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FAIR AND MILD

THREE CENTS

CLAUSES IN TREATY TO HELP WAGE-EARNERS; ITALIANS RETURNING TO PEACE CONFERENCE; INCOME TAX NETTED THE GOV'T ONLY \$6,865,047

Harmony Is Restored at Conference

Differences Between Great Britain, France, United States and Italy Are in Fair Way to Be Amicably Adjusted.

SMALLER QUESTIONS UNDER DISCUSSION

China's Protest Relative to the Award of Kiao Chow to Japan is One of the Questions Yet to be Settled.

New York, May 5.—The Associated Press tonight issues the following: The peace treaty, formulated by the allied and associated powers, is to be handed to the German delegates at Versailles Wednesday afternoon.

Definite announcement of the time when the Germans are to be made cognizant of the price that once imperialist Germany must pay for having inaugurated the world war at last has been made.

With peace measurably near by reason of this fact, there now, also, seems to be good basis for the belief that the differences between Great Britain, France and the United States and Italy over Italy's claims regarding Fiume and the Dalmatian coast may yet be settled with full accord.

Signor Orlando, the Italian premier, and his foreign minister, Baron Sonnino, are returning to Paris from Rome, where they have been since they quit the peace conference more than a week ago owing to inability to obtain what Italy considered concessions which would satisfy Italian ambitions.

With the Italian question settled, almost complete unanimity of sentiment would prevail in the peace conference. The obstacle represented by the protest of the Belgians has been surrounded by the Belgian crown prince and his cabinet, unanimously, to sign the treaty, it having been pointed out by the head of the Belgian delegation that the document gave honorable and satisfactory terms to Belgium.

China's protest against the award of Kiao-Chow to Japan, under discussion. A plenary session of the peace conference is to be held Tuesday afternoon, at which the peace treaty is to be presented to the smaller powers.

INCREASE PAY OF THE FREDERICTON FIRE FIGHTERS

City Council Discuss Proposal to Send Band to St. John for Reception of 26th Battalion—No Applicants Under Housing Act.

Fredericton, May 6.—The City Council met in committee session this evening, and considered the application of the call men of the Fredericton Fire Department for an increase in pay from \$75 to \$100. A delegation from the fire department was heard. After considerable discussion, it was decided to adopt a sliding scale on the basis of \$50 for first year men, \$75 for second year men and \$100 for the third year men. All present members of the department will be classed as third year men. It was also decided that former members of the department who return from overseas shall be reinstated as third year men.

The pay of assistant chief Clarke was increased to \$175. He requested that he be given the same rate as the chief of the department.

The committee session endorsed a resolution from the city council of Hamilton, Ont., to the effect that the Order in Council permitting the sale, importation and manufacture of oleomargarine be not rescinded. There was also discussion on a proposal to send the Fredericton brass band to St. John for the reception of the 26th New Brunswick battalion. As Fredericton has received no invitation to take part in the reception no action was taken.

A communication from the provincial government was received relative to the housing act and was discussed. No action was taken as there has been no agitation for assistance under this act.

Italians On Way To Peace Conference; Belgium Agrees To Sign Peace Treaty

Paris, May 5.—The announcement that Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino, the leading Italian delegates to the Peace Conference, had left Rome for Paris, and the further news that the Belgian Crown Council had given its assent to the signing of the peace treaty by the Belgian delegates, regardless of the unsatisfactoriness to Belgium of the financial arrangements, have resulted in relieving the embarrassments of the Peace Conference.

These developments have the effect of producing a call for a plenary session of the conference, to be held tomorrow for the purpose of laying the peace treaty before all the participating nations. The treaty may be presented to the Germans on Wednesday or Thursday of this week.

The time for handing over the peace treaty to the Germans was set today for 3.15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Adverse Winds Again Balk The Rival Aviators

Each Endeavoring to Find a New Aerodrome Site Which Will Allow Them to Hop Off With Wind in Any Quarter.

St. John's, Nfld., May 5.—Balked by continued adverse winds and weather, Harry Hawker and Captain Frederick P. Raynham, the British aviators, seeking first honors for a trans-Atlantic flight, today joined forces in a hunt for a new aerodrome site which will allow them to "hop off" with the wind in any quarter. At present, only an easterly or westerly wind can be of service because of the narrow "two wind" fields they are using.

For two hours the rival pilots searched for a site with enough room for a "four wind" field, but their search was fruitless. They plan aerial reconnaissance for a new site, unless conditions suddenly become favorable for the trans-Atlantic flight. As a means of relieving the physical strain to be met in the twenty hours or more of continuous flying required for the trans-Atlantic flight, Captain Raynham has equipped his Martinsyde with a rubber band attachment by which the controls are set. Raynham's navigator said that the plane could be kept headed in the desired direction, with lateral and longitudinal stability reasonably assured by adjusting the rubber band to the "steering" and rudder.

Hawker has installed two heating devices in his Sopwith hangar, to keep the engine warm and in constant readiness for instant flight.

He announced that he has retained the two-bladed propeller tested a week ago.

MANY SOLDIERS MAKE APPLICATION FOR LAND GRANTS

A Total of 6,598 Applied Under the Land Settlement Provisions—189 Applicants from New Brunswick.

Ottawa, May 5.—Up to third day of May 6,598 applications for the benefits of the soldier land settlement provisions had been approved by the qualification committees in the whole of the Dominion. The greatest number is in Alberta, where 1,134 applications have been approved by the Edmonton office and 157 by the Calgary office. Saskatchewan shows 1,264, Manitoba 1,535, British Columbia 946. In the east the numbers approved in the various provinces are: Quebec 615; Ontario 465; New Brunswick 189; Nova Scotia 114; Prince Edward Island 104.

The total number of applications received in all the provinces is 8,849. Reports also show that 508 applicants have been recommended for agricultural training, and 143 have applied for and are actually taking training either at the training centres, or on farms of selected farmers.

WHISKY SHORTAGE IN ENGLAND

Importation from Canada and United States Would be Permitted.

London, May 5.—Replying to a question in the House of Commons today concerning the shortage in whisky, Sir Auckland Geddes, minister for national service and reconstruction, said he had decided that the importation of Canadian whisky might be fully permitted, and also American whisky, if it had been paid before the beginning of 1919.

Clauses In Treaty To Help Labor

High Contracting Parties Have Framed a Covenant Providing for the Physical, Moral and Intellectual Well-being of the Wage Earner.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS TO FURTHER THE END

Framers Hold That Labor Should Not be Considered as an Article of Commerce and the Wage Earner Should be Given a Chance to Live.

Ottawa, May 5.—Hon. N. W. Rowell gave to the House of Commons this afternoon the text of the nine labor clauses in the peace treaty. "The high contracting parties," said the statement, "recognizing that the well-being, physical, moral and intellectual of industrial wage earners is of supreme international importance, have framed a permanent machinery for the League of Nations to further this great end. They recognize that differences of climate, habits and customs, of economic opportunities and industrial tradition make strict uniformity in the conditions of labor difficult of attainment. But holding as they do, that labor must not be regarded as an article of commerce, they think that there are methods and principles for the regulation of labor conditions, which should be the following:—

"First.—The guiding principle above enunciated, that labor should not be regarded merely as a commodity or article of commerce.

"Second.—The right of association for all lawful purposes, by the employes as well as by the employers.

"Third.—The payment to the employed of a wage adequate to maintain a reasonable standard of life as this standard is understood in their time and country.

"Fourth.—The adoption of an eight hour day, or a 48 hour week, as the standard to be used at where it has not already been obtained.

"Fifth.—The adoption of a weekly rest day of at least 24 hours, which should include Sunday whenever possible.

"Sixth.—The abolition of child labor, and the imposition of such limitations on the labor of young persons as shall permit the continuation of their education and assure their proper physical development.

"Seventh.—The principle that men and women should receive equal remuneration for work of equal value.

"Eighth.—The standard set by law in each country with respect to the conditions of labor should have due regard to the equitable economic treatment of all workers lawfully resident therein.

"Ninth.—Each state should make provision for a system of inspection in which women should take part in order to insure the enforcement of the laws and regulations for the protection of the employed."

"Without claiming that these methods and principles are either complete or final, the high contracting parties are of the opinion that they are well fitted to guide the policy of the League of Nations, and that, if adopted by the industrial communities who are members of League and safeguarded in practice by an adequate system of such inspection, they will confer lasting benefits of the wage earner of the world."

NO CHANGE IN THE HALIFAX STRIKE SITUATION MONDAY

Both Sides Stand Pat and Make No Overtures for a Settlement.

Halifax, N.S., May 5.—No new developments appeared in the strike situation today, both sides standing pat, and making no overtures either for a settlement or for placing the matter before a board of conciliation to be appointed by the Government. The employers met in the afternoon, and there was expressed a full determination to adhere to their decision to make no concessions. Their offer of an advance on the old rate has been withdrawn.

CANADIAN CREDITS PROVING BOOM

Help Reconstruction in Allied Countries and Provide Outlet for Home Products.

London, May 5.—(Reuters)—It is learned that the credits established by the Canadian government have been arranged with the two fold objects of assisting Allied countries in their work of reconstruction, by enabling them to obtain from Canada commodities they require, and, at the same time, providing new outlets for Canadian products. It was never intended that this method of increasing exports by government aid should, in any way, render less necessary the duty of developing trade through the usual channels of private enterprise.

First Complete Unit of Canadian Siberian Expeditionary Forces Reaches Canada

Victoria, B. C., May 5.—With the first complete unit of the Canadian Siberian expeditionary force aboard, repatriated from Vladivostok, the C. P. O. S. liner Montezuma reached this port this afternoon. She brought across the Pacific 56 officers and 1,026 men of other ranks. In addition to her military complement, the liner carried 36 passengers in the saloon.

About noon time the Montezuma arrived at Willoughby and, owing to a case of scarlet fever on board, the ship was detained longer than usual by the quarantine officers.

The entire military force on board will go to Vancouver where the Canadian Siberian Expeditionary Headquarters are located, arriving there some time tonight.

It has already been announced that the detachment to Canada, today, will be followed by two others on the Empress of Japan and the Empress of Russia, the sailing being sufficient to transport the expeditionary forces.

Mackenzie King Soon Departs For Europe

His Name Has Been Prominently Mentioned as Next Liberal Leader and His Departure is Regarded as Politically Significant.

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, May 5.—Announcement that Hon. Mackenzie King, whose name has been prominently mentioned as the next Liberal leader, is shortly to leave for England to study labor conditions is regarded here as politically significant. It is pointed out that the next three months are bound to witness the final boom for the rival candidates for the Liberal leadership, and that it is a most singular thing that Mr. King should choose such a time for a departure from the political scene, thereby unquestionably weakening his chances of achieving the much coveted prize of Sir Wilfrid's successorship. However seriously this kind of speculation may be taken, there is no question but that, since the beginning of the parliamentary session, Mr. King's popularity with the official opposition has steadily declined. Where, at the opening of the session, he was hailed by four Liberals out of every five as their next leader, his name does not now stand higher than fourth on the list of popular aspirants for the post.

UNION MEMBERS CANADA TO HAVE REPRESENTATION AT WASHINGTON

The War Mission Will Remain There Until Such a Time as a Permanent Representative is Named.

Ottawa, May 5.—Canada is to be permanently represented at Washington. The war mission will remain, as Hon. Mr. Rowell told the House tonight, until a permanent representative is appointed. Sir Robert Borden is now conferring with the imperial authorities on the question. At the time the House was in a supply on a vote of \$50,000 for the Canadian war mission and representation at Washington, the leader of the opposition took the view that parliament should have been consulted. These were serious matters, he argued, and not so simple that they could be dealt with by a letter or cable.

LITHUANIANS ARE ADVANCING ALONG 260 MILE FRONT

Polish Troops Occupied Vilna for the Purpose of Aiding Lithuanians Against the Bolshevik.

Berne, Sunday, May 4.—(French Wireless Service)—Lithuanian troops are advancing along a front of 260 miles from Courland to the region of Grodno, and are approaching Vilna, according to a report received by the Lithuanian press bureau from Kovno. Lithuanian advance guards have occupied Seikal Vieval, twenty-four miles from Vilna, and the bridgehead of Cieskis on the river Vilna. Polish troops occupied Vilna, the capital of Lithuania, several weeks ago. It has been announced, on behalf of the Polish Government, that this was for the purpose of aiding the Lithuanians against the Bolshevik.

Bolshevik Talk Before Committee

Royal Commission Investigating Industrial Conditions Hear Rabid Statements at Their Session in Calgary.

RUSSIAN METHODS APPROVED BY ONE

Strike Leader Says it Would be Useless to Try to Reconcile Employers and Employed Under Profit-sharing Scheme.

Calgary, Alta., May 5.—Capital and labor, represented in the persons of various Calgary notaries of those two institutions, heaped suggestions for remedies of the present industrial and labor discontent upon the heads of the members of the Royal Commission on Industrial Relations at the meeting session, Monday, in the council room of the city hall. One of the proposed remedies made by John J. Thomas, of Thomas, Jameson and McKenzie, contractors, was to introduce the competitive system among the employees themselves coupled with a profit-sharing arrangement. A proposal by Mrs. Jean McWilliams was to take all the property of the earth, pile it in a heap and invite everyone to help himself.

Among those present were E. Sanger, chairman of the "strike committee" of the Meat Trades Workers, who informed the commissioners that he was the person who "had hung the red lantern over his father," referred to by an employer at the Saturday session. The incident was a joke, he asserted, although Mr. Sanger proceeded to demonstrate, to the satisfaction of the union, the utility of reconciling employees and employers under the profit-making system. Production for use instead of profit was being applied in one country—Russia.

Members of the commission, including Chief Justice Mathers, Senator Simon White, Charles Harrison, M. P., Carl Riordon and F. P. Fane, J. W. Bruce and Tom Mooga, labor representatives, listened quietly for the most part, asking a few questions of the witnesses now and then.

ACCUSED MURDERER OF LIEBKNECHT TO BE TRIED MAY 8TH

Seven Respondents Are Named as Having Been Implicated in the Assassination of Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg.

Berne, Switzerland, May 5.—(French Wireless Service).—Despatches announcing that the trial of the alleged murderers of Dr. Karl Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg, killed during last winter's Spartacist outbreak in Berlin, would begin on May 8 in the German capital, show that, besides the soldier named Hungen whose arrest was announced recently, seven others are also listed as defendants. Bunge is accused of striking both Dr. Liebknecht and Rosa Luxemburg. Captain Heitz von Pflugh-Hartung and Lieut. Stung von Riepper, Schultz and Leipman are accused of striking Dr. Liebknecht, while Lieut. von Vogel is charged with striking Rosa Luxemburg. Captain Walker is accused of taking part in the murder of the latter.

General von Hoffman will preside over the tribunal, before which sixty-three witnesses have been called to testify.

JOURNALISTS TO BE WELL REPRESENTED AT PEACE CONGRESS

Bulletin—London, May 5.—Arrangements have been made for some forty journalists to be present at the ceremony of handing the peace terms to the Germans at Versailles Wednesday afternoon, according to Reuter's Paris correspondent.

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ADDRESS BY CHAPLAIN OF FIRST CANADIAN DIVISION

Large Gathering in St. Andrew's Church Last Evening Heard Wonderful Address Delivered by Rev. Dr. McKinnon—His Interesting Subject Was "From Boulogne to Cologne" and Proved One That Will Not Soon be Forgotten.

The great gathering of people in the St. Andrew's church met last night with the motive of hearing an address out-of-the-ordinary in subject and character and the Rev. Dr. McKinnon in his review of the trip "From Boulogne to Cologne," far surpassed all expectations.

The trip was taken with many others, Dr. McKinnon acting in his official position as chaplain of the First Canadian Division. Starting from Boulogne in Southern France by a winding garrison route they passed through Belgium and ended the journey at Cologne and Bonn, Germany.

Ypres, perhaps, of all Belgian towns holds the most interest for the Canadian. But it is a town no longer, declared the speaker, for there is not a wall standing there, all around is nothing but ruins.

Plans of other and outside people may sound all right, but they are not much welcomed by the Belgians or the French, for it is their land which is desolate, their country which has been destroyed and they propose that the Germans, who created the destruction, shall pay in full for their work.

Passing by several towns the party came to Vimy Ridge, where, for the first time in the war, the German line was broken, and broken by Canadian troops.

From Valenciennes to Mons, said the doctor, was the only stretch of rail that the Canadian engineers had operated on, in that section, and their work in repairing and putting it in operation was simply marvellous.

When the Huns were retreating, bombs were dropped from the rear cars of their trains, which, exploding, spread and twisted the rails into all kinds of shapes, and later they improved the idea by pulling up the rails behind them as they retreated.

A touching scene was witnessed at Verdun where refugee trains were bringing back the women, aged men and children who had been thrust into exile by the brutal hand of the Boche; people who have lived for months in the terrors of exile and are now returning to the horrors of what were once comfortable homes.

Mons, where, on August 21st, 1914, the British troops first held the German hordes, is on a rising ground which overlooks the canal. Here on that memorable day last November when the Canadian forces entered the town as conquerors, eight Canadian lads paid the price for the glorious victory.

The war has taught, said the speaker, that as Britain has always held control of the sea, so she now is also mistress of the air.

He took his party to LaBassee, Bapume, Tournay, where still stands a castle wall erected in the days of King Henry VIII.

At Tournay he became acquainted with the story of the head of the Belgian intelligence bureau, who captured by the Huns through the treachery of a woman, refused to accept his freedom at the hand of the Kaiser who had devastated his country.

He also told of the publication, under difficulties, of that encouraging little newspaper, "La Liege Belgique," which was published under the very noses of the Germans and did much to keep up the spirits of the men in the field.

FIUME INCIDENT IS PRICELESS AS OBJECT LESSON TO AMERICA

(By Hamis Taylor, Author of International Public Law.) The only thing that gives the breath of life to the chimera called a League of Nations, invented by St. Pierre in 1913 and abandoned as utterly impracticable by all sound thinkers everywhere, is the purely arbitrary assumption that such a creation if once in operation, would prevent war.

In a calm and judicial temper let us view the pathetic tabernacle at Paris which, with the precision of a mathematical demonstration, is proving to an overcredulous world that the proposed League of Nations would only stimulate and perpetuate war.

He appealed to the men of wealth to endow a fund which will make for the proper education and technical training of young Canada, and in closing, painted an eloquent word picture of the execution of Nurse Edith Cavell and the cross and great mound of flowers which mark her grave in Brussels, the end of his memorable journey.

A standing vote of thanks to the learned lecturer was tendered in a happy remark by the pastor, the Rev. F. S. Dowling, who presided.

as Yugoslavia which those great powers dare not propose for themselves.

That will prove to be the plain truth of the matter, a truth that demonstrates why a League of Nations is impossible. No impartial or even fairly disinterested tribunal or commission can be organized which will not be in every crisis the tool or agent of some selfish interest.

Some years ago the great Italian historian, Ferrero, wrote a notable article for the Atlantic Monthly in which he clearly demonstrated that the vesting of the war power in democracies is the surest way to make war sudden and frequent.

When we pass to the merits of the controversy involved in the validity of the secret treaties no honest man will deny that they were made in exact accordance with the then existing international law of the world which has not since been changed.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Schaffer, Blackville, N. B., announce the engagement of their daughter, Janie, to Adolph Stern of St. John.

No edge without stopping



Provide a barber with a number of the highest-priced razors obtainable and stipulate that he must use a new razor on every individual customer and he would refuse if he valued his trade.

Stopping, you see, is needful because it removes the roughness of the new blade and re-aligns the saw-like edge that shaving produces; because it keeps the blade free from rust; and because it is the only means that will provide you each morning with a keen edge for shaving.

You don't take the blade out to sharpen it; nor do you take the AutoStop Razor apart to clean it. From first to last—stopping, shaving and cleaning—you never need to remove the blade from the razor.

You can get an AutoStop Razor anywhere—razor, stop and 12 blades, complete, in attractive case, for \$5.00.

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Special Suits AT \$25.00 Come in and let us show them to you. They are really excellent value for the money, these days of high prices for all-wool fabrics and high wages for the kind of skilled labor that makes them.

THE WEATHER Ontario, Ont., May 5.—Pressure areas are at present occurring with rapidity. The low area which over Ontario last evening, has moved to Newfoundland, while the area which was over northern Ontario, is now over the Great Lakes. The temperature has risen slightly in all the provinces.

CASTORIA For Infants and Children Use For Over 30 Years

PENOBSCUIS Capt. M. E. Connor, who spent 18 years ago as a Private in the 65th Battalion, succeeded in successfully capturing the town of Penobscuit, and later named a Chaplain with the Forces.

WEDDINGS Bishop Alexander, Montreal, May 5.—The home of Mrs. W. J. Alexander, Maple Street, was the scene of a quiet but very pretty wedding this afternoon.

KEEP URIC ACID OUT OF JOINTS Gout Sufferers to Eat Less Meat and Take Salts.

Rheumatism is easier to avoid than cure, states a well-known authority. It is advised to dress warmly, keep the feet dry, avoid exposure, eat less meat, but drink plenty of good water.

Y.M.C.A.'s Good Service CANADIAN Y.M.C.A. Help Continue Work for Soldiers and for Canada. "I believe," said Lieut.-General Sir Arthur Currie one day in March, 1918, while the fate of the world was trembling in the balance, "that the authorities should recognize the extremely valuable factor the Y.M.C.A. is in winning battles, and I think you ought to have the personnel and equipment necessary to carry on your work. I do not see how, with the men and materials you have, you can do more than you are doing. But if you can, do so. We need it and appreciate it."

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ENFORCING THE LAW.

Chief Inspector Wilson makes the charge that officers whose duty it is to maintain the law have been convicted of violation of the Prohibition Act, and adds that one of these offenders after conviction was retained as a member of the police force.

Others prepared to take their places who will bring to the administration of public business keen intelligence and unhampered ability.

Politics, it is said, makes strange bedfellows. It is equally true that politics promotes unexpected friendships.

Philadelphia Record—Greybeard! though so long ago young love vanished from your mind, here you are.

High Rent. New York Telegram—Talking of high rents—as so many are—it seems strange that so few lay emphasis on the basic, underlying cause of the trouble.

Private Car Bureau. London, Ont., Free Press—The private car is undemocratic. The average minister meets the common people all too little, with the result that he assumes too much.

A BIT OF VERSE. Text: The average man is as lazy as he dares to be.

A BIT OF FUN. Changed His Objective. "She refused him because she was sure he would propose again."

PLEASED AT RETURN OF PROVINCES TO FRANCE

Delegates from Alsace and Lorraine in a Resolution Express Their Satisfaction at the Decision.

Strasbourg, May 5.—(French Wireless Service)—Representatives of the Democratic party of lower Alsace, at a meeting here Sunday, adopted a resolution expressing satisfaction for the definite return of Alsace and Lorraine to France.

Conservatism Finds Strange Obstacle in Progress Path. The Question of Admission of Women to the British Bar to Practice as Barristers Finds an Obstacle.

London, May 4.—(Correspondence of The Associated Press)—British conservatism sometimes finds strange obstacles in the path of progress.

Found Guilty of Murder. Houlton, May 4.—Alexander Borden, alias Moran, of Lowell, Mass., was found guilty Saturday of the murder of Moses Tost, an aged farmer, at Sherman, Nov. 16, 1917.

House to House Canvass. Instructions have been given to the police to get the names of dog owners not having dog licenses.

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Zemacura Seldom Fails. To cure any curable case of Eczema and for Piles it has no equal.

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Time Clock for Sale. Card System. Murray & Gregory, Ltd.

Fertilizer. Analysis 3-6-5. Stock of 1918. Price Low. C. H. Peters' Sons, Ltd.

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Oysters and Clams. Are Now in Season. Canada Food Board License No. 9-770. Smith's Fish Market.

OUR VENERABLE PREMIER.

Presiding at a public meeting the other day, Honorable Mr. Foster, in introducing one of the speakers, referred to the pleasure it gave him to see the younger generation of business men devoting themselves to affairs of general interest.

What They Say. Astonished Germs. Charleston Post—It must be amazing to German families in the occupied area to have in their homes soldiers who show no intention of stealing any of the household ornaments.

His Preference. "These prohibition jokes do not appeal to me." "I like them. I am fond of dry humor."

MONROE THE NEW ARROW COLLAR

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FIRE DESTROYED HAPPY LAND PARK. New York, May 5.—Fire early today destroyed Happiland Park, thirty-five bungalows, four hotels and four bathing pavilions at South Beach, Staten Island.

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OUR VENERABLE PREMIER.

Presiding at a public meeting the other day, Honorable Mr. Foster, in introducing one of the speakers, referred to the pleasure it gave him to see the younger generation of business men devoting themselves to affairs of general interest.

What They Say. Astonished Germs. Charleston Post—It must be amazing to German families in the occupied area to have in their homes soldiers who show no intention of stealing any of the household ornaments.

His Preference. "These prohibition jokes do not appeal to me." "I like them. I am fond of dry humor."

MONROE THE NEW ARROW COLLAR. FOR SPRING. Cheviot, Peabody & Co. of Canada Limited.

FIRE DESTROYED HAPPY LAND PARK. New York, May 5.—Fire early today destroyed Happiland Park, thirty-five bungalows, four hotels and four bathing pavilions at South Beach, Staten Island.

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Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N.B., May 5.—G. Harris, a local teamster was a victim of a freight train accident in the C.N.R. freight yards in this city.

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GREAT INTEREST IN "CINDERELLA"
The advance sale for the English pantomime extravaganza "Cinderella," which is to be presented at the Imperial Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week and Thursday matinee, was unprecedented yesterday, a long queue of bookers filtering through the doors to the box office from 1 to 6 o'clock. There are still plenty of good seats for both nights. The matinee is not reserved. Evidence of the special merit of this big show continues to pour in from Halifax and along the line and St. John is going to get a delightful surprise. The show will be put on by daylight time for the sake of out-of-town patrons at all three performances.

INSPECTED HARBOR LAST SUNDAY
Now Hon. Frank B. Carvell is the Object of Censure by Presbyterian Ministers at London, Ont.

NEW YORK LIGHT OPERA SINGERS AT Y. M. C. I. HALL THURSDAY, FRIDAY—A REALLY GREAT ATTRACTION.
A rare treat is in store for those who hear the New York Light Opera Singers at Y. M. C. I. Hall, Thursday and Friday evenings. Benefit Catholic Girls' Guild. Prices, 50c, 75c, \$1.00. Tickets now selling at Y. M. C. I., and from members of the Guild.
Mrs. George F. Smith, City, has returned from a visit to Ottawa.

HOUSEHOLD NECESSITY Gillett's Lye has long been regarded as a household necessity because of the fact that it is useful in so many ways, and so satisfactory in every respect that no woman feels that she can keep house without it. Makes the finest kind of soap for washing and cleansing. One can of Gillett's Lye will make ten pounds of good soap in twenty minutes. Many of its uses are shown in booklet under the label.
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Applications For Loans Coming In
Five Applications Received for the Purchase of Unsold City Properties—Commissioner Bullock Talks on City Scheme and Other Housing Matters.
Under the policy adopted by the city of holding out encouragement to occupants of houses on leasehold property to acquire their own homes, Com. Bullock has recently sold a number of city properties. In Milford the tenants of all but three or four houses on the city land there have undertaken to buy from the city, and five applications for the purchase of unsold properties have been received. Under the city's scheme the purchaser makes a first payment of \$200, and pays the balance in annual instalments of 12 years, when he will get a deed of property. The purchase price is based on the annual rental, and the purchaser is not required to pay interest. If he fails to complete his payments, the property reverts to the city.
Com. Bullock said yesterday that applications for loans under the Dominion Housing Scheme were coming in every day. Many of the applicants had no definite plans, and unfortunately the city was not yet in a position to give definite information as to the disposition of the money set aside for building purposes by the Dominion Government. Other cities seemed to be in the same plight; he had received a letter from Winnipeg asking what was being done here.
Com. Bullock said he had been discussing with the Mayor and others the problem of having the city utilize the loan to build communal dwellings in order to relieve the admitted difficulties in regard to housing accommodation here. They felt the great difficulty was to devise a system which would assure continuity of policy. They might start to work on a plan of housing development, and before it might be completed a new set of civic rulers might come in and throw the scheme overboard.
In regard to the suggestion that holding companies might be formed to take advantage of the Dominion loan and build groups of houses, Com. Bullock said he found no interest on the part of men able to form such companies. The provision that such a company could only pay 6 per cent dividends would not attract investors. And so far he had not been able to get secure information as to how that provision was to be applied. If there was no contract over some years, expense account, it might be able to pay large salaries.
So far as he could see, Com. Bullock thought that only kind of a company likely to take advantage of the loan would be one getting in for building houses as a philanthropic enterprise. Large employers, who recognize the advantage of having their workers comfortably housed, ought to be interested in the scheme. They could build groups of houses at little or no expense to themselves, and they sell them on easy terms to their steady employees.

Many Drunks in The Police Court
An Even Dozen Men Charged With Either Being Drunk or Having Liquor in Their Possession—Only One Lemon Extract Victim in the Crowd
Of late it is quite apparent that lemon extract has not been the cause of the many persons being arrested on the charge of drunkenness. The police have performed good work in rounding up many drunks during the past few months and in many of these cases these persons were turned over to the inspectors who obtained information that led to the arrest of the bootleggers. No less than twelve names were on the police roster yesterday and in every case but one it was gin or whiskey which caused the downfall of the prisoner. In the one case mentioned the prisoner blames lemon extract for causing him to become intoxicated and he informed the court that he had the extract in his possession for over two years.
In one case a North End man was charged with having liquor in his possession. He was turned over to an inspector, divided the name of the person who supplied the liquor and later on that person was arrested and both were dealt with by the court.
Percy Fawcett, charged with having a bottle of gin in his possession, stated that he procured the liquor from strangers. He was fined \$50.
A Hickey for a similar offence said he did not know the person who supplied him with the liquor. He was fined fifty dollars.
Ian McDonald pleaded guilty to being drunk and having liquor in his possession. He was remanded and the person who supplied the booze will be brought to court.
Irvine Barle when arrested had two bottles of liquor which he claimed he procured from strangers. He was remanded.
Four drunks pleaded guilty and were remanded.
Four additional drunks were out on deposit and did not put in an appearance. The court gave instructions that they be brought to court this morning.
In the course of his remarks Magistrate Ritchie alluded to the prevalence of drunkenness in the city and advised that he could furnish the North End police with names, but that it was for the police to get all who were implicated in the traffic.

Trade Between Italy and Canada
Trade Between the Two Countries During the War Has Shown Some Possibilities—Canadian Exports for Three Years.
In view of the announcement made by Secretary Armstrong of the Board of Trade, that a ship is coming from Italy with a cargo for exhibition purposes and that it will take back a cargo of Canadian goods as a trade experiment, it is interesting to note that trade between these two countries has shown some possibilities during the war. Canadian exports to Italy during the last three calendar years were as follows:
1916. \$11,214,748
1917. 2,318,838
1918. 5,516,642
Italy's imports into Canada were:
1916. \$1,196,328
1917. 85,900
1918. 642,971
The Canadian Commercial Intelligence Service to Italy was effected by order-in-council of April 23, 1917, and the Trade Commissioner, W. McL. Clark, began his actual work in Italy about July 1st of that year. His office is located in Milan, the second largest city of Italy, with a population of over 800,000. Milan is the most important industrial, financial and commercial city of Italy, and is the trading centre of an agricultural district well known for its dairy products, its silk culture and wine production.
Italy's area is 110,632 square miles, and its population is estimated at 36,975,000.
Italian firms have shown an interest in the following Canadian products: Wood pulp, chemicals, foodstuffs, hardware, metals, wire, iron beams, shovels, lumber, salted fish, grain, leather, tallow, manufactures of iron and steel, hosiery, electrical equipment, tanning extracts, ferro-alloys, boots and shoes, office furniture, paper, fertilizers, machinery (agricultural and industrial), lubricants, emery wheels, mineral ores, colors, hides, telephone equipment, rubber goods, kitchen utensils, paints, marine engines, sporting goods, furs, cutlery, automobiles and some accessories, machine tools, railway supplies, aluminium sheets and utensils, fancy springs for purses, small tools, fancy goods, tinware, soap, non-bons, refractory material and transformer sheets.
In 1918 the United States supplied Italy with 42 per cent of her imports; it is therefore reasonable to suppose that Canada's export trade to Italy could be considerably increased. Italy imports a good market for dried and salted fish, especially cod and stock fish. Her fish imports are from 100,000 to 850,000 quintals per year. Before the war Italy regularly imported 40,000 horses a year, mostly from Austria. As a result of the war she will need cattle to replenish her dairy herds and some years to come will have to import large quantities of frozen meats.

QUESTIONED THE REV. W. D. WILSON
Evangelical Alliance Satisfied With the Chief Inspector's Work—Resolutions Passed and Committees Appointed
Rev. Neil McLaughlin preached at the meeting of the Evangelical Alliance held yesterday morning. On motion it was recommended to ask the Protestant churches to make contributions towards securing such an additional premises for the Protestant Orphanage.
A letter was read from Alexander Temple, asking the Alliance to appoint a committee to act with a committee from the Good Templars, looking to a better enforcement of the Prohibition Act. The following committee was selected: Revs. F. E. Boothroyd, G. A. Kubring, Thos. Marshall, R. H. C. Fraser, David Hutchinson.
Rev. W. D. Wilson was asked a number of questions as regards the two men posing as detectives and after hearing him and thoroughly canvassing the situation the following resolution was heartily and unanimously passed: That the Alliance having heard the Inspector's account of the case of recent developments expressed their complete satisfaction and rejoiced that the position is occupied by a man of his capacity, knowledge and courage and that they pledge him our complete support.
A committee was appointed to wait

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TALE OF A CAT; ITS DAILY LIFE
What a Lady Witnessed All in One Day—Every Place She Visited She Witnessed the Good Old Tabby Enjoying One of its Nine Lives.
"I may be wrong," said a visitor to a Standard reporter yesterday, "but I really believe that the good old house cat plays a highly important part in the daily life of St. John."
"Practically the first greeting I got this morning was a big grey cat sleeping in a case of evaporated apples and when I went down to the friend store for some toilet articles a friend cat was in the window with the rest of the display, taking a sun-bath."
"My friend wanted me to get a roast for the dinner and so I dropped in at an up-town meat store, but the villain cat still pursued me. Arriving at the store I had to wait for several minutes and all the while one of the biggest felines I have seen here was standing on a meat block, nibbling and licking a quarter of lamb."
"I thought at first that I was happening into the only places which kept cats around but I have since found out differently. In the lawyer's offices, in the business houses, in the hotels and boarding houses, in the news stands and stores—in fact all every place in the city where I have been I have encountered a cat, and they have been all kinds, conditions and degrees of cat, from the mongrel kitten to the lordly Manx."
"And then those lovely orations at night; be it standard time or daylight time, from Courtenay Bay to the Heversing Falls, those feline Carnegies and Melbas and Anna Cases add to the melody of the fog alarm on Partridge island and the measured harmony of the street railway."
"There used to be a time in ancient Egypt that the cat was held as a sacred animal, like the sacrificial goat and the bull of Busiris, and probably the city of St. John is reverting to those good old days, in keeping with its civic programme."
"Of course a cat is all right in its place, but His Feline Highness is altogether too much in the public eye in this city." And the visitor walked away, reflecting:
"The boast of tortoise shell, the pride of Manx,
The Maltese bearing pedigree prove found;
Await alike the catcher's nimble shanks;
The public highway leads but to the pound."
on the premier asking him to bring into effect by November 1st the order-in-council to stop the sale of mixtures through wholesale houses, and to appoint a commission to take it over. The personnel of the committee is: Revs. Goodwin, McLaughlin, Armstrong, Sampson, Dowling, MacKeigan, Robinson, Hutchinson, Appleman, Appel, Pinkett, Brig. Moore and Adjutant Tisdell, Salvation Army.
The following committee to make arrangement for religious services on the signing of peace was chosen as follows: Revs. Goodwin, Armstrong, MacKeigan, MacPherson, Appleman.
The final motion passed at the meeting was, Resolved, that this Alliance shall with pleasure accept the proposed appointment of an Industrial Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. at St. John, and in the event of such an appointment, recommends its committee on industrial chaplains to co-operate with such appointee.
A. S. Creighton, manager of the chief office of the Royal Bank of Canada here, has resigned his position and is to leave the service of the bank to become associated with Gordon, Grant and Company of Trinidad, B. W. I. one of the biggest mercantile companies in the West Indies, and one which is well known in Canadian importing and exporting circles.

COMMON COUNCIL MET IN COMMITTEE
City Fathers Object to Remarks Made by Chief Inspector Wilson—Union Street Paving Turned Down—Other Business.
The common council met in committee yesterday morning. Objections were taken to the remarks of Chief Inspector Wilson in his sermon on Sunday, when he is quoted as saying that police officials were offenders against the act.
The Mayor said the Inspector had either said too much or too little. Commissioner Thornton said information given by the police to inspectors had not been acted on in several instances, and the police had contributed to a great extent to whatever success the prohibition officers had achieved here.
It was decided to repair North Rodney wharf at a cost of not more than \$20,000.
Authority was given for the sale of three Lancaster lots and houses, one West Side lot owned by the city. Commissioner Fisher's motion that a section of Union street be paved was lost.
Mrs. Wynne Trearsten was appointed janitor of City Hall, West St. John, at a salary of \$15 per month, with free rent.
The West End Athletic Club was granted the lease of a room in West End City Hall at \$60 per year.

Sat Up in Bed To Get Her Breath.
Palpitation of the heart, shortness of breath, inability to lie on the left side, feelings as if smothering, oppressed feeling in the chest, dizzy and faint spells, tired, weak, worn out feeling, involuntary twitching of the muscles, sleeplessness, restlessness, etc. all point to the fact that either the heart or nerves, or both, are not what they should be. Any of these conditions should be remedied immediately so as to avoid a complete breakdown of the whole system.
Miliburn's Heart and Nerve Pills will bring energy to the weakened constitution, strengthen and regulate the heart, and tone up the tired, overstrained nerves.
Mrs. William Steeves, Chemical Road, N. B., writes: "I have been a great sufferer from nerve troubles and palpitation of the heart, which was so bad I had to sit straight up in bed to get my breath. I could not lie on my left side at all. I tried doctor after doctor, also several different remedies, but got no help from them. My mother insisted on me trying Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills. By the time I had used one box, I was feeling very much better. I took in all three boxes, and now I am in perfect health and can enjoy a good sound sleep, and can lie on my left side without any trouble."
Miliburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are a box at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Saved Two Fingers

The fingers were those of Mr. J. W. Beaudry, of 139 Craig St. E., Montreal. He says, "A falling beam had smashed my hand. Two fingers were so severely crushed that the doctors said they would have to be amputated. Naturally I didn't want this, so I decided to try Zam-Buk first. I applied Zam-Buk daily, and by the time I had used \$4 worth the injury was completely healed. My fingers were saved!"

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WEDDINGS

Haines-Campbell.

The home of Mrs. Augusta Campbell was the scene of a very pretty wedding, April 29th, when her daughter, Florence Haines, was united in marriage to Mr. Bertrand L. Haines, of Port Fairfield, Me. The ceremony took place at 9 a.m. in the presence of relatives and a few friends of the bride and groom. The officiating clergyman, Rev. L. A. Roy, presided over the parlor, followed by the happy couple. The bride was accompanied by a travelling suit of many blue serge with sand trimmings and had to march and carried a bouquet of white carnations and ferns. After a delectable luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. Haines left on the noon train for their home in Port Fairfield, Me., followed by the good wishes of all.

Veteran Tells of a Terrible Experience

Before He Found Relief in Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Postmaster of Hereford Points the Way to Health to Other Sufferers from Kidney and Bladder Trouble.

Hereford, Que., May 5th.—(Special)—Mr. A. Peabody is a veteran postmaster here, is one of the many old people who claim to have received a new lease of life through the use of Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Mr. Peabody is in his 64th year, but wonderfully strong and active for one of his age. But he was not always thus. "For six years," he says, "I suffered from kidney and bladder trouble. I had those sharp, stinging pains through my abdomen, groin, and the legs."

"In March, 1917, I was taken with a shivering chill and drenching perspiration through my abdomen, groin, and the small of my back. I was confined to my bed for three weeks, during which time I often had to get up as often as twenty or thirty times a day."

"I tried many remedies, but got little benefit till I tried Dodd's Kidney Pills. In three days I got relief, and three boxes cleared all the pains out of my system. I also rest much better at night."

"I am always glad to tell other sufferers from kidney and bladder trouble what Dodd's Kidney Pills did for me."

Ask your neighbors about Dodd's Kidney Pills.

AN EASY WAY TO MAKE TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS!

A prominent citizen has offered the tidy sum of \$25.00 in cash to the man, woman or child suggesting a name for the new forward New Brunswick movement, accepted by a committee of judges. The contest is a simple one without any restrictions whatever, and before the 15th of this month all answers should be sent in to the "Name Contest Editor" of the New Brunswick Tourist Association, St. John, N. B. The organization of New Brunswick to which this name is to be given, will hold a grand convention in St. John June 3rd and 4th for the formation of plans and propaganda, with which it is hoped to place our province before the world as a recreation centre, a good place to make a home, an industrial location and a hunter's paradise. It is our own special after-war effort, and this little contest for a name is only one way of bringing it before the people. A moment's thought and a postage stamp may win \$25.00 for you, besides making you a co-operating citizen of New Brunswick.

MAJOR McLEOD COMING. Word has been received by Mrs. Norman P. McLeod that her husband, Major Norman P. McLeod, is returning with Major Barker on the Mauretania. Major McLeod went overseas with the Divisional Ammunition Column under Colonel Harrison, but since has been in command of the 5th Siege Battery, a western unit.

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FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN

The Brunswick Chapter Meeting

Will Join Other Chapters in Welcoming Returned Soldiers—Donation Made to Victorian Order of Nurses—Other Business Transacted.

The Brunswick Chapter L. O. D. E. at their meeting held yesterday afternoon decided to fall in line with the other chapters of the Daughters of the Empire and unite in giving the returning soldiers a hearty welcome when they arrive at St. John. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. J. K. Scammell, the Regent, Mrs. W. L. Penton presiding. A donation of \$50 was made to the Victorian Order of Nurses for their new home at Haymarket Square, and it was resolved to join with the other chapters in giving \$5 towards a scholarship at the University of New Brunswick, open to members of the Graduating Class, who are returned soldiers.

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Saint Monica's Society Meeting

Session Yesterday Afternoon Was Last of the Season—Reports Showed Much Work Accomplished and Plans Made for Future Activities.

The regular monthly meeting of Saint Monica's Society was held in the King of Columbus rooms yesterday afternoon, at three-thirty o'clock with Mrs. D. P. Chisholm in the chair. Ordinary routine business received undivided attention, it being the last meeting of the society for this season. The report of Miss Marion Hogan as treasurer of the society showed that all bills of the society had been met, and an amount remained as a nucleus for the next season's activities.

GRANNY OF THE HILLS WELL ACTED

C. G. I. T. Class Gave Delightful Entertainment Last Evening at St. Luke's Church—Work of Class Praised.

The Canadian Girls in Training Class, which is directed by Miss Marjorie McKim, presented last evening in St. Luke's School, a Home Missionary play, entitled "Granny of the Hills." There was a very large audience present and the play, which was splendidly acted, was greatly enjoyed. During the evening, Rev. R. P. McKim spoke on the excellent work accomplished by the class and the necessity for greater facilities for carrying on the fourfold development of the C.G.I.T. programme, physical, mental, social and spiritual work among girls. There is a great need of a larger building, he said, for the

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

"We sailed wherever ships could sail, We founded many a mighty state, Pray God our greatness may not fail Through craven fears of being great!" —Tennyson.

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STRANGE—A MAN SETTING THE DATE OF HIS FUNERAL.

OH! HE DIDN'T DO THAT—

THE JUDGE DID!

—By GEORGE McMANUS.

FOURTEEN POINTS AGAIN UNDER THE LIMELIGHT

Germeh-Austrian Cabinet Vienna Criticize Will Action in Approving of London.

Basle, Switzerland, May 5.—German-Austrian cabinet at Vienna issued a manifesto in which it claims that President Wilson, in his making known that he approved the treaty of London as far as concerned the demarcation of a frontier between Italy and Germany, Austria, which meant the annulment of the southern Tyrol, had acted in a violation of the faith of his own promises.

This ninth point, unlike the eighth, says the manifesto, was not a change in the notes issued at the time of the conclusion of the mistice. The document adds that Italian claims to the southern Tyrol were founded purely on administrative grounds. These, it holds, do not justify annexation. The manifesto concludes by saying that if Italy takes the southern Tyrol, the rest of Tyrol would inevitably be absorbed by Germany with the result that Germany would be cut off from the rest of the world except through Germany, therefore would be obliged to herself, with Germany.

GERMAN REPORTS PICKING FLAWS AT VERSAILLES

Claim They Are Being Persecuted Treated by the French Are Making Life Miserable for Them.

Berlin, Saturday, May 3.—(Associated Press)—Newspapers with the German peace delegate Versailles are sending general servative accounts of their impressions, but Schumann, the president of the German Gazette, wielded a trenchant bitter pen on the war, does not disguise his feelings at the treatment given the Germans by the French. He devotes the of his report today to "the freedom of movement" accorded the German delegation, which he says is reduced to limits.

He tells of a stenographer sought to purchase tooth powder and drug store and "nearly cap diplomatic breach" the incident with her expulsion from the Schurmann complains of the prices, especially since the German mark must be transformed into a cheap business with enemy debt.

HUNGARIAN SOVIETS RETAKE SZOLNOK

London, May 6.—Hungarian forces have recaptured the town of Szolnok on the Tisza river, from the Roumanians, according to a Hungarian wireless message dated 5 in Budapest. The town is now in the hands of the Hungarians, it is declared.

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MONTREAL SALES

(McDougall & Cowans.)

Morning.

Montreal, Monday, May 5—	
Vic Bonds 1922-2,700 @ 100 1/2	9.00 @ 100 1/2
Vic Bonds 1927-4,000 @ 102 1/2	
Vic Bonds 1927-700 @ 102 1/2	2,000 @ 102 1/2
Vic Bonds 1927-100 @ 102 1/2	100 @ 102 1/2
Steamships Com—35 @ 46, 25 @ 44 1/2	
Steamships Pfd—105 @ 81 1/2, 110 @ 81 1/2, 80 @ 82, 25 @ 82 1/2	
Brazilian—75 @ 54 1/2, 150 @ 55, 10 @ 54 1/2	
Can Loco—25 @ 67 1/2, 50 @ 67 1/2	
1923 Vic Bonds 1,900 @ 104, 4,000 @ 104 1/2, 15,000 @ 104 1/2	
Dom Iron Com—125 @ 62 1/2, 425 @ 62 1/2, 10 @ 65, 25 @ 62 1/2	
Shawinigan—180 @ 122 1/2, 40 @ 123, 25 @ 123 1/2, 50 @ 124 1/2, 25 @ 123 1/2	
Montreal Power—128 @ 90	
1921 War Loan—1,000 @ 98 1/2, 1,500 @ 99	
Gen Elect—10 @ 108	
Bell Telephone—8 @ 110	
Can Car Com—100 @ 41	
Gen Elect—10 @ 108	
Abitibi—65 @ 64	
Laurel Pulp—10 @ 208 1/2	
B. C. Fish—25 @ 49 1/2, 150 @ 50, 25 @ 51, 25 @ 50 1/2	
Tackets—50 @ 25, 10 @ 24 1/2, Laurende Pulp—50 @ 69	
Tackets Pfd—10 @ 90 1/2	
Wayagamack Bonds—500 @ 88, 1,000 @ 88 1/2	
Woods Mig Co—65 @ 90	
Asbestos—50 @ 59 1/2, 50 @ 59 1/2, Quebec Railway—150 @ 48 1/2, 250 @ 48 1/2	
Span Riv Com—1,470 @ 22, 275 @ 21 1/2, 15 @ 21 1/2, 60 @ 21 1/2	
Span Riv Pfd—50 @ 83, 25 @ 82 1/2, 25 @ 82 1/2, 45 @ 84, 50 @ 83 1/2, 75 @ 84 1/2, 120 @ 85, 135 @ 84 1/2	
Glass—10 @ 84 1/2	
Brompton—15 @ 58	
Nor Amer Pulp—400 @ 7, 125 @ 7 1/2, 200 @ 7 1/2, 100 @ 7 1/2, 10 @ 7 1/2	
Ames Holden Pfd—5 @ 77	
Bank Commerce—12 @ 265	
Domestic Cement—25 @ 45 1/2, Can Cot—5 @ 56, 5 @ 55 1/2, Can Converters—10 @ 55 1/2, 20 @ 56	
Bank Montreal—35 @ 220	

Afternoon.

Vic Bonds 1922-2,700 @ 100 1/2	1,000 @ 100 1/2
Vic Bonds 1927-4,000 @ 102 1/2	
Vic Bonds 1927-700 @ 102 1/2	2,000 @ 102 1/2
Vic Bonds 1927-100 @ 102 1/2	100 @ 102 1/2
Steamships Com—45 @ 45 1/2	
Steamships Pfd—75 @ 82 1/2, 70 @ 82 1/2	
Brazilian—75 @ 54 1/2, 50 @ 54 1/2, 5 @ 54	
Steel Can Com—35 @ 63 1/2, 10 @ 62 1/2	
1923 Vic Bonds—15,000 @ 104 1/2, Dom Iron Com—125 @ 63, 10 @ 62 1/2, 50 @ 62 1/2	
Shawinigan—180 @ 122 1/2, 40 @ 123, 125, 35 @ 124 1/2, 50 @ 123 1/2, 140 @ 124 1/2	
Montreal Power—100 @ 90, 50 @ 89 1/2	
B. C. Fish—155 @ 51	
Laurende Pulp—100 @ 208 1/2	
Wayside Bds—200 @ 88 1/2	
Smelting—25 @ 28 1/2	
Asbestos—10 @ 59 1/2	
Asbestos Pfd—50 @ 77, 20 @ 78	
Atlantic Sug Com—125 @ 31	
Atlantic Sug Pfd—20 @ 86	
Quebec Railway—380 @ 18	
Span Riv Com—200 @ 22 1/2, 110 @ 22 1/2, 60 @ 22	
Span Riv Pfd—25 @ 83 1/2, 100 @ 88	
Brompton—25 @ 56 1/2	
Nor Amer Pulp—400 @ 7 1/2	
Merchants Bank—25 @ 153	

(McDougall & Cowans.)

Ames Holden Com...	32
Ames Holden Pfd...	77
Brazilian L. H. and P...	54 1/2
Canada Car...	31
Canada Car Pfd...	88
Canada Cement...	67
Can. Cot...	56
Dom. Cannery...	45
Dom. Iron Pfd...	45
Dom. Iron Pfd...	9 1/2
Dom. Iron Pfd...	62 1/2
Dom. Tex. Com...	113
Laurende Paper Co...	208 1/2
Lake of Woods...	164
MacDonald Com...	23
Mt. L. H. and Power...	89 1/2
Ogilvie...	215
Penman's Limited...	94
Quebec Railway...	18
Shaw W. and P. Co...	124 1/2
Span Riv Com...	21 1/2
Spanish Riv Pfd...	86
Steel Co. Can. Com...	63 1/2

RAILWAYS WOULD BE RID OF HOTELS

United Company Has Been Approached by Both C. P. R. and G. T. R.

Frank A. Dudley, of Niagara Falls, president of the United Hotel Company, in connection with the company's affairs, and it is understood that in considering the annual figures, the policy to be followed with regard to a common dividend was discussed. No announcement has been made as to the course favored, but in view of the profitable returns and the outlook for continued good business, it is believed that a distribution will be made. It is understood that profits of considerably better than \$100,000 will be shown for the first year despite the difficulties incidental to reorganization and building operations. Regarding the negotiations between the United Hotel Company and the Grand Trunk for the taking over of the company's hotels, Mr. Dudley did not think the recent developments in the affairs of the railway had great significance; he did not think the Government would be any more likely to want to operate the hotels than the company. At the same time, Mr. Dudley made it clear that as regards both the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific, the overture had been made by the railway, and they had not gone far enough to indicate the income. Further, he emphatically stated that the United Hotel Company would not undertake the operation of these systems unless there could be successfully handled from the standpoint of the public as well as investors.

Through Government co-operation the company is planning for a string of hotels in South America which it is considered necessary to facilitate the development of American trade in southern countries. Mr. Dudley explains that Government negotiations move slowly, but that they are approaching consummation in Peru. The company has also been negotiating with the controllers of the Clifton House at Niagara Falls, but as yet nothing definite has been arrived at.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

(McDougall & Cowans.)

Open. High. Low. Close.	
Am Beet Sug 81	82 1/2 81 82
Am Car Fdy 95 1/2	96 1/2 95 95 1/2
Am Loco 76	76 1/2 75 75 1/2
Am Sug 130 1/2	131 1/2 130 130 1/2
Am Smeat 73 1/2	73 1/2 73 73 1/2
Am Sil Fdy 105	105 1/2 104 104 1/2
Am Soda 62 1/2	63 1/2 62 62 1/2
A. H. and L. Pfd 115 1/2	117 1/2 115 117 1/2
Am Can 55 1/2	56 1/2 55 55 1/2
Atchafon 94 1/2	94 1/2 94 94 1/2
Bald Loco 92 1/2	93 1/2 92 92 1/2
Both Steel 73 1/2	74 1/2 73 73 1/2
Brook Rap Tr 22	23 1/2 22 23 1/2
Can Loco 44	45 1/2 44 45 1/2
C. P. I 45 1/2	45 1/2 45 45 1/2
Gen Motors 181 1/2	181 1/2 181 181 1/2
Gen Pac 156 1/2	157 1/2 156 156 1/2
Cruc Steel 114	114 1/2 114 114 1/2
Eric Com 17 1/2	18 1/2 17 17 1/2
Gen Motors 181 1/2	181 1/2 181 181 1/2
Gr Nor Pfd 94 1/2	94 1/2 94 94 1/2
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Ind Alcohol 150	150 1/2 149 149 1/2
Gen Motors 181 1/2	181 1/2 181 181 1/2
Inspira Cop 51 1/2	51 1/2 50 50 1/2
Kenne Cop 33	33 1/2 32 32 1/2
Lehigh Val 56 1/2	56 1/2 55 55 1/2
Mer Met Pfd 110 1/2	110 1/2 110 110 1/2
Met Petrol 176 1/2	177 1/2 176 176 1/2
Midvale Steel 45 1/2	45 1/2 45 45 1/2
Miss Pac 30 1/2	30 1/2 29 29 1/2
N. Y. N. I. and H. 20 1/2	20 1/2 20 20 1/2
N. Y. Cent 73 1/2	73 1/2 73 73 1/2
Nor and West 108	109 1/2 108 109 1/2
Penn 41 1/2	41 1/2 41 41 1/2
Press Sil Car 74 1/2	74 1/2 74 74 1/2
Reading Com 83 1/2	83 1/2 83 83 1/2
Repub Steel 82 1/2	82 1/2 82 82 1/2
St Paul 38 1/2	38 1/2 38 38 1/2
Sou Pac 107 1/2	108 1/2 107 107 1/2
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Studebaker 77 1/2	77 1/2 76 76 1/2
Union Pac 132	132 1/2 132 132 1/2
U. S. Rai Com 94	94 1/2 94 94 1/2
U. S. Rub 97 1/2	98 1/2 97 97 1/2
Utah Cop 78	78 1/2 77 77 1/2
Westinghouse 56 1/2	57 1/2 56 56 1/2

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

(McDougall & Cowans.)

High. Low. Close.	
May 28.88	28.25 28.45
July 28.88	28.50 28.75
Oct 24.91	24.58 24.78
Dec 24.43	24.12 24.20

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CHICAGO MARKET

(McDougall & Cowans.)

Chicago, May 6—Corn, No. 3 yellow, \$1.72 to \$1.73; No. 4 yellow, \$1.71 1/2; No. 5 yellow, \$1.70 to \$1.71; Oats—No. 3 white, 71 1/2 to 73; standard, 72 to 73 1/2; Rye—No. 2, \$1.72 to \$1.73; Barley—\$1.10 to \$1.12; Timothy—\$8 to \$11; Clover—Nominal; Pork—Nominal; Lard—\$23 1/2 to \$28.75.	
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asked about this alleged development
yesterday said that nationalizing
was what St. John wanted, but he had
not received any advice to that effect.
He had, however, recently been in-
formed by R. W. Wigmore, M. P., that
more on the return to Ottawa last
week of the minister of marine. The
minister had expressed sympathetic in-
terest with the scheme as last out-
lined.

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May—Phases of the Moon.
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New moon .. 29th 9h. 22m. a. m.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Tuesday, May 5, 1914.
Arrived Monday.
Coastwise—Bear River, 70,
Woodworth, Bear River, N.S.
Cleared.
Am. schr. Herbert Black, 594,
Glynn, Preston Docks, Eng.
Sailed Sunday.
S. S. Manchester Division, Man-
chester.
Now on the Sea.
Next Thursday should see the ar-
rival at Halifax of the S. S. Maure-
tania, bringing 5,000 Canadian troops,
among them the 4th and 6th Batta-
lions of the Canadian Expeditionary
Force. This is one of the first trips of
this ocean group to a Canadian
port. From Halifax she proceeds to
New York, where she is scheduled to
leave on the 13th inst. for Southamp-
ton.

AN INTERESTING VESSEL.
Perhaps the most interesting craft
in the harbor of Halifax, says a re-
cent communication, is the schooner
Kicketts, V. C., a product of the
famous group to a Canadian
N. S., and named after the youngest
winner of the Victoria Cross from the
Old Colony, Sgt. Thomas Kicketts,
St. John's. The Kicketts, Y.C., is of
155 tons net, 122 feet overall, 26.5 ft.
beam, and draws 12 feet. Patten &
Forrey, of Grand Banks, Newfoundland,
and are the owners of the vessel,
which is taking on a large cargo for
the home port under the direction of
Capt. W. Evans and a crew of six,
all Newfoundland seamen.

MAY BE A HUN MINE.
A drifting mine, last sighted by an
American vessel at latitude 40.42
north and longitude 54.20 west, is
causing considerable discussion
among the sea men along the Atlantic
coast. That this is one which has
drifted from the moorings of the
danger zone at the other side of the
Atlantic is questioned by some and
admitted by few. But others who
have had quite considerable experi-
ence in blockade running around the
submarine zone during the past dan-
gerous days are of the opinion that it
is a Hun mine which was released
by the U-boats which were active
along the Atlantic coast last summer.
Sails for England.

The American schooner Herbert
Black, 594 tons net, register,
cleared yesterday, and sails for
Preston Docks, England, with a full
cargo of lumber, which has been loaded
by the firm of Nairn & Wigmore.
Expected Today.
Delayed at Yarmouth by the late
heavy fog, the D. G. S. Laurentian
is expected to arrive in port today,
to take up her regular duties in com-
pany with the D. G. S. Aberdeen.
Goes Ashore Twice.
The Russian barque, Professor
Koch, 75 days from East London,
South Africa, had the unique experi-
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ALLEGED BLACKMAIL CASE.
The alleged blackmail case will be resumed in the police court this afternoon at two o'clock, daylight time, and there is so much interest in the proceedings that the court room will undoubtedly be packed to the doors.

REPORTED DEAD.
In a casualty list received from Ottawa yesterday appears the names of N. J. Corneil, Rogererville, N. B., and C. G. Stewart, no address, previously reported wounded and missing, now, for official purposes, presumed to have died.

Y. M. C. I. DIRECTORS.
The monthly meeting of the board of directors for the Y. M. C. I. was held last evening. The election of officers of the board for the ensuing year resulted in the election of Thomas Nagle as president, Richard O'Brien, vice-president, Michael Bohan, secretary, and Philip J. Fitzpatrick, treasurer. Much routine business occupied the session.

LEFT FOR OTTAWA.
J. Edgar March left on the express last evening for Ottawa where he has accepted a position on the Journal Press writing staff. Mr. March is a thorough newspaper man and a former city editor of The Standard. He should prove a valuable addition to the paper with which he is now connected.

TRINITY CHURCH CIRCLE.
The Trinity Church Circle of the Red Cross Society held their final meeting yesterday afternoon, with Mrs. L. R. Harrison, the president, in the chair. A great amount of work has been done by this circle, and in appreciation of the splendid services of the presiding officials, Mrs. Harrison was presented with a plush bag by the other members of the society.

BOYS' INDUSTRIAL HOME.
A meeting of the Governors of the Boys' Industrial Home was held yesterday afternoon. The governors were much pleased when Premier Foster presented a check of about \$2,000 to cover the cost of improvements made upon the Home not long ago. When Mr. Foster visited the Home some time last fall his attention was called to certain needed improvements, and he undertook to have them done at the expense of the province.

THE ROTARY CLUB.
The Rotary Club yesterday authorized its playground committee to wait upon the city council this morning when the question of playgrounds will be under discussion. Another committee will wait upon the finance committee of the municipal council in regard to the establishment of a juvenile court. Captain Conroy was the speaker of the day and gave a very impressive brief address on reconstruction. J. M. Christie presided.

EXPRESS GRATITUDE.
The collectors of St. Philip's A. M. E. church report that they have acquired about \$400 towards paying for a lot of land adjoining the church which the congregation recently purchased. The sum of \$200 has already been paid on the lot and still there is a balance of four or five hundred needed, and this amount will no doubt be obtained from collections, concerts, etc. The collectors and congregation are most thankful to all donors and wish through the press to express their gratitude. Some of the collectors last evening stated they would endeavor to collect more funds and each collector has church credentials.

TWO SISTERS
DIED YESTERDAY
Mrs. Priscilla Lynnam Died at Home of Her Daughter, Mrs. I. H. Northrup, and Her Sister, Mrs. George Romans, Passed Away in Halifax.

Two sisters, one in St. John and the other in Halifax, died yesterday within a few hours of each other. There was only the difference of about one year in their ages, and through all their life, until late years, they had been chums and companions.

The St. John lady is Mrs. Priscilla Lynnam, widow of George F. Lynnam, and daughter of the late Charles and Mrs. Bertheaux of Nectau Falls, N.S. Death came in her eighty-fourth year, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. I. H. Northrup, King street east, who, with one son, Harold A. Lynnam, is left to mourn a loving mother and a comforting companion.

Shortly after Mrs. Lynnam breathed her last, a telegram was received from Halifax, stating that her sister, Mrs. George Romans, had died during the day, following a short illness.

One sister now survives the original Bertheaux family of eleven, to whom the sympathy of the public is extended.

FIFTY SMART NEW YORK SILK DRESSES FOR MISSSES AND WOMEN ON SALE TODAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY—SPECIAL \$19.90.
Regular \$22.50, \$25.00, \$27.50, \$30.00, \$32.50.
Georgette Velvet Taffetas—Wonderful embroidered Taffetas, Satins, Crepe de Metre, Crepe de Chine, in fashions that are only now appearing on summer's horizon. A great achievement to secure such treasures in dress modes for underprice selling.

Fifty frocks interesting quite apart from a value standpoint—for their clever interpretation of most recent fashions.
Plenty of blacks and navy blue, Copen, French blue, old rose, bottle green, grey, tan, African brown, and many two-tone shot effects in Taffetas. See the special window display today. Sale price \$19.90.
—DYKEMAN'S.

LOUIS SIMMS DELIVERED AN INTERESTING LECTURE

Gave Most Instructive Address in Board of Trade Rooms Last Evening—Says England is Through With Free Trade and Will Adopt a Protective Tariff Against Foreign Nations With a Preference for Products of the Overseas Dominions.

That England is through with free trade and will adopt a protection tariff against foreign nations with a preference for the products of the overseas dominions, that Great Britain, Roumania, Greece and Serbia offer big opportunities to Canadian trade, but that the trade opportunities offered by France are likely to be of a temporary nature, were among the statements made by Louis Simms, of T. S. Simms & Co., in the course of a very interesting and instructive lecture delivered before a meeting of the Board of Trade last evening.

Mr. Simms, who accompanied the party of Canadian manufacturers to the Lyons Fair, and whose firm had an exhibit there, gave a graphic description of his experiences, and summed up the opinions of his fellow-manufacturers as to the possibilities of Canadian trade in France and elsewhere. He introduced a personal note, which greatly added to the interest of his address, and at the close showed the slides of a large number of photographs taken by himself, depicting the havoc of German shells in Arras and Lens, scenes in Nice, and on the trans-Atlantic trip. He did not approve of the arrangements for the affair which had outgrown the management, the number of exhibitors rising from about 500 before the war to 2,700 this year. All the Canadian exhibits were grouped in one section, an unusual procedure for the fair, but the Canadian exhibits attracted great attention, particularly those of the Canadian Government and the C. P. R.

Mr. Simms said that one Canadian chocolate manufacturer had sold his output for a year, and a Quebec shoe manufacturer had placed a large order. But most of the exhibitors found that it was not of much advantage to place orders when the French Government prohibited entrance of their products into France. Sir George Foster, who has been of immense help to the party, managed to smooth over some of the difficulties, and the recent Canadian loan of \$25,000,000 to France had been given on the condition that the embargo on a large number of imports should be removed.

Mr. Simms said that the French revision of the customs duties, based on the determination to make such manufacture with advantage here as self practically prohibitive. That did not sound like much business for France very much, but he could not blame the exchange is a tremendous problem, that her industrial section is so utterly ruined that it would entail less effort if one attempted to start in the virgin forest than to rebuild on these devastated sites. Is it any wonder that fear, amounting to bitterness, sometimes possesses the breast of the thinking Frenchman when he reflects that while France is struggling to regain her feet again foreigners may capture her markets?
"There will doubtless be many things that France will need imperatively for some time to come, many of which Canada can supply, but our conclusion is that such business must be regarded as on a war basis, for in

Port Matters Were Discussed

At Board of Trade Meeting Last Evening it Was Decided to Ask Local Members at Ottawa for Further Information.

At the meeting of the Board of Trade last evening, H. C. Schofield called attention to a report from Ottawa that it was expected the Port of St. John would be nationalized. He said it was not intimated just what nationalization meant, but if it meant a free port the board should go on record as favoring it, rather than a port commission which would collect tolls to pay interest on investment.
Mr. E. Agar said they should wire the members at Ottawa and ask for further information, as to the meaning of nationalization.
Major Hayes referred to the visit of himself and Com. Baillock to Ottawa and said that in view of the attitude of the Minister of Marine they had felt they were going far enough for the time being in pressing upon the government the necessity of taking over the port of St. John. They had found Mr. Carvell strongly in favor of relieving the city of St. John of the burden of maintaining a port for the benefit of the trade of Canada.
It was decided to wire Messrs. Wigmore and Elkin requesting further information, and to refer the question of further action to the council of the board.

MAJOR ROY RING

A cablegram from Major Roy Ring received on Sunday by Mrs. Ring, brought the definite and welcome news that he is coming home on the Mauretania, which was to have sailed with some 5,000 troops on last Saturday.

ENTERTAINED YESTERDAY

Hon. W. E. Foster entertained Rev. (Captain) Clarence MacKinnon, of Pine Hill College, Halifax, at luncheon in the Union Club at noon yesterday, with a number of citizens. Captain MacKinnon was chaplain of the Nova Scotia Highlanders.

GIVE GENEROUSLY THURSDAY

Citizens Get Ready To Welcome Heroes

Mauretania With Nearly Five Hundred Heroes for This District is Due at Halifax Next Thursday.

Major S. S. Wetmore, A.A.G., local military headquarters, stated last evening, that unofficial word was received yesterday that the steamship Mauretania, which is due at Halifax on Thursday next, carries the 4th Siege Battery with a complement of twenty officers and 450 other ranks for this district. Another unofficial report is that the 4th Siege Battery is also on board the same ship.
The above information has also reached S. Herbert Mayes, chairman of the Citizens' Reception Committee, and that official, with his co-workers, will get busy today, making preparations for a grand reception to be given to the heroes on their return to St. John.
The committee has already made plans and the citizens at large will anxiously await the opportunity to give the first body of soldiers to arrive here as a unit a reception that they will long remember. More definite word regarding those on board the Mauretania is expected today, and due notice of the time of arrival will be given through the press, while the arrangements made by Charles Robinson, secretary of the New Brunswick Returned Soldiers' Commission, in having factory whistles and the fire alarm horn sounded, will warn the citizens a half hour before the troop train arrives at the Depot.
Business houses and residences along the line of march should be gayly decorated with flags and bunting, and everything possible should be done to make one grand demonstration.

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The Export Trade Through St. John

According to Figures Supplied by Department of Trade and Commerce Last Year the Total Was \$150,000,000 — \$100,000,000 More Than Halifax.

The export trade through St. John last year was \$150,000,000, according to the figures supplied by the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, to the Board of Trade. This was announced by Secretary Armstrong at the meeting of the Board of Trade last evening.
This is \$100,000,000 more than Halifax's export trade which was only \$50,000,000. Before the war St. John's export trade was about \$25,000,000.

The Council of the Board has asked the Department of Marine to establish a steamship line from Halifax to St. John in the Bay of Fundy. Such stations have been established at Cape Sable, Halifax, Cape Canso and Cape Race. From them ships equipped with special wireless apparatus can obtain bearings several hundred miles at sea, and ship captains report that they have proved valuable in fog.
A communication was read by the secretary stating that the imperial war cabinet had decided at a recent meeting to give the preference for contracts for imperial government supplies to the overseas dominions wherever possible. This decision will have, it is hoped, the effect of placing large orders in Canada.

Scout Official From Ottawa

F. R. Perrott Passed Through the City Yesterday for Halifax to Meet Sir Robert Baden Powell and Lady Powell.

Frederick R. Perrott, the Boy Scout official sent from Ottawa to meet Sir Robert Baden Powell and Lady Powell in Halifax today, passed through the city yesterday, and was seen by The Standard stated that owing to the later arrival of the Chief Scout, on the Baltic, it was practically settled that Sir Robert would now continue direct into the States, after visiting St. John, and then proceed to Ottawa and other Canadian centres afterwards.
He is to be the guest of the Canadian Club, at luncheon, in the city on Friday, whilst it is expected to have Lady Powell address the Women's Canadian Club during the afternoon, and may visit the Rothery schools during the morning. The scout officials, together with the scouts' group of their rooms, will be presented to him at the Depot on arrival, whilst about 3.30 p.m. (Daylight time) a huge Scout Rally will be held in the city. First, at which time Sir Robert will address the boys.
The complete program, as arranged by the Provincial Scout Commissioner, A. C. Shelton, promises to make the most eventful of the district, and the distinguished visitors, and whilst it is to be regretted that the brief time they will be here will not permit of an address to the public in general, Sir Robert's and Lady Powell's addresses before the respective Canadian Clubs will be of a very interesting nature.

GREAT WAR VETS' MONTHLY MEETING

Nursing Sister Edith Hegan Presided Last Evening—Members Will Form Guard of Honor to Returning Soldiers—Other Business.

The regular meeting of the local Great War Veterans' Association was held last evening in their rooms, a feature of the meeting being the presence of Nursing Sister Edith Hegan, who appeared in her usual capacity as second vice-president, who occupied the chair, for the first part of the meeting.
Routine business occupied the greater part of the meeting, after which discussion arose relative to the return of the men from overseas, and the association went on record as sending all possible assistance at the time of the return of the boys and decided to act as a guard of honor on that eventful day. Next was arrangements for a smoker concert, which will be held in the rooms next Monday evening.
Elections for delegates of the local organization to the provincial convention of the G. W. V. A., which meets in the city on the 17th inst., resulted in the following being chosen: C. F. Sanford, F. C. Wilcox, O. J. Lawson, J. J. Barkour, H. Allingham and Leo F. Duffy. Discussion on minor topics occupied the remainder of the evening's meeting.
Towards the close of the meeting C. L. Sanford occupied the chair in the absence of Miss Hegan necessitated by her duties at the hospital, West St. John.

AUCTION

Sale of Surplus Stock—26 Head.
The following live stock will be sold at Public Auction on the premises of M. J. Reid, Blenheim, Kings Co., N. B. (formerly known as the Jas. Glick property), on Thursday, May 8th, at one o'clock sharp, 13 grade Shorthorn (milkling strain) Heifers, some due to freshen coming winter; 10 grade Cows, fresher coming fall; 2 Heifer Calves, 3 weeks' old, fifteen sixteen's; 1 Holstein, extra choice stock; 1 Manure Spreader; 1 Hiding Plow. Terms 12 months' credit on approved joint notes without interest. Sale positive.
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