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MANAGER

NEWS OF THE LETTER-CARRIERS' STRIKE

GOVERNMENT ASKS FOR A CONFERENCE

Expresses Readiness to Receive Postal Representatives in Ottawa Today.

MEN MUST GO BACK

Condition Imperative, and a Promise is Made That Full Allowance Will Be Paid.

Ottawa July 23.—The cabinet council at a sitting this afternoon gave further consideration to the question of the settlement of the letter carriers' strike at Toronto, Winnipeg and Vancouver and other points. On Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, as a result of telegrams which have passed between Ottawa and Toronto, the government was informed that the letter carriers in conference in the hope of bringing about an immediate settlement of the widespread trouble.

On Monday, Dr. R. M. Coultter, deputy postmaster-general, on behalf of the acting prime minister and the postmaster-general, sent a telegram to Toronto stating that upon the men returning to work a sub-committee of the cabinet would be ready at any time to meet and hear the postmen and their representatives, and deal within the limits of the government's legal powers promptly and equitably with any proposals the men might desire to make. The telegram pointed out that it was not possible for the government to pay out money beyond the amount voted by parliament, and stated that the first quarterly cheques in payment of voted allowances were being issued.

A second telegram sent to all postmasters tonight by Dr. Coultter repeats the foregoing proposal and suggests that the proposed conference should take place tomorrow. It is understood that the condition that the men must return to work is imperative, and the promise made that full allowance voted by parliament will be paid. The government view is that cessation of work on the part of the letter carriers is unjustified, and that it persisted in may call for the exercise of the government's powers to prevent by such means as may prove necessary any interruption of the important business of the distribution of mail in the cities affected.

A member of the cabinet in discussing the situation tonight said emphasis on the fact that no provision is made by the Industrial Disputes Act for the naming of a board of conciliation to deal with the dispute between the government and its employees.

PETERBORO MEN ARE OUT.

J. P. Burnham, M.P., Will Call a Public Meeting Tonight to Discuss Question.

Peterboro, Ont., July 23.—The letter carriers went out on strike this morning and as a result there was no delivery of the morning mail. Mayor G. H. Duncan sent a message to Ottawa urging the authorities to expedite the suggestion of Mr. J. P. Burnham, M.P. Mayor Duncan will call a public meeting tomorrow night at which the letter carriers' strike and its cause will be fully discussed and a resolution sent to Ottawa. In the meantime Postmaster Edgar of this branch has invited girls and women who may wish to help as a patriotic duty to leave their names with him and be taken on the "Bought a Strike" list. Mr. Burnham has wired to Ottawa urging that some action be undertaken to meet the demands of the postmen. Both Postmaster Edgar and Mr. Burnham assisted in the distribution of today's mail.

MAY STRIKE IN SYMPATHY.

Complete Tie-up Expected Today in the Office at Vancouver.

Vancouver, B.C., July 23.—Unless the strike of letter carriers in this city were to be suspended, a complete tie-up of the postal service is expected tomorrow, which would completely stop all business in the city. A well-attended meeting of sorters, dispatchers, customs employees, etc., was held at noon today at which sympathy with the striking letter carriers was expressed and a decision was reached to take an immediate strike vote. Labor leaders say there is no doubt a strike will be approved. The Vancouver Board of Trade has telegraphed the acting premier urging an immediate settlement of the strike and declaring that they "cannot appreciate the causes which have permitted the situation to arise whereby the business of the country is so seriously menaced."

STRUCK AT NOON.

Fort William, Ont., July 23.—The letter carriers of Fort William were instructed to walk out at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The morning mail was delivered as usual, but no afternoon letters were carried.

MAIL SERVICE PARALYZED.

Winnipeg, July 23.—Mail service in Winnipeg was paralyzed today. The 200 postal clerks have joined the 161 carriers and 25 porters in the strike for a conciliation board. No mail was delivered in Winnipeg today.

STRIKE IN MONTREAL AVERTED.

Montreal, July 23.—A postal strike in Montreal has been averted. The postmaster-general, on the appointment of a sub-committee to consider and discuss the demands of the letter carriers. In the meantime cheques for \$150 bonus are to be issued at once from Ottawa to all married men.

Quit in Sympathy.

Regina, July 23.—Regina postoffice closed this afternoon, when after a short meeting, the postal clerks quit work in sympathy with the striking letter carriers.

MEN WILL NOT HELP FORWARD PRESS MAIL

The letter carriers at last night's meeting decided to refuse to help the postoffice authorities to deal with the press mail which was lying at the Union Station, so it was stated, ready for transmission to outside points.

James Cuthbertson, the chairman, had pointed to the friendly relations which had always existed between the press and the association, and had asked their forbearance to the extent of allowing the press to be carried by the letter carriers.

Secretary Cox pointed out that there were enough transfer men at work at the depot to send this class of mail out to the provincial centres. A man from the body of the hall moved that the press be excluded from the meeting after the principal speakers had been heard, and that all the members of the association meet in executive session.

"Are you men afraid of the stand you have taken since Monday?" asked Max Wellman, the leader of the men. "No," was the quick response from every quarter. "Then why exclude the press?" retorted the vice-president. The motion was lost. The other motion to deal with the press mail was also lost by a large majority.

BUSINESS IS UPSET BECAUSE OF STRIKE

Vernon G. Cardy, assistant manager of the King Edward Hotel, stated yesterday afternoon that if the strike continued another two days or even twenty-four hours, business at the hotel would be pretty well at a standstill. "I may say that on Monday several hundreds of our guests were affected by the lack of mail delivery, and today the situation has not been any better," said Mr. Cardy.

"We have sent out our mail clerk to the Lombard street postoffice to get any mail it was possible to obtain, and we have not been able to get even twenty letters during the two days as against the hundreds which we usually get every day. Many of our guests are United States business men with large interests."

Whereas we usually mail notices of reservations we are now compelled to telegraph them. Many of these are sent out to New York or to Philadelphia, rather than to Montreal. The difference between the expenses of mailing and telegraphing in these cases amounts to more than 70 cents a notice, which is equal to several hundred per cent. overcharge."

LETTER CARRIERS OUT IN MOST OF CITIES

Alec McMordie, federated secretary of the Letter Carriers' Association in Canada, stated at last night's session of the Toronto branch that the chairman of the company's mail had been held up.

WOMAN AT KITCHENER HELD AS UNDESIRABLE

Kitchener, July 23.—Chief of Police O'Neill today apprehended Magdalene Zeilke, a young and beautiful German-American woman, wanted by the immigration department for entering Canada under false pretenses. She had driven all night and when arrested at breakfast in a local hotel was in the company of a man named La Chapelle, of Montreal, with whom she came to town on Sunday. When arraigned before Magistrate Weir today she was remanded until Saturday upon a charge of being an undesirable.

TIE-UP INCREASES; DELIVERY STOPPED

Only a Few Able to Get Mail at Postoffice Yesterday.

The action of the postal clerks in refusing to take up work which properly belonged to the letter carriers had the effect of stopping practically all delivery of mail at any of the substations or at the main station at Lombard street yesterday. A little mail was given out from 9 o'clock till 10 o'clock, but all business outside the windows of the Lombard street offices closed before 11 o'clock. Many people in the suburban districts who had been advised by the postoffice department to go to their sub-stations, for any mail they expected were disappointed. They found out that there was none being given out.

Could Not Sort.

The reasons for this state of affairs were said by the postmaster, W. E. Lemon, to be firstly, that the staff was shorthanded, and secondly, that the postal clerks were restricting themselves to their own work. It was part of their work to sort out mail for the district postoffices, but it was usually the duty of the letter carriers to sort out the mail for the streets and numbers of these districts. Therefore, while it was possible to get mail into the sub-stations it was impossible to move further because of the determination of the postal clerks to stand by the others.

Mr. Lemon stated yesterday that there was considerable disorganization but that the force was doing its best to meet the situation. Additional help had been made to the ranks of the strikers, the transfer employees of the terminals and half the number of the regular staff of postoffice chauffeurs having joined the ranks of the carriers. He stated that he was continually in conference with the authorities at Ottawa, and that there was reason to believe that the situation might be cleared shortly. Mr. Lemon denied that any clerks were being brought downtown from the sub-stations to accelerate business at the central postoffice on Lombard street, but that the sub-stations have troubles of their own, he said, "and have quite enough to do without depleting their staffs."

A large consignment of British and foreign mail arrived at the Union Station. It will be possible for this mail, or at least a part of it, to reach the sub-stations, but not the residents of districts. It was stated at the general postoffice that it would be practically impossible for the carriers to return to work.

WANT MEN TO RETURN BEFORE MAKING MOVE

The following telegram was received by the mayor yesterday afternoon from Dr. R. M. Coultter, deputy postmaster-general: "I am authorized by acting prime minister and postmaster-general to state that if the men return to work at once a sub-committee of council will be appointed to discuss their grievances immediately or any time they may appoint. You are at liberty to use this."

"This will end the strike," confidently declared the mayor, "is likely that at the men's meeting tonight a committee will be appointed to go to Ottawa to look after the men's interests there. The chairman of the Dominion showed their stand as follows respecting the grievances: Regina, strike; Winnipeg, strike; Montreal, strike; Hamilton, still at work; Ottawa, still at work; Edmonton, undecided; Calgary, temporary men out; Brandon, strike; Fredericton, N. B. strike; Saskatoon, out; St. John's, Nfld., ready for action; Amherst, strike; cleared for action; Kitchener, strike; Fort William, strike; Peterboro, strike; Soo, strike."

WARNED FOR DRAFT.

Niagara Camp, July 23.—Four hundred and fifty men of the Railway Troops Depot here have been warned for draft. Between fifty and sixty young men report for duty in camp every day now, so the strength is being fairly well maintained, despite the frequent drafts.

Port Arthur Men Out.

Port Arthur, July 23.—Mail carriers and inside staff of the Port Arthur postoffice went out on strike at 2 o'clock this afternoon, instructions being received by Local Secretary Logan at 9 o'clock this morning, but the morning deliveries.

WAR MEASURES ACT CAN BE USED TO SETTLE DIFFERENCES, SAY MEN.

John Loan and other letter carriers last night at the Labor Temple pointed out that it was as easy for the government to change the sense of the Industrial Disputes Act by order-in-council as it was to change the Military Service Act in respect to exemptions. The question of the grievances of the letter carriers was as well within the meaning of the War Measures Act as any other change considered by order-in-council during the past year. "It follows, therefore," said Mr. Loan, "that the government which has gone up to Ottawa can force the hand of the government in this connection if it so desires."

AVIATOR FATALLY BURNED.

Result of Aeroplane Accident at Camp at Deseronto.

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DEPUTATION TO GO TO OTTAWA CHOSEN

Letter Carriers Decide to Await Assurances Before Resuming.

CRITICIZE MEETING

Mayor Makes Appeal to Men to Return to Work Today.

The letter carriers, at a mass meeting held last night at the Labor Temple, appointed Alec McMordie, federated secretary of the association, Max Wellman, vice-president of the Toronto branch of the association, and T. A. Stevenson, secretary of the Trades and Labor Council, delegates in conjunction with Controller Robbins, for the city, and Dr. Sheard, M.P., to confer with a sub-committee of the cabinet at Ottawa relative to the grievances of the letter carriers and other postoffice employees who have taken a self-imposed holiday. The men also decided to maintain their strike until assurances had been received from the delegation that the government would appoint either a board of conciliation under the Industrial Disputes Act or a crown commission, as had been done in the case of the civic employees. The meeting adjourned until eleven o'clock this morning.

Mayor Church pointed out that matters had reached a serious crisis and that wives were awaiting their separation allowance cheques, business men were waiting for notices of contract, and all manner of important business was being held up. The cabinet, he said, had held a meeting and had decided to appoint a sub-committee as a means of reaching a settlement. It was now suggested, he continued, that representatives of the city, the Toronto Board of Trade, of labor and of the letter carriers themselves form a delegation to go to Ottawa and to confer with the sub-committee.

The Mayor Makes Appeal.

"The Mayor makes appeal," said the mayor, "it is only fair that you men should meet conciliation with conciliation. It has also pointed out that it has power to enforce the War Measures Act. It is this were done the military at the Exhibition Camp would be empowered to bring out any number of men to take the places of the men now taking a holiday." The mayor concluded with an urgent appeal to the men to return to work in the morning.

Max Wellman denied the statement of the mayor that the latter had called a representative committee from the letter carriers to his office. "Only two officials were called to that conference held yesterday afternoon," said the leader of the men. "These two men were not appointed by the carriers to represent them at any conference. As to the power of the government to enforce the War Measures Act, just tell the mayor that this act can be enforced only when it can be proven that the men have refused to consider the appointment of a board of conciliation to consider their grievances. Can this be said of the letter carriers?" (Cries of "No.")

H. C. Hocken, M.P., while expressing his sympathy with the men, took the stand that the conference which met on Monday at the mayor's office was supposed to be representative of the carriers, and that the proposition which was sent out to Ottawa was supposed to be representative of the feelings of the postoffice employees. In these circumstances the attitude of the government could be well explained. "I believe," said Mr. Hocken, "that if you men go right back to work and meet the government in good faith it will meet your desires so as to give you every satisfaction."

Only Two Officials.

T. A. Stevenson desired to place himself frankly upon record as having agreed only to accept on behalf of the men an assurance in black and white from the government to appoint the board of conciliation asked by the carriers to grant the wage scale demanded. It was useless, he said, for anyone to deny that the meeting was representative, having as it did officials from the Letter Carriers' Association.

R. H. Cox, secretary of the Toronto branch of the Letter Carriers' Association, read a telegram from T. C. Robinette to the government, pointing to the seriousness of the situation, and asking if the government could not settle matters immediately.

Dr. Sheard, M.P., brought the men to their feet with an earnest appeal to them to get back to work, and to immediately appoint a delegation to Ottawa on their behalf. He even went so far as to offer the branch \$50 as expenses for two representatives from the association. He was sure that Hon. C. J. Doherty could be relied upon to accept any proposition put before him by the men. If the government failed to carry out any promise made thru the sub-committee of the cabinet, he himself would be the first man to denounce the cabinet in no unmeasured terms.

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EATON'S DAILY STORE NEWS

Chiefly Concerning the July Sale Specials For Men



Any man who knows anything at all about the policy of "The Big Store" must realize that now, perhaps, is the most economical time to buy. For not only is the July Sale, with its large list of special values, featuring "something different every day," in full swing, but also this is stocktaking time, and if there is anything which disturbs prices and causes them to take a hasty slump, it is stocktaking.

So if you're out of certain clothing necessities, such as Underwear, Shirts, Ties, Nightrobes, Hats, Handkerchiefs, or need extra accessories for the auto, or new pictures for the home, now is the time to investigate their values, for now they are almost all exceptionally reduced. Come early and come often. Perhaps the following suggestions will help.

Men's Combinations, Many Less Than Half Price, at 98c

This lot has been marked at an exceedingly low price, and, moreover, includes styles and qualities from which it is an easy matter for you to make your selection. Included are suits in fine quality balbriggan, in white or natural shade, spring needle stitch, with long sleeves and three-quarter leg, and a big range of patterns in checks and stripes in white nainsook, in athletic style, knee length, and without sleeves, and with single button seat. Sizes in the lot, 34 to 50, but not all sizes in each style. Sale price, 98c.

Men's Outing Shirts, 98c

Exceptionally good value is offered in this line of outing shirts, in fancy crepe effects and in striped patterns, in single or cluster designs, in such colors as black, light and dark blue or mauve or combinations of grey and mauve or white or cream colored grounds. They are all in coat style, with yoke, breast pocket, reversible lay-down collar, and imitation soft double cuff. Sizes 14 to 18. Sale price, 98c.

Men's Nightrobes, Each, 59c

At this price are night robes of Canadian or American makes, including some in "Congress" brand; all of splendid quality white cotton, some with V-shaped neck, and trimmed with red, navy or sky on neck and front; others without trimming; while still others, in plain white, have attached lay-down collar. All styles are made with yoke, breast pocket and slip-over band cuffs, and the lot includes all sizes 15 to 19. Sale price, 59c.

Men's and Boys' Neckwear, 3 for 25c, or, Each, 9c

This lot consists mostly of broken ranges from regular stock, and are ideal ties for everyday use. They are all in four-in-hand style, some with wide flowing ends; others in Derby shape, and line on back. The patterns are in all-over, floral or stripe designs, in medium shades, some in fibre silk and cotton mixtures, but mostly in mercerized cotton. Sale price, 3 for 25c; or, each, 9c. —Main Floor, Centre.

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Your opportunity to purchase one of these Trunks at a reduced price is here. They are covered with waterproof canvas, painted and varnished in a good, serviceable color; 1/2-inch hardwood slats, metal corner protectors, sheet iron covered bottom, and edges bound with vulcanized fibre, give strength and solidity to this trunk. The heavy lock and bolt clamps, cowhide leather straps, fancy lining and tray make this trunk attractive. Your choice in 32, 34, 36 and 40-inch sizes. Each for \$8.00. —Basement

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Now is the time, too, when a light, comfortable hat is appreciated. They are in boater style, with pencil, roll or welted edge brims; also fedora shape with crease crown, flaring or slightly roll brim. All sizes in the lot, 6 5-8 to 7 1/2. Today, special, \$3.50.

Kiddies' Straws, Special, \$1.35

In neat English sailor shape, with small or large brim, with lettered or plain bands. Sizes 6 to 6 7-8. Special, \$1.35. Main Floor, James Street.



Also Big Clearance of Straw Boaters, at \$1.00

All new shapes with various popular height crowns and width brims. All sizes in the lot, 6 5-8 to 7 3-8. Today, special, \$1.00.

Men's Plain Black Cotton Sox, Greatly Reduced to 18c

Odd lines—some at half-price—of summer weight, seamless cotton socks, with reinforced toes and heels; also with fine ribbed cuffs. A good range of sizes. Today, sale price, 3 pairs for 50c, or, per pair, 18c. —Main Floor, Yonge St.

Men's Colored Bordered Handkerchiefs, 4 for 25c

They are of fine Irish lawn, with colored borders, in a variety of colors and nicely hemmed. They are 17 inches square. Price, 4 for 25c.

Women's Irish Lawn Handkerchiefs, 4 for 25c

They are of fine Irish lawn, finished with hem-stitched hems, are 12 inches square, and very practical for everyday use. Price, 4 for 25c. —Main Floor, Centre.

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Here is a collection which will solve the decorating of many a summer home, living-room or den. They are framed in gilt or narrow or wide mission oak frames, which will harmonize with almost any colored room. The subjects, too, are equally appropriate—sepias featuring such well-known subjects as "The Angelus," "The Gleaners," and many others; also beautifully colored ones in oblong or panel shapes—landscapes, marines, fruit, or subject scenes. Today, sale special, 15c.

"The Five Senses," Pictures, by Bessie P. Guttman, Special, 85c

If you love little children or are decorating the children's room, you ought to see these pictures. The artist has taken a series of bright-eyed, rosy-cheeked youngsters, and has cleverly depicted them as performing certain actions, illustrating the sense of feeling, hearing, talking, smelling, seeing. You can't fail to like the curly head, coy, little girl looking into the mirror. They are hand-colored and framed in 3/4-inch antique gilt. Today, sale special, 85c.

Large Bevelled Plate Mirrors, Special, \$8.95

This mirror is size 18 by 36 inches, and is framed in a 2 1/2-inch mission or polished oak, or white enamel frame. Today, sale price, \$8.95. —Fourth Floor, Yonge Street.

Interesting Sale Items in Auto Accessories and Bicycles

Here Are Four More Excellent Values in the Accessory Department

11-inch Electric Headlights, one-piece body, highly polished reflector, dust and waterproof. Price, \$4.75.

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Steel Tire Clamp, for 3 1/2-inch tires. This is an excellent way of protecting a tire that is badly out or in danger of blowing out. Price, 25c.

Sale Offering of Girls' Bicycles at \$36.50

There are 25 only, so we advise early selection. They have Hercules coaster brake, roller chain, skirt guard, easy-riding saddle, double tube, guaranteed tires, tool bag and wrench; 18, 20, and 22-inch frames. Sale price, today, each, \$36.50.

Bicycle Carriers and Stand, Price 75c

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BRING SHOTGUN TO SCARE FLIERS

Farmers Indignant When Aviators Fly Low to Frighten Them.

BOYS ARE PULLING FLAX

Machines Were Not Ready to Start at Willowdale Yesterday.

An accident to an aviator who dropped with his machine in a nearby field was an irresistible attraction for half a dozen boys who were starting to pull flax on the provincial government lands at Willowdale yesterday afternoon.

The boys had been placed on the field by the flax and loam branch of the department of agriculture, and an experiment with a new flax pulling machine was to have been conducted under the supervision of R. J. Hutchinson, Dominion Government expert, but as the machine could not be got ready on time the experiment had to be postponed until some time today.

A number of farmers from the surrounding district gathered at the government flax field in the afternoon and were somewhat disappointed when the demonstration had to be postponed. They had, however, more excitement than they were looking for while they were in the fields.

Some of them had come quite a distance in their motor cars and had left their machines standing in the open fields. As the farmers strolled through the flax a couple of aviators apparently took great pleasure in swooping down all about a sudden and then swooping and skimming over them just a few feet from their heads.

In one instance in particular an elderly farmer was forced to drop to his hands and knees to escape being struck by the wings of the huge airplane as it came buzzing over his head.

Farmers Were Indignant. The farmers, who were on the government land, were most indignant at the actions of those two flyers, and the numbers of their machines were secured in order to report the matter to the military authorities.

One farmer openly threatened to bring out a shotgun the next time he is in that vicinity and use it on any of the aviators who offend the award of F. H. Drayton, officer in charge of the section.

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TRAINING OF SOLDIER CURBS MARCHING SONGS

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CHILDREN OUT ALL NIGHT. Slept in Ravine in Rosedale White Party Searches in Vain.

Filled with the spirit of adventure gleaned chiefly from fairy tales, little Doris and Audrey Yates, 159 Glen road, set forth on an exploring expedition thru the Rosedale Ravine Monday night and got lost. The children, after losing their way, settled down under a tree and spent the night there. The father, with the assistance of the police, organized a search party and the woods were searched all night with no result. After the search was given up the children found their way home the next morning in time for breakfast, highly elated over their adventure.

WILL ENTERTAIN SOLDIERS. This afternoon, Col. H. C. Bickford, commandant Toronto military district, and Mrs. Bickford will entertain one hundred of the returned soldiers of the College street military convalescent home hospital at a garden party at Ranelagh Park, their home. No pains have been spared in preparations for the soldiers' entertainment during the afternoon and evening. A dainty supper will be served on the spacious lawns.

IMPROVED DAY TRAIN SERVICE. TORONTO, LONDON, DETROIT, CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Train No. 623, re-established daily except Sunday, leaves Toronto 7:45 a.m., arrives London 11:25 a.m., making intermediate stops; connection for St. Mary's.

Train No. 622, re-established daily except Sunday, leaves London 4:30 p.m., arrives Toronto 9:00 p.m., making intermediate stops; connection for St. Mary's.

Train No. 21, daily, leaves Toronto 8:40 a.m., arrives London 12:05 p.m., leaves London 12:45 p.m., arrives Toronto 3:05 p.m. Eastern, arrives Detroit (M.C.R.) 2:30 p.m. Central. Connection for St. Thomas, Ingersoll, Port Burwell.

Train No. 22, daily, leaves Detroit (M.C.R.) 1:45 p.m. Central, leaves Windsor (M.C.R.) 3:05 p.m. Eastern, arrives London 6:25 p.m., leaves 6:35 a.m. Eastern, arrives Toronto 9:25 p.m. Connection for St. Thomas, Ingersoll, Port Burwell.

For full particulars and additional service, see current folders.

BUILDING PERMITS. Building permits have been issued by the city architect's department to the following: Wm. Williamson, pair semi-detached dwellings, 159-161 Woodbine avenue, \$6,000. Geo. Tucker, detached dwelling on Blackthorne avenue, \$1,000. Chuff Ammunition Co., machine shop on Jefferson avenue, \$4,000. John Whitefield, addition to factory at 33 Sherbourne street, \$6,900. H. P. Finney, detached house at Mount Alan avenue, \$10,000.

BREWERY PARTLY LIABLE. Chairman Drayton in the court of revision yesterday handed down his decision on the appeal of the Labatt Brewery Co., who claimed total exemption from paying a business tax under the provisions of the Ontario Temperance Act. They were not allowed total exemption but will be assessed five-twelfths of the amount.

SOLVING FUEL PROBLEM. For a week past four men have been at work in the grounds of St. James Cathedral chopping down trees. The city is taking control of the wood which will be given to the poor if need arises. Ten cords have already been cut and today work will be started in Canon Plumtree's yard to convert seven dead trees into wood which will be added to the pile.

MUST APPLY AGAIN FOR FURTHER TIME

Farmers Expecting Additional Exemption Must Boost Production.

CLOSE TO ONE HUNDRED

Many Claims Heard Yesterday, But Large Number Disallowed.

Close to a hundred applications for exemption from military service were dealt with in Toronto yesterday by two tribunals, presided over by Mr. Justice Latchford and Mr. Justice Maaten. A bigger proportion of the claims than usual, however, were refused. Sixty-four claims for exemption were granted and 29 were disallowed. A majority went against Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

At Judge Latchford's tribunal a number of the farmers were complained by the court on the amount of their production. The judge announced yesterday that the men engaged in farming who are granted exemption from military service until the fall if thinking of applying for further time will have to apply before their exemptions expire and will have to show that they are increasing their farms production before they are likely to get another extension.

Extensions Granted. Stanley Grice Lewis, Stouffville, till Nov. 1. Simon Beattie Grant, Markham, till Nov. 1. Robert Garnet Evans, Gormley, till Nov. 1. George William Saunders, Unionville, till Nov. 1. Harvey Milburn Usher, Edgeley, till Nov. 1. W. L. McLellan, 64 Laws street, till Dec. 31. Hadley Ernest Coles, Woodbridge, till Nov. 1. Henry Bowes, Concord, till Nov. 1. George Edward Parsons, Kleinburg, till Nov. 1. Percival Robert Fletcher, Woodbridge, till Nov. 1. John Stephen Bell, Kleinburg, until Oct. 1. Alfred Lorne Cousins, Pine Grove, till Nov. 1. E. A. McCowan, Scarborough, till Nov. 1. H. McW. Thomas, Nashville, till Nov. 1. Alfred W. Kelly, Newmarket, till Nov. 1. Alfred H. Gibney, Holt, till Nov. 1. Frank C. L. Cook, Zephyr, Nov. 1. William E. Mouney, Newmarket, till Sept. 1. Laurelet H. Capelon, Zephyr, till Nov. 1. Howard M. Harrington, Zephyr, till Nov. 1. Everett E. Magee, 94 Adywh ave., Oct. 1. William E. Nash, Todmorden, till Nov. 1. Charles L. Kyle, Teston, Nov. 1. George E. Kyle, Teston, till Nov. 1. Herbert Brophy, Maple, till Nov. 1. William E. Monkman, Schomberg, till Nov. 1. James C. Atkinson, Gormley, Nov. 1. Edward W. Smith, Gormley, Nov. 1. Ernest Dibb, Jefferson, Nov. 1. Benjamin F. Ground, Gormley, till Sept. 1. Lorne R. Perkins, Gormley, Nov. 1. Harry Kane, Gormley, Nov. 1. Russell Boyington, Gormley, till Sept. 1. Allan R. Arnold, Newmarket, Nov. 1. John F. Doane, Newmarket, Nov. 1. Elmer R. Fry, Newmarket, Sept. 1. George T. Cutting, Aurora, Nov. 1. William R. P. Lewis, Queensville, Nov. 1. George W. Gray, Aurora, Nov. 1. William F. Smith, Aurora, Nov. 1. Henry A. Smith, Gormley, Nov. 1. Charles S. Boynton, Gormley, Nov. 1. William Henry Line, Sherwood, Nov. 1. Lloyd W. Line, Sherwood, Nov. 1. John L. McMillan, Egin Mills, Nov. 1. Nelson Boyington, Gormley, Nov. 1. William White, Gormley, Nov. 1. Douglas E. Hood, Gormley, Sept. 1. Cameron H. Curry, Newmarket, Nov. 1. Alfred Folkard, Newmarket, till Sept. 1. Aubrey E. Egan, Lloydtown, till Sept. 1. Fred M. Hall, Sharon, Nov. 1. Iven Cairns, Lloydtown, Nov. 1. Walter W. Cook, Schomberg, till Nov. 1. William J. Sumner, Aurora, till Nov. 1. Charles G. Gibbs, Maple, Nov. 1. Charlie Wesley Kirk, Scarborough, Nov. 1. not to be called till Sept. 23. William Alexander Lamb, 178 Roslin avenue, not to be called Oct. 1. William Martin, 34 Beaconsfield avenue, subject to medical examination, and not to be called Oct. 1. Forrester Bishop, Woodbridge, not to be called till November 1. William Arthur Hamilton, Woodbridge, not to be called Oct. 1. William Young, Gormley, not to be called before November 1. Frederick Reid, Concord, not to be called before Sept. 23. J. R. Bell, Scarborough Junction, not to be called till Oct. 1. Exemptions Refused. Neil S. McGrath, 137 Grace st., subject to examination. William Pryor, 35 Spadina avenue, subject to examination. Jack Belfrey Cane, 83 Charles st., subject to examination. Daniel Stephen Murphy, Central Y.M.C.A., subject to medical examination. Vincent Bernard Beardmore, 67 Gloucester street, subject to examination. Gilbert Bogart Drewry, 17A St. Vincent st., subject to examination. John Lee, 296 Huron st., subject to examination. Joseph McCarthy, 50 St. Joseph st., subject to examination. Edgerton Arthur Cole, 452 Church st., subject to examination. Robert Godfrey, 311 Mutual st., subject to examination. Jack Putwain, 12 Yorkville ave., subject to examination. James Horton Walker, 151 Cumberland st., subject to examination. Edward Stanley Anderson, 165 East Bloor st., subject to examination. Horace Nelson Bolger, 80 West Wellington, subject to examination. R. E. Lewis, Stouffville, subject to examination if necessary. Thomas Hill, 103 Helena ave., subject to examination. Harry Ridley Drew, 31 Grosvenor st., subject to examination.

George Washington Long, 56 Arnold ave., subject to examination. LeRoy Clifford White, 64 Charles st., subject to examination. David Bruce Ridpath, 545 Yonge st., subject to examination. Henry Russell Skinner, 372 Ontario st., subject to examination. Arthur Edwin Gore, 93 Maitland st., subject to examination. John Waugh Chingan, 633 Church st., subject to examination. Daniel Walker Markham, 27 Dundonald st., subject to examination. William W. Jackson, 1042 Bathurst street. Walter M. Gould, Lloydtown. Edgar Powell, Tuxford. Percy D. Deave, Queensville. John G. Coffin, Newmarket.

SEVENTY-FIVE ASKING FOR WRITS AT OSGOODE. The total number of applications for writs of habeas corpus to come up before the judge in chambers at Osgoode Hall on Thursday is now about 75. Gordon Waldron, speaking to a reporter for The World yesterday stated that the recent decision handed out by the supreme council will not alter his plans. "I have been instructed to go as far as possible," he said, "and should we get as far as the supreme court I have no doubt that the judges would reverse their decision and the unfairness of their conduct in the past were to be pointed out."

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MEANS BIG SAVING IN SUPPLY OF COAL. Hon. Geo. H. Ferguson, minister of lands, forests and mines, has returned from a visit to Algonquin Park where wood-cutting privileges have been granted by the provincial government. He announced yesterday that already about 20,000 cords of hardwood had been cut in the park and that it was expected that quantities of about 200,000 cords would be cut by the beginning of next winter. The minister pointed out that 50,000 cords of hardwood from Algonquin Park would represent the savings of about 40,000 tons of coal. Public institutions will require about 20,000 cords of the wood cut in the park.

ERNEST MACMILLAN HONORED BY OXFORD. Ernest MacMillan, son of Rev. Alexander MacMillan, 382 Spadina road, has had the degree of "doctor of music" conferred on him by Oxford University. Ernest MacMillan was formerly a student at University College and he also played the organ at Knox Presbyterian church. He went to Germany previous to the outbreak of the war to pursue his musical studies. He did not leave when the war broke out but remained with a sick friend, with the result that he interned. The composition which he intended to submit for his degree examination was prevented from reaching England owing to the strict censorship. He was finally able to get it thru by the release of a fellow-prisoner who was over age.

Among the Islands of Georgian Bay. Why not take a vacation at one of the very desirable spots among the islands of the Georgian Bay? This district is the crown jewel of a wonderful region. The archipelago consists of something like thirty-two thousand islands, ranging in size from several square miles down to the size of a dining table. Lounge and bask in the sun on the shore. Fishing is exceptionally good in the water of this district, and comfortable and well equipped hotels and boarding houses are located at Honey Harbor, Minnow, Whalen's, Go-Home-Bay, Sains, Soud, Parry Sound and many other points. The Grand Trunk operates through coaches and parlor library buffet cars from Toronto to Penetang, where direct connection is made with steamer for Georgian Bay resorts. Full particulars from Grand Trunk Ticket Agents or C. E. Horning, district passenger agent, Toronto.

A GREAT RESERVE. The Algonquin Park of Ontario is easily accessible by the Grand Trunk Railway from all the principal centers. It is about two hundred miles north of Toronto, and may be reached also through Ottawa, being about one hundred and seventy miles west of the Capital City. There are more than fifteen hundred lakes and rivers in the Park, and to the excellence of the fishing there is undisputed testimony. Fish caught in the waters of the reserve have won many prizes at many of the national competitions open to the anglers of the continent. While the Park makes an especially strong appeal to the fisherman and angler, it is also a vacation territory where each member of the family may find healthful recreation in the great out-of-doors. Good hotels, illustrated descriptive literature and all particulars may be had on application to the Grand Trunk Agent or to C. E. Horning, D.F.A., Toronto, Ont.

MAJ. W. F. EATON ILL. Major W. F. Eaton, brother of Sir John Eaton, is ill at his home in Oakville. He is attached to the department of the adjutant-general and at one time did work in connection with the Military Service Act. He is the manager of the Hamilton factory of the T. Eaton Company.

HONOR RETIRING SECRETARY. The chairman of the Board of trustees of the Toronto General Hospital will today present A. F. Miller, the retiring secretary of the hospital, with a silver set in recognition of his services to the institution. The president will take place in the mayor's office at the city hall.

CHARGE OF THEFT. Charged with the theft of a quantity of goods from the Robert Simpson Company, Mary Maloney, who gives her address as Sheridan avenue, was arrested yesterday by Detectives Croome and Elliott. It is alleged that the woman would steal a quantity of stuff from the firm and then would take it back and get a refund on it.

MORE THAN THREE MILLION CANADIANS were recommended to "Winged Wheel" Watch Case. The reputation of the largest makers of Watch Cases in the British Empire for over 30 years has been recognized by the guarantee of highest quality. THE AMERICAN WATCH CASE CO. OF TORONTO, LIMITED

COMMITTEE ROOMS OPEN IN EAST YORK

Following is a list of the committee rooms opened by Hon. George S. Henry, Conservative candidate for East York, where information can be obtained as to the voters' list, and where forms may be secured for the purpose of adding to the list the names of those who were not taken by the enumerator: 2184 East Queen street, Beach 2812, 299 Woodbine avenue, (near Kingston road) Beach 2814; 2208 East Gerrard street, Beach 2859; 2597 Yonge street, Belmont 411.

WILLS PROBATED. The estate of Paul Raney, who was killed in action August 21, will be divided among his father, mother and three brothers. It amounts to \$950. Rachel Elm, 112 Annetta street, is the sole beneficiary of the estate of her husband, Marcus W. Elm, a laborer, who died in Toronto, April 24. His will is as follows: \$659.81 in life insurance, \$273.80 cash and \$15 in personal effects. Thomas Croxon, who died at Worn, July 7, leaving an estate valued at \$1,138.98, left a box of tools to his grandson, William S. Malone, 25 cents to his son, Ambrose, and the rest he made among two daughters, Grace Smith and Julia White and two grandsons. Sarah Perkins inherits the estate of her husband, Thomas Perkins, a laborer, who died in Toronto, March 21, leaving \$1,587.66 in book debts and promissory notes and an equity of \$2,498.98 in a house at 253 Woodbine avenue.

LATE WILLIAM HALL BURIED. Full Masonic Honors Attended Funeral of York Township

The Strike as a Warning.
Evening Telegram: Is Sir Robert Borden to remain in England till the end of the war? Such is the inference that must be drawn from the cables of his press agent.
This means that Canada must worry along thru a situation beset with constantly increasing difficulties without even a semblance of leadership.
The tying up of mail matter in Toronto is only one of the inconveniences to which the public is obliged to submit thru dilly-dallying at Ottawa.

Evening Star: Justice to the more poorly-paid employees of the postoffice has been delayed in ways that cannot be accounted for or justified. The matter has been allowed to drift. The pronouncements of the labor department have been belied by the actions of the government. The government is responsible for the inconvenience to the public as well as for the injustice to the postmen. The people are and always have been in favor of general justice, not rather of justice, and only red tape or inertia has stood in the way. The wisest solution is the immediate granting of the man's reasonable request.

Evening News: The postoffice department is not expected to make money. The advantage of "penny postage" and rapid communication between the several parts of this Dominion is worth paying for. Certainly public opinion would not favor making the postoffice profitable by pinching the employees. Many believe that the strike was not without justification, despite the fact that it was an inconvenience and inconvenience it has caused to the public. It has served its purpose. The country knows the facts. The government, we believe, is prepared to deal justly with the men. It may be hampered by acts of parliament in moving speedily, but why not explain the situation and relieve the tension?

The above extracts from editorials in yesterday evening's papers indicate the general feeling of the public. Even the staunchest supporter of bureaucracy is compelled to make some protest. No doubt the inconvenience and in some cases the hardships suffered by the public thru the strike are considerable, but they are as nothing compared with what the men at the front bear for each other out there, and for us who remain at home. The strike is an occasion when the public in general have a chance to show what they are willing to do for an unfairly dealt with section among themselves. Business has been tied up. The wholesale houses have been hit, and the banks and their exchanges and collections dislocated. A moratorium on a small scale is almost necessary in connection with the failure to receive remittances. Some latitude will be necessary and will no doubt be accorded. But at the best a postoffice strike means disorganization of business, and for that disorganization the government, thru its departments and bureaus, is responsible.

It would have been easily possible at any time in the last three months to arrange with the men, and even in the last week or two the men were reluctant to strike, and held back in the hope of some action being taken at Ottawa, or at least some explanation being forthcoming. The Kaiser-like bureaucrats, however, had nothing to say to labor, and even now when the business of Toronto and a large part of the province is tied up, they appear to be thinking more of their dignity and the correct etiquette of the situation than of getting business started going again. This was the attitude that cost us battles in the war, and it will cost us heavily in our national life if persisted in.

The disorganization is not confined to the postoffice department, tho there it has resulted in attracting the immediate attention of the public by its results. A policy of neglect, of postponement, of putting off what is not urgently pressed until the pressure arrives, is the sign of weakness and incompetence. In the case of the letter carriers this policy was pursued to the limit. The men's claims have been under discussion for months—years, in fact. There was no suddenness about the strike itself. Ample notice was given, and a remedy could have been applied had there been anyone at Ottawa in the mood for action. The men's claims were ignored. Their sufferings were neglected, and nothing was done at Ottawa until the strike was on. Then the questions of etiquette are raised.

If it comes down to questions of etiquette, then these should have been considered months ago. It was the men who waited long and patiently. As they have waited, so the public has waited for a settlement of many important questions. When these do not directly press on public interests the delays are

extended indefinitely, but one of these days the matters will become urgent, and the whole public will strike. On several of these matters it is in the mood at the present moment. Disorganization on a larger scale than even the postoffice strike has created, is waiting ahead if action be not taken.
We pointed out yesterday that the strike resulted from causes lying far behind, for which the government was primarily responsible. We have indicated other prime causes whose consequences will be no less embarrassing, no less dislocative of the national energies, if the proper remedies are not applied.
An entirely different policy is being observed in Great Britain and the United States. The latter government, which came into the war only last year, has already adopted many measures and taken steps which have been under consideration in Canada almost since the war began. The United States has already put the telegraph and telephones of the country under the postmaster-general. The radio services are under the navy. Cables are left in corporation charge in conformity with contracts made with foreign powers, but the government is in control. The railways were taken over and co-ordinated long ago. In Canada we are still muddling along with these great public utilities partly owned by the nation, partly controlled by the departments, but in a most unsatisfactory and unprofitable condition of partial ownership and control, by which efficiency is impossible.

A Fabian policy with regard to the Grand Trunk Railway is being followed, and it is reported that two ministers are returning from London to tell the country that nothing has been arranged. It was thought that when the Canadian Government moved across the ocean all matters touching overseas policies would have been settled finally and forever. But the last word is that the government is beginning to return and affairs are just as they were. If the government can do nothing in London to settle the railway situation it might have remained in Ottawa, where its representatives have been even less effective.

There has been a failure to organize the railroads, a failure to organize the fuel situation, a failure to organize agriculture for the harvest, a failure to organize our industrial resources, the full consequences of which are not immediately perceptible. But these things work out inevitably to disaster when they are not looked after and prepared for. The postoffice strike is a case in point, but it is a minor matter compared with the conditions that are nascent in such lack of governing faculty as the failure to organize the country in such a way as the United States is organized, exhibitory.

Canadians are beginning to see that quite as much, if not more, could have been accomplished by cabling Sir Robert Borden from London to Ottawa, than has been effected by cabling Sir Robert from Ottawa to London. If nothing can be done without Sir Robert by all means let him be domiciled at Ottawa. London will be able to carry on the war with the assistance of Paris. It looks as if we needed all our brain-power for our own affairs.

Highly Satisfactory.
Affairs have slowed down somewhat on the Marne, but the fighting is still very furious, and the possibilities are quite outside calculation. It must not be forgotten that the Germans are very strong and very well organized. They have been defeated, and if defeat lowers their morale to a certain level, disorganization and disintegration is possible. To a certain extent in some localities this result brought serious losses to the Germans. In other places new reserves have been brought in, heavy artillery has been brought up, and the defence has stiffened. The allied forces are not relaxing their pressure on the Soissons-Rheims front, and at other points the allied commanders are trying out the lines in front of them, feeling about for possible soft spots. This serves a double purpose, keeping the enemy on the rack of suspense, and supplying information for any projected offensive. It is quite as important to know what not to do in war as what to do. In fact, the Germans have largely failed on the first proposition.

General Foch will play a safe and sure game, and will take no unwarranted chances. This fact tends to obscure the present situation. If the Germans presume of the imagined weakness of their foes, General Foch will not neglect the opportunity. But he is not going to risk final victory for the sake of a sudden coup. At the same time, should the conditions of congestion and lack of supplies, due to injured or interrupted communication in the salient south of the Aisne, have left the German forces there in a disabled state, it is quite possible that Foch may contrive a still greater disaster for the Germans than has yet befallen them. He is not afraid to strike ruthlessly if the conditions demand it, but he will hazard nothing of the certain victory which the United States reinforcements ultimately ensure.

TO EXTEND RED CROSS SCOPE.
London, July 23.—Col. Noel Marshall completed the survey of the Canadian Red Cross activities in France and England. It has been decided to extend the scope of operations in both countries. Recently an offer was made to the Italian Government of five thousand cases of Canadian Red Cross supplies. A similar number of cases are being sent to French hospitals.

CAVALRY SKILFULLY EMPLOYED BY FOCH

Horsemen in Leading Role in Whole Campaign in France.

USED TO FILL GAPS

Mounted Troops Credited With Checking Germans in Picardy.

Washington, July 23.—Skillful use of French cavalry has marked Gen. Foch's tactics ever since he took over control of the allied armies as supreme commander, according to information reaching military circles here. The horsemen have played an important role in the whole battle of 1918, as the struggle which began March 21 with the first German drive has come to be known.
The employment of the swift-moving mounted columns in the present counter-offensive has been noted in the despatches. Again Gen. Foch took advantage of the great mobility of the mounted troops to fill the hole which the enemy had made in the line. The employment of the cavalry units threatened to lose touch with each other in the heat and confusion of the contest. No gaps have been left where the enemy might strike back, for always the horsemen came up to fill the hole until the infantry line could be reformed and connected in a solid front.
The same tactics marked the first use of French cavalry in the battle of Picardy when the French took over the line of front from the British to permit the latter to mass reserves at seriously-threatened points of the line farther north. A French cavalry corps complete with light artillery, armored cars and cyclists arrived first on the scene. They fought it out stoutly until the heavy French infantry arrived and the task was taken over by the latter.

Three days later the horsemen were on the move again. This time hurrying to the front where the enemy was hitting hard at the Aisne line. The cavalry rode hard as the advance guard. The light infantry columns marching toward St. Chaumont, in the first 24 hours they covered 125 kilometers without losing a horse or a man. The cavalry corps they had transferred their whole corps over 200 kilometers, and arrived east of Mont St. Eloi.
"It was a wonderful sight," writes the chief of staff of a division. "The horses were in fine condition, and they were cheerful and went singing, in spite of the sufferings and privations they had to endure."
In view of this record for swift movement and dash in attack, a failure to organize agriculture for the harvest, a failure to organize our industrial resources, the full consequences of which are not immediately perceptible. But these things work out inevitably to disaster when they are not looked after and prepared for. The postoffice strike is a case in point, but it is a minor matter compared with the conditions that are nascent in such lack of governing faculty as the failure to organize the country in such a way as the United States is organized, exhibitory.

IRISH FARMERS SLOW AT JOINING COLORS

Standish O'Grady Issues Warning of Position Under Land Purchase Act.

Dublin, July 23.—Irish farmers have been the most backward of all classes in regard to recruiting for the army. Standish O'Grady, a distinguished Irish writer, has published a pamphlet in which he has established a warning to them that under the Land Purchase Act, they hold their lands by an act of parliament, that parliament has advanced over £100,000,000 for the purchase of the land, and the landlords have handed it over to thousands of peasant proprietors and is collecting from them the purchase price in annual instalments, less in amount than their old rents.
O'Grady reminds the farmers that in supporting and attempting to overthrow the authority of the imperial parliament they are trying to overthrow the very power to which they owe their existence as proprietors and which alone can maintain them in secure ownership.
"It is likely," he says, "that the imperial parliament, made up of lords of thousands of discharged, brave, old soldiers to provide for, will leave Ireland in the ownership of men, a mere class, who in this struggle, and this life and death struggle, are proving themselves foes of England, of Great Britain, of the British Empire, which ought to be their Anglo-Irish empire—and of their great allied nations? They will not respect the brand new titles which they themselves have made and can remake."
"With every day that passes the troops of England is being. Let it rise a little more and things will happen."
The question of their future fortunes as peasant proprietors has certainly been exercising the minds of some farmers in a very different direction from that indicated by Standish O'Grady.
A leading Dublin lawyer told the Associated Press representative that he has been remonstrating with a local Sinn Fein leader in the country, an influential farmer, as to his attitude towards the war and asking him what he supposed his position would be if the Germans won the war and came to Ireland. The reply he got was that if the Germans completely overthrew the British Government, the Irish farmers would be no wiser. Farmers would be no worse off and might be better; there would no longer be any legal authority to collect the land instalments, the Germans might remit them and leave them the land for nothing. The Sinn Fein leader in Dublin has no such illusions, but it is asserted that followers of this type, thruout the country have enabled them to win elections.

STARVING ON TRAIN WITH WAD IN POCKET

Kinzigton, July 23.—Upon the arrival of a Grand Trunk train, David Kenney, 30, who lives at 101 Matilda street, Toronto, was picked up in a helpless condition, and on removal to an hospital it was found that he was suffering from starvation. Police constables who assisted him at the station found the sum of \$126.27 wrapped up in a newspaper in his pocket. Later it was found that he had been in Montreal and was heading for his home in Toronto. Mayor Martin had given him transportation to Kingston. He went thru to Napanea, but was found hiding in a corner of the coaches and it was stated that he would likely recover.

SUMMER SCHOOL OF RURAL LEADERSHIP

Quebec, July 23.—The Summer School of Rural Leadership is now well under way. Classes were started this morning and lectures started, the clerical and lay students displaying eagerness in the proceedings. Some of the leading men of the province are taking part in the lectures, showing the importance of proper rural leadership.

MAY INSTALL ELECTRIC PUMP.

Quebec, July 23.—With a view to the future, the waterworks commissioners are now considering the question of the installation of an auxiliary pump, engine, electrically driven. An electric pump with its installation, and a 350 horsepower motor may cost \$15,000 or \$18,000, and its use would enable the system to be run so that either electricity or steam driven pumps could be used.

A Line of Cheer Each Day of the Year

By John Kendrick Bangs.
GAIN NOT LOSS.
When from the sky the rainbow fades away,
The poet sings of "glory gone from earth."
Despite that there again some later day
That arc of loveliness will have rebirth.
I do not hold a passage on a loss.
Fulfillment of a purpose is pure gain.
The color well spent can never pass for gross.
And e'en the long dead roses are not vain.
No beauty ever dies: perchance 'twill fade,
Its banners rich with color may be
But everything of grace that God hath made
Hath added to the glory of the world.

Other People's Opinions

Capt. Flanagan's Job.
Editor World: A one who has closely observed the enlistment of soldiers in the present war from 1914 to date permit me to disapprove of the attitude adopted by the local military police. Capt. Flanagan deserves praise for his work. Give Capt. Flanagan and Inspector their duty. There is a hard task and should have the support of all men who are on the square and desirous of winning this war. Any German system of elastic defence credentials should be struck up in Canada.

"ELASTIC DEFENCE" GERMAN ARMY'S EXCUSE

Public is Told That Allies' Ambitious Attempts to Break Thru Failed.

Amsterdam, July 23.—The German public is being told by all the German military experts that the allies' "ambitious attempt to break thru" which, in Baron von Ardenne's words, "have caused a decisive change in the military situation on the west front," has failed because of the "famous German system of elastic defence." It is explained that the enemy only obtained initial successes due to the fact that Gen. von Boehm's right flank, which was not strongly held, and that his main strength lay on the eastern flank. Significant, however, is Baron von Ardenne's admission that German system of elastic defence, the two corner stones of the German defence, and that the former has been lost to the foe, "who was aided by not considerable American auxiliary forces."

WILL DO DUTY.

Washington, July 23.—The Turkish Government will do its full duty under the facts in connection with the seizure of the American consulate at Tabris and the looting of the American Missionary Hospital there by Turkish forces are established. The state department was so advised today by the Swedish Government, thru which it demanded an explanation from Turkey.
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FOLLIES OF THE PASSING SHOW—By Mitchell



VICTORY OF ALLIES CONTINUES TO GROW

Paris, July 23.—In spite of the desperate resistance of the Germans, the entry into the line of enemy reinforcements and repeated counter-attacks by the foe, the victory of the allies continues to develop.
Not only have the allied positions been held intact against the enemy's assaults, but at certain points further progress has been made.
The newspapers of Paris remark that the victory is growing not only in relation to the ground reconquered by the allies, but also in strategic advantages, and they predict that the enemy will be forced at other points.

SENTIMENT IN CHINA FOR ACTION IN SIBERIA

A Canadian Pacific Post, July 23.—Paul S. Reinsch, United States minister to China, was aboard a liner which touched here today on its way from the orient to an American port.
Sentiment in China is overwhelming in favor of joint allied intervention in Siberia, Mr. Reinsch asserted. He said China is split by political trouble between the southern and northern sections and factions, and as a result of the turmoil the nation is handicapped in participating actively in the war.

FIERCEST FIGHTING ON WINGS OF SALIENT

With the French Army on the Alame-Marne Front, July 23.—The fiercest fighting continued thruout yesterday on both wings of the German salient between the Aisne and the Marne. The efforts of the enemy were concentrated on an attempt to prevent the allied troops from cutting thru on either side and thus impeding the great mass of German troops still within the semicircle.
Despite the German determination, French, American and British troops all made progress.

THE WOMAN WHO CHANGED

BY JANE HELPS
Alone Once More.
CHAPTER CXLII.
"Mr. and Mrs. Babcock left us immediately after breakfast the next morning. I rode to the station with him because I wanted his approval (whether I deserved it or not), I was unhappy, and made him discomfited. I determined to try harder than ever to be all he wanted me to be—all a wife, occupying the position I occupied, should be."
"It may seem strange to some, that my husband should put so much stress upon my social success. But he was a man of affairs. It was necessary that he entertain—that he have as a wife, a woman who could do her part. That he had chosen me, a country girl, in spite of knowing that I had no training for the part, did not (as I had long thought) prove that he desired to make me over, so that I might be a credit to his social circle. He wanted to make me over because of that love, George was wealthy, clever, handsome. He never had married a simple little country girl. He had married me because he loved me. And I had come dangerously near to losing that love, by my worrying and fretting. I had not realized that he might be just as good a man, even tho' he was different from the men I had known—my father and my brothers. His life had been different; his outlook, naturally, was different also. Whenever I thought of my feelings about our child—how I had misjudged him in that—I felt very humbled, very eager to do him full justice in all other ways."
Mrs. Babcock was ill.
When I reached home, I found a note from Mrs. Babcock, asking me to run up and see her, if it were possible.
I went immediately. I knew she would not be up for me unless it were important. I found her in bed, looking very ill. "I have been very ill for a day or two, and also I am better now, there are no more serious symptoms, but one I wanted to talk to you while I was strong enough to do so."
"But—"
"I shall never be well, dear. I have been ill for years. Don't look so distressed. In some ways, I shall be glad to go."
"Until she said that, I had not realized that she meant she was dangerously ill. It startled me."
"Oh, don't talk that way! You'll soon be better!" I exclaimed.
"No, I never shall be better. I have been ill for years. Perhaps you recall that, when I first came to you, I occasionally asked to see the car? It was always when I was in such pain that I had to see a specialist."
"Oh, I am so sorry I ever was unkind to you!" I leaned over, and kissed her forehead. "I love you, now, don't you? Better than any other woman in Morland."
"Yes, I know. You didn't understand, they were in pain, and I was trying to see you about; you must try to understand your husband—his viewpoint—or you never will be happy!" I exclaimed.
"The president of the National Self-contained Man. He loves you, I am sure. It will be your fault, my dear, if you are unhappy."
We chatted for an hour. I told her of my dinner of my visit to Chicago, and how more than nice George had been to me of late—that he had suddenly found fault, etc. When I left it was with a feeling that I might never see her again. I realized she was very ill.
Tomorrow—A Pleasant Surprise.

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Substantive Of Ladies Cloth

In order to... well as good choice of... being in... wear. The... black. Big... prices.

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This month... our... in order to... special prices... fine choice of... in all... now being... prices.

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We are showing... attractive... Serge... very smart... ed lines. No... fine choice of... of colors, in... cleared at... prices.

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Washington... United States... United States... not of military... production... tonight announce

Store Closes Saturday, 1 p.m., During Summer Months.

Substantial Reductions Offered on Ladies' Cloth Suits

In order to clear out our stock of Ladies' Spring and Summer Cloth Suits we offer substantial reductions during the balance of this month.

Trimmed Millinery At Special Prices

This month must see a final clearance of all our Summer Trimmed Hats in order to do so we are offering all the balance of our stock at very special prices.

Serge Dresses

We are showing a fine assortment of attractive models in Ladies' and Misses' Serge Dresses.

Wool Sweater Coats

We show a fine range of Ladies' Wool Sweater Coats in great choice of latest styles.

Letter Orders Carefully Filled.

JOHN CATTO & SON

SAYS HUGE BRIBE WAS OFFERED HIM

Montreal Director of Public Safety Makes Startling Charges.

Montreal, July 23.—Joseph Tremblay, director of public safety of this city, told the members of the Rotary Club today that during the past five days he had had \$10,000 offered him to protect the buildings and houses of ill-fame in Montreal, and that he had refused the offer.

BOTH COMMISSIONERS TO ATTEND MEETING

Commissioner of Works R. C. Harris and Property Commissioner Daniel Cunniff will attend the meeting of the Board of Public Safety on Saturday evening in the city hall.

WOMEN TAKE INTEREST IN CHILDREN'S BEHALF

Streetsville, July 23.—Members of the Women's Institute interested in the city ill for a day or two under the auspices of the Streetsville Institute, motored down this morning to a place that proved a very remarkable scene.

RELIEF SHIP IN TOW

An Atlantic Fort, July 23.—A large four-masted Belgian relief steamer passed here southbound in tow of the wrecking tug Resolute today.

FRESH RECORD LAUNCHING

Washington, July 23.—Endorsing the suggestion of Pacific Coast shipyard workers that Labor Day be made a second great ship-launching day, the Emergency Fleet Corporation today transmitted to the men working with him a letter from President Wilson, expressing the "keen interest" with which the president is following the progress of the shipbuilding program.

NO MORE BRISTOL AIRCRAFT

Washington, July 23.—Production in the United States of the Bristol 199 of the type of airplane discontinued after tests showing that the machine is not of military value, the bureau of aircraft production of the war department tonight announced.

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Toronto, July 23.—With the rapid appearance of an area of high barometer from the northward there has been a marked change to much cooler weather in Alberta and Saskatchewan, accompanied by heavy showers.

THE BAROMETER

Table with columns: Time, Bar., Wind, S.W. showing barometer readings and wind directions at various times of the day.

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LEAFS AT JERSEY SCORE SHUTOUT

Herche Held Down the Pests While Toronto Hit Out Four Runs.

Jersey City, N. J., July 23.—Toronto shut out Jersey City here today by a score of 4 to 0. Hehl was batted hard in the closing innings after holding Toronto scoreless for the first five innings. The Leafs hit consistently the last four innings, led by Reilly with a three-bagger, Howley with a double, and timely singles, scoring one run in each of the closing four innings.

Hustlers Lose Again; Birds Proved Too Good

At Baltimore (International)—Rochester could not hit Worrell effectively yesterday, and Baltimore won the opener of the series, 5 to 2. Score: R.H.E. Baltimore.....0 0 2 1 0 0 0 R.H.E. Rochester.....0 0 1 1 0 0 0 Batteries—Worrell and Schaefer; Manners, Brosnan and O'Neil.

Only One Game Played In Majors Yesterday

At New York (American)—New York won the deciding game of the series from St. Louis yesterday by a score of 4 to 1. The New York team bunched hits successfully on Davenport, while the only run scored off McDougald was due to a home run by Davenport. R.H.E. St. Louis.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 R.H.E. New York.....0 0 1 0 0 0 0 Batteries—Davenport and Nunamaker; McDougald and Hannah.

Expect League Ball to Continue to End of Year

Washington, July 23.—Organized baseball will get a sufficient lease of life to allow it to continue to the end of the season, according to plans today. Following conferences between baseball leaders and Provost Marshall-General Crowder the plan was to allow players to continue in the game until their local boards notified them that they must get productive employment or join the service.

JUNIOR RUGBY FOR MONTREAL

Montreal, July 23.—An effort will be made to revive junior rugby football this autumn under the auspices of the Province of Quebec Rugby Football Association. In view of the fact that only junior sports will be catered to, the majority of the high school teams will have to fill out the teams. President George McSweeney, in speaking of the revival of the sport, stated that he would call a meeting some time next month, when the matter will be discussed. Under the rules of the association, men fit for military service and those of the draft age would hardly be eligible to compete in the service. It is the idea of those behind the revival of the sport to play the games for patriotic purposes.

HOW CLUBS STAND IN THREE LEAGUES

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE			
Clubs	Won	Lost	Pct.
Binghamton	40	29	.577
Toronto	35	34	.507
Baltimore	44	35	.557
Newark	39	44	.468
Newark	43	38	.526
Buffalo	34	42	.447
Syracuse	28	42	.400
Jersey City	17	57	.230

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
Clubs	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	56	29	.659
New York	50	42	.543
Pittsburgh	44	39	.526
Philadelphia	39	43	.475
Cincinnati	34	44	.435
Boston	37	48	.435
Brooklyn	34	47	.419
St. Louis	35	52	.402

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
Clubs	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	55	34	.618
Cleveland	50	42	.543
New York	40	50	.444
Washington	46	41	.526
St. Louis	40	46	.465
Cincinnati	36	46	.438
Detroit	36	50	.419
Philadelphia	35	49	.414

WESTERN LEAGUE			
Clubs	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	40	10	.800
St. Louis	30	10	.750
Chicago	20	10	.667
Philadelphia	10	10	.500

Club Owners to Meet Today in Washington

Pittsburg, July 23.—Club owners and presidents of the National League will meet in Washington tomorrow for a conference with Provost Marshall-General Crowder and war department officials on Secretary Baker's ruling that the "work-or-fight" order applies to professional baseball, according to an announcement here this afternoon by George Hermann, chairman of the National Baseball Commission. The decision to go to Washington was reached at the meeting of the club owners and presidents here this noon. At tomorrow's conference Mr. Hermann said an effort would be made to obtain the government's consent to continue baseball until the close of the season.

SOCCER NOTES

Signed players of the Baracas Football Club were instructed to report at Victoria College grounds at 6.45 for their game with S.O.E. tomorrow. Toronto Scottish and Davenport Albions meet in the replay for the Hilton Cup tonight at Varsity Stadium. The following S.O.E. soccer players are asked to be on hand at Victoria College grounds for the game with Baracas at 6.45: Barrett, Crowson, Barber, Robinson, Smith, Hutchinson, Templeton, Woodward, McDonald, Tanton, Bayne, Garrett, Fletcher, Holbrook and Davis. The Royal Canadian Engineers meet Dunlop F.C. at the athletic ground, East Queen street, this evening, in a T. & L. League game. The following players are requested to be at the grounds at 8.30 sharp: Osborn, Ferguson, Shore, Blackett, Young, Hammond, Laird, Coddick, Fairbank, Galbraith, Lobban and Brown.

LEAFS AND PIRATES PLAY MERE EXHIBITION

Great Throng of Fans Watch Baseball Under False Colors at Hanlan's Point.

The Toronto fans were properly bunched by the Toronto Baseball Club, which presented Brooklyn and Pittsburgh presumably in a National League fixture yesterday at Hanlan's Point, when the club must have known it was an exhibition. If President McCaffery did not know what it was, he was slack in seeking information. If the Dodgers and Pirates sent on word that they were to play a regular game and fell down intentionally, they are surely no better than the false wretches who get the courtesy they deserve in this here town. As an exhibition Brooklyn and Pittsburgh performed no better than Cincinnati against the Leafs, except in the Red game there seemed to be some endeavor to win, while yesterday there was none.

NINTH STRAIGHT

Toronto	A.B.R.H.O.A.E.	Pittsburg	A.B.R.H.O.A.E.
Reilly, If.	4 1 3 3 1 0 0 0	Wagner, ss.	4 1 1 1 4 1 0 0
Callahan, cf.	4 1 1 1 4 1 0 0	Whitehouse, cf.	4 0 1 1 2 2 0 0
Leas, 2b.	4 0 1 1 2 2 0 0	Bloom, 1b.	4 0 1 1 2 2 0 0
Purcell, 3b.	4 1 1 1 1 1 0 0	Feltz, If.	3 0 1 1 2 2 0 1
Onslow, p.	4 0 1 1 2 2 0 0	Kromhaus, ss.	3 0 1 1 2 2 0 1
McCarron, 2b.	4 0 1 1 2 2 0 0	McCarthy, 2b.	3 0 1 1 2 2 0 1
Howley, c.	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	Hehl, p.	2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Herche, p.	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	Fleiger	1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
Totals	31 4 10 27 13 0	Totals	29 0 5 27 13 0

CHEATING THE FANS NOT PROFITABLE

This Sort of a Pastime Should Be Discontinued, Especially in Toronto.

By Ida L. Webster.

Why is it that some men love to kid the public? And yet after all that pastime is such a waste of good time and usually it results in the loss of friends, who, by the way, are scarce enough at any time, or in any man's life, but especially is this the case of sporting promoters, and still they do it. Every day brings forth its own particular little "bull" which supposes to be robbing the public and is allowed by them as being the gospel. However, some members of the press attempt to sift this sort of thing in the drags and find out if possibly they can put their eye once in a while. Take yesterday's game, for instance. Pittsburgh and Brooklyn were billed as playing a regular game in the National League game at the island; in fact, both Mr. McCaffery, who, as you probably know, is present on the Toronto Club, and Mr. Robinson, the manager of the Brooklyn bunch, gave their words that such was the case. Unfortunately for the future it will not be possible to make statements on any such security.

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LAWN BOWLING

Western Ontario Bowling at London

London, July 23.—The Western Ontario Lawn Bowling tournament was continued today, scores being as follows:—Labatt Trophy, Second Round—Lon. Thistles.....5 J. F. Dewar.....10 Lon. Thistles.....5 J. F. Dewar.....10 Lon. Thistles.....5 J. F. Dewar.....10

Toronto Bowlers Lead For Birdsall Trophy

Toronto Club lawn bowlers defeated Parkdale 75 to 47, now leading the Birdsall trophy team with a record of six wins to one lost. The games last evening resulted as follows:—At Toronto:—Parkdale.....9 W. Laurie.....21 R. G. Gowdy.....11 G. Scroggie.....14 H. Hanna.....15 F. Manly.....15 H. Drury.....21

Saints Are Winners For Walton Trophy

St. Matthews beat Withrow Park by one shot last evening, and St. Johns of Norway won by 12 from Riverdale in the competition for the Walton trophy. Scores:—At St. Matthews:—Withrow.....15 B. Hoad.....10 C. Kinn.....10 D. Walton.....12 A. Stubbing.....10 C. Montgomery.....2 W. Mock.....8 J. Russell.....4 Foreman.....15

GRANITE BEAT LAWRENCE PARK

Lawrence Park bowlers lost a four-rink game last evening at the Granite Club, as follows:—Granite.....12 G. H. Orr.....31 W. T. Gray.....13 M. Brown.....16 G. L. Nix.....15 W. Murray.....19 M. W. Green.....11 J. B. Shaw.....22 R. J. Old.....16 C. Bowman.....11 W. R. Rogers.....6 W. Henderson.....12

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Miss Harris in Fastest Mile by Mare, and Single C. Two Fastest Heats.

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Gossip of the Trotting Horses

By W. H. GOCHER.

Ora Fino won at Kalamazoo in 2:03 1/2. Byll Jay (2:13), one of the winners at Youngstown, Ohio, is a sister to Ruth McGregor (2:07 1/2).

John W. Davis is making another effort to get Lazie Brown (2:05 1/2), the Bondsman, in form to go to the races.

The Hal B. pacer, Hal Regent, won in 1:14 over the half-mile track at Keasbey, Neb. He is rated as a high-class pacer.

Tommy Berry is busy gathering in the money on the Ohio and Pennsylvania tracks with Worthy, Peter and Sam Hurst.

Guy Lee had the mount behind Wilkes Brewer when she won at Kalamazoo, and reduced her win-race to 2:05 1/2, thereby forcing her out with Chilcote.

With Hollywood Bob out of the way, it was an easy matter for Chestnut Peter to win the three-year-old trot at Kalamazoo in 2:11 1/2.

On the opening day of the meeting at Northampton, W. Fleming won with Rose Watts and finished second with Bobby C. and Lord Lackabar.

Fred Hyde won three races last Thursday at Northampton, Mass., with Oscar Watts, Patrick, Duluth and the three-year-old filly, Miriam Guy.

The Michigan driver, Sturgeon, has two good pacers in South Bend Girl and Le Grand. The latter won a heat from Ora Fino at Kalamazoo in 2:04 1/2.

The Walnut Hall filly, Tara's Hall, which is entered in a number of the eastern tracks, recently worked a mile in 2:15.

The divorcee, which recently made a record of 2:07 over Belmont Park, Philadelphia, is a sister to the Matron Stake winner, Miss Bertha Dillon (2:03 1/2).

There is a three-year-old colt by Peter the Great named Andy Welch racing in Kansas. He is said to be a man who has made as much noise as the man he was named.

Charley Valentine has purchased the chestnut gelding, Red Top, by Barongale, from Frank Ellis of Philadelphia. He has no mark, but has shown a mile in 2:04.

The Red Will gelding, M. L. J. defeated Mintmark at Northampton, Mass. He is now twelve years old, and carries a heat record of 2:03 which he made at Lexington, Ky., in 1916.

Alton (2:15), a brother of Acevedo (2:04), the gelding with which the late Nick Hubinger made a killing at Columbus, Ohio, a few years ago, died at Duress, Ohio, last month.

The Guy Axtworthy horse, Joseph Guy, has so much action forward that he is a terror at the Springfield, Mass., meeting, and he is said to be the best of the racing half in his front legs.

The Red Lady (2:03) has been retired from racing. Murphy shipped her from Cleveland to Poughkeepsie, N.Y., and she will be bred to Peter Volo (2:02) next year.

The racing mare, South Bend Girl, by Great Heart, was beaten less than a length in 2:04 in the Edwards Purse at Northampton, Mass., and she is the daughter of the heat in 2:02 seconds.

W. Crozier took the 2:08 pacers into camp at Northampton, Mass., with Judge Ormond. The black horse was right on the heels of the red one, and he was quartered out of the Wilton mare, Rubber.

The three-year-old filly, Grace Huse, by Caduceus the Great, won at Wichita, Kan., in 2:05 1/2. Her sire is by Peter the Great out of the Wilton mare, Rubber.

Harley's team; 2, Dupuda's team; 3, Gill-Ortiz's team. Artificial leg race, 25 yards (amputation below the knee) - 1, Kerr; 2, Johnson; 3, Smith.

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Crutch race, 50 yards - 1, Dorvorhy; 2, Gidea; 3, Hannelly. Foot race, 50 yards - 1, Mackenzie; 2, Frost; 3, Bell.

Wheelbarrow race - 1, Atlin and Mackenzie; 2, Johnson and Potts; 3, Donald. 50-yard dash, for one-armed men - 1, Droehle; 2, Purdy; 3, Gidea.

Crutch race, 50 yards - 1, Roulley; 2, Smith; 3, Currier. In the tug-of-war between the upstairs and the downstairs wards, downstairs won, two out of three.

The baseball game between teams from the different wards in hospital resulted in a win for Wards D and E. The judges in charge of the events were as follows: Referee - P. J. Mulcaugh.

The ladies' standing by teams is: Niagara, 31; Point, 21; St. George's, 23; Watson's, 21; C. Cowell, A. McKinnon and P. Brown rank in order with 2, 2 and 1 as their records, respectively.

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PERSONALLY ASSAULTED AND AUTOS DAMAGED IN CHASE AFTER EVADERS.

Got Out on Lake in a Canoe, Hotly Pursued, and Craft Capsized.

DRAFTEE DROWNED

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ENGINEERS

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MOUNTED RIFLES

Wounded—Jensen, Tompkins, Sask.; J. A. Teague, Toronto; E. Clouthier, Danville, O.; H. J. Harris, Ingersoll, Ont.; F. M. Wilford, Sask.; R. A. Brown, Wapella, Sask.

RAILWAY TROOPS

Wounded—W. T. Lambert, England.

SERVICES

Died—R. Higgins, Montreal.

HEADQUARTERS

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VICTORY OF ALLIES CONTINUES DEVELOPING

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GERMANS RESIST TO AVOID RETREAT

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WILSON'S PROCLAMATION AFFECTS MARKET—OTHER HOME NEWS MORE REASSURING.

New York, July 23.—Foreign exchange was again obscured in today's struggle and professional stock market by domestic developments, chief among which was the president's proclamation taking over the country's wire systems at the end of the month.

Altho the order seemed to have been discontinued, the order was preceded by a three-point break in Western Union and irregular heaviness in other utilities which may eventually come within the scope of the government's decree.

Other home news was of a more reassuring character, however, embracing the extra \$2 dividend on American Hide and Leather pfd., and an increase from seven to eight per cent. in the Western Steel Car common stock dividend.

The Hide and Leather dividend was accompanied by very favorable financial statements while the Western Steel Car common stock dividend was accompanied by publication of the semi-annual report showing an enormous increase in earnings.

U.S. Steel, whose directors meet a week hence to act on the dividend, was again the overshadowing feature at an extreme decline of 1/4 point, with only a feeble rally.

Steel furnished one-third of the day's operations, other moderately strong contributions coming from American Tobacco, at a net gain of 3 points; Crown Products, Tobacco Products, New Haven and Baldwin Locomotive, mostly at net recessions.

Rails developed heaviness toward the end, Reading losing 1/4; St. Paul preferred, 3/4; and low-grade issues 1/2 to 2 points. Total sales amounted to 350,000 shares.

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RISE AFTER DIP BY MAPLE LEAF

Canada Permanent at Best Level of Year—War Loans Neglected.

Maple Leaf Milling's somewhat erratic course, featured trading on the Toronto Exchange yesterday. At the morning session only 17 shares of Maple Leaf changed hands, the price for broken lots ranging between 111 and 111, but in the afternoon trading in this issue became more active, and the trend was firmer, the closing at 111 being at the best level of the day and showing a net gain of a point.

Maple Leaf's behavior suggests confident expectation that the next dividend declaration will be accompanied by a bonus at least equal to those declared for the first and second quarters of the year.

Canada Permanent at 104 1/2 was at the highest point of the year and 1/2 above the level of the previous sale. The circumstance that shareholders met yesterday to ratify the taking over of the Oxford Permanent Loan and Savings Society appeared to create a better demand for the stock.

The Central issues were firm, the common selling at 4 1/4, an advance of 1/4, and the preferred at 7 1/4, 1/2 higher. Barcelona was unchanged at 9 1/2.

The war loans were almost entirely neglected. A small block of the 1925 issue sold 1/4 higher at 95 1/2, and the 1927 loan remained unchanged at 93 1/2.

The day's transactions: Shares, 830; war loans, \$300.

CANADIAN CAR STOCKS MAKE FRESH ADVANCE

Preferred Stock Moves Up More Than Four Points in Montreal Market.

Montreal, July 23.—The influence of a weaker market at New York was again felt in effect on the Canadian stock exchanges today. Canadian Car stocks continued the principal feature of the market, with the buying of preferred, uniting aggressive and new high prices for the year in both common and preferred. Purchases of about 60 shares of each advanced the price for the common one point to 37 3/4 and for the preferred 4 1/4 points to 92. The buying remained pressed on the earnings statement recently published and President Curry's optimistic forecast as to the time required for the paying off of arrears owing to the preferred shareholders.

Woods Manufacturing was another strong feature, selling at 75, a gain of 3 points, which followed a gain of two on the previous day. The common came out on the rise and stock was wanted at 75 at the close.

Montreal Power and Dominion Iron were more prominent stocks in the balance of the list, with Power 1 1/4 off at 70 1/4 and Iron unchanged 61 at the close, after selling at 61 1/4 at the opening.

Total business for the day, as compared with the corresponding day a week ago, was 2,238; corresponding day a year ago, 1,992. Unlisted shares today 25; last year, 50.

Bonds today \$9,800, corresponding day, 1917, \$8,600. Unlisted bonds, none; last year \$75,000.

WORK ON NEWRAY HAS GOOD RESULTS

Roll Developed by Number One Vein Indicates High Values at Depth.

The Newray is looking well. The work under McIntyre auspices has proved satisfactory, and if the labor situation were more favorable the mine would soon become an important producer. It has now been proved that the Connel or No. 1 vein developed at a lower horizon. The Connel vein appears to have confused the former management, and was attributed to a faulting. But there was no faulting. The vein is continuous, the Connel vein and it will be producing again at an early date. In fact this roll is one of the very best indications of high values at a lower horizon. The Connel vein is very well defined and even in the upper workings carried good values.

It will be recalled that the mine's leasing and developing company took \$212,000 from a small section of the vein above the 250 foot level, the recovery by amalgamation was not over 80 per cent. of the total contents in gold.

Four hundred tons of ore have lately been sent to the mill from the big Hanson vein, about 500 feet east of the Connel, but returns are not yet available. It is expected, however, that this ore will, even under existing conditions, give a worth while profit.

It can now be said that the outlook at the Newray is fully abreast of all expectations, and R. J. Ennis, the general manager of the McIntyre Consolidated, has recommended the installation of elevator power. Whether this will be accomplished at once depends to some extent on the labor situation. The decision to install it as soon as possible shows that the management has every confidence in the property.

When we called the attention of Mr. Ennis to the favorable face at the end of the long cross-cut at the 400-foot level, he replied that there were many other similar showings in the lower workings at the same time expressing his regret that adequate supplies of labor were not available and therefore the most inviting opportunities could not be fully realized.

Mr. Ennis has been in the city the past few days in connection with the work on the Newray. The satisfaction of the shareholders has now the satisfaction of knowing that the merits of the property are understood and appreciated and that it will be opened up as rapidly as existing conditions permit.

S. R. Clarke.

Record of Yesterday's Markets

TORONTO STOCKS. Am. Cyanamid com. 40 35

Ames-Holden com. 40 35. do. preferred 62 58. Barcelona 95 94 1/2

B. O. Fishing 45 45. Burt P. N. com. 54 1/2. Can. Cement com. 19 1/2

Can. Car & F. Co. 38 36. do. preferred 92 90. Can. St. Lines com. 51 50

Can. Gen. Electric 102 100. Can. Loan com. 60 58 1/2. C. P. R. 181 178

City Dairy com. 45 44. Contagias 2 1/2. Cons. Smelters 113 112

Consumers' Gas 145 144. Crow's Nest 55 50. Dom. Canners pref. 70 70

D. I. & Steel pref. 24 24. Dom. Steel com. 80 80

Duluth-Superior 41 41. La. Rose 27 27. N. S. Steel com. 75 75

do. preferred 65 65. Maple Leaf com. 113 112 1/2

Monarch com. 46 41. do. preferred 60 58. N. S. Steel com. 75 75

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Petroleum 14 13 1/2. U. S. Steel com. 113 112 1/2

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CORN HIGHER ON EXPORT DEMAND

Sharp Bulge in Prices at Chicago—Lesser Rise in Oats.

Chicago, July 23.—Corn advanced sharply in value today aided by talk of export demand. Prices closed strong, \$1.4 cents to 4 1/2 cents higher, with August 1.52 1/2 to 1.52 5/8 and September 1.53 1/4 to 1.53 3/8. Oats gained 3/4 and 7/8 to 1 1/2 cents and provisions 15c to 2 1/2 cents.

Corn traders showed uncertainty the first hour, but after that the bulls had everything their own way. Continued liberal receipts and suspicious weather had given an advantage temporarily to the bears until gossip became current of the removal of hedges against sales to the east. Other signs of improved shipping demand were noticeable, and word was circulated that exporters had instructions to buy. Besides, an impression seemed to be spreading that the crop movement was to drop off shortly. Under such circumstances, the brisk upward swing of prices received no important check and the finish was at the topmost point of the day.

Oats sympathized with corn. Hedging sales were in evidence, but were largely offset by pessimistic crop advices from Canada, where, despite some rains, the lack of adequate moisture appeared to be causing serious apprehension, and it was suggested may have done irreparable damage.

Strength of hogs and corn lifted provisions. Packers were credited with buying on the advance.

TOTAL CLEARANCES. Wheat and flour 236,000 212,000. Corn 23,000 23,000

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UNLISTED STOCKS WANTED FOR SALE

25 Standard Reliance. 10 Imperial Oil. 15 Home Bank. 25 MacDonald pfd.

15000 Metal. H. P. Bonds. 15 Rosedale Golf. 15 Sterling Trusts Corp. Stock. \$5000 Can. L. H. & F. Bonds

10 Sterling Bank. 25 Trusts & Guarantees. 10 Dominion Sugar. 15 Canadian Mortgage.

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GEO. O. MERSON & CO. CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS. 27 LAMBTON BUILDING. ROYAL BANK'S DEPOSITS SHOW LARGE INCREASE

Montreal, July 23.—The condensed statement for the Royal Bank of Canada for the month of June shows deposits at the new high record of \$24,478,522, a gain of about 3 3/4 millions for the month following gains of about 4 to 10 1/2 millions in the earlier months of the year. At the end of June there was a net increase of about 32 millions in the bank's deposits as compared with November last, when the 1917 fiscal year closed, and total assets crossed the 350 million mark for the first time.

PRESSED CAR DIVIDEND. New York, July 23.—The directors of the Federal Steel Car Company have declared a quarterly dividend of two dollars per share, payable September 4, to stock on record August 14. A preferred dividend of \$1.75 per share has also been declared, payable on August 27, to shareholders of record August 6.

DIVIDEND IN LIBERTY BONDS. New York, July 23.—The American Hide and Leather Company today declared an extra dividend of two per cent. on its preferred stock, payable in Liberty bonds.

YOUR MONEY—HOW TO MAKE IT EARN. To invest his savings where they will be absolutely safe, accessible, and earn their right rate of interest, is the desire of every investor.

Time saved is money earned. Nothing shows this so clearly as the fact that— \$100 invested at 5 1/2% doubles itself in less than 12 years. \$100 saved at 3% takes 25 1/2 years to do the same thing.

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GRAIN AT WINNIPEG. Winnipeg, July 23.—There was a fair enquiry for oats today in store at Winnipeg. Terminal elevators for shipment were quiet. The market for wheat is going to be scarce this fall and winter. This applied principally to the southern Alberta crop, which is being held in the cash markets very quiet and without feature

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Today is the Last Day of the Midsummer Sale

Women's Wash Skirts

Made of repp or Indian head, with high waistline, single pocket, with or without belt. Last Day price, 69c.

Handkerchiefs

Men's White Lawn Handkerchiefs, of good quality. Last Day price, 7 for 69c.

Women's Extra Quality All- linen Handkerchiefs. Last Day price, 4 for 69c.

Women's Swiss Embroidered Corner Handkerchiefs, all white and white with dainty colored designs. Large variety to choose from. Last Day price, 6 for 69c.

Women's Pure Wool Fascinators

Exquisite Shell Design with silk stitched edges. Shaped over shoulders. No exchanges, no refunds, no C.O.D.'s. Away less than cost of wool at Last Day price, 69c.

Blouses

Lingerie Waists and Middies, 69c—Broken ranges and sizes in waists. Generally of fine voile, both in all white and in various candy striped effects. Popular designs featuring new ideas of the present season, and all have long sleeves. Also middies in all white, white with various striped collars, pockets and belts, middies of plain red drill. Sizes 34 to 42 in the lot. Regular \$1.00 to \$1.75 values. Last Day price, 69c.

Children's Wear

Children's \$1.00 Wash Dresses, 69c—Splendid quality blue and white pinhead chambray or blue and white woven striped percale. Two chic new styles, straight or empire, with smart collars and button front. Sizes 2 to 5 years in the lot. Regularly \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Infants' \$1.00 Long Skirts, 69c—Made of fine white nainsook with attached waist. Insertions, edges and medallions of fine Val lace. Length 28 inches. Last Day price, 69c.

Children's \$1.25 Pique Hats, 69c—Shady soft brims with an upturned roll and full crown. Finished with tailored bows. Sizes 20, 21 and 22 in. Last Day price, 69c.

Whitewear

Women's Odd Corsets, 69c. Regularly \$1.00 and \$1.25. Broken sizes in several smart numbers, made of fine coutil and summer net. Sizes 20 to 30 in the lot, but not in any one style. No phone or mail orders. Reg. \$1.00 and \$1.25. Last Day price, 69c.

Women's \$1.00 Drawers, 69c—All open style, made of fine cotton and nainsook, in umbrella style, with frills of Swiss embroideries and lace insertion. All sizes. Regularly \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Last Day price, 69c.

Women's \$1.00 Corset Covers—Made of excellent quality white nainsook. Yokes of pretty Swiss embroidery and narrow lace insertion. Regularly \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Women's \$1.00 Aprons, 69c—Bungalow style in big full sizes. Made of excellent quality striped print. Regularly \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Women's Drawers, 2 Pairs, 69c—Fine elastic ribbed cotton. Umbrella drawers with frill of lace. Both styles. Reg. 55c. Last Day price, 2 for 69c.

Women's Combinations, 69c—Porous knit or fine ribbed cotton. Low neck and no sleeves or short sleeves. Umbrella lace trimmed drawers. Regularly \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Women's Bathing Caps, 69c—Pure gum rubber in a good assortment of styles, with close-fitting frills and rubber bows and flowers. All colors. Regularly \$1.00 and \$1.25. Last Day price, 69c.

Needlework

Stamped Dresses, Clearing 69c. Pique or poplin, stamped in the newest designs. Sizes 2 to 5 years. Last Day price, 69c.

American Maid Mercerized Crochet Thread, white and ecru. Last Day price, 7 balls for 69c.

New Indian Sweet Grass Baskets—Various styles and shapes for 1-inch work, knitting, handkerchiefs, etc. Last Day price, each, 69c.

Needlework Department, Fourth Floor.

Paints

Paint Bargains at 69c include the brushes. Package of Alabastine and Brush, 69c—2 1/2 lb. package, complete range of colors; also white; 6 1/2 inch kalsomine brush complete. Last Day price, 69c.

R.S. Co. Porch Floor Paint and Brush, 69c—One quart special porch floor paint in light grey or slate grey and black bristles, 1 1/2 inch brush complete. Last Day price, 69c.

Linings and Sateens

Brocade Sateen, in a big variety of colors, suitable for coat linings, undershirts—40 inches wide. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

Moire Skirting—Good choice of colors, also black; 38 inches wide—richly moired for undershirts. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

4,000 Yards 40-inch Sateens.—Away less than wholesale cost. Every wanted shade and black; 40 inches wide. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

Dress Goods

7,000 Yards Dress Goods, 69c.

Black and White Bedford Cords, Brilliant lustre, shepherd checks, fancy mohairs, English tweeds, Scotch tartans, fancy stripes, cotton khaki, gabardine, dress delaines. Wonderful value. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

Wash Goods

Incomplete Assortments of silk and cotton fabrics, for waists, dresses and suits; 36 in. wide. Regularly \$1.00 per yard. Last Day price, 69c.

Beach Suitings—The favorite sand, rose, green and eight other shades, including white and black; 36 inches wide. Regularly 75c. Last Day price, 69c.

English Voiles—White with black and black with white—pretty printed designs, suitable for elderly women; 36 to 40 inches wide. Regularly 75c and \$1.00 yard. Last Day price, 69c.

Georgette Crepes, in silk and cotton—14 of the best shades—suitable for waists and dresses; \$1.00 per yard value. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

Silks

A big special purchase of Natural Silk Pongee-Shantung. Very fine, evenly woven silks—free from dressing; 33 inches wide. Phone orders filled. Regularly 88c and 95c. Last Day price, per yard, 69c.

Yard Wide Ivory Habutai Silks, fine and medium weaves, for many purposes. Regularly 79c. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

19-inch Colored Chiffon Taffetas—Plenty of navy blue and ivory, and plenty of the other popular shades. Also balance of all tamine silks and 22 and 24-inch C. B. Satin. Regularly 75c and 85c. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

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69 CENTS

Simpson's Midsummer Sale caps the climax today with a pageful of truly remarkable 69c values, brought forward for extraordinary business.

Chinaware

Brass Ash Tray, with match box holder and two cigar rests; heavy brass; glass lining, 69c.

Ny-Cut Glass Sugar and Cream Set—Good quality glassware. Only 69c.

White Porcelain Cups and Saucers. Ovoid shape, 1/2 dozen for 69c.

Dutch Girls, 69c—Flor-entaine statues of the Dutch girl, in various poses. Bronze finish. Your choice, 69c.

An assortment of Donatella Vases, Jardinières and Flower Holders. Regularly up to \$1.50. Last Day price, 69c.

Hardware

Cherry Stoners—The "Rollman," a very superior make. Stones cherries quickly without crushing the fruit. Regularly \$1.25. Today, 69c.

Enamel Preserving Kettles, 12-quart size. Today, 69c.

Cast Iron Fry Pans, white enamel lined—superior make—9 inches in diameter. Today, 69c.

Big Wonder Polish Mop and Bottle of Cedar Polish, 69c.

Corn Brooms—four-string—medium weight. Today, 69c.

Brush Floor Brooms—12 inches wide—serviceable broom for general household use; long handle, 69c.

Stervan Solid Alcohol Disc Stove—Suitable for heating water, milk or any use that a small stove may be required to do. Complete with tin of solid alcohol; \$1.25 value. Today, 69c.

Ekko Solid Alcohol Refills. Today, 6 for 69c.

Baby Dolls, movable head and limbs, pleasing appearance, 69c.

Toy Tin Set—15 pieces—nicely lithographed in display box. Today, 69c.

Tennis Racquet—A good Japanese make—full size—assorted weights; 144 to sell. Each, 69c.

Silverware

Including Butter Plates, Bon-Bon Dishes, Fruit Nappies, Paper Weights. Scroll design of sterling silver deposited on glass. Regularly \$1.00 to \$1.50 each. Last Day price, each, 69c.

Glass Mustard Pots, with silver-plated covers. Regularly \$1.00. Last Day price, each, 69c.

Candlestick Holders, 69c—Ormolu gold-plated candlestick holders—plain and fancy patterns. Regularly \$1.00 each. Last Day price, 69c.

Cold Meat Serving Forks—Fancy floral pattern, silver-plated, bright finish. Regularly 85c. Last Day price, each, 69c.

Framed Pictures

Framed Pictures at great clearance, today, 69c—Regularly 98c to \$1.98. An assortment suitable for any room, in color, carbon and photogravures. Framed in walnut, mission, antique gilt—medium sizes. Last Day price, 69c.

Scoters

Flexible Flyer Scooters—Speedy four-wheeled scooters—finished in natural varnish with red wheels—flexible steering handles. Last Day price, 69c.

Toy Wheelbarrows, 69c—Red enamelled metal box—long wooden handles and wire wheels. Last Day price, 69c.

Picnic Bags

Japanese Fibre Matting Picnic or Shopping Bags—Edges neatly bound, swing handle, patent hold-fast catches. Sizes 16 inches—good and roomy. Wonderful value. Last Day price, 69c.

White Canvas Shoes

For Women and Girls 69c a Pair

1,100 pairs Women's White Canvas Pumps; all new and clean, made on narrow toe last, with white canvas covered Cuban heels; British made, sizes 2 1/2 to 6. Last Day price, 69c.

Children's Boots and Strap Slippers 69c 8.30 to 10 a.m. Today.

545 pairs of White Canvas Boots and Ankle Strap Slippers, in good-fitting styles. Medium weight soles—spring heels. Sizes 5 to 8. Last Day price, pair, 69c.

Jewelry

9k. Gold Bar Pins, large size—Regularly \$1.00 to \$1.50. 69c.

10k. Gold Signet Scarf Pins. Regularly 98c, 69c. Brilliant White and Colored Stone Set Bar Pins, 69c.

Gold Filled or Sterling Lingerie Clasps. Regularly 75c to \$1.00, 69c.

Novelty Turtle Tape Measures. Regularly 75c, 69c.

Black or Pearl Drop Earrings. Special, 69c.

Baby Heart Pendant and Chain. Regularly \$1.00, 69c.

Linens and Staples

85c Towels, clearing 69c. Pair. Huckaback; some hemmed; others hemstitched—large size, with all white—fancy borders. Last Day price, pair, 69c.

Bordered Crash Toweling, 16 inches wide. Last Day price, 3 yards, 69c.

White Turkish Bath Towels, of heavy quality; hemmed ends. Regularly 85c. Last Day price, pair, 69c.

Semi-bleached Damask—splendid washing and wearing quality; 64 inches wide. Regularly 85c. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

Nainsook, 5 yards for 69c—Fine quality, 35 in. wide. Not more than 10 yards to a customer. Last Day price, 5 yards, 69c.

Hemmed Pillow Cases. Sizes 42 x 33 and 45 x 33 inches. Regularly 85c. Last Day price, pair, 69c.

Plain Bleached Sheet-ing—Heavy quality, linen finish; 70 in. wide. Regularly 85c. Last Day price, yard, 69c.

Damask Napkins, 18 x 18 inches. Hemmed ready for use. Last Day price, 6 for 69c.

\$1.00 Centrepieces, 69c—Lace edge and linen finish. Ring of lace insertion in centre. Size 36 x 36 inches; round. Regularly \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Books

"The Hillman," by E. Phillips Oppenheim. This volume sells right along at \$1.25. The story abounds in complicated mystery and romance. In point of dramatic value and heart interest it is one of the author's best. Last Day price, 69c.

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Men

Men's Balbriggan Underwear, 69c—Shirts and drawers, natural shade. Broken lines from season's selling. Long sleeves and ankle length, also short sleeves and ankle. Sizes 34 to 44. Regularly 75c and \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Men's Negligee Shirts, 69c, of good quality shirting material—neat striped patterns, laundered cuffs. Broken lines and counter soiled. Sizes 14 and 17. Regularly \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Men's Work Shirts, 69c—Grey with white, hairline stripe—collar attached. One pocket—full yokes. Sizes 14 to 17. Regularly \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Boys' Shirt Waists, 69c—Striped patterns with double fold attached collar. Ages 11 and 15 years. Regularly 75c and \$1.00. Last Day price, 69c.

Boys' Bathing Suits, 69c—Skirt style, one piece, of good weight navy cotton. Ages 4 to 14 years. Regularly 85c. Last Day price, 69c.

Men's Socks, 3 Pairs, 69c—Fine qualities, plain cotton, extra closely knitted seamless feet—black, tan, grey and mauve. All sizes. Regularly 25c. Last Day price, 3 pairs, 69c.

Munition Workers' 75c Gauntlets for 69c—Pliable yellow muleskin—soft and strong—good strong seams—one-finger style, with deep wide black cuff. Small and large sizes. Last Day price, 69c.

85c Hanson All-Wool Socks, 69c—Guaranteed absolutely all wool, soft clean yarn; heavy ribbed leg, plain knitted foot. Light grey shade. Small and large sizes. Regularly 85c. Last Day price, 69c.

3 Pairs Women's Cotton Stockings, 69c. Of fine quality plain cotton, firm gauge and seamless. Black and white. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Regularly 29c. Last Day price, 3 for 69c.

Women's 75c Fibre Silk Hose—High silk leg hose—strong fibre silk—sheer thin weave. White only. Lisle thread top, heel, toe and sole. Sizes 8 1/2 to 10. Regularly 75c. Last Day price, 69c.

2 Pairs Children's 50c Socks, 69c—Fine quality lisle thread. Extra close fine weave. All white with fancy colored pattern top, turn-over cuff, the season's newest designs. Sizes 4 to 8 1/2. Regularly 50c. Last Day price, 2 pairs, 69c.

Boys' Wear

Suits of Blue Chambray, with white collar and belt, blue and white striped galatea, with blue collar, cuffs and belt.

Suits of tan, with white collar and belt—white linen, with green striped collar, cuffs and belt.

Tommy Tucker and Billy Boy models. Sizes 2 1/2 to 8 years. Last Day price, 69c.

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