

THE SOVIET RULE FAILS TO STAND THE REAL TEST

German Voters Quickly Sicken of Radicalism and Turn Conservative.

NEARLY LOSE GRIP ON DIET

Even Revolutionary Proletariat Desert the Cause in Recent Gotha Elections.

Special Cable Despatch. Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger Co. Berlin, June 6.—The Gotha Diet has been controlled by an independent Socialist government of the radical type, contrary to the earlier expectations of Russia and other states, where the independent Socialists held power for a time, that a brief trial of the soviet form of government will be made in the reaction will over into the conservative camp.

Even Radicals Desert. The unpopularity of the independent, who during their tenure of office attempted to impose radical doctrine upon schools and church, was felt less in their own ranks, where about 10 per cent. of the revolutionary proletariat deserted the soviet cause, than by the regular Socialists and their allies of the Democratic party.

The bulk of the voters of these two parties represented in the federal coalition government voted conservative tickets as the most effective protest against radicalism. The conservative parties tripled their vote as compared with the last election and with independent seats in the future Diet lack but one of a majority.

Independents Lose Their Grip. The independents, likewise with nine, lost their absolute majority, and one Democratic elector holds the balance of power. The regular Socialists are not represented. The Gotha elections are being interpreted as symptomatic of the trend in tomorrow's national elections to the Reichstag, but it is dangerous to carry the parallel too far. A swing toward the right will undoubtedly be felt, but to a less extent than in Gotha, where the object lesson was an attempted soviet government, and responsible for the smashing defeat of the two coalition parties.

GRUESOME FIND BY RIVER MEN

Fish from Water Bag Containing Body of Two Weeks Old Infant.

Special to The Standard. St. Stephen, N. B., June 6.—Workmen employed on the boom, a short distance above Milltown, made a rather gruesome discovery, yesterday afternoon, when one of their number drew to the shore a bag that was floating past and in which they found the body of a child. Dr. J. D. Lawson, coroner, was notified and made an investigation, but was unable to ascertain anything of great importance. The body was of a female, about two weeks old, and was quite badly decomposed, and was later given burial. There are no means by which to ascertain at what point up river it was cast into the stream.

NEW SCHOONER TAKES TO WATER

Special to The Standard. Pictou, N. S., June 5.—The handsome three-masted schooner Frederick H., was successfully launched this afternoon from the shipyard of Enoch Cookson, Fox River. She is a first-class vessel in every respect, with all improvements up to the minute. She registers 405 tons and is owned by the builder and parties in Andrew and Moses River. She will be commanded by Captain Frederick Harvey and will load hardwood lumber at Port Goreville for the Wayne Lumber Company.

HONOR MEMORY OF SIR JOHN MACDONALD

Kingston, Ont., June 6.—A deputation representing the Kingston Conservative Association, went to Ottawa yesterday to place a floral wreath on the grave of Sir John A. Macdonald, former Premier of Canada, this being the 25th anniversary of the death of the great Canadian statesman.

INCREASED RATE ON GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH

Ottawa, June 6.—(Canadian Press)—Increased rates on government telegraph messages throughout Canada will come into effect on June 14 next, according to an announcement by the Dominion Railway Commission yesterday.

MILITARY PATROL WAS FIRED UPON

First Time Military Arm Has Been Attacked in Irish Disturbances.

Dublin, June 6.—It was officially announced Saturday, that a military patrol was fired upon Friday night at the police hut in Newtown Sandon, County Kerry. The military returned the fire and captured three men. There were no military casualties. The casualties of the attacking party are not known, the statement adds. This is the first time that the military arm, as distinguished from the police, has been fired at in the Irish disturbances.

POLES CONTINUE THEIR SUCCESSSES

Occupy Several Towns on Northern Front, Taking Many Prisoners.

Warsaw, June 6.—(By the Associated Press)—The Poles, according to an official statement issued today, are continuing their successful attacks on the Northern front, and have occupied Gubokoi, 80 miles east of Sventiany and Dekhitcha, fifteen miles south of Gubokoi taking many prisoners with guns and other booty.

The Bolsheviks, to cover their retreat, attacked in strength at several places, trying to cross the middle Beresina. They were repulsed, however, the statement says.

The enemy, with strong reinforcements, is concentrating before Bobruisk on the Beresina, 88 miles south east of Minsk, for an attack on our bridgehead, the statement continues.

NEW CONCEPTION OF WEST POLITICALLY

West Realizes an Industrial Policy is Essential to Development of Country.

Montreal, June 6.—R. B. Cowan, M. P., and Mayor of Regina, addressed the Progressive Club at its weekly luncheon, Saturday, and gave a new conception of the West, politically and economically. He said he was not afraid at the next elections to appeal to the people of the West on the policy of the present government, and added that the West realized it could no longer depend on wheat only; that an industrial policy was needed which meant a policy of protection.

Speaking on the policy of the United States retaliation, he said enormous coal resources of the West should be exploited much more fully and that it was forced upon Canada by the shutting off of coal exports from the States, millions of dollars annually could be saved. Mr. Cowan also introduced a resounding note in his speech in regard to the foreign elements in Western population.

SPLENDID AWARD TO DALHOUSIE

Rockefeller Foundation Board Gives \$400,000 for Medical School Building and \$100,000 Endowment.

New York, June 6.—Trustees of the General Education Board of the Rockefeller Foundation announced tonight, appropriations totalling \$500,000 for various purposes of general education and the development of medical schools. Included in the list is an item of \$400,000 for buildings and equipment for Dalhousie University Medical School, Halifax, N. S., and another of \$100,000 for endowment of the same. These sums are voted by the Rockefeller Foundation.

RAIN WELCOMED IN NOVA SCOTIA

A Precipitation of an Inch and a Half Yesterday Drowned Out Forest Fires.

Halifax, N. S., June 6.—(By Canadian Press)—Welcome rain has fallen in Nova Scotia and extinguished the forest fires which have for two weeks caused heavy losses in various parts of the province. The rain set in at ten o'clock Saturday night and showed that there has been a continuation of the rain since it began on Friday.

TURKS GRANTED DELAY OF FIFTEEN DAYS

Constantinople, June 6.—The government has received a note from the Allies granting the Turks a delay of fifteen days in which to present their observations on the League terms. Turkey had asked an extension until July 11 in which to submit its reply to the Allies.

FEDERATION OF LABOR MEETS IN MONTREAL

Representatives of Dom. and Provincial Gov'ts Will Welcome Delegates.

WILL TRY FOR LABOR PARTY

Conservative Element Do Not Think "Politics" Will Get Any Chance.

Montreal, June 6.—Representatives of the Dominion and Provincial Governments and of the city of Montreal will officially welcome to this city, the province and Canada the fortieth annual convention of the American Federation of Labor which opens tomorrow morning at the St. Denis Theatre here. Sir Robert Borden will not be present, though he may come later during the convention. Senator O'Brien, Minister of Labor, will officially represent the Dominion Government at the opening, and Hon. N. W. Rowell will appear later.

Sir Lester Gouin, Premier of Quebec Province, and Hon. Antoine Gauthier, Provincial Minister of Public Works and Labor, will represent this Province. Mayor Maurice Martin and E. R. Desautels, Chairman of the City Administrative Commission will represent the city of Montreal. Mr. Tom Moore, President of the Dominion Trades and Labor Congress, will speak on behalf of Canadian labor. Representatives of Archbishop Brochu and of Bishop Farthing will also be present and will open the convention with prayer.

Labor men are hoping the weather will clear for the monster procession from the Windsor Hotel to the St. Denis Theatre tomorrow morning.

Efforts will be made to have the Federation by the foundation of an American labor party, leaders of the Progressive wing of the Federation stated here tonight. The view is taken that labor has already lost too much by the delay in the direction of a political organization.

Conservative leaders only comment on the proposal that they do not believe it would be handled with "gloves." Bolshevism and the One Big Union ideas will be dealt with fully. Other matters will be discussed in the public ownership of railways, the trial courts, child labor, impeachment of Attorney General Palmer; President Wilson's policy; American "imperialism" in San Domingo; Hayti and Central America; minimum wage for all workers; organization of steel workers.

LLOYD GEORGE SCORES RAILWAYMEN'S LEADERS

Condemns Them for Permitting Unions to Act As They Have in Ireland.

London, June 6.—The text of Premier Lloyd George's conversation with National Union of Railwaymen leaders Thursday, with regard to the refusal of Irish railwaymen to handle munitions, was made public Saturday afternoon.

It shows that the Premier characterized the move as "one calculated to influence political decisions, not by the ordinary machinery of the state, but by bringing pressure to bear through the threat of disorganizing the industries of this country to effect changes which, up to the present, the electorate of this country has not sanctioned."

The Premier added: "That is a serious issue. I should regard it as a complete abdication of the Government if I were in the least to countenance this demand."

Mr. Lloyd George declared these had been forty-eight members of police and a 150 attempt murders in Ireland within a short time. The police, he asserted, were "shot down like vermin."

The Premier continued: "They were shot down in the streets while carrying out the elementary duty of any force of this kind, the preservation of order. We send a box of revolvers across to these men to defend their lives, and the Trade Union comes in and says: 'If you do this we will stop the whole traffic of Ireland if necessary.'"

"We cannot possibly accept any degree issued by any body, however powerful that body may be, which does this to the Government the facilities it regards essential for carrying out the functions for which it has been chosen."

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CENTURY OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE

Historians Must Recognize British Empire's Work in the 20th Century

COL. AMERY PRAISES WORK OF DOMINION

Says Every Part of Empire Must Be Drawn Together in Exchange of Resources.

Ottawa, June 6.—Lieut. Colonel Amery, M. P., British Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, was the chief speaker at the "Banquet Club" luncheon here Saturday. A distinguished gathering was in attendance, including His Excellency, the Duke of Devonshire, Sir Robert Borden, Hon. Mackenzie King, many of the cabinet ministers, and members of the West Indian Conference.

Colonel Amery addressed the club on the subject of "Imperial Development." He emphasized that this did not mean the development of the interests of the Old Country with the resources of the rest of the Empire but the development of every part by their being drawn closer together and by co-operation in exchange of resources.

The meeting of the Canadian and West Indian Governments was in the true sense, imperial development, he continued. Canada needed the West Indian products and could use more than the Western Indies could supply, while the West Indies required many Canadian products. The speaker stated that the method resources of the Empire were not properly distributed and claimed that one man who stays within the Empire is worth twice as much in the standpoint of trade and commerce as those who went from the land.

Out of a population of fifteen million the Dominions had contributed as much as the United States with 100,000,000 to the recent great world conflict. As long as the Empire holds together and the men go from the British Isles to the Dominions the more openings there will be for the mass power development in the Old Empire.

In conclusion, Colonel Amery said that since the history of the country he written the twentieth century would be known as the century of the British Empire.

MORE DISTURBANCES IN OLD IRELAND

Military Patrol Ambushed and Property Burned.

Dublin, June 6.—A few more vacant police barracks were burned over the week end.

John Blake, a land owner, was shot down by a band of about twenty men, wounded at Thom, 19 miles North East of Galway, while on his way to church. A military police patrol on bicycle was ambushed and surrounded near the village of Carrigrohilly, County Cork, this morning. The policemen were compelled to surrender their arms.

Oak Burr House at Macroom, County Cork, the property and former home of the Bowen-Colthurst family, was burned fully on Saturday night by the party of Captain Bowen-Colthurst who had F. Sheehy Skerrington, editor of the "Irish Citizen" shot during the rebellion of 1916.

HEAVY PENALTY TO FIT THE CRIME

Locomotive Engineer Found Guilty of Being Under Influence of Liquor While on Duty.

Montreal, June 6.—Paul Paradis, a locomotive engineer employed by the C. P. R. at the Angus shop yards here, was found guilty on Saturday of being under the influence of liquor while in charge of his locomotive. The offence, under the Canadian Railroads Act, carries a penalty of \$500 and imprisonment for five years. The jury made a strong recommendation to leniency, in which prosecuting counsel concurred. Sentence will be delivered next Saturday.

COMBATTING THE BUBONIC PLAGUE

Sanitary Authorities in Mexico City Have Been Given Supreme Power.

Mexico City, June 6.—Every effort is being made by the Government to combat the bubonic plague at Vera Cruz. Orders have been issued making sanitary authorities there the supreme power in the city, dominating over military officers. Twenty-five cases, the most of which have proved fatal, have been reported from Vera Cruz since the outbreak of the plague a week ago.

Several other cases have been reported from other near Vera Cruz.

TOILERS HAVE RIGHT TO LIVE SAYS GOMPERS

Strikes Are Sometimes a Necessary Measure to Maintain That Right.

ANSWERS QUERIES OF GOV. ALLAN

Says the Right to Strike Must and Will be Maintained by Unions.

Washington, June 6.—(By the A. P.)—"The public has no rights which are superior to the toilers' right to live, and to his right to defend himself against oppression." Samuel Gompers declared in his deferred replies to three questions asked him by Gov. Allen of Kansas, in their debate at New York May 25. Mr. Gompers' replies were made public tonight by the American Federation of Labor.

Gompers was asked whether the public had any rights in a strike affecting the production or distribution of the necessities of life, thus threatening the public peace and impairing the public health, and, if so, how would Mr. Gompers protect those rights. He also asked who controlled the "divine right" of employees to quit work.

Will Strike When Necessary. Declaring that Union men and women formed one-fourth of the public, Mr. Gompers said in such strikes as described by Governor Allen, "the public, including union men, has rights and the striking union is the first to recognize those rights." He argued, however, that few strikes actually threatened the public peace and "few become a menace to the public health."

Strikes in which the public peace has been threatened, he said, "usually have been strikes in which the employers or public officials have created the breach of peace by the use of thugs, armed guards and detectives."

"Labor," continued Mr. Gompers, "has no desire to cause inconvenience to the public, of which it is a part. The right to strike must be and will be maintained, not only as a measure of self-defense, but as a measure necessary to public progress. The strike has won its right to a post of honor among the institutions of free civilization, and the temporary inconvenience it has caused is but a small price to pay for the permanent benefit it has brought."

LEAGUE OF NATIONS TO HAVE REAL TEST

Persia and Bolshevik Affair—Difficulties Ahead.

London, June 6.—The first real test of the League of Nations, as a practical working body, will be made when the council meets in London June 14th to deal with the case of Persia versus the Bolsheviks.

The greatest importance is attached to this case by the supporters of the League, partly because the case has unusual complications. One of these is the decision of the British press holds that the British-Persian agreement amounts to a British protectorate, and Persia thus has a right to look to Great Britain to defend her from attack. Another is that the Bolsheviks may reject any communications from the League.

Otherwise the issue is a perfectly straightforward one. The League could not refuse to take it up if it wished. Prince Firuz Khan, the Persian Foreign Minister, made a formal appeal to the League invoking Article II. He recalled the circumstances of the bombardment and the landing at Bushell, and placed the interests of the Persians in the hands of the League, asking it to take necessary measures to deal with the situation.

The result, probably, will be correspondence between the League and the Bolsheviks. If the Bolshevik leaders decline to have dealings on the subject, the position of the League, as the protector of small nations, will be placed on trial.

FRASER RIVER FISHED OUT

No Longer Produces in Abundance the Toothsome Salmon.

Vancouver, B. C., June 6.—"The run of sockeye salmon in the Fraser River, one of the greatest salmon rivers in the world, has been the one to be called great," declared J. T. Bebock, Assistant Commissioner of Fisheries for British Columbia, in addressing the Canadian Fishwives Association Convention here Saturday. "The Fraser is fished out," he said, "and this condition is a monumental record of man's folly and greed. The only remedying feature is that it is not too late to take steps to restore the Fraser to its former greatness."

FOURTEEN KILLED; MANY INJURED

By An Explosion of Eighty Carloads of Explosives Near Turin.

London, June 6.—Fourteen persons were killed, several others were injured and many buildings destroyed by the explosion of eighty carloads of explosives in a suburban station of Turin last night, according to a Rome despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company. A despatch to the Central News says that the explosion occurred in Port Pampalu at Mount Cenis, North West of Turin.

TODAY'S PROGRAMME FOR GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Day to be Devoted Largely to Reports of Committees and Hearing Delegations.

Ottawa, June 6.—Tomorrow's programme of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church in Canada, includes the ninth, tenth and eleventh sittings. In the morning the Forward Movement Committee will meet at nine o'clock for a round table conference. This will be followed by a devotional service. Then special committees, the Board of Publication, Sabbath schools and Young People's Societies will report to the Assembly on the work of the year.

In the afternoon the place of the next assembly meeting will first be decided upon. Delegates will be received, the board of finance will report and other unfinished business will be taken up. The Kivallik Rotary Club of Ottawa proposes late in the afternoon to give the delegates a drive about the city.

The evening's services will be devoted to the budget and to the forward movement.

Today most of the Protestant churches in Ottawa had their pulpits occupied at both services by prominent members of the Assembly. In the afternoon at four o'clock communion was dispensed at which almost all the visiting preachers partook. Some eighteen of the visiting sisters assisted in the service.

HEAVY POLLING THROUGHOUT GERMANY

Reports Indicate That Everything Was Conducted in a Quiet and Orderly Manner.

Berlin, June 6.—At six o'clock this evening the polling booths throughout Germany closed and the election committees are now busy counting the votes. Reports up to the present, indicate that everything was conducted in a quiet and orderly manner, the predictions of riots and insurrections having proved to be false. A steady downpour of rain, however, helped to dampen the ardor of the fiery spirits.

The participation of the electors was fairly active, but there was no rush at the polling booths. These were extremely numerous 2,000 having been set up in greater Berlin alone.

At nine o'clock this morning President Ebert and his wife recorded their votes together at Krausen-Strasse. They were followed shortly by Doctor Mueller, the Premier, Doctor Koestler, Minister of Foreign Affairs and various other ministers. Reports from Middle and South Germany and the Ruhr district indicate no disturbances and heavy balloting.

CHANGE IN DOMINION REPRESENTATION

New Men Named for International Labor Conference at Genoa.

Ottawa, June 6.—A change has been made in the representation of the Dominion Government at the International Labor Conference (League of Nations) which opens in Genoa, Italy, on June 15. Sir George Parley, High Commissioner in London and G. J. Debaratus, Deputy Minister of Naval Service, were originally chosen as Canadian Government representatives. Sir George Parley is, however, unable to attend the conference and Philippe Roy, Commissioner General of Canada in Paris, has been appointed in his stead. He and Mr. Debaratus will, therefore, represent the Dominion government. Mr. Debaratus has already left for Europe. The conference was specially called to consider labor problems as affecting women.

"POCKET VETO" FOR THE UNDERWOOD REVOLUTION

Washington, June 6.—The President by "pocket veto" Saturday killed the water power measure, the resolutions repealing war time legislation and the Underwood Wood Pulp resolution. The report said he had not been given time to give proper consideration to the measure.

FALKENHAYN PLOTS A NEW REVOLUTION

Kapp Supporters Reported to be Back of Movement for Uprising.

UNION OF RIGHT AND LEFT FORCES

To Overthrow the Coalition—Militarists Prime Movers in Matter.

Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger Company. London, June 6.—The British Government was advised today by its observers in Germany that another revolution is imminent under the military leadership of General von Falkenhayn, Quondam chief of the general staff. Although the British Government has been inclined to view previous reports of a militarist "putsch" as part of the political electioneering today's detailed statements of General von Falkenhayn's preparations, plans and policies indicate that the pan-German clique, which supported Doctor Kapp, is now actively intriguing with von Falkenhayn to bring about a Janus headed revolution from both Right and Left against the present coalition government.

Kapp Supporters in Plot. There is no doubt now, as far as Britain is concerned, that Reinhardt and all the other chief supporters of Kapp are backing the former kaiser's military chief in the hope of bringing about a "putsch" the latter part of June. Von Falkenhayn's personal staff has already completed arrangements whereby militarists are to take over the communities where they dominate and the communities where they are strongest. The militarists believe they can control the Communists and obtain their backing in forming a new government.

Because the reactionaries believe one reason for their failure in March was the lack of a foreign policy and a domestic program, they are now preparing a statement for their foreign policy for publication as soon as they attempt to overthrow the present government. Their chief plank is a demand for a revision of the Versailles treaty, because they believe they can muster the support of the German people behind such a standard, and also because it is a demand to appeal to the liberals in Europe and the anti-tyranny forces in America.

Avoid Alsace-Lorraine Phrase. At a secret meeting of pan-German leaders they have discussed various features of the peace treaty and have decided in order not to antagonize France, to leave out of their new treaty plans any discussion of the present of Alsace-Lorraine's status.

While Great Britain does not believe the new "putsch" will meet with success, officials do fear several weeks of civil war, during which period all efforts towards reconstruction and readjustment in Europe will be seriously impaired.

BRITISH WARSHIPS OPEN FIRE UPON NATIONALISTS

Affray Occurs at Tonzia, on Sea of Marmora, West of Ismud.

Constantinople, June 6.—(By the Associated Press)—British warships near Tonzia on Nationalist positions 38 miles west of Ismud, late Friday night.

Constantinople was aroused by the heavy firing of the guns of the warships. The Nationalists have approached close to the Gulf of Ismud, where many British units are stationed to protect the troops guarding the railway.

The collapse of the Sultan's troops leaves the British alone to defend the railway terminals opposite Constantinople. Many Armenian and Greek refugees have entered Ismud after escaping from the Nationalists.

NEW YORK TO NOME AIRSHIP TRIP

Four Fliers to Leave New York in July for Across Continent Flight.

Edmonton, Alta., June 6.—Edmonton is to be the chief Canadian base for the New York to Nome airship expedition, being sent out by the United States Air Board. This announcement was made Saturday by Captain Howard T. Douglas, of United States Air service, who has arrived here on his way to make final arrangements for the 2,500 mile jump across the continent.

Early in July four military fliers will start from New York. The fliers will first make a landing at Expedition to Portal, North Dakota, where a cross will be made into Canada. On this side of the line, the fliers will first make a landing at Saskatoon. The next jump will be at Edmonton. The next stop will be at Jasper, and from then on the line of the Great Trunk Pacific will be followed. Landings will be made about every 350 miles.

### DALHOUSIE CAMPAIGN GRATIFYING SUCCESS

Subscriptions Received Last Week Totalled Over \$600,000, Halifax Subscribing \$326,013.

Halifax, June 6.—(By Canadian Press).—The Dalhousie University campaign for an increased endowment fund is meeting with gratifying success. The subscriptions reported up to six o'clock Saturday evening, totalled \$609,038.00, of which Halifax city subscribed \$326,013.00 and Montreal \$41,000.

In a statement issued tonight, Dr. A. S. MacKenzie, president of the University, says: "The results of our Dalhousie campaign so far are most satisfactory. Halifax has responded abundantly, and we are all hopeful that, when the campaign closes here this week, Halifax citizens will have subscribed at least \$600,000. It is well to keep before ourselves that the literature sent out by the campaign committee shows that Dalhousie needs \$3,500,000 to meet the needs of the day. The present campaign in Nova Scotia is to be for a million of this from our alumni and friends, and is but a beginning of the fulfilment of our needs. For instance, it contains no provision whatever for the medical school, which requires at least a million itself to meet the demands of modern medical teaching. I am very glad to be able to state that a fund for this purpose is assured from other sources."

The objective of this million campaign is first to secure money to increase present salaries to a living wage; secondly, to endow four much needed new chairs—two in arts and two in law—and thirdly, to provide an arts building, as our present classroom accommodation is entirely inadequate. We also desire to make a beginning in providing living quarters for the men and women students. Mrs. Eddy's magnificent gift will enable us to begin the erection of the women's building, but we require funds to make an immediate beginning toward the erection of a man's residence which is urgently needed.

So far the efforts of the campaign fund have been confined to Halifax and Montreal, and will be continued this week. Tomorrow, the campaign will open in Cape Breton, Pictou, Cumberland and other counties, and we are confident that the friends of Dalhousie in Nova Scotia, outside of Halifax, will liberally respond to the appeal now being made to them.

"The strengthening of Dalhousie means much for the future of our province. It is a university of democratic foundation, and for the people; and it is our hope that all the people will have a share in its expanding usefulness. We appeal to all Nova Scotians to come now to Dalhousie's aid and to join with her friends everywhere in putting the university in the position to meet the educational needs of the youth of the maritime provinces."

### STRIKERS READY TO RESUME WORK

Dublin, June 6.—The strikers' committee yesterday considered the message from James Henry Thomas, M. P. for Derby, and General Secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen, advising the strikers to resume work pending a decision by the Trades Congress at Bristol on the refusal of the men to handle munitions.

### MARSHAL FOCH IN ACCIDENT

Paris, June 6.—Marshal Foch, suffering no ill effects from a collision tonight of his auto with a taxicab, attended a ceremony at the Sorbonne today, at which the people of Alsace and Lorraine presented him with a statue symbolizing victory.

### FIVE KILLED AND MANY INJURED

Grand Rapids, Mich., June 6.—Five people were killed and a large number injured at Andrew's Crossing, ten miles west of Grand Rapids, on the Holland Interurban line late this afternoon, according to advices reaching the sheriff here.



### HEAVY RAINS AT FREDERICTON

Ground Broken for New Hardwood Mill at Capitol City.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., June 6.—It has been raining here heavily almost all day today, the first heavy rain since the 9th and 10th of May. The weather has been cold during the week end and it has seemed more like late in the fall than the month of June.

Ground was broken yesterday for the mill which is to be erected on Queen street, West, just this side of the site of the old Estey Mill. The mill is being erected by Gordon Scott and will manufacture shooks, hardwood flooring, etc.

Albert W. England, who was sentenced to four years' imprisonment in the penitentiary at Dorchester by Justice Chandler for uttering forged prescriptions was taken to the penitentiary yesterday by Sheriff J. B. Harte and Constable William Hughes.

### TO RATION SUGAR IN UNITED STATES

More Need of Economy Now Than at Any Time During the War.

New York, June 6.—A joint distribution committee to ration sugar to confederates throughout the United States will be formed here within two weeks, A. W. Riley, special assistant to Attorney-General Palmer, announced Saturday. Characterizing the sugar situation in the United States as more critical than at any time during the war, Mr. Riley said an effort would be made to have bakers economize on its use in pastries, and to have hotels and restaurants ration sugar to their patrons.

### UNITED FARMERS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Kelowna, B. C., June 6.—Formation of a United Farmers Body in British Columbia is assured as the result of the adoption of a resolution at the joint convention here of the Farmers Institute and United Farmers, adopting the constitution, as revised by the joint committee and pledging each member to make the amalgamation a success.

### PRESBYTERIANS HAVE SHORTAGE OF WORKERS

Ottawa, June 4.—Assembly began consideration this afternoon of perhaps its most important branch of activity, Foreign Missions.

The most striking feature of Foreign Mission work at the present, it was revealed, is the shortage in the staff in every field. Rev. Dr. A. B. Baird, Winnipeg in the absence of the Chairman, Dr. Gaudier, presented and spoke on the report of the Board of Foreign Missions.

After stating the grave shortage of workers, the report went on:—"We have not been able to find men to fill all the vacancies in the mission fields. It is a very serious condition we are confronting, and a considerable number of men must be found at once as our missionaries are overworked and health, in many cases, is imperilled. At its meeting in April this year, the Board gave earnest consideration to this critical condition, and adopted the following resolution:—"

"The Board of Foreign Missions is face to face with a situation which demands the immediate and urgent attention of the Presbyterian Church in Canada. Never in the church's history were there such wonderful opportunities for service in our foreign mission fields. Our schools and hospitals are over-crowded, many are on waiting lists craving admission. Our missionaries are overworked and broken down in health, have been returned to Canada. We are in immediate need of men for preaching, teaching and treating the sick. We are confident that sufficient workers will be forthcoming."

The church in Canada has contributed during the last year a larger amount than ever before towards mission work but Dr. Baird said that much more must be obtained, if even to keep level.

The increased cost of transportation and above all unfavorable exchange rates have served to almost double expenditure.

In view of the fact that, during the next five years, some \$800,000 are to be expended upon buildings and equipment in the foreign fields of the church, and in view of the rapidly changing social and political conditions in all lands, the Board considers it expedient and necessary that a deputation of two commissioners should visit all our Foreign Fields. The purpose of such deputation would be:

1. To cheer and encourage the missionaries and to express by personal visits, the sympathy and good will of the Canadian church for the native church.
2. To make careful study of conditions and needs.
3. To bring back and spread information throughout the home church and to stimulate missionary interest and enthusiasm, and
4. To advise the Board in regard to its building programme, method of work, the best kind of training, new equipment, new methods of approach, and any plans for advancing the work.

Dr. Baird, in moving the adoption of these proposals, explained the reason for sending out a deputation, and said that the missionaries on furlough do not emphasize their needs enough. They are too modest. The recommendations were adopted with the exception of clause 4, which was deferred for future consideration.

### Why Japs' Legs are Dwarfed

Measurements taken by surgeons of the Japanese army show that the Japanese smallness of stature is due to an almost direct condition of the legs. This is probably due to the fact that from early childhood a really unnatural way of sitting is constantly practiced. The adult Japanese is accustomed to sit with his legs bent under him. As soon as the child is old enough to be set upon the floor his legs are bent under him in imitation of the custom of his elders. This, in time, dwarfs the growth of the limbs. Actual deformity is less common among the peasants than among scholars, merchants, and others of sedentary habits.

### Carelessness

From address by Dr. H. J. Cody, Toronto. We know that carelessness is one of the chief causes of fire. I do not know how we shall ever get all people to be careful. I was reading an essay the other day on some of the things that should not possibly be allowed to go on in the new world after the war. Some of these are idleness, headiness, extravagance and carelessness.

### DIED.

COGGAR—In this city June 4, 1920, Catherine L., beloved wife of Thomas Coggar, and daughter of the late William and Bridget McHirry, leaving her husband, one son, one daughter, seven brothers and four sisters to mourn. Funeral Monday morning at 8.15 from her late residence, 200 Hookland road, to Holy Trinity church for requiem high mass. No flowers by request.

McAULIFFE—At his home 18 Kitchener street, on Sunday evening, after a lingering illness John C. McAuliffe, leaving beside his wife, one daughter, two sons, two sisters and one brother to mourn. Notice of funeral hereafter.

Naturally. There goes a fellow who chased around for years trying to land a political job. "Well, what does he do now?" "Nothing—his's got the job."

### AFTER NEWSPRINT PROFITTEERS

U. S. Senate Committee Recommends Prosecution Under Anti-Trust Act.

Washington, June 6.—Prosecution under the Sherman Anti-Trust and Clayton Acts of print paper manufacturers, suspected of profiteering was recommended, Saturday, by the Senate Manufacturers' sub-committee, which conducted an investigation of the paper situation. The committee of the President recommended that, should government efforts to maintain a reasonable price meet with failure, a Federal Newsprint Board be established "to supervise the manufacture and distribution of print paper."

### PROPOSED DEEP WATER CHANNEL

Further Argued Before International Waterways Commission at Duluth.

Duluth, Minn., June 6.—Further arguments in favor of the proposed deep water channel from the Atlantic Ocean to the Great Lakes were offered at the final hearing here Saturday, of the International Joint Waterways Commission. The commission was told by several witnesses that a channel to the sea to accommodate ocean-going vessels could be completed and put into use long before the port of New York and other eastern terminals could improve their facilities to meet present day freight handling requirements.

### THE INSPECTOR WAS KEPT BUSY

Albert Irvine was arrested at 11.46 o'clock last night by Inspector Murray on Mill street, and is charged with having liquor in his possession other than in his private dwelling. On Saturday night, at 11.30 o'clock Inspector Murray, accompanied by Policemen Gill and Downey, and armed with a search warrant, made a raid in the dwelling occupied by Albie Alberts, a colored man, on Guilford street, West St. John. The officers found a bottle of gin, which they confiscated, and Alberts will appear in the police court this morning.

### OBITUARY.

John C. McAuliffe. The death took place last evening after a lingering illness of John C. McAuliffe, at his residence, 18 Kitchener street. He leaves beside his wife, one daughter Rose, and two sons, William and John, at home, two sisters, Mrs. William Nugent, of this city, and Mrs. McBride, of Amherst, N. S., and one brother, William, of St. John. Mr. McAuliffe was a native of St. John and a well known stevedore.

### Real-Fruit Desserts The Rarest Sort

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### ARRANGEMENT IS FOR MONTH OF JUNE

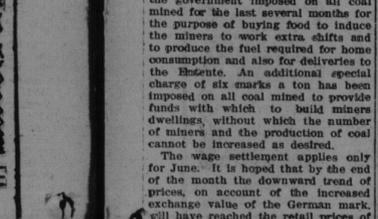
Prices of All Commodities on the Downward Trend.

Berlin, June 6.—Germany has just avoided a threatened coal miners' strike without the customary sequence of shifting the burden of the wage increase upon the consumers by increasing the price of coal. The government, for political and economical reasons, was anxious to avoid an increase in the price of fuel at a moment when prices generally seem to start downward, and made this possible by itself assuming the major part of the wage increase. Payment of the government share will be made in food, thereby meeting the miners' argument that the sole reason for the demanded increase was to obtain more food without resort to a vicious circle of increased wages, leading to a higher coal price, to higher cost of manufacture and transit for all commodities, to higher consequent cost of living and inevitably to new wage demands.

The miners of the Westphalian fields, including the noted Ruhr area, so lately in insurrection, were granted, at a joint meeting of the federal coal council and the coal operators' league, the increase of seven marks fifty per shift which they demanded. But the council, on which operators, miners and consumers are all represented, and the government representatives voted the operators' proposal to tack the increase, amounting to about ten marks a ton, to the coal price. Also the cost will instead be assumed partly by the operators and partly by the government, whose share of the wage increase, viz, four marks fifty, will be paid in orders on the stock of 60,000,000 marks worth of meats, fats and other food imported for that purpose. Money will be appropriated from the proceeds of the fund raised by the charge of two marks twenty per ton on the production of coal.

The wage settlement applies only for June. It is hoped that by the end of the month the downward trend of prices, on account of the increased exchange value of the German mark, will have reached the retail price of food and other necessities which are as yet little affected and thus reduce the cost of living sufficient to justify the suspension of the government's food supplement to the wage arrangements. This applies only to the western coal fields. Miners in other sections, notably Silesia, decided not to ask a wage increase which would be only shifted to the coal price, but like the American railway men of last year, to give the government an opportunity to bring down the price of food and clothing and other necessities.

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ed during 1920. The increase in wages has not kept pace with increased prices of coal, which today is 185 marks, or fourteen times the pre-war price.

Doctor Kuzynski, statistician of one of the Berlin municipalities, has just compiled a set of figures to prove that the operators could have and should have borne this and the earlier increases of wages without raising the price of coal. He reckons that wages today represent only 40 per cent. of the coal price as against 52 per cent. before the war, and that operators, who before the war were content with a net profit of about 10 per cent. of the ton price, now take a rate-off of 39 marks, or 24 per cent. of the ton price.

The decision not to increase the price of coal has headed off the increased cost of iron and steel which the iron and steel association declined to demand if coke prices were raised. The association instead decreased the June price of pig-iron, plates, bars, wire rods and other manufactured products from 300 to 500 marks a ton. Ingots, for example, are reduced from 2,650 to 2,453 marks per ton, or at the present exchange from approximately \$66.25 to 60.78 per ton, and steel rails from \$94 to \$83 per ton. The manufacturer's committee had proposed an insignificant reduction on haematite cast iron, leaving other prices unchanged, but the government vetoed the proposal, to which representatives of the consuming industries and the workmen objected as inadequate. The government representative declared that a marked reduction was justified on the basis of the government's investigation into the costs of production and especially on account of the material reduction in the cost of imported ore, owing to the improved value of the mark and the decreased ocean freight rates.

The reduction in June prices, which is the first check in an otherwise steady upward movement in German iron and steel prices, will, it is believed here, inevitably be followed by further cuts if the German iron and steel industry is to remain able to compete in the world market. The present home price of bar iron, for instance, before the June cut, is higher than the export price to Denmark and only slightly below the export price to Sweden, Holland and Switzerland. Six weeks earlier German exporters were able to charge 3,000 marks per ton above home prices on iron and steel products and still compete successfully in foreign markets, but the improvement in German exchange has deprived them of this advantage. Ship owners, to take another illustration, now find it cheaper to effect repairs in Holland than in Germany, owing to the high cost of materials and wages.

The Berlin Tagblatt's financial expert, Felix Pinner, in a notable article, declared that German manufacturers and producers, who now are profit mad, must learn to content themselves with a normal margin of profit instead of the tremendous gains to which they have become accustomed during and since the war. Germany is to recover its world industrial position. Profits of 10 to 30 per cent, no longer are considered sufficient, and the manufacturers appear to have forgotten the old principle of developing business on a big turnover at a moderate profit.

### RESPIRE GRANTED CONDEMNED MEN

Montreal, June 6.—At the King's Bench Court, Saturday morning, Justice Desjardins granted a five month's respite to Beland and Boyce, who were sentenced to be hanged on June 18th. The new date set for their execution is November 8th. Stay of execution was granted in order that their counsel's appeal to the Appeal Court might be heard next October.

The two men entered a rooming house here last October, and shot and killed an inmate, named Peter Shulham, and robbed one of the other inmates of \$1,000.

A Tip on Market Tips. Advice, though it is given free, may to its taker costily be.

### U.S. WILL SEAT ENVOY IN SOVIET TRADE COUNCIL

Delegate Will Attend Sessions in London to Observe Procedure.

### LOYD GEORGE DECLARES BRITAIN HAS NOT DECIDED

Several Important Questions to be Settled Before Action Will be Taken.

Washington, June 5.—The United States will be represented unofficially at the forthcoming conference in London between Gregory Krasin, Bolshevik minister of trade and commerce, and representatives of the supreme economic council, it was today by officials here.

The presence of an unofficial American observer at the conference it was stated, would not mean that the United States had changed its position with regard to resumption of trade with Bolshevik Russia or that any change was in contemplation. Officials explained the purpose was to only keep in touch with the negotiations and with the views of other nations on the question.

### NEWSPAPER ASSN. APPEALS TO GOVT

Request Legislation That Will Insure Supply of Newsprint.

Ottawa, June 6.—At a special general meeting of the Canadian Daily Newspaper Association held here, today, to consider the precarious position of many Canadian newspapers with regard to newsprint supplies, it was decided to appeal to the Federal Government for legislation requiring each newspaper manufacturer unwilling to do so, to supply his proportion of the domestic requirements of newsprint at prices not higher than the current contract prices for export to foreign countries.

### HEAVY POLLING IN GERMANY YESTERDAY

Unofficial Returns Indicate the Independents Have Polled in Great Strength.

Berlin, June 6.—Unofficial returns in the general elections from various parts of Germany indicate that the independents have polled in great strength, all the industrial areas largely exceeding their last year polls. The German people's party, the former National Liberals, are leading up to the present the Bourgeois parties, but the German National Party—former Conservatives—is also running strong.

### GOVT WILL ACT FOR PUBLISHERS

To Introduce Bill to Assure Newspapers for Canadian Press.

Ottawa, Ont, June 6.—(By Canadian Press.)—The Citizen, tomorrow, will say that the Dominion Government will introduce legislation this week compelling Canadian makers of newspaper to supply 15 per cent. of their total output to Canadian publishers, this being sufficient for the needs of the newspapers of this country. The bill to be introduced, the paper states, will not fix the price. A meeting of the Daily Newspaper Association, Saturday, asked the Government to pass legislation enforcing the mills to keep them supplied at prices not higher than current export rates.

Suspicious. "Smith says Jack Hunter to a man after her own heart." "That may be what he is after, but if it is it doesn't explain why he was looking her father up in Bradstreet yesterday."—Boston Transcript.

Dyeing is attributed to the Tyrant, 1900 B. C.

### GREAT UPHEAVALS FORESEEN IN CHINA

Conditions Make Foreign Intervention Impracticable and Consortium Money May be Wasted.

### BANDIT ARMY REIGNS

Disbandment Essential But Impossible—Advance Toward Real Civilization Has Gained Little.

(Special correspondence. Copyright, 1920 by Public Ledger Co.) Peking, June 5.—China's civil war, such as it has been, is coming to an end. The "rebel" southern government is fast collapsing. Internal unity, however, is far off as it has been at any time in these last three years.

Pesce will make little difference, for the war has made little difference. It did not touch vital conditions in China. And this struggle had become artificial even by ordinary Chinese political standards.

It arose out of a genuine issue between the republicans and the militarist reactionaries. In the summer of 1917 a group of general military men in the north combined to compel the then President Li Yuan-hung to dismiss the existing Parliament without cause other than that it had antagonized them by a constitutional provision seeking to subject them to the law of the country. They surrounded Peking with their troops and compelled the president to submit almost at the mouths of their guns.

### CALLS OFF HUNT FOR LOST PROPERTY

Confesses to Officials That His Lady Pal Had Returned With His Jewels.

Boston, June 6.—Jacob Astor, a South End restaurant proprietor, walked into the Boylston Street police station today, and told the lieutenant in charge that it might be just as well to call off the hunt for his lost property. Astor told the police, yesterday, that a young woman, whom he had met Friday night, had left him several hours later and had taken with her his liberty bonds and jewelry to the value of \$50,000.

### LATE SHIPPING

New York, June 5.—Arvid Starns Lapland, Antwerp; Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, Liverpool. Quebec, June 6.—Arvid Starns W. M. Tupper, St. John, Nfld, schrs Little Ruth, Clark's Harbor, N. S.; Mary J. Belle, Isaac Harbor, N. S.

Quebec, June 6.—By Canadian Press.—Arvid Starns, Glasgow; tug boat Boston, sea; str Venusta, Montreal.

### GENERAL HERRERO HAS A DEFENSE

Says Carranza Committed Suicide When His Followers Deserted Him.

Mexico City, June 6.—Refutation of his assertions that the late President Carranza's death was due to suicide and the cowardice of his companions was the feature of brief declarations by General Rodolfo Herrero upon his arrival in Mexico City last night for the purpose of rendering to President De La Huerta an account of his actions on the morning of May 21 at Tlaxicalantongo, where Carranza was killed. General Herrero asserted that he attacked two hundred followers of Carranza with eighty men, and that the Carranza forces fled without attempting to defend the President who was wounded, and who, on being abandoned, shot himself.

He characterized the assertions of Carranza's followers as falsehoods, and declared positively that he could prove his assertions by means of Carranza's bloodstained pistol and other evidence.

### ASK FOR TROOPS IN LOWER CAL.

Calxico, Calif., June 6.—A recommendation that 500,000 Mexican troops be sent to the Port of Ensen-

ada in connection with the visit to China of Thomas W. Lamont, of J. P. Morgan and Co., for the organization of the consortium, it has been proposed that a disbandment loan be made, with foreign supervision of the process. But the machinery would have to be extensive, and co-operation of the Chinese does not exist. To evade the issue, it would be necessary to provide that more foreign money squandered and turned into mandarin private coffers. Foreign intervention is a powerful force up-growing within China can effect solution. And nothing short of revolution is likely to provide that.

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### REPUBLIC VS. MANDARINATE

Fundamentally, however, there will be no change. The struggle between the modern-minded and real liberal and the country and the corrupt mandarin, both military and civil, will go on. Overlaid by personal equations, Oriental intrigues and Chinese indifference as it may be, there is nevertheless a great issue that divides the country. There are two logically irreconcilable elements that must come into conflict, whether the conflict is expressed in two separate governments or otherwise. On the one side are those who want to make the republic a reality. On the other are the survivors of the old regime who insist on retaining the vestiges of the old long struggle. It is destined to be a long struggle. The western world must prepare itself for a succession of upheavals and much disorder in China.

Yet China has already made its break with its dead past. The break is not a hard one to make. What the ultimate result will be depends chiefly on freedom from external aggression while China is adjusting itself. This is the first task of western diplomacy. If it fails, then the inevitable result is world war for the pieces.

Militarism is China's Curse. It is a paradox typical of all Chinese affairs that the nation that has developed to its highest point the philosophy of passive resistance should also be characterized now by an offensive militarism as exists anywhere in the world. Militarism is now China's greatest curse. The greatest obstacle to the present realization of the hopes of the republic is the army. The pressing of the contemporary issues arising from that struggle is the problem of disbanding the army.

### Easy Prey for Japan

The army thus maintained numbers about a million men—there are no exact figures as there is no central control. Its maintenance costs at least a third of the country's revenue. Yet its efficiency it is far below the level of the army of the most temperamental of the smaller Central Asia.

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### LLOYD GEORGE WON OVER BY RUSSIAN PLEA

Led to Favor Commercial Dealings by "Trade or Anarchy" Argument.

### KRASSIN SAYS NATION READY TO BUY IMPORTS

Refusal to Give up English Prisoners Holding up Negotiations.

By Carl W. Ackerman. (Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger Company.)

London, June 6.—The die is cast and the foundation for peace between England and soviet Russia has been laid by Messrs. Krassin and Klisko. The Bolshevik trade envoys, who both surprised and convinced Lloyd George. From now on, providing only that Lenin and Trotsky support Krassin, British and Russia will make serious efforts to resume trade and general commercial intercourse. If these efforts succeed and if the optimism of today is not destroyed by some act of deceit or treachery by Russia, the business peace will soon develop into a political peace, although it is very probable that when the time comes for official political recognition there may be a conservative coalition government in Moscow.

### Bloddy Revolution Predicted.

Your correspondent has learned from British officials the substance of Krassin's reports to the British cabinet. That which surprises the premier and his colleagues the most was his frank acknowledgment that Russia begins immediately to trade with the outside world, the present government will fall and another bloody revolution will be followed by an indefinite period of anarchy. From Krassin's further statements the British officials conclude that, while a new revolution may lead to the overthrow of Lenin and of his coworkers, there is no possibility of either a strong central government being formed or of order being restored for a long period after another Russian civil war, and, further, that another Bolshevik peasant uprising will in all probability be confined to Russia, but spread to the Near East and central Europe.

When questioned about the supplies and materials with which Russia might be in a position to export in exchange for manufactured wares, Krassin admitted that at present, aside from flax and timber, Russia was not in a position to export anything, although the soviet government, with its present visible assets, would be in a position to pay up to \$500,000,000 (normally about \$2,500,000,000) for articles imported into Russia. These possible assets of Russia are made up of the following: Platinum valued at £1,000,000; art treasures, including valuable collections formerly belonging to the imperial family and the aristocracy seized by the various revolutionary governments from that of Kerensky to the Bolshevik; \$100,000,000 in gold; foreign securities, and the crown and other jewels approximately of the same value.

In regard to the works of art, the British Government was already fully informed by a recent traveler who has been throughout Russia making confidential investigation. He declared that unless the art treasures were disposed of this year they would be ruined by another Russian winter. Last winter most of the famous paintings housed in Russia were kept in damp vaults or cellars.

### Kolchak Holds \$300,000,000.

So far as the British Government can learn from soviet representatives and from independent investigations, the Bolsheviks have not succeeded in recovering any large portion of the gold and platinum seized by the Czechs in Semara in 1918. This gold and platinum was turned over to Admiral Kolchak's government and was valued at \$300,000,000. Of that about \$100,000,000 was recovered by the Bolsheviks when they overcame the Kolchak forces in Siberia.

### FROM A CHILD WAS CONSTIPATED

According to the best medical authorities, fully three-fourths of the people of the civilized world suffer in some form from constipation or irregular action of the bowels. There is no doubt that many distressing diseases are caused by constipation. It gives rise to sick and bilious headaches, jaundice, heartburn, hoarseness, spears before the eyes, catarrh of the stomach, biliousness and the painful, troublesome piles. Therefore it is of supreme importance to health that the bowels be kept regular. Simple food, fruit, etc., should be used, and rich food and stimulants of all kinds avoided. This with the use of Milburn's Lax-Liver Pills to regulate and establish healthy action of the bowels cannot fail to give permanent relief in the most obstinate cases.

Milburn's Lax-Liver Pills are 50c a box at all druggers or mailed direct on receipt of price by The F. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

### CONFEREES AGREE ON SHIP BOARD BILL

Sale to Foreigners Will be Permitted on Approval of Five Members of the Commission.

Washington, June 6.—The Jones shipping bill was reported out of conference today, providing a policy for the disposition of about 1400 vessels now under the control of the United States shipping board and furnishing the legal basis for the future development of the American merchant marine. Provisions of the bill relative to foreign ships will, according to Representative Blamonds, of Philadelphia, one of the House conferees, give American shippers important advantages in international commercial relations.

The bill creates a board of seven members to take the place of the present shipping board. It authorizes this body to direct and sell "as soon as possible and consistent with good business practice and the objects and purposes of the act at public or private competitive sale, after appraisal, to persons who are citizens of the United States all of the vessels owned or acquired by the board." The sale of ships to foreign interests is permitted only upon the agreement of at least five members of the commission and the reasons for the sale are to be made public. Time payments on such sales are limited to ten years, whereas the limit for Americans is placed at fifteen years. A 5.13 per cent interest rate is required on deferred payments in sales to foreign interests.

### Cost Provision Stricken Out.

The provision of the bill as it passed the Senate, prohibiting the sale of bottoms "at a price than the cost at the time of making such sale of constructing vessels of similar type, minus depreciation," was stricken out in conference.

All the property acquired for the shipping board by the President is to be placed in charge of the new board, which is directed to establish postal lines where they do not interfere with privately owned lines, and maintain the same on a non-profit basis. The sum of \$25,000,000 for five years is provided to be used in loans on such sales as limited to ten years, whereas the limit for Americans is placed at fifteen years. A 5.13 per cent interest rate is required on deferred payments in sales to foreign interests.

Foreign ships which enter into conferences and agreements to which Americans are not party are excluded from American shipping interests under the provisions of the bill. The measure directs the President to investigate the feasibility of extending the coastwise law to the Philippines.

### Tax Rebate for New Building.

In order to encourage shipbuilding by Americans, the bill provides that taxes shall be rebated for ten years on condition that the sum turned back be put into new building. It also provides that there shall be no tax on the return from sales of ships when the entire amount of the proceeds is put into new building.

The bill gives preference to American bottoms in carrying mails and removes the special restrictions carried in the Ocean Mail Act of 1891. It also amends the Edmonds bill, recognizing the American bureau of shipping for the classification of government-owned vessels.

Cargo vessels are permitted to carry sixteen passengers and the coastwise trade to Alaska is reserved for American ships. An important advantage to American shippers, according to Mr. Edmonds, is continued in the provision allowing drawbacks on freight rates to American ships alone in the port and import business.

The Edmonds marine insurance bill, allowing the pooling of American companies to take marine insurance with American preference, the Sherman anti-trust law, is incorporated in the bill. The bill abrogates all treaties giving discriminatory rates on imports, exports, and provides that 75 per cent of the stock of ships engaged in the coastwise shipping trade shall be owned by Americans.

Commercial relations on a large scale, in exchange for clothing, shoes, household necessities, railroad material and factory supplies. Premier Lloyd George and his cabinet were quick to see the possibilities for British enterprise in Russia, but they are handicapped for the present by the lack of authentic information regarding the Bolshevik operations in Persia and the refusal of the soviet government to release British prisoners.

Krassin was frankly informed that until he could assure the British cabinet about Lenin's willingness to withdraw his forces into Russia and until British prisoners are released, the trade discussions in London could not be expected to be wholly satisfactory. American promises to communicate with his government and obtain what he expected to be satisfactory answers to his queries. The cabinet understands the great difficulties which confront both Britain and Russia in resuming trade relations, especially that of the demoralized transportation system in Russia. Britain realizes that until some order is established on the Russian railways there will not be much progress.

### LOG DRIVING WAS HELD UP

Scarcity of Water Has Affected the Drives, the Upper Corporation Being Delayed Two Weeks.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, June 6.—The Upper St. John River Corporation drive was not completed until this week, almost two weeks behind the usual time for finishing the work. There were about 40,000,000 feet of logs in the drive, of which 25,000,000 were to come to the St. John River Log Driving Company's booms here for the mills here and at St. John, the balance being for mills on the Maine side of the St. John River, at VanBuren and elsewhere.

W. J. Noble, of this city, was in charge of the Corporation drive, and had a hard proposition because of the scarcity of labor and the rapid way the water fell because of the continued dry weather. The rate of pay was \$5 per day, but on all the driving operations on the upper river this year it was difficult to get sufficient labor. The lower limit of the Upper Corporation is at the mouth of the Allagash, whence the Madawaska Log Driving Company take the logs to Grand Falls, where the lower Corporation limits commence. There is every indication that the logs in the Upper Corporation will only be brought down the river by hand driving unless there is a heavy rain, in fact a considerable quantity of logs have already been left behind on various tributaries of the Upper St. John River, although heavy rains would bring them out. The Allagash drive got out earlier than usual, it is said, but on Black River a considerable quantity of lumber had to be abandoned.

On the Nashwaak River driving has had to be stopped because of the lack of water, the main drive being abandoned at a point about eight miles north of Stanley. These logs are largely for the Nashwaak Pulp and Paper Company, but will be quickly brought along in the event of rains, as that river is easily affected.

### ST. JOHN MEN RECEIVED DEGREES

McGill University Conferred Honors Upon Students Saturday.

Montreal, June 6.—The following degrees were conferred at McGill University on Saturday.

The Holmes Gold Medal for highest grade in all subjects forming the medical curriculum, C. M. Eaton, B. A., M. A., Truro, N. B.; H. B. Roberts, M.D., Edgarton, N. B.; The following gentlemen have fulfilled all the requirements of the University to entitle them to the degree of M. D., C. M.—G. R. Drow, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; C. M. Eaton, M. A., Truro, N. B.; B. O. Goodrich, Skowhegan, Maine; J. A. Macdougall, B. A., Macdougall's N. B.; O. C. Trainer, B. A., Hunter River, P. E. I. Diplomas of Public Health were presented to W. F. Law, M. D., Bay Roberts, Nfld.; Edgar Douglas, B. D., Halifax, N. S.; H. A. Watson, B. Sc., M. D., Petitcodiac, N. B. Degree of B. A. was conferred on T. B. Evans, St. John, N. B.; H. B. Everett, St. Andrews, N. B.; W. B. Somerville, Bristol, N. B. Degree of B. Sc. (Applied Science) conferred on H. C. Lee, St. John, N. B. Otherwise idealized.

"Are your portraits good likeness?" "Well, yes, of course—if the attorney insists."—Boston Transcript.

Her Endeavor. "I reckon by this time the baby can say all sorts of things?" chirped the visiting cousin. "Yes," replied Mrs. Johnson. "I try the best I can to keep him from it, but, naturally, he's around his Paw a good deal."

A. Dunning, Provincial Treasurer of Saskatchewan, and Peter Hennan, M. L. A. for Kenora, Ont., closed the speakers' list.

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### WINNIPEG HONORS FORMER CITIZEN

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Winnipeg, June 6.—Nearly three hundred citizens of Winnipeg and the West paid a tribute to Grant Hall, Vice-President of the C. P. R., last night at a banquet in the Royal Alexandra Hotel, to make up for their inability to give him a suitable farewell when he was so suddenly called to Montreal to assume his present high post in the company.

Sir James Aikins, Lieutenant Governor of Manitoba, capably filled the office of toastmaster, and in his address expressed the markings of industry to which he attributed the rise of Grant Hall to his present responsible position as General Manager of "The Greatest Railway in the World." Premier T. C. Morris was entrusted with the duty of representing all the provincials in the west in paying tribute to the great western railroader and citizen. Mayor Charles F. Gray, both as chief magistrate of Winnipeg and as an engineer, added to the eulogy of Mr. Hall and was followed by Mayor Church of Toronto, who while complimenting the C. P. R. on having been such a successful privately owned and operated concern, due to the ability and personality of its executive, men like Grant Hall, claimed that public ownership has not yet had a fair show. A. Dunning, Provincial Treasurer of Saskatchewan, and Peter Hennan, M. L. A. for Kenora, Ont., closed the speakers' list.

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de regret and that of his family at evening tea in the west on removal to Montreal but asked his western friends to learn to appreciate the east. The attendance was frequently referred to as most thoroughly representative of the business men of Western Canada. The gathering also included a number of ladies, guests of Mrs. Grant Hall.

Before opening the toast list, a number of letters and telegrams of regret were read from all parts of the country, though brief, the letters and telegrams were cordial and sincere, that of President Healy being especially warm, as he writes: "I deeply regret my inability to be absent from Montreal at the time you mention as nothing would give me greater pleasure than to attend a dinner in honor of so worthy a recipient of this compliment as Mr. Hall."

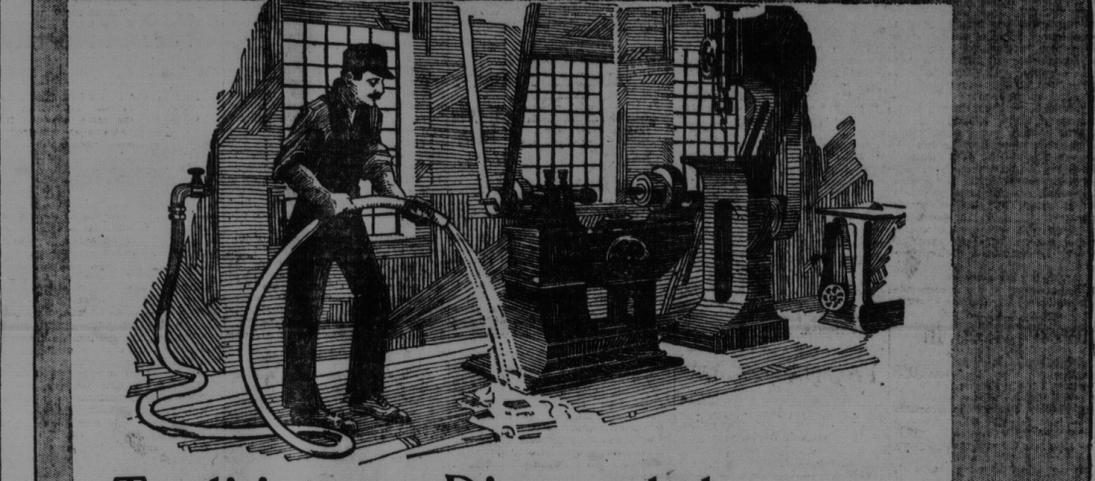
Musical Criticism. "How do you like the new singer, Jones?" "Oh, very well, except when she's singing."

Heard in the Library. Chief Muller—Why don't you stop talking when I look at you? Ever-Observed—Lady, I ain't no clock.—Scotper.

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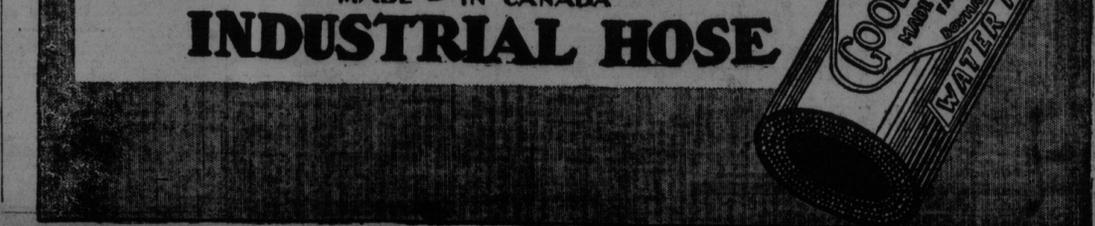
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Take Goodyear Water Hose as an example. Water Hose is rarely destroyed through high pressure. But every year thousands of feet is prematurely worn out because the outside covering is not sufficient to stand the constant scuffing and pulling over cinders, pieces of iron—against the edges of machines—and so on.

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Brogan	5	1	0	0	2	0	0
Stewart	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Hartfield	5	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stafford	5	0	1	0	0	0	0
Parlee	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
McGovern	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brown	5	1	1	0	0	0	0
Arnesen	5	1	1	0	0	0	0
Total	35	6	26	13	8	3	0

St. Peter's

AB	R	H	P	O	A	B
Dover	4	0	0	0	2	0
Gibbons	4	0	0	0	2	0
Hilly	4	0	1	0	0	0
McGovern	4	0	1	0	0	0
Doherty	4	0	0	0	0	0
Lenthall	4	0	0	0	0	0
Callaghan	4	0	0	0	0	0
Harrison	4	0	0	0	0	0
Chestnut	4	0	0	0	0	0
King	4	0	0	0	0	0
Total	32	0	6	27	10	0

Summary—East End grounds Saturday, May 5, Alerts 8; St. Peter's 2. Two bases hits, Stewart, Costello, Doherty, Arnesen, sacrifice hits Brogan (2); stolen bases, Costello, Brogan (1); bases on balls, off Parlee 1; hit by pitched ball, Brown; struck out, by Parlee 4; King 4; Gibbons out by bunting foul ball on third strike. Time of game two hours. Umpires, Howard and McNulty. Scorer, Carney.

Game This Evening.  
 This evening on St. Peter's grounds the Alerts and St. Peter's will battle.

**ST. JOHN MAN IS LEADING SHOT ON THE CANADIAN OLYMPIC TRAPSHOOTING TEAM**

The Six Men With Two Spares and a Waiting Man to Represent Canada in Contest for the World's Championship at Antwerp Have Been Selected—O. J. Killam of St. John Broke 296 Targets Out of 300 and Leads Entire Field by Five Points—James McLaughlin of St. John Club Chosen Waiting Man—Championship Shot from July 22 to 31.

St. John has just reason to be proud, for O. J. Killam of the St. John Trapshooting Association has not only made the Olympic team but is the leader over all other shooters in Canada having broken 296 birds out of three hundred in the Olympic trials, and the St. John man's score is five points over the field. It is now the earnest hope of not only the Maritime Provinces gun men but of all other people that Mr. Killam will be enabled to keep up his fine record and when he returns from Antwerp he will not only be one of the world's champions but the Canadian six man team, but that he will also prove the winner of the world's championship for single.

Mr. Killam has every chance of making good at the world's meet for he is not only an expert shot but is made of the class of fighter that has the eye, nerve and a never beaten will. The last shot he fired. Cool at every stage of the game he has the spirit that makes a champion and although modest when he says that he will do his very best in coming out ahead, those who know him predict that he will surely make him the best selection in Canada today to represent the land of the Maple Leaf and bring home the laurels from all other countries in the world.

The Olympic Team  
 A wire received by The Standard last evening gives the make up of the Olympic team, picked according to their standing in the trials as follows:  
 O. J. Killam—St. John, N. B.  
 W. Hamilton—High River, Alberta.  
 H. J. Montgomery, Beaumont, Ontario.  
 B. McLaren—Calgary, Alberta.  
 S. G. Vance—Tulumburg, Ontario.  
 J. H. Black, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Spare  
 True Oliver—Vancouver, B. C.  
 George Beattie—Hamilton, Ontario.  
 The waiting man to take the place of any of the above mentioned men in case any of the men through illness or otherwise are unable to make the trip is James McLaughlin of St. John, who is also a member of the St. John Trapshooting Association.  
 The mention of Mr. McLaughlin as



O. J. KILLAM

waiting man on the team practically gives St. John two representatives which is highly creditable for this city alone the entire Maritime Provinces.

Plans Arranged  
 J. H. Black of Winnipeg has been appointed captain of the Canadian Olympic team and the party will sail on the steamship Victoria from Quebec on July 22nd to 31st. Immediately after this shoot they will participate in the Belgium State Championship. The team will leave Antwerp on the steamer or Corvica on August 23th for Canada and it is hoped that they will return with the honors paid the Falcons of Winnipeg who won the hockey championship of the world. In the single championship of the world, the members will shoot at 100 birds, the men each man will shoot at one hundred birds in the six man team.

Shoots at Ottawa  
 O. J. Killam will be one of the men to take part in the Eastern Canadian trapshooting championship at the City laws traps on the 10th, 16th and 27th of this month.

Selecting a Team  
 On May 4th, at Toronto, it was decided at a meeting called by the Eastern Canadian Trapshooting Association that the trials would be held in all parts of Canada for the purpose of selecting a team of six men with two spares in order to go to Antwerp to shoot for Canada. It was decided that the dates for these trials would be May 8, May 9, Niagara Falls, May 15; London, May 15; Hamilton, May 22; Timbuctoo, May 22.

Trials were shot in ten bird events, including the Olympic and big, two barrels, and

**Marathon Race Feature Event**

The Most Famous Race in the World is Greatly Desired at Olympic Games—The History of This Great Event.

The marathon race, the feature event of the Olympic games, is the most famous race in the world. Unquestionably it is the most desired prize of the games which will be held in Antwerp this summer.

The marathon race is founded on fact and fancy. It is a romantic revival of a distance officially determined to be twenty-six miles, 385 yards. This gallant soldier arrived from the battlefield of Marathon to Athens—a distance officially determined to be twenty-six miles, 385 yards. This gallant soldier arrived from the battlefield of Marathon to Athens—a distance officially determined to be twenty-six miles, 385 yards. This gallant soldier arrived from the battlefield of Marathon to Athens—a distance officially determined to be twenty-six miles, 385 yards.

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On that Chatham track, this season, Jennie Hal showed plenty of early spring speed. Quarters in 33 seconds didn't seem to bother her and finally Phil Bellevue, manager of the Moncton track, bought her for \$1,000.

**Many Starters For The Curtain Raiser**

Fox Will Ship from Houlton Training Quarters—St. John Stables Behind in Training, But Will be With Others at Fredericton.

Fredericton, N. B., June 6.—As previously stated in The Standard, Frank P. Fox, the veteran trainer, who makes his headquarters at Comblaton Park, Boston, is now located at Houlton, Me., with his racing stable of nine horses. He will ship a number of his horses as there are classes here for the Fredericton Park Association's (curtain raiser) meeting on June 30th and July 1st.

The Fredericton Park Association had a representative at St. John last week, interviewing horsemen located there, and the campaigning stables now located at Moosepass Park have agreed to race whatever horses they have available at the local meetings this season.

The St. John stables are not very far ahead in their training; in fact, Peter Farren (2:07 1/2), their popular free-for-all, and some others of their horses haven't had a workout mile on the track as yet, but all those which are ready will be here for the (curtain raiser) meeting.

Singer (2:15 1/4), which was successfully campaigned last year by E. Burke of St. John, is being worked at Moosepass Park and looks better than last season.

David O'Keefe said Peter Farren would make this first start this season at Fredericton. S. E. Rice, A. P. Ryan, L. T. Dwyer and other St. John horsemen will also send their horses here.

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Detroit	35	25	.583
Washington	35	25	.583
St. Louis	32	28	.533
Chicago	32	28	.533
Boston	20	40	.333
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Buffalo	45	15	.750
Akron	42	18	.700
Rochester	38	22	.630
Reading	35	25	.583
Syracuse	32	28	.533
Buffalo	32	28	.533
Akron	30	30	.500
Baltimore	28	32	.467
Rochester	28	32	.467
Reading	28	32	.467
Syracuse	28	32	.467

**TWO DAYS' GAMES IN BIG LEAGUES**

**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

Postponed Games  
 At New York: Philadelphia-New York, two games, postponed, rain.  
 At Washington: Boston-Washington, two games, postponed, rain.  
 At Cleveland: St. Louis-Cleveland, first game postponed, rain.  
 Second Game: St. Louis 6; Cleveland 0.  
 St. Louis ..... 130000010-6 11 1  
 Cleveland ..... 000000000-0 3 3  
 Shocker and Severid; Niehaus, Faeth, Uhle and O'Neill.  
 Chicago 4; Detroit 1  
 At Chicago: Detroit ..... 000000001-4 4 1  
 Chicago ..... 021000102-4 9 1  
 Ehmeke and Stange; Williams and Schalk.

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

Postponed Games  
 At New York: Boston, two games postponed, rain.  
 At Philadelphia: Brooklyn-Philadelphia, postponed, rain.  
 At Pittsburgh: Cincinnati-Pittsburgh, two games, postponed, rain.  
 At St. Louis: St. Louis 11; Chicago 6  
 St. Louis ..... 600000000-6 33 2  
 St. Louis ..... 111000002-11 18 1  
 Martin, Badley, Hendrix, Coe, Gaw and O'Farrell; Haines, Sherdel and Clemens.

**INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE**

Postponed Game  
 At Baltimore: Jersey City-Baltimore, postponed, rain.  
 Akron 7; Rochester 3  
 Akron ..... 000000201-3 7 1  
 Akron ..... 0102002-7 10 1  
 Kelley and Ross; Barnes and Smith.  
 Reading 7; Syracuse 3  
 At Syracuse: Reading ..... 030200030-7 7 0  
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 Austin and Konick; Perryman and Niehaus.  
 At Toronto: Toronto 4; Buffalo 3  
 Toronto ..... 002000010-3 7 0  
 Toronto ..... 010100010-4 10 1  
 Rogers and Drugg; Shea and Sanders.

**Kolehmainen Won Marathon Race**

Tripe Winner in Last Olympic Games in Stockholm Won the 26 Mile Race at Travers Island Saturday.

New York, June 6.—Hannes Kolehmainen, of Brooklyn, triple winner in the last Olympic games in Stockholm won the 26 mile marathon race run yesterday at Travers Island, under the auspices of the New York Athletic Club, in which long distance runners from principal cities east of Chicago competed.

Kolehmainen did the distance in two hours 47 minutes, 49.25 seconds. Joseph Organ, of the Pittsburgh Athletic Association was second, and John Tunooki, of the Quincy, Mass., Athletic Club was third.

**Sloop Resolute To Resume Trials**

Newest Mast is Trifle Longer Than One Taken Out Last Week—Race Today Over 30 Mile Triangular Course.

Newport, R. I., June 6.—The sloop Resolute arrived from Bristol shortly before sunset today, ready to resume tomorrow the trial races with the Vanitie to determine the defender of the America's Cup.

Her new steel mast is a trifle longer than the one taken out last week, and managing owner Robert W. Emmos believes it to be far better than either the immediate predecessor or the hollow wooden mast which collapsed of Newport late this month.

The race tomorrow probably will cover thirty mile triangular course. Conditions tonight seemed to favor light winds from the north and northwest.

**BASEBALL GAMES**

Cornhill, N. B., June 4.—A fast game of baseball was played at Penobscot on Saturday, May 29th, when the Cornhill baseball team won from the Penobscot Alerts. The score was 6-1. The umpire was Charles O'Brien.

A large crowd witnessed a fast game at Cornhill on Thursday, June 3rd, when the Penobscot Alerts won from the Cornhill team, the score being 11-4. The game was exciting and full of interest. Frank Smith of Anagnaw umpired the game very satisfactorily.

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Chicago	20	18	.523
Pittsburgh	20	18	.523
St. Louis	21	23	.479
Boston	17	23	.426
New York	18	24	.432
Philadelphia	16	25	.391

International League Standing

Buffalo	31	11	.738
Baltimore	27	16	.625
Toronto	21	18	.543
Akron	20	18	.523
Reading	19	21	.476
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Buffalo	16	26	.385
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#### THE COMING REFERENDUM.

Within the next few weeks the people of this province are to be asked to say whether they wish the present prohibitory liquor law to become a permanent institution or not. The Intoxicating Liquor Act as originally drawn provided that the law should not come into operation until the people, through the means of a plebiscite, should declare their desire to have it. This provision was, however, changed at the instigation of the promoters of the measure, to permit of the law coming into operation at once; and that when the war was over, then a plebiscite should be taken to find out if the people wished to retain it. In pursuance of this provision, a plebiscite is now to be taken.

The principles of democracy have been invoked in support of the claim that a majority of the community, whether of a district or of a country, have the right to impose their will upon the minority, in the matter of the use and enjoyment of what neither the law of the land, nor the law of the Church, has yet pronounced to be illegal, or even sinful. It is an entire misunderstanding and perversion of these principles, making directly to invasions of the liberty of the subject that would rapidly become intolerable. If applied to what we drink, why not to what we eat, and wherewithal we shall be clothed. When prescribed and enforced, the system becomes invested with elements of inequity and unfairness which those members of the Church, who are its chief protagonists, are as well situated as any other members of the community to recognize. True democratic principles would, or should at any rate, provide due and proper safeguards for the rights and privileges of the minority; but this phase of the situation is not taken into account in the proposed referendum or in the Act under which it is authorized.

In effect, the people will be asked to say whether they think that prohibition has made it any more difficult to obtain liquor; whether it has prevented its use and abuse to any great extent; whether or not it has not relaxed and vitiated the national character and habits in other ways, whether it has elevated the moral tone of the people, and whether it has lessened drunkenness and crime generally to any extent, having regard to the crowded condition of our goals at the present time. According as the people desire, so will the Legislature act; if the result of the plebiscite is an overwhelming majority in favor of the law, then it must be maintained and enforced, and if necessary strengthened; but if the majority is only small, while the law must still be maintained, it must not be expected that it will be strengthened or added to any extent.

It must be acknowledged that the hopes of improved national morals, especially in the matter of the abandonment of the use of liquor arising from the putting into force of a prohibitory law have not been wholly realized; and this is urged as a reason why the restrictions should be made more stringent. There never was a law enacted yet that some means or other were not found to evade it; and in coming to a decision on the liquor question, the people must take all the facts of the situation into careful consideration before permitting themselves to be pushed, through the zeal of a section of the community, into a position that, besides being illogical, does not promise—at least judged by experience down to date—much improvement in the matter of sobriety.

#### LET THE PEOPLE KNOW WHY THEY ARE TAXED.

Elsewhere in this issue will be found the Hansard report of the Budget speech of Mr. F. B. McCurdy, member for Colchester, N. S., from which it will be seen that he advises the Government to bring the facts of the Budget speech prominently before the Canadian public. The suggestion is an excellent one. During the war the people of this country showed an unvarying readiness to respond to every call for financial assistance in the carrying of the war to a successful conclusion. Now that the war is over they will be found equally willing to meet the national responsibilities which the war and the development of the country, together with the cost of the Government, may demand.

The trouble is that too often taxation is represented in the public mind as a contribution of governments to squeeze money from the people for extravagant and doubtful enterprises. Political opponents are given to the practice of every kind of misleading statements, to the further confusion of the taxpayer. There was relatively little of this mischievous and unparliamentary work during the war, with the consequence that the public mind was never in doubt, and hence never hesitated to provide the necessary funds, nor crumpled thereat, with the war ended, political parties opposed to the Government are again causing it to appear that taxation is more or less unnecessary, and that if only they were in control they could

devise means whereby taxation would not be felt at all. Discussing this matter, the London Free Press points out that "the truth is that the Government has to meet demands in cash this year which far exceed the demands of any previous year, and that since there are only two ways by which this money can be found, and only one businesslike way, namely, that of paying as we go rather than by borrowing and thus increasing the difficulties of our situation later on, it follows that somebody must pay, and the consequence is that the man who does not in some way feel the burden is not helping at all. And since the duty belongs to no one in particular, but to everybody, the Government has devised means for spreading the burden as far as possible upon everyone, according to their ability to pay. That the matter is not one that can readily be handed on to a relatively few will be apparent when it is stated that the Government is facing indebtedness to the tune of \$725,000,000, with an additional \$74,000,000 to roll over certain floating obligations which mature during the year. To meet this colossal sum it was estimated that \$381,000,000 would be secured upon the basis of last year's taxation, but this, with cash in hand and outstanding accounts collectible this year, still left a deficit in sight of at least \$129,000,000.

"It is because the Government must have, from some source, this \$129,000,000 additional that we have what is called luxury taxation. No other method appeared to open the way. Opposition speakers have signally failed to suggest other methods. Mr. Fielding congratulated the Minister of Finance upon his courage in meeting the situation thus squarely. The luxury taxes, of course, hit here and there pretty hard. How could it be otherwise, if eight million people must raise an additional \$129,000,000, or \$16 for every man, woman and child? No doubt the Government would like to be popular. It would wish to make the way smooth and pleasant for everybody. If the Minister of Finance could have found some honorable and sensible substitute for luxury taxation he would have adopted it. The plan was one that must have had weeks and months of consideration, even though now it is far from perfection."

Mr. McCurdy would have the whole situation presented to the people in some definite, simple form, much as the Government presented the facts when war funds were necessary. The Government would be well advised in going to considerable pains to carry Mr. McCurdy's ideas into effect. It cannot be done through the medium of the platform. If it is to be done at all it must be done by the liberal use of printer's ink.

#### A CANADIAN NAVY.

Following upon an address before the Dominion Council of the Navy League of Canada, at its annual meeting at Toronto last week, by Major-General Sir Chas. Townshend, the hero of Kut, in the course of which he expressed the opinion that Canada should have her own fleet of ships as an instrument of self-protection and in aid of the Empire in time of war, a resolution was passed to the effect that the Navy League of Canada recommend to the Dominion Government the adoption of Admiral Jellicoe's naval policy for this country, and that in giving effect to this policy nothing less than \$25,000,000, as first suggested in connection with the proposed Canadian Navy, would provide for a unit of sufficient size to protect the Pacific coast and western interests.

As between a naval policy looking only to the purely local defence of Canadian ports and coasts and one looking to the real defence of Canada through Canadian participation in the naval effort of the British Empire, the choice for Canada is clear. To provide only for guarding Canadian ports against attack would not be to provide naval defence for Canada any more than it would have been defending Canada in the great war to have maintained a military force in this country to resist invasion. Canada's military frontier in the war was the battle line of France and Belgium and had victory over the enemy not been achieved on that frontier no defence in Canadian territory could have saved Canada. Canada's naval frontier is on the high seas and if an enemy of this country triumphed on the high seas its victorious navy would make short work of any purely local Canadian naval defence. If the enemy were defeated on the seas by British naval forces in which Canada was not represented, we should be in the sorry position of being saved by Great Britain, Australia, and New Zealand.

Lord Jellicoe, of course, did not attempt to advise Canada as to which of the two policies should be hers. He merely advised what in his opinion her naval requirements would be under either policy. And if Lord Jellicoe's opinion were the final word as to these requirements, Canada might very well settle her naval question at once. We must do our proportional share in maintaining the naval defence of the Empire, for in the naval

supremacy of the Empire rests our own safety in the eventuality of war, and we are not going to let the people of the other parts of the Empire pay for that safety.

But the requirements of Canada in contributing her proportional share to the naval defence of the Empire cannot be definitely determined until it is decided what the extent and character of the naval establishment of the Empire are to be, and that decision depends on the outcome of two issues, one of which is beyond the control of Britain. These issues are, first, as to what are the most effective types of naval craft in modern warfare, and, second, whether or not the United States is eventually to enter the League of Nations.

The decision of the United States must materially influence the naval programme of the British Empire. The United States is now considering plans for a navy the equal or superior of any in the world—which, of course, means the equal or superior of the British navy. If America stays out of the League the chances are she will go ahead with these naval plans, and that course would be followed no doubt by naval expansion on the part of Japan. The problem of the maintenance of the British naval position would then take on a new aspect and would have to be faced by Great Britain and the Empire. Britain, whose defence is on the seas, could not remain idle while gigantic naval forces were being erected by other powers, even friendly powers. She must be sure of her strength at sea. But should the American republic come into the League of Nations she very likely would greatly modify her present plans and there probably would be a limitation of naval establishments all around, and Canada's share in the Empire naval defence would be proportionately smaller.

The question of what are the most effective types of warships has arisen out of the war, and is being strenuously debated. The tentative programme of the U. S. Naval Department provides for big battle cruisers, and Japan is also building such vessels. But Great Britain, we believe, has abandoned work on three sister-ships of the Hood, the world's largest battle cruiser, and such eminent authorities as Lord Fisher and Sir Percy Scott contend that the day of the big ship and heavy armament is past. They claim that the light cruiser, the destroyer, the submarine, and the aeroplane are the naval weapons of the future. It would seem inexpedient in the absence of urgency for Canada to hurry into the construction of ships that shortly might be condemned as obsolete.

The Canadian Government would do well to take up the question of the position of Canada in respect of naval defence, and Lord Jellicoe's report may be of very great value in the formulation of our naval plans no matter to what extent his recommendations may require modification as a result of the outcome of the issues mentioned. But as our requirements depend upon the extent of naval defence required by Britain in the future, and as the extent of Britain's naval establishment will, depends largely upon whether or not she is to be a complete League of Nations embracing the United States, Canada cannot wisely do very much until the United States decides what she is going to do. The Government might very well postpone the submission of a definite policy for a short while.

#### AMERICAN-MADE PICTURE FILMS.

A few days ago we referred in these columns to the efforts being made to introduce British-made films into this country as an antidote for the Yankee flavor of the films at present being shown here. Mr. Peter McArthur, the Canadian writer, has become so concerned about the strain on the friendly feeling between Americans and Canadians caused by the exhibition in this country of films made to appeal to American sentiments, that he went to New York a few days ago to see what could be done to remedy the "national evil." After interviewing some of the chiefs of the "movie" business, he is more convinced than ever that the question is a grave one requiring authoritative action.

The head of a large moving picture concern told Mr. McArthur how he and his associates looked at the matter. Mr. McArthur describes this man's attitude as follows: "Movie plays are a purely business proposition. It made him sick to have people talk about ideals and art in connection with them. It was their business to give the public stories that would grip them and make them want to see the shows. If the people felt like hating anyone or anything, give them plenty of hate stuff and play it up as long as it file the houses. It is not their business to educate. They are practical business men, out after money."

This has definitely persuaded Mr. McArthur that there must be a political censorship of films. There must be public control not only over the moral tone of the pictures but over their political suggestions, he declares. To quote him: "This experience convinced me that irresponsible movie shows must be brought under control, or all the diplomacy of democracy will be defeated. It is not enough to have them censored so that immoral and pornographic plays may be kept from polluting the youth of the country. Some means must be found to make someone responsible—just as an editor or a publisher is responsible—for the neck-

### Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPER

THE PARK AVENUE NEWS.

Weather. Penttilä.

Sports. A contest was started on Benny Potters front steps last Saturday to see who could count up to 5000 the fastest by Sid Hunts new watch, Sam Cross going first and getting up to 318 when a fire engine went past and everybody ran after it and broke up the contest. Among those who would be counted if the contest had lasted was Benny Potts, Artie Alexander, Sid Hunt, Leroy Shooter and Ed. Warnick.

Slattery. Mr. Sid Hunts fox terrier Teddy was 3 years old last Thursday and a dog party was held in the back yard to celebrate the occasion, lasting until 2 of the guests, a Ardiale and a French poodle, got into a fierce argument and Teddy got a bite on the ear when he tried to find out what it was about.

Entertaining Packs About Intriguing People. Lew Davis considers he has a better chance of going to heaven than other people without having to be so extra careful, on account of his uncle being a minister.

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less political impressions he conveys." What Mr. McArthur proposes is to order said film down. That picture should be kept as clean as possible from the moral standpoint nobody will deny; but when it comes to political matters, public opinion can be the only censor. As the film-maker told Mr. McArthur, picture producing is a business proposition, the patrons of the theatres must get what they want, or they will cease to attend. As far as American producers are concerned, they will naturally produce films that take with their own people, and if that people does not like them, they will soon say so. But the Canadian public must take such films as are sent them or go without. The sentiments of a great many American pictures are distasteful to Canadians, but they cannot force American producers to give them something else by withholding their patronage or making their objections audible. The only remedy is to cut out American films altogether, and substitute films made in Britain and Canada, and if the demand for such films is strong enough, it will be supplied all right.

#### WHAT OTHERS SAY

No Time for Diaries. Many men have become ex-protestants of Mexico, but none of them so far have been given time to tell what it is like.—Toronto Telegram.

The Materials at Hand. The City of God will never be built until its inhabitants are ready for it; politicians can only deal with human nature as they find it.—Hilbert Journal.

At the Old Stand. It was once reported that he was about to join the revolutionary party, but that was when the revolutionary party was in opposition. Now that the revolutionary party is the party in office,

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Learning that the defendant had removed the children to the United States, Mr. Inches stated, he had instituted proceedings with the approval of Mr. Justice Barry.

K. J. Mather, who together with W. R. Scott appeared for the defendant, objected to the evidence submitted by counsel for the complainant. The case was postponed to Wednesday morning.

It was represented to the magistrate that the accused's health did not permit his being kept in jail. He replied that bail would be granted on the presentation of a physician's certificate.

Roy Stanley was reported for exceeding the speed limit in Charlotte street, and also for failing to sound his horn. Policeman Dykeman, Patrol Driver Godwin and Inspector Merryfield gave evidence.

Thomas Murphy and Fred Belyea were reported for dumping ashes in rear of St. Luke's church, off Main street, this not being a licensed dump. A fine was imposed, but it was allowed to stand for a week.

Daniel Doherty, reported for having a siren horn, contrary to law, said he was in the course of taking the horn off. Policeman Linton gave evidence.

Eldon Wilson and Harry Wetmore were reported by C. N. R. Policeman Price for acting out of order at the coachmen's stand Union Station, on the arrival of the Boston train.

Thomas MacCauley was reported for leaving his automobile in Union street

without having rear or front lights. Daniel Munroe, charged with detaining a public on Long wharf, was remanded to jail. Five men charged with drunkenness, pleaded guilty and were also remanded. One of the number suddenly took sick while standing before the magistrate and fell backwards on the floor. He was taken to the guardroom and a doctor called.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

Real estate transfers recently recorded in St. John were:

R. Caron to Nellie Pritchard, property at St. Martin's.

S. H. Bowring et al to J. B. Anderson, property at Fairville Plateau.

Josephine M. Flood to Dr. D. C. Malcolm, property in Charlotte street.

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**DELEGATES RETURN FROM THE**  
**DOMINION COUNCIL NAVY LEAGUE.**

**Enthusiastic Sessions Were Held at Toronto—Sir Charles**  
**Charles Townshend, Hero of Kut, Says Canada Should**  
**Have a Navy of Her Own as a Strategic Necessity.**

The sessions of the Dominion Council of the Navy League were most enthusiastic and inspiring, was the statement made to The Standard by the President, R. E. Armstrong, of the New Brunswick Division of the League who returned from Toronto on Saturday.

"The keynote of the meeting was a determination to carry on and to make the Navy League a more potent factor in Canadian affairs despite the fact that certain provinces showed a waning interest."

In addition to President Aemilijus Jarvis and his official staff, including Gordon B. Jackson, secretary and D. A. Paine, treasurer, there were present, Hon. Mr. Justice Craig, Rev. Crawford Brown, Capt. Douglas Kerr, Chas. Allen, N. V. A. J. W. Conroy, G. W. V. A. J. Gastell Hopkins, chairman of the Dominion Educational Committee, F. McDowell and R. Crosswell of the "Sailor" staff, of Ontario, J. A. Irvine of Alberta, A. C. Plummerfelt of British Columbia, R. E. Armstrong and H. C. Schofield, of New Brunswick, J. O. Hyndman, P. E. Island, J. A. Allsopp, of Nova Scotia, Rev. Dr. Hall of British and Foreign Sailor's Society, and last but not least, Major General Sir Charles Townshend, the distinguished hero of Kut.

Perhaps the most impressive incident of the Council was that following the adoption of a resolution, referring to the pitiful inadequacy of Canada's naval fleet when the war broke out, and calling upon the Government of Canada to take immediate steps to establish a naval service in keeping with the honor of Canada, and one which, in the hour of the nation's peril might be employed in the defence of the Empire and further impressing upon the government the importance of ac-

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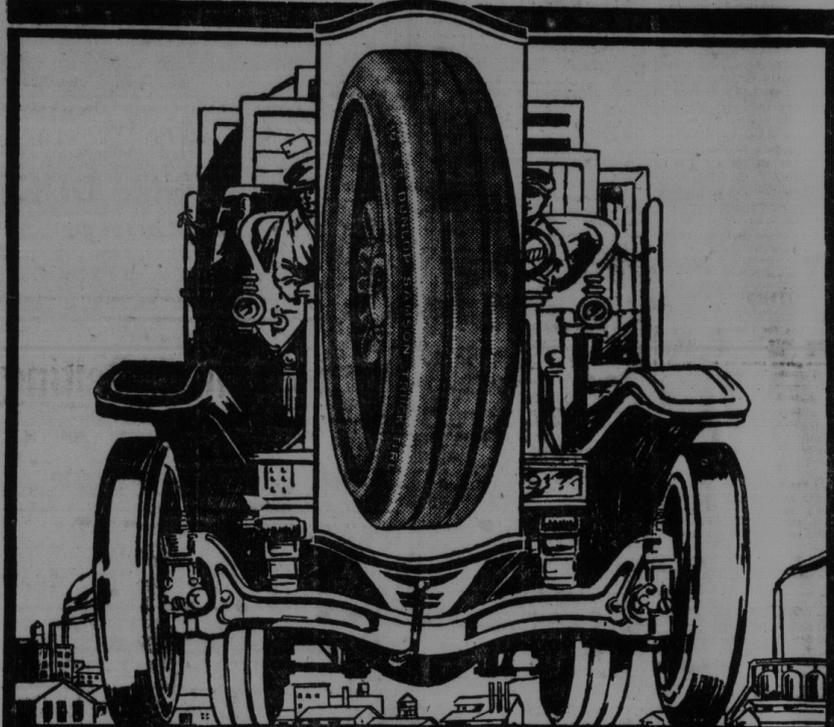
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# FOR WOMEN

## First Real Break In Several Weeks

### After a Great Deal of Sunshine Causing Much Damage, Nearly Two Inches of Rain Fall is Recorded from Saturday Night.

The first real break in several weeks of bright sunshine and fair weather occurred Saturday evening, when a shower of rain, which had been threatening during the greater part of the afternoon, fell upon the city. Showers continued during the rest of the night, and all day Sunday, a particularly heavy downpour visited the city last evening just as services were being concluded in several of the churches. The total rainfall from eight o'clock Saturday night to nine o'clock Sunday amounted to one and one-eighth inches.

The week-end storm marked the first heavy fall of rain since the 8th of May. The rain fall for that month was one-third of normal, and totaled but 1.26 inches. The rain naturally caused a decided change in the temperature, the semi-tropical warmth which had been a feature of the climate gave way to a cold that seemed almost bitter, and was decidedly unpleasant. The highest temperature during the day was 64 degrees and 48 was the lowest. The wind blew from the east and northeast, at times attaining a velocity of thirty miles per hour. At nine o'clock last evening it was blowing at the rate of twenty miles.

## HOW TO MEND GLOVES.

Gloves have gone up in price like everything else, and as a consequence glove mending is practiced to a greater extent than it was when a new pair could be purchased and the old ones discarded without a feeling of extravagance. It takes care and patience to mend gloves neatly. When a seam is ripped, the most successful method is to use buttonhole-stitch each edge of the seam. Then whip these two sides together on the right side, or buttonhole-stitch them.

If there is a tear in the upper part of a glove, an easy way of mending it is to draw the torn edges together, and while holding them in place, apply adhesive plaster to the wrong side. If the tear is at the seam of this part of a glove, it is best to darn the edges together before applying the adhesive tape.

When there is a tear between the fingers, especially at the base of the fingers, it is best to set in a small piece of kid. This can be done by cutting it from the top of an old glove of the same color. The edges of the hole can be hemmed down over the patch with fine thread of the same color. After this has been done, clip the patch short on the under side so that the fit of the glove will be smooth.

Suppose the clasp of a glove tears from the kid. Do not discard the glove. Sew the hole together over a small piece of kid to match in color, and sew on snap fasteners.

When mending the tips of fingers that have simply become unstitched, button hole each edge of the four fingers, and hold the finger over one of the fingers of the left hand. Whip together, beginning at the lower part of the ripped seam and working up to the tip. Fasten all the pointed positions together at the very top with a few extra stitches.

**Dangerous.**  
"Do you think kissing is as dangerous as they say?"  
"Well, it is certainly put an end to a good many bacilli."—Boston Transcript.

**Almost a Crime.**  
"You shouldn't say this young couple 'committed matrimony.'"  
"Why not?"  
"It isn't good taste. You talk as if they had done something wrong."  
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So he proposed the imposition of additional taxes whose estimated proceeds he gave in detail to create a surplus revenue over expenditures of \$30,000,000 providing a sinking fund of 3 per cent.

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# THE STANDARD'S FINANCIAL SECTION

### MONTREAL SALES

(McDougall and Cowans)  
Montreal, June 6th, 1929.

Steamships Com-71 1/2, 71 1/2
Steamships P&O-42 1/2
Brazilian-44 1/2, 46
Can Com-62 1/2, 62 1/2
Am Com-64 1/2, 64 1/2
Steel Canada Com-70 1/2, 71
Dom Iron Com-60, 60 1/2
Shawinigan-106 1/2, 112 1/2
Montreal Power-84 1/2, 85 1/2
Wayagamack-115
Loyal-65, 74
Detroit United-105, 106
Lake of the Woods-106 1/2, 107
Laurentide Pulp-106 1/2, 107
Roridan-101 1/2, 103 1/2
McDonalds-81 1/2
Quebec-81 1/2, 82 1/2
Atlantic Sug Com-109 1/2, 101 1/2
Breweries Com-61 1/2, 62
Span River Com-105
Span River P&O-140 1/2
Brompton-119 1/2, 120 1/2
Dom Camers-61, 62
Can Cotton-85
Can Converters-72
Penman's Ltd-121 1/2

### PAPER STOCK PRICES UNSTEADY

#### Spanish River Showed Some Activity and Atlantic Sugar Was to the Fore.

Montreal, June 6.—Papers were not only less active in Saturday's trading on the local stock exchange, but prices were more or less unsteady and declines were about equal to gains. The remainder of the list, however, made a much better showing, with Sugar, Shawinigan, Loyal, Car, Macdonald and Dominion Steel leading.

Most activity was shown in Spanish River, with a turnover of 3,236 shares, followed by Atlantic Sugar, with 2,882 shares. Laurentide with 2,850, Abitibi with 1,528. Spanish preferred with 1,460, and Brompton with 1,070.

Absorption was not sufficiently strong to meet free selling of the paper stocks, and Laurentide and Wayagamack showed up best under the pressure, with the Spanish Rivers closing at slight net gains. Abitibi sold down two points at 192. Abitibi lost a large fraction, Brompton a full point, and Howard Smith was down five points for a broken lot.

The largest gain went to Loyal, which opened eight points up at 70, rose a further 4 to 74, and retained the 12-point gain at the close. Shawinigan moved up 6 1/2 points to 112 1/2, and Macdonald netted 5 1/2 points at 111 1/2. Dominion Steel netted 1 1/4 points at 69 3/4, and Canadian Car was up 4 1/2 points at 53 1/2. Detroit added two points at 106, and Lake of the Woods netted two points at 106, and Steel of Canada was up 1 1/4 points at 78 1/4.

Total trading: Listed, 17,173; bonds, \$28,900.

### STEELS FIRM ON MONTREAL

Montreal, June 6.—Although today's transactions were confined principally to the paper stocks, some other issues showed a strength and an advancing tendency, the strength in these securities being attributed to floor trading. Notable among these class of stocks was Shawinigan Power and Atlantic Sugar. The stocks also held firm on advances of from one to one and a half points. On any reaction in the general list there appears to be good demand for stocks and although there was no decided rally the closing prices displayed a firm undertone.

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### MARKET ASSUMES BETTER TONE

#### Further Advances Scored by Steel and Equipment Stocks, Oils and Specialties.

(F. B. McCurdy & Co.)  
New York, June 6.—The market continued to display an excellent tone, today, and while trading was somewhat irregularly quiet, further advances were scored by the steel and equipment stocks, oils, and a number of the specialties. The expectation that Pan-American will declare a 10 p. c. stock dividend, today, was presumably responsible for further accumulation of that stock and Mexican Petroleum, but buying was also noticeable in other quarters in the oil group. Short covering was probably the basis of the improvement in Middle States and Sinclair.

Gains of a point or so by Baldwin Locomotive and Car Foundry indicated that the confidence in the equipment prospects was still a factor.

There was a slight reaction early in the second hour, but this did not go far and most stocks firmed up again before the close, leaving a quite satisfactory and cheerful feeling.

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### N. Y. QUOTATIONS

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Open High Low Close
Am. Beet Sug. 141 141 140 140 1/4
Am. Car Pdy 141 141 140 140 1/4
Am. Loco. 98 98 98 98 1/4
Am. Steel 39 39 38 38 1/2
Am. Woolen 98 98 98 98 1/2
Am. Tele. 94 94 94 94 1/4
Anacosta 57 57 57 57 1/4
American 39 39 39 39 1/2
Atchafalpa 31 31 31 31 1/4
Belt and O. 31 31 31 31 1/4
Bellevue 115 115 115 115 1/4
Beth Steel 91 91 91 91 1/4
Chino 31 31 31 31 1/4
Central Leath 66 66 66 66 1/4
C. P. R. 112 112 112 112 1/4
Credible 81 81 81 81 1/4
Gen. Motors 27 27 27 27 1/4
Indus. Alco. 84 84 84 84 1/4
Inter. Paper 74 74 74 74 1/4
Stromberg 74 74 74 74 1/4
Mer. Mar. Pld 86 86 86 86 1/4
Mex. Petro. 177 177 177 177 1/4
Mitvale 81 81 81 81 1/4
Miss. Pacific 25 25 25 25 1/4
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Nor. and West 88 88 88 88 1/4
North Pacific 70 70 70 70 1/4
Pennsylvania 39 39 39 39 1/4
Pr. Steel Car 88 88 88 88 1/4
Reading Com 84 84 84 84 1/4
Republic 81 81 81 81 1/4
Royal Dutch 114 114 114 114 1/4
South Pa. 92 92 92 92 1/4
South Ry. 23 23 23 23 1/4
Sloss 62 62 62 62 1/4
Studebaker 69 69 69 69 1/4
Union Pacific 115 115 115 115 1/4
U. S. Steel 39 39 39 39 1/4
U. S. Rubber 95 95 95 95 1/4
Utah Copper 69 69 69 69 1/4
Westinghouse 40 40 40 40 1/4
U. S. Steel Pld 106 106 106 106 1/4
Willis Ovl. 184 184 184 184 1/4
Wm. Amer. 102 102 102 102 1/4
Saxon Motors 104 104 104 104 1/4

### ASSEMBLY HEARS THE STORIES OF MISSIONARIES

#### Tell the Presbyterians of Their Efforts in Winning the Heathen in China, India and West Indies.

Ottawa, June 4.—The General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, having listened yesterday afternoon to the administrative reports of missionary work, tonight heard from the actual missionaries in the field of efforts made in winning the heathen to the Christian faith in China, India, and the West Indies. There were a dozen speakers, and all gave vivid stories regarding the field work of the missionaries which lay in the way of the headway being made, and more particularly of the great demand for missionaries in the various fields. Every one of the speakers closed his address with an urgent appeal for volunteers for the field. They are needed badly in both India and China.

Lieut. Colonel Rev. Dr. John Pringle, last year's Moderator, was in the chair and there was an audience which filled every part of the great church. In thanking the missionaries for their addresses, Dr. Pringle said that he hoped they would all carry home with them the message which they had given to them, and so get a new vision of the great work if that vision was seen, he thought there would be no lack of workers. The speakers included: Rev. W. I. Green, Miss A. J. Archibald and Rev. H. P. Kemp, principal of the St. John's Industrial School; Rev. R. A. Mitchell, Dr. Percy C. Leslie, Miss Isabel McIntosh, Rev. J. M. Menzies, and Miss Agnes J. Dickson of China.

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### MARKET BRIEFS

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### THREE MEMBERS OF N.F.L. HOUSE ARE UNSEATED

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Courts Decide

While the Supreme Court was hearing the cases, William Woodford resigned, and later stated that representatives of the present government had offered him inducements to take this step. His charges involved Premier Squires and a member of the Legislative Council.

The decision of the Supreme Court holds Woodford guilty of bribery, and also unseats Jones on whose behalf it declares bribery was committed, though it does not disqualify the latter.

Another case which has attracted a great deal of attention, was that of the election in the district of Bay de Verde. A. E. Hickman the defeated Cashin candidate, took steps to have W. H. Cave, Minister of Shipping, unseat alleged bribery on the part of the candidate. Cave counter-petitions that Hickman was guilty of bribery.

The Supreme Court found that the Hickman contention was correct, and that some of the electors, who had not been declared elected, had been sworn by the returning officers. The court of the court gave Hickman a majority of seven votes over Cave, who in the original count had been declared elected by a majority of five votes over Hickman. The court also declared, however, that Hickman could not be declared elected because of the charge of bribery had been proven against him. The net result is that a by-election is to be held in the district of Bay de Verde.

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### N. Y. COTTON MARKET

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Cotton
January 34.76 34.40 34.50
March 34.20 34.20 33.75 33.35
July 33.70 33.70 33.36 33.46
October 33.50 33.50 33.30 33.30
December 33.43 33.43 33.30 33.30

### NEWFOUNDLAND HONORS TWO FIGHTING HEROES

#### Substantial Purses Given Two of Its Sons Who Won Highest Honors During the War

St. John's Nfld., June 4.—At Government House, on the King's Birthday, Governor Sir Alexander Harris presented Sergeant Thomas Ricketts, V. C., and Seaman Leander Greene, D. C. M., with a purse of five hundred dollars each, in virtue of their having won the highest decorations of any Newfoundlanders during the war. The donor was George W. B. Ayre.

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### PROVOST FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER

#### Was Charged With the Killing of His Cousin, J. Stanley Brown.

Mount Clemens, Mich., June 4.—Lloyd Provost was found guilty of the murder of J. Stanley Brown by a jury in the Circuit Court here tonight. The jury was out approximately three hours. The verdict returned was "Guilty of murder in the first degree."

After the jury had retired, Judge Lamb in a statement charged that perjury had been committed and ordered an investigation by the prosecuting authorities of the county.

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### BIG IMPROVEMENT IN FOREST FIRE SITUATION

Chief Forester Prince reported to The Standard last evening, that there had been a decided improvement during the last twenty-four hours, in the forest fire situation. Copious rains of Thursday were instrumental in tending the fierce fires which had been raging in Westville, Madawaska and Victoria counties. No new outbreaks have been reported from that section, and it is hoped the worst is over. The fire in Northumberland forest tracts are practically subdued by the tireless work of men, assisted by a few showers.

A few incipient fires were started yesterday along the line of the C. P. R. between St. John and Fredericton Junction. They are thought to have been started by sparks from locomotives. One occurred at Gasperow and another at Grand Bay. Men were quickly rushed to the two places and it is thought they will have the fires under control before much damage can be done.

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### FOREST FIRES IN N.F.L. DO SERIOUS DAMAGE

#### Settlement at Big Bull's Arm Practically Wiped Out—Many Narrow Escapes from Death.

St. John's Nfld., June 4.—Extensive forest fires have been sweeping several sections of the Peninsula of Avalon also the West Coast for the past week. At Big Bull's Arm, Trinity Bay, sixteen dwellings, and an equal number of outhouses, ten stages with fishing tackle and a considerable quantity of fish were totally destroyed. The whole settlement is practically wiped out. Residents saved nothing and had to make their escape in some cases by putting to sea in boats.

Two girls, hemmed in by the fire, were forced to plunge into the sea to escape, but had their clothing, hair and hands singed. They were rescued by a boat from a neighboring section. A fisherman, while endeavoring to save a dwelling, had his clothes burned and was saved from burning to death by rescuers throwing him into the water.

It is estimated that the loss to one settlement is fifty thousand dollars. The government is rushing relief, food and clothing to the scene.

A special message last evening reported four men missing, supposed to have been suffocated but this was not confirmed up to midnight. Telegraph communication to the settlement has been interrupted, poles have been burnt down and minor losses are reported from other sections.

The following losses were reported last night. Twenty dwellings, twenty two outhouses, twelve fishing stages, two lumber mills, all adjacent to the sea coast and along the railway line. The three originated from sparks from locomotives. Complete and accurate particulars are being ascertained.

### BOLSHEVİK LEADERS SHOT BY UKRAINES

Berne, June 4.—Ukrainian official sources report that 37 Bolshevik emissaries and commissioners, who were taken prisoner by Galician-Ukrainian troops, were condemned to death and shot. It was alleged the Bolsheviks had committed extraordinary atrocities against the population.

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CONTINUED TOMORROW

### By NATE COLLIER

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Winnipeg South Note.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Henevor returned at the week-end from Hartford, Conn., where they attended the graduation exercises of the nursing class of which their daughter, Miss Sue Henevor was a member.

The lecture given last week in the Presbyterian Hall by Rev. Moorhead, Legate of St. John, was most interesting and greatly enjoyed. The subject was "The Bible and the Pilgrims" and the pictures shown by Rev. H. L. Blomquist of St. John were fine in most cases, being photos taken by the lecturer.

Miss Gertrude Fleming of St. John, is visiting her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fleming at Riverside.

Miss Hazel Fleming, who graduated from Netherwood a few years ago, has finished her training in nursing at Newton Hospital, Newton, Mass. The graduation exercises taking place Friday, June 4th, Miss Fleming and two other graduates are today, Friday, on their way to New York, where they are to receive from Columbia University an additional four months' training, as an honor course. Hosts of friends will extend congratulations and good wishes.

Mr. Frank Mitchell, who enroute from McGill College, Montreal, to visit his parents in Jamaica, spent a few days at Riverview, guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bustace Barnes, proceeded on his journey last Thursday.

Miss Helen McArthur is entertaining at afternoon tea today for the graduates of Netherwood. Miss Katharine Skelton, Miss Elsie Lee, Miss Laura Birchall, Miss Amy McKean and Miss Cecil Coleman.

Miss Edith Bagley of St. John, was the week-end guest of Miss Edith Burgess at Riverside.

Dr. F. R. Taylor left this week on a trip to Ottawa.

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## FRENCH WOMEN OBJECT TO FREAK FASHIONS.

Women's organizations in France are opposed to freak fashions, and some of the best dressed among the members are foremost in a crusade for eliminating exaggerated features in modern turned up Parisian. A grande dame is quoted as saying that one of the difficulties is that most of these modern fashions are themselves graceful.

The skin-tight skirt and so-called harem trousers with which we were threatened before the war were essentially ugly and died a natural death," she says. Parisiennes, in fact, never adopted any of the divided skirt horrors which were photographed on mannequins at longchamps and elsewhere. Keen as we are for novelty, no Frenchwoman will possess the dress sense which will appear in costumes which attract attention merely because they are bizarre.

"The trouble is that most new modes, whatever the impudency may be, do not offend against aesthetics. They may in individual cases result in the display of an unbecomingly fat back or a ridiculous calf, but that is the fault of the wearer. On the stage or even in a private ballroom they are often decidedly pretty. All

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Prince Rupert	46	46
Victoria	48	48
Vancouver	50	50
Kamloops	50	54
Calgary	40	70
Regina	48	78
Moose Jaw	52	81
Prince Albert	46	70
Winnipeg	54	68
Port Arthur	46	62
Parry Sound	48	72
Toronto	52	74
London	46	70
Ottawa	50	64
Montreal	52	60
Quebec	54	60
Hull	48	50

**Forecasts.**

Maritime—Tendency to strong winds; shifting to westerly, rain in most localities at first, clearing in southeastern districts by night.

Northern New England—Fair Monday and Tuesday; warmer, moderate west and northwest winds.

**AROUND THE CITY**

**BROKE A LEG.**

It is reported that a horse stumbled on Prince street, West St. John, on Saturday and had one of its legs broken.

**AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.**

Rev. E. Wright, curate of St. Luke's church, preached at the morning service at St. John's (Stone) church yesterday, giving an eloquent discourse on the 46th Psalm.

**THE D. S. C. R. HOSPITAL.**

It has been rumored that the D. S. C. R. Hospital at Lancaster is to be closed. Questions by The Standard last evening Dr. J. A. McCarthy, superintendent, stated that he had heard nothing in confirmation of this report.

**MANY WEEK END ARRESTS.**

Three arrests were made by the police late Sunday night and early Monday morning, one was for drunkenness bringing Sunday's drunks up to four, and the week-end's up to eighteen. The docket will be comprised of twenty prisoners in the police court this morning.

**ON A CYCLE TOUR.**

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur MacKenzie, of Chatham, arrived by motor cycle in the city Saturday afternoon. They reported having had a very pleasant trip. Mr. and Mrs. MacKenzie left on the steamer Governor Dingley for Boston Saturday evening, and expect to spend a month or more on a cycle tour of the Eastern States.

**AN UNLUCKY NUMBER.**

Thirteen drunks were arrested Saturday. Dell Williams was arrested at the request of the detective department and is being held for investigation. One drunk was arrested during the Sabbath. Peter McLade was arrested by Sergeant Rankin and Police Constable Lindsay for having liquor in his possession other than in his private dwelling.

**FINED FOR SPEEDING.**

Officer Robert Crawford was on the job Saturday when he arrested Maurice McGuire of Stoughton, Pa., for furious speeding on Robbsey Avenue. The defendant was taken before Magistrate Adams in the Brookville court and fined ten dollars and costs. Today a brother of the defendant will be brought before the court and charged with interfering with the officer while in the discharge of his duty.

**HOTEL MEN COMING.**

The Commercial Club Saturday received a telegram announcing that Messrs. Dudley and O'Neill, of the United Hotels Co., will arrive in St. John at noon on Thursday next, in connection with the project to erect a great modern hotel here, which is now regarded as assured if St. John investors are ready to prove their faith in St. John to the extent that may be required. The first plans for this hotel were discarded by the United Hotels Co. as too small, and others on a much larger scale have been prepared.

**VITAL STATISTICS.**

The Board of Health reports thirteen deaths, eleven marriages and twenty-five births for last week. The deaths were:

Scalding	5
Pneumonia	2
Malnutrition	2
Burns	1
Cyanosis	1
Intussusception	1
Intestinal obstruction	1
Asphyxia neonatorum	1
Cardiac decomposition	1
Total	13

**PERSONALS.**

Mrs. Daniel Riordan, matron of the civilian wards at the D. S. C. R. Sanatorium, River Glade, spent the week-end in the city.

Col. J. L. Hagan, of Ottawa, is at the Royal.

G. W. Slipp, of Woodstock, spent Sunday in the city.

H. W. Allenby, of Gagetown, is registered at the Royal.

Jude B. Bourgeois, of Moncton, is at the Dufferin.

**FUNERALS.**

The funeral of Cornelius Dineen took place Saturday morning at 8.30 from Storehead street to the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception, where solemn Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Rev. A. P. Allen, with Rev. Raymond McCarthy as deacon and Rev. Simon Oram, sub-deacon. Rev. W. H. Duke was master of ceremonies. The funeral was largely attended. Interment in new Catholic cemetery.

**Investigation In Cutting of Timber**

Hearing Continued on Saturday—R. W. Wigmore, M. P. Only Gave Frank Boyle Permission to Cut Underbrush and Cordwood.

That he only gave Frank Boyle permission to cut underbrush and cordwood was the testimony given by former commissioner R. W. Wigmore, M. P., at the hearing Saturday in connection with the investigation into the cutting of timber on city lands. Mr. Wigmore was emphatic on this point. He said that while commissioner of the Water and Sewerage department he created over the city lands in connection with the water system about once a month, and during his term of office he had not allowed any cutting beyond underbrush and cordwood.

Frank Boyle, who was re-examined repeated his declaration that he had received permission to cut timber, and claimed that he was perfectly justified in cutting such trees as he had taken from the old Drury property. In his previous testimony he mentioned that the agreement was that he should pay on the basis of so many cords.

In the afternoon Mayor Schofield and commissioners Jones, Frink and Thornton went to Loch Lomond, and looked over the old Drury property where Boyle is cutting. The commissioners were evidently surprised at the extent of the cutting, as they found very considerable areas cleared out, and a force of men still working.

Mr. Boyle called the attention of the commissioners to a sign which warned trespassers from the city lands, and remarked that it had created the impression among the neighbors that he was taking city timber without authority.

Meantime, the city authorities have employed a timber cruiser to make an estimate of the amount of the cutting, and Mr. Boyle will be asked to appear at City Hall on Wednesday to make a settlement.

**Big Development of Steamer Services**

Three New Canadian Lines to be Opened—Will Help Swell Volume of Business Through Winter Port.

The Canadian Government will shortly open the trial services which, if they prove successful, may help to swell the volume of business through the winter port. One will be to Cardiff, Wales, and the other to the foreign West Indian islands of Martinique, Guadeloupe and Hayti. It is hoped the new West Indian service will develop new markets for Canadian flour, meats, fish, general farm produce and manufactured goods. In the past St. John has shipped considerable quantities of salt fish to Hayti, the black republic, but generally through New York. The question of return cargoes for these foreign islands unattractive but shipments of sugar, lime juice, fruits, rum, etc., are looked for.

The Cardiff and Swansea service will be opened at the end of June by the Canadian Volunteer, a ship of 4,600 gross tons. It is said this ship is already hooked up with outward cargo, and that the prospects of return cargoes are good. Cardiff is now one of the great shipping ports of the U. K., the outlet for great iron and coal industries, with many railways touching points all over Wales and England. The intention is to operate a monthly service on this route. If successful, the ships should come to St. John in winter, for both Cardiff and Swansea are big importers of lumber.

At present the London manager of the C. P. O. S. Commander Fisher, is in Canada conferring with the chairman and board of directors regarding the establishment of a passenger and freight service between Canada and Italy. A definite decision has not been reached, but the Italian Government is reported to be favorable to the establishment of the service. The proposal is that the C. P. O. S. should cooperate with an Italian company in supplying ships for the service. If established, the ships on this route will use St. John in winter.

**Board of Trade Receive Reports**

Most Encouraging Trade Reports Have Been Received—Government Impressed With Need of Better West Indian Service.

Reports of the West Indian Conference at Ottawa, which have been received by the Secretary of the Board of Trade, indicate that the Government is impressed with the need of better transportation conditions between Maritime Provinces ports and the West Indian colonies and that a comprehensive policy including the R. M. S. P. service and the Canadian Government Mercantile Marine will shortly be announced. Manager Allsop, of the R. M. S. P. and Manager Teasdale of the C. G. M. M., have both been at Ottawa and the consultations with the ministers that both of these services will be called upon to do their utmost to expand trade with the British West India islands, and possibly with the French islands of Martinique and Guadeloupe. All the British islands are represented at the conference and there is an unanimity of expression with regard to closer trade relations between Canada and the islands that augurs well for the future. St. John will undoubtedly share very largely in the benefits arising from this trade expansion as it is most strategically situated from both ocean and railway standpoints.

The Toronto Board of Trade advises the secretary of the local board that it is pressing for the establishment of a National Research Institute for the determination of standards for the standardization of scientific and technical apparatus and instruments for use in the various branches of the government service, the undertaking of researches with the object of improving technical processes and methods used in industry assisting in the development of the natural resources of Canada, promoting the utilization of waste products of industries, and other useful purposes.

President Hanna, of the Canadian National Railways Board, replying to an enquiry from the Board of Trade as to whether the C. N. R. Board is in a position to disclose its expansion policy with respect to the port of St. John, states that extensive trackage for the determination of standards for the dockage facilities are being considered, that appropriations have been made in the area adjacent to the port for the construction of a new pier of an overhead bridge at the same point is being investigated and an announcement thereon will be made before long.

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**Word Received From St. Quentin**

C. B. Allan Returned From Burnt District Saturday—Sufferers Have Already Started to Build Shacks—Relief Committee Looking After Supplies.

"Although somewhat discouraged at first the people of St. Quentin have plucked up heart, and have already started to build shacks to provide accommodation pending the permanent reconstruction of the town," said C. B. Allan, who returned on Saturday from a trip of investigation, as representative of the Premier and the Mayor.

This morning Mr. Allan will confer with Hon. Mr. Foster and Mayor Schofield, when arrangements for relief of the fire sufferers will be discussed. Meantime the Red Cross is sending food and clothing and other supplies to the burnt out town's people, and any contribution of clothing food, or household utensils made to the Red Cross will be promptly forwarded. A relief committee has been formed in the town to look after the distribution of supplies.

"About half the town was destroyed," said Mr. Allan. "The fire swept through the centre of the town, wiping out 71 buildings, including mills, railway station, banks, stores, etc. Twenty families were rendered homeless, and about 30 are in a destitute condition. The immediate needs are clothing of all kinds for men, women and children, especially underclothing; also for household articles and cooking utensils. At present the homeless families are crowded into the shacks which escaped the conflagration and in two schools, which are being utilized by a number of families.

A number of farm houses in the surrounding district were destroyed, and the fire swept areas have a desolate appearance. But some of the mills escaped, and there is material for building shacks available.

To rebuild permanently the town will need monetary assistance. Some of those burned out carried insurance, and will be able to rebuild without much delay, but many have been left quite destitute.

The shock of the disaster left the people feeling pretty blue, but their spirit has picked up, and they are making the best of a bad situation, and offers of assistance have come to them from towns all over the province.

**FIRST OPEN AIR CONCERT OF SEASON**

City Cornet Band Will Render Popular Programme on King Square This Evening—Suggestion Made for More Benches.

The citizens will be delighted to learn that the first open air band concert of the season will be this evening on the King Edward Hotel, King Square, when the City Cornet Band under the direction of Frank Waddington will render one of their popular programmes from eight to ten o'clock, day light time. The programme follows:

March, "The White Squadron" Chaffin.

Prelude to the Opera, "Martha" Flotau.

Spanish Waltz "Mia Bella" Otto Roder.

Serenade, "The Flower Song" by Gustav Lange.

Grand Operatic Selection "Der Freischutz" Wagner.

Cornet Solo by D. J. Gallagher, selected.

Medley of Scotch Songs, "Songs of Robbie Burns" Burns.

Trombone Duett "Larboard Watch" Williams, (Messrs J. O'Connors and S. E. McBride).

Popular Numbers: Fox Trot, "Aur Ken, J. Johnson"; March, "Colonel Bagey," Alfard.

God Save The King.

If the weather is unfavorable this concert will be given tomorrow evening.

The schedule for public concerts this summer will be Monday and Thursday nights.

Thousands of citizens along with visitors to the city assemble on the square to enjoy the music and owing to the limited number of benches these are all occupied by persons who arrive even as early as an hour before the time for the programme to start. It has been remarked that there appears not to be as many benches on King Square this season as last, and it is suggested it might be possible to have a large number of additional benches placed along the walks on the concert evenings and these could be removed the following morning. It would be more than should certainly be appreciated by the citizens.

**Local Hotel Men Say Prospects Look Good for Large Number of Visitors Here This Summer—Many Enquiries Being Received.**

According to local hotel men the prospects for a large tourist traffic this summer look bright; enquiries are already coming in from the States, and also from the other provinces. Many Americans are expected here to take advantage of the premium on their money, and the indications are that many Canadians from the Upper Provinces will be taking a holiday of larger proportions than usual to make up for their troubles during the war, and that some of them will sample the summer climate of the Maritime Provinces.

The biggest tourist traffic will be on the Great Lakes and along the St. Lawrence," said a railway official yesterday. "Among other reasons, Quebec will be the mecca of tourists because it is not as dry as might be. As an indication of the rush that is expected the American Express Company has chartered one of the steamers of the Canada Steamship Lines Ltd., and will run excursions from Niagara right down the St. Lawrence to the Saguenay. Steamship companies and railways operating along this route are already well booked up, and the hotel people expect a big business. A great stream of Americans from the Middle Western States will spend their holidays along the St. Lawrence. Another stream will flow West through the Rockies, where the C. P. R. hotels are already well booked.

"In view of the fact that this is to be a See Canada First year, the western cities are already doing considerable advertising in Montreal and Toronto, with the object of getting tourists to come and give them a look over and then send them down."

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**STOLEN CLOTH WAS RETURNED**

Large Web Stolen from E. R. Taylor's Store Found in Old Shed Saturday—Dell Wills Held for Investigation.

The large web of cloth which was stolen from the shop of E. R. Taylor, Union street, West Side, Thursday evening, was found by James Pollock, in an old wooden building in the Market Square, Saturday morning. He turned the cloth over to the authorities.

This was not the only find of the morning, for a hand printed note signed "a friend" was found in the porch of a house formerly occupied by Mr. Taylor, stating to the effect of the goods. Dell Wills has been arrested in connection with the "break" and is being held for investigation at the request of the detective department.

**WEDDINGS.**

**Brown-London.**

A pretty wedding was solemnized Saturday afternoon at the Main street Baptist parsonage, when Florence Hazel London, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry London, Chesley street, was united in marriage to Archibald Frederick Brown, of Gaspereaux Station. The Rev. Dr. Hutchinson performed the ceremony in the presence of a number of relatives and friends of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Brown left on the afternoon train for a wedding trip to Montreal. On their return they will live at Gaspereaux Station where the groom is a prominent farmer of that prosperous community.

**SPECIAL PROGRAMME WAS POSTPONED**

The special programme which was to have been given by the pupils of the Fairville Methodist church yesterday afternoon was postponed on account of the weather and will be held next Sunday. Rev. Dr. Harrison, of Moncton, who is taking the services at the Fairville Methodist church, while the pastor, Rev. Thomas Marshall is engaged in special temperance work, preached at the evening service an eloquent sermon on "The Prohibition Referendum."

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