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BRILLIANT SUCCESS FOR BRITISH AIRMEN

FRENCH GAIN IN PICARDY; BETTER LINE IN FLANDERS

Poilus Strengthen Fronts as Enemy Prepares For Colossal Drive.

London, May 11.—French troops advanced their line slightly yesterday evening east of Locre on the Flanders front, the war office announces.

The statement follows:

"French troops advanced their line slightly yesterday evening east of Locre and captured several prisoners. We carried out successful raids during the night west of Merville and brought back a few prisoners and machine guns. A raid attempted by the enemy east of Ypres was stopped by our fire.

JUST LOCAL FIGHTING.

London, May 11.—The text of the war office statement issued tonight reads:

"There was local fighting today at Aveluy Wood, north of Albert. Apart from hostile artillery activity at several points, particularly in the Vimy and Robecq sectors and south of Dickebusch, there is nothing further to report."

FRENCH GAIN IN PICARDY.

Paris, May 11.—Heavy artillery fighting on the front below Amiens, in the region of Grivesnes and Mailly-Raineville, is reported in today's official communication.

The French gained ground on the southern side of the Picardy battle-front near Orvillers-Sorel, southeast of Montdidier.

London, May 10.—Cabling to the New York Tribune, Arthur S. Draper tonight says:

"The Germans are making prodigious preparations for their mightiest drive. Activity as of a million ants behind the Teuton lines is revealed by aerial observation.

"Gen. von Ludendorff will make a supreme effort to crush the British army. If he fails he will fall back once more on defensive operations and German autocracy will try to out-game democracy.

"A great chorus of big guns on the western front heralds the approaching struggle.

"The German command is trying to lure Foch into a finish fight."

STORM BOLT PLAYS TAG THROUGH HOME, BUT HURTS NOBODY

Lightning Rips Things Loose in Ingersoll House.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, May 11.—Serious damage was caused when a lightning bolt entered the house of Henry J. Judd, North Oxford, during a thunderstorm yesterday. The bolt entered near the chimney, and after melting a brass knob off a bed, damaging the telephone, and melting the wire, and causing a picture to fall from the wall, it took a zig-zag course, tearing eight holes in the wall. A fire was started in the dining-room floor, but was quickly extinguished. Mrs. Judd had a narrow escape. The loss is covered by insurance.

GENERAL RENENKAMPFF MURDERED BY BOLSHEVIKI

Copenhagen, May 11.—Gen. Rennenkampff, a Russian commander in the Japanese and present wars, has been murdered by the Bolsheviki at Taganrog, Southern Russia, according to the Vienna correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger of Berlin.

In the Japanese war, Gen. Rennenkampff commanded a Cossack cavalry division. In 1914 he gained successes against the Germans in Poland and East Prussia, only to be defeated by Field Marshal von Hindenburg. In 1915 he was placed on the retired list and in June, 1917, was arrested by the provisional government and interned in the fortress of St. Peter and St. Paul.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 65; lowest, 38.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 34; lowest, 28.

TOMORROW—LOCAL SHOWERS.

Toronto, May 11.

Forecasts.

Today—Moderate winds, gradually rising temperature.

Sunday—Some local showers, but partly fair.

Temperatures.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather
Victoria	66	46	Clear
Calgary	48	38	Fair
Winnipeg	48	32	Fair
Port Arthur ..	48	32	Cloudy
Parry Sound ..	48	34	Fair
Port Stanley ..	56	28	Clear
Buffalo	68	36	Cloudy
Toronto	62	30	Clear
Kingston	54	30	Fair
Ottawa	68	28	Clear
Montreal	72	34	Clear
Quebec	68	34	Cloudy
Father Point ..	56	32	Cloudy

Weather Notes.

The disturbance which was over the Georgian Bay yesterday is now dispersing in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. It has caused showers and thunderstorms and moderate gales from the great lakes to the Maritime Provinces with a change to much cooler weather and frosts in Ontario and Quebec.

Young Londoner and Fellow Commanders of 1st Brigade



Advertiser Illustrations.

Lieut.-Col. Harry Nelles, M.C., officer commanding the 4th Battalion of the 1st Brigade, 1st Canadian Division, C. E. F., is at the left of the group of the four battalion commanders and the brigadier. This is the first picture of Lieut.-Col. Nelles received in London in two years. The young Londoner, possibly the youngest lieutenant-colonel in the Canadian or British armies, went overseas with the 1st Detached Company of the 33rd Battalion, and has been in France since that company was broken up into reinforcing drafts. His promotion from the rank of captain, which he held when he left London, has been rapid, and he has won the greatest commendation from the men under his command, the junior officers and his seniors.

Lieut.-Col. Nelles is a son of J. A. Nelles of this city. Major E. B. Nelles, second in command of the 1st Battalion, Canadian Garrison Regiment of this city, is a brother. Major Nelles went overseas as a captain of the 70th Battalion, and was invalided back through wounds. He has been adjutant and latterly a company commander of the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R.

ONTARIO FORESTERS PLAY BIG PART IN GREAT WITHDRAWAL

Remarkable Feats in Salving Material of Allies.

AIDED FRENCH TROOPS

Roland Hill Tells of Adventures and Thrilling Stunts On the Somme.

Ottawa, May 11.—The following article by Roland Hill has been received here:

One company of Canadian railway troops of an Ontario battalion had amazing adventures during the British retirement. They were building lines at the extreme eastern limit of the British section and for days and nights they worked feverishly to connect up with a French system so that the valuable rolling stock could be hauled away. At one place they made a record of over nine miles of construction in one day under heavy shelling by the enemy. By making the connection 27 locomotives and 235 trucks were run out of the danger zone.

Helped the French.

"Their wanderings from Chauny took them to Noyon and thence to Applecourt, where a barge was obtained from the French and their equipment loaded on that and sent down the canal to safety. At Longueil they came across a huge French engineering dump which our allies were trying to salve. They offered their service and set to work in real Canadian fashion. There is a great shortage of barges, but plenty of huge timbers. The railwaymen boomed the canal and dumped in the lumber, making long slim rafts that would just fit the locks. Twenty thousand feet of lumber was salved in this way, but that was not enough. They loaded steel rails and other engineering material on the improvised rafts and under the guidance of some French-Canadian lumbermen who belonged to the battalion, started their adventurous but completely successful journey down the canal.

Lower down another huge timber dump of fifty thousand feet and several thousand telegraph poles and wooden ties were salved the same way. Arrived safely at Compeigne with their miscellaneous freight, they built a skidway and safely removed all the lumber and other material. They then started north and joined their battalion."

POET, ESSAYIST, EDITOR, FOUND DEAD IN A NEW YORK LODGING HOUSE

New York, May 11.—The body of an aged man, who was found dead in a lodging house at No. 4 Chatham Square on Wednesday, was identified at the morgue yesterday as that of Neil McDonald, a poet and essayist, who had once been editor of the Scottish-American. Mr. McDonald, who was 75 years of age, had become wealthy through mining operations in Canada, and during a long residence there had been distinguished both for the quality of his verse and as an authority on Canadian political history. A brother, it was learned, lives at Lethbridge, Alta. He has been notified.

Mr. McDonald's latest verses, "A Plea for Immortality," will be published as a posthumous offering.

LOG DRIVERS DROWNED AS RAFT COLLAPSES

Quebec, May 11.—A report reached Quebec today that by the collapse of a large raft close to a score of log drivers were drowned at "Lake Des Anglais." No confirmation or official denial of the story is available, owing to the difficulty of communicating with this remote place.

THE "NELSON TOUCH" CARRIED VINDICTIVE TO HER LAST BERTH UNDER TERRIFIC GERMAN FIRE

Cruiser Caught Under Searchlights, Raked Fore and Aft, But Crew Carries On—The Wounded All Taken Off By Motor Launches.

London, May 11.—The old cruiser Vindictive went to her last berth, 150 to 200 yards within the piers forming the entrance to the harbor of Ostend, one of the German submarine bases on the Belgian coast, under a terrific fire from the German naval guns and machine guns on the shore, according to the Central News.

Preparatory to the raid into Ostend the naval air force bombarded the town and dropped bombs continuously on the harbor works, causing fires. Later, the airmen were assisted by destroyers and monitors in bombarding the enemy positions heavily.

Like Zeebrugge Raid.

The entire operation was carried out on lines similar to the raid on April 23, when concrete-laden cruisers were sunk in the harbor of Zeebrugge, the most important German submarine base. For the second time in a month a smoke screen was used successfully. About 2 o'clock in the morning a large force of destroyers and coastal motorboats steamed up toward the shore, the motorboats going alongside it. The weather was everything desirable until 15 minutes before the Vindictive was sunk, when a sea fog drove in shore and reduced the visibility to a range of between 300 and 400 yards.

Vindictive Hard Hit.

The Vindictive experienced the greatest difficulty in finding the entrance to the harbor. The enemy employed star shells and searchlights extensively, and for twenty minutes the vessel was in full view of the enemy batteries. As she cruised up and down seeking the entrance she was hit repeatedly and several casualties were sustained. It was 2:20 o'clock when the piers were sighted almost alongside, and then the German machine guns opened a fearful fire.

Having found his bearings, the captain swung his concrete-laden cruiser around and rammed her stem against the eastern pier, leaving his lieutenant to work the engines with the object of bending the ship across the channel. He then discovered that the cruiser was aground aft, and that it was impossible to turn her any further. He called his crew from the engine-room and stokehold and then set off explosive charges.

Airmen, according to the Central News report, say the Vindictive, lying submerged at an angle of forty degrees at the eastern entrance with her stem against the pier.

While the vessel was being abandoned, two motor launches went alongside under a heavy machine gun fire and succeeded in bringing off the men, including the wounded.

All Were Volunteers.

A large number of the officers and men who took part in the operation against the Zeebrugge mole on April 23 claimed the right to participate in the Ostend operations, says the Central News story of the raid, and their wish was gratified. All the men on the Vindictive were volunteers from the Dover patrol.

At 3:15 o'clock the Warwick, flagship of Admiral Keyes, sighted a motor launch, which had on board two officers and thirty-eight men of the Vindictive. An officer who was on a destroyer described the operations.

"Up to 1:45 o'clock we heard nothing of the enemy," he said. "Then he sent up star shells and flashed his searchlights. A heavy bombardment followed, beginning when we were about 2½ miles from the shore.

Delayed By Fog.

"By the light of star shells and searchlights our smoke stream was located. Then a fog came on and the airmen were prevented from continuing their work. For an hour this state of things continued. Then the weather cleared sufficiently to permit our men to resume their operations.

"A heavy fire was turned on the Vindictive. When at last she found the entrance to the harbor she ran her stem into the pier and was abandoned.

Gallant Launch Crews.

"The crews of the motor launches behaved in the most gallant manner, rushing in to shore utterly regardless of their safety to see that no one was left behind. One launch brought off two officers and thirty-eight men from the Vindictive. Another which subsequently went alongside took off a lieutenant and two ratings, who were wounded, while two other motor launches, also detailed for scout work, kept close to the shore, their crews displaying the greatest pluck and determination.

"Our gunners effectively bombarded the shore batteries. The work of the monitors in this respect was particularly fine. Altogether 200 shells fell within a few yards of two of the monitors, but neither was a hit made nor was a casualty caused. During the whole operation not on enemy craft was seen. At 2:30 o'clock, according to the program, the retirement was begun."

WESTMINSTER TP. DELEGATES ADDED TO COUNTY'S PARTY

Men Will Go to Ottawa to Protest M. S. A. Amendments.

At a meeting of the farmers of Westminster Township, held at the couty buildings this afternoon, a number of township residents were named to accompany the delegation from Middlesex to Ottawa on Monday next.

The delegation, which will include nearly a hundred Middlesex farmers, goes to Ottawa to protest against the drafting of farmers' sons.

THE WAR SITUATION

Whatever big move the Germans may be preparing for on the western battle-front they are finding an active and alert foe confronting them. The French official statement, in particular, fairly bristles with accounts of intensive artillery and raiding activities and more important minor thrusts against the Germans in various sectors.

French troops figured in the most telling strokes delivered by the infantry last night, both in Flanders and south of the Somme. In the former area an operation was carried out which advanced the French line somewhat in the region east of Locre, an important holding point against flanking operations directed at Mont Rouge. British troops made a successful raid near Merville, to the west of this area.

On the southern battlefront, besides carrying out several profitable raids, the French bit into the German front between Montdidier and Noyon.

There are indications that the Germans have run into serious trouble as the result of their recent high-handed action in the Ukraine. The people are reported to have turned against the occupying forces, and dispatches from Dutch sources report that Bavarian cavalry detachments are being withdrawn from the western front and sent to the Ukraine.

BORDEN DROPS SOME MOTIONS; LACK OF TIME

Will Not See Censor or Customs Bills Through This Session.

COL. CURRIE WRATHFUL

Attacks Civil Service Federation for Activities Bearing on Reforms.

Ottawa, May 11.—Sir Robert Borden announced, when the House opened this morning, that it was not intended to proceed this session with the proposed resolution to authorize the Speaker to censor the offical reports of debates.

The motion, Sir Robert said, was a corollary of the order-in-council respecting censorship tabled a short while ago. In view of the advanced state of the session it was not considered necessary to proceed with the motion. Next session it might be brought up again.

Drops Customs Bill.

Sir George Foster also stated that it was not intended to proceed further this session with the bill to amend the customs act, and to provide for the temporary control of exports and imports.

Announcement was furthermore made by the premier that the proposed resolution was dropped which provides that "the working expenses of the Canadian Government railways and of any railway under the charge and management or direction of the minister of railways and canals, shall be paid out of the receipts and revenues of the said railway." The motion was discussed in committee some weeks ago and aroused considerable comment.

Hon. Mr. Lemieux asked if the report were correct that Mr. A. S. Decelles, parliamentary librarian, was to be superannuated, and Mr. Albert Sevigny appointed to his place. Sir Robert Borden replied that he had heard nothing of the matter.

Civil Service Bill.

The House then resolved itself into committee for further consideration of the civil service bill. John Best, Dufferin, read a paragraph from a circular received by him from the Civil Service Federation of Canada, in which he was appealed to to support the bill. The paragraph alleged that an influence was at work endeavoring to dissuade the Union Government from proceeding with the measure and that the Civil Service Federation looked with alarm on any attempt to delay its passage. Mr. Best protested against this organization trying to influence the members of the House of Commons. He then went on to discuss the bill generally, when he was called to order by the deputy speaker, who said the committee was considering the second clause.

Col. John Currie declared that the man who wrote this insulting document should be brought to the bar of the House, and that the Government should not stand for an organization which was trying to influence the members.

Currie Quizzes.

Col. Currie proceeded to read the circular, interjecting comments as he went along. The circular stated, among other things, that it was important to the successful prosecution of the war that patronage be abolished in the public service. Col. Currie asked the Government if it knew of any organization which was trying to "railroad" this bill. He declared that if he was a minister and an employee in the service wrote him such a letter he would suspend him immediately.

George B. Nicholson, Algoma East, said that in the circular the employees of the civil service were merely trying to represent their case to their employers, the people of Canada. They had a perfect right to organize and appeal as an organization, and any man who stood up and condemned them for so doing was assuming an autocratic altitude which could only end in downfall. This bill was for the purpose of taking the civil service out of politics and should be supported for this reason.

Col. Currie said that this federation published a paper which at time contained a torrent of abuse of the Government. It was a danger to the country when officials were allowed to organize and make raids on the treasury. In his opinion it was time the ministers put their foot down and suppressed it.

H. H. Stevens, Vancouver, asked why all employees of the Government should not be placed under the civil service act.

Civil and Public Service.

Mr. MacLean replied that the member would have to consider between civil and public service. He pointed out that there were a great number of war commissions employing a large number of people whose services would be dispensed with at the conclusion of hostilities.

Answering Mr. Currie, Mr. MacLean said he quite agreed with the principles enunciated by the member for North Simcoe. So far as the minister knew there had been no concentrated effort to defer the passage of the bill. Mr. MacLean said some scheme for reorganization for the outside and inside civil service was under consideration.

"Then the bill should be let over until the commission makes this report regarding the amalgamation," said J. G. Turriff, Assiniboia. "There is no time now to go into the bill, clause by clause," Mr. Turriff declared there was something in the circular referred to that he did not like. It was not right for the federation to say that the winning of the war depended on the passage of the bill in a manner suitable to them. He moved a resolution that a committee be appointed to consider the bill and make a report at the next session.

Deputy Speaker Boivin ruled the motion out of order.

"Is this bill a temporary or permanent measure?" asked Mr. Lemieux. "I wish the minister to reply yes or no."

Mr. MacLean stated that when the word temporary was used in regard to the bill he understood that the member concluded it would be subject to amendment.

U. S. TROOPS PARADE AT BRITISH CAPITAL

London, May 11.—Five trains loaded with American troops arrived in London this morning. They were marshaled at the Wellington Barracks for their march through the streets of London today. The troops will be reviewed by King George at Buckingham Palace.

BRITISH EAGLES WHIP FOE'S AIRMEN IN THRILLING CLASH

TWO BRITISH PLANES WHIP TWENTY HUNS

With the British Army in France, May 10.—One of the most daring and magnificent bits of work ever done by the British battle-planes was carried out this week, when two English machines fought twenty German scouts to a standstill, destroying eight of the enemy and forcing several others to abandon the conflict because they had been so badly shot up. The British machines returned safely from this extraordinary engagement, having abandoned their attack only when their ammnuition became exhausted at the end of a half hour of whirlwind fighting with machine guns.

The battle was staged last Tuesday evening, and these are the details of it, which now come to hand:

It was about sundown that two British battle-planes, each with a pilot and observer, went wheeling across this part of the front in search of prey. They were well back of the enemy's line when they sighted seven German planes flying in formation. The hardy Britishers did not even pause to consider the odds against them, but turned the noses of their machines toward the enemy and raced in for the attack.

Fighting Against Heavy Odds, Haig's Fliers Tumble the Boches to Earth and Rip Massed Ranks Behind Lines.

With the British Army in France, May 11.—(By the Associated Press).—There has been much air fighting during the past few days, and the British airmen have fully sustained the great reputation they established early in the war. Scores of battles might be recounted in which the British triumphed over greater numbers of the adversary. All of these stories vary only as to details.

Huns Turned Tail.

Several days ago near Ypres one British machine attacked five Germans single-handed. The Britisher engaged one of the enemy and fought him until he turned tail and fled. The English pilot then went after another German and pressed the attack so hard that the enemy was forced into a nose spin in an attempt to escape. The ruse was futile, however, for the Britisher followed him down, firing steadily into the helpless German machine with his machine gun until the latter finally turned on its back and fell plummet-like. Another British plane was attacked by six enemy machines which came at it from below and behind. The British observer opened fire at close range, riddling the leading German machine, which dived and then burst into flames. This finished the work of the British pilot who got away safely.

Bombers Busy.

But fighting planes are not the only ones that have been busy. The British bombing squadrons have been doing wonderful work destroying railroads, billets, ammunition dumps and bombing enemy troops and transports. Tons of high explosives have been dropped among masses of the enemy at night, causing heavy casualties. The British machines also have been employed constantly in attacking the infantry from low altitudes with machine guns and in many cases veritable slaughter has resulted.

The artillery planes also have been doing invaluable service directing the fire of British guns, and this represents one of the most important phases of the duties of the air corps, for the pilots are the eyes of the gunners.

Won Against Odds.

In addition to destroying eight of the twenty German airplanes which, as related yesterday were engaged so successfully on Tuesday by two British machines, the British aviators attacked seven German planes, two other enemy formations came [illegible] raising the total of German ma[illegible] to 20, but instead of retiring th[illegible]ish fighters pressed the attack.

Surrounded Charged.

In and out among the large enemy force these two planes, with their gallant little crews, swirled and charged, working their rapid-firers like mad. One of the Britishers got on the tail of a big German machine and riddled it with bullets. The enemy airplane hung quivering in the air for a moment and then, turning its nose toward the earth, crashed down with sheets of flame bursting from it. The seven other German machines were shot to pieces in rapid succession and took the final plunge, three of them leaving a wake of fire and black smoke to tell the terrible fate suffered by the men strapped in their seats. The five other enemy machines, forced to abandon the fight because of their crippled condition, were seen to dive away in the hope of reaching the ground safely.

Thirty minutes had sufficed for the two British machines to accomplish all this. Only seven of the twenty enemy planes remained in the air. The British had used up all their ammunition in the furious melee, however, and there was nothing to do but to withdraw, which they did in safety.

RUSSIANS DRIVE GERMAN FORCES OUT OF ROSTOV

Largest Don Cossack Town Recaptured From Germans and Ukrainians.

London, May 11.—The situation in Ukrainia has become so disturbed that the Germans have dispatched large detachments of Bavarian cavalry from Flanders on the way to Ukrainia, the correspondent at Amsterdam of the Exchange Telegraph Company reports.

London, May 11.—The Russians have recaptured Rostov from the Germans and Ukrainians, according to information received in Moscow, says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company.

The capture of Rostov, the largest town in the Don Cossacks territory, was reported in the official statement from Berlin on Thursday.

MUST SHOW TICKETS BEFORE BOARDING OF ANY RAILWAY TRAIN

Passengers Have To Do This After May 15.

IS WAR BOARD MEASURE

Object Is To Conserve Time of Officials in Charge of Transportation.

On and after Wednesday, May 15, passengers traveling on all trains in Canada will be required to purchase tickets at the ticket office and will be called upon to show their tickets before entering the train. The order has been received by local officials of the different railroads, this action having been decided upon some weeks ago by the Canadian Railway War Board.

The objects of the Canadian Railway War Board in issuing the order is to eliminate the possibility of passengers getting on wrong trains and to save the time of the conductors, who are frequently called upon to issue many train tickets because passengers neglect to purchase them at the ticket office.

Below are some of the clauses contained in the war board order:

In addition to having ticket offices open at regulations hours, and as frequently as their observations indicate to be necessary, agents will announce in a distinct and sufficiently loud voice, the following:

"Please purchase your tickets at office and have them ready to present when entering train."

At the larger stations where station-masters or station police are employed, they, instead of the agent, will make the announcement.

Conductors and other employees of trains, whose usual duty is to receive the passengers, while standing in their usual positions on station platform, will courteously request passengers to present their tickets before they attempt to entrain.

If passengers do not present tickets, courteously request them to procure them at the ticket office, and to enable them to do so, train is to be held a reasonable time, if necessary.

All vestibule doors and traps, except those used for receiving and discharging passengers, must be kept closed while train remains at stations.

When two or more cars in train are open for use by passengers, two or more vestibule doors must be open for the convenience of passengers.

If, after the foregoing efforts are made, a passenger should insist upon boarding a train, indicating a willingness to pay fare on board, no physical obstruction should be offered.

If passengers state they could not procure tickets at stations where ticket offices should be open, conductors will report to proper officer.

NEW BLACK ROD.

London, May 11—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency).—The black rod to replace the one used in the Canadian Senate, which was destroyed during the fire at the House of Parliament in Ottawa, has been completed and will be presented to Sir Robert Borden here as the gift of the United Kingdom branch of the Empire Parliamentary Association.

ROBERTS' SANITY QUESTIONED IN TORONTO COURTS

New Phase Enters Sensational Charges Against Man Arrested in London.

REMANDED TILL TUESDAY

Medical Evidence May Affect Sentence Ihposed for Shooting at Detective.

Sanity of "Jack" Roberts, gunman and jailbreaker, who was arrested here so sensationally, is being questioned in the Toronto courts. Late Friday afternoon Roberts appeared in criminal court before Judge Winchester at Toronto and was remanded for sentence until Tuesday next. The prisoner has been convicted of shooting with intent at Acting Detective Stewart, but the question of his sanity having been questioned, the man is to be examined before the judge disposes of the case.

Medical evidence, it is said, is to be introduced which may affect the sentence of the man whose criminal record is exceptionally long.

Roberts' local connection, aside from his arrest here, makes the case one of the greatest interest to Londoners. It was from the local county jail that he made his first sensational escape, and a Londoner, Walter Burridge, was arrested with Roberts in Toronto just before he made a get-away from Acting Detective Stewart by knocking him down with the butt of a revolver, and then firing at him. Burridge is now in Kingston Penitentiary undergoing a five years' term for burglary and arson, growing out of the robbery of the Northway store and its subsequent destruction by fire. Roberts was to have been taken to Ingersoll on June 10 to stand trial on the same counts. In view of the question which has arisen in the Toronto charge, the outcome of the Ingersoll charges is, of course, clouded.

NOT ENOUGH ROOM FOR MONSTER FARMER DRIVE ON COMMONS

Ottawa Has Problem of Where To Put Delegation.

Ottawa, May 11.—The arrival in the city of 2,000 farmers who are coming to protest to the Government against the M. S. A. will be a severe tax on the accommodation here. There are only a few hundred rooms available in which the men may be put up for the few nights they will be in town, and the question of what is to become of those who cannot find quarters is one of considerable difficulty.

The larger hotels in the city are filled up every day by the ordinary travelers, so that the farmers will have to rely on the vacant rooms in private houses, which, however, are not easy to find in a hurry. In view of the fact that the House is now in session, practically everything worth while is occupied by Parliamentary people.

LABATT WANTS PENSION CREDITED AS PAYMENT ON SALARY ACCOUNT

Hamilton, May 11.—In a letter to Hon. N. W. Rowell, Col. Labatt, whose case has been criticized in Parliament because he is paid a salary of $5,000 a year, besides drawing his full pension of $1,500, says, in part:

"In view of the reference to my case in the press and elsewhere, I feel, notwithstanding the regularity of the award, that I may be placed in a false light. I therefore desire that any pension allowed me shall be credited as a payment on account of my salary as a commissioner, to the end that in no event I shall receive from both sources more than the remuneration awarded me as a member of the board."

Should the committee decide that his continuation in office might encourage continued criticism or impair the efficiency of the pension board, the colonel asks that his letter be accepted as a formal resignation.

VENUE CHANGED. — In Masters' chambers at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, on Friday an order was made by J. A. C. Cameron, master, changing the venue of the Chapman vs. Excelsior Life action to London. C. M. Garvey for the plaintiff, moved for the change from Sarnia to London. R. S. Robertson appeared for the defendant company.

AMERICAN BATTERIES "FIRE" FOE POSITIONS

Villages Held by the Germans Are Heavily Bombarded by Sammies.

With the American Forces on the French Front, Friday, May 10.—American batteries bombarded the enemy lines heavily last night, the shells causing fires in the villages of Cantigny and Mesnil-St. Georges, held by the Germans.

German patrols continue active along the front. One attempted to rush American outposts but was driven off.

An American outpost caught a German trench dog. The pouch about the neck contained a message that the German retaliatory fire was falling short, and that many of their own shells were landing in Cantigny.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Ottawa, May 10.—Casualties:

Infantry.

Wounded—800497 Johnston, Cape Croker, Ont.; 757729 A. Carswell, North Hamilton; 21 M. Winters, Simcoe; 226017 F. J. Carson, Southampton, Ont.

Mounted Rifles.

Died—302713 George Riddle, Thorold, Ont.

Wounded—117425 Sergt. J. K. Moffatt, Brantford.

Machine Gun Company.

Wounded—835887 William Ackland, Windsor, Ont.

Engineers.

Ill—2276 F. F. Bolton, Elmira, Ont.

FIVE YEARS FOR 'FRISCO CHAMPION OF KAISER

San Francisco, Cal., May 11.—Otto Janson, son of the head of the Janson Iron Works of Oakland, was sentenced to five years' imprisonment at McNeil's Island, Washington, yesterday by Judge Dooling, following a plea of violation of the espionage act.

Janson was charged with having expressed the wish that every soldier sent to France might be drowned. Threats against high Government officials were also attributed to him.

"You Have Never Failed In Your Trust"

An unsolicited expression of approval, such as the one below, from a prominent London merchant, is the best evidence of satisfaction:

"It is now over three years since my father's estate came into your hands, and during that time you have never failed in your trust. I have been impressed with the great care shown by the Company in dealing with all matters whether large or small and my father's selection as his Executors, of the Canada Trust Company, has shown his sound judgment."

When you make your Will show your sound judgment by naming a Trust Company as your Executor instead of an individual.

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RUNAWAY TRAIN SMASHES THINGS NEAR HAMILTON

Freight Runs Wild Down Dundas Mountain and Hits Another.

SARNIA CREW IN CHARGE

Londoner on Train That Is Struck—16 Cars Burned 13 Wrecked.

HAMILTON, May 10.—Through failure of the air brakes to work, a Chicago-Montreal freight train of 50 cars on the Grand Trunk Railway ran away on the Dundas Mountain this afternoon, and rushing through Dundas at a terrific speed, crashed into the rear of a London-Toronto freight train of 22 cars, which was standing at the junction cut, a short distance west of this city on the main line.

The engine of the runaway freight plowed through eight cars of the standing train, and then mounted the wreckage. Fire broke out immediately, and the runaway engine and sixteen cars, with valuable freight, were burned and thirteen other cars were wrecked. No one was seriously hurt.

Engineer William Offield, Sarnia, of the runaway train, and his fireman, Bruce Ray, jumped when they saw that the collision was inevitable, and the engineer received a shaking-up and some cuts and bruises about the face.

Conductor F. Clark, Sarnia, was in charge of the train, and the crew of the other train were Conductor Kelly of London and Engineer J. Clark.

When Conductor Clark found that his airbrakes would not work he and his brakeman tried to stop the train with the handbrakes, but, though they worked desperately, they could not get it under control.

There were two tank cars of gasoline on the wrecked train. One was drawn to a place of safety. The other was punctured and the contents flowed out into the creek. The main line was blocked for several hours and trains had to be sent around via Caledonia.

All the trains coming to this district were affected by the wreck and arrived in London from two to three hours late as a result of having to make the trip around via Stratford. The International Limited, which usually arrives here early in the evening got in about 11 o'clock.

AMERICAN BATTERIES ASSIST FRENCH RAIDS

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, May 10.—(By the Associated Press.)—The American artillery participated, and the American infantry lent some assistance in a successful French raid in the Apremont forest, northwest of Toul, at dawn today. The American batteries, acting with the French artillery, in a heavy two-hours' bombardment, were showered with gas shells by the Germans.

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HALF SCORE MEN OF LONDON VOLUNTEER FOR C.E.F. ON FRIDAY

Local Showing at Mobilization Centre Improves.

Twenty volunteers reported for service at the local mobilization centre Friday. Half of these were Londoners. One volunteer signed up at Paisley, one at Sarnia and one at Columbus. The British-Canadian Recruiting Mission sent over three from Cleveland and four from Detroit.

Sixteen volunteers were placed in Category A2, one in B, and three were found unfit for service and placed in Category E.

Four defaulters under the military service act appeared before the medical board Friday and were sent to the W. O. R. for service.

The following is a list of Friday's volunteers: J. D. Lattrill, 64th Battery, Paisley; A. P. Reed, R. F. C., London; W. B. Willoughby, R. F. C., London; H. P. Dignan, R. F. C., London; J. C. Milligan, C. E., Sarnia; Chas. Clay, 63rd Battery, Detroit; J. N. E. Beever, W. O. R., Detroit; A. C. Mallon, C. E., Detroit; W. D. Mays, W. O. R., Detroit; J. V. McIsaac, 63rd Battery, London; Allan Reid, W. O. R., London; C. T. Salton, R. F. C., London; F. N. Wilkie, W. O. R., London; C. H. Wright, R. F. C., London; Alonzo Cook, R. F. C., London; J. C. Gray, R. F. C., London; F. M. Moore, W. O. R., Columbus; F. Humphrey, C. E., Cleveland; J. D. Robinson, S. A. C., Cleveland; Geo. Brown, C. E., Cleveland.

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS GIVE SUBSTANTIAL PURSE TO EFFICIENT PRESIDENT

Association Marks Efforts on Its Behalf by Chief Executive.

F. Dean Sharman, president of the London Division Railway Mail Clerks' Association, was presented last evening by his fellow members with a substantial purse in recognition of his capable and untiring services during the past few years to the organization, in the capacity of chief executive. Making the presentation during an enjoyable "at home" of the association held in the Alma Block, Capt. Allan Macdonald spoke eulogistically of the manner in which Mr. Sharman has devoted time and energy to making effective the organization, and promoting the interests and welfare of the members of the railway mail service in the division. As a result, London division has the best organized association in the whole of the Dominion, and is, indeed, in this respect, the envy of every other division in Canada. Mr. Sharman has several times represented his association at Dominion conferences and also on deputations waiting upon the Federal Government.

Expressing his deep appreciation of the mark of recognition on the part of the association, Mr. Sharman also thanked the members for their loyal support of his efforts, mentioning particularly the co-operation of the other officers.

The evening's program included several musical numbers of a high order, cards and dancing, for which music was provided by an excellent orchestra.

Several members of the association who have returned home after overseas service were present, while the organization is still well represented at the front. One of the members, Major Kenneth Murray, who had been with the Canadians in South Africa, was appointed to command the Canadian Postal Corps at the beginning of the war, going over with the first contingent.

REV. CLARENCE FARNEY INDUCTED AT CHESLEY

CHESLEY, May 10.—The induction of Rev. Clarence M. Farney as rector of the Anglican Church parish of Chesley and Sullivan was held in Holy Trinity Church, Chesley, in the presence of a large and representative congregation on Ascension Day evening, last night. Ven. Archdeacon Richardson officiated.

The service was conducted by Rev. W. J. Farr of Christ Church, Invermay, and the scripture lesson was read by Arnold Turner of Chesley. The keys of the church were handed to the newly-appointed rector by Messrs. John Armstrong and E. E. Foster of Holy Trinity, and Archie Pollock of Grace Church, Sullivan.

An address on the nature of the service and the obligations of pastor and people to each other was given by the archdeacon, and the sermon on the ascension of Christ into heaven as head of the church, was preached by Rev. W. J. Farr. Following the service a reception and supper, supplied by the ladies of the church, was given in the church basement.

DRINKING OIL MAY CAUSE BOY'S DEATH

ST. THOMAS, May 10.—Little hope is held for the recovery of the three-year-old son of Roy Ferguson, who resides near Orwell. The child drank a cup of oil which his father had been using to clean his auto with and was at once taken violently ill. The lad got the cup when his father was called away from the car for a few minutes.

ENTENTE IS TODAY UNITED MORALLY AS WELL AS SPIRITUALLY

Determination Grows, Says "U" Professor.

SPEAKS TO BACONIANS

34th Annual Banquet of Local Club Most Successfully Held.

"The more the Germans win, the stronger our case becomes. The greater our losses are, the more determination we will have to win. In the face of our losses on the field of battle and the distresses of the present campaign, we should recognize the fact that the more miles the Germans go, the more they will find the world is against them. The Entente is today for the first time a solid spiritual and moral unit."

The above was the statement of Professor Livingstone of the Western University staff, speaking at the thirty-fourth annual banquet of the Baconian Club, which took place at the Tecumseh House last night.

The banquet was largely attended and was most enthusiastic and enjoyable. President James Kirkwood presided. Speeches, readings, and vocal and instrumental musical numbers made a splendid program.

Professor Livingstone laid particular emphasis on the fact that Italy had now become an integral part of the allied powers. This fact had not been advertised as it should have been, he declared.

Had Slight Chances.

Looking back over the early stages of the war, he said, that under the original conditions, the Entente had slight chances of success in the war. Russia, the selfish and autocratic, had been allied with democratic France and Great Britain, and the Germans had made capital out of that fact. It was indeed hard for those who were pro-Allies in the United States to explain it away.

As the allied defeats had grown, the allied peoples had seen the inconsistencies of the Entente. The Russian revolution had swept from the Entente that autocratic blot.

The Allies had been unable to hold Russia with them after the revolution because it had been based on two ideas only, peace and bread, both of which the revolutionists wanted.

Kerensky Falls Down.

Kerensky had been unable to force a readjustment of the allied program, because Italy was winning at the time. When the Bolsheviki came in, the secret treaties of 1915 were published, showing that with an allied victory Europe would have been subjected to a territorial readjustment not much better than that of 1815.

The triumph of the Entente would have meant a land-grabbing peace which to the Russian was not easily distinguishable from the German aims. Hence the Russians would have none of it.

When the Italian defeat came it brought the realization that the Italian war program was impossible of attainment, and compelled the collapse of the idea of territorial extension by Italy.

The present danger in France had not only unified the allied command, but had meant the real understanding of the war aims of the Allies, namely peace on terms of international justice.

Although Italy's present aims included the creation of a Jugo-Slav state and the dismemberment of the Hapsburgs, it recognized small nationalities to the sacrifice of Italy's imperialistic ideals of territorial extension.

The many serious mistakes of the Allied diplomacy might have been avoided if the Allies had handed over their diplomacy to the Italians. They would have seen through the hypocracies with which the Anglo-Saxons had deluded themselves. They wouldn't have attacked Germany because Germany had attacked Belgium, but they would have attacked Germany because she was Germany.

It was a good thing that Italy had now given up her imperialistic idea—she would not now exploit Greece or bottle up Austria—but now she stood for a wider recognition of international justice. A point of contact had been found between Italy and the other Allies in their common dangers and defeats.

The toast to the Baconian Club was replied to by President James Kirkwood, who referred to the members of the club who had gone forth from London, carrying with them Baconian principles, ideals and cameraderie across the continent.

Vice-President John S. Barnard spoke in response to the toast to Francis of Verulam, who, he said, had taught people how to think. While he did not invent anything himself, Bacon was the father of inventors.

Professor Livingstone and Professor Fox, both of the Western staff, replied to the toast to "Our Guests," and Judge Judd, who was also expected, sent his regrets.

The Dark Ages were bright ages in vocational training and trade guilds, Professor Fox declared, when speaking on "Efficiency or Humanism." When humanism was on the throne, mechanical efficiency was developed to its highest degree, namely in the Roman and Grecian civilizations. In the Dark Ages, when mechanical efficiency was supreme, humanism was crowded out. Humanism came back in the Renaissance and co-operated with mechanical efficiency in the trade guilds.

Like the early colleges of that time, the universities of today were training for a vocation, but for a big vocation which recognized all other vocations.

Other toasts on the list were: "We Go-a-Fishin'," replied to by John J. Foote; "Daylight Savings," by John M. Gunn; "A Bonfire of Titles," by F. E. Perrin, and "Still Greater Production," by Watson H. Porter.

Excellent violin scolos were rendered by Roselle Pococke, and enjoyable songs by Fred Barr and E. S. Crawford. An amusing topical song by Rev. H. H. Bingham, and readings by Robert Hannah were also well received.

"I HAD RHEUMATISM BUT NOW I HAVEN'T"

Why Peter R. Shirman Recommends Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Manitoba Man Tells How His Troubles Vanished When He Used the Old Canadian Kidney Remedy, Dodd's Kidney Pills.

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FROST DAMAGE IN DISTRICT MAY RUN UP INTO THOUSANDS

Fruit Heaviest Loss, Says An Agricultural Expert.

FALL WHEAT TOO HARDY

Many Spring Freezings Have Toughened This Grain So It Was Unaffected.

Thousands of dollars' damage was done in this section by the severe frost of last night, it is estimated. While it is impossible to set the exact figure, it is generally conceded that the loss will run into the thousands.

R. A. Finn of the local branch of the department of agriculture says the loss will be principally to the fruit. Barley will be affected, but this will recover with fair weather conditions from this time on. Early plums, early cherries, and red and white currants are practically destroyed as far as this season's crop is concerned. Cabbage and tomato plants also suffered, but as it is early there are not many tomato plants set out yet. Any peach trees in this section will suffer also.

Farm crops generally have not been hurt, as the grains that are now up will stand a fair amount of frost. Mr. Finn says that the fall wheat has not suffered, as it has been frozen so often this spring that what is left is too hardy to be killed.

The effect of the frost will be lessened if the weather remains fairly cool for a couple of days, the farmers say. The shower of yesterday also protected the crops to a great extent. It is generally thought that the frost has not so much effect while there is a good deal of moisture in the air.

Strawberries, black currants, late cherries, and late plums, have not been affected, as the blossoms are not far enough advanced.

There was one-quarter inch of ice on standing water this morning.

The office occupied by R. A. Finn was subjected to a steam treatment this morning as a direct result of the low temperature. The steam in the building was turned on, and one of the valves in the radiator in his office had been left open. No one was in the office at the time, and before it was discovered the place was filled with steam. Practically no damage was done, however.

APPENDICITIS OPERATIONS NOT ALWAYS NECESSARY

Internal Bathing Relieves the Cause.

Your physician will tell you that Appendicitis is an inflamed condition of the little sack called the Appendix at the lower right-hand corner of the Colon or large intestine. By cleansing this Colon with purified warm water by the "J. B. L. Cascade," this sack is cleansed and inflammation subsides. Hundreds of operations have been avoided by using the warm water cure for Appendicitis. Mrs. James McLaughlin, 91 Evanston street, Winnipeg, writes:

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The wheels of Time have left their tracks on all about us, but your dear face has remained just the same.

The years roll on, Mother, dearest, that brings me nearer to you, but you have never seemed very far away.

What you said to us, and what you did for us, comes back and back to your children in the silent seasons of the night and the busy hours of the day—through sickness, through trial or through joy, we cannot pass without you. You are ever present in some form. A thousand times since you journeyed beyond, dear Mother, we have wished, if only mother were here to say the word or to do the thing. So this Mothers' Day, whether on the battlefields of Flanders or in other foreign lands, we will pin this little flower on our breasts in memory of the dearest one who ever lived —"Mother."

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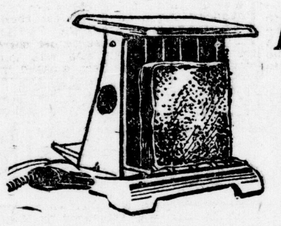
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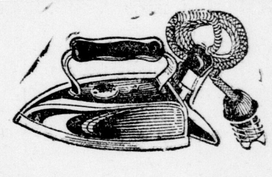
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WESTERN ONTARIO BRIEFS

SARNIA.—T. A. G. Gordon, manager of the Flax Company, has rented six acres of land on the Plank road just inside the city limits and will put it under crop. Work will commence shortly rebuilding the flax mill which was burned to the ground a few weeks ago. The new mill will be of concrete.

FERGUS.—Returns just completed by Assessor T. E. Mills gives the town a population of 1,593, and the total assessment at $744,700.

GLENCOE.—Oil delivered at the North Glencoe station is now selling at $3.27 per barrel, the highest price on record. The oil fields in Moss Township are being developed rapidly.

EXETER.—W. H. Westman, of the Chatham Malleable Iron Company, has purchased the Exeter Foundry for $4,000. Five years ago the town loaned the Exeter Manufacturing Company $10,000 and has only received back $1,000.

WALKERTON.—Miss Sadie Dean, who recently graduated from the Bruce County Hospital, is leaving for New York shortly, where she has taken a position as nurse in a big gas mask factory.

ST. MARYS.—At its meeting on Tuesday next, Stratford Presbytery will deal with a call which has just been received by Rev. George Miller of the First Presbyterian Church from St. Paul's Church at Brandon.

KIRKTON.—Word has been received of the death from pneumonia at Los Angeles, of Ewart Carr, son of Dr. Carr.

DURHAM.—At the regular meeting of the council a grant of $50 was passed to erect a bandstand on the town commons, just south of the town hall, with the idea of gradually fitting it up as a small town park, close in to the business centre.

CHATHAM.—The department of agriculture has stationed F. L. Ferguson here as an expert to assist farmers in drainage problems and surveys. He will take charge of this work for Middlesex, Lambton, Kent and Essex counties.

AMHERSTBURG.—Rev. W. A. Monteith, formerly of Chelsea Green Church, London, will be inducted as pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church here on Tuesday evening next.

BRANTFORD.—A contract for the erection of new buildings at a cost of $12,000 has been let here by the Monarch Tractor Company. Operations will be commenced in 90 days, and 140 men will be employed.

OWEN SOUND.—Orangemen from all over this district have decided to gather here on July 12 for the biggest celebration in the history of the county.

WINGHAM.—John P. Campbell, Victoria, while cranking an auto yesterday broke his right arm at the wrist.

MOUNT FOREST.—For the three-day campaign for the Y. M. C. A. overseas funds, citizens oversubscribed the amount allotted by $1,800.

PETROLEA.—Miss Rae L. Jones of Parkhill succeeds Miss McKellar, resigned, on the Petrolea high school staff.

Dispatch Rider Max Barrett of Tillsonburg, who has almost three years' war service, was captured twice during the recent big drive, but managed to get back to British headquarters each time. He has been recommended for the D. C. M.

Crops in the Lobo district are reported as having been wonderfully improved by the recent rains.

A. E. Ponsford has been elected president of the St. Thomas Board of Trade.

Joseph Janvinie, a Detroit Belgian, has asked the Chatham police to assist in the location of his wife and daughter who, he claims, ran away with Also Hegir.

Capt. A. E. McKeever, D. S. O., M. C., of Listowel, an aviator, who is credited with bringing down 35 German planes, was given a royal reception when he reached his home town.

Port Huron, since the bars closed there, has had only one drunk. Collections are reported as being better.

Little hopes for the recovery of the 3-year-old son of Roy Ferguson, near Orwell, are entertained. The boy drank a quantity of oil his father had been using to clean his auto.

Rev. Clarence Farney has been inducted as rector of the Anglican Parish of Chesley and Sullivan.

George Henderson, the Brussels man whose auto was overturned near Seaforth, died of the injuries received in the accident.

Sarnia is planning a big celebration on June 3, when the Duke of Devonshire and his suite pay the official visit to the Imperial City.

Brantford schools are so cramped for room additional public school and collegiate accommodation must be provided at once.

Many pupils of the Paisley continuation school are now working on farms in that district.

The strike of the Canadian Malleable Iron Company's employees at Owen Sound has been settled, an amicable arrangement having been effected between employees and employers.

Teddy Middleton, 15-year-old son of Walter Middleton, Rocky Saugeen, had both bones in his left leg broken when a team attached to a stoneboat ran away.

Brantford water rates have been advanced 25 per cent net.

RAIN HELPED CROPS IN LOBO TOWNSHIP

LOBO, May 10.—The crops are much improved by the rain which fell today.

A most successful concert was held in the Masonic Hall Friday evening under the auspices of the Ladies' Institute. Mr. Saunders of London gave a very interesting talk on "Birds." Miss Crawford and Mr. Homer Edwards delighted the audience with solos.

The institute intends holding concerts every two weeks. The money will be used for Red Cross work.

Harry Brock has returned to Camp Custer after spending a few days with his parents here.



DEPOT BATTALION COMMANDER TAKES GARRISON UNIT

Lieut.-Col. H. L. Milligan, D. S. O., Becomes Its O. C.

1ST W. O. R. MEN GO, TOO

Second in Command and Adjutant Transferred to the 1st Battalion, C. G. R.

Lieut.-Col. H. L. Milligan, D.S.O., O. C., of the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. R., has been appointed to command the 1st Battalion, Canadian Garrison Regiment, here. Four depot battalion officers will accompany him to the new unit.

Major E. B. Nelles, who has been in command of a company in the Depot Battalion, has been chosen for the position of second in command of the garrison battalion.

Capt. W. H. Lewis, adjutant of the Depot Battalion, will perform the same duties in the garrison battalion, and Lieuts. Joseph C. Frith and J. Cecil Carling, M.C., have been appointed to the garrison unit also.

INDUCTION OF NEW HAMILTON RD. PASTOR FIXED FOR MAY 21

Arrangements Completed for Services In Connection With Charge.

The induction of Rev. J. R. Laverie of Forest will take place at the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church Tuesday evening, May 21, at 8 o'clock. Rev. S. H. Eastman, the moderator of the presbytery, will preside. The sermon will be preached by Rev. H. E. Thornloe of St. Thomas. Rev. W. J. Knox of London will address the minister and Rev. D. McKay of Dorchester will address the congregation.

A reception for Rev. R. J. Laverie and Mrs. Laverie will be held in the church at 6 o'clock on Tuesday before the induction. The Willing Workers are taking charge of the reception arrangements, and a luncheon will be provided.

HURON DIOCESEAN MISSIONARY DRIVE CONTINUES SUNDAY

Deaneries of Elgin, Essex and Kent Scenes of Special Campaign. Tomorrow.

For some years past the month of May in the Diocese of Huron has been devoted to missionary propaganda and the stimulating of interest in missionary work and zeal for its support.

This year the services of three missionaries on furlough have been secured to assist in the campaign, Rev. W. H. Privett, Kiweiteh, Honan, China; Rev. S. F. Ford, Kangra, India, and Rev. S. Middleton of Blood Reserve, Fort McLeod, Alberta. The diocese, which has fourteen deaneries, is divided into four divisions. The first Sunday of May four deaneries were covered in the campaign, and tomorrow three, comprising Essex, Kent and Elgin, have special missionary services in the churches.

In addition to the sermons preached by the missionaries on furlough a general exchange of pulpits takes places in order to present the educational features of the work.

200 COUPLES DANCE

Nightingale Club Affair at Asylum Pretty and Successful.

One of the prettiest dances of the season was that held last night at the Asylum under the auspices of the Nightingale Red Cross Club, London East. Pennants and flags formed the decorations and the music was supplied by the Lombardo Bros.' Orchestra. Over 200 couples were present, and it is expected that the proceeds, to be devoted to soldiers' comforts at Wolseley Barracks, will be large.

REMANDED AGAIN

Thomas Youth's Counsel Tries to Secure Him Place in Army, Not Jail.

[illegible]by B. Scott, St. Thomas, convicted [illegible]olice court a week ago on a charge [illegible]tealing 14 pairs of shoes and two [illegible]cases from the People's Shoe Store, [illegible]remanded to jail again for another [illegible]k, when he appeared before Magis[illegible]e Graydon today for sentence.

[illegible]ott's counsel, J. M. McEvoy, asked [illegible]the remand in the hope that he [illegible]ld be able to induce the military [illegible]horities to take the prisoner into [illegible] army after sentence had been [illegible]ed.

[illegible]ott's record, submitted to the ma[illegible]rate, showed he had been convicted [illegible]our previous occasions and had [illegible]ed three terms, sentence being sus[illegible]ed in the first instance.

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CITY BREVITIES

Earle D. Simpson, formerly of Minneapolis, Minn., who enlisted in the Canadian Engineers, and is now training at St. Johns, Que., is visiting his sister, Mrs. R. A. Locker, 380 Adelaide street.

OFFICIATED AT INDUCTION.—Venerable Archdeacon Richardson officiated at the induction of Rev. C. M. Farney to the rectorate of Chesley and Sullivan.

STOLEN CAR RECOVERED.—The motor car belonging to W. L. Walker, 755 King street, and stolen at a late hour last night from in front of the custom house, was recovered by detectives at an early hour this morning.

AT RANGE WORK.—Members of the Western University contingent, Canadian Officers' Training Corps, are this afternoon getting practical musketry at the cove ranges. The musketry practice started at 2 o'clock.

RECEPTION TO RECTOR.—The congregation of St. James' Anglican Church, South London, will hold a reception next Friday evening in the school hall to welcome the new rector, Rev. W. Leslie Armitage and Mrs. Armitage.

THOUGHT CARS ON FIRE.—Scores of Londoners believed that the street cars were on fire yesterday by reason of the dense volume of black smoke pouring from the stovepipes. Soft coal was being used, and the cars were "smoking up" in great style.

TO TEST WATER PRESSURE.—Inspector C. N. Wilson of the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association, who has been inspecting the London fire department for several days, is expected to conduct a series of water pressure tests on the market square this evening.

ASSUMING NEW CHARGE.—Rev. A. S. H. Cree, who has recently been appointed rector of Parkhill and Greenway, assumes his new duties tomorrow. Mr. Cree is a graduate of Huron College, and was for a time curate in St. James' Church, South London.

PRAYER SERVICE SHORTENED.—The midday prayer services conducted by the Ministerial Alliance will be continued all next week in Cronyn Hall. The length of the service has been somewhat shortened, however. Next week all services will end promptly at 12:45. The services commence at 12:20.

SPECIAL INTERCESSION SERVICES.—At the Synod of Hamilton and London it was decided to set apart May 12 as a day of special prayer and intercession on behalf of the forces overseas. In accordance with this request, the services in the Presbyterian churches of the city will be of a special nature on Sunday.

SPECIAL MOTHERS' SERVICE.—A special mothers' service will be held in the First Methodist Church Sunday morning. Rev. Dr. Peever will preach on "Mothers' Day and My Duty," and Miss Laymon, returned from Boston, will sing. The aged have been invited to attend and all are to signalize the day by the appropriate flower.

SHOWER FOR BRIDE.—A pleasant surprise party was given on Thursday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dale at Glendale (formerly Miss Lavina Cook of Dashwood), when about twenty of her girl friends from the city gathered at her home and gave her a miscellaneous shower. The evening was spent in music and games, after which lunch was served.

JOINS TANK BATTALION. — A. D. McLean, local manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, has received word that his youngest son, Ronald G. McLean, has enlisted with the Tank Battalion at Ottawa. Ronald, who was teller in the Bank of Commerce here, was moved to the branch at Ottawa several weeks ago. A brother has already made the supreme sacrifice.

PREACHING AT ADELAIDE STREET.—Dr. Jas. M. Gray of Chicago, who is to speak tomorrow afternoon in the "Y" Auditorium on "Why Germany Cannot Win the War," will occupy the Adelaide Street Baptist Church pulpit in the evening. Dr. Gray's addresses on the prophetic scriptures in relation to present world condition are being widely read. Reginald Hudson will sing.

MOTHERS IN CHARGE.—The services in Empress Avenue Church will be of special interest tomorrow, in keeping with Mothers' Day. Mrs. (Rev.) Richardson will be in charge, assisted by Mrs. (Rev.) Lucas, and an address will be given by Mrs. (Rev.) Harrison. There will be a mother's chorus, mothers' quartet and grandmothers' quartet. The whole service will be entirely in charge of mothers.

LISTS STILL OPEN.—In connection with the patriotic fund drive, which was conducted recently, it is believed that there may be some citizens who were away when the canvassers called and who wish to donate something for the benefit of these, and any other citizens who wish to give something to aid this fund, donations will be received by the treasurer, A. D. McLean, at the Canadian Bank of Commerce.

B. C. PREACHER HERE.—Rev. S. J. Thompson, B.A., ex-president of British Columbia Conference, is the speaker for the Sunday at Askin Street Methodist Church. At 10 a.m. he addresses the Men's Brotherhood on the subject, "Does the Church Offer Men a Job Worth While?" The evening subject is "Mobilization of the Resources of Nation and Church." Rev. Dr. Dougall will be preaching anniversary sermons at Bothwell.

PREPARING FOR INDUCTION. — Preparations are being made at the Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church for the induction of the new minister, Rev. J. R. Laverie of Forest, a week from Tuesday. On Sunday Dr. McCrae will read the edict of induction, and will preach a special sermon in the evening appropriate to mothers' day. At the mothers' day service in the morning Mrs. (Dr.) Hughes will give an address.

HOLDING TULIP SHOW.—Beginning on Wednesday, May 15, the London Horticultural Society is holding a premium tulip show, which will continue for three days. It is a friendly competition among members held to determine who has grown the best blooms from premiums given last fall. A beautiful display of flowers is assured. Other exhibitions are planned for this season, including the spring flower show early in June.

MAY TRY OUT P. A. Y. E.—Toronto expects to again see the Pay-as-You-Enter type of street cars, which are now generally in use here. The Toronto Street Railway has applied for the needed permission. The women conductorettes of Toronto will work on these cars, the doors of which will be operated by compressed air. The signal will be given to the motorman, by a small light, which will become illuminated as soon as the doors are closed.

CHANGES IN MILITARY STAFF.—The employment of Nursing Sisters Annie McGugan, Ruth Meek and Grace Ethyl Wilmington-Ingram, of the Army Medical Corps, in the Military Hospital, Carling Heights Camp, is authorized in camp orders. Lieut. John A. Wallace of the 58th Battalion, has been appointed to command the Details Company of District Depot No. 1. Major C. E. Livingstone, attached 1st Depot Battalion, W.O.R., having completed conducting duties, returned to Canada, and will cease to be "on command" from April 24, 1918.

FIRST SUNDAY BAND CONCERT.—The first band concert of the season will be held in Victoria Park Sunday night under the auspices of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E. The W. O. R. Band will furnish the program. If the weather is raining the concert will be held in the armories. Proceeds will be devoted to patriotic purposes. The following program will be rendered by the band: March from Faust (Berlioz); overture (Amber); fantasia, "Albion" (Bactens); solo, "The Lost Chord" (Sullivan); Benedictus (Mozart); waltz, "Moonlight on the Hudson; medley, "In Coonland (Bidgood); God Save the King.

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GLASS SAYS AGE LIMIT SHOULD BE LEFT AS BEFORE

E. Middlesex Member Writes That 19, Under Draft Call, Too Young.

S. F. Glass, M. P., has replied as follows to a letter of "A War Worker" forwarded to him from the London Local Council of Women, objecting to the calling to the colors of young men of 19 years of age:

House of Commons, Ottawa,
May 7, 1918.

Mrs. Harriet Boomer, 393 William street, London, Ont.:

My Dear Mrs. Boomer,—I am just this morning in receipt of your letter of yesterday and can fully appreciate the anxiety caused mothers in calling to the colors young men of 19 years of age. I remember the discussion that the principle of enlisting men even at which time I think I likewise received a similar request from you. I opposed the prinicple of enlisting men even at 20, believing that 21 years of age was young enough to place the limit. It seems, however, that experience has shown in the armies of the world that young men, even at the age of 18, have more physical endurance than those who are older. Of course, it even happens that some lads are really not developed even at 20, but the need of men is very insistent, and so far our Canadian army have taken good care of the younger lads, and while they have been allowed to enlist early they have been kept in subsidiary work and training until, in the judgment of the war department they have reached the age when their physical development justified sending them to the front.

I regret to say that the problems the Government have to deal with are so difficult and so over-powering that I can give little encouragement to the idea that any representations to the Government now would change their attitude on this question. However, I will draw it to the attention of the Government, and in doing so fully concur in the idea that the limit might better have been left where it was, at 20.

Yours very sincerely,
(Sgd.) S. F. GLASS.

FARMERS FAIL TO APPLY FOR HELP, CIRCULAR'S PLAINT

Bank Managers Are Asked to Stimulate Requests.

FEW TRACTOR ORDERS IN

Representative Believes the Would-Be Users Unaware of Condition.

In connection with the food production campaign a circular letter has been issued by Albert H. Abbott, secretary of the organization of resources committee, to bank managers, urging them to use their influence with farmers to get them to send in their applications for help immediately. A copy of the letter has been sent to R. A. Finn, the district representative of the Ontario department of agriculture.

While it is a fact that the farmers are not applying for help, it is not because there is no need of it, say those who know. The farmers, they say, realize the uselessness of sending in for labor when there is no competent farm labor to be had.

Circular letters have also been sent by Mr. Abbott to teachers and inspectors of all schools, urging them to get the children interested in backyard gardens.

R. A. Finn declares that the Government tractors have only a little work ahead for the same reason, namely, that the farmers think there is no use making application for them on the supposition that there will be so many applications in ahead. There are four tractors working now in the district, and one other is ready to be sent out. There has been a great difficulty in securing repairs for them, and for that reason they have not been as efficient as they otherwise would have been.

The returned soldiers, who have been driving them, have made good, however.

The rain of Thursday night and Friday meant much to the country, says Mr. Finn. Farmers have been complaining of the drouth and these showers, while not heavy, will tide the country over for another week. The frost of last night interfered somewhat with the beneficial results of the rain.

S. Duncan, agricultural representative supervisor for Ontario, has requested a list of the men in the employ of the local branch of the Ontario department of agriculture who come within the limits of the M. S. A. There are none, however, who will be affected by the present call.

Mr. Finn would not commit himself on the effect of the new order-in-council on the matter of food production.

Many applications are being sent through Mr. Finn's office to R. W. Wade, secretary of the Ontario Sheep Breeders' Association, for the sale of the season's supply of wool by the farmers. Last year was the first time that this plan of selling was tried by the sheep breeders of this section, and they apparently were satisfied with the results, as fully three times as many are adopting the plan this year.

1ST BATTALION MAN GOES TO DEPOT NO. 1

Lieut. Edward Hessel Transferred Through W. O. R. to District Organization.

Lieut. Edward C. Hessell of the 1st Battalion has been appointed to the 1st Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, and has been struck off the strength of District Depot No. 1, camp orders announce.

Lieut. Frederick T. Bryans has been promoted to the rank of captain in A. M. C. Training Depot No. 1.

The undermentioned officers are taken on the strength of the C. E. F. in Canada, having been returned from overseas for disposal by the adjutant-general, as under, and are posted to No. 1 District Depot, with effect from 24th of April, 1918: Major M. T. Sinclair, W. O. R. (surplus); Capt. E. T. Hughes, C. O. C. (surplus); Capt. E. H. Young, C. A. M. C. (duty).

Lieut. John Freele Meek, late No. 1 Special Service Company, is struck off the strength of the C. E. F., with effect from 30th of April, 1918, on appointment to the R. A. F.

FISH DINNERS ORDERED!

Soldiers Will Have Charge of Diet, So Camp Orders Announce.

Fish must appear on the menus at local camps at least once a week (on Friday), and in camp orders units are requested to arrange for an issue of fish on one other day each week.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

DIED.

FONTANA.—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday, May 11, 1918, Catarina, beloved wife of Joseph Fontana, in her 44th year.

Funeral from the family residence, 66 King street, on Tuesday morning, at 8:30. Requiem high mass St. Peter's Cathedral 9 o clock. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery. *81u

LOST.—A SMALL GOLD ARTILLERY pin. Valued as a keepsake. Return to this office and receive reward. *81c

HAPPY HOSPITAL CHUMS



Advertiser Illustrations

This picture, sent home by Pte. Albert Johnston of Dorchester Station, standing at the left, is a typical group of patients in an English hospital, showing the happy, well cared for look of the Canadians who are undergoing treatment. Pte. Johnston went overseas with the 168th (Oxford) Battalion. His wife and six small children live at Dorchester Station.

ALL MOTHERS' DAY RECORDS BROKEN IN LONDON BY RUSH FOR APPROPRIATE FLOWERS

Florists Are Swamped by Orders of Those Who Desire To Express Appreciation of Mothers' Love by "Flowers Gay" or "Flowers White."

"Flowers gay to brighten the day
If mother still is here;
If she is gone, use flowers white,
To keep her memory clear."

Flowers gay and flowers white have been ordered in such quantities to do honor to "Mother's Day" tomorrow that the local florists have been almost swamped with trade.

Moreover, never since mothers' day was observed here for the first time, some ten years ago, has there been such a rush of orders to "telegraph flowers to mother." One florist states that he and his staff have been kept busy all morning telegraphing orders to all parts of the North American continent for people who want to "say with flowers" their love for mother.

The daughter of the aching heart, the Philadelphia woman who less than a dozen years ago started the "Mothers' Day" movement because of her sorrow for her own mother who was gone, would probably have been amazed if it could have been prophesied at the time that the celebration would become so far reaching and that modern methods of annihilating space would be resorted to to such an extent in its observance.

Tomorrow, mothers in Seattle, in Vancouver, in Florida, in California, in Montreal and Quebec will feel their hearts glow with happiness as they look at the fragrant flowers "telegraphed" to them from London town, county of Middlesex, province of Ontario, Dominion of Canada, from loving sons and daughters. Similarly, mothers' hearts in London are to be made glad by boxes of flowers delivered at the home address and ordered by telegraph from points hundreds and even thousands of miles away.

Reference to Mothers' Day will be made in the church services tomorrow, and in many cases, whole services are to be devoted to its fitting celebration.

The decoration of mothers who have lost their sons in the war will mark the evening service in the Memorial Methodist Church, at which an address will be given by Mrs. Gordon Wright.

Several mothers will also be decorated at a service to be held in the auditorium of the new kinsmen headquarters, Ridout street, on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

NOT WANTED IN ARMY, BICYCLE THIEF GOES TO REFORMATORY CELL

Marvin Breaton, a soldier whose home is at Dresden, was sentenced by Magistrate Graydon this morning to a term of not less than three months nor more than two years in the Ontario Reformatory.

Breaton pleaded guilty in police court a week ago to stealing a bicycle from in front of the Dominion Savings Building.

Capt. McAuley, representing the military authorities, stated to the court that Breaton had been found guilty of illegally absenting himself from his unit the day before its departure overseas. On behalf of the army authorities, Capt. McAuley stated there was no desire to have Breaton again returned to the militia.

Breaton offered no explanation for the theft, but said he had illegally absented himself to finish up some business at his home.

BUILDING KEEPS UP

The London Railway Commission will double the size of its ticket office at the L. and P. S. R. station. The present structure is about 10x10, and it is proposed to erect a 10x14 addition. It will be of brick and will cost $200. It is understood that the M. C. R. will use a part of it as a depot ticket office.

W. J. Ashplant was one of ten other citizens who applied for building permits today. He will erect a $500 garage at 627 Wellington street. The other permits issued were small and bring the total permits for the month to 35, with a value of $17,480.

WANTS FIVE-ACRE PLOT

Ald. L. S. Holmes, who has charge of the vacant lot gardening in Ward One, is looking for a five-acre plot of land for the employees of the Prudential Insurance Company. These workers have decided to band together to raise a crop, and are now seeking a suitable site.

PAISLEY PUPILS ARE OFF TO THE FARMS

PAISLEY, May 9.—The educational department accepted the recommendation of the teachers of Paisley continuation school, based on its special Easter examination, for entrance to Normal of the following pupils: Meryl Bell, Harold Collins, Gladys McCallum, Winnifred Mcgraw, Wallace Tanner, Jessie Young. The boys and girls will spend the next three months on farms.

STILL SOME LOTS LEFT.—There are still some garden plots available for citizens of Ward III. Ald F. R. Watkinson reports. The allocations will be completed next week, however, and any person wishing to obtain a lot should make an early application.

AIDS RELIEF FUND.—Ed. Lance, secretary of the local branch of the Soldiers' Aid Commission, has received a $10 subscription for the relief fund from Mrs. M. Beatty, secretary of the Women's Patriotic League at Florence, Ont. This money will be used for relief work among returned soldiers and their families.

BEEKEEPERS' MEETING. — The semi-annual business meeting of the Middlesex Beekeepers' Association was held in the County Buildings this afternoon. A large number of beekeepers from all parts of Middlesex attended the meeting. James Armstrong was the speaker, his subject being "Control of Foul Brood." G. J. Porte, president of the association, presided at the meeting.

WILL DECORATE MOTHERS. — The Associated Kin will decorate a number of mothers of those who have paid the supreme sacrifice in defence of the empire at a special service in Kinsman Hall, 420 Ridout street, tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The program will be an interesting one, including an address to mothers by a mother in sacrifice. An address will be given by a returned soldier and Mrs. Carl Zeigler of London, England, will sing.

A. E. Ponsford Is New President of Board of Trade

Prospects Are Bright for the Future in St. Thomas.

ST. THOMAS, May 10.—A. E. Ponsford was elected president of the local board of trade at a well-attended meeting held this evening. Other officers are vice-president, A. J. Montgomery, vice-president of the Pere Marquette; secretary-treasurer, C. S. Butler; council, Mayor Horton, W. G. Rogers, W. G. Whitesides, A. E. Metcalfe, G. A. Ingram, E. A. Smith and W. A. McIntyre.

E. A. Smith, who retires as president, in his address spoke most optimistically regarding the future of the city.

A statement presented by the treasurer showed $407.79 on hand for the current account, and $889.10 for the special account.

ST. THOMAS FIRM IS SUED FOR $10,000

ST. THOMAS, May 9.—Claiming that a shipment of fish consigned to the local firm was not kept in cold storage nor properly looked after, and spoiled, the C. C. Robins Company, of Chicago, is suing the St. Thomas Packing Company for $10,000. The packing company is making a counter claim for all costs in the action, on the ground that the amount asked by the Chicago firm is unreasonable.

BIG COAL CARRIER MAKING FAST TIME

OWEN SOUND, May 10.—The big self-unloading coal carrier Wyandotte arrived in shortly after 6 o'clock last night with her cargo of twenty-eight hundred tons of steam coal. One thousand tons was for the John Harrison & Sons Co., thirteen hundred tons for the Davis-Smith-Malone Co. and the balance for A. J. Creighton. Expeditious work was made in getting the cargo unloaded and the steamer cleared during the night for Alpena, Mich. She is the first boat from the Lower Lakes to arrive here this spring.

MORE ROOM NEEDED IN BRANTFORD SCHOOLS

BRANTFORD, May 10.—The board of education is faced here with serious congestion at the collegiate institute, and a special committee has been appointed to plan either for an extension or a new collegiate. Permission has been given by the board for the use of all the schools for national registration in June. The teachers are volunteering to work as assistants on that day.

CHAS. RUBY SUCCEEDS LATE GEO. WEGENAST

WATERLOO, May 10.—The directors of the Mutual Life Assurance Company have appointed Charles Ruby as general manager of the company to succeed the late general manager, George Wegenast. The new appointee has been connected with the company for thirty-four years, and has been secretary since 1907.

WANT LOAVES STANDARDIZED.

BRANTFORD, May 10.—The Brantford Equal Franchise Club has sent a memorial to the Dominion Government for the standardization of the brown loaf, to palatable and nutritious, in view of the fact that more white than brown bread is at present being used.

REPRESENTATION OF DISTRICT AT FRONT REDUCED

Three Battalions Only in France Supplied From W. O. R. Depot Here.

ENGLISH DEPOTS CUT

25th Reserve Dropped, Leaving Only 4th for Western Ontario.

Apparently on account of the lack of reinforcements, sweeping changes have been made in the organization of the Western Ontario units at the front and in England. Similar changes have taken place in the organization of units representing other sections of Canada.

Western Ontario is now represented by the 1st, 18th and 47th Battalions in France. In other words instead of five battalions there, there are now three supplied by Western Ontario, which formerly was represented by the 1st, 18th, 160th, 161st and 2nd Pioneers. The 160th and the 161st have been united in the 47th, and the 2nd Pioneers have in all probability been disestablished, and the men drafted into construction units.

In England, instead of the 4th and 25th Reserve Battalions, the Western Ontario Regiment now has only the 4th Reserve Battalion there.

The result will be that the Western Ontario Regiment has only three battalions at the front, instead of five, to supply with men, and one reserve battalion in England instead of two.

LIMIT EXPIRING WITHOUT THIRD MEMBER NAMED

Today Is Last Day the Street Railway Conciliator Can Be Named by Board.

The time for naming the third conciliator to deal with the London street railway employees' wage demands expires today. So far the chairman has not been named.

Charles Ferguson, the men's representative, and Mr. McGuigan, the company's representative, have been in touch with one another, but so far have not reached an agreement on the third man. It is possible they may do so before the day passes, otherwise the case will go to the minister of labor at Ottawa, and he will then name the third man. The time limit for parties to agree upon a chairman is five days after the authorization of a conciliation or arbitration board.

VETERANS TO HEAR OF HUNGER STRIKE OF BYRON PATIENTS

Echoes of Recent Sanatorium Incident To Be Aired.

G. W. V. A. INVESTIGATE

Report of Special Committee Expected To Be Given at Tuesday Meeting.

Echoes of the recent so-called "hunger strike" of military patients at the Byron Sanatorium will, it is expected, be heard at the meeting of the Great War Veterans' Association on Tuesday night. The charges have been investigated, and a report will be presented by the special committee which went to the sanatorium, on behalf of the G. W. V. A., following the declaration of the strike.

The trouble, it is claimed by the patients, was started when the waiters in the mess halls were abolished and a self-serve cafeteria system installed. Considerable objection followed, and many of the patients refused to eat at the sanatorium, coming downtown to city restaurants to secure all meals.

In connection with the men's determination to eat downtown rather than in the cafeteria at the sanatorium, an amusing story is being told. It is said that orders were issued to the military police to send back the patients, on their arrival in London, because they were absent from the grounds without the necessary passes. Someone "tipped" off the Byron contingent as to what was in store for them in London, and many of them managed to evade the military policemen by the simple expedient of hiding in bushes and coming into the city by circuitous routes.

UNABLE TO SWEAR THAT MILK SAMPLES CAME FROM ACCUSED

Witnesses in the Below-Grade Cases Hesitant—Judgment Reserved.

Judgment was reserved by Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon today in the cases of twelve milk producers charged with a violation of a city bylaw which makes it an offence to sell milk showing a percentage of butterfat below 3.25.

The men summoned were W. H. Beattie, Alonzo Scott, Walter Ingles, James Drake, Gordon Nichol, J. Thorton, John Anderson, H. G. Nichol, William Thompson, Frank Quait, Milford Mayne and William Griffiths.

Albert Barnes of the City Creamery; J. Berry and D. Ross, London Pure Milk Company, and M. H. Kerr, Silverwoods, Limited, testified that they had supplied samples of milk to Dr. C. S. Tamlin, inspector for the London Board of Health. These samples each believed to be from the milk brought to the factories by the defendants specified, but on this point none would swear positively, as they said there was a possibility of getting the supplies mixed.

A. J. Slack, chief of the chemistry department at the Institute of Public Health, submitted figures showing the percentage of butterfat contained in the milk samples he had been instructed to analyze. The tests showed the milk ranged in percentage from 2.85 to 3.20.

PREPARING ADDRESS.—Mayor C. R. Somerville and City Clerk S. Baker are busy drafting the address which will be presented to the Duke and Duchess of Devonshire when the governor-general and suite come to London early in June. It will be illuminated, and presented in book form.

Nerves All Unstrung?

An overworked, nervous system gives rise to such symptoms as headache, irritability, mental depression, sleeplessness, sudden fits of temper, inability to think clearly, loss of memory, and continued melancholy.

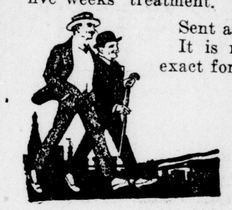
Weakened nerves have less than the natural amount of phosphorus. To strengthen them phosphorus must be supplied. Phosphorus is as important to the nerves as iron to the blood.

Phosphorus (as phosphates) and iron are the chief ingredients of

Penslar TRADE NAME DYNAMIC TONIC

(called "dynamic" because it creates energy.) This vitalizing remedy strengthens the nervous system by feeding the starving nerves with phosphates—it enriches the blood with iron—sharpens the appetite and thus builds up the body and fills you with surprising energy, power and endurance.

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JEWELRY TAX WILL NOT BEAR NOW AS HEAVILY ON TRADE

Interpretations Placed On Order Satisfy Local Jewelers.

According to local jewelers, the war tax which has been recently imposed on jewelry is not nearly so serious as at first appeared, owing to the fact that the interpretation given is only applicable to "jewelry for personal adornment," and does not touch watches, clocks, table silverware and such articles of utility. In the second place, the excise tax of 10 per cent on jewelry now held in stock is to be made applicable only to stocks purchased since October 1, 1917, according to an amendment to this effect to the original act decided upon by the acting minister of finance, Hon. A. K. McLean.

The original resolution provided that the tax be paid on all stocks remaining on hand before May 1, no matter when purchased.

"If it is the case that the tax only affects jewelry purchased since October 1, that will not amount to anything serious," said a prominent Dundas street jeweler today. "In view of the fact that jewelers carry over a considerable amount of their stock from year to year."

LARGEST DRAFT OF ENGINEERS' DEPOT LEAVES FOR EAST

75 Men Entrain for Brockville Training Camp.

The largest draft ever sent away by the Service Company, Canadian Engineers, left last night when 75 men marched from Carling Heights Camp and entrained about 7 o'clock at the G. T. R. station for their trip to Brockville.

The men were led by the band of the First Depot Battalion, W. O. Regiment, and were in charge of Capt. R. Garrett, who accompanied them as conducting officer.

The men will train at Brockville for their work overseas. What was formerly the Forestry Train Depot there has, since the departure of the Forestry Corps, been changed into a training depot for the engineers.

SETTLEMENT STILL HANGING FIRE OVER EAST POSTOFFICE

Merchants Not Grabbing at Government's Small Offer.

The case of an east end postoffice has not yet been settled. The postoffice department has taken the question up with different merchants in the east end since the strenuous objections following the branch office's closing there, but so far has failed to get a merchant to agree to take the office over because of the small remuneration offered. It is understood that the latest offer has been made to the Taylor Drug Company, but so far it has not accepted it.

BONDS SOLD WELL.

PAISLEY, May 9.—The Bruce municipal telephone system sold recently $8,600 worth of bonds to Messrs. James McEwen and Murdock McNeill, farmers. The price obtained was in excess of any offers made by brokers.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.
[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]

	Asked.	Bid.	Toronto, May 11.	Asked.	Bid.
Am Cy..	34	30	La Rose..	47	42
Ames, c.	22¼	21	M Leaf..	99	97½
do pfd.	58¼	56¾	do pfd.	94	92
Barcel...	10	9½	Monarch	40	39
Brazilian	35½	35	do pfd.	80	..
B C Fish	48	46	N St Car	10	8
Burt, c. ..		65½	do pfd.	37	32
do pfd.	88	85	Nipis'g.	890	870
C Bread.	18½	18¼	NSSteel.	65	..
C Car...	30½	29½	P Burt..	34	..
do pfd.	77	76	do pfd.	77¼	..
Cement.	60¾	60¼	Penmans	75	73¼
C S L...	40¼	39¾	Petrol	1375	1325
do pfd.	76½	76¼	P Paper.	55	..
CGElec.	103½	101½	Riordon	122	118
C Loco..	59	58	Russell.	..	65
do pfd.	..	82¾	do pfd.	74	73
C P R...	150	145	Sawyer..	15	..
C Dairy.	..	31	do pfd.	40	..
do pfd.	..	75	Spanish.	16	..
ConLife	375	..	do pfd.	53	51
Coniag.	310	290	St Ch, p.	57	..
C Smelt.	25	24⅜	Stl Can..	64½	64
Con Gas.	144½	..	do pfd.	91	90
Canners.	30	28	T Paper..	..	70
Dome ..	740	700	Tor Ry..	58	..
D Steel..	62½	62	Tre'wey.	17	10
Duluth..	41	..	Tucketts	19	..
Mackay.	76½	75½	Tw City.	..	42½
do pfd.	65	64	Win Ry.	48	..

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to fill your system with drugged pills or syrups to overcome a cold or cough, when Scott's Emulsion will root out the cold and overcome the weakness.

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PUBLIC RESPONDS WELL TO APPEAL OF GREAT WAR VETERANS

Tag Day Canvass Today Finds People Sympathetic.

A sympathetic response is being made by the public to the appeal for the returned heroes, which is being made in the C. E. F. Returned Soldiers' Chapter, I. O. D. E., tag day in progress today. Half of the funds go to the Great War Veterans' Association and half to the work of the chapter on behalf of the soldiers and their families. A large number of returned men are out with boxes, including about a dozen from the sanatorium, and no one can refuse to take a tag from a man in khaki who has risked his life in service of his country. Members of the chapter are all up to the eyes in tag day activities, and a number of children of soldiers have been enlisted to help.

At noon the C. E. F. Chapter sent a tempting lunch over to the G. W. V. A headquarters for the returned men who are assisting. Counting has not started yet, but it is expected a substantial amount will be realized. Some of the returned men brought in their boxes filled three or four times during the forenoon.

Mrs. W. M. Coles, regent, and Mrs. Archie Becher, vice-regent, are directing tag day operations.

NO SITTING TODAY.—There was no sitting of the weekly high court today, no cases having been listed for trial.

No Girl Need Have a Blotched Face

Whether it be in capturing the heart of man, or making her way through the world by the toil of her hands, a charming and pretty face gives any girl a big advantage. Poor complexion and rough, sallow skin are caused by blood disorders. The cure is simple. Just use Dr. Hamilton's Pills—a reliable family remedy that has for years been the foremost blood remedy in America. That soft glow will return to the cheeks, the eyes will brighten, appetite will improve, strength and endurance will come because sound health has been established. Get a 25-cent box of Dr. Hamilton's Pills today. Sold everywhere.



Personality Counts in the Air

WAR in the air as it is waged to-day recalls the olden times, when knights rode forth to battle and won honor and glory by their deeds of personal heroism.

The life of an aviator is full of romance, action, adventure, opportunities for glorious achievement, everything that could stir the imagination of a valorous young man.

Men with nerve, courage and sound physique, are needed to maintain the supremacy of the air. There are hundreds of Canadians now training for Commissions in the service.

Young men in good health, and of fair education, are invited to enroll as cadets. While training they receive $1.10 per day.

Men who come within the provisions of the M.S.A. are eligible only after having joined their Depot Battalion, when they may, with the consent of their Commanding Officer, be discharged for re-enlistment in the R.F.C.

Write for Booklet, "Air Heroes in the Making," and apply directly to one of the following addresses:

Imperial Royal Flying Corps

Recruiting Office: 93 King Street E., Toronto.
Capt. W. S. Smith, 402½ Richmond St., London.

JEWISH RECRUITS FOR PALESTINE



Advertiser Illustrations.

Jewish recruits for the British army being sworn in at the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission in New York City.

OLD AND NEW MEMBERS OF THE COMMONS



Advertiser Illustrations.

Right to Left.—George Parent, Quebec City, Quebec; Edmond Proulx, Prescott, Ont.; Joseph A. C. Ethier, Lavaltwo Mountains, Que.; Paul A. Sequin, L'Assomtion-Montcalm, Que. Photographed at Ottawa.

MONTREAL IS BEHIND IN CAMPAIGN FUND FOR OVERSEAS "Y"

Friction Between Overseas Chaplains and Y.M.C.A.

THERE ARE INSINUATIONS

Col. Canon Almond Charges Red Triangle is Money-Making Concern.

MONTREAL, May 10.—For the first time in the history of the city's many money-raising campaigns, one has fallen short of the goal desired. The failure is the local Y.M.C.A. campaign. There is, accordingly, great indignation among the Y.M.C.A. campaign workers, indignation among the executive of the association, and indignation among the majority of the city clergy.

These compose the one indignation party, and the other side is the Overseas Chaplains' Service, of which Col. (Rev.) Canon Almond, returned recently from the front, is director.

Three meetings were held just before the Y.M.C.A. campaign was launched. These meetings were secret sessions of local clergymen. No news was supposed to leak out, except the one resolution passed commending the work of the Y.M.C.A.

At the first of these meetings both Dr. John McNeil of Toronto and Col. Almond spoke, presenting, it is understood, diverse views on many points. Col. Almond claims that all religious work should be in the hands of the chaplains' service, and that the Y.M.C.A. should confine itself to social work—"giving away tea, cigarettes and chewing gum," as one distinguished city clergyman put it.

Col. Almond Makes Charges.

It is said that at a meeting Col. Almond practically charged the Y.M.C.A. with cupidity, intimating that in selling in their canteens, and in the distribution of coffee, etc., they were undoubtedly a money-making institution. This seems also to be the view of some returned soldiers.

As one of them said today: "The Y.M.C.A. has opened their triangle hat on Dominion Square, and received large donations from the public, yet they ask five cents more for three meals and a bed than the soldier receives a day."

When this circumstance was mentioned to one of the leading Y.M.C.A. workers, his reply was that it was a new movement, and it was expected that the charge for a bed would be reduced to 25 cents.

Chaplains Pick Clergymen.

Since his return to Canada, it is alleged, the director of chaplains' services has secured authority from the militia department at Ottawa to decide what clergyman shall or shall not go overseas.

It is stated in the local press that Col. Almond objected to a number of clergymen going to France at the invitation of the Y.M.C.A.

"The fact is that the chaplains' services are parade services, which the men have to attend," said a local clergyman, interviewed this morning. "The Y.M.C.A. services, on the other hand, are voluntary, and for reasons better left unspoken, the men prefer them."

The Y.M.C.A. campaign committee attempted to raise $425,000 for overseas work and $40,000 for local work from Montreal. It secured $429,000.

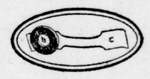
A strong committee is understood to be in process of formation for the purpose of thoroughly preparing the Y.M.C.A. viewpoint.



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Stops Pain Instantly Ends Corns Completely

25c Packages at Druggists



How Blue-jay Acts

A is a thin, soft pad which stops the pain by relieving the pressure.

B is the B&B wax, which gently undermines the corn. Usually it takes only 48 hours to end the corn completely.

C is rubber adhesive which sticks without wetting. It wraps around the toe, and makes the plaster snug and comfortable.

Blue-jay is applied in a jiffy. After that, one doesn't feel the corn. The action is gentle, and applied to the corn alone. So the corn disappears without soreness.

This magic spot ends corns

PLACE it on your throbbing corn tonight. It takes but a second. Relief will come instantly, because the felt ring relieves all pressure.

The medicated spot of wax soothes while it works.

You will wonder why you waited so long.

Tomorrow your corn will not hurt as it has today.

And within 48 hours the corn will come out easily, painlessly.

Blue-jay is the gentle, certain way, discovered by a great chemist. Blue-jay Plasters are made by Bauer & Black, famed for surgical dressings.

Paring Is Extremely Dangerous

and only a makeshift. Infection is possible. Harsh and mussy liquids are disagreeable.

Blue-jay is irresistible to the average corn. Once in a while an old and stubborn corn requires a second treatment.

Tonight prove these truths yourself. It costs so little. Then you will never let a corn hurt again.

Large Package 25c at Druggists
Small Package Discontinued.

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Makers of Surgical Dressings
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HUNGARY HAS NEW CABINET UNDER DR. ALEXANDER WEKERLE

Measure of Suffrage Reform Is Promised on Head of Event.

BUDAPEST, May 10.—Via London.—A new Hungarian cabinet has been formed with Dr. Alexander Wekerle as premier and minister of the interior. The ministers follow: Commerce, Jos. Sztepreny1; agriculture, Count Adalbert Serenyi; education, Count Joahnn Zichy; finance, Count Popowitch; food, Prince Windisch-Graetz; defence, Baron Szurmay; court affairs, Count Aladarhichy; justice, Dr. Gustave Toery; minister for Croatia, Dr. Karl Unkelhausser; social affairs, Count Paul Teleki.

Premier Wekerle has stated that the Government intends to introduce various small amendments to suffrage proposals, based on compromise, that will make the acceptance of the proposals possible. The amendments provide that every citizen who would not otherwise have the right to vote should obtain that right if he gives proof of sufficient learning to have passed through four classes of the national school and is also master of the Hungarian language, or if he has passed through six classes of the national school.

The premier added that workmen will have the right to vote. The extension of the suffrage will be carried out forthwith and the Government will maintain its social and economic program and its plan of army reform.

DEATH OF MISS GEMMELL.

SEAFORTH, May 20.—The death occurred today at her home near Egmondville, of Miss Elizabeth Gemmell. She leaves two brothers in the west, and two sisters, Mrs. S. McGeoch of Egmondville and Sarah at home. Mrs. William Sprout, who died three weeks ago at Kippen, was a sister.

FARMER ARRESTED AS DRAFT EVADER

WABASH, May 10.—Robert Black, an employee for the past six years on the farm of Daniel O'Neil of Chatham Township, was arrested as an evader of the M.S.A. by Constable Peters.

Mr. Black is a native of Scotland, and when arrested was busy working in the field.

Strongly protesting, he was hurried off to military headquarters at London.

DISPATCH RIDER WAS TWICE CAPTURED, BUT GOT BACK TO BRITISH

Max Barrett of Tillsonburg Is Recommended for the D.S.O.

TILLSONBURG, May 10.—Stanley Barrett received an interesting letter from his son, Dispatch Rider Max Barrett, who has seen nearly three years of warfare. He had a strenuous time on the recent drive in France, having been captured twice, losing all his equipment and belongings, but getting back to his headquarters safely. For his bravery under fire he has been recommended for the D. S. O.

MEMORIAL SERVICE.

KIRKTON, May 10.—A memorial service will be held in the Presbyterian Church here on Sunday afternoon for Private Edwin K. Gardiner, who was killed in action in November last. The service will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Fletcher, assisted by Rev. Martin of London, and Rev. McCrea of Mitchell.

PRISONER IN GERMANY.

GLENCOE, May 10.—George Bechill has received word that his brother, Private I. M. Bechill, who was recently reported among the missing, is being held as a prisoner of war in Germany.

FELL IN ACTION.

TILLSONBURG, May 10.—Mrs. H. F. Attwater has received official notice of the death in action of her husband, Pte. Harry Attwater. He enlisted in "C" Company, 168th Oxfords, as a buglar and had only been in France a few weeks.

HAS GUNSHOT WOUND.

ELORA, May 10.—Pte. Smith Aitchison, who went overseas with the 153rd Battalion, is in a French hospital with a gunshot wound in the thigh, sustained in the recent heavy fighting. He is a son of Reeve Simon Aitchison of Pilkington Township.

GOING WITH "TANKS."

PETROLEA, May 10. — F. M. Church, son of Frank Church, has resigned his position on the staff of St. Andrew's College, Toronto, and has enlisted in a "tank" division, composed mostly of Toronto University students. Before leaving Toronto the pupils of St. Andrew's presented him with a pipe and wrist watch.

PTE. STONEMAN KILLED.

HESPELER, May 10.—Word has been received here that Pte. Horace Henry Stoneman, son of Henry Stoneman, formerly of this town, but now of St. Catharines, has been killed in action. The soldier enlisted with "C" Company of the 111th Battalion. Prior to enlisting he was employed as a spinner at the R. Forbes Co.

IS PRESUMABLY DEAD.

STRATFORD, May 10.—Another brother of Mrs. H. E. Bonnett, 86 Charles street, Pte. Frank Puddle, has been reported "presumed dead." He has been missing since October 26 of last year.

Just a few days ago Mrs. Bonnett was notified that another brother, Pte. Harry Puddle, was killed on April 3. He enlisted with the 71st Battalion. His brother Frank left Stratford with the 110th Battalion.

George Jackson, 213 Wellington street, has word his brother, Pte. Clifford Jackson, who was recently reported dangerously wounded, had died of wounds

Pte. Jackson was 25 years old and had been overseas about a year and a half.

DIES FROM INJURIES SUSTAINED WHEN CAR OVERTURNED IN ROAD

George Henderson of Brussels Had His Neck Broken by Fall.

BRUSSELS, May 10.—George Henderson, aged 30, whose auto overturned last evening near Seaforth, died today. His neck was broken and no hope was held out for his recovery from the first. Before lapsing into an unconscious condition he made a statement in which he admitted that he was to blame for the fatality. In trying to pass a car which was ahead of him on the road, he ran into it and his own auto overturned. As the fatality was purely accidental, no inquest will be held.

Mr. Henderson came here from Seaforth some time ago, and had worked up a good draying business. Besides his wife and three small children he leaves his mother and two brothers, James and John, all of Seaforth. The funeral will be held on Saturday to the Maitlandbank Cemetery at Seaforth.

Oscar Gorsalitz of Cranbrook has gone to Bridgeburg, Ont., to take a position as fireman on the Michigan Central.

On Sunday evening Western Star Oddfellows will attend service in the Methodist Church in connection with the 99th anniversary of the order. Rev. W. E. Stafford will preach.

The Indy minstrels will give their entertainment for the benefit of the Red Cross on Friday, May 24.

Owing to a proposed extended visit to Vancouver, B. C., Miss Carrie Hingston has resigned her position as leader of the Methodist choir.

On Wednesday afternoon the funeral of Mrs. John Askin took place. She was in her 86th year. Mr. Askin predeceased her. Three sons and three daughters survive.

A resolution of sympathy was passed by the town council to the Leckie Brothers over the demise of their father, ex-Reeve John Leckie.

Pte. Allingham, who was wounded in France, visited friends here recently. He was formerly teller in the Standard Bank. He now goes to Regina to take his old position in the same bank.

On May 4 George and Mrs. Crooks, William street, Brussels, celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary. They are 84 and 82 years of age. Mr. and Mrs. Crooks have lived in this locality for over 63 years.

Miss Muriel Brothers has graduated in arts from McMaster University. She took honors in English and history and moderns. Miss Brothers has been engaged to teach in High Park School, Toronto.

MUST SECURE PERMITS.

ST. THOMAS, May 10. — Citizens who want to use fireworks in connection with Victoria Day celebrations this year will have to secure permits from Chief of Police Armstrong. Magistrate Maxwell favors eliminating fireworks altogether from 24th of May celebrations on account of the numerous accidents that occur.

KING GEORGE WOULD LIKE TO SHAKE U.S. WARRIORS BY HAND

Addresses Welcome to Each Officer and Man Passing Through England.

LONDON, May 10.—King George is sending the following message of welcome to each officer and man of the American forces passing through England:

"Soldiers of the United States, the people of the British Isles welcome you on your way to take a stand beside the armies of the many nations now fighting in the old world, the great battle for human freedom.

"The Allies will gain new heart and spirit in your company. I wish I could shake hands with each one of you and bid you God speed on your mission.

"(Signed) GEORGE, R. I."

MESSAGES TO "BLUE DEVILS."

NEW YORK, May 10.—Messages from the president and premier of France were read at a dinner given here, tonight, by the Association General des Alsaciens-Lorrainers d' Amerique in honor of the "blue devils" sent to the United States to spur on sales of Liberty bonds in the final days of the campaign. The messages were read by Andre Tardieu, French high commissioner, who thrilled his hearers with confident predictions of victory.



Advertiser Illustrations.

GEN. SIR HERBERT C. O. PLUMER, of the British Engineers, who commanded at Messines Ridge when it was taken, has commanded in several theatres of the war. But a short time before the great coup at Messines, he commanded one of the Mesopotamia forces, where he demonstrated his ability as a leader.

U. S. WAR LABOR BOARD STOPS ANOTHER STRIKE

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Representatives of 1,500 striking iron moulders and core-makers, and operators of fifty casting plants in Chicago, agreed tonight to submit differences over wage scales to the arbitration of the war labor board, the men to return to work immediately and new scales to date back to the time of return. The output of the plants ro entirely to munitions manufacturers.

SARNIA FIRM CHARTERED.

OTTAWA, May 10.—Joint stock companies incorporated this week include the Homes Foundry Company, Limited, Sarnia, Ont., with a capital of $500,000.

BIG CELEBRATION IS PLANNED FOR JUNE 3

SARNIA, May 10.—Following the invitation extended to Port Huron by Sarnia officials to join this city on June 3 to welcome the Duke of Devonshire, the city commission of Port Huron has taken definite steps to have a representative join with Sarnia in making the event a success. It is proposed to have Port Huron Company 76, Michigan State Guard, as well as the members of the state constabulary, participate in the event. Chamber of Commerce members and citizens of Port Huron in general will be invited to join in the parade which will be held here. The events will include a trip down South Christina street inspecting the Imperial Oil Company's big plant, Mueller's and the Perfection Stove Company, to be followed by an address of welcome in Victoria Park.

THE DAYS OF RECONSTRUCTION FOR ALL PALE, THIN PEOPLE

This Is the Season When It Is Most Necessary to Tone Up the System and Build Up the Blood and Nerves

Applied to health the expression "run down" means a condition in which some, or all, of the bodily functions are enfeebled This is a condition which only too frequently follows the long indoor months of winter when people live and work in imperfectly ventilated houses, shops, offices and schools. If you find yourself at this season easily tired by slight exertion you need a tonic. If the appetite is poor or fickle, the digestion impaired, the nerves shaky or impoverished, if you are pale and easily worried, winter has left its mark upon you. No particular organ being affected, you must look for relief to the blood. It is only by enriching and toning up the blood that you can regain what you have lost during the past winter and at the same time put yourself in shape to stand the trying heat of coming summer. To build up the blood, tone and strengthen the nerves, increase the appetite and bring vigorous strength to weakened bodies, there is no medicine can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills actually make new, rich, red blood, which will make you feel better, eat better, sleep better, and work more cheerfully. If you are in need of a tonic, and most people are at this season, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills will not disappoint you.

COULD HARDLY WALK.

Mrs. J. McDonald Jun., Hay, Ont., says: "Some years ago I suffered greatly from anaemia, and as I did not realize the seriousness of the trouble I soon became a complete wreck. I got so weak I could hardly walk. I neither ate nor slept well, and could not go upstairs without stopping to rest. At times I had an almost unbearing pain in my back and would have to remain in bed. I suffered almost constantly from a dull headache, and when sweeping if I would stoop to pick up anything I would get so dizzy that I would have to catch hold of something to keep from falling. My eyes were sunken and my hands and limbs would be swollen in the mornings. I tried several kinds of medicine without benefit and my friends thought I would not recover. Then I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and before long could see and feel that they were helping me. I gladly continued the use of the pills until I was completely cured and I cannot say enough in their praise, and I strongly recommend them to all rundown girls and women."

SOME GOOD ADVICE.

Mrs. Alice Black, Amherst Beach, N. S., says: "I have received much benefit from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and would advise all who need a medicine for a rundown system to make use of them. In my own case I have found the pills do all you claim for them, and shall always have a good word to say for this medicine."

RUNDOWN AND NERVOUS.

Mrs. B. Wainlott, Beaver Bank, N. S., says: "I was sick, rundown and awfully nervous. The slightest noise would startle and annoy me. I suffered pains around the heart and every particle of color left my face and hands. I always felt tired, and slept poorly at night. I was so poorly that my friends thought I would not recover. I tried many medicines, but they did not help me. Then I read of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and decided to drop all other medicine and try them. It was fortunate I did for in the course of a few weeks I found them helping me. I continued taking the pills for some weeks longer and they completely cured me. I earnestly advise every weak woman and girl to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a fair trial, and I am sure they will not be disappointed."

AFTER THE GRIPPE.

Mrs. Thomas Covert, R. R. No. 2, Bancroft, Ont., says: "Following an attack of grippe I was left very weak and miserable. My appetite was poor. I suffered from headaches, my skin was sallow, and two boils broke out. I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and had only used a few boxes when I felt as well as ever. They drove all the impurities from my blood, gave me a good appetite, and I have since enjoyed the best of health. I can recommend the pills to anyone suffering from impure blood or skin disease."

STOMACH TROUBLE.

Mrs. James Martin, R. R. No. 1, Perth, Ont., says: "I suffered greatly from stomach trouble, which was accompanied by severe pains in the side and around the heart. At times I was so bad that I vomited everything I ate, and even the medicine the doctor gave me. I grew weaker every day and would frequently have to lie down, and as the doctor was not helping me I was about discouraged. Then I saw Dr. Williams' Pink Pills advertised to cure the trouble and decided to try them. In a few weeks the pain had left and I could eat a little. I continued until I had used six boxes when I felt myself fully cured. In fact, my friends tell me I am a living advertisement as to what Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can do."

A SERIOUS CONDITION.

Mr. Wilfrid Donald, West Flamboro, Ont., says: "Before I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I was in a serious condition. I was not only badly rundown, but my nerves seemed to be completely shattered. I slept badly at night, and got up in the morning tired as when I went to bed. I seemed to be on the verge of a nervous breakdown. At this stage I began the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. In the course of a few weeks I felt much relief, and continuing the use of the pills they completely restored my health. I can now sleep soundly, eat well, and am enjoying complete freedom from the old nervous troubles."

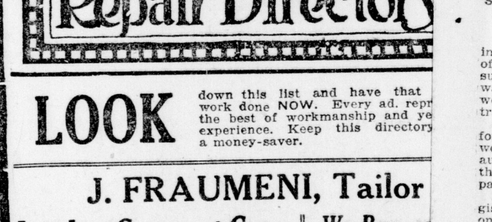
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COMMANDS HUNS ON WEST FRONT



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Hon. A. K. MacLean Figures on Surplus.

DRAYTON VIEW DIFFERENT

Figures Given to Commons to Pave Way for Further Assistance.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, May 10.—It would appear from a conglomeration of figures and statistics submitted to the House of Commons today by Hon. A. K. MacLean, acting minister of finance, regarding the Canadian Northern Railway, that Canada, in taking possession of the road, has assumed a total liability of $557,331,355.

Mr. MacLean estimated the assets of the company at the sum of $592,173,428, and the surplus of assets over liabilities of $24,842,673.

The Drayton-Ackworth report declared that the maximum amount of cash actually put into the road was $383,302,451. "In the light of the figures," the report declared, "it is evident that no purchaser would offer for the property a sum amounting to the total of the liabilities."

Country Is Pledged.

And yet the Canadian Government has done that very thing, since it has cheerfully assumed the liabilities—and they have all been met so far as they have matured—but it has done more than that. It has appointed a board of arbitration to inject into the stock a value "not exceeding ten million dollars." In considering the "bargain" it must not be forgotten that the people of Canada have contributed to the company about forty millions in cash subsidies, and about an equal amount in land grants. It is estimated by men who have studied railway questions that the Canadian Northern Railway will cost the Canadian people (on the basis of the bargain entered into by the present administration) about $60,000 per mile. Western members declare that if the lines in that country cost any more than $15,000 there must have been some fine sub-contracting.

Bill and Dan Still Directors.

Incidentally it may be remarked that Mr. MacLean's statement imparted the interesting fact that Messrs. Mackenzie and Mann and their former henchmen are still directors of the undertaking.

Mr. MacLean's object in giving the House a statement with regard to the condition of the C.N.R. was to furnish the members with information which would enable them to consider the bill providing for financial assistance to this railway, which will be given a second reading in the near future.

After giving the names of the directors of the road, Mr. MacLean read a list of the securities maturing this year, which are held by the Canadian Bank of Commerce, London and Toronto, and the National Trust Company. The total maturities of the road he gave as $67,360,607.

Mr. MacLean then went on to give an estimate of the requirements of the Canadian Northern Railway for the present year. The estimates, he said, contained a vote amounting to $25,000,000, of which $5,380,000 was required for interest on security loans outstanding, $2,995,000 for payment of principle on equipment bonds, $6,000,000 for payment on reduction of collateral securities, $3,400,000 for improvements and betterments, and $7,185,000 for construction and completing of western lines.

Net Earnings $12,000,000.

The acting finance minister quoted figures from the financial statement of the road for the year ending June 30, 1917, the latest figures available. This showed that the earnings of the road in that year totalled $43,495,000, the expenses approximately $31,000,000, and the net earnings in the neighborhood of $12,000,000. The net earnings of the road in 1916 had been somewhat over $9,000,000.

In order to complete the unfinished lines in the west, Mr. MacLean estimated that it would take a large sum of money. The 695 miles of prairie lines to be completed would cost $10,576,861. The British Columbia lines (994 miles) would cost $17,040,000. An expenditure of $20,958,000 was required for completion of western terminals.

Government Guarantees.

The securities of the road which have been guaranteed by the Dominion and Provincial Governments were given by Mr. MacLean. The Dominion Government, he said, had guaranteed securities to the amount of $104,613,000. Of this sum $71,669,000 was held by the public. The provincial governments' guarantees were as follows: Ontario, $7,895,000; Manitoba, $25,662,000; Saskatchewan, $14,884,000; Alberta, $18,950,000; British Columbia, $10,157,000. Unguaranteed securities totalled $147,803,000, and the total note issue of the road was $33,673,000.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier noted that a great many of the securities were pledged. He wished to know with whom they were pledged and why.

Mr. MacLean replied that they were pledged with persons by whom loans were made to the company, chiefly banks and brokerage houses.

Liabilities $393,604,827.

The grand total of the liabilities and notes of the Canadian Northern Railway System was $393,604,827. The total issue held by the public, less the amount pledged, was $253,922,087. Taking the equipment and temporary loans. Mr. MacLean stated that the founded debt of the company was $400,000,000.

The floating liabilities aggregated, according to Mr. MacLean, $17,278,583.

Mr. MacLean quoted extensively from the balance sheet of the company to show that it had a surplus of assets over liabilities of $34,842,073. The minister read a letter written by Mr. Hanna, vice-president of the Canadian Northern Railway, to Major Bell, financial controller of the railway department, giving figures as to the earnings of the Canadian Northern Railway for the year ending March 31, 1918, and the previous year, showing that the gross earnings for the year ending March 31 last were $30,665,000, and for the previous year, $20,095,000.

Last year the operating expenses were $28,209,000, and the previous year, $24,591,000.

Rise In Freight Rates.

The minister told the House that the gross earnings for April showed an increase of $642,000, reflecting to some extent the benefits which may be expected from the recent freight rate increase.

"It will be impossible," he said, "to say how far the increase in gross earnings will go towards meeting the increased cost of operation, as the conditions of the expenditure are altogether unusual. The best that can be said is that the close scrutiny which has obtained in the past by the management in respect of cost will continue in the future."

Replying to a question by Mr. Cockshutt, Mr. MacLean said the Government was satisfied that it had a knowledge of all the floating liabilities. Mr. MacLean repeated his former statement that the Government now holds $37,500,000 of the $100,000,000 of the common share issue of the company. The balance, he said, was held largely in England. He was hoping for some more definite information as to the holders of those shares.

Nigger In Woodpile?

J. Read: "You did not acquire it all from MacKenzie and Mann, who is the nigger in the woodpile?"

Mr. MacLean replied that the Government was in possession of some $40,000,000 of the total issue two or three years ago. The difference between the $40,000,000 and the $97,500,000 was transferred to the Government by MacKenzie, Mann & Company, Limited.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux remarked that much of the information, which had been given by Mr. Hanna, was being protested at the investigation which is now taking place in Toronto. He suggested that it would be well for from Mackenzie and Mann? Who is the before that commission.

Mr. MacLean replied that none of the evidence, which he had given to the House of Commons, could be contested before the commission. "The general balance," he said, "might be open to dispute, but I cannot possibly think of anything else than can be open to question."

Mr. Lemieux remarked that Premier Oliver of British Columbia had contested figures given by the Canadian Northern Railway before the commission at Toronto.

Mr. MacLean replied that M. Oliver's claim was not admitted by the railway.

Better Consult Oliver.

Hon. Charles Murphy suggested that, as Mr. Oliver was now in Ottawa, Mr. MacLean might familiarize himself with the details of his claim.

Mr. MacLean said that he would do so.

The House then went into committee on the civil service bill.

3,000 FARMERS CARRY PROTEST TO PARLIAMENT

Monster Deputation to Protest New Draft Regulations.

FROM ALL OVER CANADA

Largest Theatre in Ottawa Engaged for the Occasion.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

OTTAWA, May 10.—The delegation of farmers which will gather at Ottawa on Tuesday next to protest against certain features of the new military service regulations will probably be the largest since the old days when the western farmers came to advocate lower tariffs. In fact, from present indications, it will be the largest which has ever come to Ottawa to interview a Government.

The movement originated in Ontario, but it is expected that there will also be a number of delegates from the west, while other eastern provinces will also be represented. There are 800-odd agricultural associations in the province of Quebec, and many of them, notably those in the eastern townships, will send delegates.

Quebecers Are Welcome.

The executive of the United Farmers of Ontario, which is behind the movement, has intimated to Quebec members that they will welcome their co-operation and that of representatives from their counties in their conference with the Government.

From the Maritime Provinces also there are representatives coming. In fact it is expected that the gathering will approximate three thousand, a very formidable assembly.

Forerunners of the deputation have already been in Ottawa planning for the event.

Large Theatre Reserved.

They have reserved the Russell Theatre, with a seating capacity of nearly two thousand, for the conference, and will invite members of the Government to meet them there and hear their representations. They believe they stand for a sufficient weight of public opinion to justify the expectation that the Government will accept the invitation and that several ministers will be there in spite of the fact that the House is in session.

Ontario members who will be present to welcome the farmers include: Nicholson, Algoma East; Best, Dufferin; Marshall, East Elgin; Dr. Brien, South Essex; Lalor, Haldimand; Porter, West Hastings; Glass, East Middlesex; Smith, South Ontario; Tudhope, Simcoe East, and Armstrong, North York. These men, it is to be noted, were strangely absent from the House when the Molloy amendment calling for the exemption of farmers was voted upon.

Unrest Manifest.

The unrest that appeared on the Government side regarding the Government's exercise of authority in apparent disregard of the fact that Parliament, the supreme authority, is sitting, is likely to be manifested in connection with the visit next week of farmers who are dissatisfied with the application of the new conscription. Mr. Jonas Thornton, ex-M. P. for Durham, who headed the deputation of 200 farmers which saw the Government last week, is again in the city with other farmers and has already had several interviews with the Government, which is much worried over the situation.

"RED TRIANGLE" DRIVE GOES FAR BEYOND SUM WANTED AS OBJECTIVE

TORONTO, May 10.—Over three-quarters of a million dollars more than the $2,250,000, which was set as the objective of the Red Triangle drive of the Young Men's Christian Association has been subscribed, and the campaign is by no means over in many points where the provincial executives have authorized a continuance on the days of Friday and Saturday.

MILLION BUSHELS OF GRAIN REACH GODERICH

GODERICH, May 10.—Things have been lively during the week here. Over a million bushels of grain have been unloaded here since navigation opened. Fishing is reported good, and many fine catches of perch and herring have been made recently. Ambrose Colberne, while fishing with his father hooked a ten-pound trout which was finally landed.

NICARAGUA DECLARED IN STATE OF SIEGE

SAN SALVADOR, May 10.—Nicaragua having entered the war against the central powers, the national congress has declared the country in a state of siege. It is announced that Nicaragua will assist the Allies with the supplies of cereals, and will act in close co-operation with the United States.

C. N. R. ARBITRATION NEARING THE FINISH

TORONTO, May 10.—Argument proceeding on behalf of the Canadian Northern Railway and the MacKenzie and Mann interests before the board of arbitrators reached its final stage today, when I. F. Hellmuth, K.C., for the Canadian Bank of Commerce, took up the cudgels. At the morning sittings McGregor Young, K.C., concluded his argument with respect to the values of lands controlled by the Canadian Northern Railway system in Eastern and Western Canada.

NICKLE SUSPICIOUS THAT CIVIL SERVICE IS NOT RUN FAIRLY

Small Group in Ottawa Likely to Control.

MAIL MEN UNDERPAID

Cockshutt Says Every Constituency Is Entitled to Favor.

OTTAWA, May 10. — Amendments to the criminal code, the civil service act, and the statement by Hon. A. K. MacLean, dealing with the Canadian Northern Railway financial situation, were the features of the session of the House of Commons today.

During consideration of the civil service bill there was a general discussion on the question of patronage. Many of the members were inclined to the view that Ottawa has too large a share of the appointments, and that the outside districts should be given a better show.

W. F. Nickle, Kingston, expressed the fear that a small group in Ottawa would control the outside districts. If the Government was going to have civil service reform, he said, it should play the game fairly. He wanted to see civil service reform honestly carried out.

Salaries Too Small.

W. F. Cockshutt, Brantford, while approving of the principle of the bill, declared that the salaries of civil servants, more particularly in the outside division, were smaller than they should be. His complaint, he said, related more particularly to clerks and letter-carriers of the postoffice department. He knew of letter-carriers, who, after three years' service, were still regarded as temporary employees. He expressed regret that there was not a regular postmaster-general to whom grievances could be taken, and advised the minister of finance "to limber up a little" and get a more efficient service.

Mr. Cockshutt maintained that every political constituency in Canada was entitled to its share of representatives in the civil service. There was no valid reason, he said, why the great majority should come from Ottawa. He also maintained that members of Parliament should be consulted with reference to appointments made within their own constituencies. If this were not done, they should be relieved of all responsibility in connection with the administration of public service.

Looks Good to Nesbitt.

E. W. Nesbitt, North Oxford, said he was glad to see the service out of politics. He objected to the clause which would allow the commission to transfer a civil servant from one department to another at a lower salary. Mr. Nesbitt said that if the commission administers the act fairly it would be a success. If it did not do this, the commission would be only a nuisance. He did not take much stock in Mr. Cockshutt's argument, saying that when the bill was passed members would be relieved of all responsibility with regard to appointments.

Hume Cronyn Speaks.

Hume Cronyn, London, referred to the positions that members of the civil service would be in following action of the Government in passing an order-in-council cutting off civil and allowing military pay only. He said that he thought he was voicing the disapproval of a large number of members in saying he could not conceive of anything being done by the Government which would amount to a breach of contract. He knew that under the present circumstances the matter would involve a considerable outlay, but at the same time he wished to make a reconsideration of the action proposed.

Mr. Cronyn suggested that the Government might bring those men who had enlisted upon the understanding that their civil pay would be continued, back from the front and reinstate them in their positions. If they preferred to stay at the front the new conditions regarding pay might apply to them.

The member for London stated that he understood that civil servants returning from the front would be reinstated at the salary they normally would have received had they remained in their civil positions. He had learned, he said, that in some cases this had not been done, men being employed at the salaries they received previous to enlistment.

Undue Influence Here?

Sir Sam Hughes asked if there was any truth in the rumor that the auditor-general had used undue influence to have a son appointed as solicitor to the civil service commission, and if the Government had passed the order-in-council before the appointment, hoping that the commission would not make the appointment.

Hon. A. K. MacLean said he was not in a position to answer the question.

Col. Currie did not think a good case had been made out for many of the clauses of the bill. In the inside service, said Col. Currie, one-third of the employees were doing the work, while the remainder were trying to keep out of the way, so that people would not see that they were not working. A glance through some of the office doors showed them reading novels, or amusing themselves in other ways. Over in the United States, he said, they had an efficiency board, which discharged incompetent clerks when necessary.

How About Examinations?

The provision of the act providing for examinations came in for some criticism by the speaker. Some of the men employed in the civil service were engaged in washing windows and sifting ashes. Would they be required to pass a qualifying examination? In the postoffice department another difficulty would arise. Postmasters in small towns and little villages throughout the Dominion would be required to pass an examination. The work which they had to do did not require any particular qualifications, and an examination should not be necessary if postmasters were properly recommended. It was his experience, he said, that eighty-five per cent of the appointees in the civil service came from Ottawa.

Col. Currie defended the patronage system in connection with outside service appointments. If a member, he said, recommended a man for a position, he had to stand behind his recommendation. He himself had always agreed to the discharge of any man whom he had recommended if that man had proven incompetent. If a member recommended unsuitable men for positions, the people in his constituency would get after him. He knew of two men who had been appointed within the last year who had not been recommended, and he declared they were more fit for an asylum than a Government job.

The civil service commission, said Col. Currie, should be enlarged to include two representatives of the returned soldiers.

Continuing the discussion of Mr. Doherty's act to amend the criminal code, Hon. J. Bureau took exception to the wording of the clause dealing with the protection of children. He thought it improperly worded, and that it would give an opportunity for excessively good people to ruin the reputations of others. He was willing to enact all legislation to protect the youth of the country, but felt that the wording of the clause should be altered.

Morphy Has Idea.

H. B. Morphy thought that no prosecution under the clause should be started, except through the medium of some organization whose special province was the care of children. He also suggested that a fiat should be obtained from the minister of justice, the solicitor-general, or some other responsible authority, before a prosecution was started.

H. A. Mackie favored the clause saying that it would tend to make parents careful in bringing up their children. The clause, he thought, was of importance to the west, where there were many different nationalities with varying standards of morality. They should be taught that they must comform to Canadian standards.

That the clause was too drastic was the opinion of W. F. Cockshutt, Brantford, who instanced cases in which it was impossible for persons, although entirely respectable and above suspicion of any kind, to live according to the best standards of today. He spoke of settlers in newly-opened districts, where whole families possibly were compelled to live in shacks of one or two rooms.

Mr. Vien favored the elimination of anything which would allow social reform associations to place their interpretation on the word "vice."

An amendment to the clause was made by the minister to the effect that no prosecution can be instituted unless at the instance of some organized child welfare society, without the authorization of the attorney-general of the province, nor can any such prosecution be commenced after the expiration of six months from the time the offence was said to be committed.

The bill was reported.

GEN. CAREY PROMOTED FOR CLOSING THE GAP

LONDON, May 10.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—Brigadier-General Sandeman Carey, who commanded the scratch force of British and American troops which closed up the gap in the British line between the third and fifth armies in the early days of the March offensive, has been promoted to be major-general.

CHILDREN OF FRANCE GIVE SOUS TO ORPHANS OF UNCLE SAM'S BRAVES

PARIS, May 10.—Two hundred and sixty thousand French school children gave their sous to a subscription started by the pupils of a school in the Bercy section of Paris, to provide for the first American orphan of the war. The original purpose was to raise 365 francs, sou by sou, not because the money was needed, but simply as a

RAIN SPOILS SPORTS.

CHATHAM, May 10.—Rain today spoiled the plans for sports as arranged as a part of the "Bicycle Week," and these will be held some afternoon next week, according to present plans.

DEATH OF CHRISTOPHER HARRIS.

INGERSOLL, May 10.—Christopher Harris, aged 82, died today. He is survived by two sons and one daughter—Frank and Andrew, in the west, and Mrs. R. Patience, Ingersoll. The funeral will be held Sunday afternoon to the Ingersoll Rural Cemetery.

MAJOR MARTYN WOUNDED.

KINCARDINE, May 10.—According to word received by Mrs. Martyn, her husband, Major Donald Martyn, was wounded in the recent heavy fighting in France. The message states that the wound is not serious.

WIND AND HAIL.

WINGHAM, May 10.—After several days of extreme heat for this time of the year a violent electrical storm, accompanied by a high wind from the southwest raged for hours last evening and ended up in a tremendous hailstorm. Several chimneys were damaged by the wind, and some trees were blown down. Many thought that their windows would be smashed in, but very little glass, so far as reported, has been damaged.

TWO GENERALS WOUNDED.

LONDON, May 10.—Major-General Colin J. MacKenzie and Brigadier-General the Hon. Leslie J. Butler, C.M.G., D.S.O., are reported wounded. Major-General MacKenzie formerly was chief of the general staff of the Canadian militia council.

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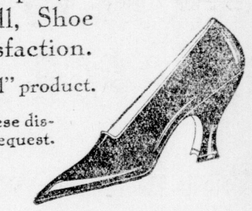
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BLOCKING THE SUBMARINES.

BY ANOTHER bold and effective naval stroke, the British have sealed up Ostend harbor and have increased materially the difficulties under which the German submarine warfare is being conducted. The old Vindictive, which played such an important part in the attack on the Zebrugge mole, has been filled with concrete and sunk across the entrance; she lies there a bulwark of Old England, even though in her grave.

Since the attack on the mole and the obstruction of the Zebrugge channel by concrete-filled ships, it has become increasingly evident that great success attended the daring exploit. The Germans, who tried at first to make light of the venture and its results, later admitted the seriousness of the blow that had been struck, and writers have been urging the German naval authorities to waken up to the fact that one of their greatest strongholds proved incapable of keeping out the British, and that greater protection was required against this courageous foe.

It was stated that only a few days would be required to restore conditions at Zeebrugge to normal, but in saying this the enemy forgot to take into consideration the Allied airmen. These have been paying periodical visits to the submarine base, and have showered down bombs so effectively that rebuilding and the clearing of the channel have been impossible.

There have been proofs offered of the decline in Germany's submarine warfare. It was announced the other day at Washington that a considerable reduction had been made in insurance rates on vessels passing through the submarine zone. This is an indication that the danger has decreased, and there is no doubt this decrease is due largely to the attack on Zeebrugge.

Following this announcement, Secretary of War Baker informs the world that over 500,000 American soldiers have been landed in France since January 1 without mishap; a welcome and most encouraging piece of news in itself, but doubly so as an assurance that Germany's last weapon has failed utterly to prevent the United States exerting her strength on European battlefields.

While individuals have been inventing devices to make submarines' attacks abortive or to aid in destruction of the craft when discovered, the British naval experts have been planning how to prevent the submarines coming out to attack or be attacked. That was striking at the root of the trouble, and there is little doubt that great success has been achieved.

It is with great satisfaction that the fact is noted that British casualties were very light in the Ostend adventure.

THE PENSION QUESTION.

PREMIER BORDEN has promised, in reply to a question by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, that an opportunity will be given to discuss the question of Col. R. H. Labatt's pension in the House, it being at present before the pensions committee. It will be well if the facts in connection with it are gone into thoroughly so that there may be no doubt left as to the justice or otherwise of the decision to grant him some $2,130 a year as total disability pension for himself and his two children while he is making $5,000 a year as a Government official.

One thing which should be made absolutely clear is the extent of the impairment of health suffered by Col. Labatt. There can be no question but that once this is established, every man who suffers to a similar extent is entitled to the same treatment as Col. Labatt. It may be, as many returned men claim, that others whose hearts have been affected to an even greater extent by their army life in France than has his during his short sojourn overseas, have been granted only $10 or so a month pension. These would have to have their cases reconsidered and the awards amended. It might mean a big increase in the pensions total each year, but that cannot be helped. There can be no hesitation in allowing a private the few hundreds a year that are paid for total disablement when there is none in giving a colonel $2,000.

DANGEROUS PRACTICES.

WHAT IS GREAT fun while no accident occurs may turn to tragedy when something goes wrong. The schoolboy who was so seriously injured yesterday by having his leg caught in a wagon wheel as he was trying to catch hold of the vehicle probably realizes this fact now, but there are hundreds who do not and who must be taught.

During the winter months the favorite pastime of boys and some girls is stealing rides on passing sleighs. This is dangerous enough, but when the snow goes and wheels are again being used the danger is intensified. Drivers cannot be blamed for, as a rule, they do their best to keep the children away, but are not always successful. On the parents of all school children devolves the duty of teaching them that this practice must cease.

There is another somewhat similar habit very much in evidence during the hot summer. Many youths who have bicycles on which to ride around the city feel that the exercise is unpleasant in the heat and prefer to catch hold of passing street cars so that they may enjoy the ride and the speed without pedalling. This is possible with the coaster bicycle which is almost universal now. Few stop to think of the terrible risk they are running. The slightest slip of the machine on which they sit is likely to precipitate them under the wheels of the car, where instant death or fearful injury awaits them. If they miss going beneath the car, there is every chance that they will be seriously hurt in other ways. It is not unusual to see grownup men, who ought to have more sense, indulging in this labor-saving and death-producing practice, but the majority of those seen are boys. It ought to be made a rigid rule in all families that the first time a boy is found to have run the risk with a street car his bicycle will be taken from him until he has learned better. Errand boys who try the trick should be dealt with by employers and discharged if the offence occurs more than once.

EARLY COUNCIL MEETINGS.

THERE is a decided probability that London City Council will decide to meet at 2 o'clock in the afternoon in future instead of at 8 o'clock in the evening, and if this plan is carried out it should result in an improvement in the conduct of the city's business.

City council meetings frequently drag out for several hours, and by the time the last items of business are reached the aldermen are more anxious to get home to bed than to devote thought to problems that arise. Most of them are men whose days are fully occupied with private enterprises, and when evening comes they are not in the best of condition to handle the city's affairs in a thoroughly businesslike way. Perhaps this has been at the bottom of some past mistakes. There is, inevitably, a desire to hasten proceedings as the hour grows late, and in the hurry facts and figures of the utmost importance are apt to be ignored, with disastrous consequences.

If it is decided to meet at 2 o'clock, aldermen will have to sacrifice two afternoons a month, but it is probable the majority will prefer this to the long night sessions which have been the rule.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

Lloyd George's hobby is weathering storms, and torpedo attacks leave him unharmed.

McGill lets down bars to women. Of course, there is no strong drink sold over bars now.

The Fox of the Balkans wants peace, and he will get it all in good time. The hounds are on his trail.

If some draft-evaders would use their energy and ingenuity to better purpose they might help to shorten the war.

Ambassador Joffe, who is Russia's representative at Berlin, refuses to meet the kaiser. He has some self-respect, evidently.

What a relief! Women can give their correct ages to the registrar without fear of their becoming known publicly, the officials being sworn to secrecy.

All Catholics are asked by the Pope to pray for "the present necessities of human society" on St. Peter's Day, which is equivalent to asking them to pray for Germany's defeat.

American gunners fire a shot at a German submarine which lifts it right out of the water and breaks it in two. Berlin will announce that this is false; the submarine is one of a new jumping type, built to dodge shells.

Why the evident desire to smash ex-Premier Asquith evinced by some British papers? There is a strong suspicion that their motive is not the country's good but personal spite. Are his great services so soon forgotten?

HIS DREAM AND HERS.

(A true incident of a London Mother.)

Over in France he thought of Mother's Day,
And in his yearning eyes a dream held sway;
And lo, there bloomed like mystic answered prayer,
A golden violet, hidden with heaven-kept care,
Within a shell-hole lately ground by war,
To give the soldier back his dream once more.
The little tender, all-undreaming flower
Gave him home pictures for one little hour.

And back in Canada his mother prays
Over a letter from across the sea;
Caressing finger o'er a flower strays,
That he had pressed for her so tenderly.
She would not give that flower of faded gold,
For earth's best gifts of treasured wealth untold.

AMY E. CAMPBELL.

THE SOLDIERS OF THE PLOW.

(By Charles Sangster.)

No maiden dream, nor fancy theme
Brown Labor's muse would sing
Her stately mien and russet sheen
Demand a stronger wing.
Long ages since, the sage, the prince
The man of lordly brow
All honor gave that army brave
The Soldiers of the Plow
Kind Heaven speed the plow
And bless the hands that guide it.
God gives the seed
The bread we need
Man's labor must provide it.

In every land, the toiling hand
Is blest as it deserves
Not so, the race who in disgrace,
From honest labor swerves.
From fairest bowers bring rarest flowers
To deck the swarthy brow
Of him whose toil improves the soil,
The Soldier of the Plow
Kind Heaven speed the plow
And bless the hands that guide it.
God gives the seed
The bread we need
Man's labor must provide it.

Blest is his lot, in hall or cot,
Who lives as Nature wills,
Who pours his corn from Ceres' horn
And quaffs his native rills;
No breeze that sweeps trade's stormy deeps
Can touch his golden prow.
Their foes are few, their lives are true,
The Soldiers of the Plow.
Kind Heaven speed the plow
And bless the hands that guide it.
God gives the seed
The bread we need
Man's labor must provide it.

OUT OF IT ALL.

Out of it all shall come splendor and gladness,
Out of the madness and out of the sadness,
Cleaner and finer the world shall arise,
Why then keep sorrow and doubt in your eyes?

Joy shall be ours when the warfare is over,
Children shall gleefully romp in the clover,
Here with our heroes at home and at rest
We shall rejoice with the world at its best.

Not in vain, not in vain, is our bright banner flying,
Not for naught are the sons of our fond mothers dying;
The gloom and despair are not ever to last,
The world shall be better when they shall have passed.

So mourn not his absence, but smile and be brave,
You shall have him again from the brink of the grave;
In a wonderful world 'neath a wonderful sun
He shall come to your arms with his victory won.

EDGAR A. GUEST.

Bits of Byplay

by Luke McLuke

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Modern Cursery Rhymes.

Kaiser Bill
Went up the hill
The Allied boys to slaughter,
Bill fell down,
And lost his crown,
And his Huns came tumbling after.

Poor Old Paw.

Willie—Paw?
Paw—What is it, my son?
Willie—Could you say that a chief of police is a copperhead?
Paw—If you don't quit asking me questions, young man, I'll beat you until you can't stand up.

Hooray!

"Oh, joy! Oh, joy! Likewise, oh, boy!"
Exclaimed young Henroy Hellon;
"For pretty soon—along in June—
I'll eat ripe watermelon!"

You Know Him.

All honest labor he will shirk,
I speak of Henry Heeple;
You see, he doesn't have to work,
He's working other people.

The Wise Fool.

"A stitch in time saves nine," quoted the Sage.
"Yes, nine minutes of embarrassment," commented the Fool.

Any Other Nominations?

Carrie Monney, of R. R. No. 2, Gastonia, N. C., has been nominated for Treasurer of the Club.

Wuxtree!

A big shoe factory burned today,
It was a fearful holocaust;
I heard one of the firemen say
At least ten thousand soles were lost.

—Luke McLuke.

The train was wrecked, the mail car burned,
The mailing clerk learned to his cost,
As to the news he sadly turned,
That every single "Life" was lost.

—Newark Advocate.

Our Joe Miller Contest.

Breitenstein claims that the oldest joke is the one about the church that advertised for an organist. The following reply was received: "Dear Sir: I notice you have a vacancy for an organist and music teacher and you want either a lady or a gentleman. Having been both for some years, I offer my services."

Oh, Joy!

C. Overturf of Augusta, Ky., is going to clock the Derby candidates for the members of the Club.

Oh!

Getta Ott got her Ott when she married Charles Ott in Belvidere, Ill. And last week she got rid of the Ott that she got when the court granted her a divorce.

Names Is Names.

Noble Bean lives in Springfield, Ohio.

Our Daily Special.

Hard Luck Comes Easiest.

Luke McLuke Says.

There is nothing a woman hates worse than a male flirt—unless he happens to be flirting with her.

Some wives haven't enough to do to keep them busy. But it is different with the woman who married a man to reform him.

A wife shouldn't worry when her husband breaks a promise he made her. He will go right ahead and make another one.

The old-fashioned man who left footprints in the sands of time now has a son who is afraid he won't be able to cover up his tracks.

Of course, it is none of our business. But when a girl has canary bird legs she shouldn't wear yellow stockings to advertise them.

Why is it that, in spite of the fact that he isn't going anywhere in particular, a tramp will take so many risks to get there in a hurry?

After you have discussed the War and the Weather and the conversation lags, it is time to go home.

We have rummaged around a good deal, and it is our opinion that the more a man knows about the horses the less he wins on them.

The Advertiser's Daily Short Story

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A MAN'S HEART.

By Louise Oliver.

Virginia confessed to herself after Bob had gone away that she had acted dreadfully. But with characteristic pride she never acknowledged it to anyone else.

All Clearwater knew that she had resented her fiance's enlisting; that she had returned his ring and refused to say good-bye. But that was the end of it as far as anybody knew. That she still nursed her indignation was the consensus of opinion, for the more she repented of her action, the more she was determined no one should know it.

She plunged feverishly into all kinds of work; also into what gaiety there was left in the little town. In fact, it was Virginia who gathered up the frayed ends of social life and finally wove them into a new fabric of entertainment.

Her house became the mecca for knitting parties, thrift teas, dances with proceeds for French orphans and card parties with saving stamps for prizes.

The Red Cross became gradually so cognizant of her ability that all points of dispute were referred to her, the turn of a hem, the size of a buttonhole, the folding of a gauze dressing, the turning of a heel.

"When Virginia is so thoroughly imbued with the spirit of this war," said people, "one wonders why she ever fussed about Bob Jenning's going away." How were they to know that it was a case of cause and effect, that had Bob not gone she would never have been in the frame of mind that found useful activity quite essential.

Virginia, hearing something of this, answered spiritedly, "Oh, I don't disapprove of men enlisting, and in a way I'm proud of Bob. Only I think an engaged man is the same as a married man. His duty is to someone else, no matter how he feels about fighting. There are ten million unattached men who can go first. Then if they are needed, let the engaged and married ones go. But a man who has the idea that something else needs him before his life partner, either present or future, isn't cut out for matrimony. I did Bob a kindness to release him."

And after such a long and impressive speech, of which she didn't mean a word, she added: "It's just as well to find out about people before it's too late, you see." And she didn't mean that, either, only she was afraid people would think she still cared.

Of course, home letters carried gossip, and Bob in camp soon learned the colossal indifference with which Virginia regarded his absence. He had hoped, and kept on hoping, she would change her mind; that absence might, as it is said to do, make her heart grow fonder. But this did not look like it.

He was selected for an officer's training camp, and as the weeks went on he made good and won his commission as first lieutenant. Then being given two weeks' leave before he was assigned to a regiment, he went home. And great was the rejoicing. For Bob had many friends in Clearwater. That was why the girls once envious of Virginia now turned resentful of her treatment of him.

The big thing was a dance the girls planned in his honor. Clearwater had not had a real dress-up affair since the war began. So they decided to do it up right now. Also they decided for once that they did not need Virginia's help.

But they didn't put it that way to her, because they didn't want her to stay at home. "You have so much on your hands, Virginia," they explained, "we thought we'd give you a rest and do things ourselves. Just come and enjoy yourself. The fact that Bob is to be there need not affect you any, you know."

Virginia could not help flushing brightly.

"Well, I should say not. I want you all to know that I'll be very glad to see Bob. The fact that we are no longer going to marry each other doesn't necessarily say I dislike him, does it? How funny people are!" She spoke as evenly as she could.

But even after this speech, she was not included in the list made out for Bob. Adopting the college plan of filling cards before hand, the girls of Clearwater picked Bob's partners for him long before he arrived home. There were no dance cards—the list was just made out and handed to him.

"You see, it will save you such a lot of bother," they explained, when he smilingly thanked them. "One loses so much time hunting partners in the scramble. So each girl has put down her own name once—you see, we dare not be selfish—and you'll get around nicely."

Bob's face fell. Once! Then he could only have one dance with Virginia instead of a half dozen he had determined on. He had meant to try again tonight to plead with her for a little hope.

But running his eye down the list, he discovered that her name was not there at all. Was she so implacable as that then that she didn't even care for one dance?

But Virginia knew of no list, and as there were no cards, she supposed Bob's evening to be his own.

He looked stunning in his uniform, and she felt an involuntary pride in the silver bar on his shoulder. He had changed somewhat, and her heart gave a fierce little tug when she saw it. It was hard to explain this change. He looked well, hard, outdoor work had bronzed and toughened him, and rigid training had straightened even his straight shoulders. But the greater change was in his eyes and the expression of his mouth. There was no sadness, rather a sternness, the look of a man with a great work ahead to do and a determination to do it.

She felt like an ineffective bit of white paper against a great iron wall. She saw now that sentiment and duty must have entirely different places in a man's heart. How little and silly and cruel she had been!

And as the evening passed and Bob did not come near, she hated herself more and more. "He doesn't consider me at all," she thought. "I've killed all his love and respect. Oh, Bobbie, dear, I don't blame you."

How could she know the attempts he made to get to her; that the only chance he had was when she was whisked away by someone else.

She went home early without talking to him at all. But not to sleep. She sat on the veranda alone under the bright spring stars, and tried to untie the tangle her life had got her into.

An hour passed, two hours, and still she sat there thinking, hot, bitter tears falling into her lap.

A man passed. The street light caught the color of olive drab and a soldier's cap. Then she knew his walk.

"Bobbie!" she called. "Oh, Bobbie, come here."

And without a word he came up the steps and folded her close in his arms.

"Forgive me, dear!" she sobbed. "I—I'm so unhappy, and I—I love you so well. Don't hate me, please!"

"Hate you!" He lifted his eyes to the stars. "Hate you! You're my whole life, dear."

Which, after all, is hard to understand, when he had offered that life to his country.

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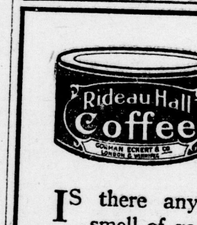
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Gen. John L. Clem, Who Was Sergeant in the United States Army at 12 Years of Age; Gen. David Stuart Gordon, Hero of the Battle of Gettysburg; Judge Samuel S. Yoder, for 18 Years a Practicing Physician and Formerly Surgeon Major in the Army, Also Tell How They Were Benefited by a Short Course of This Remarkable Product.

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Gen. Horatio Gates Gibson says Nuxated Iron has brought back to him in good measure that old buoyancy and energy that filled his veins in 1847 when he made his triumphant entry with Gen. Scott into the City of Mexico, and he feels that every soldier who goes to the front should take Nuxated Iron.

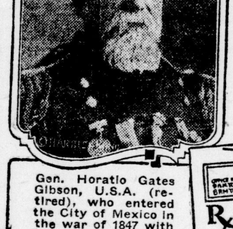
Another remarkable case is that of Gen. David Stuart Gordon, noted Indian fighter and hero of the battle of Gettysburg. Gen. Gordon says: "When I became badly run down this year, I found myself totally without the physical power to 'come back' as I had done in my younger days. I tried different so-called 'tonics' without feeling any better, but finally I heard of how physicians were widely recommending organic iron to renew red blood and rebuild strength in worn-out bodies. As a result I started taking Nuxated Iron, and within a month it had roused my weakened vital forces and made me feel strong again, giving me endurance such as I never hoped to again possess."

Another interesting case is that of General John Lincoln Clem, who at the early age of 12 years was sergeant in the U. S. army and the last veteran of the Civil War to remain on the U. S. army active list. General Clem says: "I find in Nuxated Iron the one and ever-reliable tonic. Two months after beginning the treatment I am a well man."

Dr. Schuyler C. Jaques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, New York City, said: "I have never before given out any medical information or advice for publication, as I ordinarily do not believe in it. But in the case of Nuxated Iron I feel I would be remiss in my duty not to mention it. I have taken it myself and given it to my patients with most surprising and satisfactory results. And those who wish quickly to increase their strength, power and endurance will find it a most remarkable and wonderfully effective remedy."

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Gen. Horatio Gates Gibson, U.S.A. (retired), who entered the City of Mexico in the war of 1847 with Gen. Winfield Scott. Gen. Gibson says: "Judging from the results in my own case, I feel that every soldier who goes to the front should take Nuxated Iron."



General John L. Clem, U. S. A. (Retired), the drummer boy of Shiloh, who entered the U. S. Army as a drummer boy at the age of eleven years. He was promoted to be Sergeant for gallantry at the battle of Chickamauga when only 13 years old. He says that Nuxated Iron is the one and ever-reliable tonic—that he obtained most surprising results from its use in two weeks' time.



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Judge Samuel S. Yoder, Statesman, Jurist and for 18 years a practicing physician, formerly Surgeon of the Union Veteran Union, says: "Nuxated Iron restores, revivifies and rehabilitates the system. To the man of 70, as I am, it is just as certain, just as efficacious as to the youth in his teens."

PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN



SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers are invited to 'phone all news of this kind to the Society Editor. Phone 3670.

Mrs. James Murdock and her daughter, Miss Elena, of Toronto are the guests of the Misses Brown, 516 King street. Miss Elena Murdock, gold medalist, will give readings at both morning and evening services at the Dundas Centre Methodist Church on the occasion of the Sunday school anniversary. Miss Murdock has met with great success, not only in Toronto but other cities in Ontario, too.

A merry time was spent by the young people of the Maitland Street Baptist Church, when the junior Y. P. B. U. gave a banquet and concert. Those taking part in the concert were the following: The Misses M. Roe, D. Burton, R. Teale, H. Ferguson, P. Coleman, M. Coughtrey, N. Norton, G. Norton, K. Haslam, T. Mantle, J. Coleman, E. Wilkinson, L. Teale and R. Ferguson, and Masters B. Pittaway, C. Coughtrey, J. Hindson, R. Fisher and L. Thompson.

Mrs. E. B. Smith is spending a few days in Toronto.

Mr. McBeth of Hamilton, who has charge of Red Cross Canning Kitchen there, and Mr. Culverhouse of Vineland were visitors in the city yesterday on their way to Parkhill for the week-end in connection with the reorganization of the community canning centre. They will be the guests of Capt. and Mrs. Wilson.

The London Railway Mail Clerks' Association held a most enjoyable at-home last evening.

PRINCESS VICTORIA'S REST CLUB

The world at large is just beginning to hear of a work that was commenced in the early months of the war and has been progressing steadily ever since. The prime mover in this was Princess Victoria, and it is due to her thoughtfulness and sympathy that British nurses in France have been able to recover from the strain of hospital service on the firing line. Nine rest clubs in all have been established by the princess and are located at Wimereux, Camiers, Etaples, Rouen, Abbeville, Calais, St. Omer, Le Treport and Boulogne. The crowning glory is a residential club in Paris, thus making it possible for nurses to have Paris leave occasionally and enjoy what would otherwise be entirely out of their reach.

Closely associated with the princess and of great service in collecting funds and managing the intricate and numerous details of the work are: Lady Vernon Gordon-Lennox, who is director in France; the Lady Ponsonby, the Hon. Lady Keppel, Lady Hugh Grosvenor, Lady Holford, Hon. Mrs. Cyril Ward, Lady Florence Willoughby (secretary), and Mrs. J. Covey Williams (treasurer). The director-general of the medical services recognizes the clubs as medical units under his jurisdiction. Light meals, tea, and sometimes breakfast, are furnished at reasonable prices. Members pay a merely nominal fee, which entitles them to the privileges of the club at any base through which they may be passing. Administrators of the W. A. A. C. and women ambulance drivers are also entitled to the privileges of the club.

The working day of the nursing sisters consist of anything from ten to twenty hours, and every hour of the day and night they face death with the soldiers. Sleeping under canvas with gas masks and tin hats beside their cots, living under fire for weeks at a time, seeing the harrowing side of life "heroes and martyrs," these women deserve a retreat which breathes nothing but cheerfulness and comfort and rest. King George and Queen Mary have donated a car for the use of Lady Gordon-Lennox, and in this way she is able to visit each one of the stations while directing the general work in the military hospital in Boulogne, where she has been since 1914. Nursing Sisters from England, Scotland, Wales, Ireland, New Zealand, Canada, and the United States are working side by side in these hospitals, with never a thought except the good of their common cause.

The Paris club is a special boon to overseas nurses, as the matron-in-chief could see no way of granting Paris leave until this club was opened. This club sets a record for speedy and effective work, as it was founded, furnished and opened in six weeks, when supplies were not easily obtained and transportation was uncertain and hazardous. There are guest rooms for thirty sisters in the Paris club-house, and a cosy sitting-room and restaurant. Two young V.A.D.'s assist the English lady who is in charge, and there are three French servants. There are open fires (with British coal), beautiful chintz hangings, easy chairs, excellent food, and everything that speaks of home-like comfort.

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To Go Overseas.

Dear Miss Grey,—Would you kindly tell me if one must be a qualified nurse to be accepted for training to go overseas? If so, are there any branches of the work which are open to the inexperienced? Where could one write for particulars?

Thanking you. RAINBOW.

Ans.—1. Yes.

2. Sorry, but I know of none where you might be accepted. The women of the United Kingdom have risen so nobly to meet the demand for helpers in hospitals, convalescent homes, etc., that there seems few opportunities for their Canadian sisters, even as scrub-ladies.

DAILY BIBLE QUESTION CLUB

Suggestive Question on the Uniform Lesson for Sunday, May 11, 1918.

ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION, By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D.D.

Jesus Faces the Cross. Mark 10:32-52.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY:

18. Verse 49. Of what service are merely formal prayers?

19. Verse 50. When our prayers are for a life and death matter, like the salvation of our souls, what should we be willing to "cast away" in order to have our prayer answered?

20. Verse 51. The Lord knows all we need, but why does he generally require us to present our specific wants to him before he supplies them?

Golden Text—He humbled himself, becoming obedient even unto death, yea, the death of the cross. Phil. 32-52.

THE CROSS OF CHRIST IS A SYMBOL OF VICTORY.

The scribes and Pharisees thought, when they had brought about Christ's death, that they had put an end to his teaching, but instead they were helping him in the very means which he had deliberately chosen in order to more effectually extend his teaching. Christ has accomplished, and is still accomplishing, wonderful things toward the salvation of sinners, and toward the reign of righteousness upon this sin-cursed earth. The cross of Christ is therefore, a symbol, or an evidence, that suffering and death frequently accomplish for our fellows what nothing else could do. The cross of Christ emphasizes the fact that there is no exaltation without suffering, and that, through death life will be brought to untold millions.

JIMMY COON STORIES

By Dr. Warren G. Partridge.
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JIMMY COON PLAYS A PRANK ON THE POSSUM BOYS.

Jimmy Coon invited Teddy Possum and his five little brothers to go fishing with him, one very dark night. And the six furry fishermen went to a deep pool in Singing Brook. Jimmy Coon and Teddy Possum and his five little brothers got way out on the end of a slippery log, which extended out over the nice deep pool in the brook.

And Jimmy Coon lay down on the log beside Teddy Possum and his five little brothers; and Jimmy Coon was so cunning that he got on the side of the Possums next to the bank. And Teddy Possum and his five little brothers tried to fish just like Jimmy Coon.

They all kept very still, never moving a hair for over an hour; and all of them lightly stroked the surface of the water with their whiskers and the tip ends of their paws. And suddenly there was a big splash as a large trout jumped out of the water to grab Jimmy Coon's moustache, which Mr. Trout mistook for a skater or some other insect.

And, quick as a flash Jimmy Coon's right fore paw flew out and struck that big trout, just as a boy would bat a baseball. Jimmy Coon usually batted a fish like that, straight for the bank, so he could jump on shore, and eat the trout for his supper. But Jimmy Coon had eaten his supper, and wasn't hungry; so in his mischief, he decided to bat that big trout straight at Teddy Possum's head.

Now, you see that if Teddy Possum had known that Jimmy Coon was to bat that big trout at his head, why, of course he would have put up his two fore hands, and would have caught a "fly." But Jimmy Coon was such a strong batter, that the big Trout hit Teddy Possum squarely on the head, and knocked him over on to his five little brothers, and they all plunged head first into that deep pool of water.

Now you know that Possums do not like water as well as Sammy Muskrat does; and you would have chuckled if you had seen Teddy Possum and his five brothers knocked off that slippery log and plunged into that deep pool heels over head.

And you never heard such sneezing, coughing and splashing as Teddy Possum and his five little brothers made in that cold bath. Teddy Possum was mad clean through, and he gurgled, with his mouth full of water, and he was half strangled, "Jimmy Coon, that was a mean trick, and you know it, and you ought to be ashamed of yourself."

But Jimmy Coon was on the bank, dancing a little coon jig. And he laughed out, "Why, Teddy Possum, you bragged that you were a good ball player, and that you could catch any straight ball; and I batted that big Trout straight for your head. Why didn't you catch it on the fly?"



They all plunged head first into that deep pool of water.

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

They Want Writing Paper.

"You have no idea what we are up against these days in trying to get supplies." So writes our C.W.C.A. secretary from England, in a letter that brims over with thanks for our last shipment. She adds: "There is hardly a thing that is plentiful and everything a shocking price. One of our great needs today is notepaper, writing material of all kinds for the men at the front. We are getting very little from Canada, and it is really beyond our means to purchase here." The appeal ends with words of gratitude:

"Your wonderful support cheers our hearts, as well as fills our shelves."

Keep Them Well Filled.

It is our business to keep those shelves always full—full, not only of writing materials, but of everything that comes under the head of comforts. It would never do to allow them to get empty. For one day there would come from the firing line a hurry-up order for socks or trench candles, or soap, or candies, and the answer would go back from England, "The women of Canada have been too busy at other things to trouble over the comfort of the men in the trenches; we have nothing to send."

But, of course, that simply must not and cannot happen, so long as we can hold needles and spare a cent from our own comforts to give to the men who have given everything we own to us.

"Give until you feel that you
Cannot give another sou!
Give until you're broke, and then
Make some coin to give again!
What is all you give away?
There in Flanders yesterday
Was a soldier, fine and true,
Who gave up his life for you."

Especially the Socks.

There has been a huge batch of letters sent in to headquarters from officers at the front telling of the gratitude of the fighting men for the gifts sent by the C. W. C. A. There are too many to hope to even quote from half of them, but they prove beyond a doubt that the things we send overseas reach the boys in the trenches and make their life there less unbearable. The letters are all alike in one respect. They all breathe out thanks, especially for the socks. There is no gift that reaches a soldier's heart, as well as his feet, quicker than a pair of soft, well-knit socks.

This is what Gen. Currie says in his letter: "In the wonderful work you are doing you touch the daily lives of the men in the trenches in the closest possible way, and your abundant supply of practical gifts has contributed in a large measure to their comfort, happiness and health."

Another of the letters, one of especial interest to Londoners, is from Lieut.-Col. Ibbotson Leonard, and expresses the warm appreciation of the Canadian Light Horse for all the many good things the C. W. C. A. have sent them.

A Double Task.

We are surely doing a very fine work indeed in this task of making a soldier's life a little easier at the front. Let us keep it up at full speed. We dare not relax lest he might have to do without some little thing that we might send. Ours is surely a wonderful labor of love—for the wounded and sick and the prisoner, the Red Cross; for the fighting man enduring unnamed horrors on the battle line, the C. W. C. A. And we women belong to both branches of the service, and must do double work that neither shall want.

Our Latest Gift.

The C. W. C. A. shipped from Hyman Hall on April 30, 43 boxes containing the following articles: 3,456 pairs of socks, 327 shirts, 6 sweater coats, 42 caps and 1,092 handkerchiefs.

On the same date the Red Cross shipped 62 boxes, containing 327 shirts, 480 suits pyjamas, 53 bed jackets, 24 dressing-gowns, 153 sheets, 770 pillowslips, 770 towels, 17 pillows, 326 housewives, 240 pairs bed socks, 1,252 pairs of socks, 2 boxes of old linen and 15 boxes of surgical supplies.

MARIAN KEITH,
Press Secretary.

Patriotic Western Ontario

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

KERWOOD.—The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church re-elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Mrs. Brunt; 1st vice-president, Mrs. Frank Hull; secretary, Mrs. Howard Early; treasurer, Mrs. Frank Wright. The ladies are planning their annual picnic and bazaar, about which particulars will be announced later.

The 6th Line Red Cross Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Tidball on Friday, May 10.

The Women's Institute will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. T. F. Mills on Wednesday, May 15.

APPIN.—The Red Cross cutting committee met at the home of Mrs. D. L. McIntyre and cut out one web of grey flannel. The purchasing committee have ordered 25 pounds of yarn and a web of grey flannel from Hyman Hall. The April output of the Red Cross here, consisting of 30 pairs of socks and one grey flannel shirt, was packed and sent to Hyman Hall.

ILDERTON.—The Coldstream Women's Institute will hold its annual meeting in the Foresters' Hall, Poplar Hill, on Tuesday, May 14, the roll call to be answered by a summer salad recipe. The election of officers will be held and discussion begun on plans for summer meetings. The collection will be for Belgian relief fund.

WATFORD.—At the regular meeting of Tecumseh Chapter, I.O.D.E., held at the home of Mrs. Howden, Nursing Sister Rose Reid, lately returned from France, gave a very interesting description of her work in the hospitals at the front, drawing special attention to the bravery of the Canadian soldiers. The thrift exhibit committee brought in a very encouraging report, showing that preparations are well under way for the school fair, which they purpose holding next month. Several letters were read from soldiers who received parcels from the chapter.

MOUNT BRYDGES.—The annual meeting of the Mount Brydges Women's Institute was held in the club rooms. The delegates for the convention to be held at Middlemiss were appointed and last year's officers were all re-elected. The secretary's report was read, which showed a splendid year, the full receipts for the year being $177.71, and expenditures $141.96, leaving a balance on hand of $35.75. The proceeds of a play, "Peg o' My Heart," recently reported to be $56, amounted to only half of that amount, and were devoted to the prisoner of war fund.

WIARTON.—With a membership of eighteen, the Women's Patriotic League in Clavering, the receipts for the year amounted to $203.22. During the winter months this league sent on an average of one pair of socks a day to boys in the trenches.

Since January the Lion's Head Women's Patriotic League sent to the Canadian Red Cross $104.40; to Belgian relief, $102.45; and still has a balance on hand of $211.45.

At a meeting of the Tobermory branch of the Women's Institute, the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. W. Leslie; 1st vice-president, Mrs. C. Golden; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. A. Munn; and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. J. Simpson.

A new society was organized last week called Oxenden Patriotic League. It used to co-operate with the Wiarton league. The officers are: President, Mrs. J. F. Reeve; secretary, Miss M. Davidson; treasurer, Miss Alice Dance. An entertainment for May 24 is being planned for.

FLORENCE.—The annual business meeting of the Women's Institute and election of officers for the ensuing year was held at the home of Mrs. Albert Peters, 26 members being present. Mrs. Dan Buchanan, who has been the president for the past three years, gave an address. The officers elected were as follows: President, Mrs. D. Buchanan (acel.); 1st vice-president, Mrs. Ernest Webster; 2nd vice-president, Mrs. George Bodkin; secretary-treasurer, Miss M. Drew; directors, Mrs. Thomas McCutcheon, Mrs. W. Bobier, Mrs. Hall, Mrs. A. Peters, Mrs. Lindsay, Mrs. Adams and Mrs. Charles Bodkin; district director, Mrs. MacRobert; representatives to district annual meeting, Mrs. Paddick and Miss Drew; program committee, Mrs. Paddick, convener; Sadie Ackert, Edna Wall and Francis Bobier; sick committee, Mrs. Law, Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Ackert and Mrs. C. Bodkin; flower committee, Mrs. S. Elliott, Miss Corbett and F. Bobier; yarn and sock committee, Mrs. Peters, Miss Corbett, Mrs. George Sinclair, Miss Kerby. After the business meeting lunch was served, in honor of Mrs. N. G. Sinclair, the retiring secretary, who is leaving Florence to make her home elsewhere. Mrs. Sinclair has been a faithful secretary, both as an institute and patriotic worker for the past two years, and will be missed greatly. The annual report submitted showed: Total receipts, $551.40; total disbursements, $451.03; leaving a cash balance on hand of $103.37. Total shipments made to Hyman Hall was as follows: 366 towels, 443 pillowcases, 96 pyjamas, 57 stretcher bearer caps, and 6 washcloths, having a total value of $430. Fifteen gallons of maple syrup and sugar, to the value of $30, was shipped as soldiers' comforts. Goods on hand to make up are valued at $83. The institute has knit during the past year 108 pairs of socks out of yarn supplied by Red Cross headquarters, Toronto. These socks were shipped to Toronto Red Cross rooms. The institute is also indebted to the Zone townline branch for the following assistance: 61 pairs pyjamas, 190 pair pillowcases, 90 pairs towels, and 8 pairs socks. The institute closed another successful year with a cash balance on hand to meet the demands for new work, which will begin in a few days.

WALLACETOWN.—The Wallacetown Women's Institute held its annual meeting in the town hall and the reports handed in were eminently satisfactory, when it is taken into consideration that this is only one of the seven patriotic societies in Dunwich. The following is the report of the Red Cross work for the year: Pairs of socks knit, 608; pairs shipped from April 30, 1917, to May 1, 1918, 608; 82 flannel shirts, 48 suits pyjamas, 97 trench towels, 21 pillowcases, 2 washcloths, 37 stretcher caps, and bundles of old cotton. When the books were audited on May 1, 1917, there was a balance on hand of $41.64, and during the year $820.53 was raised. The expenditures during the year were $820.41, and when the books were audited on May 1, 1918, there was a balance on hand of $41.76. The money was raised by various means, namely, patriotic boxes, private donations, grants from the council, lawn social, sale of old papers, self-denial gifts, lunches on fair day, proceeds from 10th Con. S. S. prize for soldiers' comforts, Ladies' Aid Methodist Church, Tyrconnell, bazaar, money from picnic fund, entertainment at S. S. No. 1, private checks, proceeds from box social at G. Gilbert's for 9th Con. S. S., Kelley's Corners Dramatic Club, surprise party, ten-cent tea, party in hall at Easter. The disbursements were for flannel, jam, flannelette, towelling, spools, tape, lining, etc., amounting to $623.38; postage, $26.86; express, $2.30; French Red Cross, $10; British Red Cross, $15; prisoner of war department, $20; Halifax relief fund, $15.25; lawn social, $70.07; fair, $31.53; miscellaneous, $6.02; leaving a balance on hand of $41.76. The number of pairs of socks sent to the Red Cross Society, Toronto, were 137; Hyman Hall, London, 365; McKay House, St. Thomas, 63. At Christmas and Easter 43 boxes were sent, with a total value of: Toronto, $123.30; Hyman Hall, $470.85; McKay House, $103.80; overseas, $113.50. After the reports were given Mrs. E. Small gave an address, and Mrs. E. V. Docker presented the secretaries, Miss G. Pearce of the institute, and Miss M. McCallum of the Red Cross, each with beautiful knitting bags and bouquets of daffodils, tied with the institute colors. The election of officers took place, which resulted as follows: President, Mrs. A. S. Backus; 1st vice-president, Mrs. S. S. Turville; secretary of Women's Institute, Miss M. McKillop; secretary of Red Cross, Miss M. McCallum; program committee, Mrs. J. A. Cameron, Mrs. H. Dromgole, Mrs. S. V. Jones; district representative, Mrs. E. V. Docker; Red Cross committee, Mrs. F. Kourty, Mrs. F. Campbell, Miss G. Pierce, Mrs. R. Ford; packing committee, Mrs. D. W. Graham and Miss M. Cameron; auditors, Mrs. W. H. McFarlane and Miss Eva Cusack.

The next meeting of the Sewing Circle will be held on Thursday afternoon, May 16, at the home of Mrs. William Plum.

BEECHWOOD.—The April meeting of the Beechwood branch of the Women's Institute was held in the Foresters' Hall, a large number being in attendance. The knitting contest came to a close that day, when 294 splendidly knit pairs of socks were brought in. Mrs. D. McLean and Mrs. J. Currie were the captains, Mrs. McLean's side winning with 161 pairs to their credit, while Mrs. Currie's side had 133 pairs. One hundred and twenty-five pairs are to be sent in parcels direct overseas, and the rest are being shipped to the C.W.C.A., Hyman Hall. The institute is having a concert and shower on the 14th, the shower to consist of tobacco, trench towels, handkerchiefs, soap, trench candles and shoelaces. The Carlyle Dramatic Club has consented to give a play, "Vally Farm," on May 14 in Beechwood hall. This play has been given twice before and the hall was packed at each place. The proceeds will be used for Red Cross work. The annual meeting of the branch will be held May 21 in the hall. Mrs. H. Windsor, district president, is expected to be present.

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL BOX

Kindly Komokaites.

The address of "Canada"—our "lonely" in India—has been mailed to several kindly Komokaites and Loboites, who will correspond with him in answer to his recent letter.

Red Cross Socks?

Dear Miss Grey,—I saw in your Page last winter how to knit a pair of socks, but just forgot to cut it out at the time and couldn't find it when I wanted it. Would you please print it again?

2. What is nice for a baby boy's bonnet and cloak for summer?

MOTHER OF ONE.

Ans.—I wonder if you refer to the instructions for soldier socks? The rules issued by the Red Cross Society appeared on this page during the winter. They are rather lengthy to reprint in our rather limited space, but if you send me your address and a stamp, I shall have a copy forwarded you.

2. Bonnets in various washable fabrics may be purchased, or a dainty bonnet is constructed of rustic straw lined with thin silk in white, pink or blue. For the cloak, summer-weight serge, cashmerette, or any similar material is used a great deal.

Her Hair Splits.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am a constant reader of your page, and find it very interesting, even though I am not a very frequent caller. Will you be kind enough, if possible, to tell me the cause of the hair splitting at the ends? Also some good remedy for same?

Thanking you in advance, I remain, yours, JACK CANUCK.

Ans.—As a rule this is brought about by too great a dryness of the hair roots and scalp. The application of oil in some form for a continued length of time, together with regular massage to stimulate the natural oils to do their work, brushing and shampoos, usually brings about a more healthy condition.

Royalty and Salads.

Miss Grey,—To settle an argument, can you inform me how many children did the Duchess of Connaugh have, and when did she die? Also have you a recipe for apple and celery salad? I am, ALLY'S ALLY.

Ans.—Her Royal Highness the late Duchess of Connaught died March 14, 1917. Her family included one son, Prince Arthur; Princess Margaret, consort of Sweden's crown prince, and Princess Patricia.

Here is the salad recipe: Mix equal parts of chopped tart apples, celery and English walnuts. Mix with a cream dressing until salad is very moist; let stand, and when ready to serve, add more dressing; this is made by beating together 2 eggs, 2 tablespoons granulated sugar, 1 teaspoon dry mustard, a pinch of salt, small piece of butter; cook in a double boiler, and when cold, add ½ cup whipped cream.

He Advised The Advertiser.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am an interested reader of your page, but not for long, as I was a reader of the Globe until it turned Tory. As I could not follow the Globe I asked a friend for a paper I could depend on; he advised The Advertiser, and I sent in my name at once, and you know it takes a little while to get used to a change of any kind, especially old people. I am well pleased with The Advertiser, and likely to continue it for my few remaining years unless it should change in a way that I could not follow.

I was pleased with the letter of "A Country Woman" re the daylight saving time. Personally it makes no difference to me. I put the clock on one hour ahead of the sun, or to Borden time, but as for going by it I do not. My baby, being 25 years of age, I have none to go to school, but I see little girls pass here that have 2½ miles to walk, and I pity them having to get up so early. If farmers quit work at 6 o'clock, Borden time, I am afraid there will not be much extra produce. I read in a local paper where the editor said he was in a "worse position than a lone farmer on 200 acres of land." I just smiled, I wonder if he ever tried to work even 100 acres alone, and I wonder how many would go hungry if his paper should cease to be, or half the local papers for that matter! I, for one, think I could survive if they all failed!

I saw an inquiry for quilt patterns, and as I have a number I thought I would send some in. I think any girl would be better employed, using up patches in making quilts than in dancing! I have never had time for dancing or card playing, and am very thankful I never learned either. It seems to me a silly waste of time and strength at any time, and at this time, a sin. I cannot understand how any who have loved ones at the front could think of dancing! It looks to me as if this awful war was going to continue until people came back to their right minds and were ready to lay their heads in prayer instead of kicking up their heels like young animals, but then perhaps I and too old for the fast age I find myself in. I will sign. GRANDMA.

Ans.—It is a real pleasure to forward Grandma's quilt designs to Scotch Reader. I am glad you like The Advertiser, Grandma, and hope "we" may always merit your approval. I have asked the circulation manager to see that the address on your label is altered as requested.

URGE WOMEN TO HEAR THE FOOD CONTROLLER

Mrs. David Williams, head of the local Women's Auxiliary to the National Resources Committee, has made the request that all the members of that auxiliary be present on Tuesday night to hear H. B. Thompson, the food controller, speak in Wesley Hall. This auxiliary is composed of the presidents of every woman's organization in the city, and since the signing of the pledge cards has had no active work to do. The food controller comes with a message to all women and men, but especially to the women who are on the committee to further food conservation.

DUNDAS CENTRE LADIES' AID ELECTS OFFICERS

At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Dundas Centre Methodist Church was recently held, the reports of the work accomplished during the year being most gratifying.

One thousand and twenty-four pairs of socks and three thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight garments were sent into the Red Cross headquarters.

Credit for very substantial assistance in the work must be given to class 27 of this church.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows:

Honorary president, Mrs. Wm. Heaman; president, Mrs. J. D. Keasley-side; first vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Winnett; second vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Braddon; third vice-president, Mrs. H. Ashplant; corresponding secretary, Mrs. H. Pocock; recording secretary, Mrs. F. White; treasurer, Mrs. (Dr.) Weekes.



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THE GIANTS' WINNING STREAK BROKEN---KENTUCKY DERBY OPENS TODA

SOME THRILLING TURF CLASHES IN PROSPECT FOR THE SUMMER

Speediest Nags Ever Foaled Will Come Together—Old and Young Thoroughbreds To Compete.

Interest in the forthcoming races involving the older class of thoroughbreds to be campaigned in the east this season is keyed to concert pitch. The mixture of the graduates from the 3-year-olds of 1917 with the older horses will bring together in turf duels some of the speediest horses ever foaled.

Hourless, August Belmont's sensational black colt; Omar Khayyam, the 3-year-old champion of a year ago; Cudgel, for which $30,000 has been paid; Ticket, another stellar performer of 1917; Westy Hogan, which beat Omar in one of the closing distance races of 1917—these are some of the 4-year-olds that will try conclusions with such idols as Old Rosebud, the all-ages champion of 1917; Roamer, the crack Miller horse, which won the all-ages laurels in 1916; Borrow, 10 years old, but a world's record smasher in 1917; and Stromboli, the game, wonderful Belmont horse.

Some new and thrilling pages in turf history should be written during the coming summer.

GREAT EXHIBITION OF PRIM HARRY

Every once in so often things happen in real life that put the most fanciful fiction writer to shame, as witness the case of Prim Harry, an imported racehorse, at the Havre de Grace track a short spell back.

So little was thought of Prim Harry by his owner that he was entered to be sold for $300, in case he won the race. And so lightly was Prim Harry considered by the "smart folks" that out of more than $11,000 that was bet on the race only $80 was wagered on Prim Harry's chances to win odds of about 146 to 1 against him.

At the lifting of the barrier for the mile race, Prim Harry got away eighth. At the first quarter he was absolutely last in a field of ten, and at least 30 lengths behind the flying leaders. At the half-mile Prim Harry was still trailing, and at the three-quarter mile Prim Harry was about a furlong behind the leaders. And then he started to run, and gave one of the most amazing exhibitions of sprinting ever seen on a racetrack.

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Rounding the turn for home he dashed like a horse possessed. In a half-dozen gigantic strides he closed the open space between him and the field. With whirlwind speed he moved up to ninth place, eighth, sixth, then fourth! A furlong to go, and still a dozen lengths behind the leading Yodeling. But, undaunted, Prim Harry raced on, and ever on. The pilot aboard Yodeling heard him come, heard the thunder of his hoofs on the turf, and drove Yodeling to the utmost.

Fifty feet from the finish wire Prim Harry was at Yodeling's flanks. Thirty feet from the wire he was at his saddle. Twenty feet to go, he was at his neck. Now it was nose and nose. Another jump—another—and Prim Harry, one of the rankest "outsiders" ever entered in a horse race was over the line, a winner, paying his backers $293.80 for every ticket. Tremendous odds of about 146 to 1.

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GIANTS LOSE SECOND GAME OF THE SEASON WHEN PITTSBURG WINS

McGraw's Winning Streak Broken—Reds Defeat Cards.

PITTSBURG, May 10.—Defeat came to New York today in the initial game of their western trip, Pittsburg winning 4 to 2, and breaking the long string of New York victories. It was the second game lost this season by the National League champions. Hamilton, pitching for Pittsburg, scored his sixth straight victory. He held New York to four hits and would have been credited with a shutout had it not been for King's muff of a short fly that belonged to Caton. Score— R. H. E.
New York ...0 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—2 4 1
Pittsburg ...3 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 x—4 7 1
Benton, Anderson and Rariden; Hamilton and Schmidt.

REDS AGAIN WIN GAME IN THE FINAL FRAME

ST. LOUIS, May 10.—A single by Groh in the ninth inning today scored Wingo with the run that gave Cincinnati victory over St. Louis in a see-saw contest, 5 to 4. It was the fourth game in as many days won in the last inning. Score— R. H. E.
Cincinnati ....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 3 1—5 9 2
St. Louis ....0 0 0 1 2 0 0 1 0—4 11 2
Toney, Schneider, Conley and Wingo; Ames and Snyder.

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BINGOES TAKE THIRD STRAIGHT FROM LEAFS DESPITE LESS CLOUTS

Jerseys Defeated by Hustlers — Newark Trims Syracuse.

BINGHAMTON, May 10.—By winning the last game of the series Binghamton made it three straight from Toronto today. Hersche pitched good ball for the losers, but his support on a wet field was not good, and with eight hits Binghamton annexed five runs, to twelve hits and four runs for Toronto. Kay and Lied both starred at the bat, each getting a double and a triple. Score. R. H. E.
Toronto .....0 0 1 0 1 2 0 0 0— 4 12 3
Binghamton ..0 2 1 0 0 1 0 1 *— 5 8 4
Batteries — Hersche and Howley; Frock and Haddock.

RUSSELL OF HUSTLERS FANS FOURTEEN MEN

JERSEY CITY, May 10.—Rochester took the deciding game of the series from Jersey City today by a score of 2 to 1. Russell struck out fourteen men and held the local batters to two hits.
Score— R.H.E.
Rochester .....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—2 4 1
Jersey City ...0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 2 2
Russell and Flaherty; Horsey and McGraw.

SYRACUSE LOSES THIRD STRAIGHT TO NEWARK

NEWARK, May 10.—Newark made it three straight from Syracuse, winning in the ninth inning today by a score of 6 to 5. With two out in the ninth, three successive singles, coupled with poor fielding, sent across two runs. Shay, second-baser, was hit by a pitched ball in the batting practice, and was unable to play.
Score— R.H.E.
Syracuse .....3 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0—5 12 5
Newark .....0 2 1 0 1 0 0 0 2—6 9 2
Heck and Hopper; Rommel and Bruggy.

DEINZER'S POOR THROW GIVES BUFFALO GAME

BALTIMORE, May 10.—Jake Deinzer lost his own game today by his poor throwing. He filled the bases with passes in the fifth inning, and then made a wild throw to the plate with an easy double-play in sight. Mason was rushed to the rescue, but Buffalo scored six runs.

Rain broke up the contest after the first half of the sixth inning.
Score— R.H.E.
Buffalo .....0 0 0 0 6—6 2 1
Baltimore .....0 0 3 0 0—3 6 4
Thomas and Meyers; Deinzer, Mason and Egan.

LORD APPOINTED MANAGER AND PLAYER OF JERSEYS

Former Third Baser of White Sox Will Hold Sack.

JERSEY CITY, May 10.—Harry Lord, former third baser of the Chicago American League Club, will manage and play third base for the Jersey City International League Club, it was announced today. Lord will take charge of the club either tomorrow or Sunday.

BASEBALL AT A GLANCE

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Newark	3	0	1.000
Binghamton	3	0	1.000
Rochester	2	1	.667
Baltimore	2	1	.667
Jersey City	1	2	.333
Buffalo	1	2	.333
Toronto	0	3	.000
Syracuse	0	3	.000

Yesteray's Results.
Binghamton 5, Toronto 4.
Newark 6, Syracuse 5.
Rochester 2, Jersey City 1.
Buffalo 6, Baltimore 3.
Games Today.
Toronto at Baltimore.
Buffalo at Binghamton.
Syracuse at Jersey City.
Rochester at Newark.
Sunday Games.
Toronto at Baltimore.
Buffalo at Binghamton.
Rochester at Newark.
Syracuse at Jersey City.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Cleveland	12	8	.600
Boston	13	9	.591
Chicago	9	7	.563
New York	11	10	.524
St. Louis	8	8	.500
Washington	9	11	.450
Detroit	7	9	.438
Philadelphia	7	12	.368

Yesterday's Results.
Detroit, 5; New York, 3.
Cleveland, 8; Washington, 2.
Botson, 4; St. Louis, 1.
Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 3.
Games Today.
Detroit at New York.
Cleveland at Washington.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Boston.
Games Sunday
Detroit at New York.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	18	2	.900
Chicago	13	5	.722
Pittsburg	10	9	.526
Cincinnati	11	12	.478
Philadelphia	8	11	.421
St. Louis	7	14	.333
Brooklyn	6	13	.316
Boston	5	14	.263

Yesterday's Results.
Pittsburg 4, New York 2.
Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 4.
Today's Games.
Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Pittsburg.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
Sunday's Games.
Boston at Chicago.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.

Giants' Winning Bee May Cease Humming on the Western Trip

"Jawn's" Men Pitted Against Poor Teams Last Three Weeks.

Don't get all excited over the huge lead the Giants have gained in the National League race, because "there's a reason." And that is the Giant opposition during the first three weeks of the campaign.

The Dodgers haven't shown up as well as might a classy semi-pro team; the Braves have played weird baseball, and the Phillies are only so-so. And those teams constituted the Giant opposition through April and early in May.

Is it any wonder that the New Yorkers "blew" themselves to a fine winning streak?

A different story perhaps will appear in the "Standing of Clubs" column after the Giants grapple a few times with the strong clubs in the western end of the circuit.

BASKETBALLERS OF LOCAL COLLEGIATE DEFEAT ST. THOMAS

Despite Handicap, London Youngsters Trounce Railway City Youths.

In the fastest basketball game of the year the London Collegiate Institute boys ended up the season here last night with a 38 to 17 defeat over St. Thomas. The local youngsters more than atoned for their defeat at St. Thomas recently, and before the second period had piled up a score which more than offset the six-point handicap under which the Londoners were playing owing to their defeat at St. Thomas.

Beginning play with a rush, Duncan McLean, the crack local defence man, scored for London on an accurate long shot. Not content with drawing first blood, the locals scored again on a pretty bit of combination play.

The first half of the game ended with the score 11 to 3 in favor of the L.C.I.

Rough tactics on the part of both teams marred the game for a short time during both the first and second periods. Gillies and Bryant of London were sent to the side-liners by Referee Kingswood for body-checking and general rough usage of the Railway City boys.

The sterling work of Duncan McLean at defence was responsible to a large extent for the Londoners' ability to keep their opponents' score as low as it was. McLean not only stopped his attackers, but managed to score twelve of his team's points.

Dochstader, at defence, played his usual consistent game. Gillies was good, and Henderson, in centre, was on the ball all the time.

The backbone of the St. Thomas ball-pushers was Lay. The big fellow rushed things from the start, and kept the locals going all through the fixture. Howard's accuracy in shooting accounted for five of his team's points.

The boys' game was preceded by an exhibition by the young women of the two collegiates. The local girls won by a point, the final score being 15 to 14.

The boys' team lined up as follows:

London.		St. Thomas.	
Gillies, f.	4	Leitch, f.	2
Bryant, f.	12	Howard, f.	5
Henderson, c.	8	Johns, c.	0
McLean, d.	12	Turnpenny, d.	0
Dochstader, d.	2	Lay, d.	10
Total	38	Total	17

The London girls lined up: Grace Mann, Pearl Blackwell, Lottie Garret, Margaret Gemmel and Hector Wilson.

ARMY CRICKETERS PLAY AGAIN TODAY

The Army Medical Corps team of cricketers will engage an eleven from the W. O. R. in the second game of the season, today. Stabler, of the A. M. C., is one of the most proficient players in the city, and his bowling and batting should be well worth witnessing.

It is proposed to draw up a schedule in the near future of local military units. The condition of the pitch was not of the best at the opening game of the year, but constant rolling yesterday has put it in a fair state for this time of the season.

LOADMAN WINS BY K. O.

Milwaukee, May 10.—Dick Loadman, bantamweight boxer of Lockport, N. Y., tonight knocked out Johnny Ertle of St. Paul in the third of a ten-round bout.

TIGES FIND MOGRIDGE FOR 10 HITS, BEATING YANKEES; INDIANS WIN

Former Ottawa Star Allows Boston One Clout in Three Innings.

NEW YORK, May 10.—Detroit opened its eastern invasion here, today, with a 5 to 3 victory over the New York team. The Tigers hit Mogridge hard and opportunely, while New York was unable to hit Dauss effectively, except in the fourth inning, when Baker clouted a home run and Pipp tripled, scoring on a wild pitch. Bush's fielding featured.
The score— R.H.E.
Detroit .....0 2 1 0 0 1 0 1 0—5 10 1
New York .....0 0 0 2 0 0 0 1 0—3 7 1
Dauss and Yelle; Mogridge, Love and Hannah.

INDIANS TRIM SENATORS IN EIGHT-INNING BATTLE

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Opportune hitting at the expense of Shaw and Harper, gave Cleveland an 8 to 2 victory today over Washington. Coveleskie was effective with men on the bases. With a storm approaching, the game was called at the end of the eighth inning on account of darkness.
The score— R.H.E.
Cleveland .....1 1 3 2 0 0 1 0—8 9 1
Washington ....0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0—2 8 1
Coveleskie and O'Neill; Shaw, Harper, Craft and Casey.

SOX BEAT ST. LOUIS; SHOCKER PLAYS WELL

BOSTON, May 10.—Boston broke its losing steak today by defeating St. Louis, 4 to 1. Mays held the visitors to 5 hits. Davenport pitched the first 5 innings for St. Louis and was hit soundly. Shocker pitched the last 3 innings and gave 1 hit. Ruth played left field for Boston, but went hitless.
The score— R.H.E.
St. Louis .....1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 5 0
Boston .....0 0 2 0 1 0 1 0 x—4 8 0
Davenport, Shocker, and Nunamaker; Mays and Schang.

BURNS GETS TWO HOMERS; ATHLETICS ARE DEFEATED

PHILADELPHIA, May 10.—Chicago began its eastern trip today with an eleven-inning victory over Philadelphia 5 to 3. The White Sox found Gregg for two runs in the eighth inning and two more in the eleventh, after he had held them safe in the early stages of the contest.

With two out in the first inning Walker and Burns both hit home runs. Burns' drive cleared the left field wall, the first time this has been accomplished in the history of Shibe Park, which was opened in 1909. With Chicago leading 3 to 2 in the ninth inning, Burns got his second home run, a drive into the left field bleachers.
Score— R. H. E.
Chicago .....100 000 020 02—5 10 0
Philadelphia .....200 000 001 00—3 9 1
Faber, Danforth and Schalk; Gregg and Perkins.

RUTH AND DOYLE ARE LEADING HITTERS OF THE MAJOR LEAGUES

Flack Second to Larry—Cobb Gaining Fast.

Chicago, Ill., May 11.—With an average of .426, Larry Doyle, the veteran second baseman with New York, has batted his way to the top of the National League hitters, according to averages including games of Wednesday released today. He is tied with Luderus of Philadelphia for honors in home-run hitting, each having two. Burns of New York leads in base stealing with ten. New York, with four men among the ten leading batters, clung to the honors in team batting, with an average of .307. St. Louis continues to lead in team fielding, with .970. The ten leading batters:

Doyle, New York, .426; Flack, Chicago, .382; Young, New York, .380; Kauff, New York, .366; Wilson, Boston, .360; Paulette, St. Louis, .355; Smith, Boston, .348; Myers, Brooklyn, .347; McCarthy, New York, .345; Allen, Cincinnati, .333.

Hamilton of Pittsburg, tops the pitchers in games won and lost, having won five without a defeat.

American Averages.

In the American League, Speaker of Cleveland has fallen to third place, with "Babe" Ruth, the Boston pitcher, showing the way, with an average of .407. In his last six games Ruth made six hits, three of them home runs. Speaker and Strunk of Boston are tied for the lead in base stealing, with seven each.

Ty Cobb made his 1918 appearance in today's averages, with an average of .362 for eleven games, having made 17 hits, five of which were doubles. Cobb apparently has lost none of his speed, as he has stolen five bases and registered twelve runs.

The world's championship Chicago Club took the lead in team batting, with an average of .239, while Boston leads in team fielding, with .970. The ten leading batters:

Ruth, Boston, .407; McMullen, Chicago, .400; Speaker, Cleveland, .393; Baker, New York, .384; Tobin, St. Louis, .383; Jackson, Chicago, .378; Risberg, Chicago, .375; Hooper, Boston, .369; Gandil, Chicago, .368; Lavan, Washington, .364.

Mogridge, New York; Covaleskie, Cleveland; Williams, Chicago, and Gallia of St. Louis are the leading pitchers, each having won 4 games and lost 1.

PROPOSED $10,000 RACE HAS BEEN CALLED OFF

Baltimore, May 11. — There was a lot of talk yesterday afternoon about the proposed purse of $10,000 to be offered by Pimlico for a return engagement of Cudgel, Bondage, Crank and Omar Khayyam. The association was willing to pay the purse for such a smart gathering, but it will not come off. Omar Khayyam was not at his best on Wednesday, and Wilfrid Viau, his owner, does not want his pet rushed for any special event, as much as he would like to accommodate the public.

"STRANGLER" LEWIS WINS OVER POLE WRESTLER

Louisville, Ky., May 11.—Edward (Strangler) Lewis of Lexington, Ky., was declared the winner on points in his match here last night with Wladek Zbyszko of Poland, claimant of the heavyweight wrestling championship.

At the end of two and one-half hours, with each having one fall to his credit, Lewis, as the aggressor throughout the greater part of the bout, was declared the winner.

KING'S PLATE TO BE RUN AT BLUEBONNETS TRACK

MONTREAL, May 10.—The Montreal Jockey Club will hold a one day race meet at its Bluebonnets track some time in September. The King's Plate and Provincial Nursery events will be run off on this occasion. The proceeds of the meeting will go to the Canadian Red Cross fund.

Sportlets

BY REX

"Crabbe was no puzzle to the Bingoes."—News item. The latter certainly crabbed his delivery, judging by the score.

"Little Maudie" won the first race at Pimlico. Her name was "Maud," but she was no mule.

Cricket has been revived at the local camp grounds. It will gladden the hearts of many old-time exponents of the ancient game to hear the one-time familiar cry of "Well bowled, sir."

"Bisons weak in the eighth," says a head writer. What part of the Bisons is that?

With "Billy" Sunday as a criterion, baseball players need not worry what they will live on when old age seizes them. "From baseball artist to evangelist," is a very popular and modern summary of a player's career. It also tends to draw the crowds.

"Ruth at the bat" must sound to some pitchers what "The Canucks are coming" sounds like to the Horrible Hun.

The "supreme sacrifice" in the eyes of some fans is when the score is even in the ninth with the bases full and the next man up allows himself to be hit on the dome in order to force in the winning run.

Wonder how many people were aware of the existence of Binghamton before that city was included in the International League?

Binghamton is largely composed of cigarmakers. There should never be any cause to worry about small crowds at the baseball matches.

An edifying conversation:
"The Giants are playing some baseball?"
"I'll say so."
"Do you think they will cop the pennant?"
"You said it."
"The Braves are not going very strong just now, are they?"
"I'll say so."
"The Leafs had tough luck in the opening game."
"I'll tell the world they did."

Rain put a crimp in the game between two teams of famous old-time baseball players. The fixture was called in the fourth inning with the score 14 to 9. At this rate the final count would have been about 31 to 20 had the rain stopped. Jup. Pluvius does one a good turn sometimes.

"Conflagration" literally burnt up the track at Pimlico, says a sport correspondent. The nag has nothing on the London fire department.

Fred Fulton is having the same trouble that Les Darcy experienced when he came to the United States from Australia. Fred cannot meet Willard because the uplift societies protest against boxing as a brutal pastime. So it is. But when a pugilist is assured of a purse of several thousands of dollars, physical suffering becomes an insignificant phase of his combats.

ROY M'KAY, JUNIOR HOCKEY PLAYER, IS ACCEPTED BY R.A.F.

Young London Sportsman Will Not Wait for Call of 19-Year-Olds.

H. Roy McKay, one of the best known of the younger generation of hockey players in this city, has been accepted, and will shortly be absorbed into the Royal Air Corps.

McKay played on the Western University team several years ago, and made a reputation for his skating ability and stick-handling. He was a member of the L.A.A.A. and in 1917 played rover for the local O.H.A. representatives. He also played for the 18th Battalion hockey team, being the backbone of that aggregation.

Roy is only 19 years old. He does not come under the recent M.S.A. amendment, but decided recently that, young or not, he must become a factor in the greatest of all games—fighting the Teuton.

McKay is no relation of the famous Eddie McKay, who assisted in bringing the German "Ace," Boelke, to the ground. Roy played hockey against the dead airman on several occasions, however, and is determined to emulate the remarkable exploits of the late birdman of the same name.

IDEAL WEATHER FOR PREMIER EVENT OF THE AMERICAN TURF

Macombe's War Cloud Is Cho ice of Public—Winner Wi Receive Abo ut $16,000.

Louisville, May 11.—Clear weather promised ideal racing conditions for the 44th renewal of the historic Kentucky Derby at Church Downs here this afternoon, when ten of the best 3-year-olds in the land will contend for supremacy in this the premier event of the American turf.

All of the entrants are conceded to be of high calibre, and the race is expected to be one of the most open in the history of the event. A. K. Macomber's War Cloud will go to the post as the public choice, with K. D. Alexander's Escoba second. Aside from these, Lucky B., American Eagle and Viva America are well liked.

The race is for 3 years at a mile and a quarter, and is worth approximately $20,000, making it the richest event of the year. Of this amount the winner will receive about $16,000, the horse running second $2,500, the third horse $1,000, while the fourth horse will save his entrance and starting fees.

The probable starters, weights, jockeys and owners follow:

Horse.	Weight.	Jockey.	Owner.
War Cloud	117 pounds	Loftus	A. K. Macumber
Exterminator	114 pounds	Krupp	W. S. Kilmer
Escoba	117 pounds	Notter	K. D. Alexander
Lucky B.	117 pounds	McCabe	O. A. Bianchi
Sewell Combs	117 pounds	Gentry	Gallagher Bros.
James T. Clark	117 pounds	Merys	J. W. Schorr
American Eagle	117 pounds	Sands	T. McCowell
*Aurum	117 pounds	Metcalfe	Jefferson Livingston
*Jim Heffering	117 pounds	Gaugel	R. J. Austin
Viva America	112 pounds	Warrington	C. T. Worthington

*Doubtful starters.

YOUNG JOCKEY BADLY INJURED AT CRUCIAL MOMENT OF BIG RACE

Pat O'Neil Loses Chance to Graduate Into Steeplechase Class.

Baltimore, May 11.—Just when he had his great chance to graduate from the maiden class of riders and become a real steeplechase jockey, young Pat O'Neil of the Garth stable, came a cropper on Rhomb, in the race through the field at Pimlico yesterday, and at the same time came to the end of his riding career. His injuries consist of broken arm, broken leg and a badly fractured skull. At the Maryland General Hospital last night it was reported there was slight chance of his recovering, and it was said that even if by any chance he might live his riding days are over.

Horse Tripped.

The accident to O'Neil, which was the only unpleasant feature of a fine day of racing, came just at the time he had started to make his winning run on the favorite in the race. Just before he reached the tenth fence over the back stretch the last time around, O'Neil apparently urged his mount at a most critical period just before they reached the obstacle. Rhomb landed over the fence, but slipped, staggered, and then fell.

Just behind Rhomb came Emerald Isle II. He fell over Rhomb, and O'Neil and while in the mixup, the rider of the Rhomb horse received what are believed to be fatal injuries. Jockey Joe Callahan who rode Emerald Isle, fortunately escaped with nothing more than a slight shaking up. It was a race framed for riders who never had ridden a winner of a real steeplechase race.

In the steeplechase, the Triple Springs farm entry, Carter went to the front at the start and led all the way, to win easily. New Haven was always well up, and while beaten by four lengths, he took second place by eight lengths from Saturn, with Racebrook in fourth place.

First race, 2 years, maidens, selling, $700, 4½ furlongs—In the Sun, 107 (O'Brien), $16.30, $7.10, $3.90, 1; Milda, 107 (Robinson), $3.20, $2.60, 2; Marie Connell, 102 (Ensor), $4.80, 3. Time :56. Maramon, Pinard, Lendonia, Cora W., Utilus, Old Bill Bender ran.

Second race, 3 years, claiming, $1,000, 6 furlongs—Marse Mouse, 107 (Kummer), $7.20, $4.20, $3.50, 1; Cavan Boy, 112 (Buxton), $15.60, $7.40, 2; Poacher, 105 (Lyke), $3.50, 3. Time 1:13. Amackassin, Peerless One, Jute, Approval, Starry Banner, Kate Glenn, Ben Gow, Speedster, Alf Vesina, Rhadames ran.

Third race, steeplechase, 3 years and up, 2 miles — Garter, 144 (Horning), $86.40, $18.80, $16.30, 1; New Haven, 134 (McCluskey), $5.70, $5.60, 2; Saturn, 150 (Green), $14.70, 3. Time 3:59. Emerald Isle II., Rhomb, High Flier, Rupica, Racebrook, Moonlight II., Marjorie ran.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and upward, claiming, handicap, $800, 1 mile — Waukeag, 106 (Lyke), $22.90, $9.90, $5.10, 1; Flittergold, 120 (Robinson), $4.30, $3.50, 2; Polroma, 113 (Stalker), $3.20, 3. Time 1:42. Barry Shannon, Firing Line, Pulux, Bar of Phoenix, Tokay, Cobalt Lass ran.

Fifth race, 4-year-olds and upwards, selling, $700, 1 1-16 miles — Home Sweet Home, 115 (Callahan), $5.20, $4.10, $2.50, 1; Dervish, 115 (Buxton), $11.50, $6.60, 2; Fairly, 110 (Sneidemann), $13.20, 3. Time 1:49 3-5. Conflagration, Caro Nome, Stir Up, Petulus, Capt. Ray, Kebo, Ring Dove, Boxer, Noureddin, Soldier, Great Dolly ran.

Sixth race, the Forest Park, claiming, purse $700, 3-year-olds and upward, 1 mile—Langden, 111 (Ensor), $15.40, $5.60, $4.30, 1; Judge Wingfield, 117 (Kummer), $3.40, $2.90, 2; Amalgamator, 114 (Stalker), $3.50, 3. Time 1:42 3-5. Monocacy, Sleepy Sam, Coral, Supermaid, Crepuscle and N. K. Beal also ran.

Seventh race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, $700, 1 1-16 miles — Say, 115 (Robinson), $15.50, $7.40, $5.30, 1; Daybreak, 105 (Erickson), $21.90, $12.70, 2; G. M. Miller, 115 (Dominick), $5.30, 3. Time 1:50. Silk Bird, Egmont, Glory Belle, Dundreary, Charles Francis, Hesse, Precise, Clark M., Serenata and Tootsie also ran.

WEATHERMAN SLANTS

American League.
Detroit at New York, clear, 3:15 p.m.
Cleveland at Washington, clear, 3 p.m.
Chicago at Philadelphia, clear, 3 p.m.
St. Louis at Boston, clear, 3 p.m.

National League.
New York at Pittsburg, clear, 3 p.m.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati, clear, 3 p.m.
Philadelphia at St. Louis, rain, 3 p.m.
Boston at Chicago, clear, 3 p.m.

International League.
Syracuse at Jersey City, clear, 4 p.m.
Rochester at Newark, clear, 3 p.m.
Toronto at Baltimore, clear (2), 2 and 4 p.m.
Buffalo at Binghamton, cloudy, 4 p.m.

QUITS YANKEES TO ENTER U. S. SERVICE



GEORGE MOGRIDGE.

GEORGE MOGRIDGE, who has been the mainstay of the Yankee pitching staff this season, has notified Miller Huggins that he is to quit the national game. Mogridge is to accept a place in the service of the United States Government in a shipyard. He is not liable to the army draft, as he has dependents, but felt that the opportunity to serve his country should not be overlooked.

Player's Navy Cut Cigarettes

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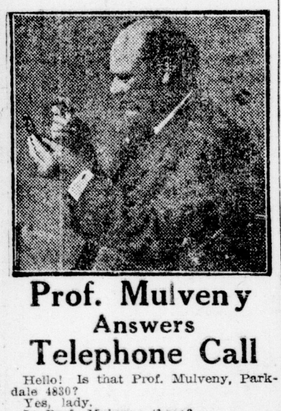
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Prof. Mulveny Answers Telephone Call

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

DAILY PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

Secrets of Health and Happiness

Why Science Says Alcohol, Though a Food, Is Dangerous

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



DR. HIRSHBERG

Alcohol may be a food in a limited sense, under temporary circumstances. In the long run and most always, it is a poison. The usual understanding of most persons—that a food or a medicine are necessarily opposed—is all nonsense. The use of the words food, medicine and poison can be pointed to as proof that nearly everyone uses some words without a correct, precise understanding of their meanings. Under some circumstances almost any medicine may be called and can become a poison. Similarly, numerous kinds of food may at times show serious, poisonous effects.

Obviously, it is a fallacy, if not an absurdity, to speak of alcohol loosely and broadly as a food or a poison. Conditions may be present which make it a food, others appear to change its effects. Where in the former instance it is, perhaps, an aid to the latter it can neither be stored in the tissues available for use as called for, nor can it be relied upon as part of the diet.

A medical advisory committee, under the chairmanship of Lord d'Aberon, was recently appointed in England with such distinguished investigators on it as Professors A. R. Cushing, Sir George Newman, H. H. Dale, M. Greenwood, W. McDougall, F. W. Mott, C. S. Sherrington and W. C. Sullivan to study the exact effects of alcohol on the human body.

Its Food Value.

The soundness of the conclusions of these scientists is more or less guaranteed by the honesty and impartiality of the observations, experiments and judgments brought forth by their labors. Briefly, their elaborate researches may be set down under at least five sets of conclusions. These may be considered provisional, but without bias or any personal preference upon the part of these eminent savants. They are the outcome of the facts harvested.

Alcohol, they find, can be considered a food only in the circumstance that its burning or combustion in the living structures may be able to furnish a considerable part of the energy needed. This situation, you may be sure, occurs less often than the alcohol food advocates sincerely believe.

The Many Dangers.

In their second conclusion these scientists say that, unlike other foodstuffs, alcohol cannot be stored away in the reservoirs of the human fabric in an altered form to be used as required. It remains, on the contrary, as alcohol, even in the blood and other tissues. Plainly, if present in more than trivial amounts or over prolonged intervals of time, it exercises a calamitous influence upon the kidneys, arteries, heart and other structures.

According to the third deduction of the committee it is by reason of this last unhappy characteristic that alcohol cannot be safely used as a table ration without risk of injury to health, and it is on this account, and, also, because of its disturbing effect on the mind, muscles, nerves and the human anatomy in general that alcohol is held to be quite unsuitable for industrial workers, either as a food or a comfort.

Fourthly, its action upon the emotions and the thoughts, both in health and illness, is essentially anti-tonic, sedative, narcotic and just the reverse of a stimulant.

Perhaps, as Sir William Osler and others maintain, the moderate use of alcohol by the average healthy adult is physiologically unobjectionable—provided that it is limited to the consumption of beverages of adequate dilution, taken at sufficient intervals of time to prevent damage to the tissues.

This may be all very true, but it is, however, best to err on the safe side and never touch a drop of doubtful food, which, under many circumstances, is admittedly a very poor food, and even a poison.

Answers to Health Questions

F. A. Q.—Please tell me what to do for the little blister-like spots that form on the eyelids?

A.—Bathe your eyes every night and morning in boric acid water.

L. R. Q.—Will you please advise something to darken my hair?

A.—Have your druggist make up a solution of sulphate of iron and paraphinylinediamin. Use this carefully to prevent irritation of the skin, which doesn't often occur.

G. R. Q.—What will give a lustre to the hair?

A.—Try a little of the following:

Gum arabic	1½ ounces
Rose water	1 gill

When the gum arabic has dissolved the rose water, strain the liquid through muslin.

H. P. A. Q.—Will you please advise something for a cold in the head?

A.—Take 5 grains each of hexomethylenetetromine and citrate of lithia in water every four hours. Also apply a little of six grains of ammoniated mercury to half ounce of white vaseline to the nostrils every three hours. Wash the nose and throat daily with alkaline antiseptic fluid diluted three times in water.

A. S. H. Q.—Will you please advise me what to do for an itching scalp and hear that is very fine and falling?

A.—Try a little of the following:

Quinine	1 dram
Pilocarpine	2½ grains
Salicylic acid	15 grains
Lanolin	½ ounce
Petrolatum	½ ounce

M. F. K. A.—If you will send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your query repeated, I shall be glad to help you.

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

To-morrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble

SUNDAY AND MONDAY, MAY 12-13.

Sunday bids fair to be a day of small annoyances, vexations and perplexities if the activities are centered in the domain of wordly affairs. In these it is well to guard the tongue, control the actions and provoke no quarrels, as the propensity is to rashness and hasty word and deed. Be careful in all dealings and shun intrigue and seductive associates. Resolutely turn the attention and effort to things of mind and spirit.

Those whose birthday it is should avoid law, quarrels and money risks. A child born on this day may be hasty of speech and act; and perhaps should keep in employment.

Monday should be a very interesting day, lively, eventful and full of achievement, as the higher and most powerful planets are in favorable operation, exciting to bold deeds, large and new projects, and to singular alliances and combinations. Powerful and peculiar persons and affiliations should operate to bring about unusual results—unexpected, sudden and out of the ordinary. Journeys, changes and new possibilities are indicated, and these may be attempted with security. Sign papers, contracts and documents. Push affairs.

Those whose birthday it is will have an eventful and satisfactory year. A child born on this day will be original, inventive, romantic and unconventional, and will attain distinction in intellectual pursuits if trained to them.

For cutting blocks of ice into small cubes, an inventor has patented an electrical device that does its work with heated wires.

Italians have perfected a process for making an edible oil that also can be used in soap and as an illumination, from grape seeds.

The earliest guide book printed in English is "Instructions for Forraine Travell," published in 1642 by James Howell, a famous traveler of that day.

A rifle bullet covers about two miles in five seconds, while sound travels the same distance in a shade more than nine and one-half seconds, so it is easy to understand why the bullet strikes before the report of the rifle is heard.

Of barnyard fowls, ducks and geese live longest. There is said to be in Scotland a grander that is now 65 years old.

ADELE GARRISON'S NEW

REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

Why Madge Transferred Her Luncheon to a Veranda Table.

The vague menace I had sensed when I faced the crowd of Teutonic celebrants in the inn diningroom seemed to hover over me all through the elaborate luncheon which I had ordered, because of my wish to have plenty of time to watch the metamorphosed windmill.

That any one of the group of persons at the next table could cheerfully have wrung my neck I was sure. Their faces were dark and lowering, the few glances I encountered hostile, although they were careful to keep their eyes averted from me.

If I hadn't been so uneasy I could have laughed at the painful precision and diction of their English. They were evidently trying to erase the impression of gabbling gutturals which I had heard when I first stepped into the diningroom. And their conversation was as inocuous as that to be heard at a child's birthday party.

The woman in whose blouse I had seen the edge of the German flag peeping had evidently seized the first opportunity when my eyes were turned away from her to tuck the emblem completely out of sight. At any rate, no vestige of it was to be seen when next I looked at her. But if the glance of an eye could slay I should never have finished my luncheon.

A Disconcerting Thought.

I tried to persuade myself that the vague terror I felt creeping over me was only a figment of my imagination. The black looks of the people at the next table didn't alarm me. But the fact that the ferret-faced youth who had consulted his notebook and showed it to his neighbor had left the dining-room a few moments later did disturb me. I was obsessed with the idea that his patent excitement when he had looked over the written pages had concerned me.

The voice of the waiter at my elbow made me start. In his hand he held a tray with an uncorked bottle of wine and a glass.

"Mme. Hofer's compliments," he said bowing. "She says this is wine of her own making."

"But I never drink wine." The words rose to my lips, then something stayed them.

"Please thank Mme. Hofer for me," I said, "and leave the wine. I don't care for it with this course. I will serve myself later."

With a sudden impulse, the origin of which I did not stop to analyze, I raised my eyes swiftly, unexpectedly, and looked at the people at the other table. Every pair of eyes there were gazing at me intently, and I fancied I saw a tensity of expectation in them.

What it all meant I didn't know. The thought that the wine might be drugged crossed my mind, but I laughed at myself even as I thought of it, the idea seemed so wildly melodramatic.

Where's Pete?

A whimsical recollection of Tom Sawyer and the crack in the floor which he fed with pain killer flashed into my mind in the utterly incomprehensible way in which fancies come. But it stayed with me. I wondered if in some way I couldn't pretend to drink the wine and then watch carefully the actions of Mme. Hofer and her guests.

Such a trick was impossible, however, under the furtive watching eyes of the men and women at the other table. I thought hard for a moment, then summoned the waiter, hovering near.

"I think I would like to finish my dinner at one of the little tables on the veranda," I said, giving as good an imitation as I could of a bored woman with a sudden caprice to gratify. "Please take the wine out there, and bring my salad and berries and coffee to me there."

I handed him a piece of silver as I spoke. His show of gratitude didn't hide the consternation in his eyes.

"I am afraid madame will not be comfortable out there," he stammered.

"I will be the judge of that," I returned curtly. "Please bring the things at once."

Conscious that every eye was following me I preceded the disapproving waiter to the veranda, resolving to choose a table which should not be directly beneath a window. There was another reason for my decision to transfer the location of my table than my wish to camouflage my abstinence from Mme. Hofer's wine. I had a distinct longing for the sight of Pete's punishing jaw and powerful frame.

But when I reached the veranda Pete was nowhere to be seen.

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Made of Mull, They Trim Newest Suits

By ANNETTE BRADSHAW

THE smartness of the new suits of satin and of taffeta are greatly enhanced by the addition of waistcoats of mull. These charming accessories are elaborately trimmed with pleated frillings which are frequently hand hemstitched or edged with buttonholed scallops.

Colored mull, in some pastel color, blue, pink, violet or yellow, is more popular than white, though the latter is preferred for black suits. Many of the waistcoats are fashioned with sleeves, the wrist frills of which are extended nearly to the elbows on the outer side of the arm.

A waistcoat of this type, in white mull, accompanies the attractive suit of black satin with the short, box coat. The upstanding collar turns away from the throat and is edged with a rather wide hemstitched frill, which outlines one side of the front. An unusual feature of this vestlike underblouse is the frilled peplum with rounded corners which extends far below the front of the jacket.

The sleeves of the jacket are slashed nearly to the elbows on the outer side, to accommodate the sleeve frills.

An entirely different phase of the mull waistcoat is shown in the suit of black and white checked Roshanara crepe. It is of pale pink, a tone with a suggestion of lavender. The high, choker collar is drawn in soft folds about the throat and a jabot of hemstitched, cascaded frills forms a billowy softness across the front. The lower edge is cut in several points which extend below the narrow belt of the jacket.

The wide wrist frills, which match the waistcoat, are run up the outside of the snugly fitted sleeves of the jacket.

It is to be noted that the jackets of both of these stunning suits are opened wide in front to disclose the waistcoats of mull.

"DOING MY BIT"

Practical Suggestions on Individual Ways to Help Win the War.

BY ALBERT BARRETT SAYRES.

Turning Hun Coins to War Uses.

There isn't very much gold or foreign silver in this country, but there are many collectors of the coins of other nations who have in odd places German gold and silver pieces. Several collectors have come forward and have suggested that they can imagine no better use for these enemy coins than melting them up and devoting the money to war movements.

Have you any German coins that you don't relish hoarding? If you have, why not turn them into money that will benefit those who are touched by the hand of war? All you need do is to send them to the Red Cross or the organization that most specially interests you. Since September, the aviation committee of the National Special Aid Society, New York, has collected $40,000 in this way, and all the money has gone to buy comforts for our fliers.

Saving Every Piece of Bread.

A careful survey of the garbage receptacles in different sections of cities—those from the homes of the richest to those that stand before the houses of the poor—discloses an amazing wastage of food, and especially of bread.

Think of it! Every ounce of bread, each slice and every crumb is needed for our allies and for the maintenance of our own soldiers in health. Do you waste even one slice of bread a week?

Answer this question not from the all-too-often mistaken belief of pride, but from the cold standpoint of most careful examination. If there's even that one slice a day wasted in your home, think of the total waste in all the homes of the nation, and determine today to stop that waste in your home. Here are two ways to make use of stale bread:

Serving Stale Bread Cheese Dishes.

Soak one cupful of dry breadcrumbs in two cupfuls of milk, add the well-beaten yolks of three eggs, a tablespoonful of melted butter, pepper and salt. Now add the beaten whites of the eggs and one cupful of dry, grated cheese, pour into a pudding dish. Cover the mixture with dry breadcrumbs and bake in a quick oven until brown. Serve at once.

Here's another use for stale bread that's worth trying:

Cut slices of stale bread into rounds with a biscuit cutter. Mix grated cheese with cream cheese and season with paprika. Place as the filling of a sandwich a liberal amount of the mixture between each two rounds and press them together. Put the sandwiches into hot fat and fry until a most delicate brown. Drain and serve.

How to Make a Large Bust Appear Smaller

BY LUCREZIA BORI
The Famous Spanish Prima Donna



LUCREZIA BORI

If ever a woman needed a good figure, certainly now is the time, for the current styles rely for a great part of their effect upon the soft curves and the graceful lines of a normal, well developed figure.

But perhaps you're one of those whose mirror discloses shortcomings that should be remedied. The woman whose bust or hip measurement is too great to conform with the standard of beauty is greatly handicapped. It's almost impossible for her to look well in the clothes favored by fashion unless she displays an unusual amount of common sense in their selection.

First, let us consider the case of the girl whose bust is out of proportion with the rest of her body, and try to find a satisfactory solution to her very difficult problem. Any thought of a massage treatment or the application of any remedy supposed to reduce the size of the bust is to be strongly discouraged. Any bruise or irritation caused by a too strenuous massage might have very serious results.

In my opinion, diet is the first agent of reform to enlist if the body fails to measure up to standard. As a rule, when the bust is too large other portions of the body could stand a decrease in measurement. Eat plenty of wholesome, nourishing food, but eliminate such fools as tend to increase the growth of fat.

In many instances the woman with a too-large bust is the one who never exercises. If you're inclined to be stout take plenty of outdoor exercise and thus keep the superfluous fat from accumulating.

Wear a Brassiere.

When you have called diet and exercise to your aid, pay particular attention to your clothing. The size of your bust can be greatly accentuated by your manner of dressing. Brassieres and other trig underclothing should be the most important part of the wardrobe.

Many women have the mistaken idea that brassieres are extremely uncomfortable, and that they hamper deep breathing. The wearer of the brassiere will not experience the slightest discomfort if she chooses one of the many models that have bands of elastic inserted down the back.

Have Clothes Loose.

Then, too, the full-busted woman should bear in mind that bodices trimmed with frills and furbelows aren't for her. She should also turn away from extreme fashions and bold patterns in dress materials. The Eton jacket also is a garment that was designed for her more slender sister.

She should be most careful not to have her clothes fitted too snugly. Too many women whose bust measurements are abnormal look as if they had been "poured into their frocks." The size of the bust will appear much less if there is a soft fulness to the bodice across the front.

To my mind there's only one perfectly safe way to decrease the bust measurement, that is by dieting, exercising and by making the bust appear smaller by dressing in good taste.

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Good Night Stories

By Blanche Silvus

Illustrated by Gruella.

BUTTERFLY QUEEN'S RAINBOW ROBE.

One day as Peggy wandered through the woods she spied a beautiful golden butterfly tilting on a buttercup.

"Oh, you lovely creature!" exclaimed Peggy. "Where did you find that wonderful golden gown?"

"In Butterflyland, of course," Golden Butterfly gayly replied.

"But it's so wonderfully golden," laughed Peggy. "I almost thought you a stray sunbeam sitting on the buttercup."

"Well," said Butterfly, flapping his wings, "if you think my coat pretty you should see some of my friends. Our Queen's gown, for instance."

"Then you're not the Queen of the butterflies," laughed Peggy. "If her gown is more beautiful than yours I'd love to see her."

"Then come with me!" cried Golden Butterfly, and flapping his wings three times he said something under his breath, and before Peggy could blink her eyes two tiny wings sprouted from her shoulders.

"Come along!" cried Golden Butterfly, and away they soared into the bright sunshine.

They soon reached Butterflyland, and Peggy was introduced to the Butterfly Queen. Peggy had never seen a more beautiful creature.

"Why, it just looks as if someone had emptied a paint box of colors on her robe!" laughed Peggy.

"That's just what they did," replied Golden Butterfly, and he led Peggy to a wonderful studio where hundreds of tiny Elfin artists with pallettes and brushes were painting the many coats of the butterflies as they came from their little cocoon cradles.

Some were golden with green, blue and black wings—some were a delicate blue touched with silver—others were painted pale yellows and soft silvery greys.

"How lovely!" exclaimed Peggy.

One of the Elfin artists spying Peggy among them, knocked over his paint box, and all his colors ran down over the tiny butterfly he was painting. There was no tint of earth or sky that didn't cling to its gauzy wings.

Work in the studio stopped, and all the butterflies in Butterflyland gathered around the new butterfly, and with strange music and wild dancing they crowned her Queen of them all.

"That's how our Queen received her beautiful gown," whispered Golden Butterfly, "by an accident."

"But the other Queen?" asked Peggy. "What's to become of her?"

"She's free now to soar into the world below and to build a home of her own," Golden Butterfly replied, "for the new Queen takes her place in Butterflyland."

Then taking Peggy's hand, Golden Butterfly flew with her back into the woods.

Peggy was sorry when Golden Butterfly fluttered away in the sunlight—she would liked to have heard more of the ways of Butterflyland.

Just before her flitted the butterfly with the gown of many colors.

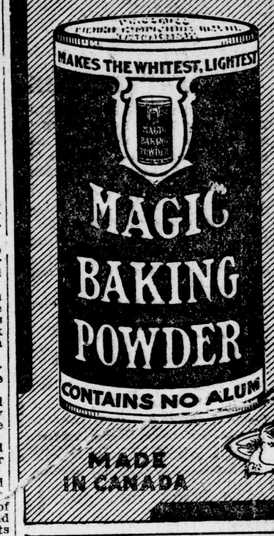
"I wonder if you really were a butterfly queen at one time?" she cried.

But the beautiful butterfly spread its lovely wings and flew away without answering her.

The strength of the ostrich is prodigious. He can disembowel a horse or kick through a sheet of corrugated iron. To an unprotected man in the open an infuriated ostrich is as dangerous as the lion. Many have lost their lives through ignorance of his strength, his speed, and his implacable ferocity.

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A recent issue of The London Times, says: Messrs. Macmillan will issue, next week, a contribution to the study of psychotherapy entitled, "Hysterical Disorders of Warfare," by Dr. Lewis R. Yealland, whose interest in psychological problems of medicine had been roused by a period of asylum work in Canada before he took up the post of resident medical officer at the National Hospital for the Paralyzed in Queen square. His book is a record of the intensive method of treatment which he adopted in the case of soldiers suffering from hysterical disorders due to the war, a system based on the belief that disorders originating in suggestion would yield to counter-suggestion. Detailed accounts are given of what are described as his encounters with his patients. A preface is contributed by Lieutenant-Colonel E. Farquhar Buzzard, R. A. M. C., on the autor and his method.

Dr. Yealland is a graduate of Western University, and a son of Mr. Fred Yealland of this city.

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WELFARE WORK IN LONDON IN TO BE UNITED

Formation of a Social Service Council Unanimously Favored.

PREVENTS OVERLAPPING

Local Branch Will Be Affiliated With Provincial Council.

A conference of representatives of organizations of the city identified with various phases of social service work, called by the Ministerial Alliance and held yesterday afternoon in the Y. M. C. A. building was unanimously in favor of forming a social service council for London, to be affiliated with the Provincial Council of Ontario and the Social Service Council of Canada.

The idea of the council is to give unity to all social welfare activities in the city, to prevent overlapping and to provide a strong force to carry through movements initiated either by the council as a whole or its affiliated organizations as approved by the whole council. Rev. Dr. Shearer, secretary of the social service and evangelism department of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, who has been approached in regard to taking the secretaryship of the Do minion Council of Social Service, was present to explain the aims of the council and the advantages of co-ordinating all activities on behalf of social welfare. He further drew attention to the weight given to any movement on behalf of bettering of laws, etc., through having it brought before the Government by the channel of the comprehensive provincial council and thence through the Dominion-wide council where federal legislation is desired.

Indorses Aims.

The meeting heartily indorsed the things for which the council stands, namely, the purity of the home, the right of the child to be well-born, well-developed, well-reared, well-educated.

The single standard for both sexes, in morals and in economic opportunity;

For mothers' pensions;

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For conciliation and arbitration in industrial disputes; for the abatement and ultimate abolition of poverty; for insurance against accidents, sickness, unemployment and old age; for the conservation of natural resources and public utilities for the people's benefit; for the adequate care of dependents, defectives and delinquents; for the prevention of crime and the redemption of criminals; for purity in public life, honesty at the ballot box, and the abolition of the patronage system; for the honorable getting and equitable distribution of wealth, and its administration in trust for the general good; for the suppression of drink, gambling, sexual and other vices; their prevention by the removal of the causes, and the reclaiming of the victims; or proper housing, the promotion of health, and the prevention of contagious diseases; for wholesome recreation for all people, and especially the children, for universal peace.

Infant Mortality.

In connection with this comprehensive program special emphasis was laid by Dr. Shearer on the importance of the child welfare movement. "The problem of infant mortality and child welfare might well at this time claim the whole attention of a city organization," he said, "or, indeed, of the provincial organization, of the council of the whole country. Attending the annual meeting of the social service council of Saskatchewan recently, I heard the medical officer of health of Regina make the statement that in the three and a half years of the war about 35,000 of the Canadian men had been slain or died of wounds or disease. Every year in Canada in the same period 35,000 children under 5 years of age have died, and nearly all of these could have been saved. Listening, I felt that the blood of these children was upon our hands. Such facts are an awful indictment against the church and our civilization."

Before leaving the subject Dr. Shearer spoke in highly complimentary terms of the reports he had heard concerning London's Child Welfare Exhibit and the interest awakened in the movement here.

Form Organization.

On motion of President E. E. Braithwaite o the Western University, seconded by Rev. Ezra Powell, it was decided to form a tentative organization and appoint a committee to draft a tentative constitution and to call another meeting for the effecting of permanent organization and passing upon the constitution, Rev. Dr. Tucker, who is president of the Social Service Council of Canada; Rev. D. C. MacGregor, President E. E. Braithwaite, Alderman Ashplant, Mrs. Rose, Mrs. Harrison and Miss Isabel C. Armstrong were appointed the special committee, with Rev. Byron Snell, who acted as secretary of the conference. Mrs. Harrison, D. H. McDermid, Alderman Ashplant and others, speaking to the motion, testified to the great need that had been felt in London of just such a broad organization to co-ordinate and unify social welfare activities.

Well Represented.

Rev. Dr. R. G. Peever, on appointment, performed the duties of chairman of the conference. Among the organizations represented were the Ministerial Alliance, Union Mothers' Club, Child Welfare Association, Children's Aid Society, Rotary Club, Men's and Women's Canadian Clubs, Women's Christian Temperance Union, etc., and the I. O. D. E., Trades and Labor Council, Local Council of Women, etc., are also to be invited to participate in final organization.

Immediately at the close, the committee appointed to draw up a tentative constitution met with Dr. Shearer, and in a short time adapted the constitution of the Social Service of Canada to meet the needs of a local council. Copies of the tentative constitution will be sent out to the various church bodies and other organizations that may be given representation as a unit for consideration before the organization meeting is called. Further, a letter of explanation will be sent out by the chairman of the committee, Rev. Dr. Tucker, and secretary, Rev. Byron Snell with a request for the appointment of representatives on the council the number in each case being limited to ten.

Will Submit Name.

The name to be submitted to the organization meeting for the council is "The Social Service Council of London." Any church, denomination or society whose organization is or is intended to be city-wide, and is in sympathy with the object of this council, may be given representation as a unit on the council, if the organization meeting approves the recommendation of the special committee.

The suggested constitution further provides that any organization federated with the council can carry on its own work unhampered as up to the present, and with the possibility of added power in the backing of the whole council. However, as a safeguard to the council and units composing it, any action on the part of one or more units shall in no way commit the council in favor of the reforms or movements thus promoted, thus assuring unanimity for any movement undertaken by the council as a whole.

While the Men's Federation has had similar aims and carried through a number of movements most successfully, the taking in of the women's social service activities very much enlarges the scope and strength of the proposed organization.

An organization meeting will be called about the middle of June.

LONDON BRANCH OF THE NAVY LEAGUE IS FORMALLY ORGANIZED

Lieut.-Col. Williams May Be Invited to the City

The adjourned meeting of the London branch of the Navy League was held in the Tecumseh House Friday evening, when the organization was completed. There was a good attendance, and the members were very enthusiastic. Rev. S. Boal came over from St. Thomas, where he has been working in the interest of a branch which will be formed there.

Interesting addresses were given by Rev. S. Boal, E. B. Smith, A. B. Greer and R. W. Travers. The work of the British navy and the necessity of the Nay League to care for the dependents of sailors was outlined by the speakers.

E. B. Smith, who was elected president of the London branch at the meeting Tuesday evening, will be assisted by A. B. Greer, who was chosen vice-president last evening. A. D. McLean, manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, was elected treasurer, and H. L. Sadler was appointed secretary.

The following members were named for the executive committee, with power to add to their number: R. W. Travers, A. B. Greer, E. G. Yeates, H. F. Skey, Dr. H. T. Reason, F. E. Leonard, Mrs. E. B. Smith, W. W. Reswick, Mayor C. R. Somerville, Mrs. (Dr.) J. S. Niven, F. G. Jewell. It is assured that with the efficient officers and enthusiastic members, the London branch of the Navy League will be a success.

Votes of thanks were passed to the mayor and council, Gordon Philip and the press, for the assistance given in the formation of the London branch.

Following are the names of some of the towns and counties that have made grants to the Navy League, and the amounts given: Chatham, Owen Sound and Essex, each $1,000; counties of Simcoe and York, each $10,000; county of Brant, $1,500; Windsor, $4,101; Walkerville, $1,000; Waterloo, $1,000.

It was suggested that a public meeting be held soon and that Lieut.-Col. Cecil G. Williams, field secretary of the Navy League, be invited to London to address the meeting. This will be decided at the next regular meeting of the branch.

DECLARES HIGH-PRICED MATCHES REALLY BEAR ADDITIONAL WAR TAX

Manufacturers' Agents Here Say New Stamps Are Not Available.

According to A. McLean, local manager of the E. B. Eddy Company, the grocers of the city are justified in charging 12 cents per box for matches which do not bear the war tax stamp.

Mr. McLean's explanation is as follows:

"Practically every wholesale grocer in the city was out of matches on April 30. Since then they have been selling large quantities, six or seven hundred cases, in fact. On these matches the war tax must be paid, and the cases go out to the retailers with no distinguishing mark on them. This is undoubtedly most unfair to the retailers, as it leaves them open to the suspicion that they are making the charge on old matches, but the trouble is that the war tax stamps will not be available for some four or five weeks yet.

"Few of the retailers have any of their old supply left, and those who have them are using them to attract trade by selling at the lower price. I do not think that the grocers are using the situation to sell matches which they bought for three cents a box for twelve."

SUNDAY APPOINTMENTS.

Huron College appointments for Sunday are: Hensall, Professor Wright, B. D.; Parkhill, Rev. W. J. Doherty, B. A.; Thedford, J. Chapman; Epiphany, E. Garrett; St. Luke's, London, W. D. Davis; Chelsea Green, H. G. Crosby; St. Luke's, Brantford, A. S. Mitchell.

THE NORTH AMERICAN ALPS.

As a help to the traveler who desires some definite information as to a territory that is exploited for a summer tour, the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway has issued a publication entitled "Scenic Features Through the North American Alps—Edmonton to Prince Rupert." The descriptive matter is concise and arranged in annotated form, by which all the special features along the line through the Rockies, down the Fraser River, across Central British Columbia and along the famous Skeena River are dealt with. The publication is also profusely illustrated with reproductions from direct photographs of the different points of interest that are referred to. Copy may be had free by writing to, or calling on, C. E. Horning, D. P. A., Toronto, Ont. b

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All Undergraduates May Be Taken Into A. M. C.

Final examinations of the Western University Medical College were wound up this forenoon, and the students are feeling pretty well tired out after their strenuous week. They have been somewhat upset also in the midst of their examinations by the latest report, regarded as authoritative, that all of the students, with the exception of the graduating class, which has volunteered for service as a unit, will be drafted in the A. M. C.

It was stated today by a member of the faculty that there is a possibility that the undergraduates will be allowed to return to the college to continue their work in October, though, with the continual change in orders, it is practically impossible to obtain anything definite on the subject.

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BULL EDITOR UNBALANCED?

NEW YORK, May 10.—Luther S. Bedford, formerly editor of the magazine Bull, who, with Jermiah O'Leary and Adolph Stern, are under indictment for espionage law violation for publishing alleged seditious' anti-conscription matter, was today committed to Bellevue Hospital for ten days' observation, in order that his mental condition might be determined.

R. C. CHURCH AUTHORITIES DECIDE ON CONDITIONS OF SUPPORTING M. S. A.

QUEBEC, May 10.—Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of Quebec, has left for Ottawa, where, it is stated, he will meet with Mgr. Mathieu, archbishop of Regina, and representatives of the Government, in regard to the application of the M.S.A. in Quebec.

It is believed the church authorities have decided on the conditions on which they will give full support to the M.S.A., and that these will be presented to the Government by Mgr. Mathieu.

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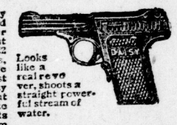


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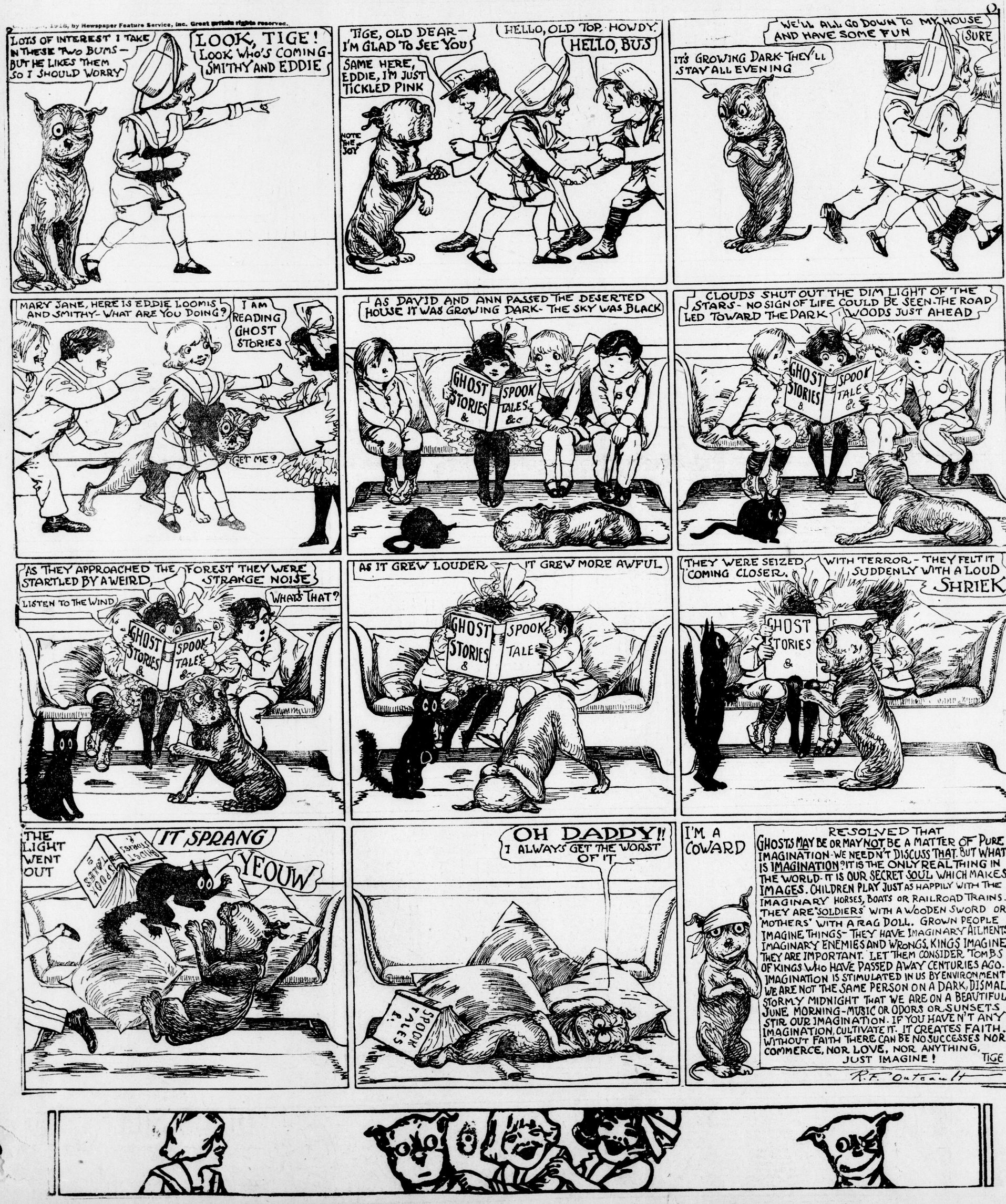
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LONDON, May 10.—Dispatches from Moscow say the newspapers there publish statements that an ultimatum was recently handed to the council of the people's commissaries by the German ambassador, Count von Mirbach, which demanded the immediate execution of measures making Russia virtually a German colony.

The main points of the ultimatum were the settlement of prisoner questions, complete cessation of arming troops and the disbandment of units recently formed for the occupation of Moscow and other cities of Great Russia.

BURIED AT AILSA CRAIG.

AILSA CRAIG, May 10.—The funeral of Mrs. Jane Bell, whose death occurred at her home in Toronto on Tuesday, was held today from the G. T. R. depot. She moved from here to London a few years ago, where her son Duncan was traveler for Elliott, Marr & Co. Later the family moved to Toronto. A short service was held at the Baptist Church by Rev. A. A. Panjoy and interment was made in Carlisle Cemetery.

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TORNADO KILLS 18 AND INJURES 150 IN IOWA AND ILLINOIS

Property Damage Is Placed at a Million.

SOUTH MICHIGAN HIT

Fifty Per Cent of Telegraph and Telephone Wires Down in Latter Area.

CHICAGO, May 10.—With additional reports coming in today, the death list in yesterday's tornado in Illinois and Iowa swelled to eighteen, eleven in Iowa and seven in Illinois. As wires were still down in many localities, it was feared that other deaths were still unreported. Probably 150 persons were injured, and a rough estimate placed property damage at $1,000,000.

A list of the afflicted communities with the number of deaths follows: Nassua, Ia., 3; Plainfield, Ia., 1; New Hampton, Ia., 3; Calmar, Ia., 4; Toulon, Ill., 2; Franklin, Ill., 3; Elmira, Ill., 2.

SOUTHERN MICHIGAN SWEPT.

DETROIT, May 10.—With 50 per cent of the telephone and telegraph wires down, southern Michigan today was recovering from one of the worst electrical and windstorms in several years. The storm struck the state shortly after midnight, sweeping across the southern strip of counties and striking with its full velocity. Trees were uprooted, small building blown down, and crop damage reported. The storm almost assumed the proportions of a tornado.

RUSSIAN AND GERMAN FARMERS OUT WEST ARE HOARDING WHEAT STOCKS

WINNIPEG, May 10.—Canadian Government agents began today a systematic search of western farms to secure stocks of wheat held by farmers, estimated at 20,000,000 bushels. Now that seeding is over farmers must give up their stocks. There are large quantities held by wealthy Russian and German farmers in middle and Western Saskatchewan.

WILL ASK COUNCIL FOR HURON'S SHARE

GODERICH, May 10.—It has been decided by the committees in charge of the Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle fund to ask the county council at tis session the first week of June to vote the sum asked for from Huron County, instead of making a general canvass for the subscriptions. This will save a large amount of time and work. The mayors of the four towns in the county have been constituted a committee to have charge of the matter.

WARNING THAT ITALY SORELY NEEDS FOOD

WASHINGTON, May 10.—In protesting to the shipping board today against any further reduction of the number of ships plying between America and Italy, F. Quattronne, Italian high commissioner, declared that such reduction would threaten the Italian people who their army with starvation.

STROKE RESULTS FATALLY.

ST. MARYS, May 9.—Francis Morley, aged 65, of Granton, clerk of Usborne Township, died today from the effects of a paralytic stroke he sustained two days ago. He was unmarried and had been township clerk for many years.

NERVES RESTORED YEARS AGO

Strathroy Man Confirms His Statement of 1905, and Tells How Many Have Been Cured as the Result of His Experience.

Strathroy, Ont., May 10.—Our town people are not slow to recognize an article of merit, and the experience of Mr. Branton with Dr. Chase's Nerve Food is a good example of how the good word is passed along from one to another.

In 1905 Mr. Wm. Branton of Victoria street, Strathroy, wrote as follows: "Before using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food my nervous system seemed all unstrung. I could not sleep, had no appetite, hands and feet were cold, my digestion was poor and I had jerking of the limbs. The first box of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food helped me, and I continued until I had taken 24 boxes. This treatment has made a radical change in my condition, building up the system and strengthening the nerves. I would strongly recommend it to all suffering from nervousness."

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It is cures like that that make friends for Dr. Chase's Nerve Food throughout this continent. This was a serious case of nervous exhaustion, but Mr. Branton persisted in the use of this reconstructive treatment until thoroughly restored, and has enjoyed years of good health as the result.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, a full treatment of 6 boxes for $2.75, at all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto. Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Imitations only disappoint.



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NEXT WEEK'S ATTRACTIONS—PHOTO PLAYS

MONDAY, TUESDAY



"The Beautiful Mrs. Reynolds"

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CARLYLE BLACKWELL

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And an all-star cast.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY

DAINTY MADGE EVANS

—IN—

"THE GATES OF GLADNESS"

A Beautiful Story in a Perfect Setting.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY

Beautiful Olive Thomas

—IN—

"INDISCREET CORINNE"

She Wanted a "Past" and She Got One—and a Husband Too.

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WATCH FOR THE DATE

THE PICTURE THAT BLOCKED BROADWAY

"The Kaiser, the Beast of Berlin"



At the Patricia Monday and Tuesday.

PATRICIA

"The Beautiful Mrs. Reynolds" at the Patricia Theatre Next Monday and Tuesday.

Four famous motion picture stars are seen in a new World-Picture Brady-Made. The picture is "The Beautiful Mrs. Reynolds" and the stars appearing in it are Carlyle Blackwell, June Elvidge, Evelyn Greeley and Arthur Ashley. The story deals with the romantic feud between Alexander Hamilton, an early secretary of the United States Treasury, and Aaron Burr, who was senator from New York State and a candidate for the presidency. The drama unfolds the start of the feud and shows its development and culmination in the sensational duel on the heights of the Palisades near New York City in which Burr shot and killed Hamilton. It shows Hamilton's infatuation for the beautiful Mrs. Reynolds, who had two living husbands, but who loved Hamilton devotedly. It is all cleverly and brilliantly presented. You'll enjoy it. See "The Beautiful Mrs. Reynolds" on Monday and Tuesday at the Patricia Theatre.

Madge Evans in "Gates of Gladness" Showing at the Patricia Theatre Next Wednesday and Thursday.

The gates of gladness will open wide and joy and happiness will rush into your soul when you see "Gates of Gladness" at the Patricia Theatre on Wednesday and Thursday, with Madge Evans as the star. This is a new World-Picture Brady-Made and it gives charming little Madge one of the most thoroughly entrancing roles she has yet played. It is a different role from any that Madge has yet played and her hundreds of thousands of admirers all over the world will be delighted with it.

One of the very interesting things about this picture is the fact that in one part of the production Madge is seen as a charming little artist's model. The remarkable thing about these scenes is the fact that Madge's career began in just this way—by being an artist's model. She posed for a number of famous painters who added to their fame and achieved fortune by painting her. Charles Dana Gibson, the famous artist, remarked at one time that Madge was the most beautiful child in the world.

Madge is supported by a large and brilliant company in this super-attraction. "Gates of Gladness" has been staged in a masterly and lavish manner. In fact it is one of the most elaborately staged productions of recent months.

Altogether "Gates of Gladness" is a splendid entertainment—a sure-fire interest-arouser.



Olive Thomas in Triangle Play. "Indiscreet Corinne."

At the Patricia Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

Olive Thomas in "Indiscreet Corinne," the Feature at the Patricia Next Friday and Saturday.

CAST

Corinne Chilvere.....Olive Thomas
Nicholas Fenwick.....George Chesbro
Rocky Van Sandt.....Jos. Bennett
Pansy Hartley.....Joseph Sedgwick
Florette.....Annette De For
Mrs. Chilvere.....Lillian Langdon
Mr. Chilvere.....Thos. H. Guise
Aunt Theodora.....Lou Coonley
"Live Wire" Dodge..Thornton Edwards
P. A. Britton.....Edwin Brady
Mrs. Cotter Brown..Harry Rattenberry

Corinne Chilvere, a daughter of wealthy parents, longs for a "past" like the women of the novels she has read. She answers an advertisement for a woman with a "past." This "ad" is inserted by press agents who are looking for a new queen for a Broadway Beauty contest. She is to meet Nicholas Fenwick, millionaire, and win a proposal of marriage.

Corline meets Fenwick as a masked cabaret dancer and finally wins him away from another woman who is her opponent.

The press agents then find Corinne has no "past," only money and family, and that they have lost their queen.

At the Patricia next Friday and Saturday.

UNIQUE

Edna Goodrich, in "Queen X," a Gripping Photoplay, at the Unique Theatre Monday and Tuesday Next.

The story of "Queen X" is that of a courageous district attorney's drive against smugglers in the notorious Pell street district in which his men capture "Queen X," known among Chinese and the white members of smuggling gangs as "The Queen of Chinatown."

"Queen X" is recognized by the United States district attorneys as a woman of position, formerly prominent in New York society, who has become a drug addict and fallen to the lowest in her blind pursuit of the "black smoke."

During the trial of "Queen X" for complicity in a plot to defraud the government, she is seen and recognized by Mary Stone, sister of John Stone, the assistant district attorney, as a former schoolmate. Mary is successful in having sentence suspended in the case and she takes "Queen X" to her brother's summer home. Her health is restored, and she marries Stone.

At the Unique Theatre Monday and Tuesday next.

Alice Joyce, in "The Business of Life," At the Unique Wednesday and Thursday Next.

"The story of an immortal love that triumphed over all worldly schemings."

"The world has pointed out the man she loved as a man unworthy of pure love. Into her face has been flaunted misdeeds by this man that would have undermined a less devoted love than hers. But her love was the immortal kind that survives all worldly influences that seek to despoil it. Can you imagine a more ideal Robert W. Chamers heroine than beautiful Alice Joyce? That is what she is in 'The Business of Life.'"

At the Unique Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

UNIQUE :-: THEATRE

MONDAY AND TUESDAY

EDNA GOODRICH

In "QUEEN X"—(Five Parts) A Thrilling Drama of New York Life

"VENGEANCE AND THE WOMAN"—(Chapter 14)

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—SPECIAL ALICE JOYCE

In "THE BUSINESS OF LIFE"—(Five Parts)

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—SPECIAL EARLE WILLIAMS

In "THE SEAL OF SILENCE"—(Five Parts)

CHARLIE CHAPLIN in "The Count"

A RIOT OF FUN



At the Patricia Theatre Next Wednesday and Thursday.

AT THE THEATRES NEXT WEEK

PATRICIA

MONDAY, TUESDAY—Carlyle Blackwell and June Elvidge in "The Beautiful Mrs. Reynolds." Comedy. Scenic Weekly. Vaudeville: The Cosmopolitan Trio.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — Olive Thomas in "Indiscreet Corinne." Comedy. Vaudeville.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Madge Evans in "Gates of Gladness." Little Mary McAllister in the eleventh episode of "Do Children Count?" Vaudeville: Forrest and Church, dancers and singers.

MAJESTIC

MONDAY, TUESDAY—Elsie Ferguson in "The Lie." Lonesome Luke Comedy. Majestic Screen Telegram. Special music, Majestic Concert Orchestra.

WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY—Geraldine Farrar and Wallace Reid in a super-production, "Joan the Woman." Comedy. News Weekly.

SATURDAY ONLY—Capt. Robert Warwick in "The Mad Lover." Comedy. Screen Telegram.

UNIQUE

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WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY — Alice Joyce in "The Business of Life."

FRIDAY, SATURDAY—Earle Williams in "The Seal of Silence." Charlie Chaplin in "The Count."



Elsie Ferguson, featured in an Artcraft super-production, "The Lie," showing at the Majestic next Monday and Tuesday.

MAJESTIC

Charles Ray, in "Playing the Game," at the Majestic Today.

The many admirers of Charles Ray, the Thomas H. Ince star in Paramount pictures, who have been accustomed to seeing him as a bashful country youth, will be surprised at the character he portrays in his new Paramount photoplay, "Playing the Game," to be presented at the Majestic Theatre today.

In the story of this picture, written by Julien Josephson, and directed by Victor Schertzinger, under the supervision of Thomas H. Ince, Charles Ray is pictured as a wild young man, whose sole task in life seems to be the squandering of the millions left to him by his father, and which he scatters broadcast along the Great White Way.



Douglas Fairbanks, at the Majestic soon in his latest photoplay, "Headin' South."



Scene from "Joan the Woman," Cecil B. De Mille's master production. The story is founded on the life of Joan of Arc. Two famous screen stars, Geraldine Farrar and Wallace Reid are featured in the cast. Showing at the Majestic next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.



Capt. Robert Warwick, a favorite screen star, at the Majestic next Saturday only, in an appealing photodrama, "The Mad Lover."

Special Headline Attractions Coming to the Majestic.

Douglas Fairbanks, in "Headin' South."

Special—"Carmen of the Klondyke."

Marguerite Clark, in "Rich Man, Poor Man."

Artcraft special—"Old Wives for New."

Mary Pickford, in "M'Liss."

William S. Hart, in "Selfish Yates."

Wallace Reid, in "Believe Me, Xantippe."

Douglas Fairbanks, in "Mr. Fix-It."

The best in laughs—Paramount, Mack Sennett comedies, Sunshine and Lonesome Luke comedies. All the world's latest News Weeklies.

Marguerite Clark, Starred In "Uncle Tom's Cabin," To Be Shown at the Majestic Soon.

Marguerite Clark's next Paramount picture definitely announced this week is to be "Uncle Tom's Cabin," from the book by Harriet Beecher Stowe. The production is virtually completed, and will be scheduled for early release. This is one of the greatest epoch-making pieces of literature, declared by some historians to have precipitated the civil war in the United States.

Elsie Ferguson, In "The Lie," Showing at the Majestic Monday and Tuesday.

Elsie Ferguson, the famous actress, appearing in Artcraft pictures, chief among which were the phenomenally successful "Barbary Sheep," "The Rise of Jennie Cushing," "The Song of Songs," and "Rose of the World," will be seen in her latest Artcraft picture, "The Lie," at the Majestic Theatre next Monday and Tuesday.

Few pictures in which Miss Ferguson has thus far appeared surpass "The Lie" in point of human interest and distinct heart appeal. The theme embodies a great sacrifice made by one sister for another, to the end that the family honor may not suffer. The scenes of the photoplay are laid in an old abbey in England, and afford interesting glimpses of artistocratic country life. It is filled with numerous thrilling dramatic incidents, not the least absorbing of which is the scene in which the sacrificing sister refuses to give up to its mother the child she has learned to love as her own, and for whose sake she has suffered bitter scandal and reproach.

The picture is based upon the famous play by Henry Arthur Jones, the scenario having been written by Charles Maigne, author of many famous pictures. The production was directed by J. Searle Dawley.

Geraldine Farrar and Wallace Reid, in "Joan the Woman," at the Majestic Next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

Hailed as the most wonderful photodrama of the age, Cecil B. DeMille's masterpiece, "Joan the Woman," in which Geraldine Farrar and Wallace Reid are seen, with Geraldine Farrar as the immortal Joan of Arc, begins an engagement at the Majestic Theatre next Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. The dramatic reviewers, unstinting in their praise of the story by Jeanne Mac pherson, Mr. DeMille's masterly direction, the wonderfully artistic acting of Geraldine Farrar (the star), the magnificent support of her accompanying organization of artists, the grandeur of the spectacles and the marvelous photography, have announced the photodrama as one of the greatest achievements of the screen. Mr. DeMille has surrounded Miss Farrar with a cast of famous stage and screen players: Wallace Reid is seen as Eric Trent, a dashing young English officer; Theodore Roberts is seen in a marvelous characterization of the traitorous Bishop Cauchon; Hobart Bosworth scores a triumph as the faithful Gen. La Hire, and as the weakling king, Charles VII, Raymond Hatton gives the most admirable characterization of his career.



Edna Goodrich, Mutual Star.

Star in "Queen X," an entertaining photoplay showing at the Unique Theatre Monday and Tuesday next.



Featured in "The Business of Life," showing at the Unique Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday.

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Time it! Pape's Diapepsin will sweeten a sour, gassy or out-of-order stomach within five minutes.

If your meals don't fit comfortably, or what you eat lies like a lump of lead in your stomach, or if you have heartburn, that is usually a sign of acidity of the stomach.

Get from your pharmacist a fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin and take a dose just as soon as you can. There will be no sour risings, no belching of undigested food mixed with acid, no stomach gas or heartburn, fullness or heavy feeling in the stomach, nausea, debilitating headaches or dizziness. This will all go, and, besides, there will be no sour food left over in the stomach to poison your breath with nauseous odors.

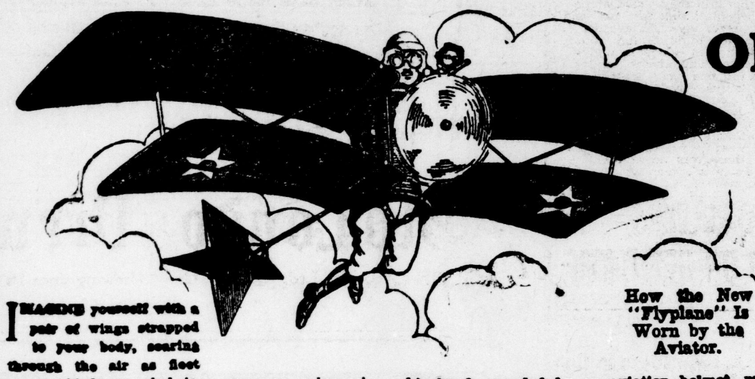
Pape's Diapepsin helps to neutralize the excessive acid in the stomach which is causing the food fermentation and preventing proper digestion.

Relief in five minutes is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large, fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to usually kep the entire family free from stomach acidity and its symptoms of indigestion, dyspepsia, sourness, gases, heartburn, and headache, for many months. It belongs in your home.

New and Interesting Facts from Science and Life

How'll You TRAVEL—as BIRD, FISH or UNICYCLIST?



How the New "Flyplane" Is Worn by the Aviator.

IMAGINE yourself with a pair of wings strapped to your body, soaring through the air as fleet as any bird; or, clad in a one-man submersible, swimming along as gracefully as any fish; or racing down a road on a one-wheel vehicle, and you can picture three very unique inventions that supply everything a man needs to become at will a bird, a fish or a unicyclist.

Of these three unusual methods of transportation the new manner of flying is regarded by many as being the most remarkable. To equip himself with wings the birdman wears his so-called "flyplane" like a deep-sea diver wears his armor. When going on a trip the airman is hooked into his wings; when he descends again he sheds the contrivance just as he might shed an overcoat.

Because of the small resistance to the wind offered by this machine, its inventor, Elias Capps, expects it to develop a speed as great as 100 miles an hour.

The "flyplane" is described in the Illustrated World by Robert A. Masters as consisting of a steel jacket fitted to the figure of the airman in such a way that the weight of the machine rests upon his shoulders and, the arch of his hips. His neck is shielded by a metal collar. Above this, his head, guarded by an aviation helmet, projects, while below, his legs, from the thighs downward, dangle in space. When in flight, the birdman does not support the machine — he sits upon it.

Projecting sidewise from the waistline and the line of the shoulders are two planes, 12 feet from tip to tip. These are sufficient to support the relatively small weight that is carried. The ailerons are attached below and above to these planes, and these with the rudder, which projects backward from the jacket, are controlled by the hands of the operator.

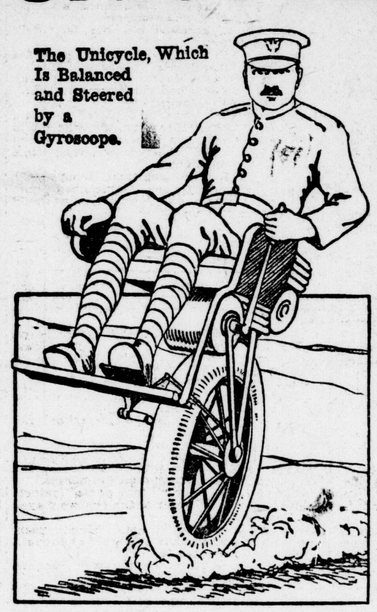
The engine, a light eight-cylinder affair, is placed in front of the airman's chest. On the shaft of this the single propeller projects forward. Thick asbestos pads protect the aviator from the heat developed when the engine is running.

Small gasoline and oil tanks are placed in the lining of the jacket, while a set of dry cells furnishes the ignition.

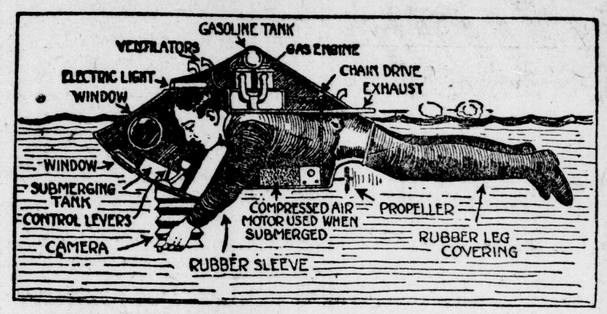
When going aloft the flyplane expert starts his engine, and when the propeller has attained a good speed he runs forward. At the moment he feels that the speed will sustain him he jumps into the air and quickly rises.

The second of these strange inventions is what a writer in Popular Science Monthly calls the "one-man submersible," by means of which a man can change himself into a fish. In this device human arms take the place of fins, and the propelling power consists of two separate units, one for surface and one for under-water running. The inventor, Worth R. Barringer of Denver, says that he plans to construct a device of aluminum in the form of a fish.

The nose portion of this machine has its sides fitted with glass windows, and the bottom portion has a telescoping window, so that the operator can guide the vessel where he desires, lying in a longitudinal position with his legs projecting out behind like the tail of a fish. Directly above the shoulders of the operator is a gasoline engine connected with a shaft which revolves the propeller. A compressed air motor with a storage tank takes up the space beneath the operator's body and is to be used when the boat is submerged. Collapsible tanks under his arms correspond with the ballast tanks of a submarine, and water is taken in or expelled according to whether it is desired to rise or sink. Levers to operate both engines are within convenient reach. To work them, the operator must remove one hand from its rubber sleeve.



The Unicycle, Which Is Balanced and Steered by a Gyroscope.



A One-Man Submarine, Which Can Be Used for Salvaging, Life-Saving and War Work.

To supply air for the interior of the shell when the boat is running on the surface, floating ball ventilators are provided, which automatically close when water strikes them. The body portion of the apparatus is fastened by straps to the shoulders of the operator, so that he can walk upright with it, or swim in any direction—something no man can do with an ordinary diver's equipment. The boat in its present form weighs about 120 pounds.

The inventor says it is possible to make his boat the fastest under-water machine in the world, capable of a speed of 40 miles an hour, with a radius of action of 20 miles.

An Iowa inventor has applied the principle of the gyroscope to a one-wheeled automobile, or unicycle, which is maintained in equilibrium and steered by that device.

In this unusual vehicle, which is also described in Popular Science Monthly, the operator sits above and forward of the centre of the wheel, with a one-cylinder gasoline engine at the rear to balance his weight.

The drive from the one-cylinder gasoline engine to a sprocket on the pneumatic tired wheel is by means of a chain, like that used in motorcycle practice.

The steering gyroscope is supported on two bell-crank levers, one on either side of the seat. When it is desired to steer the car to the right, the right-hand lever is pulled backward so that the gyroscope case is lifted up off the left lever support. The precessional movement in evidence will cause the machine to turn to the right until the gyroscope and its case is allowed to drop so that it is supported equally on both lever arms.

Both gyroscopes are mounted in vacuum cases and are driven by current from a small storage battery carried on the frame supporting the seat and between the seat and the gasoline engine.

Strange HYSTERIA Due to LONG DAYS and NIGHTS

IN a paper dealing with the University of Oxford expedition to Siberia, of which he was a member, Mr. H. U. Hall of the University of Pennsylvania refers to the striking psychological effects of long daylight and long darkness in high latitudes. As to the former, apart from the tendency to shorten sleeping hours in order to make the greatest possible use of the long day, there seems to be a kind of stimulation of the nervous system, urging people to a feverish and purposeless activity. This is especially noticed in newcomers, but the natives are not exempt from it.

On the other hand, the coming of the long winter night is followed by a kind of reaction, though no greater depression of vitality is apparent. With the cessation of work the period of sociability begins, and the circumstances favor a lapse of self-control. This is the time when "Arctic hysteria" is likely to show itself. "Such, for instance, is a form of hysterical seizure for which the Tungus have a special name, in which the patient sings improvisations of his own which are likely to contain absurd exaggerations or laughable glorifications of himself."

The writer records a case in which one of these hysterical boasters represented himself as a god and was killed by some of his fellow-tribesmen, who were also apparently affected by the disorder.

How the CATERPILLAR Practices CAMOUFLAGE

CAN caterpillars think? If caterpillars cannot actually do so, it appears that they have a degree of sense not generally recognised.

In a London Institution lecture some time ago Frederick Enock, who has been studying the insects for half a century, showed that they really seem to be conscious of their marking and coloration and are able to use the knowledge in protecting themselves from birds, their natural enemies.

A picture of a geranium branch thrown on the screen apparently represented only a mass of dead twigs, yet there were included eight caterpillars, looking almost exactly like the twigs.

An even more remarkable exercise of protective foresight may be seen when the caterpillar spins its cocoon on a leaf and evidently becomes aware that the leaf may become detached and that its fall may be fatal to the chrysalis.

To prevent this catastrophe the caterpillar fastens the base of the leaf to the stem by silken threads. This strengthening of leaves has been noticed many times, and is striking evidence that it must realize the danger from a fall.

Why NOISE Does Not BOTHER the CHINAMAN

IT seems that the Chinese typically has a higher threshold of stimulation than the occidental," says Dr. Alfred C. Reed in a communication to Scientific Monthly. "It takes a larger summation of stimuli or a greater single stimulus in the first place to rise into consciousness, and in the second place to cause reflex activity. So we see the Chinaman impervious to noise, odors and sights which western nerves bear but poorly. We see him existing with no complaint and no idea of betterment, in squalor, misery and poverty which western personality would find at once unendurable. We see him exercise a fatalistic indifference to the immediate or remote future, because no clear picture has arisen in his consciousness of any condition or time different from his own immediate present.

"When the summation or single stimulus is sufficiently great, however, for sensation to appear in consciousness, there is but a narrow margin of normal response before the reaction becomes pathological. Hence it is that all the psychoses and neuroses are so easily aroused, since the zone of normal response is narrowed by the high threshold of stimulation. Thus we see the superficial anomaly of sluggishness, inertia and indifference associated with a high and poorly controlled emotional nature which involves and easily goes over into hysteria."

Very CURIOUS BATHS Taken to PRESERVE BEAUTY

THE recent confession of a well known actor that he frequently bathes in vinegar and fizz-water to sooth his nerves, recalls the many other curious liquids which famous people, in ancient and modern times, have used for their ablutions.

Cleopatra, the great Egyptian queen, is reported by the historians to have bathed in wild asses' milk to preserve the loveliness of her skin, and it is said that she kept a drove of wild asses for the sole purpose of furnishing milk for this bath.

The beautiful but wicked Countess Bathori, who lived in Germany about 500 years ago, was convicted of luring young girls to her castle and murdering them in order that she might bathe in their blood. She had been told by a physician who dealt in witchcraft, that only in this way could she preserve her wonderful complexion. As an appropriate punishment in those barbaric times, her face and neck were flayed in order to destroy the charms she had sought to preserve.

Mud baths were taken by Caesar Borgia, son of Pope Alexander VI., as a cure for pimples which afflicted him in the spring of the year.

An extravagant French court beauty in the time of Louis XV. filled her bathtub with bubbling champagne, and is said to have gained a delicious sense of mild intoxication from the experiment, which, however, was too expensive a form of "souse" for many people to repeat.

Within the last year or two there was a story of an internationally famous French actress who invited a number of newspaper men to her apartments, where they found her immersed to the neck in a bath of milk. As milk is an opaque fluid no one's modesty was severely shocked. Perhaps the lady had read of the famous Cleopatra baths.

How a Disappointed LOVER INVENTED the KNITTING MACHINE for REVENGE

THINK of the human energy wasted in knitting!" said Dr. Elisa T. Ransom of Boston, and a member of the American Women's Hospitals campaigners. "We hear from the trenches that a pair of socks lasts a week, and at the end of that time they are rubbed into holes with the friction of the sand, and so full of mud and vermin that they will stand upright.

"Machine-made socks are just as good as hand-made ones, and they can be made so much quicker. Persons under 12 and over 80 can knit, or other people at times when they might otherwise be idle, but there is too much work to be done to spend our energies knitting or winding bandages or doing by hand any of the things that can be done by machines." When you see a pair of socks, a sweater or a muffler in process of evolution it may interest you to know that the work is being done just about as it was when the art was in its infancy.

Dr. Ransom's remarks about the energy wasted in knitting brings to mind the fact that there have been great improvements in knitting machinery, and that the invention of the first machine of this kind was directly due to a somewhat common malady—unreciprocated love.

The Rev. William Lee of Cambridge University, so the story goes, was deeply smitten with a maiden of his native town, Woodborough, Nottinghamshire, but in spite of his ardent wooing could make no impression. The fair one calmly kept on with her knitting, then the common occupation English women.

In revenge the Rev. William swore he'd invent a machine which would destroy the market for hand work. He kept his word, but Queen Elisabeth refused to grant a patent and to give her financial support because too many of her subjects would be deprived of their means of livelihood. So the inventor took his machine to France.

This story may be entirely fanciful, but in 1589 William Lee did revolutionize hosiery making by producing the knitting frame, or stocking frame. American names in the list of those who have labored to perfect knitting machinery are W. C. Gist, Almet Reid and Griswold.

Knitting is not one of the oldest arts, being much less ancient than weaving. It is supposed to have been invented in Scotland in the 15th century, from which country it spread to England and France, soon becoming an established domestic industry.

American women at work today on socks, sweaters and mufflers have an inspiring example for their war time occupation, Martha Washington. Two Morristown women, dressed for a high social occasion, called soon after she joined the general at his headquarters there. They found her, plainly gowned, knitting as fast as her needles would fly. She gained the reputation of "an inveterate knitter," and every day except Sundays during the dark winter at Valley Forge, she gathered the officers' wives and all available women about her to knit gloves and socks, patch garments and make shirts for the heroes of the revolution.

Why *BLUE*, NOT GREEN, Is IRELAND'S COLOR

THE Wearing of the Green" is usually considered to be rather a revolutionary song, and at one time it was an offence to sing it, and might get a man into sad trouble. Yet, as a matter of fact, it is a song of union, according to a writer in London Tit-Bits.

Everybody is aware that the color of the Ulsterman—not the color of his skin, but the color of his principles, the hue he swears by—is orange; but few people are aware that the traditional heraldic color of the Emerald Isle is blue? Yes, blue is Ireland's national color, not green.

Then how did green become synonymous with nationalistic Ireland?

Take your paint box and mix blue and yellow and see what the result is. Green, of course, and when the Ulster Orangemen joined the Irish Nationalists, calling themselves the United Irishmen, in 1798, they adopted a green flag as an emblem of unity, and it was then "The Wearing of the Green" was sung by all the four provinces of the "distressful country."

It is said, however, that white is to be the new Irish flag, with a red cross of St. Patrick and a golden shamrock in each corner. But where is the harp? They say it belongs to Little Wales. But it was the Irish poet Moore who sang "The harp that once through Tara's halls the soul of music shed," and Tara was supposed to be the seat of the old Irish kingdom.

HORSE'S ANCESTOR Was the SIZE of a Small FOX

THE earliest known ancestor of the horse, called the Eohippus or "Dawn Horse," is believed to have existed more than 3,000,000 years ago, in what is known as the Eocheno Age, hundreds of thousands of years before the coming of man. Fossil remains of that animal were found in certain rock strata in this country.

From the remains of a skeleton uncovered in New Mexico, J. W. Gidley, one of the scientists connected with the United States National Museum, in Washington, D. C., reconstructed the interesting model of the horse ancestor which is pictured here.

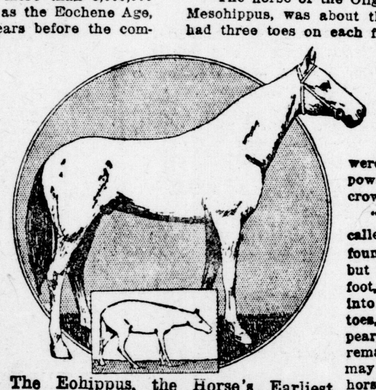
"This earliest known ancestor of the horse," says a writer in Popular Science Monthly, "was about the size of a small fox, standing a little more than 14 inches high at the shoulder. He had four toes on each of his front feet and three-toed hind feet. His teeth were small and short-crowned. He probably lived around the margins of lakes, where the ground was more or less soggy, and pastured on grass.

"In the course of thousands of centuries, his physique developed as his needs required. His size increased and his skeleton underwent important changes in accordance with his altered living conditions and habits.

"The horse of the Oligocene period, known as Mesohippus, was about the size of a sheep and had three toes on each foot. In the Miocene, a little later period, there were numerous large horses, all with three toes on each foot, but with the middle toe much larger than its companions. Their teeth were much longer, more powerful and much deeper crowned.

"In a still later period, called the Pliocene, were found the first horses with but a single toe on each foot, which soon developed into a hoof. The auxiliary toes, being useless, disappeared, and only the stumps remained, traces of which may be seen in modern horses, even those of the highest stock.

"True horses, of the form and approximate size of were not found until the Pleistocene period. These were common all over North America and Europe. Although they resembled the modern horse, they were smaller in size, and inferior in strength and fleetness."



The Eohippus, the Horse's Earliest Ancestor, Stood Little More Than 14 Inches High at the Shoulder.

POI, National DISH of HAWAII

HAWAII is making a food-saving contribution in the shape of poi, its national dish made from the bulb of the taro plant. Until 20 years ago poi was made under primitive conditions, the bulbs being peeled, boiled and pounded in a wooden trencher until a semi-liquid paste was formed. But today modern sanitary machinery is used to manufacture the product, under supervision of health authorities in the island, and five factories at Hilo now turn out several tons daily.

This new form of poi is being sent to the United States, reaching markets as far away as New York city, and a demand which began with Hawaiians who had come to the United States is gradually being extended to Americans, who have learned to like the dish.

Poi is frequently used in Hawaiian hospitals in the diet of patients whose stomachs are too weak to digest other food, and the war interests in substitute foods is expected to lead to its wider introduction elsewhere.

FIRING Through AIRPLANE'S Whirling Propeller

IT seems a mechanical anomaly that many of the battleplanes should be equipped with machine-guns that fire through the path of the revolving propeller. Yet this condition has been brought about in the development of the fast and highly-flexible battleplanes, such as the single-seater one of the allies and the single-seater Fokker Germans.

High speed and flexibility of control are the two main requisites of a battleplane, for the victory in an aerial duel rests with the aviator having the fastest and most flexible mount, the skill of the adversaries being equal. Hence in the development of the battleplane it has been found necessary to eliminate the gunner whose duty was to fire the machine gun while the pilot devoted his attention to the control levers of the craft, bringing into being the single-seater fighting machine whose pilot, aside from his usual responsibilities, has to shoulder the additional duties of a gunner.

In the present-day single-seater battleplanes the machine gun is usually placed in front of the pilot, above the engine cowl.

Since the pilot is unable to remove his hands from the control levers for any considerable length of time the sighting of the gun is accomplished by aligning the entire airplane with the target, the gun being rigidly attached to the cowl.

In cerain of the French machines the gun is fired continuously through the path of the revolving propeller blades, no attempt being made to select such times for the firing when the blades are not in the path of fire. The portion of each propeller blade coming in direct line with the muzzle of the gun is sufficiently armored so that the bullets that strike are deflected without causing any damage, and it is estimated that in no circumstances does the wastage of the fire exceed 30 per cent.

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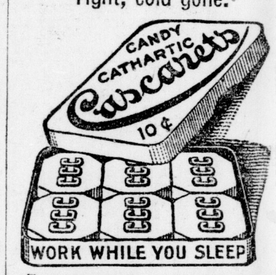
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AGREES TO ENLIST.

WINDSOR, May 9.—Declaring testimony produced by the crown insufficient to warrant a conviction, Magistrate Breault in Sandwich police court dismissed the theft charges against Nelson Rosan, junk dealer of Windsor, who was charged with stealing a corn cutter, valued at $50, from a farm on promising to enlist.

STARK—McGRAW.

PAISLEY, May 9.—At the Methodist parsonage, Port Elgin, the marriage was solemnized by Rev. Dr. Scanlan, of Irene, third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace McGraw, Greenock, to James Neilson Stark, second son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stark, of the Paisley Mills. The young couple will reside in Paisley.

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AT THE HOUSEBOAT ON THE STYX

Reported by Wireless to JOHN KENDRICK BANGS

IX.—MUNCHAUSEN, AND OTHER FISHY CHARACTERS

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It was a beautiful spring morning, and the Styx never looked more invitingly lovely. Lured by its genial warmth Izaak Walton was sitting on a steamer-chair on the promenade deck of the house boat, gazing longingly across the river and reciting softly under his breath some improvised lines of his own running somewhat as follows:

In the spring the young man's fancy
lightly turns to brooks and pools,
Where the speckled trout and catfish
slosh around in busy schools
Looking for the brown-tailed buglet for
to fill their tummy-tums,
And a special dish of hors-d'oeuvres
made of shiny angle-wums.

"Where on earth did you get those lines, Ike?" queried Tennyson, to whom the verses seemed strangely familiar and yet not wholly so.

"O, it's a little thing that popped into my head after reading your Locksley Hall, Alfred," replied the famous fisherman. "You see, I think of everything in terms of fish. When I read Milton I think of whales. When I peruse a poem of Wordsworth's it brings up visions of lake trout off in the Windermere district. When I dip into your Babbling Brook the speckled beauty flirts across my mental vision. The poets of cheer bring the sunfish inevitably to mind. The poets of pessimism turn my mind to suckers, and when I read the machine-made poetry of certain unnamed geniuses who have substituted a winged Ford for Pegasus, it's the canned sardine soaked in oil that comes into my mind."

"And how about the latter-day Free Versifiers?" asked Tennyson.

"They call to mind chiefly those mill-dam pools," said Walton, "in which the only thing you catch in a day's fishing is a couple of old hoop-skirts and a mild attack of malaria."

"How about me, Ikey?" asked Coleridge. "Did my Ancient Mariner suggest anything to you?"

"Yes," said Walton. "I thought of what a jackass he was to starve in an open boat when the water under him was probably teeming with codfish just pleading to be picked off.

"'Water, water everywhere, and not one drop for drink,' says he, while if I'd been in his place the line would have been:

"'Water, water everywhere, and a corking chance to fish.'"

"O, but you miss the point entirely," said Coleridge. "His trouble was not starvation, it was thirst."

"Thirst," said Walton, "has always been the true fisherman's long suit—so much so, in fact, that he always has a thirst extinguisher handy. What you say only proves the truth of what I say: Your Ancient Mariner was not a fisherman. If he had been he'd have been able to find a drink somewhere. But what a day this is for the rod and line, eh boys?"

"A rod, a line, a laughing silvery brook,
A little pool, a soft sequestered nook,
A can of worms, a jug of golden pop—
Who'd not for that give Paradise the
hook?"

sang Omar Khayyam.

"That's just how I feel, exactly, Omar," sighed Walton. "I'd like to go off right now and cast a fly or two over the mirrorlike surface of some mountain pool and return at night with a basket full of trout, and a mind overflowing with cheerful thoughts. There's no time like spring for your fisherboy":

Spring, spring, beautiful spring,
Days when the chortling codfish sing;
Mating time of the roeing shad
Singing his song to the mackerel sad.

"Ah me! Fish, fish, fish! Fish are poetry to me."

"So I perceive," said Tennyson, "and a fine mess you make of it, judging by the samples."

"I wonder," said Ptolemy, gazing over the rail into the depths of the Styx. "I wonder if there are any fish in this river."

"A lot of queer fish have come over it," said Walton, with a furtive glance at Captain Kidd and Guy Fawkes, who were pacing the deck together.

"I mean in it," said Ptolemy.

"I don't know," said Walton, "but there's old Charon paddling by. Let's ask him. Hi, Charon, ahoy!" he cried. "Well, what's biting you now?" asked Charon, steering his ferry-boat alongside.

"We were wondering if there were any fish in the River Styx," said Walton.

"Sure there be," returned Charon. "Finer fish than ever swam the sea—tarpon, whale, catfish, trout, pompano, skate, sardines—but ye can't ketch 'em."

"And why not, pray?" asked Walton.

"Because," said Charon, "they ain't the ketchable kind. They're those famous fish you anglers like to tell about when ye get home, and start to spinnin' yarns about 'em. Salmon that must ha' weighed six hundred an' thutty pounds. Minners as big as whales. Red herrin' so big ye thought they was walruses. Trout that tipped the scales at forty-nine pounds, three ounces. You know the kind, Mr. Walton——"

"Yes," said Walton. "I know—the kind that never were."

"Ye—es," drawled Charon. "We call 'em the gotaway fish down here."

"Are they good eating?" asked Sir Walter.

"Wa—al, seein' as how I never et none, I kain't exactly say," said Charon, "for as I told ye, ye can't ketch 'em, and no man yet has ever et a fish that hain't been ketched. The trouble with 'em is they haven't any mouths to bite with. They're all tale, and dinged little fish with it."

The old ferryman put his finger to his lips and, whistling to Cerberus, who was trying to corner a flea on his back with all three of his mouths at once, he floated off down stream.

"He's a sarcastic old boy, isn't he!" said Walton.

"Was there any fishing on your famous cruise, Noah?" asked Socrates.

"No," said Noah. "We hadn't any bait. We only had two worms on board, and they belonged to the collection. Besides it was too wet to fish. The only fish I saw on the whole trip was a whale, and he was such a darned nuisance we sheered off every time he hove in sight."

"Afraid of a collision, I suppose?" said Admiral Nelson. "One good bump from a whale, and your old scow would have keeled over."

"Not she," retorted Noah. "You couldn't capsize the Betsy J. The real trouble was that those confounded old whales would come alongside while the rain was at its height and spout their darned old geysers all over our decks until it nearly swamped us. We had all the water we could stand without 'em."

"Morning, gentlemen," said Baron Munchausen, strolling up. "Fine day, ain't it. Anybody want to take me on for eighteen holes this morning?"

"Nothing doing," growled Omar Khayyam. "When a chap who plays eighteen holes in 433 puts in a card of 88, he passes on and out as far as I am concerned."

Munchausen flushed.

"You wrong me, Omar," said he. "I was new at the game that day and I didn't know you counted the misses."

"I don't refer to that game," retorted Omar. "I refer to the one we played last Saturday."

"O—that one," said Munchausen. "Well—wasn't that all right? I thought we only counted the puts."

"I guess that was it, Baron, laughed Omar. "But I don't care to play with you, anyhow—I can't afford it. There's no beating a man who always has a good lie ready no matter where his ball happens to land."

"We're not interested in golf anyhow, this morning, Munch," said Walton. "It's fish we're putting our minds on today."

"And a noble sport it is!" said Munchausen. "A sport fit for kings."

"You've been a fisherman in your day, have you?" queried Ptolemy.

"Well, I should say I have!" returned Munchausen, sitting on the rail. "I shall never in my life forget a marvelous day I had once in the Dardanelles—a day very much like this, it was, only a trifle warmer. I was attacked in mid-stream by a sword fish. I was swimming from Constantinople to Port Said on a bet I had with a Russo-Turkish friend of mine—old Abdul Samovar—I don't know if any of you ever met him. He was a nice old fellow, but a great sport. He bet me £1,000 I couldn't swim from Constantinople to Port Said in four days without a tow."

"Some task, I should say," said Byron. "After tackling the Hellespont, I know."

"Same here," said Leander. "I guess you lost, didn't you, Baron?"

"Yes—I lost," said Munchausen, "but I wouldn't if it hadn't been for that sword fish. The beast attacked me in water ninety feet deep. It was just off the Fortress of Khilid-bahri that I first spied him sharpening his old blade on a grindstone that had rolled down into the shallows. He looked like a mountain; weighed 973 pounds—some customer for a chap like myself, who'd never run up over twelve stone, to tackle, and I tried my best to avoid him."

"Frightened for the first time in all your life, I presume," sneered Napoleon.

"No," said Munchausen, "I wasn't frightened, but I didn't want to lose my bet. I needed that £1,000 at that time, so I made myself as inconspicuous as possible, but to no avail. He caught sight of me in the water and in a jiffy he lunged at me, and I realized that I was in for it. I backed away, treading water like a sprinter in a hundred yards dash, steering myself with my left hand, while with my right I drew my sword—a nice little Damascus blade that had been given me by Abdul."

"O—indeed," said Leander. "You were swimming from Constantinople to Port Said with your clothes on and—"

"Of course," said Munchausen. "Why not? Any fool can swim from Constantinople to Port Said with his clothes off. That's what made the bet interesting. Why, I even had my army boots and spurs on, Leander, and a dinged good thing I had, too, for they saved me from a shark that attacked me at the same time. I saw the ravenous creature making for me, all ready to bite my legs off, when with a well-directed kick of my left foot I ripped him squarely up the middle with my spurs. But the swordfish was different. He was an antagonist worthy of my steel, and I want to say to you that while I have fenced with the best swordsmen of Europe and Japan, I have never encountered a fencer that was his equal in offense and in parry. He was quicker than chain lightning. I parried his first lunge, but he was back on me like a flash. I caught his point, and swerved him off to the left, and would have dispatched him then and there had not the swiftness of the tide impeded the action of my sword arm. Two seconds later he was facing me again, and I feinted——"

"I don't wonder," said Xerxes. "I think I'd have played the swoon game myself."

"I don't mean fainted—with an A," said Munchausen, indignantly. "I mean feinted with an E."

"I feinted with my sword," said Munchausen, but he was a D'Artagnan at the business. He parried, finessed for position, and then made a lunge for my face. Fortunately my mask——"

"Good Lord!" ejaculated Byron. "Hear him, Leander—he was swimming from Constantinople to Port Said with a mask on!"

"Of course, I was," said Munchausen. "I didn't care to spoil my face bumping up against floating fruit boxes and other flotsam and jetsam of the Mediterranean while swimming in the dark. But, as I was saying, he lunged at my face. The point of his sword glanced off the metal head-band of my mask, and it simply sheered him over on his starboard side at least forty-five degrees, and, of course, it was all over. I jabbed my sword into his middle, and he turned over and died. 'Touche!' I cried exultantly, as my blade pierced his heart."

"And, of course, he winked his other eye and answered—not by a darn sight!" said Napoleon contemptuously.

"No," said Munchausen, calmly. "I suppose if I were trying to deceive you I might indulge in some such flight of fancy, but the truth is the poor old creature gave up the ghost then and there. But as a tribute to his memory I repeat that in many years of experience in the duelling field, and in the leading Salles d'Armes of the world, whether with the rapier, the foil, the broadsword, the German schwager, or the common garden American bed-slat, I never saw prettier fencing than his. My only criticism of him was his manners. He knew nothing of the etiquette of the foil, but went at it with all the irresponsible abandon of a German tourist trying to grab a seat in an Italian railway carriage reserved for ladies. Speaking of fish, did any of you ever troll for whales?"

"Great heavens!" cried Hendrik Hudson. "He's trolled for whales, too!"

"Indeed I have, and caught 'em at that," said Munchausen. "It beats tarpon fishing all hollow. Landing a tarpon is exciting, but as compared with landing a whale it's like hooking a Ford when you're after a British tank. I caught the biggest whale ever known out near the Azores once. It took sixteen men and a donkey-engine to pull him in after I had hooked him."

"I suppose you caught him, though, on a bent pin?" suggested Xerxes.

"Not at all," said Munchausen. "I used four big bale-hooks——"

"Baited with a basket of angle-worms, no doubt," put in Napoleon.

"Not exactly," smiled Munchausen, "but pretty nearly that. I baited each hook with a boa constrictor, and——"

It was at this point that Walton and the rest rose up and fled; all indeed except Captain Kidd. The rest were too scandalized to remain.

"You pulled it a little too strong that time, Munch," said Kidd. "You might have got away with the swordfish, but baiting a fishhook with a boa constrictor won't go. You'll never hear the end of that tale."

"Neither will they," said Munchausen. "They wouldn't wait for the end of it, and I'll never give 'em another chance. But I don't mind telling you, Kidd, that when that whale finally bit, and we'd hauled him aboard, and cut him up, we found a small leather book embedded in his vermiform appendix, and what do you suppose it was labelled?"

"I—I don't know, Munch," said Kidd, nervously. "What was it?"

"Jonah; his diary" replied Munchausen. "What do you think of that?"

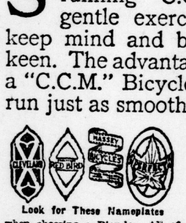
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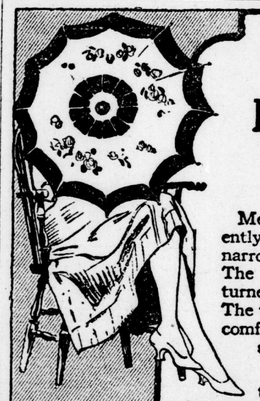
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Back Reform Ideas in Council Procedure.

Members of the board of control, at its meeting Friday declared themselves to be in favor of banishing delegations from the council, and also for holding council meetings in the afternoons, as was suggested in The Advertiser.

The controllers did not indorse the proposal by motion, but they were unanimous in expressing their opinion that such moves would be in the best interests of the city at large. They suggested, however, that the question might be discussed at some of the committee meetings first.

Controller C. H. Merryfield, speaking in regard to the deputations, expressed the belief that the members did not use their best intelligence and judgment when there were deputations present.

Mayor C. R. Somerville says that the deputations created an impression, and now that they had gone into hiring men to attend the meetings for them, it was with the idea of mixing up the minds of the members on certain questions. He felt that when the aldermen were elected for the year the people should trust them. If they did not they could put them out at the end of the year.

Controller J. H. Saunders thought that it was up to the council to banish delegates. He said that there were men trying to dictate to the council who did not own a dollar's worth of property in the city.

Speaking of the idea of holding the meetings at 2 o'clock, Controller Merryfield said he thought the idea a good one. He thought so well of it that he was prepared to move it and stand behind it.

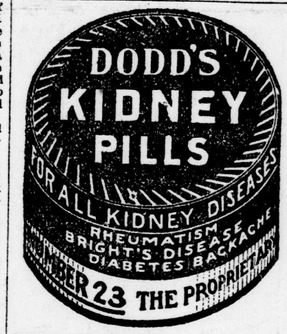
The mayor asked if many would be inconvenienced by it.

"It is the proper time," interposed City Clerk S. Baker.

Controller Saunders said that it might, but to serve the city a man must make some sacrifice or else not take the job. "I think it is a good suggestion," he declared.

The mayor said it would be only for a couple of afternoons a month.

The mayor suggested that the question be left for one of the committees to deal with, and this was agreed to.





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Funeral will be held from the residence of his parents, Lambeth, Ont., on Monday, May 13, at 2:30 p.m., to Woodland Cemetery. Services at 2 o'clock. b

FLORY.—At the family residence, 256 Grosvenor street, on Friday, May 10, 1918, Eliza Elliott, widow of the late Samuel Flory, aged 83 years. *80u

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TUESDAY, MAY 14

1169 York Street

COMPLETE CONTENTS OF THIS NICELY-FURNISHED HOME, in part: Parlor chairs and tables, lounge, lady's desk, large rugs, carpets, curtains, pictures, clock, hanging lamp, buffet, table and diners, dishes, glassware, bedroom suite, dressers, beds, springs, mattresses, crib, toiletware, Treasure range and heater, gas plate, mower, screens, sealers, stovepipe, kitchen table, chairs and goods, etc. Be sure and attend this nice, clean sale. Take Dundas car east to Eleanor street. SALE AT 10 A.M.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 15

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FRIDAY, MAY 17

383 Colborne Street

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Cathedral St. Paul's

8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Morning service.
7 p.m.—Evening service.
Preacher, Morning and Evening, the Rector.

Cronyn Memorial Church

Rev. G. Quintin Warner, Rector.
Sunday After Ascension Day.
8:30 a.m.—Holy Communion. Corporate communion for church school.
11 a.m.—Morning Prayer.
3 p.m.—The Church School.
7 p.m.—Evening Prayer. "Sacrifice."

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Rev. F. Sanders of Burford will preach at both services.
11 a.m.—"The Call of the Cross."
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All welcome.

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Askin St. Methodist Church

Rev. Dr. Dougall, Pastor.
Speaker for Sunday, Rev. S. J. Thompson, B.A., ex-President British Columbia Conference.
10 a.m.—Men's Brotherhood. Subject, "Does the Church Offer to Men a Job Worth While?"
11 a.m.—"Sowing the Seed."
7 p.m.—"The Mobilization of the Resources of Nation and Church."

Centennial Methodist Church

Pastor, Rev. H. T. Ferguson.
11 a.m.—Mothers' Day services. Solo, Miss Gladys Stanfield. 7 p.m. subject—"Obedient Christianity." Solo, Miss Gertrude Wood. Mr. Bert Weir, organist.

Colborne Street METHODIST CHURCH.

DR. F. LOUIS BARBER, Pastor, will preach to the boys and girls on "Cecil Rhodes and Solomon," at 11 a.m.
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Annual congregational meeting, on Wednesday, May 15, 8 p.m. All welcome.

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Special Mothers' Day services. 11 a.m.—"The Mother-Heart of God." 7 p.m.—In charge of mothers. Address by Mrs. Harrison. Mothers' chorus. Mothers' quartet, etc.

First Methodist Church

PASTOR:
Rev. R. G. Peever, D.D.
PREACHER.

11 A.M.
MOTHERS' DAY SERVICE.
Sermon—
"Mothers' Day and My Duty."
We specially invite the aged to be with us.

3 P.M.
Sunday School in Wesley Hall.

7 P.M.
Sermon—
"A Man's First And Only Chance, or Penitence and Pardon."
Church choir and soloists.

N. B.—City Epworth League rally, Monday night, in Centennial Methodist Church.

Hale Street Methodist Church

Rev. B. Snell, Pastor.
Mothers' Day—Wear a White Flower.
Morning—"An Ideal Mother."
Evening—"A Great Premier as a Food Hoarder and as an Immigration Officer."

Hyatt Ave. Methodist Church

Harvey Moyer, Pastor.
Morning—A Mothers' Day Service.
Evening—Song service at 6:45. Organ recital at close of evening service.
Wear a white flower in honor of your mother. Welcome.

Memorial Methodist Richmond St. Sherwood Ave

Rev. B. H. Robinson, M.A., Minister.
MOTHERS' DAY SERVICES.
11 a.m.—"Our Mothers." Special program.
7 p.m.—Mothers' decoration service by Kinsmen's Association. Address by Mrs. Gordon Wright. Solos by Mr. Nash. All soldiers' mothers and friends specially invited.
Tuesday, 8:15 p.m.—Choir concert. Playlet, "Ye Quilting Party of Ye Olden Time."

Ridout St. Methodist Church

Rev. J. E. Holmes, Pastor.
11 a.m.—Mothers' Day. Wear a flower in her honor.
7 p.m.—Jerusalem and Its Surrender to General Allenby.
Church School at 3 o'clock.
Mrs. W. R. Court, Organist.

Wellington St. Meth. Church

Rev. W. J. Ashton, B.D., Pastor.
11 a.m.—Pte. Douglas Woollett will assist the pastor and preach. 2:45—Sunday school and adult classes. 7 p.m.—Mothers' Day service in song and sermon. The pastor will preach. Come and worship in honor of your mother. Strangers welcome. Mr. and Mrs. Percy King, musical instructors.

BAPTIST

Adelaide Street Baptist

James H. Boyd, Pastor.
11—"What We Owe to Mother."
7—Dr. James M. Gray, dean of Moody Bible Institute, Chicago. Do not fail to hear him. Mr. Reginald Hudson, soloist. Seats free.

Baptist Church, South London

Pastor, W. MacLaren Walker.
11 a.m.—Rev. H. H. Bingham, B. A., of Talbot Street Church, will preach. 3—Sunday school. 7 p.m.—The pastor. Subject, "Loving the World." All welcome.

Egerton St. Baptist Church

Rev. A. C. Bingham, Pastor.
Capt. W. E. Hindson will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening. Rev. H. D. Moyer will address a meeting for men only at 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

Talbot Street Baptist Church

Rev. H. H. Bingham, B.A., Pastor.
11 a.m.—Rev. Wm. M. Walker will preach.
3 p.m.—Sunday school. Men's class.
7 p.m.—Pastor will preach. Subject, "A Mother's Sacrifice." Baptism at close. Mothers' Day. Special music. Wear white flower.

Maitland St. Baptist Church

Rev. J. N. Norton, Pastor.
Morning—"A Mother's Treasure-House."
Evening—"What Jesus Thought of His Mother.
Special music by mothers' choir.
Everybody welcome. b

PRESBYTERIAN

First Presbyterian Church

Corner Dufferin and Park Avenues.
Rev. W. J. Knox, Minister.
11 a.m.—"How Is the Kingdom of God To Be Established?" 7 p.m.—A service of praise, based on the hymns of Whittier. The orchestra will assist at the evening service.

King St. Presbyterian Church

W. R. McIntosh, B.A., Minister.
11 a.m.—"Mary at the Cross." Mothers' Day service. Baptism. 7 p.m.—"The Neglected Arm of the Service." Special service of intercession by order of synod.

Hamilton Road Presbyterian

Sunday school service, 10 a.m. Special Mothers' Day service. Mrs. (Dr.) Hughes and Mrs. (Dr.) McCrae will speak on "Our Mothers." What they did for us. What we owe to them. Solos by Miss Ila Philmore and Miss Grace Crowse. Special music by Sunday school choir. Mothers and fathers specially invited. b

Knox Church

SOUTH LONDON.
Special Mothers' Day services at 11 a.m. Rev. Dr. I. MacDonald, Y.M.C.A. chaplain, lately returned from France, will preach at both services.

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Services 11 and 7.
Morning—Rev. James Mackay will preach.
Evening—Service of Praise.
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Corner Queen's Ave. and Waterloo St.
Minister, Rev. D. C. MacGregor, B.A.

11 A.M. SERMON.
"THE PRICE OF LIBERTY."
THE MINISTER
Junior Congregation.
"WHAT THEY DID WITH THEIR MONEY."
7 P.M. SERMON:
SPECIAL SERVICE OF PRAYER and INTERCESSION.
Music by full choir and soloists.
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Topic:
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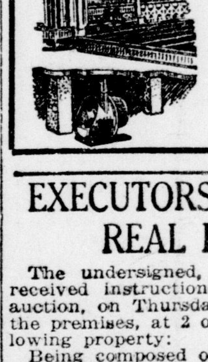
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The undersigned, D. H. Porter, has received instructions to sell by public auction, on Thursday, May 16, 1918, on the premises, at 2 o'clock p.m., the following property:

Being composed of part of lot No. 2, on the west side of Talbot street, in the city of London, having a frontage of 48 feet 4 inches by a depth of 120 feet more or less; subject to a right-of-way 9 feet on Talbot street, by 75 feet in depth.

On the above lands there is a double 1½-story brick veneer tenement, known as Nos. 509 and 511 Talbot street.

The property will be sold subject to existing monthly tenancies.

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Further particulars and conditions made known on day of sale.

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ANDREW DALE.
NATHANIEL MILLS,
Executors.
M. 8, 11, 15.

AUCTION SALE OF FARM PROPERTY—Messrs. Robert B. Ross and Robert McCormick, the executors of the will of George W. Sumner, deceased, will offer for sale by public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, the 16th day of May, 1918, at 3 o'clock p.m., 50 acres of land, more or less, being composed of part of lot No. 27, in the second concession of the Township of London, in the County of Middlesex, upon which there is a house and barn. Terms of sale: Ten per cent of the purchase moneys to be paid at the time of sale, and the balance within fifteen days thereafter. For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to Emanuel T. Essery, solicitor for the executors. M. 4, 11.

Auction Sale, Tuesday, May 14

Groceries, Chevrolet car in good condition, furniture, and a quantity of hay; also wagons and sleighs. Auctioneer R. McDonald, at Pasedana, concession 8, East Nissouri. b

J. D. Lang

Has rented his store to the Farmers' Club, Lambeth, and will sell by public auction May 15, contents of said store. Also farm, about 15 acres, good 2-story house, large barn, other outbuildings. Plenty of soft water in house, splendid well. One mile from Lambeth on main road. Also house and lot in Lambeth, and four English ponies, first prize winners at London Fair. b

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OFFERS TO QUIT JOB

Controversy Results in Suggestion to Reduce Income.

OTTAWA, May 10.—Col. H. Labatt, pensions commissioner, in connection with the granting of full disability pension to whom there has arisen a very considerable controversy, has written to the pensions commission of the House of Commons offering either to resign from the board or to have deducted from his salary of $5,000 a year, the amount of his pension which is $1,890 plus $240 for his two children, per annum. It has not been stated whether the proposal will be accepted or not, or what may be the alternative.

Before the pensions committee yesterday, Col. Labatt's pension again came up for some consideration. The discussion raised an interesting point in connection with functional troubles, which have developed or been inherent prior to enlistment. Under present conditions it is customary to limit the percentage of disability of any man to what has actually so far as can be ascertained, contracted while on service.

Officers Not Examined.

In the case of many officers, however, it has been impossible to ascertain anti-enlistment disorders because of the fact that the only record of fitness was the granting of the commission which was taken in itself to be a certificate of fitness. With non-coms and men it was different.

There is now a movement on foot to have no account taken of functional disorders, contracted prior to enlistment. Even in the case of rank and file men, on the assumption that if a man has been passed for service, the responsibility is upon the authorities for anything which may develop on service. There have been a great many hardships because of anti-enlistment disorders, aggravated by service and many cases of valvular trouble of the heart, have drawn but small pensions, because it was represented that such had been contracted prior to joining up.

One of Board Questioned.

Yesterday Col. Donald McGillivray, who was on one of the boards, which considered the Labatt case recently, gave evidence.

Mr. Nickle—In your judgment was Col. Labatt, at the time he enlisted, suffering from the disability in respect of which he received a pension?

Answer—The great probability is that when Col. Labatt enlisted the heart was not normal. What degree of abnormality there was I cannot say, nor can anybody else excepting those who examined him at enlistment. Certainly at that time his heart could not have been as it is now because any tyro could detect the trouble without the use of a stethoscope in his present condition. At the time of enlistment the great probability is that his heart was not normal.

Question—Then in your opinion his disability was a progressive one?

Answer—Yes.

Question—The inception of which was prior to enlistment?

Answer—Yes.

Much Worse Now.

Mr. Nesbitt—In other words if he had been as bad as now he would not have been able to go to the front?

Answer—He certainly could not.

Col. McGillivray stated that his heart might very well have been affected by three major operations which he had had for duodenal cancer. His present disability was certainly a hundred per cent. But he had had myocarditis for some years, and this might have been caused by ulcers of the bowels. It was difficult to give a prognosis of heart trouble.

Turning to the case of Senator George Bradbury the witness judged that the contraction of angina pectoris in eighteen months "would be a very rapid onset," he was 56 years of age when he enlisted and would be suffering about 60 per cent of disability at that time. His service would very much aggravate the condition. Judging from the history, and the man's condition he should have fifty per cent pension. That would not be unreasonable.

The first board awarded a fifty per cent pension for six months to Senator Bradbury. The second board which he demanded, however, awarded eighty per cent permanent, though no action has been taken on the matter.

ROCHESTER WALKS.

Rochester, N. Y., May 11.—All motormen and conductors employed by the New York State Railways, Rochester lines, quit work at 4 o'clock this morning. Not a car was moved, and thousands of people were forced to walk to work this morning.

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["The quantity of wheat seized was insignificant, and to obtain it the German soldiers have created among the Ukranian people an undying hatred of Germany."—Daily Press.]



Old Kaiser Cain went to Ukraine
To get his starved people some corn;
But when he got there the Ukraine was bare—
And the Huns wish they'd never been born.
—London Opinion.

LOSSES BY U-BOATS ARE CUT IN HALF COMPARED TO 1917

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Official French statistics on the submarine warfare, received here in a dispatch from France today, show that the total losses of Allied and neutral ships, including accidents at sea, were approximately only one-half as great during April, this year, as in April, 1917.

In April, last year, 634,685 gross tons were lost, while this April's figures are 381,631.

Attacks are now more costly for the enemy, the dispatch points out, owing to the fact that the attacks are chiefly made with torpedoes instead of gunfire, as was the case before merchant ships were adequately and efficiently armed. Attention is also called to the fact that each time the Germans have made an offensive on land they made a corresponding effort with their submarines. Thus, during the second half of March the number and activities of submarines increased. The first half of April marked a very distinct lessening attributed to the counter-efforts of the Allies.

Ostend Is Not Yet Absolutely Blocked; Wash Will Do Trick

Berlin Attempts to Make Light of Britain's Raid on Base.

LONDON, May 10.—The Vindictive lies at an angle not effectively blocking the channel at Ostend, but serving a very useful purpose, according to the Press Association. A partial and very serious blockade has been achieved and under the conditions of tide and silting prevailing this obstruction will certainly tend to increase.

BERLIN, May 10.—Via London.—The British attempt to blockade the harbor of Ostend was a failure, according to an official statement issued today. An old cruiser, entirely battered to pieces, lies aground before the harbor outside the navigation channel, and the entrance to the harbor is quite free, the statement continues.

OFFICE STAFF UNLOADS STEAMER WHEN DOCKERS AT FORT WILLIAM QUIT

Fort William, May 11.—Freight handlers to the number of 380 failed to come to work yesterday at the Canadian Pacific Railway sheds here, and the work of unloading the steamer Richardson, the only boat at the sheds, was done by the office staff, with girls from the offices acting as checkers. This boat was finished and sent over to Port Arthur by 6 o'clock. Last night the strike was still unsettled, and a meeting was arranged for this morning.

The men had been getting 30 cents an hour for day work and 33 cents for night work. They demand an increase of 10 cents an hour.

NO APPOINTMENT YET OF R. C. CHAPLAIN TO THE OVERSEAS FORCES

Quebec, May 11.—The ecclesiastical authorities here deny that Mgr. Mathieu, bishop of Regina, has been chosen by Cardinal Begin as general chaplain of the French-Canadian troops overseas. They say that the military authorities have authorized them to appoint a chaplain, but no nomination has yet been made.

BOUT POSTPONED.

Pittsburg, May 10.—The 10-round bout between Harry Greb of Pittsburg and Soldier Bartfield of New York, scheduled for tonight at Forbes Field, was postponed late today on account of cold weather. It was announced the bout would be held tomorrow night.

FOR FREEDOM AND HONOR



To commemorate, individually, all those who have fallen in the war, the British Government has decided to present a bronze plaque to the next-of-kin of each member of the fighting forces who has been killed, accompanied by a scroll with inscription.

The plaque or medal is of circular form, 5 inches in diameter, and bears an emblematic design, with the inscription: "He died for Freedom and Honor." It will be cast in gunmetal, and each copy will have inserted in the field (by an ingenious method of casting), a raised tablet inclosing the name of the person commemorated.

Haig Is Confident All Foe's Attacks Will Be Defeated

LONDON, May 10. — Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.—Field Marshal Haig expresses his deep appreciation of the services of the artillery in the Somme and Lys battles. He adds that the infantry was the first to admit the inestimable value of artillery support. The British commander-in-chief is confident that the reliance of each arm upon the most whole-hearted and self-sacrificing co-operation of the other is the greatest possible assurance that all further assaults will be met and defeated.

WILLARD-FULTON BOUT CALLED OFF

Miller Says Public Sentiment Against Fight.

Chicago, May 10.—Col. J. C. Miller, manager of the proposed heavyweight championship fight between Jess Willard and Fred Fulton on the 4th of July, tonight called off the project because he found public sentiment opposed to it.

Italy Has Nearly Quarter of Million Men to Help Foch

WASHINGTON, May 10.—Italy's contribution to the reserve army Gen. Foch is building up behind the lines in France for supreme emergency uses numbers nearly a quarter of a million men, official dispatches today say, and the force is being strengthened steadily.

symbol of French gratitude for American aid to French orphans.

The movement went beyond the original plan. Other schools joined in and more than thirteen thousand francs was raised before the subscription closed.

ALMOND PROTESTS HE IS NOT NARROW-MINDED

Ottawa, May 11.—Col. the Rev. J. M. Almond, who was in Ottawa yesterday, gave the following statement in explanation of the situation existing between himself and the Y. M. C. A.:

"It is passing strange if I am as narrow-minded as the Y. M. C. A. and some others would seem to think I am, when there are 278 chaplains overseas of all denominations, working in perfect harmony, under my administration. I never was and never will be opposed to any Y. M. C. A. worker overseas or anywhere else addressing a meeting of soldiers."

Col. Almond said he was not opposed to the Y. M. C. A. sending out preachers to aid the lay workers, but "it would be contrary to all spirit of unity were the Y. M. C. A. to undertake to run a chaplain service in opposition to that established by regulation. To that I would be most emphatically opposed. There can only be one chaplain service. On this matter I am ready to meet the Y. M. C. A. either publicly or privately for full discussion. At the same time I am quite ready to leave judgment on the matter of our chaplains and men overseas to our returned soldiers."

BANKS ASK APPROVAL OF AGREEMENT TO UNITE

Ottawa, May 10.—Formal notice appears in the Canada Gazette of the intention of the Northern Crown Bank and the Royal Bank of Canada to apply to the minister of finance for the approval of a recent agreement of amalgamation between these two institutions. The Royal Bank agrees to issue to the Northern Crown Bank 10,883 fully-paid shares of the capital stock of the Royal Bank, of the par value of $100 each, and amounting in value to $1,088,300, and to pay the Northern Crown Bank the sum of $576,970 in cash.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

DAIRY BUTTER DOWN; CREAMERY IS FIRM

Prices Reduced on Local Market Today—Onions Show Advance.

Butter dropped in price on the market this morning, dairy, pound rolls, selling at 45c a pound wholesale, and 47c a pound retail, and dairy, crock, retailing at 47c a pound, and selling at 44c a pound wholesale. Creamery butter remains the same.

Vegetables were plentiful, rhubarb selling from 40c to 50c a dozen bunches and green onions at 30c a dozen bunches Home-grown potatoes were in good demand selling from $1.75 to $1.90 a bag.

Large quantities of tomato, cabbage and onion plants were offered by the vegetable growers, selling at 20c a box wholesale and 25c a box retail. Dry onions advanced to $1.25 a bushel.

Live hogs are higher, selling at $20 a cwt. The Toronto live hog market is firm and the price may go higher here. The price of fat sows has advanced to $17 a cwt. Dressed hogs remain at $26.

Eggs show a slight advance, crate lots, wholesale, selling at 37½c a dozen, and eggs basket lots, wholesale, selling at 38c a dozen. The retail price remains the same.

Poultry is scarce, chickens selling from 33c to 35c a pound, and geese from 24c to 28c a pound.

A few loads of oats reached the market, bringing from $2.80 to $2.82 a cwt.

Hay was in good demand, selling from $12 to $14 a ton.

There is no change in the prices of butchers' meats.

Grain, Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt.	$2 80	to	$2 82
Grain, Bushel—			
Wheat, per bu.	2 10	to	2 12
Oats per bu.	95 1-5	to	97 9-10
Vegetables—			
Celery, per doz.	50	to	80
Cabbage, per doz.	75	to	1 50
Home-grown potatoes, per bag	1 75	to	1 90
Rhubarb, per doz.	40	to	50
Carrots, per bu.	35	to	50
Parsnips, per bu.	50	to	60
Radishes, doz bunches	50	to	50
Turnips, per bu.	30	to	40
Onions, per bu.	1 25	to	1 25
Beets, per bu.	50	to	50
Green onions	30	to	30
Hay and Straw—			
Hay, per ton	12 00	to	14 00
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	8 00
Dairy Produce, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	52	to	53
Butter, dairy, lb rolls	47	to	47
Butter, crocks, lb.	47	to	47
Eggs, per doz.	40	to	40
Dairy Produce, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	50	to	50
Butter, dairy, lb rolls	45	to	45
Butter, crocks, lb.	44	to	45
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	37½	to	37½
Eggs, basket lots, doz	38	to	38
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Chickens, per lb.	33	to	35
Ducks, per lb.	25	to	28
Geese, per lb.	24	to	28
Turkeys, per lb.	33	to	35
Live Stock—			
Hogs, per cwt.	20 00	to	20 00
Fat sows, cwt.	17 00	to	17 00
Small pigs, pair	15 00	to	18 00
Butchers' Meats—			
Dressed hogs, cwt.	26 00	to	26 00
Beef, per cwt.	17 00	to	20 00
Veal, per cwt.	16 00	to	20 00
Heifer beef, cwt.	20 00	to	22 00
Lambs, per cwt.	30 00	to	32 00
Hides and Wool—			
Wool, unwashed, lb.	60	to	60
Wool, washed, lb.	70	to	70
Calfskins, per lb.	15	to	19
Country hides, lb.	8	to	9
City hides, lb.	9	to	10

GRAIN.

Chicago, May 11.—Opening: Corn—May, $1 27½; July, $1 44¾@1 44½.

Oats—May, 73¾@73½c July, 66@65¾c.

Chicago, May 11.—Expectation that planting would be in full swing next week sent the corn market sharply downward today. Auspicious weather conditions prevailed, and there were reports that seeds of nearly all kinds were being freely offered at greatly reduced prices. Fresh measures by the food administration to curb high prices for cereals tended also to ease the market. Opening quotations, which ranged from ⅛c to ¾c lower, with May at $1 27½ and July at $1 44½@1 44¾, were followed by a slight reaction, but then by a setback.

Oats, like corn, showed decided weakness. Absence of demand from the seaboard did much to deprive the market of support. After opening ⅜c to 1⅛c down, with July at 65¾@66c, prices continued to recede.

Winnipeg, May 11.—Oats opened 1⅜c lower for May at 79; July, ⅛c to 1⅛c lower at 79@78½c.

Flax—May ½c lower at $3 73½; July 1½c lower at $3 77¼.

There were 202 cars of all grains inspected on Friday, against 926 cars for the same date last year.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Chicago, May 11.

Corn—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	$1 27½	$1 27⅝	$1 27½	$1 27⅝
July	1 55¾	1 44⅞	1 42⅝	1 43⅛
Oats—				
May	73¾	73¾	72½	72⅞
July	66	66	64⅝	65⅛

CHICAGO PROVISION MARKET.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

Chicago, May 11.—Closing: Pork—May, $44 70; July, $45 15.

Lard—May, $24 77; July, $25 27.

Ribs—May, $25 32.

LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, May 11.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000; market weak; beeves, $10@17 50; stockers and feeders, $8 90@12 75; cows and heifers, $6 80@14 10; calves, $8@14.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market slow; light, $17 50@18 10; mixed, $17 40@18 10; heavy, $16 60@17 95; rough, $16 60@16 95; pigs, $14 25@17 45; bulk of sales at $17 70@18 05.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,000; market weak; lambs, native, $15 50@20 80; sheep, $12 50@16 60.

OILS.

London, May 11.—Calcutta linseed, £29 15s; linseed oil, 58s.

Sperm Oil—£54.

Petroleum — American refined, 1s 10½d; spirits, 1s 11½d.

Turpentine Spirits—117s 6d.

NEW YORK COTTON EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Thomson & McKinnon.]

New York, May 11.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	26.37	26.47	26.35	26.35
July	26.40	26.40	25.90	25.98
October	25.58	25.70	25.20	25.24
December	25.40	25.51	25.08	25.08
January	25.30	25.30	25.00	25.00
March	24.95	.....	.....	.....

WALL STREET.

New York, May 11.—Trading in stocks today continued in large volume, with a vigorous upward movement in equipments and specialties, including oils, sugars, tobaccos, Marine preferred, Distillers and lesser issues at extreme gains of 1 to 3 points. United States Steel was variable, recovering the greater part of yesterday's moderate reversal, then reacting, but strengthening again in the later dealings. Coppers were heavy. The closing was strong. Sales approximated 500,000 shares.

New York, May 11—Wall Street, 10:10 a.m.—War shares, shippings and specialties were higher by large fractions to 1½ points at the opening of today's stock market. Rails were slightly irregular. The only pronounced exception to the general trend was Sumatra Tobacco, which reacted 3½ points.

10:30.—Specialties featured the strong opening of today's stock market, the usual leaders recording only nominal changes. Distillers was exceptionally active, advancing 3 points in the first half hour. Other prominent issues included Industrial Alcohol, Mexican Petroleum, Associated Oil, American Linseed, American Sugar and Marine preferred, at gains of 1 to 2 points. United States Steel advanced a large fraction with Bethlehem Steel and American Car. Rails fluctuated narrowly with metals. Sumatra Tobacco's 3½-point break was the only noteworthy decline. Liberty fours sold at the low record of 98.36.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

New York, May 11.

Trunk Lines and Grangers—				
Baltimore & Ohio.	53¼	53¼	53	53
Erie, com.	15¼	15¼	15⅛	15⅛
Erie, 1st pfd.	30¼	30¾	30¼	30½
Great Northern.	91¼	..	..	..
G. Western, pfd.	21	21½	21	21½
New Haven.	48½	49½	48½	49⅜
New York Central	72½	72¾	72	72⅛
Rock Island.	21	21	20⅞	20⅞
St. Paul.	41⅞	42½	41¾	42
Wabash, com.	8½	8⅝	8½	8⅝
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com.	85	..	..	..
Canadian Pacific.	147½	147½	146¾	146¾
Missouri Pacific.	22¾	22¾	22½	22½
Northern Pacific.	87½	..	..	..
Southern Pacific.	85⅝	85¾	85¼	85¼
Southern Railway	23⅛	23⅛	23	23
Southern Ry., pf.	60⅞	60⅞	60¾	60¾
Union Pacific.	124½	124½	123	123½
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio.	58¼	58½	57⅝	58⅛
Norfolk & West.	106½	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	44	..	..	..
Reading Railway.	85¾	86½	85⅝	86¼
Tractions—				
Interboro, com.	7½	..	..	..
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers	30⅜	31	30⅜	31
Am. Beet Sugar.	73½	74¼	73½	74¼
American Can.	45⅜	45⅞	45	45⅜
American Car.	79	80⅛	78½	79¼
Am. Locomotive.	67	67½	66¾	66⅞
American Sugar.	113	114½	113	114½
Am. Smelters.	81½	82⅛	81¼	81⅞
Am. Tel. & Tel.	98	98½	98	98
American Wool.	55¼	55¼	54⅞	54⅞
Baldwin Loco.	86	87⅞	86	86¾
Central Leather.	67⅞	68⅛	67¾	67⅞
Corn Products.	40½	42	40½	41⅞
Col. Fuel & Iron.	43¼	43¼	43	43¼
Distillers	58½	60¼	58½	60⅛
General Electric.	148	..	..	..
General Motors.	119	123⅝	119	121½
G. Northern Ore.	31	31	30⅞	30⅞
Inter. Nickel.	30	30⅜	29⅝	30¼
Ice Securities.	31	35	31	34½
Marine, com.	25	25⅜	25	25⅜
Marine, pfd.	93¼	94	92½	94
Pacific Mail.	31¼	31¼	31	31
Studebaker	37¼	37⅞	37	37½
U. S. Rubber.	57¾	57¾	57¼	57¾
Virginia Chemical	47	47⅛	47	47⅞
Western Union.	94½	94½	94	94
Westinghouse	42¼	42¼	42	42¼
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper.	67⅝	67⅞	66¾	66⅞
Chino Copper.	43	43¼	43	43
Inspiration	53⅞	54⅜	53½	54⅜
Ray Consolidated.	25⅜	25½	25⅜	25½
Utah Copper.	82½	82½	82⅜	82¾
Oils—				
Cal. Petroleum.	18	18⅜	17¾	17¾
New Mexican.	97	99¼	97	98¼
Texas Oil.	151	151⅞	149½	150
Steels—				
Bethlehem Steel.	86¼	86⅞	85⅞	86⅛
Crucible Steel.	69⅜	70	68⅞	69⅝
Lackawanna	86	86¼	85¼	86
Pressed Steel Car.	60½	61	60½	60½
Republic Iron.	87½	88¾	87⅛	88⅛
Railway Steel.	55¾	56⅜	55¾	56¼
U. S. Steel.	108⅜	109½	107⅞	109⅜
U. S. Steel, pfd.	110½	..	..	..
Bonds—				
Anglo-French 5's.	91½	91⅞	91⅜	91⅞

Total sales, 480,000 shares.

MONEY.

London, May 11.—Bar silver, 49⅛d per ounce.

Money, 2½ per cent.

Discount rates—Short bills, 3½ per cent; three months, 3 9-16 per cent.

New York, May 11.—Bar silver, 99½c per ounce.

New York, May 11.—The new Liberty 4¼ per cent bonds sold down to a new low record of 96.30 today, the second day of the trading on the stock exchange here. The transactions were comparatively small ones.

GRAND TRUNK EARNINGS.

Montreal, May 11.—Grand Trunk Railway earnings from May 1 to 7, $1,434,727; 1917, $1,135,091; increase, $299,636.

WINNIPEG PRICES SOMEWHAT WEAKER

Winnipeg, May 10.—The cash grain markets continued dull and lifeless, and there is little demand for any of the coarse grains, and prices showed a general weakness. There is little export demand for oats, and seaboard news indicates this is due to the preference for wheat exports. Oats closed 2⅛c lower for May, and 1¾c lower for July. Barley closed unchanged for May at $1.40. Flax closed 2c lower for May, and 1¾c lower for July.

Futures were as follows:

	Open.	Close.
Oats—		
May	$ 83⅜	$ 80¾
July	81⅞@81⅝	79⅞
Barley—		
May	..	1 40
Flax—		
May	3 76@3 75½	3 74
July	3 79¾	3 78¾

Cash grain:

Oats—No. 2 C.W., 81¼c; No. 3 C.W., 77¾c; extra No. 1 feed, 77¾c; No. 1 feed, 74¾c; No. 2 feed, 71¾c.

Barley—No. 3 C.W., $1.40; No. 4 C.W., $1.35; rejected, $1.10; feed, $1.05.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., $3.74; No. 2 C.W., $3.71.

TORONTO.

Toronto, May 10.—Grain quotations are as follows:

Wheat—Ontario, No. 2 winter, $2.22, outside, according to location; Manitoba, No. 1 northern, $2.23½; No. 2 northern, $2.20½; No. 3 northern, $2.17½.

Oats—Canada western, No. 2, 81¼c; No. 3 Canada western, 77¾c, at lake ports for immediate shipment; Ontario, No. 2 white, 82@83c, outside; No. 3 white, 81@82c, outside.

Peas—No. 2, nominal.

Rye—No. 2, $2.40.

Barley—$1.52@1.53, outside for malting.

Buckwheat—$1.84@1.86.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, May 10.—Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 93½c; extra No. 1 feed, 90c; No. 3 local white, 86c.

FLOUR

Toronto, May 10.—Listed quotations at Toronto are:

Flour—Manitoba, war quality, $10.95, bags; Ontario winter, war quality, $10.60, bags.

Millfeed—Manitoba bran, $35.40 per ton: shorts, $40.40 per ton, on track, Toronto.

Montreal, May 10.—Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, new standard, $10.95@11.05.

Rolled Oats—Bags, 90 lbs., $5.25@5.35.

Bran—$35.

Shorts—$40.

Middlings—$48@50.

Moullie—$60@62.

New York, May 10.—Rye Flour—Easier; fair to good, $11.75@12.50; choice to fancy, $12.55@13.50, jute, spot and to arrive.

Barley Flour—Easier, $9.75@11.35, in 98-lb. sacks.

Minneapolis, May 10.—Flour—Unchanged.

HAY

Montreal, May 10.—Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $17.

DONATIONS INCREASED BY 100 PER CENT

WOODSTOCK, May 10.—The three day "drive" to fill the community war chest came to a close last night. The amount aimed at was $50,000, or a little over $4,200 a month. Although the committee was not in position today to state exactly the amount secured. When the returns are in the objective will have been reached. This, with the $10,000 donated by the city, is sufficient to provide for all the donations to the different patriotic organizations. The response to the call has been responded to by an increase of over one hundred per cent over the amount secured last year.

LISTOWEL AVIATOR HAS BROUGHT DOWN 35 HUN AEROPLANES

Capt. McKellar Given Rousing Welcome on His Arrival Home.

LISTOWEL, May 10.—Citizens turned out en masse last night and royally welcomed Captain A. E. McKeever, who has greatly distinguished himself by his brilliant services as a birdman. He is officially credited with bringing down thirty-five enemy planes, and was awarded the Distinguished Service Order, Military Cross and bar, along with Major William Bishop and others. His investiture took place at Buckingham Palace in February last.

During the nine months that he was on active service, Captain McKeever fought at great odds in many a battle, more than once single handed, against several enemy machines, but has escaped without the slightest wound. He was adept at locating enemy craft, and overseas was given the name of "Hawkeye."

A Terrific Battle.

In connection with his decoration with the D. S. O., the official war office statement attributes him with showing conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty, and giving account of the deed for which it was awarded, states that while on patrol duty by himself over the enemy lines in very bad weather he encountered two enemy two-seater machines and seven scouts. By skilful manoeuvring he engaged one and destroyed it. As he turned to get back to the lines five of the enemy dived on his tail and his observer engaged and destroyed two of them. After an indecisive combat with two others, he attacked and destroyed one of the enemy which had overshot him. He continued the fight with the remaining machines until he was within twenty feet of the ground, when the enemy craft climbed and left him. He has recently destroyed ten enemy machines and has shown great courage and initiative.

Conspicuous Bravery.

The Military Cross was awarded for conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty, particularly when on offensive patrol. The war office statement in connection reads: "He attacked eight enemy craft single handed at close range, and by his splendid dash and determination, destroyed one and drove five down completely out of control. He had previously shown exceptional fearlessness in attacking the enemy when in superior numbers, and in the space of three weeks destroyed eight hostile machines."

For a considerable period, Captain McKeever was in charge of a squadron, and in a statement of the services through which he secured the bar to the Military Cross, the war office reported as follows:

Destroyed Five.

"He had recently destroyed five enemy aeroplanes and driven down six out of control. On one occasion, he encountered enemy scouts and drove two down out of control. Later, while leading a patrol, he engaged nine enemy scouts, destroyed two, drove one out of control and dispersed the remainder. His dash and determination have been a fine example to the squadron."

Captain McKeever enlisted with the second Queen's Own Regiment at Toronto, and went overseas in November of 1916, where he joined the Flying Corps, and was immediately gazetted as a lieutenant. For two months prior to returning home, he was doing instruction work in England.

On the expiration of his furlough in Canada, it is expected that he will be retained here on the instructional staff. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William McKeever of Listowel. They have two other sons overseas.

BROTHER OF FAMOUS GERMAN FLYER FALLS

LONDON, May 10.—A Reuter dispatch from British headquarters in France says that it is reported that Lieut. von Richthofen, brother of the famous German aviator, who was killed recently, had fallen during an aerial flight over the Somme Valley, and that his skull was fractured. It is unlikely that he will ever fly again.

IRISH PRESBYTERIANS OPPOSE CONSCRIPTION AS PART OF HOME RULE

Belfast, May 11.—The committee on the state of the country, representing the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland, has issued a manifesto declaring its strong conviction that conscription should not be made in any way dependent on home rule to which the Presbyterian Church in Ireland has always been earnestly opposed. The manifesto says the committee is convinced, "that it would be ruinous for Ireland and supremely dangerous for the whole Empire," and maintains that "it would be simply disastrous to go back on the pledges given by prominent members of the Government in an attempt to bring the loyal people of Ulster under a system to which they are conscientiously and determinedly opposed."

DUTCH EAST INDIES RESTRICTING EXPORTS

WASHINGTON, May 10.—The Dutch East Indies have prohibited the exportation of tobacco, sugar, pepper, tea, coffee, copra, petroleum, vegetable oils, hides and skins except under license. This is an extension of the previous export license list which includes tin, quinine and kapok.

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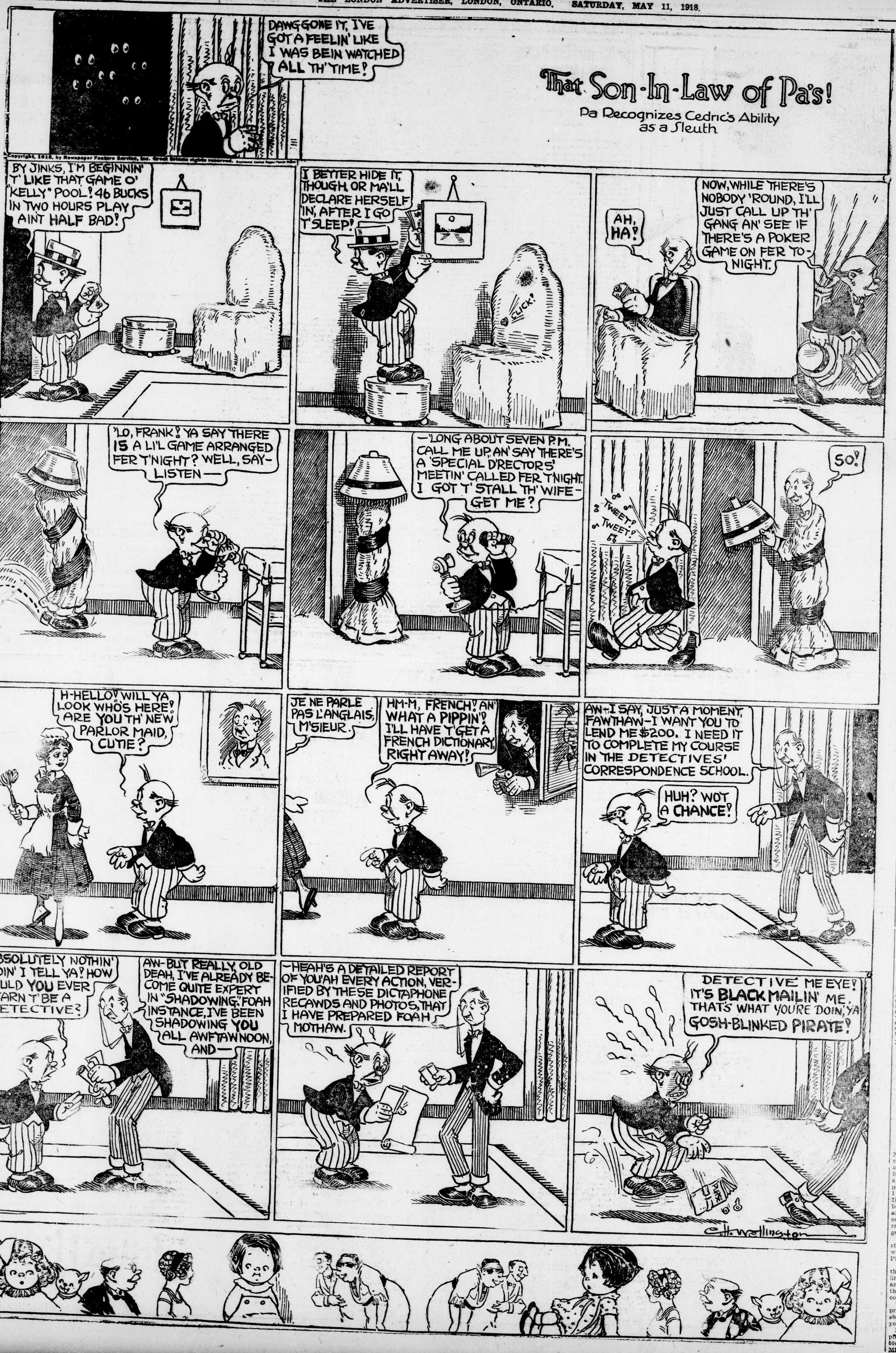
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"I was always a strong and healthy man," he continued, "till I started on nightwork about nine months ago. Then I lost my appetite completely, and could hardly force down enough to keep a child alive. Soon after eating anything my food would sour, and bloat me up with gas, that pressed around my heart so I could hardly get my breath. I would feel so dull and drowsy it was all I could do to keep my eyes open and attend to my work properly. All the time my stomach felt like it was burning up inside, and I would be so miserable I didn't know what to do. After working all night I would go home and go to bed, but my nerves were so worn out that I'd just roll and toss for hours, unable to get to sleep. I lost 30 pounds in weight, and was looking so bad that the boys in the shop noticed it and warned me that if I didn't quit work it would sure get me.

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FOUR FIREMEN KILLED IN GOING TO A BLAZE

VANCOUVER, May 10.—Four city firemen were killed and one was injured late this afternoon, when a hose wagon from No. 11 fire hall collided with the rear end of a street car at the corner of 12th avenue and Commercial drive. The dead are: Captain Jack Frost; Driver Otie Fulton and Firemen MacKenzie and Morrison.

POPULAR COUPLE HONORED.

AILSA CRAIG, May 10.—A number of friends met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John McNaughton, East Williams, last evening, and presented them with two large leather chairs. Wm. McCallum read the address, and the presentation was made by Messrs. D. A. McIntyre and James Brown. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all. Mr. McNaughton and family are moving this week to A. G. McKenzie's farm at Beechwood.

CHILL STARTS COLD
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Mr. Weldon T. Hawkes, Curryville, N. B., writes: "Last spring I was taken very ill with a severe cold. I got wet and it started with a chill. I was sick four weeks, and was just able to crawl about. People all said I had inflammation of the lungs, and I think I did. I told a friend to get me two bottles of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and before the first one was taken my cold and cough were broken up, and the second did its work completely. I am raising a family and I find that it is a good medicine for the children."

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Farmers May Ask For Resignation of Donald Sutherland

Breaking of Pre-election Promises Is Causing Much Trouble.

TILLSONBURG, May 10.—Farmers are holding meetings almost daily in South Oxford and appointing delegates to go to Ottawa on May 11. The majority of the farmers are highly indignant, especially those who supported Union Government and whose sons are now being called for service. A prominent farmer stated tonight that a petition is being circulated and largely signed in South Oxford, and in which the farmers ask for the resignation of their representative, Donald Sutherland, M.P. Before election time the farmers were all exempted. Many married and others purchased farms and feeling over the Government action is running high in some sections.

FOUR SHIPS LAUNCHED FROM QUEBEC YARD

QUEBEC, May 10.—Two steel ships and one of wood have been launched from the Davis yards within three days, and a large wooden ship will be launched Saturday from Quintan & Robertson's yard. Several more vessels are on the stocks. It is learned that the central appeal judge has exempted all the employees at the Davis yards, but has warned the proprietors not to engage any more men of military age.

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