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## Uncanny Swiftness Marks Hunger's Advance Throughout Russia, and Aids Bolsheviki

### Bolsheviki Position Strengthened by Building up the Red Army, 300,000 Strong, Well Equipped and Under Complete Discipline Because of High Wages and Assured Rations—Russian Economic Affairs Are the Same as Always—Progressive Starvation and Financial Ruin—Government Rationing System Broken Down Completely.

By Frederick Moore.  
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Paris, Jan. 23.—Feeling that, unless the Russian situation is cleared up, or surrounded by safeguards, the business of the Peace Conference can never be satisfactorily concluded, certain statesmen caused this menacing problem to be taken up by the high representatives of the five powers, who on Monday formed themselves into a special committee of ten composed of the premiers and foreign ministers of Great Britain, France and Italy, President Wilson, Secretary Lansing and the first two Japanese delegates, to decide upon a course of action before summoning another session of the International Conference.

President Wilson's desire to proceed with the formation of a league of nations had caused minor irritation and resentment, and, accordingly, he gave way to French opinion that the Russian situation should absorb the attention of this special self-appointed committee. It was generally recognized as essential that a definite decision must be reached, not only regarding proposed military intervention, but also regarding the representation of Russia at the conference. The five great powers, therefore, have concentrated their efforts upon obtaining enlightenment respecting the actual condition of Russian affairs by examining competent witnesses of high standing. Evidence from these, and other reliable sources, shows that though the Bolsheviki were losing power appreciably toward the end of the year—so much so that Lenin was reported to have proposed to the executive committee of the Soviet congress to surrender to the Allies forthwith, a proposal which Lenin, however, has recently rejected—their power has been increased by the addition of certain elements which dislike foreign intervention in Russian affairs. Fear that intervention necessarily would be accompanied by a counter revolution, or even the restoration of monarchy, led the social revolutionists of the left, or minority socialists, and even a number of the co-operative unions, to declare that, in the event either of intervention or a counter revolution, they would support the Bolsheviki. The Bolsheviki

have further strengthened their position by building up the red army, which is now estimated to have enrolled 300,000 well equipped men under complete discipline, because of high wages and assured rations. This is Lenin's strong card against an uprising of his unarmed opponents. Withdrawal of the German armies, also has helped to buttress the position of Lenin by enabling the Bolsheviki to re-occupy a large part of the territory they surrendered at Brest Litovsk, while the German revolution, and the possible spread of revolution to other western countries, have greatly increased the self confidence of the Bolsheviki, and added greatly to their prestige in the eyes of the Russian people. The great powers have also to consider Russia's economic condition, which has been disastrously affected by the Bolsheviki policy of clinging to a "dictatorship of the proletariat," armed suppression of adversaries and occasional outbreaks of systematic terrorism. According to information before the conference, Russian economic affairs are always the same, namely, a record of progressive starvation and financial ruin. Chaos prevails. Supplies of coal, iron and foodstuffs from the Ukraine and the Urals have ceased. The government rationing system seems to have broken down utterly, except in Moscow, and a few other places. Petrograd, and Northern Russia, depend utterly upon their own resources for food. Trustworthy information gives the daily death rate in Petrograd from starvation as 1,000. This, and removals, have reduced the city's population in fourteen months by more than half. The transportation system is not far from absolute paralysis. The railways are out of repair, and there is a serious lack of fuel. Many manufacturing plants have closed, while the output of those factories still in operation is less than half of the pre-revolutionary standard. Government finances depend upon the printing press. It is estimated that there are 32,000 rubles in paper money in circulation, and the 1919 budget forecasts a deficit of 48,000,000 rubles to meet which there will be further issue of paper, all without substantial backing. Upon their accession to power (Continued on page 2)

## MONTREAL HAS BOLSHEVIKI

### Violent Demonstrations Staged at a Meeting of Trades and Labor Council.

Montreal, Jan. 23.—Violent Bolsheviki demonstrations were staged at a meeting here tonight of the Trades and Labor Council, called to consider the unemployment question. The moderate councils of President John T. Foster were set aside, and a resolution passed in favor of a 30-hour working week, so as to provide all round employment, and, if refused, to call a general strike. President Foster was jeered and insulted, though his original resolution, asking for inauguration of public works on a large scale, was also passed after the other. About 1,500 were present.

## HENLEY REGATTA

London, Jan. 23.—The Henley Regatta will be revived this year with a program including races open to services representing the Dominions and the Allies.

## GERMANS WOULD GAIN BY PUNISHMENT OF KAISER

### British Press Would Have Peace Conference Nominate International Court and Try Former Ruler as Law-breaker and Murderer.

London, Jan. 22.—The Westminster Gazette says that the peace conference itself has not yet reached the point of discussing the bringing to justice of the former emperor, but that a step in that direction has been taken by the presentation of the report of the French jurists upon the personal responsibility of the former ruler.

"A commission under the chairmanship of St. John MacDonnell is considering the same matter, but has not yet delivered its conclusions, which will also be placed before the peace conference," it adds.

The Daily Mail says that the emperor in his letter (in which he says "everything must be put to fire and sword; men, women and child-

## RE-ESTABLISHMENT OF SOLDIERS

### Various Schemes Now Completed to Help the Soldiers After Demobilization.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 23.—The following has been received from overseas by cable by the Director of Public Information:

"The whole question of re-establishing Canadian troops in civil life, after demobilization, has been considered on the broadest and most humane lines and various schemes are now practically complete. Sir Edward Kenn, Minister of the Overseas Military Forces, personally has taken great interest in the matter, and lent his assistance and his power to those chiefly concerned.

A conference under the chairmanship of Sir George Foster, Minister of Trade and Commerce, was called to consider the best means of dealing with the problem, and the bodies represented included the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment, the Soldiers' Land Settlement Board, the Khaki University, the Canadian Chaplain Services, the Canada Y. M. C. A., and Dr. J. W. Robertson, C. M. G., whose services have been enlisted. The conference laid down a general policy of co-operation.

## HALIFAX HAS GAMBLING SHOPS

### French Sailor Assaulted in One Leads Police to the Resort—Arrests Made.

Halifax, Jan. 23.—With two badly swollen eyes and a battered face, a Frenchman walked into the police station, early this morning, and appealed to the police to arrest a number of men who had assaulted him while a poker game was in progress. The scene of the game was at a cafe on Hollis street. The police, along with their gunfire, entered the place in search of the assailants. Only a few men were in the place, at the time, and these were arrested. Albert Roy, who is suspected of having committed the assault, was among those arrested. The city detective learned that the game is operated by a man named Sampson, who reaps big profits from the "Kitty." Sampson has disappeared.

ren, and the aged must be slaughtered and no tree or house be left standing," contains his war crime point of view. "It is perfectly with in the competence of the peace conference to nominate an international court and require the surrender of the ex-Kaiser by Holland, not on the ground that he is a German general or author of the war, but because he violated laws and committed murder," adds the Mail. "For this he must be held liable in his own person."

The Daily Chronicle says: "In the long run no nation stands to gain more by the punishment of the guilty than the Germans, since it is in Germany that the moral prestige of their methods was and is most deeply rooted."

## CARLETON "GULPS" DOWN THE N. B. HEALTH ACT

### Didn't Take Very Kindly to It But Believed it a Special Duty to Swallow the Bitter Pill—Memorial for Fallen Heroes.

Special to The Standard.

Woodstock, Jan. 23.—Unlike Northumberland and Westfouche, Carleton swallowed the N. B. Health Act, but not without making a wry face. Coun. Fred W. Smith remarked that the only duty of county councils now seems to be to meet and pay bills contracted or forced upon them by the provincial government. Dr. Melvin explained that there are three health districts in the province, and Carleton is in the west division and is called Sub-Health District of Carleton County. The old health board retired, the board of health for this county consists of five members, Dr. Connors and Dr. Field were appointed by the government, and Dr. L. B. Curtis of Hartland, John A. Lindsay of Woodstock and Warden W. E. Fleming were appointed by the county council. The council voted \$2,000, estimated expenditure for the year, as recommended by the board, which organized with Temporary Chairman Dr. I. B. Curtis, and John A. Lindsay, temporary secretary. The council expects to adjourn tomorrow.

This afternoon a delegation waited upon the council and presented a largely signed petition asking the county council to co-operate with the town council to arrange for a suitable memorial to the Carleton County boys who have fallen overseas. The following spoke in favor of the memorial, George Baldwin, Mayor, Thos. H. Nodden, Col. Dibble, and Messrs. Baird, Howard, Wiggins and Hazel. After some discussion by the councillors the following resolution was appointed to go into the subject fully at report at the June session: Couns. H. D. Stevens, G. W. Percy and W. D. Keith.

## WOMAN BURNED TO DEATH

### While Lighting Fire, Dress Caught from Spark—Received Horrible Burns Resulting in Death.

New Glasgow, Jan. 23.—A horrible fatality occurred yesterday when Mrs. Bernard McIsaac was burned to death in her home in Trenton road. It seems that the victim of the awful tragedy was in the act of lighting a fire in the dining room stove when a spark from the stove caught her apron. The unfortunate woman did not notice it until her dress was practically in flames. She immediately ran up stairs for help, but the family, who live upstairs, were powerless to render assistance. She was taken down and out on the veranda. By this time her clothing was a mass of flames, a teamster who was passing at the time, saw the affair and grasping a horse rug from his team rushed and threw it around the woman in an effort to smother the blaze. He succeeded in doing so, but before the poor woman was so badly burned that she died shortly after midnight. Dr. Bell was summoned to do all in his power to save her life.

The deceased leaves to mourn a husband and one little child. The family formerly belonged to Charlottetown, having come to New Glasgow about a year and a half ago. The sad affair has cast a gloom over the whole community where the deceased was held in high esteem. The remains will be forwarded to Charlottetown for burial.

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## HOLLAND HELD TEUTON TREASURES, WHY SHE ESCAPED BELGIUM'S FATE

Amsterdam, Jan. 23.—Holland was not invaded like Belgium because it had been made a repository for private funds of both the Kaiser and the Austrian Emperor, the Haagschepost revealed today. The newspaper said that \$5,000,000 of Wilhelm's and \$25,000,000 of Franz Joseph's were transferred from London to Dutch banks in July, 1914, at the request of the Kaiser. The transfer, as made by Prince Adolf of Schaumburg-Lippe, the Kaiser's late brother-in-law, who returned from London on July 17, 1914, in time for the Kaiser to prepare to attack France and Belgium.

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## REAL GOVERNMENT OF GERMANY IS IN WORKERS' COUNCIL, AND CONSTITUTES BIG PROBLEM

### Their Future Activity One of the Many Serious Questions Now Confronting Present Leaders—Their Problem is Mainly That of the Future of the Workmen's Organizations—Tact and Courage Will be Needed to Deal With the Problem.

(By J. C. Segura.)  
Special Cable to Standard and New York Tribune.  
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Munich, Jan. 20.—(Delayed)—The future of the workmen's, soldiers' and peasants' councils in Germany constitutes one of the many serious problems confronting the German authorities. Demobilization meant the dissolution of many soldiers' councils, and as there are few peasant councils so far constituted, they mainly concern themselves with purely agricultural matters. The problem is really that of the future of the workmen's organizations.

The central provisional government and the various state governments have wisely concluded to leave the solution of the question to the regularly constituted governments which doubtless will be formed as a result of the national assembly elections. Tact and a certain amount of courage will be needed by any government which attempts to deal with the problem. It is easy to understand why the workers' councils are preparing to resist not only their dissolution, which probably will not be attempted, but even any curtailment of their powers and authority.

## REGULATIONS OF GERMANY.

The workers' councils are the real governors of Germany. The regulations which govern their constitution certainly declare that they are not in practice they are all-powerful. In Berlin the present majority Socialist government could not exist one hour without the authority and support of the Central Committee of Workers' Councils, and in the confederated states the councils themselves possess powers and influence equally great. I do not think any government, whether Socialist or Bourgeois, which is likely to be selected by the National Assembly, will dare try to dissolve the workers' councils. Any such attempt, besides irritating the rank and file of the moderate workmen, will provide the extremists with an excuse for disorder, which they will exploit to the fullest possible extent. The utmost any new government can hope to do in this matter will be to lessen the powers and curtail the activities of these councils.

Their Proper Functions.  
Professor Jassy, the Socialist Min-

ister of Finance in Bavaria, is one of many with whom I have discussed this thorny problem. He thinks the workers' councils might usefully fill the functions of a subsidiary industrial parliament, and measures directly affecting the working classes, he thinks, might be submitted to the councils. He suggests that if any measure, before being submitted to parliament, be rejected by the workers' council, such action would mean dropping the measure by the government.

Less advanced politicians hope these organizations may limit themselves to matters of purely "traditional character." Every one realizes that, for good or evil, the workers' councils will continue to exist in Germany. Modelled along the Russian lines, their constitution has been modified to suit German needs. First the members "elected" themselves, but some protests on the subject having been raised, genuine elections have since taken place.

During my stay here and in Berlin I have attended meetings of various councils. The same paradox which strikes the observer in Germany as a whole is generally observable at these meetings, namely, the moderate people predominate and the extremists dominate.

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Among the regulations governing the constitution of these organizations is to be mentioned the following: The object of the workers' councils is to induce the masses of the proletariat to take an active part in politics; the workmen's council meetings should not imitate the parliamentary tricks and affectations of the bourgeoisie, but should work seriously for the common interest; at these meetings free expression must be allowed to the wishes, aspirations and aims of the working classes; together with the soldier and peasant councils, the workers' councils should lay the foundation of the new economic system and develop a new Socialist and democratic spirit; the workers' councils must occupy themselves seriously with the combating of the hoarding of foodstuffs and illicit trading; they have no executive authority but the right to place their claims before the state and municipal authorities.

The members of the councils, when attending these meetings, are paid 10 marks daily for loss of time and expenditures, which amounts to about 2,500,000 marks yearly in Bavaria. This, however, has been much criticized.

## BOLD ROBBERY OF FOX PELTS

### Pelts to the Value of \$4,500 Stolen from Salisbury Black Fox and Fur Co's Ranch.

Special to The Standard.  
Moncton, N.B., Jan. 23.—Chief of Police Rideout received a telephone message tonight from Salisbury to the effect that a bold robbery of fox pelts to the value of \$4,500, had been accomplished between six and eight o'clock this evening. Fifteen pelts valued at \$300 each were stolen from the Salisbury Black Fox and Fur Co. ranch, located in Albert County, across the river from Salisbury. Not only did the robbers steal the pelts, but attempted to set fire to the ranch building where the furs were stored. Thirty-three pelts were left behind by the thief or thieves. The caretaker, Mr. Horace Mitton, was at supper, only a few hundred yards away, at the time the robbery occurred, and returned in time to put the fire out and save the remaining pelts. The footprints of two men were discovered in the snow leading away from the building. Police are notified, and a close watch is being kept for the robbers.

## MEGANTIC NOW ON HER WAY

### Will Dock at Halifax About Jan. 30 With 1,015 Persons on Board.

Ottawa, Jan. 23.—The militia department has received word that the steamer Megantic is now on her way across the Atlantic with 1,015 persons on board, of whom 383 are soldiers and 632 civilians. It is expected that the Megantic will arrive at Halifax on or about January 30.

## STORMING REBELS FROM AIRPLANES

Mexico City, Jan. 23.—General Candido Aguilar, chief of military operations in the Gulf region, is using airplanes with success in his campaign against the rebels, especially in the state of Vera Cruz. Not only are the aviators doing valuable reconnaissance work, but one recently dropped bombs on a party of bandits who believed themselves safely concealed on the top of a mountain near Orizaba.

## LONDON DIPLOMATS PUT FAITH IN REPORTED MONARCHIAL TRIUMPH

### Monarchist Party Has Been Rapidly Gaining Ground in Portugal, and Have Always Possessed the Advantage of Fighting for a Single Cause, While Republicans Contain as Many Policies as Adherents.

BY F. A. WRAY.  
(Special Cable to the N. Y. Tribune and the St. John Standard.)  
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London, Jan. 21.—Among diplomats here there seems a tendency and a readiness to put faith in the reported triumph of the monarchists in Portugal, despite the lack of official knowledge that the monarchists have been rapidly gaining ground in the past few months. They have always possessed the advantage of fighting for a single cause while the Republican party contains almost as many policies as adherents. Concello, who on his English mo-

ther's side has a reputation for ability, is unlikely to strike until assured of success, according to his mother's friends here.

King Manuel, with his secretary, was missing from his house in Paluel Park, Richmond, today. Members of his suite refused to disclose his whereabouts, saying that he was away for several days, and expressing the belief that he would gladly return to Portugal in response to a united call. If he goes, his departure will cause no particular concern here, where the monarchist is not particularly popular, and where no colony of royal followers ever arouses the slightest enthusiasm.



### ITALY'S CLAIMS TO DALMATIA AND CONTROL OF THE ADRIATIC MAINTAINED BY SIGNOR CRISPI

#### Food Administrator in Rome Tells the Herald That Italy Has the Right to Eastern Coast in Order to Protect Her Shore, Exposed to the Sea.

Rome, Jan. 23.—Today two of the highest officials of the Italian government gave me the official theories supporting Italy's claims for permanent possession of Itria and Dalmatia and described clearly the Italian programme for the national future.

At the Food Ministry I met Signor Silvio Crispi, Food and Transportation Administrator. His position here is similar to those of both Mr. Hoover and Mr. Hines in the United States. In private life he is an important manufacturer. He is aiding the government in the war emergency. Indeed, he is of the type of the new, progressive Italy, and he is mixing modern business methods with politics with high success.

Later I talked with Signor Luigi Borrelli, Under Secretary of Foreign Affairs, who may be said to be in charge of the Foreign Office when the Foreign Minister is away.

Signor Crispi declared to me that Italy's shipping losses were, proportionately, higher than those of any other nation during the war and amounted to sixty-two per cent. of the total and worth hundreds of millions of dollars.

"That great sacrifice—no that Italy can ill afford—teaches us a powerful lesson," he said. "Bear in mind, we had throughout the war support from the British, the French and the American navies. Their assistance was considerable, and yet with it all we never even controlled the Adriatic. The Austrians were free to sink our ships and to raid our coasts, while we, with more naval aid than we can expect in the future, were unable to stop them."

#### Must Control Adriatic.

"Disregarding every other favorable argument, this fact alone shows we have the absolute right, from the standpoint of our national existence, to control of the Adriatic. It has been suggested that we take Avlona across the Adriatic, with Brindisi on the heel of Italy's boot, should form an effective pair of bases to choke the upper Adriatic.

"I will answer that with the plain statement that during the war we did control these points and even tried to seal the sea and other protective devices against the submarine, and yet enemy sinkings and depredations on our coasts continued, even though we had allied naval backing and the lower Adriatic blocked as effectively as a man could blockade it. Still, we could not destroy the Austrian fleet.

"Our war will not be won until we hold what constitutes in other hands an insurmountable barrier against us."

Signor Crispi emphasized the moral effect such possession would have on the Balkan situation. He declared the Balkans caused this war and easily could cause another. Italy, he added, intended fortifying herself against it. Every Italian, Signor Crispi said, held American ideals as his own, and Americans must know and believe that Italy is not imperialistic, and some persons profess to believe she is. He asserted that Italians only want their brothers back under their national flag, and then they would reduce their army to as small numbers as possible.

Signor Crispi announced the organization of an Italian-American Club, which will have offices in the Palazzo Salviati here, and which will be the Italian counterpart of the Hughes organization in New York city. Every economic, agricultural, scientific and commercial body which is promoting relations or business between the two nations will be represented in it. Also there will be a centralizing agency for mutual inter-relationships.

He said that Italy's greatest need of outside help at this time concerns shipping. The government, he continued, has arranged for \$1,000,000,000 backing for ports, ships, roads and general transportation improvements. Just now the nation will aid shipbuilders. However, whatever is ultimately decided upon in working out this program, the help of America and England is essential, he said. According to Signor Crispi, American ships can be built more cheaply than Italian.

Italy Needs Wheat and Meat. Referring to the food situation, he said Italy needs frozen meats and wheat. The war depleted the stock of 4,800,000 head of cattle by 2,000,000 of the largest and best. He added that he was trying to overcome the shortage by economizing and expected success within two years. He is restricting the killing of calves and is limiting the consumption of meat to four meals a week.

Signor Crispi discussed at length Italy's water power and fuel questions. One of the most important points he made was that with each forward step in harnessing the mountain power Italy's coal problem was eased. He asserted that the power generated was available not only as a driving but also as a heating force, and that coal, while badly needed, was not so vital as was sometimes represented. He cited the fact that coal production figures have been stationary for ten years, while in that time industries have doubled. He said the northern potential power amounted to 5,000,000 horse power, with only 1,250,000 horse power developed. The government grants concessions for the development of power at the extremely low tax of \$1 for each horse power. It is marketable at \$200 a horse power. However, after fifty years the property reverts to the government.

Signor Crispi said that a highly interesting arrangement practically has been perfected for absorbing army labor and handling women workers. Italy now is enlarging her long famous intensified agricultural program and with her reduced territory she will have even more field for that work. The program will place most of the women who have been in the factories during the war on the farms while the men leaving the army will

### COL. LAWRENCE REMARKABLE MAN

#### Gave Wonderful Service to the Arab Cause and Was Singled Out for Honors.

London, Jan. 22.—Colonel T. E. Lawrence of the British army, who recently arrived in London with a son of the Sheriff of Mecca to give information concerning the Arab aspirations for independence, is characterized by some London newspapers as "one of the most remarkable men produced by the war."

A fair-haired young Englishman of 23, smallish of stature, Colonel Lawrence gave such services to the Arab cause that he was treated as a sheriff and given the additional rank of colonel which is equivalent to that of prince. No other European or Christian, according to the London Daily Mail, has ever received such a distinction at the hands of the royal family which is the senior descendant of Mohammed.

Before the war Colonel Lawrence was a student of history at Oxford. As he was able to speak two Arabian dialects, he was sent by the war office in 1911 to do intelligence work in Egypt. Later he was assigned to aid in the negotiations with the King of the Hedjaz who revolted against the Turks at Medina in June, 1916, afterward joining the Sheriff's military service. He adopted the full Arab kit of flowing robes, headpiece and golden dagger.

With Sheriff Faisal, he planned the blowing up of troops and munition trains on the Hedjaz Hills, and a successful war were their operations that the Turks put a price on their heads of \$5,000 each of taken alive, and \$15,000 dead.

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### TRIBUTE TO MR. ROOSEVELT BY SECRETARY LANE INCLUDED IN REPORT ON PENSION BILL.

#### "The Idylls, Sagas and Illiads Have Been Woven About Men of His Mould, and We May Expect to See Developed a Roosevelt Legend," He Wrote.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 22.—A tribute to Theodore Roosevelt by Secretary Lane was adopted by the House Pensions Committee today as a part of its favorable report on a bill, which already had been passed by the Senate, granting an annual pension of \$5,000 to Mrs. Roosevelt. Secretary Lane wrote the committee that congress had set precedents by granting pensions to the widows of Presidents Polk, Tyler, Lincoln, Grant, Garfield and McKinley.

The committee, unanimously voting a favorable report, declared the Secretary's letter constituted "one of the most beautiful, fair and just tributes to Mr. Roosevelt's life and character it follows:

"The impress that Theodore Roosevelt's personality has made upon the world does not need emphasis. What ever his fame as a statesman, it can never outrun his fame as a man. However widely men may differ from him

a great troop train which contained Djamaal Pasha, commander in chief of the Turkish army, and his staff. For this Colonel Lawrence lay in wait for nearly three days and nights.

Several trains were permitted to pass in safety. Then came the big one and Colonel Lawrence pressed a button that set off a mine. The two

in matters of national policy, this thing men in their hearts would all wish—that their sons might have within them the spirit, the will, the strength, the manliness, the Americanism of Roosevelt. He was made of that rugged and heroic stuff with which legend delights to play. The Idylls and Sagas and the Illiads have been woven about men of his mould. We may surely expect to see developed a Roosevelt legend, a body of tales that will exalt the physical power and endurance of the man and the boldness of his spirit, his robust capacity for blunt speech and his hearty comradeship, his live interest in all things living—these will make our boys for the long future proud that they are of his race and his country. And no surer fame than this can come to any man—to live in the hearts of the boys of his land as one whose doings and sayings they would wish to make their own.

huge engines were toppled into a ravine and the train was wrecked. Djamaal Pasha's car near the end was derailed, and the commander in chief was launched into space. Uninjured, he picked himself up from the sand and fled for his life, tearing off as he ran his medals, decorations and epaulettes. They were found later and given to Colonel Lawrence.



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### THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Strong winds or gales, southeast shifting to west; mild with rain, clearing and turning colder during the night.

Washington, Jan. 23.—Northern New England: Snow or rain Friday; colder Friday night; Saturday probably fair. Strong east, shifting to west winds, probably reaching gale force.

Toronto, Jan. 23.—A moderate disturbance is centred tonight over the Ottawa Valley and another is developing on the middle Atlantic coast. Rain has fallen today in nearly all parts of Ontario and in Western Quebec, and snow in Central and Eastern Quebec. In the western provinces the weather has been fair and mild.

California. The players will leave here March 20th.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 23.—At a meeting of the directors of the St. Louis National League club Saturday a decision will be made as to offering the club for sale at auction.

About the Boxers.

The Leonard Dundee bout in Newark Monday night drew \$25,000. Leonard got \$3,570 and Dundee \$6,080.

Kid Norfolk will take on Jeff Clarke at Syracuse, Feb. 10.

Jeff Smith and Johnny Howard will clash again Feb. 3 at Jersey City.

Levinson and Coffey will box in Philadelphia Feb. 10.

Billy Roche, who is in France as a K. of C. secretary, has got himself a bad with the English sports for the UBI he makes for the American boxers who competed and were defeated in the recent Allied tournament.

Tex Rickard is casting longing eyes at Illinois, which State, he thinks, will pass a law allowing boxing to a decision in Chicago.

Jack Britton and Al Doty are slated for a clash at Canton, Ohio, Feb. 3.

Britain expects to meet Benny Leonard at Denver Feb. 22.

Frankie Britt will box Matt Brock at Minneapolis, Feb. 4. He will also meet Willie Jackson at Philadelphia next Monday night.

Coombs Got Busy.

Philadelphia, Jan. 23.—After signing a one-year contract to manage the Phillies today Jack Coombs did not let his rust accumulate in his actions toward building up a team for the 1919 season race.

At a dinner to newspaper men tonight, he announced that he had traded the third baseman Milton Stock, catcher "Pickles" Dilhoester and pitcher Dixie Davis to the St. Louis Cardinals for the baseman Douglas Baird, infielder J. S. Stewart and pitcher Eugene Packard.

Coombs said it was an even-up deal with any cash changing hands. Coombs also announced that he had arranged a five-game series with the Athletics, the first game to be played at the Phil's grounds, April 16.

### CITIZEN COMM. HARD AT WORK

Endeavoring to Form Some Plan to Conduct City Affairs Amicably at Halifax.

Halifax, Jan. 23.—The citizens' committee, appointed at a recent public meeting to select a committee of one hundred to look into the whole civic situation and report, is at work. As an evidence of the interest being taken by the eighteen men selected to represent the six different wards, sixteen attended the initial meeting.

### NOTICE OF MEETING

A Special General Meeting of the shareholders of the Prince William Apartments Limited will be held in the office of the undersigned, No 39 Princess Street, City, on Friday, Jan. 25, at 4 p.m. for the purpose of considering and ratifying an agreement and lease of the Prince William hotel and the conditions therein contained.

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AMERICAN'S VIEW OF IRELAND

Says They Do Not Want Home Rule and Are Not Entitled to it.

"No one in Ireland wants Home Rule." This is the startling assertion made by W. R. Moody in a despatch from London to the Springfield Republican.

The views that dominated Parnell and Redmond have disappeared as a political force just as the Nationalists as a political body have vanished.

Reactionary Sinn Feiners. Questioned as to their policy with regard to education, they offered a scheme that would give full control to the predominant religious sect.

Mr. Moody found that while the Sinn Feiners never wearied of harping on the theme of self-determination, they did not admit that the principle ought to apply to Ulster.

As to the charge that Ireland is oppressed, Mr. Moody records the fact that he and his party were in Dublin on the day the armistice was signed.

YOU may again buy Lantic Sugar in the larger original packages, the 10, 20 and 100-lb. sacks, as well as in the 2 and 5-lb. cartons.

ALL ENGLAND IS DANCE CRAZY, AND OVER AMERICAN JAZZ, TOO

Halls Are Rented for Weeks in Advance and Even Staid Business Concerns Give Balls in Reaction from Four Year Strain of War.

London, Jan. 23.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—The people of this country, who have for four years been either engaged in strenuous war work or worrying about the cost of living and whether their men folk would come back to them, have developed what amounts to a "dancing craze."

CALLS IT "STIGMA" IF HEARST HELPS GREET SOLDIERS

Richard M. Hurd Says Nation is Giving Strong Support to Citizens' Committee.

New York, Jan. 23.—That the objection to the presence of William R. Hearst on the Mayor's committee of welcome to returning soldiers, seamen and marines is national in scope and an intolerable stigma on New York, was the declaration of Richard H. Hurd, chairman of the Committee of Arrangements of the Citizens' Committee of Welcome, in a statement issued last night.

The committee announced last night that the Rev. Nehemiah Boynton and Montagu Donner, president of the Finland Constitutional League, have been added to the list of speakers at the mass meeting to be held at Madison Square Garden tomorrow night to welcome homecoming troops.

At a special meeting of the Council of the Society of Pennsylvania Women in New York at the residence of the president, Mrs. Joshua A. Hatfield, No. 45 West 85th street, it was resolved that the council "deeply deplores the appointment by the Mayor of New York as chairman of the committee to welcome the homecoming of our brave soldiers and seamen of William R. Hearst, who has been most unpatriotic and has shown himself wholly unworthy of so honorable a position."

It was further resolved that the Mayor be requested to "recall said appointment and to appoint instead of said William R. Hearst some man of unquestionable patriotism and loyalty to our government and institutions."

Wives and mothers of returning soldiers and seamen will witness land parades from sheltered seats in the windows of Fifth Avenue merchants, according to Otto B. Shulhof, chairman of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Relatives Committee of the Mayor's Committee of Welcome. Several thousand seats have been contributed to the committee through the courtesy of the Fifth Avenue Association.

The Mayors of New York, State cities were notified yesterday that every facility of the Mayor's Welcome committee was at their disposal, and families of men in the service, who expected to visit New York for land parades were requested to communicate with Mr. Shulhof at the committee's headquarters in the Hall of Records.

The fund being raised to provide a fitting welcome for returning Brooklyn soldiers, seamen and marines by a committee with Edward Riegelmann, Borough President at its head, yesterday crosses the \$20,000 mark.

NURSES ADVISE

Zam-Buk, because they have proved that it does what is claimed for it. Miss E. L. Doxey, graduate nurse, of 2229 Michigan Ave., Chicago, says: "I have a patient who suffered terribly with piles. Zam-Buk is the only remedy that gave her relief."

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TRAINING SCHOOL FOR NURSES. The Symmes Arlington Hospital, Arlington, Mass. Spring Term opens February 1st. Applicants must be from 18 to 35 years of age, of good health and must have the equivalent of a high school education.

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GERMAN MONEY HELPED IN STRIKE

Boat Owners' Counsel Refuses to Give Names. New York, Jan. 23.—Hints at an effort to prove that the recent strike of New York Harbor boat workers was financed in part by "money received from German sources" were interjected into the hearing today before the sub-section of the War Labor Board delegated to take testimony concerning the controversy by Paul Bonynge, counsel for the boat owners.

Denies Friction in Brooklyn. Discussing reports that he had criticized the Borough President, Mr. Jones said: "I would consider it discourteous on my part as I am serving as chairman under appointment from the Borough President and if friction should develop, I should prefer to resign in order that he might have a free hand, for after all, he is the leader in this movement."

Mr. Bonynge replied that he expected "to try the case in my own way" and added that he would "take the matter up when I come to it."

Mr. Walsh then asked that the names be given in confidence to the War Labor Board, but this suggestion also was refused by Mr. Bonynge.

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Washington, Jan. 23.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press).—Officials at Washington believe that the enforcement of the prohibition law will be a task of no small magnitude.

These officials who have given special study to the problem growing out of prohibition anticipate that in the early part of the prohibition period more violations will be committed than in the past.

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During the great German advance last spring part of the British line front of a famous French town was cut off by severe enemy barrage.

Another dog with a message ran nearly four miles in twenty minutes and still another in the same time carried back from the front a message of an important captured position.

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Washington, Jan. 22.—Means of enforcing prohibition after July 1 are under consideration by officials of the department of justice and the internal revenue bureau, but steps to create a special enforcement agency will not be taken until Congress has had time to act on pending legislation giving this function to the revenue bureau.

This bureau now has about 600 agents who could be assigned to liquor or violating detection, including 300 now engaged in the revenue bureau's down hill liquor distillation. Officials believe, however, that this force will have to be enlarged by several times to effectively maintain the prohibition.

The department of justice also stands ready to assign many of its secret agents to prohibition enforcement if this is deemed necessary. Even with an augmented government force devoting its entire efforts to preventing manufacture and sale of liquor, however, officials declare the bulk of enforcement work will fall on state and local police authorities.

Federal agents will operate only in those districts where the local officers seem unable or unwilling to enforce the law properly. Officials say that the fact that the prohibition measure is a federal act might be interpreted in some states which never have had a referendum on prohibition as throwing the burden of enforcement on federal officers.

These officials who have given special study to prospective problems growing out of prohibition anticipate that in the early part of the prohibition period more violations will be attempted through the selling of liquor made before prohibition became effective than through the clandestine making of whiskey. Bootlegging must be dealt with mainly by local agents.

Local and federal agents will probably pay more attention to "moonshining" in the detection of which internal revenue agents are trained. Revenue agents say already there are indications of preparing for the approach of the dry era among those who propose to manufacture liquor illegally after July 1.

Not only in the southern mountains, the principal operating regions of "moonshiners," but in large cities of the east and middle west small stills have been found recently. Owners of some of these are said to have admitted their intention of putting them in operation after prohibition becomes effective.

The advent of prohibition, officials say, will not repeal revenue laws applying taxes on spirits or locally existing provisions for fines and imprisonment as penalties for illicitly making liquor.

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After a thorough training in England, the dogs were sent to France, and on the battlefields their skill, courage and tenacity amazed the army. Often wounded in the performance of their duties, they never faltered, while strength remained to carry on. The official record of their heroic work tells of successful message-carrying through darkness, mist, rain and shell-fire over the most difficult ground.

In a few minutes' time dogs have brought messages over ground that would take a runner hours to cross. During the great German advance last spring part of the British line in front of a famous French town was cut off by severe enemy barrage. A messenger dog was released with an urgent appeal for reinforcements. It ran two miles in ten minutes. The result was that a French colonial division was sent up and prevented a disaster. The messenger was a Highland sheep dog.

Another dog with a message ran nearly four miles in twenty minutes, and still another in the same time carried back from the front a map of an important captured position, when a man would have taken an hour and a half to bring it in.

DRY LAW STRIKES AT LIBERTY, SAYS CARDINAL GIBBONS

Foresees Illicit Traffic in Bad Liquor Supplanting Lawful Regulation.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 23.—Cardinal Gibbons in a statement today presented a strong argument against prohibition, advocating instead strict regulations to govern the manufacture and sale of liquor.

"I have always been in favor of strict regulation of the manufacture and sale of liquor," said Cardinal Gibbons, "instead of absolute prohibition because by a strict regulation the liberty of individuals is preserved, whereas by prohibition we face legislation which in the long run cannot be corrected. And an early result of prohibition will be the secret and illicit manufacture and sale of bad liquor, whereby the government will be deprived of a large revenue, besides being put to enormous expense in the employment of agents to enforce the law. Moreover, in the carrying out of the law, I see also an invasion of the home, which up to now all men have agreed is a sacred and holy place. These agents may enter our homes with the violence of burglars and have the immunity of officers of the law.

"To me, it is very strange that, after 2,000 years, men should pass legislation which strikes at the very fundamentals of the Christian religion. Will not the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of wine affect those who profess the Christian religion? We have 20,000 Catholic clergymen in the United States who every day offer the sacrament of the mass. How can they perform this duty if they cannot obtain wine?"

"I know I will be replied to that wine is allowed for sacramental purposes. I cannot see how this will be if the manufacture and sale and importation of wine is prohibited. The law of prohibition strikes the individual liberty of worship. We permit the restricted sale of poisons, guns, etc., although the ban use of these is frequently fatal. Why not permit the use of wine and liquor under proper regulation?"

Spends His Time "BUCKING" WOOD Former German Emperor Devotes a Few Hours Each Day to the Manly Occupation.

Amerongen, Wednesday, Jan. 23.—(By the Associated Press)—Sawing wood continues to be the chief occupation of the former German Emperor, who spends several hours each morning and afternoon in the castle grounds, working hard, while several men servants respectfully hand him logs, and then pile the short sticks, for use later in the furnaces of the castle.

French Women Want to Vote Send Proclamation to Parliament Demanding the Franchise—Say Women's Rights Are Recognized in Enemy and Allied Countries.

Paris, Jan. 23.—The French League of Rights for Women has sent to the French Parliament a proclamation demanding that French women be given the franchise. The proclamation declares that the right of women to vote is recognized in enemy and allied countries and instances England and the United States.

Litvinoff Denies Bolshevist Plots Says Propaganda Has Been Carried on in Germany, But Not Elsewhere.

Stockholm, Tuesday, Jan. 21.—Maxim Litvinoff, former Bolshevik ambassador in London, admitted to the Associated Press on Tuesday that Bolshevist propaganda had been carried on in Germany, but denied any such activity in neutral or Entente countries.

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He declared that this feature is receiving deepest consideration, although no definite agreement has been reached. He said the League, if formed, would do away with all treaties inconsistent with its tenets, including compact providing for a balance of power.

Asked what effect the formation of a League of Nations would have upon the Monroe Doctrine, Lord Robert asserted he could see no conflict on that point. Hypothetical questions in case Mexico or a South American country did something that caused trouble with the League, Lord Robert replied:—"Then I think an arrangement could be made by which America could act in behalf of the League."

Drank Too Much Wood Alcohol Sussex Farmer and Lumberman Dies from the Effects.

Sussex, Jan. 23.—An inquest was held tonight in the city court room before Coroner F. W. Wallace, to inquire into the cause of the death of Newton W. Manning, who died here quite suddenly on Tuesday afternoon at his daughter's residence. The jury empanelled was as follows: C. H. Perry, James Lamb, Mel Scott, George H. White, Robert A. Johnson, Arthur Keith and Seth Jones.

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ADMIRAL BEATTY FIRST SEA LORD

London, Jan. 23.—Admiral Sir David Beatty, according to a despatch to the Westminster Gazette from Rosyth, will soon give up the command of the British grand fleet, and will come to London as First Sea Lord of the Admiralty.

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AS TOLD BY AN OLD RAILROAD ENGINEER

I was delayed at the little country station of Spruceville on the Maine and St. Lawrence R. R. 250 white wains for my train was very much amused by a yarn spun by an old engineer. An extra freight was waiting on a siding for an express long overdue, and there was no operator the conductor remarked: "We are in a pocket all right as No. 37 will soon be up, and the chances are we will have to wait for No. 4, also if we don't get out of here pretty soon."

"You must not think we were standing still during my maneuvers, far from it. "We were streaking down that grade like the dickens and I could tell by their trail of smoke when we reached the foot of the grade that we were pretty close to the hind end of No. 5. "From the foot of the grade there were two miles of level track to Onslow, most of it pretty straight. "I'd got to get control, I gave her right off quick or if I did not overtake No. 6 I'd pile into her when she came to a stop at the station. "If they saw me in time they would probably run out on to the main line and try to keep out of my way, taking chances of bumping into something on the main line. "I couldn't do a darn thing towards stopping the train with that bear in the cab, and as I had opened the fire door I concluded to try and smoke him out. I raced for the front end, took off my jumper and stepping on the headlight board, I unmanaged the screen ring on top of the stack, jammed a little of the jumper under it and snapped it down again, spread my jumper over the top of the stack and by the time I had reached the front of the cab once more, the smoke had done its work by that time, and was pouring out through the open furnace door, and the bear was clawing over the top of the tank once more."

"I don't know as they would have believed it then. "Well I would kind of like to know if you have no objections, how that bear got on your engine and then how he could start her? said the con giving me a wink. "That's easy when you come to think it over," Tip replied. "The bear must have been so near stopped, and following his nose, the scent led him up onto the freight platform and onto the engine. "Then when he rose up to stick his snout in my dinner pail, he probably curled one paw round the throttle, kind, fastened with a thumb screw, when he burned his snout on my hot and as it was one of the old fashioned grub, he naturally jumped back quick and in so doing he pulled the throttle open. Anything else you would like to know about it? Zeb asked. "What further remarks the con might wish to make were cut short by the arrival of the express. Zeb reached for the whistle lever, gave two short blasts, and opening the throttle pulled out, wearing a smile on his weather beaten mug that wouldn't come off. "We came to a stop right close to several piles of old sleepers tied up alongside the ditch, and about 10 feet below us as there was a slight hill along there. "I didn't have to have my engine to show the boys my gear. He was so wedged in between two piles of sleepers with his hind claws just sticking above the tops. "I wouldn't stir a step until we'd pulled those piles over, and yanked the bear out. "He was all in and had probably broken his neck when he was wedged into that tight place as he was going somewhere he fell off. "I waited until I got in and showed my bear to the station agent before I would tell my train crew the whole circumstances and if I hadn't fed 'em bear steaks for a week after that."

"Not so you'd notice it, but ever since I made a trip with a bear as an engine, I don't have any use for them," Tip replied. "Pass out something reasonable if you have to keep your mouth open, the con retorted. "This is reasonable enough as I can soon prove, if the express don't show up before I get a chance to tell you," Tip replied. "If it does, forget it," the con fired back. "You boys know that I put in about 15 years on Western roads, but what you don't know is that I had the reputation of being the only railroad man in Wisconsin who had killed a bear without either knife or gun. "Talked him to death," I suppose, the con interrupted. "Tip grinned and continued, alone in the late eighties I was running a freight up among the mountains on a branch of the A. and P. road, 35 miles long. Said the bear was from Onslow to Pinder. "I made a round trip per day and there were eight passenger trains so it was quite a lively branch. "We were on time at Saugie, did our switching, and then hauled on the siding for No. 6 to pass before loading our way freight. "As we had no time to eat at Pinder's, the fireboy ate his dinner while we were switching, then I would be in mine and usually had to finish it while coasting down the three mile hill between Smuze and Onslow. "No. 6 passed on time and I pulled ahead to spot the way-car at the freight platform, then the head-switch pulled the pin on three cars and I pulled over the crossing to let teams through while we were loading. "The engine was standing on the main line and directly abreast the light freight platform. "The fireboy had warmed my grub and soon as I had spotted the engine, I opened my pail to eat. I had roast partridge, but it was so darned hot I could not eat it just then, so I placed the pail in front of my seat box and set the cover one side for the grub to cool. Meantime the fireboy had gone back to chin the agent and I started out over the fireboy's running board to put on a new bell cord. "Had removed the old cord, and tied the new one on the bell. When I was started on hearing our front tier of wood fall down on the apron. I looked quickly to see what caused it, and came back along the running board, and when I heard a sneezing noise, and looking into the cab I was surprised to see a half grown bear. He was busy rubbing his nose and sneezing and was raised up on his haunches in close proximity to my grub pail. On the cab deck and apron was all our front tier of wood. "I was sort of confronted for a moment, as the bear in the cab, spotted the bear the engine began to move. She started right in to turn her wheels and by the time I had collected my wits we had tipped nearly half way down the slope of the three mile grade towards Enlow. "There I was on a runaway train with a bear in position in the cab, none of the crew on the three cars, tearing down grade behind a local passenger which would run only a moderate speed. If I did not get ditched on some curve, I was liable to crash into the rear of the local before we made Onslow. "Twas up to me to move. I began to search my think-box, to help me get an idea of what was best to be done, and pretty soon an idea popped into my head, which was to break the water-glass and scare the bear out of the cab. "I started for the cab roof mighty quick, pulled off my shoes and aimed at the water-glass but before I could throw it, the bear was in my way and before I could pull my arm back, he ripped it most off. Then I hiked for the other side, took a quick aim and fortunately hit the glass and amid a spurt of steam which quickly filled the cab, the bear hastily crawled over the wood onto the tank. "Down I got onto the running-board and, reaching in through the front window, closed the throttle. "Ideas were coming quick and fast. The automatic brake valve quickly shut off the steam and the bear started for me again and, reaching for the chair, I yanked the furnace door open and scrambled back onto the running-board. "Now you know those western wood burner stacks were made like a diamond stack, but quite a bit larger round and a good deal shorter. "My headlight was not mounted as my run was always in the daytime and being short of headlights they had borrowed it for another engine."

Had Hacking Cough Couldn't Sleep Nights.

Hacking coughs are very wearing on the system. The constant coughing disturbs the rest, and keeps the lungs and bronchial tubes in an irritated and inflamed condition. Don't neglect the hacking cough. You can get rid of it with a few doses of Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; the most prompt, pleasant and perfect cough remedy known. Miss Catherine M. McLean, Craik, Sask., writes: "Last winter I caught a heavy cold and was laid up for some time. I had such a hacking cough I couldn't sleep at night. I didn't think I would get over it. One day a friend dropped in to see me and was surprised to see how bad my cough was. She advised me to try Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. The next day I sent for a bottle, and I soon got relief, and by the time I had taken two bottles, my cough was all gone, and now I am able to do my work again. I don't think there is anything to equal it." There are plenty of "pine" preparations on the market trying to live on the reputation of "Dr. Wood's." The genuine is put up in a yellow wrapper, three pine trees the trade mark, price, 50c a bottle. Put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

COUNT KAROLYI TALKS HUNGARY

Declares it Would be a Mistake to Take Territory from That Country as it Was Before the War. Budapest, Wednesday, Jan. 22.—Count Karolyi, the president of Hungary, declared today that the maintenance of the territorial integrity of Hungary is essential to a European peace. "France and England," the Count said, "ought to prevent the realization of Mittel Europe, but, if they continue to act as they have been doing since the armistice, they are going to aid the reconstruction of this Mittel Europa." Count Karolyi declared it was a mistake to take territory from Hungary, as it was before the war, and give it to new states, "for we can perfectly well give these people, whom it is sought to detach from us, autonomy which will make them ethical entities similar to the Swiss cantons."

FUNERALS

The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Cook took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 29 Cranston Ave. Services were conducted by Rev. M. Thompson, and interment was made in Fernhill cemetery. The funeral of Mrs. Charlotte E. Bender took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 149 Canterbury street. Services were conducted by Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, and interment was made in Fernhill cemetery. The funeral of Mrs. Russell M. Watson took place yesterday afternoon from her late residence, 149 Canterbury street. Services were conducted by Rev. J. H. Jenner, and interment was made in Fernhill cemetery.

HOUSEMAIDS FORMED UNION

Sydney, N.S., Jan. 21.—Local housemaids formed a union last night with the ultimate objective of having their wages increased from twelve to twenty dollars a month and more. Eight form the nucleus of the union.

NO CONSTIPATION NO PILES. We think, without a doubt, that constipation is the most prevalent, and at the same time, one of the greatest troubles human nature is afflicted with, and causes more sickness than anything else. Unless a free action of the bowels occurs at least once a day, constipation is sure to ensue, then comes the sore and uncomfortable piles, sick and bilious headaches, coated tongue, obstinate breath, sour stomach, heartburn, water brash, and many other ailments. Milburn's Lax-Liver Pills will regulate the flow of bile to act properly on the bowels, thus removing the constipation and its allied troubles. Mr. Dan Doucette, Del River Crossing, N.B., writes: "Having been troubled for years with constipation and trying everything I knew of, a friend advised me to use Milburn's Lax-Liver Pills. I used four vials and am completely cured. I can gladly recommend them to anyone who suffers from constipation." Milburn's Lax-Liver Pills have been on the market for the past 25 years, and have been used with the best results by thousands of people in that time, and we have yet to hear of a complaint as to their curative powers. Price 25c a vial at all dealers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

GET RID OF THAT FAT Free Trial Treatment on Request Ask also for my "pay-when-reduced" offer. My treatment has often reduced at the rate of a pound a day. No dieting, no exercise, absolutely safe and sure method. Mrs. E. Bateman writes: "Have taken your treatment and it is wonderful how it reduces. It does just as you say. I have reduced a pound a day and feel fine. Mrs. Anna Schmidt writes:—I weighed 178 pounds before I started your treatment and I now weigh 138 pounds. You may print this if you like. These are just examples of what my treatment can accomplish. Let me send you more proof at my expense. DR. R. NEWMAN, Licensed Physician 29 Fifth Avenue, New York, Desk 6411."

Soldiers Home Coming Campaign

As the Boys Come Home



YOU will meet your soldier boy and what a glorious time you and he will have. You will kill the proverbial "fatted calf" and make merry. You will see that he is comfortable until he settles down again into civilian life.

But what of the men who arrive at the same time with NO friend to greet them, no home to welcome them, no job to turn to? There's a problem you must face--or let the Salvation Army face it for you.

SALVATION ARMY MILLION DOLLAR FUND THIS WEEK

The Salvation Army fills the breach here at home, just as it did, and still does, over there! It holds out open arms to the soldiers, welcomes them, feeds them, furnishes clean beds and hot baths, comforts for body and soul, and stands by a man and his family until he is on his feet. Apart from all obvious considerations of gratitude, it will pay us in dollars and cents to let the soldiers see we are standing firmly by them. To desert our men now the excitement of war is passed, would be to earn their just reproaches. Look at this appeal from all sides; ask any returned man about the work of the Salvation Army. Then help to make this campaign the success it deserves to be.

Canada must solve the problem of repatriating her soldier sons who have done their part so valiantly. "They loved not their lives to the death" Who provides beds and meals for soldiers close to Railway Stations? Who mended the soldiers' clothes over there? Who entertained hundreds of thousands of soldiers and sailors daily at the Home? Who helped to keep the soldiers' homes intact? Who keeps in touch with the Homecoming soldier? Who provides the Emergency Homes and the Maternity Homes? Who has cared for thousands of war widows? Shall their work stop for lack of funds?

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GRAND MANAN S.S. CO. CHANGING OF TIME. Commencing October 1st and until further notice, steamer will sail as follows: Leave Grand Manan Mondays, 7.30 a.m., for St. John via Eastport, Campbell and Wilson's Beach. Returning, leave Turnbull's Wharf, St. John, Wednesdays, 7.40 a.m., for Grand Manan via Wilson's Beach, Campbell and Eastport. Leave Grand Manan Thursdays at 7.30 a.m., for St. Stephen, via Campbell, Eastport, Cumming's Cove and St. Andrews. Returning, leave St. Stephen Fridays at 7.00 a.m. (tide and ice permitting), for Grand Manan, via St. Andrews, Cumming's Cove, Eastport and Campbell. Leave Grand Manan Saturdays at 7.30 a.m., for St. Andrews, via Campbell, Eastport and Cumming's Cove, returning same day at 1.00 p.m. for Grand Manan via same ports. SCOTT D. GUPTILL, Manager.

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PALE FACES Generally indicate a lack of iron in the blood. Carter's Iron Pills Will help this condition.

WOMAN SO ILL COULD NOT WALK Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Restored Her to Health.

Perth Amboy, N.J.—"For three years I suffered with a severe female trouble, was nervous, had backache and a pain in my side most of the time. I had dizzy spells and was often so faint I could not walk across the street. The doctor said I would have to have an operation. I read a notice of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in my newspaper, and I tried it. Now I am better, feel strong, have no pains, backache or dizzy spells. Every one tells me how well I look, and I tell them to use Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound—that is what makes me feel well and look well. I recommend it to my sister and she is using it now. You can use this letter if you wish, for it is certainly a grand remedy for a woman's troubles."—Mrs. MARTHA STANISLAWSKI, 624 Penn St., Perth Amboy, N.J.

Let Nature Clear Your Blood. With pure, rich blood—a healthy stomach—and an active liver—you may laugh at disease, and you may have all three by taking Dr. Wilson's HERBINE BITTERS. This splendid blood medicine—made of old fashioned herbs—gives the system a regular "spring house-cleaning"—regulates liver and bowels—cleanses the blood of all poisonous matter—tones up the nerves—and gives strength, vigor and a feeling of good cheer to the whole system. At most stores, 25c a bottle; Family size, five times as large, \$1. The Brayley Drug Company, Limited, St. John, N.B.

Alkali in Shampoos Bad For the Hair. If you want to keep your hair looking its best, be careful what you wash it with. Don't use prepared shampoos or anything else, that contains too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it. The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than anything else you can use. One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage. You can get mulsified coconut oil at any pharmacy. It's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

# FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN

## Y. W. P. A. HELD ANNUAL MEETING LAST EVENING

Miss Jessie Church Re-elected President—Secretary's Report Most Encouraging—Commission on Victory Bond Sales \$1,615.68.

A year of splendid achievement was recorded in the reports read before members of the Y. W. P. A. at their third annual meeting held last evening in the G. W. V. A. rooms.

The secretary's annual report was in part as follows:—Eighteen regular meetings, one special and eighteen executive meetings have been held during the year.

Through the ushering at the Imperial Theatre we earned \$44.50. On March 15th last the cartoon at the Seaman's Institute was undertaken and carried on successfully ever since, with the exception of the summer months.

Twenty-six girls picked on an average of ten hours a day and saved the total amounting to over \$200 boxes, \$35 was earned by this.

Members acted as gravel checkers on the Rothesay Road, earning \$84 for the Y. W. P. A.

A subscription campaign for a local Why Be So Fat advertisement.

PUT CREAM IN NOSE AND STOP CATARRH. Tells How To Open Clogged Nostrils and End Head-Colds.

You feel fine in a few moments. Your cold in head or sinuses will be gone. Your clogged nostrils will be open.

Safe Home Treatment for Objectionable Hairs. (Boudoir Secrets) The electric needle is not required for the removal of hair or fuzz.

BRINGING UP FATHER. Uncle Ben will be here today and I want you to take him around you have provided being home every time he has called but you'll not get out of it this time.

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\$100—Wool for socks.

MADELEINE G. DE SOYRES, Secretary.

Balance on hand \$1,999.63

Members of the executive—Misses Helen Church, Compton, Sheldon, E. Climo, G. Fleming, A. L. Brock, M. Dixon, H. Boyer, E. Keefe, G. Kilian.

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## C. OF E. LADIES' ASSOCIATION HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

Mrs. A. W. Daniel of Rothesay Elected Vice President—Reports Show Much Accomplished During the Past Year.

A hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. James H. McAvity for her untiring efforts as vice-president of the Ladies' Association of the Church of England.

The activities of the past year were told in detail by the reports of the committees.

For Mrs. John Gordon, convener of the hospital visiting committee; Mrs. C. Regan read a report stating that 239 visits had been paid at the hospital.

Supreme Court resumed sitting.

Connell and Kane charged with stealing were discharged—Criminal Business Completed—Civil Case of Gerow vs. Webber is being heard.

PUT STOMACH IN FINE CONDITION. Says Indigestion Results from an Excess of Hydrochloric Acid.

MINERS WILL RESUME WORK. Strike Embodying 147,000 Yorkshire Miners Settled Yesterday by the Coal Controller.

London, Jan. 23—The strike of the 147,000 Yorkshire miners who quit work today when the owners refused to meet their demands.

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The activities of the past year were told in detail by the reports of the committees.

For Mrs. John Gordon, convener of the hospital visiting committee; Mrs. C. Regan read a report stating that 239 visits had been paid at the hospital.

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entering the property of J. O'Leary, Sandy Point road, and stealing geese, His Honor said that so far as the case preferred against the prisoners is the indictment brought before his court was concerned, the prisoners would be discharged.

The civil case of Gerow vs. Webber was then taken up. In this case Burton L. Gerow is suing William Webber for \$250 for professional services rendered in defending Max Webber on two charges, that of violating the Prohibition Act and of having received stolen goods, knowing them to have been stolen.

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## LOGGIEVILLE

Loggieville, Jan. 19.—James R. Johnson, who has been in St. John for some time, engaged in work there, is at his home in town for a few days. His excellent travelling, together with the beautiful moonlight nights, is being enjoyed by the young folks of the town.

Chain teas are much in vogue throughout the place. Several have already been held, and others are anticipated in the near future.  
Jack McLean, while engaged in work at Chatham, had his leg badly cut, and he is now at his home here. His many friends hope he may soon recover from his injuries.  
Mrs. Robert Edwards and little son, Arthur, are visiting friends up North.

Miss Emily Wallace, of Chatham, spent part of last week with friends in town.  
The annual meeting of Knox church was held in the school room on Wednesday evening. After devotional exercises by the pastor, the year's business was transacted. The various organizations of the church presented gratifying reports. All departments of the church are in a flourishing condition. All reports showed cash balances on the right side. Prospects for the future look very bright indeed.

Mrs. Robert Gresham, of Hardwick, spent Sunday in town with friends.  
Mrs. Philip Tallon and little niece, Miss Helen, are visiting relatives in Black River.  
At a recent meeting of Unity lodge, I. O. F., the following were installed: Officers: R. S. W. G. W. R. Edge; V. G. James; W. G. G. R. S. Fred Riden; P. S. S. J. Simpson; treasurer, James W. Johnstone; War. G. C. J. Baker; G. J. John; W. G. R. S. N. G. S. M. Loggie; L. S. V. G. W. G. Osward Young; R. S. V. G. W. G. J. Toucher; L. S. V. G. W. G. Johnstone; R. S. W. G. G. R. S. Peter Anderson; J. P. C. Oran Atkinson; Chaplain, Robert Mcintosh. After the evening's business, refreshments were served in a social hour spent. A number of members of other lodges were in attendance.

Mrs. Wilfred Daley and little daughter, who were guests at the home of Mrs. William Tait, have returned to Stonehaven.  
Lily lodge officers for 1919 are: W. M. Mrs. Will Hillyer; D. T. M. Miss Zena Walla; R. S. Mrs. O'Yane; P. S. Miss Katie McMurray; Treasurer, Mrs. J. W. S. Babkirk; Chaplain, Miss Beatrice Jardine; R. S. Mrs. Ellis; Lecturer, Miss Bertie Dempsey; Guardian, J. W. S. Babkirk; L. G. Mrs. Dempsey; O. G. Will Hartley; 1st Committee, Mrs. Etdy Percy.

The Ladies' Aid officers for 1919 are: President, Mrs. Gillis; Vice-president, Mrs. Cox; Treasurer, Mrs. W. J. Loggie; Secretary, Mrs. Simpson.  
Wm and Eddie Robichaud, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Maxim Robichaud of this place, arrived in town this week. The Robichaud brothers numbered with the transport Olympic. They spent much service at the front, were among the wounded on several occasions. They have many friends here who extend them a hearty welcome.  
Miss Smith of Newcastle was in town on Sunday.

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Date	Time	Place
24 Fri	7:59 5:13	5:27 17:52 11:38
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Inshtrahull, Jan. 23.—Passed str Dyerrisa, St. John, N.B. for Glasgow.  
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Liverpool, Jan. 23.—Ard Tunisian, St. John. Sld 19th, str Aquania, Halifax.  
Plymouth, Jan. 23.—Ard str Astyanax, St. John and Halifax.

American Ports.  
Buzards Bay (Cape Cod Canal), Mass., Jan. 21.—Passed, motor barge, Daniel M. Munro, St. John, N.B. for Norfolk.  
Schooner Floated.  
Schooner Emma Belliveau, which went ashore near Arichat last month has been pulled off by a wrecking steamer from Halifax, and towed to Lunenburg for repairs; the molasses has all been landed on the beach.

Coal Fleet Idle.  
Boston, Jan. 22.—A great fleet of steamers which has been engaged in carrying coal to New England ports, is idle, waiting for charters. More than a score of these steamers are anchored in the lower harbor and efforts are being made to place them in the trade to the West Indies or charter them for other business.

The movement of coal has fallen off because Boston and other Eastern cities are well stocked. There is so much coal here that the navy is drawing on some of its supply for other purposes. The big naval collier Jason Captain Merryweather, came into the harbor yesterday to load 10,000 tons of coal for New York.

Dangers to Navigation.  
Capt. Airey, of str Lake Buckeye, which arrived at Portland from Halifax, reports his vessel just missed striking a floating mine nine miles off Winter Quarters. Another large mine was also sighted off Winter Island by the steamer's crew.

Schooner Abandoned.  
Schr G. Blanche (B) which left St. John's, Nfld., a couple of months ago with cargo of pulp, has been abandoned at sea. Captain Murray and crew have landed and are proceeding to Permabuco.

Lost Their Deckloads.  
Tampa, Fla., Jan. 23.—Schr Florence Harvey, of St. John's, arrived here today, lost deckload of coconuts in blow off Swan Island. Schr cuts in blow off deckload of lumber off Hibernia light; schooner is safe at (Calbarian).

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If you were to go without eating until you became weak, thin and emaciated, you could not do a more serious harm to yourself than when you let your blood literally starve for want of iron—iron that gives it strength and power to change food into living tissue, muscle and brain. Without plenty of iron in the blood, no matter how much or what you eat, your food simply passes through you without doing you any good—you don't get the strength out of it and instead of being filled with youthful strength and energy you are weak, nervous and all run-down. If you are not strong or well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can walk or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary Nuxated Iron three times per day after meals for two weeks, then test your strength again and see how much you have gained. Numbers of nervous, run-down people who were ailing all the while have most astonishingly increased their strength and endurance simply by taking iron in the proper form. But don't take the old kind of iron simply to save a few cents. You must take iron in a form that can be easily absorbed and assimilated. Nuxated Iron is what you want to do; you say good, otherwise it may prove worse than never. You can procure Nuxated Iron from your druggist on an absolute guarantee of satisfaction or your money will be refunded.

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## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

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### AGENTS WANTED

AGENTS WANTED—Salesmen \$60 per week, selling one-hand egg-beater. Sample and terms, 25c. Money returned if unsatisfactory. Collette Mfg Company, Collingwood, Ont.

### FOR SALE

FOR SALE OR TO LET—Pretty cottage, five acres of land, excellent poultry house, good orchard, strawberries, etc., 1/4 mile from station, churches and stores. Mr. Lauder, Belleisle Creek, Kings Co., N. B.

### TEACHERS WANTED

Saskatchewan Teachers' Agency. Established 1910, 235 Cornwall street, Regina. We secure respectable schools for teachers. Highest salaries. Free registration.

damaged by gunfire and compelled to descend to the North Sea, where Captain Martin of the King Stephen found her resting in the water. According to Captain Martin's story the Zepplin's commander offered me a reward if he would take off the German crew but Martin refused saying, "I don't trust you."  
"I had talked it over with George Denny, my mate," Captain Martin is quoted as saying, "and we agreed that if we lowered at dawn and sent some of the crew to the Zepplin they would be kept as prisoners until we did as the Germans wished which would probably be that in the end we should have them take charge of the ship if they came on board, or if we refused to let them off they would carry the crew of our boat down with them. I was determined to take no risks. I knew what the Germans had done to me in class in the North Sea, and besides the Zepplin crew dropping bombs on houses and killing women and children didn't appeal to me. There were 13 Germans and only ten of us and you could scarcely imagine their allowing us to take them as prisoners. There were two to one.

"So I told the commander plainly that nothing he could say would induce me to rescue them. It was not a nice feeling to leave 18 men to drown even if they were your enemies. When the commander saw we were leaving and that there was no chance of being rescued, he and the others set to work. Their rage was awful. Shaking their fists in despair, they kept shouting out 'God, strafe England.' And they kept shouting this and again as long as we were within hearing. The weather had been steadily growing worse and as no other vessel was in sight, I knew the Germans were doomed, but I felt that I had done the right thing under the circumstances."

Two Valuable Freehold Properties—80-82 Coburg St. by Auction.  
I am instructed by Mrs. George St. Clair to sell by public auction at Club's Corner on Saturday morning, January 25th at 12 o'clock noon the following:

2 self-contained houses having a frontage of 47 feet 2 inches more or less on Coburg St. Corner house all modern improvements, electric-lighted, hot water furnace, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, 5 bedrooms and 2 in attic, bathroom, clothes presses all through the house. No 2 parlor, dining room, kitchen, sculleries, 6 bedrooms and 2 in attic, lighted by gas and piped for gas heating throughout, new hot-water furnace.

These properties are located in one of the best residential parts of the city. Good repair and affords a splendid opportunity for investment. Part of purchase price can remain on mortgage. Can be seen on Wednesday afternoon, January 22nd, and Friday afternoon, January 24th, from 3 to 5. Only reason for selling owner leaving city.

For further particulars apply to MacLACHLAN, SINGH & MacLACHLAN, P. L. Potts, Auctioneer.

## STEAM BOILERS

We offer "Matheson" steam boilers for immediate shipment from stock as follows:

NEW  
One—Vertical 60 H.P. 54" dia. 10'0" high.  
Two—Vertical 35 H.P. 48" dia. 9'0" high, 125 pounds working pressure.

One—Portable on skids, 50 H.P. 48" dia., 16' 0" long, 125 pounds working pressure.

USED  
One—Horizontal Return Tubular, 60 H.P.

AROUND THE CITY

MILD WITH SHOWERS

OUT OF COMMISSION. The big motor fire engine is out of commission for a few days, waiting for parts to make some necessary repairs.

AT THE ARMORIES.

The garrison artillery depot is now comfortably quartered at the Armories, having moved over from Partridge Island yesterday.

RED SHIELD DRIVE.

In connection with the Red Shield drive, all employers lists not called for yesterday, will be solicited today. Two streets not canvassed yesterday, Sewall and Carleton, will be solicited today.

ARE AT THE ROYAL.

His Honor, the Lieutenant Governor, and Mrs. Pugsley, have taken apartments at the Royal Hotel, St. John, where they will remain until the opening of the Legislature, and will be in Fredericton during the session.

PAULTON ARRAIGNED.

Wm. Paulton, who was arrested here and taken to Halifax by Detective Kennedy was arraigned before Stipendiary Magistrate Wednesday charged with neglecting to provide necessaries for his wife, and was remanded for a week, giving bail. He is 30 years of age and belongs to P. E. Island. Bruce T. Graham is acting as counsel for the defendant.

THE FLEMING CASE.

The suit of the provincial government against J. K. Fleming for the recovery of \$100,000, goes to the Supreme court on questions of law. The case came up again before Chief Justice McKewen yesterday morning with this result. Hon. W. P. Jones, K.C., and P. J. Hughes appear for the government, and J. B. M. Baxter, K.C., and B. Connell, K.C., for Mr. Fleming.

THE POLICE COURT.

William Webster, proprietor of a local dry goods establishment, was reported to the police recently by Chief Blake of the Fire Department for having refused to pay for his cellar. The case was to have been heard in the police court yesterday afternoon, but was set aside, until such time as the defendant is present. Two drunks appeared, paid the usual \$5 fine and proceeded onward.

THE PRIZE WINNERS.

The winners of the different prizes in the Dominion L.O.L. Fair last evening follow: Door prize, Bert Johnson; Shooting Gallery, John Boyle; Bowling Alley, R. McQuarrie; Excelsior Table, Gordon Smith; Gent's Bean Board, Commissioner John Thornton; Ladies' Bean Board, Miss Landry. The final prize draw will be held on Saturday evening at 10 o'clock.

A PAVING VENTURE.

Ernest Thompson, lumber inspector arrived from New York yesterday to superintend the loading of the barkentine T. H. Macdonald. The Macdonald will take aboard about 120 thousand feet of deals and cut lumber for Montevideo and River Plate points, and at the current rate of \$65 a thousand, should make quite a paying venture out of the trip. On the return if she is not sold to South African parties, she will bring a return cargo, which with her outward trip will fully pay for the initial cost of the vessel.

THURSDAY NIGHT SOCIAL.

There was a large attendance at the regular Thursday evening social at St. David's Church last evening, when among those present were about 125 soldiers. Sergt. Major Ellins presided, and a number of the original 25th heroes were in the party and they were given a grand reception. The programme included a solo by Miss Johnston, and readings by Miss Toed, Miss Beveridge, Miss Verta Roberts and Mrs. Hunter. Refreshments were served and a happy sing song followed. The gathering closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

NOW MAJOR FLEWELLING.

Ward has been received from Scotland and that Captain G. H. Flewelling of Perry's Point, N. B., has received a promotion to Major. He enlisted and went overseas with Major Jones as Lieut. No. 2 Forestry Coy. in May, 1917, was in England three weeks at the base, was sent from there in command of a company to Scotland, and in March, 1918, was promoted to Captain, has been O.C. of a Forestry Coy. in Airemore, Scotland, since that time. His many friends will be pleased to hear of his recent promotion, which he received in November, 1918.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Maxwell, 183 Paradise Row, announce the engagement of their daughter, Marion C. Maxwell, nursing sister, No. 9 Canadian General Hospital, Shorncliffe, to Captain Thomas Bruce Mc Brae, C.R.I.F., Perthshire, Scotland. Miss Maxwell is at present on the staff of No. 9 Canadian General Hospital, at Kimmel Park, Rhye, North Wales, and has been overseas for the past three years.

GIVEN A RECEPTION.

A party was held on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Gunn, 14 Meadow street, in honor of their son, Private Harry Gunn, who recently reached home after three years' service at the front. During the evening songs were given by the visiting young ladies and gentlemen, and a musical programme, with dancing was held. Near the close of the entertainment James Sloan, on behalf of the young visitors presented Pte. Gunn with a nice present as a mark of the esteem of his friends. Private Gunn, in short metre, thanked his friends for their kindness and their remembrance of him. The party broke up near the midnight hour, each wishing Private Gunn the best of success in his return to civil life again.

Borden's Heintzer Condensed Coffee is perfect coffee for the adult.

Borden's Condensed Cocoa is rich and ready for the children, as well as for the afternoon tea.

SOLDIERS GRANTED HARVEST LEAVE LIABLE TO ARREST

About Three Hundred in District 7 Who Have Not Reported for Release—Now Classed as Deserters.

Mention is made in local military headquarters of the negligence of many of those coming under the Military Service Act, who were given harvest leave, with the proviso that they hold themselves in readiness for any call, by phone, telegram, or post, for immediate return to duty.

The men so granted harvest leave, later had their leave extended through the action of the government, and at the time of the signing of the armistice, notice came shortly afterwards from Ottawa, to the effect that men on harvest leave having grounds for exemption, would be released from the service by simply signing articles with the military authorities of their respective military districts, stating their grounds for exemption, and allowing permission to the military authorities to arrange their "affaires militaires" previous to their being allowed release from further service.

Two ways were left open for such men on leave to be granted release, namely by filling out the proper forms, which could be dealt with through the proper channels, and secondly by appearing before the O. C. of their respective districts applying for immediate release, stipulating at the same time their grounds for such release.

It is now reported that many of those out on such leave at the time of the signing of the armistice, did not even take the precautions in either channel for release, and in so acting have left themselves liable for punishment by the militia. In military district 7, it is reported that fully three hundred men have not reported for release, and Ottawa is to take immediate steps within twenty-one days, in an effort to round up such military violators. These men are classed in the same category as deserters or defaulters, and are in consequence liable to arrest within twenty-two days.

Such men, who are in this category, it is strongly hinted, should at once make the arrangements for release, through the mediums of writing to the officers, commanding their respective districts, or at once presenting themselves at headquarters.

WEST SIDE HOSTEL IS NOW COMPLETED

Salvation Army Have Comfortable Place Ready for Women and Children Arriving from Overseas and Needing Assistance.

To meet a need which has been very apparent since soldiers' dependents have begun to arrive, the Salvation Army is completing in the West Side today a hostel for women and children, to be used as a temporary home while awaiting the departure of their train.

Many of the women experience sea sickness on the voyage and also have the charge of children, who also in their turn are sick and need rest after the long voyage, practically none are well provided with money or the wherewithal to meet heavy hotel bills, and as quite a number are from Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island points, which are not touched by trains departing after the usual arrival of the transports, the need of such a hostel is apparent.

The barracks are fitted up with 20 comfortable beds, rest room, parlor and up-to-date sanitary arrangements, and will be in operation on the arrival of the next transport, which is the Minnedosa, expected next Wednesday.

THE AQUITANA HAS BIG LIST

Cunard Liner is on the Way to Halifax With Over 5,000 Canadian Soldiers—Over 200 for St. John.

With over five thousand Canadian returning soldiers on board the Cunard liner Aquitana sailed from Liverpool on Sunday for Halifax, and the following are the men for each military district:

Officers.	Cadets.	Other.
Kingston . . . . . 4	16	320
Toronto . . . . . 40	28	1280
Kingston . . . . . 12	6	353
Montreal . . . . . 10	31	565
Quebec . . . . . 2	3	35
Halifax . . . . . 9	21	490
St. John . . . . . 3	1	204
Winnipeg . . . . . 9	22	403
Brit. Columbia . . . . . 15	14	531
Alberta . . . . . 5	13	444
Saskatchewan . . . . . 6	23	329

“WITHIN THE LAW”

Just to remind you that SATURDAY January 26th, is your last opportunity to secure advanced tickets for the drama, “WITHIN THE LAW.”

This production will be presented at the OPERA HOUSE under the auspices of the Irish Literary and Benevolent Society on January thirtieth, MATINEE and EVENING.

Seat sale starts Monday, January 27th inst. at Box Office, Opera House. This drama is undoubtedly one of the best and heaviest undertakings ever attempted by amateurs in the city, but the history of our past performances is our best guarantee for the success of this play.

The new change of vaudeville programme opening at the Opera House tonight offers Allen and Moore in a lively comedy skit with songs, dances and music; Nixon and Morris, the musical marionettes; Floretta, physical culturist; Thompson and Barry in “Patent Applied For”; Willie Fields, comedy singer and story teller; and the tenth chapter of the serial, “The Woman in the Web.”

This evening at 7.30 and 9. Two shows tomorrow afternoon, at 2 and 3.30. Popular prices.

1,000 YARDS OF NEW DRESS WEAVES, REGULAR UP TO \$1.50 VALUES, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY SPECIAL 95c. PER YARD.

This collection is a good criterion of the sweeping reductions now in Dykeman's Dress Goods section. Dozens of the fine weaves wanted for Spring employments as well as those that can be used right now, replicated to show really amazing savings.

This complete range includes such smart Dress Fabrics as Crepe Poplin, Corded Poplin and Ottoman Cord, 36 inches wide, and come in a host of fashionable new weaves, such as Pongee, Navy, Reindeer, Tan, Burgundy, Grey and Black. This line is completely new and fresh, and offers a substantial saving on Friday and Saturday.

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EIGHT THOUSAND IS STILL NEEDED

Two More Days for Public to Bring in Donations to Make Salvation Army Drive up to its Quota of \$25,000.

Will the St. John public, for the sake of \$8,000, see the Salvation Army fall down in its attempt to help the returning fighting men?

This is the first appeal the Salvation Army has made to the public. It is the first patriotic appeal since the signing of the armistice, and the appeal is entirely, wholly and solely in the interests of the returning war veterans, not one cent of the present fund will be spent for any other purpose but to help the boys help themselves.

St. John has answered the appeal, many have responded generously but there are also many who were not “home” when the collectors called yesterday; many who could give largely failed to respond, with the result that the Rotarians and other workers face the second last day of the drive this morning with a deficit of \$8,000 staring them in the face. And that \$8,000 must be secured today and tomorrow to reach the quota of \$25,000.

St. John is the only district so far, according to the reports given out last night, that has not reached, let alone passed, its objective. Several districts have gone magnificently over the top and will almost increase their objectives fifty per cent.

It is a noticeable fact that only two other sister organizations have come to the help of the Red Shield workers; the Royal Standard Chapter, I. O. O. E., which has contributed \$100 towards the fund, and the Y. W. P. A., which has donated a similar amount.

The Salvation Army has been indefatigable since the outbreak of the war in its work for the boys in khaki. It has donated a similar amount, without charge, without reward, and now it is up to the friends of soldiers and the relatives of veterans to say whether that good work shall go on or not. Today and tomorrow are the last days for the verdict. And \$8,000 is not a small amount for the City of St. John to raise.

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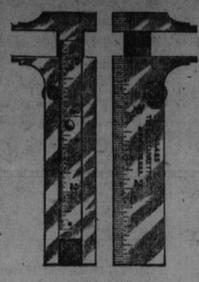
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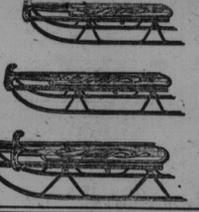
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