

## SPECULATION AS TO WHAT WILL FOLLOW U. S. FAILURE TO RATIFY PEACE TREATY

Treaty's Friends in the Senate Have Set Out to Accomplish Some Compromise for Ratification in Regular Session.

### LONG DELAY MUST NECESSARILY FOLLOW

Bitter Fight Which Marked Closing Hours of Debate Will Make Efforts at Compromise More Difficult.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 20.—Avenues of speculation leading many ways were opened up today when officials and diplomats turned over in their minds the possible results at home and abroad that are to follow termination of the special session of Congress last night without Senate ratification of the Peace Treaty. The thoughts of the Treaty's friends in the Senate centered on accomplishing some compromise for a ratification in the session beginning December 1, and to that end steps are understood to have been taken to ask that President Wilson ascertain from other powers what reservations they would accept.

### White House Silent

At the White House silence was maintained, and callers got the impression that for the present the administration was willing to await quietly the outcome of compromise efforts among Senators. It was not revealed whether the President would permit that policy to stand in the way of undertaking the diplomatic exchanges suggested.

### Prohibition's New Life

Chief among the matters of domestic concern affected by the Senate's delay in ratification, which has led to a new lease of life with the problem of a legal status of peace. In the same class is various other war legislation, and although the Republican leaders in Congress will seek to end the war formally by a resolution, constitutional objections to that method are likely, in the opinion of some officials, to tie up the effort for some time in the courts.

Another line on which speculation turned was the possible effort of the Senate to show down domestic policy. Although both parties have disclaimed any desire to put the Treaty into a political fight, the chances of keeping it out of 1920 calculations were admitted on all sides to have been reduced by the bitter clashes in debate last night when Republican and Democratic Senators hurled across the Senate Chamber their choice to go to the country on the issue.

### Democrats Optimistic

The stubborn struggle which featured the final hours of the special Senate session was generally declared to have made harder the compromise for which the Democratic leaders today earnestly set to work. They were optimistic, however, that in the opening days of the new session, if not before, they could report some agreement with the Republican group of mild reservationists who held out in yesterday's debates against all efforts to divert them from the Republican organization.

### Fight Not To Lapse

Tonight the Democratic leader had drawn up a new set of compromise reservations which he did not make public, but which are understood to propose principally a modification of the preamble requirement in the Foreign Relations Committee draft which would require the other powers to accept affirmatively all the Senate's qualifications. Everything indicated that the administration had no intention of letting the Treaty fight lapse.

### Saskatoon, Sask., Nov. 20—John Bronch, charged with the murder of Arnold Gert, a returned soldier at Radisson, Sask., in October, was acquitted by a jury at Battleford today. The unwritten law played an important part in the defence. Bronch's wife in broad daylight following an argument.

### Anti-British Propaganda Being Circulated In Reference To Egypt

London, Nov. 20.—In the House of Commons today Edward Shortt referred to the immense amount of anti-British propaganda with reference to Egypt purporting to emanate from the American press and circulated here in the form of pamphlets. He declared that it was most difficult to take the action looking to the suppression of these publications. He explained that seditions utterances and allegations of atrocities by British soldiers were first distributed to newspapers in the United States by the propaganda bureaus there; they were clipped from these papers and republished in Great Britain as opinions expressed by American newspapers.

## Noted Author Praises Faithfulness Of French Canadians To The Soil

Montreal, Nov. 20.—William H. Moore, author of "The Clash," was the guest of honor at the Windsor Hotel tonight, when he addressed the Young Men's Canadian Club. In the presence of a distinguished gathering, including Sir Andrew MacPhail, Dean C. E. Mays and others, Mr. Moore emphasized the great difficulty facing Canada in the occupation of land. English-speaking Canadians were deserting the farms and there were none or few but foreigners from Southeastern Europe to take their place. Rural emigration from England could not be expected. In this dilemma, it was the French-Canadian who was still faithful to the soil, who would be the deliverer of Canada. Mr. Moore's idea was that it was time for the provinces west of the Ottawa River to cease looking on French-Canadians as immigrants, and he advocated a larger measure of tolerance and co-operation.

## CONDITIONS IN SERBIA REGARDED AS APPALLING, RETARDING WORK OF RECONSTRUCTION

Whole Trouble Lies in the Crippled Condition of the Railroads—Bulgarian Invasion, Conducted Along Lines of Devastation, Resulted in Not One Railroad Bridge Being Left Intact.

Paris, Nov. 20.—(By the A. P.)—Conditions in Serbia are appalling and reconstruction work is proceeding with discouraging slowness. Dr. Miletic R. Vranich, of the Jugo Slav delegation to the Peace Conference told the correspondent today. The whole trouble lies in the crippled condition of the railroads of Serbia. Dr. Vranich declared. Serbia was over run three times by her enemies, but the Bulgarian invasion, being conducted along lines of thorough devastation resulted in not one railroad bridge being left intact in the territory. It now requires three days to make a railroad trip from Saloniki to Belgrade, while trains from Niak, travelling in a northerly direction, average five miles an hour. Dr. Vranich refused to talk concerning the Adriatic question, but the latter members of the Jugo Slav delegation were outspoken in saying that the Serbian people had reached the limits of their patience. The delegates, dissatisfied with some clauses in the Bulgarian Treaty, said they would sign it without reservations.

## RUMANIA REFUSES TO COMPLY WITH ORDERS OF COUNCIL

Has Neglected to Sign Austrian Treaty and is Considered as Having Withdrawn from Alliance.

Paris, Nov. 20.—The note sent by the Supreme Council to Rumania last Saturday, after praising the services rendered by Rumanians during the war, recalls the difficulties which arose at the signing of the Treaty of St. Germain, according to a Berne despatch to the Bresse de Paris. The communications adds that in view of Rumania's unyielding attitude in the decision of the council the latter is at a loss to know whether Rumania really desires to follow the Allied policy. If it is her intention to follow this policy, the note says, the council requests that she sign the Austrian treaty immediately, otherwise Rumania will be considered as having withdrawn voluntarily from the alliance.

## I.W.W. AND O.B.U. ARE IDENTICAL

Close Watch Being Kept on I.W.W.'s Trying to Enter Canada from the States.

Regina, Sask., Nov. 20.—That the I. W. W. and the O. B. U. are identical is the statement of Commissioner Perry of the R. N. W. M. P., who informed the Canadian Press today that a close watch was being kept at all border points by members of the force for I. W. W.'s who were trying to enter Canada in fear of present tensions across the line. Many had been turned back in the last month.

## U. S. SHOULD HELP BEAR THE BURDEN IN VIENNA

Great Britain Has Done Its Part in Trying to Ameliorate the Economic Situation There.

London, Nov. 20.—Premier Lloyd George, replying to questions in the House of Commons today, said he saw no hope of amelioration in the economic situation of Vienna without the help of the United States. The British had already given aid to the Vienna government amounting to three one-half million pounds sterling, but the Premier announced that Great Britain did not intend to continue to bear the greater part of the burden of the famine in that country.

## BRITISH PUBLIC MEN SILENT ON SENATE'S ACTS

Regard America's Position as a Domestic Political Affair and Refrain from Expressions That Might Offend.

### AMERICA GONE BACK ON AGREEMENT

Fear Last Example Might Influence Other Nations That Have Not Yet Committed Themselves.

London, Nov. 20.—(By the Associated Press.)—Nearly all British public men are silent concerning the United States Senate's dealings with the Peace Treaty. The reason for this is that they understand Americans regard the question as an American domestic political affair and fear that any expressions from them might give offence and be taken as attempts to influence American politics. Lord Robert Cecil and Lieut-General Jan Christian Smuts were the British sponsors for the League of Nations and are largely responsible for the details thereof, and both have registered their disappointment at the latest turn of events. General Smuts in his appeal to America, and Lord Robert Cecil in a brief speech in the House of Commons, Monday. Lord Robert stands on that speech and refers all questioners to it as being all he has to say on the subject for the present.

### Fear Example Set.

It will be impossible to summarize public opinion. The first view reflected by the newspapers was that America had gone back on her agreement. Later advice from Washington, however, softened this feeling. American affairs generally, the relations between the President and Congress, the role regarding a two-thirds majority, and how a constructive resolution might bring peace with Germany are puzzling problems to the average man. The point that the Liberal papers are making is that if America keeps out of the League of Nations, the world will be thrown back into the old whirlpool of competitive armaments. The debate is debated in whether it will be possible to carry on the League without America; how far the American example would influence other nations, which have not yet committed themselves, to keep out of the League, and whether the South American governments would follow the lead of the United States.

## ANOTHER OVATION FOR HINDENBURG

Berlin, Nov. 20.—Field Marshal von Hindenburg's departure today for Magdeburg was the occasion for a renewal of the ovation tendered him on his arrival in Berlin. The Field Marshal reviewed the guard of honor while the crowd sang national songs. Some shouts of "the next time we meet, you will be the Imperial President," were heard.

## C. P. R. EMPLOYEES ASK NEW WAGE SCALE

Montreal, Que., Nov. 20.—The employees and officials of the Canadian Express Company are in conference here relative to a demand for a new wage schedule. The employees have demanded a twenty-five per cent. increase in wages and two weeks' vacation.

## PEACE TREATY TO GO INTO EFFECT DECEMBER 1ST

Supreme Council Believes All Will be Ready by That Time—Will Wait No Longer for the U. S.

Paris, Nov. 20.—While the Supreme Council did not positively decide today to put the Peace Treaty with Germany into effect on December 1, its members all agreed it would be desirable to do so. An effort will be made to have all preparations for the enforcement of the treaty completed by that date, and it will probably be put into effect very early in December, regardless of the failure of the United States to ratify the treaty.

The American delegates declare themselves hopeful that a compromise will be arranged in the Senate, but the French and British peace delegates are apparently less optimistic and inclined to propose to carry out the treaty without American cooperation. Suggestions that another treaty, more to the liking of the European Allies, be negotiated apparently are not seriously taken.

## BOSTON MAYOR BITTERLY FLAYS HOSPITAL OFFICIALS FOR ABUSE OF ST. JOHN GIRL

Penniless, Without Friends, Turned Out Into the World After Being on Dangerous List Several Days.

### POLICE ORDERED TO FIND GIRL

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### Splendid Opportunity for Manufacturers of Canada to Secure Export Trade

Urged to Participate in the Canadian Exhibition to be Held in Agricultural Hall, London, Next Summer—Results Will More Than Justify the Effort and Expense Involved.

Toronto, Nov. 20.—The manufacturers of Canada are expected to make a big united bid for export trade at the Canadian Exhibition which is to be held in the Royal Agricultural Hall, London, England, from June 2nd to June 15th next. The Canadian Manufacturers' Association is circulating its members inviting them to participate in the exhibition and pointing out the importance and value of the exhibition to Canadian industries and Canadian prosperity.

Mr. Lloyd Harris, chairman of the Canadian Mission in London in connection with the project says: "I am strongly of the opinion that if Canadian manufacturers will support this exhibition, and go there for the purpose of securing business, that the result will more than justify the effort and expense involved."

H. Greenville Montgomery has accompanied Lloyd Harris to Canada for the purpose of promoting this great exhibition. Mr. Montgomery has appointed O. C. Pease, 41 Victoria street, Toronto, as his agent. He will allot space, arrange for transportation, receive monies and conduct the general business of the exhibition on this side. The Royal Agricultural Hall, where the exhibition will be held, is London's second largest exhibition building and is near the heart of the city. It has a floor space of sixty thousand square feet, splendidly adapted for exhibition purposes. Trade exhibitions are most important factors in the United Kingdom for bringing buyers and sellers together. They are promoted for the single purpose of developing trade.

## LIQUOR QUESTION BEFORE SUPREME COURT OF U. S.

Appeals Brought to Test the Right of Congress to Prohibit Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicants.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 20.—The Supreme Court was asked today to determine the constitutionality of the War Time Prohibition Act as well as the Volstead Prohibition Enforcement Act, during arguments in appeals brought to test the right of Congress to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicants.

While conflicting decisions have been rendered in various parts of the country upon the question, today's arguments involved only three cases, one from Kentucky, in which the War Time Act was declared unconstitutional, and two from New York, in which the authority of Congress not only to make the country dry, but to enforce it, was sustained.

Failure of the Senate to ratify the Treaty of Versailles was regarded by stormers in the case as only complicating the situation because of the delay in the termination of the technical state of war. Although both sides agreed not to ask for any additional time, the arguments will not be concluded until tomorrow.

## C. P. R. OFFICIALS VISIT TERMINALS AT HALIFAX

Considerable Significance Attached to Their Hurried Visit by Halifax Business Men.

Halifax, Nov. 20.—A hurried visit with considerable significance, to this province was made this week by Great Hall, vice-president, and C. H. Tugwell, general superintendent, of the C. P. R. These officials made a tour of inspection over the Dominion-Atlantic Railway in company with General Manager George E. Graham. At Halifax the party spent a couple of hours visiting the ocean terminals. Mr. Hall expressed the hope that before long the present light rails on the D. A. R. would be replaced by heavier standard steel. Work conditions had delayed this work, but it would now be undertaken.

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Special to The Standard. Boston, Nov. 20.—The superintendent and other officials of the City Hospital were bitterly flayed by Mayor Peters, in a statement issued from the Mayor's office late this afternoon, following the facts concerning the release from that institution of a young St. John, N. B. girl in a penniless and friendless condition, being made known to him by those who had become interested in the matter sufficiently enough to institute a rigid investigation. Miss Mary P. Jerome, nineteen years of age, of St. John, N. B., who had been on the dangerous list at the City Hospital for several days as the result of gas poisoning, was released from the hospital yesterday afternoon, and according to stories carried in the morning papers, left the hospital with no funds, except two cents, and no friends to go to, being told by the hospital authorities that "it was no concern of theirs."

Investigation today showed that the young woman had been ordered from her room at 683 Massachusetts avenue by the landlady for non-payment of her room rent. Later the landlady found her unconscious in her room, with the gas jet wide open. Miss Jerome emphatically maintained, upon leaving the hospital, that she had not attempted suicide. The Mayor's statement said in part: "It is indeed unfortunate that the officials of an institution of this kind would allow a young woman, without friend or funds, so many miles from her home in a strange country, to go out into the city again without first taking it up with one of our many societies which we have for such purposes. To my mind it shows extreme ignorance."

As the mayor of the city has no jurisdiction whatever over the local police department, the mayor tonight made a request to the Governor to arrange with Police Commissioner Curtis for a general alarm to be sent throughout the department in an effort to locate the young woman wherever in the city she may be, and if found to notify his office immediately. The arrangement was carried out, the police receiving their orders at roll call.

## PREMIER BORDEN WILL ACCOMPANY PRINCE TO HALIFAX

After Renown Sails for England Prime Minister, Greatly Improved in Health, Will Take up Duties in Ottawa.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 20.—Sir Robert Borden, who, since leaving White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., some weeks ago, has been getting the benefit of ocean air at Atlantic City, has accepted the invitation of the Prince of Wales to accompany him on the Renown from New York to Halifax, where the Prime Minister will be present at the farewell dinner to His Royal Highness on Monday evening, the 24th instant. He will remain in Halifax until the Renown sails, after which he will immediately return to Ottawa and resume his official duties.

The health of the Prime Minister has been very greatly benefited by his respite from work during his visit to the South, although he has been in close communication with his colleagues throughout and has been advised from time to time on matters of importance. During his recent visit to Washington, the Prime Minister had an important conference with Lord Grey, the British Ambassador. Lady Borden expects to return direct to Ottawa this coming week-end. She also has been remarkably benefited by her sojourn in the South, and has quite recovered from the very serious indisposition which caused so much concern to her friends during the summer months.

## TRAIN BANDIT SENDS THANKS TO RAILROAD CO.

While He Was Sending Telegram Armed Posse Was Scouring Woods for Him.

Casper, Wyo., Nov. 20.—William Carline, train bandit, walked into the Western Union office here today with scores of heavily armed men searching the surrounding country for him, and sent a telegram to the Union Pacific railroad office in Cheyenne, thanking the railroad for the money he secured from passengers on the Los Angeles Limited train which he held up near Medicine Bow Tuesday night.

## Situation In Soviet Russia Is Becoming More Serious Daily

Archangel, Nov. 20.—(By The Associated Press.)—The situation in Soviet Russia daily is growing more serious. In several towns workers without employment, and desperately hungry, have revolted against the Bolsheviks. Factories are closed and the people are living on vegetables. The Red terror is spreading throughout the country. The Red Army is becoming demoralized and troops who were formerly mobilized are deserting in streams. Fugitives are arriving in Archangel barefooted and in rags. All of them complain of hunger and of ill-treatment by the communists.



### Directorate of Orphans' Home Met

Session Held in Britain Street Institution Last Night — Appointments Confirmed and Most Satisfactory Reports Received.

At a meeting of the Protestant Orphans' Home directors, held in the Britain street institution last night, the appointment of Mrs. Land, to the position of matron of the West St. John annex was ratified and that of Miss Powers, as nurse at the same institution, was also confirmed.

The ladies' committee reported considerable progress in the matter of furnishing the rooms of the West St. John annex, and the building committee said what is being done in the way of painting, papering and otherwise rejuvenating the building. Six children now without homes, will be taken into the institution as an early moment, and it is expected that several will be removed from the Britain street building to the Carleton annex, to relieve congestion at the former institution.

D. C. Clark, West St. John, was added to the special committee, which is headed by W. S. Fisher and has as its purpose the erection of a large provincial institution of the farmstead character which will replace the present two buildings and be more comprehensive in its scope.

It is understood in addition to the grant of \$10,000 from the Orange Grand Lodge, a \$1,000 grant from the Oddfellows, and promises of support from the Masonic and Pythian fraternal societies, that three prominent citizens have offered \$4,000 each towards the new institution, provided seven other provincial men can be secured to donate enough to form a \$10,000 subscription.

H. G. Rankine, treasurer, reported that support was coming from many unexpected sources, and that many new subscribers to the fund had promised continued assistance.

Lady Lewis, wife of Sir Frederick Lewis, Bart., arrived in the city last night from Halifax and is a guest at the Royal Hotel.

### T. OF H. MEMBERS WERE ENTERTAINED

Ladies' Auxiliary of Alexander Temple Were Hosts to Members Last Evening — Enjoyable Programme Carried Through.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Alexander Temple of Honor entertained the members of the Temple in the Temple Hall last evening. Mrs. W. F. Roberts was in the chair, and there was a large attendance. Following an interesting address by Rev. Mr. Elmer, a programme was carried out including a dance by little Miss Angelina Gregory, a reading by Miss Vera Roberts, a solo by Master Norman Magnusson, a reading by Miss Ethel McGinley, a duet by Masters Harold and Roy Black. Music was furnished by Black's Orchestra. After the programme the gathering was entertained with games and refreshments were served.

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This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound tonight and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

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### DIRECTORS' MEETING WAS ADJOURNED

Managing Board of N. B. Telephone Co. Held Session Yesterday Morning, But Meeting of Directors in Afternoon Was Adjourned on Account of F. W. Sumner's Sudden Death.

The New Brunswick Telephone Company directors, were attending meetings at the company's headquarters, Prince William street yesterday. A session of the managing board was held in the morning considering reports to be presented at a meeting of the directors to be held in the afternoon. Owing to the sudden death of F. W. Sumner, one of the directors, the afternoon meeting was adjourned.

### LABOR DELEGATES ENTERTAINED BY THE CANADIANS

Among those in the city for the purpose of attending the meeting were President S. H. White, of Sussex; Col. F. B. Black, Sackville; Senator F. P. Thompson, Fredericton; R. O'Leary, Miramichi; H. P. Robinson, St. John; B. Snowball, Chatham; Hon. J. B. Todd, Milltown; Hon. P. J. Vanot, Bathurst; J. M. Robinson and R. B. Emerson, St. John.

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Washington, D. C., Nov. 20.—(By Canadian Press staff correspondent.)—Labor delegates at the International Labor Conference were entertained at dinner last night by the Canadian Government delegates. Senator Robertson presided. On Monday evening, the Canadian delegation, with the delegations from Great Britain and India, will be guests of the South African delegates at a smoking concert. Lord Grey, British Ambassador to the United States, has accepted an invitation to be present.

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#### PUBLIC DEBTS.

At City Hall the worthy Commissioners are thrown into a panic every time the civic debt is mentioned, and a lot of good people not at City Hall are painfully worried at what they consider the Commissioners' extravagance. But among Canadians generally there is little worry over the national debt, which has grown to huge proportions during the war. Apparently there are some people in St. John who are pessimistic about the city's future, while there are few people in Canada who have not an abiding confidence in the future of the nation.

Lord Macaulay in the nineteenth chapter of his History of England makes some observations on the growth of the British and national debt, which have a certain appropriateness at the present time, and deserve the consideration of those pessimists who have a nightmare every time a farthing is added to the civic or national debt. The historian points out that every time the debt of England was increased the nation set up a wall of anguish and despair. At every stage of the growth of the debt the wise men seriously asserted that bankruptcy and ruin were at hand. After the struggle with Louis the Fourteenth, England had a debt of fifty millions sterling, and politicians and wise men were absolutely convinced that the nation was crippled beyond hope of recovery. Nevertheless trade flourished, and the nation became richer and richer. Under the energetic and prodigal administration of the first William Pitt, another war was waged, and the debt soon swelled to 140 millions. All the wise men and financiers loudly wailed that the fatal day of national ruin had at last arrived—never was there such gloom in England. David Hume, the greatest political economist of his time, mournfully complained that it would have been better for England to have been conquered by Prussia and Austria than to be saddled with the interest of 140 millions. Only Edmund Burke refused to share in the general delusion that the day of doom had arrived. Adam Smith admitted that the nation was bearing its burden bravely, and could stagger along, and perhaps thrive a little. But he warned his countrymen that the limit of the nation's strength had been reached; even a small increase in the debt might be fatal. Lord Grenville thought the nation would sink under the burden unless a portion of the load was placed upon the American colonies; and the attempt to do this provoked another war, which added another 100 millions of debt. Again the nation was given over to financial ruin, but strangely enough it thrived, and was able to carry on the long wars arising from the French revolution and the ambitions of Napoleon. When the war was again at rest the funded debt of England amounted to 800 millions; and the cry of despair was louder than ever. But after a few years of exhaustion England recovered herself, and entered upon a career of unexampled progress and prosperity.

Lord Macaulay generalizes: "It can hardly be doubted that there must have been some great fallacy in the notions of those who uttered and of those who believed that long succession of confident predictions, so signally falsified by a long succession of indisputable facts. To point out that fallacy is the office rather of the political economist than of the historian. Here it is difficult to say that the prophets of evil were under a double delusion. They erroneously imagined that there was an exact analogy between the case of an individual who is in debt to another individual and the case of a society which is in debt to a part of itself; and this analogy led them into endless mistakes about the effect of the system of funding. They were under an error less serious touching the resources of the country. They made no allowance for the effect produced by the incessant progress of the experimental science, and by the incessant efforts of every man to get on in life. They saw that the debts grew; and they forgot that other things grew as well as the debt. "A long experience justifies us in believing that England may, in the twentieth century, be better able to pay a debt of sixteen hundred millions than she is at the present time to bear the present load. But be this as it may, those who so confidently predicted that she must sink, first under a debt of fifty millions, then under a debt of eighty millions, then under a debt of a hundred and forty millions, then under a debt of two hundred and sixty millions, and lastly under a debt of eight hundred millions, were beyond all doubt under a twofold mistake. They greatly overrated the pressure of the burden; they greatly underrated the strength by which the burden was to be borne."

#### ONE-THIRD OF A VOTE.

A Farmers' Party is in power in Ontario, though the complete election returns show that its candidates

polled 130,000 votes less than the candidates of the Hearst Government, and 80,000 less than the Liberals. If the Farmers' Government, which represents considerably less than a third of the voters who actually went to the polls, carries out its promise to adopt proportional representation, it will give an example of political honesty deserving the highest praise, but it will have a poor chance to come back to power, unless the city voters make up their mind that a government capable of committing har-kari should have a renewal of life.

The situation in Ontario may serve to create an interest in the relative preponderance of the power of the rural constituencies in this province. St. John city has one representative in the Legislature for every 15,000 inhabitants. Sunbury and Queens have one representative for less than 5,000 inhabitants. In Charlotte County a little over 5,000 people have a representative. On the basis of the representation of some of the rural constituencies St. John would have twelve members.

Possibly one voter in Sunbury has as much wisdom as three male voters in St. John, but it may be doubted whether modest Dave Mersereau, who generously welcomed the lady voters into politics on a fifty-fifty basis, would be so ungracious as to suggest that one lady voter in St. John was worth as good as one voter anywhere else.

In some parts of the Province St. John is regarded as being too much impressed with its own importance anyway. But it might with some show of justice assert its political importance a little more. Possibly Hon. Mr. Foster has no more use for the male voters of St. John than they appear to have for him, but it is ungrateful of him to allow the ladies of St. John only one-third of a vote.

#### FRENCH ELECTIONS.

The result of the French election serves notice on the Extreme Socialists that the country is tired of revolutionary propaganda. Since the armistice the Extreme Socialists have been making a great effort to capture control of the whole French Labor movement, and use it to promote their purpose by direct action. And there is a certain poetic justice in the contempt that in their eagerness to make use of the weapon of direct action and revolutionary propaganda they should have their weapon badly blunted. Under the mercenary temperament of the French there is an abiding seriousness, and a sanity of outlook unequalled by any people except the British, and it is not surprising that they should turn from the wild ways of the Intransigent Socialists. The nation wants peace to heal its wounds, and opportunity for the natural industry of the people to repair the ravages of war. So, while its progress, it is determined to proceed on the path of constitutional action. The military precautions taken by the Government during the progress of the elections indicated a certain fear of a revolutionary uprising, but the elections appear to have passed off with little more than the usual excitement. This, after all, is not surprising, for outside the cities France is a nation of peasant proprietors, inclined to look with favor upon various forms of State Socialism, but not at all likely to be carried away by the extravagant promises of the revolutionary Socialists.

#### MR. F. W. SUMNER.

Widespread sorrow will be caused by the sudden death of Frederick W. Sumner, who has been Agent-General for New Brunswick in London for some years. Long prominent in the business and political life of the Province he had a large circle of friends who will be shocked and grieved by his unexpected demise. While he had large business interests which demanded a great deal of personal attention, he gave much of his time to matters of public interest in his home city of Moncton, of which he was Mayor for six terms, and also to the promotion of movements for the good of the whole Province. He served in the Legislature for some time, and might have had higher political honors if he had desired them. His attitude to Provincial question was dictated by a large confidence in the future of New Brunswick.

When he was appointed to the position of Agent-General in Great Britain he declined to accept a salary for his services. He had big ideas of what was necessary to attract British capital and British settlers to the Province, but the war prevented him from working them out. During the war years he made his office in London a centre for important work on behalf of the soldiers, and many families in the Province could tell stories of his thoughtful kindness to their soldier sons.

A kindly man, of a bluff and hearty manner, he will be missed by all who knew him.

#### WHAT THEY SAY

##### The Usual Way.

(Kingston Whip.)  
The people who are making the most fuss about losses through labor strikes are about the same ones who always kicked when it was proposed to spend more money on the schools.

##### "Industrial Barbarism."

(Hamilton Spectator.)  
Strikes action, in its disastrous effect on the general public, is well termed "industrial barbarism." It is at least one human evil that should be easy to control by the common sense of arbitration, backed by law.

##### Fortunately.

(Montana Free Press.)  
When von Hindenburg arrived in Berlin the other day the crowds that welcomed him sang "Deutschland Uber Alles." Fortunately for the world, however, they are not able to sing "Deutschland Uber Alles."

##### The Gratuity Question.

(Hamilton Herald.)  
Hon. Mr. Fielding's paper, the Montreal Journal of Commerce, evidently does not approve of the attempt of the opposition at Ottawa to make the gratuity question "There will," it says, be little ground for objection to the substance of the conclusion reached by the committee and confirmed by the House of Commons. The reasons given against the granting of the cash gratuities are in the main good reasons, which we commend themselves to the public.

##### The True British Ring.

(Edmonton Journal.)  
Lord Milner has been regarded as typifying the spirit of British imperialism more than any other man prominent in British public life. His protest against "the bombast of drum and trumpet imperialism" should have particular heed paid to it. There are some who have prejudiced the cause of the Empire by adopting the methods in its behalf to which Lord Milner refers. They are friends of the Empire and stand for its promotion, but peace and justice should not allow themselves to be prejudiced by the cheap rhetoric to which, in some quarters, it gives rise.

##### Strike Loss in One Year.

(Hamilton Times.)  
Assuming the same relation between wages and output as shown in the Census of Production for 1917, strikes in Canada have caused a total loss in wages and output of workers and factories directly affected of close to \$100,000,000, says the Canadian Reconstruction Association. The loss of the commercial and community loss through dislocation of business.

#### A BIT OF FUN

He Thought of Everything.  
Best man (saying couple off on honeymoon): "Here you are—just a few magazines to help pass away the time."—Punch.

What It Wanted.  
With hisses and groans the audience greeted the principal scene of the new drama. All hope, then, was at an end.  
"It's hard to tell just what the public wants," murmured the heart-broken playwright.  
"It's easy enough to tell in this case," said the manager. "It wants its money back."

Suitably Trained.  
"Soldier Husband—One of the first things I learned in the army was how to carry a 70-pound pack on a 30-mile hike."  
Mrs. Subbs—How lovely! Now I must insist on your going shopping with me this afternoon.

It Ate.  
"He suffers terribly from mental lapses. Getting so he can't remember anything 10 minutes."  
"Then he ought to get a driver."  
"Why?"  
"I bet that'll jog his memory."—Florida Times-Union.

Tough and Go.  
"That fellow is some-buster. He stays in one place only long enough to borrow money." "I see. A case of touch and go."

Leading Him to It.  
He—My dear, I can't afford to buy you that hat.  
She—Still you'd save money, if you did.  
He—How do you make that out?  
She—Because I shall fret myself ill if I don't get it, and you know what doctors' bills are!—Tribune.

"I understand our new neighbors are strict vegetarians." "Strict? I should say they are! They won't even let their children eat animal crackers."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Matrimonial Alterations.  
"Agnes married a self-made man, didn't she?"  
"Yes, but she has compelled him to make extensive alterations."  
Where the Money Was.  
First Undergraduate: "Have you telegraphed for money?"  
Second Undergraduate: "Yes; I telegraphed yesterday."  
First Graduate: "Got any answer?"  
Second Undergraduate: "Yes; I telegraphed the governor. 'Where is that money I wrote for? And his answer reads: 'In my pocket.'"

"Hush, hush—" I hear the gathering sound repeat;  
It is a command, with sharp motion blent;  
For all that sound I hear my own heart beat—  
It is to me the message has been sent!

"Hush, hush—and heed!"— the hoarse sursurus runs,  
I heed. No more young heart out years decays;  
Your world I heed, O fallen myriads—  
The race of man is as the race of leaves!

A voice of many — of othertime,  
When happy sighings breathed through summer hours;  
With twittering bird-note and cicada's chime—  
None such bare forest-rafters now can rouse!

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### Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE

I was looking over my stamp collection in the setting room and wondering how many I could save up if I kept on saving till I was about 87 years old, and pop was reading the sporting page, and all of a sudden he started to caw! about 10 short caws, saying, I don't know what the mischief ails this throat of mine, Benny, run and get me a glass of water, quick.  
Yes, sir, I sed.

Which I ran to the bath room and started to do, thinking, G. G. I wonder if I could carry a glass brim full of water back to the setting room without spilling a drop?  
And I filled the glass as full as it would get, laking pritty long on account of having to leave the wattr run so slow wen the glass was near full so it wouldn't squart the rest of it out on cawfing and in about a miff he called Benny, have you dropped dead or wat?

Im coming, pop. Im coming, I sed.  
Its about time, sed pop. Me not having spilled a drop yet on account of being so studdy and going so slow, and pop keep on cawfing and in about a miff he called Benny, have you dropped dead or wat?

Im coming, pop. Im almost there, I sed. And I waded in the setting room carryin the wattr careful as anything, and pop sed, quick, quick, are you parlyzed? Are you trying to choke me to death?

No sir, Im seeing if I can carry it all the way without spilling a drop, I sed. And pop made a fearsie face and jumped up and grabbed the wattr and drank it without stopping for air. And then he gave me 4 fearsie cracks some place and made me go to bed.

DRAWING TO A CLOSE  
Navigation on the St. John River is gradually drawing to a close. Yesterday the steamers Champlain, Hampton and Majestic made their last trips of the season. The Champlain went to Upper James, the Hampton to Hatfield's Point on the Belleisle and the Majestic up the Washademook. It is possible that the Majestic may be placed on the main river route to Fredericton for a few trips, replacing the D. J. Purdy. Weather conditions and freight offering will be the deciding factor. The up-river freights still hold but practically nothing is offering on the return trips.

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 Victory Loan 1927—500 @ 102 1/4  
 Victory Loan 1928—24,000 @ 104 1/4  
 2,100 @ 100 1/4  
 Victory Loan 1930—28,000 @ 103 1/4  
 Dominion War Loan, 5 p. c. 1927—700 @ 99 1/4; 10,000 @ 99 1/4  
 Steamships Com—218 @ 71 1/4; 25 @ 71 1/4; 170 @ 72 1/4  
 Steamships Pfd—208 @ 85  
 Cement Com—25 @ 70 1/4  
 Brazilian—25 @ 51 1/4; 130 @ 51 1/4  
 Steel Canada Com—180 @ 70; 10 @ 74 1/4  
 Bell Telephone—25 @ 117  
 Toronto Hly—40 @ 40 1/4  
 Can Car Pfd—25 @ 99 1/4; 5 @ 95  
 Ontario Steel—100 @ 49; 3 @ 48  
 General Electric—40 @ 100 1/4  
 Alton—40 @ 148  
 Smelting—100 @ 20 1/2  
 Pulp—25 @ 220  
 B. C. Fish—10 @ 65  
 Loyal—25 @ 14  
 McDonalds—25 @ 20 1/4  
 No Cotton—2 @ 85  
 Weygamsack—75 @ 77; 100 @ 76; 225 @ 80; 25 @ 80 1/4; 50 @ 81 1/4; 200 @ 81 1/2; 25 @ 81 3/4  
 Asbestos Com—25 @ 83 1/4 @ 84  
 Atlantic Sugar Com—25 @ 70 1/4; 25 @ 74 1/4; 50 @ 74; 25 @ 73 1/4  
 Spanish River Pfd—50 @ 61; 160 @ 64 1/2; 25 @ 63 1/4; 10 @ 64 1/4  
 Spanish River Pfd—75 @ 127; 25 @ 118  
 Forgings—25 @ 198; 50 @ 194  
 Brompton—25 @ 70; 25 @ 76 1/4; 25 @ 75 1/4; 135 @ 77  
 Ames Holden Pfd—10 @ 116 1/4  
 27 @ 115; 100 @ 114  
 Tram Power—50 @ 164; 200 @ 16  
 North Am. Pulp—300 @ 4 1/4

Afternoon

Steamships Com—25 @ 72 1/4  
 Victory Loan 1922—10,000 @ 105 1/4  
 Steel Canada Com—100 @ 70 1/4; 50 @ 76 1/4  
 Tom Iron Com—25 @ 70 1/4; 75 @ 72 1/4; 80 @ 73  
 Shawinigan—10 @ 118; 67 @ 117 1/4  
 Can Car Pfd—10 @ 99; 25 @ 98 1/4  
 Ontario Steel—100 @ 49 1/4; 10 @ 50  
 General Electric—40 @ 103 1/4  
 Laur Pulp—25 @ 221  
 Smelting—25 @ 20 1/2  
 Abitibi—20 @ 17 1/4  
 Weygamsack—175 @ 81; 150 @ 80 1/4  
 250 @ 81 1/4  
 Quebec Railway—25 @ 25 1/4  
 Asbestos Com—25 @ 85 1/4; 50 @ 85  
 Atlantic Sugar Com—50 @ 74; 25 @ 74 1/4; 100 @ 74 1/4; 100 @ 74 1/4  
 Loyal—40 @ 141; 5 @ 140  
 Span River Com—75 @ 67 1/4; 25 @ 67  
 Forgings—50 @ 193; 50 @ 193 1/4; 25 @ 194  
 Brompton—120 @ 77 1/4; 15 @ 77 1/4  
 Ames Holden Pfd—75 @ 116; 25 @ 116 1/4  
 Can. Cotton—25 @ 81 1/4

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 Am Car Pfd 101 1/4 104 103 1/4  
 Amer Loco 92 94 94 94  
 Amer Sugar 126 1/2 128 126 1/2  
 Am Smelting 68 69 69 69  
 Am Hl Pfd 38 1/2 40 39 40 1/4  
 Am Wool 113 124 113 124 1/2  
 Amer Tele 100 100 100 100  
 Anaconda 63 64 63 64  
 A Handl Pfd 119 123 119 123 1/2  
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 Nor Pacific 84 84 84 84  
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# MARKET REPORTS

## STOCKS, BONDS AND PRODUCE



**NEW PROVINCIAL SECRETARY.**  
 Louis A. David, L. B. K. C., M. L. A., who has just been appointed Provincial Secretary for the Province of Quebec. He is a member of the law firm of Elliott & David. He was first elected to the Quebec Legislature for the County of Terrebonne in 1916, and was re-elected by acclamation at the last general election of June 23rd last.

### STRONG RECOVERY IN ALL ISSUES ON STOCK MARKET

From Three to Twenty Point Gains Made, Indicating Reactionary Forces Are in Retreat.

New York, Nov. 20.—A comprehensive rally of from three to twenty points in the stock market today gave promise that reactionary influences are in retreat. The rise followed early intimations that the defeat of the Peace Treaty might precipitate another decline.

Stocks were heavy—almost weak—at the outset, but this condition was speedily overcome, even though exchanges on London and other foreign centres fell to lowest quotations ever recorded here.

From the first rally stocks showed almost steady improvement, the advance being attended by the easiest money in more than a week. Through out the session brokers reported substantial buying, including many "odd lots" purchased by the usual bargain hunters.

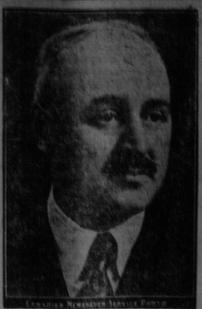
Only moderate amounts of money were in demand at the opening rate of ten per cent. The liquidity evidently being so light as to cause a drop to six per cent. with the approach of the final hour. Time money was again quoted unchanged, but reports credited interior institutions with making loans at as low as seven and a quarter per cent.

The strength of recent weak issues as Crucible Steel and General Motors and Mexican Petroleum, leaders in their respective groups, suggested that the shorts were having some trouble in covering.

This was applicable to many speculative stocks of which the available supply seemed very scant. Maximum prices were made by the final dealings when United States Steel and other leaders were at their best. Sales amounted to 1,000,000 shares.

International issues rallied, but the domestic bond list, including the Liberty group, was moderately lower. Total sales, par value aggregated \$1,500,000.

Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.



A. T. WELDON, the new assistant traffic manager of the Canadian National Railway.

### SHARP ADVANCES IN MOTOR STOCKS

(McDougall & Cowans)

New York, Nov. 20.—After some irregularity and reaction around noon the market hardened and later moved up when call money rates dropped to 5 per cent. Some sharp advances were made in the motor stocks and the Oils were stimulated by the general advance in oil prices. Crucible led the Steel group with an advance of some 17 or 18 points for the day and other Steel and Equipment issues gained several points all around. Opinion on the probable results of the failure of the Senate to ratify the Peace Treaty before the adjournment of the special session was sharply divided, but the event at least lent some of the depressing influence it had exerted during the morning. The list continued to gain strength practically up to the close and prices were about the best of the day on the market closing.

Canadian National Railway, with headquarters at Montreal, Mr. Weldon has jurisdiction over all lines east of Port Arthur and Armstrong, Ont., including the Maritime Provinces, and previously held the position of freight traffic manager at Moncton, N. B., with jurisdiction over the lines in the Maritime Provinces only.

### TORONTO TRADE QUOTATIONS

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 20.—The grain quotations on the Board of Trade today were as follows:

Manitoba wheat, in store Fort William, No. 1 northern, \$2.30; No. 2 northern, \$2.27; No. 3 northern, \$2.25. Manitoba oats, in store Fort William, No. 2, e. w., \$6.34 cent; No. 3, e. w., \$6.34 cent; No. 1 feed, \$3.14 cent; No. 2 feed, \$3.14 cent.

Manitoba barley, in store Fort William, No. 1, e. w., \$1.82; No. 4, e. w., \$1.48; rejected, \$1.04 1/2 cent.

American corn, track Toronto, prompt shipment, No. 2 yellow, \$1.75; No. 3 yellow, \$1.74.

Ontario oats, according to freights outside, No. 3 white, 87 cents to 89 cents.

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Peas, No. 2, \$2.50.

Barley, malting, \$1.47 to \$1.50.

Buckwheat, \$1.23 to \$1.24.

Manitoba flour, government standard, \$11. Toronto.

Ontario flour, government standard, in jute bags, Montreal, prompt shipment, \$9.50 to \$9.60; Toronto, \$9.50 to \$9.60.

Milled, car lots, delivered Montreal, freights, bags included: Bran, \$45 per ton; shorts, \$55; good feed flour, per bag, \$3.15 to \$3.20.

Hay, track Toronto, No. 1, \$28 to \$29; mixed, \$20 to \$22 per ton.

Straw, car lots, track Toronto, \$13 to \$12 per ton.

### CHICAGO PRICES

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Chicago, Ill., Nov. 20.—Corn, No. 3 mixed, \$1.47 to \$1.50; No. 2 yellow, \$1.50 to \$1.52.

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Clover seed, nominal.

Forage, nominal.

Lard, \$25.50.

Sibs, \$17.50 to \$20.50.

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### Women's Hospital Aid Held Meeting

Expressed Themselves Y day as in Sympathy with Doctors Who Are Commissioners to Ask Royal Commission—O Business.

The Women's Hospital Aid at meeting yesterday afternoon in the Board of Trade rooms gave a further expression of their sympathy with the St. John doctors who are urging the Hospital Commissioners to ask for a Royal Commission. A letter is to be written to the secretary of the Women's Hospital Aid to the Commissioners reminding them that this course was urged a time ago and requesting that Commissioners come to some decision on the matter.

The meeting yesterday was largely attended, and it was the desire of the Board of Trade to give notice of the deep interest taken by St. John women in order that they should be able to attend the meeting. Mrs. C. F. Sanford presided in her usual capacity and made several telling appeals for various objects. She referred to the excellent way in which the aid of the Aid had been managed since her absence from the city.

Mrs. C. F. Sanford reported a success on hand of \$4,200.00, and of receiving a donation of ten dollars from the Y. W. P. A. for toys to be purchased for the children's ward of the General Public Hospital.

Mrs. Percy Thomson, the visitor for the month, was not present, several of her committee, Mrs. Norman Sanborn and Miss Traverser reported that Mrs. Thomson had supplied the fruit and flowers for the month. Magazines had been taken as usual.

Mrs. George K. Moleard was pointed visitor for the coming month. It was announced that officers of the Mission church had offered to the hospital this month.

The resignation of Mrs. D. Egan was reported, and it was decided not to fill her place until the next meeting.

The denominational reports were as follows: Anglican, Mrs. E. E. Skinner; St. Paul's W. A., a donation of ten dollars; two life members (Canon and Mrs. Kurling from St. Church, the gift of the Stone church, Red Cross Society, and five associated members.

Roman Catholic—Mrs. J. H. Doane, Mrs. Moore, of the Salvation Army, Mrs. Verne McLeod, two life members, Mrs. A. P. Crook, Mrs. R. A. Corbett, one donor, the members.

The secretary was asked to the Stone church Red Cross Club thanking them for their generous contribution.

Mrs. Moore, of the Salvation Army, spoke of the fact that arrangements are made with the officials so that hallors when convalescent from hospital may be cared for at the hospital. The president asked all donors to the hospital to make this effort to salvers that they might know it had a home to go until they were well or able to leave port.

For the magazine committee Mrs. Traverser asked that smaller magazines such as Life or those having comic stories should be donated. It was stated that the bookcase presented by the Aid had not been given a place and a committee are to ask if it is not possible to find a suitable place where the books for the patients may be kept on the shelves. Permission was asked before the bookcase, which is a fine one was sent to the hospital. The need of a recreation room where the men could smoke was brought before the meeting by Mrs. E. K. Smith who said that the hospital was a place where a portion of one of the balconies off the men's ward could be partitioned off and heated so as to make a convenient room. The opinion of the Aid was that, while they felt that a place was badly needed, it was unwise to spend any amount of money the hospital in its present state.

Mrs. Duncan moved that the house committee's report, stating that at a quarterly meeting of the board all necessary items had been ordered for the hospital. Two donors, Mrs. E. J. pyramus had been donated at the request of the Aid by the Province and Cross. Mrs. Smith felt that it was a pity that the hospital was in such a poor condition. The visitors were most kindly received and the hospital greatly improved.

Large amount of painting and cleaning had been done, and things were in excellent condition. Another member of the house committee, Mrs. Morris, identified in the same way. Mrs. Smith and her committee were given a hearty vote of thanks for the splendid report brought in.

Mrs. A. C. Shelton moved that the Women's Hospital Aid, representing thousands of women in St. John, ask the Lieut-Governor for a Royal Commission to see if improvements could not be made in the hospital. This was seconded by Mrs. Verne McLeod. Mrs. Scully moved, seconded by Mrs. Morris, as an amendment that a committee should interview the Commissioners and ask them to go for a Royal Commission, and that time should be appointed when the board should give an answer to this request. The amendment carried by a large majority.

It was decided that the Aid are to meet on Monday, November 25th, at 8 o'clock in the evening.

**FUNERAL**

The funeral of Howard C. Brown took place from his daughter's residence, 50 Middle street, West End, yesterday. Services were conducted by Rev. W. H. Robinson, and interment took place at Cedar Hill Cemetery.

**WILL HOLD BANQUET**

The King's College Law Students Society has arranged for a banquet and it is hoped that Dr. Boyd, president of King's University, will be the guest of honor. The date has been fixed for the banquet.



# THE STANDARD'S SPORTING SECTION

## "Tony" And "Tex" Plan For Big Winter Bouts



The greatest boxing club in the world's history is to locate in New York and start its shows February 3, so Maj. A. J. Drexel Biddle and Tex Rickard believe, and they are going ahead with this as their objective. The "International Sporting Club" with Maj. Biddle as president, Rickard as matchmaker and a list of celebrities as vice-presidents and committeemen, announces its opening for Feb. 3, 1920, with Jimmy Wilde, the English marvel, as headliner, his opponent to be whatever American bantam is at the top of the heap at that time. Contests between champions of the American and British armies and navies, and special bouts between American soldier-champions are also billed.

BESIDES BEING ONE OF THE LEADING BOXING AUTHORITIES IN THE WORLD, Anthony J. Drexel Biddle is superintendent of one of Philadelphia's most fashionable Sunday Schools. Above he is seen officiating in the latter capacity, and also engaged in a lively bout with former champion Kid McCoy. Biddle was referee of the recent Dempsey-Willardmill, which Rickard promoted.

### WALLACE IS WILDE'S LOGICAL OPPONENT

Manager "Doc" Cutch, of Patsy Wallace, lightweight champion of America, claims that his boxer is Jimmy Wilde's logical opponent and here are the following reasons for thinking so:

Because Patsy Wallace, the present sensation of the boxing world, has beaten every boy that he has met and holds a six-round newspaper decision over Pete Herman, the bantamweight champion of the world to whom he conceded weight, reach and height, which is a wonderful feat itself. Wilde will not have to concede height, weight and reach to Wallace, as Wallace has a similar reach, is 1 inch shorter and will make 107 pounds at 3 o'clock day of fight. Although it is admitted that Wilde has beaten men heavier than himself he has never beaten the world's champion of the class above him, as Wallace did when he beat Pete Herman, bantamweight champion of the world.

### WOODSTOCK WILL HAVE ICE RACES

Woodstock, N. B., Nov. 18.—The Woodstock Driving Club held its annual meeting last night. The attendance was large and the favorable reports submitted aroused much enthusiasm. The officers elected for the ensuing year are: James Gibson, president; Col. F. J. Dibble, vice president; Jas. W. Gallagher, second vice president; Henry Dewitt, secretary; treasurer: Roy C. Tait, assistant secretary.

The question of ice racing was discussed and this form of sport will be a feature of the club's activities this winter. It is expected that many of the fast ones will come here and suitable purses will be offered.

### KINGSTON MILITIA PLAN CARNIVAL OF SPORTS

Kingston, Nov. 18.—It is the intention of Major-General Williams, G. O. C. M. D. S., to promote during the winter an immense carnival of sports and indoor gymnastics when all the athletes and sporting elements of the district will be brought together in a series of contests.

## Suits that suit

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## MARINE NEWS

**PORT OF ST. JOHN.**  
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Arrived Thursday.  
Sch. W. D. Managan, T. Wilbur, Rock-  
land, Me.  
Coastwise—Sch. Empress, 612, Mc-  
Donald, Digby; Stadium, 49, Pike, Ap-  
ple River; sch. Emerald, 34, Clayton,  
Annapolis Royal; Friendship, 64, Fair-  
ley, Fareboro; J. A. H. 33, Alexander,  
Alma.  
Cleared.  
S. S. Elmi Statthos, 1885, Xantho-  
philos, Greece.  
Coastwise—Sch. Empress, 612, Mc-  
Donald, Digby; Keith Cann, 177, Mc-  
Kinnon, Westport; Stadium, 49, Pike,  
Alma; sch. Emerald, 34, Clayton, An-  
napolis Royal.  
Sailed.  
S. S. Elmi Statthos, Piraeus, Greece.  
Sch. Barbara W. Port Greville.  
Sailed For Greece.  
The Greek steamer Elmi Statthos  
sailed yesterday morning for Piraeus,  
Greece, with a full cargo of grain.  
Metagama on the Way.  
The C. O. S. Metagama is on its  
way from Liverpool to open the Atlan-  
tic passenger service to this port. She  
will sail from here December 4th.  
Loading For New York.  
The schooner Isiah K. Sutton is at  
Yarmouth with hard coal from New

York. After discharging she will go  
to Liverpool and load pulpwood for  
New York.  
Leads Plaster For New York.  
The schooner Barbara W. sailed yester-  
day for Port Greville with general  
cargo and will load plaster there for  
New York. Nagle & Wigmore are the  
agents.  
Taking Up Boats.  
Government steamers are taking up  
the boats in the St. Lawrence River  
route, in preparation for the closing  
of navigation.  
Will Sail Today.  
The Furness, Withy Near Conino  
will probably get away today with gen-  
eral cargo for London. She will call  
at Halifax and three load apples.  
Leads Grain For United Kingdom.  
The S. S. Almeria shifted to berth  
8 yesterday and started loading grain  
for the United Kingdom.  
Sch. Arabia a Total Wreck.  
Sch. Peter, N. S., Nov. 20—All of  
force to refloat the schooner Arabia,  
of Fortuna Bay, Nfld., have failed and  
the vessel has been abandoned as a  
total wreck. The Arabia, loaded with  
produce from Montserrat, P. E. I.,  
struck on a shoal of this entrance to  
St. Peter's Canal on Saturday last.  
Several tugs failed in an effort to pull  
her off the shoal.

**NAVY ISLAND MATTER**  
**BEFORE THE COUNCIL**  
District Board of Health Rec-  
ommended That City Can-  
cel Leases on Navy Island  
and Reports Conditions.

At a committee meeting of the Com-  
mon Council yesterday morning a  
communication was read from the  
District Board of Health which en-  
closed a report from the District  
Medical Health Officer as to conditions  
on Navy Island and asked that the  
City Council end the leases of lots on  
the island. Dr. Brown's report said  
that most of the people on the island  
were living in a condition of squalor.  
The houses, the report said, were  
too small, were insufficiently ventila-  
ted and there was neither water sup-  
ply nor sewerage system on the  
island; all the fresh water was carried  
from the mainland.  
There are eight families on the  
island and in one there is a bedridden  
old man, Dr. Brown said, who is living  
in pathetic conditions. He recommended  
that the island be evacuated as soon  
as possible.

The matter was referred to Com-  
missioner Dalook for a report as to  
the lease of lands on Navy Island. The  
Commissioner said that he was quite  
sure some of the residents on the  
island were squatters, and it was said  
by the Common Clerk that when the  
original leases were granted it was not  
intended that they should be used for  
the building of dwellings but for the  
taking care of fishing equipment.

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**HELD FOR EXAMINATION**  
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who said she had been in the city for  
about a year, went to the police sta-  
tion yesterday morning and said that  
she was to have been burned last  
night by some persons. The police are  
holding her for an examination re-  
garding the condition of her mind.

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could not do any  
work. For two  
years she was at-  
tended by the best  
physicians here, and  
both agreed that  
she would have to  
be operated on. I  
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at first she refused  
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If every girl who suffers as Mrs.  
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and pains in her  
right side; at times  
she was so bad she  
could not do any  
work. For two  
years she was at-  
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both agreed that  
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**THE WEATHER.**

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 20.—The weather today has been mostly fair and cold from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces and comparatively mild in the west.

Prince Rupert	42	60
Vancouver	38	44
Kamloops	28	36
Calgary	16	48
Saskatoon	24	47
Edmonton	24	34
Prince Albert	24	40
Medicine Hat	32	40
Winnipeg	37	35
Port Arthur	30	44
Parry Sound	6	38
London	17	35
Toronto	17	36
Kingston	12	30
Ottawa	14	28
Montreal	14	28
St. John	26	28
Halifax	32	34

Maritime—Moderate to fresh northwest and west winds; fair and rather cold.

**AROUND THE CITY**

**DISCHARGED FROM HOSPITAL.**  
Alfred Powers, who was struck by an auto recently and who was taken to the General Public Hospital for treatment, was discharged from that institution yesterday morning.

**SATISFACTORY TEST.**  
E. M. Woodworth, inspector for the La France Company, the manufacturer of the city motor fire engine gave Market Slip yesterday morning. The engine pumped steady streams from the harbor and was found to be most satisfactory.

**UNSAVORY REPUTATION.**  
Two young women who have earned a rather unsavory reputation in the city, will leave this morning for the home in Amherst in custody of Police Mason Ross. They are being sent away as undesirable, and worked hard to get the title.

**ON SERIOUS CHARGE.**  
Charged by his daughter with committing incest, Joseph Amburg, of Erin street, was arrested on a warrant by Sgt. Detective Power last night. It is understood that two other daughters of the man have laid information against him.

**SENT TO HOSPITAL.**  
Mabel Berry, who complained to the police yesterday morning that she was going to be burned before the night, was examined by Dr. Dunlop yesterday afternoon and was later sent to the hospital for the treatment of Nervous Diseases.

**2ND DIVISIONAL TRAIN ASSN.**  
A meeting of the 2nd Divisional Train was held in the G. W. V. A. rooms last evening when it was decided to form a permanent association with ideas along the lines similar to the Commercial Club. Meetings will be held fortnightly or monthly and another meeting will be held shortly to make further arrangements.

**THE STEARNS CASE.**  
John Briggles stated yesterday that although Stearns, the young man charged with forging boarded with him, he never saw Stearns use a typewriter which had only arrived in the house a couple of hours before he felt the place, and the machine was called for a couple of days later.

**CAPT. ALLEN RETURNS.**  
Captain E. Drury Allen arrived on the Montreal train at noon yesterday en route to his home in Fredericton. He enlisted with the 49th Battalion as a private and won his commission overseas. At the close of hostilities on the western front he saw service in Northern Russia. He is a son of E. H. Allen of Fredericton.

**REQUEST FROM MONCTON.**  
Premier Foster received from Moncton that if the Prince of Wales was coming this way on his way to Halifax, it might be arranged that he stop off in Moncton. Hon. Mr. Foster went this to Lieut.-Col. Henderson at Ottawa and received a reply that His Royal Highness was going to Halifax on the Renova.

**CORP. GRAHAM HOME.**  
Corporal W. E. Graham, C. E. F., and later of the Canadian Salvage Corps in London, arrived at his home in St. John on Wednesday after crossing the ocean on the Tunisian to Quebec. He is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leander C. Graham, and his sister, Mrs. Chas. A. Kne for a few days, after which he will return to Toronto to resume his position with the C. I. R.

**WAS TRANSFERRED.**  
Jack T. Saunders, of North Devon, who was in France with the 4th Canadian Mounted Rifles and was taken prisoner and was in a German prison camp for many months, sailed Wednesday from New York for San Domingo, West Indies. After his return from overseas he re-entered the service of the Royal Bank of Canada, Fredericton, and was later transferred to St. John. His transfer from St. John comes in the way of a promotion.

**ARRESTED FOR ASSAULT.**  
James Thomas, a colored man measuring some distance over the six-foot mark, was arrested by Detectives Bid-discombe and Donahue last night on a warrant charging him with beating and assaulting Mrs. Lucinda McIntyre, at her home, 22 Brunswick street. Mrs. McIntyre, who is also colored, states that she has been twice widowed and that the assault was committed over a week ago.

**FIRE ALARMS YESTERDAY.**  
About 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon the fire department responded to an alarm from box 241 for a chimney fire in the Winter street school. There was no damage.  
An alarm was rung in at noon from box 145 for a slight fire in the hall of the residence owned by Mrs. McDonald, Long Wharf. The fire department quickly responded and the fire was extinguished with little damage done.

**F.W. SUMNER DIED SUDDENLY IN ROYAL HOTEL YESTERDAY**

**Taken Ill While Sitting in Rotunda of Hotel Shortly Before Three O'clock—Was Here to Attend Meeting of N. B. Telephone Co. Directors—Agent General for New Brunswick in Great Britain and Identified With Many Important Business Enterprises.**

F. W. Sumner, Agent General for New Brunswick in Great Britain, died suddenly yesterday afternoon at the Royal Hotel shortly after three o'clock. The news spread quickly about the city, and was received with many expressions of surprise and grief.  
Mr. Sumner arrived from Moncton on the noon train, accompanied by his wife, and his daughter, Mrs. McDougall. After lunch at the Royal Hotel he went to the rotunda and sat down in a chair there shortly before three o'clock. Mr. Murdoch, an engineer of the Northern Electric, and Mr. Nesbitt of the same company, noticed that Mr. Sumner appeared ill. He was at once taken to his room, and Dr. Addy was summoned by telephone. The doctor soon arrived, but in spite of what he could do, Mr. Sumner passed away at twenty minutes past three. Death was due to acute indigestion, complicated by heart trouble. Deceased had had several serious attacks of illness recently, and seven or eight years ago underwent an operation in Montreal.  
When Mr. Sumner was taken ill messengers were sent out in search of his wife and daughter who had gone shopping, and they were found in a shop and hurried to the hotel. A meeting of the Board of Directors of the New Brunswick Telephone Company, which Mr. Sumner had come to St. John to attend, was in progress, and when the Board was notified by telephone of his sudden death it adjourned out of respect to his memory.  
The remains were taken to Moncton on the late train last night.  
Mr. Sumner was one of the best known business men of the province, and had also taken an active interest in its political life for many years. Some years ago he accepted the position of Agent General for New Brunswick in London, stipulating that he was to receive no salary for his work. While his large business interests frequently called him back to Canada, he spent most of the years in London, and as Agent General extended a hearty welcome to New Brunswick soldiers

**Vocational School Board Meeting**

**Session Held Last Night—Pleased With Decision of Common Council—Top Floor of Odd Fellows' Hall Rented—Reports Received**

Much satisfaction was expressed at the meeting of the Vocational School Board, last night, upon the action of the common council in voting the sum of \$5,000 towards defraying the expenses of the movement.  
With sufficient funds at the back of the work the board has gone ahead, one of the definite steps being the renting of the whole top floor of the Oddfellows' Hall, Union street, where the home-wiring classes will be conducted their classes on sewing, millinery and kindred arts. This committee was also authorized to prepare plans for the work during the next few months, and also to find rooms where lessons in cooking and domestic science can be given.  
The matter of instruction in commercial bookkeeping, typewriting, stenography, and other commercial branches, was left for another meeting.  
Reports from the industrial committee show that plans are being made to hold classes in the Centennial School building, the courses covering mechanical drawing, sheet metal pattern work, sketching and blue-printing.  
Several applications were received from those wishing to be appointed to the teaching staff of the different branches.  
Dr. A. F. Emery presided, and there were also present J. P. D. Lewis, Alexander Wilson, Mrs. Richard O'Brien, Mrs. W. E. Raymond and George P. Hennesey.  
**ENJOYABLE CONCERT IN MAIN ST. CHURCH**  
Large Audience Last Evening Delighted With Excellent Programme Given by the Choir.  
A very enjoyable concert was given last evening by the choir of the Main street Baptist church to a large audience. The various numbers were well received and several encores were responded to. The programme was as follows:  
Part Song—"In This Hour" (Pinsult) By the Choir.  
Quartet—"Don't you Mind the Sorrows" (Cowles) Misses Fredrick and Mullin, Messrs. Holmes and Dunlop.  
Trio—"A Twilight Revel" (Elliot) Mrs. R. Ring, Mrs. B. Ferris, Miss M. Bailey.  
Piano Duet—"William Tell Overture" Mrs. A. Robertson and H. C. Dunlop.  
Part Song—"Good Night Beloved" By the Choir (Pinsult).  
Male Quartet—"The Morn" (Gosbell) Messrs. Cruikshank, Nobles, Stillwell, McIntyre.  
Solo—"Will o' the Wisp" (Spruce) Mrs. Blake Foster.  
Reading—"Miss Alice Dawson" Solo—"A Dream" (Bartlett) McAlpine.  
Part Song—"March of the Men of Harlech" (Baraby) By the Choir.  
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**Mr. and Mrs. Ananias Beaten Forty Ways**

**Hebrew Defendant in Police Court States Plaintiff is Greater Liar Than Both—Assault Case Resulting from Poker Game.**

W. B. Stearns, who is charged with forging military gratuity checks, was remanded until Tuesday afternoon, upon request of his counsel, J. Starr Tall.  
One drunk was remanded.  
Two Hebrews, who were arrested on an assault charge shortly after three o'clock in the afternoon, were given a preliminary hearing in the court, and ordered to appear next Thursday afternoon.  
The defendant in the case told the magistrate that the other chap was a deliberate falsifier and a man "who did not know anything about anything." In passing, the magistrate remarked that Ananias was probably the greatest liar on record though Mrs. Ananias might have something to say on the matter.  
"Well, your honor," remarked the defendant, "this man is a worse liar than both of them."  
This case is the outcome of a little game of poker in one of the leading hotels yesterday morning at two o'clock, when the defendant alleges that the other party took \$15 from the jack-pot, which did not belong to him. On Mill street and mixed it up on sight. In his preliminary examination the magistrate showed a remarkable insight into the ancient and royal indoor game.  
**FOUND GUILTY ON CHARGE OF ASSAULT**  
The case of the King vs. John Hayes, charged with assaulting Sheriff Wilson on June 2, 1919, came before Judge Chandler at an adjourned sitting of the Supreme Court yesterday morning. W. B. Wallace for the Crown, and Daniel Mullin, K. for the defence. The following petit jury were sworn in: W. Amland, J. Chesley, W. Coleman, S. Hoyt, D. A. Fox, W. Campbell, J. A. S. Kierstead, C. H. Frazelle, J. Brittain, J. C. Barry, J. Eagles and J. C. Collins.  
The evidence of the following witnesses for the Crown was taken: Sheriff Wilson, C. H. Ferguson, Clerk of the County Court; Deputy Sheriff A. B. Clifford, Constables A. Crawford and F. McElrath.  
Mr. Mullin, in opening for the defence, said he would prove that the Sheriff had assaulted the prisoner. The case was concluded in the afternoon, when sentence was given, the jury returning a verdict of guilty with a strong recommendation for mercy. Court was adjourned till this morning at 10.30.

**ANNUAL MEETING HELD LAST NIGHT**

**York L. O. L. Elected Officers With A. W. Harvey Worshipful Master—Voted \$75 Towards a Ward in Orphan's Home.**

The sum of \$75 was voted towards the equipment of a ward in the Protestant Orphan's Home, West St. John, at the regular meeting of York L. O. L., held last night in the Orange Hall.  
After other routine business was transacted, an annual election of officers was held, resulting in the following: A. W. Harvey, worshipful master, Charles Parkin, deputy master, William Turner, chaplain, Richard Morris, recording secretary, A. W. Carliss, financial secretary, N. J. Morrison, treasurer, Thomas Moore, lecturer, Perry Dykeman, director of ceremonies.  
The new executive committee is composed of William Reid, George E. Day, David Connolly, G. E. Horrell, Bligh Harder.

**Opening Night At The Insitute**

**Canteen Now in Operation for the Season—Men Guests of Seaman's Institute and Entertained at Concert Arranged by Y. W. P. A.**

In a short address given by H. C. Schofield, President of the Seaman's Institute, the institute was declared open for the season and a number of men welcomed there last evening. Mr. Schofield stated that the canteen would be managed by the Y. W. P. A. and praised their work in past years. Colonel E. T. Sturdee, president of the Navy League, Captain A. J. Mucaby and Mrs. Mulcahy, Mrs. J. H. Frink and other visitors were present.  
A short meeting of the Young Women's Patriotic Association was held before the concert arranged by them took place. Miss A. L. Brock presided and read a letter from Frank West of the Canadian Patriotic Fund thanking the association for two hundred dollars donated on the basis of the Society for the Prevention of Tuberculosis.  
The following programme was carried out: Reading, Miss Thelma Rogers; vocal solo, Miss Bernice Mooney; reading, Miss Marjory Pierce; vocal solo, Walter Brindle; vocal solo, Joseph Smith; vocal solo, Miss Frances Murdoch, Miss Margaret Dixon acted as accompanist.  
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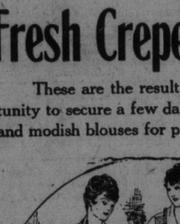


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