-31.

We do picture framing and enlarging

work at lowest prices; give us a trial; satisfaction guaranteed.—210 Union street, opposite Opera; open evenings, 4-8.

Wanted to buy—Farm near city; state particulars and lowest cash price.

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OK HALL'S SALE OF TRUNKS AND BAGS

In order to introduce our new trunk and bag department, we are offering special prices on all trunks and bags purchased this week. See window display. Scovill Bros., Limited.

THE LUMBER DRIVES

Fredericton, N. B., April 24.—Driving prospects for the lumber drives in the central part of New Brunswick are good and driving is quite general. The warm weather brought the water in the majority of the brooks to a good driving pitch and the rains yesterday and today are helping matters although some operators think it may bring the water up too high.

Given Honorary Degree.

Montreal, April 24.—The honorary degree of doctor divinity was conferred by the Wesleyan Theological College here at the annual convocation last night upon the Rev. J. R. Saint, president of the Newfoundland Methodist conference. The degree was conferred in absentia.

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Presentation to Manager R. H. Anderson Marks Happy Gathering at Home

There was a very happy time last evening at the home of R. H. Anderson, manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia, 36 Queen Square, when the staff of the bank were entertained in honor of the 36th anniversary of the day on which Mr. Anderson entered the service of that institution.

A most enjoyable evening was spent by all with music and dancing. Assistant Manager Sinclair, on behalf of the staff, presented to Mr. and Mrs. Anderson an electric plan lamp, at the same time extending felicitations on the long term of service Mr. Anderson had rendered to the bank.

Mr. Anderson gratefully thanked the staff for their gift and good wishes and expressed the hope that the associations which had been so pleasant through the years would continue.

On April 28, 1882, Mr. Anderson entered the employ of the Bank of Nova Scotia in their Chatham branch and by strict attention to his duties and faithful service rose step by step until today he is manager of one of the most important branches of the institution. His longest term of service was at St. John's, Newfoundland, where he was stationed for nine years, and in that time established branches all over the island.

Mr. Anderson has acted as manager at Sussex, New Glasgow, Chatham, Campbellton, St. John's, Nfld., and his present post here. He has been manager in St. John for two years, and has proven most popular and efficient. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are blessed with three accomplished daughters who have always shown readiness to lend their talents in entertainments and are active patriotic workers, as also is Mrs. Anderson. Many St. John friends join in wishing Mr. Anderson many more years of service in his position and every happiness to himself and family.

WM. M. RANKIN, DEAD IN YARMOUTH; CHILDREN HERE

Yarmouth, N. S., April 24.—A well-known business man of Yarmouth died this morning in the person of Wm. M. Rankin. He was seventy-three years old and came to Yarmouth from St. John some years ago and started in business. Always of genial disposition, he drew many to him and the store started in a small way has become an important business. He leaves his wife, one daughter and one son. The two latter reside in St. John, one being Blanche, wife of Guy Burill, the other being Stanley in the Dominion Express office. The body will be taken to St. John tomorrow for interment.

ST. PETER'S AND AMHERST TIE FOR THE LEAD

Calais lost in the race for the bowling championship of the maritime provinces and Eastern Maine this morning when they were defeated by Amherst in the tournament being held on the Y.M.C.I. alleys. The winners' total pinfall was 1,265, and the losers' 1,225. Up to noon St. Peter's Y.M.A. team was leading the league. The details of the game this morning follows:

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Just at a time when economy is uppermost among win-the-war measures, come the newer food-and-drink products under the popular Red Ball trade mark. The zest and lusciousness of this year's Red Ball Beverages will, with their nourishing properties, win them the place of preference wherever the best is demanded. Red Ball Beverages are produced by George W. C. Oland, successor to Simeon Jones, Limited.

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Tragic? Yes! "Of course," you'll say, "that won't be said of my wife if I should die suddenly."

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GERMANS OPEN FRENCH OFFENSIVE ON WEST

French Press Americans. With the French Army in France, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—The valor and steadfastness of the American troops during the German attack at Selchepy on last Saturday is given unstinted praise by the French troops on the same front, in a report forwarded to the general commanding by the colonel of a French infantry regiment which took part in the engagement.

Reserves Intact Says Foch. Milan, Italy, April 24.—"We hold the line," says the Italian press, "and we will do something more." Gen. Foch is quoted as saying in an interview published by the Corriere della Sera. "Our ample reserves are still intact. We are satisfied with the progress of events."

With the American Army in France, April 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Notwithstanding their concentration of men and guns at various points, the Germans still refrain from striking.

Prisoners report there is much sickness and an epidemic of trench feet among the Germans, adding that the rations are inadequate to the needs of fighting soldiers.

This morning we carried out successful operations east of the Clarence River with the object of straightening our line.

RUSSIA FAILS IN ALL PEACE EFFORTS WITH KIEV RADA

London, April 24.—A Russian wireless despatch says—"All attempts, direct and through the intermediary of the German government to open peace negotiations at Smolensk between Russia and the Kiev Rada having failed, M. Tchitcherin, Bolshevik foreign minister, has wired Berlin asking whether the delay means that Germany has decided to renounce the fulfillment of the clause in the Brest-Litovsk treaty which provides that Russia should conclude an immediate peace with the Central Rada."

TORONTO M. P'S PLAN FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

Ottawa, April 24.—Major Mowatt, member for Parkdale, Toronto, has given resolution notice of the following: That, in the opinion of this house, it is expedient to assist partially disabled soldiers to meet the future with confidence, and with that end, that the dominion should erect villages in the neighborhood of cities, in all provinces, to afford them residences and workshops where they may engage in the production of goods not hitherto made in Canada, as well as objects of art and literature, so as to afford a permanent source of income in addition to their pensions; that such communities shall be self-supporting after the initial outlay, and consist of homes, not barracks or hospitals, that the occupants shall have an option to purchase; that all buildings shall be architecturally sanitary and beautified, and supplied with electric power, and that homes be also available for widows and orphans of soldiers commensurate with their pensions and means.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Rising have returned after an eight months' trip to the west. Rev. R. J. Coughlan of Johnville, is visiting his mother, Exmouth street. George Newcombe, for two years with the staff of the Imperial Theatre, will leave tonight to join his mother in Winnipeg. Last evening at his father's home in Torburn friends gathered to give him an expression of their good-will. A pleasant evening was spent, and good wishes extended to the young man, who has been very popular with all his associates. Captain W. D. McKay, C. A. M. C. of St. John, who went overseas with the 16th Field Ambulance, is in Halifax visiting friends. He is at present taking treatment in Kentville. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Caleb Tingley, of Point de Bute, are in Halifax on their honeymoon. The bride was Miss Bertha Winona Steeves of St. John.

THE SITUATION AS TO HOLLAND AND GERMANY

London, April 24.—According to the Daily Mail the situation between Germany and Holland was described in "authoritative quarters in London" Tuesday night as having eased considerably. Amsterdam, April 24.—The Berlin correspondent of the Kolnische Volks Zeitung complains of the obstinacy with which Holland resists imperatively necessary concessions. He says Germany is inclined to meet Dutch wishes regarding a proposed system of exchanging ships with the United States, "but naturally on quite definite conditions and in return for quite definite concessions." The despatch concludes: "We can wait until the Dutch in their own interests consider our conditions and demands acceptable."

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ALL TOGETHER.

There has never been a time since the war began when there was such urgent need for all the people to be keyed up to a keen sense of personal and individual responsibility as in these present fearful days when Germany is delivering her mightiest stroke on the western front.

THE HEALTH BILL.

The opposition leaders at Fredericton have decided to treat the public health bill as a partisan measure. This is much to be regretted. The aim of Hon. Dr. Roberts and of the government is to improve health conditions in New Brunswick, and not to dispense patronage.

THE FIRST ROUND WON.

The members of the legislature have decided that the people of St. John are not to be punished because a group of gentlemen who desired sudden riches got hold of a public utility, watered the stock, and undertook to unload the burden of additional dividends and interest upon the public.

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IRISH NATIONALIST DIFFICULTIES

(Toronto Globe.)

The Irish problem is a tragedy of history; and Irish history is a thing which Sir Horace Plunkett, that devoted and self-sacrificing Irish nationalist, Englishman to remember and Irishmen to forget.

FINES, RAILWAY FOR CROWDING

T. S. R. Penalized by Railway Board for Failing To Secure Cars

Levy Totals \$24,000 — Action Taken Under Recently Enacted Legislation and One Appeal is Allowed to Supreme Court

(Toronto Globe.)

Overcrowding on Toronto street cars has at last brought down on the Toronto Railway Company a heavy penalty.

SAYS ALLIES NEED PLANES AND MEN

Acrophanes and men, and then more men, is the message which Major George W. Simmons of St. Louis, division manager of the southwestern division of the American Red Cross, brings back from

ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach

THEY GAVE HER VINOL AFTER SICKNESS

It Completely Restored Her Strength

Brooklyn, N. Y.—"Pneumonia left me weak and tired, with pains under my shoulder blades, a bad cough and no appetite.

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L. H. Spades ..... \$1.15 Garden Sets ..... \$1.00, \$1.25, \$2.50 and \$3.00 per set

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L. H. Shovels, Round and Square Point ..... \$1.05 Bush Hooks ..... 75c

Garden Forks ..... 85c, 85c, 90c, \$1.00 and \$1.05 Hand Garden Plows ..... 75c

Manure Forks ..... \$1.05, \$1.60, \$1.80 each Scuffle Hoes and Rakes Combined ..... 60c to \$1.15

Long Handle ..... 1.05 1.65 1.90 each Garden Barrows ..... \$3.00, \$6.50, and \$7.00

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is true that they might not have been delivered on time, but we believe that if contracts had been promptly issued by this time they would be obtaining cars," said the chairman.

Mr. Bain said he desired to offer more evidence on labor and financial conditions. However, Chairman McIntyre said they did not want to hear anything more. Montreal ordered fifty cars early in 1917, and they were delivered within thirteen months.

Mr. Bain again protested. He said that since the orders had been placed, as referred to by the chairman, the United States had gone into war. "We don't want more evidence, we want more cars," replied the chairman shortly. "You have had ample opportunity; you have been trifling with our order."

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(Air—Down By the Old Mill Stream.) Our country dear is fighting.

It is fighting night and day. We're fighting in the trenches.

Come help while yet 'tis day. The shrapnels they are flying.

The bombs are bursting, too; But still we'll do our bit, lads.

'Neath the Red, White and Blue. Chorus.

Somewhere in France, my lad, They are calling you.

They are calling you. Don the khaki tunic or the Navy Blue.

We both need your help. Come enlist today.

Come over the way from Canada, Be a soldier true.

Somewhere our fleet is watching. It is watching for the foe.

We're fighting in the navy. As over water we go.

We're gone, but not forgotten. For Britannia rules the waves.

And never shall be slaves, lads. Chorus.

Somewhere we have a fleet. They are calling you.

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PUSHING AUTO BEHIND FAT CIGAR NOT A JOB.

Toronto's 13,500 Gentlemen of Leisure Are to Be Visited By the Police.

(Toronto Star.)

Toronto's police chief gives fair warning that from now on every male person between the ages of 16 and 60, poor and rich, must have a job or suffer the consequences enumerated in the recent act of parliament.

According to the chief it doesn't matter how much income the man has, the job is the only thing that will keep him out of jail.

"We already have had some names sent in to us," Chief Grassett declared today, "and we are going to investigate and take action where we find that these men are not doing any useful work. Possession of money does not exempt them from engaging in some useful occupation in war time. A big income is no defence under the existing law. A lot of men heretofore have been content to drive a big motor car behind a cigar, but it won't do in future."

The chief proclaimed his edict over a copy of the Canada Gazette, which published in full the terms of the new act.

In view of the fact that there are about 13,500 men in Toronto who are idle, or styled "gentlemen," the police chief has a big contract on his hands.

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The merchants of the city have petitioned the council to pass a by-law ordering the closing of stores at 5.30 every evening except Saturday, and the executive has recommended its passage.

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### THE SPIRIT OF FRANCE.

Belleville Intelligence—Even in Paris, the centre of that glorious spirit of a France unconquerable, it seems that there is an occasional nervous one who shakes with the far-off rumble of the guns and wonders if he had not better be moving further away from the menace of the Hun war machine. Such an one recently said tremblingly to the Minister of Marine, Georges Leygues, in the Chamber of Deputies:

"So the situation is really grave?"

"Doubtless," was the reply.

"It is said that the government is thinking of leaving Paris?" queried the spineless one.

"That is correct," said the minister of marine.

"Would it go to Bordeaux?" asked the trembling one.

"Certainly not. If we leave Paris we will not go to Bordeaux, but to Amiens," was the reply of the minister of marine, which left his questioner gasping.



## Mercury Hosiery for ladies and men

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On account of the war, very few of the fine imported lines of hosiery are at present obtainable in Canada. But women can now obtain Canadian hosiery that is superior in finish and fit to the most luxurious pure silk, mercerized lisle, cotton and cashmere lines produced abroad.

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## MORE REPORTS OF CASES UNDER M.S.A.

Reports of further cases decided by the central appeal judge under the Military Service Act follow:

**Re E. McKenna:** A general store-keeper in the employ of a shipbuilding establishment, is not to be exempted by reason of his occupation.

This is an appeal by the military authorities against exemption granted in the lower tribunals. The subject of the application is the general store-keeper for the Quebec Shipbuilding & Repairing Company, who are engaged in building wooden boats for the imperial government. The subject has charge of all material that goes into the boats, and it is alleged that he has particular knowledge of timber and experience in the measuring of timber. It is his duty to keep a record of all material that goes into each boat. The appeal tribunal granted him exemption so long as he remained in his present employment.

The Central Appeal Judge—the applicant has been allowed exemption so long as he remains in the employ of the Quebec Shipbuilding & Repairing Company.

The applicant is general storekeeper having charge of the material which goes into the boats.

There is nothing in the record to justify the conclusion that he could not readily be replaced. It is to be noted that the company started its operations only on Sept. 1 last, after the Military Service Act had become law.

As to domestic position, the grounds do not seem adequate.

Appeal allowed—exemption disallowed.

**Re Bernard C. Longmire.**

A chartered accountant acting as auditor for a large number of financial and industrial concerns, is not to be exempted by reason of the importance of his occupation.

The Central Appeal Judge—in this case the applicant, who is also the appellant, is an accountant, the only partner resident in Calgary, of the firm of Webb, Read, Hegon, Cunningham & Co., chartered accountants, one of the firms being at present in the army.

His claim is made on the ground that this firm are the auditors for a large number of concerns, including grain and elevator companies, collieries, lumber manufacturing companies, telephone companies, electric light companies, insurance companies, packing plants, one dairy company and three chartered banks.

Exemption was granted by the appeal tribunal until March 1, 1918.

Inconvenience will no doubt arise by the withdrawal of the applicant for military service, but there is nothing in the facts stated to suggest the probability that any detriment will be suffered either by the public or by the private concerns who are clients of the firm, as to justify exemption.

Exemption refused.

**Re E. Turbis.**

Employment as a deck hand by a ferry company is no ground for exemption.

The appeal tribunal granted exemption in this case so long as the subject of the application should be employed by the Quebec & Lewis Ferry Company, Limited, in whose employ he was at the time of the application.

The application for exemption was made by the ferry company, and was based upon the importance of the subject's occupation in the public interest. The chief public representative now appeals to the central appeal judge.

The Central Appeal Judge—the subject of this application is a deck hand. This is no foundation for the application for exemption.

Appeal allowed—exemption refused.

**Re David H. Mustard.**

A skilled drop-hammer man, engaged by a manufacturer of important machinery, granted temporary exemption. On any application for renewal it must appear that he is fully employed in his special occupation.

The subject of this application is a drop-hammer man, in the employ of the Massey-Harris Company, Limited. The evidence shows that this man's work is of a class requiring expert skill, and that there is a great scarcity of this skilled labor. Large orders for machinery for England and France have been refused by the man's employers, and two hammers have been lying idle, for lack of skilled men such as the subject of this application.

The man himself neglected to appear before the local tribunal, who disallowed his claim by default. The appeal

is allowed.

**Re Eugene Donley.**

The fact of a man being engaged in operating a machine in the manufacture of munitions of war does not justify exemption, unless his work is of such a skilled nature that he is not reasonably replaceable.

The subject of this application claimed exemption on the ground that he is a skilled machine operator in the employ of a firm making six inch high explosive shells. His foreman said that he is an old hand at the work and a steady worker.

Exemption was refused in the lower tribunals, and the subject of the application now appeals to the central appeal judge.

The Central Appeal Judge—No facts were disclosed to justify the exemption of the subject of the application as a machine operator. There is nothing to indicate that he is anything more than a machine tender, or that he is not reasonably replaceable.

Appeal dismissed.

**AMERICAN CITIZEN IS ARRESTED IN MOSCOW**

Is Charged With Plotting Against Soviet and to Assist Kaledines' Cossacks in Counter-Revolutionary Move.

Moscow, April 17—(By The Associated Press)—Vladimir Bary, an American citizen, was arrested here on Sunday and locked up on a charge of counter-revolutionary activity in Moscow in connection with the financing of the Cossack movement at Rostov-On-The-Don against the Soviet authorities.

The imprisoned man is a member of the firm Zinsida & Bary, boiler manufacturers of Moscow, with a branch in Philadelphia. Mr. Bary's arrest follows the arrest of a Russian officer in Petrograd, who made a confession alleging that the American was involved in a plot to assist General Kaledines' movement.

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- Martha, (Bertrand's wife) . . . . . Beatrice Fleet
- Iolantha, (King Rene's daughter) . . . . . Jean Teed

### GOOD TIME FOR BOYS.

The members of the Boys' Club of the number of about fifty were entertained last evening by Mrs. Flewelling's class of young ladies from Victoria street Baptist church. The boys also entertained the ladies running potato races, entering into a novel doughnut eating contest, singing choruses and generally enjoying themselves. The young ladies also had a potato race and sang choruses, and Miss Nina Williamson sang a solo.

### TO RELIEVE CATARRHAL DEAFNESS AND HEAD NOISES

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### SOCIAL STUDY COURSE.

New Line of Study at McGill for Welfare Workers.

Montreal, April 24—The board of governors of McGill University has decided to establish a new course in the college School of Social Study and Training. The object is to educate in a practical way young men and women who desire to devote their efforts to philanthropic work.

### CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS WILL STAY IN CANADA

Toronto, Ont., April 23—Conscientious objectors, who refuse to fight will not have to go to France and face the Hun but they must serve with the Canadian forces in Canada.

This is the latest edict from Ottawa which reached headquarters today. The order states "men objecting to serve on conscientious grounds will in future not be sent overseas but will be obliged to serve in Canada in the Canadian engineers' army service corps, army medical corps, Canadian ordnance corps, or on clerical duties and may be transferred accordingly. Those refusing to obey orders after such transfer will be dealt with accordingly."

### WOMEN'S AND MISSES' New Spring Hosiery

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1918

### COOKS AND MAIDS

**FOOD GENERAL MAID, SMALL family,** references. Mrs. Fred De-rost, Main 921-21. 80160-5-1

**ASSISTANT FEMALE COOK, VIC-toria Hotel.** 80185-4-27

**'ANTED-A COOK, APPLY MRS. H. N. Stetson, 161 Mt. Pleasant Ave.** 80161-4-28

**HAMBERMAID WANTED DUF-ferin Hotel.** 80159-4-27

**'ANTED-SERVANT GIRL FOR housekeeping.** Apply Morris Guss, 42 cadia street. Name on door. 80186-5-1

**'ANTED-DINING ROOM GIRL,** also woman order cook. Apply Bos-n Restaurant, 20 Charlotte street. 80188-4-27

**'ANTED-COOK AND HOUSE-maid.** Apply Miss Thorne, 13 Meck-nburg Terrace. 80045-4-28

**'ANTED-CAPABLE MAID OR middle-aged woman to assist with housework; highest wages paid. Refer-ences required. Apply at once, 80 Hazen street. 80078-4-29**

**'RL-APPLY 08 SIMONDS ST.** Mrs. King. 80009-4-30

**GENERAL MAID, WITH REFER-ences.** Apply Mrs. Harry Warwick, 92 Princess street. T.F.

**GENERAL GIRL, SMALL FAMILY,** good wages. Apply evenings, Mrs. S. Hanington, 115 Union. 79988-4-28

**'ANTED-AT ONCE, CAPABLE girl for general housework.** Apply T. Leinster street. 79837-4-29

**'AID FOR GENERAL HOUSE-work, one able to do plain cooking.** Apply 46 Crown street. 79830-4-29

**'ANTED-GIRL FOR GENERAL Housework.** References. Apply 167 tradise row. 79881-4-29.

**'APABLE GIRL OR MIDDLE aged woman.** Apply to Mrs. F. J. ce, 182 St. James street. 79922-4-29

**'ANTED-CAPABLE MAID REFER-ences.** Mrs. H. H. Brewer, 146 ndey street. 80070-4-30

**CAPABLE GIRL FOR GENERAL Housework.** Apply at once to Mrs. Duncan Smith, 168 King street. T.F.

**'ANTED-GOOD WOMAN AS Companion, to go to country, good use for right person.** Apply 186 range street. 79828-4-27

**'ANTED-KITCHEN GIRL, 32 Charlotte.** 79724-4-26

**'ANTED-SMART GIRL, 66 DOR-chester street.** 79888-4-28

**'ANTED-NURSE MAID, APPLY R. D. Paterson, 48 Carleton street.** 79897-4-28

**'ANTED-GIRL FOR GENERAL Housework, good pay, no washing.** Apply to 180 King street east. 79638-4-28

### WANTED

**GENTLEMAN WANTS BOARD and room in private family, five min-utes' walk from Haymarket square. Box N 82, Times. 80187-5-1**

**WANTED-CARPET ABOUT 16 feet square.** Address N 80, Times. 80144-5-1

**WANTED-BOYS BICYCLE IN good repair.** Phone M. 1042-11. 80101-4-26

**WANTED-SOMEONE TO BOARD or adopt baby boy.** Address Box N 21, Times. 79990-4-30

**WANTED-CAPABLE GIRL OR woman in small family.** References required. Apply Mrs. J. M. Barry, 112 Waterloo street. 79941-4-29

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**FOR SALE-SOME HOUSE FURNI-ture. Ingham, 72 St. James street. 79928-4-29**

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**FOR SALE-3 SHOW CASES, \$4.50 each, 1 bed and spring, \$4; 1 ward-robe, \$5; 1 parlor set, \$20; 1 bureau, \$6; chairs, 25c. up; 1 sofa, \$2.-Mc-Grath's Furniture Store, 274 Union street, St. John, N. B. Phone 1348-21.**

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FURNITURE SALE At Residence BY AUCTION I am instructed to sell at residence No. 25 Paddock street, on Friday morning, the 26th inst., at 10 o'clock, the contents of house, consisting in part: Parlor Suite, Dining-table and Chairs, Marble Mirror, Side-board, Dining Table, Dress Cases and Commodore, Umbrella Stand, Pictures, Linoleums, Carpets, etc. F. L. POTTS, Auctioneer.

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**Canada's War Parliament**

Ottawa, April 23—With the exception of the war appropriation, measures of minor interest occupied the house today. The war appropriation went through rapidly. In five minutes the commons had completed committee stage on a war vote of \$500,000,000. The bill now stands for third reading. Thence it goes to the senate.

In the course of discussion on the bill to "encourage the organization and co-ordination of employment office" there was passing reference to the resignation of Mr. W. F. O'Connor as cost of living commissioner. In reply to a question by Mr. Devlin, Mr. Crothers announced that arrangements had already been made for a successor to Mr. O'Connor.

**National Registration.**

The detailed regulations governing the men and woman power registration, to be taken on a day before the end of June, to be fixed, make provision for the places of registration being open from 7 o'clock in the morning until 10 p.m. Owing to the number of questions which each individual will have to answer, the process of registration will be considerably slower than that of voting at an election. As the number of persons to register will greatly exceed the number of voters, a large staff of deputy registrars and clerks will have to be provided to complete the registration in one day. As already explained, however, provision is made for the subsequent registration of people who, on account of sickness or for other reason are unable to register on the regular day. These people will be able to obtain registration cards from postmasters and to send them to the central registrar who will be located at Ottawa.

The registration in the Yukon will not take place on the same day as the rest of Canada, but at a subsequent date, to be fixed by the government.

Ottawa, April 23—Edward Proulx, Prescott, asked the minister of militia when the house met today, if the order-in-council passed in December empowering him to release men from military service for work on the farms still stood.

Major-General Newburn said: "It is still operative so far as it applies to

**DOCTOR TO BE CALLED FOR PRISONER WHEN ONE IS ASKED FOR**

**Conclusion of Commissioner's Inquiry in Vanwart Case—Decision in Near Future**

The inquiry held by Commissioner McLellan to determine how far any action, or inaction, of the police was responsible for the death of James Vanwart, was conducted in the old municipal chamber in the court house last evening and practically no evidence other than that already given at the inquest was heard. The findings of the investigation will be made public through the press by Commissioner McLellan within a few days. The commissioner stated at the close of the inquiry last evening that a new rule would be put in force at the police station should any prisoner ask for a doctor that it is for one man who is ill to lose his life. This was greeted with much applause by the audience.

Sergeant Detective Lucas of the Dominion police was called to the stand, but as he was not present, Officer Coughlan was summoned instead. When questioned by Commissioner McLellan the officer replied that he remembered Duncan Wright stating at the former session of the inquiry that he had been arrested for playing truant. The witness stated last night, however, that he had arrested Wright on the charge of theft.

Detective William Dunlop, of the city police force, stated to Commissioner McLellan that he had served a warrant on Lucas and that he had said that he would be present. The witness said that Lucas told him that his name was written incorrectly on the summons.

Detective Lucas then arrived and was immediately called to the stand. The evidence given by him was practically the same as given at the inquest, although parts last evening, were slightly more detailed. The witness said that when Vanwart was arrested at his sister's house in Britain street he called the witness into the front room and told him that he had trouble with his head. The witness also stated that the next morning when he called at the police station Officer McLellan informed him that Vanwart was ill in his cell. Questioned as to the appearance of Vanwart in the morning Lucas stated that he did not appear to him to look any worse than a man who has spent a night in one of the police cells. Lucas went on to say that when he was taking Vanwart out of the cell the prisoner told him that he wanted a doctor, and Lucas said that he told him that he would get him one. The witness said that he took Vanwart from the police station to the office of the Dominion police, Prince William street, and from there he was taken to the office of the assistant provost marshal in German street by Constable Sparrow.

Questioned by Commissioner McLellan Detective Lucas replied that he thought that he told Constable Sparrow that Vanwart said that he was ill, but that he (Lucas) did not think that Vanwart was ill as he pretended to be. Lucas also stated that he did not send any word to the assistant provost marshal that Vanwart claimed that he was ill. The witness stated that he did not think that he told Vanwart that he would get a military doctor for him.

When questioned as to why he had taken Vanwart to the office of the provost marshal with him to arrest Vanwart Lucas replied that application had been made to Police Clerk Henderson for a search warrant for the house of Vanwart's sister, and that Mr. Henderson had advised that a member of the civil police be sent down with Lucas. This advice was apparently taken.

Questioned by Lieutenant G. Earle Logan, who appeared on behalf of the military authorities, the witness replied that Vanwart seemed to "brace up" when he was taken out of his cell into the open air.

Policeman McLellan was recalled to the stand and the evidence that he gave on Friday night last was checked over by Commissioner McLellan. This completes the evidence. Commissioner McLellan then stated that when he procured authority to conduct this inquiry to find if any action or inaction of the police was responsible for the death of James Vanwart, he intended to hear evidence bearing on matters up to the time of the death of Vanwart, but that he had been advised legally by his solicitor that he only had authority to conduct the inquiry only so far as the police were responsible for the death of Vanwart. The witness stated that he considered the evidence very carefully and would give his findings to the press in the near future.

**IN HONOR OF ST. GEORGE'S DAY**

The members of St. George's Society and friends met last evening in the Knights of Pythias hall to celebrate the anniversary of England's patron saint. The tag day for the navy, it was announced, resulted in about \$2,200 net being raised, as compared with \$1,900 last year.

The local society received telegrams of congratulations last night from the following sister lodges: New York, Halifax, London, Toronto, Quebec, Cranbrook (B. C.), and London, England. The message from the Royal Society of St. George in London was as follows: "Commemorating England's Day, Mansion House. Be strong, fear not. The devil and all his angels cannot prevail against a righteous cause. Breathing the spirit of patriotic en-

deavor in the great war the local society's telegram to New York was as follows: "Celebrating our natal day during the fourth year of the great war, we have confidence in our splendid armies fighting side by side under the Cross of St. George, the Tricolor and the Stars and Stripes. Right must prevail. God Save the King. Loyal greetings."

Replying to the Royal Society of St. George in London the St. John's society telegram was brief and to the point: "Celebrating with confidence in our splendid army."

To the societies in Halifax, Quebec, Montreal, Ottawa, Toronto, Hamilton, Winnipeg, Barrie and London (Ont.) the telegram read: "Celebrating our natal day during the fourth year of the great war, we renew with confidence in our splendid army, animated by the courage and valor of our patron soldier saint, the great St. George, whose cross outstanding on our glorious flag will lead to victory."

H. A. Powell, K. C.

Full of rhetoric and touching on the great problems of the English race at the present time the oration by A. H. Powell, K. C., was indeed a masterpiece. He traced the history of the society up to the present time and throughout his entire address the flame of patriotism burned brightly. He was repeatedly applauded as again and again he sized up the situation neatly and pointed out that throughout the past centuries the men of English blood and brawn had always been in the forefront fighting for their king and country.

In a very pleasing address Mr. E. Agar replied to the toast to the Irish people. He touched briefly upon the splendid effect that the prohibitory law had had in this country and of the efforts that had been made leading up to its being placed upon the statute books. Of the present situation in Ireland he said that it was to be deplored and was as difficult to understand in this country as it was in the province. That the Irish race had measured up to a very high standard in the present struggle he also said and that every man who had gone overseas of Irish extraction had acquitted himself honorably on the field of action.

He expressed the hope that when the assemblage next met it would be possible to celebrate a complete victory over the unspeakable Hun, and until that happy event was ripe for celebration he was sure that the English, Scotch and Irish would fight shoulder to shoulder as brothers true.

Colonel E. T. Sturdee delivered a short address dealing with the history of the society throughout the empire and particularly referring to the St. John society. His address showed long and careful study of this question and was highly illuminating.

Colonel Powell a Speaker.

Replying to the toast to the army and navy Lieutenant-Colonel A. H. H. Powell, of the district staff, made glad the hearts of the members of the society when he briefly traced the work of the Englishman in this war. England who had maintained an army on thirty-seven fronts, England who had her soldiers forming seventy per cent of the casualties, England who had put her back to the ditch, Professional soldier as he is, Colonel Powell's brief address displayed qualities that few knew he possessed and he was heartily applauded. Several other toasts were responded to briefly but fittingly.

The musical entertainment was provided by a male quartette and Messrs. A. C. Ritchie, Harry Boynton and F. J. Punter while Mr. Chadwick gave a short reading. President B. W. W. Frink occupied the chair and Prof. J. S. Ford presided at the piano.

During the course of the evening the Telegraph furnished the members with a brief summary of the news of the

**Much Depressed In Spirits**

**Un Account of the Exhausted Condition of the Nerves - Though Several Doctors Were Consulted Results Were Disappointing**

Albert, N. B., Apr. 23—All energy and ambition seem to disappear when the nerves become exhausted. Hope and confidence fall and you feel blue and get to looking on the dark side of things. Such was the experience of a young lady, but she soon got to seeing things differently when Dr. Chase's Nerve Food was used to form new rich blood and build up the exhausted nerves.

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**THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY, YESTERDAY'S LATE SESSIONS**

The opening sessions yesterday of the Fredericton Branch of the Women's Auxiliary yesterday were filled with interest. Morning and afternoon reports and discussions on W. A. work were heard, while the evening session was devoted entirely to the girls' branch. Sessions of the W. A. will continue today.

The girls' conference proved a pronounced success and intense interest was manifested in the work of that organization. Miss Marion Frink, the secretary, presided. After the opening exercises Miss Frink read her report for the year, which was one of great interest. During the twelve months this branch of the W. A. has extended its work and the membership has been increased. Altogether the year was one to give satisfaction. Miss Frink, however, encouraged the members to even greater effort.

It was decided by the meeting to donate \$50 to the educational pledge. Model talks by Fredericton delegates were perhaps the feature of the evening. There were three subjects dealt with—Community Linen, Drill and Funds and Fees, and W. A. Efficient Tests, each of which provided helpful hints.

A letter was read from Miss Ruby Peters, of Gagetown, who is a missionary in Honan, China. In the letter Miss Peters told in a general way of the work being done in that district. She told also of the suffering of the natives through floods. She estimated that 10,000 square miles were inundated and the land would not be fit for cultivation for at least five or six years.

The letter was discussed briefly and there was a feeling that greater support should be given to missionary endeavor.

**Afternoon Session.**

At the afternoon session, the president, Mrs. Thomas Walker, in the chair, a summary of the Dorcas work for the year was given by the secretary, Mrs. John Hays. The report showed that a great deal of work had been accomplished dur-

**Heart Beat So Fast Could Not Sleep**

ing the past year, and that the society was on a very favorable footing. The secretary thanked all the members for the splendid support that they had given during the year.

Mrs. W. D. Foster, the corresponding secretary, reported the number of letters that had been written during the year, also that seventeen new life members have been admitted, and that 250 silver membership pins and twenty gold life membership badges had been sold.

The report of Miss Gladys Frink, secretary of the girls' branches, was very encouraging. During the year two new branches have been organized, and splendid Dorcas work has been done by all the girls' branches. Seven boxes were sent to country Sunday schools at Christmas. The cost of the Dorcas work for the year is as follows: Indian schools, \$808.24; Christmas boxes, \$108.13; communion linen, \$11; total, \$927.48.

A total of \$547.61 in donations has been made by the girls' branches during the year.

The junior secretary, Miss A. L. Brock also presented her report. Miss Brock

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, APRIL 24, 1918

## Opposition Attack On The Public Health Bill

Fredericton, N. B., April 23.—With the exception of a few clauses which have been held over for reconsideration, the Workmen's Compensation act today passed the committee stage in the Legislature, with the approval of both sides of the house.

The bill was considered carefully and it took up almost the entire afternoon and half of the evening session.

On the completion of this bill the Public Health bill was taken up by the committee of the whole and its presentation was the signal for a concerted attack by opposition members, jealousy lest the administration should place on the statute books so progressive a piece of legislation evidently having led to the decision on the part of the opposition that the bill should be contested.

In recognition of the fact that charges had been laid affecting him, Hon. William Currie did not occupy the Speaker's chair today. He was absent when the officials paraded into the house for the opening this afternoon. After prayers the clerk announced that the Speaker was absent and, on this signal, the deputy speaker, C. M. Leger, of Westmorland, took the chair.

The following bills were read a third time and passed: An act to vest the title of certain wharves in the government of Canada; an act to authorize the Andover water commissioners to issue debentures; an act to enable the town of Dalhousie to issue debentures; an act respecting the St. John & Quebec Railway Company; an act respecting wills; an act relating to the protection of children; an act relating to the Tobique Valley Railway Extension Company; an act to vest an area of land in the parish of Bathurst in the crown; and an act relating to migratory birds.

Mr. Burchill presented reports of the committee on corporations and standing rules.

**Questions of Privilege.**

Mr. Leblanc, in rising to a question of privilege, said that he did so with some embarrassment, as the matter of which he intended to complain did not refer to himself but to his honorable colleague for the county of Restigouche, who, by virtue of his position, was not able to speak for himself. Under the circumstances he considered it only right that he should say a word on his behalf. In picking up some of the daily newspapers he had been struck by large headlines which stated that serious charges had been made against his honorable colleague. He wished to say that so far as the laying of the charges was concerned, he had no complaint, as the honorable member who had acted in the matter had performed what he believed to be his duty. Neither did he wish to complain of the action of a portion of the public press in giving publicity to the charges and making use of scare headlines. What he did complain of was the action of a portion of the press in publishing the affidavit of Mr. Murchie and failing, in giving publicity to his honorable colleague, to give publicity to the affidavits of Hon. Mr. Currie and Mr. Richards, which had been read in reply. He thought as a measure of simple justice to the honorable member who had been accused, and was unable to reply from his place in the house, his affidavits, as well as that of Mr. Richards, should have been published in extenso. Instead of having done that the newspapers which he complained had published the Murchie affidavit, and had displayed of the others by reference which did not take up more than five or six lines. While expressing no opinion with reference to the charges, he believed that the most hardened criminal was deserving of better treatment than that which a section of the press had meted out to his colleague. That honorable gentleman, although charges had been preferred against him, was entitled to be deemed innocent until the truth of such charges was fully established. He had every confidence in the government and in the honorable premier and knew that there would be a full and fair investigation. His honorable colleague had been a member of the house on a previous occasion and no man had been able to point the finger of contempt at his public or private life.

Mr. Baxter rose to a point of order. He said that he was not defending the newspapers, but he merely wished to point out that they published no incorrect statement in reference to the matter under discussion, though the honorable member had gone somewhat beyond the limits on a question of privilege, and he held that it was improper to enter into a discussion of the charges, before a tribunal had dealt with them.

The honorable deputy speaker said he thought that on a question of privilege an honorable member should confine himself to the subject to be discussed.

Mr. Leblanc said he would bow to the Speaker's ruling, but he did not think that he had trespassed beyond bounds. He merely wished to point out that the action of a portion of the press in publishing one affidavit and omitting the others was very unfair to his honorable colleague.

Mr. Murray (Kings) wanted to know if the other affidavits referred to had been given out to the press.

Mr. Leblanc replied that they had been

read in the house and he took it over available for publication.

Mr. Smith (Carleton) introduced a bill to vest certain real estate at East Florenceville in the trustees of the United Baptist church.

Mr. McGrath moved for suspension of the rules to permit of the introduction of a bill to amend the act relating to the Miramichi Bay Shore Railway Company. Leave being granted, he presented the petition.

Mr. Smith (Albert) wanted to know if it was the intention of the government to amend the general mining act this session.

Hon. Mr. Smith said that it had been his intention to bring in a bill, but as the act was somewhat obsolete and needed revision, he had decided to allow the matter to stand over.

The house went into committee with Mr. Burchill in the chair and took up further consideration of the Workmen's Compensation act.

Mr. Tilley asked if it were correct that a commission of three was to be appointed.

Hon. Mr. Foster replied that that was correct.

Mr. Tilley asked in view of the fact that the former government had taken up the matter to the extent of appointing an investigating commission, if the present administration would consider a suggestion for the appointment of one of the members of the commission under the act, if it were made, from the opposition side of the house.

Hon. Mr. Foster replied that that was a straight question. All he could say was that the qualifications for appointment to the commission would be fitness for office.

The house went into committee, Mr. Leblanc in the chair, and took up consideration of the Public Health act.

**Mr. Crockett.**

Mr. Crockett said he agreed with the honorable member for St. John city in having a deep interest in the matter of public health and he would go to any length to combat contagious disease. If he differed from his honorable friend from St. John in matters of detail he was wholly one with him in his attempt to achieve the end which was sought. His honorable friend in his address to the house in introducing the bill, had quoted many authorities. Disraeli had been one of them. He neglected to say, however, that although Disraeli had realized the importance of public health he never had seen fit to create a minister of public health. The only support which the honorable member could bring forward for his bill was the fact that the department of agriculture which dealt with horses, swine, sheep, cattle, and bees, had a minister and that a department of public health dealing with human beings would be equally entitled to one. He would like to point out to the honorable member that a department of education had existed for years and without a minister, and it was a department of outstanding importance.

**John Hall.**

John Hall, the sanitary expert, brought from the United States to make a survey of the province of New Brunswick had achieved the distinction of being mentioned by name in the speech from the throne and of having his qualifications as a sanitary engineer set forth in the same speech. The report which he had furnished as the result of his survey was full of incongruities, to say the least.

Continuing, the speaker said that he must state that a minister of public health for a province the population of which did not exceed 300,000, was not necessary. Public health for some years past had been under the supervision of the provincial board of health, a body which had but one salaried official—its secretary. The members of municipal boards of health, including the chairman, operating under the provincial board, had given their services to the province as public officials free of charge. How long did the honorable member think that they would give their services for nothing if they served under a provincial department which had a salaried minister at its head? The suggestion in the report that a provincial health officer, properly qualified for his position be appointed, was one with which he agreed, and also the statement that the matter of public health should be kept far removed from politics. The bill before the committee was a curious commentary upon the acts of an administration, which made an effort to take the largest revenue producing department of the province out of politics by the creation of a commission and desired to place an entirely new department in politics. In spite of the expressed desire to keep public health out of politics, one of the main objects of the bill was to place a patronage dispensing minister at the head of the department of public health.

The speaker proceeded to criticize various sections of the report of Mr. Hall. In one place the latter stated that the physician would not necessarily be the best fitted for the position of head of the department but that a sanitarian on account of his technical knowledge would be the better man.

In his general remarks concerning the province of New Brunswick Mr. Hall said: "No country is more free from epidemic diseases, and there is no country in which the people live to a greater age." Was that the reason why the legislature was asked to establish a new department of public health? Was it because the climatic conditions of New Brunswick on Mr. Hall's own evidence made the province superior to every place in the world, from the viewpoint of the health? It had been urged that because

public health was a subject which had been receiving an increased amount of attention in recent years, that a health department should be established, but was a department with a minister at its head, to be founded for every subject worthy of public attention? Public morality was an important matter, which with other expenses would make an annual expenditure of at least \$31,000. That amount was almost \$10,000 more than the annual grant to the provincial university. The government did not appear to have sufficient money to increase the annual grant to that institution, nor to increase the salaries of the teachers of the public schools. It also should hesitate before it embarked upon such a visionary scheme as the establishment of a department of public health.

Not one suggestion was contained in the report of the sanitary engineer which could not be carried out by the Provincial Board of Health, an existing organization. Any person who read the report of Mr. Hall and heard the speech of the honorable member for St. John city must have been struck with the similarity of opinion of the sanitary engineer and the intended head of the department. The speaker quoted two advertisements from the American Journal of Public Health asking for applications for positions of laboratory expert in the health department of the province of New Brunswick. One advertisement was signed with the initials R. F. W. and the other H. J. He might ask the honorable member for St. John if those initials should not be reversed. Here evidently was a case of an administration claiming to go forward while one of its members was going backwards. It had been intimated that if he (Crockett) continued his opposition to the Public Health act his private practice and his political career would suffer. His private business, he thought, was a matter which might well be left to himself. As far as his political career was concerned, he would confer with his fellow members for York and attempt to avert the terrible blow which was so liable to fall upon his head. The honorable member for St. John city had expressed a desire to take part in the philanthropic work of improving the condition of public health. If he were sincere in that wish he could content himself with the chairmanship of the Provincial

Board of Health. If the position did not carry with it the jingling guinea it would bear at least the feeling of working for the public welfare.

The report of Mr. Hall contained reference to vital statistics, and the necessity of keeping such in the province of New Brunswick. What connection existed between vital statistics and sanitary engineering? As a matter of fact, did not the honorable member know that there was in evidence at the present time in New Brunswick a law relating to vital statistics?

Hon. Mr. Roberts—"I certainly do."

Hon. Mr. Roberts.

Hon. Mr. Roberts congratulated the honorable member for York on his oratorical effort and said he thought that the honorable member should feel satisfied with himself because of the mirth he had provoked. On the other hand, he was surprised to hear the honorable member making light of the important question of public health and felt sure that it would reflect on his standing in every way.

He had been pleased to hear the honorable member admit that the present methods of dealing with public health in New Brunswick were inadequate for the

purpose. He (Roberts) felt that if he had done no more than to bring the honorable member for York on to the fact that he had some reason to feel satisfied. The honorable member had made use of a quotation which the speaker had made from a speech by Disraeli before the house of lords, and had asked why Disraeli had not at that time established a ministry of public health. It was quite evident that the honorable member was not sufficiently acquainted with the history of public health and even a board of health was unknown.

**Below the Standard.**

The question of education was undoubtedly a most important one in New Brunswick, but what good was it if unaccompanied by health? He wondered what the honorable member thought of the fact that of 70,000 children in New Brunswick no less than sixty per cent. of them, because of lax health laws, were gradually weakening and were below the standard that would obtain if proper health laws existed. He was surprised and pained to see the honorable member deprecate the efforts being put forth to provide a proper system of medical inspection for the schools.

Mr. Crockett—"I made no reference to medical inspection of schools."

An honorable member—"He dodged it."

Hon. Mr. Roberts said that he was surprised that the honorable member had made no reference to such an important matter. The honorable member for St. John had read an extract from Mr. Hall's report to the effect that no country was more free from contagious diseases than New Brunswick and in no country did the people live to a greater age. He wished to explain that the words quoted appeared to have been borrowed from the New Brunswick Tourist Association, and were used in literature advertising the province. They could not very well be eliminated from the plate from which the map was printed and had, of course, appeared in the book. The honorable member for St. John in quoting that statement had not explained the sense in which it had been used.

Why, indeed!

The honorable member for York had referred to New Brunswick as a small province with only 300,000 people. He (Roberts) would like to know why those people were not as deserving of as good care by up-to-date methods as the same number of people living in Boston,

Toronto, or some other large city, and at a proportionate amount of expense. The honorable member had intimated that politics would dominate the proposed new department. With reference to that he would like to say that it was quite natural to suppose, having in mind previous governments, that it would not be possible to conduct the department free of politics, but he wished to say that under the present administration that if the bill became law it would be carried out regardless of politics. He wished to say for the information of the honorable member for York that there was a school at Boston known as the Institute of Technology which trained young men in sanitary engineering, child hygiene, and other matters pertaining to the public health which were subjects few physicians took up during their course at a medical college. Men who were graduates of the institution which he had mentioned are at the head of health departments throughout the New England States.

The subject seemed to be so new to the honorable member for York that he appeared to be alarmed over it but if he would consult authorities he would find that what he (Roberts) said was perfectly correct. The honorable member

had been on a search for means by which he might bring ruination to the public health bill and had found two advertisements in the American Journal of Public Health. One of those advertisements called for a suitable person to fill the position of bacteriologist for New Brunswick. (Continued on page 10, first column.)

# War has made Economy the National Buy-Word



TO-DAY each one must decide for himself what economy means. It doesn't mean to stop buying the things you need. It means getting full value for each expenditure so that your money will go as far as possible. It means saving that margin we used to spend thoughtlessly for the "highest-priced" things—imagining that they were necessarily the best. In fact, the Economy of to-day really means Thrift.

Take the matter of shoes. The money you spend on shoes is a very important item. You may be paying too much for your shoes.

You know, of course, that shoes, like everything else, have gone up in price. But there is a limit to the price which it is necessary to pay for good shoes.

For example: If you are paying a certain price for shoes and can get the same wear and appearance in a shoe for a dollar or two less, you want to know it.

It is not easy, even for a man in the shoe business, to judge the exact value of a shoe from its appearance. You may think, therefore, that it is necessary to pay the highest price always in order to get good shoes. That is not so.

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There is quite a difference between \$6 and \$10, but shoes at both these prices are very similar in

appearance. The difference is due to the grade of material used and to a certain extent extra trimmings and workmanship, which increases cost but adds very little to the wear or appearance.

For example: our men's shoes retailing at \$8, \$9, or \$10 are made of genuine calf skin and first-class materials throughout, but you can buy shoes for \$6 or \$7 that are made of the skin of a large calf or a cow. This leather does not command such high prices because it is heavier in weight and not quite so fine in texture, but it will wear as well and only experienced shoe and leather men can appreciate any difference in its appearance.

Differences in price you will see do not necessarily affect the actual wear or stylish appearance of the shoe, but are mostly due to certain little luxuries and extravagancies which may be desirable in normal times but not justifiable now.

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OPPOSITION ATTACK ON THE PUBLIC HEALTH BILL

(Continued from page 9.) Brunswick, a position which was already authorized by law. He (Roberts) had searched the Dominion by means of newspapers, letters and telegrams, but had not been able to find a suitable man. The advertisements to which the honorable member had referred were published without his knowledge, which was probably due to the fact that he was a member of the American Health Association and the fee he paid to that organization included the charge for the advertisement. He did not think the honorable member should dispute the statement that a bacteriologist was needed in New Brunswick, and it was important that such an official should be a most capable one. He had been glad to hear the honorable member after descending from one of his flights of oratory, declare that he wished to deal with the subject in all seriousness. Some things that the honorable member had said might be worthy of note, but it would take a microscope to find them. He had referred to the vital statistics which the province now possessed but he (Roberts) wished to tell them that they were little more than a joke. About the only reliable vital statistics were those kept by the Roman Catholic people and the system certainly did not compare at all with that in vogue in other provinces of Canada. While in St. John recently a Queens county man had rushed into his office with the information that he had been appointed chairman of a board of health and had a smallpox outbreak in his county. He did not know what to do in the matter and had called upon the speaker for advice. That was a good illustration as to how the present health laws worked out in practice. They placed in responsible positions men who had no knowledge as to the steps which should be taken when an epidemic broke out. He would tell this honorable friend that the health of the people of the province was the most important matter which came within the scope of the legislature, and he was sorry he had a conference who treated it so lightly. An honorable member opposite had referred to the speaker as an autocrat and the Frederick Gleason had said the speaker was to be removed from his place in the sun and replaced by Dr. Roberts. He wished to say that the speaker was not a despot and that he would be responsible to the people and would stand before the government and those who would assist in administering the law. He wanted in dealing with the health and life of the people was efficiency and this could not be obtained if every Tom, Dick and Harry was given an appointment by the government. The board of health was all right, but it knew little about the subject of the health of the people. Under the new system men would be placed in charge who understood their duties and responsibilities would be carried to the cities, towns and municipalities. Starting Condition of Affairs. The speaker said that he knew of a case where two girls suffering from tuberculosis in an advanced stage were employed in a restaurant and handled the food which was served at the table. He also knew of a barber in one of the cities of the province who, although suffering from a venereal disease, was permitted to ply his trade. He felt that the time had arrived when honorable members should throw away oratory and get down to the serious business of looking after the health of the people. Mr. Campbell said that the honorable member had commented on his action on reading an extract from Mr. Hall's report, and he wished to thank him for his kindly reference. The statement regarding the freedom of New Brunswick from contagious diseases had appeared on the map along with some other words which had been added and he was under the impression that it had been adopted by Mr. Hall as his opinion. Mr. Baxter Again. Mr. Baxter said that he did not wish his remarks interpreted as indicating that he would have opposed a well digested measure intended to improve the public health and conditions relating to it. Well prepared bills had received the cooperation of the opposition, but he could not say that this bill was in that class. He believed that it was ten per cent. health and ninety per cent. politics. He did not accept the dreadful condition of public health as presented by his honorable friend. He felt that the picture had been overdrawn by that gentleman and also by John Hall and that the purpose behind the bill was the preparation of a sub-structure for a new ministry. It would be more to the purpose to take the present health department perfect it and leave it under the direction of a member of the cabinet, say the honorable provincial secretary-treasurer. What was needed was not a department head who had elections to run and whose aspiration it was to win the title honorable, but an official, highly trained and if need be highly paid, who after a life devoted to public service might look forward to the winning of such an honor as the I. S. O. Such a man might justify any salary which might be paid him but that was not what the province was getting. He wanted to know what guarantee there was that the minister of public health would be a member of the medical profession. It was certain that the exigencies of politics would lead at some time to the appointment of a layman. Much of the bill was best described by that popular word "camouflage," and that applied also to John Hall's report. He did not care what Mr. Hall's age was; that was immaterial and he had no doubt but that he had received special training in the work he had undertaken. He found the report in some respects elaborate and in others very sketchy. He noticed that much attention was paid to vital statistics and that the lack of proper records was attributed largely to the members of the medical profession who refused to carry out the present law. The registrar for St. John county, Mr. Jones, a most efficient officer had found it impossible to secure complete returns and reported that it was due to the unwillingness of the physicians to make returns unless paid for their work. The late Dr. L. A. Curry, an eminent lawyer, had asserted that the law relating to vital statistics was ultra vires. The province did not agree with Dr. Curry, but since the government had failed to secure a conviction in that case, succeeding governments had not attempted to enforce the act. Among the places Mr. Hall had visited during his survey of the province was the town of Dalhousie and it was evident from his report that he had received most of his information from a prejudiced person. Reference was made in the report to the chairman of the board of health, Dr. Doucet, a well trained physician and a thorough gentleman of whom it was said that "that chairman was apparently ignorant and certainly indifferent." This reference had led to an article in the press denying this aspersions. An Unexpected Rejoinder. Hon. Mr. Roberts—I have a letter from Dr. Doucet in which he says that

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Well-known local druggist says everybody is using old-time recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe. Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a bottle of "Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears, and what delights the ladies with Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gleam and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance. Weyth's Sage and Sulphur Compound is a delightful toilet requisite to impart color to the hair. It is not intended for the cure, mitigation or prevention of disease.

The Hall report deals very mildly with health conditions in Dalhousie, agreeing with Mr. Hall's suggestions and saying that he would gladly support the proposed changes. Mr. Baxter, continuing, said that a communication signed by W. F. Roberts had been sent through the mails with a copy of Mr. Hall's report drawing attention to the report and stating that one of Mr. Hall's duties was the organization of a department of public health and asking the recipients to express their views on the matter. He also had received a number of pledges to vote that no attempt would be made to force Ulster into a home rule scheme and that even when the convention met the government gave an undertaking that legislation would only be introduced if a substantial agreement was reached and that there could be no substantial agreement unless the representatives were assenting parties. He adds: "The prime minister admits now that no substantial agreement has been reached and the Ulster delegates in a separate report tell us that no agreement was reached on any point of importance. Yet Mr. Lloyd-George announces the introduction of a home rule bill for the whole of Ireland, which it is generally assumed, will be based on the majority report, from which the Ulster delegates unanimously dissented. Such is the story. The moral I will not attempt to draw."

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FOUNTAIN OF YOUTH

It is not a myth, but a reality and women may find it in perfect form. Women who want to grow old gracefully should guard against all organic weakness and derangements, and at the first symptom of such conditions resort to Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, nature's own root and herb remedy, to restore health. For three generations women of America have depended upon this successful remedy and have found no other medicine to equal it. Hall as his opinion.

YUKON CANDIDATE MUST HUSTLE TO MAKE PROTEST

Ottawa, April 23.—By decision of the privileges and elections committee of the house of commons this morning, Mr. Taylor and Mr. Potts. The amendment was lost 21 to 19. The committee reported progress and the house adjourned at 12.08 until 11 a. m.

WANTS TO PUT CASE OF IRELAND BEFORE PRESIDENT WILSON

Lord Mayor of Dublin Wants Passport to Washington—Carson Says Government Broke Promises to Ulster. Dublin, April 23.—The Lord Mayor of Dublin announces that he has applied to Foreign Secretary Balfour for a passport for himself and his secretaries in order that they may proceed to Washington to lay the "case" of Ireland before President Wilson. Carson's Letter. London, April 23.—Sir Edward Carson, the Ulster unionist leader, in a letter to the press, says: "The government are on the point of introducing a home rule bill and have threatened to leave their posts in the hour of national danger unless it is carried into law. The prime minister says that any pledges which stood in the way are to be scrapped because the war has lasted longer than was expected by those who gave them. "It may perhaps lead to a clearer understanding of the position in which Ulster is placed by this announcement to recall the sequence of events in relation thereto since 1914."

PUT OLD ENEMY TO UTTER ROUT

Tells how to lift off that touchy corn without hurting one particle. Hospital records show that every time you cut a corn you invite lockjaw or blood poison, which is needless, says a Cincinnati authority, who tells you that a quarter ounce of a drug called frezzone can be obtained at little cost from the drug store but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus. You simply apply a few drops of this frezzone on a tender, aching corn and the soreness is instantly relieved. Shortly the entire corn can be lifted out, root and all, without pain. This drug is sticky but dries at once and is claimed to just shrivel up any corn without inflaming tissue or skin. If your wife wears high heels she will be glad to know of this.

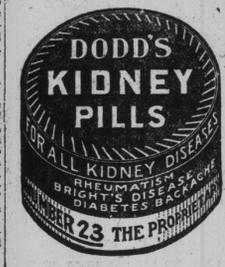
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GEERS SEES FRISCO IN 2-MINUTE CLASS

Veteran Driver Will Campaign Small Spring This Season. New York, April 23.—For the first time in many years, Ed. (Pop) Geers will come north this season with less than a dozen trotters and pacers in his campaigning stable. The veteran trainer is now sixty-seven years old, an age at which most of the successful trainers have retired before reaching. While he showed the same skill in the sulky last year that placed him in the fore front of successful trainers more than thirty years ago, he announced his determination, at the close of the campaign last fall, to train only a small stable this year. In Saint Frisco, Geers believes he has driven as many great race horses to their records as any other trainer, the Tennessee has never rode a mile in two minutes behind a trotter and only once behind a pacer, that being at Columbus two years ago, when he gave Napoleon Direct a race record of 1:58. In Saint Frisco, Geers believes he has a record of even time or faster if favored with the training and the conditions which the other two-minute trotters have been favored with and with small stable he expects to give the chestnut son of San Francisco every advantage in this respect. The other horses that Geers has selected to bring north to campaign include the trotting mare June Red, 2:08, by Red Medium; Harvest Hope, 2:15, a five-year-old trotting mare by The Harvester, the pacer Robert Gatewood, 2:05, by J. Malcolm Forbes; Zue Bangeman, a three-year-old pacing half-sister to Bramham Baughman, 2:08, and Fleen, a three-year-old son of The Harvester.

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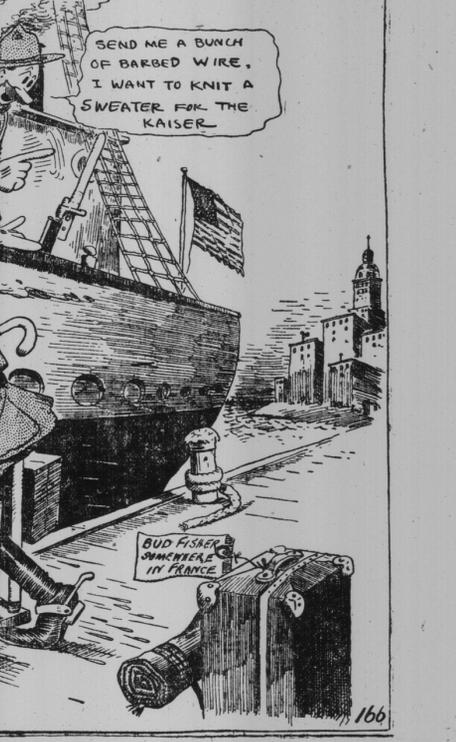
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BRITISH GOVT. OFFICIAL WEEKLY
British Army in Bethlehem. American Troops Over in France. French President Visits Alsace.

BASEBALL. American League. In Boston—New York 0, Boston 1. Batteries—Thorn and Hannah; Bush and Agnew.

BASEBALL. National League. In New York—Boston 2, New York 9. Batteries—Crum, Canavan and Wilson; Salice and McCarty, Raiden.

RING. Fined and Barred. Toledo, Ohio, April 23—Willie Langford, a Buffalo negro pugilist, was fined \$100 and barred from further participation in Ohio rings at a meeting of the Toledo A. C. Commission today.

LACROSSE. For Championship. Vancouver, B. C., April 23—Vancouver and New Westminster lacrosse teams have arranged an eight game schedule for the championship series this season.

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### LOCAL NEWS

**A SIGN OF SUMMER.**  
The benches were being placed in position in King square today.

**BAIL REFUSED.**  
In the case of Max Webber and Morris Witsman, charged with having in their possession articles which it is declared they knew had been stolen from W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., application was made before a supreme court judge for their release on bail. The application was refused.

**THE NAVY LEAGUE.**  
The young ladies of the Y. W. P. A. worked hard yesterday in the interests of the Navy League, for, besides collecting \$2,400, they secured nearly 100 new members for the Navy League. In addition to their own list, which numbers nearly fifty, joined the league in a body, many called on the officers of the league yesterday and handed in their names and fees voluntarily, so the Navy League roll is now well up to the 800 mark.

**DEATH OF JAMES LOUGHERY.**  
News of the death of James Loughery, superintendent of the almshouse at Norton, has reached the city. He passed away suddenly on Monday evening, aged about sixty-five years. Mr. Loughery succeeded his brother Samuel as superintendent of the institution. He was a native of Waterford and is survived by his wife, one son at McGill and one in the livery stable-business in Norton, and one daughter, Mrs. Bonnell of Sussex. They will have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

**DIED AT AGE OF 101.**  
One of the oldest residents of Halifax passed away on Saturday in the person of Mrs. Mary Jane Baker, widow of Captain James Baker of Yarmouth. She celebrated her 101st birthday in last December, had been living at the Old Ladies' Home until the day of the explosion, when she received a severe shaking up, and her health since then has been rapidly failing. Mrs. Baker was a daughter of the late Rev. Mr. Bancroft of St. John. She is survived by one son, one west, and two daughters, Mrs. Geo. Daniels of Calais, Maine, and Mrs. Sarah Wallace, widow of Michael Wallace of Halifax.

**THE WOOL CASE.**  
The wool case is being continued in the circuit court today before Mr. Justice Barry and jury. Several witnesses were examined this morning, and the case was to be continued this afternoon. The only new witness examined were Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Johnson, mother and father of a Johnson mentioned in the case. They testified that their son had been away from the first of February and they did not know where he was. The other witnesses who gave evidence are George A. Kimball, Harold W. Stubbs, Arthur Dobson, John E. Stewart, Howard A. Hammond, John J. Dolan, Wesley Parize, Harry Hayes, Harry Hayes, Jr., and Charles Farlee.

**ILL WITH PLEURISY.**  
Sapper T. C. Pottle of Haymarket Square in English Hospital—Father and Son Recently Met in War Zone

Mrs. T. C. Pottle of 880 Haymarket Square, has received a card notifying her that her husband, Sapper T. C. Pottle, had been admitted to Brook War Hospital, Woolwich. This is the first official notice she has received. But a few days ago she had a letter from one of her husband's friends in France saying that he had been admitted to hospital with pleurisy. His only son, George W. Pottle, is also overseas, having recently gone back to the trenches for the third time. They have been wounded twice. Both boys have overseas more than two years and only just recently met each other in France and had been near each other for a couple of months. Now they are again separated. Sapper Pottle's many friends in St. John will hope that his case is not serious and wish him a speedy recovery.

**IS WOUNDED AGAIN.**  
Lance Corporal G. D. Scott in Hospital in France

Mrs. D. McKim of 119 Britain street, has just received from Ottawa word that her brother, Lance Corp. G. D. Scott, had been admitted to an hospital in France suffering from a wound in the hand. No further particulars have been received as yet as to the nature of the wound. Many friends will anxiously await further news. This young soldier was wounded in the head about a year ago at the Battle of Vimy Ridge, and after spending eight months in English hospitals, he returned to France to join his battalion and has been in active service since. It was in the recent severe fighting that he was wounded again. Lance Corporal Scott left here with the 119th Battalion under command of Col. Wedderburn and was drafted into another after going across to England.

**OFFERS LAND AT EPWORTH PARK**

Rev. James Crisp Sets Example in War Garden Movement

Rev. James Crisp of Sunny Brae will lend a hand in the greater production campaign in St. John and vicinity. He owns some land at Epworth Park, which has been in grass for some years. It is his intention to have several acres ploughed and harrowed, and to divide it into lots of about 500 feet, and offer these first to the summer residents at Epworth Park and then to others, free of all charge, for garden purposes. His generosity will be greatly appreciated. Rev. Mr. Crisp intended to go out to the Epworth Park this morning, but because of the rain decided to postpone his visit until next week. Last season at Sunny Brae he broke up a bit of ground that had not been tilled for years, and raised about twenty bushels of tomatoes. As a speaker and writer, Rev. Mr. Crisp has done much to direct attention to the advantages of New Brunswick as a promising field for settlers, and he is greatly interested in agricultural development. This year he is doing all in his power to promote the war garden movement and increased farm production.

### PAY TAX AFTER JUNE 1 WHEN YOU GO TO THEATRE

Details of New Legislation Received—The Kiddies Exempt on Saturday Afternoons

Theatre managers in this city have today received copies of Premier Foster's bill in amendment to the Theatres and Cinematographs Act providing for the imposition of a scale of ticket taxes to be paid on all admissions by the people buying the tickets. The provisions are as follows:—

On all tickets belonging to the cheaper group of prices—tickets for the ordinary run of shows ranging from 5c. to 25c. inclusive—a tax of one cent.

From 26c. to 50c. the tax on every admission will be two cents.

From 51c. to 75c. the tax will be five cents.

From 76c. to \$1 the tax will be ten cents.

From \$1.01 to \$1.50 the tax will be fifteen cents.

From \$1.51 to \$2 the tax will be twenty cents.

When admission prices are more than \$2 the tax will be levied on a flat ten per cent. basis.

It is proposed to have the theatres buy these tax tickets of various denominations from the government and for the labor of selling them and seeing that the law is carried out in that regard the government will allow each theatre a small commission or rebate.

Every person attending a public house of entertainment after June 1 next will be taxed on this scale of admission.

Pass holders and all officials, except police and local government tax inspectors, will come under this ruling.

The act is regarded by theatre managers as a fair and equitable consensus of opinion expressed at several conferences with Premier Foster. While they say it will doubtless prove a retard to the amusement business for a while, still the exigencies of the times truly recognize, demand measures of this kind and New Brunswick is now in line with every other province in Canada in the matter of entertainment tax.

It is expected the tax will net the government from \$40,000 to \$50,000 annually at the outset. With the resumption of normal conditions after the war this amount should be materially increased. A provision which Premier Foster safeguarded from the first was the exemption of little kiddies on Saturday afternoons. However on all other afternoons they pay six cents.

All entertainments wholly for patriotic purposes are exempt from the operation of the act.

**THIS MORNING AT THE WOMEN'S AUXILIARY**

Prizes in Essay Competition—Statement of Finances—Nomination of Officers

Rev. W. P. Dunham conducted a quiet hour at the opening of this morning's session of the fifteenth annual meeting of the Wesleyan Diocesan branch of the Women's Auxiliary in Stone church. He delivered an appreciated sermon on The Call of Christ. The delegates then journeyed to the school house where business was resumed.

The review of the year's work was continued and the literature convenor, Mrs. J. F. Robertson, made her report, announcing the result of a contest for the best missionary essay. The first prize was won by the Campbellton girls' branch, the second by the Bathurst girls' branch, third by the Christ Church, Fredericton, girls' branch, the fourth by the Blissett senior branch, and the fifth by the Stanley senior branch. The president of the W. A., Mrs. Thomas Walker, delivered the prizes.

The secretary-treasurer of the literature committee, Mrs. Charles Coster, reported as follows:

Balance, 1917, ..... \$126.76  
Subscriptions ..... 271.82  
Sundries ..... 2.42

Total ..... \$400.00  
Expenses ..... 254.15

Balance, 1918 ..... \$145.85

Mrs. Coster said that many of the members were not using the mite boxes and she made a strong appeal for more interest in this important branch of saving. She reported eighty-three new subscribers to the Letter Leaflet for the year and also that five volumes of the leaflet had been bound and placed for circulation in the library of the Church of England Institute, Princess street.

There followed three short papers on "The Aims and Constitution of the W. A." given by three presidents of outside branches. Mrs. McKinley read a paper written by Mrs. W. B. Belyea of Woodstock; Newcastle was represented by a paper read by Mrs. Bate and Mrs. Goodlife of Sussex also read a paper on the subject. These papers were of much benefit to the delegates present and contained many good suggestions. Mrs. Goodlife suggested a more frequent reading of the constitution and in a general discussion which followed the opinion of the meeting seemed to be that this should be read every annual meeting and referred to at least at each monthly meeting.

A report from the babies' branch of the auxiliary was given by the secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Hammond Evans. It was satisfactory in every respect and showed progress in all branches of the organization. Since making out the report, a list of fifty-five new members had been received, she said, showing with what rapid strides the babies' branch was growing. Mrs. Evans said that the total receipts this year had been \$267.55, and that of this sum \$138.07 remained after paying expenses. This money was designated by vote.

The annual accounts of the treasurer, Mrs. C. A. Robinson, show a total expenditure of \$5,097.70, including \$318.85 for Canadian missions, \$476.96 for foreign missions and \$392.89 for Diocesan missions. The balance from last year was \$1,102.19, and this together with receipts for 1917-18 of \$4,448.51 made a total of \$5,607.70. These accounts were audited and found correct by Paul F. Blanchet, accountant.

After reports had been given by the organizing secretary and of the educational fund, the reading of nominations for the election of diocesan officers and petitions for life memberships was gone into. The session then adjourned for luncheon.

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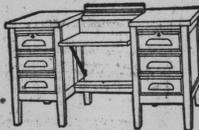
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