

THE ACADIAN.

WOLFVILLE, N.S., DEC. 7, 1917.

Editorial Brevities.

Can't you give the boys a vote? They are giving their lives for you.

Are you strong for the men at the front or for the men who want to save themselves?

Roll up a big vote for Sir Robert Borden. Show the country that Kings county people are proud of him.

The Union Government has been created to back up our soldiers and see them through. Give it your support.

The news that General Currie's state of health requires that he be given a rest will be heard with regret, but should occasion no surprise. He is of the original First Division, and has been at the front since early in 1915. All the original Firsts should have a fairing in Canada.

Nominated as the Liberal candidate in Lincoln, Ontario, Captain E. J. Lovelace cables from the British convalescent hospital in which he is now a patient that he stands for a conscription government during the war. The men who know the need are strong for the thing that the Lanier Bourassa combination opposes. Are you for the men at the front or for the men who want to save themselves?

The order increasing from twenty dollars to twenty-five dollars a month the allowance to the wives and other dependents of soldiers is a most convincing answer to caravans that the Union government will not treat fairly the families of men overseas. Common sense should force on every elector the conviction that Union government can and will deal with all war problems far more impartially than any party government.

We cheat ourselves in many ways. We juggle our motives, doing something wrong or unworthy under a pretext which confuses our real reason. Many times unkind things are said which are not at all necessary. We say them from malice, or the desire to appear clever, or for applause, and we pretend to ourselves that we say them for truth's sake or in the interest of candor or in good faith.

A Bishop's Reasons.

The Anglican Bishop of Toronto, Canadians should reflect upon:

(1) Because it is non-partisan, being composed of the best men on both sides of politics.

(2) Because its raison d'être is to "win the war."

(3) Because it pledges both sides equally to any policy or action that in their combined wisdom they may adopt toward this end.

(4) Because its determination is to keep full faith with the Motherland, in the matter of Canada's pledges, and thus with Canada's sons at the front.

(5) Because to do otherwise at this time of stress for the Empire would be to emphasize division, the consequences of which might lead to disasters greater than can be estimated.

Think over these reasons seriously, and see if they do not meet fully and completely every legitimate argument of the opponents of the Union. There is no answer that will satisfy those who oppose Union and conscription because of a hope that they can thus escape service, but Bishop Sweeney's five reasons must appeal to those who are giving the great question manly and honest consideration, and who are fair enough to realize that the issue is national, not partisan nor petty.

Antounging Report For Wolfville.

The wife of a merchant had stomach trouble so bad she could eat nothing but toast, fruit and hot water. Everything else would sour and ferment. O.J.E. SPOONFUL buckthorn bark, glycerine, etc., mixed in Adler-Like benefited her INSTANTLY. Because Adler-Like flushes the ENTIRE alimentary tract it relieves ANY CASE constipation, sour stomach or gas and prevents appendicitis. It has QUICKEST action of any thing we ever sold.

The sergeant-major had trouble in finding an accountant for his captain, but at last brought in a private for trial.

'Are you a clerk?' demanded the captain.

'No, sir,' replied the man.

'Do you know anything about figures?' asked the captain.

'I can do a bit,' replied the man modestly.

'Is this the best man you can find?' asked the officer.

'Yes, sir.'

'Well,' growled the captain, 'I suppose I'll have to put up with him! Turning to the private, he enquired, 'What were you in civilian life?'

'Professor of mathematics at the State College, sir,' was the unexpected reply. The Tattler.

H. Pines will always be at his office over Rand's drug store Mondays, Tuesdays, Saturdays. Visits may be arranged for short distance outside on other days.

"Ralph Connor" in Wolfville.

On Saturday morning Major Gordon (Ralph Connor) paid a visit to Wolfville and delivered an address in College Hall.

Owing to fire troubles, the major was somewhat late in keeping his appointment. The proceedings were therefore started by Messrs. Lumden and Esterbrooks, who gave narratives of their personal experiences at the front in Flanders in very graphic language, and most interesting they proved. Indeed, some listeners were heard to express poor little Oliver Twist's celebrated request for 'More.' Major Gordon entered the hall amid cheers and yells, and immediately took the platform. He is a clear and forcible speaker, and at once captured the closest attention of his audience by his homely style, devoid of all oratorical flights, just a clear, plain statement of facts, gathered by personal observation.

'This is no time,' he said, 'for politicians to be bandying charges of things done, or left undone. But this is the time for politicians to get together, to head all their energies to one object, namely, to win the war. Sir Wilfrid Laurier or Sir Robert Borden are names at this present crisis that mean nothing to me; but the Government, whose sole object is to win the war, means everything.'

'Canada should not be contented with raising 100,000 men, but should raise 300,000, so that reliefs be available, to enable those boys now in the trenches, to get over to Canada for a few weeks, to renew their vigor and thus return to the front, full of confidence and strength, to put the finishing touch upon the enemy. At present in some units, 250 men have to perform the work of 1000.

With Russia eliminated, Germany will have available large bodies of new troops to challenge our lines in Flanders, and now on for the next six months, is the critical period of the war.'

Speaking of the women in France, he found them all steadfast in their duty to their beloved Fatherland. No weeping, no repining, only a cheerful anxiety to do their duty to the utmost.

In Great Britain, as an example of the occasion to which women of gentle birth have risen, one million and a half of these, who had always a maid to comb their hair, or button up their boots, are now employed in the munition factories, or on farms and other occupations.

He found no weeping there, only white determined faces, just set on seeing this job put through. He thought, may he believe, that the women of Canada just as capable and just as proud to make the same sacrifices, to do their duty to Canada and the world.

He was given at the Major's request for the boys in the trenches, and the proceedings closed with all joining in singing the National Anthem.

The spacious hall was packed both on the floor and galleries. Ladies predominated, seemingly coming from far and near, and the Major was given a most sympathetic and encouraging reception.

The Sunday Night Meeting.

That was a great meeting at the Opera House on Sunday evening. All day while the storm raged the ladies who had the meeting in hand saw their hopes of a big audience dwindle away. On account of the bad state of the weather and roads the services in the various churches were slimly attended Sunday evening. But when the chair was taken at the Opera House meeting practically every seat in the house was filled.

Mayor Hales occupied the chair and Mr. W. H. Chase, the president of the Kings County Union Government Association, Dr. DeWolfe and Mrs. Sexton had seats on the platform.

Dr. DeWolfe was the first speaker and he was in fine form. In a brief but earnest and eloquent address he thrilled his hearers. His theme was "The Winning of the War," and he urged that we should put forth every effort in that direction. He spoke of the present crisis in the history of Canada and urged that nothing should be done in any degree to imperil the high place Canada holds to-day in the eyes of the world. His plea for a greater unity and support for the Union Government evidently found a responsive echo in the hearts of those present.

Mrs. Sexton has spoken in Wolfville on former occasions but never to better advantage than on Sunday evening. She is a wonderful woman and her address was a wonderful one. Her appeal to the women present to stand by the boys overseas at this crisis will not be forgotten by any one who heard her. Her address was a most earnest one and indicated her intense interest in the welfare of the Empire and its sons.

At the close of the address a resolution was read by Mrs. (Dr.) DeWolfe, seconded by Mrs. Howard Bass, and unanimously passed, pledging the support of the meeting to the Union Government and our boys at the front.

Vacancies.

There are six vacancies in the Nova Scotia Legislature. Five as a result of the recent nominations. The resigning Mr. F. F. Stee; J. C. Douglas and R. H. Bell, in Cape Breton; J. W. Margeson in Lunenburg; R. H. McKay in Pictou, and Hon. J. W. Combes, in Digby. The first three are Conservatives, and the last named two Liberals. Hon. Mr. Combes being a member of the Murray Government. The sixth vacancy is in Victoria county, caused by the death of the member elect.

Mince Meat!

From now on we are going to handle some heavy beef so that our customers can be supplied with nice suet, also the cheaper cuts of beef for mince meat. Give us a call. We can deliver the goods at right prices.

Save on Your Grocery Bill!

You can save on your groceries by making up a \$10 or \$15 order and bringing your cash along. Just try it and see what we can save you.

OATS! OATS!

Just received 1 car of bagged oats. Order early.

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Our Heroes.

One of the youngest of our heroes to give his life for his country is Lance Corp. James E. Higgins, of the 21st Batt. of the Highland Brigade, second son of Thomas F. Higgins, of Portland and adopted son of the late Capt. and Mrs. Halibuton James was 18 years old in October, the last day of which he was killed while in command of a machine gun. Of the six in this gun crew three were killed and one wounded at this time.

Members of Co. A have since written of the high esteem and devotion to duty, and the splendid character of his work in the trenches since January last. He spent his boyhood in Canada, entering the Canning Bank or Nova Scotia at fifteen years, and leaving as teller when he enlisted. Strong in physique, of a happy and contented disposition, he was a typical Canadian boy, and the hearts of his friends are sad at their loss, though rejoicing in the true manliness of the free and noble giving of his services for Canada.

The news was received recently by Mrs. Frank O. Hutchinson, of Hortonville, that her husband, Lieut. Frank O. Hutchinson, had been killed in action on October 30. Lieut. Hutchinson enlisted as a private in the famous 85th Battalion and soon rose to the rank of sergeant. He went overseas with the Highland Brigade in October, 1916, and was shortly sent to France. He fought in the battle of Vimy Ridge, where he was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant for valor on the field, and was sent to England to take his commission, where he was very successful in participating in the capture of the town of Arras.

Lieut. Hutchinson was deservedly popular among both officers and men and a general favorite with all who knew him. He was a man among men, of a high Christian character and greatly admired for his sterling qualities. He loved his home and looked forward with great joy to a happy reunion with his family, when peace should at length come. He will be much missed by a wide circle of relatives and friends. He leaves to mourn their loss a wife and 4 children, and a little son, a mother, two sisters and four brothers of whom T. F. Hutchinson of Wolfville is one.

Before enlisting, Lieut. Hutchinson was engaged in engineering work with the Cleveland Bridge Company of England. He was working in Buxton, but came home shortly after the war broke out, and responded bravely to the great call of the Nation.

I was cured of terrible lumbago by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Rev. Wm. Brown

I was cured of a bad case of earache by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Mrs. S. Kanbar.

I was cured of sensitive lungs by MINARD'S LINIMENT.

Mrs. S. Masters.

TENDERS.

Tenders for Collection of County, Poor, R. H. W. Patricio Fund, State Labor, Dog Taxes and other taxes that may be levied on the County during the year of 1918, will be received at the office of the subscriber up to and including Dec. 31, 1917.

The Collector must be a resident of the Ward in which he proposes to collect the rates and must give in his tender the names and addresses of two responsible parties who will act as bondsmen for the payment of no fees collected.

By order,

C. I. DODGE,

Man. Clerk and Treas.

Kentville, N. S., Dec. 1, 1917.

NOTICE.

Mr. Geo. A. Carter, of Wolfville Garage, desires to express his gratitude to the automobilists public for the cordial support they have extended to him during the past two years, during which the transaction of business has been a pleasure, and respectfully requests the continuance of your patronage to my successors, Messrs. A. T. McConnell and H. Westcott, who are prepared to give you the same service and conscientious transactions, and are retaining the services of Mr. J. C. McKinn (mechanic), assisted by Mr. H. Pines both well-tried and trusted automobile mechanics. The same guarantee of workmanship will be given as hitherto. Your loyal support is respectfully asked by

Yours very sincerely,
GEO. A. CARTER,
late proprietor of Wolfville Garage.

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A. V. RAND, - Wolfville Drug Store.

The Election of "UNION" CANDIDATES

Is Necessary

To Win The War

Union Government Association Publicity Committee.

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Local Happenings.

Union Government meeting at Grand Pre to-night. Addresses by Dr. DeWolfe and Mr. Estabrooks.

Pantry sale at Williams' store Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Methodist ladies. Don't forget it.

The Graham Studio is showing the finest line of photo mounts that can be obtained. No trouble to show them.

The first real snow-storm of the season occurred on Sunday last and the sleighing has been pretty good all the week.

Mr. Robie Tofts will give a lecture in the Hall at Greenwich this evening (Friday) at 7:30 on the subject of "The Birds of Our District."

The pastor will preach at the Methodist church next Sunday. Evening subject: "Profit and Loss, a Business matter."

Mrs. Thompson and Miss Johnson will hold their annual sale of fancy work, at their home on Wednesday, December 12, next following days.

When filling that soldier's sock be sure and include the rubber wash cloth and soap package at Rand's.

The Ralph M. Hunt Oratorical Contest will take place in College Hall this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock. The people of the town are cordially invited to attend. Admission free.

There will be an important meeting of the Give Service Girls on Friday evening, Dec. 7th, in the Town Hall, at seven o'clock. The meeting will only be a short one and every girl is asked to make a special effort to attend.

A Vesper Service will be held in the Presbyterian church Sunday, Dec. 9th, at 7 p.m. A chorus of 20 voices with a male and mixed quartette will assist, under the direction of Mrs. C. P. Richmond. A silver collection will be taken.

A thoroughbred—The Typewriter with a pedigree of leading models and "best features"—always in the lead in every improved device, the latest Model Remington Typewriter is the highest development in Writing Machines.

A. Milne Fraser, Halifax, N. S.

The Red Cross wish to thank all who kindly donated to the collection taken at the Union meeting held in the Opera House Sunday evening.

The amount realized after expenses were paid was \$15.40.

We much appreciate Mrs. Sexton's kind thought for the Red Cross.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Rogers and daughter, Lady Anderson and the Misses Kenney, of Trinidad; Mr. and Mrs. Stephens, child and nurse, of Demarara; Prof. Henney, Thompson, Hill and Ross, Mrs. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Dady, of Toronto, are at the Villa.

The Women's Union Government Association is meeting with splendid success. Meetings are held every afternoon and evening and a number of fine addresses have been given. Every woman in the vicinity who is interested in winning the war is urged to attend any or all of these meetings.

The Opera House announcement was received this week too late for publication. This evening "The Margold Quartette" will appear in their popular program which no one should miss hearing. It will be a real treat.

Monday and Tuesday evening Charles Dickens' story, "A Tale of Two Cities" will be presented. This is a remarkable photo drama and will be worth seeing. Prices 75 and 25c. Other features will be as usual.

Money to loan on Real Estate security. Apply to Owen & Owen, Barristers, Annapolis Royal.

McKeena Block had a narrow escape on Wednesday afternoon when fire was discovered in the back shop of W. C. Bleakney's grocery. Mr. Bleakney at once sent in an alarm and took active measures to extinguish the flames which were rapidly spreading. The firemen were promptly on the spot and the danger was soon over with little damage being done. The cause of the fire is unknown but it is supposed a match thrown among waste did the trick.

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Halifax Suffers.

News came from Halifax yesterday morning that a terrible explosion had taken place in that city leaving death and destruction in its wake. No particulars were to hand when we went to press other than that a French munition ship had been blown up in the harbor and that a great amount of damage had been occasioned. Numerous fires in the north end of the city, with loss of life, was reported. A special train with doctors and our men was dispatched from Kentville to lend assistance.

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Men's Winter Overcoats, assorted sizes and patterns, \$11.00, 21.00 to 24.00

Men's Lumbermen's Rubbers, size 6 to 12, from \$2.75 to 3.60

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Men's Sheep Wool Lined Coats, will be cleared out at bargain prices.

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Boy's Separate Pants, \$1.35, 1.60, to 2.00

Boy's Lumbermen Rubbers, 11 to 5, \$1.90, to 2.50

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Christmas Vesper Service.
A Christmas Vesper Service will be held in College Hall Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Special music consisting of Chorus and Quartettes, Solos, with readings and addresses, will constitute the program.

Personal Mention.
Contributions to this department will be gladly received.
Mrs. Hugh Fowler has been spending a few days in Halifax this week.
Mrs. J. S. Margeson, with her little daughter has been visiting her mother, Mrs. R. Jones, for a few days.
Mrs. Harris, of Moncton, was a visitor at the manse this week. Mrs. Harris is a sister of Rev. Mr. Miller.
Gannor Frank Bishop, of the 9th Seige Battery, spent a few days at his home here last week. He expected soon to go overseas.
Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Elliott, of Clarence, Annapolis county, have been visiting at the home of their son, Dr. Elliott, of his town.

Blue Cross Concert.
Mrs. Richmond's Blue Cross concert was a grand success. Every one there enjoyed the concerted and single numbers immensely.
Never before has there been such an enjoyable evening's entertainment given at the Opera House than that given last evening. Much praise is due Mrs. Richmond for her work.
It was very hard for Mrs. Richmond to appear last evening, receiving word just before the performance that her only son had joined the U. S. army. This was quite a shock.

Theological Club Passes Resolution.
At a recent meeting of the Theological club of Acadia University an interesting discussion was held regarding the part a minister should play in matters of national interest and national need. It was felt that the present crisis of the country is one in which clergymen should speak out with no uncertain voice. This war is one in which great principles are at stake, and, as leaders of the people, ministers must champion these principles boldly and earnestly. At the close of the meeting the following resolution was moved, and enthusiastically carried by a unanimous standing vote:
"We, the Members of Acadia Theological club, place on record our hearty sympathy and co-operation with a Win-The-War policy, and further, that we pledge ourselves to support the movement for a Union Government in all ways possible."
Committee.

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Old Tea Looks All Right
Old tea and fresh tea, poor tea and good tea, all look alike. No wonder a woman often gets a bulk tea she doesn't like.

Red Rose Tea in the sealed package is always fresh, always good, always worth the price on the label.

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Put up in rolls 36 inches wide containing one square (90 square feet) and two squares (200 square feet), with sufficient extra for laps without extra charge. Nails, caps and cement for applying in core of each roll, also printed instructions.

L. W. SLEEP.

Memorial Service in Baptist Church.

The memorial service in the Baptist church last Sunday morning was sad and impressive, though beautiful. The pulpit was occupied by Rev. Mr. Miller, Dr. Chute and the pastor, Rev. N. A. Harkness. Brothers Ernest Barras and Vaughn Heeshaw, two returned and wounded soldiers, unveiled the Roll of Honor as the pastor read the names of those connected directly or indirectly with the church (14 in all) who had sacrificed their lives in fighting for the right.

Mr. Miller spoke very touchingly upon the heroism and bravery of these noble young lives, who had seen their duty, knowing what lay before them, and, seeing it all, gave up their best to answer to God's call. Though poorer in losing them, we are richer for their service. In conclusion Mr. Miller referred to that part of France where those who had fallen lay buried, speaking of it as forever a part of Canada.

This was followed by impressive remarks by the pastor, who, in his usual interesting way, brought a message of comfort to his listeners.

After prayer by Dr. Chute and the singing of appropriate hymns the Dead March in Saul was rendered, impressing one with a solemnity not often experienced. F. A. G. M.

Annual Supper.
The annual supper of the Kings County Agricultural Society took place at Evangeline Hall, Lower Horton, on Friday evening last, and was a complete success. The attendance was larger than usual. Supper was served by the members of the Woman's Institute, the proceeds being devoted to Red Cross work. Tables were laid in the lower part of the building and were loaded with the tempting viands which the ladies of the locality know so well how to prepare and serve. In the absence of the president of the Society, Mr. Guy Fuller, Dr. Chipman presided. After full justice had been done to the good things provided, the members of the Society and their guests repaired to the upper hall which was packed to the doors. Dr. Chipman took the chair, Miss Annie Stuart, president of the Woman's Institute, also having a place on the platform. An excellent program of music, etc., was furnished. Prof. Cumming and his air were unable to be present, but P. H. Harkness, chemist at the Agricultural College, gave a very excellent address. Rev. Mr. Miller, Rev. Mr. Ryan and others also took part and a profitable and pleasant time was spent.

The Kings County Agricultural Society was organized 128 years ago and has been a most useful and influential organization. It now has a large membership and is doing good work in the community.

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Private Sale
Of Household Furniture and Kitchen Utensils
At the residence of Mr. G. A. Carter, (the Stewart house—College Grounds.)
Goods must be sold and removed before the 20th inst. Inspection and purchase at any time.
TERMS CASH.

Jefferson's CASH SHOE STORE
We now have in stock a full line of Humphrey's Solid in
Women's, Men's, Boys', Youths' and Children's Footwear.
Also a Full Line of Rubbers.
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Livery and Automobile Service
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Teams or Autos always ready for a drive through the Evangeline Land.
Teams at all trains and boats.
Weddings carefully attended to by Auto or team.
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Should carry a small jar of Mentholatum in his kit bag for use in case of scratches or bruises.

After a ramble through the woods Mentholatum will quickly relieve the smart of sun or wind burn, as well as tired and aching feet.

A Healing Salve
Sold and recommended by the leading druggists throughout the Maritime Provinces.
2 sizes—25c and 50c
Send 3c in stamps for a generous size sample.

The Mentholatum Co.,
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Mail Contract.
SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 14th December, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, twenty-four times per week between CENTREVILLE (KINGS), P. O. and D. A. RAILWAY STATION, under a proposed contract for four years, dating from the 1st January next.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Centerville (Kings), and at the office of the Post Office Inspector.

W. E. MACLELLAN,
Post Office Inspector,
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Halifax, 1st Nov., 1917.

The Dominion Elections Act, 9117.
I hereby appoint Friday the 5th day of December A. D. 1917 between the hours of ten o'clock in the forenoon and four o'clock in the afternoon in the Court Room at the Court House Kentville as the time and place for the hearing of appeals from the lists made by the enumerators for the Electoral District of Kings and will continue in session from day to day until all appeals are disposed of or until the 12th day of December A. D. 1917.

Parties may appeal within four days after the lists are posted by the enumerators.
Dated at Kentville this 26th day of November A. D. 1917.
B. WEBSTER,
Returning Officer for the Electoral District of Kings

BUY! Knitting Yarn

At Last Season's Prices.

OXFORD AND HEWSON'S YARNS in Greys, Black and Khaki at \$1.25 and \$1.50 a pound.
SUPERIOR KNITTING YARNS in Greys, White and Khaki at \$2.00, \$2.25 and \$2.50 a pound.
ZEPHYR WOOLS 2, 4 and 8 ply. All Colors, 15c. for a full ounce skein. Saxony's, Bee Hive, and Andalusian Wools in all colors.

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Dry Goods. Men's and Boys' Overcoats and Suits. Underwear.

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We have a nice line of Kerry Lined, Jute Covers for inside, at different prices and some extra quality woolens, for outside.

Heavy Grey Blanketing, cut to any length, at \$2.25 per yd. double width.

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TWO SIZES.

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Public Notice!

All persons having legal demands against the estate of the late G. P. Baines, of Canning, deceased, are requested to render the same, duly attested, within three months of date hereof, and all persons indebted to the said estate are required to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

G. W. BAINES, Administrator
White Rock, Oct. 5th, 1917.

Your Money

will certainly go further and you will be on the sure road to putting down the cost of living if you buy your Groceries from WENTZELLS LIMITED.

What winter Groceries do you require? Send to Wentzells Limited for prices and buy there. You are sure to save something worth while.

Ten dollar orders, except for Flour, Sugar and heavy articles of this nature, are shipped freight paid.

WENTZELLS LIMITED "The Big Store," Halifax.

HEALTHIEST ONE IN THE FAMILY

No Sign Of Dropsy And Kidney Trouble Since Taking "FRUIT-A-LIVES"



MATTIE WARREN
Fort Robinson, Ont., July 28, 1915.
"We have used 'Fruit-a-lives' in our house for over three years and have always found them a good medicine. Our little girl, Mattie, was troubled with kidney disease. The doctor said she was threatened with dropsy. Her limbs and body were all swollen and we began to think she could not live. Finally, we decided to try 'Fruit-a-lives'. She began to show improvement after she had given her a few tablets. In a short time, the swelling had all gone down and her flesh began to look more natural. Now she is the healthiest one in the family and has no signs of the old ailment. We can not say too much for 'Fruit-a-lives' and would never be without them."

WILLIAM WARREN.
50c. a box, \$ for \$2.00, trial size, 25c. At all dealers or sent postpaid on receipt of price by Fruit-a-lives Limited, Ottawa.

White Ribbon News.

Woman's Christian Temperance Union first organized in 1874.

AIM.—The protection of the home, the abolition of the liquor traffic and the triumph of Christ's Golden Rule in custom and in law.

MOTTO.—For God and Home and Native Land.

EMBLEM.—A knot of White Ribbon.

WATCHWORD.—Agitate, educate, organize.

OFFICERS OF WOLFVILLE UNIONS.

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SUPERINTENDENTS.

Labrador Work.—Mrs. Fielding, Lunenburg.—Mrs. J. Kempton, Willard Home.—Mrs. M. Freeman, Temperance in Sabbath-schools.—Mrs. Dr. J. Brown.

Evangelistic.—Mrs. Purves Smith, Peace and Arbitration.—Mrs. J. Read, Press.—Miss Margaret Barrs.

White Ribbon Bulletin.—Mrs. Walter Mitchell.

Loyal Temperance Legion.—Miss Egan.

Haig.

By Walt Mason.

We hear a lot of other men who've done artistic fighting, but Haig, who's won, again, again, is unknown at this writing. He doesn't hand out Haigish news to eager-eyed reporters, nor yet submit to interviews which might be called rip snorters. He doesn't hunt the 'feature' gent, or leave his post forsaken, to face a kodak in a tent and have his picture taken. I know not if he's short or tall. I've never seen his photo; but whether he is large or small, he's getting William's goat, oh. Some colonels view the hall of fame and think it El Dorado, but he who plays the mighty game is always in the shadow. I know not how he wears his beard, or who may be his tailor, but more and more his strokes are feared, and Wilhelm's growing paler. I've seen no pictures of his wife, or of his sons and daughters, or of his ancient home in Fife, beside some storied waters. The grand stand looks for him in vain, no. They have known him, but when the Prussians plant their slain, they curse him and become him.

Molly's Eyes.

If Molly's eyes should beam for me I'd give the sun fair warning; He needs't rise, To light the skies, For just one glance from Mary's eyes Would be my morning.

If Molly's lips were red for me Then all my days be sunny I'd whisper to the golden bee You needs't rob the rose for me, Her lips are honey.

If Molly's heart would beat for me So near I just could hear it; I'd give the world, At least, my part, For just one glance from Mary's eyes, And my heart near it.

Don't try to convince a man that he isn't as clever as he thinks he is unless you have no use for his friend's arse.

If the women looked like pictures in fashion magazines the men would take to the woods.

If the average man isn't born great or is unable to achieve greatness he tries to thrust himself upon it.

A Cure for Pimples

"You don't need mercury, potash or any other strong mineral to cure pimples caused by poor blood. Take Extract of Roots—dropped into a tumbler of water, and your skin will clear up as fresh as a baby's. It will soothe your stomach and regulate your bowels." Get the genuine, 50c. and \$1.00 bottles. At drug stores.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

British Tommy. "Speak English, Moomoo?"

French Storekeeper. "But—yes—a little, M'ister."

British Tommy. "Right! Then give me ten pounds o'pnds, an arse o' baccy, a pecker o' fgs, and a box o' lights, an' be alippy."

A Canadian at the front wrote his mother of a twelve-mile march through Flanders mud. "The boys said a great many things that grand us would not approve of. Thousands of Canadian soldiers are illuminating home circles with masterpieces of a smaller character, short and to the point."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Judge a man by his daily talk rather than by his daily prayers.

The Preparation of Garden Soil.

The past season saw perhaps the most extensive garden plot that has ever been known in this country. Because of the short time for garden preparation, the soil in many cases was but indifferently prepared. Even with this handicap the results were fairly successful and highly encouraging. With the ground now broken up by last season's tillage, gardeners will start in 1918 with much better prospects of success. In order to make success doubly sure, preparation of garden land should be started in the fall.

To have the land well prepared not only makes a great difference with the growth and the yield of the crops, but adds much to the pleasure of the later garden operations. Proper preparation of the soil in the fall makes the land several days earlier in the spring, it helps to conserve the moisture of the dormant season for the growing crop and leaves the ground in a finer, mellower condition than if all of the work of preparation had been delayed until spring. In the autumn is the time to apply fresh manure to garden land for most crops. By spring it will be rotted and mixed with the soil. If manure is applied in the spring, it should be fine and well rotted except, perhaps, for such crops as corn, cabbage and turnips.

In the fall the ground should be deeply plowed or dug, leaving a rough surface exposed to the winter weather. In the spring the plowing or working may be shallow leaving the weathered portion of the land on top. For all hardy early planted crops such as the root crops, and onions, it would pay to start the preparation of the land now. Even for potatoes and beans better results will be obtained by fall preparation of the ground than if left entirely until spring. If the weather holds open it is not yet too late to manure and plow the garden plot.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

Pat as a Poet.

Mike and Pat, recently from the old country, were walking on a railway track, when they saw a mile-stone marked Boston—23—Miles.

"Mike," said Pat, "what can that mean?" Mike thought a moment and answered:

"Hush! The dead lies here.

And a fine young man was he. His name was Miles, from Boston. And his age was 23."

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c CATARRH POWDER

is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Flower, Health Pills, and other medicinal preparations.

It cures Catarrh and Hay Fever, It is a box of 25c. Accurate substitutes. All dealers or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

The curious and inquiring old gentleman fired out a string of questions at the young flying officer who had the misfortune to be in the same railway carriage with him.

The young man answered the first twenty or so questions politely, but after that he got a bit tired.

"That's a terrible poison that's just been discovered, isn't it?" he asked the old gentleman at last. The old gentleman pricked up his ears.

"What's it called?" he asked inter-estingly.

"Airplane poison," said the R. F. C. man.

"Is it very deadly?"

"I should say so!"

"How much would kill a person?" went on the tireless questioner.

The R. F. C. man's eyes twinkled. "One drop!" he said. And silence reigned.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

'So you have twins at your house?' said Mrs. Nabor to little Jack.

"Yassum," he said soberly, "two of them."

"What are they going to call them my dear?"

"Well, I don't know for sure, but I think their names is Thunder and Lightning," cause that's the names papa called them when the doctor came in and told him about them."

—New Puck.

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Three Doctors Gave Her Up.

Pittsburg, Penn.—"Your medicine has helped me wonderfully. When I was a girl 18 years old I was always sickly and delicate and suffered from irregularities. Three doctors gave me up and said I would go into consumption. I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and with the third bottle began to feel better. I soon became regular and I got strong and shortly after I was married. Now I have two nice stout healthy children and am able to work hard every day."—Mrs. CLEMENTINA DREHNER, 84 Gardner St., Troy Hill, Pittsburg, Penn.

All women are invited to write to the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., Lynn, Mass., for special advice.—It will be confidential.

How They Do It In Moncton.

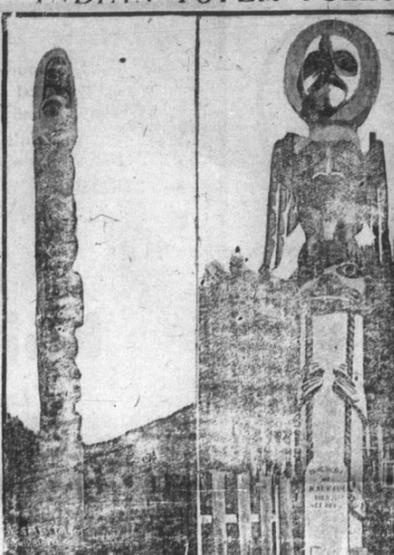
Two men have been arrested here by the city police, one last night and another this morning, charged with falling to register under the Military Service Act. Both cases are before His Honor, Judge Stevens, this afternoon. —Moncton Transcript.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

America entered the war when it was discovered that the Imperial Government of Germany is an organized liar.

Here's a new meatless epigram: "Don't stuff your husband; husbands you stuff. There's no waste in stuffing like that."

INDIAN TOTEM POLES



(1) Kik-Sitti Totem, Wrangell, Alaska.

(2) Totem, Wrangell, Alaska.

(3) Totem, Klug-wan, Alaska.

THE clan totem of the Indian is one of the most interesting productions of the red man. These strange specimens of wood sculpture are still to be found in British Columbia, especially along the Pacific Coast, as well as in Alaska. In many of the water-side villages these curiously created poles stand in prominent places, or along the main street, as in Alert Bay, or over the graves of the deceased, as in the village they tell the clan to which the dead Indian belonged, as well as his tribal status.

Each clan of the Indians of Alaska and British Columbia has its own totem, from which it takes its name. Thus there is the clan of the wolf, the clan of the raven, the clan of the eagle, and so on. All the members of the clan are supposed to be descended, actually and literally, from the animals whose names they bear, and to conduct themselves always with due remembrance of the fact. For example, a man isn't supposed to kill or eat his father, and, therefore, the Indians of the bear clan, for instance, are not supposed to eat or kill bear. That animal is sacred to them, and the medicine man or "shaman" of the clan will invoke the direct penalties on any member who dares to transgress that rule.

The marks and customs of the clan are regulated by their totem. It is absolutely unthinkable that two members of the same clan should ever marry. With them a bear must mate with a raven, or a fox or a beaver or a wolf or a member of some other clan, and never with a bear.

Usually these poles are very large and have a doorway cut through them in which access is had to the solidly-cult wooden house in which the clan or tribe lives. Among some of the Pacific Coast tribes, even within the memory of men, not infrequently the pole of the chief's house was set in holes in high cliffs, and the entrance to the apartments below that were reached by a ladder or a rope.

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