

AGRICULTURE CAME UP FOR DISCUSSION

In the House of Commons Yesterday When the Estimates for the Year Were Brought Down.

MINISTER SAYS PROSPECTS BRIGHT

For the Future of the Farming Industry in Canada—Markets Available Everywhere Which Are Only Waiting for the Produce.

Ottawa, Ont., May 14.—In bringing down the Agricultural estimates in the House, this afternoon, Hon. Mr. Talmie, Minister of Agriculture, gave a brief survey of the agricultural situation in general. He said the future was indeed full of promise.

The total agricultural wealth of Canada was estimated at \$7,279,296,000. There were \$3,949,646 acres of land under food crops in 1919, and the value of agricultural products last year was \$1,975,841,000, compared with \$399,917,732 value of the country's mineral wealth in 1919, and timber \$182,254,740, while fisheries showed a total of \$60,221,863. Between 1811 and 1919 there had been a most marked increase in wheat crop acreage.

The Minister next dealt with the great need for conserving the fertility of the soil, pointing to Great Britain as one country which had realized this necessity and had taken adequate steps to deal with the situation arising from the war. There was today in Canada a need for a vigorous and continued campaign of education on better methods of farming and the prime importance of livestock.

Dr. Talmie gave statistics showing that, by better farming methods, a general increase in the yield could be secured without a fresh acre being plowed. With an increase of three bushels per acre in wheat, four in oats, four in barley, and fifty bushels increase per acre in potatoes, which it was fair to estimate could be obtained by better methods, an estimated additional 200,000 tons of grain and potatoes could be secured of \$330,211,082.

Better Education Needed.

According to immigration officials and agents, Dr. Talmie put in a strong plea for actual workers and men of practical experience rather than what he called soap-box orators. He also alluded to a certain type of unrest among agriculturists and pleaded for stabilization of the hog and sheep industries in order to allow Canada to hold her place in the world market.

After outlining the publicity work on education toward better farming methods, Dr. Talmie estimated that the increase of \$330,211,082 in field crops, with an estimate of \$275,308,866 in livestock, would bring the total possible increase per year to \$605,519,948, which was more than one-quarter of the country's national debt per year.

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MILITARY ACTION IN IRELAND LIKELY

Government Determined to End Lawlessness in West and South of Country.

(Cross-Atlantic News Service. Copy-right.)

London, May 14.—Action along military lines in Ireland is believed to be imminent in an attempt to enforce order. It is known that the present situation there is causing the government grave concern and important developments are expected to follow Gen. MacCreedy's visit to London Gen. MacCreedy is expected to assist in suppressing the organized lawlessness in the west and south of Ireland. Other cavalry regiments are to follow those already in Ireland.

SECURES BLOCK OF TIMBER LAND

Large Tract on the Miramichi Secured by Archie Alcorn.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, May 14.—Archie Alcorn, of Blackville, N. B., who recently became associated with Frank C. Murchie, of St. Stephen, N. B., in the Alcorn-Murchie Pulpwood Co., and who has met with success in the lumber business during the past few years, has purchased a block of 2,200 acres of timber land on the Miramichi recently from William McLagan, of Blackville. The purchase price is said to have been \$7,500.

WILLIAM STILL RETAINS EGOTISM

Amersongen, Holland, May 14.—(By the A. P.)—Former Emperor William, in the course of dinner Tuesday night, thanked Count Von Bernstorff for his hospitality and for all the trouble and inconvenience suffered for his sake. As a recompense the former Emperor presented a marble bust of himself to the Count.

TURKEY GLOOMY OVER PEACE TERMS

Constantinople, May 14.—(By the Associated Press.)—A digest of the Peace Treaty, handed by the Allies to the Turkish peace delegation in Paris, has been received in Constantinople. A translation has been prepared for the Sultan, who is now considering it. The Turkish newspapers have not yet published the terms of the treaty, but many gloomy editorials are being printed declaring that Turkey cannot live without Thrace and Smyrna.

DETAILS OF THE APPROACHING CONFERENCE

Between German Representatives and Members of Supreme Council to be Discussed Today.

MILITARY ADVISERS WITH PREMIERS

Premier Lloyd George's Headquarters at Lympe Are Carefully Guarded.

Hythe, England, May 14.—(By the A. P.)—The quiet village of Hythe, on the English Channel, five miles west of Folkestone, with its red-roofed villas clustered on the green hills stretching up from the sea, is crowded, tonight, with British and French officials who have come here to be in close proximity to the British and French Premiers, who they expect to meet tomorrow at the nearby village of Lympe with regard to the details of the approaching meeting of the members of the Supreme Council with the German leaders at Spa, Belgium.

The actual participants in the conference will be limited to a half dozen, but a great number of experts and clerks have been mobilized in case they are required.

House Guarded

The grounds of the home of Sir Philip Sassoon at Lympe where David Lloyd George, the British Prime Minister, is residing, are being guarded by police, and admission to the premises of the villa is refused to all persons except the members of Mr. Lloyd George's official family. The unloading of a motor lorry, filled with the boxes containing documents, was the sole incident of the day at the Sassoon villa.

Mr. Lloyd George has not recovered from the illness which brought him to the country and he spent most of the day at his abode.

He rose in the afternoon, however, and was waiting on the steps of the Sassoon home to greet Premier Millerand and his party which included Mr. French, Minister of the French Ministry of Finance, when they arrived from Folkestone where they landed from a torpedo boat destroyer. The French statesmen were greeted at the door by J. Austen Chamberlain, the British Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir Philip Sassoon and others, and were driven through the flag-streets to "Pleasant Close," the residence. The meeting between Mr. Lloyd George and M. Millerand was marked by the utmost cordiality.

The conference tomorrow will be held in a beautiful salon of Sir Philip Sassoon's home.

DESTRUCTIVE WORK STILL CONTINUES IN IRELAND

Baracks and Huts Raided and Destroyed—Post Offices Raided and Money Taken.

Dublin, May 14.—An official report, issued this evening, says that on Thursday night 17 military police barracks and huts were raided and wholly or partially destroyed. Five post offices also were raided, the officials being held up by armed masked men. The money in the offices was taken and the instruments destroyed. In addition, five revenue offices were raided and the income tax books reserved. Notices were posted in various districts conveying threats against persons who fail to abstain from speaking to policemen.

In the raids on the revenue offices no documents relating to old age pensions were disturbed. Notices were left behind saying that nothing had been taken from them "except matter harmful to the Irish Republic." The Maynooth Town Hall, which was the property of the Duke of Leinster, was destroyed by fire this morning. Bodies of constabulary and military reinforcements are arriving in the counties of Leitrim and Roscommon. At Carrickshannon, the Board of Guardians, today, unanimously adopted a resolution, proposed by its chairman, refusing to attack any government in Ireland except the Sinn Fein Parliament.

AMERICAN WOOLLEN COMPANY ANNOUNCE WAGE ADVANCE

Boston, May 14.—A wage increase of 15 per cent was announced today by the American Woollen Company. The advance will be effective at all the mills of the company on May 31. The increase makes a total advance of 31 per cent compounded since January, 1914.

MINISTER OF AGRICULTURE IN EXHAUSTIVE

Review of the Work of His Department Places Value of Experimental Farm Work at \$60,000,000.

IMPORTANCE OF FIRST CLASS SEED

Proper Cultivation and Judicious Use of Fertilizers Cannot be Overestimated.

Ottawa, May 14.—The value of the Experimental Farm system to Canada was placed today at \$60,000,000.00 by Hon. S. F. Talmie, Minister of Agriculture, in discussing the agricultural estimates. Dr. Talmie gave an exhaustive review of the work accomplished thus far through the support of the experimental farm system and laid stress on the value of educating the farmer and helping him in the choice of better seed and better farming conditions. The addition of a few bushels per acre to the crop from every farm, and the addition of a few pounds to the weight of every bush of animal killed would mean an immense sum to the country, Dr. Talmie stated. He quoted estimates showing that \$223,211,982 could be added to the value of grain and potato crops by the use of first class seed, while by careful selection of breeding sires and expert feeding of cattle, sheep and hogs for slaughter and also by the improvement of breeding and laying hens, that sum could be brought to \$608,500,000.00 in a year.

Seed Importance.

The importance of first class seed, proper cultivation and the judicious use of fertilizers could not be overestimated, Dr. Talmie stated. He informed the House that the illustration farm system, whereby a man in certain districts carries on a portion of his farm to the Department and worked it himself under Departmental supervision, had proved a success where it was in operation, and the illustration farm work could be gradually extended to other provinces. To demonstrate the value of pure-bred stock, Dr. Talmie mentioned a Vancouver man buying a heifer calf for \$150.00 and later selling her with her calf for \$160,000.

Dr. Talmie emphasized that good breeding and proper care were both essential.

Members Pleased.

Hon. T. A. Crerar urged that care be taken to prevent overlapping between Federal and Provincial Departments. There were no other questions in places at present. The description of the illustration farm plan pleased the members so well that not only was Dr. Talmie complimented on the work of his department, but in the case of many such quarters he was urged to extend the system to their constituency.

J. H. Burnham (Peterborough) wanted a Dominion farm in each county. The amount to be voted for Agricultural estimates is \$3,949,646 of which \$1,200,000 was for experimental farms; \$18,000 for the branch of entomology; \$150,000 for administration and enforcement of the game laws and pest act, and \$105,000 for the department of the dairying industry and the improvement of transportation, sale and trade in food and other products. These items all were carried.

During the evening debate, J. H. Burnham (Peterborough) protested that when agricultural estimates were being discussed, there should be a full attendance of farmer members, instead of which very few were in attendance.

FRENCH OFFICIAL CIRCLES STIRRED

By Discovery of Plans for Concerted Action by Gov't Employees to Cripple Public Services.

(Overseas Service, Copyright) By Henry William Francis

Paris, May 14.—Discovery by secret judicial inquiry here of plans of a concerted action by government employees with the object of crippling all national public services simultaneously with the general strike of the General Labor Federation, caused grave concern in official circles. Disclosures show wide ramifications of activities. The Federation also aimed to promote strikes in the army and navy. Initiation of the movement was only awaiting a favorable moment. "Bolshevism is in action and the movement is absolutely illegal," noted French jurist declared. "For ten years, even during the war, the Federation preached antisemitism, anti-patriotism, sabotage and all varieties of revolutionary gymnastics," he said.

MASKED ROBBERS SECURE BIG HAUL

From Motor Truck Corporation After Knocking Down Lady Cashier.

New York, May 14.—Two masked robbers held up the offices of the Motor Truck Renting Corporation in West Forty-fourth street early today and escaped with \$700, which they took from a drawer in a safe. A girl cashier was struck over the right eye by one of the thieves with the butt end of a revolver.

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR THE DEPARTURE OF

Foreigners Aboard Carranza's Train—British Consul at Vera Cruz and Two Americans Aboard.

CARRANZA'S CAPTURE EXPECTED HOURLY

Guarantees That Mexican and Foreign Capital Invested in Mexico Will be Safe.

MATAMOROS FALLS IN WITH OBREGON

Brownsville, Tex., May 14.—Matamoros, opposite Brownsville, quietly surrendered to Mexican revolutionary forces shortly before noon today. It was the last Northern border point remaining in the hands of Carranza officials. Its surrender was in accordance with an agreement arranged yesterday between General Rafael Cuhgu, Matamoros garrison commander and General E. Reyes, representing the revolutionary government.

Washington, May 14.—The American Consul at Vera Cruz, reported today, that he had arranged for the departure of foreigners aboard Carranza's train, invested by revolutionary forces, under a flag of truce. The British Consul at Vera Cruz and two Americans are on the train.

Despatches from the Embassy said the Mexico City papers of May 12 stated that General Gonzalez and Obregon had issued formal statements favoring Antonio Villarreal for Provisional President. Other candidates mentioned were Aguilera Calderon, a Mexico City lawyer; Juan Sanchez Azcozco, acting Secretary of Foreign Affairs, and General Jacinto Trevino, Chief of Staff for General Gonzalez. Azcozco was quoted as having stated that direct relations with the present diplomatic corps would not be established until a Provisional President had been appointed. Carranza's train was said to be about 130 miles from Mexico City toward Vera Cruz.

General Dieguez, Carranza Commander in the Guadalupe district, and his staff were reported as taken prisoner.

A despatch from Nogales said Governor De La Huerta, of Sonora, had forwarded to Washington a communication in which he stated that military officers of the revolutionary forces had given full guarantees to both Mexican citizens and foreigners, and that they were interested in investing in Mexico, and that Mexico disposed to promote cordial relations with the United States.

The two Americans reported to have travelled out of Mexico City on Carranza's train are J. H. Dureaux, said to be a representative of the National City Bank of New York, and J. C. Pickwick, representative of the National City Bank of New York firm. With them on the train was W. Alfred Body, British Consul at Vera Cruz. In reporting that the train was believed to be carrying three, or any other foreigners on Carranza's train, the American Consul at Vera Cruz said Mexican naval officers had taken the train to a special train to carry out the flag of truce agreement.

Latest Word.

El Paso, Tex., May 14.—The latest official word received up to a late hour today was from General Alvaro Obregon, who is reported to be in possession of the Republic, who reported to Luis Montes de Oca, revolutionary Council here, that President Carranza's train had only made 100 miles and that a train of six hundred soldiers of the President's escort had been captured by forces under General Obregon, and that he was believed to be Carranza's strongest supporter in Vera Cruz.

General Obregon said that the States of Colima and Jalisco were entirely under his control. He also reported that in that region, Antonio Hernandez Ferrer, Minister of Cuba, had announced his adherence to the revolutionary movement. Saltillo, capital of Coahuila, was in the hands of the Obregon commander, General Luis Gutierrez, it was announced.

WINNIPEG MAYOR OPPOSES SCHEME

Will Protest Against Deepening of the St. Lawrence River.

Winnipeg, May 14.—Mayor Charles F. Gray, of Winnipeg, will appear before the Joint Waterways Commission which meets in this city tomorrow morning and protest against the proposed deepening of the St. Lawrence River, on the grounds that the expenditure is unjustifiable while the four million dollars asked to complete the Hudson's Bay Railway is unsecured.

POPULATION OF VANCOUVER INCREASED BY OVER 20,000.

Vancouver, B. C., May 14.—The population of greater Vancouver increased by over 20,000 according to figures obtained by the Henderson Directory Company. The population of the city and suburbs, it is believed, will exceed 200,000. Last year the population was estimated at 172,000.

HOUSE MEMBER LAYS SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST

President Hanna of the Canadian National Railways—Status Aired Before Commons.

ALLEGES HANNA USING POSITION

To Further His Personal Interests as Member of a Realty Co. in North.

Ottawa, May 14.—(By Canadian Press)—While the House of Commons was sitting in committee on the Agriculture estimates this morning, Hon. J. D. Reid moved the adjournment so as to permit F. S. Cahill (Pontiac), an opportunity to make a statement with regard to the Department of Railways and Canals. The statement had reference to a threatened suit for damages made by D. B. Hanna, President of the Canadian National Railways, against Mr. Cahill over recent utterances of the latter before the Montreal Reform Club. A non-contentious item in the Railway and Canal estimates was taken up to permit of the statement being made.

Mr. Cahill drew the attention of the House to a news despatch, which appeared on April 27, and which stated that D. B. Hanna was suing him (Mr. Cahill) because of some statements alleged to have been made at the Montreal Reform Club. In the item Mr. Hanna was quoted as saying that the whole thing was a political game, but he was not a member of the Reform Club.

Mr. Cahill remarked, in opening, that he had received no notice as yet of the writ in this case having been issued.

"I am not at all afraid of it," he said. He then quoted from Poor's who had stated that the Canadian Northern Properties Company owned sites for about three hundred towns and villages. He had made a special trip to the Department of the Secretary of State, in which he was the directors of this company and discovered that D. B. Hanna was the president. This company, went on to say, was not the property of the Canadian people.

Investment Deal Co.

He had never stated Mr. Hanna had been in the West, but he had said Mr. Hanna was interested in a company which sold lots there. In looking over Poor's Annual, he found that the Canadian Government did not take over the Inverness Railway and Coal Company when taking over the Canadian Northern.

The corporate officers of this railway and coal company were Sir Wm. Mackenzie, Sir Donald Mann, R. A. MacLeod and others.

"It is quite apparent from that," said Mr. Cahill, "that the Company, of which Mr. Hanna is president, is buying coal from the company of which Sir Wm. Mackenzie is president. It is also quite apparent that the Canadian National Railway Company, of which Mr. Hanna is President, is in a position to bring business to the towns which may be benefited by the property of the Canadian Northern Town Properties Company."

Dr. Reid's Statement

Hon. Dr. Reid, Minister of Railways, said that, so far as any legal proceedings between Mr. Hanna and Mr. Cahill were concerned, the Government had no interest. As a matter of course, he would be willing to show that the prices were fixed by the Fuel Controller. Neither Mr. Hanna nor Sir William Mackenzie had anything to do with them. As a matter of fact the Inverness Coal Company had not been in the hands of Mackenzie and Mann for six years past. During that time the mines had been in the control of a liquidator.

Dr. Reid said that when his estimates came down he would be prepared to give exhaustive information on the transactions of the Government railways and its officials. He has Mr. Hanna's assurance that the General Manager did not own land in the West nor had an interest in townships. He must accept Mr. Hanna's word until some proof could be brought that it was incorrect. The matter was then dropped, and the item under discussion was carried.

WARRANTS ISSUED IN BOND CASE

Montreal, May 14.—(By Canadian Press)—Four warrants for the arrest of parties concerned in the New York \$50,000 bond plot were sworn out today, but the greatest secrecy as to names is still being observed, and nothing can be ascertained officially beyond the fact that the men involved were residents of Montreal and vicinity. The impression is growing here that Armstrong is in the Laurentian near here on a fishing trip.

ARMENIA REJECTS THE ULTIMATUM

London, May 14.—The war office, in a communique issued tonight, announced it has no confirmation of reports that the Ukrainians have occupied Odessa or any other important town Armenia, the war office reports, has rejected the ultimatum of Azerbaijan, and is concentrating troops to repel the expected attacks.

Reports that the Armenian Republic has surrendered to the Russian Government, so far as the British War Office knows, are unfounded.

ROBBED TRAIN, STOLE \$75,000 IN CASH, KILLED A

Policeman, Held 50 Detectives at Bay and Finally Killed Self is Four-Hour Record.

OF FORMER UNITED STATES MAIL CLERK

Who Held up Mail Car of the New Orleans Limited on Illinois Central R. R. Last Night.

Chicago, May 14.—In four hours today, Horace T. Walton, 22 years of age, St. Joseph, Mo., robbed a train, stole \$70,000 in cash, killed a policeman, barricaded himself in his apartment, held 50 detectives at bay in a pistol battle in which one was seriously wounded, and died with a bullet in his heart.

Walton held up the mail car of the New Orleans Limited on the Illinois Central Railroad late last night as the train was leaving Kankakee, Illinois.

Federal officers tonight were investigating the disappearance of \$70,000 from the steamer in which the robber carried away the loot. The \$70,000 was on its way to a Chicago bond firm from the Citizens National Bank at Decatur, Illinois. The officers who counted the money after the robbery had been recovered, said the total was \$68,908, mostly in packages of \$5,000. The \$20 lacking from the \$70,000 recovered was given to Oscar Bloomquist in payment for the stealer's release in the case.

Walton was identified as a former mail clerk of previously good character, by C. W. Sims, an officer of the Chicago Young Men's Christian Association. Mr. Sims told the police he received a letter from Mrs. L. U. Walton of St. Joseph, stating that her son left home three weeks ago, and was believed to be in Chicago. Walton was a high school graduate and a member of the Y. M. C. A. according to word from St. Joseph. His father was said to be on his way to Chicago to claim the body.

PROMINENT BOND BROKER COMMITS SUICIDE

Was Under Arrest for the Theft of \$50,000 from the Royal Bank of Canada.

Montreal, May 14.—(By Canadian Press)—William Graham Brown, general manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, bond dealers, 224 St. James Street, Montreal, manager of the Sovereign Bank at the time of its collapse some years ago, shot and killed himself in the wash room of the bank of Ottawa building at 8:30 tonight.

He was under arrest on a charge of the theft of \$50,000 from the Royal Bank of Canada, and was in the charge of Detective George Laperre, of the Third Police Division, of Canada, Limited. He had been arrested late in the afternoon at Coteau Station, and was being taken to the Montreal Detective Bureau when he asked the detective to be allowed to stop at his office to see his lawyer. While waiting there, he asked to be allowed to go to the washroom. The lawyer arrived and the detective and he talked for some time. The former then began to notice that Brown had been away for a long time. He went to the washroom and found his prisoner dead. The bullet had entered through the head and had pierced his brain.

CONSIDER DETENTION HOME FOR WOMEN

Representatives of Protestant Churches to Discuss Question at Moncton.

Moncton, May 14.—Representatives of the four leading Protestant churches in the Maritime Provinces will meet in Moncton, next Wednesday afternoon, to consider the question of a Maritime Detention Home for women. Canon Vernon, Toronto, W. E. Willson, Methodist, and Rev. Mr. Edington, Presbyterian, of Toronto, will be among those attending the gathering.

SECY DANIELS QUITE JEALOUS OF THE BRITISH

Thinks the British Admiralty Failed to Give American Navy Full Credit Due.

ONLY SANK ONE SUBMARINE

Admits Navy Was Not in Perfect Shape in 1917. But Says British Were in Same Box.

Washington, May 14.—Rear Admiral Sims robbed American destroyers crews of credit due them by leaving the investigation of combat with submarines to the British Admiralty. Secretary Daniels today told the Senate Naval Investigating Committee. Had he known that American officers were not reviewing the circumstances of battles between American vessels and U-boats, he would have promptly ordered the Admiralty to adopt that course, the Secretary said.

Admiralty reports and awards to the Americans were accepted by Admiral Sims, Mr. Daniels said, although the British demanded absolutely conclusive proof before giving credit for the sinking of a submarine in the case of an American vessel, while using a less rigorous standard in the case of British ships.

Out of 256 attacks on submarines by American vessels, the British gave the United States forces credit for but 24 successful attacks, most of which were listed as "possibly" successful. Secretary Daniels, in only one case was full credit for the sinking of a U-boat given an American ship, he declared, this being the destroyer Panming which sank the U-56 and captured the crew.

"I do not blame the British," said Mr. Daniels. "They were looking out for themselves properly, but I do blame Admiral Sims for not protecting American interests. The United States Navy did not accustom to having others decide what credits shall be awarded to its men and vessels, and I know of no instance in which any other navy has allowed this." Turning to Admiral Sims' statement that the navy was unprepared for war in April, 1917, Mr. Daniels said that Admiral Jellicoe's book on the Battle of Jutland showed that "not even the British Navy, expending every minute a decisive battle, could be kept 100 per cent perfect."

He quoted at length from the Jellicoe book to show that the British fleet had deficiencies and weaknesses that surprised the British people, and that the Germans were actually superior in destroyer strength. The American Navy was not perfect, he said, but he avoided many men's criticisms by talking to hear the experience of other Allies.

SOCIALIST PARTY SWEARS ALLEGIANCE

New York, May 14.—The Socialist Party of America, at its National Convention here today, voted to reaffirm its allegiance to the Third (Moscow) International, with reservations, including that of determining its own national policy. By a vote of 90 to 40 it rejected a proposal by Louis English, of Chicago, to pledge, without reservation, its allegiance to the Third International which was attacked during the Socialist investigation in Albany as the organization that, at the bidding of Lenin and Trotsky, had issued a call for violent world-wide revolution.

AMERICAN TOURISTS VICTIMS OF THIEVES

London Police Issue Warning That Travellers Carefully Guard Baggage.

(Overseas Service, Copyright.) By Henry William Francis

London, May 14.—Passengers to the continent have been warned by London police to take greatest care of their baggage. Property, valued at many thousands of dollars, has recently been stolen by thieves operating between Paris, Antwerp and Brussels, wearing railway and hotel uniforms collecting baggage and disappearing. The chief victims to date have been American and Canadian tourists. It is officially stated that some 1500 employees of French and Belgian railways under detention on suspicion of stealing goods in transit.

CIVIC EMPLOYEES OF WINNIPEG WILL

Not Accept New Wage Scale Approved by the City Council.

Winnipeg, Man., May 14.—Employees of the city, affiliated in the Civic Employees' Federation, will not accept the new wage scale approved by the City Council until further negotiations with the Civic Wage Committee, it was announced today. Strong objection is taken to what in labor circles is termed the "slave pact," which forbids civic employees affiliating with any union, and which is the chief objection raised against the wage schedule.

Address Before Canadian Club

Horace J. Gagne Was the Speaker at Luncheon Last Evening—Delivered Interesting and Forceful Address.

Teaching on vital issues which the people of Canada today, and outlining the reason of their being, and the steps which ought to be taken to secure a return to contentment and prosperity.

After being introduced to the club by their president, A. M. Belding, Mr. Gagne turned to his honor the Mayor who was seated at his side and thanked him very cordially for the warm welcome which he and his council had extended him on his arrival in the city.

The speaker at the beginning of his address illustrated, by means of a fairy story, the gradual organization of society, through the division of labor and co-operation to meet the needs of the community and its disintegration through war.

The chaotic conditions for which the war was responsible in the late were also prevalent today.

The world debt had increased from forty billion to two hundred and sixty five billions. The gold of the world which in 1913 equaled seventy per cent of its paper money, equaled but twelve per cent today.

At present the complaint was of lack of coal, and yet less was being mined than ever, of scarcity of paper, but millions of sheets in papers and magazines were devoted to the advertising of patent medicines, fake oil stocks, and wild schemes, etc.

While there was admitted a general shortage of essentials, the people were spending millions on luxuries, motor cars for pleasure, crowded theatres, women in furs in the winter time, though half naked in the winter time, were examples of this.

In Canada there was no question of re-education to be faced, but rather of re-adjustment, and in this period of re-adjustment four words were being used: Democracy, Bolshevism, Profiteering and the high cost of living.

SPECTACULAR FIRE OCCURS AT DIGBY

The Gasless Garage Destroyed, Entailing a Loss Estimated at \$100,000.

Special to The Standard. Digby, N. S., May 14.—The most spectacular, and at the same time the most destructive, fire since that of twenty years ago took place at Digby this morning, when Gavel's garage, on First avenue, was totally destroyed with all its contents except five cars.

The total loss is estimated at \$100,000, and the insurance is only about \$15,000. Mr. Gavel and family, who lived in a portion of the building, were saved, but Mr. Gavel having to throw himself over the veranda on the second floor.

The flames were discovered about 2.30 by the stevedores on the Digby River, which was just coming into port from St. John, and when the alarm was given the building was all aflame.

Over forty cars were destroyed, and Gavel except two, were lost. These two were Mr. Green's car and another owned by W. Dixon, of Halifax.

The cause of the fire is not known, but it is believed that the best equipped of tools owned by any garage in the province, besides an immense stock of tires and sundries, this building was formerly a church, and was built on, and was probably one of the largest wooden buildings in the county outside of a few of the hotels.

Fortunately the morning was calm, and the fire was confined to the one building. It burned rapidly, taking in half an hour the destruction was complete.

CANADIAN FRUIT IN LESS THAN QUART BOXES

Suggested That a Standardized Fruit Container be Authorized for Berries.

Ottawa, May 14.—(By Canadian Press)—Canadian fruit, owing to its luscious nature, must not be sold in less than quart boxes, it is suggested by the Agricultural Committee of the Commons, today, after following it was explained that raspberries and strawberries, especially from Ontario and British Columbia, were of such a luscious nature that it was impossible to get more than two-fifths of a quart in a box without damaging a portion of it.

The committee recommended that standardized fruit containers to meet this condition. Berries and currants, after June 1 of this year, will be sold in four-fifths of a quart, one pint, and two-fifths of a quart boxes. The Minister of Agriculture, Dr. S. P. Tolmie, will have power to make new regulations as the necessity may arise.

European Possibilities. The possibilities in European markets were enormous. One firm alone recently in 20 hours of trade to Belgium, having to charter twelve ships for the purpose.

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(Continued from Page 1) "The need of better education is thus shown and our work could be vastly extended in this line if we had more money," said the Minister.

"Touching on the 'back to the land' idea, Dr. Tolmie said the only way to keep the boys on the farm was to make life more attractive. There was no such thing as a cure-all method, but the young men should be encouraged to try it on a common sense basis.

Dr. Tolmie said he was not in favor of any policy which proposed to tear down one industry in order to build up another. There was room full in this large country. What we need today is more national thought and more business co-operation, he said.

We cannot hope to take ourselves out of debt. This is a time for energetic action, he said, and the Minister added, referring to the marketing problems Dr. Tolmie urged that one of the best ways of strengthening the ties with the motherland and with other portions of the Empire was to export to them the finest agricultural products that the country or even the world could produce.

Value of Grading. Illustrating the value of grading of farm products, Dr. Tolmie said last year the value of the produce of the Dominion was \$1,200,000,000.

After Infection. The Grip, Fevers and other Poisoning, Prostrating Diseases. It is absolutely necessary that the blood be purified, and to have perfect appetite restored and the kidneys and liver restored to perfect regular action.

Hood's Sarsaparilla has been before the people for 46 years as a general blood-purifying alternative tonic medicine and it has given perfect satisfaction. Men and women whose granular mothers gave them Hood's Sarsaparilla are now giving it to their own children and grandchildren with perfect confidence.

At the conclusion of Mr. Gagne's stirring address, the president on behalf of the club thanked him and assured him that his able and eloquent address had been listened to with much pleasure by all.

COUNCIL OF LEAGUE OF NATIONS MET YESTERDAY

May Aak Pres. Wilson to Convoke First Assembly of League of Nations.

Rome, May 14.—The fifth session of the Council of the League of Nations met at the Ministry of the Colonies this afternoon and on a motion by Leon Bourgeois, France, Signor Tittoni, President of the Italian Senate, was elected President and delivered the inaugural speech.

Among the questions which will come up for discussion will be that of inviting President Wilson to convolve the first assembly of the League of Nations which is expected to take place in the autumn.

According to the "Tribune," the Council of the League of Nations decided, today, to reply to M. Tchitcherine, the Russian Bolshevik Foreign Minister, that the League's commission must be received in Russia unconditionally. This was in answer to a Moscow wireless despatch of May 9, saying that in view of the fact that certain members of the League of Nations were actively supporting Poland and the Ukraine, the central soviet could not for arbitrary reasons admit into Russia any delegation which included representatives of these nations.

Turning State's Evidence Didn't Help To Win Clemency for One of Famous Bond Thieving Gang.

New York, May 14.—Turning State's evidence against him in connection with New York's \$5,000,000 bond plot, failed to win clemency for Donald C. Burgess, clerk, who today was sentenced to a term of from one to two years in State's Prison, after confessing to the theft of \$300,000 worth of bonds from a Wall Street brokerage firm.

There are Cases of men buying Rebuilt Remington Typewriters—and after over a year's use, getting as much for them as they paid for them. A. Mine Fraser, Jas. A. Little, Mgr., 37 Dock St., St. John, N. B.

RUSSIANS RALLY AROUND SOVIET Rumors of Counter Revolution in Moscow Are Denied.

Copenhagen, May 14.—Rumors of a counter-revolution in Moscow were emphatically denied today, by Gregory Krasin, Bolshevik Minister of Trade and Commerce, in the course of an interview. He declared the Polish offensive was having a totally opposite effect, firmly knitting the Russian people and rallying them around the Soviets.

STRIKE LEADERS CASE BEFORE PRIVY COUNCIL. Winnipeg, May 14.—W. H. Trueman, E. C. C. the defense counsel at the recent strike leaders' trial will leave next Monday for London where he will lay the appeal of the convicted strike leaders before the Privy Council.

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J. MARCUS, 30-36 Dock St. RUSSIANS RALLY AROUND SOVIET. TEXTILE WORKERS TO VOTE ON WAGE OFFER SUNDAY. BORN. BANQUET TO SIR JOHN EATON. TENDERED BY MAYOR CHAPMAN OF MONCTON LAST EVENING.

Are You? Are You Willing? Are You Ready for Self-Denial? Salvation Army Jubilee Self-Denial Appeal May 15-22. Under The Direction of The Rotary Club, St. John.

THE POINT WATERWAYS COMMISSION. To Hold Public Meetings at Various Places in Canada and United States. FOR DISCUSSION PROPOSED ROUTE State of New York Principal Opponent of Suggested Development.

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BORN. Moncton, May 14.—Sir John Eaton...

LATEST SHIPPING. Montreal, May 14.—Ard, star Lousiana, Glasgow, Calmagan, Fovey...

net of the St. Lawrence River to the depth of 35 feet is advocated.

Two points stand out in the opposition to the deep waterway on the side of the line, represented by the city and state of New York.

Princeton Univ. HAS SERIOUS FIRE. Princeton, N. J., May 14.—Dickinson Hall, the oldest recreation building on the Princeton campus, was destroyed...

TUXIS BOYS AND TRAIL RANGERS BY NIGHTLIGHT. St. Stephen, N. B., has been carrying out an splendid work with Tuxis boys and Trail Rangers throughout the past season.

GOOD ROADS TALK AT MONCTON. Moncton, May 14.—Dr. Doolittle, of Toronto, and Hon. P. J. Vanot, addressed a meeting of citizens tonight in the City Hall in the interest of Good Roads.

Her Baby Girl Had Fearful Eczema. "If mothers only knew the value of D. D. D." writes Mrs. A. Ashby of 20 Yonge St., Toronto.

BOY SCOUTS TO ENGLAND. Winnipeg, May 12.—Representatives of the Boy Scouts Association of Manitoba have asked the provincial government for a grant of \$2,000 to assist in sending 25 scouts and four officers to represent this province at the International Jamboree of Boy Scouts to be held in London, England, the first week in August.

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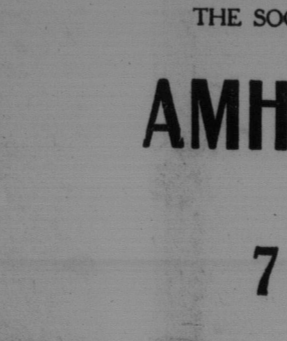
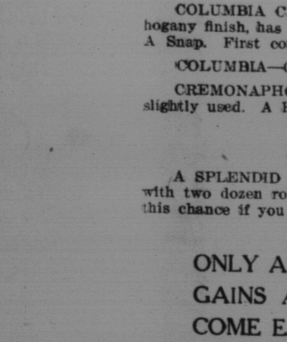
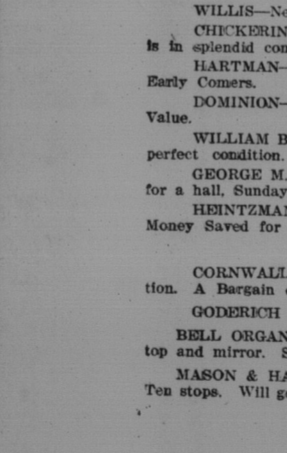
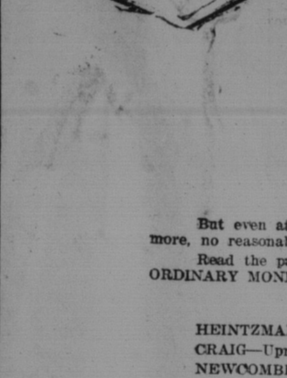
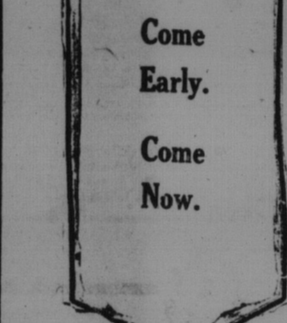
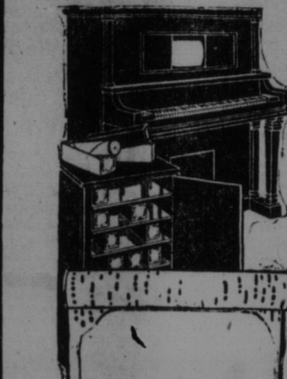
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THE BAGPIPE ONE OF MOST ANCIENT OF Musical Instruments Was Known by Persians and Chinese and Even Before the Flood.

HIGHLANDERS WERE LAST TO ADOPT IT But They Have Alone Remained Faithful to it as Their National Musical Instrument.

We associate the bagpipe with the Scottish Highlands, but as a matter of fact, the Scottish Highlanders were the last place in Europe to become acquainted with the instrument.

It was first found in the Far East; and at the time of Jubal, Lamech's son, was an instrument of some elaboration. There is a still more ancient claim for the bagpipe; on sculptured stone and temple wall in China, Persia and other Oriental countries there is evidence that it was in use for many centuries prior to the dawn of Christian history.

It was found, with its rival, the pan-pipe, in Ancient Greece and Italy. Nero is supposed to have been able to play on the bagpipe as well as the fiddle, but good Scotchmen would not accept any suggestion that the "pip" rather than "didde" on the fatal day in Roman story. Horace, in his Ode to Asteris, refers to it thus: a form of bagpipe with a tone and a character. It is surprising that the Bible does not contain more references to it, as the Jews must have been familiar with it; the "flute" of the Old Testament was probably a pipe, consisting simply of the unsupported chamber.

The bagpipe came to Scotland by way of England, and by the 14th century was fairly well known in the South. It will be remembered by students of Chaucer, that the Miller plays upon it on horseback on the Plagenieu sign to Canterbury.

"A baggy pipe" was coude he blowe and some And ther-withal he brought us out of town." (Lines 667-68.) This "baggy pipe" was frequently heard on the intervals between the scenes. It gathered the holiday party together with its peculiar strains, and started the procession from each halting place.

Shakespeare makes repeated reference to its notes of sheepskin covering, its merry music that set smiles on every face, to its "singling" the roses, and only once does the deprecatory note. By his time the bagpipe's "wild, sweet notes" were familiar in Central England, and in both Lowland and Highland Scotland. By Chaucer's time, in 1386, the bagpipe had been relegated to tinkers, fortune-tellers (scape-wives), as they are still known in Scotland, and gypsies generally.

But it was different in Scotland, the earlier musical instrument in this country was known as the chair-bush—a small hand bag, which rested on the knee of the player. The bagpipe appealed to the Highlander for many reasons; it looked more sprightly, it admitted a greater variety of sounds, the wild drone suited those four modes, which settled on Scottish hearts as off as the fags of Scottish moors. Moreover, there is a warmth, a feeling of possession, which enabled the Scotchman to "feel his soft into" his instrument. In the Lowlands the bagpipe had only a temporary home. For a time it led the bride party on "the maiden's dance" three times round the church before the performance of the marriage ceremony. It entered the harvest fields and played behind the reapers over the stubble; it roused the village in the morning; it helped in church services, even until the day of Knox.

But the fiddle ousted the pipe from the South of Scotland, and it has found its destined home as the chair-bush of the "Highlanders." By no man in the world is it carried with so much grace, fingered with as much dexterity, and made to give forth such lively airs as on the breast and in the arms of a Scottish Highlander. Dr. Leslie Robertson, to whom I am indebted for many of the facts in this article, claims that the Clan MacKrimmon had for a long time the reputation of being the best pipers. (This Clan was a sept of the MacLeods.) Long after the Lowland villages had ceased to maintain their pipe, the profession was an honored one in Highland villages; in fact, the pipe was the one functionary who could not be dispensed with.

Although the pipes were retained as a social factor of highest value, they found their greatest use as military instruments. It was this duty that brought a pipe his highest pleasure. There is in it tones a cry that wakens some savage instinct, which swells the heart, and pulses in the blood—in it distinct which clamors for destruction and wild havoc. It intoxicates both piper and listeners, and not a few comrades of the great war will agree with me that the pipe has roused their spirit force, and enervated tired limbs when all other stimuli have failed. Though it is not customary in these days to send men "over the top" to the skirts of the pipes, any more than they are not now equipped with pikes, spears, and shining swords, yet for a few Canadians there is the dead memory of Robertson, V. C., who led his battalion in the cold grey of an autumn morning to their triumph and glory, but to his death. This is the predominant note of the bagpipe, and even as Byron felt that it filled the heart.

"With the fierce daring which fasts The stirring memory of a thousand years, And Evans' Donald's fame rings in each clansman's ears." So, in these later days, the pipes call men over to greater sacrifice, to disregard for death, to a determination for victory.

But the day is past, we hope, when such deeds as these shall be called for,

PRINCE OF WALES AND PRINCESS OF ITALY MAY MARRY Yolanda, Youngest Daughter of the Italian Sovereign, Said to be Edward's Choice.

London, May 12.—The marriage of Edward Prince of Wales to Princess Yolanda, daughter of King Victor Emmanuel, of Italy, is not only a possibility, but a probability of the near future, according to information given to me today by a person well informed in court affairs.

The young princess, who is the eldest child of the Italian ruler, will be 19 years old in a few weeks. The prince, who was born in the same month as his reported future bride, June, is nearly 26.

A Love Match. With the fall of the Hohenzollerns, Hapsburgs and Romanoffs, and the broken fortunes of many of the dynasties of Europe the number of princesses eligible to form an alliance with the future ruler of the British Empire, is exceedingly small and there have been rumors the prince might decide not to marry the crown and the possibility is said to be a real love match growing indirectly out of the war and is not altogether a strange arrangement.

Early in the war the Prince of Wales visited in Italy where he was the guest of King Victor Emmanuel. Although the prince's own motion, suggestion that the engagement was the subject of discussion at the private dinner.

Just before the Prince of Wales started on his present trip to New Zealand and Australia he dined at the Italian embassy here together with Premier Lloyd George. This fact is recalled now as significant in the light of the report that the prince is to be married to Yolanda, youngest daughter of the Italian ruler.

Although Princess Yolanda is a Roman Catholic and it has been suggested that this fact would cause difficulty in arranging the proposed match because of the specific abjuration of the Roman Catholic religion contained in the oath taken by the British ruler at his coronation, suggestions of a means to overcome this technically have been made on every hand.

Wage War on the Rat. The rats keep 150,000 farmers occupied in feeding them and the other workers needed to repair rat damage number 30,000.

and the pipes are fading again, as before, the Armageddon, their proper place in quiet walks of life. The bagpipe is still beloved by those who dance the Scottish reels and strathspeys; in the gardens of Scotland, and in the garden of Scotland; the captain of the Scottish fife fifteen played his team on the football ground. But the pipe has a place in Scottish musical life as large as that of garrigue or bagpipe on their own, and wherever Scotland's sons may turn their faces, wherever the most distant climes they compete on bagpipe, there is always, in their hearts, a longing for the skill of the piper, and the graceful swinging of the bagpipe, even though to follow would lead to "Flanders fields where poppies blow."

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WHY THE ARABS DEMAND THEIR INDEPENDENCE Their Side of the Story Set Forth by Hadad Pasha, Special Envoy of Emir Feisal.

PART OF THE REWARD PROMISED TO THEM For Support to the Allied Cause During the War—Promise Stable Government.

Cross-Atlantic News Service. (Copyright.) By Hadad Pasha, Special Envoy of Emir Feisal, recently proclaimed King of Syria.

London, May 12.—Canadian readers will remember in history the great achievements of Arab civilization. For some centuries the Arabs kept alive the torch of learning which it was practically extinguished in Europe. They assimilated Greek science and philosophy; they made discoveries in mathematics which have enabled the modern world to master the forces of nature; they built the Alhambra and the masterpieces of Saracenic architecture which are the admiration of every European visitor to Cairo.

This wonderful efforescence of the Arab genius spread over all lands, from the Persian Gulf to the Atlantic. But the Arabs always tended to the homelands of the race and the twin cities of Damascus and Baghdad are the cradle of their culture; and when the Tatar hordes came down from the north and spread like a blight over the Middle East, the Golden Age of Arab civilization passed away.

Never Forgotten Ancient Glories. But throughout the centuries of Turkish tyranny the Arabs have never forgotten their great past. They have often made efforts to free themselves from their long and bitter bondage. The Turkish government was incapable of reformation and numerous Arab patriots in those days were martyred. They have suffered death or exile at the hands of the Turks.

In 1908, when Abdul-Hamid was overthrown, the Arab nationalist element in the party of Union and Progress. But the failed. Many had already emigrated, especially to America and the West Indies. Canada and the United States today is a proof of how intelligent and progressive our people are when they live under good government.

Averted "Holy War." Then the war came. Turkey joined Germany. The Sultan proclaimed a holy war. This effort to stir up the whole Muslim world against the Allies turned the Arab world into a desert. The Arabs, who inhabited the central regions of Islam, including the Holy Places, were given a choice between taking side on their side had already taken stock of the situation and decided the opportunity had passed. They made a solemn declaration for their independence. The population of Mesopotamia and Syria were under the iron rule of the Turks, reinforced by German.

Promised Independence. The Sherif of Mecca, now King Hussein of the Hejaz, who belonged to the noblest family of Arab nobility, became the ally of Great Britain. He became the ally of Great Britain. To the Emir Feisal, his son, who before and during the war had been working an Arab party in Syria and Mesopotamia, and was looked upon by them as their leader, he entrusted the command of the modern Arab army, which consisted of volunteers, consisting of Bedouin irregulars of the desert tribes of the Hejaz and Syria and regulars from Syria and Mesopotamia. The men were mainly deserters from the Turkish army, who crossed the desert under their own officers, like the battle-scarred Arab army, which they were encouraged by Allied officers (British and French), who said to them:

"There is your country. Fight for it, and it will be yours." I have seen many letters written to their parents by young officers of ours before going into battle, saying how pleased they were to shed their blood to gain their country's independence. These young men are now dead and the desert has no more to see that they have not died in vain.

As to actual military assistance, the Emir Feisal's army, which is now a Palestine campaign. I refer to the declarations made by my chief, Field-Marshal Viscount Allenby, at the London Mansion House, when he was given the freedom of the City of London, that it would not have been possible to win such decisive success without the assistance of the Arab forces on the right flank.

When the United States came in, we were delighted to read the declaration made by President Wilson on April 2, 1917, to Congress. There he expressly stipulated that the United States was entering the war to ensure the rights of small nations.

The Secret Treaty. In the meantime, in 1916, the British and French governments had contracted a secret treaty partitioning the Arab provinces into zones of influence. The text of that treaty was published by the Bolsheviks when they ransacked the Russian Foreign Office, and caused consternation among our people. However, they were reassured by repeated declarations of the Allies that that treaty was no longer of any effect, and by President Wilson to the first of the fourteen points, which declared all secret treaties to be null and void, and by the 15th point, which stipulated for the autonomy of peoples hitherto subjected to the Turkish yoke.

Up till now, though 18 months have elapsed since the conclusion of the fighting, no settlement on these lines have been made. On the contrary, we have heard that our country is to be divided into spheres of influence, and handed over to "mandatory" powers.

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THE PROHIBITION PLEBISCITE.

Announcement was recently made by the Government that a plebiscite on the question of prohibition would be taken in July. From workers interested in the prohibition movement the Standard is informed that the date, although not yet definitely set, will be between July 26 and 30th, possibly on July 26th, which falls on Monday. While no intimation has yet been made officially as to the nature of the questions to be submitted to the electors, it is obvious, in view of recent happenings in the Legislature, that only two proposals can reasonably be offered. The matter of prohibition of the importation of liquor from other provinces for personal use is not an issue at this particular juncture, in view of the fact that the resolution dealing with that phase of the problem was not adopted by the Legislature. There remain, then, for the consideration of the people of this province the two other outstanding questions, namely, whether the present prohibitory law shall be continued, and, if not, what shall take its place. It is reasonable, therefore, to believe—and this is the view held by the prohibition workers—that one of the questions submitted will deal with whether the people of New Brunswick are desirous of continuing the prohibitory law as it stands at present. Should the decision be in the affirmative, it will become the duty of the Government to rigidly enforce this law. Should a negative vote be recorded, then the Government must find something to replace the present law, and as a measure of preparedness against such an eventuality, it may be expected that the second question submitted will deal with the sale in New Brunswick, under certain restrictions, of beer and light wines. The expression of opinion along that line will be valuable as a guide to the Government in enacting future legislation, but it does not necessarily follow that the province will immediately adopt any radical changes from the existing system in conformity with the views expressed at the polls.

THE AGRICULTURAL OUTLOOK.

It is good news to learn from the report of the speech by the Hon. Dr. Tolmie, Dominion Minister of Agriculture, that it is proposed to establish ten illustration farms in New Brunswick. Any proposals which have for their object the improvement of conditions relating to the farming industry and fostering greater production in this province will have the cordial endorsement of all classes of the community. In bringing down the agricultural estimates for the current year yesterday, Dr. Tolmie briefly surveyed the general situation from the farming standpoint, and expressed the conviction that the future in that respect was full of promise. The total agricultural wealth of the country, he said, was estimated at \$7,379,299,000, and the value of the products of the farm for the last year was \$197,841,000. This item can be considerably increased, if only the great need for conserving the fertility of the soil is properly observed, and a more general system of education along farming lines put to practical application. Statistics are available which show clearly that by the use of improved methods large increases in the general yield of farm crops can be obtained, without the necessity of sowing a single additional acre. There is of course a crying need for more workers upon the land, and in dealing with this phase of the matter, Dr. Tolmie put in a strong plea for active workers and men of practical knowledge rather than men with no farming experience. Closely connected with this matter is the question of how to keep the boys on the land. This is a problem that is engaging the attention of more people than the Minister of Agriculture, and Dr. Tolmie did not appear to be able to suggest any new or more effective expedient for reaching this desirable end than those already known. His advice was to make farm life more attractive for the boys. Experience has proven that this is more easily said than done. As anyone acquainted with life in the country districts knows, there is not very much opportunity for variety; conditions are such that it is the same old round day in and day out; and an occasional visit to the nearest city or town only increases any sense of dissatisfaction with the daily round on the farm that a boy may already have. The lure of city life is the greatest factor in drawing boys from the farm, and it is difficult to overcome it. Dr. Tolmie's position gives him every opportunity of getting reliable information first hand, and in this respect he is able to speak most hopefully as to the great trade it is possible to do in agricultural produce with other countries. The possibilities in European markets are, he says, enormous, while China and Japan are also outlets for Canadian produce. The only thing necessary to obtain and keep these markets is to maintain a high standard of quality, and this is

greatly assisted by the grading process through which most kinds of Canadian farm products are now put. He instanced the case of eggs, for which English buyers are willing to pay twenty cents more per dozen than they will pay for American eggs, owing to the strict grading that Canadian eggs have to undergo. Dr. Tolmie is taking steps to bring about a closer co-operation between the Dominion and Provincial officials, and as a consequence the cause of agriculture should be greatly assisted and benefited.

THE LOYAL OPPOSITION IN PARLIAMENT.

The Toronto Globe report of the attack upon Mr. Rowell for his defence of the Franchise Bill, says, "The Opposition jeered, and shouted all sorts of taunts at him." By way of assisting the reading public to get an intelligible understanding of the rudeness referred to, the London Free Press recalls the composition of the Opposition. It says: "With few exceptions the members were elected upon a platform of no assistance to the hard-pressed forces of Canada in France other than such as might be volunteered to come forward at a time when the country had apparently been drained dry of volunteers. The great majority of these politicians hail from constituencies where the deciding vote is not English-speaking. These gentlemen thrived upon this vote in 1917, and they are particularly keen to see that every last vote of that class shall have the right to measure its strength in the next election."

Taunts and jeers do not come from men who have argument and good principle upon their side. These are the first fruits of enlightenment and narrowed vision. The sober sense of the nation is not won to the side that indulges in fibes, but to those who present reasonable and weighty conclusions in the matter at issue. Is the franchise in Canada so cheap a thing that it may be had even by those whose knowledge of the country is limited, and whose fealty to the British crown may in any wise be open to question? Has the vote no value that it needs not to be won by honest demonstration of the right to possess it? One gathers some idea of the motives of the jeering Opposition from the speech of a French-Canadian member who said that the French wife of a British subject would not have the right to vote upon the franchise. Why the haste to enfranchise the French wife of a British subject? Would France enfranchise offhand the English wife of a Frenchman? Or Germany the Canadian wife of a German? Or Italy the Scotch wife of an Italian? And so on? Let there be decency and order in this serious matter. How are the people to be expected to place value upon the right to vote when the Parliament grants that right itself regards it as lightly as Opposition and political play proposes. Canada calls for dignity upon the part of her public men. Only of ill-mannered schoolboys would it be expected that they "jeered and shouted all sorts of taunts."

CANADA'S EXTERNAL TRADE.

Advocates of tariff reduction, says the Mail and Empire, will find no arguments in the figures of Canada's external trade for the fiscal year that closed on the 31st of March last. In the year Canada's imports of merchandise amounted to \$1,044,512,229 as against \$916,429,225 in the fiscal year immediately preceding. That is, the money value of Canada's imports in 1919-20 was \$58,083,804 greater than the money value of Canada's imports in 1918-19. But more important than the difference in the grand totals is the fact that the question is the difference between the sums to which the imports of the dutiable goods amounted. In the last fiscal year the value of the dutiable goods imported into Canada was \$693,643,011, whereas in the year immediately preceding it was \$529,476,717. That is to say, in the last fiscal year the dutiable goods imported by Canada were greater in money value than the dutiable goods imported in the year immediately preceding by the large amount of \$167,000,000. Evidently Canada's customs tariff does not prevent dutiable goods from pouring in at an extraordinary rate of increase. In the single twelve-months the importation of dutiable goods increased by more than 30 per cent. It would look as if some of the customs duties were too low. Unless there is an increase at the right points, the balance of trade will become less and less in our favor and the imports from the United States will continue to rise to still greater heights above our exports to that country and keep our money at a large discount across the line. The one satisfactory feature of the increase in imports is that we are increasing our purchases from the United Kingdom rapidly and that the difference in favor of the United States is growing less because of our increased exports thereof.

Ottawa Journal: A motorist having in the other day referred to a certain

class of pedestrians as "jay walkers," the retort discourteous is being made by pedestrians. It is probable that motorists are just as open to the epithet of "jaymen" as are pedestrians. There are not a few men and women driving cars today who, either because of temperament or sheer inability to exercise common sense, never should be permitted to sit at the wheel of an automobile. Every hour and every day lives are endangered on our city streets through the reckless and foolish conduct of motor-car drivers.

A special committee of the British Parliament has had under consideration the question of making an assessment upon war-created fortunes, and has come to the conclusion that the proposal is quite feasible. It is estimated that there are at least 75,000 war fortunes, and that not less than \$2,750,000,000 can be collected from them. How much could be got from a similar source in Canada?

WHAT OTHERS SAY

Parties and Tariff. (Manitoba Free Press.) It is evident that all three parties in Parliament are in favor of a tariff; and the differences between them are those of degree and intention.

A Quiet Tip. (Brookville Recorder.) To the subscriber who wants to know what to do with cats that congregate in his garden, we can only remind him that cat skins are worth in the neighborhood of \$150 each.

Oh! That Suspicion. (Montreal Gazette.) At Walkerville, Ont., of all places, an occupant of an automobile was shot dead by a constable who explains that he so acted because he suspected the car was carrying whiskey. To have a bottle or two in tow is considered the most serious crime on the calendar in the sister province.

Rather One-Sided. (Brandon Free Press.) Canadian newspapers continue to suspend the newspaper manufactured from the crown pulp lands is shipped at huge prices across the border, where the pulp lands are practically exhausted. And all to enable a few corporations to make huge profits, while the Dominions, which owe the lands, receives a feeble bit.

Income Tax. (Quebec Chronicle.) A moderate rate of income tax spread over all forms and sizes of incomes would be productive of a much greater revenue to the Government than the tax as it presently exists. The present tax is largely worthless because of the trouble of collection in the case of small incomes, while in the case of large incomes it is so exorbitant as to defeat its purpose.

Starting Them Wrong. (Brandon Free Press.) Anyone who is a careful observer cannot fail to see large numbers of the very young on the streets at too late an hour, or in places of public entertainment, and that at an age when it would be better, from every point of view, for them to be home in their beds.

A BIT OF VERSE

A DOG'S LOVE.
Love such as his—
Forever die?
When the light curtain falls,
Shall the light,
Intense,
Wonderful,
Be quenched,
No more to burn,
Often have I,
In reverence,
Almost in awe,
And with swelling breast
And choking throat,
Gazed into the far depths
Of his brown eyes,
And read the story written there
Of deathless truth to me
While life is left.
As a tired child upon his pillow,
When he nestles close
And seems to sigh his longing
For the gift of human speech,
Wherewith to voice his love,
I can but ask
Whether the love he bears,
By day,
And through the lonely watches
Of the night—
Love unfulfilling through every stress,
Love that would gladly yield its life
for mine—
Is not a spark of that protecting Love
Which guards the human creature of
God's hand,
And notes the sparrow's fall.
Is not love love,
Whether in man or in the faithful
beast?
Does not love emanate from one great
Source?
And can love die?
—Charles E. Allen.

THE LAUGH LINE

Left.
Pat got out of his carriage at a railway station to get some refreshment, but the train started before he had finished.

"Hold on," he cried, as he ran along the platform at top speed. "You've got a passenger on board that's left behind."

His Week End.
Gerald: "I'm just here for a week-end."
Geraldine: "Is your head troubling you?"

Too Strong.
Horrowell: "That fellow HJones is too strong to work."
Hardup: "What makes you think so?"
Horrowell: "I've tried to work him."

A Rap at Single.
Single: "That steaming-looking girl

Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE

I bought a mulliger at Mommy Simms's store yesterday afternoon. Being a trick mulliger with a rubber ball on the end of a rubber tube and a fat rubber thing on the other end, the trick being to put the fat thing under the table cloth just where somebody's plate is going to be and then squeeze the ball and make the plate go up and down as if it was haunted. With I put it under pop's plate and left the rubber ball hanging down under the table cloth by my plate, and when the ball rang for supper pop came in and sat down, saying, "I feel all shaky today, I believe I've been working too hard. I'll have to cut it out."

And as soon as he started to eat I gave the ball 2 squeezes and pop's plate went up and down twice, and pop quick pushed his chair back and looked at the plate, and ma sed, "What is it, Willyum, what's the matter?"

Nothing, sed pop. And he started to eat again and just as he was going to eat a lot of pees on his fork I quick squeeze the ball again and pop's plate went up and down once, and all the pees went off the fork and pop quick grabbed up his plate and looked under it without seeing anything on account of the fat thing being all the way under the table cloth, and ma sed, "For mercy sake, Willyum, what are you doing?"

Nothing, cant a man pick up his own plate if he wants to? sed pop, and ma sed, "And look at those pees all over the table cloth."

Look at them yourself, sed pop. Wich just then it made his plate go up and down 3 times and ma sed, "My goodness, Willyum, what ails your plate? or pop sed, "O, you see it too, thank hevin. And he looked at me and I looked ignorant, and he picked up his plate and the table cloth and everything and I had to go rise to bed without hardly anything in my stomach yet but 2 pork chops and 2 helps of mash potatoes and about 40 pees.

over there has been gazing at me for the past 10 minutes. She must be trying to make an impression."

"What time were you to meet him?" asked the friend.

"At 5 o'clock," replied Mrs. Brown.

Hadn't Fried That.
Father: "That young rascal comes here too often; I want it stopped."
Daughter: "I'm sure, father, I do all I can to discourage his visits."
Father: "Nonsense! I haven't heard you sing for him once."

She Tried Hard.
Old Maid Hansen was telling her family of an adventure. "Yesterday

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OLD IRON WORTH MONEY

Great progress is being made with the work of buying the sixteen inch water main in King street. Yesterday the tenders for the old pipe were opened and that of J. A. Barry at \$90 per ton was accepted. The interesting feature of this transaction is that the price is about twice what the pipe cost when new.

ASKED TO WRITE

"Michael, my boy, write me, for God's sake do, before it is too late." That is the paternal cry that stands out in a letter received by the Mayor from B. Bass, Apartment 21, 778 Sherman Avenue, New York, who is asking for information about his son, Michael M. Bass, 26 years old. The latter left Chicago in 1911, and was last heard of from Toronto, shortly after leaving Chicago. Since then, the father learned that the boy had settled in St. John.

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Quebec, May 14—Arr. str Lake Markham, Great Lakes.
Ch. str Empress of France, Liverpool; Corsican for Montreal; Lake Elsie, for sea.

FUNERALS.

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Statement Made By Toronto Man

Visitor Says View is Held That Sir Robert Borden Will Retire and Either Sir Thomas White or Sir George Foster Will be Premier.

That Sir Robert Borden will retire from active politics, and that either Sir Thomas White or Sir George Foster will be the next premier, was the statement made by a high official of the Orange Order from Toronto who was in the city the other day. The official who is a member of Parliament said that this was the view generally held among the supporters of the Orange Government at Ottawa. He added that there was a general hope that Sir Robert would resume his duties as leader of the Government, but that the general belief was that there would be a change in the Government in the next few weeks.

The inference was that if the Orange party was to disappear Sir George Foster would be allowed to round out his term as prime minister during the life of the present government. On the other hand if the Orange party was to be maintained, and face another election, Sir Thomas White would be chosen as chief.

In the latter event, things might move quickly, as Sir Thomas might decide to ask the country for a vote of confidence sooner than most people expected.

PESSIMISTIC ABOUT THE COTTON TRADE

Thinks Manufacturers Have About Reached End of Resources in Regard to Capital.

(Cross-Atlantic News Service. Copy-right.)

London, May 10.—Sir Charles Mac-ARA, president of the Master Cotton Spinners Federation, today warned that industry of the serious situation created by the recent wage increases granted the workers, owing to their not having adopted the scheme whereby the increase would have taken the form of investment in the industry.

Said Sir Charles "they have failed to take the wide outlook and the result is that before long the industry may be starved for want of capital. But cotton, which before the war cost \$75 now costs \$45; machinery cannot be renewed under three hundred and fifty per cent. above pre-war figures. Wages even before this advance were up one hundred and forty per cent. These things, combined with increasing taxation, are putting the manufacturers in an exceedingly serious position. They are rapidly nearing the end of their resources as regards capital."

TRUCK TRANSPORT MOVEMENT GROWS

Now About Five Thousand Lines Have Been Recorded —Expected Soon to Cover Country.

Louisville, Ky., May 10.—Since the completion of a central freight depot and the purchase of three large, well established motor truck lines by the Union Transportation Line, it claims one of the best equipped highway transport organizations in the country.

This company, incorporated at \$100,000, began operation only six months ago. Its development came as a result of the public's recognition of its value as an adjunct to other transportation agencies where they exist and the fulfillment of a long felt need where other agencies do not exist. That the public has an active interest in the welfare of the new mode of transport is best evidenced by the fact that it has invested its money in the venture.

The company when founded planned to establish a main and 47 secondary routes, covering 134 towns, all within a radius of 75 miles of Louisville. Five of these main routes are now in operation. The company has been more than 20 trucks, which carry to the small inland towns all the merchant goods made, distributed, or sold in Louisville and bring back to the city merchants livestock, grain, green groceries, and all other farm products, twice daily. This service has been the means of saving shippers money by decreasing the time of delivery. In addition to this service, the company gives a door-to-door service, something that is not done by any carrier other than express.

There are about 5,000 motor truck lines recorded and many more thousands unrecorded. Motorized highway transport is a new industry, but its benefits are so varied that it will be but a short time before it will spread, like network, over the entire country.

Is Sentenced To Dorchester

Frank Doucett Gets a Two Year Term — Campbell Cormier, a Bell Boy, Charged With Theft — Other Cases Dealt With.

"Two years in the Dorchester penitentiary" was the sentence handed out to Frank Doucett in the police court yesterday morning. Doucett was charged with attempting to steal liquor from a keg in the C. P. R. sheds, West Side. He was also given a five years suspended sentence in April for stealing goods from the same place.

Charged with threatening his wife, Frank Minucle was allowed his liberty after being bound over to keep the peace. Sureties were provided by Inspector McAlush and Sergeant O'Neill.

Finance Best was charged with bigamy and remanded. Her case will be dealt with Tuesday afternoon.

William Evans, who passed the night in the cells as a protectionist, was remanded.

Campbell Cormier, a boy from the Royal Hotel, pleaded not guilty to a charge of stealing a wrist watch, a fraternity pin, and a small sum of money, total value \$10. The case was allowed to stand over until Tuesday, when evidence will be given by the prosecution. The young lad was a protectionist but a short while ago. He belongs to Moncton, and his father was in the court yesterday on his behalf.

KENTUCKY WOMEN HAVE RIGHT TO VOTE

According to Attorney General of That State Who Claims Women May Participate in President Elections.

Frankfort, Ky., May 12.—Women of Kentucky have been assured of the right to vote for presidential electors in the coming presidential election, independent of the ratification of the federal suffrage amendment of the requisite number of states.

This opinion was given George O. Speer, State Banking Commissioner, by Attorney General Chas. I. Dawson, who held that an act of the Kentucky legislature passed this year, to provide for woman suffrage in presidential elections, is valid and that under the provisions woman may participate in the presidential election.

The Attorney General said he could find nothing in the bill which would conflict with the constitution of the State of Kentucky or of the United States.

OBITUARY.

James G. Dykeman.

Mr. James G. Dykeman, a well-known and highly respected resident of Lower James, Queens Co., died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Howard W. Thus of Lower James, on Monday, May 10th, in the 70th year of his age, leaving three sons, one daughter, one brother and one sister to mourn his loss.

Mr. Dykeman was a man of strong convictions and high ideals and had the esteem of all who knew him. Interment took place at St. James' Church, Lower James, Rev. E. H. Gilles, rector of the parish, conducting the services at the house, church and grave, the text for the sermon being Rev. 27: 5. His 6th was sung at the house, and hymns 230, 593 and 18 at the church.

The very large number of friends present at the services indicated the esteem in which the deceased was held.

Capt. Bennett M. Dykeman, J. Medley Dykeman and Wilmet T. Dykeman, all of Lower James, were sons, and Mrs. Howard W. Thus a daughter. Mr. Gilbert Dykeman, of St. Stephen, is a brother, and Mrs. D. C. Dykeman, of Margouerie, a sister.

Mrs. Eleanor L. Price

The death of Mrs. Eleanor L. Price took place at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. E. Penfield Cliff, 40 Victoria street, yesterday morning. She was a daughter of the late Rev. Robert French of this city and had a host of friends here and elsewhere who will regret to hear of her death. She was twice married. Her first husband was the late Captain Nehemiah Secord of the North End and her second, was the late John G. Price of Greenwich, Kings County. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Cliff, and one brother, Captain Judson French, of the ferry service in this city.

Mrs. Nellie Ruth Perry

The death occurred early last evening at her home, 156 Queen street, of Mrs. Nellie Ruth Perry, wife of Ira D. Perry. The late Mrs. Perry, who was in the 36th year of her age, was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Humphrey of Norton. She is survived, besides her husband, by one son, Gordon, aged nine, three brothers, Thomas, Apollinaris, James, New York City; Herbert, Norton and four sisters Mrs. Mary Rufus, Manchester, N. H.; Mrs. Jas. Folkins, Norton; Mrs. George Dodds, Newswigswank and Miss Annie Humphrey, Norton.

The body will be taken on the noon C. P. R. train Monday to Norton where Star service in the Riverbank Meeting House, interment will take place.

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BUILDING BOOM AT FREDERICTON

Work Started on the Memorial Hospital—C.N.R. Bridge to Soon be Started.

Fredericton, May 14.—The first actual work in connection with the construction of the Fraser Memorial Hospital building was commenced this morning when employees of the George A. Fuller Company, the construction company who have been awarded the contract for the building, started off the site.

The new building will be located immediately to the west of the original hospital building, and the site is now completely staked off. The construction of the building involves, it is understood, the removal of the Ann Dowling, which is used for contagious cases only, and it is said it will be moved to another site. It is understood that in the new layout of buildings provision is also being made for a separate building for a maternity wing.

It is expected that ground for the foundation of the building will be broken either tomorrow or on Monday. The contract calls for the new building to be completed and ready for occupancy by March 1st, 1921.

It is understood that the Canadian National Railway are also rapidly getting in readiness to have work

MORE INDUSTRIES AT DRUMMONDVILLE

Drummondville, May 14.—In consequence of the activities of the Industrial Department of the Southern Canada Power Company, two additional large industries have begun operations at Drummondville, thus increasing the demand for the current supplied by the power company. One of these plants is the Balfour Hosiery Company, which is a subsidiary of the Clifton Knitting Company, of Canada and the United States. The company's plant has just recently been erected for the manufacture of silk and cotton hosiery, and the operation of the plant has now begun.

Another plant to begin operations is the Gossard Corset Company, a subsidiary of the W. H. Gossard Company of Chicago. The extent of this industry is indicated by the fact that the company, though having only recently begun operations, is now employing 250 hands.

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London, May 14.—No German request for a postponement of the Spa conference has been received here despite the Paris report to the contrary, about 50,000,000 people on an average of a pound a day for each person.

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Alexander Is Now College Professor

Joined the Faculty of University of Illinois as Teacher of Baseball.

Champaign, Ill., May 13.—Grover Cleveland Alexander has joined the faculty of the University of Illinois. Alexander the great fast teaching Grover, who has been the most effective pitcher in the major league last year and previously, season after season, he ranked one of the best pitchers who ever took the mound. He knows it and he can teach it. That's why he is here.

One of the reasons Grover is here is to help out an old team-mate, Potay Clark. Potay and Grover played together on the championship team of the A. B. F. This is Clark's first season in Hill's shoes, the big fellow having retired from active coaching. "Illinois had a championship baseball team, a basketball team that has been to cup and now they want a baseball championship," said Grover, "I'll do my best to help them get it. Incidentally I am getting in shape myself."

The Illinois baseballers have a brash army to work out to—big ones to practice. A huge net encloses the field.

In 24 years Illinois has had eleven champion teams and tied once for champion.

The International Swimming Event

A good number of boys turned for the International Swimming Event which was recently held at the pool at the Y. M. C. A. Competition was keen in the different events and a very creditable showing was made by all the boys.

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RACING IN ENGLAND, IS MORE THAN SPORT, SA YS JOHN WALTERS

British Thorough Sportsmen Too, But Some Things Are Better on the Tracks in the United States, He Thinks.

New York, May 13.—John Walters, for many years closely identified with thoroughbred racing and known to hundreds in the club houses at the metropolitan tracks, is home again, after having his first peak at the sport across the water.

"Johnny had much to talk about. 'I did not see a much racing as I would have liked to have seen in England,' he said recently. 'I saw the Grand National at Aintree and had one day's sport at Kempton Park, but I saw enough to convince me that the Englishman is the greatest sportsman in the world. I often heard of the love of racing in England but it is more than that—it's a national institution.'

"There were more than 50,000 persons at Aintree the day the Grand National was run and less than 10,000 of them were sheltered from a heavy rain that fell all afternoon. But nobody, not even King George made a move to go home until after the race was over."

"The English crowd seldom cheers or applauds and seldom stands for a lot, without showing its disapproval. At Kempton Park I saw the start of a mile and a half race. The starter called to two of the riders to turn their horses around with their backs to the field. As they obeyed he sprang the barrier and the two were left."

"No horses, no boots," broke in Mary Cassidy, who was one of the listeners.

"No indeed," continued Johnny. "And after the race I saw the boys come up very humbly to the starter and apologise. Nevertheless, he wrote something evidently their names, in his little book. I don't know what became of them, but they probably were suspended or something worse."

"That's the place for me," said Cassidy. "Indeed it is," replied Walters, "the starter's a king there. He wears a high hat and a frock coat, except on rainy days, when he wears a master of fox hounds rig, boots, huntman's cap and all. And he drives to the post in style."

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A good number of boys turned out for the International Swimming Pentathlon which was recently held in the pool at the Y. M. C. A. Competition was keen in the different events and a very creditable showing was made by all the boys, although Donald Robertson far outstripped his nearest opponent by one hundred and seventy-four points. Harold Holder and William Curran who secured second and third place respectively, scored more evenly, the lead between the two only amounting to twenty-two points.

The events and scores made, and the individual scoring follow:

40 Yards		
Name	Time	Points
Harold Holder	28.25	383
Ronald Pattison	33	322
William Curran	38.25	234
Harold Holder	38.25	304
Frank Kee	39	287
Total		1580

25 Yards Back Stroke		
Name	Time	Points
Ronald Pattison	21.45	378
Frank Kee	21.45	378
Harold Holder	22.36	347
Harold Conley	23	333
Robert Hayes	24	300
Total		1733

200 Yards, Speed		
Name	Time	Points
William Curran	3 min. 36 sec.	300
Frank Kee	39	186
Robert Hayes	38.25	234
Harold Holder	4	85
Harold Conley	16	60
Total		820

Under Water Swim		
Name	Time	Points
Donald Robertson	1.15.45	1066
William Curran	15.35	824
Robert Hayes	16.35	623
Harold Holder	16.45	590
Frank Kee	19.45	590
Total		6995

Towing Person 20 Yds.		
Name	Time	Points
Harold Holder	32.15	277
Don. Robertson	32.25	273
Ronald Pattison	35	221
Harold Conley	40.34	140
Gordon Wilson	40.35	140
Total		1051

Grand Total Points		
Name	Points	Total
Harold Holder	1580	3876
William Curran	1733	3143
Robert Hayes	820	2323
Donald Robertson	1066	1966
Frank Kee	6995	1666
Harold Conley	1051	1267
Gordon Wilson	140	140
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E. J. Rising	10
John O'Ragan	10
Marj. Milberry Co.	10
Subscriptions are being taken at the Mayor's office. It is felt that the citizens interested in athletics will have to some forward with more enthusiasm than they have shown if sufficient money is to be realized to make the games a success and justify the selection of St. John.	

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Big League Results

NATIONAL LEAGUE Chicago 7; Boston 4

At Chicago: Boston . . . 00003001—4 13 2 Chicago . . . 00090201—7 6 1 Scott, Rudolph, Hearn and Gowdy; Hendrix, Caster and O'Farrell. Brooklyn 5; St. Louis 1

At St. Louis: Brooklyn . . . 000100000000—6 11 3 St. Louis . . . 000100000000—1 7 3 Grimes and Miller; Goodwin and Dillhoefer.

At Cincinnati: Philadelphia 3; Cincinnati 4

At Philadelphia: Philadelphia . . . 000001002—3 13 0 Cincinnati . . . 30000001—4 5 0 Wolpert, Castwell and Wheat; Rutherford, Eller, King and Burdick.

At New York: Pittsburgh, could not be reached.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Washington 9; Detroit 8

At Washington: Detroit . . . 001205000—8 11 6 Washington . . . 30030201—13 3 3 Chalmers, Oldham, Deusa and Stango; Altemith; Zachary, Erickson, Johnson and Garrity.

At Chicago: Chicago at New York, rain. St. Louis at Philadelphia, rain. Cleveland at Boston, rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Baltimore 1; Toronto 0

At Toronto: Baltimore . . . 00001000—0 7 1 Toronto . . . 00000000—0 8 1 Crank and Egan; Shea and Sandberg.

At Buffalo: Buffalo . . . 2010021—0 15 2 Syracuse . . . 20010000—3 11 3 Thomas and Bengough; McGreiner and Nienberg.

At Jersey City: Jersey City 7; Rochester 5

At Rochester: Jersey City . . . 000132100—7 10 1 Rochester . . . 00000000—0 8 1 Ferguson and Cotter; Burdick; Kelly and Bayers.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Akron 9; Reading 4

At Akron—First game. Reading . . . 00000100—4 8 2 Akron . . . 02010000—9 14 1 Batteries—Karpf, Schwanz and Kenrick; Donovan and Walker. Second game. Reading 7; Akron 4.

To Middlewest In Search of Speed

Understood H. C. Jewett of Fredericton is Away Looking for a Good Free-for-All Pacer.

Fredericton, May 14.—Fredericton may have some racing material before the Maritime and Maine circuit season opens.

It is understood that H. C. Jewett on his present trip to the middle west is in search of speed and it is said that he would buy a free-for-all pacer, if he found what appeared to be a money-getter available.

The Exposer (2.06) heads the best and probably the largest string of trotters in the Maritime Provinces, in Mr. Jewett's stable and a fast pacer would fit into his string very nicely.

He points to the fact that Carpenter was fighting Klans, Paske, Dixie Kid and Jennette when in his teens. Carpenter is at his best fighting age right now and if he went into the ring to fight Dempsey with three or four American boys under his belt, Lewis might see his prediction come true.

At any rate, Carpenter is worth a pre-reading. It is a pleasure to see him spar. It must be a treat to see him fight.

Old Country Cricket Games

London, May 14.—(By Canadian Associated Press.)—Cricket results today were:

At Brighton, Sussex, 196 and 988 for eight wickets, beat Warwickshire, 183 and 219, by 133 runs. The feature of the game was the 187 runs scored by H. L. Wilson for Sussex.

Lancashire defeated Leicestershire at Leicester by 129. Lancashire, 144 and 174; Leicestershire, 64 and 185. Parkin, for the winners, took 15 wickets for 50.

CONFUSING TERMS FOR JIMMY WILDE Yoncos Schwartz tells of a meeting with Jimmy Wilde, says the N. Y. Journal.

"I'm sitting on the train with this limbo," said Yank, "and they start a poker game. Wilde didn't order any pasteboard. He just looked on. He heard some of the fellows say that they'd bet a buck or two, and wonder what the limbo meant.

"After a while the guy who laughed at the pound idea drew four aces. He said, 'I'll bet a ton on these blighters.' Every one around the gang howled, but Wilde didn't even crack a smile.

Jimmy Wilde Is A Money Getter

New York, May 13.—Jimmy Wilde has collected \$60,000 for eight bouts since his arrival last November.

For losing his initial affair to Jack Sharkey in Milwaukee he drew down \$11,000.

His win over Johnny Asher, in St. Louis, netted him \$5,000, the smallest purse he has received in the States to date.

His third round knockout of Mike Erlie, in Milwaukee, rewarded him \$6,000.

He was reimbursed \$3,000 for stopping Mickey Russell in the seventh in Jersey City.

His end for successfully defending his world's flyweight title against Frankie Mason in Toledo totalled \$11,000.

In France the American Red Cross has established motor bus lines from the principal railway centres to all the important battlefields and cemeteries.

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Volleyball Game At The Y.M.C.A.

King Hazen's Team Won Way to Head and Championship of Business Men's League Last Night—A Real Match.

In one of the most successful volleyball games of the season, King Hazen's team won their way to the head of the Y. M. C. A. Business Men's Volleyball League and the championship of the year by defeating Thomas Guy's team in a hard fought game last night in the Y. M. C. A. gym.

The whole week has been taken up with an elimination series of games to decide the championship. On Monday Hazen's and Woodworth's teams faced each other. They broke even in the first two games, but the Hazen men won in the final game.

On Wednesday Guy's and Woodworth's squads faced each other. Woodworth took the first game but lost the next two to Guy.

Last night Guy and Hazen faced each other in the final series. The match was a very spectacular one and both games were hard fought ones, although both went to Hazen's men. The lineup of the two teams was as follows:

K. Hazen, capt. (2) W. K. Halsey, R. D. Hoban, A. R. Carlos, M. E. Conson.

Thomas Guy, capt. (6), F. W. Hewitson, A. Grant, R. T. McKim, G. H. Roberts.

The Business Men are reminded of the social trip to be held this afternoon. The motors leave the "Y" building for Loch Lomond at 2.30 sharp.

INTERNATIONAL HORSE SHOW

London, May 13.—Cash prizes totalling \$46,000 are to be awarded at the International Horse Show to be held in June at Olympia, London, the first to be held after a lapse of six years. There will be 101 classes. As Russia was outright in 1914 the King Edward VII. International Challenge Cup for teams of three officers, the Prince of Wales is giving another cup for this event.

The Motor Digest

In 1925, an automobile inventor was arrested while driving his vehicle in England for not having a man in front bearing a red flag.

Work of placing permanent road markers over the Lincoln Highway from Omaha to New York is now under way by the association.

For the first time in speedway history European contestants promises to outnumber representatives of this country in the Indianapolis 500-mile race.

Roscoe (Patry) Arbuckle the motion picture comedian, has a specially-built automobile that, in style and proportions, fits his type and taste. The seats are wide and roomy, and equipped with 34-inch springs.

South Africa Is In Olympic Games

Will Have a Big Delegation Trained to the Minute—Expect to Land Some Events.

Cape Town, South Africa, May 11.—(By Canadian Press.)—Of the thirty countries which intend to be represented at this year's Olympic games in Belgium it is perhaps safe to say that not one approaches South Africa in the way of enthusiasm and the general interest in the event displayed by the people in general. If the solid backing of the public is of any assistance in the scoring of points by a team, the South African athletes should make their presence felt at Antwerp this summer.

Street collections to aid in defraying the expenses of the Olympic delegation are of common occurrence, while workers in the mines have agreed to donate a percentage of their wages for a period of three months to help along the good work.

The South African Railway is granting special transportation privileges to team candidates journeying from place to place to take part in events. It is understood that a number of railway men expect to make the team, and the company is granting these men every facility for training.

Both the federal and provincial governments are represented on the South African Olympic Committee, and are giving every possible encouragement to the team. Many leading sportsmen of the Dominion, headed by Sir Abe Bailey, the well-known horseman, are conducting a campaign to raise money for the team. To this end a committee composed mostly of English residents has been organized and is hard at work.

The South African Olympic delegation will consist of about forty athletes, a rifle team and some swimmers. For several months a professional coach has been roaming about the country digging up raw material, and according to late reports he has been successful beyond his fondest expectations. Kennedy Kane McArthur, who it will be recalled, won the Stockholm Marathon with ease, has unceremoniously won the big classic at Antwerp. This candidate is tall and lanky, like McArthur himself, and is a real "springbok," having been born close to Johannesburg. He expects to shatter the record for the Olympic distance of 26 miles 386 yards.

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Large advertisement for 'Macdonald's' tobacco, featuring a large logo and text: 'The Tobacco with a heart', 'Our Name and Our Trademark Guarantee the Quality', 'MACDONALD'S', 'Smoking Chewing'.

FOR WOMEN AMUSEMENTS

HOW TO BECOME THIN TAUGHT IN CHICAGO

Sixty Days' Experiment Being Tried by Over 200 Persons.

HOW ANYONE CAN LOSE FAT

Menues Given for One Day—Prepared by Miss Wilbur of Health Commissioner's Training School for Nurses.

Chicago, May 13.—Pat persons all over the United States are watching with great interest the sixty-day experiment in reducing weight which is being conducted here under the supervision of Dr. John Hill Robertson, City Health Commissioner. Inquiries already received here suggest the probability that if the Chicago experiment is successful it may be tried in other communities.

Success reported in the first week when the average weight of the 24 women composing the first class was reduced by 3.3 pounds, has prompted the organization of other classes in this city and altogether more than 200 persons here are trying to see how rapidly they can regain their youthful figures.

The ladies of the fat elimination contest here aver that the experiment can be tried by anyone suffering from a surplus of adipose tissue. Reasonable exercise and a strictly controlled diet constitute two of the chief features of this "science experiment."

The daily menus of the reducing class are prepared by Miss Ruth Wilbur, of the Health Commissioner's training school for nurses, who believes this supervision of diet to be essential to success. Those ambitious women who are permitted to have lean meat but once a day and potatoes are forbidden. If one is hungry between meals, Miss Wilbur suggests that a glass of water will satisfy that "empty feeling."

Here is a typical menu prepared by Miss Wilbur for one day: Breakfast—One medium apple, one egg, one slice of toast, one cup of coffee with one and a half tablespoons of skimmed milk instead of cream. 10:30 a. m.—One-half cup of position with one cracker.

Luncheon—Medium serving of lean cold roast beef; two thin slices of rye bread; lettuce and cottage cheese salad; two and one-half tablespoons of French dressing; tea with lemon; one cracker.

Dinner—Large serving of boiled cod with lemon; large serving of plain cauliflower; one scant teaspoon of butter; lettuce salad or celery; one-half an orange; black coffee, 10:30 p. m.—One-half cup of hot skim milk.

Each of the women is expected to work an hour a day in her garden—if she has a garden—otherwise to take long walks and setting up exercises. Daily the women report by telephone and receive instructions, including a diet for the following day. On Thursday of each week they report at the city hall and are weighed, and the week's loss or gain—recorded on their charts.

The 24 women in the first class averaged in weight at the start of the experiment, 201.66 pounds, 65.83 pounds more than their average normal weight, and Dr. Robertson expects to take approximately 40 of those pounds from each woman.

The leader of the class is Mrs. Nell Leonard, age 32, who dropped the scales at 225 pounds, but lost 17½ pounds in the first seven days. Dr. Robertson figured her normal weight at 121 pounds. Mrs. E. A. Young, Mrs. J. H. McAvity, Baptist, Mrs. W. H. Jenner, Mrs. David McNeil, Presbyterian, Mrs. J. D. Chan, Roman Catholic, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, Methodist, Mrs. R. E. Corbett, Mrs. A. W. Estey, Jewish, Mrs. Louis Green, Unitarian.

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The Local Council Of Women Meeting

Executive Were in Session Yesterday Afternoon—Different Committees Appointed on Arrangements for the National Council Next Month.

An Executive meeting of the St. John Local Council of Women was held yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade Rooms, Mrs. E. Atherton Smith presiding. Arrangements were made for the National Council, Mrs. Duffe McLellan gave a satisfactory report for the Halls Committee.

The Luncheon Committee, Mrs. J. B. Travers stated that luncheons had been arranged as follows: Tuesday, June 15th, Gorman Street Willing Workers and Y. M. C. A. Auxiliary; June 16th, Women's Canadian Club; June 17th, the King's Daughters; June 18th, St. Monica's Society; June 19th, Y. W. C. A., Y. W. P. A. and Junior Natural History Society; June 20th, United Women's Missionary Society; June 21st, Women's Hospital Aid, Graduate Nurses' Association; June 22nd, Church of England Institute; June 23rd, Executive of Local Council of Women.

It is hoped that other federated societies who may not be able to give luncheons alone will assist the executive at the Thursday luncheon, or will give donations towards the entertainment fund. The message was delivered their luncheon in the Y. M. C. I. which it was felt would make a pleasant change in the programme. A meeting of the conveners will be held later at which the menus will be submitted for approval by a central committee. Three hundred luncheon tickets have been printed, thirty for each day, and these will be available for others than delegates who wish to remain during the sessions. All delegates are to be given.

For the Hospitality Committee, Mrs. W. Edmund Raymond gave a detailed report, stating that the hospitality has been offered for thirty-three of the hundred delegates expected. Mrs. E. A. Schofield has consented to act on the committee and has become a life member of the Council. Donations of money were received from Mrs. Frank Likely and Miss Mary Thorne and others. Mrs. E. L. Hising has become a life member. Mrs. Dickinson, of the Lansdowne, has offered to entertain a guest.

Mrs. Raymond also spoke of receiving a letter from Mrs. Madison, of Moncton, thanking her for the vocational report sent to her, and saying that it had been an inspiration to her. Mrs. Raymond told Mrs. B. O'Brien, work on the vocational organization.

The visit of Mrs. Estano, of Moncton, and the presence of Mrs. O'Brien, regarding the committee on the suppression of objectionable printed matter, was referred to, and the president praised the enthusiasm of the Moncton Council.

Mrs. Dignam, of Toronto, has asked that an evening shall be devoted to the Pine and Apple Arts, and hoped that the local Art Club will assist with the programme.

A nominations committee, with Mrs. David McLellan as president, was appointed—Mrs. E. A. Young and Mrs. J. B. Travers. This is to elect the delegates to the National from the Local. On the Sunday of June 20th, it is hoped that in all churches the clergy will preach upon the subject of "Women and Their Work." The following were asked to arrange for this: Anglican, Mrs. E. A. Young, Mrs. J. H. McAvity, Baptist, Mrs. W. H. Jenner, Mrs. David McNeil, Presbyterian, Mrs. J. D. Chan, Roman Catholic, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, Methodist, Mrs. R. E. Corbett, Mrs. A. W. Estey, Jewish, Mrs. Louis Green, Unitarian.

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TO MY EMPLOYER. (London Daily Express.) The fool does from his money part With fatal ease, "he said, And his is wisdom, health and wealth Who early goes to bed.

And tears shed over milk that's split, And shed, alane in vain, And fickle fortune knocks but once— And never knocks again.

And only risen birds The early morn enjoy, And all that glitters is not gold, And silver has alloy.

And if your peace you cherish, then Your pounds won't need your care, And though in nothing else, at least In love and war all's fair.

And water that has passed the mill For grinding is no use, And those who do not wish to bear Are wondrous obtuse.

LEAVING TODAY FOR CALGARY

Mrs. G. O. Akerley, Worthy Grand Mistress of British North America L. O. B. A.—A Representative at Convention.

Mrs. G. O. Akerley, Worthy Grand Mistress of British North America, L. O. B. A., leaves today for Calgary, where she will attend the annual meeting of the L. O. B. A., to be held in that city June 8th to 12th. At Toronto, Mrs. Akerley will be joined by Mrs. Robert Gordon, Grand Secretary for British North America, who will accompany her West. They will stop at Winnipeg, Regina, Saskatoon and Edmonton. Mrs. Akerley will represent the Provincial Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, and the Order is to be congratulated upon having one who has such a grasp of affairs and will be able to so fittingly represent the Eastern part of Canada.

Mrs. Akerley expects to be absent about six weeks.

AMUNDSEN TELLS OF ARCTIC TRIP

Letter Describing Perils of Journey in the Ice Received.

WILL NOT ABANDON TRIP After Calling at Nome Will Enter Ice Near Wrangell Island.

London, May 10.—Capt. Roald Amundsen, the Norwegian Arctic explorer, has not abandoned his expedition, but after his impending visit to Nome, Alaska, he is returning to the ice pack around Wrangell Island, on the northern coast of eastern Siberia, and thence drift across the Polar Sea, says a dispatch to the Times from Christiania.

A message dated from St. Petersburg, where he is, says that Amundsen, who has been in the ice pack since his departure from the coast of the Bering Sea, has returned to the ice pack near Wrangell Island, on the northern coast of eastern Siberia, and thence drift across the Polar Sea, says a dispatch to the Times from Christiania.

"We had to force our way through an unknown strait between the islands and the sea, and the newly formed ice offered considerable resistance. We succeeded after a vigorous attempt in penetrating this intricate and shallow passage, showing in some places no more than 1½ feet of water under our keel."

"The ice was 1½ feet in the Norwegian fjord, but it offered small hindrance to our advance. We passed through the strait of Laptev, separating the inner Siberian lands from the mainland, on the 12th. The sea to the east of the islands seemed free from ice, and we shaped our course for the open sea, but were stopped next morning by an impenetrable pack of ice 17 miles long.

"We made fast to the edge to command our drift but found shortly afterwards by close examination that the ice pack was in drift toward the south at the rate of 1½ knots an hour. This would not pay, so we lost hope of reaching the open sea, and we were obliged to leave after a very careful inspection of the ice left us no hope whatever of penetrating it, and shaped our course to the southeast, following the ice."

"We decided to search for water quarters somewhere along the coast. The only place was Choum Bay (on the north coast of Eastern Siberia, south of Wrangell Island).

"Navigation southward here in the latter part of September was most extraordinary. The nights were pitch dark and the sea running heavy, and enormous ice floes were often seen in the middle of our course. It was not pleasant. From time to time brilliant aurora borealis would appear and light us out of many intricate situations."

"A northwest gale had been blowing at this time, and the result was that the ice pack reached our winter quarters just a little ahead of us and shut us out. We had no chance as the sea came closer and closer to the coast. We went, therefore, as far as the ice permitted, and plunging into some of the floes fringing the west coast of Amundsen Island (at the mouth of Choum Bay), our position became not so good as it had wished, so we were exposed to the whole ice pack. However, our gallant little vessel will certainly stand the test with flying colors."

Meeting With Tribesmen. "Three days after our arrival here we met with some members of the Tschuktschi and Maquid tribes. They had their tents on Amundsen Island, but left for the interior of the country on October 19 to spend the winter in the woods watching their reindeer herds."

"Sverdrup left with them, equipped for eight months. Olokin left on October 19 for Nishne Kolymsk (at the head of the Kolymska River) carrying dispatches intended for home. But he returned on Nov. 13, having met with Rusevatski at a little village on the Kolymska called Sabarnaki, who told him that no connection could be obtained from Nishne Kolymsk with the outside world on account of the war. Shusen and Wiatling will leave shortly."

Tales of Hoffman At The Imperial

Capacity Audience Last Night Were Delighted With Every Moment of Boston English Opera Company Production.

The presentation of The Tales of Hoffman for the first time in Canada at the Imperial Theatre, last evening, marked an epoch in St. John musical history. Not only was the production of the opera a distinct success and the packed house enthusiastic to a marked degree, but due praise was accorded the orchestra, of whom fourteen of the eighteen members are St. John men, and the scenery was the work of a St. John artist, F. Stringer.

The performance is marked by several novelties, which proved most delightful. These are the famous automaton "Doll Song," which was sung to a harp accompaniment, and spicily rendered by Miss Clara Shear. The mother who sings the dying laughter from a portrait on the wall was well portrayed by May Barron. Phil Felt, as the conterege, gave excellent comedy.

Ordinarily the Tales of Hoffman is sung with one set of voices, but as the opera contains three distinct episodes, Manager Brock took the opportunity of giving the people the full strength of his company, and nearly all the leading voices participated last evening.

The famous Barcarole Duet was beautifully sung by Miss Ellen and Miss Seleen, with fine accompaniment by chorus and orchestra. The audience applauded rapturously, and it will be long before the lovely melodies and the fantastic stories are forgotten.

For Nome, where I hope to be in July or August, 1920. After asking that the mail be forwarded, Amundsen concludes: "We are leaving Nome after a short stay to enter the ice around Wrangell Island, from where the drift probably will come in five years. All well and happy."

KNICKERBOCKER QUILTS AS HOTEL

Famous Broadway Hostelry to be Made Over into Office Building.

TO CLOSE DOORS MAY 30 Owners of the Property Buy Lease Back from Manager James B. Regan.

New York, May 13.—Immediately after the dinner on the night of Sunday, May 30, the Hotel Knickerbocker, at Broadway and Forty-second street, will close its doors, and as soon thereafter its conditions will permit the work of revamping the big structure into a modern office building will be started.

In order to make this change possible Vincent Astor, owner of the property, has bought back from the Knickerbocker, the latter's lease, which has fifteen years and nine months to run. In addition to the compensation for the lease, the owner will pay Mr. Regan a bonus for the good will of the hotel. Reconstruction work will be undertaken by a building company headed by Vincent Astor.

The announcement, made by the proprietor of the hotel yesterday, contains news of as much interest to art collectors as to the hotel world. All the furnishings of the hotelery, including a number of famous paintings and statues, will be disposed of at a series of private sales, beginning on June 10. These sales will be advertised throughout the United States, and will be continued until every stick of the luxurious furnishings is sold.

Following in the wake of the prohibition amendment, which has put a number of other landmarks of New York city out of business, the shut-down of the Knickerbocker has given rise to much conjecture along the Great White Way. Mr. Regan denied yesterday that the closing of his famous bar had anything to do with the going out of the hotel business.

Afraid He Can't Move Liquor. Mr. Regan admitted, however, that the enforcement of the Volstead act has caught him with a considerable stock of liquor on hand, which is stored in the cellars of the hotel. Since he is going out of the hotel business, he added, the removal of this stock is likely to cause him some embarrassment. He intimated that he would like to send some of the forbidden liquors out to his country.

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE

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Story of Tonight's Opera

Rigoletto, a Tale of Olden Days, Contains Many Lovely Melodies—Last Appearance of Opera Company in St. John for This Season.

"Rigoletto," one of Verdi's famous operas, taken from Victor Hugo's drama, "Le Roi Amoureux," is a striking impeachment of kings and noblemen who in ancient days preyed upon the pretty damsel of their domain. The Duke of Mantua, a titled nobleman, is aided in his schemes by a hunchback jester, Rigoletto. Now Rigoletto, unknown to the Duke, has a charming daughter, Gilda. An unscrupulous soldier offers his services to Rigoletto to "remove" any objectionable persons who might seek to thwart the plans of his noble master, and the jester promises to remember this offer. It is then discovered that the Duke has been attracted to Gilda and in revenge for her supposed betrayal, Rigoletto promptly engages the villainous soldier to wreak a father's vengeance upon the Duke. The Duke is lured to a lonely hut. In the meantime Rigoletto hides his daughter nearby to prove to her eyes the Duke's fickleness. Gilda's suspicion of the Duke gives way to love and she flees into the hut to save her lover, receives the assassin's knife. Rigoletto, on the outside, bears the blowed body to the river. His lover satisfied, uncovers the face he discovers it to be that of his own daughter.

It contains the following songs: "Mid the Fair Throng," "Safely Guard This Tender Blossom," "Love is the Sun," "Dearest Name" (Caro Nome), "Woman is Fickle" (La Donna Mobile), "Fairest Daughter" (Famosa Quartet).

JUDGE AND MRS. BEN LINDSEY HAVE PARTS IN PARAMOUNT

When the current William D. Taylor production for Paramount is temporarily titled "The Boy," as shown on the screen it will be seen that the cast will include Judge Ben B. Lindsey and Mrs. Ben B. Lindsey, says The Moving Picture World.

For not only does the "Little Judge," founder of the famous juvenile court in Denver and an authority on the American bar, appear in the picture, but a part is played by his wife, who is his chief aide and confidante, and every conversation which he makes in his courtroom and office her hours.

The picture is from an original story by J. Edgar Hoover. It is the story of an American boy of the lowest stratum who is saved and becomes a useful member of society. It is a story of a great picture and through it runs the powerful theme of the boy problem.

home, but he doesn't exactly know how he can manage it and keep within the law.

The Knickerbocker occupies a plot at the southeast corner of Forty-second street and Broadway and was built in 1905 by the Astor interests, especially for Mr. Regan. It succeeded the old St. Cloud Hotel. The structure cost \$4,000,000 and the furnishings an additional \$2,250,000. The building is fourteen stories high, contains 524 rooms and 400 baths. Its conversion into an office building will probably not involve a radical alteration of the shell of the structure.

Before the death of the late lamented John Barleycorn, when the bar of the Knickerbocker was surrounded by a crowd of five or five dozen an afternoon, sight-seers came from distant points to feast their eyes on Maxfield Parrish's famous canvas, "Old King." It was a painting, in three sections, stretching thirty feet across the walls of the cafe. It is to be included in the sale of the interior furnishings.

Caruso and Scott Live There. In his fourteen years of life the Knickerbocker has known many distinguished patrons, among them Enrico Caruso and Antonio Scotti. Signor Caruso has made the hotel his since it was opened. The birth of his daughter, Miss Gloria Caruso, was one of the notable recent events of the hotel life. Other prominent folk who have stayed there are Geradine Farrar, ex-Gov. John A. Dix, Joseph P. Tumulty, secretary to President Wilson who makes the hotel his home whenever he comes to New York, and William Jennings Bryan.

President Wilson was accustomed to visit the hotel while he was Governor of New Jersey, and Admiral Togo of the Japanese navy was a guest there on the occasion of his visit to this city during the administration of Mayor Gaynor.

With the closing of the hotel Mr. Regan will terminate thirty-eight years' experience in the hotel business, in which he worked his way up bidden liquors out to his country.

MOLASSES WINDOW PANES SAVE ACTRESS FROM INJURY

High diving through a glass window, one of the provisions in a scene in Eddie Polo's serial, "The Vanishing Dagger," caused some apprehension for Eddie's leading woman. She, according to the scenario, was assigned the hazardous task and photoplay work demanding reality, must always conform with the specifications. But the Universal City technical department, accustomed to creating substitutes long before the war and a prime factor in the board of strategy of the movie colony, plucked the terror from the scene. The leading lady jumped through a window.

Clear molasses candy, an eighth of an inch thick was substituted for glass in the window panes. All of the realism intended, was retained, but the leading lady's only discomfort came when she began combing splinters of taffy from her hair. Candy, chief electrician, perfected the lighting, wire and rain machines which duplicate nature with marvelous fidelity.

When directors are puzzled by a mechanical problem they convey their trouble to the technical department. Invariably an answer is found and the department employs pipe: "Bring on something hard."

NO SCREEM-LESSES IN JAPAN.

When Sessue Hayakawa broke into the pictures, he feared his being a Japanese would be a drawback. "Westerners," explains Hayakawa, "are smiling people. The Japanese are not. And it is hard for a Japanese actor to succeed before Western audiences, because to win their favor he must smile constantly and smile naturally. Often in criticisms of plays it is stated, 'there were very few laughs.' 'But in Japan we should be amazed if our actors amused us. I had been acting for years in Japan before taking up motion picture work in America and I seldom smiled. I shall never smile. But other people forget the first time I saw myself smiling on the screen; it was such a strange expression. But we people who sit and watch people smiling and wonder how they did it so easily. Then I practised by the hour before a looking-glass at home. By and by I began to like smiling, and now it not only doesn't make me tired, it cheers me up!"

THE GIRL IN THE PALM TREE COURT

As Palm Tree Court there is no palm tree, as everyone acquainted with the Temple knows. Personally I doubt if there ever was a palm tree there, although Sir John Saunders, the oldest inhabitant of the Court, declares it stood on the spot where the giant flags incline to the small drain which carries off the rain water. To hear him talk you think he had seen the tree, which is ridiculous, and I only mention his opinion because the drain happens to be opposite the door of No. 4, and on the third floor of that building I happen to live.

This may appear a round-about way of introducing myself, possibly you will find the method characteristic of me. Barristers, waiting for briefs and recognition, often take to the pen to keep themselves going, but I never had any inclination this way, let alone the ability, so no what it has fallen to my lot to set down these chronicles they suffer naturally at the hands of a novice. At any rate you have gathered that I am a barrister and briefless.

It is a fortunate wind which drifts most of us into our particular rut in life, and I think I must have been blown into the wrong rut. My father's ties that secure the family, were many solitars in the family a barrister ought to have an excellent opportunity, had not the matter been decided by my legal relatives died about the time I was called, and the others preferred to take their business to someone who is more connected with the family. I do not blame them; I would sooner deal with strangers myself. They neglected did not trouble me greatly, I had enough to make two ends meet, and to be candid, my youth longed for more strenuous adventure than I was likely to find in my own course. I lacked the energy to get out of my groove and seek adventure, but I was quite ready to welcome it if it came to me. I was connected with the family, my door in the most unexpected and startling manner.

I am metaphorical when I say adventure knocked at my door, as a fact it began at my window, half an hour after breakfast—not a very early meal on this particular morning by the way. It was late March, the first touch of spring was in the air, and having lighted a cigarette I threw open my window and looked toward the Palm Tree Court. It is not a beauty spot. The buildings are too high to admit much sunlight. Entrance at one end is through a little warren of streets, the first three arches, which we call the colonnade end. It requires a little imagination if you have ever seen a real colonnade. This morning there was a sudden sunlight as ever got into the court, but it was the girl going toward the colonnade which less than any other beauty. She wore a long brown fur coat and a toque to match, not a particularly distinguishing costume, but one which lent a certain grace to her beauty. She wore a long brown fur coat and a toque to match, not a particularly distinguishing costume, but one which lent a certain grace to her beauty. She wore a long brown fur coat and a toque to match, not a particularly distinguishing costume, but one which lent a certain grace to her beauty.

There was an elderly gentleman coming up—it would perhaps be more correct to say I just missed him in my hasty descent.

"Is there a Mr. Anderson in this building?" he asked as I went past him.

"Second floor, but he hasn't been here for some time," I called back over my shoulder.

I ran as far as the Temple Church, then halted, wondering whether the girl had gone up to Fleet Street or down toward Paper Buildings and King's Bench Walk. I suppose I had an idea that having seen her, she would linger and give me a chance of catching her, and I was disappointed. I hurried into Fleet Street, glanced seaward and citywards, and it seemed as if fur coats and toques were no longer being worn. There was not a girl in sight who was so dressed. I then walking quickly along Fleet Street as far as Mitre Court I went through to King's Bench Walk, and was rewarded. She must have walked some in the direction of the gateway which leads into Tudor Street. There is little of the bold Lothario about me, and it never occurred to me that she would resent my having followed her. That wave of her hand had been an invitation to do so; the spring in the March morning was an excuse for unconventionality. Hearing me close behind she stopped and turned. "Are you following me?" she asked. "No that is—I beg your pardon."

I am not sure whether she smiled, but if she did there was no invitation to continue the adventure. She was handsome rather than pretty, and on closer inspection she appeared to lack something which she seemed to possess when viewed from my third floor window. Only distance and the angle had led her piquancy. She looked like a girl in whose blood there was a tinge of adventure. After looking at me steadily for a moment she went toward King's Bench Walk, but I came to the conclusion that she none of them had taken any notice of the encounter.

I walked slowly back into Fleet Street, remembering, now it was too late, how much more effectively I

CLARA HAMBALL Young EYES OF YOUTH

COMING TO IMPERIAL THEATRE NEXT MONDAY

LYRIC THEATRE TODAY. Matinee, 2.30. Evening, 7.15, 8.45.

UNIQUE THEATRE TODAY. Matinee, 2.30. Evening, 7.30.

THE TALK OF THE TOWN "Husbands and Wives" Featuring VIVIAN MARTIN AND HAROLD LLOYD

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QUEEN'S THEATRE TODAY LAST TIME TO SEE "ALL FALL IN" by The Rivoli Musical Comedy Co.

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The marked quiet in social activities continued throughout the week, and only entertainments of a strictly informal nature have been given.

The opportunity to hear the Boston Opera Company at the Imperial Theatre this week, has been eagerly embraced by a music loving public and that the audiences at every performance taxed the capacity of the house was sufficient proof of the popularity of the engagement.

Mrs. H. B. Robinson entertained informally at bridge on Tuesday afternoon at her residence, Germain street.

Mrs. A. C. Skelton and Mrs. Andrew Mack were the fortunate prize winners. At the tea hour Mrs. Arthur Bowman presided at the prettily arranged table which had for decoration spring flowers. Those present were Mrs. William Hazen, Mrs. Keator, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. A. C. Skelton, Mrs. Andrew Mack, Mrs. George B. Hogan, Mrs. Grimmer Mrs. Leonard Tilley, Mrs. J. Roy Campbell, Mrs. J. S. McLaren and Miss J. Robertson. Others present at the tea hour were Mrs. Barclay Robinson, Mrs. Delancy Robinson, Miss Louise Symonds and Mrs. Corliant Robinson.

Miss Homer entertained the elders of St. Andrew's Church and their wives on Monday evening in honor of the eightieth birthday of Hon. J. G. Forbes. During the evening an impromptu musical was enjoyed, those contributing being Mrs. James McTavish, Mrs. Louise Anderson and Mr. Thomas Guy. After several happy speeches of good wishes to Judge Forbes from the presenters, delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. John B. Magee presided at the supper table, which had in the centre pink and white carnations. Those attending the refreshments were Mrs. Alexander Wilson, Mrs. James McTavish, Miss Florence Raimie and Miss Elizabeth Morton.

Mrs. Geddes Grant and her son, Master Jack Grant of Trinidad, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Rowland Prith, Mr. Pleasant. Mrs. Grant was the guest of honor at a small but very enjoyable tea on Tuesday afternoon, given by Mrs. Prith. The guests included Mrs. George Schofield, Miss Alice Schofield, Mrs. Henderson, Rothesay, Mrs. A. Allen Adams, Mrs. Jean Schofield, Miss Homer, Miss Robinson, Miss B. Robinson and Mrs. Frederick B. Schofield.

Miss Christine L. Chisholm is being congratulated by her many friends on the very flattering references to her work as an artist and writer in the Press this week. Miss Chisholm is a niece of Mrs. A. Pierce Crockett, King Square.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. Samuel C. Young of Port William, Ont., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Norma Kathleen, to Captain Stanley W. Smith, M. C., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Smith of this city, the marriage to take place on Tuesday, June 1st.

Mrs. F. E. Sarge was the hostess at an enjoyable bridge at her residence, Queen Square on Wednesday afternoon. The guests included Mrs. A. W. Adams, Mrs. Ambrose, Mrs. A. C. Skelton, Mrs. George K. McLeod, Mrs. Busby, Mrs. Leonard Tilley, Mrs. H. B. Robinson, Mrs. Stewart Skinner, Mrs. C. W. deForest, Mrs. Malcolm MacKay, Mrs. C. B. Allen, Mrs. Dufresne, Mrs. W. E. Foster, Mrs. Grimmer, Mrs. D. Grimmer, Mrs. J. Roy Campbell, Mrs. Frederick Schofield, Miss Helen Sidney Smith and Miss Ethel Sidney Smith.

Mrs. Adam of Denmark is the guest of Mrs. H. Fielding Rankine, King street, East, on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Adam was the guest of honor at an enjoyable informal tea at the Royal Gardens, given by Mrs. W. Edmond Raymond. Others present were Mrs. H. Fielding Rankine, Mrs. Walter Hall, Mrs. W. B. Tennant and Mrs. Clarence Henderson.

Mrs. W. B. Tennant entertained at luncheon yesterday at her summer residence, Rothesay, in honor of Mrs. Adam of Denmark.

Mrs. Roy Lavin of Woodland, Me., is the guest of Mrs. Bowyer Sidney

Smith, Canterbury street. Mrs. Lavin was the guest of honor at a dinner given at the Millionaire's Club last evening by Mr. Harold Peters and Mr. Hugh McLean.

Mrs. A. P. Paterson and Miss Daphne Paterson returned on Saturday from Montreal, where they have been visiting friends.

Mrs. Arthur W. Adams and Mrs. Heber Vroom leave on Tuesday evening for Calgary to attend the meetings of the National Chapter, I. O. D. E.

Mrs. Douglas Pugsley returned home on Tuesday from McGill University.

Mrs. W. B. Ganon left on Tuesday for the Cedars. Miss Marguerite Ganon is a guest at the residence of Miss S. E. Brandt, 7 Dorchester street.

Miss Helen Turnbull who has been the guest of Mrs. Eber Turnbull, Princess street, returned to her home in Digby this week.

Mrs. Gillmor Brown and Mr. Keith Brown have taken room at the Manor House for the summer months.

The marriage will be celebrated this afternoon at Barris, Ont., of Miss Margaret May Dougal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Dougal and Mr. A. Neil McLean of this city.

Mrs. Warren C. Winslow is a guest at Wentworth Hall for the summer months.

Mrs. Charles Palmer has returned from Hampton, where she was a guest at the Wayside Inn.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell MacKay have returned from a trip to Atlantic City, New York and Toronto.

Mrs. A. H. Merrill left on Wednesday evening on a three weeks' trip to the New England States.

Mrs. S. C. Matthews left on Thursday evening for Boston to visit relatives.

Mrs. Roy Skinner and children leave today for Vancouver to visit Mrs. Skinner's brother, Mr. Charles Kerr and will later spend four months at Summerland, B. C., visiting Mrs. Skinner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Kerr.

Miss Homer entertained very informally at the tea hour on Thursday, in honor of Mrs. Geddes Grant of Trinidad.

Mrs. J. B. Barret, Crown street, and little son have returned from a visit to Mrs. Barret's parents at Belfast, Ireland.

Mrs. Kaye who has spent several weeks the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Clifford McAvity left for her home in New York on Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. A. Austin and Miss Austin are occupying their apartment at 103 Pitt street.

Miss Norah Wetmore of Moncton, is the guest of Mrs. Ronald McAvity, Burpee Avenue.

Miss Rosamond McAvity left on Monday evening for New York.

Mrs. Malcolm MacKay and infant son, who have spent several weeks in St. John, returned to their home in Halifax on Friday.

Mrs. T. William Barnes and Miss Pauline Whittaker are spending this week in Beaton.

Mrs. Walter Hall entertained informally at the tea hour on Tuesday afternoon in honor of Captain and Mrs. Adams. Others present were Mrs. H. Fielding Rankine, Mrs. Struan Robertson, Mrs. Roland Skinner, Mrs. W. B. Tennant, Mrs. J. Edmond Raymond, Mrs. Clarence Henderson and Mr. Mortimer Robertson.

Mrs. C. W. Sweet and little Miss Marion Sweet returned to Toronto on Monday evening after spending several weeks at Virginia, Hot Springs.

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. W. E.

Golding and Mrs. H. Fielding Rankine entertained a few friends at luncheon at Mrs. Golding's summer cottage at Westfield in honor of Captain and Mrs. Adams. Those present were afterwards entertained at tea on S. S. Caracquet by Captain and Mrs. Adams. The tea table was decorated for the occasion with Bermuda lilies. The guests included Mrs. Samuel Girvan, Mrs. H. F. Rankine, Mrs. George Lockart, Mrs. W. B. Tennant, Mrs. Walter Hall, Mrs. W. Edmond Raymond, Mrs. Clarence Henderson and Mrs. W. E. Golding.

The death took place at Los Angeles, California, on Thursday last week of Mrs. Jessie E. wife of Mr. T. A. Wadling. Mr. and Mrs. Wadling formerly resided in St. John but at the time of Mrs. Wadling's death were residing in Los Angeles. Many old friends here extended sympathy to the bereaved family.

The sudden death of Mrs. Robert E. Bayard took place at Westford on Sunday. Those attending the funeral were Mrs. Bayard's relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James F. Robertson have returned from a trip to the Southern States.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Pugsley, who have been spending a few days at Washington, left this week for Virginia Hot Springs. While in Washington several social functions were given in their honor. The following is of interest from the Washington Journal of recent date: "The Ambassador of Great Britain and Lady Auckland Goddess entertained at dinner last evening in honor of the Governor of New Brunswick, Canada, and Mrs. William Pugsley, who are spending a week in Washington."

Yesterday, Mrs. Drum-Hunt entertained Mrs. Pugsley at luncheon at the Cafe St. Mark, and the day before Mrs. Walter Wells entertained her at the "Shorcham."

The regular monthly meeting of the Daughters of Rothesay Chapter, I.O.D.E. was held this (Thursday) afternoon in the Assembly Hall of the Consolidated School. The regent, Mrs. W. S. Allison presided and several important matters were discussed. Miss Puddington gave a report of the Provincial I. O. D. E. meeting held in Fredericton. Rothesay is the only chapter in the province which supports a Victorian Order Nurse without any outside help. \$50 was voted for such a pledge of \$500 toward the fund for the education of soldiers' children. The rummage sale which was to be held in June has been postponed.

Mrs. John K. Schofield and Misses Schofield have taken Miss Pitches's cottage for the summer.

At the Community Club meeting on Tuesday night a variety of moving pictures were shown, two readings were given by Mrs. M. Kirkpatrick and Mr. A. Merton. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. John H. Thomson, who has been visiting friends in different Upper Canadian cities is expected home next Tuesday.

On Saturday afternoon two pleasant outings were arranged for Netterwood. Part of the school walked to Fair Vale where tea was enjoyed at Hillhurst Hotel. Another party went to Hampton where they had a walk up the ravine and tea at the Wayside Inn.

Mr. Dick Gilbert arrived home this week from King's College, Windsor. Colonel Powell and family have taken Mrs. Hendrick's furnished house and expect to spend the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Lordly

moved from St. John yesterday (Wednesday), to their summer home at Hiramsville.

Many islands we today very glad to have news of improvement in Mr. J. T. Connell, who is suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. J. S. Gibson and her daughters, Misses Gladys and Greta Gibson are home from Boston.

On Wednesday Mrs. Walter Leonard entertained Mrs. St. John ladies at luncheon. The guests were Mrs. Harold Hising, Miss Lillie West, Miss Faith Hayward, Mrs. J. G. Leonard and Mrs. Will Hayward.

Mrs. W. S. Allison and Mrs. John M. Robinson have returned home from Boston.

Bridge Whist was enjoyed on Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Carrilla. Those present were Mrs. Blair, Miss Donville, Miss Hooper, Miss Gilbert, Mrs. Blanchet, Miss Mabel Gilbert, Mrs. Harry Gilbert, Mrs. Carrilla.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harrison have returned home from Halifax.

Mrs. Allana O. Crookshank has received word that her son, Lieutenant Harold O. Crookshank is on his way home from England. He is coming on board the S. S. Megantic and is expected to arrive at Montreal early next week. During the war Lieut. Crookshank served in the British Navy. He will receive a warm welcome back to St. John.

Many friends regret the illness of

Mr. Lee Klunsted and hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Pitches who is enjoying a European trip, is now in Rome.

The play "Quality Street" to be given on Saturday evening, this week, in the new gymnasium of Netherwood School by the senior girls, will interest very many friends, especially as the proceeds are for tubercular soldiers. The entertainment begins at 7.15 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Bustace Barnes and daughters are among those who have come early from St. John to occupy summer cottages.

A very interesting meeting of the Senior Branch, Women's Auxiliary, was held on Monday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Daniel Mabel Gilbert the delegate to the annual meeting of the Diocesan W. A. held in Trinity Church hall, St. John, gave a very interesting report of the proceedings for which she was given a standing vote of thanks. It was decided to pack the bales for an Indian Mission School in the West on Monday evening, June 4th. The regular meetings of the branch are now closed for the summer.

Mr. Fred Pierce has sold his cottage in the park to His Worship Mayor Schofield of St. John, who will his family will occupy it as a summer home.

Having greatly enjoyed the round trip among the West India Islands, Frank Barlett returned today from

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Davidson arrived home this week.

Miss Lillian Brock who spent a week or two here with her sister, Miss Anna Brock, left on Monday, returning home to Baltimore.

Mrs. George B. Nicholl of Halifax, in leaving for her home in Halifax this week, after visiting her mother and sisters, Mrs. David G. Robertson and Misses Robertson.

After spending the winter in New York, Miss Christine Mathew has reopened her summer home, "Edgewater" at Gondola Point.

In the Presbyterian Church last Sunday, Mothers' Day was emphasized at the Sunday School session and also by the pastor, Rev. J. J. Graham at the evening service.

Mrs. A. C. Skelton of St. John was guest of Mrs. Rothwell at luncheon on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacKay have moved into their new house.

On the evening of May 27th Rev. M. Legate of Knox Church, St. John, will deliver his popular illustrated lecture, "Fiji and the Filijans," in Rothesay Presbyterian Hall.

Hampton

Hampton Station, May 12—Mrs. W. Langstroff left on Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Mittle. Frank Barlett returned today from

Whitton, N. E., where he received his degree of B. C. L. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stewart who have been spending the winter at Wayville Inn, have returned to St. John.

Misses Gladys and Treva Smith who have spent the winter in St. John, have returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lyons and little daughter of St. John are spending a few days with Mrs. Clarence Spooner.

Dr. Roy Smith spent a day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith, on his return from Boston, leaving on the same evening for Sydney, N. S.

Mrs. Murray Ryan and children who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ryan have returned to their home in Andrews, N. E.

Mr. Cecil Langstroff left on Friday for Portland, Maine, where he has accepted a position for the summer.

On Friday afternoon, an enjoyable afternoon tea was held at the Rectory in honor of Mrs. E. A. Schofield. Mrs. Lawrence was assisted in reading by Mrs. Schofield. The tea table with a centrepiece of red geraniums was presided over by Mrs. Edward DeWille and Mrs. N. M. Barnes. Mrs. Thos. Carvell and Miss Rose Ritchie ushered. Mrs. W. S. Wilkinson, Mrs. Frank Compton, Miss Louise Scribner and Miss Marjorie Barnes served the guests.

Miss Patweather and Miss Turnbull spent Thursday in St. John.

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Luxite Silk Hose in brown, gun metal, white, Specially priced \$1.25

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Thatcher, N. B., where he received his diploma of B. C. L. last week. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Stewart who have been spending the winter at St. John, have returned home. Misses Gladys and Vera Smith have spent the winter in St. John, and have returned home. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lyons and the daughter of St. John are spending a few days with Mrs. Clarence Lysons.

St. Stephen
Mr. Roy Smith spent a day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wm. Smith, in his return from Boston, leaving on the same evening for Sydney, N. S. Mrs. Murray Ryan and children who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ryan have returned to their home in Andrews, N. S.
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Miss Fairweather and Miss Turner spent Thursday in St. John.

the winter, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Franklin Johnston.
Mr. C. C. Whitlock is in Boston, the guest of his son, Mr. J. L. Whitlock.
Miss Marjorie Murdoch is visiting her sister, Miss Elsie Murdoch, who is teaching at Fort Fairfield, Me.
Miss Ada Linton and Mrs. Marton Hopburn have returned from Ottawa, where they have spent the winter.

Gagetown
Gagetown, May 7.—An interesting letter recently received by Mrs. T. H. Crawford of Upper Hamstead, from her cousin, Mrs. Almada Burdill Jun. of Jerusalem, Palestine, tells of the disastrous storm which visited the Holy Land in February. It was one of the most terrible snow storms ever known in that country, the snow being three feet deep in Jerusalem, and in the open fields, where winter wheat had been sown, the snow was five feet deep. The "lilies of the field" had had to blossom, there were drifts from six to eight feet deep. Mrs. Jamal, who is a native of Queens County, and who since the death of her husband, Dr. N. K. Jamal, in Armenia, has been engaged in British Government work, describes the storm: "The snow began the second week in February, snowed three days, thick and heavy. The people could only get about the city for about the first three or four days. Not used to such, they were paralyzed, as it were. The work in the Administration where work was closed down for a whole week, and one day they had only biscuits to eat; they could not get down to the canteen. I was ill at the time, few people knew it, for they couldn't get out. Many roofs fell in—one just across the street from my house, and in some places people were killed from the falling of the roofs, or from exposure. The destruction of trees was very great. They began to report the weight of the snow till they snapped off. My big tree in the middle of the garden fell right on the foot of the stairs, so I have only one left now, and many beautiful plants were spoiled. The snow stayed in spots for weeks."
The Women's Institute held their fortnightly social meeting on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Donald C. Upham and Eileen Robinson. The attendance was unavoidably small, the meeting was a very enjoyable one. The members spent the evening with their fancy work and the close refreshments were served by Mrs. Adamson.
On Saturday evening, the annual meeting of the Gagetown Volunteer Fire Brigade was held in the Temperance Hall, the Fire Chief, Thomas Allingham, being in the chair. The secretary, J. S. Sutherland, read the treasurer's report, which showed a balance on hand of \$283.18. The Fire Chief, Thomas Allingham, reported that no fires had occurred during the year for which the whole fire apparatus was required, and also reported that the same had been made use of on several occasions other than fire. A motion was carried, reappointing the same officers for the coming year, the names being as follows: Chief, Thomas Allingham; Asst. Fire Chief, E. S. Brodie; Sec-Treasurer, J. S. Sutherland; Capt. Pumping, J. H. Gilbert; Capt. Chemical Engine, J. W. Hamilton; Hook and Ladder Corps, N. H. Oddy; Salvage Corps, R. R. Reid; Trustees, R. Reid, J. H. Oddy, J. H. Gilbert; Finance Committee, R. R. Reid, C. A. McKeague and H. H. Gilbert.
The Gagetown Fire Brigade, which is a volunteer organization, has done some good work since its organization seven years ago, some serious fires having occurred in that time. This year the community has been fortunate in having none of any importance.
On Tuesday evening in the Temperance Hall, Rev. F. E. Boothroyd of St. John, secretary of the Temperance Alliance, spoke before a large gathering on Prohibition.
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sutherland left on Wednesday for P. E. I. to attend the funeral of Mrs. Sutherland's mother, Mrs. Margaret Sutherland, which takes place on Friday from the home of R. Leigh Sutherland, Sea View, P. E. I.
During Mr. Sutherland's absence, H. S. Sherwood of St. John, is acting manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia. Rev. Wm. P. Handigan was here from Fredericton for a few days this week.
Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Jenkins moved up from Hamstead last week to their new home here, and Mrs. Jenkins was the guest of Mrs. D. A. Adamson for a few days after her arrival. Dr. Jenkins who will take over Dr. Caswell's former practice, is already well-known here, and many friends are glad to welcome him and his family.
Mr. and Mrs. F. M. O'Neill are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a little daughter at their home on Sunday.
Miss Mary Scovell came up from St. John on Saturday to spend the week and at her home in Meadowlands, near M. C. Denton was here from Digby last week on a short business trip.
Mr. and Mrs. William Cooper, who have been spending the winter in St. John, with their daughter, Mrs. Joseph Motaw, returned this week to their home here, and their friends are glad to see them back again.
E. S. Brodie was a passenger to St. John this week.
E. M. Carl was in Fredericton this week for a few days.
Robert Hunter and F. S. McAllister have returned from a short trip to St. John.
William McKay, who has been spending the winter in Boston, Mass., has returned home.
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams, who have been occupying Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cooper's house during the winter, are moving away this week and will spend some time with relatives in St. John.
J. A. Moore was in St. John this week on a short trip.

Salisbury
Salisbury, May 8.—Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Whiston and children of Winnipeg, Man., have returned home after spending several weeks here with Mr. Whiston's mother, Mrs. Truman Whiston.
Mrs. Fred Whipple, who has been ill for some time at the Moncton City Hospital, is reported as making a good recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Barnes were visiting friends in Salisbury this week.
Mrs. Hazen Folkins and little daughter, Hampton, N. B., who have been spending several weeks, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Wallace Taylor, returned home today.
Among those to receive diplomas at the graduating exercises of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Moncton, on Wednesday was a Salisbury girl, Miss Ida Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brown. Miss Brown did exceptionally well in her examinations, taking third place in a class of 42 nurses.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Armstrong are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy in their home.
Mrs. Thomas Hamilton, proprietor of the Depot House here, has purchased the house and lot, belonging to Mrs. Harry Bookwith, and now occupied by Mr. Walker Galt and family. It is taken by Mr. Hamilton to continue the hotel business in his new quarters, which he will take possession of about June 1st.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kennedy, Moncton, spent the week-end here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Kennedy.
Mrs. P. T. Gray and Mrs. T. W. Carter were visitors in Moncton today.
Mrs. R. A. Brown and Miss Alison Byles are spending several days in Truro, N. B., guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bertram R. Pines.
Mr. Nelson E. Bleasley returned home Thursday afternoon from Boston, Mass. He was accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Sarah Bleasley, a former resident of Salisbury, who has been making her home with one of her daughters in Boston for the past few years. Although she is now ninety years of age, Mrs. Bleasley stood the trip well. She will now make her home with her son, Mr. John Bleasley and Mrs. Bleasley.
Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Horseman, second son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Horseman, was taken to the Moncton City Hospital on Thursday night to be operated on for appendicitis.
Mr. Frank M. Dayton, Moncton, was a week-end guest at the Depot House.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harrington, have rented the house recently occupied by Mrs. Charles Whitaker.



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Andover
Andover, N. B., May 10.—Mr. and Mrs. James Wright spent part of the past week-end at Florenceville and Kibbun.
Mr. Vaughn Bodell, of Montreal, has been the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Bedell.
Mr. Harry Blakelock returned on Saturday from Moncton.
Mr. Wm. Hoyt, D. L. S., went to Red Rapids on Wednesday.
Mr. Robert Bell, of Woodstock, was here last week.
Mr. Harold Britton, of Woodstock, was here recently.
On Wednesday afternoon, May 5th, Mr. Peter Alexander Watson of Four Falls, and Mrs. Mary Clara Reynolds, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Clowes of Perth, were united in marriage at Trinity Church by Rev. J. Robinson Belyea.
Mrs. Lewis McQuids spent the week-end with relatives at Moncton.
Mr. M. Atkinson, Fredericton, was here during the week.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward West and Mrs. Beale Campbell, of Centreville, spent the week-end here, having come to attend the funeral of the late Mrs. T. R. Cameron.
Mr. George Lawson, Carleton, was here to attend the funeral of Mrs. T. R. Cameron.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Batri, who have spent the past two years in Monrovia, Calif., arrived here on Saturday and will remain for the summer with Mrs. George Batri. All are pleased to know that Fred has improved in health and are giving him and Mrs. Batri a warm welcome here.
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Porter, who have been visiting relatives in different cities in the U. S., returned on Saturday.
There was a social dance at the Specialty on Friday evening, music being furnished by the local orchestra. Next Friday there will be another dance, the proceeds above expenses to go toward the community fire whistle.
Miss Bessie Wright and Mr. Shepherd Wright are spending the week-end at Mrs. John Carmichael's, Centreville.
Mr. David Millin has opened a bakery in the Dutch building and will do plain and fancy baking.
Misses Phyllis Bodell and Marjorie Armstrong spent the week-end at Mr. Joseph Bryant's.
Mrs. John Stewart has been spending a few days at Mrs. Carolyn Armstrong's.
Messrs. Fringle Kelly and Frank Howard are spending a few days on the Tobique.
Dr. A. F. Simelsohn was at Birch Ridge during the week.
The annual meeting of the Tenants Club was held at the Specialty after pictures on Wednesday evening. For the coming year Mr. G. Porter was elected president; Mrs. Herbert Batri, vice-president, and Mr. Paul Bell, secretary-treasurer.

Sussex
Sussex, May 14.—Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McArthur and daughter, Ann, of New York, arrived in town this week, and will be guests of Mrs. McArthur's mother, Mrs. DeBoo, for the summer.
Max Singer is home from McGill Law School. He expects to leave for Paris, France, in June to take up his studies there in connection with the scholarship won by him last year.
Miss Ada Zalkow has returned to her home in St. John, after spending the week-end with relatives here.
E. Elaine Perry of Moncton, spent the week-end in town.
Mrs. Burnham Richardson and little son, who have been visiting Mrs. Richardson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Armstrong, left for their home in Halifax on Thursday.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sherwood left for their home in Boston, Mass., on Thursday after visiting relatives in Halifax and Sussex.
Miss Sybil McEan was hostess at an enjoyable bridge Friday evening last. The guests were Mrs. C. C. Flewelling, Mrs. Gordon McKay, Mrs. VanWart, Mrs. C. F. Clarke, Mrs. Nora Weizner, Miss Jean Connelly, Misses Laura and Ethel Jeffries, Miss Nettie Morrison, Miss Frances Willis, Miss Mary Koch, Miss Marjory Wells, Messrs. Gordon McKay, C. P. Clarke, C. C. Flewelling, M. Ross, D. G. Willlett, A. C. Gorham, Hugh Morrison, Lillian C. Upham and Eileen Robinson, Miss Joan Connelly and Mr. Gordon McKay won the prizes.
Miss Marion Field was a visitor to St. John on Tuesday.
Miss Florence Wallace and Miss Annie Walpert are visiting in Boston and other New England cities.
W. C. Dryden and son of Moncton, were visitors to Sussex on Wednesday.
Victor Rouse left Tuesday for Moncton, where he has accepted a position with the Canadian Express Co.
Mrs. Gordon McKay entertained on Tuesday afternoon at her home on Main street, at a very pleasant bridge in honor of her mother, Mrs. VanWart of Fredericton. The guests were Mrs. G. N. Pearson, Mrs. Albert Wm. S. A. McLeod, Mrs. J. D. McKenna, Mrs. W. H. Cox, Mrs. A. Forsythe, Miss Carrie Koch, Miss Margaret Wagoner, Miss Helen Jones and Miss McEan. Tea guests were Mrs. W. B. McKay, Mrs. E. H. Vickers, Mr. Albert Black, Mrs. M. Shaw, Miss K. Prescott, Mrs. W. S. Hay, Miss Joan Connelly, Miss Frances White, Miss Paris, Miss K. Murray and Miss Helen White.
S. A. Worrell, B. A., principal of the Sussex Grammar School, has accepted the position of School Inspector for the District of St. John and Charlotte Counties. He will take up his new duties after the summer holidays. Children of Sussex will learn of Mr. Worrell's resignation with much regret.

St. Martins
St. Martins, N. B., May 12.—Summer travel has begun, although the season has not really begun yet. It is estimated at the head of Beach street and a short distance from the Station.
Mr. Frych has charge of the Methodist Church for the summer. He spent one year here before going overseas.
Miss Dorothy Smith is home from McGill University, Montreal, for the summer holidays.
Miss Beatrice Miller came home on Saturday to spend some time on account of recent illness, but of which she is recovering.
Mrs. Bridges, of Sacktonville, with little son, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Calhoun.
Miss Elsie Black is visiting friends in Hampton.
Mrs. Frank Kerstead, of Sussex, spent Sunday here with her parents, Captain and Mrs. Moran.
Chippendale Furniture.
Chippendale furniture was made in England. The original pieces were made by Thomas Chippendale about 1764. Genuine Chippendale brings high prices, but there is little to be had.
Steel truss poles rolled from single pieces of metal have been invented for electric lights and other similar purposes.
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Get rid of every corn and callus for few cents

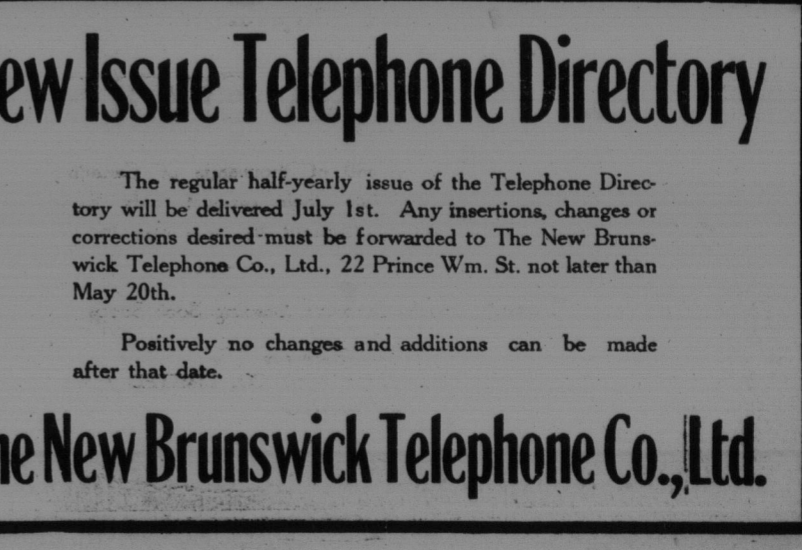
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You can relax your mind without fear of upsetting your liver or stomach if you put your faith in Carter's Little Liver Pills.
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The Busy Bee Specials for Week-End
Coffee Cakes, Cream Puffs, Chocolate Eclairs, French Pastries
Our Bread, our Cakes, our Pies, our Cookies and our Fancy Pastry are unexcelled in goodness, purity and wholesomeness.
Store opens 8.30 a.m., closes 7 p.m.
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Yes! Mag! Drop a little Frezzone on a bothersome corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then you lift it right off. No pain! Try it.
A few cents buys a tiny bottle of Frezzone at any drug store. This is sufficient to rid your foot of every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, also all calluses, and without the slightest soreness or irritation. It doesn't hurt at all! Frezzone is the magic ether discovery of the Cincinnati genius.



Cuticura Will Help You Have Hair Like This... Touch spots of dandruff and itching, if any, with Cuticura Ointment, Shampoo with Cuticura Soap and hot water.

Sackville

Sackville, May 12.—Mrs. Vessie of St. Stephen, is in town for a visit, guest of Mrs. H. H. Johnson.

Apohaqui

Apohaqui, N. B., May 13.—Mr. Frank E. Edwards left last week to spend a short time at his winter home in Newton, Mass.

St. George

St. George, N. B., May 12.—Mr. E. J. O'Neill was selected by acclamation to fill the vacancy in Ward 3 for alderman.

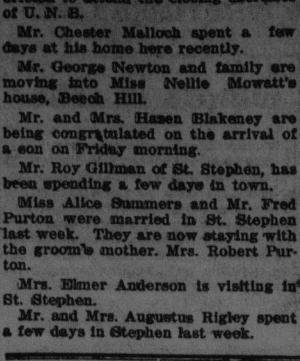
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Caught in the Rain!



But they don't mind. Her cutting suit is made of Cravenette Regd. proofed cloth. He is wearing a Cravenette Regd. proofed coat.

Windsor Salt advertisement with logo and text: Windsor Salt, THE CANADIAN SALT COMPANY.

Kindly Deeds advertisement with logo and text: Kindly Deeds, Weekly Chat.

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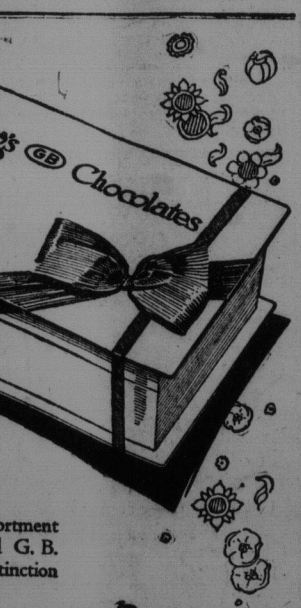
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Kindly Deeds Make Happy Lives

Weekly Chat

Deserted Channel—If you are having me posted in the Standard, you are in the same way for when I am very glad to be in the Standard...

Answers To Letters

ANNIE B. W.—So you have been another useful member, these are busy days in the home...



CHILDREN'S COINER

Bedtime Pencil Pictures: A grid of numbers for a pencil drawing puzzle. Includes a drawing of a boy and a girl. Text: 'VERY afternoon while they were at play, Teddy and Margaret used to see a heavy set man coming from a certain street...

A Regular Saturday Page for the Kiddies

Puzzles

Complete this word square so that it reads alike from top to bottom and from left to right: V I O A B, C O L D, S P I N, R O S E, M I S T, L E T T E R S, M I S T I N G W O R D S...

Good Night Stories

Mama Ant's Motto Works Out Well. (By Blanche Silver.) When Willy Ant decided it was high time for him to build a home of his own...

Home Games

Twisted Trees. Supply each player with a slip of paper upon which the names of a large number of trees are arranged in a vertical row...

Home Games

The Reed and the Oak. A Fable From Aesop. One day an Oak Tree scorned a slender reed...

Home Games

The Yew Tree and the Mole. "Shelter many families among my roots," said the Yew Tree...

Home Games

Find the Driver \$200.00 in Prizes. 1st Prize, \$200.00, and 1st Prize, \$100.00, and 1st Prize, \$50.00...

TWO TWIGS AND A SILVER BUTTON

Two-Twigs-and-a-Silver-Button was a little gnome who lived in a tiny house under a currant-bush. The tiny house was shaped like a beehive...

THE STORY OF A LEAD PENCIL

I am now an old lead pencil, chewed at one end and worn off at the other. My green paint is all gone and I am thrown into a corner of the desk...

Home Games

How to Do It. The office boy came into the office, hat on head and, slumping the desk behind him, said abruptly, "Can I see the 'lat day' off to go to the football match, guv'nor?"

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The pictures in SATIN AND MUSLIN are goods of "SATIN AND MUSLIN" quality. The following win five for correct solutions to No. 18: Mary D. Hoyt, Hampton...

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Windsor Table Salt. The Rain! The Yew Tree and the Mole. Find the Driver \$200.00 in Prizes. Particular People.

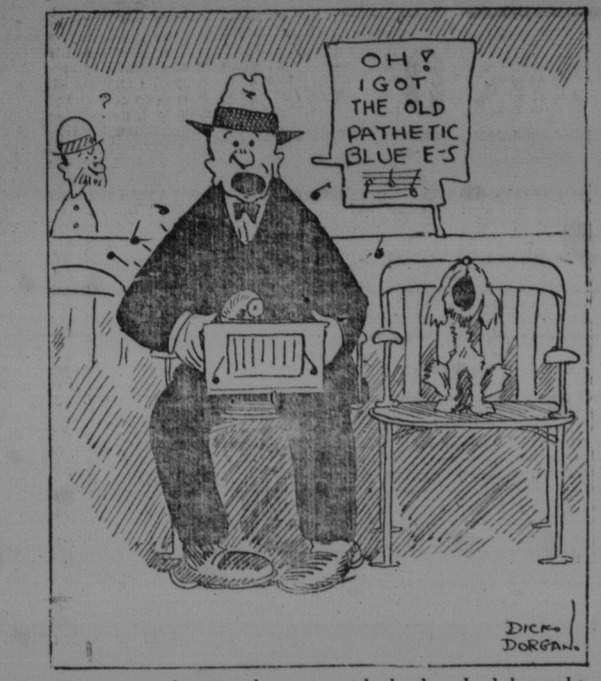
MAGAZINE FEATURES

ENTERTAINMENT VS. AMUSEMENT

By Ring W. Lardner.

The other day I was in Philly to spend the week end and it seemed like it never would, but in the interim I would like to make the remarks that the bird that nicknamed it the sleepy city was certainly sarcastical as I have been there a 100 times and never got a chance to sleep yet.

But any way I would like to proclaim to my frail readers that they's 2 ball



—they was a bug in the upper deck that had brought a phonograph with him—

you had talked each other out, well, there's a book called "speech and manner" with a whole lot of good dialogue in it that is also easy to hold in one hand and read it out loud and dance to the record.

Or suppose you was going to a funeral and the flowers didn't prove very amusing, why it's a whole lot safer to take along a couple of ditties or songs, which I gladly send you, and try and enjoy them and not pay no tension to the regular gifts that was sent in.

Or suppose you was over to Philly and didn't have no sleep and by the time I wrote this story why the pictures was all ready drawn for it and I haven't got to put it in to fit the illustration, but in the mean while I want to state that a good young man shouldn't ought to venture to Philadelphia and think he's getting to get any sleep.

But I was trying to tell you about this ball game. Well when you go to a ball game between the Athletics and who ever is trying not to beat them, why, according to Tinsy you half to bring along your own entertainment. So no sooner had the game started when I noticed that they was a bug in the upper deck that had brought a phonograph with him. Well the minute the game started he put on a record and they said that the advantage of that system was that if the record didn't go very good why the guy could put on a new needle and it would probably work, whereas if Connie Mack put in a new pitcher he probably wouldn't.

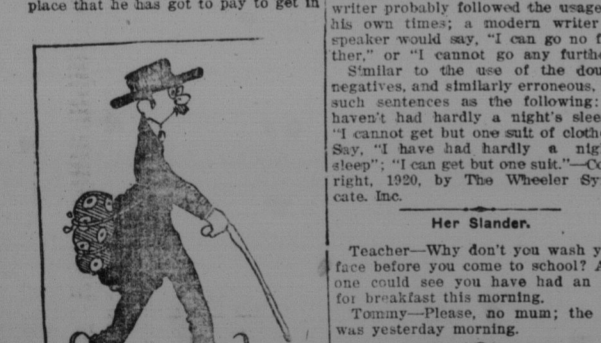
So I said to Tinsy:

"I think this guy has got a good idea, namely that when he goes to a place that he has got to pay to get in

Although the double negative—that is, the use of two words to express the negative when one is needed—is found in early English and in other languages, its use in English nowadays is incorrect. The use of such phrases as "She don't want none," "I can't do no more," "We don't know nothing," etc., makes the English speaker. They are found seldom in writing, since the very act of writing, save in letters by the uneducated, induces a more careful selection of words than does speaking.

Shakespeare says, "I cannot go no further," but in this the misapprehension probably followed the usage of his own times; a modern writer or speaker would say, "I can go no further," or "I cannot go any farther."

Similar to the use of the double negatives, and similarly erroneous, are such sentences as the following: "I haven't had hardly a night's sleep;" "I cannot get but one suit of clothes;" "Say, I have had hardly a night's sleep;" "I can get but one sleep."—Copyright, 1920, by The Wheeler Strickland Co.



He Now Works Just Like A Young Man

WINNIPEG MAN PRAISES DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

For Ten Years Was So Weak It Was Impossible For Him to Walk—He Tells of the Benefit He Got from Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Winnipeg, Man., May 14.—(Special.)—"I advise everybody who suffers from backache to use Dodd's Kidney Pills." So states Mr. Adam Ducewicz, who resides at 183 1/2 Maple street, this city.

Asked to give the reason why he gave this advice, Mr. Ducewicz said: "Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me a great benefit. I even wonder myself how this medicine helped me. For ten years I was so weak it was impossible for me to walk. When I started to use Dodd's Kidney Pills I felt I was getting young and strong again.

"I am now 52 years old and I work just as if I were a young man."

It is very noticeable that people who have used Dodd's Kidney Pills are enthusiastic in recommending them to others. That is how Dodd's Kidney Pills have made and maintained their reputation. Dodd's Kidney Pills are purely and simply a kidney remedy. If you have not used them yourself, ask your neighbors about them.

Just Folks

by Edgar A. Guest

TROUBLES AND FRIENDS.

It's seldom trouble comes alone, I've noticed this—when things go wrong 'n' 'narrow passed us by. If every day the sun came out 'n' the birds sang along, it would be a lousy life. Sometimes it's one you've known before, and then perhaps it's someone new.

Who stretches out a helping hand 'n' stops to see what he can do.

I've gone along through pleasant days when I had not a thing to dread, 'n' never thought about my friends— they just went 'n' left 'n' right about; then suddenly the clouds grew gray, 'n' right away a friend or two dropped everything to come to me 'n' figure out what they could do.

Rann-Dom Reels

Bunk is a form of salve which is spread in thick layers on the common people whenever somebody wants to break into office.

Every four years we start out in January to elect a President and several thousand palpitating party workers, including the unobtrusive and nimble-footed second-class postmaster, and in order to do this successfully the Bunk factories are set to working in three eight-hour shifts. This Bunk is prepared with the utmost care by experts who are not over 89 per cent. biased, after which it is worked up into boiler plate and stumpy speeches and fed in copious quantities to the speaking voter. All the Bunk which is discharged every Presidential year could be gathered together in one compact lump, it couldn't leave breathing room for a cent.

Bunk is a valuable asset in many quarters aside from politics, however. How many trawling young wives

FREE TO MEN

Manly Vigor—Something New

Here is a little free pocket compendium in book form illustrated with 40 half-tone photo reproductions, and containing 8,000 words of easy advice on private matters, which I gladly send to any man anywhere in the world absolutely free of charge, and enclosed in a perfectly plain, sealed envelope, so it is received by you like an ordinary private letter. I take all this special material from the best sources, and my free book covers, where the free book is concerned, and especially with reference to health and manly vigor, and weakness, and people everywhere prefer to keep the matter entirely in the hands of the doctor.

This reason I seal the envelope and prepay full letter postage. I have thus mailed over a million of these little booklets to the world who requested them.

You, reader, will like this little book immensely, and can grasp the full meaning of its special advice from one or two careful readings. It contains a great deal of heretofore unpublished information of interest to all men, young or elderly, single or married, and may easily be of value to you throughout your entire lifetime.

In one part of the book I describe the little mechanical VITALIZER, which was invented by me to assist men to regain lost vigor. It is a simple device, and when you get it, it sends a great, mysterious power (which I call the FORCE) into your body, and makes your muscles while you sleep. Men have said it takes pain or weakness out of the body, and that you can get it in 30 days' use is sufficient to restore normal, manly strength.

With special attachments, which carry the FORCE to any parts of the body, my VITALIZER is used by women as well as men, for rheumatism, kidney, liver, stomach, bladder and other ailments, and I have had some remarkable testimony in respect to its almost miraculous effects in treating various ailments, where every known treatment had failed.

Therefore, first get the free book of general advice to men, which also describes my VITALIZER. Then, if in the future you feel you would like to use one of these little appliances in your own case, I will make some special proposition whereby you may have one free of charge. If you happen to live in or near this city, I would be pleased to have you call. Otherwise, just use the coupon and get the free book by return mail. Office hours, 9 to 6.

Book, 8,000 Words Free

Remember, I will send you, as stated above, my little book or pocket compendium, containing 40 illustrations and 8,000 words of private advice free, sealed, by mail.

This book is meant to point out to men certain errors which are being committed all over the world today by those who do not realize the harm resulting. It gives, in condensed form, and in easy language, the truths that I have learned from my own personal experience. It deals with vigor and manly power as against weakness and debility. One part of the book describes my little VITALIZER, and so all information is complete in this one volume. Please write or call today. Satisfaction guaranteed in every case.

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Dear Sirs—Please forward me your book, as advertised, free, sealed.

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WORLD BULL, AND 3,000 YEARS

By William T. Ellis.

Less than a year ago I stood on the highest eminence near Jerusalem, the tower of the self-dedicating, German hospice on the Mount of Olives, and heard from the lips of a British staff officer the story of the progress of the army which captured Jerusalem and drove the Turks out of Palestine. One of the stratagem emplacements first taken by the British troops in the final attack upon Jerusalem was a point about four miles to the northeast of the city called "Nebi Sanaul" or "Frogah Sanaul," the traditional home of the singing-magical prophet of Israel.

Centuries seemed to telescope as I gazed upon this pivotal eminence. Alenby and Sanaul seemed to be kindred warriors of God, both clad for the banner of Jehovah. When Anastasian Light Horse Cavalry exhibited their proverbial dash and courage—what a story their work in Palestine makes!—the Prophet Sanaul, and the traditions of the Lesson, rallied the host of Israel to the defeat of the Philistines.

Over the hill of Nebi-Sanaul Jerusalem fell, and the traditions of the Lesson approach. Throughout the centuries that hill has shaken to the tread of hundreds of armies, portents, and prophecies. The traditions of its victories have had more spiritual affinity than the triumph of the Israelites under Samuel and the success of the British under Lord Allenby. Turk and Philistine both went down before warriors animated by a great idea.

The Eternal Theatre of Nations.

What a place-book is the Bible! Its geography seems forever alive. Today there is a new struggle under way on the scene of our Lesson story; and Zionists and Syrians have come into bloody conflict. The spiritual and ethical issues of the world are being decided by the struggle of the final decision is to come within the area of the Bible Lands. It seems almost as if God had called the nations back to the theatre of His great providence. In the past, the place of His greatest self-revelations, there to determine the fundamental questions of politics, peace and justice. The nations are now gathered in the geographical confines of the Bible, to the present battle ground of the conflicting ideas that govern nations.

Stretch out a mighty wing above— Be tender to the land we love!

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SEVEN SENTENCE BERMONS.

Good intentions will not help a man on his way if he takes the wrong road.—Old Proverb.

You may own this plot of ground, and I own that, but the horizon belongs to him who can interpret it!—Ralph Waldo Emerson.

I hold him great, for love's sake, can give with generous earnest will; Yet, he who takes for love's sweet sake, I think I hold more generous still.—Longfellow.

There are few, very few, who will own themselves in a mistake.—Swift.

Finally, brethren, whatsoever things are true, whatsoever things are honorable, whatsoever things are just, whatsoever things are lovely, whatsoever things are of good report; if there be any virtue, and if there be any praise, think on these things.—Phil 4:8.

It is not growing like a tree in bulk, but like a man, in small proportions we just beauties see, And in short measure life may perfect be.—Ben Johnson.

One reason at least why men pass through this world chafing, fretful and dissatisfied with their lot in life is just this—they have formed an overwhelming estimate of self and they find that neither God nor man treats them as they think they deserve.—Frederick W. Robertson.

HAD ECZEMA

For Over 25 Years

Eczeema or Salt Rheum manifests itself in little round blisters, which contain an extremely irritating fluid. These break and subsequently a crust is formed, and the intense burning, itching and smarting, especially at night or when the part is exposed to any strong heat is almost unbearable. The success which Burdock Blood Bitters has met with in skin diseases of such severity is due to its wonderful blood cleansing and purifying properties, and we know of no other remedy that has done or can do, so much for those who are almost driven to distraction by the terrible torture.

Mr. James Walker, 152 Niagara St., Hamilton, Ont., writes:—"I have been using Burdock Blood Bitters for some months past, and find it an excellent remedy for skin eruptions. I have suffered with eczeema for over 25 years, and have tried almost everything you could think of. I was recommended to use Burdock Blood Bitters, and I am now clear of my skin troubles. There is certainly a good remedy and I shall recommend it to all my friends."

Manufactured for over 40 years by Dr. J. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

LORD FISHER ON NAVY ESTIMATES

Declares They Should be Cut at Least Fifty Per Cent.—Commons "Scandalously Wasteful."

(Cross-Atlantic News Service, Copyright.)

London, May 12.—"Was there ever so ludicrous a waste of money?" writes Lord Fisher to the Times, referring to the navy estimate and to the "mass of vessels which we now maintain all over the world—to show the flag."

If the Navy Estimates were reduced 50 per cent., then for every shilling's sake the Army Estimates are the only other damage to be considered would be reduced pro rata.

"We aren't going on paying four guineas for a pair of shoes! The country will rise and sweep out these rich oligarchs and self-seeking opportunists who at present bear rule over us!"

Fisher points to the futility of trying to economize while the "House of Commons encourages scandalously wasteful estimates."

EARLY SYMPTOMS OF BLOODLESSNESS

Shown by Pallor of the Face and Lips—How to Obtain New Blood.

Anaemia, or lack of blood is so gradual in its approach that it is often well developed before the patient is sufficiently alarmed to consult a doctor or take proper treatment to restore the blood to a healthy condition.

The earliest symptom of anaemia is loss of color, especially in the gums and membranes lining the throat. Then comes shortness of breath on slight exertion, such as going up stairs, palpitation of the heart, increased pallor of the face and lips. If this initial attack is not corrected it will proceed rapidly until a complete breakdown in health follows, when there may be disorders of the stomach, headache and back-aches, dizziness and fainting spells.

The most effective and prompt way to increase and enrich the blood at a time like this is through the fair use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills have restored to good health thousands of weak, anaemic people, among them Miss Mae Johnston, of Port Arthur, Ont., who says:—"Between the ages of sixteen and eighteen I worked for my father's business and it was very trying to the nerves and health. I became bloodless, and so pale that friends often said I looked consumptive. I had to be taken home from the office, and a doctor was called in who told me I must not go back for a time. Sometimes I would leave my utterly blank mind and enter one of my girl friends, whose mother had used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills with great benefit, advised me to try these. I took the pills very faithfully for some time, with the result that they restored me to good health, and now when anyone tells me they feel weak or run down I always recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, as I feel so thankful for the help they gave me."

If you have any of the symptoms described by Miss Johnston try building up the blood with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Eat nourishing food, exercise a little in the open air daily and use cold water to cheeks and lips. You can run no risk in giving Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, as they can not injure the most delicate system. You can get the Pink Pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

JUGO-SLAV PROGRAM FOR SETTLEMENT OF DISPUTE

Over the Fiume Question and to Which They Will Agree Made Known to Italians.

Buenos Ayres, May 13.—The main points in the program for the settlement of the Fiume question, to which Anton Trumbitch, the Jugoslav Foreign Minister, has been authorized to tell the Italians that Jago Slavia will agree, are given in a despatch sent by the "Nacion" Rome correspondent.

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How to strengthen marriage has
been to Lady Beecham a subject of
life-long interest. As a girl she
studied law, moved by the miseries of
deserted wives and broken families.
In England she has established the
Marriage Defense Council, of which
she is secretary and through which
she carries on a ceaseless campaign
against divorce reformers in and out
of Parliament.

In the drawing room of her beau-
tiful home, with her two lovely children
playing in the garden within sight of
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"The law of marriage came to us
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ing realized the value of the mono-
gamic principle to society. It was a
slow development throughout the
ages, as it was found to be the best
form of union for the establishment
of the home and the welfare of the
family. It was for the sake of the
race that many primitive nations, and
for ages the Jews, stoned to death the
untrue. Those nations that estab-
lished monogamy grew to greatness.
When they became decadent and fell,
it was because they had abandoned
this principle."

"In ancient Rome, for 50 years,
there was a Public Censor of Morals,
and there was not a single divorce.
The standard of morality was of the
highest; the Roman matron was fam-
ous for her dignity and virtue, and the
Roman citizen for his strength and
honor. Rome was ruler of the world
and carried a noble civilization every-
where she went.

"Then came immorality, contempt
for marriage and easy divorce, with
its consecutive polygamy—and Rome
decayed and fell.

"If we do not wish to fall like Rome,
we must realize our responsibilities and
fulfill them. We need not become
effete and ignoble people. We have
it in our power to bless or curse our
future race.

"Already we have travelled a long
way on a dangerous path. Our moral
luxury is degenerating our nation. That
is the real reason for our C-3 popu-
lation. We must right-about face if
we are again to become A-1."

"Do you know," questioned Lady
Beecham, "what we, as a nation, are
now suffering from the violation of
the monogamic principle? Do you
know that 75 per cent of congenital
blindness is the direct result of moral
luxury? We have now a million chil-
dren in our free schools so defective
they cannot take the education the
State provides.

"The present high death rate in this
country and these large numbers of
unfit are intimately connected with
physical and moral degeneracy. Those
who are untrue to the monogamic
principles before or after marriage,
cause dire distress to the race. It is
a child's birthright to be free from
disease, and those children who do
not come in to their rightful inheri-
tance, will curse the generation which
brought such suffering upon them.

"The existence and strength of a na-
tion depends on the survival of its
children and their physical and men-
tal health. We are at present forced
to build hospitals and schools for
blind, insane and diseased children;
but the greater charity would be
rather to stop the supply of such un-
fortunates by inculcating individual
responsibility, and by securing a high
standard of health and morals in those
entering the marriage state."

"The advocates of easier divorce
also base their arguments upon moral-
ity," I reminded Lady Beecham; but
she firmly opposed their position.

"The whole tendency of the easier
divorce movement is to destroy mar-
riage, not to strengthen it, to treat
marital offences as misdemeanors in-
stead of crimes, to make the guilty
party comfortable and to give him
freedom and encouragement to con-
tinue his vicious career.

"One of the worst features of the
proposed changes provides that when
a couple have lived apart for three
years for any reason, either can ask
for a divorce. That would make it
possible for a man to desert his wife,
and then, three years later, ask the
Court to give him complete freedom
because he had abandoned her rightful
responsibilities. Is it thinkable that
a man should be able calmly to put
aside a wife without her consent, and
after three years' neglect and separa-

tion, be allowed to marry again? Oh,
shame, where is thy blush?
Such an act makes marriage vows as
false as dice's casts!"

Asked for a programme, Lady
Beecham gave the following five
points which she declared necessary
to protect wives and children and give
greater security to marriage:

1. To demand a clear bill of health
from both parties contracting mar-
riage.

2. The husband should be compelled
to contribute on marriage, at least
one-third of his income to his wife as
her own right, this amount to be in-
creased proportionately with the birth
of children, so as to obviate appeals
to the Courts. Also, the wife by law,
should be entitled to dower.

3. That the mother equally with the
father, should have control of the chil-
dren, the guilty party to be deprived
of that control in case of separation or
divorce.

4. That divorce should be only for
adultery and that the guilty party
should be forbidden to re-marry dur-
ing the life of the innocent party.

5. That adultery, like bigamy,
should be made a punishable offence.

"The nation that early teaches its
sons and daughters civility, honor
and purity, cannot be crushed," she
continued. "Those who have a sure
knowledge of right, and who are obedi-
ent to an enlightened conscience
look on temptations and are never
shaken."

"President Roosevelt sounded a
stern and needed warning when he
said: 'The census of divorce is fairly
appalling. Easy divorce is a bane to
any nation. It is a curse to society
and a menace to the home; an incite-
ment to married unhappiness, an evil
thing for men and a still more hideous
evil for women.'"

"In this respect the United States
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lesson from Canada, whose high re-
gard for marriage gives high promise
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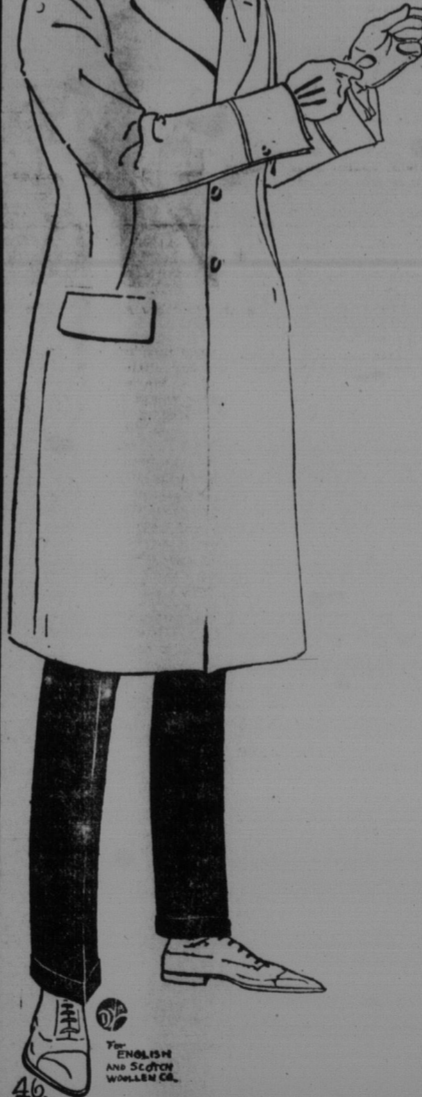
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LORD FISHER ON NAVY ESTIMATES
Declares They Should be Cut at Least Fifty Per Cent.—Commons "Scandalously Wasteful."
(Cross-Atlantic News Service, Copyright.)
London, May 13.—"Was there ever so ludicrous a waste of money?" writes Lord Fisher to the Times, referring to the navy estimate and to the "mass of vessels which we now maintain all over the world—to show the flag."
"If the Navy Estimates were reduced 50 per cent, then for very shame's sake the Army Estimates and all the other damnable monstrosities would be reduced pro rata."
"We aren't going on paying four guineas for a pair of shoes! The country will not stand for these rich rascals and self-seeking opportunists who at present bear rule over us."
"Fisher points to the futility of trying to economize while the House of Commons encourages scandalously wasteful estimates."

EARLY SYMPTOMS OF BLOODLESSNESS
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THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

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MONTREAL SALES

(McDUGALL & COWANS)
Montreal, May 14, 1920.

Montreal Sales
Steamships Com—74 1/2.
Breadstuffs Pfd—42 1/2.
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Dom Textile—42 1/2.
Can Cement Com—65 1/2, 65.
Howard Smith Com—50 1/2, 78.
Dom Iron Com—60.
Montreal Power—131 1/2, 84 1/2.
USC War Loan—81 1/2, 81 1/2.
Abitibi—67, 67 1/2, 67 1/2.
Detroit United XD—108.
Laur Pulp—84, 87 1/2.
Riorlan—157, 159 1/2.
Wayagamack—91, 91 1/2.
Quebec Railway—23 1/2.
Atlantic Sugar Com—92 1/2, 93 1/2.
Brower's Com—51 1/2, 51 1/2.
Span River Com—87 1/2, 87 1/2.
Span River Pfd—131 1/2, 132.
Brompion—102 1/2, 102 1/2.
Ames Holden Pfd—100 1/2.
Dom Cottons—61 1/2, 62.
Can Cotton Pfd—80.
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MOST SATISFACTORY MARKET SESSION

Attention Was Largely Directed to the Pulp and Paper Group of Stocks.

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
Montreal, May 14.—The market was most satisfactory session probably of the month, inasmuch as changes were practically all in an upward direction. The attention of the market was directed to the pulp and paper group almost exclusively, but practically every stock of this group advanced in price, and trading in a number of instances was notably active. Total transactions were 7,541 shares.

Sugar gave 1520 of those who Laurentide gave 1500. Spanish River 1085. Brompion 102 1/2. Abitibi 67 1/2 and other pulp and papers contributing a modest number.

Brompion, after opening at 101 1/4, advanced one point, and was 102 1/2 at the close. Spanish Common from 88 rose to 89 1/2 and from 129 to 132.

It was easy to account for the strength in this particular group, no specific occurrence which might be interpreted as applicable to all pulp and paper issues having taken place unless it may be that prices of pulp and paper have experienced something in the nature of a general feeling is that the pulp and paper list is likely to go higher. Other issues were dull. Iron and steel as well as Public Utilities were neglected.

BANKS TIGHTENING UP ON LOANS

The Strained Credit Situation Causes Difficulty in Shipping Manufactured Products.

(By F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
New York, May 14.—Reports keep coming in from various industrial centers of the manner with which transportation tie-ups are hampering operations, many plants depending on parts of the country, and there were recollections toward the close by American Sumatra, Atlantic Gulf, Bethlehem Steel and others which had been depressed.

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BETTER TONE TO NEW YORK MARKET

Prices Worked Moderately Higher Although Trading Remained Light.

(By F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
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Condition of The Wool Market

The wool market is in a very unsettled condition. There are large supplies of wool all over the world; in Australia, in South Africa, in the Argentine and in other distant producing lands supplies accumulated during the last two years of the war owing to the shipping shortage, and since the armistice these stocks have been moving to the centers of consumption in increasing quantities. In England for months past the available warehouses have been so filled with wool that many cargoes have had to be kept on board ship for weeks because there was no place to store them on shore.

Last week there were two important sales of wool, both on account of the British Government. In Boston, Mass., some 27,000 bales, weighing about 900 lbs. each, were offered, and of these about 24,500 bales were sold. In London, England, a larger quantity was offered. In both sales the results were the same, showing that the conditions prevailing for the last year are unchanged.

There is still a big demand for fine merino wools, and big prices are being paid for this class. Medium and coarse crossbred wools are in big supply and little demand, and the prices obtained for these are fifteen per cent. less than the March levels. In the ordinary course of events the increasing supplies of crossbred wools and the small demand for them would mean a still lower range of values.

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Abitibi	67	67
Breadstuffs L & H Pfd.	42 1/2	42 1/2
Brompion	102 1/2	102
Canada Car	54	54
Canada Cement Pfd.	65 1/2	65 1/2
Canada Cement	65	65
Canada Cotton	91	91
Detroit United	108	105
Dom Bridge	39 1/2	39
Dom Canvass	78 1/2	78 1/2
Dom Iron Pfd.	60	60
Dom Iron Com	60	60
Dom Tex Com	128	128
Laurentide Paper Co.	92 1/2	92 1/2
MacDonald Com	27 1/2	27 1/2
M L H and Power	84 1/2	85
Ogilvie	235	235
Remond's Limited	122	122
Quebec Railway	23 1/2	23 1/2
Riorlan	157	159
Shaw W and W	105	105
Spanish River Com	89 1/2	89 1/2
Spanish River Pfd.	131 1/2	131 1/2
Steel Co Can Com	77 1/2	77 1/2
Steel Co Can Com	77 1/2	77 1/2
Toronto Falls	40	40
Wayagamack	91 1/2	91 1/2

NEW SCHEME FOR INCOME TAXES

Washington, May 14.—The House of Representatives today passed a bill which is not applicable to all pulp and paper issues having taken place unless it may be that prices of pulp and paper have experienced something in the nature of a general feeling is that the pulp and paper list is likely to go higher. Other issues were dull. Iron and steel as well as Public Utilities were neglected.

PULP STRENGTH IS JUSTIFIABLE

Montreal, May 14.—The strength of the market for pulp and paper stocks is considered in well informed quarters to be quite justifiable, bearing in mind the excellent position in which the pulp and paper industry finds itself at the present time. The market for these products is constantly strengthening, and so far from there being any evidence of a decline in the price, there is little doubt that new contracts will continue for some time to come to be made at higher prices.

On the street the belief is expressed that pulp and paper stocks are mostly well below prices which may be looked for in the not far distant future. It is possible that attention has been directed to the pulp and paper market today by reason of a number of rumors which are in circulation relative to further increase in output and also distributions to shareholders.

SEEKING FUNDS IN NEW YORK

New York, May 14.—The announcement is made here that the Canadian Government is seeking funds with which to purchase equipment for its railroads. William A. Read and Co., Bankers, who have been associated in the past with Canadian Railroad financing admitted negotiations had begun but stated no definite plans had been formulated. It is understood that the Canadian government is considering an issue running 15 years.

Montreal, May 14.—Dividend declaration: Montreal Cottons, Ltd., 1 3/4 per cent. on preferred and 1 1/2 per cent. on common, payable June 15, to record of May 31.

FINANCIAL TIPS

(By F. B. McCurdy & Co.)
New York, May 14.—Secretary Houston says Brussels Financial Congress at which United States was not represented, is indefinitely postponed.

Reports to Washington from big industrial centers show accumulation of freight at all gateways daily increasing.

Railroads need 228,000 cars and several thousand engines to cope with the situation in many districts.

Industrial output in many districts being curtailed owing to car shortage and inability to get raw material.

General Motors proposed to issue \$30,000,000 additional stock to insure \$30,000,000 British and Canadian interests held as permanent investment.

Bethlehem Steel Company sells 2,000,000 equipment trust to local banking syndicate.

Wells Fargo Company sells its banking business in Mexico and Cuba to American Express Company.

Government cotton consumption report: 20 industrials off, 49; 20 rails off, 62.

SLOW PROGRESS DIVIDEND DECLARED

Toronto, Ont., May 14.—Roy W. Wolvin, President of the Dominion Steel Corporation, in an interview here, stated that while progress was somewhat slow in connection with the Baldwin Locomotive Works for \$5,000,000 worth of locomotives, passenger and freight cars. In payment the Baldwin Works has accepted Polish Government bonds running for 20 years and drawing 6 per cent. interest.

TORONTO GRAIN QUOTATIONS

Toronto, May 14.—The grain quotations on the Toronto Board of Trade were as follows:
Manitoba oats No. 2, cw., 1.17-5; No. 3, cw., 1.14-8; No. 1 feed not quoted.
No. 2 feed, 1.08-8; extra No. 1 feed 1.14-8. Vets Wagon, in store.
Manitoba wheat No. 1, Northern 2.80; No. 2, Northern 2.77; No. 4 Northern, 2.74.
American corn No. 2, yellow, nominal 2.44; track Toronto prompt shipment.
Canadian corn feed nominal.
Manitoba barley in store Fort William, No. 3, cw., 1.79-3; No. 4, 1.64-3; rejects 1.60-5; feed 1.59-7-8.
Ontario wheat No. 1, 2.90 to 3.01; No. 2, 1.78 to 2.00; No. 3, 1.70 to 1.90; No. 4, 1.64 to 1.84; No. 5, 1.58 to 1.78.
Ontario, according to freight; No. 3, 1.92 to 1.97; No. 1 spring 3.02 to 2.03; No. 2, 1.88 to 2.01; No. 4, 1.95 to 2.01.
Barley, malting, 1.87 to 1.89.
Buckwheat, 1.75 to 1.80.
According to freight; No. 2, Ontario flour nominal.
Manitoba flour and government standard, 4.55.
35H feed car loads delivered Montreal, shorts 6.00; bran 4.00; good feed flour 2.75 to 4.00.
Hay, baled, track Toronto, car lots, No. 1, 30.00 to 32.00; No. 2, mixed, 25.00 per ton; straw car lots 15.00 to 17.00.

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London, May 14.—Calcutta linseed, 24; linseed oil, 88. 6d.
Petroleum, American refined, 2s. 1 3/4-4.
Spirits, 2s. 2 3/4-4.
Turpentine, spirits, 19s.
Rosin, American strained, 58s. Type "G.", 58s. 6d.
Tallow, Australian, 87s. 6d.

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Insure The Springfield Fire and Marine Insurance Co. ESTABLISHED 1844.
General Assets, \$10,945,902.85. Cash Capital, \$2,500,000.00.
Net Surplus, \$2,331,373.83.
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Applications for Agents invited.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

(McDougall & Cowans)
New York, May 14.

Open High Low Close	
Am Base Stag	93 92 92 92 1/2
Am Car Pfy 12 1/2	93 92 92 92 1/2
Am Loco	92 93 91 90
Am Sugar	129 1/4
Am Smelting	69 1/2 69 1/2 60 60
Am Stl Pfd XD	93 1/2 93 1/2 89 1/2
Am Stl Pfd	93 1/2 93 1/2 89 1/2
Amor World 109	109 1/2 103 1/2 109 1/4
Am Tele	93 1/2 93 1/2 93 93 1/2
Amcord	58 58 56 56 55 1/2
Amer Can	29 1/4 40 39 1/2 39 1/2
Atchafon	79 1/2
Belt and O	32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2 32 1/2
Baldwin Loco	116 1/2 114 1/2 114 1/2
Best Steel	91 1/2 91 1/2 89 1/2 89 1/2
B. R. T.	12 1/2 12 1/2 12 1/2
Clamo	31 1/2 32 1/2 31 1/2 31 1/2
Cent Loco	68 1/2 68 1/2 67 1/2 67 1/2
C. P. R.	114 1/2 115 114 1/2 115
Cruicible Stl	138 1/2 135 135 135
Emis Com	11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2 11 1/2
Gen North Pfd	73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2
Geordich Rn	61 1/2 61 1/2 61 1/2
Gen Motors	27 3/4 26 1/2 27 1/2
Indus Alcohol	84 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2
Inaple Cop	51 1/2 52 51 1/2 52
Inaple Cop	27 1/2 27 1/2 27 1/2
Mer Mar Pfd	84 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2
Mex Petro	18 1/2 18 1/2 18 1/2 18 1/2
Midvale Steel	42 1/2 42 1/2 42 1/2
Niles Pacific	2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2 2 1/2
NY NH and H	28 1/2 28 1/2 28 1/2
N Y Central	68 68 68 68
Nor and W	90 90 90 90
North Pa	73 1/2 73 1/2 73 1/2
Pennsylvania	40
Pf Stl Car	97 97 1/2 97 97 1/2
Reading Co	84 1/2 84 1/2 84 1/2
Republic Stl	91 1/2 92 1/2 91 1/2 91 1/2
Royal Dutch	118 1/2 118 1/2 118 1/2
St. Paul	32 1/2 34 32 1/2 34
South Pa	94 1/2 95 94 94
South Ry	21 1/2 22 1/2 21 1/2 22 1/2
Strohacker	70 71 1/2 70 70 1/2
Union Pac	116 116 114 115 115
U S Steel Co	97 1/2 97 1/2 97 1/2
U S Rnb	95 96 94 1/2 95 1/2
Utah Copper	68 1/2 68 1/2 68 1/2
Westinghouse	47 1/2 48 1/2 47 1/2
U S Steel Pfd	107 1/2 107 1/2 106 1/2 106 1/2

FALLING OFF IN STEEL MARKET

In its summary of the iron, steel metal and machinery markets, issued on May 13, Canadian Machinery and Manufacturing News, Toronto, makes the following comment: The steel market has been falling off in the number and extent of the inquiries, as compared with a month or six weeks ago. Their volume of business is still satisfactory, and their accounts are in splendid shape, but the fact remains that some of the manufacturers have been unable to get their orders filled. High prices and the operations of the premium brokers and mills have something to do with this, as it is not likely that any consumer would buy a pound more of premium material than he had to have to keep the doors of his shop open. The distance between Steel Corporation prices and those asked by premium brokers is very market, and business inquiries are dropping off as a result.

The strike is a much more serious matter than is generally recognized. Firms in Canada, are having serious times in trying to get cars from U. S. points. Embargoes are holding back materials that are absolutely necessary to the operation of plants. There are cases where shipments of boiler tubes, for instance, left the mills at the end of March, and have not been heard of since either by customer or shipper.

The machine tool trade believes there is a lot of business in the country that will come out later on, viz, the replacement of equipment. Firms wanting to replace old equipment have stayed out of the market on account of long and indifferent deliveries and the high prices. This booking will all come in due season, and makes a nice reserve in the way of business for the future.

The scrap trade continues stagnant. The embargo is still on and trading is confined to Canada. The demand here is not brisk. Prices, though, have not suffered, and are still quoted at the rates prevailing a couple of months ago.

CHICAGO PRICES

(McDougall & Cowans)
Chicago, May 14.—Close: Corn
May, \$1.98; July, \$1.77 1/2; September, \$1.64 1/4.
Oats—July, 93 5/8; September, 95 1/2.
Lard—July, \$21.55; September, \$22.50.
Ribs—July, \$18.35; September, \$19.97.
Corn
July 1.97 1/2 1.98 1.96
May 1.78 1/2 1.76 1.78
September 1.64 1/4 1.62 1.64 1/4
Oats
July 1.06 1/2 1.04 1.06
May 98 1/2 97 1/2 97 3/4
July 87 1/2 87 1/2 87 3/4

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

(McDougall & Cowans)
Cotton

High Low Close	
January	34.40 34.06 34.20
March	32.78 32.65 32.71
May	32.42 32.32 32.48
July	33.30 33.87 33.98
October	36.95 36.76 36.70

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BUSINESS DULL ON N. Y. EXCHANGE

Day's Developments Were Susceptible to Bearish Interpretation—Call Money up.

New York, May 14.—Business on the Stock Exchange today was dull as usual to the point of stagnation. Prices were comparatively steady, however, for the first time in several weeks, bearing signs of a "sold-out" condition.

Developments of the day were again susceptible to bearish interpretation, aside from the successful offering of new capital issues, these including notes of the Louisville and Nashville and Atlantic Coast Line roads for moderate amounts.

The industrial situation continued to reflect the same conditions created by the railroad strike in the Middle West, where the car shortage intensified the serious congestion of freight at terminals.

Monetary conditions in the local market were not materially changed, although call money rose to twelve per cent. "Week's maximum" after opening at 8 per cent. This was in large part attributed to heavy interest payments to the government. In New England, the West and South, increasing strain upon credits was reported. Rails gave a better account of themselves than any other class of stocks, especially Texas and Pacific, and several other issues of the Western and South Western Division. Final prices for stocks, equipments, oils and shipwrecks were also mixed, but higher in the main. Total sales amounted to 600,000 shares.

In point of interest, trading in stocks was at all times overshadowed by the weakness of Liberty Bonds and Victory Notes. Almost without exception these issues continued to fall to lowest quotations in their history. Foreign bonds also lost some of their recent advance, while domestic railroads continued to be popular. Total sales, per value, aggregated \$15,000,000.

Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

EGG MARKET

Ottawa, May 14.—The export season has opened with shipments of 420 cases of Canadian eggs to Glasgow, and 825 cases of States eggs to Liverpool. The market is lower in Eastern Canada.

With Chicago selling at 41, States eggs can be delivered to Toronto at 50. Country shippers report paying stores 46 to 47 and receiving offers of 46 to 48 f.o.b. Jobbing prices at Toronto are easier; specials 57 to 58; Canadian 57; States 62. Montreal prices, specials 57 to 58.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

Eastern Lines.
SEALED TENDERS, addressed to C. B. Brown, Chief Engineer, Montreal, N. B., and marked on the outside "Tender for Grading," will be received up to and including May 26th, 1920, for grading, as follows:
a. Near Taverville, Mile 89.94 to Mile 92.80.
b. Near Durham, Mile 95.32 to Mile 96.51.
Plan, Specifications and blank form of contract may be seen at the following offices:
Resident Engineer, C. N. R. Tunnel Terminal, Montreal, P. Q.
Chief Engineer, Eastern Lines, Montreal, N. B.
Resident Engineer, Campbellton, N. B.
Agent, Fredericton, N. B.
Agent, St. John, N. B.
All the conditions of the specifications and contract must be complied with.
Tenders must be on blank form of order, which may be obtained from any of the offices at which plans are an exhibition.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank check payable to the Canadian National Railway, for \$10,000.00.
Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
F. P. BRADY, General Manager, Eastern Lines.
Dated at Montreal, N. B., May 14th, 1920.

FINANCIAL NEWS LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE CONTINUED.

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ARGONAUT GOLD FEATURED TRADS

Officers Elected on Montreal Stock Exchange—Increase Brokerage Charges.

Montreal, May 14.—Argonaut Gold was the feature of the trading on the local stock exchange which was lifted out of dullness by some animation.

At the annual meeting on Montreal Stock Exchange, the elections resulted as follows: C. S. Marland, chairman; M. G. Gervais, vice-chairman; J. A. Elvora, secretary, with P. C. Douglas, H. H. MacDougall, C. H. Brannard, G. W. S. Henderson, R. H. Porteous and J. H. MacIntyre as committee.

The decision was reached to increase brokerage charge to 3-8 of 1 per cent on stocks selling over \$100 a share, and to 1-3 of 1 per cent on those selling over \$200 a share.

DOM. LOOSE LEAF IN NEW OFFERING

Montreal, May 14.—An offering of \$160,000 5 per cent cumulative participating preferred shares of the Dominion Loose Leaf Ltd., Ottawa, is being made by Houghton & Co.

THE DOGGER BANK

The great North Sea fishing ground known as the Dogger Bank, is estimated to yield an annual income of several thousand dollars for each square mile.

SEALED TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS will be received at the office of the Commr. Chief Engineer, City Hall, addressed to him, and marked "Tenders for Tubes" up to noon, May 22nd, 1934.

NOTICE

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THE HANDY MANUFACTURING AND SUPPLY CO.

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RIISING PRICES IN THE PAPER TRADES

Gave Some Animation to Trade on the Montreal Stock Exchange.

Montreal, May 14.—Today's market on the local stock exchange was lifted out of dullness by some animation.

The schooner Ada A. McIntyre, owned by Capt. Peter McIntyre, of this city, has been chartered to load molasses at Barbadoes for St. John.

TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS for the construction of a concrete block and brick school building, will be received by the undersigned up to noon, May 27th.

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COMMUTATION FARES HAVE ADVANCED.

Increase on All Canadian Railway Lines Set from May 1st.

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Passenger Train No. 47 Leaves St. John 12.55, noon (Eastern Time), on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

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VESSELS IN PORT, AND WHERE THEY ARE LOADED.

Montreal—Berth No. 16, War Period—Berth No. 18.

Arrived Friday. Constwise—Gas sch Water C. 12, Belding, Chance Harbor; sch Annie L. Spindle, 94, Snow, Yarmouth, N. B. Cleared Friday.

SAILED TODAY

S.S. Manchester Brigade, 2771, Tools, Manchester via Halifax, N. S., Ottawa, 7759, Hughes, Australia and New Zealand.

TENDERS

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 5 o'clock p.m., May 17th, 1934, for the erection and completion of ten self-contained houses for the Local Housing Board of the City and County of St. John, N. B.

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THE CUTTER YANACRAW HAD BEEN SENT TO HER SUBSIDANCE.

The cutter Yanacraw had been sent to her subsidance. The Northern Pacific was reported resting easily and it was expected that she would be floated soon.

Dangers to Navigation. (Reported to the U. S. Hydrographic Office.) Boston, May 12.—A wireless to Hydrographic office from Otter Cliffs p.m. yesterday reported a floating mine passed in lat 41, lon 59 05.

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From London to London From W. via Halifax to London, Saturday, April 17. From London to London, Saturday, April 17. From London to London, Saturday, April 17.

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County Local Housing Board. We are prepared to receive applications for loans on houses now in course of erection or contemplated by private parties in the County of St. John. Application forms may be had by applying to P. O. Box 668, or to Thomas K. Sweeney, Secretary-Treasurer, 109 Prince William Street, City.

MALE HELP WANTED. FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN, \$160-\$200 monthly. Experience unnecessary. Write (name position) Railway, care Standard.

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THE WEATHER.

Toronto, May 14.—An extensive area of high pressure now covers the Great Lakes and Middle States, while both East and West the barometer is relatively low. The weather today has been fine and warm in the Western Provinces and fair and cool from Ontario eastward.

Dawson	26	62
Prince Rupert	40	56
Victoria	40	56
Vancouver	35	63
Kamloops	42	70
Calgary	30	66
Edmonton	42	66
Medicine Hat	50	72
Moose Jaw	36	70
Regina	38	70
Prince Albert	40	74
Whitby	36	70
Port Arthur	26	58
Parry Sound	30	60
London	36	64
Toronto	36	64
Kingston	40	52
Ottawa	38	60
Montreal	42	66
Quebec	42	66
St. John	42	64
Halifax	34	56

Forecast.
Mentimeter moderate variable winds; mostly fair, with a few scattered showers, much the same temperature.
Northern New England—Partly cloudy Saturday, showers in Eastern Maine; Sunday fair; moderate west winds.

AROUND THE CITY

TWELVE AND ALL IS WELL.
No arrests were made by the police up to last midnight—a remarkable day for St. John.

QUARANTINE LIFTED
The small pox quarantine has been lifted from the houses on Pond street. The two patients are doing well at the Isolation Hospital.

HAVE RECEIVED PATENTS
Messrs. J. H. Gregg and T. J. McDonald have been notified that their patent on a device to take the wrinkles out of neckties, has been granted.

ENTERTAINED AT LUNCH
Horace J. Gagne, K. C., president of the Canadian Unity League and representative of the Canadian Club and Canadian Unity League, were guests of Mayor Schofield at lunch at the Union Club yesterday.

ENDORSE PLAZA GROUNDS SITE
Mayor Schofield and Commissioners Thornton and Frik have made a visit to the proposed site for the North End Playground and expressed themselves as being of the opinion that it was an ideal spot for the purpose.

TRAFFIC DELAYED
The Britannia Street track was blocked for nearly half an hour late yesterday when a trolley car jumped the rails on the corner of Britannia and Wentworth. It was finally hauled to the car barn and the delayed traffic was resumed.

ARBOR DAY
Yesterday was observed as Arbor Day in the schools of the city. In the High School quite an elaborate programme was carried out, representatives of each room taking part. There was no tree planting this year.

FINE NEW BOAT
A splendid fourteen foot dingy, built by Arthur Grew, Jackson's Point, Ont., Mr. Harry W. Heana, was on exhibition in the window of M. R. L. Market Square yesterday and attracted much attention. The small craft has great comparative breadth of beam and is well constructed.

HAVE ARRIVED HOME
T. H. McCauley, manager of the New Brunswick Power Company, and Charles B. Ward, superintendent of the gas house of the company, arrived home yesterday from the States, where they were looking over some gas plants and street railways.

FURIOUS RUNAWAY
Yesterday afternoon about 6.30 o'clock a span of horses drawing a sliver took fright on Sydney street near Broad and ran away. They turned into St. James street and were not stopped until they reached Germain. Fortunately no person was injured and horses and sliver escaped damage.

SOMETHING DOWN
In the millinery near at hand? To many in the police court yesterday morning the signs and portents seemed to all point strikingly that way, for not one liquor charge of any description was described on the police sheet which was handed to the magistrate for his perusal.

GUNARD LINE
R. M. S. "Claspia" lined from Liverpool on May 14 for Halifax. Among her passengers are Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Reford, Hon. Ira Nelson Morris, American Ambassador to Sweden, Countess Fagnheim, Marquis and Marchioness Down Pennie, Sir Vincent Raven, Hon. Luis Ernstein.

INSPECTOR McLEAN WAS APPRECIATED
On His Retirement as Inspector of Charlotte County Schools, He Receives Well Worded Letter from Teaching Staff of St. Stephen Schools.

The appreciation of William McLean while inspector of public schools in Charlotte county is shown in the following letter sent to him and signed by the entire teaching staff of the St. Stephen schools:
Inspector McLean:
We have heard with regret of your resignation as inspector of the Char-

COMMERCIAL CLUB HEAR GOOD NEWS AND STRIKING SPEECHES

Letters Patent for Champlain Hotel Applied for—Mayor Schofield and Mr. Gagne, K. C. of Montreal, Give Interesting Addresses—Athletics in St. John Looking up—Meeting Large and Full of Pep.

A statement that letters patent for the Champlain Hotel Company had been applied for and addresses by Mayor Schofield and Mr. Gagne of Montreal were the principal features of the meeting of the Commercial Club last evening.
His Worship described the get-together movement which grew out of the war, its extension from the city to the Province and then to the Dominion. He expressed the opinion that the city and Province were on the eve of considerable development, and said our people did not have a full appreciation of the natural resources of the Province, and did not blow their own trumpets enough. He referred to the advertising work of the Tourist Association, and other bodies and thought it could be extended with advantage.
In regard to St. John he felt the present council was willing to go ahead with improvement projects and to encourage athletes and other objects of the Commercial Club. But at present the city was handicapped by lack of funds. They were offering \$8,000 worth of bonds to citizens, but the response was not satisfactory so far. If three hundred members of the club would undertake to sell a \$1,000 worth of bonds a piece, he thought the city would at once start paying down permanent paving.
When Mr. Gagne came in with S. E. Elkin and others His Worship paid a tribute to Mr. Gagne's work on patriotic societies during the war, adding that he was the best type of Canadian citizen, and that there were many men of his type in Quebec.

The Next Speaker
Mr. Gagne was reminded of Assoc. Progress dependent on co-operation; union was strength as the fable of the fagots showed. Another fable dealt with the quarrel of various members of the body with the mouth. In Quebec they regarded St. John as the mouth of Canada, or at any rate the inlet and outlet of trade. The more trade that went through St. John the greater the progress of Canada. In Quebec they regarded St. John not as the winter port, but a Canadian port. Montreal would always have ships coming there. But it was not the only port. This country had only started its development, and there was room for the progress of many cities.

Mr. Gagne observed that Sir George Etienne Cartier, one of the founders of Confederation, had for his policy the making of Canada independent of American ports. He had supported the building of the Grand Trunk line to Portland, owing to financial and other reasons at the time, but he had favored the building of the I. C. R. as soon as possible.
Mr. Gagne was much pleased with his reception in St. John and expressed the opinion that with its magnificent harbor it would become an increasingly important factor in the traffic of Canada. If the Government would do its duty in the matter of providing port facilities.

W. Thomson reported that Mr. Dudley of the United Hotels Company and Mr. McNeil, the Canadian manager were expected here shortly to decide on the hotel proposition. If St. John wanted a million dollar hotel, it was up to the citizens to invest their money. Opinions were held on sites, and the prospects were bright. Letters patent for the Champlain Hotel Company had been applied for.
The question of bringing ex-President Taft and other American speakers

WAS AMUSING YET DISAPPOINTING

Young Lady Dropped Parcel on King Street—Sound of Breaking Glass—Bystanders Looked for Booze—It Was Shoe Dressing.

It occurred in the heart of the city of St. John and on its busiest thoroughfare in the very busiest hour of the afternoon. Two comely young women, seemingly demure and innocent, models of virtue forsooth, were walking up the street when one was seen to pass a parcel well wrapped up in swaths of paper to her companion. But the person for whom the parcel was designed did not receive it. Fate had decided otherwise, it dropped from the donor's hands and struck—oh horror—the stone threshold of the Y. W. C. A. There followed the musical tinkles of breaking glass, and immediately from the gullest parcel there poured forth a rich fluid with a most enticing and ambrosial fragrance? Not so, most noble brethren of the parking palace and cracking tongue—the fluid which trickled forth from the parcel, over the doorstep, and down the street, was thick, white and milky, and as a gust of wind blew the paper wrapping from the parcel, the bottle was seen to have been contained in a cardboard box on which were displayed in large black letters, "The best dressing for ladies' white shoes."

llette County schools. During the years in which you have filled that position, we, as teachers, have always been sure of your sympathy and co-operation in our work. To this spirit of "sympathy and co-operation" was added the practical experience acquired during long years of service first as teacher and afterwards as inspector.
Now, as you sever your connection with our schools we wish to place on record our sense of appreciation of your work as inspector, and to assure you that you carry with you, our best wishes for your future welfare.
(Signed)—A. B. Brooks, Alice E. Ryder, James K. Trocena, Eleanor DeWolfe, Elva E. DeWolfe, Elizabeth A. Wilson, F. O'Sullivan, Gertrude C. Caughlin, Beattie W. Wry, M. Flora Boyd, Mary Shaughnessy, Emma Veasey, Ella M. Veasey, Helen Trocena.

Two Beautiful Folders Issued

The C. N. R. Has Circulated Works of Art Describing in Pictures and Story St. John River Valley and La Baie de Chaleur.

The Canadian National Railways has just issued two very handsome tourist folders with beautiful colored covers. One deals with La Baie de Chaleur. There is a lengthy descriptive story with many scenes taken at Campbellton, Dalhousie, Charlo, Bathurst, The Gaspé Peninsula, Percé Village, the Restigouche, The Tunnel of Bonaventure, Gaspé Bay and Basin, the Matapedia, The Miramichi, Newcastle, Chatham, and other interesting points along the line of railway. It also gives full information regarding hotels. The centre of the folder, taking up six pages of space, is a coloured panoramic view of the Bay showing the railway line with the different places marked, also insets of different scenes.
The other folder deals with the St. John River Valley, the Garden of New Brunswick. This, like the other, has a historical and descriptive story of the line of the "Valley Railway" showing many beautiful pictures taken along the St. John River at Gagetown, Pookok, Fredericton, Woodstock, Edmundton, the bridges and reversing falls at St. John, Grand Falls, Plaster Rock, Madawaska River, Kennebeca Valley. The centre of this folder is devoted to a large colored panoramic view of New Brunswick showing the different C. N. R. lines. The two folders, (printed in Canada) are certainly works of art, and with the well written stories in each must surely catch the eye of the tourist who can find no better place than New Brunswick to spend a short or lengthy vacation.

Last Time To All Fall In At Queen's Theatre

Today at the Queen Square Theatre both matinee and night, the Rivoli Musical Comedy Co. will present for the last time the tuncful musical comedy, "All Fall In." Those who have not yet seen this delightful programme will receive a big surprise when they attend today. The public are expressing surprise that a company of such excellence can be heard for such a small price of admission. Monday, an entire new show both plot, songs and costumes will be presented in "Back Again."

Great Economical Opportunity At Oak Hall's Back Home Sale

The great Oak Hall Back Home Sale that is being conducted by Oak Hall at the corner of King and Germain Sts., in commemoration of their return to this old home stand, is offering the most substantial savings possible of wearing apparel of recognized quality for men women and children.
When Oak Hall prepared for this great celebration they made quality the foundation of their whole elaborate structure. Prices, of course, were a very important factor in getting together this immense stock, but the final decisions were all made on the quality of the merchandise.
Quality is so dominant, and at such low prices, that those who have already taken advantage of this Back Home Sale have immediately advised their friends to do likewise, what better recommendation could possibly be given.
There are men's suits of unusually high quality even for the original price of \$25.00 that are being offered at \$23.65. Boys' suits at \$10.99 that are easily in the \$16.00 quality class. Women's heather-loom undershirts at \$2.95 that have a \$3.25 quality value, and so it goes through a list of hundreds of quality items, all at radically low prices.
The end of the Back Home Sale is drawing near, so it behooves those of you who are really desirous of economizing to take advantage of this opportunity today.

SAVE THE FLOWERS

Special for Saturday only, choice roses from our green houses, Sandy Point Road, 60 cents per dozen up to 100. Call or Phone K. Pedersen, 36 Wren's Side, Charlotte street.

PANTRY SALE

Y. W. P. A. at Imperial Lobby Saturday 8 p.m.

CAMP WEGAWENNAK

Ideal recreation for girls at Petite Riviere, N. B. Athletics, Eosting, bathing, dancing, under careful supervision of teachers of physical training and assistants. Fifth session: July 27-August 28th (\$125.) Send for illustrated booklet to (Miss) J. Edith Taylor, 488 Broadway, Cambridge, Mass.


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We have just received a very choice assortment of High Grade Wilton Rugs.

These goods have been on order for some time and are not subject to recent price advancements.

Splendid Oriental effects are showing, one pattern is in beautiful shades of rose. Several numbers are in the new taupe shades. You will appreciate them when you see them.

Sizes are 6 ft. 9x9; 9x10 ft. 6; 9x12.

A fine range of Brussels Rugs is also showing.



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