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Extension of the Life of Parliament is Carried. It is Believed That the Comparatively Small Margin Will Result in an Election. Dr. Michael Clark Speaks His Mind With Regard to Motives of Laurier

Ottawa, July 18.—Extension of the term of the present Parliament of Canada was endorsed by the majority of the members of the House of Commons yesterday. It met with opposition, however, from such a body of Liberal members and of such a character that the petition asking it to be referred to the Imperial Parliament and Parliamentarians are now girding themselves for a contest at the polls before the year ends.

The presentation of the extension resolution itself was delayed by the interposition of an amendment by Hon. George P. Graham calling for delay "until the government brings before Parliament a measure providing that those best able to pay will be asked to contribute their fair share of the cost of the war, and by which the agricultural, industrial, transportation and natural resources of the country will be organized to give the greatest possible assistance to the war and to reduce the cost of living to the Canadian people."

The vote on this amendment found a group of conscientious Liberals lined up in its favor. The Graham motion was defeated by 78 to 61 a Government majority of 17. Messrs. Pardee, Guthrie, Nesbitt of North Oxford; German, Buchanan, Cruise, Turfitt, Duncan Ross, Thos. MacNutt and Reuben Truax voted with Mr. Graham, and the anti-conscriptive wing of the Opposition, Messrs. W. A. Charlton, of Norfolk, and A. K. Maclean of Halifax, refrained from voting, and did not announce themselves paired.

Messrs. Barrette, Descaerres, of Jacques Cartier; Paquet, Bellemare, of Maskinonge on the government benches, and Messrs. Achim of Libelle and Mondou of Yamaska, the two recent recruits to Liberalism, also voted "aye." Dr. Michael Clark, of Red Deer, and Albert Champagne of Battleford, on the other hand, stood by the Government which they had supported in the divisions on the conscription bill.

The extension resolution itself came shortly before midnight, and it was in favor of the resolution, ayes 82, nays 62, a Government majority of 20.

Messrs. Barrette, Descaerres, of Jacques Cartier; Paquet, Bellemare, of Maskinonge on the government benches and Hon. E. L. Patenaude, ex-Secretary of State, voted from the Government benches against extension, while Messrs. Guthrie, Turfitt, of Assiniboia; Thompson of Qu'Appelle; Champagne, Cruise, of Dauphin and Dr. Michael Clark favored the prolongation of the life of Parliament. Mr. W. A. Charlton, the Liberal member for Norfolk, neither voted nor desired himself paired.

Sir Robert Borden in his dignified and eloquent speech with which he introduced the extension, warned the House that a general election would mean disunion and discord in Canada. He said that in three years there had been something like practical unanimity and forgetfulness of political partisanship. The intrusion of party issues on the men who were fighting Canada's battles at the front and walking daily hand-in-hand with death, would be regarded by them as an insult.

Favored Union Government "I would like to see the extension of the Parliamentary term," said the Prime Minister. "I would like to see a government formed by a fair union of both political parties pledged to carry on the efforts of Canada in the war until it shall be crowned by a victorious conclusion."

These things would not be attained if the resolution were strongly opposed. Moreover, the Prime Minister pointed out it would be impossible to seek from the British Parliament the legislation necessary to extend the Canadian Parliamentary term, because it would be impossible to carry into that body a controversy begun in Canada.

In the discussion which followed, Hon. Wm. Pugsley, E. M. Macdonald of Pictou, and F. F. Pardee all declared themselves in favor of the Graham amendment and opposed extension. Mr. Pardee who has been spoken of as an advocate of union Government, asserted that "with the different elements on both sides of the House of Commons, national or union government is not possible."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier did not intervene in the debate, in spite of his position as Opposition leader, until after the Graham amendment had been voted down, and he did not long leave the House in doubt as to his change of attitude since the question of extension was debated in 1916. He announced himself opposed to any prolongation of the Parliament, saying that many things had occurred in the past year to lead him to this position.

The Opposition then launched into a bitter attack upon the Government. A feature of the debate was the scathing arraignment of the Liberal leader by Dr. Michael Clark, Liberal member for Red Deer.

Dr. Clark branded the Opposition to extension as a selfish move dictated by no other motive than a hunger for the sweets of office. He paid a tribute to Sir Robert Borden and after voicing his faith in the ability and determination of the Prime Minister to carry on Canada's part in the war, gave expression to the fear that energetic prosecution of the war could not come from a Prime Minister whose driving force emanated from a section of population which showed its determination by hustling British soldiers and in chasing into a ship's cabin a minister who believed in conscription.

the necessary reinforcements for the Canadian troops at the front, but I do not understand how it would be possible to have a united and earnest appeal of that kind.

Not Effective "I do not understand how any such appeal would possibly be effective under the imminent of an approaching general election, and I hope that the honorable gentlemen, in coming to a conclusion upon the resolution, which I am now proposing, will bear that in mind. The unity which would be necessary to make that appeal effective could not be expected during a general election, and so it would seem to me that that appeal is forced upon the country at the present time the proposal to which I have alluded must be abandoned."

Point to Britain The premier reminded the House that the Parliament of Great Britain has in its life on three successive occasions. New Zealand had attended its Parliamentary term to December, 1918, Australia was prevented from carrying out an extension of its Parliamentary term by conditions which unfortunately prevented her representation in the Imperial War Cabinet. In every self-governing member of this empire, since the commencement of the war, it had been impossible to give the same regard for constitutional conventions as in time of peace. It might be urged that the proposal involved an alteration of the constitutional principle of a temporary suspension of it but one feature. Surely it was not a very serious step, for it was not a suspension of the principle of the necessities of the war, but it should have a Parliamentary term of seven instead of five years. Great Britain had a seven-year term for more than 150 years.

Situation Grave Sir Robert then quoted from the words of Sir Wilfrid, in February, 1916, when speaking on the extension resolution in which the leader of the Opposition said that "if Germany were to win the war it would be the end of all we held dear: if Germany should win, nothing else on God's earth would win, nothing else on God's earth would win."

Moves Extension Sir Robert Borden moved the resolution for an extension of the life of Parliament for another year. He pointed out that it was similar to the resolution he introduced in February, 1916, which was unanimously adopted. In his judgment the reasons for proposing this motion were quite as strong to-day as they were in 1916 and perhaps stronger. In the first place, there would be consequent upon a general election disunion and discord throughout the country. There had been up to the present time, apparent, at least, a seeming unity. Men had worked together without regard to party or race or creed. Outside and inside of Parliament there had been a feeling that political questions had not been very much in the minds of the people during the last three years. And he hoped that on this occasion they might arrive at some conclusion which would prevent controversy and distraction. More than that the minds and energies and thoughts of the people would be diverted and turned aside from the purpose of aiding in this war. They would be concentrated on issues which were of relative insignificance. In short, a general election would lead at least a divided nation.

Should be No Diversion "Besides this," said the premier, "I desire to emphasize the fact that the time and energies of the ministers of the crown in the present election would necessarily be diverted from the war to the interests of a political campaign. It goes without saying that members of the Government could not remain silent under attack. They would be obliged to speak and use their best efforts to justify themselves and administrators would be obliged to take care of themselves and consequently to devote their entire energies to the duties which are imposed upon them by the necessities of the war."

Conscientious Effort In all their endeavors there had been no regard for any considerations but the conscientious performance of their duties. To admit that mistakes might have been made, was simply to admit that the members of the Government were human and that they were not infallible, but he was confident that in Canada as few mistakes in the conduct of the war had been made as in any part of the empire.

Avoid Strife So he hoped, therefore, that it would be the Government did not propose this motion through any year of an appeal to the electorate, but they felt it their duty to present the motion for the purpose of avoiding the distraction, bitterness and strife which would inevitably ensue if the Parliamentary term was not extended for another year. He hoped the House would remember that political questions and party differences had absolutely no place in the minds or hearts of those who were holding Canada's lines beyond the Vimy Ridge. Among those Canadians there was but one great overmastering purpose—the winning of the war for liberty, civilization and humanity. If the same common purpose still inspired the members, then he hoped that the appeal which he was making to the House would not be in vain. He hoped that no wrong of his would be wanting to impress upon the House his feeling of responsibility in presenting this resolution to Parliament, and he realized fully that the situation which the Opposition had also a great responsibility involving upon him in coming to his last consideration; the premier said many communications had come to him from every part of this country as to the course which should be taken with regard to the extension of such a resolution. These communications in very large num-

MARKETS

TORONTO MARKETS

By Courier Landed Wire Toronto, July 18.—Cattle trade was firmer this morning with prices a shade higher. Small stock and hogs were strong. Receipts, 541 cattle, 257 calves, 1384 hogs, 328 sheep. Export cattle, choice, \$11.00 to \$11.50; butcher cattle, choice, \$11 to \$11.75; medium, \$9.50 to \$10; common, \$8.50 to \$9; butcher cows, \$10; sheep, \$8.55; mutton, \$7 to \$7.50; canners, \$7.50 to \$8; bulls, \$7 to \$9.50; feeding steers, \$8.00 to \$9; stockers, choice, \$8.00 to \$8.35; light, \$7.25 to \$7.55; milkers, choice, \$40 to \$120; springers, \$14.00 to \$15.00; hogs, \$11.00 to \$12.00; butts and culls, \$6.00 to \$7; lambs, \$14 to \$15.50; hogs, red and watered \$11.50 to \$12; calves \$7.00 to \$15.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

By Courier Landed Wire Chicago, July 18.—Cattle receipts 15,000; market, steady, beavers, \$8.35 to \$14.00; western steers \$8.60 to \$11.00; hogs, \$11.00 to \$12.00; sheep, \$8.25 to \$9.25; cows and heifers, \$5.30 to \$11.90; calves, \$9.50 to \$14.25; hogs, receipts 29,000; market, slow, light, \$14.30 to \$15.25; mixed, \$14.15 to \$15.50; heavy, \$14.00 to \$15.50; rough, \$14.00 to \$14.25; pigs, \$11.25 to \$14.15; bulk of sales \$14.40 to \$15.35; sheep, receipts 9,000; market firm; wethers, \$7.75 to \$11.00; lambs, \$9.50 to \$15.50.

EAST BUFFALO MARKET.

East Buffalo, July 18.—Cattle—Receipts 125; slow. Veals—Receipts 2,500; slow, heavy, \$1.95 to \$1.95; mixed, \$1.75 to \$1.85; yorkers, \$1.50 to \$1.85; light yorkers, \$1.25 to \$1.50; pigs, \$1.25; roughs, \$1.35 to \$1.40; stage, \$1.20; sheep, \$1.75. Sheep and lambs—Receipts 100; steady and unchanged.

Quoting from his own and Sir Wilfrid Laurier's remarks last year on the subject, Sir Robert said it was quite apparent the view that if this resolution should pass the House by a majority, the position would not end here, but would be taken up beyond the seas, and the Parliament of the United Kingdom, in the midst of the greatest struggle that humanity has known, would be confused and distracted with conflicting cries from the two political parties in this country. It seemed to him that an issue such as that ought not to be contemplated for a moment. This matter must be determined, it seemed to him, in this Parliament by unanimous or practically unanimous vote. If the resolution could not be carried by a practically unanimous vote, then he adhered entirely to the position which he assumed last year, he would not seek to urge it upon the House.

"In saying that, however," declared the prime minister, "I do not mean to say that I do not support on both sides of the House to give to this resolution the sanction of their unanimous approval. I would sign any resolution which would extend the life of the Parliament term, a Government formed by fair union of both political parties and pledged to carry on the effort of Canada in this war until it shall be crowned with a victorious conclusion. I should like to see the efforts of both political parties in this country thrown in order that the issue which we all pray for may be brought about. I realize fully that the conditions under which I propose this motion are not precisely the same as those which prevailed in February, 1916. There has been raised in this Parliament and in this country the question of the means by which the necessary reinforcements for the Canadian troops at the front shall be provided.

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The Administrator of the estate of the late Nancy March will offer for sale by public auction on Friday the twenty-seventh day of July inst. at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon on the premises being No. 4 Palmerston Avenue in the City of Brantford the following lands and premises, namely:—In the City of Brantford in the County of Brant and being composed of the Westery part of Lot No. Four in Block "C" Kerr-Place, on the South side of Palmerston Avenue and more fully described as follows:—Commencing at the North-westerly side of Palmerston Avenue forty-five feet four and one-half inches more or less to a stake planted thereon, thence North twenty-seven degrees thirty minutes West one hundred and twenty-five feet ten and three-quarter inches more or less to the Southerly limit of said Lot thence North sixty-two degrees thirty minutes West forty-five feet four and one-half inches more or less to the South-westerly angle of said Lot, thence North twenty-seven degrees thirty minutes East one hundred and twenty-five feet ten and three-quarter inches more or less to the place of beginning. On the premises is situated a substantial story and a half white brick residence. The premises are located near the corner of Palmerston and Brant Avenues, in the best residential district. Terms of sale:—10 per cent of purchase money at the time of sale and the balance in ten days. Further particulars and conditions made known at time of sale. The household goods and chattels will be sold by public auction at the same time and place for cash:—1 bedroom suite complete, 1 feather bed, quantity of bedding, carpets for bedroom, sheets, quilts, blankets, pillows, toilet set, six cane chairs, 1 cane rocking chair, rocking chair, 1 willow rocking chair, 2 arm chairs, extension table, dresser, 3 stoves, sideboard, couch, wool rug 4x4, kitchen cupboard kitchen utensils, fall-leaf table, clothes rack, stair carpet, mats, lamps, number of pictures towels, quantity of dishes, window blinds, fruit jars, quantity of fruit, boiler, clothes basket, chair, 1 willow rocking chair, hall rack, four bin, small table, stand, wash stand, cushions and a number of other things too numerous to mention. For further particulars apply to the Auctioneer or the undersigned Solicitor. Dated at Brantford this Tenth day of July, 1917. Weby Almas, Auctioneer. M. F. Muir, 136 Dalhousie street, Brantford.

Times Changed.

He had not gone about the form of a coalition Government that way. Sir Wilfrid said that he had announced his policy and then called upon me to help him carry it out. Sir Wilfrid said many things had been said since a year ago which led him to oppose extension. There was particularly the loss of life over the failure of the Ross River. He placed the blame on the Government. Sir Wilfrid said that it was claimed that the election would create division. He would admit that it would be an election of prejudice and passion. This was not the first time in Canadian history. However, it did not change his faith in Canadian people.

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My right honorable friend who leads the Opposition has not been eye to eye with me in that regard. I hope that the House and the country will realize that for nineteen months before that measure was proposed in this House I have been entrenched in the most urgent and forcible terms by representative men from every part of this country, coming here in large numbers, in great delegations, to enforce compulsory military service. I sincerely desired to avoid taking that step unless it were absolutely necessary, but in the end I saw that I did not propose to press this motion if it is opposed in the way I have spoken of. I think there ought to be practical unanimity in this House before we should go to the Imperial Parliament for the purpose of obtaining the necessary legislation, and I once more appeal to the honorable gentlemen in this House to avoid the very great evil of a war election, and in placing this motion before the House and the country to-day, I am dis-

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THE SITUATION

The Germans just now are making a dead set on the French front, but the French are successfully handling all assaults, and yesterday scored a notable offensive on their own account. They attacked the foe on the left bank of the Meuse, and before they finished had captured German positions on a front of more than a mile and a half to the depth of about two thirds of a mile. The enemy losses are reported to have been very heavy.

Petrograd reports that for strategic reasons, the Russian troops have evacuated the town of Kalusz, but still occupying the bank of the river. The move is stated to have been rendered necessary because of heavy German reinforcements for the Austrians.

The capture by a British patrol of four German steamers in the North Sea, is one more evidence of the constant alertness of the British navy. They formed part of a fleet which has been trading with Norwegian and other ports, and it is satisfactory to know that such a blow has been struck against this traffic. It portends a further tightening on trading between neutrals and the Huns. Meanwhile, it is understood that on behalf of the Allies a warning will be sent to Holland and others that such profiteering must cease.

There has been another shake-up in the British war ministry. Among other changes, Carson becomes a member of the inner cabinet, and Winston Churchill is once more given office. There will be a good many to question the advisability of again using this undoubtedly clever but too erratic and self-satisfied personage.

News from Russia is once more disquieting.

A NEW VIEW OF CONFEDERATION

One of the French-Canadian papers in making recent reference to the fact that the people of Quebec do not pay much attention to Canada's National Holiday, said:

"On this occasion we are often asked why French-Canadians do not celebrate with more enthusiasm this splendid holiday of the Dominion. They ask us, in fact, why the English-speaking Canadians alone celebrate this day and why we do not manifest our patriotism on that day? The reason is very simple. It is because Confederation was a triumph for the English, who used the province of Quebec to pay the debts of those in the Province of Ontario. It was rather a defeat for us, the real Canadians of the Dominion. Was not, indeed, Senator Landry right when he declared that the Confederation Act was an infamous trap for the French-Canadian people?"

That's the sort of buncombe the habitant is fed on. As a matter of fact the French Canadians secured far more under the terms of Confederation than was healthy for them, or healthy for this Dominion.

The fact that their tongue shares equal recognition with the English in the official sense, has from the first proved an arrant nuisance and a tremendous expense, and it has probably done more than anything else to foster their idea of a nation within a nation.

In many other directions they have been pampered far too much, and the departments at Ottawa are over-run with them and their lingo.

Canada's two Western rebellions were headed by a man with French blood in his veins, and there is a tribe of them there now, who ought to be indicted for treason and punished as traitors.

HUNS ADMIT LOSS

Berlin, July 18.—Via London.—The trenches recently captured by the Germans, near Malancourt wood, on both sides of the Malancourt-Esnes road, were penetrated by the French yesterday, the war office announces.

On the northern part of the front, from Yser to the Lys, the artillery fighting increased toward morning.

The Department of Labor's Index Number, showing the average wholesale cost of 272 commodities of general use, rose during June to 242.7, as compared with 240 for May, 183.3 for June of last year, and 135.3 for June, 1914.

LAURIER WANTS AN ELECTION

There can now be no doubt that Sir Wilfrid Laurier wants to force a general election. He has it figured out that with a solid Quebec, the foreign vote and those who object to the conscription proposal, he can again win his way back to office and as that is all he cares about the deplorable holding of a bitter contest during war time does not weigh one iota with him.

In the House yesterday he had the temerity to flout the statement that a contest at such a period would be a "National Crime," and yet only two years ago when an appeal was spoken of he used the very same language and added "I refuse to open the door of office with that bloody key."

That was because he thought then he could not win. Now he believes that he holds the key in the conscription issue and he is just itching to make the effort.

So much for a man who has so lamely failed in all the demands of true statesmanship during the existing crisis.

Prior to the taking of the vote on the extension motion, Sir Robert stated that unless there was preponderant approval the British government could not be approached in the matter. A majority of twenty is certainly not that and the indications are that the belief expressed in the Courier yesterday that there would probably be a contest is likely to be fulfilled. It is pity that such should be the case and the struggle will be of the most acrimonious nature, but an old man in a hurry to again taste the sweets of power has not taken such things into his consideration.

The rumor persists that Borden is quite likely to make another effort to form a Union Cabinet and in any event there would be many Liberal candidates who would feel themselves constrained to include conscription in their category. Their number should be enough to largely offset a solid Quebec vote on the main issue.

Taking everything into consideration Borden and his associates would seem to have nothing to fear if a light should come.

News Notes

In retail prices the average cost of a workman's family budget for a week's food in June rose to \$11.89, an advance of seven cents over May, and of \$3.38, or nearly 40 per cent., as compared with June, 1916.

Willie Gordon, fifteen years of age, was killed by lightning on his uncle's farm near Sunderland, on Saturday.

Premier Borden has issued an appeal to the men and women of Canada for co-operation in gathering in the harvest.

St. Mary's raised \$1120 for wounded French soldiers, Kitchener contributed \$1857, Orillia \$1300, and Clinton \$675.

Charles Jenvey, a pioneer resident of Oxford county, who for some years lived in Toronto, is dead at Ingersoll, aged 85.

Hugh McLean, aged 53, St. Catharines, was fined \$200 at Niagara Falls for merely having a bottle of whiskey in his possession. Hitherto if the bottle had an unbroken seal the man carrying it was not molested.

The house of Norman MacQueen, about five miles from Sydney, N.S., was struck by lightning at 9.30 last night. He and one of his youngest children were killed, while a brother and a son were seriously shocked.

A CHANCE FOR THOSE GOING WEST

Home-seekers' Excursions to Western Canada at low fares, via Canadian Pacific each Tuesday until October 30th, inclusive.

ENEMY DEPOSITS

Rome, July 15.—Returns from the banks showed enemy deposits in Italy exceeded two and a half billion lire, says the Idea Nazionale.

Garden Plot Prizes

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- 1. Competition strictly limited to those who secured land through the League.
2. The entries to be made to Ward chairmen on or before July 21, and to give name, address and exact position of plot.
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A CHEERY CHAT WITH MAN WHO HAS BEEN THERE

Globe Trotter Tells of Great Battles Fought On West Front ENEMY IS EXHAUSTED Many of German Soldiers Now Fighting Said To Be Mere Boys

He had been blown up by a high-explosive shell and had received a goodly number of splinters. One thought that he would not like to talk, but felt impelled to ask, at least, "How goes it?" He put a brown hand up to his pillow and gave it a tug. He was prepared for a chat. The crows-feet round his eyes—staringly blue eyes—wrinkled up and his long, humorous nose seemed to droop a trifle more when he grinned.

"I'm about as comfortable as ever I've been in my life." He wriggled a trifle in his bed. "Ah-such!" he grunted. "That comes of being too adventurous when you've been chewed up. No, thanks; it's nothing—only grouse. A fellow's body doesn't always play up to what his mind wants, does it?"

"Where did you get that lot?" He gave a nod of his head, accurately to the southeast. "Over there," he said, "we were attacking a place called Fresnoy. I'd just got over the top and I got one from a machine-gun in the leg. Before I dropped, an H.E. burst close to me and bowled me over. I was well peppered." And he laughed outright.

"I don't see much to laugh about?" he said. "But it's so darned complete!" he chuckled. "You remember that yarn? The farmer out west standing in the bar-room—somebody comes running in to him and yells out, 'Say Jones, your house has been burned down!' 'No,' says he, 'Fact and your barns are all gone, too.' 'No,' says he, 'That's the neighbor. 'And your stock is all burned and your hayricks.' 'No,' says the farmer, 'Fact, and your wife and kids are killed!' The farmer starts to laugh like blazes. 'What in thunder are you laughing at?' asks the neighbor. The farmer turns round to him, 'B—b—but it's so darned complete!'"

The way in which the wounded soldier told the yarn was inimitable. He pointed the story by giving the speech. The eyes impeding in his body was wonderful and his high spirits, despite the fact that he was swathed in bandages, struck one as amazing.

A Globe Trotter: "Where on earth do you come from?" "I'm a Scots-Irishman from an English mother," he said. "I've knocked about all over the globe. I ran away from school when I was coming on fourteen, and shipped on an Allan liner—the old Hibernian. What an old tub, she was—as an ordinary seaman. I was big for my age, and it was easy. I celebrated my twentieth birthday in the fo'c'sle at St. John's Newfoundland. Stuck at St. John's as quartermaster at eighteen, then tried my hand at farming in Canada. Liked it, but it was no Oregon. Got tired of that and labored on the Panama Canal. Shipped again and slipped it to Rosario. Was foreman on a railway job in the Argentine. Got a farm and grew alfalfa. Lord knows how many ducks I had, and how many head of cattle. The drought came and I lost the lot. I was hiking around Honolulu when

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LOCAL NEWS

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NO COURT

The docket and the spectator's benches at the police court this morning were vacant, the law-breakers having taken a holiday over night.

BOWLING.

There was quite an exodus of bowlers from the city this afternoon. Three rinks of Pastimes left for Hamilton to make a return visit to the Strathcona Bowling Club of that city. The Dufferins, Heathers and Pastimes each sent three rinks to complete in the tournament at St. George to-day where bowling clubs from this section of Western Ontario will be represented.

ARMENIAN MISSION

The Rev. Mr. Maniguan, an Armenian missionary, is in the city for a short time, during which he will conduct a mission among the Armenian element in Brantford. He is staying at the Y. M. C. A.

EXPECTED HERE

Mr. Geo. T. Williamson, the new general secretary of the local Y. M. C. A. is expected to arrive in the city on Friday. His duties in Brantford do not commence until August the 1st, however.

BUILDING PERMIT

A building permit was issued this morning to Michael J. Carroll, 6 Mary St., for the erection of a frame verandah, to cost \$65.

LETTER FROM ENGLAND.

Mr. Ross Beckett of the Y.M.C.A. staff this morning received an interesting letter from Private Hume Ryerson of the Mechanical Transport Corps. "Hume" is now stationed at Folkestone, England with Milton Knowles. Charles Bourne who was the other member of the trio to enlist at the same time has been transferred to Bramshott Camp. Hume is now a dispatch rider and states that while he is enjoying the experience, there is considerable hard work.

B.Y.P.E. RALLY

The Baptist Young People's Unions of the city, held their quarterly rally in Shenstone Memorial Church on Monday evening. Notwithstanding inclement weather, there was a large attendance of young people. Mr. R. L. Simmons, president, occupied the chair. A visitor from the States, Rev. Mr. White, of Chester Pa., led in prayer. A few words of welcome were given by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Slimon. The audience will long remember the splendid address by Rev. Albert Carr, of Riverdale on Missionary Opportunities in Roman Catholic countries. The choir beautifully rendered a selection of music. During the evening the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Mr. C. H. Lewis, Immanuel; 1st Vice-President, Miss M. Lacey, Shenstone; 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. H. Kitchen, Calvary; 3rd Vice-President, Miss A. M. Howden, Calvary; Secretary, Mr. W. E. Leonard, First; Treasurer, Mr. Cecil Discher, Park; Rev. W. E. Bowyer closed the meeting with prayer.

KITH AND KIN.

Eagle Place "Associated Kith and Kin" held a very interesting meeting on Tuesday afternoon in Trinity schoolroom. The attendance was not quite so good as on former occasions, the reasons for which may be attributed to two causes, the heavy rain, and local church picnics. More money was brought in by the "sellers of bricks," which brings the total so far to a very encouraging sum. The chief business for discussion was the picnic which will be held in Mohawk Park on Thursday afternoon, July 26th. Arrangements of details for the picnic were left in the hands of a special committee. A short musical programme added to the enjoyment of the afternoon. Miss Fitzgerald gave a pianoforte solo, and Mrs. Ernest McLaren sang very sweetly a couple of songs, entitled "The King's Own," and "Somewhere a Voice is Calling." Miss Fitzgerald acted as accompanist. This brought an enjoyable afternoon to a close, when the National Anthem was then sung by all.

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White Gabardine Suits with plaid or fancy striped skirt, trimmings on coat to match skirt, loose style with sash ties, large fancy buttons, Nobby style for the summer girl, Sale price \$12.75  
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Hundreds of Wash Skirts On Sale at 89c  
Values up to \$1.50  
Three smart styles in white jean skirts, full flare ripple, featuring deep pointed yoke or drop belt style, pearl buttons, regular, \$1.50  
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Pretty, Cool Looking Dresses at Radical Savings  
NOTE THE PRICE  
BLACK AND WHITE HAIR LINE DRESSES, full pleated styles from waist line, prettily trimmed with white collar and cuffs edged with lace \$1.95  
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MISSES SAILOR DRESSES, in white repp, blue trimmings, ideal style for the summer vacation, Sale price \$1.95  
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Dashing Glove Silk Coats and Suits  
At Remarkable Savings  
Glove Silk Sports Coats, in very clever style, showing the smart corded waist line at back, large collar, sash tie with tassel, patch pockets, special at \$8.95  
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Very Smart For The Young Miss, Values up to \$6.50, on Sale \$2.95  
These come in linen shades with contrasting color for belt, collar and cuffs, \$2.95 Special  
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Salts Cream Chinchilla Coats, smart swagger styles, raglan or set in sleeves, fancy shadow plaid collars, cuffs and pockets, with or without belt, values from \$12.95 to \$18.50, Sale price \$10.50 and \$12.95  
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**GOING SOON**  
Detective J. A. Chapman this morning was the recipient of a letter from his son, Saxon Chapman of the Divisional Engineers, who is stationed at Crowborough, England. A change with destination unknown is anticipated however in the near future.

**CARS CRASHED.**  
Another accident occurred at the corner of Market and Dalhousie Sts yesterday afternoon, in which a street car and an automobile were as has been frequently the case lately, the principals. The automobile was the sufferer, the headlights and fenders being badly damaged.

**Personals**  
Mrs. (Dr.) A. H. Montgomery, of New York City, is visiting for a few days with Mrs. A.H. Montgomery, Dufferin Avenue.  
Miss Hazel Green and Miss Clara Summerhayes, 13 Nelson street, are spending their vacation with friends in Detroit, Michigan.  
Mr. L. J. Gilleland, Manager of the Royal Bank at Sturgeon Falls, with wife and two children, are the guests for a few days of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith, Fleet Street.  
After three years' service with the Robertson drug store of this city, Mr. George McWebb has accepted a position with one of the Tamblin drug stores of Toronto.

**DR. PRATT RESIGNS.**  
Washington, July 15.—President Wilson to-day had before him the resignation of Dr. Edward B. Pratt, chief of the Bureau of Foreign and domestic commerce, Department of Commerce, and who as its head, was in active charge of the operation of the government's control of exports under the espionage act.  
The resignation was submitted to the president at the request of Secretary of Commerce Redfield, who beyond saying that Dr. Pratt had been removed for administrative reasons and for the good of the service would make no comment to-day on his action. It developed, however, that the two men differed widely over the administration of export control.  
Dr. Pratt is regarded as one of the country's foremost trade experts.

**RECRUITING FOR CANADA.**  
By Courier Leased Wire.  
Boston, July 18.—British recruiting officers in this city have begun sending men who have been accepted for army service, to training camps in Canada. Official advices from Ottawa were the basis of an announcement that hereafter men enrolling for service in the Canadian forces would be permitted to choose the province in which they wished to be enlisted.  
**MINISTER OF MARINE**  
By Courier Leased Wire.  
Rome, July 18.—Vice Admiral Delbone has been appointed minister of marine to succeed Vice Admiral Arturo Triangi.

**EXPLOSION IN STUTTGART.**  
By Courier Leased Wire.  
Amsterdam, July 18.—The Neues Tagblatt of Stuttgart, Germany, reports that on Saturday a great explosion occurred at the Wilhelm Weiffenbach factory. The building was destroyed, neighboring houses were damaged, and windows were broken in the nearby village of Suedheim.  
**TO MEET FOR PEACE.**  
By Courier Leased Wire.  
Basel, Switzerland, July 18.—The Neueste Nachrichten of Munich says that the declaration of the new German chancellor, Dr. Michaelis, before the Reichstag to-morrow will be for peace, having the same general trend as the resolution prepared by the parties of the Left.



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DIED

RUSSELL—In Oneida, on Tuesday, July 17th, Archibald Russell in his 81st year. Funeral from his late residence at 1.34 p.m. on Wednesday, thence to St. Ignace's Baptist Church and Cemetery.

NOTICE

My wife, Mary E. Hess, having left my home without cause, on or about the 28th day of June, 1917, I am no longer responsible for any debts incurred by her. JAMES E. HESS.

NOTICE

In response to notice of Alderman Jas. E. Hess would say, Does it look reasonable that any wife could tear herself away from the home she has worked so hard to help make unless driven from it by word and action? MARY E. HESS.

CAID OF THANKS

The Women's Patriotic League wish to thank the citizens of Brantford who responded so generously to the appeal for France's Day. As many of the contributions were anonymous, it has been found impossible to acknowledge all personally, but the splendid response is deeply appreciated.

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IMPORTANT SHAKING UP IN PERSONNEL OF BRITISH CABINET

Several Changes in Ministry of Old Land; Carson Quits Post, Succeeded by Sir Eric Geddes; Winston Churchill Is Minister of Munitions

London, July 18.—Sir Edward Carson has relinquished his post as First Lord of the Admiralty and joined the War Cabinet without portfolio, according to an official announcement of new Ministerial appointments issued this evening. Sir Edward will be succeeded by Sir Eric Campbell Geddes, who has been Director-General of Munitions Supply.

Winston Spencer Churchill succeeds Dr. Christopher Addison as Minister of Munitions, Dr. Addison becoming a Minister without portfolio in charge of construction. The Right Hon. E. S. Montagu is made Secretary for India, succeeding J. Austen Chamberlain.

ONE VALUABLE ADDITION

One of the most acceptable appointments, so far as the general public is concerned, is that of Mr. Montagu. He is one of the very few members of the Asquith Administration, in which he was Minister of Munitions, to join the Lloyd George Ministry.

Mr. Montagu has had considerable experience in the affairs of India, having once held the post of Under-Secretary for India. Lately he has been in charge of a large committee exploring the ground for reconstruction after the war, and before the recent resignation of J. Austen Chamberlain as Secretary for India was announced, it was generally supposed that Mr. Montagu eventually would become Minister of Reconstruction.

The necessity for finding a new Secretary for India, however, caused a modification in the plans and Dr. Addison, who had been slated for the projected Ministry of Health, now becomes head of this Reconstruction Committee, which has been created into a kind of Ministerial Department.

Two Complete Surprises. The new Cabinet appointments, arising out of the resignation of Mr. Chamberlain as Secretary for India, and Andrew Bonar Law's desire to be relieved of his duties as a member of the small War Cabinet, which he found incompatible with his heavy responsibilities, first, as Chancellor of the Exchequer, and second, as leader of the House of Commons, contained two complete surprises; the appointment of Sir Eric Geddes as head of the Admiralty and Winston Spencer Churchill as Minister of Munitions.

Much controversy has revolved for a long time past over the name of Mr. Churchill. It was stated some time ago that he would succeed Lord Cowdray as Chairman of the Air Board, but the idea evidently then contemplated by Premier Lloyd George met with such strong opposition in influential quarters that the project had to be dropped. Mr. Churchill's appointment now as Minister of Munitions will undoubtedly lead to a revival of that agitation, and although it was foreshadowed, and he had re-entered the Ministry, it was universally supposed that it would be as President of the Air Board.

The appointment of Sir Eric Geddes as First Lord of the Admiralty is another break with the tradition that the Ministers should be members of one of the legislative Houses. The new First Lord is a railwayman, not a politician, and recently he was in charge of the whole army transportation; then he became Controller of the Admiralty, with charge of the fleet. Such a rapid rise to the position to which he is now appointed is quite remarkable and another instance of how old political traditions break with the new.

The appointment of Sir Edward Carson to replace Mr. Bonar Law as the fifth member of the War Cabinet is likely to create more uneasiness and stronger criticism among the older Liberals than any other appointment. The War Cabinet now in practice consists of only four men, Mr. Henderson, the Labor member, being still on a mission in Petrograd. Of these four, Earl Curzon, Lord Grey and Mr. Lloyd George are Conservatives of the most extreme type, and complaints constantly heard from the Liberal and Radical press of the undue preponderance of Conservative influence in the Government since Mr. Lloyd George took the helm will now be intensified.

others, and the help she had been to him in his ministry. He had never met one who excelled more fully the Christian virtues. The remains were afterwards conveyed to the historic Mt. Pleasant cemetery, and laid away in a family plot alongside those of the husband of deceased, who died in 1901, and those of three of her children. Despite the downpour of rain, a number of Mt. Pleasant friends were present to pay the last tribute of respect to one who had endeavored herself to so many of the residents of the village.

THE JULY CLEARANCE SALES NOW GOING ON AT CROMPTON'S. The firms announcement on page Five of this issue deserve careful perusal as they tell of important savings on seasonal goods. The offering of the M. E. Long & Co's stock of Floorcoverings and Draperies presents an opportunity to the buying public to make great savings on everything wanted for the home. The merchandise represented in the highest order, and having been bought at a very heavy reduction by E. B. Crompton & Co., it goes without saying that the public will benefit.

Then in addition to this great offering, is the clearance of all spring and summer merchandise in the Ready-to-Wear, Millinery and Blouse Shops. Every line into which the element of fashion enters is being offered at a reduction which in many cases is as much as a third to a half of regular prices.

Fashionably inclined women will now have the opportunity of securing the cream from the important fashion centres at the savings of many dollars.

This no doubt is the most important announcement of the whole season, as it is so far reaching in the breadth of assortments and the savings to be had. The sale will continue throughout July, but naturally the best choice is to be had now—so prompt action is advisable, if you would benefit to the fullest extent.

TOWER DESTROYED By Courier Leased Wire Riverhead, N.Y., July 18.—Destruction of a wireless tower, erected here several years ago by Nikola Tesla, the inventor, for experimental purposes, has been completed by government engineers, to prevent its being used by German spies to transmit information, it became known today. Charges of dynamite were placed under the foundations and the tower was blown over. It was about 100 feet in height and was abandoned some time ago by Tesla. KAPNS CASTORIA For Infants and Children In Use For Over 30 Years Always bears the name of Dr. J. C. Watson Smallware Department Store, 156 Colborne St.

HOW IS YOUR APPETITE

Loss of appetite during the summer months is a common trouble, and indicates that the digestive system is out of order. Lacking a healthy appetite many people—especially women—go too long without food, or eat sparingly because food seems to distress them, and it is no wonder that they complain that they are constantly tired and unable to stand the hot weather. This simply means that the digestive system is not doing its proper work, and that the nutriment that should come from the food is not being distributed to the various organs of the body. In other words the blood is growing thin and watery.

You need a summer tonic, and in all the realm of medicine there is no tonic can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Take a short treatment with these pills now and notice how promptly your appetite returns and your power to digest food improves. Your food will then do you good, your strength will return and you will no longer complain that the hot weather tires you.

The best time to begin taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills is the moment you feel the least bit out of sorts. The sooner you do so the sooner you will regain your old time energy. You can get these pills through any medicine dealer or by mail at \$2.50 a box or six boxes for \$15.00 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

STEAMER SAVED

New York, July 18.—The British Steamship Cranmore, previously reported sunk by a German U-boat, was saved from destruction by an American destroyer which was conveying her through the danger zone, according to members of her crew, who arrived here today from England on an American ship. The Cranmore was attacked they said, June 7, about 180 miles west of Ireland, five of her plates being stove in by a torpedo. The U-boat that fired it did not appear, and did not press the attack owing to the pressure of the American warship. Under protection of the destroyer the vessel was able to proceed to a French port under her own steam. The Cranmore sailed from Baltimore, May 25, for Manchester.

HEAVY FIGHTING

Petrograd, July 18.—Heavy fighting is continuing in the region of Novica and Kaluz in eastern Galicia, the war office announced today. The Russians were driven from a height in this region by a strong attack, but afterwards by a counter-thrust re-occupied the eminence. The Austro-German guns opened a heavy fire along the front from Brzezany and in the region of Haliex.

INDEPENDENT LABOR PARTY

Is Not Satisfied With Either Side And Recommends The Nominating of a Candidate

A largely attended meeting of the executive of The Brantford Independent Labor Party at the Trades and Labor last night took into its consideration the present political situation in Canada. The opinion was generally expressed that the impending federal election provided an exceptional opportunity for the return of a solid body of independent labor members from Ontario to the House of Commons. Eventually the following resolution was passed:

WHEREAS throughout the country there is considerable dissatisfaction with the lack of capacity, initiative and resource shown by both capitalist parties to cope with the conditions created by the war, and particularly in connection with the problem of the high cost of living and the disgusting profiteering permitted in connection with war contracts;

AND WHEREAS there has arisen, in consequence, a deep desire on the part of the people for independent political representation in the federal House of Commons, and that the present demoralization of the two capitalist parties affords an excellent opportunity for insuring the return to the House of Commons of a representative of the Independent Labor Party for this city.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED THAT the executive recommend to the party that the constituency of Brantford be contested at the next federal general election, and that steps be immediately taken to submit to the party the names of desirable men from which to select a candidate.

NARROW ESCAPE

Quebec, July 18.—His Grace, Cardinal Begin, at eight o'clock this morning was being driven down Mountain Hill in this city to the ferry, when the horse slipped on the pavement, bolted and came near upsetting the vehicle. The wagon skidded to the sidewalk, stopping only along the walls of the buildings, Cardinal Begin, with his two companions, escaped injury.

A petition was presented by nearly 2,000 citizens asking the Stratford city council to establish a civil coal and wood yard. Capt. Conner, an American officer from Concord, N.H., is staying a few days with the officers of the Infantry Training Depot at Camp Borsten.

White Sox are Picked Chicago In American League Look Good At Present of Permanent Line Chicago, July 18.—Baseball fans here have decided to confine the dreams of a world's series played between the White Sox and the New York Giants—a championship that should smash all records for attendance. Hope of the Cubs landing higher than fourth place has about been relinquished. The constant shifting of Mitchell's line-up augurs ill for the north side team. The consistent batting order of the White Sox on the other hand, is a might good sign. It demonstrates that Manager Rowland used rare good judgment early in picking out his line-up. The writer was with him every day on the spring trip and has travelled with him ever since the start of the season. No one who has watched Rowland closely all this time can consistently criticize him. Several writers, it will be recalled, picked Brick Eldred as the guardian of the right field post on the Sox, but Rowland released Eldred and sent Nemo Leibold to that garden, saving veteran John Collins to bat against southpaw pitching. Again, crossing some of the experts, Rowland chose Risberg for the shortstop post and kept him there despite an erratic spell early in the pennant race. Having decided on his line-up, the Sox manager has kept it intact, and in this policy he has achieved success, but it has required great tact and skilful diplomacy at times to keep the team going as at present lined up. Last year it was our contention that the Red Sox won, not because they were by all odds the best team in the American League, but because they were able to keep their men in the game more consistently than their rivals. Look how the Yankees were shot, also the White Sox at times. This year Rowland carries a game ball club, a bunch of players who will stick. Risberg has been there playing on his nerve when he should have been in the hospital. The same is true of Jackson and Gandil. This element of gameness, which has been largely developed owing to encouragement from Rowland and Gleason, is a factor that may decide the pen-

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# White Sox and Giants Picked for Big Series

## Chicago In American League and New York In National Look Good At Present Time—Rowland's Policy of Permanent Line-up Has Good Results

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# ANOTHER WIN FOR SCHUPP BASEBALL RECORD

## Giants Defeated Chicago Cubs Yesterday By Score Of 6-1

New York, July 17.—New York won another easy victory over Chicago to-day, the score being six to one. The Giants hit Demaree and took advantage of Chicago's numerous misplays. Catcher Dillhoefer of Chicago was spiked by Kautf in the fourth inning and was forced to retire. Score:—

R. H. E. Chicago 1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—1 8 6 N. York 0 0 1 2 3 0 0 0 x—6 10 1

Demaree, Hendrix and Dillhoefer, Wilson, Schupp and Gibson.

# REDS USED THEIR HITS Cincinnati Defeated Phillies Yesterday, Though Out-hit 7-5

Philadelphia, July 17.—Cincinnati made splendid use of its few hits in to-day's game and defeated Philadelphia, 3 to 1. Thorpe's home run gave the visitors the lead in the second inning and three singles were bunched after Bancroft made a wild throw on Kopf's grounder in the fourth inning, which netted two more runs. Score:—

R. H. E. Cincinnati 0 1 0 2 0 0 0 0 0—3 5 2 Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—1 7 1

Schneider and Clarke; Rixey, Oeschger and Killiter.

# WHITE SOX WIN COUPLE Take Firmer Grip On First Place By Beating Senators Twice

Chicago, July 17.—Chicago won both games of the double-header from Washington to-day by scores of 5 to 0 and 3 to 2. In the initial game Cicotte allowed the visitors but one hit. Only one other man reached first, Rice, in the seventh, who walked. Neither reached second.

The second game was a pitchers' duel between Walter Johnson and Urban Faber and went into the eleventh inning before the deciding run was scored. Score:—

R. H. E. Washington 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 1 0 Chicago 0 1 4 0 0 0 0 0 x—5 8 0

Johnson and Atssmith; Faber and Schalk.

# With the City Police

After two days of suffragist rioting at the White House gates, the police have put a stop to the trouble by arresting the pickets who too actively urged "votes for women." Such activity during war time has been denounced by the better elements in the Suffragist party and is opposed to the national temper of the country. America is in the war to win it. Canada has been in the war for thirty four months for the same purpose. The record of its Divisions has won the admiration of the world. The Dominion requires money to maintain its war organization. The men and women at home are asked to sacrifice themselves in the interests of the men at the front. No sacrifice they can make can equal the sacrifice of the Canadian Soldiers, but national condemnation of luxuries, national denunciation of extravagance and national practise of thrift and economy will be a vital factor in victory. Save your money and invest in War Savings Certificates. C-15.

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## INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Newark	48	31	.608
Providence	48	33	.593
Toronto	47	34	.580
Baltimore	46	36	.561
Rochester	42	41	.506
Buffalo	34	40	.459
Richmond	32	47	.407
Montreal	28	53	.346

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Richmond 2, Buffalo 0.  
Baltimore 6, Montreal 4.  
Rochester 3, Newark 2.

## TO-DAY'S GAMES

Providence at Toronto (2 games).  
Baltimore at Montreal.  
Richmond at Buffalo.  
Newark at Rochester.

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
New York	49	26	.653
Philadelphia	40	33	.548
St. Louis	44	38	.537
Cincinnati	47	42	.525
Chicago	43	42	.506
Brooklyn	37	39	.487
Boston	33	43	.434
Pittsburg	24	54	.305

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cincinnati 3, Philadelphia 1.  
New York 6, Chicago 1.  
Brooklyn 2, St. Louis 1.  
Boston 18, Pittsburg 6.

## TO-DAY'S GAMES

Pittsburg at Boston (2 games).  
Cincinnati at Philadelphia.  
Chicago at New York.  
St. Louis at Brooklyn.

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
Chicago	53	31	.629
Boston	50	32	.610
Cleveland	47	40	.541
New York	41	39	.513
Detroit	43	40	.519
Washington	33	47	.413
St. Louis	33	52	.388
Philadelphia	30	48	.385

## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

Cleveland 2, New York 1.  
Detroit 9, Philadelphia 2-3.  
Chicago 5-3, Washington 0-2.  
St. Louis 3, Boston 2.

## TO-DAY'S GAMES

Washington at Chicago.  
Philadelphia at Detroit.  
New York at Cleveland.  
Boston at St. Louis.

# EVEN BREAK AT DETROIT Tigers And Athletics Divided Double Header Yesterday

Detroit, July 18.—Detroit and Philadelphia divided a double-header yesterday. The home club won the first game 9 to 2, by hitting J. Bush and Schaefer. Philadelphia took the second 3 to 1. Noyes outpitched Ernie, who was poorly supported. A hard shower halted the second game at the end of the eighth. Score:—

R. H. E. Detroit 9 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—9 15 1 Philadelphia 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—3 11 1

Noyes and Schang; Ehmske and Stanga.

# BALTIMORE WON OUT Several Pitchers Used By Both Teams At Montreal Yesterday

Montreal, July 17.—After six innings of good baseball the pitchers for both Baltimore and Montreal blew up here this afternoon and the score mounted fast, the final reading 9 to 4 in favor of Baltimore. Score:—

R. H. E. Baltimore 0 1 0 0 0 4 0 1—6 10 2 Montreal 0 0 0 0 0 1 3 0 0—4 6 2

Newton, Thorntahlen, Farnham and McAvoy; Lyons, Duffy and Madden.

# Music and Drama

## HAD THE ATMOSPHERE

In the making of "A Son of the Hills, Greater Vitagraph, some of the actors had to go without their lunch on one occasion. Harry Davenport directed the picture and the mob scenes used scores of extra people. Many of the men, made up as mill workers, presented a pretty tough appearance.

On the day in question, after working hard all morning, Davenport and his crew went into a rather pretentious restaurant in Brooklyn, and the proprietor immediately halted them. Calling Davenport aside, he said:

"Say, listen, I can't serve that gang, I have a fair class of trade here and I want to keep it. Of course I can't refuse to serve these laborers, but you'd do me a favor if you'd go some place else to eat."

"Laborers" said Davenport. "Why, they're actors."

"That may be all right," said the restaurant man, "but everybody doesn't know it."

So Davenport and his men went back to work, because there was no other restaurant in the neighborhood.

# QUADRUPLED RIVALS

There are two actors on the Keystone lot who regard each other with dark suspicion. Teddy, the dog actor is amazed that Mr. Sennett can see any necessity of keeping that dern little black bear on the job. The bear, on the contrary, sniffs with contempt every time Teddy appears. They never get as far as a fight. When they come alone and meet the bear rises up on his hind legs and gives the big dog a glare. Then squats down on his haunches in the middle of the walk and stares. Teddy looks up at his master for instructions, then goes on about his business, pausing only to remark, "If I wasn't under orders to let you alone, I would chew you up into bear steak, you fresh guy."

# SUCH REPARTEE

While Harold Lockwood and May Allison were going through a scene in the Metro-York production, "Big Tremaine," one of the property boys stumbled over a bee-hive, and the busy little insects proceeded to improve the "shining hour" by attacking the entire company. Mr. Lockwood fought valiantly at first—then fled. So did Miss Allison, closely followed by Lester Cuneo and Director Henry Otto.

"I'm sure the bees were after you," said Lockwood to Miss Allison. "They always seek the sweetest flowers, you know."

# REBELS BEAT THE BISON Hit Wyckoff Hard At Critical Moments And Won Two to Nil

Buffalo, July 18.—Richmond shut out Buffalo yesterday, the score being 2 to 0. Young was very effective, while Wyckoff was found at critical times. Score:—

R. H. E. Buffalo 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 2 Richmond 1 0 1 0 0 0 0 0—2 8 0

Wyckoff and Onslow; Young and Kohler.

# MITCHELL SELLS SEATON

Chicago, July 18.—Announcement was made yesterday that Tom Seaton, veteran pitcher of the Chicago Nationals, had been sold outright to the Los Angeles club of the Pacific Coast League.

# DODGERS SELL FORMER ROYAL

New York, July 18.—The Brooklyn National League club yesterday sold James D. Smyth, utility infielder, to the St. Louis Nationals under the waiver rule. Smyth was with the Montreal team last season.

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# NEWARK LOST CLOSE FIGHT

Good Pitching and Clever Fielding Featured Game At Rochester

Rochester, July 18.—Rochester turned the tables yesterday on Newark in a pitching duel between Loman and Ross, the home club winning by 2 to 1. A great running catch by Young on a short fly back of second cut off a Newark run in the second. Score:—

R. H. E. Newark 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 1—2 5 1 Rochester 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 x—3 5 1

Ross, McGraw and Blackwell; Lohman and Sandberg.

# HOMERUN WON FOR DODGERS

Stengel Came Through With a Timely Wallop In Tenth Inning

Brooklyn, July 18.—With the score tied nine men out in the tenth inning, Stengel drove a ball over the right field wall yesterday, and won the game for Brooklyn from St. Louis by a score of 2 to 1. The game was a pitchers' battle. St. Louis scored when Betsel tripled in the fifth and Johnston's error brought in the run. Score:—

R. H. E. St. Louis 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0 4 1 Brooklyn 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0—2 6 4

Doak and Gonzalez; S. Smith and O. Miller.

# BRAVES HIT MAMAUX HARD

Boston Wins Fifth Straight Putting It Over Down-Trodden Pirates

Boston, July 17.—Boston won its fifth successive game to-day, defeating Pittsburgh, 10 to 6. Mamaux was hit in the first inning and was wild. Before two men were out Boston had scored six runs. Jacobs succeeded Mamaux and retired the side. Nehf was hit hard, but the visitors could not overcome the big Boston lead. Score:—

R. H. E. Pittsburgh 0 0 0 0 4 0 0 2—6 13 2 Boston 6 2 0 0 1 0 0 0 x—10 12 2

Mamaux, Jacobs and Fischer; Nehf and Traggessor, Rice.

# ORIOLES GET BROOKLYN PITCHER

New York, July 17.—The Brooklyn National League club to-day released W. G. Dell, pitcher, to Baltimore International League club, under an optional agreement. Edward Appleton, the pitcher who refused to go to the Baltimore International League club a month ago, has been reinstated and has joined the organization.

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--By Wellington





# Alleged Profits of The William Davies Company in 1916 on Bacon, as Indicated by Department of Labor to be Five Cents per Pound, Untrue: Actual Profits Two-Thirds of a Cent Per Pound

THE statement issued by the Department of Labor concerning the business of The William Davies Company Limited has been given widespread circulation throughout the country and provoked public unrest.

Whatever the technical wording of the report was, the effect has been that the newspapers have published that "the profits on Bacon alone" of this Company "for 1916" were about "five millions of dollars." This interpretation of the official report is not surprising in view of certain statements that the Commissioner of the Cost of Living makes. The Commissioner is reported as saying that "There were two individual cases of profiteering in 1916 and that had these cases occurred since the passage of the cost of living Order-In-Council, he would consider it his duty to recommend that the facts be laid before the Attorney-General for consideration as to their criminality." The situation created by such erroneous and damaging statements is serious as emanating from a Government official, from whom one looks for not only accurate statements but correct conclusions.

The William Davies Company, being a private concern, has followed the practice of all private corporations, except when it made a bond issue in 1911, in that it has not published reports of its assets and liabilities or profit and loss. The present circumstance, however, in which a Government Official has led the public to false conclusions, makes it advisable for this Company, for both the public interest and its own interest, to publish particulars of its business as well as point out the error of the statement of the Government Official.

For the last fiscal year ending March 27th, 1917, The William Davies Company bought and killed 1,043,000 head of Live Stock (Cattle, Hogs and Sheep). This, plus purchases of outside Meats, produced 160,000,000 pounds of Meats. The Company handled 6,550,000 pounds of Butter and Cheese, 5,650,000 dozens of Eggs, and manufactured 26,500,000 tins of Canned Goods. The net profits on these were .68 cents (or two-thirds of a cent) per pound on meats, 1.04 cents on Butter and Cheese, 1.04 cents per dozen on Eggs, and .47 cents (or slightly less than one-half a cent) per tin on Canned Goods. These profits include profits on all By-Products derived from these accounts.

During the year the Company served at its retail stores 7,500,000 customers, the average purchase of each customer was 35c, and the net profit upon each sale was 5-8 of 1 cent. The turnover of the Company from all its operations for the last fiscal year ending March 27th, 1917, was \$40,000,000. The net percentage of profit upon this turnover, after deducting war tax, was 1.69 per cent, or including war tax 3.45 per cent.

The William Davies Company has assets of \$13,385,000, of which \$3,865,000 is tied up in fixed investments. To provide the necessary facilities for the increased volume of business the Company expended \$750,000 in buildings and equipment during the year. Companies of other character present no more reasonable statement of profit and loss based upon the investments made in the business.

The William Davies Company offered to the Imperial authorities, as well as to the War Office Service (which represents the Imperial authorities in Canada) to place the output of its Factory with respect to Bacon supplies, Canned Beef and Pork and Beans at the service of the authorities, on the basis of cost plus an agreed percentage. These offers were successively declined as the authorities evidently desired to purchase in the open market, and on this basis The William Davies Company has secured War Office business by open competition with the world.

## Respecting the Report of the Commissioner on the Cost of Living:

Last Winter the Commissioner, under authority of Order-in-Council, required packers to submit statements under oath for some years back and up to December 31, 1916, of incoming stocks of Meats and the cost of such, as well as statements of outgoing product and the selling value. This Company represented in writing at the time that the information as specifically required was not in accordance with Packing House Accounting methods, and invited the Commissioner to send an Officer to the Head Office of the Company to examine the books for any information desired, and to secure a view point as to the best way of collecting data which would be of use to the Government. This offer was declined, and there was nothing to do but fill in the information required as literally as we could determine it. For example, there was no recognition of the fact that a raw product may enter a factory under a specific classification and leave the factory as a finished product under some other classification.

We submitted a series of accurate figures based upon our interpretation of the official requirements which made no provision for charges of any description other than incoming freight and unloading charges to be included in the cost or to be deducted from the selling price. There was nothing in the report which could be read so as to determine a profit and loss statement. The very fact that with only a statement based upon cost of raw products and value of sales in Great Britain a Government Official has deduced "Large margins," "Profiteering" and "Criminality" if it had occurred since the passage of a recent Act, shows too dangerous a trifling and incapacity to be permitted to deal with any important situation. The statements of this Company have been treated by the author of this report as if the outgoing product was identical with the incoming product, and from the series of reports he has singled out two items—the Bacon and Egg reports—and from them deduced an erroneous "margin" which the newspapers have interpreted as "profit." The author of the inquiry shows a

strange lack of even a fundamental knowledge of simple bookkeeping and a dangerous inability to co-ordinate figures. The following are specific and outstanding errors in the report:

The principal item that is causing excitement deals with cold storage Bacon. The term "cold-storage" is not defined, and the public is allowed to make its own definitions. As all Bacon in a packing house is under refrigeration it is really all cold-storage, and therefore this Company's figures of cold-storage Bacon represent this complete quantity of Bacon handled in its entire Plant, whether in freezers or in process of cure for immediate shipment. That some Companies interpreted cold-storage product as "freezer" product only is evidenced by the smallness or entire lack of figures on the Bacon list for some Plants, indicating that many Firms did not submit statements of their complete stocks, as did this Company. An Official of this Company pointed out this cold-storage distinction to Mr. O'Connor and Miss McKenna in Ottawa a few weeks ago, and the failure to make the distinction after having had it pointed out evidences lack of desire for accuracy of the real information desired.

It is true The William Davies Company, in 1916, exported 97,791,000 pounds of Bacon, but we do not know how the margin of 5.05 cents per pound arrived at by Mr. O'Connor, as there were no figures to justify such a conclusion. The probabilities are that the margin is arrived at by taking the average cost per pound of incoming product from the average selling price per pound of outgoing product. This may be a rough way of estimating the gross margin when dealing with small figures, but when dealing with figures the size that Mr. O'Connor has to deal with, a very small fraction of a cent per pound of error makes a very important difference in the total, and one must be careful to make sure that the outgoing product is the same finished merchandise of the incoming product reported on.

Allowing it to pass, however, as a rough esti-

mate, we wish to point out—(first)—the inquiry of the Commissioner allowed only for incoming freight and unloading charges, and made no provision whatsoever for operating charges of any kind, such as labor, curing materials, refrigeration, etc. Such actual charges on the 97,791,000 pounds exported were \$1,162,000—or 1.2 cents per pound. This amount covered all charges up to the point of placing the Bacon on cars i.e., packing-house. In addition to this was the actual cost to land and sell this 97,791,000 pounds in England after leaving the packing house, which involved charges of 2.9 cents per pound—or \$2,836,000. This 2.9 cents per pound included inland and ocean freight, landing charges, war and marine insurance, cables, and selling commission to agents. The ocean freight and war risk alone would make up 2.4 cents of the charge of 2.9 cents per pound. This 1.2 cents, plus 2.9 cents—a total of 4.1 cents—must be deducted from Mr. O'Connor's margin of 5.05 cents per pound, leaving a margin of .95 cents, or slightly less than a cent per pound, which still has to be reduced because of the error of premises and because of further factors which have to be considered to determine net profits.

It is quite evident some of the other packers did not show selling values in the country in which the goods were sold—a proceeding quite proper, as the forms submitted to be filled in were indefinite and ambiguous, thus permitting without charge of evasion a variety of interpretation as to the information required. It is thus possible that of all the figures submitted by the different packers that no two sets of costs and sales prices are determined at the same common point. It is this difference of interpretation of what was required that accounts for the difference of the alleged "margin" made by the different companies. Common conclusions, however, have been drawn by the author of the report from varying bases of premises.

The figures of the Egg business were submit-

ted on the same basis as Bacon, and similar deductions must be made.

(Second)—The above margin is further reduced in that the author of this inquiry singled out the Bacon figures as an item in which the selling price shows an alleged improper advance over cost, but he did not give us credit for the statements of other products, of which figures were submitted, the selling prices of which were under cost. The reason of this was that through failure to inquire the Department entirely overlooked the fact that product may come in as pork and, through the process of manufacture, go out as Bacon, or, in another instance, enter the factory as beef and go out in the form of canned meats; for example: much of the product which came in as pork, and which was entered on the pork sheet submitted to the Commissioner—about which he makes no mention—was cured and left the factory in the form of Bacon, and was, therefore, entered on the outgoing side of the Bacon sheet—the result is that the Bacon sales are increased by this amount over the incoming stocks of Bacon, and, likewise, the sheet showing sales of pork is reduced by the amount that went out in the form of Bacon. If the Department takes one set of figures that show favorable to the Company they should take another set of figures that show unfavorable, as the principle in either case is the same, and failure to do so looks as if the author of the report was exercising more enthusiasm than sound judgment in his investigations.

(Third)—It is queried in the report, that "if the margin of 3.47 cents," alleged to have been made in 1915, "was satisfactory, why was it necessary to show increased margin in 1916?" Assuming again for the moment the soundness of the premises in asking such a question based on an erroneous "margin," it will be found that the increased margin is chiefly absorbed in increased ocean freight rates and war risk insurance in 1916, of which apparently the author of the report was in ignorance.

The Company does not challenge either the legal or moral right of the Government to investigate business enterprises when public interest directs such an investigation should be made. If an investigation of the packing and meat business is ordered, the Company will place at the disposal of the Government not only the data it would be required to supply under Order-in-Council directing that inquiry be made, but will place the experience of its officers at the disposal of the investigating committee, if it is considered they can render any service which will be of value. The Company has not now—or at any time during the fifty years of its operation—anything to conceal in method or practice of carrying on its business. It does, however, claim the right to conduct its export business without abusive comment from Government civil servants—especially when the conclusions drawn from the data asked for are improper and false.

One of Canada's chief export industries is the packing business. It is essential to the live stock industry, and, along with other export industries, it maintains the financial stability of this country and should, providing it is on a sound basis, receive encouragement and not slanderous abuse. In view of the publicity given to the report of the Commissioner on the cost of living, the Company demands the same publicity in having an official Government investigation of this report to determine the truthfulness or untruthfulness of its conclusions. We do not seek public consideration as a company, but we do say that untruthful official statements, or statements of the truthfulness or untruthfulness of its conclusions. We do not think this country, which is so valuable and essential a wealth-producing power and, in the long run, are harmful to the very people that the statement seeks to benefit.

If the passing out of existence of a corporation such as The William Davies Company, or if nationalization of packing houses would materially and permanently reduce food prices, into consumers because of war, and the tremendous destruction of food products incident to war, there is no remedy for the high prices of food while such conditions last, except the remedy of thrift and increase of production.

Long before there was talk of a Food Controller in the United States or Canada The William Davies Company urged the Government at Ottawa, in writing, to appoint a Food Controller with full power to do what he saw fit, as we realized at that time the upward tendency in the price of food commodities unless checked by official effort. At the most a great deal cannot be done in reducing food prices while currency is inflated and until the scale of prices of all kinds of commodities declines also. What can be done can only be done by a Food Controller. We wish to point out that nothing at all can be accomplished unless the data secured are accurately and clearly made and the deductions therefrom sound. Only public harm arises from dangerous incompetency in the haphazard collection and careless use of important figures.

As far as The William Davies Company is concerned this terminates all public statements of the Company, and it will pay no more attention to speculative and haphazard statements made either by newspapers or civil servants. The only further statement that will be made will be at an official investigation.

Toronto, July 17th, 1917.

E. C. FOX, General Manager  
THE WILLIAM DAVIES COMPANY, LIMITED

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(From Tuesday's Daily.)  
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CHAPTER XXVII.

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No one resented his manner so long as it did not go to physical violence. He was impersonal—a piece of merchandise that had to be dealt with. When they had done with him he would be put back in a cell like any common drunk and disorderly, and be more or less forgotten when any reasonable physical wants had been attended to.

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The whole scene struck Jimmie as something unreal—like a badly staged play, badly acted scene in a play. The spectacular, the melodramatic touch was absent. Ling alone carried his role with anything like the reality of the stage. The gray dawn was filtering through the skylight, yellowing the electric bulbs, yet Menzie did not stalk to the centre of the stage and with outstretched arm denounce the villain of the piece. He was not made up for the part.

Instead a bareheaded police inspec-

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No one resented his manner so long as it did not go to physical violence. He was impersonal—a piece of merchandise that had to be dealt with. When they had done with him he would be put back in a cell like any common drunk and disorderly, and be more or less forgotten when any reasonable physical wants had been attended to.

That was the impression Jimmie had of these men in his mind. And partly he was right. Yet Menzies, at least, though his nonchalant manner did not show it, had a sense of triumph, of work in great part achieved that made him view Ling with a more personal interest. Ling as Ling did not matter to him, but Ling as a symbol of the forces which he had defeated was of mighty interest.

The whole scene struck Jimmie as something unreal—like a badly stage managed, badly acted scene in a play. The spectacular, the melodramatic touch was absent. Ling alone carried his role with anything like the reality of the stage. The grey dawn was filtering through the skylight, yellowing the electric bulbs, yet Menzies did not stalk to the centre of the stage and with outstretched arm denounce the villain of the piece. He was not made up for the part.

Instead a barcheaded police inspector—Jimmie thought he looked singularly unreal without his cap and sword belt—sauntered casually to the tall charge desk, and leaning one elbow upon it lifted a pen. Ling was standing a few paces away between a couple of policemen, but not even in the dock.

Menzies moved over to the desk, and leaning both arms on the back of it, talked to the inspector. Jimmie there, but even then he did not realize at first that the charge was being made.

"... willful murder on the night of . . . I charge him . . ."  
The inspector's pen scratched busily. Then, putting the pen in his mouth, he used both hands to blot critically before inviting Menzies's signature.

"Thank you," he said politely. "Now—" He raised his head and looked at the prisoner.

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**Too Much Food**  
in Summer means clogged liver and sluggish brain; too little food means flabby muscles and starved nerves. The man on the job must keep his brain clear and his muscles responsive. The way to do this is to eat **Shredded Wheat Biscuit**, the food that contains everything in the whole wheat grain prepared in a digestible form, including the outer bran coat which is so useful in keeping the alimentary canal clean and healthy. Two or three of these crisp, little brown loaves of whole wheat with milk make a nourishing, strengthening meal. Ready-cooked and ready-to-serve.

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but he suppressed it. He was too old a hand to taunt a prisoner.

"Yes, sir," went on Ling. "That's what you want—imagination. I'll own I didn't expect you to smell out that opium joint as quick as you did or we'd never have gone there. We were surprised some when you and the other two walked down the street. I'll make you a present of that. Your imagination didn't rise to us having a look-out. If you'd have walked in there you'd have found both the little birds at home."

"Gwenie and me."  
"It isn't exactly a place for a lady, and she had already said for a cab, not feeling that she could be real home-like there. If we'd known there were only the three of you we might have tried a run in the other direction, but we estimated that you'd get the place shut off tighter than you did Levoine Street, so we fixed a little stunt for your benefit."

"You'll have got the idea by this time. You see she'd got more at stake than I had—no being innocent of all these things you've accused me of—so we had to see to her get-away first. It was her stunt all through—a fake quarrel in the passage, some flour well rubbed into her face and a touch of brown paint on her dress just above her heart. She looked real ghastly when I helped her in the cab."

"We reckoned you'd rise to it," went on Ling dryly. "If the cab did get through well and good. If it didn't, why wouldn't you keep as close an eye on a corpse as you would on a live woman, and you could trust Gwenie to light the way?"

"I saw her chance. Anyway, it was the best we could do in a hurry. I stayed a little longer than I ought. I thought there was time for one more pipe. Anyway, if you think you can touch me for murder, you can't—you've got to get her. She's away by now, so my telling won't hurt her."

(Continued in Thursday's Issue.)

## Courier Daily Recipe Column

**Chocolate Waffles.**  
One cupful of cooked rice, add one scant cup of flour mixed with one teaspoonful each of salt and baking powder; yolks of 3 eggs beaten thick and 1 cup of sweet milk. In which is dissolved 1 heaping tablespoonful of grated chocolate; mix these ingredients to a smooth batter; lastly add the beaten (stiff) whites of 3 eggs, baked in greased wafer iron and sift powdered sugar over them.

**Steamed Pudding (Good)**  
One cup flour, 1 cup bread crumbs (soft), 1 cup sugar (1-2 cup sufficient if eaten with sweet sauce), 1 cup suet finely minced or 1-2 cup melted dripping, 1 cup milk, 1 cup chopped raisins or currants, 1-2 teaspoonful soda and a little spice of all kinds; steam in greased mould for 3 hours or boil 2 hours in cloth wrung out of hot water and well floured, leaving room to swell a little. Sauce—Half cup sugar, 1 tablespoonful flour, heaped tablespoonful butter, boiling water to make proper consistency; flavor with lemon.

**Chocolate Pudding**  
One egg, 1-2 cup of sugar, 1 cup of flour, 1-2 cup of milk, 1 teaspoonful of cream tartar, 1-2 teaspoonful soda, 2 squares of melted chocolate; steam 1 hour; serve with a custard pudding.

**Almond Pudding.**  
One quart milk, 20 almonds blanched and chopped fine, 3 tablespoonfuls of cornstarch smoothed in a little of the milk, 1 cup sugar, little salt; cook 15 minutes and remove from fire; add the well beaten whites of 4 eggs, flavor with almonds; to be served cold with or without cream.

**Lemon Pudding**  
One pint hot milk, add 1 cup bread crumbs, butter size walnut, grated rind and juice of 1 small lemon, yolks 2 eggs; mix together; bake until done; use whites for meringue, adding little juice of lemon and 1-2 cup sugar; brown in oven.

**PRESIDENT TENER IN PATRIOTIC WORK.**  
Washington, July 18.—Former Governor Tener, of Pennsylvania, President of the National Baseball League, yesterday became a voluntary assistant to Herbert C. Hoover and was put in charge of the organization of fraternal societies for food conservation work. A statement issued yesterday by the food administration shows that bread prices in the United States have advanced 27 per cent, since January 1.

## SIDE WALKS

**TEMPERAMENT TRAGEDIES.**  
There are few things sadder to me than to see two close relatives together who have an unfortunate effect on each other.

I am thinking just now of a mother and daughter.

They are both pleasant, attractive people when you meet them individually, people reasonably easy to get along with. The mother is somewhat domineering but she is very kind hearted and has hosts of friends.

The daughter is rather obstinate but she is quiet and restful, in many ways an ideal housemate.

**They Just Clash.**  
And yet if you saw these people together and never saw them apart, you would think what disagreeable, irritable people they were.

Each transforms the other into another person. The mother becomes critical, nagging, interfering, the daughter had tempered and unbelievably rude.

The daughter appears the worst, both because her mother's exasperating interferences are always made with a kind intent, and because the things the daughter flings out at her mother are in such wretched taste.

I think it always offends us to have a child speak rudely to its parent even when they sympathize with

## DUST, HEAT, FLIES IN MESOPOTAMIA

**These Three Worst Plagues Of British Expeditionary Force There**  
**HARDSHIPS ENDURED**  
**Letters From the East Tell of Discomforts Of The Soldiers**

Melbourne, Australia, July 18.—(Correspondence) — Hardships and discomforts of the British campaigns in Palestine and Mesopotamia are the thorns of many letters written by Australian soldiers serving under the commands of Generals Sir Archibald Murray in Palestine, or Major-General Maude in Mesopotamia.

"If you want to see a muddle you ought to see a camel convoy under shell fire," writes one man from the vicinity of Gaza in southern Palestine. "The natives who lead the camels run away at the first shot, and then the white men try to induce, by all the profanity they can muster, those camels to hurry out of range or under the cover of a hill. All the time good lives are being lost trying to save the convoy, which perishes as the water supply for thousands of men in the firing line."

Dust, heat and flies are the three worst plagues of Mesopotamia from the soldier's standpoint, writes one of the privates who suffered from them. "To you," he adds, "the flies would be quite inconceivable. They settle in great clusters on everything. Some of them can sting and bite severely. With the coming of nightfall the ordinary flies disappear and the mosquitoes and sandflies take their places. The sandfly is an insidious plague. You have to wear a very fine suffocating mesh on your face and at night you must spray thin acid over your face to get any relief. The temperature goes up from 110 to 142 degrees in the shade. The morning's work being done you lie in your tent with the flap up. You almost gasp for breath. Anxiously you wait the going down of the sun. You wear a toupée over a wet towel on your head. One very rarely wears much clothing and you lead the simple life. The heat takes all pride from you. You're just bathing in dust and sweat."

You can get sunstroke through the small of your back. The hot wind, bad as it is, is better than the complete stillness, although it bounces off the earth flinging sand and dust all over you. You eat sand and breathe it; you lie down in it; it's in your mouth, eyes, ears and clothes. These things leave Mesopotamia burnt into your memory forever."

## PLANK ONCE MORE TO FORE

**Sensational Game Twirled By Veteran Southpaw Against Red Sox**  
Plank 4DIRQ. Z  
St. Louis, July 18.—Rumler, pinch hitting for Shotton in the ninth, lined past Walker and Lewis, scoring Lavan, who had doubled, with the run that gave St. Louis victory over Boston yesterday, 3 to 2. Plank did not pass a man and gave only five hits. After the third inning Boston was retired in one, two three order. Score.—R. H. E.  
Boston . . . 1010000—2 5 1  
St. Louis . . . 001001001—3 13 1  
Leonard and Agnew, Plank and Severoid,

## CHILD'S SEVERE STOMACH TROUBLES

Child's Severe Stomach Trouble Harrison (Ont.) Father Says Dr. Cassell's Tablets Saved His Life

Mr. Corby, Harrison P.O., Ont., writes: "Our little girl was weak from birth, and though we tried doctors' medicine and other things she got no better. So just lay in her cot and cried, and neighbors all said we could not save her. The doctors said she had stomach trouble, and that her chances were small, yet Dr. Cassell's Tablets cured her. They have been worth their weight in gold to us, for we were just giving up hope of saving our little daughter. I don't think there is any other medicine for children like Dr. Cassell's Tablets. Publish this letter if you like; it may help others as the Tablets helped us."

A free sample of Dr. Cassell's Tablets will be sent to you on receipt of 5 cents for mailing and packing. Address: Harold F. Ritchie, and Co., Ltd., 10 McCaul St., Toronto.

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Prices: One tube, 50 cents; six tubes for the price of five. Beware of imitation said to contain hypophosphite. The composition of Dr. Cassell's Tablets is known only to the proprietors, and no imitation can ever be the same.

Sole Proprietors: Dr. Cassell's Co., Ltd., Manchester, Eng.

## PETE FUEL

The following verses were written by Mr. T. S. Usher about ten years ago when the movement to use Peat Fuel instead of coal was supposed to be dead. They were published in the Courier at the time.

**Requiescat in Pace.**  
Pete Fuel is dead; also Poor Pete. His mission was a grate one. He fired all his friends with hope; He was the up-to-date one. And now he lies beneath the sod. Below the sphagnum hay. He ran a race with Anthracite And Annie got away.

Pete Fuel, tho' he's resting so Beneath the sphagnum moss Did make a nifty stunt he did For profit and for loss. And tho' he never made us rich We'll lift the hat and bow For Pete is dead and gone to—well Perhaps he's burning now.

Now that there is some talk of again raising Peat Fuel companies, Mr. Usher sends this paper the following:

**"From the Grave."**  
"Pete Fuel's lying dormant there But isn't dead at all. He's smoozing a la Rip Van Wink To come back at the call. And now the call is here a shout. King Coal is up in price. So enter Pete; both hands and feet.

To warm us; ain't that nice.

## CATCHER DAILY TO BUFFALO.

Cleveland, July 17.—Announcement was made by the Cleveland American League club to-day that Catcher Tom Daly has been released under an optional agreement to the Buffalo club of the International League.



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## Crabbling Rhymes

BRAVE MEN

Brave men are they who seek the foe, upon the waters or the heat, who fight until they're stricken low, and, smiling, greet the face of death. And some are brave who are not called to wield the sword in deadly charge, because they are too short or bald, because their tribbles are too large. On them a heavy burden lies; they are the men who raise the price, to send the allies guns and pies, and clothes and succotash and rice. Among them there are none souls who bear the burden with a smile; they're glad to strip their sleigher rolls, and think the sacrifice worth while. Some men had found the sledding hard before the day of war arrived; it broke them buying beans and lard, they wondered how they'er survived. But, now the country needs more men, they cry, "Some way we'll dig the dust, to buy our Uncle Sam a gun; we'll raise the extra bones or bust." The cheerful spirit these men show is just as fine as martial zest, which leads a man to sweat the foe and knock a Prussian galley west. So we have heroes in the mart, and on the farm and in the street, who could not in the war take part, because of bunions on their feet.

## Our Daily: Pattern Service

Valuable Suggestions for the Handy Home-maker—Order any Pattern Through The Courier. Be sure to State Size

## GIRLS' DRESS.

By Anabel Worthington.

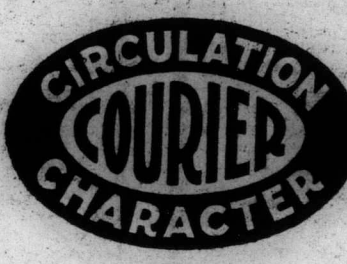
Whether you want a simple little dress for school or a frilly lingerie dress for best wear you can use the one pattern, No. 8330, for both styles. The small back view shows it devoid of trimming and made up in a serviceable material such as gingham or percale. The front view shows the dress developed in fine batiste or voile, with insertion and edging of German or French Val. The waist is perfectly plain, with a deep V neck in front, and the broad flat collar is cut in points at front and back. The dress closes at centre back, and the style of sleeve depends upon the material for the dress. The shorter sleeve is better for the lingerie dress. The skirt is a straight, one piece model, gathered at the waist line. The dress pattern No. 8330 is cut in sizes 6 to 14 years. The 8 year size requires 2 1/2 yards of 36 inch material, 4 yards wide insertion for the skirt and 5 1/4 yards narrow insertion for waist and belt.

To obtain this pattern send 10 cents to the office of this publication.



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- WANTED—Several good all-round Machine Blacksmiths. Apply Watrous Engine Works. M19
- WANTED—Moulders Floor men for Jobbing department. Whitaker Stone Works, Windsor Ont. M21
- WANTED—By August 1st, Janitor for Colborne Street Methodist Church. Apply by letter, to Fred Mann, Sec. of Executive. M27
- WANTED—At once machinist, a good shaper hand. Apply Pratt & Letchworth & Co. M25
- WANTED—At once stationary engineer, one with 3 or 4 years experience preferred. Apply Waddell Preserving Co., 131 Clarence st. M20
- WANTED—Office boy by local manufacturing concern, good chance for advancement. Apply, Box 252, Courier. M29
- Wanted—Experienced farm hand, steady job to man who will suit single man preferred Apply Box 250 Courier. M23
- WANTED—Grocery driver, good handy man. Apply Box 256 Courier. M33
- WANTED—At once two good crane operators. Apply, Pratt and Letchworth. M23
- WANTED—First class Pattern Makers. Apply Watrous Engine Works. M27
- WANTED—Laborer, and handy man for general work. Good wages and steady employment. Apply to Supt. Cockshutt Plow Co. M191f
- WANTED—Good strong boy 16 to 18 year old age for Carpet department good chance to learn carpet business. Apply J. M. Young & Co. M25
- WANTED—Young man 20 to 24 years of age, who is quick and accurate at figures. Apply stating age, experience and wages expected to Box 251, Courier. M27
- WANTED—Boy to help on farm during summer months, one with a little experience preferred, not far from city. Apply stating age and wages expected to Box 70 Courier. M27
- WANTED—Man to take care of horse, take orders deliver goods and be generally useful in the store. Must be able to write and ride bicycle which is furnished. Hours from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Accept Saturday's until 9:30 p.m., one hour off for dinner. Apply C. B. Heyd, 162 Market street. M27

### Female Help Wanted

- WANTED—Girls to operate spinners and ballers, can make big wages. Apply, Superintendent Brantford Cordage Co. F171f
- WANTED—Experienced stenographer for manufacturing office. Apply stating experience. Box 247 Courier. F17
- WANTED—Experienced woman to clean. Apply, 164 William st. F21
- WANTED—At once first-class stenographer. Apply stating experience. Box 255 Courier. F33
- WANTED—General, plain cooking. Apply, 122 Darling or phone 634. F27
- WANTED—Girl for general office work. Apply Box 254 Courier. F33
- WANTED—A capable stenographer, or one having had experience in a law office preferred. Apply by letter to The Royal Loan & Savings Company. F35
- WANTED—At once, good cook, general, twenty-five to thirty years of age preferred, no washing or ironing, thirty dollars a month. Apply Box 82 Courier. F2
- WANTED—Waitress for Tea Room at once. E. B. Crompton & Co., Limited. F17
- WANTED—A girl to mind baby during summer holidays. Apply to Mrs. Sackrider, 115 Victoria st. F23
- WANTED—At once girl or woman for housework, no objection to sleeping home nights. Apply 8 Albion st. F23

### Articles For Sale

- FOR SALE—Handsome set ivory chess, boxwood checker men, solid oak hall table, walnut book stand, walnut work box and other valuable articles. Apply, from 2 to 6, 85 Northumberland Street. A11
- FOR SALE—Organ in good condition, will sell cheap for a quick sale. Box 87 Courier. A21
- FOR SALE—Two new red pressed brick houses, No. 14, 16, Wilkes street, between Chestnut Avenue and St. Paul's Avenue. All modern conveniences. Must be sold in order to adjust partnership in building. Prices reasonable and terms easy. Apply to A. G. Ludlow, City Hall. A33
- FOR SALE—Hotel property in town in Western Ontario, Brick, about thirty rooms, travellers sample rooms, stables, and best of all a good commercial trade. Apply Box 49 Courier. A27
- FOR SALE—White Leghorn Chickens, winter layers. Apply, 137 Eagle Ave. A17
- FOR SALE—House, 104 Eagle ave, all modern conveniences, all cash not required. Apply to Andrew L. Baird, K. C. Temple Building. A23
- FOR SALE—Celery plants, best quality. Mrs. Wren, 21 Spring street. H21
- FOR SALE—Delivery Horse, for sale cheap. Apply, George Jackson, 133 Sheridan St. Phone 1941. A15
- FOR SALE—Corner Park Ave. and Arthur street, 66 ft. on Park Ave, best building lot in the East Ward. Apply H. Simpson, 82 Park Ave. A221f
- FOR SALE—Genus new bicycle, never been used. Box 287 Courier. A141f
- FOR SALE—Saw and seven pigs. Bell Phone 980-1-2. A25
- FOR SALE—A quantity of second hand lumber at Miller and Millan's Coal Yard. A351f
- FOR SALE—Steel range, almost new; coal or wood. Box 244 Courier. A9
- FOR SALE—Will sell good Singer sewing machine for eight dollars, also drop head for fifteen dollars, at 341 Dalhousie St. A9
- FOR SALE—Deering binder, almost new, terms to suit buyer. Apply, 137 Clarence street A29
- FOR SALE—Cheap, 3 Buggies, cutter, harness, robes, etc. Geo. W. Hall, Echo Place. A25
- FOR SALE—Combination safe 33 in. wide 27 in. deep, 32 in. high Terrace Hill or phone 2186, and Watson, Calnsville, Phone 2081. A25
- FOR SALE—New shipment of ladies Perfect bicycles at Hawthorn's 73 Dalhousie street, phone 646.
- FOR SALE—Used Ford Touring cars, 1912 to 1917 from \$250 to \$395, according to the year Mitchell's Garage, Darling st. A29

### Miscellaneous Wants

- WANTED—Spinner on heavy wool yarn for night work. Apply Slingsby Manf. Co. Ltd. F23
- WANTED—Mower knives and binders or knives to grind. G. W. King, 3 George street. M1725
- WANTED—Two or three unfurnished housekeeping rooms. Apply Box 253 Courier. M1731
- WANTED—To rent or buy a fully modern cottage centrally located, by September 1st. Apply Box 249 193 Park avenue. M1721
- WANTED—A kitchen woman. Apply Mrs. Postlethwaite. 27 George street. F1727
- WANTED TO BUY—A Ford touring car if in good condition. Apply stating price and giving description. Box 71 Courier. M1727
- WANTED—Rooms for woman and three children, furnished or otherwise, Holmdale district preferred. Apply Slingsby Manufacturing Co., Limited. M1719
- WANTED—By end of July a modern house in the business section or near it in family. Will rent, or buy on easy payments. Apply Box 66 Courier. M1727
- WANTED—Furnished house keeping rooms for married couple, North Ward or Holmdale. Apply 101 Lyons avenue. M1721
- WANTED—By a refined couple, two children, a bedroom and room in private family centrally located, permanent. Box 248 Courier. M1719
- WANTED—Position as driver on light delivery rig, understand city thoroughly. Apply, 289 Wellington street. M1723
- WANTED—100 Watches to repair. Grett's Jewellery Store. M1715
- WANTED—Painting, papering, first-class. Ray, 168 Market Street. Phone 2170. M1712

### Osteopathic

DR. CHRISTIE IRWIN—Graduate of American School of Osteopathy, is now at 83 Nelson street. Office hours: 9 to 12 a.m. and 3 to 6 p.m. Bell telephone 1380.

DR. C. H. SAUDER—Graduate American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Missouri. Office, Suite 6, Temple Building, 78 Dalhousie St., Residence, 38 Edgerton St., office phone 1544, house phone 2125. Office hours: 9 to 12 a.m., 2 to 5 p.m., evenings by appointment at the house or office.

### For Rent

TO LET—Furnished house with use of garden, from July 22nd to Sept. 1st. All for August. Apply, Box, 254 Courier. T27

TO LET—Furnished rooms, large airy ones, in a good central location. Will give breakfast if desired. Box 68 Courier. T21

FOR RENT—Cottage, Furnished on Brant Hill, close to the lake. Write Wm. Werner, Port Dover. T23

TO LET—August, September, October, best climate, children, 8 furnished plastered cottages. Electricity, baths, verandah, grounds fenced, Lake bank, particulars, five hours no change. Box 5 Goderich, Ont. T48

TO RENT—House, Mohawk Road, \$10.00 per month; also one house in West Brantford, \$9.00 per month. Apply, William Edward Coal Yards, West Brantford. T115

### Dental

DR. HART has gone back to his old stand over the bank of Hamilton entrance on Colborne street. dMar.2615

DR. RUSSELL, Dentist—Latest American methods of painless dentistry, 201 Colborne St., opposite George St., over Cameron's Drug Store. Phone 395.

### Business Card

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LOST—Will the man seen picking up black purse, Pearl street, on Saturday night return to Courier. L28

LOST—In the vicinity of Terrace Hill, bay mare, two white hind legs, while spot on forehead. Phone 692. L28

LOST—Gold hunting case watch and fob. C.M.B.A. on fob Reward Haber, 419 Colborne st. L33

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### REPRISALS OR NO REPRISALS?

Heated Debate In Old Land Upon Subject of Aerial Raids CALL FOR VENGEANCE Many Would Follow Enemy Methods of Unrestricted Warfare

### ONTARIO MAN HAS GAINED 10 POUNDS

Machinist Was Unable To Do Any Work For Seven Months, He Says FEELS LIKE NEW MAN Now Operates 36-inch Lathe All Day Without Tiring Since He Took Tanlac

Shall the Allies carry out reprisals upon German cities for the German aerial assaults upon London? This is the question keenly debated in the British Isles to-day, and has attracted attention in the press of all the Allied countries. Hall Caine is the spokesman for those who demand reprisals. He is of the opinion that the bombing of undefended cities for the mothers of England. To prove the brutality of the German woman he recites the fact that German women executed when they heard of the sinking of the Lusitania. He believes that if British airmen were to kill a few more of the mothers of German mothers, the German mothers would rise and demand that the slaughter should cease. His views are not generally shared by those who speak for the British people, although there is quite as much indignation as that expressed by Mr. Caine against the brutality of the German campaign, and a demand that "something effective" be done to check it.

Hundreds of Ontario people, both men and women, are now taking Tanlac with the most astonishing and gratifying results, and numbers have testified in the past few days to the benefits they have derived from its use. Among the number is James Robb, 103 Ontario street, Walkerville, Ont., who has been a machinist for the Canadian Bridge Company, one of the largest concerns of its kind in North America, for the past fourteen years.

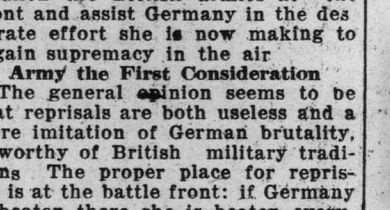
Mr. Robb is a man of unquestioned integrity, and is highly esteemed by the people of both Walkerville and Windsor. In relating his experience with the medicine Mr. Robb said: "I have only taken three bottles of Tanlac so far, but have already gained ten pounds in weight and am now able to operate my thirty-six-inch lathe steadily every day. I had suffered from catarrhal trouble for over a year, and kept getting worse because nothing did me any good. I had no appetite, and what I did manage to eat failed to give me any nourishment. My liver was sluggish and inactive, black specks would come before my eyes, and I was very dizzy at times. I had intense pains in the pit of my stomach, nausea, bloating, and in fact, all the symptoms of catarrh of the stomach, and suffered more than I can describe. I was all run-down generally. My sleep was badly broken, and I fell off in weight and simply felt terrible.

"I certainly was in bad shape and had been unable to work for seven months when I found out about Tanlac. I read so many testimonials given by people who had gotten relief from troubles like mine by taking Tanlac that I decided to see what it would do for me, and it certainly has fixed me up in fine shape. My appetite couldn't be better, and I can eat what I want without having any pain or distress from it at all. I sleep as sound as a dollar every night, and simply feel like a new man. As I have already said, I have gained ten pounds in weight and my strength and energy have increased until I can now work regular every day. Tanlac has done more for me than everything else I ever tried; in fact it is the only thing that has ever helped me. I am telling all my friends about it, and am glad to recommend it to everyone, especially those trying to find relief from troubles like I had."

**London an Arsenal**  
The attacks on London might be justified out of the mouth of a member of the British House of Lords, Lord Curzon, who in a speech said that Germany had a perfect right to attack London, which was a fortified city. Still earlier a German agent in the district of Montargis said that London was not at the beginning of the war a fortified city, it certainly is now, German air attacks having been directed against it. Tanlac is sold in Brantford, Ontario, at the following places: Robertson's Drug Store, advertisement.

when three old battleships were sunk in the Dardanelles it was represented as a great naval disaster, "but," he asks, "what sort of disaster would it be when on the day peace is signed hundreds of battleships are found to have been practically unused, and pass into obsolescence, to be supplanted in future wars by aeroplanes and submarines?"

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# WEATHER BULLETIN

Toronto, July 18—Light local showers have occurred from eastern Ontario to the Maritime provinces. In the west, except in the vicinity of Regina, where there have been thunder storms, the weather has been fair and very warm.

Moderate south-west winds, fair and warm to-day and on Friday.