

FARMERS PARTY REMAIN SILENT ON THE BUDGET

Liberal Unionists Accept the Fiscal Policy of Moderate Protection.

NO SERIOUS ATTACK ON TAXATION PLAN

Opposition Attack so Far Has Lost Effectiveness Because of Diversity of Opinion in Party.

Special to The Standard. Ottawa, May 20.—So far the features of the Budget debate have been the acceptance by the Liberal Unionists of a fiscal policy of moderate protection, the absence of any serious attack on the new taxation proposals, and the continued silence of the Farmers' Party on the Budget. So far such Liberal Unionists as R. J. Manion, C. C. Ballantyne, Stanley Elkins, and H. C. Mowat have avowed their adherence to the policy of moderate protection. They represent Liberal Unionism in New Ontario, Old Ontario, Quebec and the Maritime Provinces. British Columbia Liberal Unionists are all moderate protectionists. Nor will there be any defections from among the Liberal Unionists of the Prairie. They will support the Budget as a national necessity for revenue purposes, and in view of the pledge of an immediate tariff investigation to be followed by a revision next session.

Opposition Weak. The Opposition attack has not been concerted. It has lost its effectiveness in the diversity of opinion in the party. So far there has been no condemnation of the abolition of the war time customs duty, nor of either the sales or luxury tax. Little has been said of the modification of the business profit tax or the increase in the income tax. Opposition members are united in their criticism of the Government's failure to institute a tariff inquiry.

This is a broken pledge, they claim, and charge that the present promise is insincere. There remains but Hon. Mr. King to make any serious criticism as the financial policy in effect. Mr. Fleming, D. D. McKenzie and A. E. MacMaster have all spoken and none agreed either on the Liberal fiscal policy or the financial policy in effect. They have all voiced the farmers, who are very cool and seem to be awaiting definite proposals.

On the most important debate this session, the constitutional department in the appointment of a Canadian Minister Plenipotentiary to Washington, the Farmers Party made no comment. Hon. T. A. Crerar, who left the Commons during the debate and did not register his vote. They cannot do this on the Budget, and are weakly abstaining from participating in the debate. Hon. T. A. Crerar as a party leader, owes it to Parliament to speak, or at least to give his views on the tenants express the views of his party.

SPEAKER REPRIMANDS BRITISH COMMONS

Thinks Members Should Desist in Criticising Other Governments.

London, May 20.—(By Canadian Associated Press)—The Polish debate in the House of Commons, today, brought out an intervention by the Speaker who declared that the members had no right to discuss the government of Poland or of any other country except their own. He said: "The position appears to me, and so far from leading to friendly feelings between us and other signatories to the League of Nations, it seems to me that it will lead to great danger of animosity. Let us say that we began to criticize the United States of America. Is that likely to lead to any beneficial result? I cannot help but be solemnly impressing upon the House that the less we criticize the motives of other governments, the more likely are we to arrive at and remain in friendly relations with them."

O. J. KILLAM LEADS ALL TRAPSHOOTERS

St. John Man Has, So Far, Hung up the Big Record for Canada.

Toronto, May 20.—The last one hundred bird shot in the Olympic Trap shooting trials will be shot throughout Canada on Saturday, and when the scores are received, the team for Antwerp will be selected. O. J. Killam, St. John, N. B., at present leads the field, with 197 out of 200 birds shot at, and J. H. Montgomery, Beamsville, Ont., is second with 184. All centres except Edmonton have been heard from. Carter, Vancouver, is third with 186; Jas. McLaughlin, Halifax, fourth, 184; S. G. Vance, Tillsonburg, Ont., fifth, 183. The first twenty on the list have all broken 170 or better.

ICE BREAKS IN YUKON RIVER

Supplies of Food Will Soon Be Rushed to the Needy Ones in Yukon Territory.

Dawson, Y. T., May 20.—Alleviation of the food shortage, existing throughout Yukon Territory, seemed probable within a week today, as the result of the break in the ice in the Yukon river, Monday night. The break up this year was the latest since the Klondike camp was established 24 years ago, early settlers said. It is said that the river will be cleared of ice shortly, and that streamers, with greatly needed food cargoes, will be able to make passage to Dawson within a week.

CHARGED WITH KILLING VIRGINIA GARRETTE

Preliminary Hearing Called at Hampton Yesterday—Case Postponed to July 20.

Special to The Standard. Hampton, May 20.—At a preliminary hearing held before Stipendiary Magistrate P. W. P. Brewster in the Kings County Court, House this afternoon, Harold Beverly, John Kennedy, Charles Ross, Allan Currie and Jack Wilkinson were charged with having on the night of the 20th of April, 1920, killed and slain, at Hamforth, in the County of Kings, Virginia Garrette, a female child.

Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., who appeared on behalf of the Crown, stated that in view of the fact that one of the parties implicated, was unable to proceed with the case, and he therefore asked that it be adjourned. He further stated that the Crown would raise no objection to the five of the accused able to be present, being allowed their liberty on a reasonable amount of bail, pending the resumption of the case.

Magistrate Brewster acquiesced with the prosecution's request and adjourned the case to Tuesday, July the 20th, at 2.30 in the afternoon. Dr. J. B. Baxter, K. C., who was present in the interest of Beverly and John Kennedy, and Senator George W. Fowler, K. C., who appeared on behalf of Charles Ross, Allan Currie and Jack Wilkinson, then applied for bail on behalf of their clients, the magistrate granting the same, the bail being for the sum of one thousand dollars with two sureties of five hundred dollars each.

The bondsmen were: For Beverly, Messrs. J. B. Baxter, C. Purdy, J. Allen Currie, William T. Bell and Charles Wilkinson, who also went good for Jack Wilkinson.

Thomas Dean and George W. Fowler provided the sureties for Charles Ross and John B. Baxter and Thomas Dean provided them for John Kennedy.

It was stated that Max Dean, the only one of the accused who was unable to attend the hearing was slowly recovering from his injuries and with continued improvement would be able to present at the date set for the resumption of the hearing.

All five of the boys on being granted bail returned to St. John on Wednesday noon train, free for a time at least after nearly a month spent in the jail at St. John awaiting yesterday's hearing.

WEIRD TALE OF FIGHT AMONG SMUGGLERS

Federal Authorities at Detroit Are Investigating Story Told by Two Men.

Detroit, Mich., May 20.—Federal authorities here were investigating a story told by two men whose names they withheld, of a fight Wednesday night, among alleged liquor smugglers in a motor launch on the Lower Detroit river. According to the story, three men were drowned after their launch had been rammed by a larger craft.

The fight, according to the two informants, occurred about a mile offshore. A 15 minute battle with steel bars and clubs occurred, they said, before the largest launch drew off about 100 feet, swung around and pushed into the small craft at full speed.

One of England's leading airplane factories has been converted into a clock making factory.

INTERESTING SPEECHES ON BUDGET DEBATE

McKenzie Becomes Over Zealous for the Poor Man and Thinks Tax Proposal a Burden.

NAT'L PROGRESSIVES ARE CRITICISED Accused of Picking Flaws in Other Parties When Their Own Hands Were Not Clean.

Ottawa, May 20.—(Canadian Press)—The Budget debate continued today with some interesting speeches coming from both sides of the House. D. McKenzie (North Cape Breton) who was the chief Opposition speaker, reminded the House that more than eight years ago the Government had promised a tariff commission. The nearest that promise ever came to realization was when it was renewed this week. A downward revision of the tariff need never be feared while the present Government was in power. The Budget had brought no relief to anyone. The poor man was taxed as much as the rich. Mr. McKenzie claimed that \$276,000,000 had been taken from the pockets of the Canadians to buy food for starving Europeans. All this meant enhancing values at home. The Government's friends, the rich men of the country, had been allowed to spend this sum as they pleased.

H. M. Mowat (Parkeade) declared Sir Henry Drayton had justified all the expectations which the country had had of him. He criticized Mr. McKenzie for his attack on the Milliken estimates and hoped the mothers of the country would not be led away by such talk.

How About Progressiveness? H. H. Stevens (Vancouver) charged Mr. McKenzie with having labored to justify his voting for the Pledging amendment, and declared there were strange contradictions in the attitude of the Liberals on the tariff question.

Mr. Stevens criticized the National Progressives, who picked flaws in other parties when their own hands were not clean. He declared the United Grain Growers Company and the Grain Exporters Company of New York, should be looked into. The latter with an actual cash investment of \$100,000 made \$500,000 in one year. The latter abolition of the Canada Wheat Board when the handling of this season's crop is completed. He charged that members of the board were speculators which were profiting from their handling of wheat.

L. J. Gauthier (Ste Hyacinthe) charged the Government with being deaf to the cries of the oppressed poor and leading them by the burdens of taxation, while profiteers escaped. The Government had lost the confidence of the people. It had won the war but could not restore peace. He foresaw the ruination of the C. P. R., the best managed corporation in the world, because it was compelled to compete on equal rates with the Canadian National railways, whose deficits were absorbed by the Government.

It had been expected that Premier Lloyd George would attend the session and give an account of the Hythe Conference, but in his absence, Mr. Bonar Law made a statement which, however, added little to what was already known, beyond the fact that the armistice of the German indemnity Spa Conference will be a consultative gathering to the extent that the Director of Publicity of the League should be a declaration of the amount of indemnity Germany is prepared to pay.

THEEVES SHOOT NEW YORK POLICE DIRECTOR

New York, May 20.—Detective Sergeant John Fitzpatrick was shot twice and seriously wounded, tonight, by an unidentified confederate of two automobile thieves in West 56th Street. The policeman's back was turned to his assistant as the shots were fired. He was taken to a hospital in a critical condition. The three men escaped. The thieves escaped in an automobile stolen from in front of the residence of Dr. McCall Anderson, but before they got away, one of them was shot by the wounded detective as he lay on the sidewalk with a bullet near his heart.

The shooting occurred at Fifth Avenue and 56th Street, near the Hotels St. Regis and Gotham. Patrons of both hotels heard the rattle of pistol shots and many ran into the street. They were held back by one of the robbers while the other assisted his wounded companion into Dr. Anderson's motor car.

As the robbers dashed into Fifth Avenue, they flourished their weapons in the faces of the dense throng that had quickly gathered. The speeding car continued in Fifth Avenue for several blocks, then turned east and disappeared.

JAPS WANT BUFFER STATE IN SIBERIA

Honolulu, May 20.—The Japanese war office has announced that the first detachment of Japanese troops was landed a few miles south of Nikolai on May 15 beginning their operations against the Bolsheviks, according to a Tokio cable.

GOVERNMENT'S FOREIGN POLICY IS ATTACKED

Opposition Parties Think There is a Disposition to Belittle League of Nations, Making Council Arbitrator.

RUSSO-POLISH WAR BROUGHT UP Bonar Law Gives Gov't Position in Relation to All Matters With Poland.

London, May 20.—Parliament adjourned, today, for ten days' Whit Sunday recess, the final meeting being notable for a vigorous attack on the Government's general foreign policy, led by Sir Donald MacLean. This attack was the outcome of the belief among the Opposition parties that there is a disposition to belittle the League of Nations, and elect the Supreme Council into a permanent body which he pleaded that the League of Nations was a real thing and in fact, declaring himself willing to break entirely with the Coalition if he found that the Government was not in earnest in behalf of the League. Lord Robert Cecil made a great impression on the House by a speech in which he pleaded that the League of Nations was a real thing and in fact, declaring himself willing to break entirely with the Coalition if he found that the Government was not in earnest in behalf of the League. Lord Robert Cecil also demanded why the League of Nations had not been called in to avert a new Russo-Polish war.

Andrew Bonar Law, for the Government, declared Great Britain had no desire to make war on Soviet Russia. The Government felt strongly that the Soviet Government was more likely to be strengthened if it were enabled to justify his voting for the Pledging amendment, and declared there were strange contradictions in the attitude of the Liberals on the tariff question.

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SETTLEMENT BOARD OFFICIALS UNDER FIRE

Charged With Neglecting Their Duty and Thereby Causing Hardships to Soldier Settlers.

FIELD SUPERVISORS HELD RESPONSIBLE Reports Not Acted Upon and Many Settlers Were Left in Dire Need.

Ottawa, Ont., May 20.—(Canadian Press)—A letter charging some unspecified officials of the Soldiers' Settlement Board with neglecting their duty, and thereby causing great hardship and starvation to soldier settlers in some cases, starvation of settlers' cattle, was read to the Special Committee on Pensions and Civil Establishment this afternoon by the Chairman, Hume Cronyn.

The letter came from G. W. Marshall, a former Field Supervisor of the Board at Winnipeg, who stated that he had been the victim of a conspiracy because he attempted to expose some of the wrong committed by officials of the Board. Marshall alleged that Field Supervisors were neglecting their duty, that their reports were not acted upon, and sometimes not filed, and that settlers who were in dire need were left without a visit during the whole winter.

The G. W. V. A. proposals for re-establishment were before the Committee today. Some of these call for drastic action and amendments to the present regulations. Only ten of the thirty resolutions had been dealt with when the Committee adjourned tonight, and in order to save time and thrust the matter out thoroughly, a sub-committee composed of Messrs. R. F. Green, W. H. White and Dr. J. W. Edwards was appointed to go over the resolutions with Mr. MacNeill, Secretary of the G. W. V. A., and then report back.

H. M. Mowat, member for Parkeade, appeared before the Committee, prior to adjournment, asking that a sub-committee be named to consider the question of establishing model towns for returned soldiers. Messrs. E. W. Nesbit, Col. Hugh Clark and Dr. A. W. Chisholm were named to go into this matter.

In the opinion of the sub-committee on pensions there is no need for changing the Pension Board's present table of disabilities. Dr. H. S. Beland, an Indian chief, who is in the chair, said the committee had gone thoroughly into the matter with the Pension Board and had reached the above decision.

SINN FEINERS CATCH CRIMINALS

Again Demonstrate They Are Quicker Than Police in Detecting Wrongdoers.

Dublin, May 20.—The Sinn Feiners again have demonstrated that they are quicker than the police in catching criminals. Last night they took into custody four of seven men accused of raiding the residence of Duke St. Stephen's, near Logwood, County Meath, and stealing from it a quantity of valuable silverware, oil paintings and other articles.

The Sinn Feiners declare that the other three men will be captured in a few days.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SLUMPED IN PRICE

A Break of from Ten to Thirty Per Cent. Occurred at Auction Sales Yesterday.

Boston, Mass., May 20.—The price of Australian wool slumped today, a break of from ten to twenty per cent. occurring at the auction sales conducted here under the auspices of the British Government. Only seven mills took part in the bidding, and but thirty per cent. of the wool offered for sale was disposed of. Buyers were agreed that the peak of high prices for wools had passed.

The sales at which today's break in price occurred were the first of a series of auctions, the fifth to be conducted in the United States by the British Government and announced as the last.

The average prices were from ten to twenty per cent. below those of the last British sale.

COTTON BROKER GETS FIVE YEARS

Pleaded Guilty to Forging Bill of Ladings for Cotton Shipments.

St. Louis, Mo., May 20.—Charles C. Mulligan, a local cotton broker, late today was sentenced to five years in the penitentiary after he had admitted in circuit court that he had forged bills of lading for shipments of cotton to the amount of \$100,000. The specific charge on which he was sentenced, and to which he pleaded guilty, was that he had obtained \$6,480 through a forgery.

BOLSHEVIK'S PRESENCE IN PERSIA IS DISTURBING

Bolshevik Propaganda There May Have Become More Effective Than Was Expected.

London, May 20.—An official circles, today, there was an inclination to minimize the immediate gravity of the Near Eastern situation, due to the invasion of Persia by the Bolsheviks, but there was undoubted apprehension lest the continuation of the Bolshevik success in that region might prove that the activities of the Bolshevik propaganda, known to be operating there for some months, had been more effective than was expected.

The Bolshevik forces, landed at Enzeli, are believed to be in quarters not to exceed 10,000, which fact, it was considered, seemed to make any contingent extension of the operations of large numbers of recruits from the Bolshevik elements in the Trans-Caucasus Office appeared to be unlikely.

INDIAN CHIEFTAIN AFTER CARRANZA

Big Parade Planned at Opening of Congress in Mexico City for May 24.

Mexico City, May 20.—(By the Associated Press)—Colonel Gabriel Barrios, an Indian chieftain, who is in control in the difficult mountain state of Puebla in which President Carranza and his companions are reported to be seeking for refuge, has offered adherence to the revolutionary plan of Aguirre, according to information received from an unofficial but reliable source. Barrios, it is said, has been ordered to capture Carranza, but to give him full personal guarantees.

Despatches from Tampico said that General Manuel Pilete, Military Governor of Tamaulipas, is organizing a column for the pursuit of Carranza today, after a brief visit to San Luis Potosi.

A parade in which thirty thousand soldiers will take part is being planned for May 24, when the extraordinary session of Congress will be opened.

REGENTS OF MT. ALLISON MET

Decide Upon a Forward Policy of Vital Interest to the Institution.

Special to The Standard. Sackville, May 20.—Mount Allison Board of Regents have been in session all day. Many matters of vital interest to the institution being under careful consideration. This afternoon forward policy was discussed as follows: To build a brick and stone addition to Ladies' College, capable of accommodating thirty-five additional students.

Pending the building of a new science building, to remodel, at a cost of about fifteen thousand dollars, present building which houses McClean School of Applied Science, to launch a campaign to raise half a million dollars for purpose of erecting Science Building, Memorial library, residence for University girls and central heating plant. All three undertakings were referred to executive of Board with power to act.

Attendance of the board is unusually large. Among those in attendance are the following: Rev. C. J. Wood, Rev. E. R. Machmer, Rev. Dr. Steel, St. John; Hon. C. W. Robinson, Moncton; Varley B. Fullerton, Parrsboro; Norman T. Avar, E. B. Hewson, Dr. Hearty, Rev. A. S. Rogers, Amherst; Rev. Thomas Marshall, Fairville, N. B.; Mrs. T. N. Campbell, Amherst; Mrs. Howard Sprague, Mrs. J. Wood, Rev. Dr. Borden, Hon. J. Wigle, C. C. Avar, Rev. A. D. Morton, Rev. H. E. Thomas, Mrs. H. M. Wood, Rev. H. H. Truro; Rev. Geo. A. Ross, Bathurst; Rev. G. M. Young, Fredericton; Col. A. H. Borden, Halifax, N. S.; W. Roy Smith, St. John; Mrs. F. H. Black, Sackville.

James Polk was the first president of the United States to learn of his nomination by telegraph.

MORE SHOOTING IN "VIRGINY" MINING FIELDS

This With Two Arrests Were Chief Developments at Mattewan Yesterday.

REPORTS OF TROUBLE ARE CONFLICTING The Situation Last Night Was Quiet With Troopers and Sheriffs Patrolling Streets.

Mattewan, May 20.—The shooting from ambush of one man by unidentified persons, and two arrests were the chief developments in this region today, following the battle here yesterday when ten or more persons were killed and a number of others wounded in a fight between Baldwin-Peals detectives and citizens.

Today's shooting occurred at Lynn, a small mining village three miles from Mattewan. According to reports received from Lynn, two men, said to be Baldwin-Peals detectives, were walking along a road near a dense woods when a volley of shots was fired from the forest. One of the men, "Bud" McCoy was shot in the thigh, but he escaped from the village and went to a hospital at Welch where his wound is being treated. The man who accompanied McCoy was not injured.

First reports of the trouble at Lynn were to the effect that three men had been killed. As soon as word of the shooting reached headquarters of the State Constabulary here, a detail of troopers was rushed to Lynn. The Constabulary men upon reaching the village could not verify reports of the shooting, so they left Lynn and scouted in the vicinity. On a road, not far from the village, the troopers came upon two men, one of them wounded. They were arrested and being brought to jail here and the other placed under guard and sent to a hospital at Welch.

Constabulary officers said the two men would be held on charges of having had concealed weapons on their persons. The officers declared they had no details of the shooting at Lynn, and said they had not secured the names of the two prisoners taken by troopers on the road near the village.

The situation in Mattewan tonight was quiet, with troopers and deputy sheriffs patrolling the streets. Numbers of citizens gathered on street corners and discussed yesterday's shooting, and officers of the constabulary reported that, while the people appeared to be "greatly aggravated" over the battle Wednesday, they said they did not expect any further trouble.

SOME EXCITEMENT CATCHING FISH

Mr. Gibbon of C. P. R. Publicity Dept. Gets Cold Plunge — Good Sport on Cain's River.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., May 20.—J. M. Gibbon, Chief of the Publicity Department of the C. P. R., returned yesterday, from a fishing trip to Cain's River, with W. Harry Allen, president of the New Brunswick Angler's Association, as guide. Included in the party were Morris Ackerman, sporting writer and hunting and fishing expert, of Cleveland, Ohio; J. S. Alexander, moving picture operator of the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa, and a representative of the New Brunswick Tourist, Game and Resources Association.

Mr. Gibbon, in relating the experience of the party, stated that Mr. Ackerman had been fortunate in his fishing, having caught a magnificent salmon with a four-ounce rod. He played it for over an hour and a half before he could land it, and when he had done so he found that the hook had broken off. While handling a catch of an eight-pound grise he (Mr. Gibbon) was carried away by excitement and lost his footing, and got a cold plunge in the water. Mr. Alexander, the camera man, was on the job at this time and snapped the proceedings, while other members of the party made a "thrilling and dramatic scene." The camera man has also secured pictures of deer and snakes, and expects to get some pictures of wild-geese and partridges before he returns. Mr. Ackerman and the other members of the party will remain out for some time yet. They were joined today by Mr. McBride and party, of Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. McBride is a well-known athlete, having figured prominently in football. He is a former captain of the Yale football team. The party will continue fishing along the Cain's River.

BAD FOREST FIRE AT NORTON

Norton, N. B. May 19.—A disastrous fire has been sweeping through the woods on the farm of William Cosman for the past two days. The fire started some distance south among a grass and bushes, and fanned by a brisk south wind, has covered acres of valuable wood and lumber land. Mr. Cosman's loss will be heavy.

FOOD SHORTAGE CAUSES SERIOUS DEMONSTRATION

Cartagena, Spain, May 20.—During demonstration today against the food shortage, a fight occurred between demonstrators and the gendarmes. Three persons were wounded. Street car service in the city is paralyzed.

REGAL
FREE RUNNING
Table Salt
THE CANADIAN SALT CO. LIMITED

Over Hundred Thousand Dollar Fire at Milford Last Night

(Continued from page 3)
The tenement house to the eastward of the Dwyer building, owned by Mrs. Ingles and occupied by George Stevens, a laborer; John Ewart, a laborer, and Harry Seeley, was very quickly emptied of its contents, and the furniture of the three families carried to a safe distance from the ferociously burning Dwyer building, which was only about fifty feet away.

Saved the Building.
It was only with plenty of help by a bucket brigade that this Ingles dwelling was saved, for with wet blankets from the eaves of the roof, and a continual throwing of water on its scorched side, the building was saved from the same fate as that owned by Dwyers.

The furniture however, was considerably damaged in its hasty removal. It was while pouring water on the roof of this house that a son of Mrs. Stevens slipped and fell to the ground badly injuring one of his feet.

Unoccupied House Burns.
When the Dwyer property was all in flames an unoccupied dwelling in the rear, known as the McBrierty house, but owned by Messrs. Dwyer, caught fire and was soon all in flames.

Another House on Fire.
The two family dwelling adjoining the Dwyer property, situated on the corner of the Kingsville road and owned by J. Crowley, soon caught fire. This building was occupied by Patrick Keane, a tinsmith, and William Shannon, a laborer. A large crowd of men and boys having been attracted by the fire, quickly cleared this house of the furniture, not, however without considerable damage to the furniture.

Still Another House.
The Crowley house did not take long to be enveloped by flames and the two-family house on the opposite corner of the road, owned by William Evans, and occupied by him on the ground floor as a residence and grocery store with Mrs. Mary Quinn residing on the upper flat had caught on fire. Furniture and groceries were removed from this building with the usual damage.

McGrath Dwelling.
It was only a short time when the flames from the Crowley dwelling caught the self-contained house adjoining and owned and occupied by Thomas McGrath, a carpenter. As like the others the furniture was removed and the building was left to the mercy of the flames.

The Stout Property.
The next dwelling in line of the fire was that known as the old Irvine property, owned and occupied on the ground floor by William Stout, a machinist, while the upper flat was occupied by Arthur Sapper, a tinsmith. The furniture was quickly removed from the building and Mrs. Stout, who was seriously ill, was tenderly removed to the home of a neighbor. While the rear portion of the Stout building was destroyed the main portion of the building while somewhat damaged was saved by the firemen.

The Total Loss.
Speaking to The Standard reporter last night, John Dwyer, one of the firm of Dwyer Brothers, stated that the loss by his firm would be extensive. He said that without a doubt they had the most up-to-date bakery plant in the Eastern Provinces, and only about a year ago had spent about fifteen thousand dollars on the plant in machinery, etc. In addition to this, there was stored in the premises about eighteen thousand dollars' worth of flour, the greater portion of this having been received within the past few days; also about six thousand dollars' worth of sugar. The plant would be valued at over thirty thousand dollars, and, in all, the total loss of bakery, plant, stock, groceries, dwelling and contents, would well reach to about eighty thousand dollars. There was no time left even to save the furniture and clothing from the home.

Total Loss.
The total loss by fire last evening to all the buildings and the contents, will reach well over the hundred thousand dollar mark, while it is stated that the total insurance will not be more than fifty thousand dollars.

The Fire Department.
As soon as the alarm was given the Fairville Fire Department responded but the fire engine refused duty and no water could be sucked from an old mill pond near the scene of the fire. A telephone message was sent to Commissioner Thornton in the city and in turn he got in communication with Chief Blake and the large motor engine was hastened to the scene. The Commissioner, who Chief and a few of the city firemen responded, but this was after eight o'clock, but with a couple of good streams of water the city men assisted by the Fairville firemen performed effective work and prevented the fire from totally destroying the Stout Building and spreading to adjoining property.

A few thousand people from the surrounding district as well as the city attended the fire and remained on the scene until nearly midnight.

Dr. C. C. Jones Here Yesterday

Dr. C. C. Jones, chancellor of the University of New Brunswick, who was in the city yesterday was asked by The Standard to say a few words about the conference at Laval and the work of his own college.

In connection with the conference he stated it was one of the best attended and most representative sessions they had ever held, delegates being present from the Atlantic to the Pacific. One of the important matters discussed was that of military training, by organizing officers training corps. General Gwatkin and Col. Magee put the matter before the conference and all expressed themselves as willing to cooperate but in the opinion of the general, if this work was undertaken, the government should provide the necessary funds to carry it on.

Other matters discussed were, engineering and forestry courses. In connection with the forestry course the recommendation of the committee was for a four year course along the lines so successfully carried out at the U. N. B. they also suggested that more English be given in this course. With regard to the second, a paper was read by Prof. P. de Laval in which he made special reference to the graduates of the U. N. B. and the good work they had done in the province of Quebec.

The teaching of French was also taken up and it was decided that a good French department was necessary in every college.

Asked about plans for the U. N. B. for the coming term Dr. Jones said they were expecting a banner season as never before at this time of year had so many enquiries, been received for information, especially in regard to the forestry course. A feature of the enquiries about this course was the fact that a great many of them were from the United States, showing that the fame of the local college had travelled far.

As a proof that foresters were in demand he cited the fact that several of this year's graduates had been able to start work at an initial salary of \$1,800 per year, and the same applied to graduates from the engineering class.

The institution was in a position to do exceptional work if only a larger measure of financial support was given and he was in hopes the provincial government would see the necessity of providing facilities for science work in general and the forestry work in particular.

The memorial fund canvass was to be continued during the summer, but the building would not be commenced before next year. At the present time there was about \$50,000 in sight for this and it would need \$150,000 to put up the building proposed, a convocation hall with laboratories.

Says She Could "Sing For Joy"

Sydney Woman Praises Tanlac for Relieving Her of Three Years' Suffering.

There can be but one explanation why Tanlac not only has such an enormous sale, but also gives such universal satisfaction, and increases such enthusiasm amongst its users, and that is, "Tanlac." Those who once try it invariably buy it over and over again and tell their friends of the splendid results they have derived from its use.

Still another Nova Scotia woman to realize the remarkable powers of this medicine, is Mrs. Mrs. John Rose, of 43 Henry St., Sydney, who in a statement made recently, said:

"It's such a relief to be free from sick-headaches and to feel really well, that I could sing for joy. Why, for the past three years I have had so much sickness that I thought I should have to give up altogether. After every meal my food would sour on my stomach and I would be sick with gas and I nearly choked. I often had spells of biliousness and terrible headaches that kept me in bed for days at a time and drove me almost frantic with pain. I didn't care whether I ate anything or not and often could take nothing but a cup of tea for breakfast. I would toss about for hours at night unable to sleep and it was often two or three in the morning before I closed my eyes. I became very much depressed about my condition, for although I tried nearly every medicine under the sun, I could get no relief."

"Then a few months ago I decided to give Tanlac a trial. I confess I hadn't much faith in it when I started, but its effect was wonderful. The very first bottle started me on the road to recovery and I've been progressing ever since. My depression left me and I began to brighten up. I could notice myself getting stronger every day, and now after taking four bottles in all, I am a perfectly well woman. My appetite is just splendid and I can eat anything I want and never have a touch of indigestion or biliousness. It is a rare thing for me to ever have a headache now and I sleep so soundly at night that I get up in the morning feeling as fresh as a daisy, and ready for the day's work. Tanlac is certainly a wonderful medicine and I shall always keep a bottle by me after this."

Tanlac is sold in St. John by Ross Drug Company and the leading druggist in every town, under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative.—Adv.

PRACTICE HIKE
The St. Stephen Cadet Corps held a route march in the direction of Mount Pleasant last evening. The cadets presented a very smart appearance as they marched along in their swinging kilts and natty uniform.

MARVELOUS GROWTH OF CANADA'S AUTO INDUSTRY.

Government Policy of Good Roads a Determining Factor

That Canada now produces and uses more automobiles than any other nation upon earth except the United States comes somewhat as a surprise to most people, remarked Mr. Robt. Gray, President of Gray-Dort Motors, Ltd., but such nevertheless is the case, for the latest figures and statistics show that one in every twenty-three persons in the Dominion owns and operates an automobile. Within the past five years in Canada this giant industry has advanced by leaps and bounds, it now employs over 15,000 workers, whose wages exceed \$17,000,000 per annum. Last year about 35,000 automobiles were manufactured and marketed in the Dominion and while the figures for 1920 are problematical it is safe to assume that this total will be increased by 40 per cent. Today there is probably 350,000 motor cars in operation throughout Canada. That the strong and determined policy of good roads, as now laid down by the federal government and also sanctioned and followed by the governments of each of the provinces is a strong factor in the use of automobiles cannot be gainsaid. Our legislators now recognize as did the Conquering Romans that "Good Roads are the Hall-mark of Civilization" and realize that good roads are an asset beyond computation. This fact was demonstrated in the Great War; Verdun was saved because of good roads and motor transport.

As the automobile industry has evolved, expanded and progressed the attitude of the public has gradually shifted with the passing seasons in regard to the open and closed styles, in the infancy of this wonderful industry the touring car and the roadsters were the popular types of cars and were manufactured in an overwhelming majority. Later on the closed models began to make their appearance in the larger cities in a very limited number. Year by year, this number has been increased until now the closed models are a familiar sight not only on the city boulevards but on the great National highways that are now beginning to stretch across the Dominion. The reason for this shifting of the popular favor from the open to the closed models is due to a number of things. One of which is that the closed cars are now so manufactured that they can readily be transformed into practically open cars by lowering the side glasses. In this way the closed cars of the Coupe and Sedan become the ideal all-season, all-purpose types of cars, conveniently adaptable to all sorts of weather and climates.

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On Saturday May 22nd suburban train will leave St. John at 1:10 p. m. returning leave Welsford 8:15 p. m. due St. John 9:15 p. m. Atlantic time.

DIED.

SHERWOOD—At his residence, Passmore on May 19, S. H. Sherwood, aged 49 years, leaving his wife and eight children to mourn. Funeral from late residence Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, interment at Milldale, Kings County.

IN MEMORIAM.
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OVER HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLAR FIRE AT MILFORD LAST NIGHT

Blaze Originated in Dwyer's Bakery Causing This Firm Total Loss of \$100,000 to Building, Plant and Stock Three Family Dwelling Owned by Mrs. Engalls Saved—Two Family Dwelling of J. Crowley, Two Family Dwelling of Wm. Evans, Self Contained House of Thomas McGrath and Two Family House of Wm. Stout Destroyed—Total Loss Over \$100,000—City Department Render Valuable Aid—Thousands Drawn to Scene.

Dwyer Brothers' bakery, dwelling, grocery, stables and contents of all, lost about one hundred thousand dollars. Total insurance about thirty thousand dollars. Unoccupied dwelling, owned by Dwyers, total loss, no insurance.

J. Crowley's two-family dwelling, occupied by William Shannon, laborer, and Patrick Keane, teamster, total loss, insurance about five hundred dollars.

Two-family house, owned by William Evans, occupied by Evans as residence and grocery on ground floor, and Mrs. Mary Quinn on upper flat, total loss, insurance about five hundred dollars.

Self-contained dwelling, owned and occupied by Thomas McGrath, carpenter, total destruction, insurance about five hundred dollars.

Two-family dwelling, owned and occupied on ground floor by William Stout, machinist, upper flat occupied by Arthur Sappier, teamster, destroyed, insurance about five hundred dollars.

Disastrous Fire
Last evening about 6:45 o'clock the little village of Milford, adjoining Fairville, was hard struck by a disastrous fire which started in the Dwyer Brothers' Bakery, and before it was checked the most up-to-date bakery in the Maritime Provinces, with dwelling, grocery store, warehouse, and stables attached was soon burned to the ground with a total loss of buildings and contents amounting to well on to one hundred thousand dollars. On the whole it is estimated that there is not more than from twenty-five to thirty thousand dollars' insurance.

In addition to the Dwyer property an unoccupied dwelling in the rear of the bakery also owned by Dwyers was destroyed, a two-family house owned by J. Crowley and occupied by William Shannon, a laborer and Patrick Keane a teamster adjoining and on the corner of the Kingsville Road proved a victim of the flames.

Then on the opposite corner of the Kingsville Road, the two family house owned and occupied on the ground floor as a dwelling and grocery by William Evans, and the upper flat occupied by Mrs. Emery Quinn was totally destroyed with insurance about eight hundred dollars.

The next house to prove a victim to the flames was a self-contained dwelling owned and occupied by Thomas McGrath a carpenter which was totally destroyed with only a few hundred dollars insurance. The next house to catch fire and become mostly destroyed was the old Irvine property now owned by William Stout, a machinist and occupied by him on the ground floor, while Arthur Sappier, a teamster resided in the upper flat. This building was insured for about five hundred dollars.

It was stated last night that in near owners, went to the rear of the store and opened a door which is near the bakery. As soon as the man opened the rear door of the grocery store he was met with a volume of smoke and, as he stated to The Standard reporter last night his first thought was the horses in the stable. He then rushed to the stable, but by this time the entire bakery appeared to be in flames and the fire had caught the stable and the dwelling portion of the building. The fire gained with a remarkable rapidity. The man was met with a dense smoke when he entered the stable. He said that he managed to get two horses clear and lead them out of the stable to safety, but he was unable to get three other horses clear and was obliged to leave them to their fate and watched them burn to death. The man then helped to get some of the groceries from the Dwyer grocery store and assist residents near the burning building to save their property.

Fire Gained Rapidly.
It was only a few minutes after the fire was discovered that it became evident the Dwyer property was doomed to destruction. The people residing in the vicinity hastened to the scene. The front and upper portion of the large building, where Mrs. Dwyer and her sons resided, was quickly claimed by the flames, and those who arrived on the scene were forced to leave the residential portion of the building a prey to the fire, and an attempt was made to save some of the groceries. A few barrels of oil and a number of barrels of apples were taken from the grocery store, but those bent on salvage were driven away by the smoke and heat and were obliged to leave the most valuable part of the stock in the store to be destroyed by the flames.

The Fire Spread.
Without any fire protection, it was immediately seen that the property adjoining that of the Dwyers was in danger, and men and boys, along with the rascally women and girls of the neighborhood, lent their assistance in removing the furniture from the houses that looked to be in danger, and soon proved victims of fire.

(Continued on page 2.)

In compliance with the request of His Worship the Mayor, our store will be run on daylight time after this week up to the eleventh of September next.

HUNT'S CLOTHING STORE,
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AT THE GATE OF A "DRY" COUNTRY
A Canadian Visitor to the United States Relates His Experiences Regarding the Welcome Given Him.

The following appears in the New York Sun of the 19th inst.
To the Sun and New York Herald I should be greatly obliged if I might be allowed the opportunity of indicating through your columns the practical results of prohibition as I see it at work in America. It seems to me only too evident that it is bringing about a condition of things in which the old name of "land of liberty" becomes little better than a sorry joke. It involves an intrusion upon ordinary individual rights that is contrary to the simplest principles of British liberty. No man is any longer free to arrange his life as he likes. His going and coming are watched over by a horde of spies and informers. The ordinary peaceful traveller is treated as if he were a criminal.

May I relate in this connection a recent experience of my own which I am sure has been undergone also by thousands of your readers? I happened to be going down the other day from Toronto to New York, and in company with Mr. Gordon Perry of Toronto had taken a drawing room in the Pullman car.

When we came to the American border I walked a customs inspector. He first went through our valises, then our overcoats that were hanging on the pegs. Then each of us had to get up in turn so that he might lift up the seats and look underneath among the pillows.

He then took the sofa seat off and made a thorough examination of the cushions. After this he went into the wash room and locked around, even taking the top off the ice box. I truly believe the only place he did not look was down our throats.

I do not say that this inspector was doing any more than is now required of him by his superiors and permitted by the law. But I do think it ridiculous that any law should be tolerated which necessitates such treatment of the ordinary citizen. This experience only represents the typical kind of thing that goes on all the time under prohibition.

The United States is spending enormous sums of money for the maintenance of an elaborate system of spies and informers. Public morality is being undermined by a vast illicit traffic in intoxicating liquor, often adulterated in the most poisonous way and the public conscience is being shocked by the sight of people being delib-

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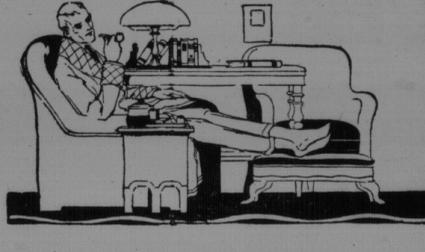
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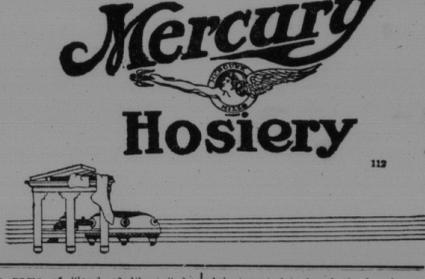
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late tempted to break the law by appeals to friendship or sympathy on the part of hired informers. I am sure that I am only one among a vast number of friends and well wishers of the American people who feel that a great mistake has been made, and that the sooner steps are taken to correct it the better.
SIR HENRY M. PELATT, C. V. O.
Toronto, Canada, May 15.

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS at a meeting of the Common Council held at the City of Saint John on the 26th day of April last, it was resolved that The City of Saint John adopt DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME to become effective at midnight of the 22nd day of May instant and to continue until midnight of the 11th day of September next, and that all citizens be requested to adopt the said time.

NOW THEREFORE I DO HEREBY PROCLAIM AND DECLARE that from MIDNIGHT of Saturday the 22nd day of May instant until MIDNIGHT of Saturday the 11th day of September next the time of the forty-fourth meridian of longitude will be observed by THE CITY OF SAINT JOHN at the City Hall and in all its departments, and I do hereby request all citizens to observe the said time, and at midnight of Saturday the 22nd instant, to set their clocks ahead one hour.

GIVEN under my hand at the Mayor's Office in the City of Saint John the 16th day of May A. D. 1920.
E. A. SCHOFIELD,
Mayor.

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THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

ANNUAL MEETING
Y. W. C. A. H.

Reports Read Showed a Most
Year Under Adverse Con-
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UNITED STATES WILL SEND GOLF MEN TO GREAT BRITAIN

Will Make an Effort to Change Rules — President of the National Association Has Long Statement to Make Before the Board.

When the five men who constitute the rules committee of the United States Golf Association met for the first time this month to confer with St. Andrews on possible changes in the rules and standardization of the ball they will not lack for something to think about on the subject. Ideas by the wholesale were forthcoming at the conference at Delmonico's, a couple of weeks ago when the delegates from subsidiary bodies through the country met the U. S. G. A. committee for the purpose of ascertaining the consensus of opinion of golfers.

Before going any further a statement made by G. Herbert Walker, president of the national association, should be recalled to mind. There are those who believe that the matter will be settled once the U. S. G. A. and the St. Andrews committees meet in the "home of Golf," but such is not the case.

Walker stated that anything done at this time could only be placed before the subcommittee of the Royal and Ancient Club, which will hold its meeting in September. Thus it is safe to say that at least a year will elapse before any modifications acted on become effective. Walker added that the present rules were identical with those in Great Britain, and so far as possible he would like to see this similarity maintained fundamentally.

Had a vote been taken there is no doubt that Wilbur H. Brooks, president of the Western Golf Association, would have carried the meeting, for he also held proxies for Ohio, Wisconsin, Southern, Michigan and Central Golf associations. As it was, he contented himself with reading a list of instructions in which he protested against the standard ball.

Regarding the standard ball, it is well-known fact that the Western Golf Association abolished this rule three years ago, and according to Brooks the idea now in vogue works out well. This is to the effect that the players nearer the hole is asked by the other to putt, unless either do so, unless he strikes himself.

Another point that has been brought up again is the stability of the annual event from the vicinity to a four-cornered affair by the addition of a Connecticut-Rhode Island team. This was suggested in 1917, but was not taken seriously, because it was not taken seriously, because it was not taken seriously, because it was not taken seriously.

New Rules For Boxing Bouts

Expected to Benefit the Sport in Philadelphia—A Lengthy Number of Rounds.

Philadelphia's Director of Public Safety, Jas. T. Corley, recently announced a new code of rules to govern boxing bouts in that city which it is believed will benefit the ring sport there.

Under the old rules, which had been in vogue for about nine years, all bouts were limited to six rounds, but Director Corley has decided to allow bouts of eight rounds duration. He claims that by lengthening the number of rounds the fight will be less apt to "stall" and the fighters who signs up for a match will have to "weigh in" at or under the stipulated weight called for in his contract.

The director has also asserted that the new code will be enforced to the letter and has warned all promoters, managers and boxers to that effect. Following are some of the new rules:

Contestants shall not be permitted to have more than three attendants or seconds and these must refrain from coaching during the progress of the rounds.

Seconds shall wear a fan and not a towel for fanning boxers.

All seconds shall remain in their boxers' corner during the bout and not place themselves in a neutral corner.

Throwing water by seconds on their man during a round shall constitute the boxer, and one-half of the latter's money shall go to a hospital to be designated by the board.

Whenever a boxer is apparently out, the bout must be stopped.

No boxer shall be allowed to contest against an opponent ten pounds heavier than himself, in the light-weight class or under.

Weight shall be announced from the ringside.

Only soft bandages shall be allowed on boxers' hands.

Only six-round bouts permissible. The foul blow known as the "kidney punch" shall be barred.

Smoking shall be prohibited.

No boxer shall be permitted to wear white costume.

Every contestant must be furnished a contract signed by manager, boxer and promoter.

Greasing a boxer shall not be permitted.

Big League Results

AMERICAN LEAGUE New York 8; St. Louis 3.

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Batteries—Sotherton and Billings; Quina and Hannah.
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At Boston. Detroit 10:00—00000000—0 6 1 Boston 10:00—10113000—6 11 0 Batteries—Leonard, Glaiser and Woodall; Penneck and Walters. Chicago 13; Washington 5. At Washington. Chicago 13:00—00000000—13 17 1 Washington 5:00—00000000—5 18 9 Batteries—Pfeiffer 2 and Schalk; Courtney, Erickson, Johnson and Gantner.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Cincinnati 7; Brooklyn 0. At Cincinnati. Brooklyn 10:00—00000000—0 6 5 Cincinnati 7:00—00020200—7 16 0 Batteries—Smith, Marquard and Krueger; Reuther and Rardin. Pittsburgh 5; Boston 1. At Pittsburgh. Boston 10:00—00000100—1 5 8 Pittsburgh 5:00—13010000—5 9 1 Batteries—Pillingham, Hearns and O'Neill; Adams and Schmidt.

At St. Louis 6; Philadelphia 4. Philadelphia 10:00—01101000—4 7 1 St. Louis 6:00—00510000—6 6 1 Batteries—Gallia, Betts and Wheat; Truesler, Jacobs, Sherdell and Dilchert. Chicago 4; New York 2. At Chicago. New York 10:00—10000100—2 10 1 Chicago 4:00—00200101—4 6 0 Batteries—Nohf and Smith; Alexander and Killefer.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE Buffalo 7; Toronto 1. At Buffalo. Toronto 10:00—00100501—7 11 1 Buffalo 7:00—00100000—1 13 0 Batteries—Rogers and Bengough; Quinn and Sandberg. Syracuse 7; Syracuse 4. At Syracuse. Syracuse 10:00—00100010—7 9 2 Syracuse 4:00—00002010—4 7 3 Batteries—Sullivan and Lettier; McGraw and Madden.

At Jersey City 5; Reading 4. Jersey City 10:00—00401000—5 14 2 Reading 4:00—10000210—4 15 3 Batteries—Wilhelm and Hyde; Justin, Schwartz and Crossin. Akron at Rochester postponed, rain.

Big Meet In New York Next Saturday

New York, May 20.—The first annual athletic meet of the British Great War Veterans of America will be held here next Saturday. The meet will be held at the Madison Square Garden.

Ring History Repeats Itself

Fight fans over the country have forgotten how Stanley Ketchel emerged from obscurity in 1907 and won the middleweight championship from Joe Thomas at Marysville, Calif. otherwise they wouldn't be so shocked over the unknown striking the title from Mike O'Dowd.

It doesn't take much stretching of the memory to remember how Ketchel beat Mike O'Dowd in a ten-round battle, not one, and therein lies a story.

Born in Grand Rapids, Mich., under the name of Stanislaus Kiecal, Ketchel became known as Stanley Ketchel when he was a water in the meatline learning to handle his mitts by engaging in bouts for a few dollars around Butte, Idaho. He was at the height of his glory as middleweight champion and the pride of California. Marysville arranged a big Fourth of July celebration and made Thomas the star attraction. The promoters wanted something soft for Thomas to make a "walk" at the latter to the crowd and picked on Ketchel.

The fight had hardly gotten fairly under way when Ketchel rendered Thomas unconscious by a well-placed blow, but the champion was with friends and the bell ended the round before it was half over. The crowd changed the ring and the referee saw to it that at least ten minutes was necessary to clear out the arena, giving Thomas a chance to recover. The champion being on foot the remainder of the 20 rounds and the referee called it a draw.

Even in California, however, a favorite son could not rest on such laurels and the two were re-matched in San Francisco on Sept. 2 of the same year. Ketchel took the count first, but came back and knocked out Thomas in the thirty-second round and won the title for the second time. Thomas tried twice afterward to win it back, but lost the decision the first time and was knocked out the second.

TOMMY NOBLES WON

Montreal, May 20.—Tommy Noble, of London, England, featherweight holder of the Lonsdale Belt, opponent of Jo Leonard, of Brooklyn, here tonight in a ten round bout.

GOOD OFFER REFUSED.

Columbus, O., May 20.—The Chicago White Sox baseball club has refused an offer of \$5,000 for pitcher Grover Lewers, who last week was traded to the Cleveland Indians.

JOCKEY KOPPLEMAN DIES AT SAN DIEGO

Tia Juana, May 20.—Jockey Benny Koppleman died of injuries in a San Diego hospital which were sustained in a bad spill at Tia Juana. Koppleman was a well-known rider and had been racing successfully all over American tracks. Koppleman was thrown when McCalland started off Arletta in a five furlong sprint, causing the latter to fall and being responsible for the horses Bernice E. and Anna Star falling over her. Koppleman, on Bernice E., was thrown violently on his head. When it was seen he was severely injured he was removed to a hospital at once where he died three days later. Jockeys Yorgin, and E. Taylor thrown in the same race were unharmed.

WILL MAKE SMALL FORTUNE EVEN IF HE DOES NOT FIGHT DEMPSEY

Georges Carpentier, the Heavyweight Fighting Champion of France, Becoming Richer Every Day—Georges Will Make Twice as Much as He Ever Did Make on His United States Trip.

Georges Carpentier will have no reason to regret his trip to America if he does not get into the ring with Jack Dempsey. Without ever pulling on a fighting glove Georges will earn during the next few months more than twice as much as he earned during his entire ring career in Europe. Before Georges quit the ring in 1914 to help defend his country, Carpentier earned a little more than \$100,000. In 1909 he earned the paltry sum of \$181; in 1910, \$460; in 1911, \$5,000; in 1912, \$35,000; in 1913, \$44,000, and in 1914, \$32,000.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Y. W. C. A. HELD LAST EVENING

Reports Read Showed a Most Progressive and Successful Year Under Adverse Conditions—Directors Elected for Ensuing Year.

"A necessary work for the welfare of the community, caring for young women and helping them onward and upward." This was a characterization of the Young Women's Christian Association made by one of the speakers at the annual meeting held last evening in the Recreational Centre, King street East. Devotional exercises, led by Rev. E. B. MacKay, opened the meeting, over which Mrs. J. A. McAvity presided.

The directors' reports follow, with the convocations of the various committees:

The directors of the Y. W. C. A. have this year faced large and rapidly increasing opportunities for work for the benefit of the girls of our city and at the same time many difficulties, discouragements and responsibilities.

For the generous aid we have had from many of our well-wishers among the business men, we would most cordially thank them.

Report of Governor

Mrs. E. A. Jamieson

"The Travelers' Aid Department has had a busy and useful year. We may state briefly that our is a labor of love on behalf of the traveling public, particularly unprotected women and children.

During the year ending May, 1920, the trains attended were 3,542; boats attended, 370; persons helped in depot, 267; persons brought to Transient Home, 1,395; persons taken to hotels, 287; persons sent to friends, 41; persons taken to boats and trains; telegrams sent, 325; letters written, 57; girls for whom employment was found, 24.

This makes a total of 2,513 travelers who received personal aid from our workers during the year, or an average of 9 per day.

We gratefully acknowledge the generosity of the Grand Orange Lodge of this province, who voted One Hundred Dollars to the work, and we express appreciation of ready assistance rendered us by the Patriotic Society for returned soldiers or their dependants. As the expenses connected with our Travelers' Aid work includes the salaries of three workers (the third being the matron of our Transient Home) and the rent, fuel, light, telephone, etc., for our Transient Home, as well as the sums expended in helping really needy travelers, and as our only source of revenue is from the exceedingly small prices we charge for "a clean bed and plain, but sufficient food," all the rest being paid with great difficulty from the funds of the local Y. W. C. A., we presented a petition to the City Council last December in which we asked that a grant be given toward the support of this work. The council heard us with interest, expressed great sympathy and appreciation of our work, which they agreed was of much benefit to our city and to humanity and voted us not one cent!

We wish to acknowledge the efficiency, faithfulness and loving devotion of our matron, Mrs. Forbes, and of our two workers, Miss Hoyt and Miss Berwick, glowing appreciations of whom have come to us from the heads of the railway service, the C. P. O. S. and the American Immigration office.

The Transient Home

Miss Edna Austin

"Back of the Travelers' Aid stands the ever ready Transient Home with its friendly doors, open to the traveler whose needs are more than can be attended to and relieved at boat or station. Here our kind house-mother is in constant attendance. Hundreds of lonely, sick and tired travelers pass through its doors in the year, who carry grateful memories of its care and shelter to their distant homes."

Our Next Venture

Mrs. R. A. Corbett

"The Home for Employed Girls in 23 King street has been well patronized since its opening a little more than a year ago. Here our House Secretary, Mrs. Hardie, presides over from twenty-four to thirty-five girls, with many transients. The home is attractive, with reading and music room, and a practical laundry. The board is put at the lowest possible figure, and Mrs. Hardie's care and interest is of untold benefit to all."

A rooming directory provides for those who can not be accommodated here."

The Cafeteria

Mrs. W. C. Cross

"Here also, 23 King street, is the cafeteria open to all men as well as women. Installed under heavy expense, and difficult to manage except by an expert, this venture has not yet been an asset to the association, but this is partly accounted for by the high cost of food and the low rates charged for meals, as well as the unusual advantage that is given to the girls boarding in the house. To them a flat rate of \$4.00 a week makes an average of 19.12 cents for each meal, so the institution has to make up \$2.94 per week on each girl in the home, averaging from twenty to twenty-eight girls, with also a staff of twelve."

Our Recreation Centre

Mrs. Matheson

"At a special meeting of the board held early in the month of October, it was decided to take over the property of the St. John's Presbyterian church and adjoining manses from the Trustees of Knox church. It was remodelled into a splendid gymnasium, rest room and large recreation hall. New lighting, plumbing and hardwood floor, with a desk and comfortable chairs in rest room, made the whole a most attractive centre. The 23rd of January saw its formal opening."

Physical Work

Mrs. J. D. Hunter

"In November the King street east building was opened for gymnasium classes. Although we endeavored all through the season to procure a permanent physical instructor, this was found to be impossible, so Miss K. McK. Matheson, general secretary, had to carry on the work alone.

"Gymnasium classes have been carried on three afternoons and four evenings a week. Our girls have played five games of basketball, the

final one, between Moncton and our Y. W. in our own building, being keenly contested. We already have prospects of a league of five teams with which to start the next season. Most of these are Canadian girls in training teams.

On April 28th we had our first Y. W. C. A. gymnasium exhibition, as a result of which we handed fifty-five dollars over to our treasurer. Great credit is due Miss Matheson and our senior Y. M. C. A. boys who so nobly assisted.

"Our recreational centre is gradually growing in popularity. We started out with a rally of C. G. I. T. clubs, over three hundred being present.

"The girls' cabinet, which is composed of two girls from each club, held a Shamrock Tea. The proceeds, one hundred dollars, were handed over for the benefit of the King street east building. The cabinet girls, who number about eighty, use the Centre for all business meetings.

"The committee has had the pleasure of welcoming the High School Alumnae, Carmarthen street Sunday school class, the Overseas Club of the Y. M. C. A. leaders, and eight parties from High school. In addition to this each gymnasium class has, in turn, been at home to their friends. Your committee was also pleased to welcome the Moncton boys and girls after their basketball game, and as they remained over Sunday, a sing-song was held Sunday night.

The Membership

Mrs. Fred Cowan

Our present membership is:

Life members	5
Sustaining members	182
Regular members	455
Junior members	30
Total	692

Finances

Mrs. James F. Robertson

"Our finance committee has had a thorny path, facing mounting expenses with very small resources. A campaign to assist financing our work was organized for the end of 1919, but was not fully carried out until the beginning of this year (1920), when unfortunately it conflicted with the Forward Movement campaign and consequently was not as successful as we had hoped, or as we felt the work deserved. So, while we had a number of good subscriptions from the business men, who understood and sympathized with our efforts, the total was a sad disappointment to our anxious board. All donations cannot here be acknowledged, all so much needed and so gratefully received, yet the board would like to mention the generous gift of two hundred dollars from the Loyalist Chapter, I. O. O. F.; three hundred and sixty dollars collected by the Rotary Club; one hundred dollars from the Y. W. P. A., with a subscription to a magazine for our reading room. From the New Brunswick Division of the Railway Mail Clerks' Association, as a mark of their admiration of the Travelers' Aid work, twenty-five dollars, and one hundred dollars from the Grand Lodge of Orangemen; also the kindly thought of the late Mrs. E. N. S. Murray, who left a sum of money, of which we are to receive the interest each year.

Our Accounts

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Create Gas, Sourness and Pain
How To Treat.

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Artificial digesters are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try laying aside all digestive aids and instead get from any drugist a few ounces of Bismarck Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This sweetens the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas or pain. Bismarck Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and is the most efficient form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.

J. F. Whitney Beazley, of the local staff of McLean-Kennedy, will leave this morning for Antwerp to spend a few days before going to Montreal for the summer season.

Departures—Canadian Beaver, British West Indies and Havana; Mt. Olivet, Tampico; Lake Gallen, U. S. Shipping Board; Timorodok, Gibraltar; Western Star, Antwerp.

Knocking, Knocking, Who Is There?

All day today and tomorrow; yes, and perhaps even into next week, Salvation Army lasses and men will be knocking at the doors.

Some doors will be opened to them.

Some doors will be closed.

The door does not matter.

But the heart does.

Most of the people called upon during the daytime in their homes will be women.

From no others will Self Denial be more real than to the women of the household.

We know how much it costs to buy even the bare necessities of life.

We know how much many women, especially mothers, deny themselves already, in order to provide comforts for their homes and for their children.

We believe our Self Denial appeal to the women in the home will touch a most responsive chord.

The Salvation Army has been kept alive by the gifts of those who can least afford to give.

But the spirit of Christ prompts the heart.

When the knock comes to your door, open your heart and give.

Yours is a gift in His Name and for His Service, and will be blessed indeed.

Salvation Army Jubilee Self Denial Campaign

Under the Direction of the St. John Rotary Club.

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There is No Finer Tire Made than these CORDS

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For those who prefer a fabric tire, the Maple Leaf dealer offers Maple Leaf Plain Tread and Non-Skids. It will repay you to locate the Maple Leaf Tire dealer.

Maple Leaf Tires come in standard sizes.

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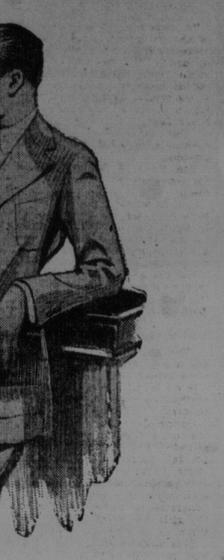
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as the boy child will not grow up
"lonely."

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after delivery." The lot came back
special next day with the complaint
that when placed on the floor "it turned
over on its stomach and kicked and
screamed." The comment of associa-
tion officials was caustic. "We are
glad they returned the child; such par-
ents could provide no suitable home,"
they said.

Although the adoption negotiations
as a rule marked with touching
kindness, other instances of "under-
serving" applicants may be cited.

On one day, two women richly
dressed in furs, arrived at the office.
"My friend here," said the elder calm-
ly, "has an infant she would like to
have adopted. Neither she nor her
husband care for children and would
be glad if you could find a home for
it." They were turned away.

The association is chiefly interest-
ed in children of the working class
and others for whom the only hope of
survival lies in adoption. It feels that
parents in comfortable circumstances
should assume the obligations that
may fall to their lot through indiscre-
tions.

**DOES HARM TO
NATIONAL CREDIT**

Agitation for Conscriptio
Wealth Has Hurt Govern-
ment Securities More Than
Industrial Stocks.

By Carl W. Ackerman.
Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger Co.
London, May 20—Agitation in fa-
vor of the nationalization or conscrip-
tion of wealth is, according to Lord
Leverhulme, having a more detrimen-
tal effect upon government securities
than upon industrial stocks.

Addressing a meeting of business-
men shortly after his return from the
United States, England's great soap-
maker stated that an analysis of price
fluctuations in stocks and securities

"Moreover you will see that at each
fresh inquiry on the subject of nation-
alization or the conscription of wealth
or war profits a further slump takes
place in the quoted value of govern-
ment securities."

Americans, in Lord Leverhulme's
opinion, are disinclined to invest in
British securities, not because they
fear the prospect of bankruptcy, but
"for fear of some fresh government
scheme of taxation. A general nerv-
ous timidity prevented the Americans

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which he had had prepared showed
that industrial preference securities
declined less on the stock exchange
than government securities.

"I have before me," he said, "the
stock exchange figures of some lead-
ing industrial preference shares, cer-
tain government securities, Indian se-
curities, corporation stocks and Bank
of England shares at the beginning of
1914 and again today. These show
conclusively that the fall has been
greatest on Indian government securi-
ties; in the next place on the British
government securities and corpora-
tion stocks and next on the Bank of
England stock and least of all on in-
dustrial preference securities.

"The quotation price shows the
confidence the investor has in the se-
curity, and if the public shows more
confidence in the policy and manage-
ment of industrialists than in the char-
acter of the government securities, you
may depend upon it that national
credit has received a shock.

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MILK FOR CHILDREN.
Vancouver, B. C., May 20—A num-
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(By F. B. McCurdy & Co.) New York, May 20.—Late last night the Republican Caucus in Congress authorized the members to be placed at the same time Secretary Houston has written to Chairman Fordney opposing the legislation in any form...

An indicative of the manner in which industries have been tied up, the Pennsylvania Railroad has placed a 48 hour embargo on outgoing freight, and is hurrying empty freight cars to the west, but otherwise, not a very great deal appears to have been accomplished to relieve the congestion.

Yesterday's stock market declines were orderly and without any panic indications at all, principally being due to the entire absence of buying power or incentive to take stocks on until it appears that liquidation has been somewhat accomplished.

Railroad stocks were not so much affected as industrials, owing to the lack of speculative interest in them. Indications are that the movement has not yet run its course.

SINCLAIR ORDERS STOCK INCREASE

(By F. B. McCurdy & Co.) Summary—May 20.—American oil and mining interests wanted plate from the Secretary of State to be careful in extending recognition or support to any new Mexican faction. Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation authorized stock increases from 5,500,000 to 6,500,000 shares, also issue \$75,000,000 five year 7 1/2 convertible bonds.

Atlantic Refining Company earned \$17.43 on common stock in 1919 against \$14.18 in 1918. Average industrial 37.36 off 3.85; 20 rails 69.95, off 1.71.

CANADIAN TEXTILES SHOW PROSPERITY

Montreal, May 20.—The prosperity of the Canadian Textile Industry is reflected in the annual statement of Canadian Textiles Limited, which indicated a banner year in the history of the enterprise. Net manufacturing profits totalled \$1,000,000, or 26.1 per cent of the previous year.

BOND ISSUES

Winnipeg, May 20.—Tenders have been called for a Provincial Treasury bond issue of \$2,000,000, at 6 per cent payable in New York, Montreal, Toronto and Winnipeg. The tenders will be received up till noon, on May 21th in Winnipeg.

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CAPITAL TRUST MADE TRUSTEE

Will Look After Estate of Millionaire Theatrical Manager Missing Since Last November.

tion of Mrs. Teresa Small, Justice Leacock, at Osgoode Hall, this morning, made an order appointing the Capital Trust Corporation trustee of the estate of Andrew J. Small, a millionaire theatrical manager, who died since November last, with a reference to the official records to take accounts. The act of the legislature, under which the application was made, was assented to by the Lieutenant Governor only yesterday.

METAL MARKETS

In its summary of the iron, steel, metal and machinery markets for the week ending May 19, Canadian Machinery and Manufacturing News, Toronto makes the following comment: The extent to which conditions in United States transportation systems are interfering with the steel, iron and machinery business in Canada is becoming more evident daily.

Premium prices are still to be found in the market for the way for a short time, and had to pay 4.75 per cent at the mill. When extras for size, freight, duty, war tax and exchange were added to the price, as well as yardage and profit, it had to sell at \$25 per pound.

Another firm, anxious about boiler tubes that had been on the way for weeks, was informed by the mill that there were some 50,000 tons piled in the yards, and that the order would be probably in that pile. When that pile got moved the Canadian customer will get his supplies, and there is not much indication of the movement taking place under present conditions.

New York machine tool market reports a falling off in inquiry that is quite noticeable. One explanation is that there is a very well-defined feeling that there must be an end to rising costs and increasing prices, and that there are some signs of a definite move downward in many essentials, buyers will persist in staying out of the market.

Steel mills and large makers have largely withdrawn from the scrap market in Canada, with the result that prices are flat and demand very small.

WEEKLY CLEARINGS

The St. John bank clearings for the week ending yesterday were \$3,828,207; last year \$3,094,898; in 1918, \$2,18,922.

CANADIAN PACIFIC

Many favorable comments are being expressed in press and public upon the inauguration of the improved Canadian Pacific summer train service between Montreal and the Maritime Provinces, particularly in reference to the double daily service each way every day in the week, and Sundays, too.

ever before in the history of rail-riding have such exceptional facilities been provided for taking proper care of the passenger traffic over Canadian Pacific tracks between St. John and Montreal, and vice versa. The trains themselves, in the matter of equipment and constructive art, are the last word in the master builders' industry. Palatial sleepers with electric lighted berths, scientific ventilation—in fact, every modern conceivable contrivance for comfort and luxury. High grade standard coaches, and luxurious diners; everything of the best, plus Canadian Pacific courtesy and efficiency. The schedules of the express are fast and regular, and patrons of the Direct Short Route are assured that "time" is a paramount feature with every adequate regard for safety. Passenger traffic originating in St. John has the choice of trains leaving at 4:30 p.m. or 7:45 p.m. Atlantic time, the former being due in Montreal at 7:30 a.m., making direct close connections with the "Canadian" for Toronto, Chicago, etc., also Ottawa. Traffic directed via St. John which originates in Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and points in New Brunswick East of St. John, is taken care of on the 7:45 p.m. train as also passengers from Nova Scotia, etc., via Bay of Fundy Service. This train is due at Montreal at 11:25 a.m. At Montreal both trains from the east connect with Canada's Most Famous Train, the Trans-Canada Limited, leaving at 5:00 p.m. and completing the run to Vancouver in ninety-two hours, and the only change is from track to track in the depot in Montreal. Toronto to Vancouver eighty-eight hours; Montreal to Winnipeg, forty-one hours fifteen minutes.

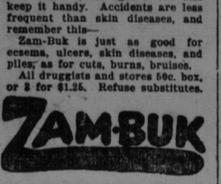
Coming East the first train arrives in St. John at 4:30 a.m., making direct connections with Nova Scotia via Digby, and points east of St. John via Canadian National system. The second express arrives in St. John at 1:00 noon, making close connections with C. N. R. train for the East.

The establishment of this new Canadian Pacific double service each way seven days in the week provides a wonderful connecting link in travel between the Lower Provinces, Quebec and the West. In fact, between all Points East with all Points West, the importance of which is apparent, and most apparent to all classes of travel, and at the same time marks a new era along lines of national development and commercial prosperity.

Saved Two Fingers

The fingers were those of Mr. J. W. Bernard, of 539 Craig St., Montreal. He says,—"A falling beam badly smashed my hand. Two fingers were so severely crushed that the doctors said they would have to be amputated. Naturally I didn't want this, so I decided to try Zam-Buk first. I applied Zam-Buk daily, and by the time I had used \$4 worth, the injury was completely healed. My fingers were saved!"

Just another illustration of the healing power of Zam-Buk. Accidents will happen. It may be your turn next. Better get a box and keep it handy. Accidents are less frequent than skin diseases, and remember this—Zam-Buk is just as good for eczema, styes, skin diseases, and piles; as for cuts, burns, bruises. All druggists and stores \$5c. box, or \$ for \$1.25. Refuse substitutes.



FUNERALS

The funeral of Nettie Ruth Perry, wife of Mr. D. Perry, took place from their residence, 156 Queen street, on Monday, May 14. The remains were taken to Norton on the noon train, service being held in the Riverbank church, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Morash, of Sussex, basing his remarks on Rev. xii. 1: "And there was no more sorrow."

The choir rendered very feelingly the chant "Thy Will Be Done, the Twenty-third Psalm, Abide With Me, and Some Times We'll Understand."

Interment was made at Riverbank cemetery.

Those out of town who attended the funeral were: Miss A. E. Humphrey, of Lowell, Mass.; James D. Humphrey, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. George Dodds, of New Brunswick; Mrs. James MacManus, Hampton, and Moses Perry, of Moncton, all relatives of the deceased.

AGAINST SUNDAY FUNERALS

Lethbridge, Alta., May 20.—It is proposed by the ministerial association of the city to discourage Sunday funerals. In view of this the following resolution passed was forwarded to the city council. "That in the opinion of this association the practice of Sunday funerals is unnecessary except in exceptional circumstances."

Advertisement for 'The Tonic that Builds You Up' featuring Olivine Emulsion. Includes an illustration of a woman and child.

Advertisement for 'Rich Red Blood' medicine, claiming to restore health and vigor.

Advertisement for 'Dr. Wilson's Lerbine Bitters' as a blood purifier and health tonic.

LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Table titled 'MAY—PHASES OF THE MOON' showing moon phases and times for various locations like Montreal, St. John, and other ports.

Arrived Thursday. S.S. Major Wheeler from Havana with sugar. S.S. Grethead from Portland, Me. Coastwise—Ship Beatrice, 18, Benson, Grand Harbor; sch Claude B. Daley, 25, Pictou, Port Greville, N.S.; sch sloop Shaw Bros, 6, Trent, Lepreau; sch Valadre, 85, Trehan, Bear River, N. S.; sch Mihred, K. 25, Oglvie, Parraboro, N. S.; str Bear River, 70, Moore, Bear River, N. S.; str Empress, 612, McDonald, Digby.

STATES MAY TAX STOCK DIVIDENDS

Washington, May 20.—The movement for further legislation to tax stock dividends is growing in strength in the Senate as well as in the House. Regina, Sask., May 20.—A scheme for the establishment of a training school to teach nurses the best methods of handling tuberculosis cases has been submitted by the medical superintendent of the Saskatchewan Sanatorium to Dr. M. Seymour, commissioner of public health for Saskatchewan, for consideration.

TOILET TIPS

A safe, certain method of ridding the skin of ugly, hairy growths is as follows: Mix a paste with some powdered detelone and water, apply to hairy surface about 2 minutes, then rub off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. This is entirely harmless and seldom requires repeating, but to avoid disappointment it is advisable to see that you get genuine detelone.

Advertisement for RMSP West Indies fortnightly sailings from Halifax, listing various routes and dates.

Advertisement for Cunard Anchor-Donaldson shipping line, listing routes to Montreal, Glasgow, and other ports.

Advertisement for CP to Europe shipping line, listing routes to various European ports.

Advertisement for Grand Manan S.S. Co. shipping line, listing routes to Grand Manan and other locations.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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SCHOOL FOR NURSES.—An excellent opportunity for young women, with at least one year of high school work, or its equivalent, in the Nurses' Training School of City Hospital, Worcester, Mass. Apply for application blank and information to the Superintendent.

NOTICE TO MARINERS. Notice is hereby given that the Public Gas and Whistling Buoy is gone from position. Will be replaced soon as possible. J. C. CHESLEY, Agent, Marine Department.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned up to 5 o'clock, p. m. May 20th, 1920, for the erection and completion of 10 self-contained houses on Champlain street, W. E. for the Local Housing Board of the City and County of St. John, N. B.

Each tender to be accompanied by a certified bank check, amount as follows: For the whole work, One Thousand Dollars; for a portion of the work, 5 per cent of the amount of tender.

SEALED TENDERS for the construction of a concrete block and brick school building, will be received by the undersigned up to noon, May 24th.

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WANTED—Linotype operator; best wages; steady work. Apply Standard office.

WANTED—Girl or middle-aged woman for general housework. No washing. Apply Mrs. Mulholland, 13 Charles St., Old Garden.

WANTED—Male teacher having grammar license for vice-principalship Sussex Schools, to begin after summer vacation, May 11, 1920. Apply J. Arthur Freese, Secretary Trustees, Sussex, N. B.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. No washing. Good wages. Apply Miss Willett, Manawagash Road, Phone West 221.

WANTED—Plain cook first of June. Apply to Housekeeper "The Royal" Bohasay, Telephone Rothesay 42.

WANTED—A man to take charge of Glass Business. Hoply, giving experience and salary expected, to STOCK KEEPER, care St. John Standard.

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THE WEATHER.

Toronto, May 20.—The pressure is below normal over the greater part of the continent, with the lowest barometer in the Western Provinces and Northern Ontario. A few scattered showers have occurred in Ontario, but the weather has been generally fair and moderately warm.

Dawson	26	58
Victoria	42	68
Vancouver	42	62
Kamloops	40	64
Calgary	38	68
Moose Jaw	38	62
Saskatoon	34	60
Prince Albert	42	60
Regina	36	62
Port Arthur	40	62
Parry Sound	52	76
Toronto	52	73
Kingston	52	70
Ottawa	56	74
Montreal	60	74
Quebec	60	74
St. John	40	66
Halifax	46	64

Forecast.
Maritime—Moderate winds; mostly easterly; fair with much the same temperature.
Northern New England—Local showers Friday; Saturday partly cloudy, moderate variable winds.

AROUND THE CITY

ASPHALT PLANT READY.
The new city sand drier is now ready for operation and the whole asphalt plant of the city will commence work about the first of next week.

G. W. V. A. FAIR
A meeting of the Fair Committee of the G. W. V. A. was held last evening at St. Andrew's Hall, J. G. Dryden presiding. Final arrangements were made for many of the booths and attractions and everything points to another successful fair.

MAY RETURN EAST
Harry Vall, formerly of St. John and Gagetown, who has been rowing coach at the University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis., for the past three years, may come east next year. Vall was formerly coach at the Weld Club on the Charles River, Boston.

SACTION ARRIVES
F. J. Pughent, secretary of the maritime branch of the Amateur Athletic Union, announces that sanction has been granted to the St. John and Nova Scotia Baseball League to play during the summer months, and to the M. A. A. of Moncton to hold inter-collegiate sports today.

NOVELTY-SHOWER
A number of friends of Miss Lottie Popham gathered at the home of Miss Henegar, 28 Orange street, last night and tendered her a novelty shower in honor of an event in which she is soon to be a principal. A very pleasant evening was spent by all.

WILL BE HERE MONDAY
The Board of Trade has been advised that Messrs. Reid, of Demarest, Ferguson, of Grenada, Phillips of Barbados and McDonald of Antigua, delegates to the Ottawa conference, will arrive here on May 24. The Jamaica and Bermuda delegates appear to have gone via New York.

SURPRISE PARTY
A very pleasant surprise was tendered Miss Myrtle McAfee on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James McAfee, No. 12 Princess street, West St. John, when a large number of friends tendered her a novelty shower. Many dainty gifts bespeaking the esteem in which the guests of the evening were held, music, dancing and games were enjoyed during the evening. A dainty luncheon was served toward the midnight hour.

FOUND THE GOODS
Liquor inspectors Saunders and McAtosh, paid a "fish" visit to Etna, St. John yesterday morning and raided a store owned by George Thorne. After a diligent search, it is reported, they located a quantity of gin in the cellar and after confiscating it placed the proprietor under arrest. He was before Magistrate Kirkpatrick and was fined \$50. Both inspectors returned to the city on the Montreal train in the afternoon.

CITY HALL PAY DAY
Yesterday was pay day at City Hall for officials and members of the permanent staff of the departments. The following amounts are on the pay roll:
Officials \$2,106.40
Police 3,324.06
Market 276.48
Fire 1,459.61
Sundry 1,518.49
Total \$11,299.75

EAST ST. JOHN SCHOOL BOARD UP IN THE AIR
Meeting Called to Select a Site for School Was Illegal.

A meeting of the East St. John School Board, at which the chairman W. F. Burdett presided, was held in the Edith Avenue Mission Hall last evening. The meeting was called for the purpose of authorizing the trustees to acquire land and erect a school house. It is found that the meeting had been called in an irregular manner and for that reason no action could be taken.

Considerable discussion ensued, however, on the choice of a site. A committee consisting of R. D. Magee, chairman; S. E. Joseph, J. W. Fivelling and R. O. Black, which had been appointed for the purpose of selecting a site and securing information as to the possible cost of the land, and the building of a school, reported that they had approached the Governors of the Industrial School regarding a lot of land containing about five acres. The Governors said the Government controlled the land. Then the committee reported on various other lots.

Presentation of "Mr. Bob" Enjoyed

Young People of St. David's Church Delighted Large Audience Last Evening in the Presentation of a Two-Act Comedy.

The presentation of "Mr. Bob" by the Young People of St. David's Church in Centenary Hall last evening delighted an audience that taxed the seating accommodation to capacity.

The presentation of this amusing two-act comedy was exceptionally well done. The various members of the cast performed their roles quite creditably and received their "meed of applause." The excellent manner in which they went through their parts is highly creditable to themselves and their director, A. S. Gardner.

Between the acts Ronald Shaw gave some clever interpretative sketches from Shakespeare's "Merchant of Venice," while Harry Lauder imitations by A. S. Gardner added greatly to the interest of the evening.

Excellent music was rendered by the Exmouth Street Sunday School orchestra.

During the intermission A. R. Cruickshanks on behalf of the Young People expressed thanks to the people of Centenary Church for loaning the Hall to the Exmouth Street Orchestra for their kindness in furnishing music, and to the audience for their generous patronage.

Home-made candy was on sale and a very good sum was realized. The following was the cast of character:
Jenkins, the butler—Alan McGowan
Miss Rebecca Luke, maiden lady—Miss Edith McAllister
Patty, the maid—Miss Kathleen Shaw
Katharine Rogers, Miss Luke's niece—Miss Elizabeth Campbell
Philip Royson, Miss Luke's nephew—Kenneth Nelson
Marion Bryant, Katherine's friend—Miss Dorothy Sinclair
Robt. Brown, clerk with Benson & Benson—Murray Lawson.

The synopsis of the play was: Act I—Living Room in Home of Miss Rebecca Luke. Time, morning; Act II—Same as Act I. Time, afternoon.

Rifle Range For N. E. Playground

Suggestion Made by City Commissioner, Who Thinks \$12,000 Too Much for Shamrock Grounds.

It is being suggested that the Government be approached with a view to securing the use of the rifle range as a playground for the North End. It is pointed out that the rifle range has not been used much lately, and that it could probably be rented from the Government for a very small sum. One of the city fathers said last evening: "I don't feel like voting to pay \$12,000 for the old Shamrock Grounds for a playground. That is a considerable sum, and the city is confronted with all sorts of demands."

The Mayor and Commissioners Bullock, Jones and Frink looked over the Shamrock Grounds yesterday, considering its claims to become a North End playground, but in the absence of Com. Thornton, who was not well, they did not decide what to do.

The Mayor and Commissioners also went to Fairlie, and looked over the grounds on the Mansueto Road, belonging to the city, which the Lancaster people want for a playground. They will discuss the question later.

From Lancaster they went to East St. John where a dozen families want the pipe line running down to the County Hospital.

Sons of England Entertain Sailors

Marlborough Lodge Puts on Entertaining Programme at Seamen's Institute — Mr. Brindle Occupies Chair.

An excellent entertainment was given by Marlborough Lodge, Sons of England, at the Seamen's Institute last evening. The varied programme rendered proved most interesting and was heartily enjoyed by an enthusiastic audience.

Mrs. Smith's solos, "The Pride of the World is the British Navy," and "Have We Got Our Wind Up, No!" proved very popular, the lack of joining her in the swinging chorus with splendid effect. The applause testified to the popularity of the songs and showed that the gallant sailors of the war are not entirely forgotten as yet. One half the proceeds of last night's concert are to be devoted to the work of the St. John Boys' Club.

The programme follows:
Vocal Solo—Mrs. Southouse.
Dancing, Juggling and Cornet—Rogan and Cromwell.
Vocal and Piano Solo—Miss McMahon.
Reading—Miss Roberts.
Band Selection—G. Davidson.
Solo—Mrs. Smith.
Musical Duet and Club Singing—Fred Orr, Mr. Wetmore and Mr. Whitther.
Solo—F. Punter.
Vocal Solo—Mr. Dennison.
Accordion Solo—Mr. Niddis.
Vocal Solo—Victor Rogan.
Piano Selection—Mr. Halseall.
Vocal Solo—Mr. Smith.
Vocal Solo—Mr. Parker.
Vocal Solo—Mr. Brindle.
Comedy Act—Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Shears and Milton.
Step Dancing—Roland Isard.

America Anglers Held Back Home

Many Have Abandoned Contemplated Trips to New Brunswick, Owing to Uncertain Business Conditions — Signs of Industrial Depression in the U. S.

While there have been a considerable number of Americans passing through St. John on the way to the fishing streams in various parts of the Province, disturbed business conditions is said to have held back many who might otherwise have spent some weeks at the fishing game. "The business outlook in the States is uncertain—that is about all you can say about it," said J. Bacon, a Boston business man and sportsman who was in the city yesterday.

"We are in for a depression evidently, but I don't expect a panic. The Federal Reserve system offers a bulwark which we did not have some years ago, when joint action by our numerous and isolated small banks was difficult. At present it is possible to stretch credit to meet an emergency as it was not years ago, and this should prove a steady factor in the situation. Then the Government is interested in maintaining credit in a way it never was before. Besides in the present temper of the country both the Government and big business are bound to do everything in their power to prevent any violent depression, which would throw millions out of work. That would put the trade unions which stand for American democracy in an awkward position; their funds would go to maintain the unemployed. And without funds, the conservative type of trade union leaders would lose their power, and there would be danger of the revolutionary elements obtaining control of the best unions."

"In any case there are difficulties ahead. America for years has been increasing production at a great rate, and she has given a tremendous impetus to production of all sorts. Our politicians with their usual fatuity have been telling us that the thing needed was increased production. But we are confronted with over production today. Last fiscal year we produced over ten billion dollars worth of stuff more than we could consume. Now our exports are falling off because Europe is too poor to buy or is beginning to produce on her own account. Consequently we have an immense production capacity we cannot utilize because we cannot find a market for the surplus product. Business is bound to slow down and prices to fall. In one way or another arises from the fact that we have heavily over-capitalized our increased power of production. Through over-capitalization wealth has been diverted to the top, and towards luxury trades. Many classes of workers, have, it is true, been receiving high wages; the condition of the working class has been vastly improved in some respects. Nevertheless the workers were never more dissatisfied, feeling that they have not reaped the benefits from the general increase in the nation's productive power. They know very well that the increases in prices are not by any means due to increased wages."

"With our great use of machinery, the cost of labor is a comparatively small item in production. For instance an investigation conducted by Washington showed that in 1917 the entire cost of manufacturing a pair of shoes for which the consumer paid \$5.50 was only \$5.46. It was further shown that a wage increase of 100 per cent would only add 45 cents to the labor cost of a pair of boots."

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POLICE COURT CASES YESTERDAY

In the police court yesterday morning the case of Mrs. Matilda White, nee, also known as Mrs. Francis Woodford Fulton, was taken up. Art evidence by Thomas Whitcomb and Rev. G. F. Dawson the case was adjourned until this afternoon.

A juvenile, charged with stealing lumber from the yard of Haley Bros., Broad street, was sentenced to an indefinite term in the Boys' Industrial Home.

Four men and one woman, charged with drunkenness, pleaded guilty and were remanded.

Aristotle believed selection of public officers by lot would give popular government.

Common Council Met In Committee

Delegation from Lancaster Present Yesterday in Support of Site for Playgrounds — Letter from N. B. Power Company.

The city council yesterday morning in committee heard a delegation from the Parish of Lancaster in support of their petition for a site for playgrounds. After hearing the arguments of the delegation the council promised consideration of the matter. During the discussion Mayor Schofield suggested a long lease of the land and the delegation said they would be willing to accept this if they could not get a deed. It was also suggested by Commissioner Bullock that this site might be used for exhibition grounds.

On motion of Commissioner Frink permission for the N. B. Telephone Co. to lay lateral conduits in Waterloo street opposite Cliff street and in Brussels street at Haymarket square, subject to the approval of the road engineer, was recommended. He also recommended that application of the company to erect nineteen new poles in Gullford, Lancaster, Ladlow and Middle streets, West St. John, and Wentworth and Crown streets and Elliot row be referred to the city engineer for report.

A letter was read from Armstrong & Bruce making a formal offer to the city of the land proposed for a playground in the North End at \$12,000. It was referred to the commissioner of public works.

On account of Monday being a holiday the regular committee meeting of the common council has been postponed to Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

The following letter was received from the New Brunswick Power Co.: "With a view of generally improving the street railway system for the public convenience we desire to place loops on all lines and operate our cars on a single end with the intention of routing all cars to north King and Charlotte street at the city market. To carry out this we would ask permission to construct the following tracks:
1st—To place a branch off from north King street north on Charlotte street with the intention of bringing cars from Union street to north King street via Sydney, north King square, Charlotte and out on Union street.
2nd—Extend our line with a branch off Mill street up Union street connecting east on Charlotte street with the intention of routing West St. John, Fairville and Seaside Park cars along Rodney street to Market place, Charlotte to King street and out, instead of as at present looking out via Union, Sydney and north King streets, which would cause too much congestion at the head of King street.
3rd—Construct a loop at West St. John off Union street to Rodney street along Rodney street to Market place, along such other route as may be determined as satisfactory to the city and company.
Plans will be submitted if necessary and it is understood that all work will be carried out and paved and replaced satisfactory to your engineer.
We will be pleased at any time to provide a car and go over the proposed extensions with you and your engineer.
(Sgd.) T. H. McCauley, General Manager.

NEW BRIDGE PLANS

The plans for the new C. P. R. bridge at the Falls were submitted to the common council yesterday and will be taken up in committee later.

20 PER CENT. OFF DRESSES TODAY AT DYKEMAN'S.

There is no catch about this offer in any way, but just as stated. This is a small item, a straight 20 per cent discount on any Dress in the store, with the exception of House Dresses only. This is certainly a most remarkable offer and is only good for the last three days of this week.

This is the first of seven sensational selling events and the savings are considerably higher than those offered at prices much lower than one expects to find these days.

It is a relief that prices will be considerably higher next fall than they are today and that on top of these high prices will be a Government luxury tax of ten per cent. This luxury tax is now in force, but Oak Hall were so fortunate in procuring for this sale high quality merchandise at such low prices that in almost every instance the selling price comes below that set by the Government as a luxury, so one need have no fear of having to pay more than the price actually marked.

But most assuredly, after Saturday most of these same qualities will come within the luxury class and will therefore cost the purchaser considerably more than they will today or Saturday. It is consequently the wise shopper that will take advantage of the Oak Hall Back Home Sale now before it is too late.

Chilton House—All meals 60c.

Oak Hall Back Home Sale Ends Tomorrow

LUXURY TAX DOES NOT AFFECT PRICES HERE

Tomorrow offers the final opportunity for you to take advantage of the most successful sale Oak Hall has ever undertaken, three weeks of continued success because of the unusually high quality of the merchandise offered at prices much lower than one expects to find these days.

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A String of Speckled Beauties

That's the luck you've hoped for on the 24th, and there's no reason why you shouldn't have it, with the right kind of

FISHING TACKLE

of which our sporting department presents a large general line, including Rods, Reels, Gut Hooks, Landing Nets, Artificial Baits, including the far-famed South Bend "Orino," which anglers have named as the "most wonderful fish-getter ever made." Also we have a nice line of Fishing Baskets.

SEE OUR KING STREET WINDOW.

W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED

Store Hours—8 a. m. to 6 p. m.—Open Saturdays till 10 p. m.

Our Lucky Purchase Sale Closes Tomorrow Night

HATS THAT ARE NEW TRIMMED HATS

A specially purchased group of charming Trimmed Hats, reflecting all the approved styles for early Summer wear. Lucky Purchase Sale Prices, \$3 to \$5. If you are weary of the commonplace, if smart styles and lively colors attract you, don't miss this display of charming Hats at \$3 to \$5 today and tomorrow.

CHILDREN'S HATS TODAY AND TOMORROW

We have just received a big lot of Children's Hats that we bought at a special price. These Hats go on sale today and tomorrow at big reductions. This is an extra good time to save real money on your little girl's Summer Hat.

HATS FOR HOLIDAY WEAR

Gay colors, light summery shades and Navy Blue vie with each other for favor in these creations of Tulle, Silk Crochet and Novelty Materials. Come in and take a peek at these today or tomorrow—you will be surprised at the low prices.

Marr Millinery Co., Limited

Lucky Purchase Sale Closes Tomorrow Night

"NEW PERFECTION" OIL COOK STOVE

Makes Cooking a Pleasure in Summer Heat

This all season cook stove insures a cool kitchen in summer, and tidiness, convenience and economy all the year round.

It's heat is always under the perfect control of the housewife. Gives exactly the degree of heat desired for every purpose. Free abundant circulation of heat through the oven.

See our line of Screen Doors and Window Screens.

Emerson & Fisher Ltd.

Stores Open 8.30 a.m. Close 6 p.m. Saturday 10 p.m.

Outing Hats For the Holiday

With Summer on Its Way Every Girl and Woman Really Needs a Becoming Hat of This Nature.

AMONG THE LATEST CREATIONS ARE SMART PANAMAS—in sailor and rolled brimmed shapes. Some are real broad and especially smart. These are banded and sashed in various ways with ribbons of many colors.

MILAN HATS—Soft rolled shapes with ribbon crowns—also Sailors in all white or two colors.

IMITATION RAFFIA HATS—Top brims are in variegated shades. Under brims of plain color.

BASKET WEAVE HATS—The smartest things going for Misses. Wide brimmed effects in two color combinations and trimmed with pretty embroidered bands.

These are just a few of the kinds showing now in our millinery Salon.

Manchester Robertson Allison & Co.

KING STREET • GERMAIN STREET • MARKET SQUARE

True Economy

usually lies in the wise selections of beautiful materials, speaking of dress. We believe we are a beneficent factor when we assist so materially as we have this week in the selections on our Pre-Holiday Programme.

For further proof of these statements see page 7.

D. Magee's Sons, Limited—Saint John, N.B.

Knox Hats, \$4.85.	BETTY WALES DRESSES For \$21.00
Orenburg Scarves, \$4.85.	
Summer Furs, \$9.50.	
And Other Good Holiday Things.	