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TWELVE PAGES—ONE CENT

British Have Taken 3,000 Prisoners Since Monday

Fifty Six Officers Among Them—Further Gains by Khaki Troops and the Forces Led by General Nivelle

London, April 25.—The British have taken 3,029 prisoners since Monday morning, including fifty-six officers, according to an official statement issued by the war office today. British forces captured the hamlet of Bilhem, east of Havrincourt Wood, last night.

The statement follows:

"In the Area east of Savincourt Wood during the night we captured the Hamlet of Bilhem, northeast of Trescault Village. Fighting took place early this morning along our front between the Cojeul and Searpe Rivers. Further progress has been made by us and the ground gained has been secured. The number of prisoners captured by us since Monday morning is 3,029, including fifty-six officers."

FRENCH PRESS ON

Paris, April 25.—Ground was gained by the French last night in the Champagne, so the war office announced. A German attack in the neighborhood of Hurbette was repulsed. The Germans made several futile efforts to raid French trenches near Tahure and Maisons de Champagne, leaving many dead in the wire entanglements.

UPROAR IN THE GERMAN PARLIAMENT

Further Indications of the Serious Distress Due to Shortage of Food

London, April 25.—Adjournment of the Reichstag until May 2, after a brief session yesterday is reported in a Central News despatch from Amsterdam. Philipp Scheidemann, socialist leader, expressed regret that the Reichstag should be convened and then adjourned almost immediately. George Ledebour, leader of the social democrats, said that regret was not enough. He demanded that the Reichstag should meet today for discussion of the food problem.

"Thousands of workmen," he said, "have been forced to abandon work owing to their distress."

Herr Ledebour's words caused an uproar. Permission to continue his speech was refused.

Amsterdam, April 25, via London.—The secret strike movement in Germany was discussed at the meeting of the Reichstag auxiliary service committee at which Count Westarp, leader of the Conservatives, welcomed General Groener's declaration that further attempts to interfere with munitions work would be ruthlessly suppressed.

Count Westarp insisted that money had played the game of Germany's enemies. He demanded that the trouble was caused by lack of food. The socialists malignantly denied the insinuation that strikes had been used and placed the blame for the strike on the administration of the Spandau works, the fact that the bread ration had been decreased and on the agrarian policy. One speaker declared that the agrarians, owing to the high price of cattle, fed them with bread and corn, which the munition workers could not obtain.

ALL ON FURNACE LINER SAVED WHEN VESSEL SUNK BY THE GERMANS

Halifax, N. S., April 25.—Officers and crew of the Furness Liner Annapolis, before reported sunk by a German submarine, were saved, according to a cable received this morning.

URGE HOME RULE

Mr. Wilfrid, Hon. Chas. Murphy and Other Speakers at Big Ottawa Meeting

Ottawa, April 25.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Charles Murphy, Senator W. C. Edwards and C. A. McGrath were speakers here last night at a huge rally which adopted a resolution urging that the Irish problem be immediately settled by granting to the country the institutions long promised her.

GERMANS, EXHAUSTED, GIVE UP EFFORT TO RETAKE MONCHY; SCENE OF FIERCEST FIGHTING

British Front, in France, April 25.—(From a staff correspondent of the Associated Press.)—The town of Monchy-Le-Preux, which lies about five miles east of Arras, will stand out in history as one of the bloodiest spots of the world war. The fighting north and south of this little Arras village, perched upon a high knoll, has exceeded in intensity any of the individual struggles of the Somme. Efforts of the Germans to re-take the village apparently have subsided on account of the sheer exhaustion of their available forces.

GERMAN LOSSES IN LAST TWO DAYS VERY GREAT

Attempt Advance in Masses and Are Mowed Down by British Artillery

London, April 25.—The correspondents at British headquarters emphasize the immense losses the Germans suffered in the last two days' fight. One story says that a party of Germans, engaged to attack from the direction of the Bois du Sant, but was "absolutely knocked to bits" by the British guns between Gavrelle and Roux two battalions of Rhinelanders were mowed for a counter attack when caught by the British artillery. One battalion, according to despatches, is believed to have been almost wiped out and the other completely shattered. The numbers in which the Germans advanced is said to have rendered them easy targets for the artillery.

"They came on in masses from village and wood," says a despatch, "spreading into a seemingly solid unbroken line as they advanced." The Germans engaged are reported to be almost entirely Bavarians and Pomeranians and a much finer lot of men than the generality of those employed in the earlier stages of the battle. "The enemy," says one correspondent, "is certainly fighting harder now than at any time this year."

PRACTICALLY NO CANADIAN ARMY BY FALL UNLESS WE DO BETTER

Surgeon General Jones, Home From Front Declares Recruiting in Dominion Must Improve

Toronto, April 25.—Surgeon-General J. T. Jones arrived home here today from the front. Unless, he said, recruiting in Canada improved there would be practically no Canadian army next fall. The annual wastage of one division of 20,000 men was estimated at 15,000. This would mean a wastage of 75,000 in Canada's five divisions. To keep up to strength one battalion a month would have to be sent overseas as reinforcements.

General Jones has been offered the position of director of medical service for invalids in Canada.

GIVE THE LIE TO GERMAN AGENTS

Russian Baltic Fleet and Army at Base Ready to Fight to the Last

London, April 25.—A Helsingfors despatch says that the council of army and navy delegates at Sveaborg has decided to send a wireless message to the allied fleets saying that the Baltic fleet and the army defending its base are in complete readiness to fight to the last in defence of free Russia. The message will add that the soldiers and sailors are in perfect union with their officers. This action was decided upon at a meeting attended by a delegation from the French navy and is intended as a reply to reports circulated by German agents that the Baltic fleet was absolutely disorganized and incapable of fighting.

CHAMPION WELCH BEATEN

Seranton, Pa., April 25.—"Chic" Similar of Seranton out fought Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion, here last night at the ten round bout. Similar brought out the champion every minute and easily beat him in every round but the sixth. Similar weighed 134 pounds, Welsh would not weigh in.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, R. F. Stupart, director of meteorological service

Synopsis.—The high area which was north of Lake Superior yesterday is moving towards the St. Lawrence Valley, while the south western low area is approaching the Great Lakes. Rain has fallen in parts of Southern Manitoba and Saskatchewan, but over most of the dominion the weather has been fine and cool.

Ottawa Valley.—Northeast winds, fine and cool. Thursday, easterly winds, fresh northerly winds, fair and cool.

New England forecast.—Fair tonight, probably followed by rain in early morning on Thursday. Fresh north, shifting to east, winds.

WORKING MEN GROW MORE HOSTILE TO THE SWEDISH GOVERNMENT

London, April 25.—H. Branting, leader of the Swedish Socialist party, has telegraphed to the Daily Chronicle that the hostility of the working men in Sweden against the government is growing more intense. He says: "Among the working men the hostile feeling against the ruling reactionist party is growing stronger. This party by their trade policy has caused the lack of bread from which we are now suffering."

The socialist leader expresses the belief that May day will pass without trouble "unless the authorities are guilty of provocation."

Vice President Of C.P.R. Here After A Visit To Russia

Spain Threatens Note to Germany Virtually an Ultimatum

London, April 25.—The Spanish government's note to Germany regarding Germany's submarine campaign contains a paragraph stating that if Germany continues in its determination to sink all vessels in order to defend its life, Spain must take a like step to defend her life.

This portion of the note says: "If the Imperial German government persists in declaring that it adheres to its determination to defend its life, it must not be astonished if Spain, for the same reason, must emphasize her right to defend her own life."

The Hague, April 25.—It is learned from authoritative Dutch sources that the fall of the late ministry in Spain was preceded by the sending of a note to Germany on April 15, couched in such terms as to make it virtually an ultimatum. The sudden decision of the imperial government to repeal the Bismarckian law forbidding the establishment of Jesuit congregations instead of being, as pretended, a sop to the German Socialist was really a direct attempt to influence the powerful Jesuit political party in Spain.

Mr. Bury Sees Great Possibilities For Trade

WAS THROUGH REVOLUTION Spent Three Months, at Request of British and Russian Governments, Looking Into Transportation Problems—Praise of Canadians Heard Everywhere In England

After an absence of a little more than three months, George Bury has just returned from Russia which country he visited at the request of the British and Russian governments in connection with transportation.

Mr. Bury, who is vice-president of the C.P.R., arrived in port this morning on a large ocean liner. He was met at a west side terminal by his wife and several C. P. R. officials from St. John and Montreal. After disembarking the party viewed the west side terminals. Two private cars, the St. Andrews and Loch Lomond, left the city with Mr. Bury and the Montreal men, about 12 o'clock attached to a mail train. Mr. Bury is looking in the best of health, although slightly thinner than when he left Canada.

Mr. Bury was accompanied throughout his trip by W. H. Winterrowd, assistant chief mechanical engineer of the Canadian Pacific. He and Mr. Winterrowd traveled from London to the north of Scotland from where they were carried to Norway by a British destroyer. They proceeded through Norway, Sweden and Finland to Russia.

Interviewed by a representative of the Times Mr. Bury said that his experience gained by close personal contact and association with Lord Shaughnessy enabled him to make recommendations which were accepted by the old Russian government as well as by the new who are now putting them into force with great vigor.

From Lapsland to Caucasus

"Russia," he says, "is of course an immense country. It has a population of 176,000,000 people. The last time they took the census the papers had to be printed in seventy-two languages or dialects."

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GERMANS TO CHANGE SUBMARINE WARFARE?

Said Concessions Already Made to Spain And Will be to Other Neutrals

Christiana, April 25, via London.—The Norges Handels Sioforatstidende says that as a result of reports by German ministers and consuls in neutral countries to the German government the latter probably will draft new regulations governing the ruthless submarine war upon neutral shipping. Spain, the newspaper adds, already has obtained concessions.

NEW LOGS ARE REPORTED RUNNING AT GRAND FALLS

Forestry Expert in Fredericton to Confer With the Government

Fredericton, April 25.—It is reported that some new logs are running today at Grand Falls. The water here is now about at a standstill and there are no logs running. Three rafts of bank logs reached Springhill yesterday under contract to Fraser Limited.

The drift drive will start from the Mitchell boom tomorrow and pick up all the logs between that point and Indiantown. Work of swinging shear booms at Crook's Point and will be completed today.

Clyde Leavitt, chief forester for the Railway Commission, is here to confer with the provincial government on the subject of forest protection.

BY-LAW MATTERS

"Automobile people must clearly understand that they cannot take the bit in their mouth and do as they please," said Magistrate Ritchie in dealing with some by-law reports this morning.

C. F. Breen was reported by Police-man Donahue for allowing his car to stand for an hour in German street. He was told he was liable to a \$10 fine.

A. B. Smalley was reported for exceeding the speed limit at the corner of Mill and Main streets on two occasions. Policeman Hogg made the report. The case was set over until this afternoon.

John Secord was fined \$10 for allowing his horse to stand in Mill street without any protection.

James Morrison, reported as the owner of the premises at 203 Main street, for allowing a defective wastepipe to empty in the public street, said the men were working at the place. He was excused. Some enquiries will be made.

Millidge Taylor was reported for obstructing C. G. R. property with a coal team. He was told to what he was liable.

JUMPS FROM MORNING TRAIN AND IS KILLED

Lake Megantic, Que., April 25.—Bendrey was instantly killed when he jumped from a moving train at a railway crossing today. The coroner's jury returned a verdict of accidental death, adding a rider that the railway commission compel railways to have gates on cars to avoid such accidents.

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THE CASUALTY LIST

Fredericton, N. B., April 25.—Mrs. Edward Kearman of St. Mary's has been notified that her husband, Corporal Kearman, is in hospital in England, suffering from contusions of the back. He went overseas with an infantry bat'alion.

Moncton, N. B., April 25.—Mrs. Annie McMillan of Lewisville, has word that Pte. Ross McMillan, infantry, is in hospital at Wimeroux, with gunshot wound in side.

Mrs. George Page of Moncton, has been informed that her husband was admitted to hospital in Wimeroux, with gunshot wound in hand.

Ottawa, April 25.—(Casualties):

Wounded

A. J. O'Brien, Milltown, N.B.; F. L. Woodard, St. Stephen, N.B.; Wm. P. Keleher, Fairville, N.B.; A. Joseph Perry, Miscouche, P.E.I.; Cpl. Brundell, Pte. Ross Millerville, Ont.; P. N. Stevenson, North River, P.E.I.; J. Stephen Delow, Cornhill, N.B.; C. R. Bolser, Canada Creek, N.S.; Wm. N. Burgoyne, North Granville, P.E.I.; E. Burgoyne, North Granville, P.E.I.

J. H. Olsen, Halifax; C. O. Johnson, Deer Island, N. B.; M. Bordin, Pictou, N. S.; J. L. Dewitt, Woodstock, N. B.

Good Things Coming to Theatres of St. John

OPERA HOUSE HOURS
Tonight at the Opera House the usual good vaudeville programme is offered...

HANDSOME WALLACE REID AND ANITA KING TOMORROW
For tomorrow only Wallace Reid, the Paramount star, and Anita King...

THE LUMBER MARKET
Boston, April 24—For spruce dimension the market is firm. There is not even a vague hint that anyone, however desirable his custom, has purchased a schedule since the last advance...

W. A. MEETING
The outstanding feature of this morning's session of the Women's Auxiliary meeting in Trinity church school room was a paper entitled "Counter Attractions"...

MEMORIAL SIGNED BY 1,000 FOR NATIONAL PROHIBITION
Boston, April 25—A memorial for national prohibition, signed by 1,000 prominent Massachusetts citizens, will be forwarded to Congress...

WAR NOTES
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NOTICES OF BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS
BIRTHS
SEWELL—To Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sewell on April 24, a son.

DEATHS
DRAKE—In this city, on the 25th inst., Uriah Drake, aged 85 years.

SEVERAL NORWEGIAN VESSELS SENT DOWN
London, April 25—A statement from the Norwegian foreign office, as furnished from Copenhagen by the Central News, reports the sinking of the following Norwegian vessels...

NOMINATE REV. WILLIAM SHEARER AS MODERATOR
Edmonton, Alta., April 25—The Presbyterian synod has chosen Rev. Wm. Shearer, of Calgary, as its nominee for moderator of the general assembly.

GRAHAM—At Truro, N. S., on April 22nd (Rose B., widow of Enoch Graham, leaving three daughters, her mother, four brothers and four sisters to mourn.

LOCAL NEWS

M. R. A. advertisement, page 6, T.F.
At Amund's W. E. house dresses, all sizes at special reduced prices; a big variety to select from.

ROOM MOULDINGS
Get your room mouldings at the Big H. C. L. Reduction Sale—D. McArthur, 84 King.

ALICE BRADY IN BIG PICTURE AT THE GEM
In an all new programme at the Gem tonight, the features will be Alice Brady, actress of renown, in "The Glided Cape," a spectacular World Brady-made release.

WOMEN'S TAILORED SUITS
Specially priced at \$25.00. Included are plain-tailored, braid-bound, pleated and straight-line models of superior men's wear, serge and gabardine—Brager's, 155-157 Union street.

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Buy your wall-paper now at D. McArthur's, 84 King street.

CARPENTERS WANTED
All carpenters in this city to attend a meeting, Oddefolks' Hall, corner Union street and Hazen avenue, Wednesday evening, eight o'clock sharp.

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HAVE GOOD HEALTH

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the Old, Reliable Spring Tonic.
Don't let the idea that you may feel better in a day or two prevent you from getting a bottle of Hood's Sarsaparilla today from any drug store and starting at once on the road to health and strength.

LOCAL NEWS
BROKE HIS LEG
Stewart Walters, of Lancaster street, West St. John, a trucker with the C. P. R., suffered a fracture of the leg leg on morning while at work on the West Side.

SONS OF TEMPERANCE
George A. Pascoe, of Sackville, grand worthy patriarch of the Sons of Temperance, will meet the members of the order in Gurney Division, Union street, Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock.

LONG TIME IN CITY SERVICE
Many will be sorry to learn that Patrick McHale, 82 Exmouth street, steamer in the city employ, is very ill at his home. He has been kept in the hospital for the last twelve weeks.

DEATH OF URIAH DRAKE
General regret was expressed this morning when it was learned that Uriah Drake, of West St. John, a well known and highly respected citizen, had passed away.

NOVELTY SHOWER
On Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Emery, Tower West End, about twenty-five friends gave a novelty shower to their daughter, Miss Kathleen, in honor of a coming event.

ENTERTAINED SOLDIERS
The Men's Association of St. Andrew's church entertained about 300 members of the 17th and 21st battalions in the lecture room of the church last evening.

THEY NEED ATTENTION
There are serious acts of vandalism by boys in Haymarket square reported, and the boys are not all young ones. Last evening some thirty were carrying on in the square.

WON FLAG CUSHION
The drawing of a lottery conducted by the Russian young men took place in Carlton street hall last evening.

POLICE COURT
William Smith was fined \$8 in the police court this morning for being intoxicated and also for trespassing on the C. G. R. property.

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CARPET SQUARES!

We have never displayed so beautiful a line of Carpet Squares before. In both quality and pattern they excel any offer we have ever given.

J. MARCUS 30 Dock Street

LOCAL NEWS
ALEX DIGGS DEAD
The funeral of Alexander Diggs took place this morning from Messrs. Fitzpatrick's undertaking rooms.

BURIED TODAY
The funeral of N. A. Bergman took place this afternoon from Messrs. Chamberlain's undertaking rooms.

ON INSPECTION VISIT
Brigadier-General H. H. McLellan, accompanied by Lieut.-Col. Messereau, left this morning on a tour of inspection.

IN CAPITAL DURING REVOLUTION
"I happened to be in Petrograd during the revolution and perhaps saw as much of it as any one.

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JAPANESE AFTERNOON TEA

Woman's Exchange, 158 Union St.
April 25, 3-6 o'clock, under auspices of Allies' Aid Society.

Y. M. C. I. LOSE TO CALAIS; TEAMS TIE

The standing of the teams in the bowling tournament at Calais, including one game this morning is—

Table with columns: Team Name, Won, Lost, P.C.

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NOW IS MAJOR
Captain L. M. Curren, M.D., receives Word of Promotion

PERSONALS
The condition of H. H. McLellan has improved to such an extent that he is now considered out of danger.

ARREST HERE IN CONNECTION WITH NOVA SCOTIA BURLIARIES
Digby, N. S., April 25—The recent burglaries at Port Wade and Victoria Beach were placed in the hands of Detective Kennedy of Halifax.

CHILD FATALLY BURNED IN MAPLE SUGAR CAMP
Fitch Bay, Que., April 25—The nine year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Flinders is dead as a result of burns received when she fell into a pan of maple sap at a sugar camp.

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SNAP cleans your hands quickly and thoroughly—removes grease, grime and stains of all kinds and keeps the skin smooth and soft.



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MANY IN LAST CASUALTY LIST

The names of thirty-one New Brunswick men appear in the midnight casualty list. They are as follows:—
Wounded—P. G. Howard, St. John; A. Albert, Caraquet; A. Cormier, Moncton; E. T. Welling, Penobscot; C. A. McMaster, Fairville; J. Gerow, St. John; G. W. Mean, East Colebrook; Lieutenant J. H. Manning, St. John; D. A. Porter, Hammond River; R. M. Keswick, Buctouche; Corporal L. Desmet, Campbellton; B. Thibaut, Milltown; C. Harvey, Sackville; G. Sanborn, Mount Pleasant; William D. Whalen, Chatham; B. E. Day, Bentons; H. M. McCloskey, Beretown; Lance-Sergeant C. W. Wiltaker, St. John; J. H. Hawkins, Fredericton; W. B. McLaglan, Blackville; W. M. Collins, St. John; William J. Finlay, East St. John; Sergt. E. Doherty, Moncton; William H. Grass, Sackville; G. C. Lowery, Bonaventure; P. Lawton, St. John; Gunner B. Malley, Newcastle.

Killed in action—W. Greary, St. John.
Ill and wounded—P. Keith, Moncton.
Shell concussion—Corporal W. G. Trenholm.

Believed a Prisoner.
A. A. Barnes, of Hampton, has received information from the auditor general, Canadian Militia, Ottawa, concerning his son, Lieutenant Otty Barnes, of the 26th Battalion. The information is to the effect that Lieutenant Barnes was last seen shooting Germans and saving his men forward. It is believed that he was wounded and made prisoner during a daring raid on the enemy in January.

July One Recruit.
R. B. Turner, of Meductic, York county, signed, on yesterday with the No. 9 Siege Battery. He was the only recruit recruited during the day. There were eight applied, but the physical standards proved too high.

Inspection.
Lieut.-Col. C. J. Mesereau, who is connected with the district staff at Halifax, was in the city yesterday and inspected the 9th siege battery and the men of the 3rd C. G. A. at Partridge Island. He expressed himself as being highly pleased with the efficiency of the men, their thorough organization and discipline.

DEPUTY SHERIFF CLEARED OF KIDNAPPING CHARGE

In the case of William Armstrong, the deputy sheriff in Carleton county, charged with kidnaping, the grand jury at the circuit court meeting in Woodcock yesterday found no bill and the charge was dropped. Armstrong accompanied laud Cameron when the latter carried off his daughter who had been married short time before against his wishes. Cameron got out of the province with the charge was brought against Armstrong, who said that he went only to see that the peace was kept.

J.H. FRINK LEADS CANADIAN CLUB

At a meeting of the Canadian Club, which was held last evening at Bond's, the annual election of officers took place. James H. Frink was elected president, succeeding Mayor R. T. Hayes. Rev. Capt. G. A. Kubring delivered an interesting address, the subject of which was "The Sacrifice Already Justified in Spiritual and Material Results." Reports were also received.

The nominating committee, of which M. E. Agar was the chairman, recommended the following slate of officers, who were elected by acclamation: James H. Frink, president; Judge H. O. McInerney, first vice-president; Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, second vice-president; C. W. Romans, secretary; H. A. Porter, treasurer; and W. J. S. Myles, literary correspondent. A. H. Wetmore, William Brodie, A. M. Belding and Robert O'Brien were named a finance committee, and F. T. Barbour, Sheriff A. A. Wilson, C. B. Lockhart and James Jack as additional members of the executive.

After Mr. Frink had been seated in office he appointed T. H. Sommerville and F. A. Dykeman as an auditing committee. Mayor Hayes presided at the opening of the meeting, submitted his own report as president and introduced the speaker of the evening, A. H. Wetmore, the retiring secretary, read his brief report, and H. A. Porter, who was re-elected treasurer, showed by his statement of finances that the club was in very good condition financially.

MAJOR-GEN CARSON RETURNING TO CANADA

Rumor Says He May Seek Nomination, to Present His Military Views

Ottawa, April 25.—Major-General John Carson of Montreal, who up to the time of Sir Sam Hughes' retirement from the militia administration, acted as the minister's representative in England and chief executive officer of the overseas forces, is to return to Canada.

It is understood that Gen. Carson has had considerable friction with the new dispensation, and it is reported that he will seek an opportunity of presenting his views on militia administration by taking an active part in the coming federal election. He may seek nomination for a Montreal constituency.

The War Profiteers
Winnipeg Tribune:—The Tribune has time and again drawn attention to the absurd, and indeed scandalous, fiscal policy which is being pursued by the Dominion government. It is well known that scores, or hundreds, of corporations or individuals in Canada are piling up great fortunes out of war supplies. They are probably not to be blamed for doing so. But the government is flagrantly failing to perform its duty when it allows these profits to go practically intact into the coffers or pockets of the corporations or individuals.

22 THOUSANDS UPON THOUSANDS OF HEALTHY BOYS & GIRLS EAT Grape-Nuts AND CREAM EVERY MORNING BECAUSE WISE MOTHERS KNOW "There's a Reason"

LOCAL NEWS

BURLAP

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Lace curtains, made in Nottingham, Eng., 6c. a pair and up, at Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street. No branches.

There's a khaki waiting for you at No. 8 Field Ambulance Depot now recruiting for overseas. 4-30.

For sale, sectional refrigerator, \$60, 81-236 1-2x1-2 feet. 'Phone 2445-11. t. f.

Writing material, books, etc., at The H. C. L. Reduction Sale.—D. McArthur, 84 King street.

AMDURS, WEST END

Whitewash specials this week. Call in and see them. 4-26.

Removal sale; millinery bargains, Mrs. Brown, 43 King square. 4-27.

Help your chums at the front by joining No. 8 Field Ambulance Depot for overseas. They expect you. 4-30.

MILLINERY AT AMDURS, W. E.

258-60 King street, West St. John. 4-26

ALMANAC FOR ST JOHN, APR 25

A. M.	Low Tide	4:47
P. M.	High Tide	5:17

Sun Rises: 5:27 Sun Sets: 7:17
Time used is Atlantic standard.

M. T. Kane, of West St. John, received yesterday that his son, Frank, had been injured while working at the docks at Halifax.

The Girls' Club of Carmarthen street Methodist church entertained those at the Boys' Industrial Home last evening. A musical programme was carried out, games were played and a substantial treat was furnished, which the boys thoroughly enjoyed.

The executive of The King's Daughters last night entertained the returned soldiers in the parlor of Centenary church, addresses were given by Mrs. A. P. Godsox, Mayor Hayes and Secretary Puddy, of the Returned Soldiers' Association.

A spring blossom tea, held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. P. Cruikshank, Olive street, West St. John, in aid of Carleton Presbyterian church, was highly successful. Miss Florence Turnbull and Mrs. J. Morrison received much of the credit for the success of the tea.

Miss Vera Dean, a Red Cross nurse, who was in France with the Harvard surgical unit, gave a very interesting address last evening in the Charlotte street Baptist church, West St. John, under the auspices of the young ladies' Sunday school class. Rev. J. H. Jenner, pastor, presided.

Premier Foster arrived in the city on the Boston train last night from Anceover. At McAdan Junction a large crowd, headed by a brass band, had assembled awaiting the arrival of Hon. Mr. Foster and he was given a rousing reception. The premier met as many of the citizens as time would permit and also briefly addressed the gathering. He was heartily cheered and tendered an ovation as the train drew out on its way to St. John.

At a meeting of the ladies auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. yesterday afternoon in the parlors of the association with Mrs. H. Colby Smith in the chair, Mrs. J. Willard Smith was appointed convener of the committee to carry out the work planned by the auxiliary in the matter of knitting socks for soldiers during the coming summer months. At the close of the meeting the members were entertained to tea by Mrs. Smith, assisted by Mrs. T. H. Sommerville, Mrs. Roy Gregory and Mrs. F. Belyea.

At the meeting of the New Brunswick Grand Lodge, A. F. & M., held in the city last evening, D. C. Clark, of West St. John, was elected grand master. Owing to the fact that Mr. Clark is absent from the city his installation will be carried out at a future date. The other officers are as follows: J. D. B. F. McKenzie, Chatham, 2960 grand master; H. E. Gould, Sussex, senior grand warden; J. A. McMurphy, St. John, junior grand warden; Ven. Archdeacon Crawford, Hampton, grand chaplain; H. Russell, St. John, grand treasurer; Robert Clarke, St. John, grand Tyler.

LOCAL NEWS

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY IN SESSION YESTERDAY

At the afternoon session of the fourteenth annual meeting of the Fredericton diocesan branch of the Women's Auxiliary, Mrs. H. J. Roberts, recording secretary, announced that there were ninety-six branches of the W. A. in the diocese, with a total of 2,370 members. A long discussion took place as to whether the next annual meeting should be held in the spring as usual, or in the fall. At 8 o'clock the Bishop of Fredericton

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M 2901-21—Akerley, Mrs. Manford, res. 174 Adelside street; changed from W. M. Akerley, M 2874-41.
M 218-81—Akerley, John, res. 121 Watson street, W. E.
M 1273—Amherst Pianos, Ltd., 7 Market square. (Ex. listing.)
M 1190-18—Barbour, F. T., res. 98 Mt. Pleasant avenue; No. changed from M 1406-21, address from 95 Coburg street.
M 3238-41—Barrett, James, res. No. 63 Mecklenburg St.; No. changed from M 1871-41, address from No. 38 Winter St.
M 481-11—Boyle, E. C., res. 186 Broad street; No. changed from B. C. Boyle.
M 8280—Comeau & Sheehan, 75 Prince William street; No. changed from M 1719.
M 1718—Comeau & Sheehan, 111 Prince William street; changed from 75 Prince William street.
M 2876—Central Dairy, Sharkey Bros. proprietors, 88 Waterloo street; changed from Akerley's Creamery.
M 2178—Curtis, Mrs. W. A., res. 96 Waterloo street; No. changed from M 1029-81.
M 2827-41—Dunlop, J. Dill, res. 86 Queen street.
M 889—Davis, J. I. & Son, Metals and Provisions, 688 Main street.
M 455-31—French, A. W., res. McKel street, Fairview; No. changed from M 1750-81, address from 95 Winter street.
M 451-91—Greeno, G. A., res. 139 Queen street, W. E.; No. changed from W 84-21, address from 290 Tower street, W. E.
M 841-11—Hunter's Bakery, 686 Main street.
M 8299—Horsman, Mrs. A., res. 11 Windsor Terrace.
M 2712-41—Israel, R. A., res. 24 Kennedy street.
M 2818-21—Jones, M. W., res. 84 Metcalfe street; changed from Walter L. Jones.
M 8072—Keith, C. L., Country Produce and Provisions, 785 Main street.
M 2108-41—Kelly, R. J., res. 18 Riches street.
M 8138—Lancaster Dairy Farm, 515 Main street; No. changed from M 2920.
M 2729—Lancaster Dairy Farm, 3 Brussels street; No. changed from M 8138.
M 2187-11—Laing, Lieut. A. R., res. 74 Mecklenburg street.
M 2444—Labatt, John, Ltd., 29 Waterloo street.
M 8451—Land, N. A., res. Park avenue, East St. John.
M 2879-12—Murphy, F. J., res. 229 Millidge avenue; No. changed from 1804-81, address from 72 City road.
M 8198-41—McGillivray, George, res. Sandy Point road; No. changed from M 1090-11, address from 21 Castle street.
M 865-21—McCafferty, Miss G. H., res. 174 King street east; No. changed from M 2985.
M 2798-81—McLean, G. F., res. 74 Queen street; No. changed from M 1886-81, address from 88 Pitt street.
M 1838-81—Martion Lumber Company, 60 Prince William street; changed from W. P. Lowell.
M 1885-22—MacLean, John H., res. 95 Coburg street.
M 8197-21—Oatey, Charles H., res. 108 Somerset street.
M 1942—O'Neill, Fred L., res. 194 Queen street, W. E.
M 8498-21—Patterson, A. H., res. Glen Falls.
M 1245-41—Parlee, Mrs. C. A., res. 176 Main street.
M 8468—Premier's office, government rooms, 108 Prince William street.
M 8272—Purdy, B. S., res. 188 Princess street.
M 1540-41—Roulston, Miss M. L., res. 277 Princess street; No. changed from M 1881-41, address from 292 Union street.
M 8271-21—Robichaud, Miss Mary A., res. 606 Main street; No. changed from M 1218-21, address from 600 Main street.
M 2976-21—Richards, Fred, res. 19 Murray street.
M 2794—Soldiers' Comfort Association, 205 Germain street; No. changed from M 501-41.
M 1948-82—Seibert, Thaddeus J., res. 23 Delhi street; No. changed from M 2226-81, address from 161 Queen street.
M 900-11—Spears, G. W., res. 48 Celebration street.
M 750-81—Stephenson, James A., res. 202 Wellington street.
M 2921-81—Thompson, A. C., res. 15 Frederic street; No. changed from M 2540-41.
M 692—Thompson, T. W., Dry Goods, 385 Main street.
M 8251-11—Tanzman, Jacob M., res. 22 Clarence street; No. changed from M 2985-11.
M 2217-21—Wetmore, A. B., res. 89 Sewell street.
M 2921-81—Wright, Hudson R., res. 71 Millidge avenue.
M 8257-11—Wetmore, Frank E., res. 70 Wright street.
M 1795—Wetmore, Edwin E., Sanitary Meat Market, 80 Stanley street. (Ex. listing.)
R 48—Belyea, John C., res. Rothsay.
W 28-81—Innes, R. D., res. Woodman Point.
R 28-71—Price, L. V., res. Renforth.
R 28-21—Simpson, William, res. Renforth.

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10 lb. bag Lantic Sugar	\$9.00
1 lb. block Pure Lard	.28c
1 lb. block Shortening	.24c
10 lb. bag Cocoa	.25c
10 lb. tin Baked Beans	.18c
2 lbs. Prunes	.25c
3 pkgs. Cornflakes	.25c
4 lbs. Rice	.25c
4 lbs. Western Grey Buckwheat	.25c
3 tins Luxon's Cocoa	.25c
3 pkgs. Lux or Old Dutch	.25c
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Grappfruit	9c. each or 3 for 25c.
Kellogg's Cornflakes	10c. pkgs.
3 pkgs. Quaker Cornflakes	25c.
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3 cans Old Dutch	25c.
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NO CANADIAN ARMY?

Surgeon-General Jones, home from the front, says that unless recruiting improves in Canada there will be no Canadian army in the war next fall. The annual wastage in a division of 20,000 is 15,000 men, through wounds, disease and death.

the Chatham World's opinion to become an object of sympathy, if not of hero-worship. Also, in the view of the World, there may be need of obeying a provincial law, but not a local option law.

The Borden government declines to give the people of Canada any relief from tariff burdens, but it is at last making an effort to get for the country a little more of the profit its friends have made out of the war.

Toronto Globe:—The announcement that Canadian railway companies will ask permission to increase freight and passenger rates by fifteen per cent raises a big issue.

THE WAR SITUATION.

The most marked feature of the great battle on the British front in France is the reckless sacrifice of men by the Germans in their efforts to check the British advance.

Concerning the whitewashing of Mr. J. K. Fleming, the Chatham World says:—"That whitewash resolution was, we have been informed, strongly opposed in caucus, but was put through by Premier Clarke under strong pressure from Victoria and Carleton members."

A London cable says that Hon. Robert Rogers has taken up the question of building Admiralty dry-docks at Esplanade and Halifax, with Sir Edward Carson, First Lord, and Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and is seemingly hopeful that something will result.

The long lists of casualties have their suggestion for the young men still in New Brunswick who are fit and free to go and take a place in the thinning ranks, for the honor of Canada and their own conscience sake.

LIFE'S LITTLE DAY

"May'the maist o' life while ye'er loevin', for ye've a lang willie toe be hid."—Scottish Proverb.

How shall we pass the day we have to spend? Not groaning o'er life's swiftly running sand; Our darkest hours, like winter, have an end.

Some cross—"Life is a vale of tears," or Around life's track go rushing, leap on leap; A mount of joy to climb, would surely be.

A brighter motto for life's handicap. What'er our mother Nature can supply Of healthful pleasures, grasp them while you can;

Flowers, music, pictures, books, the base-ball, the "wine which maketh glad the heart of man."

A blink of sunshine shed where'er you go, Where pain and sorrow thrive some joy impart; We cannot purchase health, alas! but take it kindly word may cheer the saddest heart.

The Master of all Works we sure can trust, Who made the bee, the flower, the stately oak; And godlike man He never doomed to dust.

"Serve Him with mirth," and let the ravens croak. HOPE A. THOMSON. 819 Princess street.

BRITISH AIR CRAFT ROUT GERMAN TORPEDO BOATS

A German torpedo boat flotilla was put to route by three British naval air machines according to a statement given out by the admiralty. At 4.10 p. m. Monday five enemy destroyers were seen steaming towards Blankenberge and were attacked by British machines. A large number of bombs were dropped and one of the enemy craft was seen to be "bounced" for it, or sent to jail, is in

LAURELS

"Killed at the front in Flanders—(Reported as missing in June) Number eight thousand and eighty, Detached from the Ninth Platoon. That was the length of the story, The brief little zero fame, The miserly cipher of silence They brought with the blank of his name.

Some here in thundering Flanders, Face front to the arrogant foe, They buried his bones with his glory, Under a stain in the snow.

His elegy written in numbers, Guard of the heroes he led, They left him alone and forgotten— One with the numberless dead.

But mother earth, motherlike, found him, And coming with flowers in her hands Warm'd with her tears and her blessing, His valorous heart in the sands.

And lo! where she sorrow'd the laurels Crept up to the grave of his fame, And wove a green chaplet of glory Around the dull blank of his name!

LIGHTER VEIN The Simple Truth. Mabel—"I'm going to get married next month, Lizzie, if Jim can get a week off from his job. I think he'll be able to get it, isn't it as if he was asking for a vacation for a good time?"

Literary Note Guide (in Shakespeare's home town)—"An' them you see in that jail are 'ard-meat criminals'." Tourist—"Ah! The Barred of Avon."

Some Witness The prosecuting attorney encountered a somewhat difficult witness. Finally he asked the man if he was acquainted with any of the men on the jury. "Yes, sir," announced the witness, "more than half of them."

Keep a File We are not going to let our patient readers by naming those who are sick, but with all respect to our sick we are slightly improved; exceptions, however.—The McConnelville (O.) Herald.

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Delegations on Daylight Saving

Petitions Presented to Council Yesterday—Comfort Station Plans Held Over.

A petition containing 5,098 names opposed to continuing the daylight saving plan, and another bearing 8,925 signatures favoring it, were presented to the common council at its regular meeting yesterday afternoon, by advocates of each standard of time. Arguments were given for both sides, but owing to the absence of Commissioner R. W. Wigmore, and desiring additional time to consider and examine the petitions, the council deferred definite action until 1:30, this morning, when a special meeting will be held for the purpose of taking the vote.

A bill from the New Brunswick Power Company for \$7,488.49 for furnishing light for the city for three months was submitted for approval by the city controller, and was given passage. The proposed by-law provided for the registering of all inmates of lodging houses was considered as read the second and third times and approved.

Tenders for 200,000 feet of spruce deals from J. A. Gregory at \$21.50 and W. E. A. Lawton at \$24.50, were referred to the harbor commissioner, mayor and city engineer with power to act.

Plans for a comfort station in Market square to cost \$10,000, with possibility of being self-supporting, were submitted by Commissioner Fisher. Suggestions were made that the Street Railway Company might contribute, that the station should be placed in King square, and that on the same investment several stations might be constructed. The commissioner will report further at a later meeting.

A vote of \$500 to complete the west end survey was passed.

Commissioner McEllan agreed to allow fire horses to be used for watering the streets on condition that the public works department clean the market streets.

Hard to Understand
—Fuh! I bet you didn't have a sock-time at your birthday party yesterday.
—Willie—I just bet I did.
—Billy—Then why ain't you sick to-day?



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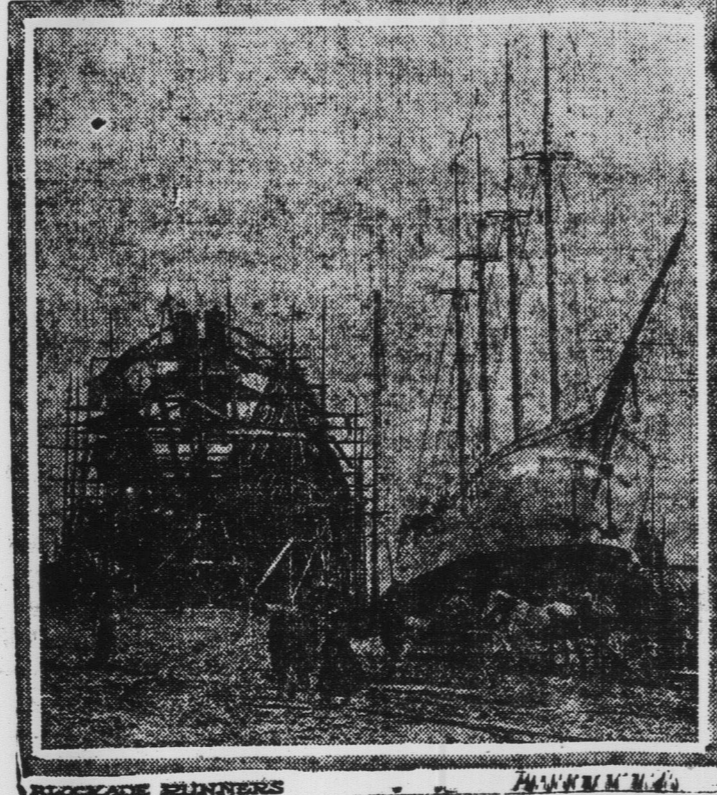
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"A bridge across the Atlantic" is what American shipbuilders are called upon to construct part of the administration plan to break the German U-boat blockade of the British Isles, Italy and France. Major-General Goethals has been placed in charge of the work of constructing immediately 1,000 wooden ships of 3,000 tons each. Shipbuilders of New England already have put into service many old vessels not used since the great days of the American merchant marine. The picture shows the schooner Maxwell on the ways at Camden, Me., and the skeleton of a similar vessel under construction.

U. S. HAS NEW TYPE
SUBMARINE CHASERS

Flotilla Will in Three Months Surpass in Fighting Efficiency Any of Their Class; Types Needed

In less than three months there will be placed at the disposal of the United States navy department a flotilla of submarine chasers which, it is claimed, will surpass in fighting efficiency any vessels of their class designed since the great war began. The vessels which will make up the flotilla are being built for the United States by the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, and are being constructed by the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, and are being constructed by the Fore River Shipbuilding Company.

Another submarine chaser, which it is understood will be seen under the American flag within the next few weeks, is described in the April issue of Yachting, as follows:

After authorizing two high-speed patrol boats last August, the government has decided that they are too small (one was 66 feet in length and the other 45 feet) and that boats of at least 100 feet are necessary to do effective work on patrol or for the detection of submarines. In this the department is right, for most of the power boats built so far have been absolutely worthless for use as would be absolutely worthless from 80 to 150 miles of shore if they had to stay on station. And if a submarine attack should be made on this coast it would probably be made against shipping in the steamer lanes and off the mouths of the larger ports, with very little chance of the enemy risking these craft in harbors and close to the shore.

Boats Must Stay Offshore
"What is wanted, therefore, is a boat to go offshore and stay offshore, with sufficient beam and stability to mount guns of sufficient calibre, to be of some use and on a platform stable enough to make the firing reasonably effective. We believe in most of the boats designed the consideration of speed has been paramount to that of sea-going ability and, when need was, merely made larger, maintaining the same characteristics of the out-and-out speed boats. Most of these have been all on top of the water, with very little underbody and practically a flat bottom from amidships aft with a straight sheer and sharp, deep stern and a heavy sea. What such a boat would do in a hard sea, whether it was ahead, quartering or dead aft, can be imagined, and they would have to run for shelter if caught in a moderate gale 50 miles from land.

Taking these facts into consideration, we have turned out a boat with a good underbody, easy sections, though with a fairly hard bilge to give initial stability, sufficient underbody to allow her to hold on and get some grip on the water, fairly full forward sections to give buoyancy and an easy sheer. The boat looks in profile something like the steam pilot boats of New York, though with their lines and easier driving qualities.

"The radius of such a vessel as Yachting describes would be about 640 miles at 29 knots, 760 miles at 19 knots, more than 1,330 at 17 knots and over 2,000 miles at 13 knots. The gasoline tanks, which would be below the water line, would have a capacity of 4,000 gallons. The boat can be made of either steel or wood, and, if necessary, can be lengthened from ten to twenty feet.

Trouble Maker
"That fellow certainly is a dub."
"For why?"
"I told him I bossed my wife and he went and told my wife."

RID STOMACH OF
GASES, SOURNESS,
AND INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diasepsin" Ends all Stomach Distress in Five Minutes

You don't want a slow remedy when your stomach is bad—or an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs. Pape's Diasepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmlessness; its certain unflinching action in regulating sick, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach troubles has made it famous the world over. Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get a large fifty-cent case from any drug store, and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferments and sours and forms gas, causes headache, dizziness and nausea; eruptions of acid and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diasepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.

NOVEL WEDDING ON
FLYING TROOP TRAIN

Brockville, Ont., April 24—Acting Quarter-Master Sergeant Nelson E. Maurer, of the latest British Columbia acquisition to the 280th Forestry Battalion, C. E. F., and his bride (nee Miss Annie Irene Foulds, of Great Falls, Mont.), enjoy the unique distinction of being the first couple to have celebrated their marriage on a British troop-train in active service and to have requisitioned His Majesty's troops' special for their honeymoon journey, which was short but sweet.

It happened this way: When the Southern British Columbia Forestry Battalion passed through Yabik, a small station on the Crow's Nest branch, en route from Creston to the mobilization camp at Brockville, the military party, was joined by Miss Foulds, who had hurried from her home across the border on learning that her fiancé had been detached to the military party.

The wedding ceremony included the officers and virtually all men of the draft, and was exclusively military. Pte. and Mrs. McHugh were respectively best man and supporting matron, and among the marriage gifts symbolic of good will and good wishes was a purse of \$50 from officers and men of the company now No. 4 of the 280th Battalion. Mrs. Maurer remained with the train to Medicine Hat, whence she entrained for her home in Montana—the groom rejoining the sergeants' mess.

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MEN AND WOMEN

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It makes other foods do good. It strengthens the appetite; stimulates the circulation and helps overcome catarrhal troubles. If you are rundown, anaemic or nervous, the benefits you will receive from Scott's Emulsion will surprise you.

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This sale will start Thursday morning and will afford a splendid opportunity to house-keepers and hotel-keepers to add to their stock of table linens. Every Cloth a Bargain.
54 x 54 inches..... \$2.00 2 x 2 yards..... \$1.65 to \$3.85
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The Sport Vogue takes an important place for Spring and Summer.

SPORT GABARDINE White grounds..... 90c yard
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DURO DYE WASH GOODS—Duro dye fabrics are wash-fast, sun-fast, wear-fast. Ask to see our line of Duro Dye Shirts, Waists and Bedford Cords. 30c. to 65c. yard
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THE VICTORY OVER WOUNDS
The Resurrection of the Disabled Canadian Soldier in the World War

THE ROYAL ARCANUM

Injunction is Dissolved, Receiver's Power Suspended and Officers Condemned to Conduct Affairs of Order

After the disquieting announcement that a receiver had been appointed to administer the affairs of the order, pending the settlement of litigation, local members of the Royal Arcanum have been relieved to learn that the order was revoked without being put into effect. Press despatches last week brought the news that, on the application of a member of the order, made in Boston where the head office is located, an injunction had been issued restraining the officers from further management of the affairs of the organization and that an order had been made for the appointment of a receiver.

The monthly bulletin of the order just to hand reports the subsequent proceedings. On the representations of officers and officials, it is said, the court dissolved the injunction, suspended the power of the receiver and empowered the officers to continue to conduct the affairs of the order.

In the Boston Record, Deputy Insurance Commissioner Peabody, discussing the charges under which proceedings were brought, is quoted as saying: "The Royal Arcanum has not, to my knowledge, committed any of these offences and, so far as I know, its affairs are in good condition. On the first day of April it had in its treasury \$8,600,000 more than the total of all its known claims."

actors in the picture, a film of ordinary length say 200 feet, requires the careful molding of at least 12,900 poses for the clay figures. In some scenes, however, only slight changes are needed to give the necessary animation, these being quickly made by the deft touch of the sculptor.—From the May Popular Mechanics Magazine.

A Glorious Trinity.
In an Ohio town is a colored man whose last name is Washington.

Heaven has blessed him with three sons. When the first son arrived the father named him George Washington. In due time the second son came. Naturally he was christened Booker Washington. When the third man child was born his parent was at a loss, at first, for a name for him. Finally, tho, he hit on a suitable expression. The third son, if he lives, will go through life as Spoken Washington.

A CHILD DOESN'T LAUGH AND PLAY IF CONSTIPATED
If Peevish, Feverish and Sick, Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if tongue is coated; this is a sure sign of little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a good liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children; give a teaspoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative" and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 60-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

CLAY FIGURES USED FOR MOVING PICTURES

In a new style of moving picture little clay models of human figures are used to represent the actors. The result, when seen on the screen, is both startling and amusing, the tiny clay figures seeming to walk, jump, and go through all the motions of talking and singing, as if actually alive. Such pictures are called animated sculpture. They owe their origin to a woman sculptor of New York, whose clay-foik, as she calls them, are photographed in a succession of slightly different poses, each especially modeled to carry out the action of a regular scenario or film story. The process of molding the figures is slow and laborious, as sixteen poses are required to make a foot of film. Thus, if the action of the story calls for four

PIMPLES and BOILS ALL OVER FACE AND BODY
When the blood becomes impure you will find that pimples and boils will break out all over the body, and although they are not a dangerous trouble, they make you appear unsightly both to your friends and yourself. Burdock Blood Bitters will cleanse the blood of all the impurities and poisons which cause the skin to break out in these eruptions.

Miss Sylvia Swanson, Theodore, Sask. writes: "I am letting you know what great value your B.B.B. has been to me. A year ago I started to grow pale and sick, the cause being bad blood. I got so many pimples and boils all over my face and body that I would not let strangers see me, and I used to avoid company. I tried many remedies but all seemed a failure. I read about how good your B.B.B. had been to thousands of people so I got a bottle and after I had finished the second one my pimples and boils had all disappeared. People thought it a miracle how well I looked. "Your grand old remedy sure has been as good as gold and better, to me."

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GROCERIES, SHOW-CASES, SHOP FIXTURES, ETC. BY AUCTION. I am instructed by J. L. Davis & Son to sell at their store on Sydney Street next to corner of Princess, commencing Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock, the entire stock of first-class groceries, which are only sold to save removal. Every thing is fresh, and buyers will do well to attend this sale.

FLATS TO LET. TO LET—FLAT OF SIX ROOMS, bath, electric, Mrs. Foster, 242 Prince William street. 5898-4-2

ESTATE SALE BY AUCTION. I am instructed to sell by Public Auction at Chubb's Corner on Saturday, the 28th inst., at 12 o'clock noon, a freehold property on Chubb St. with the three-story building thereon, containing live tenements, all rents, and other household effects.

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more than twenty-five months ago in command of the Second Canadian Infantry Brigade in the field. After the Canadian Corps assumed his present command in September, 1915, General Currie was present at Ypres. After the German attack on the 31st of October, he was there, and he has since that time been in the front line. He is a man of high character, and his conduct during the war has been a model for all to follow.

Germans Bring up Guns on Stretchers

Major General Currie Writes of Attempt to Deceive

Expects Victory This Year

New Charges of treachery against German soldiers are contained in a letter received by ex-Assemblyman Frank K. Johnston of New York, from Major General A. W. Currie, commanding the First Canadian Division of the British Army on the western front. General Currie and Mr. Johnston were classmates in Toronto University, and in August, 1914, General Currie was asked by Lieut. Gen. Sir Sam Hughes to take command of a Canadian brigade for overseas service. He crossed to France

ARE YOU GOING TO MOVE; OR HAVE YOU A HOUSE OR FLAT TO RENT?

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STORES AND BUILDINGS. TO LET—STORE CORNER SIMONDS and Camden street, good stand for meat and provisions. Refrigerator and blocks. Can be purchased low from late occupant. Apply C. H. Gibbon, No. 1 Union street. 5891-4-20

TO LET—STORE, 298 BRUSSELS street. T. M. Burns, 40 Exmouth street. 5888-4-2

TO LET—SHOP 142 VICTORIA. Good business stand. 5878-4-25

TO LET—FLAT IN APARTMENT HOUSE 27 BRUSSELS. Modern plumbing, electric, 818 month. Seen Tuesday and Friday afternoons. Property managed, bought and sold. Loans made. Primus Investment Co., Stephen B. Bustin, Solicitor. 5880-4-25

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WANTED—HORSE ABOUT 1000 for light work. Good home. A 65, Times. 5874-4-26

WANTED—DRESSMAKER AND girl to learn. Apply Mrs. Dineen, 522 Main street. 5866-4-27

WANTED—LADY'S BICYCLE, P. O. Box 456. 5869-4-27

WANTED—SECOND HAND Bicycle cheap. Phone 2184-11. 5867-4-27

WANTED—A FEW INVESTORS TO come in on ground floor, a big paying proposition, exclusive rights, provincial charter applied for, special inducement. Address H. H. Co., P. O. Box 658, St. John, N.B. 5851-4-28

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD early in April, easy reach Market square. State terms and also if allowance is made if away week end. Address T. H., care of Times. T.F.

MISCELLANEOUS. HAVE YOUR PHOTO ON A PILLOW top (washable). Write Drawer 1411, city. 5857-4-27

GIVE YOUR FRIEND A WATCH fob, necktie, silk umbrella or pillow top with your picture on. Any clear picture will do. For prices etc, write Drawer 1411, city. 5857-4-27

AGENTS WANTED. NEW MONEY-MAKING MARVEL, 2722 scientific discovery. KALOMITE revolutionizes clothes washing ideas, positively abolishes rubbing, washboards, and washing machines, 81-000 guarantee, absolutely harmless, women astonished, territory protection. The Arms Company, 21 Provincial Lane, Montreal. 5-11-17

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WANTED—PERSONS TO GROW Mushrooms for us at home from \$15 per week upwards can be made by using waste space in yards or gardens (start now); illustrated booklet sent free. Address Montreal Supply Company, Montreal. 5-11-17

ESTATE NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration of the estate of James E. Cowan, late of Carleton, in the City of Saint John, Barrister-at-Law, deceased, have been granted to the undersigned Administratrix. All persons having claims against the estate of the said James E. Cowan, are requested to present the same, duly certified by affidavit, as required by the "Probate Courts Act 1915," within thirty days from this date with Edward P. Raymond, Barrister, 108 Prince William street, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Edward P. Raymond or to the undersigned. Dated at Saint John, N. B., the Twenty-third Day of April, A. D. 1917. ELLEN P. COWAN, Administratrix.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a Bill will be presented for enactment at the next session of the Legislature of the Province of New Brunswick, empowering the Assessor of the Parish of Lancaster, in the City and County of Saint John, to assess certain persons and companies in the said Parish, lump sums as may be fixed by the Assessor, in place of the pro rata assessment, for patriotic purposes. Dated Saint John, N.B., March 29th, A.D. 1917. JAMES KING KELLEY, Secretary of the Municipality of the City and County of Saint John. 5-5

CAUTION. WARNING—THE COLLECTOR—Dust Sweeping Powder Co., who manufacture their goods under four different patents granted by the Canadian Patent Office, for the highest grade sweeping powder on the market, warns the public against worthless imitations. Ask your dealer for Collect-O-Dust, the sweeping powder that satisfies 99 per cent. Ed. Logan, Agent, 22 Paddock street, Phone Main 2292-91. T.F.

Sorry She Spoke. Mrs. Stiles—This article says that wearing hats makes the hair grow. I Stiles—The expensive hats you wear certainly are helping to make mine grow.

NEW TYPE OF ARMORED CAR



This is a new type of armored automobile, now being experimented with by the United States military authorities. It is equipped with a removable tower, which may be used for observation, signalling, wireless telegraphy or a machine gun.

BUSY DAYS AT THE N. S. SANATORIUM

Rushing Work on New Plant For Treatment of Retained Soldiers at Kentville

Kentville, April 20.—The sanatorium grounds at Kentville present a busy scene—when ten buildings are in working order there will be quite a little town upon the hill. One pavilion is completed and waiting for furnishings; the second will be ready by the end of April; the infirmary in September.

Each of the two-story pavilions will accommodate thirty-two men. A large lounge room divides each floor into two sections. The wide sleeping porches are enclosed with sliding windows and will be furnished with sixteen beds, rest chairs, etc.

The new infirmary or hospital building, which plans are now being drafted, will stand on high land to the west of the sanatorium, at the skirts of the woods, beyond the doctor's residence. It is proposed to have patients in small groups of three or four on a porch, with a separate room for each patient.

The original sanatorium main building has been remodelled to become the administration building. What were formerly the large reception hall and the doctor's quarters have all been converted into an addition to the dining room, which now has a seating capacity of 200.

Advertisement for Calox Tooth Powder, featuring an illustration of a woman and child, and text describing its benefits for children and skin.

Advertisement for D. D. D. (Diseased Skin) treatment, featuring text about freedom from skin agony and a list of agents.

THE WELCOME TO BALFOUR AND HIS CONFERES

Americans Eager to Show Appreciation of Visitors

PRECAUTIONS TAKEN

Train Guarded in Every Way Possible—Cheers as Party Moves Along Massachusetts Avenue—Statement by Mr. Balfour.

Britain's prominent statesman having safely evaded the German submarines and mines which sent Lord Kitchener to his death, were received with the highest honors as guests of the recent party when they arrived at a place in America which cannot be named.

A special train of five cars, which had been waiting with steam up and on in the city, was guarded as almost no other train has ever been guarded in the United States. Double row of men in uniform at all bridges and tunnels, and every mile of the track has been gone over within the previous twenty-four hours to guard against any possibility of sabotage.

A WAR ADMINISTRATION OR GENERAL ELECTION?

(Toronto Star) One of our Toronto contemporaries recently searched its mind and examined its feelings with some care as regards the proposal that Canada ought to have a non-partisan national government during the war, and reached the conclusion that it preferred the present government to one in which any Liberal could be included.

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IT'S YOUR STEP THAT ATTRACTS!

Says women pay too much heed to their face instead of their corns

Watch your step! A brisk, lively step is what charms more than a lovely skin, but your high heels have caused corns and you limp a little. That's bad, girls, and you know it. Corns destroy beauty and grace, besides corns are very easy to remove.

Virile Women's Recipe of Life

Rosy Cheek, Sparkling Eye, Elastic Tread Produced in Her at 93

Rosy of cheeks, sparkling eye and elastic of stride is Mme. Charlotte Davenport, ninety-three years old, who is in St. Louis to deliver a free lecture at the public library on "Longevity." She is a native of Russia, and is accompanied by her husband, William H. Davenport, an English writer on metaphysics and a correspondent of the London Times.

ACTRESS BEAUTY IN FEATURE AT LYRIC

Doris Gray Starred in "Her Beloved Enemy," an Interesting Picture.

The last time the Motion Picture Exhibitors of the United States held a contest for the prize of the most beautiful young lady attending, and a contract given her for several years' work with the Lyric Theatre, producing company. Miss Doris Gray, a bewitching beauty hailing from Dorchester, Mass., was the lucky person in this case and the Theatrical Company not only found a very pretty girl but also a talented one.

QUEER NAMES FOR FLOWERS

The Meanings of Some of Them Are Certainly Amusing Enough The names of some of our prettiest flowers are so queer that they seem amusing to us. Nasturtium, for example, comes from the Latin word meaning "twisted nose." Verbena is from the Latin for "twig" and lavender is derived from the Latin word lavare, to wash, and is really the same word as "laundry."

Blessed Immunity Ethel surprised her mother by her interest in a statue of Venus of Milo. "Oh, I wish I was that lady," she exclaimed. "Why, dear?" her mother asked. "Cause then mother wouldn't always be saying to me 'don't bite your nails, dear!'"

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There are others equally opposed to a national war administration, because they feel sure that if there is a general election the Borden government will be defeated. They do not want to see established a non-partisan war government with Sir Robert Borden as premier. They also think there should be no political parties, but being Liberals, they do not feel that they can trust any party but their own to see that partisanship is thrust aside. And the partisan on one side has just the same right as the partisan on the other side to feel this way about it.

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The "Groundwork" of Health, Comfort and Economy

Advertisement for Dominion Canadian Consolidated Rubber Co. Limited, featuring various trade marks like 'JACQUES CARTIER', 'GRANBY', 'MERCHANTS', 'DAISY', 'MAPLE LEAF', and 'DOMINION'.

Advertisement for Dominion Canadian Consolidated Rubber Co. Limited, featuring the Dominion logo and text about manufacturing plants in Canada.

The wind blow over your face. Stand at the window each morning and inhale long drafts of air. Get in the habit of deep breathing. The system needs the oxygen and the lungs need the exercise. Cultivate tranquility and optimism. Banish the base emotions of fear and worry. Let every day be a new day. Never eat except in a serene and relaxed mood. "Constantly cultivate the faculties of the mind in order to preserve them. A person who ceases to employ his brain is dead, but not buried. I am now taking up the study of Sanskrit for mental exercise." "The secret of long life is to find out the laws of nature and follow them." "Was a War Nurse" Mme. Davenport's energy is proved by the fact that a year ago she completed a service of 18 months as a physician and nurse in a German field hospital at Louvain, Belgium. She left because she could no longer sleep on account of the sights constantly passing before her eyes. Milton's description of hell contained no story so terrible as these actualities, she said. Her alert study of current events, she declared, enabled her to prophesy the outbreak of the war, the assassination of

Paralysis and Locomotor Ataxia

The most dreaded results of neglected nervous diseases—Study this chart and the symptoms stated here to learn if you are in danger—DR. CHASE'S NERVE FOOD will cure you.

To understand paralysis and locomotor ataxia, which is paralysis of the limbs, and their causes, it is well to remember that every movement of the body or its members is due to the contraction of muscle, which can only take place under the influence of nerve force. As this all-important nerve force is created in the nerve centres of the brain and spinal cord, and conducted along wire-like nerve fibres to the various parts of the body, any derangement of the brain, spinal cord or nerve fibres may result in paralysis or loss of the power of movement.

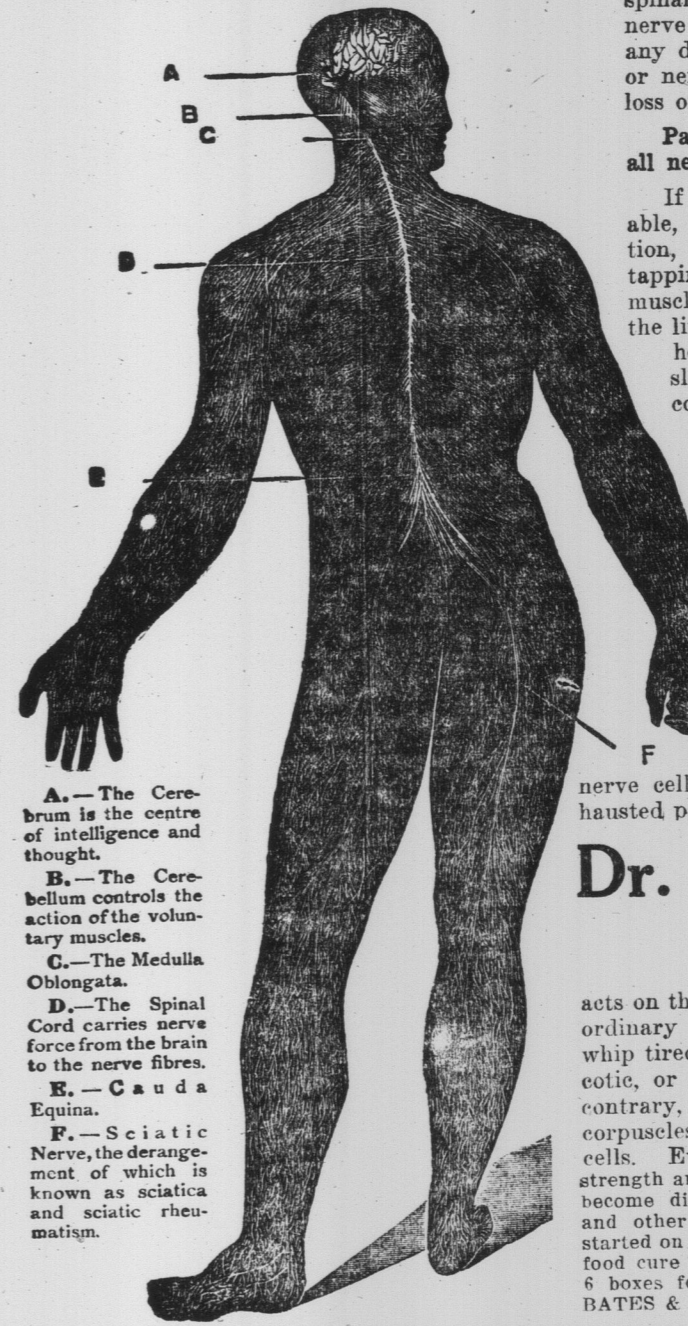
Paralysis, then, is the natural result of all neglected nervous diseases. If you find yourself nervous and irritable, over-sensitive to light, sound and motion, addicted to continual movements, or tapping of the fingers, twitching of the muscles, sudden startings and jerkings of the limbs during sleep; if you have nervous headaches or dyspepsia, are unable to sleep or rest, feel downhearted and discouraged, and unfit to fight the battles of life; if your nerves are weak and exhausted, your blood thin and watery, you have every reason to fear paralysis of at least some part of the body, and consequent suffering and helplessness.

Paralysis can always be prevented, and partial paralysis actually cured, by the timely use of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. The time to begin treatment is when any of the above-mentioned symptoms become apparent. These are indications of a degeneration of the nerve cells, and when nerve force becomes exhausted paralysis is bound to follow.

Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

acts on the system in an entirely different way to ordinary medicines. It is neither a stimulant nor a sedative, nor a narcotic, or opiate, to deaden the nerves. On the contrary, it is a food cure, which forms new, red corpuscles in the blood and creates new nerve cells. Every day it is bringing back health strength and vitality to scores and hundreds who have become discouraged through the failure of doctors' and other treatments to cure them. Why not get started on the way to health at once by using this great food cure? Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 boxes for \$2.50. At all dealers, or EDMANSON, BATES & CO., LIMITED, Toronto.

Do not be talked into accepting a substitute. Imitations disappoint.



GREAT WAR VETERANS' ASSOCIATION AT WINNIPEG



Photo taken in front of City Hall, showing delegates from all over Canada to convention of the newly-formed association. A dominion-wide association to protect the interests of returned soldiers was formed. This is to be made world-wide after the war, according to plans laid.

Desperate Efforts Fail To Stem Advance of British

London, April 24—Reuters' correspondent at British headquarters in France attributes the reckless prodigality with which the Germans are now throwing reserves of men and guns into the firing line with their previous prudence and says that they clearly realize the full extent of the Anglo-French menace to their sole system of communication, and are desperately trying to counter the advance.

London, April 25—A British official communication, issued at midnight, says: "Further information received regarding Monday's battle shows that the fighting was of an exceptionally fierce nature. Seven German divisions were engaged on this front from Croisilles to Avelde. Several points of tactical importance changed hands more than once, it eventually all this remained in our possession, except for a few buildings north of Kocuz. "Not only were frequent hostile counter-attacks shattered by our massed artillery fire, but those of the enemy who succeeded in penetrating our barbed wire were cut down by our rifle or machine gun fire. "One British corps took prisoners on no less than four German divisions.

Delegates From Russian Armies

Twelve Hundred Officers and Men Meet With National Workers at Nisik.

Petrograd, April 25—The congress of delegates from the Russian front opened at Nisik and is being attended by more than 1,200 representatives of the soldiers and workers engaged in national work. M. Rodzianko, president of the Duma, and Minister of War, were present.

ENO'S FRUIT SALT Keeps the World Refreshed and Healthy. The Delightful Tonic Aperient.

WOMEN! MOTHERS! DAUGHTERS! You who tire easily, are pale, have nervous, irritable, or habitually constipated bowels, get your blood purified by taking Dr. Cassell's Tablets.

MILLION DOLLAR FISHING MERGER

An amalgamation of fishing interests in which are merged several of the oldest houses in the fish business in the provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Quebec, has been consummated and the new concern is now known as The Leonard Bros. Limited, with headquarters at Montreal, branches throughout the three provinces named and a capitalization of \$1,000,000. The amalgamation has been completed and the new order of things has come to pass.

The firms which have been thus united are Leonard Bros. of St. John, Montreal and Grand River (Que.), the former North Atlantic Fisheries at Port Hawkesbury (N. S.); Matthews & Scott, which have industries in the three Nova Scotia towns of Queensport, Canso and Eastern Harbor, and A. Wilson & Son, of Halifax, with branches at Canso, Antigonish and Petit de Grat (N. S.).

The officers of the new company are: W. F. Leonard, St. John, president; P. J. Byrne, Montreal, managing director; W. F. Leonard, P. J. Byrne, S. Y. Wilson, Halifax; R. J. Matthews, Port Hawkesbury and W. P. Scott, Queensport, directors. The head office will be at Montreal. W. W. Leonard, of the former firm of Leonard Bros. told The Telegraph last night that the amalgamation will mean that the business, so far as these firms are concerned, will be put on a better basis. It will also mean bigger business, both in the matter of the catch and distribution with better facilities for the handling, packing and curing of the fish. The plant at Port Hawkesbury, he said, is the best equipped in Canada, and was recently erected at a cost of \$200,000 while the cold storage plant, Leonard Bros., situated at Montreal, is also a big feature. The resources of the uniting companies, boats, plants, etc., have been joined and all is now under the one head.

Mr. Leonard further said that it is proposed to make use of steam trawlers as soon as they can be secured. A few trawlers along the lines of those used in the big Grimby (Eng.), fishing industries, are in use on this side of the Atlantic and the new company proposes to make their use more general. Mr. Leonard added that, at the present time, there is difficulty in securing such boats particularly in view of the fact that the British government is making such general use of them for patrol service in the old country but as soon as such boats can be secured they will be put in use. He asked as to the effect on the local business of the concern, Mr. Leonard said that he was not in a position to speak yet.

FOR TIRED SCHOOL CHILDREN Boys and girls who have been bending over their desks for weeks and months, and often studying at home late into the night, get into a weak, nervous, run-down condition, and wise mothers will take the advice of our local druggist and give such children Vinol, because it is a non-secret preparation which contains the oldest and best tonic, and restores health to weak, overworked, run-down people, and to cure chronic coughs, colds and bronchitis, or you can get your money back.

Saxol Salve CURES SKIN AFFECTIONS. One package proves it. Sold and guaranteed by above Vinol druggist.

HEAVIER TAXES ON WAR PROFITS

Ottawa, April 24—Tariff changes, known and unknown, and a substantial increase in the taxation of war profits were the outstanding features of Sir Thomas White's half hour budget speech in the commons today. The shortest budget speech given in the commons in many years and most of it was summed up in one short paragraph defining the increased taxation on business profits in excess of fifteen per cent of the capital invested. "The war profiteers who up to the present have been obliged to contribute only twenty-five per cent of their profits in excess of a seven per cent dividend on capital investment will this year have to pay into the dominion treasury to help finance the war half of all the profits they make over fifteen per cent on capital investment and three-quarters of all profits over twenty per cent. There are hundreds of firms which have been making as high as 100 per cent per annum profit on war orders during the past two years. Sir Thomas was very brief in his presentation of the financial and trade results of the past fiscal year. He dealt only in general figures, and did not attempt to analyze the details of income or expenditure or trade developments. He noted, amid government applause, that out of a total income of \$292,000,000 last year an increase of \$62,000,000 over the preceding year, the government was able to meet all ordinary and capital domestic expenditure and still have \$80,000,000 to the good to apply on the principle of the war debt. He recognized the growing financial obligation of the country arising out of war claims but for the present at least he thought that the proposed increase in the business tax was all that was necessary. He deprecated the imposition of an income tax as being both unwise and impracticable in Canada. A. K. McLean, of Halifax, in leading the criticism of the budget from the opposition side, declared that the government was still falling far short of its obligations to pare down domestic expenditure and take full advantage of the present prosperity to finance a large proportion of the war expenditure out of present taxation. He said that the moral, he followed him, emphasized particularly the failure of the government to give any tariff relief for the increased cost of living, and drew the moral from the belated repentance in regard to free wheat. Perfectly Natural Robust Old Gentleman (to sick woman just arrived at health resort)—When I first came here I hadn't strength to utter a word; I had scarcely a hair on my head; I couldn't walk across the room, and I had to be lifted from my bed. Sick woman—You give me great hope. How were you cured? Robust Old Gentleman—I was born here.

FIRST LOAN TO BRITAIN

Washington, April 24—The United States will lend to Great Britain \$200,000,000 probably tomorrow, as the first loan to any of the Entente governments under the seven billion war finance law, signed today by President Wilson. The money for this loan will be available out of the proceeds of the \$250,000,000 of treasury certificates of indebtedness, due on June 30, and just placed with the banks of the country through the federal reserve board. The loan is not intended to cover Great Britain's full share of the \$3,000,000,000 intended for the Allies, but is designed to meet England's immediate and pressing financial needs. A somewhat similar loan may be made to Italy.

Irreconcilable They had just finished their first quarrel, subsequent to the honeymoon, and she was in tears. "If," she sobbed, "if you had had the tiniest spark of love for me you would never have married me!" Selfish Jack—"Can she keep a secret?" Maud—"Yes, the disagreeable thing."

FRENCH CAPTURE GERMAN GIANT PERISCOPE

One of the most interesting of the devices which have been produced during the war to amplify the range of human vision, is a giant periscope, pictured in the May Popular Mechanics Magazine, which the French captured from the Germans. With this equipment an observer need not seek out some tall tree or high tower from which to spy on the enemy, for this collapsible steel mast can be reared at any desired point in a very few minutes. At its upper end are a conical tube and lenses by which horizontal light rays are deflected downward to the observer stationed below. The apparatus is strongly built and the carriage is so made as to form a wide-spreading base. Supported by the carriage alone the mast can be raised to a height of fifty feet. When it is extended to its full length, which is eighty feet, guy ropes are required to steady it.

COMMISSIONS TO THE U. S.

Washington, April 24—The French commission will arrive in Washington at noon on board the presidential yacht Mayflower from Hampton Roads.

Rome, April 24, via London—It is expected that the Duke of the Abruzzi, cousin of King Victor Emmanuel, will head an Italian mission to the United States.

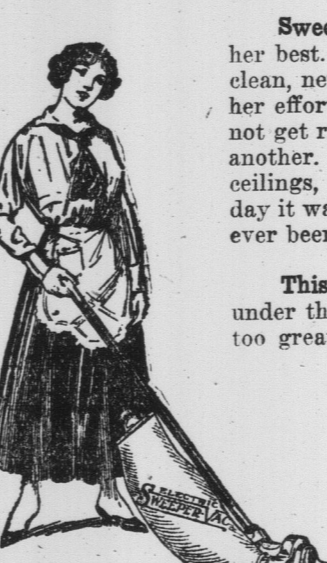
Washington, April 24—Elihu E. Root will head the American commission to Russia, if he will consent to undertake the duty. It became known today that the president has completed the selection of the principal members of the mission.

No Source of Supply "Little girl, why aren't you provided with an umbrella?" "Because father hasn't been to church this year."

The Battle Of The Centuries

FROM the beginning of time, armies of women have waged that unequal and always losing struggle against the Demons of Dust and Dirt. With sublime courage in the face of continual defeat, they renewed the conflict every morning to go through their daily ritual of home cleaning.

Armed with the crudest weapons, but spurred on by love of home, with undying patience, they have never wavered before the attack.



Sweep and dust. Dust and sweep. It satisfied her conscience. She had done her best. But every woman knew in her heart that her house was not really clean, never had been clean, never, in fact, could be clean. She had with all her efforts merely moved the dust around—stirred it up. She had not, could not get rid of it. While she was chasing it out of one corner, it gathered in another. It was still in the house, lurking under the furniture, on the walls and ceilings, behind the piano. To remove it was humanly impossible. From the day it was built until the day the first vacuum cleaner went into it, no home has ever been perfectly clean.

This is no discredit to the woman. She has done all that anyone could do under the circumstances. Unaided, single-handed, she has fought an enemy too great for her physical strength, too cunning for her generalship.

But now the age-long fight is over. The twin giants ELECTRICITY and AIR have done what women's frail strength could never do. Imagine, if you can, the fierce joy that fills a woman's soul when for the first time she takes an Electric-Sweeper-Vac in her own hands and sees hereditary foes, Dust and Dirt, licked up into that hungry nozzle without the slightest effort on her part. Can anyone blame her? What a delight it must be to know that rug shaking is gone, never to return; that the broom is out of fashion; that house-cleaning week is a thing of the past. How she must glory in the thought that the daily drill with the dust-coth is but a memory. In its place instead of a life spent in one continual round of dust pan, scrub brush, soap and mop, there are hours for her sewing on fancy work, hours for her club or church; hours for her children; hours she never could spare before for her own personal appearance.

Now she turns a button, and what was once grueling, back-breaking labor is done for her by a tireless electrical servant.

As that voracious nozzle goes feeling over the floor and walls, under the beds, on top of the bookcase, in dark closets, over the mattress, in and out of the radiators, over every surface within the four walls of your home, every speck of dust and dirt, lint, threads, soot and germs are relentlessly sucked into the Electric-Suction Cleaner (never to be seen again).

In order to regulate our supply and not disappoint our customers, it will be necessary for you to have your inquiry in this office not later than

USE THIS COUPON New Brunswick Power Co., Corner Union and Dock Streets. Gentlemen—I will be glad to give the Electric Sweeper Vac two days' test as per your FREE TRIAL OFFER. It is understood that I am under no obligation to buy. Name Address SATURDAY, APRIL 28 Telephone Today, Main 2436 New Brunswick Power Co.

Have you had a Sleepless Night? Why don't you take Dr. Cassell's Tablets? They're just splendid for sleeplessness. DO THIS. Take two Dr. Cassell's Tablets to-night at bedtime and note how soundly you sleep; how fresh and bright you wake in the morning, how well you feel all day. That test is worth columns of argument; we would not ask you to try it if we were not sure of the result. But we are quite sure. NOTE THIS FACT!—Dr. Cassell's Tablets don't drug you to sleep. They make you sleep naturally, because they overcome all the nerve-fret and friction that prevent sleep. They nourish the nerve-centres, build up new vitality and fill your whole body with sparkling health. Dr. Cassell's Tablets are the key to vim and vigour. Dr. Cassell's Tablets are Nutritive, Restorative, Alterative, and Anti-spasmodic. Sold by Druggists and Storekeepers throughout Canada. Prices: One tube, 60 cents; six tubes for the price of five. War Tax, 2 cents per tube extra. Sole Proprietors: Dr. Cassell's Co., Ltd., Manchester, Eng.

Fairville Boys in Gymnasium Exhibit

Entertainment in Vestry of Baptist Church—Presentation to Volunteer Leader.

A gymnastic exhibition under the supervision of Percy Long, one of the leaders in the local Y. M. C. A., was given last evening by the young people of the Fairville Baptist church before a large sized audience which taxed the vestry of the church to capacity.

The Programme.

The programme was as follows: Grand march by all. Setting-up drill with dumbbells—Twelve boys, Stanley Ross, Percy Waters, John Linton, Gordon Huestis, Jack Sime, Phair Lodge, Harvey Beveridge, Leonard Reed, Percy Sherwood, Coram Lodge, Ralph Huestis.

Remarks by Rev. P. R. Hayward, pastor.

Announcement of the standing of the Canadian standard efficiency tests. Results in intellectual standard; Queens of Avalon (young women); Mr. Hayward's class; Mr. Estey's class.

Physical standard, Queens of Avalon—Laura Sime, Gladys Ross, Verna Howard; knights of King Arthur, Harvey Beveridge, Ralph Huestis, Percy Sherwood, Coram Lodge.

Religious standard, Queens of Avalon—Verna Howard, Elizabeth McMillan, Frances Scott; knights of King Arthur, Byron Linton, Ralph Huestis, Coram Lodge.

The gymnasium and social hall were open this winter for twenty-five weeks of full activity with a total attendance of 2,086.

The weekly average was 81.8, a small part of which was the repeated attendance of the same people in the one week.

Six separate groups of young people have met each week. The weekly average is made up as follows: Boys, 374; girls, 321; visitors, 45 and leaders, 73; suppers in the social hall, 34; practical talks given on a wide variety of subjects; number of meetings opened with devotional exercises.

During the evening's programme Geo. Estey, superintendent of the Sunday school, acted as chairman and Miss Clara Beveridge played the piano accompaniments.

At the close Percy Long, of the leaders' corps of the Y. M. C. A., was called to the front and presented with a gift of gold on behalf of the boys by Geo. Boyd, who in a neat speech thanked Mr. Long for his services during the winter.

On Tuesday evenings Mr. Long has taken charge of the intermediate boys and the young men and has also directed the rehearsals for the exhibition.

Mr. Bank was heartily thanked for his interest and support.

The programme closed with the national anthem.

Wand drill—Girls: Bernice Schofield, Sadie Stevens, Helen Mason, Verna Howard, Helen Camp, Inez Boyd, Laura Sime, Frances Scott, Eliza McMillan, Irma Schofield, Eloise Sime, Lillian Finley, Ida Howard, Nellie Sweet, Helen Sime.

Tumbling—Percy Kerrigan and Geo. Boyd.

Group games—Boys. Solo—By H. O. Bank, of St. John Y. M. C. A.

Fancy marching with Japanese lanterns by twenty young women to form initial letters of Fairville Baptist Young People's Association.

Freshland pyramids—Boys. Schottische—Misses Ida Howard, Laura Sime, Helen Camp, Sadie Stevens, Verna Howard and Elizabeth McMillan.

Ladder pyramids—Boys.

USE THE WANT AD WAY

VARIED PROGRAMME AT UNIQUE THEATRE

'The Purple Mask' in Happy Finale—'Patria' and Pathe News Pictures

Special interest centres around the programme being shown at the Unique the last presentation of which will be given today. Those who have been following the startling mystery detective serial, 'The Purple Mask,' are rewarded this week by seeing the happy finale of the little band of gold.

There are some very pretty scenes enacted in this episode and through a rather remarkable coincidence with Fate and Cupid acting as mediators Kelley the detective, and Patsy the Purple Mask, are brought together and bound in life with that inevitable little band of gold.

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The title of this edition is 'Winged Treasure.' Many excellent views are given of a United States coast guard cutter with its staff of sailors protecting the interests of Patria and waging war on the liner which contains the treasure.

Mrs. Castle is seen exploiting some remarkable and altogether thrilling scenes such as a headlong dive from the top deck of the ocean liner to the waters below and her fight in the water with two of the ship's sailors.

The interest of the story does not wane for a minute, but is well kept up throughout this chapter and it is safe to say that such a story does not come along very often.

The 'Pathe News' presents the latest doings of the allied armies and shows in a very vivid manner the way in which our newest ally, the United States, is preparing for the campaign of war against the Hun.

For the last three days of the week an advertisement of 'Grant, Police Reporter,' will be the feature on a bill of startling merit.

GIANTS ARE LIVING UP TO PREDICTIONS

At Present Look Like Best Club in National League—Chicago Sets Pace in American

It is usually the case that a baseball club which is awarded a pennant in the winter months quickly confounds the prophets as soon as the season begins. While it is still too early to judge whether or not the Giants are going to live up to all the extravagant predictions which have been made during the off season, ten days of championship games find the New York club out in front and going strong.

Manager McGraw's team has lost only two games out of eight played, and leads the league in batting and fielding.

Not only that, but four players are hitting over .300 mark, and one of these is hitting over .500, while another is over .400.

Of course, it is absurd to expect Kliff and Robertson to keep up the batting pace they have set. Nevertheless, the Giants easily look like the best club in the league on the face of actual performance thus far.

They have met two of the strongest clubs in the league in Brooklyn and Boston and have outclassed these strong competitors.

The St. Louis Cardinals have shown surprising strength. But then it must be remembered that in playing the western clubs the Cardinals are not meeting the opposition they will have to face when they play the clubs in the east.

Brooklyn, last year's champion, thus far has been a disappointment, but the nine has not yet shown its real strength.

Manager McGraw believes that Brooklyn will be the club he will have to beat for the pennant, and he ought to be a good judge of ball clubs.

The fact that a club gets a bad start is no proof that it is weak. In 1914 the Boston Braves came from last place well along in the season and fought their way to the world's championship, a feat which, up to that time, smart baseball men believed impossible.

The Chicago Cubs have already shown that they are a better club than last season, while Matty's Cincinnati Reds are plugging along fairly well.

Things which are encouraging to see in the Chicago White Sox are getting the pace, while the champion Red Sox have shown that their club is just as powerful as it was last season.

The Yankees have got a good start, and it is encouraging to see Pectinough and Pipp batting over the .300 mark.

Other members of the club are steadily improving in batting, and the pitchers are almost sure to show greater success as the season progresses.

Cleveland and the St. Louis Browns have already indicated that they may be reckoned within the pennant hunt, while the Detroit Tigers have yet to display the playing strength that is expected of them.

\$3,000 GARDENS FOR WOMEN

Soldiers' wives in Toronto are enthusiastic about back-yard gardens. Six hundred applicants have already placed their name and address, also all particulars as to dimensions of their ground.

Joseph West, convener of the committee. "They are coming in at the rate of about fifty a day, and we anticipate the number will exceed over 4,000."

MATHEWSON MAY PROVE THIS YEARS MIRACLE MAN

New York, April 21.—The addition of a few ball players, the personality of a new manager, and a few shots of the well known pep, is about to make the Ohio river team over and flow upside down.

The Cincinnati Reds are playing big league baseball.

From an early spring viewpoint, clouded to be sure by the foggy perspective of a long, hard, hot summer, the Reds are going to fit into any race the National League stages with considerable grace and ease.

Christy Mathewson is going right along winning ball games, and today he held second ground on the National League ladder, and the smoke wasn't so thick ahead of him either.

Charley Herzog willed Mathewson a good collection of players, but, torn between the desire to assassinate each other and a desire to win ball games. The first-motivated desire was nearly carried out; the second was dropped by the roadside.

The addition of Kopf, a short stop, has plugged a hole in the Cincinnati infield. With Groh, Chase and Shean the Reds present a strong quartet on the worn-off part of the park.

Shean also is a new comer to the National, but a veteran as a ball player is figured.

A herd of young pitchers is the main claim to fame for Mathewson. And they're delivering. Pete Schneider, Clarence Mitchell, Ring, Sanders, Eller. They're all helping.

Y.M.C.I. WINS OPENING GAMES

Local Team Makes Good Start in Bowling Tournament in Calais.

Y. M. C. I.

The bowling tournament for the championship of the maritime provinces and eastern Maine was commenced in Calais yesterday and competition between the participants was keen.

The local Y. M. C. I. team succeeded in vanquishing two of the best teams in the tournament, namely Black's and St. Stephen, and made a good start on the road for the championship.

The result of the early games was as follows: St. Stephen, 1,482; Calais, 1,371; Woodland, 1,315; Amherst, 1,289.

Y. M. C. I., 1,452; Black's alleys, 1,408.

Calais, 1,399; Woodland, 1,313. Y. M. C. I., 1,426; St. Stephen, 1,421.

The matches in which St. John teams played were as follows:

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Table with 3 columns: Name, Total, Avg. Lowe 97 88 100 285 95

The Logical Cigarette For smokers who value health as a business asset. CRAVEN 'A' Virginia Cigarettes 10 for 10 Cents Packages of 50-80c.

The Man Who Thinks, appreciates the advantages of Fit-Reform Spring Suits and Top Coats. It's time saved—guaranteed fabrics—tailoring that can't be bettered—right style—and perfect fit. Spring models ready.

Fit-Reform DONALDSON HUNT 17 AND 19 CHARLOTTE STREET

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION The 22nd anniversary of Johnson L. O. B. A. was celebrated last evening in Orange Hall, a large number of friends and guests being present.

You Should Worry about the high cost of Footwear with me in St. John. Here is the one Shoe Store in your city where you can depend on getting Boots and Shoes of high quality at lowest possible prices—prices that would not be possible if stocks were purchased in the regular way.

Mutt and Jeff—Jeff Was Well Posted For Once In His Life (COPYRIGHT, 1917, BY H. C. FISHER, TRADE MARK REGISTERED.)

The New Series CHEVROLET UNRIVALLED AS A HILL CLIMBER The power furnished by the valve-in-head motor enables the driver of a Chevrolet to take on high gear, hills which baffle other makes of cars.

By 'Bud' Fisher YOU'RE NOT A MAN, YOU'RE A POSTMAN!

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

Two Different Snows Today's Matinee
IMPERIAL THEATRE
Read These Arrangements:
MATINEE From 2 to 3.45
Geo. M. Cohan's Great Success BROADWAY JONES
TONIGHT 7 and 8.45
The Final Showings of the Best Comedy Yet to Hand "BROADWAY JONES"
ALSO SCENIC AND COMEDY FILMS

SPORT NEWS OF THE DAY HOME AND ABROAD
BILLIARDS
A Billiard Prodigy
New York, April 23.—Walter Cochran, a Manson, Ia., billiard prodigy, is playing 182 ball in championship form.

VAUDEVILLE AND PICTURES
ALICE BRADY
Engaging romance of court life in The Kingdom of Balkany. Dressy, elaborate picture and enchanting story in
"THE GILDED CAGE"
Montagu Love and Arthur Ashley in the cast of this five-reel World Brady-made triumph.
You'll Enjoy Every Foot of It.
HAL JAMES
Presenting a Neat Novelty Dancing Act.
BARTELLO and LEEDS
A Comedy Team With Something Real Good.

OPERA HOUSE
MR. and MRS. ERNEST CORTIS Dramatic Sketch
"THE MASTER MOVE"
THE 3 IONAS Singing and Pianologue
FAIRBANKS and MAJOR — Comedy, Singing and Talking
Two Other Good Acts and "Crimson Stain Mystery"
TONIGHT at 7.30 and 9. EVERY AFTERNOON at 2.30
THURSDAY and FRIDAY NIGHTS AT 9 O'CLOCK
H. M. S. PINAFORE
Large Cast, Big Chorus, Special Dances, Special Scenic Settings, Natty Costumes.
Anspices Royal Standard Chapter, I.O.E.

UNIQUE LYRIC
What Happens to the Millions?
WINGED TREASURE
"THE PATHE NEWS
Noises of World-Wide Interest
"THE PURPLE MASK"
"THE PRISONER OF LOVE"
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BASEBALL
National League.
In New York—Boston 2, New York 8.
Batteries—Allen, Barnes and Gowdy; Schupp and McCarty.
In Cincinnati—Chicago 8, Cincinnati 4.
Batteries—Demaree, Carter, Aldridge and Elliott; Mitchell, Knetzer, Eller and Wingo.
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ATHLETIC
Harvard to Retain Sports
Cambridge, Mass., April 24.—An intimation that intercollegiate sports may possibly be resumed by Harvard University, next fall is contained in a statement to Harvard athletes issued by Fred W. Moore, graduate treasurer of Harvard athletics. Mr. Moore urges students to take part regularly in some form of outdoor sports, "for the benefit of both of next year's teams, if there are such, and of the individual athletes."

Had Been Many Quarrels.
Control of the Du Pont Company prior to these golden days had been passed around in the family in friendly fashion, and although there had been some bitter quarrels among the different branches over social precedence and honors, and situations had even arisen in which the skeletons had been taken out of the cupboard and rattled a little in court, it was not thought that a rift would ever come in the business relations.

Ontario's Work to Increase the Supply of Food
Toronto, April 16.—The provincial campaign to increase production is being directed by Dr. G. C. Creelman, president of the Ontario Agricultural college. High wages in cities, enlistments and other causes have resulted in a very acute labor shortage on Ontario farms. For years agriculture has been declining in this province and the problem now consists in rehabilitating and popularizing this industry making use of many abandoned farms and using all man power available in the production of foodstuffs. To mobilize such man power is the immediate purpose of Dr. Creelman and his colleagues. Bureaus for registration of agricultural laborers were opened up by the Ontario government some weeks ago at Port Huron and Buffalo and it is hoped nearly six hundred men from the United States will be secured by this method. Inducements are being offered to get twelve hundred boys from the high schools and colleges to spend the summer holidays in farm work, such employment to be accepted in lieu of examinations. Representatives of the government are now engaged in explaining the plan to boys and parents. University men and women and high school teachers are being urged to volunteer for similar work. Registration has already begun and is meeting with considerable success. Women students at the universities and women teachers are being mobilized for the work in the fruit districts. The Young Women's Christian Association is co-operating in providing housing accommodation, and hotels will be established at four centres in Niagara fruit areas. The Toronto board of trade working in co-operation with the Ontario government, has appealed to employers of labor to release all men with agricultural experience during the seeding and harvesting periods. Moreover employers are being asked to grant employees three weeks' holidays instead of the customary two in order that they may aid in the food production effort, and employers are being enlisted for work on farms. J. W. Woods, who was president last year of the board of trade, has set an example by volunteering for such service. The propaganda is being carried on by means of large advertisements in newspapers, impressing the seriousness of the situation, and the necessity for the co-operation of all classes to increase the production. City residents are being urged to cultivate back yards and keep poultry in the rural districts. A campaign for the use of a better quality of seeds is being conducted and farmers are also being called upon to keep more hens and retain all female calves for reproduction purposes, instead of selling them to be slaughtered for veal. One of the most effective factors in the campaign are public addresses by Dr. Creelman, who has been calling for increased organization for production in order that Ontario may do its utmost with its surplus food supplies to relieve the shortage in Europe. No definite amount of money has been voted for the campaign. The expenditure is being made from unexpended monies at the disposal of the provincial secretary and being charged against the organization of resources committee appointed by the Ontario legislature. Dr. Creelman himself has no clear idea what the work will cost because it has only been started and its scope and indefinite.

VIRGINIA PEARSON IN TODAY'S FEATURE
Another Splendid Fox Production
STAR THEATRE
WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY
"THE TORTURED HEART"
also an interesting issue of the "Mutual Weekly"
HIGHLY REFINED SHOW - NOTHING TO OFFEND

COFFEY OUGHTOUT MORRIS
Jim Coffey, Dublin giant, outfought Cal Morris of Oklahoma in a ten round bout at New York on Monday night. Coffey had the better of seven rounds, while Morris placed the fifth, sixth and seventh rounds to his credit. In the second round Coffey opened a cut over the westerner's left eye.
Roddie McDonald Enlists
The Glace Bay Gazette says:—A letter received in town from a Glace Bay boy in New York states that Roddie McDonald and Johnny Morris, two Glace Bay middleweights, have enlisted in a sportsmen's battalion now being mobilized there.

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ench United To Gain Victory
United Women Alike Are Determined—Cannot Thank Canadians Enough, Says M. Lauzanne
(Ottawa Journal-Press.)
It is most heartily that our men are fighting to the trenches, and it is most truly that they do not come back. These were the words of M. Stephanne Lauzanne, of Paris, editor-in-chief of one of the greatest newspapers, "Le Matin," who addressed the Canadian Club luncheon on Saturday on "Fighting France." M. Stephanne Lauzanne, in addressing a distinguished journalist, a soldier of France, who, after his discharge from active service because of illness, came to America as a representative of the French National Committee. He was greeted by a large and distinguished audience, including His Excellency, the Duke of Devonshire, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, Hon. Martin Burrell, and other prominent citizens.
ividly and emotionally, M. Lauzanne told the story of France's participation in the war, of the dogged determination of her fighters, and of the willingness and refusal of her women and children, was one of the most eloquent and stirring war-time addresses that the club has ever listened to.
I want to express gratitude," he said, "for the splendid assistance rendered my fighting country by the gallant soldiers of Canada. The names of Vimy Ridge and Arras will long remain engraved in history."
Dealing with the reason for France's participation in the war, the speaker declared that France never wanted war, but she was never prepared for it and did not declare war. History would decide who wanted war and who declared it. The world had been shocked by German atrocities in Belgium, France and Serbia, but the speaker had not been surprised at these horrors, for Germany had plainly written in a series of text books that war would be impossible without these things. "I defy anyone," he said, "to recall any actions by France or any of the Allies, that has called from any of the neutrals such a protest as the one sent to Germany by the President of the United States."
To the Bitter End.
The speaker declared that the soldiers of his country were admirable. They were possessed of a clear vision of their duty and they were not only willing, but anxious to do their share. The women of France too had been doing their bit in various ways. "It is because we have such men and women that we are going to continue to fight to the bitter end," he said. "We are fighting for an ideal and we are fighting to put an end to aggression and Prussian militarism forever. It will not be very long now before the Germans will be getting down on their knees and asking the world to pardon them for their many crimes. We are going to teach them that in the future they will have to respect the rights of every nation in the world."
Gen Byng's Optimism.
His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire thanked the speaker for his admirable and striking address and said he took pride in welcoming to Canada a representative from glorious France. Before coming to Canada His Excellency had spent a few days with General Byng in France. One mild October evening the general took him to a well known spot

and pointing to a ridge—Vimy Ridge, said, "I am looking forward to the day when the Canadians will capture that ridge. It may be a long time, and it may only be a short time, but we intend to capture it."
In conclusion, His Excellency said he hoped the success of the Canadians during the last few days would lead Canadians at home to put every ounce of their strength and resources into helping to win the struggle. They had before them the splendid example furnished by the men, women, and children of

deal went through. Pierre Du Pont became president and Alfred L. vice-president.
Once out of the company, Gen. Du Pont's interest was drawn to other affairs. He conceived the vision of erecting a great office building, which should be a marvel of its kind. Furthermore, he wanted to be president of the United States on the platform of "a business candidate."
To gratify the two ambitions, he needed a lot of money, so he approached Pierre Du Pont and made an offer to sell 30,000 shares of common stock at \$100 a share. Alfred I. Du Pont and William Du Pont showed their hands, and their hatred at this juncture and as members of the financial committee blocked the deal, contending that the stock was paying only 8 per cent, and was not worth more than \$125 a share.
Just about this time the war orders began to pour in. Pierre Du Pont and John J. Raskob, treasurer of the company, saw what a gold mine the Du Pont property was going to become, and they determined to get that stock of the general's if it was still in the market.
The deal, however, had been observed by the growth of the Du Pont war business and had raised his price to \$200 a share. He asked them for his common stock and agreed to dispose of 20,000 shares as well as 14,599 shares of preferred.
Borrowed of Morgan.
To swing a deal of this magnitude, more than \$18,000,000 was needed. Pierre Du Pont and Raskob did not have that money, but they were willing to take a chance, so they went to J. P. Morgan & Co. and borrowed it. They got eight million in cash and gave notes for the rest to General Du Pont, who went ahead and put up his magnificent building—the Equitable—and who had enough left over to buy control of the Equitable Life Assurance Society. He did not, however, win out as a presidential candidate, but that is another story.
No sooner had the stock passed to its new owners than the real magnitude of the war business the company would get to be evident, and instead of a gold mine they had a diamond mine and a ruby mine and a pearl mine all in one. The price of the shares went to hitherto unimagined heights and in a short time the profits of Pierre Du Pont and Raskob on their deal with General Du Pont alone had amounted to \$55,000,000.
Pierre Du Pont and Raskob within a short time were not only able to take up the notes given to the general, but they also paid Morgan & Co. every cent which had been borrowed in cash. Just about at this period the real trouble began.
Instigated by Alfred I. Du Pont, Philip Du Pont, his cousin, brought suit to have the stock bought from the General turned over to the company for the benefit of all stockholders. Francis, William and then Alfred Du Pont finally joined Philippe in the suit and almost immediately they were politely invited to resign their positions in the company. They did. Later another polite invitation came to them to get off the board of directors, for control of which they had been fighting in the meantime.
Pierre Du Pont was now in supreme control of the company. Whether he will stay there depends upon the outcome of the suit. If he wins he does. If he loses and the T. Coleman Du Pont stock must be distributed, the wheel will turn again in favor of Alfred and his faction. Which ever way it comes out means only another phase of a battle that promises to be unending. When it finally gets to the supreme court and is decided there, the ones who lose in the highest tribunal won't be satisfied, but are likely to find new grounds for contention and to start at the bottom to do it all over again. The Du Ponts never give up.

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The Man In The Street

The daylight saving petitions seem to have been a waste of time.

After one took the petitions the commission decided to let the returning officer settle the matter.

If time means money, the daylight saving agitation indicates that a lot of citizens are willing to be extravagant.

The total of the monthly grocery bills would seem to show that every one is living high these days, if one did not stop to notice what one gets for the money.

Might Be No Worse

After watching the efforts of the public works department to improve the pavement at the foot of Main street, some of the residents have expressed the wish that the department had stuck to its policy of letting nature take its course.

Just another of life's inconsistencies. The retail liquor merchants... cannot get them, so far. The retail druggists could get them—and they don't want them.

The Borden government seems to be holding firmly to the idea that anything which must be done at a loss should be done by the government while any work which can show a profit must be left to the profiteers.

Did They "Hate" Them?

Before the daylight saving petitions—pro and anti—were presented to the common council there was some discussion as to how the rival petitions would be compared. Even checking the number of names would be a tiresome job and checking the number of voters in the lists would be almost too much to undertake. Dealing into history, as recorded in biographical matter relating to literary creation known to fame as "Josiah Allen's Wife," one of the commissioners found a precedent.

In search of a comparison, Josiah had remarked that something was as long as "What do you know of 'Paradise Lost'?" asked his wife. "You never read it."

"No," Josiah answered, "but I have heard it."

SOME FOOD PRICE INCREASES IN WEEK

The way in which the cost of living has continued to climb is illustrated by the changes in some of the staple commodities which have been recorded during the last week. During this period four advanced ninety cents a barrel. Sugar went up thirty cents a hundred pounds. Beans showed an advance of from twenty-five to fifty cents a bushel. Lard shared in the upward movement with an advance from one-half to one cent a pound. Cream of tartar jumped three cents a pound. Prunes made a slight advance. About thirty-five cents a barrel, with prospects of further rises. These changes are quoted from the wholesale prices and, in most cases, involve a greater increase in the retail prices.

WORK FOR THE POOR

The work of the sewing circle of St. Vincent de Paul Society was brought to a close last evening in their rooms in Waterloo street when an informal tea was given by the ladies. About thirty-five ladies of the circle were present and a very pleasant evening was spent. The sewing circle has been exceptionally busy throughout the winter months and by their efforts with the needle the poor within their jurisdiction have been supplied with necessities in clothing. The circle met each Wednesday night and worked from 7.30 until 10 o'clock mending and making clothes and distributing them among the poor.

To the president, Mrs. E. Haney, much credit is given. She has been untiring in her efforts and to herself and her band of workers much praise is due for excellent, noble work among the needy. Following the tea a short impromptu programme was carried out. The circle will suspend activities until after the summer.

AT THE BOYS CLUB

An enjoyable entertainment was held in the Boys' Club last evening. Miss Alice Murdoch, Miss Doris Barbour, Miss Jennie Robinson, Miss Chearls, with Mrs. Roy McKendrick and Miss Marion McKendrick treated the boys to ice cream and cake. Miss Barbour played and the boys sang choruses. Dr. Leonard sang and Mrs. W. C. Good told a very interesting story. Rev. A. L. Fleming described a three months' trip with Eskimos over the ice in Buffalo Land. Mrs. J. E. Secord and Mrs. A. M. Belding of the playgrounds executive were present.

NEWS OF GUNNER GEO. FOLEY

Mrs. Luke Foley of West St. John has received a letter from the Canadian Red Cross Society, London, relative to her son, Gunner George Foley, of Lieut.-Col. Frank Magee's battery, who is now in the Canadian Red Cross Special hospital in Buxton, England. The letter recounts a visit paid to Gunner Foley by a Red Cross representative. He was getting along fairly well and was very contented. He is suffering from trench fever, very painful at times and requiring to be well treated. He is in an excellent hospital in the most beautiful part of England and everything for scientific treatment is there, so that he will have every chance of getting well soon.

TODAY'S BALL GAMES.

National League—Chicago at Cincinnati, clear, 3 p. m.; Boston at Brooklyn, clear, 3.30 p. m.; New York at Philadelphia, clear, 3 p. m.; Pittsburgh at St. Louis, cloudy, 3 p. m.

American League—Cleveland at Chicago, rain, 3 p. m.; St. Louis at Detroit, cold and cloudy, 3 p. m.; Washington at Boston, clear, 3 p. m.; Philadelphia at New York, clear, 3.30 p. m.

International League—Toronto at Newark, clear, 3.30 p. m.; Rochester at Providence, clear, 3.15 p. m.; Buffalo at Baltimore, clear, 3.45 p. m.; Montreal at Richmond, cloudy, 4 p. m.

VETERANS HERE FOR DOMINION ORGANIZATION

Vote in Favor of the Larger Association—President, on Return After Convention in West, Explains Project.

At a meeting of the European War Veterans Association held on Monday evening the president, Bud Tippet, gave his report as delegate to the Dominion War Veterans Association of Canada, which was held in Winnipeg. He brought back a copy of the Dominion constitution. This constitution was discussed fully and a motion was put to determine whether to link with the Dominion organization or remain local. The agreement was unanimous for the Dominion organization. In the future the association will be known as the Great War Veterans Association of Canada, with headquarters in Ottawa. St. John will be the provincial headquarters. By the new constitution all returned men are eligible for membership and the officers of the association must be returned soldiers in the province, especially in St. John, will join the organization for the welfare of themselves and comrades who will follow them home later. The St. John association will soon move into larger quarters at 206 Union street, as they are gaining in numbers every week and will require more room as time goes on and more men return.

The president gave excellent reports of the associations in western Canada. In Toronto they have 900 members, a fine club room, a self-contained house of their own. The ladies of Toronto collected \$10,000 for them to start with. Moose Jaw has a fine hotel run by the men's club room with reading quarters for men going through the city or waiting discharge. It is felt that there is no reason why St. John cannot have the same for their returned men and this thought was expressed by the men at Monday's meeting. But the main object at present was the securing of everything for the welfare of the men. The dues and benefits obtained were explained to the members and intending members. The dues are \$1.00 monthly dues, initiation fee is \$1.00, and a benevolent fund. For this a member gets the full use of the club room, games and pool table, writing material and books. And in case of adversity or family troubles he receives financial assistance from the benevolent fund and the backing of the Dominion organization for his welfare as a returned man for civil life again.

MAY HOLD PLEBISCITE ON DAYLIGHT SAVING

(Continued on page 5.)

Referring to statements that he had interfered with the management of the fire department, Commissioner of the city said that he never had given an order to the department at a fire in his life. He found the water supply at the recent fire fully adequate and the apparatus had done all that was asked of it.

The mayor said this confirmed his own view and he did not see how the underwriters could justify their claims for increased rates.

Commissioner Wigmore added that he received a full report from a capable of each fire and the reports had been very satisfactory.

The Rival Petitions

The mayor then presented the matter of petitions relating to daylight saving, for and against, announcing that the unofficial count showed 3,220 signatures for and 5,120 against. He asked for expressions of opinion.

Commissioner McLellan said he wished to act in accordance with the desire of the majority of citizens, and he did not intend to change his opinion because certain corporations would find a change to their pecuniary advantage. The law to be placed on the books without opposition and he would have to be convinced that it was undesirable to the majority before it should be changed, and he did not think this could be established by petitions. If it was of sufficient importance to make a change, it was important enough to hold a plebiscite. He favored its adoption as fixed by law; if there was any move to postpone it, he might vote against its adoption at all. To drop it, he felt, would be a black eye to the larger movement. It had been said that some persons and corporations would not observe it and denied the city's right to pass the law; this would be an additional argument for a plebiscite.

Commissioner Russell said he was in favor of the adoption of the plan again this year.

Commissioner Wigmore said that without the daylight saving plan, no one is inconvenienced. It is claimed, on the other hand, that with the plan in use in St. John alone it would inconvenience a large number of people.

Therefore, that he would have to vote against its adoption this year, although he was strongly in favor of it personally.

In face of the petition of more than 5,000 names, Commissioner Fisher said he would have to vote against its adoption. He believed in the principle, even locally, and if the council voted to do so to aid in the campaign for its Dominion-wide adoption. He approved of the suggestion for a plebiscite, but thought that the plebiscite should be delayed until the next civic election, in order to avoid the expense of a special election.

Commissioner McLellan pointed out that the charter promised certain means for protesting against legislation, and this had not been taken advantage of. The petitions undoubtedly were signed by large numbers of persons who were not tax payers.

The mayor said he approved of the daylight saving plan, but did not feel inclined to make a decision under the circumstances. He felt that it should be left to a plebiscite. He suggested that the adoption be deferred until May 20 and the plebiscite taken before that date.

Commissioner Wigmore moved that the operation of the daylight saving plan be deferred until May 20 and that a plebiscite be taken before that date.

The council finally decided to adjourn until Thursday morning, in order to give an opportunity to secure the advice of the city solicitor regarding the authority of the council to call for such a plebiscite.

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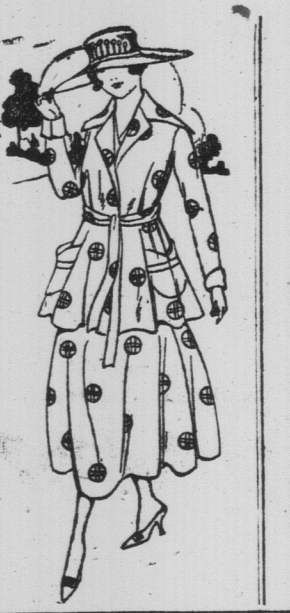
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TEAM OWNERS ASK FOR INCREASE IN DAY'S PAY

The following petition, largely signed, is to be presented this week to the city council:

"Owing to the high cost of living and the price of feed at present the undersigned team owners have decided to ask you to increase wages of double teams from \$5 to \$6 per day, and single teams at \$4 per day.

DEATH OF W. H. MYLES

The many friends of W. H. Myles will regret to hear of his death which occurred today at his residence, corner of Simonds and High streets. Mr. Myles was the son of John Myles of Enniskillen, Ireland, who married as his second wife Elizabeth Day of Long Beach. Mr. Myles was a member of Portland Methodist church and a member of its board of trustees. He was also a member of "Omnigony" Lodge of Foresters. He started work in the grocery business of his brother, the late Andrew Myles, at the age of fourteen years, continued with him until he started business for himself, staying in business until his health demanded retirement, when he sold out to his employe, George Apt, who had served him during fifteen years.

He married Annie D., eldest daughter of David Dobson, and niece of the late Rev. Wm. Dobson who was pastor of Portland Methodist and Centenary churches. Mr. Myles leaves, besides his wife, two sons, Walter, a commercial traveler, and Robert H., of the post office staff, but now on active service in France, one daughter, Miss Laura, at home, one brother, Robert D., of Winstons, Montana, and one sister, Mrs. Margaret Craig.

A man of sterling qualities, good disposition and a reliable friend, he will be greatly missed by those who knew him.

ASSAULT CASE

Before Magistrate Adams at Brookville yesterday Michael Galivan was charged with assaulting Wm. Ryan on the 18th inst., and was fined \$20. This was allowed to stand pending good behavior.

Get Ready Early For The Out-of-door Weather

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