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Northampton, April 15.—The election necessitated by the appointment of Charles A. McCurdy, the holder of the seat, as food controller, resulting in the election of Mr. McCurdy, a Conservative, by a majority of 3,871 over Miss Margaret Bondfield, a Labour candidate. The vote was 16,650 for McCurdy to 12,779 for Miss Bondfield.

WILL TAKE UP GERMAN AFFAIR

Supreme Allied Council Session at San Remo—Denial at Vatican. Paris, April 15.—(Havas)—Events in Germany will be discussed at the meeting of the supreme allied council at San Remo, says the Echo de Paris, which adds that occupation of Frankfurt by French troops will be given particular attention.

PUBLIC LOANS IN MOTHERLAND

London, April 15.—(Canadian Associated Press)—The shortage of money generally and municipal housing schemes in particular, are responsible for several interesting local public loans. Sheffield, Liverpool and Bristol have just made successful applications at six per cent, but Hertfordshire county, which wanted 22,000,000 at five per cent, and 88, found 88 per cent left with the underwriters.

CHLORINE GAS AS A 'FLU' PREVENTIVE

St. Louis, April 15.—The American Chemical Society, in session here, reported yesterday that tests have proved chlorine gas to be an excellent preventive of 'flu.' During the recent epidemic, 50 gas treatments were administered to 24 volunteers, and only one developed influenza.

Warm Discussion Over Exemption From Taxes

Opinions Differ as to Freedom of Industries From School Rates—Miramichi Dam Bill Considered.

(Official Report.) Fredericton, April 15.—The municipal committee met at 10:30 o'clock this morning. The bill to authorize Agricultural Society, No. 41, to issue debentures not to exceed \$35,000, and the town of Woodstock to guarantee the same was considered.

BANK RATE UP TO 7 PER CENT.

Old Lady of Threadneedle Street Raises It. Little Effect on New York Market—Trading in Stutz Is Resumed and the Price Soars Higher Than Ever.

London, April 15.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the rate of discount raised to 7 per cent. Stutz Up Again. New York, April 15.—Stock of the Stutz Motor Car Company taken off the New York Stock Exchange at the request of the company's chairman, Allan A. Ryan, after the exchange suspended trading and brought higher prices than ever. The first sales were at 700 and 710, and as high as 730 was asked. The price when the exchange stopped trading was 891, and auction prices since then had been 700 and 701.

RIVER ICE IS ON RUN TODAY

Going Out Without Doing Any Damage to Speak of, Is Report.

(Canadian Press.) Fredericton, April 15.—The lower portion of the main dam on the St. John river a few miles above Fredericton broke away about 5 o'clock this morning, and the heavy ice above the dam was broken up by the force of the water. The highway bridge between Fredericton and Devon, a comparative new structure with granite piers, withstood the heavy impact and broke up the ice so that much of the force was lost when it reached the Canadian National Railways bridge half a mile farther down the river.

JURY SAYS FORMER MINISTER GUILTY

Calgary, April 15.—Duncan Cameron, a former minister, was found guilty yesterday on the counts of forgery and uttering checks. This is his second trial. The jury disagreed at the last trial. It is said he forged and cashed checks totalling \$7,000 several months ago.

MANY MORE ARE WEARING OVERALLS

New York, April 15.—Despatches received here this morning show that the "overall campaign" of protest against the high cost of clothing is spreading rapidly through the southern and western states.

As Hiram Sees It

"Hiram," said the Times reporter to Mr. Hiram Horrocks, "I have heard you denounce taxes, and have heard you uphold them. What is really your mind regarding this important matter?" "You're speakin' of no 'mind' today?" queried Hiram. "Surely, surely," said the reporter. "I'm subject to change without notice."

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Statement re Irish Prisoners in Commons Today. Comment on Irish Papers on the Mount Joy Prison Affair—Complete Change in Policy, Says London Mail.

London, April 15.—Andrew Bonar Law, the government leader, in answer to questions in the house of commons today regarding the release of Irish hunger strikers from Mount Joy prison, stated that they had not been unconditionally released. This statement contrasted with reports from Dublin last night. Irish Papers' Comment. Dublin, April 15.—Commenting on the release of sixty-six Sinn Feiners who have been on a hunger strike in Mount Joy prison, the Irish Times says: "The Sinn Feiners are continuing at their work with a breathing spell which it gives the new authorities in Dublin Castle, it is doubtful if it is God's name, indicating the climb down which in any other circumstances would have been wholly inopportune."

Believe That This Man Married More Than Twenty Women

Hull, April 15.—A man who had married more than twenty women without divorcing any of them, was reported to be seriously ill in the county hospital yesterday. He was taken to the hospital after he had been in bed for several days. He had gashed his throat and wrist in two attempts at suicide.

PEACE RESTORED IN VIADIVOSTOK AFTER 'JAPS' TERMS MOSTLY STAND.

Tokyo, April 15.—The war office announces that the provisional government in Vladivostok has signed an agreement accepting most of Japan's terms. War office communication says peace has virtually been restored in Vladivostok and that there were no casualties among the civilian residents. A semi-official communication says General Senoo's troops are sweeping out the Bolsheviks in the region in the south of China.

Halifax Bank Clearings

Halifax, N. S., April 15.—Bank clearings for the week ending today, with corresponding figures for last year, were: 1920, \$3,048,468; 1919, \$3,789,443.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by authority of the Department of Marine, Fisheries, and Forestry. R. F. STEPHENSON, Director of Meteorological Service. Synopsis.—The pressure remains high to the northwest in Manitoba and low over the rest of the domain. The weather is comparatively mild from Ontario eastward and cold in the western provinces. Snowfalls have occurred generally in Saskatchewan and Alberta. Mid. Maritime—Moderate to fresh southwesterly winds, fair and comparatively mild today and Friday. Gulf and North Shore—Moderate winds, cold and showery today and Friday. New England—Increasing cloudiness, probably showers late tonight and Friday; warmer tonight; fresh southwesterly winds.

Six Officials in The Strike Game Arrested

Leaders in "Outlaw" Railway Unions—Further Evidence of Break in Strike—Conditions in New England More Serious.

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Boston, April 15.—A serious shortage of coal for New England's railroads and industries threatened today to necessitate early curtailment of all passenger schedules and a partial industrial shutdown. The New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad announced that a drastic reduction in passenger service will be expected Saturday or Monday. Officials declared that improvement of conditions would not immediately follow settlement of the strikes of railroad employees elsewhere as it would be some time before sufficient coal could reach this section. Railroad workers within the region are continuing at their work. Freight service within New England is reported today as virtually normal, although the exception of coal supplies. It is declared there is but little danger of a food shortage.

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Chicago, April 15.—Reports from rail centers in the central west and on the Pacific coast today bore out assertions of railroad brotherhoods and railroad officials that the insurgent strike was dying out and that traffic conditions were improving. In Ohio and Michigan thousands of men were idle as a result of industrial tie-ups caused by shortage of transportation. Strikers were reported to be returning to work in several cities, and in Chicago, where an unauthorized walkout had its origin, the Brotherhood of Sleeping Car Porters and Engineers and the Pennsylvania railroad and groups of strikers on the So. Dec. line and other roads voted to begin to cast its shadow beyond the Irish Sea.

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Washington, April 15.—The White House and the treasury department yesterday were picketed by women in a demonstration in Washington for the last two weeks in the interest of Irish prisoners. Mrs. Harry Wainwright, Mrs. Rosemary Marshall, both of New York, carried banners criticising the government for "Money, money and general British greed." The picketing was a protest against the failure to collect interest that is due. "Make England pay her interest overdue—\$212,000,000," one of the banners read. "England supports her army on money raised by the Irish people."

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London, April 15.—The release of the Irish prisoners was by direct order of General Sir Nevill MacCreedy and marked the beginning of an entire change in the policy of the government in Ireland. When it became clear some time ago, says the paper, that the policy of repression was leading to disastrous consequences, the premier decided to change the policy and, if necessary, get rid of the men associated with the old regime. He suddenly and without warning told J. J. Macpherson, chief secretary for Ireland, that he was to be transferred to the pensions ministry, and appointed MacCreedy in command of the troops without consulting the Irish office. General MacCreedy, adds the Mail, was instructed to inaugurate a new policy of conciliation and was given a free hand. In other words, he was to supersede the existing heads of the government in Ireland. The Mail assumes from Bonar Law's speeches that he was not informed of the decision for the release of prisoners and says that the peculiarity of his position is being discussed in political circles.

IS ANOTHER REVOLUTION IN THE MAKING?

Danger Warning of New Outbreak Is Given

Essen Communists Said to Have Hidden Arms Instead of Giving Them Up—Belgian Troops in Frankfurt.

Berlin, April 15.—Speaking in the National Assembly yesterday, Premier Mueller said that he could not agree that danger from the right parties was ended by the collapse of the Kapp coup d'etat. Danger, he said, was still threatening, especially in Pomerania and Silesia where battle troops were quartered, and a new fire might therefore break out any day. The Vorwaerts reiterates that the Kappists have begun preparations for a fresh coup, which according to many reports might occur within a few days. Thursday is mentioned by the paper as being the likely day. Berlin, April 15.—With the object of warning the democracy to be on the alert, the French and Belgian troops which were sent to Frankfurt yesterday were quartered in the city. The French military commander, General Gaudin, has been patrolling this city left town yesterday.

ADDED TAXES LIKELY, SAYS THE GAZETTE

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GERMANS REPLACE SOME OF STOCK TAKEN IN FRANCE

Paris, April 15.—Twelve hundred horses, 4,000 cattle, 10,000 sheep and 4,000 goats have been received by France from Germany in repayment for stock taken by Germans in northern France. The stock has been distributed to farmers. Germany must deliver 30,000 horses, 9,000 cattle, 100,000 sheep and 10,000 goats. Vaccination Strike. East Orange, N. J., April 15.—Parents of school children here yesterday claimed victory in their vaccination strike. The children were refused admission to the schools after their parents had declined to have them inoculated against smallpox. It is reported yesterday that the ban will be lifted before the end of the week.

RETALIATION AT CANADA HINTED

Refuse Us Coal if U. S. Cannot Get Our Pulpwood. New York, April 15.—A hint that retaliatory measures must be demanded by United States pulp and paper interests against Canada for restrictions on exportation of pulpwood was contained in an address delivered by G. W. Sisson, Jr., president of the American Paper & Pulp Association, at the annual convention of the association here today. Deploping intimations from Canada that export of pulpwood from private lands might be curtailed Mr. Sisson said: "Canadian industry must have coal. Common fairness indicates that access to raw materials needed should not be denied on either hand."

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AT SIXES AND SEVENS.

An Ontario despatch says it is expected there will be a definite announcement of Union government policy before the end of the present session of parliament, and that there will be "more than passing reference to the tariff." Sir Robert Borden is expected to be in Ottawa early in May; but the despatch says there is little prospect of his remaining the active leadership, though he may consent to remain as nominal leader for the balance of the parliamentary term, which will continue until next year and may even be extended into 1922. This assumption is based on the expectation that the present government supporters will approve of the new policy. Of course there can be no certainty as to what the policy is announced. The frequent repetition of the report that Sir Robert may not remain as leader of the government must be regarded as having some foundation. When he goes, whether this year or next, his colleagues will be confronted with one of their most difficult tasks—that of agreeing on a successor. The situation is very interesting, and clouded with uncertainty. It is suggested that the coming recess may be marked by tours of speech-making by leaders of the various parties. Hon. Mr. Calder is expected in Ottawa, after having spent some time in the south, where he doubtless discussed other things besides golf with Sir Robert Borden. Meanwhile Hon. Robert Rogers continues to advocate a return to strict party lines, and to that extent makes trouble for the Conservative-Unionists. If the new policy does not please him he may be expected to go on giving trouble.

THE PROBLEM OF STRIKES.

The "outlaw strike" is a new development which makes it more necessary to get at some workable basis whereby all strikes may be prevented. Labor holds tenaciously to the right to strike as its one last weapon of defence, and under ordinary conditions there has been no general disposition to deny the right; but when a dispute between labor and capital works out disastrously for the public at large the feeling grows that the interests of the public must be protected. In Kansas courts have been called on to deny the right to strike, and in Kansas courts have been called on to deny the right to strike. The plan is working out fairly well in Kansas, which is an agricultural rather than an industrial state. Of the Kansas plan an exchange says: "The courts so established undeniably brought immediate relief to the public. They prevented the strike of the Kansas brewers, which was aimed directly at the coal operators, from actually hitting and injuring the public as an innocent bystander. Such courts offer the possibility of similar protection in any future controversies in any industries involving such things as food, clothing, fuel, or their transportation, or the carrying on of public utilities. What the Kansas plan actually aims at accomplishing, however, is not the quashing of strikes. It recognizes the rights of individuals to quit employment at any time. But it would prevent strikes from continuing in a fashion to work injury to the innocent public by stopping the supplies, like food or fuel, or its services, like transportation and lighting. It would compel speedy adjudication, and as a means to this end would compel 'fair return' for capital and a 'fair wage' and healthful and moral surroundings for the workers."

Such a plan may work out very well when the tendency of wages is upward, but will it prevent strikes when wages fall? Doubt on this point is freely expressed. Nor is it assured that such a plan can fix a minimum wage or a fair profit that would work out satisfactorily. There would be a tendency to bring wages to the minimum, and it is extremely difficult in competitive industry to prevent profits from varying a good deal from year to year—sometimes up and sometimes away down. There is another plan, however, of which the Christian Science Monitor says: "The Washington Industrial Conference has placed before the country an alternative plan that would undertake to solve industrial problems not by a system of checks and penalties but by a progressive stimulation of joint discussion and publicity as cannot fail, eventually, to remove grievances and to harmonize differences. Instead of authorizing outsiders to adjudicate a settlement between antagonized parties, it proposes such stimulation of collective bargaining that the parties cannot avoid working out a settlement for themselves. Such a plan appears to offer industrial freedom, while it compels self-government."

But in the meantime the United States is called upon to deal with a new kind of strike—one that is alike condemned by the public and the American Federation of Labor. The railroad switchmen have paralyzed traffic. They had no known organization, but evidently there must have been a good deal of preparation. The result of their action has not only affected the interests of the public, which cannot get its supplies, but industries and the employes thereof, who are out of work because of the partial tie-up of transportation. Of course this strike will be broken, but it should never have occurred. It renders more imperative a

solution of the whole problem of industrial disputes. An attempt is being made by the Canadian government to make the industrial disputes act more effective by amendments. The Montreal Gazette says: "Under one amendment the minister of labor, in the case of a threatened strike affecting a public utility, will have power to set up a board of conciliation without application from either party to the dispute. This does not seem to be an undesirable change, as far as it goes. Another amendment puts into additional words what is already the intention of the law. Under the industrial disputes act, neither a strike nor a lockout in an industry affecting a public utility can legally take place as a means of determining a dispute prior to or during a reference of such dispute to a board of conciliation and investigation under the provisions of this act" or under the provisions concerning railway disputes in the conciliation and labor act. Fines may be imposed as punishment for violations of these provisions. The amendment is to continue the strike prohibition up to the time of receipt of the board's findings by the interested parties, which is the intent of the existing law. Having amended the act as proposed, the minister intends to call an inter-provincial labor conference with a view to having the law more widely applied."

"The Gazette believes, however, that this will not affect the desired cure. It says the industrial disputes act will not prevent strikes that have been determined on, and declares the penalty clauses have become a dead letter. Without enforcement the law cannot be effective, whether amended or not. Hence the Gazette says: "What is really required is a law which will protect all parties—capital, labor and the public. That cannot be done so long as labor is able legally to extort from capital, by means of strikes, the concessions which arbitrators would decline to sanction. It may be done by such a system of arbitration as will discredit the strike weapon, from the standpoint of economic advantage, even in the eyes of labor itself. The more significant approach to such a system is the adjustment plan in operation between Canadian railways and their employes. For such a plan the minister of labor holds up both hands, but the essential feature of the railway scheme is the finality of the board's decisions. Is the minister of labor prepared to endorse that principle for general application? If so, he need not bother about the industrial disputes act and the loopholes which are its chief characteristic. If it is a good principle, why not enlarge its scope under legal authority?"

Bishop Richardson has written to the London Times in reply to the assertion of Prof. Leacock that prohibition has been an appalling disaster to Canada and the United States. Those who know the views of Bishop Richardson regarding this matter know that he is very far from being a fanatic, or extremist. It is therefore the more significant when he is able to affirm that "the adoption of the prohibition law in Canada, considered as a whole, so far from being an appalling disaster, has been a magnificent success." For it must be remembered that national prohibition has not yet been proclaimed in Canada and there is much work yet to be done. Especially is it necessary to prevent Quebec from flooding other provinces with liquor, and the people of New Brunswick have a duty to perform in that regard. The legislature should give them an early and full opportunity to take this province entirely out of the range of the Quebec liquor sellers.

Dr. MacNamara, British minister of labor, attributes his success in the by-election to the constituency's fear of socialist doctrines. The result is certainly gratifying to Lloyd George in his campaign against the extreme radical elements in the country. Basingstoke also elected the Lloyd George candidate. Interest now centres in Sir Hamar Greenwood's campaign in Sunderland, where he is opposed by Independent Liberal and Labor candidates.

The question of street paving in St. John is shelved for the present. When it comes up again there will doubtless be demands from residents along other streets than those recently considered, as under general assessment there should be no discrimination.

The Soviet system is reported to have failed utterly in Russia in the management of industrial concerns, and is to be replaced by "fully competent managers." Bolshevism is burning itself out.

Mr. Burnham, M. P., believes prohibition came from the devil and will return to him. Where the devil did Mr. Burnham come from—and where is he going?

Germany fears another attempt of the militarists to start a revolution.



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CLIMATE.
I travel east, I travel west, to find the smoothest climate; and when at last I've found the best, no doubt I'll dwellly rhyme it. I travel north, I travel south, and find the folks complaining; for here there is a broodly drought, and there it's always raining. I sit me down beside the sea to write some soulful stanzas, and fogs come up and smother me, and make me yearn for Kansas. Upon the mountain's brow I sit, and view the valleys under, and then the storm bend throws a fit, with hail and sleet and thunder. I traverse lands across the foam, from Cork to the New York, and Kansas climate is the worst that ever the Lord invented. For there my friends are drilling round, the slowest and the quickest; and where my dearest friends are found, the climate is the slickest. I travel up, I travel down, to find an earthly heaven, and always sigh for my old town, dimensions, five by seven.

CANADA—EAST AND WEST

Domestic Happenings of Other Days

LAURA SECORD.
Few women have left in Canada such a record for heroism as Laura Secord. The brave lady who saved the British in 1813 when a large American force was at the point of making a dangerous onslaught. She was a woman of thirty-eight years and the mother of five children. Yet she made a walk of twenty-nine miles all one day and part of the night, wandering in the bush lest she fall into the hands of the invaders. Her husband was sick when she learned the news of the enemy. At once she saw plans of the army, and she knew there was no way to get any warning to the British unless she took it herself. So she started on her patriotic mission. At night she wandered into touch with a band of loyal Indians to whom she managed to bring news of the situation. They took her at once to the British officer in command of the troops near the front. She was the first to see the impending attack and he in turn at once took precautions to meet it. When the American soldiers were met by a furious fire from British and Indian troops hidden among the trees and in the woods and so their forces were cut to great confusion. At this point the British sent out a white flag offering to accept the surrender of the invading party. The British officer had only seventy-five men in addition to his Indians and he received the surrender of two hundred and fifty men and more than 600 men of the rank and file with two cannon and two loads of stores for the garrison. The incident was a very bitter one for the Americans but it acted as a terrible incentive to the British for future warfare.

LOCAL NEWS

THOSE WHO WANT SUCCESS

Electric power companies want young men qualified for a responsible position as operators, apprentices, etc. Hundreds of Canadian electrical engineers owe their position to E. C. S. Training International, Correspondence Schools, 18 Sydney street, St. John, N. B.

WANTED.

At once, saleswoman with best references and experience in underwear, etc. Apply F. W. Daniel & Co. white-wear department, 3rd floor. 11-4-16

NOTICE.

City Cornet Band concert this evening at St. Vincent's auditorium. Exceptionally fine programme with leading city talent. Grand finale of muffled bands, seventy performers. Popular prices \$2.50. Seats now on sale.

NOTICE.

Regular meeting of Sugar Workers' Union No. 1804 Thursday at 7:30 p.m., 22 Waterloo street. All members requested to attend. Business of importance will be transacted. By order of president, L. S. Stevenson.

NOT THE MAN.

The Robert Ross who figured in the police court yesterday in connection with a beer drinking case is not Robert Ross, employed with Vanwart Bros., Charlotte street.

SEAMEN'S INSTITUTE

Pretorian farewell concert. Come and hear these versatile entertainers assisted by Mrs. and Miss Smith and Miss May Alcorn. Tonight 7:45-20 cents.

SPECIAL SELLING OF SPRING TOPCOATS

Oak Hall has just received large shipment of spring topcoats that should have arrived six weeks ago. As the stock is quickly selling they have decided to offer these at the one special price of \$25 although they were bought at \$30. Here are coats that if bought on the market today would cost considerably more than Oak Hall is offering. Here are coats that continuously rising costs it certainly behooves every man who wishes to be economical to take advantage of this opportunity and save from \$5 to \$10 or even more. All the Oak Hall windows are filled with these overcoats and it is well worth a few minutes of anybody's time to observe them carefully. This special offering will continue until closing time on Monday.

NAVY MATTERS FOR THE DOMINION

Ottawa, April 15.—(Canadian Press)—Sir James Loughheed, the naval policy, said in the Senate yesterday that the government had decided to defer action in regard to the adoption of a naval policy for Canada. The general question of naval defense of the empire, he said, would come up at the approaching imperial conference, and meantime the government had decided to carry on the Canadian naval service on pre-war lines, accepting the offer of the British government of one light cruiser and two torpedo boat destroyers to take the place of the present obsolete and useless training ships, the Niobe and the Rainbow.

WERE GUN PATENTS REFUSED TO GERMANS?

Ottawa, April 15.—(Canadian Press)—Did Daniel D. Hennick, living in Logan, Ontario, in 1910, offer to the Canadian government gun patents of his own invention and, on no action being taken, did he sell them to the Imperial German government, is information sought in a question from A. I. Desautels, member for Champlain. He also asks if Hennick is about to return to his home in

DECOTINT

The Sanitary Cold Water Paint Ready for Use With Addition of Cold Water

DECOTINT gives a sanitary wall coating, which has proved absolutely satisfactory. It is durable and permanent in color.

DECOTINT does not chalk or rub off on the clothing, and, therefore, it is an ideal finish for all wall surfaces. It is made up in many artistic shades, also white, which is largely used for the interiors of factories and such buildings, also on ceilings.

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Now is the time you will be thinking about what you need for your spring cleaning. Look over this list:

- Step-Ladders, Fibre and Wood Water Pails,
- Liquid Veneer and O'Cedar Mops,
- Crank Mops, Wall Mops, Silver Polish,
- O'Cedar and Liquid Veneer Polish, Bon Ami,
- Curtain Stretchers, Brooms, Stove Polish.

See the "Kitchen" Range We Are Selling at \$50.50. A Genuine Stove Bargain.

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A Large Variety of New Pieces at Popular Prices.

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Speedy Relief Sold Everywhere Inexpensive

Dr. Wilson's Syrup of Tar an **Cod Liver Oil**

Brayley Drug Co.
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Special Sale

One Week Commencing March 29th.

Carbon Paper

Introducing a High Grade CANADIAN Carbon Paper Standard, Medium, Light Weight Blue, Purple, Black \$2.50 per Box—\$25.00 per Dozen These Prices ONE WEEK ONLY

St. John Typewriter & Specialty Co., Ltd.
PHONE MAIN 121. Corner Mill & Union Streets

Latest Styles in Park Wagons and Sulkies

Let His Royal Highness, "Your Baby" gain lasting benefit from the fine spring weather by breathing pure, fresh air in one of our Comfortable and Modern Baby Carriages.

At the same time a visit to our New Clothing Department will reward you, and we carry a fashionable line of Ladies' and Gents' Clothing at Moderate Prices

Jacobson & Co. - 673 Main St. ONE STORE
GOODS SOLD ON EASY PAYMENT SYSTEM

The Diet During and After INFLUENZA

ASK FOR Horlick's The Original

For Infants, Invalids and Growing Children Rich milk, malted grain extract in Powder The Original Food-Drink For All Ages No Cooking—Nourishing—Digestible

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April 14th - Fredericton, N. B.

ARE YOU PREPARED?

OUR SLIPPERS ARE ALL HERE.



Pumps and Ties in great variety in all the leathers for evening and dress purposes. Black Kid, Patent, Suede, Brown Kid, White Kid, Plain or one Strap; with Louis Heels, all sizes.

Our Pump and Slipper ornaments are selected to go with our Footwear. Prices of Ornaments Extra.

Waterbury & Rising, Limited
THREE STORES

Sterling Silver Spoons and Forks

We have many patterns in Sterling Flatware, the work of skilled designers, elaborate or plain as may be preferred.

Great care should be exercised in selecting a pattern that is to be used a lifetime and probably handed down to succeeding generations.

You may buy, say a dozen spoons or forks and add some other pieces every once in a while, until the set is complete.

See Our Window Display.

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THE JEWELERS. 41 KING STREET

Our 31st Anniversary in Business

and the 89th Anniversary of the "London House" which was started in 1831

To be Celebrated by a seven day's period of great value-giving for St. John people, commencing Saturday the 17th. instant.

This is an annual event and a time of sharing profits with the St. John shopping public in return for the hearty support they have always extended to the "London House."

For months we have been searching the markets for merchandise up to our standard and have succeeded in getting goods at prices decidedly lower than those now prevailing. We have also opened up a whole new floor of departments, giving our ground floor twice as much space, and also a new underwear and silk underwear department on third floor.

Every department represented with special offerings for this big economy event. We quote here a few important items; there are hundreds of other details which will be found in tomorrow's evening papers:

- WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES.
- WOMEN'S GEORGETTE, SILK AND VOILE BLOUSES.
- WOMEN'S AND MISSES' SILK AND MUSLIN UNDERGARMENTS.
- WOMEN'S AND MISSES' CORSETS, BRASSIERS AND KNIT UNDERGARMENTS OF ALL SORTS
- WOMEN'S UTILITY DRESSES AND LARGE APRONS.
- WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' SPORT SWEATERS.
- GIRLS' TUB DRESSES.
- KIDDIES' DRESSES AND ROMPERS.
- WOMEN'S AND GIRLS' HOSIERY, GLOVES, NECKWEAR, ETC.
- HOUSEHOLD STAPLES AND WASH GOODS.
- 10,000 YARDS OF CLOTHS AND DRESS GOODS.
- 4,000 YARDS OF SILKS

SEE OUR WINDOWS—SALE BEGINS SATURDAY, 17TH FURTHER DETAILS IN TOMORROW'S PAPERS

Daniel

RECENT WEDDINGS

Miss Edna Beatrice Jewett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Jewett of Fredericton, was united in marriage there yesterday to George B. Alexander of Moose Jaw, Sask. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. M. Young.

RECENT DEATHS

News was received yesterday by F. A. Kinnear, of the death of John Wade, formerly of this city, at Waltham, Mass. He was a prominent member of the Knights of Pythias in this city and will be remembered here as a conductor on the C. P. R. He has many friends in these parts who will be sorry to learn of his death.

James W. Crossman died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James Leaman, in Moncton, on Tuesday evening after a short illness. He leaves his wife, two daughters and four sons.

Mrs. Edwin A. Record, formerly of Moncton, died at her home in Boston on Tuesday. Postmaster J. H. Harris of Moncton is a nephew.

The death of Mrs. Joseph Robinson, formerly of Marysville, took place yesterday in Fredericton. She leaves her husband, five sons and two daughters.

Mrs. G. M. Holder died at her home in Holderville recently, after a lingering illness, leaving her husband, two sons, S. J. and A. R. Holder of St. John; three daughters, including Mrs. O. W. Chesley of this city; three sisters and one brother.

SOLDIERS IN STREETS OF ILLINOIS CITY IN FEAR OF STRIKE TROUBLE

Kewanee, Ill., April 15.—Two battalions of infantry strengthened by a machine gun company, patrolled the streets here last night to prevent a recurrence of scattering disturbance which broke out yesterday between strikers and "loyal" employees of the Walworth Mfg. Company.

Machine guns were placed at strategic points when Sheriff Sam Wilson warned Lieut. Colonel William E. Swanson, in command of the troops, that he feared an attempt by strikers to force an entrance to the company's plant to drive out workers who reported today.

McGill Honorary Degrees.

Montreal, April 14.—At the convocation of McGill University on May 12 the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws will be conferred on General Sir Arthur Currie, Major General Gilbert Lafayette Foster and Brigadier General Andrew George L. MacNaughton. In recognition of war services also Honorary Justice P. B. Minault, President Abbott Lawrence Lowell of Harvard and Hon. Sidney Arthur Fisher.

Mrs. Newby was complaining to her grocer about the high price of mustard, but he was equal to the occasion. "Yes'm, the high price of mustard is due to the scarcity of fuel. You see people are buying up mustard and are keeping themselves warm with poitices!"—London Ideas.

Stores Open 9 a.m., Closed 6 p.m. Daily; 10 p.m. Saturday

Customers Who Have Taken Advantage of Our Friday Morning Sales

have found bargains well worth coming after. Here are other articles on sale tomorrow until 1 o'clock. The values offered are very exceptional. You will find them worth making an effort to shop early.

The Linen Section Offers Good Bargains For Friday Morning Only

Fine English Longcloth
On Sale, 5 yards for \$2.00

Washable Rugs
For Suburban Homes
Size 24x40 On Sale, \$1.25
Size 27x45 On Sale, \$1.75

Fancy Stripe Terry Towels
Size 17x36 On Sale, 45c.

Pure Linen Hand-Embroidered Centres
Scalloped, 18 in. round, On Sale, 75c.
(Linen Section—Ground Floor)



Interesting Whitewear Bargains for Friday Morning Only

Women's Night Dresses
Dainty styles in pink or white
mull On Sale, \$2.35 each

Combinations
Consisting of Corset Cover and Skirt. Two pretty styles.
On Sale, \$1.45 and \$1.85

Bungalow and Overall Aprons
Made of neat colored prints.
On Sale, 98c., \$1.35 and \$1.50
(Whitewear Section—Second Floor)

Children's Velour Kimonos
Only \$1.50 Each for Friday Morning Only
Colors are sky, rose, pink and Copen. All sizes, from 6 to 16 years. Very useful and comfortable garments and a splendid bargain.
(Children's Shop—Second Floor)

Silver and Glass
In pretty pieces for shower remembrances or small wedding gifts. All reduced for Friday morning only.
Included are: Marmalade Jars, Mustard Jars, Salt, Pepper and Mustard combined, Vinegar Bottles and Pickle Jars.
On Sale, \$1.25 to \$3.50

Photo Frames
In antique gold finish, newest shape, different sizes,
On Sale, \$1.75 each
(Art Section—German St.)

A Friday Morning Sale of Rugs
This will be very acceptable, coming just now when every housewife is looking out for new house furnishings.



Smyrna Rugs
Reversible, made in five attractive, snappy patterns. Size 30x60 inches.
For Friday Morning, \$6.00 each
Rugs are good-looking and serviceable and are well worth your immediate attention.
(Carpet Section—German St. Entrance)



SALE OF JAP SILK AND VOILE BLOUSES

Smart styles, featuring all the new style ideas for Spring and Summer. Marked at big reductions for All Day Friday.

JAP SILKS
have pretty round necks, or collar and reverses. Some button on the side, others have front fastening with three large pearl buttons. Fronts are pin tucked and hemstitched, and each model is very pretty and desirable. Sizes 34 to 44.
For Friday, \$3.98

VOILE BLOUSES
are in fine qualities. Fronts are beautifully embroidered and tucked. Slip-on styles are included and dainty models with organdy collars and fine lace trimmings. Sizes 34 to 44.
For Friday, \$3.98
(Sale in Blouse Section—Second Floor)

WOMEN'S WOOL SERGE DRESSES GREATLY REDUCED FOR ALL DAY FRIDAY

Among them are fashionable models in navy, black and brown, in sizes 16 years to 38 inches. These are mostly in new, free hanging belted styles, slightly fitted. Plain and fancy braid trimmed models are included, and every dress is a very remarkable value.
For Friday Only, \$15.95

Moire Poplin Underskirts
Made with wide tucked flounce, good shades of wisteria, Nile, navy, rose and black. Lengths 34 to 40 inches.
Friday Morning Only,
\$3.50 each
(Costume Section—Second Floor)

TWO SPECIAL GROUPS OF BOYS' SUITS AT BARGAIN PRICES FOR FRIDAY MORNING ONLY

These are broken lots and odd Suits from our regular stock, and are in neat patterns and very desirable colorings.

New models with loose, buckled belts, hand slash and patch pockets and other style variations.
Only a limited quantity in each lot, and every Suit is wonderfully low priced.

GROUP I
Sizes 31 to 35 inches. Ages 13 to 17 years. Regular price, \$11.00 to \$14.00.
All On Special Price For Friday Morning, \$10

GROUP II
Sizes 31 to 36 inches. Ages 13 to 18 years. Regular prices, \$15.00 to \$18.50.
For Friday Morning, \$13.50
(Boys' Shop—Second Floor)

MEN'S SPRING FURNISHINGS AT FRIDAY MORNING BARGAINS

Black Cashmere Half Hose—Sizes 9 1-2 to 11 1-2, Friday Morning, 75c. pair
Boys' Fine Cashmere Shirts and Drawers—Sizes 24 to 32 inches. Friday Morning, 85c. gar.
Men's Natural Merino Shirts and Drawers—Sizes 34 to 44 inches. Friday Morning, 90c. gar.
Men's Regatta Shirts in newest colored stripes and checks. Made with soft, double-wear cuffs. Friday Morning, \$2.50 and \$3.00 gar.
Men's Working Shirts—Extra large bodies, well made. sizes 14 1-2 to 17 1-2. Friday Morning, \$1.75
A Few Odd Traveling Bags—14 to 18 inches, Friday Morning, \$3.00, \$5.00, \$8.00, \$10.00 and \$14.00.
School Bags. For Friday Morning 75c. and \$1.10
(Men's Furnishings Section—Ground Floor)

SALE ENDS AT 1 O'CLOCK SHARP, WITH THE EXCEPTION OF BLOUSES AND DRESSES.
You Will Find it Wise to be Here Early!

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KING STREET • GERMAIN STREET • MARKET SQUARE



A Good Bargain in Covert Cloth for Friday Morning Only

This is just the right weight for Spring and Summer Coats. Five good shades for your selection, dark and light sand, olive, fawn and castor, 56 inches wide.
On Sale, \$2.90 yard
(Dress Goods Section—Ground Floor)

Here is a Chance to Buy Cretonnes

At Very Special Bargain for Friday Morning Only
Three different groups included:

GROUP I
Light and Dark Cretonnes in floral and conventional designs. Regular 65c. per yard.
On Sale, 45c.

GROUP II
Striped and Flowered Cretonnes in a good variety of colorings. Regular 90c. and 95c. yard.
On Sale, 75c. yard

GROUP III
Velton and Terry Cloth, very soft and desirable for portieres, hangings, etc. Regular \$2.00 and \$2.10 yard. On Sale \$1.50 yd.
(House Furnishings Section—Second Floor)

Marquette Curtains

Three wanted patterns on sale for Friday morning only, 2 1-2 yards long, lace and insertion trimmed. These are very desirable, in winy shade.
On Sale, \$4.75 pair
(Curtain Section—German St.)

Mercerized Coat Linings

Plain colors and pretty brocaded patterns, 40 in.ches wide. Friday Morning Only 80c. yd.

Women's Chamois Finish Gloves

Black and white only. Friday Morning, 90c. pair

Women's Leather Gloves

Washable and good wearing, fancy stitching on back. Colors are beaver and mastic. Friday Morning, \$2.10 pair

Women's Lawn Handkerchiefs

With neat embroidered corners. Friday Morning, 15c. each

Japanese Knitting Baskets

Very compact, assorted sizes. Friday Morning, 35c. each

Women's Lisle Finished Hosiery

Grey, brown, black and white. Nice quality for present wear. Friday Morning, 38c. pair

Hat Bandings

Plain and fancy Silks. Friday Morning, 20c. yard

Women's Fibre Silk Scarfs

In an assortment of nice colors, different sizes. Friday Morning, \$1.00 and \$3.00

Laundry Bags

Embroidered, ready for use. Friday Morning, 95c. each
(Annex—Ground Floor)

Fancy Voiles and Muslins

Pretty patterns for Summer Frocks, etc., 40 inches wide. Friday Morning, 69c. yard
(Wash Goods Section—Ground Floor)

EDWARD MORRISON GAINS 25 POUNDS

For Three Years He Suffered After Every Meal and Got Too Weak to Work - Is Back on Job.

"I had actually lost twenty-five pounds in weight and was too weak to hit a lick of work at the time I got hold of Tanlac, six months ago, but in a few weeks' time I had gained every ounce of my lost weight back and I have not missed a day from work since."

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

H. A. Powell, K. C., last night presented a set of 100 books to the hospital board. The first division in the Farmer-Labor legislature of Ontario took place yesterday when a vote of 70 to 23 was recorded in favor of the government on a motion regarding property qualifications for municipal offices.

YESTERDAY IN PARLIAMENT

(Canadian Press) Ottawa, April 14.—Yesterday in the House of Commons Hon. Mr. Rowell tabled the peace treaty with Roumania. A resolution moved by George Parent of Quebec West brought up the question of claims for damages on behalf of the innocent victims in the Quebec riots of 1918. The motion, which was for production of papers carried.

PAVING MATTER AND PLAYGROUNDS TO NEW COUNCIL

Two important issues were put aside for the new common council at a meeting of the city council yesterday afternoon, the paving question and the matter of playgrounds. The feeling was that the present council did not wish to assume the incoming members to any large expenditures.

Breathe Deeply, Then Listen For That Bronchial Wheeze

Dangerous to Neglect Troubles in the Chest, Throat or Nose at This Season Rough, wheezy breathing means danger ahead. Every day you defer treatment makes it harder to cure. Don't delay. Bronchial and lung troubles are all too frequent. Start today with "Catarhosone," breathe in its pure balsamic vapor. Let its healing fumes do for you what stomach medicine never can.

Moving to 87 Charlotte Street Just as Soon as We Can

The Bank is in a hurry---they want this store just as quick as we can clean up---and we have only a few weeks to sell every garment in the Semi-ready Store.

Every suit---every overcoat---every pair of pants in the store will be offered at straight discounts on the label in the pocket.

It's a chance for every man to get even with the high cost of clothes---to buy the highest class tailoring at less than the cheaper clothing costs.

Semi-ready Wardrobe

George T. Creary Cor. King and Germain Streets



GOVERNOR'S BALL A GREAT SUCCESS

Brilliant Function in Parliament House at Fredericton Last Evening - Large Number of Guests.

Fredericton, April 14.—The ball given tonight in the House of Assembly by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Pugsley, was one of the most brilliant and enjoyable functions which has marked the social history of the province for many years.



Select Roofing with Care

THE roof on your house will be the least of your worries in years to come if you exercise care in selecting the right roofing now. Roof right, and roof well at the start. Specify

NEPONSET TWIN SHINGLES

Asphalt Saturation—Slate Surfaced—Fire Safe. Neponset Twin Shingles are the only Twin Shingles manufactured—two shingles in one. Their crushed slate surface, a soft and pleasing red or green color, add an attractiveness and charm to the home.

NEPONSET ROOFS



"Buster" the Boy-Proof Collar

This is the collar for your boy—a collar you can keep free from the soil of play and smudgy hands. A damp cloth—and the lad goes off to school with his collar as clean as new.

Challenge Cleanable Collars in all styles save laundry bills. They look like linen and wear like iron. They always hold their shape—never fray, never "wilt." For man or boy, Challenge Cleanable Collars mean money saved on wear and laundry.

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1920

SAYS THE LAND TAX IS THE ONE REMEDY

Letter Sent Out by Members of the Tax Reform League.

Toronto, March 30, 1920.
To the Editor of the Times-Star:
Sir—Enclosed is a letter addressed to Canadians generally, and signed by a number of well known Canadian business and professional men.
The situation is serious and any remedy suggested by men of affairs, especially those who have made a study of these matters from the viewpoint of the general good, and not from personal self-interest, ought to be favorably considered by all who feel the gravity of present conditions, and who love their country.

Yours truly,
W. A. DUGLASS,
Secretary Tax Reform League of Eastern Canada.

The Solving of the Problem To Canadians:
There are three problems before the Canadian people today upon the solution of which the future prosperity of the country depends. They are:
1—The housing question.
2—The high cost of living.
3—The raising of revenue sufficient to provide for our debt and national expenditures.

All these questions are intimately related to our system of taxation. In order clearly to establish this relationship let us consider some effects of our present system: Let our municipalities be forced by our system of assessment and taxation to penalize the building of every dwelling by heavy taxation. The value and consequently the price of a lot upon which to build is increased by every public expenditure for public service. By a vicious interpretation of our tax laws by the assessors, the vacant lot is assessed at much less than the value demanded by the owner from a would-be user, thus making it easy to keep it vacant until the owner can get his price. This increases the amount of capital necessary to build houses and restricts the supply. In addition to this it is the custom of assessors, regardless of the law to assess land built on at a higher rate than similar vacant land and this, with the high assessment on improvements, is one of the chief factors in causing the present shortage of houses.

2nd. Greater production will greatly help to solve the problem of the high cost of living. Everyone is being called upon to "produce, produce, produce" and yet every producer is handicapped by special taxation. When it is remembered that a tax upon the product is virtually an additional cost of production which with a profit on the tax enters into the selling price, it is easily seen that one of the quickest ways to decrease the cost of living is to repeal all taxes upon things made by industry.

3rd. Our public debt is over \$2,000,000,000 and the interest required, together with pensions and other government expenditures necessitates a revenue of about \$500,000,000 a year. How is this to be raised without increasing the already intolerable burden of taxation to which the people are now subjected? To increase the tariff would be to increase these burdens and it is very doubtful if this would not reduce rather than increase our revenue. As already shown, any increased taxation on things produced by labor will add to their price and increase the cost of living, thus making a sufficiently difficult situation impossible.

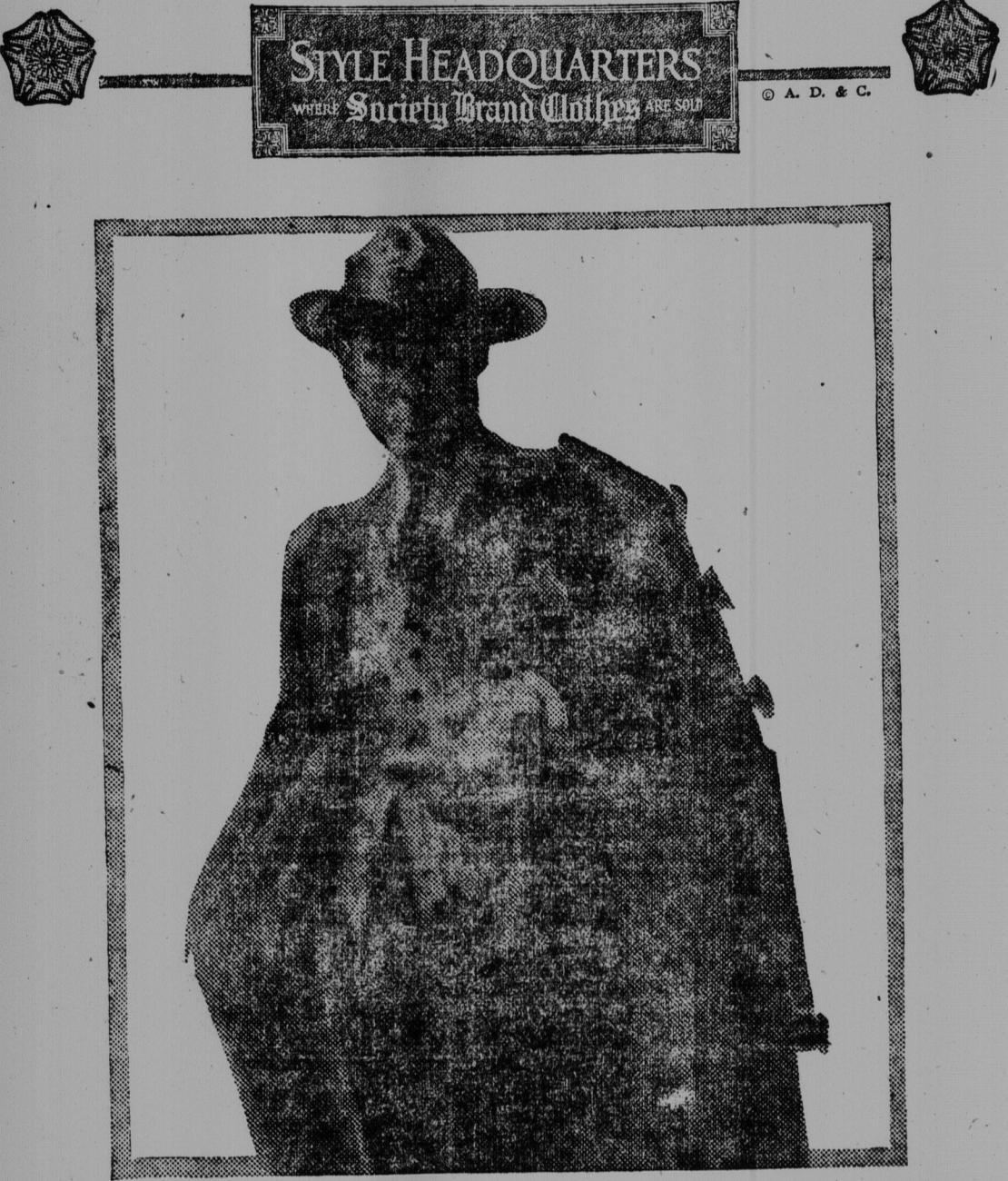
The solution of the three-fold problem lies in the taxing of land values and the utilization of such of our natural resources as are not yet alienated. Land is the only thing which increases in value without increasing its selling price. For to tax land is to make it harder to keep unused, and the higher the tax the lower will be the selling price and in this way the high taxation now necessary, if applied to land, can be made a benefit instead of a burden.

Land, the gift of the Almighty for the use of all His children upon which all must live and from which the subsistence of all is drawn, has been largely monopolized and those who use it monopolized and heavily taxed, while those who neither use it themselves nor permit others to do so are allowed to escape with a lower tax and in many cases are actually exempt entirely. Everything but "land values" was taxed to carry on the war the one thing which owes its existence to government and population, a product, not of individual enterprise but of the whole community, the one thing which ought to have been taxed contributed nothing to the present aggravated situation is a result of the war. It is eminently fitting, therefore, that what should have been taxed but was not should now be levied upon.

Tax land values only and exempt houses from taxation; then land will become cheap, houses plentiful and rents will fall. Take taxes off all foods, clothing, etc., stop putting obstacles in the way of trade and commerce such as tariffs, licenses and wrong taxation, and much more quickly than by any other means the cost of living will come down. Take the tax off production and discourage the holding of land idle. Then there will be no need to urge men to "produce." Men are kept from production by unjust taxation which makes it more profitable to keep land idle than to use it, and which fines men in proportion as they do produce or employ men to produce.

The annual rental value of the land (which value is wholly a community produced value), together with our remaining natural resources, are amply sufficient to provide for all the needs of municipal, provincial and federal agencies, and this is the only way a sufficient revenue can be obtained justly, and without aggravating the present situation. The adoption of this method will solve the three questions of housing, high cost of living, and adequate revenue, which are now pressing for settlement, and there is no other practical solution of these problems and upon their solution the future prosperity of Canada depends.

H. B. Cowan, managing director, Rural Publishing Co., Peterboro, Ont.
Frank Barber, consulting engineer, Toronto.
W. C. Good, Paris, Ont.
Alan C. Thompson, manager, Marshall Ventilated Mattress Co., Toronto.
D. B. Jacques, Jacques, Davy Co., Toronto.
Julian Sale, Julian Sale Leather Goods Co., Toronto.
Thomas Southworth, managing director, Deltor Smelting & Refining Co., Toronto.
Walter Barr, president Goldsmiths' Stock Co. of Canada, Toronto.



When You Choose Your Spring Clothes

Remember—Fabric alone does not make a suit. Something more is necessary. What that something is is very evident when you take a look at our new spring models.

Every Suit or Top Coat, regardless of price, has been tailored with great care to the fine details of workmanship, and you can depend on a style that is put there to stay.

"SOCIETY BRAND" models are very extensively represented in our showings. These are designed for young men and men who stay young. They are suited to the tastes of those who want correct, stylish and well-fitting clothes, and they possess an air of fitness that appeals to even the most critical clothes judge.

We would be very glad to show you the latest styles any time you can come in.

(Men's Clothing Section—Second Floor)
Manchester Robertson Allison, Limited

MARRIAGE JUDGMENTS IN MONTREAL COURT.
Montreal, April 15—Two marriages were annulled by judgment of the superior court yesterday. The first was that of Francis J. Szymon, who sought to have his marriage to Nellie Mahon of Newcastle, N. S. W., set aside as invalid. In 1901, at the age of nineteen, when a sailor on a British warship, he said he was forced into a marriage by threats and directly after the ceremony returned to his ship and had not seen his wife since. Mr. Justice Coderre adjudged null and void the marriage of J. Bonney and Helene Marrenger, which took place in Montreal in November, 1905. They were both Catholics and were married in the First Methodist church (French) by a Protestant minister. Proof was filed that the Catholic church authorities had declared the marriage null and void and Justice Coderre's judgment now declared it equally invalid as regards its civil effects.

WILL NOT REDUCE THE DIVORCE DAMAGES AWARD.
London, April 15—(Canadian Associated Press)—Lieut.-Colonel Albert Newton Street, Canadian army service corps, yesterday unsuccessfully appealed against £1,000 divorce damages against him when a royal air force officer was the petitioner. He pleaded that the damages were excessive. The judge characterized the application as hopeless.

MUST GIVE HER LIFE FOR THOSE SHE CAUSED TO BE TAKEN BY HUNS.
Marseilles, April 15—Louise Boulinie, who in 1914 denounced to the Germans a French soldier, her neighbor, Michel Amedee, was condemned to death yesterday by a court-martial. Amedee was executed a half hour before an order for his pardon reached the German officer to whose charge he had been remanded.

LAUNCH APPEL, EIGHT U.S. SAIP ORS DROWNED.
Havana, April 15—Eight American sailors were drowned in Manzanillo harbor on Tuesday, when an explosion set fire to a launch in which they were riding.

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FINANCIAL

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.
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Montreal Stock Exchange
New York, April 15.

	Close	Open	Noon
Am Sumatra	100	100 1/2	99 1/2
Am Car and Pdry	114 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
Am Locomotive	106 3/4	107 1/2	107 1/2
Am Beet Sugar	99 1/2	100 1/2	99 1/2
Am Can	48 1/2	48 3/4	48 1/2
Am Int. Corp	103 1/2	103 1/2	102 1/2
Am Steel Fdrles	46	46	46
Am T and T	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Am Smelters	82	81 1/2	81 1/2
Am Woolens	132	133 1/2	132 1/2
Amacoids Min	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
As T and S Fe	82	81 1/2	81 1/2
Brooklyn R T	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Balt & Ohio	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Baldwin Loco	141 1/2	141 1/2	140 1/2
Butte & Superior	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Beth Steel	98 1/2	98 1/2	97 1/2
China Copper	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
Col Fuel	39	39	39
Can Pacific	121	121	121
Crucible Steel X D	267	268	265 1/2
Erie	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Gen Motors	362	359 1/2	359
Inspiration	36 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Int'l Mar Com	37 1/2	37 1/2	36 1/2
Int'l Har Pfd	96 1/2	96 1/2	95 1/2
Indust Alcohol	93 1/2	93 1/2	93 1/2
Kennecott Copper	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Midvale Steel	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Mex Petrol	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
North Pacific	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
N Y Central	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
New Haven	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Ohio Cities Gas	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Pennsylvania	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Pierce Arrow	69 1/2	70 1/2	69 1/2
Pan-Am Petrol	114 1/2	115 1/2	114 1/2
Reading	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Republic I & S	119 1/2	119 1/2	118 1/2
St. Paul	38	38	38
South Railway	23	22 1/2	23 1/2
South Pacific	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Studebaker	123 1/2	124 1/2	123 1/2
Union Pacific	119 1/2	120 1/2	119 1/2
U S Steel	103 1/2	104 1/2	103 1/2
U S Rubber X D	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Utah Copper	76	76	76
Westing Electric	82	82	82
Willys Overland	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2

MONTREAL TRANSACTIONS.
J. M. Robinson & Sons, Members
Montreal Stock Exchange
Montreal, April 15.

Royal Bank—10 at 221.
Brail—50 at 46, 130 at 49 1/2.
Bell—23 at 105.
Bridge—25 at 104.
Brompton—330 at 90 1/2, 245 at 90 1/2, 50 at 90 1/2, 505 at 90.
Cement—23 at 66 1/2, 20 at 66, 75 at 65 1/2, 75 at 65 1/2.
Dominion Steel—25 at 70 1/2.
Carriages—26 at 38.
Glass—45 at 67, 50 at 68.
Laurentide—100 at 84.
Abitibi—5 at 328.
C. G. E.—10 at 105.



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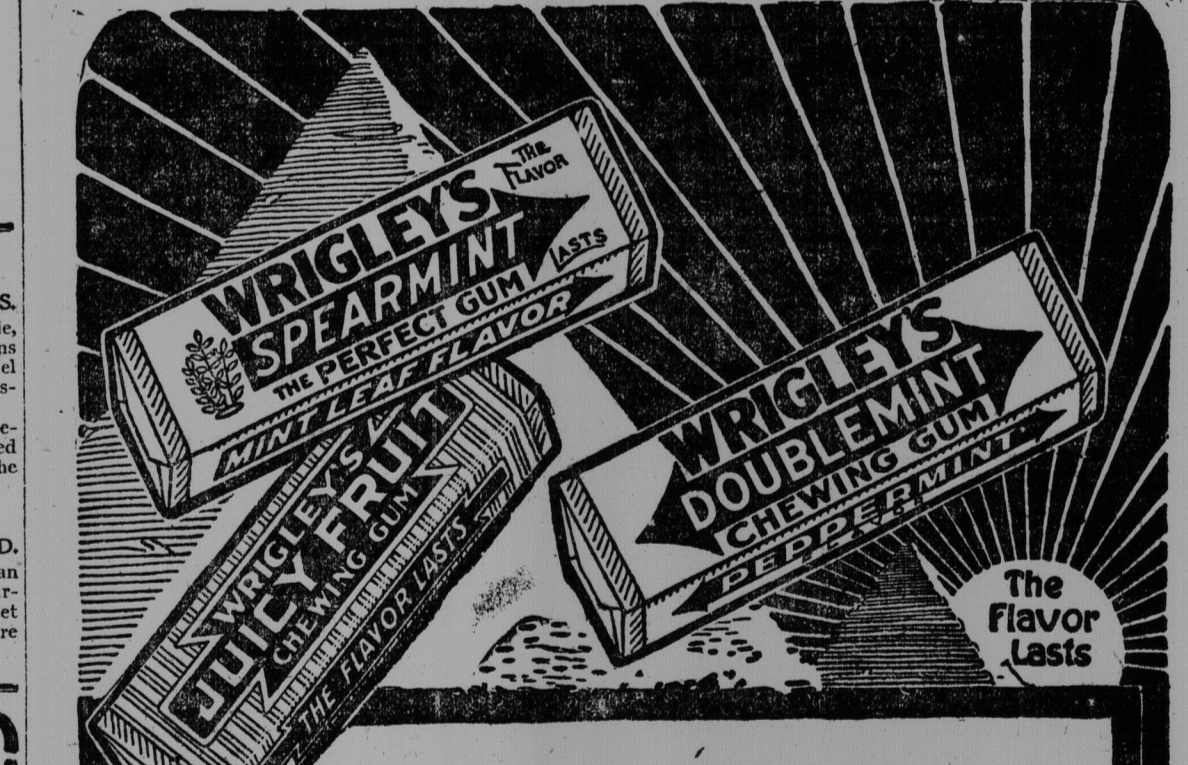
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Velvet Hats, Middy Tams,
Velvet Tams
Children's Kid Gloves!

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No matter how "fussy" a man may be about a fit or a cloth, he can't be too fussy to cause us to drop our enthusiastic interest in selling him. A particularly attractive line of Spring Suits and Overcoats is now here prepared to challenge the particular man of particular taste. Step in today.

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Suits for boys who like life and want to be well dressed, despite hard play.
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Whatever your ideas about Bon-Bons, you'll like Page & Shaw's. Most people prefer them. We carry the entire line of Page & Shaw Confectionery—The Candy of Excellence.

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House-Cleaning Helps You'll be Needing

Spring time brings with it the cleaning and brightening up of the home, for which we offer a complete line of help, such as:

STEP LADDERS—PAIS—SCRUBBING BRUSHES—MOPS,
Brooms, Smoky City Wall Paper Cleaner, Gillette's Lye, Old Dutch Cleanser, Sapollo, San-Flush for Closet Bowls, Powdered Ammonia, Soaps, Metal Polish, Floor Wax, etc.

In Mops we are showing O-Cedar Polish Mops, and O-Cedar Polish, Spruce Mops and Spruce Polish, and the Liquid Veneer Mop—the mop with a swab that comes off with a pull—and Liquid Veneer Polish. Also Floor Mops.

On Wash Day try La France Laundry Tablets, and see how much nicer your clothes will look.

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LOCAL NEWS

DEATH OF CHILD.

The death of Agnes Eileen, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burley of 317 Main street, occurred today and will bring them the deep sympathy of many friends.

MRS. M. E. DICKIE.

The death of Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Dickie, widow of George E. Dickie, occurred at the Mater Misericordiae Home on April 14 after a short illness. She is survived by one sister, Mrs. Catherine Clancy. The funeral will take place on Saturday morning at 7:45 o'clock to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem.

THE LOCH LOMOND INQUIRY.

It is unlikely that any further steps will be taken in connection with the inquiry into the sale and cutting of lumber on city land at Loch Lomond until the return of Hon. Dr. Baxter, K. C., city solicitor, from Fredericton, where he is attending the legislature.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISES.

Friends of Thomas H. Spragg called upon him at his home, 618 Bridge street, last evening and tendered him a pleasant surprise party in honor of his birthday. He was warmly congratulated and best wishes were extended for his enjoyment of many more. On behalf of the gathering George Chase presented to Mr. Spragg a pleasing remembrance of the occasion. An enjoyable time was had in games, music and refreshments.

THE CHILDREN'S HOME.

Mrs. Peatman, matron of the Children's Home in Garden street, has been advised by her physician that she must take several months' rest, but she will remain on duty until the first of June. The Children's Aid Society, which has the children in the home, regret deeply that her arduous duties have so impaired her health; for she is beloved by the little ones and has been a real mother to them all.

CULLINAN-DRISCOLL.

The wedding of Miss Hannah Driscoll, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Driscoll, 254 Waterloo street to John Cullinan of Fairville took place yesterday morning in the Cathedral. The ceremony was performed at 8:15 o'clock with nuptial mass by Rev. Wm. Duke. They were unattended. The witnesses were Miss Gertrude Collins, cousin of the bride, and Michael Cullinan, nephew of the groom. The bride wore a grey tailored suit, with cape, and carried a white prayer book. Mr. and Mrs. Cullinan received many beautiful presents testifying to their popularity. They will reside at 18 Orange street.

K. C. DEGREE WORK.

The exemplification of the first degree took place last evening in the room of the Knights of Columbus, Coburg street, with a class of twenty-three candidates. W. M. Ryan, grand knight, presided, and following the exemplification which was particularly well done, gave an address of welcome to the new members. Dr. W. P. Broderick, state deputy, also gave an address on the principles of the order, which was well received. Two visiting members from across the border, Messrs. Devine and Sullivan, were heard in interesting numbers. F. T. Hazel sang, E. J. Henneberry gave a reading, refreshments were served and a pleasant social hour enjoyed. J. L. Mulhally presided at the piano. There was a large attendance of members.

PYTHIAN HEAD GOT A SURPRISE

Vote Against Abutters' Paving Measure in St. John Leaves City in Back Rank.

During his visit to the city yesterday, Hon. Charles S. Davis of Denver, Colorado, supreme chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, made a visit of a sight-seeing nature to various parts of the city. Going over some streets which furnished a jolt here and there he asked what manner of paving was adopted towards the uptown and paving of the streets.

STILL NO WORD OF C. HEFFERNAN

His Immigration Pass Into States Apparently Not Taken Up.

There is still no word of Cornelius Heffernan, a local cattle buyer, who disappeared more than two weeks ago. He went to Fredericton in March to buy some cattle and told his wife before he left that he might go on to the States. After being in Fredericton a few days he sent a telegram to his wife saying that he would be home at the end of the following week, but since that time she has had no further word from him. Where he left this city is but nearly five hundred dollars, with him and his wife fears that he may have met with foul play. On March 22 his is said to have gone to Fredericton Junction, but from there his movements have not as yet been traced. Through offices at the local U. S. Immigration office the Times learned that he had applied for a passport to Boston on March 22, saying that he intended going there on a business trip. He was granted the pass, but to date it has not been lifted by any one of the officials along the border.

As soon as it was learned that he had been reported missing the local officials started an enquiry to learn if he had passed into the States, but none of their men had seen Mr. Heffernan or lifted his pass along the border. They are of the belief that he is still in Canada.

EMPHASIZES NEED OF WORK AT THIS PORT

Complaint of Delays Made by French Steamships Pressed at Ottawa — Other Board of Trade Matters.

The French consul having advised the local Board of Trade that steamships for French ports had been subjected to costly delays at this port during the last winter, an investigation of the complaint was made by the secretary. It was learned that these delays were largely due to the absence of grain conveyer equipment on the government piers at West Side. The investigation also impressed the need for the extension of Negro Point breakwater to protect the shipping of the inner harbor. Both subjects have been strongly pressed upon the government through the medium of the federal representatives. Replies on these matters have been received from Mr. Elkin and Mr. Wigmore.

The latter, replying under date of April 13, stated:—"I have received similar complaints from other steamship lines, and this is only another argument to put up on behalf of greater expenditure for the port of St. John in order that it may be properly equipped to handle the increased national trade." Looking After The Map. The Canadian Trade Index, recently issued by the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Toronto, has appended to it a map of Canada, with certain ocean trade routes printed thereon. Notwithstanding that the port of St. John has been doing a larger export business than some other ports specially referred to, the map-maker has neglected to outline any trade routes out of this port. The attention of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association was called to this omission by the St. John Board of Trade upon receipt of the index. The manager of the intelligence department replied that the map had been drawn by one of the government departments, and that it would be to the advantage of St. John to have this "serious situation" rectified. The matter has been taken up with Ottawa.

World Tariffs.

By arrangement with the Trade and Commerce Department, Ottawa, the St. John Board of Trade will keep on file copies of foreign tariffs and recent amendments to tariff schedules. Exporters can consult these schedules at the board rooms.

COATS STOLEN IN TWO STORES

Two Youths, Few Days in City, Plead Guilty — The Story of a Ring.

In the police court this morning, John McLean and Marcus McLean, arrested last night by Detectives Biddiscombe and Donahue, were charged with stealing two overcoats, valued at \$38 each, one from A. E. Henderson's, King street, and one from Donaldson Hunt's, Charlotte street. They pleaded guilty and consented to the jurisdiction of the court but on request of Detective Biddiscombe were remanded for further investigation. Mr. Henderson told of seeing Marcus in his store on Monday. He asked to look at some goods and while he was waiting on him the phone rang, and while talking heard the doors open and shut, but from his position could not see who entered. The customer he had been waiting on decided he did not wish to see any more goods and left the store. A short time afterwards Mr. Henderson said he missed the overcoat, which he identified in court this morning. Mr. Collins of Donaldson Hunt's, said Marcus McLean was in the store and wanted to look at some goods while the other accused was standing in another part of the store and said he was waiting for his friend. Mr. Collins said he gave rise to a conversation about a ring which he, Collins, had, but he said he told the accused the store was not set firm. He said he showed the accused the ring, and since then had not seen it. Mr. Collins identified an overcoat stolen from their store.

Detective Biddiscombe said the accused have been in the city since Monday and had been boarding at various places, John coming from Sydney and Marcus from Vermont. He said their names appear on the books of several local second hand stores in connection with the sale of goods at a reduced price. They were arrested at 92 Princess street and had only about seventy-five cents on them at the time. One is sixteen and the other eighteen, and the magistrates said it was a pity to have to send them to the penitentiary, yet he was determined to stop so much theft in the city.

Thomas Carr, charged with vagrancy, was sentenced for three months to the Aims House.

Four men charged with drunkenness were remanded.

AGAIN INCREASE.

The St. John bank clearings for the week ending today were \$3,772,931; last year, \$2,768,738; in 1918, \$2,075,137.

AN ANNIVERSARY.

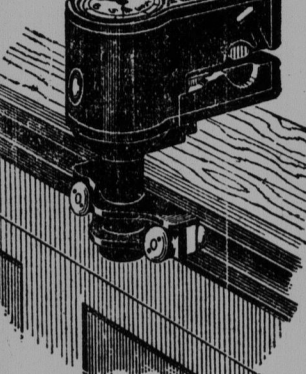
Sixty years ago today an important event took place in the history of the Catholic church in these parts took place in the Cathedral, the consecration of the late Rt. Rev. John Sweeney, D. D., as Bishop of St. John. He was the third to occupy the episcopal seat in this diocese. He died on March 25, 1901.

RAMBLERS VS. OWLS.

A bowling match, which promises to create considerable interest among local enthusiasts will take place on Black's alley tomorrow evening when the Ramblers, champions of the City League, will meet the Owls, champions of the Y. M. C. E. League in the first of a series of three games to decide the city championship. The teams will include: Ramblers—Beattie, Covey, Morgan, Coughlan and Riley; Owls—Garvin, Cleary, McCarver, McDonald and McCurdy.

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It means that our customers will be charged exactly what they should pay for a piece of goods—no more or no less—and you won't have to wait for the salesperson to figure out the amount.

A clever device for efficient service.

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The Range That "Makes Cooking Easy"

The Modern Glenwood E has a large roomy oven, a well proportioned fire box, smooth plain castings, removable nickel with patent spring, divided oven bottom, and many other important features, including the Celebrated GLENWOOD Oven Heat Indicator, which tells the exact heat required for any kind of cooking.

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Now Is The Time To Buy Furniture

If you are going to need Furniture in the next few months, it will pay you to buy now, as the replacement costs of our present stock will necessitate an increase in prices on practically all kinds of Furniture.

Manufacturers' prices are advancing all the time; we get notice from somebody almost every week of an advance in prices—ten per cent., fifteen per cent.; shortage of materials; shortage and increased cost of labor.

In the face of such a condition we're doing what we can to take care of the interests of our customers. We've found a good many things here which, for one reason or another, we can sell at prices that are lower than replacement cost.

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An Extra Large Assortment of Window Shades now here for your inspection.

NEW STYLES IN FURS FOR SPRING

During the past few weeks we have been making up new styles in the popular Furs for this spring and summer and invite your inspection NOW.

We have Hudson Seal, Mole, Taupé Squirrel, Grey Squirrel, Taupé Wolf, Natural Wolf, Taupé Fox, Isabella Fox, Cross Fox and other Furs now in demand. You will find our prices the lowest for Furs of Reliability.

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PROSPERITY IN
WEST INDIES

Mr. Frith, Just Home, Speaks of Conditions and Trade Opportunities.

NO CHAIRMAN
YET FOR THE P. U.
COMMISSION

(Special to Times.) Fredericton, April 15.—No action has been taken yet by the government regarding the vacancy in the Public Utilities Commission...

PREMIER FOSTER'S
POINTED QUESTION

Touching the Relations of Public Utilities and the People. (Special to Times.) Fredericton, April 15.—A new principle relating to the regulation of public utilities concerns was suggested by Premier Foster...

GOOD THINGS COMING
TO THEATRES OF
ST. JOHN
DON'T FAIL TO
SEE THIS GREAT
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One of the Best Ever Staged in This City—New Vaudeville Programme Tomorrow Night.

CHOSE MEN IN
SEDITION CASES

Action of Winnipeg Branch of Dominion Labor Party.

94 ACCIDENT
CASES TREATED
AT SAND POINT

Since the opening of the winter port sixty-four minor accidents have passed through the emergency hospital.

CHANGE IN THE
FISCAL SYSTEM

Important Feature of Caucus of Western Unionist M. P.'s.

EVERY MEMBER
of St. John Lodge, Loyal Order of Moose, is requested to attend meeting in hall tomorrow evening to discuss formation of social club.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50 cents

BIRTHS

DEATHS

LATE SHIPPING
PORT OF ST. JOHN.

Arrived April 15. Furness liner Start Point, from London.

MARINE NOTES

The Furness Withy liner Start Point arrived this morning direct from London with general cargo.

MANUFACTURERS
AND THE DRUG ACT

Montreal, April 15.—Members of the Canadian Manufacturers Association yesterday that substantial concessions had been promised to a delegation that recently interviewed H. H. Rowell, president of the privy council...

PERSONALS

R. W. Ward, assistant trade commissioner for Canada in South Africa, left yesterday afternoon for Montreal, after a successful conference with the St. John exporters and shippers.

GREAT MINSTREL
SHOW MONDAY NIGHT

Good Music, Popular Songs and Good Wholesome Comedy.

Warm Discussion Over
Exemption From Taxes

(Continued from page 1.) insufficient. Men would have to be employed at the dam to see that logs went through.

PRaise OF AMATEURS.

A correspondent writes:—I read some time ago in your paper an article about encouraging amateur performances.

PROVINCIAL
CHAPTER, I. O. D. E.

Fredericton, April 15.—The twentieth annual meeting of the Provincial Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire was opened here this morning.

BRITISH MINERS ACCEPT.

London, April 15.—The miners federation by a majority of 65,185 has decided to accept the government's offer of a twenty per cent increase on gross earnings.

WOULD CLIMB HIGH.

George Kingston, 301 Brussels street, C. F. R. trucker, working at No. 15 shed, fell overboard last night, injuring his left hand and right arm.

DEATH OF PERCY A. PARKS.

The death of Percy A. Parks took place yesterday at his residence, 41 Market place, West St. John.

A UNITED FAIR.

St. Mary's Band and Thorne Lodge joint fair, Thorne Lodge hall, April 15 to 25th. Door price, usual games.

Advertisement for Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. Includes illustration of a man sitting at a desk reading a newspaper, and the headline: "He Told Me About How He Got Strong After the 'Flu'".

Advertisement for Grape-Nuts cereal. Includes the headline: "A Sturdy Food" and text describing the product as "The full, rich nourishment of selected wheat and malted barley, baked 20 hours for easy digestion."

IN MEMORIAM

FUNERAL NOTICE

MEMBERS OF GOLDEN RULE LODGE

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WELCOME RELIEF FROM ECZEMA

Complete Treatment That Gives Gratifying Results
Wasing, Ont.
I had an attack of Weeping Eczema...

to stand still and he threw a long stick with a nail in the end at me. The nail stuck in my head right there...

CUTICURA HEALS SISTER'S ECZEMA

In Rash All Over Body, Burned And Itched, Could Not Rest.
My little sister had eczema all over her body. It came like a rash...

SHRIEKS AT TALE OF TORTURE OF GIRL

Woman Faints in Court and Two Other Follow as Story Is Told - Accused Denies.

New York, April 15—The story of two years' suffering and torture, in which she was branded with red hot carving knives and kept a prisoner in a cupboard...

DELANO ESTATE \$5,000,000

Banker's Will Leaves Entire Property to Family.

New York, April 15—The will of Eugene Delano, senior member of Brown Brothers & Co., who died April 2 at the age of seventy-seven...

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Being used by over three million people annually as a tonic and blood builder. It will increase the strength of weak, nervous, rundown folks in two weeks' time in many instances.

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(Aids to Beauty.)
A well known beauty specialist advises this treatment for the removal of hair from the face. Mix into a paste some powdered delatone and water...

MEAT CAUSE OF KIDNEY TROUBLE

Take a Glass of Salts if your Back hurts or Bladder bothers—Great forms uric acid.
If you must have your meat every day, eat it, but flush your kidneys with salts occasionally...

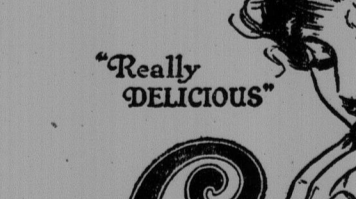
Painful Piles

A Free Trial of Pyramid Pile Treatment is One of the Greatest Pleasures Ever Experienced.
You are suffering dreadfully from piles or hemorrhoids. Now, go over to any drug store and get a 50-cent box of Pyramid Pile Treatment...

Dandruff Soon Ruins the Hair

Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff, for it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely...

The CANDY Cathartic



"Really DELICIOUS" Cascarets FOR CONSTIPATION THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

THIN, NERVOUS PEOPLE NEED BITRO-PHOSPHATE

Guaranteed to Put on Firm Healthy Flesh and to Increase Strength, Vigor and Nerve Force.

Women as Brave As the Men THEIR STRUGGLE SHOWS A REMARKABLE SPIRIT.
Talk of the bravery of men, but where can you find a finer spirit than among the half-sick women who are fighting and struggling to do their duty against the terrible odds of ill-health, and who will not give up.

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The method is embodied in a dentifrice called Pepsodent. This week we offer a 10-Day Tube to every home in this city, and we urge every home to get it. Let it prove itself.

Film is What Discolors
You can feel on your teeth a slimy film. It is ever-present, ever-forming. It clings to teeth, enters crevices and stays. The tooth brush doesn't end it. The ordinary dentifrice cannot dissolve it.

Most tooth troubles are now traced to that film. And now it is known why brushed teeth still discolor and decay. The reason lies in that clinging film which the old cleaning methods omit.

That film is what discolors—not the teeth. It is the basis of tartar. It holds food substance which ferments and forms acid. It holds the acid in contact with the teeth to cause decay.

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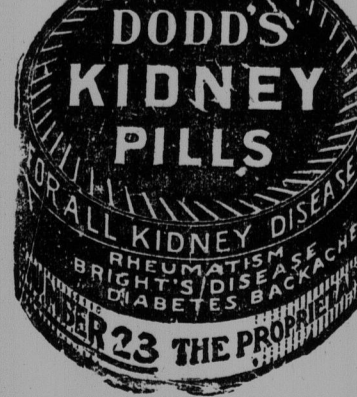
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Nothing Pays Better Than Taking Care of Yourself

Men seem to care more for money than they do for health. They do not seem to realize that it pays better to take care of health than to take care of business.



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During the last three years we have only had one man who betrayed our confidence. The men are found employment in the ordinary way. They return each night unescorted to the Salvation Army Metroplex. Their wages are collected, and sent to their families, after \$4.50 a week is deducted for board and lodging. A man without dependents has his money kept in trust until the term is completed. Last year \$9,800 was collected for the families of men who were being 'punished' in this way.

Brigadier Fraser during his eighteen years of prison mission work has seen a great deal of true repentance and a right-about-face attitude from men through this honor system.

"We have no difficulty in placing these men," said the brigadier, "and employers are willing to pay the union wage."

NEW YORK STORE IS RENTED FOR \$35,000,000
Horace A. Saks of New York announced the other day that the property now occupied by the Hotel Bucking-ham and the Belgrave's apartments, on the eastern Fifth avenue block fronted between Forty-ninth and Fiftieth streets, had been leased by the firm of Saks & Saks.

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 1920

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LOCAL NEWS

A brick vault is being built to accommodate records and statistics of the board of health in the Ritchie building and protect them from fire.

A pie social was held in Norton on Tuesday evening by the Young Ladies' Guild of Christ church. The sum of \$78.50 was realized.

Several new members were initiated last night at a meeting of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners. Joseph Nixon presided and there was a large attendance of members.

A business meeting, in which only routine matters were discussed, was held by the Boiler-makers and Helpers' Union in the Painter's hall, Charlotte street, last. J. H. Green, the president, was in the chair.

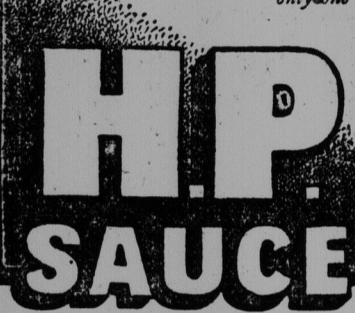
The monthly meeting of the Associated Charities was held yesterday afternoon. The secretary reported 150 applications received, including thirty-eight seeking employment.

At a meeting of the Young Ladies' Missionary Society of Portland Methodist church last evening, Miss Jessie Cunningham and Miss Frances Steel were given life memberships in the society. Both are to be married in the near future.

That the hostel in Britain street should be open for St. John girls as well as those from overseas was the opinion of the executive of the hostel committee, which met at the residence of Mrs. H. A. Powell last evening. It was felt that this would solve some of the boarding problems for local girls. The resignation of Mrs. J. J. Gordon as matron was accepted and it was decided that a working housekeeper be engaged.

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PHOENIX CATHOLIC CHURCH BARS WOMEN WITH LOW NECK DRESSES

Phoenix, Ariz., April 15—The doors of St. Mary's Catholic school here yesterday bore notices saying:—

"Entrance into this church is forbidden by women wearing low necked dresses."

The notices were signed by the rector, who has frequently protested against the extreme styles in women's attire.

Members of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite enjoyed a banquet at the Union Club last evening.

LOCAL NEWS

An afternoon tea and candy sale was held yesterday afternoon by the Junior branch of the W. A. in St. Paul's school house, Rotheray, under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Cornell. The sum of \$10 was raised for missions.

The International Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Rockwood Union No. 1861, held a banquet in Bond's last evening, W. C. Farze presiding. Dancing was enjoyed and the function was most successful.

Rev. G. B. Traflet of St. John, who has been assisting Evangelist Smith of Maine in holding special services in the Reformed Baptist church at Norton, met with a painful accident recently. While driving he was thrown from a carriage and was obliged to return to his home for surgical treatment.

Marlborough Lodge, Sons of England, held a concert and social in their rooms, German street, last evening. Those who took part were President R. I. Carlous, Miss McMahon, Miss Good, Miss Smith, Miss Gill, Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Storey, G. B. Lewell, Charles Noddin and Messrs. Hammond and Dennison.

At a meeting of St. Vincent's Alumnae last evening, Miss Annie Gosnell presiding, it was said that as a result of sewing meetings held during the winter the members were able to hand over to the Sisters of Charity at St. Vincent's orphanage a large lot of clothing. It was decided to hold an assembly in the near future.

One of the best concerts of the season was given at the Seaman's Institute last evening by local talent and the S. S. Scandinavian Jazz Band. A large number of people were in attendance. Those taking part besides the Jazz Band were C. Jones, J. Hanahan, J. Shaw, Mrs.

AWAY SINCE JUNE

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wadman Home After Sojourn in West and South.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wadman, who arrived here on Tuesday after a lengthy trip to the west and south as far as Virginia, will leave today for their home in Moncton. While in the city they have been the guests of their daughter, Mrs. H. L. MacFarlane, 299 Main street. They have been away from this province since June of last year. They spent most of last summer in Manitoba and British Columbia, putting in two months at Revelstoke with their son, T. J. Wadman, who is dominion land agent there. In last October they travelled west and journeyed via Winnipeg to Toronto, where they were joined by another son, L. D. Wadman of Moncton, on a vacation trip. They went then south to Danville, Va., where they were the guests of their daughters, Mrs. J. B. Oakes and Mrs. Floyd Revere, whose husband is a descendant of the famous

Mr. Wadman is past grand master of the Orange order in New Brunswick and was empowered to nominate a committee to give effect to its recommendations. Missionary finance and work were considered and Rev. Dr. Bedford Jones, new principal of Bishop's College, Lennoxville, was welcomed by Bishop Farthing and the delegates.

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ANGLICAN SYNOD

Suggestion of Manifesto re Women's Dress and Other Subjects.

Montreal, April 15—The development of the forward movement as a spiritual and moral force now that the monetary objective has been attained, was the topic of a prolonged discussion at yesterday's session of the Anglican synod. The need for a higher standard of life in public matters was debated and one speaker suggested a great united manifesto from the synod in which such a question as immodesty of dress could be dealt with.

The report of a sub-committee in connection with the forward movement was adopted in printed form and Bishop Farthing was empowered to nominate a committee to give effect to its recommendations.

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SIDEWALKS BILL AMENDED; OTHER MATTERS AT CAPITAL

Fredericton, April 14—The municipalities committee of the legislature was unanimous today in the viewpoint that no exemption should be given to any corporation or other body in the matter of school taxes in the province. It is believed they will recommend that the legislature pass an act making exemption from school taxes for any purpose impossible.

The bill relating to use of space beneath public sidewalks in St. John was amended so as to apply concerning rentals only to those who had had such rights for twenty years or more.

A delegation from Westmorland asked the government for an explanation of the patriotic tax imposed during the war which had amounted to \$18,000. A full explanation was given and it is possible that this county, which had refused to pay the tax, may arrange an early adjustment.

IN THE POLICE COURT

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON

In the police court yesterday afternoon the case of L. G. Morrell, charged with having liquor on his premises for illegal purposes and manufacturing beer was postponed until this afternoon. The defendant gave evidence saying the beer was for his own use. E. S. Rilnic appeared for the defence. May Moore, charged with drinking in public was sent for fifteen months to the Good Shepherd's Home. Sydney Klimister, charged with theft, was remanded and the case postponed until Friday afternoon; W. R. Scott was named a case against Su Hoo, proprietor of the Sanitary Cafe, in Charlotte street, charged with allowing his premises to be used for the unlawful consumption of liquor, was taken up and Inspectors McAlush and Merryfield gave evidence. The accused said he knew nothing about liquor being there. The case was postponed until this afternoon.

The C. P. R.'s Achievement.

L'Autreite—"A contrast between the management of the Canadian Pacific Railway and that of the National Railways is far from complimentary to the Unionist government. A deficit of \$47,000,000 for the National Railways looks bad by the side of a surplus of \$82,000,000 which the Canadian Pacific Railway has shown, in spite of increased costs of operation. The C. P. R. has the reputation of being the best managed corporation in the world, and in speaking of the company's achievements I agree with La Patrie that Mr. Beatty has reason to be proud of the company's work, and that it is a work which Mr. Beatty's high qualities as a man of business, a man of prudence and initiative will safeguard and develop still more in this great institution, which is more valuable to the interests of the Dominion than to those of the people who have invested in it. If the C. P. R. could pull through so nicely during the worst world crisis we ever experienced, what may we not expect from Mr. Beatty's management in normal times?"

THIS DEMPSEY ACQUITTED

Mincola, N. Y., April 15—John J. Dempsey, former vice-president of the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, was acquitted yesterday on a charge of manslaughter growing out of the Melrose street tunnel wreck on November 1, 1918, when more than ninety persons were killed and nearly 200 injured. This was his second trial. The jury at the first trial disagreed.

COMMITTED FOR TRIAL.

Halifax, N. S., April 14—Magistrate Fay, at Bridgetown, today committed for trial John Everson, who was arrested in connection with the burning of the

THE BUSY BEE

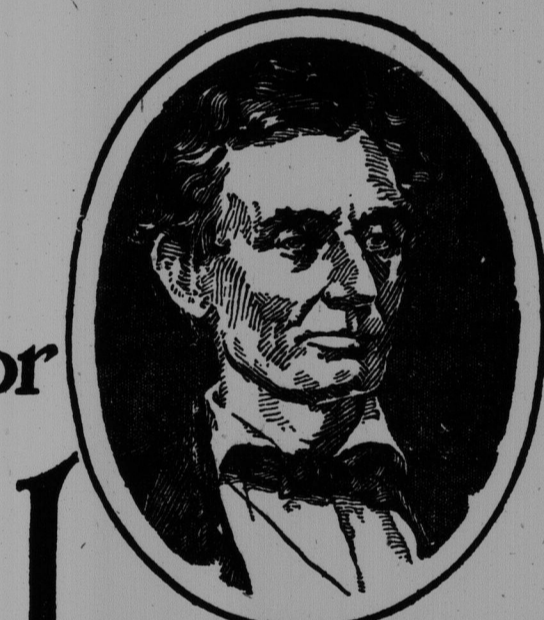
will have a complete change of goods today.

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Everson house at Tupperville, and the death of his brother. The supreme criminal court will not meet until June. Figures collected by Public Service sons enter and leave New York on the various steam and high-speed electric every business day nearly 700,000 per-roads.

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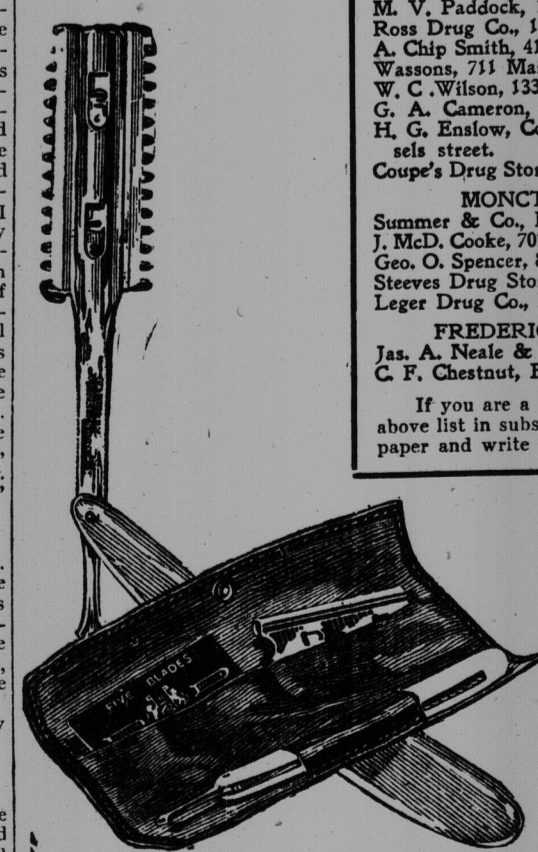
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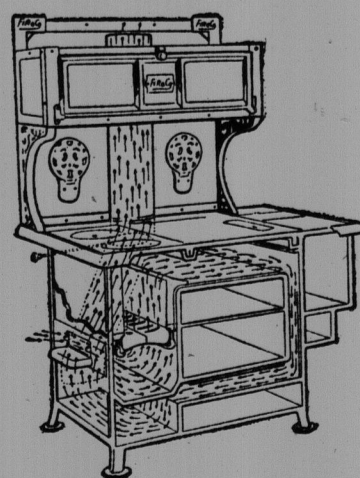
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FLYNN TO FIGHT ON FOR \$2,000 FOR SOLDIERS

Gains 500 Supporters at Ottawa Meeting — Plans Organization from Coast to Coast.

(Canadian Press.)
Ottawa, April 15—Promising that he would take the issue to the governor-general, organize the returned men from coast to coast, and that the organization which he represented would not rest until this gratuity question was settled, especially as it affected the widows and orphans of soldiers, J. Harry Flynn, president of the United Veterans' League advocate of the \$2,000 gratuity scheme, last night addressed an audience of at least 2,000 returned men, and some women, and concluded a remarkable gathering by inducing fully 500 men to join the returned soldier organization of which he is the head.
His thrusts at the government were cheered to the echo. His references to the \$2,000 gratuity were received with unbounded enthusiasm.
Mr. Flynn referred to the acting premier as "Sir George E." with the accent

on the "E." He always spoke of Colonel Cooper of the parliamentary committee of re-establishment as "Colonel Coo-ah," and Mr. Nesbitt as "Yass or 'Nor."

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Lewis An Idol.
New York, April 14—According to Phil Bloom, Kid Ted Lewis has become a serious rival of Georges Carpentier as the idol of the European boxing fans. Since his return to his old home land—Lewis was born in England though now a naturalized American citizen—Ted has gone through the British welterweights, middleweights and light-heavy-weights like a wind through the barley. He has fought seven fights and won them all by knockouts. British ring experts go so far as to say there is not a man within thirty pounds of his weight in Europe, save Carpentier, who can stand up against him.
Despite the furore created by Carpentier's big time knockout of Beckett there are plenty of British fans who believe Lewis can take Carpentier's measure, and this despite the fact Ted was knocked out by Jack Britton and out-pointed by several other American fighters. Well known members of the National Sporting Club are willing to wager on Lewis' ability to beat Carpentier, and the London Daily Mail states that Ted can get backing for \$5,000 as a side stake against Carpentier.
Offer is Turned Down.
New York, April 14—In explaining why he turned down the offer to match Fred Fulton against Jack Johnson in a finish fight at Mexico, Fulton's manager, Tom O'Rourke, said that the California laws make it compulsory for those who cross the line into Lower California to remain for a long period, and for that reason the fight would not draw well enough to make it worth while.
Johnson has plenty of backing for the proposed fight. One of the promoters is a brother-in-law of Gov. Establin Cantu, who is the head of a syndicate

BAD COLD LEFT HIM WITH BRONCHITIS
However slight a cold you have you should never neglect it. If you do it can have but one result. It leaves the throat or lungs, or both, affected. Bronchitis is one of the most common affections of a neglected cold, and neglected bronchitis the most general cause of consumption.
Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup is just the remedy you require to cure the bronchitis. It does this by loosening the phlegm and mucus, and stimulates the weakened bronchial organs, always irritation and subsides inflammation, soothes and heals the irritated parts and thus prevents it becoming chronic.
Mr. R. P. Sundblad, Francis, Sask., writes—"I had a very bad cold which left me with bronchitis. I tried several cough remedies and oils of all kinds, but they all failed. At last I got Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup and after using two bottles I have never had a sign of bronchitis since. I therefore can honestly recommend it for coughs and colds."
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Constipation, although generally described as a disease, can never exist unless some of the organs are deranged, which is generally found to be the liver. There is nothing more productive of general ill health than constipation of the bowels, and a regular action is absolutely essential to general health. One of the most common, painful and troublesome troubles caused by constipation is piles, and unless the bowels are kept open by the use of a good laxative such as Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills the whole system will be poisoned and many different complications of diseases arise, so if you would be well, keep your bowels regular.
Mr. A. Roder, Hastings St. E., Vancouver, B. C., writes—"I desire to express my thanks for what Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills have done for me. I had been suffering from constipation for two years, and also had a bad cough and headaches. I tried all sorts of cures and remedies, but got no relief until I was advised to try your pills. I got great relief after the first few doses." Get Milburn's Laxa-Liver Pills when you ask for them or send 25c. and they will be sent by return of mail by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

GANG OF FIVE ROB HUNDRED N. Y. GAMBLERS
New York, April 15—Broadway is buzzing with the story of a spectacular hold-up which netted the robbers about \$5,000. The stolen cash belonged to 100 or more crap shooters, who were rolling for "big Dick" and "little Joe" and other members of the same family in an apartment house in Broadway, near Fifty-third street.
"Johnny," a well known figure in the underworld, has been running a game at this Broadway house for several weeks. Five men, apparently former visitors to the place, entered about 2 a. m. and joined the game. When the stakes grew particularly high the five suddenly drew revolvers and commanded the players to back against the wall. While three of the hold-up men kept the crowd with their hands pointed north the other two went south, east and west over the rich territory presented to them and gathered in stickpins, watches and various small change that was not already on the tables. Then the five men jumped into a waiting taxicab and sped away.

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Intermission of Ten Minutes

- ACT II... 1. A Modest Little Thing... 2. There's a Will Wolf Waiting... 3. A Wedding in Fairyland... 4. Song Memories... 5. Brave Old Contempts... 6. "Harmonize With Me"... 7. Ragging Thro' the Rye... 8. Dancing Around... 9. "Ho"... Grand Finale... God Save the King

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Scene 5—"Mother Hubbard's Bed-chamber." Scene 6—"King Cole's Castle." Scene 7—"Melodies of Yesterday." Scene 8—"Peace Day, London—(a) West End; (b) Trafalgar Square. Scene 9—"Corridors in the Palace of Hearts." Scene 10—"The Palace of the King of Hearts."



PRICES FOR THE NIGHTS—Orchestra Floor, \$1.50 and \$2.00; in Boxes, \$2.00; Balcony, two rows at \$1.50, remainder, \$1.00; Rear Balcony (unreserved), 75c. MATINEE—\$1.00, Children 50c.—All Rush Seats. Sale Opens Monday, 19th, at Box Office.

SPORT NEWS OF A DAY; HOME AND ABROAD

THE RING. Offers Carpenter \$40,000. Mike Collins, boxing promoter of Minneapolis, yesterday offered Georges Carpenter \$40,000 to meet Tommy Gibbons in June. Gibbons posted \$10,000 as a forfeit.

WRESTLING.

N. Y. M. C. A. Boys Win. The wrestling tournament in the Y. M. C. A. last evening was a success. The meet was for the "Y" provincial championships and the representatives of the local Y. M. C. A. won. The results were: 106 lbs.—1st, M. Williams, Fredericton; 2nd, P. Murray, East End Improvement League. Time, 35 secs.

115 lbs.—1st, W. T. Howard, Y. M. C. A.; 2nd, G. Campbell, Y. M. C. A. Time, 2 mins, 50 secs.

125 lbs.—1st, J. Jennings, Y. M. C. A.; 2nd, W. Hughes, Y. M. C. A. Time, 9 mins, 30 secs.

135 lbs.—1st, G. Logan, Y. M. C. A.; 2nd, F. H. Wilson, A. S. R. Time, 27 secs.

145 lbs.—1st, R. McConnell, Fredericton; 2nd, K. C. C. Time, 10 secs.

158 lbs.—1st, E. George, Montreal; 2nd, P. Long, Y. M. C. A. Time, 13 mins, 52 secs.

Unlimited—1st, L. S. Kerr, Y. M. C. A.; 2nd, A. Lussstrom, Fredericton; 3rd, M. C. A. Time, 10 mins.

Club championship—1st, St. John; 2nd, M. C. A.; 3rd, St. John; 4th, M. C. A. 5 points; tied, Atlantic Sugar Refinery 3 points and East End Improvement League 3 points.

Officials—Referee, W. McNally; timers, S. Kerr and P. J. Pougnet; clerks, B. D. Robertson, H. R. Hill and T. C. Armour.

RING.

Ontario Boxing Bill. Toronto, April 15—A boxing bill which Hon. Lieut. Col. D. Carmichael proposes, was discussed last night at a conference between Col. Carmichael and representatives of soldier organizations, sportsmen's patriotic associations, sporting editors, Chief of Police Grasset and others. The gathering was unanimously in favor of the appointment of a provincial commission to control professional

"How do You Like Your Eggs"—"Hard or Soft?" 3 Eventful Days For the Week-end 3 UNIQUE 21 in 2 in 1 Bill 21 in 2 in 1 Bill 21 in DOROTHY DALTON in A PARAMOUNT PICTURE "HARD BOILED" A FEATURE DEALING WITH THE ADVENTURES OF A SINGER. Coming—Monday—Earl Williams in "The Fortune Hunter"

Today—LYRIC—Today JIMMY EVANS And His Musical Company of Odds and Evens THE FLIRTING DUCHESS Snub Pollard Comedy—A Good One. See It!

FRANCE REMOVES HER GASOLINE RESTRICTIONS Paris, April 15—All government restrictions on commerce in oils will be lifted today. During 1919 France used 80,000,000 gallons of gasoline. AVALANCHE OVERWHELMS A SWISS VILLAGE Geneva, April 15—An enormous avalanche yesterday overwhelmed the village of Fontana, in the Canton of Ticino. There was no loss of life. Wesley College Gets \$100,000. Winnipeg, April 15—Wesley College has been granted an appropriation of \$100,000 out of the Methodist forward movement fund. The money is to be Wesley's share of \$160,000 provided by the recent campaign for Methodist institutions of learning. It will be used for endowment purposes.

HATS-- The Kind Worth Wearing Get Yours Now Before the Next Price Advance. We Have All the Better Lines. Come in. MULHOLLAND THE HATTER 7 Waterloo St.

IMPERIAL A Right Merry Mid-Week For All! Hailed as the cleverest comedy in months MADGE KENNEDY "STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL" NOW PLAYING The Greatest Secret in the world is being kept Strictly Confidential by 2,355 Husbands in this town, but the Secret is coming out at the Imperial Theatre today and will cause many a matrimonial nightmare. Remember it's Strictly Confidential now but just wait! Canadian Pictorial Kinograms—News FRI.—Wm. S. Hart in "John Petticoats"

OPERA HOUSE VAUDEVILLE Frank Franc And His Baby Cello Instrumental Novelty Bond-Wilson Co. One-Act Farce 13—Superstitions—13 3—LORDENS—3 Sensational Casting Act of Thrills and Dares Sam Adams and J. P. Griffith Comedy Riot, "A Music Lesson" Faden Trio Comedy Singing Skit Pearl White in "The Black Secret"

T. J. SHAUGHNESSY IS MARRIED IN CHICAGO. Chicago, April 15—(Canadian Press)—Thomas J. Shaughnessy, managing director of the Canadian Booth Fisheries Company, Winnipeg, was married yesterday to Miss Margaret Farrelly of Chicago. They will live in Winnipeg. Mr. Shaughnessy, son of Mrs. John Shaughnessy of Chicago, is a nephew of Lord Shaughnessy, chairman of the C. P. R. He is a graduate of Notre Dame University and president of Notre Dame Club, Chicago. Miss Farrelly is a graduate of St. Xavier Academy, Chicago. Miss Catherine Shaughnessy, sister of the groom, acted as bridesmaid. Quite Apparent. This is suggestive of a certain case in Philadelphia which gave evidence of the perspicacity of a minion of the law who had the power of issuing a warrant. A lady of large proportions appeared before him with this plaint: "My husband has deserted me and I want a warrant." "What reason did he give for deserting you?" asked the prosecutor. "I don't want any lip from you. I want a warrant. I don't know what reason he had." "I think I understand his reason," said the official, feebly, as he proceeded to draw up a warrant.—Philadelphia Record.

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We are now going to liquidate the stock of the King Square Sales Co., opposite the market

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GEORGE DURAND COMPANY, MONTREAL

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SOLE BOOTS
Regular \$12.00
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LADIES' OXFORD LOW
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Very New Style for Spring
Wear. Regular \$7.00
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ONE BIG LOT
BROWN AND BLACK
LEATHER BOOTS
French and Cuban Heels.
Regular \$9.00
To Go at \$4.98

ONE BIG LOT
BROWN KID BOOTS
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At Extraordinary Low Prices

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EXCELLENT BABIES'
SWEATERS
Regular \$2.00
89 cents

ONE BIG LOT
MEN'S SHIRTS
\$4.00 Value
To go at \$1.19

GRASP THIS OPPORTUNITY

ONE BIG LOT
LINEN TOWELS
Regular 25c.
To go at 9c.

ONE BIG LOT
BEST QUALITY TOWELS
Regular 90c.
To go at 49c.

ONE BIG LOT
LADIES' HOSIERY
Sunshine. Regular \$1.00
39 cents

ONE BIG LOT
MEN AND BOYS' CAPS
Silk Linings. Regular \$2.50
79 cents

ONE BIG LOT
MEN'S BOOTS
Rubber and Neolin Soles.
Regular \$9.50
\$6.98

ONE BIG LOT
MEN'S CALF BOOTS,
A. H. M. All Sizes.
Regular \$10.00, \$12.00
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MEN'S BLACK SHOES
Leather and Cloth Top. Regu-
lar \$6.00 to \$8.00
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DON'T WAIT; DELAYS ARE DANGEROUS!
We have closed our eyes to values and cut and slashed prices for these five days to get money!

THE END IS NEAR!
Mark well or words. These prices are lower than factory price today. You have five days; use them well.

The extra reduction in prices are the result of the unfavorable weather conditions that existed during the opening days of the big sale. Roads were impassable; people could not get to the store, the result being that business was slowed up. Now, with only five days left, we are bound and determined to make up this money and take the loss, no matter what it may be. Don't say there is no such thing as luck. What the King Square Sales Company loses, you win.

Remember The Reason of This Sale; The King Square Sales Co. are going out of business and out forever and everything must go for what it will bring at this forced sale.

King Square Sales Company

OPPOSITE THE MARKET!