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TWELVE PAGES—ONE CENT

Huns In Great Air
Fleet Raid Paris

Sixty Airplanes Or
More Help In
Attack

SOME OF THEM CAUSED

Sturdy Defence Keeps Many
of the Invaders From Reaching
City But Some Succeeded—Four
of Them Pay Penalty and Are
Brought Down

London, Mar. 12.—German airplanes
raided Paris on Monday night. The
first alarm was given at 9.10 o'clock,
when seven squadrons of German air-
planes were reported on their way to
Paris. Bombs were dropped at 10.15

o'clock.
London, Mar. 12.—One of the German
raiders over Paris was brought down
in flames and the crew was taken prisoner,
says a Haveston despatch from Paris.
The French official statement on the
raid says that warning was given at 9.10
o'clock and that "all clearly airplanes
crossed the French lines. Thanks to the
courageous and sturdy defence of the
entire raid with great intensity, a certain number of machines
were unable to reach their objective.
Nevertheless, the statement adds, num-
erous bombs were thrown on Paris and
the suburbs. Several buildings were
damaged or set on fire. The number of
victims is not yet known.
Paris, Mar. 12.—The Germans lost
four airplanes in last night's attack on
Paris. Nine squadrons took part in the
raid.

This was the second aerial attack on
Paris of the last few days, thirteen per-
sons having been killed and fifty wound-
ed in the raid last Friday night.

SURRENDER IN AIR

Two German Airplanes Give Up
on Finding British More
Numerous

Amsterdam, Feb. 22.—(By Mail)—How
a British air squadron captured two
German airplanes in full flight near
Ghent, Belgium, is told in a telegram
from the Dutch-Belgian frontier.
The British airmen, being in heavy
numerical superiority, surrounded their
opponents. The Germans saw there was
no chance of escape. Rather than fight
to inevitable death, the German pilots
hung out white flags and meekly flew
away toward the British lines, surround-
ed by a flock of British planes.

REV. G. F. DAWSON GETS
NEWS OF BROTHER'S DEATH

Was Superintendent of California
State Hospital—Years Ago
Practiced in Newcastle

Rev. G. F. Dawson, pastor of Emmons
street Methodist church, today received
sad news by telephone—the death of his
brother, Dr. W. J. G. Dawson, in Ed-
ridge, California, where he was superin-
tendent of the state hospital. Doctor
Dawson was about seventy years of age
and a native of the North Shore, and for
some of the practicing physician in New-
castle, but for the last few years he
has been in California, where he had risen
to prominence. Dr. Dawson was twice
married—first to Miss Park of New-
castle, and second to Miss Shaw of Dal-
house, who survives him. There also is
one son, who is a physician in California.
Besides Rev. Mr. Dawson there is one
other brother, A. O. Dawson of Canada
Cottons, Ltd., Montreal, and there are
three sisters, all in Montreal, Mrs. S. B.
Gregg, Mrs. Balcom, wife of Doctor
Balcom, and Mrs. W. C. Brecklow. Doctor
Dawson had been ill ten days with
pneumonia.

SYSTEMATIC MURDER
BY THE RED GUARD

Stockholm, Mar. 12.—The Red Guard
contingents in Helsinki are becoming
more violent in their activities, accord-
ing to a despatch to the Tidningen, from
Vasa, Finland.
"They are proceeding in quite a delib-
erate manner," the despatch adds,
"choosing their victims from among the
intellectual classes, assassinating prin-
cipally the clergy and landed proprietors.
All the agricultural commissioners ex-
cept one have been killed."

CHABOTT DECLINES
POST OF DEPUTY TO
COMMONS SPEAKER

Ottawa, Mar. 12.—Dr. J. L. Chabott,
M. P., of Ottawa, has definitely refused
the offer of the deputy speakership of
the House of Commons. The office goes
to French-Canadian, and as Dr.
Chabott is the only supporter of the
government that nationality qualified
for the position, it was offered him. A
member of the opposition may be named.

IN FREDERICTON
CONFERRING WITH
THE GOVERNMENT

Dr. Robertson on Mission For
Greater Food Production

THE FARMERS' PARLIAMENT

N. B. Farmers' and Dairymen's
Association Annual Meeting to
Be Opened This Evening in
City Hall

Fredericton, Mar. 12.—Dr. J. W. Rob-
ertson of Ottawa, chairman of the Com-
mission of Conservation, is in Frederic-
ton today arranging for a conference
with the government in connection with
the greater food production campaign.
The dominion government has made a
grant to each of the provinces, \$25,000
being New Brunswick's share, for the
purpose of aiding in stimulating produc-
tion and plans for the expenditure of
this money will be worked out between Dr.
Robertson and the provincial govern-
ment. Dr. Robertson left today for
Halifax via St. John and will meet the
Nova Scotia legislature tomorrow, thence
proceeding to Charlottetown.
Judges for the annual meeting of
the New Brunswick Farmers' and Dairy-
men's Association are assembling in
Fredericton today. Some are unable to
attend as they are away on other busi-
ness, but the meeting will be held in
Fredericton on the 14th and 15th inst.
The annual meeting will run concurrently
with the convention and the exhibits are
now being put in place in the Normal
school building.

ANNONIA HAD
A CLOSE CALL

German Agent Almost Succeeded
in Sinking Cunard Line Steam-
ship

London, Feb. 22.—(By Mail)—A Ger-
man agent in New York almost suc-
ceeded in sinking the Cunard liner An-
nonia, according to a story told in a
court case here today.
The case was a suit by an English
firm to recover \$100,000 damages from
the Cunard line for wrecking the steam-
ship. The case was brought to court
because of the fact that a port hole had
been opened deliberately by a German
spy in New York. The loss of the
Cunard line steamer
"The Annonia was loaded by stevedores
regularly employed by us and there is
no reason to suspect them. But it was
known by everyone that German spies
were active in New York at the time
and when the loading was proceeding
every precaution was taken. There has
been attempts to bomb ships, and large
bodies of detectives were on the watch
at the time."
"All the port holes were carefully in-
spected and closed before the cargo was
put in. The man who opened this port
hole must have used a spanner in work-
ing back three bolts. It is only by sheer
good fortune that the ship and her val-
uable cargo of food were not entirely
lost."
The captain of the Annonia gave this
testimony: "On the voyage to England
the ship began to behave strangely, and
five feet of water was found on the port
side of one hold. It was evident that
there had been a deliberate attempt to
sink the ship."

GIVE UP CLOSED SHOP
DEMAND BUT HOLD OUT
FOR EIGHT HOUR DAY

Fall River, Mass., Mar. 12.—With
the closed shop eliminated from their de-
mands, farmers in the textile mills in
this city today remained on strike, in-
sisting upon an eight-hour day. Most
of the plants sought to continue opera-
tion temporarily with the services of
volunteer firemen, although several en-
gaged on government contracts stand-
alone attempts to work a night shift
last night.

Von Luxburg Is Said
To Have Made His
Way to Chile

Buenos Aires, Mar. 12.—It is reported
here today that Count Von Luxburg,
the former German ambassador, has fled
Argentine territory, escaping to Chile.

According to Buenos Aires despatches
on Sunday, Count Von Luxburg had
been granted safe conduct by the Brit-
ish government to sail for Sweden and
was expected to leave soon on the
steamer Valparaiso.
Count Von Luxburg was handed his
passports by the Argentine government
in last September, after the disclosure
of his objectionable activities in con-
nection with the submarine warfare as it
affected Argentine shipping—notably his
message suggesting that Argentine
steamers might be "sunk without trace."

NEARLY FOOT AND
HALF MORE SNOW
THAN LAST WINTER

March is More Than Keeping Up
Record With Fall of Nine Inches
More Than in Whole Month
in 1917

The snowfall during November, Decem-
ber, January and February exceeds
that of the corresponding months last
year by 17.08 inches, while the snowfall
for this month already exceeds that of
March in 1917 by nearly nine inches.
The following figures were given out
this morning at the Meteorological Ob-
servatory in Douglas avenue:

1916-1917. Inches.
November 11.05
December 11.20
January 12.35
February 19.35
66.10
1917-1918. Inches.
November 12.45
December 19.25
January 23.85
February 38.55
84.10
Last March 10.70 inches of snow fell,
while to date this month the figures
show 19.10.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers in real estate have been re-
corded as follows:
St. John County.
Wallace Babirk and Annie J. Babirk
to J. S. Tait, property in Paradise
Row.
W. C. Cross and Effie M. Cross to J.
P. Clayton, property in Marsh street.
Edward Hogan and Agnes Hogan to
Alice Dwyer, property in Garden street.
A. F. McAvaney and Margaret Mc-
Avaney to Sterling Realty Ltd., prop-
erty in Charlotte street.
Dennis McCarthy to Charles Green,
property in Simonds street.
J. S. Tait and Laura Tait to Annie
J., wife of Wallace Babirk, property in
Portland street.
Emily A. Thomson to H. L. Thom-
son, interest in property in Dipper Har-
bour Kings County.
Ada A. Middleton to B. A. Keith,
property in Cardwell.
Executors of C. T. White to legatee
of Ella Morrison, property in Sussex.

WEATHER
REPORT

Issued by Authority
of the Department
of Marine and
Fisheries, R. F. Stup-
pard, director of
meteorological service

Synopsis.—The moderate depression
which was over Wyoming yesterday
morning now covers the Great Lakes,
giving some local snow in northern and
eastern Ontario. In the west the weather
is still decidedly cold.
Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh to
strong south shifting to northwest and
north winds, fair and very mild today,
colder on Wednesday.
Ottawa and Upper St. Lawrence—A
few light falls of snow or sleet, but
mostly fair and much milder today and
tonight, becoming colder again on Wed-
nesday.
Lower St. Lawrence and Gulf and
North Shore—Fresh to strong winds,
cloudy and milder with light snowfalls.
Snow or Rain.
Maritime—Strong breezes to moderate
local gales south to west; milder; light
snow or rain tonight and on Wed-
nesday.
Lake Superior—Generally fair and be-
coming colder. Wednesday, fair and
colder.
Manitoba and Saskatchewan—Fair and
cold.
Alberta—Fair, stationary or a little
higher temperature.
New England—Cloudy and warmer
tonight, probably local rains. Wednes-
day, generally fair and somewhat colder;
strong southwest to west winds.

GERMANY TRIES THE
IRON HEEL ON NORWAY

Contracts Are Annulled by Ger-
man Central Purchasing Com-
pany

London, Mar. 12.—All contracts with
Norway have been annulled by the Ger-
man Central Purchasing Company from
March 1st, according to a Bergen des-
patch to the Tidens Tegnjal of Chris-
tiansha, as quoted in an Exchange Tel-
graph despatch from Copenhagen. The
reason for this action, the despatch
says, is that the Norwegian agreement
with America provides for the exporta-
tion of only 40,000 tons of fish yearly
to Germany. The company's office at
Bergen had been closed.

UNANIMOUS FOR SALE
OF GERMAN PROPERTY

Washington, Mar. 12.—Legislation au-
thorizing the sale of all enemy prop-
erty in this country, requested by the alien
property custodian permanently to sup-
port German commercial influence, was
approved yesterday by the senate and
added to the urgent deficiency appropria-
tion bill. An amendment empowering
the president to acquire title to the Ger-
man steamship companies, docks and
wharves at Hoboken, N. J., also was ac-
cepted.

The vote on the provision for sale of
enemy property was sixty-four to no
thing, and came after several hours of
scathing denunciation of German Kultur
and intrigues for world domination.

HALIFAX WOMAN
SAYS SHE WAS DRUGGED

Condition is Serious—Sailor Ar-
rested—Theft Included in Charges

Halifax, N. S., Mar. 12.—A merchant
sailor named Darling is in jail here
charged with theft of \$40 and adminis-
tering drugs, and Mrs. Mary Baird of
Market street, who laid the charge
against him, is in the Victoria Hospital
and speechless. Yesterday the landlady
of the house in which Mrs. Baird
lives found her lying on her bed
conscious but speechless. The woman
told the police by writing that Darling,
who was in the same house, had gone
out for some food on Saturday night.
She partook of it and almost at once be-
came ill and was unable to speak. She
charges Darling and an accomplice with
having then stolen some of her money.
The "sudden illness" she said, her con-
dition was considered serious.

SEALING FLEET AWAY;
GREATLY DEPLETED

Newfoundlanders Off to the Hunt
in Labrador and Gulf Waters

St. John's, Nfld., Mar. 12.—It was a
greatly depleted Newfoundland sealing
fleet which started on Sunday on its
annual hunt in the waters off the Labra-
dor coast and in the Gulf of St. Law-
rence. The fleet was taken over for
war purposes and two of the best of
them are now at the bottom of the sea.
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STORM-BOUND M. P.'S
REACH CAPITAL FOR
SESSION OF HOUSE

Fredericton, N. B., Mar. 12.—The
storm-bound members of the legisla-
ture arrived in Fredericton today in suf-
ficient numbers to ensure the opening
of the House at three o'clock this after-
noon. When the house convened, Pres-
enter Foster concluded his address, closing
the debate on the reply to the speech
from the Throne. The balance of the
afternoon session was to be devoted to
routine business.
While the legislature proceedings are
not extended today, it will be a fairly
busy day for the members of the gov-
ernment, who will also assist at the
opening of the Federation of Labor con-
vention this afternoon, and Farmers and
Dairymen's convention this evening.

GET MUCH GRAIN FROM
ROUMANIA, SAYS BERLIN

New York, Mar. 12.—Since the occupa-
tion of Roumania, Germany has re-
ceived from that territory 630,000 tons
of grain, including corn, and Austria-
Hungary 756,000 tons. This statement
is made in a despatch from the official
Wolf Bureau in January.
Apparently the despatch was sent out
to meet misleading reports regarding the
availability of supplies from the occupied
territories of Roumania and Italy, the de-
spatch pointing out that Italy could not
be considered as a factor as regards the
exportation of foodstuffs and fodder.

ADD MORE TO HUGE
GERMAN WAR DEBT.

London, Mar. 12.—A new German war
loan of fifteen billion marks will be is-
sued soon, an Exchange Telegraph de-
spatch from Copenhagen says. The Ger-
man war debt now amounts to 109,000,
000,000 marks.

BETTER HANDLING OF
OVERSEAS TRADE

AMERICANS IN
FIRST RAID BY
THEMSELVES

Get Material and Information
But No Prisoners

AUSTRALIANS SUCCESSFUL

Twice Into Hun Posts—French
in Two Raids Also and Re-
pulsed Two Attacks Made By
Enemy

With the American Army in France,
Mar. 11.—(By the Associated Press)—
An American raiding party entered the
German trenches along the Toul sector
this morning at six o'clock, and in a
battery bombardment of forty-five min-
utes and brought back much material
and a few were taken by us. Our cas-
ualties were light. The artillery was
active on both sides during the night
southwest of Arras and east and
northwest of Ypres.

ANSWER OF THE
BELGIANS VERY
EFFECTIVE ONE

German Intrigue Brings About a
Raid in Which Huns Suffer
Severely

Washington, Mar. 12.—How Belgian
soldiers in the trenches recently an-
swered a piece of German propaganda is
told in an official despatch received by
the Belgian legation here. The message
said: "At a point on the Belgium front
near Neupont on March 8, the Germans,
continuing their vain efforts to separate
the Flemish from the Walloon population,
put up a large proclamation inviting the
Flemish soldiers of the Belgian army to
come over and surrender. The invita-
tion was promptly accepted, but not in
the way expected by the Germans, for
the night the Belgians made three sim-
ilar raids on the German trenches.
In one trench which was strongly held,
the west of Neudun, near the
Faschendale Canal, the Belgians took
twenty-two prisoners and left behind
them thirty dead Germans. In this raid
the Belgians had only a few of their own
men wounded and none killed. The
German trench west of the Union bridge
across the Yser was taken and cleaned
up from top to bottom.
"Finally, the third trench west of
Lombardtaye, was taken without strik-
ing a single blow. All the occupants of
the trench had been killed, except three,
who promptly surrendered and were
brought back into the Belgian lines."

HAS WILLARD SIGNED
FOR JULY 4 BATTLE

Oklahoma Rancher Makes An-
nouncement—Either Fulton or
Jack Dempsey

Jacksonville, Fla., Mar. 12.—Colonel
J. C. Miller, a retired ranchman and oil
magnate of Oklahoma, announced last
night that he had signed a contract with
Jesse Willard for a fight to be promoted
by Miller on July 4.
Willard's opponent has not yet been
selected and Colonel Miller did not an-
nounce the terms of the contract. He
said the fight would be fought in a
conference with Fred Fulton's manager,
but if he could not arrange a match be-
fore the 1st of April, the fight would be
open negotiations with Jack Dempsey.

FIFTEEN YEARS IN PRISON FOR
FARMER WHO SHOT WIFE

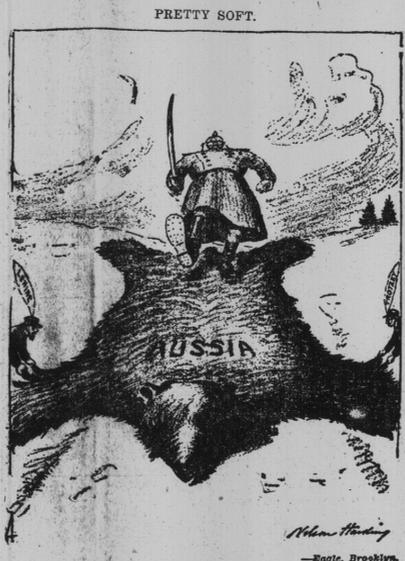
Goderich, Ont., Mar. 12.—Justice Mas-
ten yesterday sentenced James Mc-
Cracken, a young Morris township farm-
er, to fifteen years in Kingston peni-
tentiary for the shooting of his wife.
McCracken shot his wife during a dis-
pute, following a ride she had taken
with relatives and to which her husband
is said to have objected. He was tried
on a murder charge last fall but the jury
could not agree. Later he pleaded guilty
to manslaughter.

TOWN SERVICE WAS
DEMORALIZED BY
THE SEVERE STORM

As a result of the blizzard of Sunday
night trains could not get beyond Am-
herst, and practically the whole service
on the C. G. K. became disorganized.
The Halifax train, which was due to ar-
rive in the city at 8.30 o'clock last even-
ing, did not pull into the depot until 2
o'clock this afternoon. The Halifax
train which left the city yesterday morn-
ing got only as far as Sackville and re-
turned to the city at 11 o'clock last
evening.
The Halifax train which left the city
this morning carried the passengers of
yesterday's train, who were returned to
the depot last evening. Trains ar-
riving in the city this morning from
the west report that the snow is banked
in some places as high as ten to twelve
feet, fences are covered and in some
places only the tops of farm houses can
be seen from the railway track over the
snow drifts.
The Montreal and Boston trains were
late in arriving in the city today. The
Montreal, about fifteen minutes and Bos-
ton one hour.

U. S. HAS LOANED NEARLY FIVE BILLIONS TO ALLIES

Washington, Mar. 12.—Great Britain was today given another credit of
\$200,000,000 by the United States. A credit of \$16,000,000 was also extended to
the Cuban government, to assist it in war preparations. Both loans were made
at the new interest rate of five per cent.
These credits raised the total of loans for the Allied governments to \$4,949,-
400,000, distributed as follows:
Great Britain, \$2,229,000,000; France, \$1,440,000,000; Italy, \$550,000,000; Rus-
sia, \$225,000,000, of which only \$187,000,000 has been paid out; Belgium; \$98,400,-
000; Serbia, \$6,000,000, and Cuba \$15,000,000.



—Eugie, Brooklyn.

THE ROTARIANS WERE PROFOUNDLY MOVED

Captain Best's War Address Holds Them in Strained Attention

A Contrast Between Ease of Life Here and the Hardships Overseas—Evidence of Local Organization Being Very Live One

That the Rotary Club has become a very live organization was shown at yesterday's luncheon. The division of the club into eight teams of eight men each, under captains, competing with each other for the best attendance record, is a great success.

Dr. Barton and J. A. Angevine reported for the song-book committee that rapid progress was being made. About seventy-five songs had been selected and each member was asked to send in the names of any favorite songs, to be sure they would be in the list.

Of Capt. Best's address before the Commercial Club of Halifax last week the Echo says: "Captain Best spoke of the men in Belgium and France and of the conditions under which they are living. France has pooled everything she has in this war, and old men and wounded men can be seen in the trenches along with the younger men. It has been said that it was cruel of the French government to allow these men to go up to the front line, but it is the spirit of the men, and it would take a small army to keep them away from the front."

"Continuing, Captain Best said that it is certain that we do not know the seriousness of the war. He referred particularly to the first year of the war, when the German army was sweeping over the fields of France, and the newspapers were telling us that we were winning. Had the truth been made known to the people, greater would have been the response of men. The little group of soldiers that went to endeavor to stop the march of this army, were well trained morally, but not for war. The battle of the Marne should have ended this war. It was then that the last shell was also fired. The British guns, the last cartridge shot from the rifles. No military man can tell why the war did not end. Two of the greatest military leaders ever had did not believe that they could stop the march of the German army, and if it was not that the Lord was on our side, we would have lost it."

"Speaking of the Russian downfall, Captain Best said that there was no need for any anxiety on account of troops, artillery, ammunition and air-craft now on the western front. But there is a cause for anxiety, and that is whether we are going to hold together until the final victory. If he could speak so that his voice could reach all over this empire, he would say, 'Stand together, hold together, until this war is won.' There never was a time in the history of the empire when we should be divided together more. Our national existence is at stake, and the safety of the empire is at stake. The opportunity is open for us to put everything we have, as France has done, towards winning this war."

"Referring to the men at the front, Captain Best said that there would be a certain percentage of men who go wrong, no matter where they were, but there was a smaller percentage of soldiers going wrong than an equivalent number of civilians. He asked that the Red Cross, Y. M. C. A. and other organizations be given liberal support. All the criticisms concerning those organizations at the front were false. In closing, he said that had been said by men who have visited the Canadian troops that they are a splendid body of men, but he would like to go one step farther and say that they are the cream and flower of Canadian manhood."

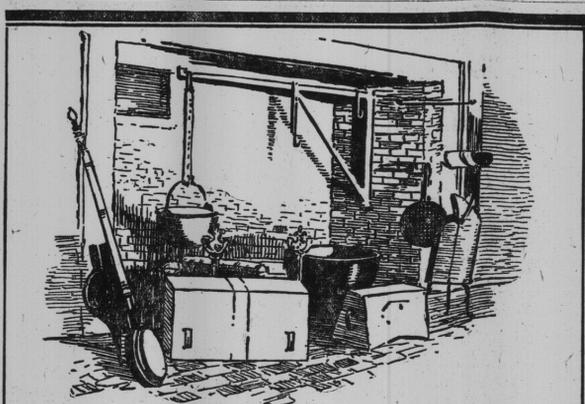
RECENT WEDDINGS

Laskey-Johnston. The wedding of Albert Irvine Laskey of Chipman and Miss Ethel Edith Johnston, also of Chipman, was solemnized yesterday afternoon at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Dr. Hutchinson. Mr. and Mrs. Laskey will make their home in Chipman.

Evelsleigh-Davis. Mrs. Louise Davis of Georgetown and William Evelsleigh of Pleasant Villa, were united in marriage in the Gagetown Methodist church on Wednesday evening by Rev. H. Harrison.

LOSE A DAY'S BUSINESS FOR FLOURING ORDER

New York, Mar. 12.—Federal Food Administrator Hoover has approved the local food boards suspension, for one day, of the business of fifty-seven lunch rooms and restaurants found guilty of violation of the regulations providing for "ice-days" and "porkies" days.



Baking Day in Grandmother's Kitchen

GRANDMOTHER did her baking in tin kitchens set before the fire. Sometimes she baked a sponge cake in an iron kettle, browning the top with hot coals heaped on the lid. On baking day the kitchen was filled with delicious fragrance because Grandmother made her cakes and pies with old-fashioned brown sugar.

Gone are the cranes and bellows and tin kitchens but we still enjoy Grandmother's favorite dishes. Mince pies, plum puddings, cakes and many sweets and beverages are much better made just as she made them with soft brown sugar. It is easy to get both the recipes and the sugar with which to make them up. Lantic Old-Fashioned

Brown Sugars come in three kinds—Light, Brilliant and Dark Yellow—and are for sale by grocers throughout Canada. Brilliant Yellow is particularly good for baking. Grandmother's Recipes have been reproduced in a delightful little book which we will send to you for a 2c. stamp to cover cost of mailing.

Lantic Old Fashioned Brown Sugar

is put up only in 100-lb. bags with the well-known Lantic trademark from which your grocer will serve you any quantity you require. Our booklet tells you among other things how to keep brown sugar fresh, moist and ready for use.

Lantic Old-Fashioned Brown Sugars are made by the same firm that makes the famous Lantic "FINE" Granulated.

Atlantic Sugar Refineries Limited Montreal, Que.

LOCAL NEWS

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, MAR. 12. High Tide... 11.02 Low Tide... 5.23 Sun Rises... 6.47 Sun Sets... 6.31 Time used is Atlantic standard.

Frank J. Doody has gone to Toronto to join the Royal Flying Corps. His brother, Edmund, has been recalled for service after a furlough.

Lieutenant C. B. Cook of the United States army, was in the city yesterday staying at the Royal. He was here on military matters connected with Uncle Sam.

Arrangements are being made by the Y. M. C. A. and Y. M. C. I. to bring the policemen into membership. This would give about thirty-five to the former and fifteen to the latter.

Members of the 9th Siege Battery were entertained in St. Paul's church school room last evening by the Young Women's Association of the church. Arch-

LOCAL NEWS

deacon Crowfoot presided. A short programme was carried out.

Mrs. Lawrence lectured on the work of the Red Cross at the front at a meeting of the Trinity Church Red Cross last evening. Rev. Canon Armstrong presided.

The St. Vincent's Alumnae met last evening in St. Vincent High School, Mrs. L. A. Conlon presiding. The nomination papers for the St. John Local Council of Women were considered.

A banquet closed the United Mission last evening. Among those who spoke were Revs. F. K. Boothroyd, S. Gully, J. P. Dawson, F. H. Wentworth, F. W. Thompson and Richard Stevens. Rev. R. Taylor McKim presided. James Patterson, treasurer, reported receipts of \$823.58, leaving \$225 after paying all expenses. This was voted to the Canadian Bible Society.

Would Keep Shipbuilders. Washington, Mar. 12.—Negotiations are in progress between the United States and the allies for the exemption from draft of the allies nationals who are working in shipyards of this country, but who are subject to draft under treaties now being negotiated.

LOCAL NEWS

LADIES SPRING COATS. From \$10.00 to \$24 at Wilcox's. Lots to pick from in all the up-to-date styles both in cloth and shades at Charlotte street, corner Union.

REMOVAL NOTICE. Miss J. McLaughlin has removed from 126 Germain street to 42 King Square, Lansdowne House. 74281-3-15

SHIRT WAISTS. See our new shipment of spring shirt waists. All the new styles at the lowest prices in town at Wilcox's, corner Charlotte and Union.

BE WISE. And get your spring coat and suit at Wilcox's. They have the correct styles both in ladies' and men's suits and coats at the lowest prices in town at Charlotte street, corner Union.

Smart Millinery—McLaughlin's, King Square. 74281-3-15

Grand Opening Of Baby Carriages and Sulkies

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3 tins Old Dutch... 25c
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3 tins Black Knight Polish... 25c
3 pkgs. Jello... 25c
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Jam, 2 tumbler... 25c
Cow Brand Soda, 6 for... 25c
Bee Jelly Powder, 4 for... 25c
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3 cans Evaporated Milk... 24c
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Regal Coffee... 25c lb.
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Apples... 30c and 40c peck
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5 cakes Happy Home Soap... 25c
4 cakes Lenox Soap... 25c
2 bottles Tomato Catsup... 25c
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Sugar Corn... 19c can, \$2.25 doz.
Peas... 15c can, \$1.70 doz.
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Pears... 19c can, \$2.15 doz.
Lobster... 15c can, 25c can
Olives... 10c bottle up
2 bottles Worcester Sauce... 25c
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The Evening Times and Star

ST. JOHN, N. B., MARCH 12, 1918. The St. John Evening Times is printed at 27 and 29 Canterbury street, every evening (Sunday excepted) by The St. John Times Printing and Publishing Co., a company incorporated under the Joint Stock Companies Act.

THE WAR AND RELIGION

Let us take to heart the message of Major Watt, chaplain of the Gordon Highlanders, delivered to the Canadian Club of New York last night. "There is no bigotry in martial religion. I slept with a Jesuit priest. We ate together, talked together and worked together. His Jesuit did not taint my Presbyterianism, nor did my Presbyterianism poison his Jesuitry."

THE REAL GERMANY

In a vigorous protest against the further employment of German teachers in the schools of the United States the Bangor Commercial says: "The position of the Commercial is that constant references to German culture and efficiency, to German ideals and customs is out of place in our schools and institutions of learning and that it is not only out of place but constitutes a menace in that it may give students an entirely erroneous idea of the German people and their aims."

It has become obvious during the last few years that the constant reiteration of German ideals and efficiency had tended to create an entirely erroneous idea of Germany. We, as a people, have taken Germany at its own valuation rather than on a basis of real accomplishments, and the German teachers in our schools, pursuing the German propaganda, are largely responsible for this situation.

"WOMAN'S SPHERE"

Capt. Best has been reminding St. John people of the part the women of France take in war-work—and the women of England. It has been suggested that young women from the urban centres of this province organize to help the farmers, and the Young Women's Patriotic Association of this city already has a group of volunteers who hope to see such an arrangement made as will enable them to prove their usefulness on the farm this spring and summer.

Of course women are taking the place of men in many lines of business, in order that the young men may be set free to enter the army or engage in other warlike service. We hear much less talk nowadays about "woman's sphere." Her sphere is widening so rapidly that all our theories of social reconstruction must be revised to give her place and honor where in old times it was never dreamed she would enter to challenge the supremacy of the male sex.

The British have regained supremacy of the air on the western front. That is an immense advantage.

MEMORIES

Sitting alone with life's memories, At the close of a dreary day, My thoughts went back to my early youth, And the dear home far away.

INSURED FOR 12 BILLION

More Than 1,500,000 Americans in War Service Are Thus Protected. Washington, Mar. 12.—More than \$12,000,000,000 worth of insurance has been written on the lives of American soldiers, sailors, and nurses by the War Risk Insurance Bureau.

Premier Foster's Speech

Comment of Frederick Maitland—An Eye-opener to Honorable Gentlemen Opposite. (Fredericton Mail). The admirable speech of Premier Foster yesterday afternoon was an eye-opener to honorable gentlemen opposite.

Why People Feel Depressed In the Cold Weather

Why is tiredness and languor so prevalent just now? A physician explained that the cold of winter drives blood from the surface of the body to the liver.

Had Headache For Two Years

A Barrie Man Tells of Persistent Headaches and Indigestion—Finally Found His Way to Good Health. For two long years the writer of this letter was subject to severe headaches.

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Duke a Suicide, Fearing Divorce

Adolf Friedrich Preferred Death to Separation From His Morgantic Wife. The Hague, Mar. 12.—The mystery surrounding the death of Adolf Friedrich, Grand Duke of Mecklenburg-Strelitz, has now been cleared up.

Recent Deaths

Walter Woodley. Many were sorry to learn of the death of Walter Woodley, which occurred on Sunday afternoon at his residence, 10 Duke street, after a lingering illness.

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Camp Dodge, Iowa, Mar. 12—Found guilty by court martial of refusing to obey orders, eight national army men from St. Paul, Minn., also professional Socialists, have been sentenced to long terms of imprisonment in the Leavenworth penitentiary. A. S. Broms was given twenty years, and the other seven twenty-five years confinement, all at hard labor.

U. S. engineers are discussing the practicability of federal control of coal deposits.

AMERICANS IN CANADA AND THE "SLACKER" TREATY

Toronto, Mar. 12—Chester Martin, United States consul here, says he is being called on by 200 Americans daily regarding the effect of the "slacker" treaty now awaiting signature at Washington. He has wired for instructions as to its effect. Meantime he has issued cards to Americans which will protect them from dominion police officers. These identification cards are effective only up to the time the treaty is actually consummated. More than 400 Americans of military age have reported within the last week to Consul Martin.

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MATTER OF PAY UNDER THE ONE SESSION PLAN

Chief Superintendent and Trustees Differ—Dr. Bridges Suggested for Place on Board of Education

At a meeting of the board of school trustees last evening a letter was read from Dr. W. S. Carter, superintendent of education for the province, stating that under the law he could not pay the teachers full pay for the present city school day, by reason of the one session. This point of view was discussed by the trustees and the conclusion reached was that Dr. Carter was mistaken.

Applications for the position of teacher from Miss Minnie Miller and for janitor from John Dary of Rothesay were read. In the discussion of this letter, Mr. Russell said that the motion that the city schools have one session was made by the board and he did not see where should be any objection to it. It was made for the purpose of saving coal, and if the coal had not been saved some of the schools would now be closed.

Dr. Manning said that at the time the motion was made the passing of the one session was the one session that was the best thing that could be done to relieve the situation.

Mr. Nagle then stated that the contention of Doctor Carter was not right and that, according to the board, he had the right to make and pass the motion for one session. A message of the board had been sent stating that the school board had the right to decree to have one session.

Mr. Nagle said that the passing of the motion for one session in the city schools was a war measure for saving coal, and that this action of the board had been highly commended by the citizens. He said that since Doctor Carter stated that he was not satisfied with the board's action, he thought that the school board should make up the deficiency if necessary. The rest of the board were in accordance with this, and Mr. Nagle moved that a committee consisting of Messrs. Emerson, Green, Bridges, be appointed to wait on the members of the board of education and place the matter before them. This motion was seconded by Mr. Russell, and when placed before the board was unanimously carried.

A communication from Robson Black was then read, stating that a small book on Canadian common law had been published and was on sale at five cents a copy. Dr. Bridges advised that the book should be bought for the use of the students in the higher grades. The motion was carried.

A letter was read from Hiram Webb asking that the balance of the bills on the King George school, amounting to \$283 be paid. George Day moved that the bill be received and referred to the visitors of the school.

Offer of Old Brussels Street Church. A communication was read from the Bay of Fundy Dulce Company offering the building first opportunity of purchasing the old Brussels street Baptist church. The price quoted was \$12,000. Dr. Manning thought that would be wise to consider the offer as the manual training rooms that were now in use were very inadequate and that the old church was near the Centennial school and could be fitted up into an up-to-date manual training school. Mr. Russell moved that the matter be referred to a committee of the visitors of Centennial school, and that the bill on Dr. Day be passed by the board.

Mr. Day told the board that considerable vandalism was going on at the old

Use Coconut Oil For Washing Hair

If you want to keep your hair in good condition, the less soap you use the better. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and is very harmful. Just plain mild coconut oil (which is pure and entirely greaseless) is much better than any other thing you can use for shampooing, as this can't possibly injure the hair.

Simply moisten your hair with water and rub it in. One or two teaspoonfuls will make an abundance of rich, creamy lather, and cleanses the hair and scalp thoroughly. The lather rinses out easily, and removes every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves it fine and silky, bright, fluffy and easy to manage.

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(Beauty Culture.) It is no longer necessary for a woman to visit a beauty specialist to have superfluous hairs removed, for, with the aid of a plain delatone paste, she can, in the privacy of her own home, remove even a stubborn growth in a very few minutes. The paste is made by mixing some water with a little powdered delatone. This is applied to the hairs and after 2 or 3 minutes removed and the skin washed, when it will be left clear and hairless. Be sure you buy real delatone.

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school in Douglas avenue, and that the other day he counted seventeen broken window panes. Boys are going into the building and rapping up and down the fire escapes.

Douglas Avenue School. A letter was then read from the committee appointed to investigate the matter of the school in Douglas avenue. The letter stated that three appraisers, S. Bates, James Miles and W. L. Fernon, had been appointed to value the school, and after careful examining it they estimated it to be worth \$8,700 and the land to be worth \$4,500. The committee advised that the board sell the school to Mr. Day for \$8,700. Some time ago Mr. Day notified the board that at the expiration of the lease he would sell the school to Mr. Day for \$8,700. Some time ago Mr. Day notified the board that at the expiration of the lease he would sell the school to Mr. Day for \$8,700. Some time ago Mr. Day notified the board that at the expiration of the lease he would sell the school to Mr. Day for \$8,700.

The secretary's report for the month was as follows: Pupils enrolled, 7,981; pupils attending, 7,541; pupils in daily attendance, 5,879; percentage of pupils belonging, 97.28.

Mr. Nagle said that he was of the opinion that the superintendent of the city schools of St. John should be a member of the board of education for this province. He said that this was the only city in New Brunswick that had a superintendent and went on to say that Chancellor Jones of the University of New Brunswick was a member of the board and represented the students who were wealthy enough to go to college, while the children in the schools in this city were unrepresented. Mr. Nagle made a motion, seconded by Mr. Russell, that the superintendent of schools be made a member of the board of education, and that a committee consisting of Messrs. Day and Green be appointed to wait on the members of the government to ask that this be done.

Trust officers McMann reported eighty-three irregulars and six truant for the month. (See page 12.)

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY OF THE STONE CHURCH

The fifteenth annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Stone church, shows that department of the church work to be in quite as flourishing a state as in other years, and perhaps a little better. Meetings were held in the vestry of the church both in the morning and afternoon yesterday, at 11 o'clock in the church when the Holy Communion service was held. Then the ladies were addressed by Rev. G. A. Kuhring, the rector of the church. The meeting then adjourned to the Sunday school room, where the members' prayer was held and then the minutes of the last meeting were read by the secretary.

The nomination of officers of the auxiliary, and delegates and substitutes to the Diocesan annual, followed and then the meeting adjourned for luncheon

which was served in the Sunday school room.

The afternoon session opened with a Bible reading by Mrs. L. P. D. Tilly, followed by a general thanksgiving. The minutes of the previous session were read by the secretary and then an offering was taken. The officers, nominated at the morning session were elected at this point in the meeting, and the delegates to the Diocesan annual.

The president's address was the delivered, followed by the presentation of a life membership for the auxiliary to Miss Edith Skinner by the president, Mrs. Walker. A number of very interesting reports were read.

The secretary's report was read by Miss Skinner, the treasurer by Mrs. G. P. Plater, the Dorcas secretary by Mrs. Chas. deForest, the Leaflet secretary by Mrs. Morrison, the Girls' Association report by Miss Dearborn, report of the Junior Branch by Miss Belle Paton, the report of the Baby's Branch by Mrs. Likely, and the report of the Mothers' meeting by Mrs. Johnson.

During the afternoon session a sacred solo was sung by Mrs. Harrison. Mrs. G. F. Smith read a paper written by Miss Cartwright, president of the Toronto Diocesan board.

The report of the W. A. work throughout Canada was read by Mrs. James F. Robertson. The general pledge fund

was raised to \$75. Other sums were voted in special appeals from the general board. The unfinished business was disposed of and the meeting closed with a hymn and benediction.

SAVE YOUR HAIR! A SMALL BOTTLE STOPS DANDRUFF

Every Bit of Dandruff Disappears and Hair Stops Coming Out

Try This! Your Hair Appears Glossy, Abundant, Wavy and Beautiful

Thin, brittle, colorless and scraggy hair is mute evidence of a neglected scalp; of dandruff—that awful scurf. There is nothing so destructive to the hair as dandruff. It robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, eventually producing a feverishness and itching of the scalp, which if not remedied causes the hair roots to shrivel, loosen and die—then the hair falls out fast. A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

First Woman in Canada To Head Board

(Toronto Globe.)

With the complete enfranchisement of women the funny papers will lose a valuable asset in the "woman's rights woman," "the new woman" and "the suffragette," whose vagaries of costume and manner have been almost as unfulfilling a source of entertainment as the peculiarities of the mother-in-law herself. In an effort to divert out curiosity and restore Russia to her place in the world with complete sort of public work must necessarily be less feminine in dress and manner than other women. To any who still cling to the old tradition, the thought of the first woman to be chairman of a school board in Canada must conjure up an awful vision of stern visage, blunt manners and mannish garb. It would be a delight to introduce those persons—indeed it is to introduce any person—to Mrs. Irene Moody of Vancouver, who actually is the first woman in Canada to have held the office of chairman of a public school board. She wasn't the only one for long, she says for only a few weeks later Nanaimo, on Vancouver Island, not to be outdone, followed suit.

Looking upon the almost girl's femininity of Mrs. Moody's charming features, which even a lock of greying hair failed to contradict, one wonders if she had other feminine support in her undertaking, and asked:

"Were there other women on the board?"

"No," she responded, with a smile, "I was all alone."

So much for the urge of a great interest. Mrs. Moody had theories of education that compelled her support. They took her into the school board of Vancouver last year as chairman, this year as a member, and, directly or indirectly, they brought her to Ottawa as one of the women called to confer with the war committee of the cabinet.

"Technical education" is Mrs. Moody's great demand for the children of Canada, and in Vancouver it has now become possible for a pupil to choose between a technical and an academic course. Only 8 to 1 per cent of the children who go through our schools ever reach university, this practical education declares, yet the school curriculum, in most places, is designed to prepare a student for higher education rather than for the trade he is likely to enter.

Uniform educational standards for all the provinces, Mrs. Moody would ask for, too, and also a campaign of education for children concerning the fundamental facts of life. Most of our reform measures she regards as "poking the fire from the top," and would rather begin at the beginning, with right teaching by parents, not by school teachers.

LIQUOR ALSO FORBIDDEN TO WOMEN IN UNIFORM

New York, Mar. 12—Women in uniform or members of parties containing women in uniform cannot be served alcoholic beverages in leading uptown hotels.

The government's regulation is perfectly plain, one proprietor stated in an announcement Friday. "A uniform is a uniform whether worn by a man or a woman. We have no discretion in the matter."

Hereafter women doctors, nurses, motor drivers, yeomen and telephone operators and all other women in khaki or blue

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WILSON SENDS MESSAGE TO RUSSIAN CONGRESS

Washington, March 11—On the eve of the gathering at Moscow of the Russian Congress of Soviets, which is to pass judgment on the German-made peace accepted by the Bolsheviks at Brest-Litovsk, President Wilson has sent a message of sympathy to the Russian people through the congress with a pledge that the United States will avail itself of every possibility to aid them in driving out autocracy and restore Russia to her place in the world with complete sovereignty and independence.

The United States now recognizes no government in Russia, but the president called his message to the American consul at Moscow for delivery tomorrow to the congress which is made up of soldiers and workmen's representatives, and speaks for at least a considerable portion of the Russian people.

IT'S YOUR LIVER! YOU'RE BILIOUS, HEADACHY, SICK!

Don't stay constipated with breath bad, stomach sour or a cold

Enjoy Life! Live your liver and bowels tonight and feel fine.

WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

Tonight start! Remove the liver and bowel poison which is keeping your head dizzy, your tongue coated, breath offensive and stomach sour. Don't stay bilious, sick, headachy, constipated and full of cold. Why don't you get a box of Cascarets from the drug store now? Eat one or two tonight and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. You will wake up feeling fit and fine. Cascarets never gripes nor bothers you all the next day like calomel, salts and pills. They act gently but thoroughly. Mothers should give cross, sick, bilious or feverish children a whole Cascaret any time. They are harmless and children love them.

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AUCTION

I am instructed to sell at Public Auction at 107 Charlotte St. opposite the Duffin Hotel, \$15,000 worth of jewelry, consisting of Gents' Watches, Wallpapers, Series, etc.; Ladies' Wrist Watches and Military Wrist Watches, Gold Rings, Ladies' and Gents' Signets; also Set Rings, Diamonds, Pearls, etc.; Pendants, Gold, Cut Glass, Silverware, China, Alarms Clocks, Kitchen Clocks, Cabinet Clocks. Sale every night.

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Order-in-Council In The Liquor Matter Is Passed

Ottawa, March 11—Canada virtually goes dry on April 1. Under regulations issued tonight the manufacture of intoxicating liquors is prohibited from that date. It is provided, however, that in the sale of intoxicating liquor of any class for beverage purposes, it is permitted in any province, this regulation shall not apply to the manufacture of such intoxicating liquor in such province until December 31, 1918.

Make Prohibition More Effective.

The order-in-council authorizing the regulations recites that prohibitory laws have been passed and are in force in every province, except in the province of Quebec, where the prohibitory law is to go into effect on May 1, 1919. It is in order to make such legislation more effective, the order-in-council states, that regulations have been enacted to supplement the provincial laws.

Other provisions in the regulations are: 1.—Nothing in the regulations shall prevent a manufacturer from making or manufacturing intoxicating liquor for sacramental, industrial, artistic, mechanical, scientific and medicinal purposes, in accordance with the terms of the license.

2.—No person after the first day of April, 1918, shall send, take, transport, or deliver in any prohibited area any intoxicating liquor or cause any intoxicating liquor to be so sent, transported or delivered.

3.—No person after the first day of April, 1918, shall either directly or indirectly sell or contract or agree to sell any intoxicating liquor which is in or which is to be delivered within any prohibited area.

4.—Nothing in these regulations contained shall prevent a licensee or manufacturer from selling, sending, taking or transporting intoxicating liquor to or from any prohibited area or prevent a common carrier, by water or by railway, from transporting or carrying through a prohibited area, nor prevent a licensee or manufacturer from selling or delivering intoxicating liquor, for sacramental, industrial, artistic, mechanical, scientific and medicinal purposes, in accordance with the terms of the license.

"Apple Barons" of Nova Scotia as Met by a Buyer From the Upper Provinces

(Halifax Herald.) The following letter from Ontario shows another point of view of the apple situation in the Annapolis Valley. As a special feature for early next week, The Halifax Herald proposes putting forward a plan for improved apple packing and the elimination of the small percentage of "crooked" packers who have done so much towards giving a bad name to the entire apple-growing district of Nova Scotia.

To the Halifax Herald: Copies of issue February 8, 9, and 11, have just come to hand. We note you give considerable prominence to the apple situation in the valley. Having read your statements and those which reply thereto, we feel that the publicity of which, we believe, would be conducive to the best interests of the growers, dealer and consumer alike, hence our letter.

First, the consuming public should know there were only two producing provinces in Canada last year, namely British Columbia and Nova Scotia, the crop of apples in Ontario and Quebec being almost a failure, hence dealers (purchasers) turned to these two provinces for supplies. Owing to distances of shipment and rates, Ontario and Quebec naturally turned to Nova Scotia, as also did part of the west, notably Winnipeg. In this connection, great credit is due the fruit branch of the department of agriculture at Ottawa, through its commissioner, who lost no opportunity of placing all available data before the dealers and public, both in the bulletins and advertisements published, nor must we fail to mention the interest of the department of food control, which were ready to lend services to the growers through their association heads. We believe we are right in saying that at least one member of the department of food control paid a visit to the valley quite early in the season in order to advise and direct as seemed wise. This visit, however, may have been at the request of the dealers, but we know that it was generally understood that the dealers were making very earnest solicitations of the government at Ottawa, as well as steamship companies, to try and induce Great Britain to take the embargo off apples, falling this, some-

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Send For Free Trial Treatment. No matter how long or how bad—go to your druggist today and get a 50 cent box of Pyramid Pile Treatment. It's the best of Pile Treatment.



FREE SAMPLE COUPON. PYRAMID DRUG COMPANY, 505 27th Street, Detroit, Mich. Kindly send me a Free Sample of Pyramid Pile Treatment, in plain wrapper. Name: Street: City: State:

The Pyramid Suffer From a Single Trial. Will give relief, and a single box often cures. A trial package mailed free from wrapper. Write for coupon below.

Diseased Skin

Freedom at once from the agony of skin disease. The soothing wash of oil. Try D. D. D.—it's different. E. Clinton Brown, Druggist, St. John, N. B.

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URIC ACID IN MEAT BRINGS RHEUMATISM

Says a Little Salt in Water may save you from drat attack.

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than to cure, states a well-known authority. We are advised to dress warmly, keep the feet dry, avoid exposure, eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Rheumatism is a direct result of uric acid in the blood. It is the result of the blood filtering this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine. The pores of the skin are also open, and the acid is excreted through the skin pores and through the sweat glands. In damp and chilly cold weather, the skin pores are closed, and the acid is retained in the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinges of rheumatism get from your pharmacy about four ounces of Ad Salts, put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This will eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Ad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithium chloride and excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, ferrous-salt-free drink which helps overcome uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

At the service in St. Mary's church on Sunday night, the Rev. R. Taylor McKim, made known to the congregation the exact financial condition of the church and Sunday school.

The last year's receipts of the church amounted to \$4,826.15, and in the Sunday school \$114.30, a grand total of \$4,940.45. The missionary appointment has been more than met, and the church is in a position to meet the needs of the community.

The motto of St. Mary's church has always been "Owe no man anything," and the members thank God that once again He has permitted them to close the books with all bills paid.

The pastor pointed out that never in the history of St. Mary's Church, had the people given so liberally; the receipts of this year had exceeded those of last year by more than \$1,000 in the church and the offerings in the Sunday school had exceeded those of last year by more than \$1,000.

The following statistical report: Public Sunday services held, 150; week-day services, fifty-three; sermons preached by the pastor, 115; sermons preached by laymen, twenty-five; baptisms, thirty-two; confirmed, twenty-four; marriages, fifteen; burials, thirty-four.

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They will regulate the flow of bile to act properly on the bowels, and will move every result of liver trouble from the temporary, but disagreeable bilious and sick headaches, to the severest forms of liver complaint.

They are small and easy-taking, do not grip, sicken or weaken like the old-fashioned, nauseating, griping purgatives.

Mrs. A. Kirk, 55 Yorkville, Toronto, Ont., writes: "I have tried and tested Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills and have received good results for which I am very thankful. I took them for liver trouble. I came out of the hospital on May 1st, after having had a serious operation which might have saved had I taken your remedy sooner. I have given some to my sister for biliousness and sick headache. She has found great relief. A lady writes: 'I have used your pills for indigestion, flatulence, or mal-digestion. I will do my best to recommend them to all my friends.'

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ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION

Causes Gas, Sourness and Pain. How to Treat.

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 and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices.

Artificial digestives are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try laying aside all digestive aids and instead get from any druggist a few ounces of Beauried Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This sweetens the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas or pain. Beauried Magnesia (in liquid or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and is the most efficient form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.

CONSTANCE TALMADGE SEEN IN "SCANDAL" AT IMPERIAL THEATRE

Bright Star in Striking Picture—Operatic Soprano and Balfour-father Cartoons

In her new picture, Scandal, which is showing at the Imperial Theatre for the last time today, Constance Talmadge, the daughter of a high-spirited society girl, spoiled and capricious, and the depths of her real womanhood are brought to the screen from Cosmo Hamilton's fascinating novel of the same name, and is being carried by her, who has only to touch in order to get rid of it. The tough may be light or loose, according to whether this mucus is sticky and not to remove, or soft and easily expelled.

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John D. McFarlane, Jr., S. W. Margreaves, N. S., writes: "I was troubled with bronchitis, and could not find any relief. I was especially bad on a lamp day. I went to a druggist and asked him for something to stop the constant tickling in my throat. He gave me a bottle of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, which I found gave me instant relief. It is the best remedy for bronchitis I know of, and I now take care that I always have a bottle of it on hand."

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Amherst, March 11—Private Charles P. Knoeton, of South Intervale, Guysborough county (N. S.), and Private L. Beecher Ferry, of Cape Negro Island, Shelburne county (N. S.), died from spinal meningitis at the Highland View Hospital yesterday. Both men are drafted under the M. S. A. and members of the Depot Battalion quartered in this town. The barracks are under strict quarantine.

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DECISIONS IN MORE CASES UNDER M. S. A.

The following are reports of more cases under the Military Service Act decided by the central appeal judge, Mr. Justice Duff, Ottawa:

Re Orville Robillard, re Emile Dessain, re Emile Laurin. The mere fact that a man is engaged in the manufacture of munitions is no ground for exemption. It must be clear that he is essential and cannot be replaced.

The Central Appeal Judge: These are applications by P. Lyall & Sons for the exemption of persons engaged in their employment in the manufacture of munitions. All are said to be "skilled laborers."

The fact that these men are engaged in the manufacture of munitions is no ground for exemption. It must be clear that they are essential and cannot be replaced.

The central appeal judge has already laid down the rule that persons who apply for the exemption of mechanics in their employ must supply the most precise information as to the nature of the work in which the men are actually en-

TROUBLED FOR YEARS WITH BRONCHITIS

DR. WOOD'S NORWAY PINE SYRUP GAVE INSTANT RELIEF. Bronchitis is a disease which is very prevalent during the late winter and early spring, when there are sudden atmospheric changes. It is a condition of inflammation of the bronchial tubes which produces mucous or plugs. This irritates the throat and causes you to cough in order to get rid of it. The cough may be light or loose, according to whether this mucus is sticky and not to remove, or soft and easily expelled.

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Amherst, March 11—Private Charles P. Knoeton, of South Intervale, Guysborough county (N. S.), and Private L. Beecher Ferry, of Cape Negro Island, Shelburne county (N. S.), died from spinal meningitis at the Highland View Hospital yesterday. Both men are drafted under the M. S. A. and members of the Depot Battalion quartered in this town. The barracks are under strict quarantine.

A campaign of eradication is being waged by U. S. authorities against predatory animals in Wyoming at the request of the sheepmen.

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MORE VESSELS BADLY NEEDED

Necessity for Increased Shipbuilding Overwhelming, Says MacLay

Only U. S. Can Help—America Must Quickly and Fully Realize the Allies' Peril

(Special Cable Despatch to the Toronto Globe)

London, Mar. 11.—"The necessity for more shipbuilding is overwhelming," said Sir Joseph MacLay, shipping controller, to your correspondent today, "and only the United States can help us. But the situation is not hopeless if your country can make good its expectations. Only the United States must realize the reality of the crisis and how much depends on her."

avoid the conclusion that new ships and more new ships are now the vital need of the Allies, and the shipping controller lays the utmost stress upon the value of the service that American shipbuilders can now perform.

"Remember," he said, "in 1917 the net shipping losses of the Allies were 698 vessels, that is, a fleet large enough to import all the wheat this country needs, and from 50 to 75 per cent of all the food it has to import. Remember, too, that the submarines are still sinking copiously more than twice the number of ships that are being turned out in the British shipyards, and you will see how urgent this matter is. Then, every day the number of American troops, we are glad to say, is growing on this side of the Atlantic, but every additional soldier of yours over here puts a permanent additional strain on shipping in keeping him supplied with food, munitions and clothing."

done this at the beginning of the war, apart from the necessity of efforts in other directions. It must be for America to do it now, and it will be better and more economical to rely on your self. You may not have had enough shipyards, but you are the first industrial country in the world, and have ample resources in men and steel.

ENROLL FIVE MILLIONS FOR GARDEN ARMY

Washington, Mar. 11.—Formation of the "U. S. garden army," with a membership of five million children and having for its purpose the supplying of the family of each member with vegetables, small fruits and eggs during the summer and fall, is announced by the department of the interior. The department is organizing the children in cities, towns, villages and suburban homes, while the department of agriculture is doing the same work with the children of the farming districts.

Advertisement for Gillett's Flye, a cleaning and disinfecting product. It includes the text 'FATS DIRT CLEANS AND DISINFECTS' and 'MADE IN CANADA'.

SOCIAL EVIL IN THE OLD LAND

Archbishop of York Tells How Girls and Young Women Are Protected—Remove the Temptation

Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, Archbishop of York, told the members of the Girls' Friendly Society in New York the other day what the work women are doing and can do to help win the war.

MITCHELL FLIES ALONE

Goes Up in a Rainstorm After Hours' Flight With Instructor

San Diego, Mar. 12.—Major John Purroy Mitchell, New York's former mayor and America's oldest flying cadet, has demonstrated that he has the qualifications of a military aviator.

Advertisement for Mennen's Cold Cream, featuring an illustration of a woman's face and the text 'PROTECT your complexion against raw piercing winter winds by using MENNEN'S COLD CREAM'.

"But it is a question with the younger women and girls of all classes. In England many have found work in the Red Cross, and thousands of educated young women are employed in the hospitals that are to be found in all parts of the country. Others, thousands upon thousands, are doing the work of men in the munition plants, and still others are tilling the soil and doing it cheerfully. The latter, in many instances, represented what we might call the roughest class in the kingdom, but they are behaving like heroines."

"The question of sex excitement must be taken into consideration at this time. It is but natural that the young girls should be attracted by the young men in khaki, and it would be part of your business to provide places where these young girls may meet their soldier friends in proper surroundings."

"In the second place you must protect both the men and the young women by removing temptation as far as possible. In England we have women police, who patrol the streets at night and caution the young women who may be on the verge of being carried away by the chivalry of their soldier escorts."

"Last of all, and to my mind, the most important part of this great work, is the proper education of the girl. Proper teaching by the mother is worth a great deal more than school teaching, and you mothers must keep in mind that you bear a great responsibility toward your daughter, especially when she has reached the age when her emotions are as potent to sway her. Impress her with a high sense of honor, and point as an example to Jesus Christ."

Border Federation of Women is Formed

Grain Export, Children in Factories, Women-Power Census Its Concerns

Windsor, Ont., Mar. 12.—Pledging support of any government measure that will prevent export to Great Britain of grain for the manufacture of intoxicating liquors, the women of Windsor and vicinity have organized the Border Federation of Women, with Mrs. Charles H. King of Walkerville, president.

The organization will also protest against the employment of children of school age in factories and on farms, except where absolutely necessary. A committee, composed of women doctors, has reported to the government that the health of many children so employed has been injured to such an extent as to cause tuberculosis.

A census of woman-power of the Windsor district will be taken with a view to inducing women to work on fruit farms, in canning factories, and munitions work.

TIME TO SAVE TIME (Providence Journal.)

Portugal greets the sun, on its approach to the spring equinox, by advancing the clocks sixty minutes. The "daylight saving" time went into effect on Friday, and the decree applies to the Azores, one-third of the way westward in the Atlantic. As the sun climbs up other European countries will set their clocks ahead, even Iceland, where, during the summer, there is daylight, any-

way, for all but a few hours of twenty-four. In Australia, under us, the clocks will soon be set back standard time, unless they have also been injured to such an extent as to cause tuberculosis.

The 200 boys of the Depot died for nearly a month under quarantine mumps, were given a treat last night the Young Ladies League of the C. A., who arranged an entertainment for them. The programme included by Miss Compton, M. T. Morris, Dickson, Miss Geraldine Melick, Miss McColligan; dances by Sgt. Alex Gibbs. Some of the men assisted in the programme.

Advertisement for Purity Oats for Breakfast, manufactured by Western Canada Flour Mills Co. Limited. The text says 'START THE DAY RIGHT BY USING PURITY OATS FOR BREAKFAST'.

Advertisement for Infants-Delight Toilet Soap, featuring an illustration of a young girl. The text says 'Little Miss Muffet Sits on a tuft... WASHING her hands and brow. The soap, there beside her, Her mother supplied her. It's "Infants-Delight," I trow. INFANTS-DELIGHT TOILET SOAP'.

Advertisement for 'THE FAIR' featuring a gramophone and 24 selections. It includes the text 'Take in THE FAIR To-Night' and 'SPECIAL OFFER A Gramophone and 24 Selections For only \$28.20'.

WOULD TAKE DUTIES OFF AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS

Saskatoon, Sask., Mar. 12.—Hon. Charles A. Dunning, director of food production for Canada, has recommended to the federal government the following measures as essential to greater food production for 1918.

First—The removal, as a war measure, of all duties of agricultural implements entering Canada; second, the immediate setting of a guaranteed minimum price for 1918 production.

MUST SERVE THEIR TERMS

Washington, Mar. 12.—Conviction of Karl Buns, managing director, and two other officials of the Hamburg-American line, for violation of the shipping laws by sending supplies to German cruisers from American ports, were in effect sustained yesterday by the supreme court which refused to review the proceedings. Buns and George Kotter, superintendent engineer, will be compelled to serve eighteen months, and Sæter Poppenshouse, a second officer, one year in the Atlanta penitentiary.

Eggs from China. Ogdenburg, N. Y., Mar. 12.—Nine hundred cases of eggs from China were received at this port yesterday, consigned from Shanghai to New York. This is the second shipment of the kind to pass through Ogdenburg during the last twelve months.

Albany has decided to spend a million dollars forthwith in the construction of barges to operate on N. Y. state's new \$160,000,000 canal.

LEO GERRIN'S SAUCE

Advertisement for Leo Gerrin's Sauce, featuring an illustration of a bottle and the text 'THE ORIGINAL AND GENUINE WORCESTERSHIRE'.

MUTT AND JEFF—JEFF TURNS INTO A WAR-TIME PROFITEER

A multi-panel cartoon strip featuring the characters Mutt and Jeff. The dialogue includes: 'PRINTERS ARE SCARCE SINCE THE GOVERNMENT'S GOT SO MANY SHIPS THAT HAVE TO BE PAINTED, SO I GRABBED THE JOB OF WHITEWASHING THIS FENCE FOR THE DUTCHMAN. THREE BUCKS, PRETTY SOFT!'; 'JEFF, I CONGRATULATE YOU ON YOUR INDUSTRY. WHAT DO YOU GET AN HOUR?'; 'IT'S CONTRACT WORK, MUTT. THREE BEANS FOR THE JOB!'; 'CONTRACT WORK? THEN WHY DON'T YOU GET A LARGER BRUSH?'; 'WHAT FOR, MUTT?'; 'WHY, IF YOU HAD A LARGER BRUSH YOU COULD DO TWICE AS MUCH WORK!'; 'BUT I AIN'T GOT TWICE AS MUCH WORK TO DO!'. The cartoon is signed 'BY "BUD" FISHER'.

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY, HOME AND ABROAD

BOWLING

Maples Take Four. The Maples took three of the four...

Wanderers. The Wanderers in a match...

Maples. The Maples took three of the four...

Grocers Win From Fruit Men. In the first game of the finals...

Junior Alerts Win. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

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Mail. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

McKean Makes Fine Score. The bowling team from the C. P. R...

P. R. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

Joninton Express. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

RLING. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

With Thistle Juniors. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

A. Jones. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

SEBALL. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

Red Sox at Hot Springs. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

John Will Accept Terms. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

SKATING. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

KAUFF. In the Y. M. C. I. Junior League...

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LOCAL NEWS

NO FURTHER WORD.
Mrs. J. A. MacKeigan has not received any further word in regard to the condition of Rev. Mr. MacKeigan's brother, Peter, who was a few days ago injured in New Glasgow. He is suffering from a fractured skull.

COMMISSIONER RETURNS.
Commissioner R. W. Wigmore returned to the city today from Washington, where he has been for the last few days on business in connection with the government. When interviewed, he said that he would make a report of his trip public within the next two or three days.

FORMER ST. JOHN CAPTAIN BUILDS A FOUR-MAST SCHOONER

The Laura A. Barnes Ready For Launching at Camden, Me.

St. John friends have received word that Captain Charles Barnes of Boston is having a large four-masted vessel at a cost approximately of \$22,000. She will be launched at Camden, Me., on Thursday. The vessel will have a freight carrying capacity of 1,100 tons, and when completed will go to Hampton Roads, Va., where she will load for the south. The vessel is built on graceful lines, which indicate speed. The christening will be performed by Captain Barnes' daughter Alice, who will use roses, instead of the customary carnations of white. The vessel will be named the Laura A. Barnes, after the captain's wife. Captain Barnes and family lived in St. John some years ago and local friends will be pleased to learn of his progress.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP

A citizen who is deeply interested in the power company and its attempt to get higher rates, said to the Times this morning—

"In my opinion, the city should acquire by expropriation, the utilities now held by the N. B. Power Co. Now is the time, when they are declaring that they are operating the gas plant and the street cars at a loss. Therefore, the only valuable asset is the electric light and power plant. In law, in expropriating proceedings, the value of a thing is determined not by its value to the purchaser, but by what value it is to the owner, therefore in view of the state of affairs of the company its value is low.

"Place each department under managers, able men who know their business from top to bottom, paying them good salaries, these managers, to be responsible to the city council as to the commissioner public works to be over them only in an advisory capacity, the city to keep in view the ultimate use of water power instead of steam, water privileges to be secured at once, and when the life of the steam plant is over, replace by water power. The N. B. Power Co. have not all the water power in their contract. They own a small river; the others are under option, pending future events. The city can secure all the water power that is to be had at the East Musquash and the West Musquash, also the New River. The head waters of the river are in government land and the last cutting of timber on these lands is being done now. After this year they only use will be for power. These lands are controlled by the Ingelwood Co. and Stetson Cattle Co. F. W. Holt, Esq., has surveyed the properties and rivers, but for whom I do not know. We should not delay and so let speculators get control of these rivers. It is to be regretted that a vote on public ownership was not taken at the late public meeting in the Seamen's Mission hall. Could a plebiscite on the question be taken at the same time as the civic election to be held next month?"

ONE WITNESS IN WOOL CASE

Harry Hayes, Sr. and Harry Hayes, Jr., John Francis Hayes, Stanley Horton and George Drew were before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning charged with stealing more than \$2,000 worth of wool from the Colonial Hide Company.

F. E. Stewart, teller in the Royal Bank, testified that he had cashed two checks, one for \$471.50 and the other for \$70.20, made out to John McLean for George Drew. He said he had asked for no identification and had not consulted the manager. Policeman McJensen testified that the man in question had given him his name as George Drew when arrested. This testimony was objected to by U. J. Sweeney, appearing for Drew, but Magistrate Ritchie told him he was too late as the testimony was down. Mr. Sweeney said he objected just the same. "All right, then," said the magistrate, "you object. Get it down, clerk. Now get along. Get along." E. J. Heneberry is appearing for Mr. Horton. One prisoner was charged with drunkenness. He was sent below.

SNOW FILE AS HIGH AS HOUSE

Huge Drift Near Wm. Quinlan's, Manawagonish Road

Reports of tremendous snow drifts caused by the storm on Sunday morning received. At places the snow completely blocked the roads and travel in many sections is really difficult. In Fairville they say there has not been so much snow since the winter of 1906 when it will be remembered one bank at the foot of Fairville, just beyond the C. P. R. crossing, had to be tunneled. This particular spot has a large bank today towering in some places to a height of eight or nine feet. Three men were shoveling a driveway through this morning.

It is said that one of the largest piles of snow is near the home of William Quinlan, Manawagonish road, where great drifts as high as the house stretched directly across the road.

Yesterday morning a team coming in toward the village was held up by this tremendous obstacle. Eventually eight teams were hung up and the men shoveling with a will, finally made a clearance and worked their passage through.

The Fairville car with a plough in front made a trip up Main street last evening and it was expected the service would be resumed today.

LIEUT. A. CLAIR GILMOUR MISSING

St. John Officer Who Went Across With 115th and Became an Aviator

That their son, Lieut. A. Clair Gilmour, of the Royal Flying Corps, has been missing since March 8 was the distressing news which Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gilmour received this morning. The telegram did not give any further particulars and Mr. Gilmour is endeavoring to obtain some more information from England.

Lieutenant Gilmour left St. John in the summer of 1916 attached to the 115th battalion. Soon after going overseas he was transferred to another battalion and crossed to France. Last fall he decided to join the flying corps and went to England where he took up a course of studies. He graduated with honors, making very high marks.

Only recently Mrs. Gilmour received a letter from him in which he spoke of returning to France after enjoying a short leave. He said they were making preparations for a big raid and it was in all probability after such an expedition that he was reported missing. His parents are in hopes that he is still alive and perhaps was brought down and taken prisoner by the Germans.

TRIBUTE TO WORK OF WOMEN IN WAR

Captain Best Addresses Women's Canadian Club in Lyric Theatre

Captain I. F. Best, Y. M. C. A. general secretary, addressed an audience of women this morning in the Lyric theatre, under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club, and Mrs. H. Powell-president. The captain chose as his subject "The Women of Belgium, France and England." The women of Belgium were today women of sorrow, he said. Their men were gone—some dead and other worse than dead, slaves of the Hun. They had done their bit for the world, and deserved the world's best in return.

The women of France would go down in history, was the speaker's opinion, as the most glorious example of patriotism known. In order to save France they were taking an active part in the affairs of the country and doing all they could to assist the families of the men in France. Canada would do better to forget horrible rumors concerning the patriotic women of England and to think more of the wonderful work they were doing.

Mrs. George F. Smith moved a vote of thanks to the lecturer, and this was seconded by Mrs. H. Lawrence.

BOYS IN COURT AS TRUANTS AND THIEVES

Distressing Condition Revealed At Session Before Magistrate

There was a session of the Juvenile Court this forenoon following a hearing in the case of alleged wool stealing. A thirteen year old lad who had been in school one day since February 4 and who is accused of at least four acts of theft, was sent below to the cells.

Another lad of the same age had missed twenty-seven days in the present term, while still another, one year younger, had not been in school a single day in the term. These two were sent below as well. Another fourteen year old boy, on charge of stealing coal.

The boys, one sixteen the other fifteen, were accused of theft from the Dominion Express Company. According to the evidence offered these thefts had been going on for some time. The goods taken were not small parcels, but bulky articles such as sides of beef, &c. This led to the belief that there must be a man employed in the thefts. A watch was kept and the two lads before the court were caught carrying a box between two freight cars to a team standing near. Both lads were allowed to go under suspended sentence.

E. A. SCHOFIELD PRESIDENT

N. B. Tourist Association Executive Enlarged and Officers Elected

At a meeting of the executive of the New Brunswick Tourist Association on Monday at the Tourist Information Bureau, 28 King street, the following were added to the executive—A. C. Currie, Hon. W. E. Foster, Hon. E. Secord, Hon. P. J. Veniot, H. L. Ganter, Hon. W. F. Roberts, R. E. Armstrong, Hon. J. A. Murray, A. L. Gibbs, Col. T. G. Logie, L. P. D. Tilley, H. H. Melanson, W. S. Fisher, Mayor Hayes, A. H. Wetmore.

E. A. Schofield was elected president; N. R. DesBrisay, first vice president; Thomas Heneberry, second vice-president; A. C. Currie, treasurer; H. W. Hing, auditor. Arrangements were made for at once renewing the supply of local booklets, which are about exhausted. The question of a new provincial booklet was referred to the advertising committee of the executive.

AUTO DRIVER FREED IN HALIFAX FATALITY

Halifax, N. S., Mar. 12—Harry Jackson, driver of an automobile which recently struck and killed young Gordon Russell Cameron in a city street, was yesterday afternoon discharged from custody by Stipendiary Fielding. The stipendiary found that there was no evidence of gross negligence on the part of the driver.

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