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Zone of Open Warfare Enlarges
As the German Forces Press On

Heavy Attack on British Last Night In New Line South of Somme Repulsed—Paris Says German Advance Held Up Everywhere Tuesday Night With Germans Weakened By Heavy Losses

London, Mar. 27.—The zone of open warfare is continuing to enlarge as the Entente forces fall back fighting under the enormous weight of the German numbers, says Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters in a despatch today.

It is now clearly established, he adds, that the present offensive is the great main effort of the Germans, and that it has not been as successful as they anticipated.

HEAVY ATTACK LAST NIGHT

London, Mar. 27.—A heavy attack was made early in the night against the new British line south of the Somme. It was repulsed after severe fighting. The war office announces.

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"Further local fighting has taken place also north and southeast of Albert, but the situation on this part of the battle front remains unchanged."

ADVANCE HELD UP, SAYS PARIS

Paris, Mar. 27.—Last night the German advance was held up everywhere, according to the official statement of the war office today. The enemy, weakened by heavy losses, it adds, has been obliged to slow up his efforts. The statement follows:

"Last evening and during the night the Germans, weakened by their heavy losses, were compelled to retard their efforts. The advance of the German forces defending the ground foot by foot is beyond all praise.

"The French are holding a line running through L'Esche, St. Aunin and Bouvignes, north of Lassigny, in front of the southern part of Noyon, and along the left bank of the Oise. During the night the French repulsed strong reconnoitering parties which attempted to approach their positions northeast of Noyon. On the remainder of the front there was an intermittent bombardment."

NEARLY ALL THEY LOST IN SOMME

British Army Headquarters in France, Mar. 27.—(By Associated Press.)—The German last night continued their furious onslaught southwestward from Hent against the British line held at the region of Roye and Noyon, having slowed down in their attempt to cut through the British line. The British line, however, showed desperate resistance was offered.

The Germans have now reclaimed virtually all the territory they held at the beginning of the battle of the Somme in 1918. At some places they have not retaken all the old ground, but at other points they have overtopped it somewhat.

Hard fighting occurred last night about the town of Albert. Large enemy forces pushed forward toward the place, but at last accounts the British were holding them doggedly at this point.

The conflict in the sector around Roye and Noyon appears to be of great importance from the many indications that the German higher command is attempting to split the Allied front there and start a rolling-up process either way.

SAYS THEY HAVE TAKEN 963 GUNS; 100 TANKS.

Berlin, via London, Mar. 26.—"Since the beginning of the battle ninety-three enemy airplanes and six captive balloons have been brought down. The booty in guns has increased to 963 and more than 100 tanks are lying in the captured positions."

Beginning Paris Yesterday.

Berlin, Mar. 26.—London.—The Germans have not halted their long range bombardment of Paris, according to an official statement from general headquarters today. The announcement says: "We continued the bombardment of the fortress of Paris."

London Papers.

London, Mar. 26.—The London evening papers take consolation in the fact that the Germans thus far have failed to break the British lines or force a wedge between the British and French armies and in the news from France that the gaps have been filled with local reserves, while the strategical reserves are intact for their own special purposes.

A Neutral View.

Washington, Mar. 27.—Newspapers in the European countries are not allowing themselves to be misled by German accounts of the battle on the western front, according to official despatches from France. The German communiques at the time of the Verdun assault are recalled, and Swiss papers are quoted as pointing out that the British line has not been broken, and the number of prisoners taken by the Germans is not being reported in any action of such magnitude.

For the Crown Prince.

Amsterdam, Mar. 27.—Emperor William has appointed the German Crown Prince chief of the guard grenadier regiment in recognition of the good work of his troops on the western front.

Ludendorff Claims Victory.

Amsterdam, Mar. 27.—"A great battle has been fought and victory has been won," but nobody can foresee what will result from it," said General Von Ludendorff in an interview with the correspondent at the front of the Tagesschau of Berlin.

The general praised the British for their tenacious resistance, and continued: "The British believed they could rely on the strength of machinery. The employment of tanks and great numbers of machine guns is typical of their methods of warfare."

The German infantry, the general added, had only one night's normal rest during five or six days of battle.

Train Loads Of Wounded in London

London, Mar. 27.—Four train loads of wounded officers and men from the battle front in France reached London last night. As they were being transferred to ambulances, crowds cheered and threw flowers. The wounded responded smilingly to the greetings.

"What was it like?" was asked of one wounded man.

"Oh, Fritz just rained shells on us like a hail storm," was the reply.

KAISER AND VON LUDENDORFF IN VIOLENT QUARREL

Paris, Mar. 27.—Emperor William and Gen. Von Ludendorff had a violent quarrel before the beginning of the great attack on the western front, according to a prominent Swiss who has just returned to Zurich from Germany. He is quoted as saying:

"There was much discreet talk in Berlin before the present attack, concerning extremely violent scenes between Germany's leaders at general headquarters. Gen. Von Ludendorff spoke so violently and authoritatively that the Emperor, becoming very pale, arose from his chair and, pouring the table, demanded: 'General, are you or I emperor of Germany?'"

"Von Ludendorff replied that he was only a soldier and more than any one else desired peace. He said he was convinced that his plans for an offensive were capable of bringing it about."

SERIOUS DISPUTE BETWEEN UKRAINE AND GERMANY

London, Mar. 27.—A serious dispute has arisen between the Ukraine and Germany over Germany's demand that she give eighty-five per cent. of the Ukrainian wheat surplus, according to a telegraph. Germany also demanded that she give a large percentage of other foodstuffs not needed by the population of the Ukraine.

The telegram adds that there are disputes at present between the Ukraine and Germany divided for and against the German demands.

THREE MONTHS IN PRISON CAMP

Refused to Answer Questions Put By Dominion Official

Sarnia, Ont., Mar. 27.—Louis Laverne will spend the next three months at Burwash prison camp. On a charge of being a defaulter and refusing to answer questions, he was fined \$50 by Magistrate Gorman today with the option of three months at Burwash. He was unable to pay. When spoken to by the dominion police he became incensed and refused to give his name or age.

After spending a night in the cells, he said he was twenty-eight years of age and had been in Canada sixteen months. He has been employed at the freight sheds at Point Edward and is not registered either in the United States or Canada.

Captain Robinson, of the dominion police, asked that an example be made of him.

WEATHER REPORT

Issued by Authority of the Department of Marine and Fisheries, E. F. Stewart, director of meteorological service

Synopsis—Pressure is lower in Eastern Canada and over the northwestern and western States, while a cool wave remains stationary in the northward of Lake Superior. Snow has fallen in the maritime provinces, and some light rains in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

Forecasts

Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay, Ottawa Valley and Upper and Lower St. Lawrence—Fine and cool today and on Thursday.

Gulf and North Shore—Fresh north-west to north winds, generally fair and cool today and on Thursday.

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Maritime—Fresh north-west to north winds, generally fair and cool today and on Thursday.

Superior—Fine and cool; Thursday, stationary or a little higher temperature.

Saskatchewan—Partly fair, light local rain or snow.

Alberta—Generally fair, not much change in temperature.

MORE ABOUT AFFAIRS OF THE POWER COMPANY

Public Utilities in Session This Morning

H. M. Hopper Criticizes Statement by Auditor MacIntyre—Report of Physical Value of Plant Ready by April 6

The audit report of Niles & Niles, and two yearly reports of the N. B. Power Company were handed in for the reference of the Public Utility Commission by Fred R. Taylor at a session of that body here this morning. A general discussion followed.

The chairman made reference to the statement of Mr. MacIntyre that the N. B. Power Co. bought the stock of the old Railway Company at a premium of \$40 a share and paid them out of their own money.

Mr. Hopper—I remember the statement, but I do not understand why he would say such a thing.

Mr. Hopper said that the sale to the N. B. Power Co. took place on March 1, 1917. At that time there was no material change in the stock.

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Mr. Hopper: Yes, Sir. At the time of sale on March 1, there was only \$24,000 in actual cash. Besides that we had legal and political supplementary treaty was likewise initiated and the basis of an agreement on the oil question was made.

Other economic questions will be considered after the completion of the treaty, which will be published simultaneously.

Moscow, Sunday, Mar. 24.—(By the Associated Press.)—The Bolshevik troops, according to an official announcement, have been successful in fighting the Austrians in the southern part of the Ukraine. The cities of Nikolajev, Kherson and Znamiansk have been recaptured by the Russians.

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DEMONS CHAPTER THAT SALE A SUCCESS

A very successful sale of Easter hats was held by DeMonts Chapter, I. O. O. F., yesterday at 51 Brussels street and before the afternoon was over there was scarcely a hat left. This morning a supplementary sale was held, and hats not sold yesterday or which were since obtained were sold. This also proved a success and it is hoped that quite a large sum of money has been realized for patriotic purposes. Some of the hats which were on sale offered big values and were tastefully got up in the latest styles. The members of the chapter have been working for the last two weeks in dressing hats and met for that purpose at the residence of Mrs. Stewart Skinner in Charlotte street. Conveners of yesterday's sale were Mrs. Stewart Skinner, Mrs. J. F. Busby and Mrs. W. J. Ambrose. C. C. Forest is the convener of the supplementary sale today. The shop at 51 Brussels street was loaned by Mrs. Campbell for the occasion.

The next activity of the chapter is the soliciting of maple sugar and syrup and subscriptions money with which to buy it for the soldiers overseas.

ALBERT MEDAL FOR BRAVE ACTS AT TIME OF HALIFAX DISASTER

London, Mar. 27.—(Via Reuter's Ottawa Agency.)—The Albert medal, struck in gold, has been posthumously awarded to Acting Commander T. K. Triggs of the royal navy, and the Albert medal has been awarded to Able-Seaman William Berry for gallantry in saving life at sea in connection with the recent Halifax disaster.

Both recipients formed part of the crew of seven aboard a whaler belonging to the warship Highflyer and went to the rescue of the crew of the Ina, which was only 800 yards from the Mont Blanc after the collision, and notwithstanding that the explosion aboard the Mont Blanc was known to be imminent. All the crew of the whaler perished except Berry, who swam to the Dartmouth shore. The official account of the awards pays high tribute to the whole crew.

ODESSA LOST BY THE ENEMY

Re-Captured By Soviet and Ukrainian Forces

FORMER CZAR TO THE URAL

Warning Against Emigration To Siberia—Bolshevik Troop Successful Fighting Against Austrians

London, Mar. 27.—Odessa has been recaptured by the Soviet and Ukrainian forces, according to a despatch from Moscow today. The Bolshevik government has decided to transfer Nicholas Romanoff, the former Emperor, and his family from Tobolsk to the Ural region, according to an announcement in Petrograd today.

It was decided to take this action in view of the possibility of complications in the Far East.

Moscow, Mar. 25.—(By the Associated Press.)—The commissariat for agriculture has sent out a warning to all cultivators of workmen and soldiers' delegates against emigration to Siberia, which is increasing to a noticeable extent among peasants and also workmen who have been deported from the front.

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RESOLUTION AGAINST THE DAYLIGHT SAVING

Agricultural Delegates at Fredericton Discuss Production Plans—The Daylight Bill in Commons at Ottawa

(Special to Times.)

Fredericton, Mar. 27.—Following a conference between Dr. Robertson and the agricultural delegates yesterday afternoon, a committee of ten met in the evening to discuss a definite plan of production. They decided that, under present conditions it would be well for the greater production committee to concentrate in assisting the dealers or the farmers in any section to secure a supply of feed and fertilizer, and recommended that they should be purchased immediately so that it might be saved for the province. It was also recommended that that demonstration work for the treatment of smut be taken up immediately. They urged the introduction of work and organization for food production through every channel possible. They also suggest that every acre which is sown to crop this year be very carefully cultivated rather than large acreage poorly cultivated.

The committee decided that it would be impossible to undertake on a large scale the cultivation of vacant lands but plans will be made immediately to plow a large area of such land during the summer and fall for cropping next spring.

A resolution in opposition to daylight saving bill in the House of Commons, which passed its second reading yesterday, A. B. Copp, Westmorland, declared that the farmers of his constituency were against the bill. While it would be of undoubted value to the laboring classes in the city, greater production was the great need of the hour, and the views of the farmers should be heard in consequence.

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HEALTH BILL IN HOUSE SOON

Hon. Dr. W. F. Roberts' Measure—Philip Sullivan of Stanley Killed in Mill

(Special to Times.)

Fredericton, Mar. 27.—It is probable that Hon. W. F. Roberts will introduce the public health bill in the house of assembly tomorrow afternoon or at the first sitting of next week.

At a public meeting in Marysville last night it was decided to recommend that the town council be reduced to four aldermen and a mayor; also that the special act of incorporation be repealed and the town go under the town incorporation. The necessary for improved fire protection was emphasized.

The Canadian Cottons Limited will soon procure a Ford chemical engine for the protection of its property and the co-operation of the town is sought.

Philip Sullivan of Stanley was killed instantly in Douglas' mill at Stanley this morning. He was caught by a shaft. He is survived by his wife.

The case of W. Henry Maxwell vs. the St. John & Quebec Railway Company is nearing its close. The addresses by counsel are likely to begin this afternoon.

ACCIDENT FATAL

George McLaughlin of Brookville, Dies in Hospital

George McLaughlin of Brookville died in the General Public Hospital this morning at 5:45 o'clock as the result of injuries to his head from a piece of flying rock in a blast at Torryburn on Saturday last.

The skull was fractured, and he never regained consciousness. Mr. McLaughlin is a widower and leaves five children to mourn.

WILL NOT SUBMIT PROHIBITION TO A VOTE OF THE PEOPLE

Boston, Mar. 27.—By a vote of 122 to 96, the state legislature today rejected a motion favoring the submitting of the prohibition amendment to popular vote.

SPECIAL ORDER OF THE DAY BY FIELD MARSHAL HAIG

London, Mar. 27.—Field Marshal Haig has issued the following special order of the day, dated March 23:

"To all ranks of the British army in France and Flanders:—We are again at a crisis in the war. The enemy has collected on this front every available division and is aiming at the destruction of the British army. We have already inflicted on the enemy, in the course of the last few days, a very heavy loss, and the French are sending troops as quickly as possible to our support.

"I feel that everyone in the army, fully realizing how much depends on the exertions and steadfastness of each one of us, will do his utmost to prevent the enemy from attaining his object."

THE WEEPING KAISER

Amsterdam, Mar. 27.—The Volks Zeitung of Cologne says that, according to General Von Ludendorff, Emperor William has been deeply impressed by the terrible devastation in the battle area, remarking:—

"How glad we should be that our country has been spared such terrible things. Why did we succeed in keeping the fighting beyond our frontiers? Because before the war we always urged the need of armaments. When mankind changes these things also will change, but first mankind must begin to change."

REPLACING THE LOSSES OF MAN-POWER

France May Shorten Period of Training in Ireland Urges Conscription in Ireland

London, Mar. 27.—Discussing means of replacing the losses of man-power in France, the Daily Mail suggests it probably will be found necessary to shorten the period of training for recruits and to send to the front the younger classes at an earlier age than heretofore. All physically able Russian subjects in England, this newspaper says, are being called to the colors, the authorities having cancelled the recent order which temporarily suspended the summoning of these men.

The Daily Telegraph for the first time urges application of conscription to Ireland in order to replace the recent losses. It says:—"The question of extending the operation of the Military Service Act to Ireland must call for reconsideration by those who realize how magnificent has been the contribution of Irish regiments to our past success in this war and how priceless from every point of view would be a fuller participation of Irish man-power in the salvaging of Europe. Continuing the paper says:—"In this hour of crisis it will be conscious, if they never were before, that it is that, and nothing else from which so many of them are standing aloof."

FINED \$200 A THIRD TIME

Fred Galbraith, charged with having liquor in his possession unlawfully in Brussels street on the morning of March 23, was fined \$200 in the police court this morning. In delivering judgment, Magistrate Ritchie said this was the third time since December that Galbraith had been fined \$200. Were it not for the fact that one of his depositions was under appeal before Chief Justice McKeown, he said, he would give Galbraith the full penalty of a third offence, or, as a persistent offender, which is one year in jail without a fine.

DENY REMOVAL OF PEOPLE OF COMPEIGNE

Paris, Mar. 27.—Reports current here that the inhabitants of Compeigne, between Paris and the battle front, were being removed to the Hettling Journal. A large number of persons, it says, are leaving the town voluntarily to avoid violent bombardments by enemy airplanes, but no order of removal has been given.

DRAFTES NUMBER 30,000

Ottawa, Mar. 27.—Men drafted under the military service act, it is officially announced, totalled 30,000 up to noon yesterday. Defaulters apprehended numbered 4,168.

STREET SUB-CONTRACT

Frank Wade, who was recently awarded a contract for resurfacing in Main street, between Adelaide road and Cedar street, has been awarded a sub-contract from B. Mooney & Sons for placing blocks in the granite section.

UNDER THE M. S. A.

The dominion police under the Military Service Act were actively engaged this morning visiting establishments throughout the city in search of delinquents. Up to noon no defaulters had been discovered.

GOOD THINGS COMING TO THEATRES OF ST. JOHN

WAR DETECTIVE DRAMA AND FATTY ARBUCKLE AT THE IMPERIAL TONIGHT

Tonight's show at the Imperial will have a tinge of wartime affairs also...

MARY MILES MINTER AND CHARLIE CHAPLIN AT LYRIC

Two famous stars are holding sway at Lyric, dainty Mary Miles Minter and Charlie Chaplin...

CHANGE OF POLICY AT GEM FRIDAY

Tonight's new bill at the Gem, for which see page eleven, will run only until and including Thursday night...

THE OPERA HOUSE

There are good music, dancing, clever acrobatic work, singing, good comedy acting in a well played sketch and a host of heavy laughs in the vaudeville programme at the Opera House this week...

MARRIAGES

ESTABROOKS-FULTON—On March 25, at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. B. H. Nobles, Byron Estabrooks to Hope J. Fulton, both of this city.

BIRTHS

HANSON—On the 26th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. George Hanson, 28 Erin street, a daughter, BELLEA—On March 24, to Mr. and Mrs. Edmund H. Belyea, 48 Victoria street—a son.

DEATHS

VANWART—At Military Hospital on the 26th inst., James Vanwart, aged twenty-four, leaving his mother, step-father, one brother and four sisters to mourn.

HAVE GOOD HEALTH

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the Old Reliable Spring Tonic.

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

TROTSKY AGAIN

Reported Negotiating With Allies For War Against Hun

Paris, Mar. 27.—The statement that Leon Trotsky has approached the Entente with a new proposal, manifesting a desire to organize the peasants to the Germans, with the eventual support of French military missions, appears today in the Petit Parisien.

THORNE'S OPEN AS USUAL

The establishment of W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., visited yesterday, is open today business as usual.

MUSICAL FRIDAY TO AID OUR HEROES

Imperial Will Lend House at 4.30 for Grand Impressive Programme

After the first show in Imperial theatre, the Grand Impressive programme of this week a grand patriotic musical of a deeply reverential character—in keeping with the day and with the critical hour in the war—will be given by some of the city's best talent.

SPRING FASHION REVIEW

AT DYKEMAN'S continues this evening and again Thursday evening. Exhibiting in promenade the lovely and interesting styles from Paris, New York and Toronto.

LOCAL NEWS

Wake up from the long, dreary winter and begin to do all your shopping at Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte.

MILLINERY OPENING March 27 to 30. You are cordially invited. Correct styles, correct prices. Mrs. John K. Storey, 165 Union street.

We share our profits with you by giving you free gifts in exchange for your coupons—Louis Green, 85 Charlotte street.

Dance, which was to be held in Knights of Columbus Hall, Coburg street, Monday night, has been cancelled.

FOR THE BOYS Why should you pay two prices for your boy's Easter? You can get them for the old price at Bassen's, 14-16-18, Charlotte street.

The exquisite beauty of slenderizing silks cannot overcome the fleshy shoulders and hips without properly fitted corsets. Have your corsets fitted. Daniel, Head of King street.

Place your order for your made-to-order suit and overcoat for Easter early. Turner, out of high rent district, 440 Main.

Oratorio "Olivet to Calvary," St. John Stone church tonight, 8.15. Soloists, chorus. Direction D. A. Fox. Silver collection.

Next Saturday being the eve of Easter, all the stores of Manchester, Robertson Allison, Ltd. will remain open until ten p. m.

SOLDIERS' VOTES A number of soldiers had their names placed on the voters' list in City Hall this morning. Those desirous to exercise their franchise in the coming election have still three days to register.

Men's spring suits arrived, prices rock bottom, at Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

Combined choir of St. James and German street churches will render "Olivet to Calvary" in German street church, Friday evening.

WHAT NEW FOR EASTER? Any number of men and young men have asked that question about spring styles in the coming election. Because so many men want authentic information, we would ask you to let us explain and show you our lines—Brager's, 185-187 Union street.

While the slush is on you must wear the price low at Bassen's, 14-16-18 Charlotte street.

The International Correspondence School have given 1,000 volumes on technical education to military hospital committees throughout Canada for the use of returned soldiers. The Parks Convalescent Home is included in the list of beneficiaries.

TIME TO SHOW TO ORGANIZE The invitation to their fingers to participate in the patriotic musical at Imperial Theatre (Gaiety) Friday afternoon has been widely distributed. It is feared that the time for organization is too short. The programme for the Easter concert will be announced in Thursday's papers. Tickets were placed on sale today at all the neighborhood drug stores and at the theatre.

Health Improving. Ottawa, Mar. 27.—The prime minister has received a telegram from Sir Thomas White stating that his health is improving, and that his holiday is doing him good.

EASTER SPECIALS

For Cash on Thursday and Saturday

Our store will be open on Thursday evening and closed on Good Friday.

SUGAR (With Orders) 2 lb. pkgs., 20c; 5 lb. pkgs., 49c. 10 lb. bags, 97c; 20 lb. bags, \$1.93

ARE YOUR GLASSES SOOTHING TO YOUR EYES? Wearing a pair of properly fitted glasses is soothing to the nerves and a relief for those troubled with eye-strain.

D. BOYANER, 111 Charlotte Street

Great Values

In Ladies' Easter Suits, Coats and Dresses. It will pay you to see them. Serge and Silk Dresses always on hand.

J. Goldman, 26 Wall Street

THE BEST QUALITY AT A REASONABLE PRICE

WEAR GLASSES THAT ARE FASHIONABLE. Shell frames for both spectacles and eyeglasses are fashionable but they have much more than style to recommend them.

L. L. Sharpe & Son, Jewelers and Opticians, 21 KING ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.

LOCAL NEWS

Ladies' tan, high cut boots at special cut prices for Easter holidays at C. J. Bassen's, cor. Union and Sydney, 8-30.

Ladies' hose in all colors, in cotton, lace or silk, at C. J. Bassen's, cor. Union and Sydney, 8-30.

Ladies' waists in great variety at special holiday prices, at C. J. Bassen's, cor. Union and Sydney, 8-30.

BURIED TODAY. The funeral of Mrs. Edna Wilson of 28 Clifton street, West Side, was held this afternoon at 2.30. Rev. F. G. Scovill officiated. Interment was in Cedar Hill.

NOTICE TO CHAUFFEURS. Local No. 961 will meet at the Oddfellows' Hall Friday, March 29th. All are requested to attend.

Off with the old shoes at Easter time. The new spring shoes are ready. Wiese's Cash Stores, 248-247 Union street.

Our store is in blossom with Easter footwear for men, women and children. Wiese's Cash Stores, 248-247 Union street.

IN MEMORIAM

McAfee—In loving memory of Roy and Vera McAfee who departed this life on March 27, 1918.

FAMILY

Notice of funeral later. JOHNSON—At West St. John, on the 26th inst., Alice Lillian, wife of F. A. Johnson, leaving her husband, mother, three brothers and two sisters to mourn. Funeral tomorrow. (Private).

WAR MAP

Showing in Detail the Western Battle Front, Where the Big Drive is Taking Place.

In This Weeks MONTREAL STANDARD

Gilbert's Grocery

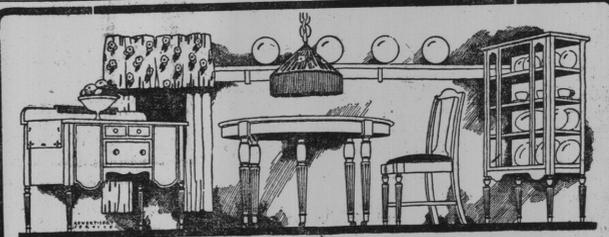
The Tragedy of the "Want Columns"

These advertisements from recent issues of daily newspapers tell heart-breaking stories. Called by death in the worktime of life—uninsured—the husbands of these women left widows to work or starve.

Don't let your wife come to this. Provide for her while you have the chance by means of an Imperial Life assurance policy.

THE IMPERIAL LIFE

Assurance Company of Canada HEAD OFFICE - TORONTO L. J. Lowe, Provincial Manager Royal Bank Bldg. - St. John



Comfort And Good Cheer For Easter

The dining-room should be one of the most attractive rooms in your home, and you can very easily make it so by purchasing one of the suites now on display at our show-rooms.

J. Marcus, 30 Dock St.

A FEW CENTS

Saves Dollars Expense By Using

SMOKY-CITY

Wall Paper Cleaner

TAKEN IN DRAFT HERE ON MONDAY NIGHT; JAMES VANWART DIES IN HOSPITAL

James Vanwart of 87 Union street was taken for army service by the military police under the military service act on Monday evening, kept overnight in custody at the central station, taken to the provost marshal yesterday morning and died in the St. James street hospital last night. This briefly is a statement from his family coupled with criticism and expressed intention to seek inquiry into the matter, as they say he had been in good health. They said he had made a call at the home of his sister, Mrs. Edna Dennis, on Monday evening and it was there that he was found by the dominion police.

Sub-inspector Lucas said this morning that he and Detective Briggs went to the home of Mrs. Dennis and there found Vanwart, who was lying under the act. They took him in custody and as the provost marshal's office was closed, it then being after 6 o'clock, they took him to the central station. The young man at the time, they said, was very nervous but seemed in good health. The next morning he took him down to the provost marshal and passed him over to the military authorities.

The deceased is survived by his mother, Mrs. C. W. Irons, a step-father, Christie Irons, four sisters, Mrs. E. Dennis, Mrs. Gladys Day of Montreal and Blanche and Lillian at home; one brother, Oswald Vanwart, of this city, and a step-sister, Christina Irons. It was said today that a post mortem was being made but no statement from the military authorities was available.

PERSONALS

Mrs. E. A. Smith arrived home yesterday from Ottawa.

Miss Cliff, stenographer at City Hall for the public works, water and sewerage and harbor departments has been granted three months leave of absence and will leave for a visit to Ottawa.

Arthur Harris of this city, a former student of St. Joseph's College, left last evening to accept a C. P. R. position in the vicinity of Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Kierstead and Miss Elouise Vall of 171 Queen street, left by the mid-day train yesterday for Springfield, King county, being called there by the sudden death of Mrs. W. H. Vall, mother of Mrs. Kierstead and Miss Vall.

SIGN O' THE LANTERN TEA ROOM

Only Typical One of the Maritime Provinces. GERMAIN STREET 11:11 OPPOSITE TRINITY TABLE D'HOTTE BUSINESS—50 cent Luncheon, 35 cent Supper.

VIGOROUS RALLY ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE

Rails Lead Advance—Large Sales of Liberty Issues in Morning

New York, Mar. 27.—(Wall street)—A vigorous rally from yesterday's late recession attended today's early stock dealings. Rails led the advance, coals and Pacifics rising from large fractions to 1/2 points. Shippings were variable, Atlantic Gulf gaining 1/4, while Marine preferred temporarily forfeited a point.

Equipment showed material improvement, notably Crucible and U. S. steels, and specialties were featured by alcohol and Distillers at gains of one to almost two points. Trading in Liberty bonds was relatively light with a steady tone.

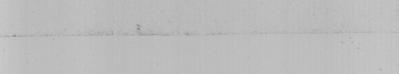
The activity and strength of the first hour centred in equipments and rails. Prices yielded moderately later on the heaviness of motors and shippings, which reacted one to three points. Liberty bonds were inclined to sag on greatly diminished dealings. The second P. yesterday's sensational feature, fluctuated between 97.30 and 97.62, a block of \$1,000,000 changing hands at 97.40. First

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LOCAL NEWS

The beautiful sacred oratorio, Olivet to Calvary, will be rendered at Germain street Baptist church Friday evening.

OVERLAND EXHIBITION See the exhibition of all latest models of the Overland car, now being held at J. A. Pugsley & Company's showrooms, 45 Princess street. Open evenings, 8-9-11.

A man who can't afford to pay a high price for his spring suit or overcoat, would do well to call at Turner's, out-of-the-high-rent district, 440 Main street. —L.F.

WALL PAPER SALE. Don't miss these bargains. Come get yours today. D. McArthur, 84 King street. 3-27

AUCTION SALE. Amold's big auction will commence Tuesday evening next, 20th, at 7:30 at 167-169 Brussels street. For particulars see auction column. 3-29

RECENT DEATHS Miss Elizabeth Wetmore Clinch.

Miss Elizabeth Wetmore Clinch passed away yesterday at her home in Princess street, after a brief illness. This sad news will be read with keen regret by a wide circle of friends.

She leaves two brothers, D. C. Clinch and Peter Clinch, of this city. She was a daughter of the late Peter and Sarah Josephine Wetmore Clinch of St. George (N. B.), and a granddaughter of the late A. J. Wetmore of St. George, a prominent man of his day.

The funeral is to be tomorrow afternoon from St. Paul's Valley church, with service at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Sarah Farren. Many learned with regret of the death of Mrs. Sarah Farren, widow of William Farren, which occurred on Tuesday morning at her residence, 42 Peters street. She was eighty years of age and leaves one son, George C. M. Farren and three daughters, Mrs. John LeVry and Mrs. Minnie Bartlett, both at home, and Mrs. Howard W. Young, of Lynn (Mass.), also two grandsons, Robert Bartlett at home and William Bartlett who for the last two years has been serving his country at the front in a well known siege battery.

Mrs. Farren was a daughter of the late William and Sarah Crawford and with the exception of a few years has been a life long resident of the city and has resided in the same street. In 1894 she was married to Wm. Farren who at that time was a well known painter and decorator and later of the customs service.

One brother, George, still survives her. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from 42 Peters street, interment at Fernhill cemetery.

Mrs. Lydia Clark, widow of James F. Clark, died at her home in Scotch Settlement, York county, on Saturday, March 23, of a long illness. She was born at Scotch Settlement, and one daughter, Mrs. J. E. Smith, of Lower Devon, survives.

Mrs. Elizabeth Fisher, widow of Lewis Fisher of New Maryland, died at the residence of Zopher Phillips at that place on Saturday. She had reached the age of eighty-eight years. She is survived by one daughter, Miss Frances Fisher, one sister, Mrs. Michael O'Leary, of New Maryland, and ten grandchildren.

The death of John Peters occurred at Schoonook, Me., Saturday, March 16, where he was employed by the Great Northern Paper Company. He was born at Central Kingsclear, but has been a resident of Bangor twenty-five years. He is survived by his wife, Abbie, one son, Sheelton, and three daughters, Mrs. Ernest Butler of Bristol, Tenn., Queenie and Ada, at home, an aged mother at Bangor, three brothers, Nelson and Harry of Bangor, Abner of Fredericton; also three sisters, Mrs. Albert Gosman of Bangor, Mrs. Ford Clarke, Miss Geo. O'Ree of Fredericton.

Relatives in Orromocto have received word of the death in Eureka, California, on March 11 of Mrs. Annie Foltz, aged twenty-nine years, youngest daughter of the late Edward Rutledge, formerly of Orromocto. Besides her husband she leaves a mother and several sisters and brothers, one of the latter being at present in France. Mrs. F. C. Duffe and Miss Estelle Rutledge of Orromocto are cousins.

The death of Mrs. Mary Ann Smith, aged eighty-nine, occurred at her home in St. Martin's street. She leaves two sons and one daughter, sixteen grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Sarah A. Barker, wife of Alfred Barker of Fredericton, died yesterday. She was ill only four days with pneumonia.

At a meeting of the shareholders of the Maritime Telegraph and Telephone Company yesterday in Halifax, a resolution was adopted authorizing the directors to sell the company's holding in Prince Edward Island when all of them considered this advisable.

Private Farrell Francis McElroy, son of T. J. McElroy of Orromocto, is undergoing treatment in St. James hospital for a sore hand. He is a member of the Depot battalion.

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LOCAL NEWS

The monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the building yesterday afternoon. Mrs. T. H. Somerville presided.

L. T. Floyd of the Fredericton department of agriculture lectured before the members of the Housewives' League yesterday afternoon on the care of small fruit.

At the monthly meeting of the Free Kindergarten association yesterday afternoon with Mrs. T. N. Vincent in the chair, a letter was read from the school board offering the use of a room in the Bentley street school for Kindergarten work.

James S. Stanton of this city, was in a Montreal court for walking a plain-clothes constable up the street with a gun at his back. He told the court that he thought Montreal was a dangerous place, that being the reason for the gun. He did not know that the other man was an officer of the law. He was allowed free on the first charge, but fined \$10 for pointing a gun and fined costs for being drunk.

Fire, this week, burned the Chase Hotel, operated by E. M. Cormier and owned by Ellen Chase of New Bedford, Mass., a barn and small residence and warehouse owned by J. D. Irving in Buctouche. The hotel and barn were insured for \$1,000 and Mr. Irving had \$100 insurance on the residence and \$800 on the warehouse.

William Beckwith, released from the General Public Hospital from an attack of measles, was found last evening wandering around under the new bridge at the falls with a broken arm and face

and head cut. The caretaker found him. He was taken to Dr. D. P. Mahoney's office and then back to the hospital. He said that he fell over the bridge, but later said he did not know how he was injured. It is thought that he had been struck by an automobile or car.

The three judges at the debate between U. N. B. and St. Francis Xavier at Fredericton last night gave unanimous decision in favor of the visiting team. The U. N. B. team was: R. H. Snodgrass, H. E. Bennett, and R. V. Ward; that of the visitors, D. McIntyre, T. H. McEvoy and M. R. Bobillard. C. C. Jones, chancellor of U. N. B., was in the chair.

Feeling reference to the great crisis in which the armies are locked was made by Judge Barry at the circuit court yesterday afternoon. While the court attended to business as usual, he said, thousands of brave lads were dying in France and we could only hope and pray for a successful outcome.

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RECENT WEDDINGS

Turner-Babbitt. The marriage of Dr. Ashley Wentworth Turner of Boston, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. L. Turner of Meductic, and Miss Grace Scott Babbitt, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Babbitt of Devon took place in Boston on Wednesday, March 6.

McKinney-Henri. At Wolford at the Methodist parsonage on Wednesday evening Rev. Mr. Chapman united in marriage Miss Hazel Henri and Edward McKinney. Miss Helen Howe and Harry Polley were witnesses. After the ceremony the wedding party went to the McKinney cottage, where supper was waiting. Mr. McKinney was badly wounded while on active service in France and returned home last summer.

BACK TO THE LAND

(Toronto Globe.) If there is a vocation in life more natural to man than any other it is farming. It does not afford the same opportunities for amassing a fortune as certain branches of trade and industry, but for the insuring of an ample competence there is no other vocation which affords better average opportunities.

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CEASE PUBLICATION OF VOTES FOR WOMEN. London, Feb. 14—(Correspondence Associated Press)—After ten years of continuous existence as the organ of woman's suffrage in England, the periodical "Votes for Women" ceases publication with the February issue. "The time for an exclusively suffrage journal has gone by," it says in its valedictory. "Votes for Women" did its work for ten years; it was a pioneer among women's papers. It comes to an end at a dramatic moment.

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The event of last evening was under the auspices of the Catholic Girls' Guild and a silver collection added a very substantial sum to the fund used in carrying on the good work the guild is doing. Previous to the recital, William Granman sang "Face to Face" very nicely and for an encore "The Holy City." He was artistically accompanied by Bayard Currie and won hearty applause. Mr. Granman has a very pleasing voice and sings with much feeling. Rev. W. M. Duke in a graceful and dignified manner introduced Mrs. Richey and said a word in warm commendation of the aims and work of the guild.

Mrs. Richey, in giving her recital, accompanied it with explanations of the scenes and descriptions of the characters portrayed, bringing the situations strikingly before her deeply interested hearers. Throughout the five acts she held all in the closest attention, as she developed the tragic story and the parts that were played in it by those whom Father Kenzel has introduced into the play.

There were two outstanding factors which called forth the admiration of the audience—the beauty of the author's work and the wonderful exhibition of the power of memory given by Mrs. Richey. In voice of pleasing quality and in tones well modulated to the character of the play, yet lacking nothing in emphasis when needed, and with skill and grace of gesture, Mrs. Richey gave a really excellent elocutionary treat. The story of itself was sufficient to hold interest strongly but, with the art of the reciter added, it commanded the closest following of the lines and action throughout nearly two hours which the recital occupied. As customary during the presentation of the play there was no applause during the recital but at the close a great outburst told how deeply all had been moved. There were many complimentary remarks heard as the delighted audience dispersed.

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Durham, N. H., Mar. 27.—New Hampshire farmers are called upon to exert special care with their seeds this year as a part of the state food production campaign, in a statement by Prof. F. W. Taylor of New Hampshire college. "Farmers and gardeners should buy no seeds that have not been tested," he said, "and if they have saved their own seeds they should either test them or send them to the state college, where they will be tested free of charge."

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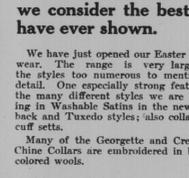
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LOCAL NEWS

On representations made by Stanley E. Elkin, M. P., Hon. Messrs. Carvell and Ballantyne have taken up the question of the appointment of a commission to administer the port of St. John.

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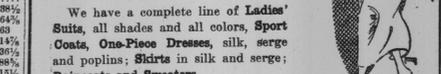
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NEWS NOTES ABOUT PROMINENT BAPTISTS

(Maritime Baptist.) We regret to report that the condition of Rev. J. S. McFadden of Andover shows little sign of improvement. Rev. J. C. Carlie of Pictou, N. S., will be the Baccalaureate preacher at McMaster this year. Rev. F. S. Hartley, pastor of the Free

LOCAL NEWS

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THE EVENING TIMES AND STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., WEDNESDAY, MARCH 27, 1918

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PACIFIST PASTOR GETS RUDE SHOCK FROM U.S. JUSTICE

Fifteen-Year Term in Penitentiary For Rev. C. H. Waldron, Vermont—Obstructor of Draft

Burlington, Vt., Mar. 26—Rev. Clarence H. Waldron, pacifist preacher, was convicted by the Federal Court of disloyal utterances and of attempting to obstruct the operation of the draft, and given a fifteen year sentence in the Federal Penitentiary at Atlanta. A motion by counsel for a stay of execution was denied by Federal Judge Howe, who, however, in imposing sentence, announced that the motion might be presented later.

Waldron stood up and heard the pronouncement of sentence without visible emotion. A group of Pentecostals, with which sect Waldron had been associated since his retirement from the Baptist Church at Windsor, occupied front seats in the court. While waiting for the jury to report Tuesday night, these friends of the accused spent their time in prayer.

Two months ago a jury at Brattleboro failed to give after twenty-four hours. At both trials Waldron made vehement denial of the charges, although a score of witnesses produced by the government testified that he had refused the use of the Baptist Church at Windsor for patriotic meetings, that he had spoken against the Liberty Loan, and had advised young men to resist the draft even to the point of facing a sunrise firing squad.

Harold Mackley, of Holland, aged forty, was found guilty by the Federal court of disloyal utterances and was sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment at Atlanta. Witnesses testified that Mackley had said he was proud of his German blood, and if forced to fight against the Germans, he would plan to shoot a number of Americans before he was killed. At another time, according to the testimony given by his employer, the defendant said that he would be glad if the United States were beaten, for if this country "had minded its own business it would not be in the war."

Mackley admitted some of the statements, but said they were made in a joking spirit.

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Fredericton, March 26—The reports of the directors and the chief engineer of the St. John & Quebec Railway Company were laid on the table in the legislature this evening by Hon. Mr. Foster.

A striking feature of the report is the estimate that the cost of the Gagetown-Westfield section will be more than half a million dollars greater than the first estimate furnished the late board nine months after work had started.

The board reports that the Prudential Trust Company still holds \$100,000 accrued interest from sale of mortgage bonds on the claim that they have the right to hold this against a loan made to A. R. Gould and his associates in 1912. Recommendations regarding this are promised.

The location of the route of the railway receiving severe criticism, the chief engineer having located a route for the unconstructed northern section vastly superior to that for which a contract was let and accepted. Regarding the Woodman's Point cut on the southern section, the chief engineer says it was plainly a blunder or worse.

Extracts From Report

Extracts from the report of the directors of the St. John & Quebec Railway Company, W. F. Jones, president; C. O. Foss, chief engineer; and E. S. Carter, secretary, are as follows:

"The St. John & Quebec Railway is now completed between Centreville and Gagetown and the whole of the work has been paid for. The rights of way have been settled with the exception of sixteen cases, twelve of which are through the city of Fredericton.

"The Canadian Government Railway were provided with terminals at Fredericton, and it was not necessary that our company should provide such facilities. An arrangement has been made for the use of terminals jointly, and our company has agreed to pay the interest at six per cent. per annum on half the cost of same, amounting to \$22,012. The government railways were provided with shops at Gibson, which were quite sufficient to take care of the business of the Valley railway, and we have agreed to pay six per cent. on \$60,000, the estimated cost of the same.

"The St. John & Quebec Railway has received from the dominion government the full subsidy for the railway between Gagetown and Centreville, and from the Prudential Trust Company that part of the trust funds applicable to this section.

"The railway is being operated by the government railways under an interim agreement by which the dominion pays to the company forty per cent. of the gross receipts. The amount paid under this agreement from April 1, 1915, to September 30, 1917, totals \$74,467.

"The railway between Gagetown and Westfield will, it is expected, be finished and ready for operation during the coming season.

"The estimated cost of this section is \$2,420,700. The company has received from the dominion government on account of subsidy for the railway between Gagetown and Westfield \$116,220, and when this portion is finished there will be due an additional subsidy of \$185,780. From the Prudential Trust Company there has been paid since the present board was appointed, on account of this section of the road \$80,927.

"When we took charge we found that the Prudential Trust Company had advanced \$257,540 out of the trust fund over and above the amount properly applicable to the railway between Centreville and Gagetown, and this over-payment had to be adjusted by additional construction between Gagetown and Westfield before any further monies could be obtained. There will be due from the Trust company on this section \$150,227.

"The Trust company has in its hands, in addition to this sum, an amount approximating \$250,000 which was to be applied to the cost of the road north of Centreville, and also a sum of about \$100,000 accrued interest on the fund created by the sale of first mortgage bonds, which is payable to the province on behalf of the railway company. This interest money the Trust company refuses to pay over under a claim that it has a right to retain it against a loan made by it to A. R. Gould and his associates in the year 1912.

"The undersigned expect to have some recommendations to make in respect to the collection of this interest money, and also as to some provision whereby the money retained against the construction of the railway north of Centreville may be made available in the reduction of the bonded indebtedness against the railway.

The board of directors is of the opinion that with more efficient operation by the Canadian Government Railways of the section between Centreville and Gagetown the gross income therefrom could be greatly augmented. The service is very inadequate; large quantities of freight are being offered which cannot be transported owing to lack of rolling stock, and no adequate effort appears to be made to meet competition from the Canadian Pacific Railway which touches the Valley Railway territory at many points. No proper attempt seems to be made to keep the passenger cars clean, or to provide the stations with sufficient fuel so that they will afford proper protection to the travelling public in winter seasons. We are endeavoring to bring about an improvement in this service."

A Striking Review

In his report the chief engineer states that when the present board of directors took office they found the Gagetown-Centreville section completed, about forty per cent. of the work done on the Gagetown-Westfield section, and the Centreville-Andover section under contract. Owing to war conditions, the latter contract was cancelled. In case construction of the northern section should be undertaken at a future date, the chief engineer undertook another survey of the route. He reported that he had been able to locate a line so far superior to that which had been put under contract that the two are not in the same class, the new route making possible a great saving in distance, curves and grades.

The chief engineer reviews some of the causes for the high cost of the Westfield-Gagetown section. So far as he could learn no estimate was made before construction was begun, but nine months afterwards the engineer reported that the estimated cost of grading would be \$807,260, which the present chief engineer estimates is \$250,000 less than will be required to finish the work. Another \$46,000 must be added to the estimate of \$74,701 for rip-rap; adding \$187,000 to the original estimate of \$121,701 for bridge construction, the total amount required to complete these portions of the work will be \$681,000 greater than the estimate furnished the late board.

The report contains a full record of the arrangement under which rails have been secured to complete the road, by securing them from the government railways system.

Plainly a Blunder, or Worse.

Regarding the location of the Gagetown-Westfield section, he says:

"The location of this section of this road was made in such haste that it was simply impossible to get the best line in detail, but the location at Woodman's Point was plainly a blunder if it was the voluntary choice of the engineer and worse if the choice was beyond his control. There is no apparent ground on which this location can be successfully defended as compared with an easy surface line round the hill. So far as damage is concerned, this terrible gash through the hill at a maximum depth of seventy feet and a width of 100 to 150 feet, destroys a lot of property and disfigures the whole section."

These statements, and those regarding relative costs, are supported by technical arguments, and the chief engineer adds:

"So far as can be discovered, the only persons who have received any benefit from the misplacing of the line there are a few summer residents who have escaped a trifling annoyance at the expense of his less fortunate neighbors."

The report includes a detailed report by Herbert Phillips, divisional engineer, on the cost of bridges, giving some explanations of the increase of cost over estimates.

Branch Police Commission has refused the request of the local force for an increase in pay of fifty cents a day. Some of the senior officers will get twenty-five cents a day.

and vote action will be instituted to collect a fine of \$100 per day provided by the statute. Mr. Duff, however, is apparently relying on his legal advice, and it is understood that the Justice department is also of the opinion that the fact that he went surety for a mail carrier does not render him ineligible.

Mr. George Foster spoke at some length in support of the second reading of his daylight saving bill.

The bill was strenuously opposed by A. McCoig, of Kent, and others, but was given second reading.

Canada's War Parliament

Ottawa, March 26—Sir Robert Borden's formal announcement to parliament of the acceptance of Hon. Albert Serigny's resignation from the government will not be followed for the present at least by the announcement of Colonel Borden's resignation from the cabinet.

Gossip has it that there is a possibility of Hon. Charles Macdell entering the cabinet as a representative from Quebec and justifying that action on the ground that the Military Service act has been approved of by the great majority of the people and is therefore no longer an issue. This may possibly explain why Mr. Macdell was passed over for the deputy speakership for which he was

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When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach ache, indigestion, diarrhoea, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul waste, the sour bile and fermenting food passes out of the bowels and you have a well and playful child again. Children love this harmless "Fruit Laxative" and mothers can rest easy after giving it, because it never fails to make their little "insides" clean and sweet.

Keep it handy, Mother! A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Remember there are counterfeiters sold here, so surely look and see that yours is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Hand back with contempt any other fig syrup.

RHONDDA'S MAGICIAN'S WAND WAVES AND QUEUES DISAPPEAR

Londoners Accept Food Tickets in Spirit of Cheerful Resignation—British White Paper Reveals the German Brutality to Sick and Wounded Soldiers

Thos. Geggie, K. O. S. B., veteran.) Essex, England, Feb. 28.—On Monday of this week Lord Rhondda waved a magician's wand over London and the food queues disappeared. Last week the people standing outside any single butcher's might have been counted by the hundred, and the week-end queues were the longest on record. Today, the meat shops have taken on something of the well-stocked look of two years ago, and people are passing them by in the firm faith that each person's fair share will be available when that person chooses to go for it.

The metropolitans have accepted food tickets in that spirit of cheerful resignation which distinguishes them above other communities with whom they have resided recently. Whatever may be said of other parts of these islands, London is wholeheartedly in the war and prepared to see it through. Like armies and government alike the food ticket is just one more burden to be borne resolutely, and Londoners are making no sort of fuss over this most recent innovation.

Serious Menace Passes. The passing of the food queue in London is the passing of a serious menace by hundreds of thousands, and it is no good thing for the morale of a soldier to have to read letters telling that the wife was spending four hours in the queue by night, and that Molly, the kid, or Bill the nipper was getting fatter every day through want of attention. This is an ordeal that soldiers have never been called upon to face in any way, and there is no telling what effect it would ultimately have had even on our men, who are least of all the allied armies inclined to dissimulation.

The food queue was a danger. It has gone, and Lord Rhondda is enjoying an experience no Food Controller ever hoped for. He is hearing himself praised from Fall Mall to the Mile End road, and the success of the scheme is assured. Five penny-worth of meat three times a week is not over-feeding, but it is sufficient to-day in London. "Rhondda is a dashed good fella"—Yes, not bad.

"Our German Friends." "And when you lie wounded on Afghanistan's plains And the women come out to cut up what remains, Just roll to your rifle and blow out your brains. And go to your God like a soldier."

Had Kipling been gifted with prophetic vision when he wrote these lines nearly forty years ago, he might have added forty years of advice to those who years after were to be wounded and lie in the hands of the Germans at Mons and Le Cateau. Those who still persist in speaking of the enemy civilians as "our German friends" have been given something to answer in the past week. The government has issued a White Paper dealing with the treatment of captured British wounded in the first three or four months of the war. There is little in the document we didn't know before, but it is made up of the sworn

GIRLS! YOU CAN LIFT THEM OFF Doesn't hurt a bit to lift your sore, touchy corns right out

A noted Cincinnati authority discovered a new ether compound and called it frezone and a quarter ounce of it now can be had for a few cents at any drug store. You simply apply a few drops of this magic frezone upon a tender corn or painful callus and instantly the soreness disappears, then shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you can lift it off with the fingers. You feel no pain, not a particle of soreness, either when applying frezone or afterwards, and it doesn't even irritate the skin. Hard corns, soft corns or corns between the toes, also toughened calluses, just shivered up and lift off so easy. It is wonderful! It works like a charm. Try it! Women should keep it on their dressers and never let a corn ache twice.

testimonies of a large number of recently released officers and men, and its publication at this time merely serves to remind us of how the men and women of the German nation conducted themselves in the role of conquerors in those early days when everything for them was moving smoothly and they saw themselves with world domination realized.

Many Horrible Stories. There are many horrible, too horrible, tales related of surgical maltreatment, of disgusting transport arrangements, of brutal guards and atrocious officers, but to my mind the most terrible indictment of all is against the civilian men and women and even children of Hun-land.

They climbed to the tops of the cattle wagons and spat on the miserable suffering humanity herded together like swine. Cultured ladies of the Red Cross brought water to a man parched and in agony and either poured it on the ground, a yard from the face of the "English schwein" or spat in it as they offered him the cup.

Throughout these pages one reads of the German civilians everywhere offering to brave and helpless foes the most loathsome insult known to mankind. Many of these "old contemptibles" were personal friends of my own and I am perfectly certain they would have preferred death to such utter degradation. At least the Argentin women used a merciful knife, but the Germans were not so cleanly. They spat.

Facilities pro-Germans and such peculiar people who are anti-British in everything will no doubt assert that there is no ill-treatment of our wounded in Germany today, but that in no way answers the charge. The German has again and again in this war been proved a natural bully, and a bully's cruelties are only held in check through fear of reprisals. We now hold very many thousands of German prisoners, and those elderly spectators of the world's wars who are old enough to remember the policy of adoption with civilized tenets.

Always a Beast. But the German is a beast just the same and a bully, and no friend of mine now or hereafter. Those were the days when the spirit of Deutschland, the Ull-Alles justified any brutality. In these times the fear of being under all at the end is the reason of restraint on the part of those whom Arthur Henderson now boldly discovers to be "our German friends."

JAPAN TO HELP OUT WITH SHIPS Tokio, Mar. 27.—The question of a supply of shipping by Japan for the use of the allied forces has been settled. More details are awaiting conclusion. The government is actively chartering vessels for this purpose. The war board has 150,000 tons of vessels chartered.

NEW GOVERNOR OF BANK OF ENGLAND London, Mar. 26.—Sir Brian Croke has been elected governor of the Bank of England to succeed Baron Curlioff, who retires after five years of service. Montagu C. Norman, a director, has been elected deputy governor. Sir Brian, prior to today's election, was deputy governor of the bank.

SOLDIER MUST FIRST ASK FOR THE ARTICLES Washington, Mar. 27.—Shipments of any articles to troops in France, unless they have been requested by the soldier, are strictly forbidden yesterday by Major-General March, acting chief of staff. They will be refused by the post office and express companies unless accompanied by an approved request from the soldier.

HAD DONE MUCH FOR THE POOR OF LONDON London, Mar. 27.—Thomas Holmes, who for thirty-three years had given his attention to improving the conditions under which London's poorest toilers work and live, died yesterday after an operation. He was born in 1846, and was an iron worker early in life. He was editor of the London Home Worker.

TOOKE COLIARS 20 cents each. TOOKE WHOLESALE MARKERS

LALOIE SOLD TO DODGERS Brooklyn Club Purchases Him From Toronto—He Refuses to Report

New York, Mar. 25.—Brooklyn captured the minor league prize of the season yesterday, when Napoleon Lajoie son yesterday, when Napoleon Lajoie was added to the Dodgers' forces to be utility man and pinch hitter for Uncle Wilbert Robinson at Ebbets Field.

Bob Long Union Made Overalls Shirts & Gloves. Known from Coast to Coast. R. G. LONG & CO. LIMITED TORONTO CANADA

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Heart trouble has of late years become very prevalent among our people in the region of the heart, now and then your heart skips beats, palpitates, throbs, or beats with such rapidity and violence you think it will burst. You have weak and dizzy spells, are nervous, irritable and depressed, and if you attempt to walk upstairs or any distance you get all out of breath.

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OTTAWA BRANCH OF THE ARMY AND NAVY VETERANS Ottawa, Mar. 27.—A branch of the army and navy veterans in Canada is to be formed in Ottawa at an early date. It will not conflict in any way with the Great War Veterans' Association.

Get Your Hands In Queen Quality SILK GLOVES Close at Hand is a store that sells them. Double tipped. Every pair guaranteed.

ATROCITIES BY TURKS London, Mar. 27.—The entry of the Turks into the port of Trebizond was marked by atrocities against Greeks and Armenians. Greeks who have arrived in Athens so report, according to an Exchange Telegraph despatch. The Turks also pillaged the town and caused much property destruction.

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The party reached a point 80 degrees and 25 minutes north and fed new seal-skin boots to their dogs and going without scurvy so badly that he had to be hauled on the sled, and Knight was not much better off. They returned to land, a very northerly land, too, and there Stefansson killed fourteen deer the first day and man and dogs had a feast, while scurvy disappeared like magic and all were well again.

The members of the party are making history, for they have found the caches and records of some of the previous explorers, and there is word that one point has been named Eilat, Knight and a harbor has been named Knight Harbor. It seems almost incredible that a cache of clothing and food, made in 1852, should be found in the vast wilderness now. It was in a house and the roof had blown off and the cabin was filled with snow in the middle of July. The flour and cocoa and the currants were found in perfect condition, as was a large supply of clothing and woolen underwear, a Godsend to the party.

Of the Arctic meats, Knight writes: "Reindeer and caribou are equal to roast pork, and musk ox is all the same as beef, and young seals have chicken meat; fox is food, but the best meat of the Arctic is the seal blubber is the stand-by." "When he wrote all in the party were well."

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Philadelphia, Mar. 27.—A verdict of not guilty in the treason trial of Louis Werner and Dr. Martin Darkow, editors of the Philadelphia Tageblatt, was ordered yesterday by Judge Dickinson. The judge said there was sufficient evidence of guilt to send the case to the jury.

MODISH Patterns full of "pep" EASTERN BRAND CAPS For DAD and his LAD SOLD AT ALL GOOD SHOPS

GERMAN "DEFEATIST" CAMPAIGN IN PARIS

Paris, Mar. 24.—A striking change is evident in the appearance of Paris to anyone who, like your correspondent, has returned to the city after a four days' absence. In every quarter, in every street, one sees criss-crosses of stout paper gummed to the window panes of stores and apartments to lessen the risk of and further air raids plus the effect of Friday's explosion—windows of last week's disaster—have led Parisians to take the same precautions that are to be noted in every town or village within sound of the guns at the front.

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PURCHASE ONLY THE ESSENTIAL

"Labor and service are the most valuable things in the world," said Dr. Winifred Cullis to a large meeting of the Household Science Teachers held in the residence of Miss Pease, "and men and women are great in proportion as they give service to the world."

Dr. Cullis' talk was full of meat, and dealt clearly and convincingly with war savings, with food conservation, and with the morale which those at home must sustain. She impressed by many illustrations the marvellous value of the small saving—the two cents which, if saved daily, would mean for England seventy million pounds a year; the teaspoon of sugar, which, if saved by the people of Canada, would mean the value of 254 airplanes.

Has Stuck to Rationing. Miss Cullis has stuck to four slices of bread a day and two pounds a week. England's voluntary ration of last year when no one who obeyed it left the table entirely satisfied. "I don't know how I shall like it when I go home in a month's time and find the new rationing which includes but one pound weekly."

COLONEL S. SHARPE SUFFERS BREAK-DOWN Ottawa, Mar. 27.—The Journal says—"Colonel Samuel Sharpe, commander of the Central Ontario battalion and M.E.P. for North Ontario, has suffered a serious breakdown and is in a hospital in England. His condition is not considered serious."

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MUTT AND JEFF—OH, YES! FRED FULTON AND JEFF ARE GOOD FRIENDS (COPYRIGHT, 1917, BY H. C. FISHER, TRADE MARK REGISTERED.)

Comic strip featuring characters like Fred Fulton, Jeff, and Mutts. Dialogue includes: "NOW LISTEN, YOU MUTT. I WANT NO BACK TALK FROM YOU, WHEN I ASK YOU TO LOAN ME A DOLLAR OR TWO AN ERRAND, YOU OBEY, GET ME? ANSWER THAT PHONE AND THEN GO AFTER SOME CIGARETTES." "Y-Y-YES, M-M-MUTT." "I'VE GOT JEFF'S GOAT FOR FAIR NOW. THE POOR FISH WAS TREMBLING LIKE A LEAF IN A KANSAS CYCLONE." "HELLO! YES, THIS IS JEFF. OH, HELLO FRED! WHAT'S ON YOUR MIND?" "BRUTE FORCE CERTAINLY BRINGS HOME THE BACON. TEE HEE." "LISTEN, FRED, YOU AIN'T KIDDIN' ME, ARE YOU? EXPLAIN IT AGAIN. YES—YES—YES—YES—JUST A MINUTE. HOLD THE WIRE, FRED." "SAY, FULTON, THAT NEW 'CORK-SCREW' BLOW YOU JUST EXPLAINED TO ME IS A PEACH. IF YOU EVER LAND IT ON WILLARD, IT'LL BE GOOD NIGHT JESS!"

WHAT'S NEW AT THE MOVIES

OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT 7.30 and 9 AFTERNOONS AT 2.30 KELCEY CONBOY and ROSE MARSTON Comedy Sketch, "The Claim Agent"

VAUDEVILLE AND PICTURES TONIGHT and Thursday Only 7.15, 8.45 Shell Forty-three H. B. Warner featured in gripping war picture, with Enid Markey. There's mystery in it, too.

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GOOD FRIDAY 4.30 O'CLOCK - AFTER FIRST SHOW With Reverence and Patriotism FOR OUR FIGHTING HEROES THROUGH SOLDIERS' COMFORTS ASSOCIATION

At The GAIETY In Fairville WEDNESDAY THURSDAY Harry Carey in "HAIR TRIGGER BUREK" A Special Three-Reel Western Drama

EMPRESS WEST SIDE HOUSE Presents a Five-Part World Production, Featuring ROBERT WARWICK in "DRIFTWOOD" An intense and gripping story of the Great North West.

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Next Saturday the Soldiers' Comforts Association are to make their first public appeal for funds. An efficient staff of experienced canvassers will be in the streets from early morning till late at night with the view of allowing everyone to contribute to the needs of our brave boys, who at this very time may be in the thick of the greatest battle the world has ever known for freedom and right.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY Made Welcome in the Last Episode of "THE RED ACE" MATINEE FRI. and SAT. COMING: "THE BULL'S EYE"

Villia of The Movies This is one long laugh after another, with Slim Summerville supported by an all-star cast to create them.

From Somewhere in France. "A few days ago I received a parcel of comforts from your club which I enjoyed very much, and for which I wish to thank you very sincerely. It is such thoughtfulness as that on the part of our friends very often unknown that make the unnumerable and unavoidable hardships appreciated. Let every commercial closing I wish to thank you many times for the kindness you have shown me."

traveler, every worker, lend themselves to the cause for this day, imbued with such a spirit of determination to get what they go after to such an extent, that when the cash is counted next Saturday, it can be said and well said, "Workers all you have made good!"

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LOCAL NEWS

YESTERDAY'S FIRE

Five underwriters interested in the loss sustained yesterday by W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., met at noon today and appointed H. W. Fink and Edgar H. Thorne as appraisers and adjusters of the damage to the building and stock. Messrs. Bates and Flood will adjust the damage done to the building for the committee appointed by the underwriters. That the loss will be far in excess of \$80,000 was the statement of J. G. Harrison, general manager. Torrents of water flooded the entire fourteen stories of the firm's buildings and did considerable damage to the stock.

MRS. LILLY DYKEMAN

The death of Mrs. Lilly Dykeman occurred at her home in Jenseg on Tuesday, March 26. She was 72 years of age but never failed. Besides her husband she leaves to mourn five sons and two daughters. The principal of Alexander school, O. S., wholesale merchant, Simons street; Ralph and Ford of the firm, Adelaide street; Grover, at home; Mrs. H. C. Taylor, St. John, and Mrs. Leslie Colwell, Jenseg. Three brothers and two sisters also survive, Rev. W. Camp, of Campbellton; John and Harry of Woodstock; Mrs. D. White, of McAdam; Mrs. Watt, of City, and nine grandchildren. Rev. A. T. Dykeman is a brother-in-law. There are also other relatives and many friends. Dr. Camp, brother of the deceased, died a year ago under the same conditions. Mrs. Dykeman was of a beautiful Christian character. When a little girl she became a member of the Jenseg Baptist church and always retained her Christian principles in her home and outside life. The funeral services will be held at her late residence, Thursday, 9 a.m., conducted by Rev. Mr. Brown, pastor of the Jenseg church. The family have the deep sympathy of the entire neighborhood.

PRESENT WATCH TO PASTOR

At the semi-monthly meeting of the Willing Workers of St. Philip's church, at the home of Mrs. Albert Bree, 128 Mecklenburg street, on Tuesday night, after a regular business session, a number of friends were added. R. H. McIntyre with fitting words presented to the pastor, Rev. R. H. W. Pinkett, a beautiful gold-filled case Elgin watch. The pastor, after stating his appreciation and speaking of his great confidence in the members and congregation of the church, cordially thanked the members and friends for the handsome present. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Jones took the initiative steps in the movement for which much credit is due them. The following were also contributors: Mrs. Albert Bree, James Bree, Mrs. Mary, Hannah Byard, Georgia Hayes, Arthur Brandy, Amelia Williams, Hannah McIntyre, Messrs. R. H. McIntyre, Hamilton, A. Richardson, S. D. Skinner, Uni Darin, James Davidson, W. Fowler, Jas. Brown, C. McCarty, Alton Wesley, Frank Francis, Chas. Saunders, John Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Graves. After the presentation the Willing Workers served a dainty collation.

CRANE IS HONORABLY DISCHARGED IN COURT

Judge Barry Decides No Fraudulent Act in Automobile Case.

The case of the King vs. Crane was before His Honor Judge Barry in the circuit court this morning. The defendant was charged with breaking and entering a warehouse belonging to Harry Wetmore with intent to steal an automobile the property of Mr. Wetmore. Mr. Wetmore took the stand for the prosecution and admitted in evidence that as a security for a loan made by him to Crane, he had agreed to sell the car in question to Crane, and further agreed to leave the car in the warehouse in Carleton street, which is the Nova Scotia Seals Company, with which concern Crane is employed. He said that he had not notified Crane when he took the car from the warehouse in Carleton street but merely took it to his own warehouse to make repairs on it.

W. M. Ryan, who appeared on behalf of the crown, said to His Honor that this was all the evidence that the crown had to offer.

His Honor said to the crown officer that in the evidence of Mr. Wetmore it appeared that Crane had not done anything fraudulently, and that in taking the car he had been instructed by the man, Haast so far as theft was concerned he felt he would have to instruct the jury that Crane had not acted fraudulently. Mr. Ryan concurred with the opinion expressed by His Honor and the defendant was not put on his defence, but was honorably discharged by the court. W. R. Scott appeared for the defendant.

The court adjourned until tomorrow at 10 o'clock, when the civil docket will be taken up.

GEORGE G. HARE IS THE CITY ENGINEER

George G. Hare, formerly of the C. P. R., was yesterday appointed city engineer for St. John to take office on May 1. Mr. Hatfield, who has been acting engineer, is to be retained as road engineer. Commissioner McLellan said he had learned from Engineer Hatfield that a man in the employ of the department who at one time was acting city engineer, T. W. Russell, had refused to obey orders of Mr. Hatfield and give certain reports that were required by the department. Commissioner McLellan moved that Russell be dismissed. His motion was not seconded. Mr. Hatfield was called before the council and informed that he had the power of dismissing Mr. Russell if he refused to give information desired.

John Phillips wrote that his horse had been injured on the east side ferry floats owing to defective planking and that he claimed \$150 damages and \$20 for doctor's bills. Commissioner Russell reported that the city solicitor had advised this point. The claim was ordered satisfied. Kane & Ring demanded an immediate settlement of their claims for work done at No. 5 shed on the west side. This was referred to the solicitor. General Macdonnell wrote relative to a flat rate per month on the ferries for all soldiers on duty. This was referred to Commissioner Russell and the superintendent of ferries.

ST. JOHN BILLS AT THE CAPITAL

Several Passed Today by Municipalities Committee

STREET BILL HELD OVER

Awaits the Power Company One "I'm Not Introducing it, Not That I Know of," Says F. L. Potts

(Special to Times.)
Fredericton, Mar. 27—Several St. John bills were approved by the municipalities committee this morning. Mr. LeBlanc presented a bill for the appointment of a committee to investigate the street, providing that permanent sidewalks may be laid under the same arrangements as provided for permanent sidewalks, with contributions towards the cost from owners of properties abutting on the street.

The committee took up the act relating to the children's shelter in the city of St. John. The bill authorizes the municipal council to issue serial bonds to the amount of \$7,500 at 5% per cent in payment to the estate of James E. White for a property in Gordon street, City road, and Charles street to be used for a children's shelter and also to maintain such shelter. The fine of the covenant of \$5,000 towards the upkeep of the shelter drew some expressions of surprise from outside members. After some explanation the bill was approved without amendment.

The next bill was that relating to the St. John General Public Hospital, the purpose of which is to legalize the erection and operation of recently constructed power plant and laundry, originally authorized as part of the plan for an entirely new hospital.

Mr. Kelley explained that the new hospital plans were delayed by war conditions. He said it was the intention, when the new hospital was erected, to continue the old building for maternity, eye, ear and other cases not now treated. The bill was approved.

The bill revoking authority for double street car tracks in Union street was offered for consideration but it was decided to hold it over until the other power company bill comes up.

"I had a message from parties interested asking that the bill be held over," said Mr. Potts.

Mr. Tilley—Until you introduce the other bill.

Mr. Potts—I'm not introducing it, not that I know of.

As the bill to confirm the agreement between the military hospitals commission and the board of the St. John county hospital, providing for the erection and maintenance of a new wing for the use of tubercular soldiers had not been introduced, consideration of it was postponed.

CHARGED WITH THEFT OF RAZOR AT Y. M. C. A.

Halifax Man Arrested—Appears To Have Used Several Names

W. Patton Pyke of Halifax was in the police court this morning, charged with the theft of a razor from Max Goldberg, a lodger in the Y.M.C.A. Pyke pleaded guilty and asked to be tried in the magistrate's court. He was remanded for further evidence.

Goldberg testified that Pyke entered his room, which is on the top floor of the Y.M.C.A. building, and took his razor. He did not know Pyke and did not know how he came to be in the building.

Detective Biddescombe gave evidence that he had gone to Gill's second hand store in Dock street and there found a razor. Pyke had sold the razor to Gill for \$1.

Pyke, when asked by the magistrate how he came to be in the building, said that he was the friend of a man who was staying there and was in the habit of going in the building to visit him. He said he sold the razor to Mr. Gilbert, signed his name as William Wright.

Pyke, it is said, was boarding at Farnell's home in Mill street, and there registered as W. Patton. When taken by the police he had no service registration papers, and on examination he said he was only nineteen years old. The police officials doubt this.

MORE LIQUOR CASES

William Quinn, a C. P. R. policeman, was charged with supplying liquor to David McGilvie, who was charged with having it, in the police court yesterday afternoon. McGilvie said that on Saturday evening he met Quinn in Mill street, and walking to Fort Howe, he bought from him a bottle of whiskey for \$3. A chum was with him at the time. The case was postponed until this "chum" could be brought to court.

Hearing in the case was resumed this morning. Clarence Oatley, a friend of Quinn's, gave evidence. He said that on Saturday evening he had been with Quinn during the whole night. He called at Quinn's home for him about 7:20 and then to Traynor's tailoring shop in Princess street, where Quinn bought a pair of trousers. They remained there about two hours, and then returned to a pool-room in Mill street, where they spent the evening together. They went home together, parting about midnight.

As the witnesses for the prosecution introduced in the present case was set over until tomorrow afternoon.

Frank Hopper, a shoemaker in Union street, was before the court charged with being drunk and having liquor in his shop. He pleaded guilty to the charge of drunkenness and was fined \$8 or three months in jail. As to the charge of having liquor in his shop, he said that he did take it there.

Detective Biddescombe testified that after Hopper was in the cell in the police station, he told Biddescombe that there was a soldier in his shop drunk. He gave the detective the key and they found no soldier, but did find a flask of whiskey. The man was remanded on the latter charge.

A man was before the court on a charge of drunkenness. He pleaded not guilty. Policeman Cooper gave evidence to the effect that he was drunk in Mill street last night about 10:30 o'clock and was also impeding pedestrians. He was sent below, being informed that he was liable to a fine of \$50 or three months in jail.

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