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Kentville, Tues. May 14th, 1918

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Wheat Milling

The Woodworth Flour mill at Berwick will begin operations again Thursday April 11 and will mill wheat into flour as here tofor on the last three days of each week until further notice. Bring or ship it in now so we can get all possible out of the way this month, for it will be our duty as well as every one else to get onto the land for seeding as soon as possible.

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Berwick — N. S.

Girl's Hats 30c. to \$2.50

A big range of straw hats for girls of all ages, some trimmed, others untrimmed. Some very dainty designs in silk effects, white or light colors. Prices 30c. up to \$2.50.
Infants Bonnets, a large range of samples, no two alike, made of best washing materials, well made of pique, lawn, plain silk, corded silk repp, each 25c. to \$1.50
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Hat Bands in various fancy colors, each 60c. to \$1.50.
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Choice Milk For Sale

I have about ten quarts of good rich milk for sale daily. Apply at store.

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Remember Navy League meeting at Nicklet Tonight Fine addresses, splendid motion film, free admission.

WANTED— At once at the Quick Lunch Cafe, W. W. Rockwell Block, Main St. a useful girl. Permanent position. sw
About 500 men of the depot battalion arrived at Aldershot yesterday. The contingent to arrive from Amherst will about double that number.

The Board of School Commissioners for Kings County, met at the Court House, Kentville, Tuesday May 14th, at 10.30 A. M.

We can supply you with Auto Tires, Inner Tubes, Oils of all kinds. T. P. CALKIN & CO.

BEANS FOR SALE—"Soldier" Beans \$7.50 to \$10.00 per bushel. 10&a

C. C. BROWN,
Greenwich, N. S.

Gordon Freeman went to his home in Bridgewater to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Freeman.

Mr. W. D. King manager of Bank of Nova Scotia at Lethbridge Ont., is home at Kentville visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King for a fortnight. William is looking well stands well up in the world both physically and in commercial circles, and see many changes and improvements in Kentville since we ceased to pass in our checks to him at the bank in this town. He was accompanied by Mrs. King.

We have just received a shipment of Rubber Hose for spraying, 3/4 and 1/2 inch. The quality is guaranteed. Get our prices. T. P. CALKIN & CO.

MISS BERTHA BENNET BURLEIGH LECTURES IN KENTVILLE FRI. NIGHT.

Miss Bertha B. Burleigh the talented daughter of the great English War Correspondent and Writer is to lecture in Kentville this week. She was in Halifax last month and took that city by storm. On her way to New York she was met at the station here by several citizens and requested to give Kentville one of her lectures and she consented. She arrives from Montreal and St. John on Friday and lectures here that evening. It will be given under the auspices and for the benefit of the Red Cross and certainly no one should miss this rare treat. She has spent much time in Europe and in battle centres and her stories and descriptions of actual scenes and atrocities is a revelation to her hearers. She is a most talented speaker the ability of description mantle of her renowned father having fallen upon her. Every Red Cross Society in the vicinity should organize to find the means of coming to Kentville to hear her.

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Blue Banner Tea.....50c. lb.	Tomatoes.....25c. can
Indo-Ceylon Tea.....55c. lb.	Corn.....22c. can
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Mocha and Java Coffee.....38c. lb.	String Beans.....25c. can
Bulk Cocoa.....38c. lb.	Baked Beans.....20c. can
Blue Ribbon Raisins.....17c. pkg.	Baked Beans.....18c. can
Rose Brand Raisins.....16c. pkg.	Baked Beans.....25c. can
Currants.....25c. pkg.	Spaghetti.....22c. can
Excelsior Dates.....17c. pkg.	Pumpkin.....22c. can

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"Jack" Wise of Dartmouth, who is a brother of Miss G. Wise, Kentville is now in command of the 25th battalion, while Colonel Blois is home. He enlisted as a private and has worked his way rapidly through merit.
Pte. Wilfred Thorburn, who returned home recently, ill, has gone to Kentville to enter the sanatorium. — Shelburne Gazette.
Private John Barkhouse of Kentville, who has been at the Sanatorium here has received his discharge from that institution and later will be obliged to again report for duty.

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Hay Seeds, Clover Seeds, Garden Seeds, Flower Seeds, Turnip Seeds, etc. Please secure them early.

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wear better, looks better, and lasts longer than any other paint. Floor Paints, Handy Colors, Carriage Paint, White Lead, Raw Oil, Alabastine now in stock.

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Come and see our new stock of
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White Canvas Boots and Shoes

and all sorts of Sneakers for Boys and Girls, all in the latest styles and best values for your money.

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JACOBSON BROS.

A MESSAGE FOR YOU

The need of the country is so urgent that His Honour the Lieutenant Governor of Nova Scotia has requested the clergy of the Province to preach a sermon especially devoted to wheat conservation, on (May 19th), Sunday next.

Will you be sure to be on hand to hear what your clergyman says.

On Tuesday evening the members of the Wolfville Glee Service Club, gathered in force and marched through the town. It was a demonstration for the Y. M. C. A. military fund. The band of the Boy Scouts furnished music and the 60 or more girls in line in their attractive costumes was certainly picturesque. At the Rose Office they formed a triangle and were addressed by Rev. F. J. Armitage.

FOR SERVICE—Registered Holstein Bull Helboa Sprig Dekol No. 34910. Owner E. A. PORTER, East Canning, N. S.

Word has been received from Rev. and Mrs. F. H. Bone of their safe arrival at their new home in Bear River, and of a reception given them by their Church there, on Wednesday of last week.

CANNING.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bigelow are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, April 27th.

Mrs. Arthur Ward returned last week from visiting friends in Massachusetts.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ward has been very ill with pneumonia.

Mr. J. H. Turner has rented the Baptist Parsonage for a year and moved in last week.

Victor North, Mt Allison 1921 son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert North, arrived home on Saturday.

Miss Maude Pineo, who has been visiting Mrs. Scott Blenkhorn, has returned to her home in Waterville.

Miss Grace Blenkhorn left on Monday for Truro, to take the University course at the Normal College.

Methodist Church, Canning Military Unveiling of Honor Roll for men in H. M. Service overseas, Sunday at 11 A. M. All cordially invited.

In anticipation of the approaching marriage of Miss Ernie Weaver, a miscellaneous shower was given her at the home of Mrs. Starr Eaton on Tuesday evening. The reading of the rhymes accompanying the gifts added to the merriments of the occasion.

Dr and Mrs Frank Wheelock and children of Wolfville, spent the week-end with Mrs. Wheelock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Blenkhorn.

Mr. Alfred Ellis of the Home Guards is home from Halifax on a week's leave. Messrs George Blenkhorn, Frank Northup and Athlon Rooney, bandmen in the No 1 Dept. Battalion were also home last week, and Horace Grant, of the Flying Corps of Toronto, is home on a two weeks sick leave.

A large number of people assembled at the Armouries on Tuesday evening, May 7th, in the interest of the 'Y. M. C. A. Red Triangle Fund' Campaign. The speakers, Dr. H. B. DeWolfe of Wolfville, Corporal A. H. Borden of Kingsport and Mr. George Chase of Port Williams, presented the claims of the work very forcefully. A thorough canvass of Ward 1 has resulted in a much larger amount being subscribed than was apportioned for this Ward.

The Anniversary exercises of the Methodist Church were held on Sunday, May 5th. Rev. Hamilton Wigle, President of Mt. Allison Ladies' College, preached both morning and evening. Special music was rendered by the choir and a solo by Mr. Prime, a student of Acadia at the morning service. On the Monday evening following, Mr. Wigle also lectured on the 'Romance of Instinct'. An eloquent preacher, Mr. Wigle is equally gifted as a lecturer and treatise on 'Instinct' in the realm of natural history would arouse the interest of the most indifferent.

PORT WILLIAMS.

Mrs. D. Hoag of Toronto and children are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Campbell.

Mrs. E. A. Manuel of Halifax is visiting at her old home—her father Mr. J. D. Bezanson has been very ill all winter.

The sewing circle lately organized by the ladies of Baptist Church is meeting with good success, the work is well done at reasonable prices very satisfactory to their patrons.

Mrs. J. D. MacKinnon is spending a few weeks with her son here.

Mr. Stirohard of Acadia occupied the pulpit of Baptist Church last Sunday Evg. at 7.30.

The Y. M. C. A. Campaign is on here and with few exceptions people are anxious to 'do their bit'. It is expected the \$400 assigned to this vicinity will be doubled.

FOR SALE AT CANNING, N. S.

The property of the late Capt. Alfred Potter, consisting of Ten-room House, all modern conveniences, Ice House, Barn and Carriage House.

Connection with excellent Town water system. Hot and cold water in house. Private sewer. Lawn and shade trees. Lot is about an acre in size—part in orchard, part in dyke land. Will be sold at a bargain. For further information apply to

H. E. POTTER, Administrator Estate Alfred Potter 41, P.O. Box 988, New Glasgow, N.S.

Rev. A. J. Prosser of Canard who has taken charge of the Canning United Baptist Church for the summer, preached very acceptably on Sunday evening May 5th.

UPPER CANARD, N. S.

May 11, 1918.

To Editor of the Advertiser.—May I trespass upon your space to say a few words in reply to the letter of 'A Farmer's Wife' in your issue of May 10th. The instances she cites of farmers sons, the only help on the farms, being drafted, are but a few of the many. The same condition is found in every locality. She quotes Sir Robert Borden's statement regarding the necessity of food, but she does not quote his statement, 'We must have men.' I frankly admit that many farmers will not be able to produce as much this season as formerly, but I fail to see why one man with what little help is available cannot grow enough to feed and clothe his family.

Until this is impossible the farmers and the other people of Canada will not be in the state of ruination your correspondent predicts. If it becomes necessary for some of our townpeople to take up land and cultivate it in order to obtain food, so much the better for Canada. According to statistics, if Nova Scotia can grow merely enough this year to feed herself, that will be a step in advance. As for starving our soldiers, that state of affairs is not in sight yet and our Government fully realizes the danger of any step leading to that. We must therefore trust those whom we have charged with the responsibility of conducting this war, to maintain the necessary balance between production and consumption.

Personally I consider the abolition of exemptions as a necessary step. This is the only fair method of raising men and I am glad indeed that our Legislators at last realize the fact.

A FARMERS SON.

AUCTION.

To be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION at the Premises of the late John O'Hearn, Canning, N. S. Thursday, May 23rd, at 1.00 o'clock p.m. the following:—

- 1 Upright Piano, extra tone (Newcombe); Haircloth Parlor Suite, Parlor Carpet, Bedroom Carpet, Parlor Table, Sewing Machine, Base Burner, Franklin Stove, Kitchen Stove, Linoleum, Oilcloth, Hat-tray, dozen Dining Room Chairs, Pictures, Dining Table, Bedroom Suite, Bedsteads, Springs, Mattresses, 4 Feather Beds and Bedding, Dishes, Tables, Kitchen Chairs, Lounges, Mats, Pantry utensils, Spinning Wheel.

Also a few tons Hay, Single Work Harness, Driving Harness Rubber Tired Buggy in good condition, Wagon, Tip Cart, Hay Wagon, Horse Sled, Spray Pump, Hacks, Shovels, Hoes Wheelbarrow, Step Ladder and Ladders Jack Screw, Block and Tackle, Shingles, one horse Plow, Harrow, 2 Lap Rovers.

TERMS:—\$10.00 and under cash; over that sum six months credit with approved joint note with interest at 7 per cent.

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Screen Wire Cloth 22 to 40 inches.

Barbed Wire, Staples and Tacks, go to

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Works with less pressure than any other gun on the market—easier on the engine, has better control of the spray, requires less amount. No waste, correct trigger action breaks into finer fog even to tops with no drip. Will throw a perfect fog from 10 to 30 feet. Fully guaranteed.

Length 2 Feet. Weight 3 1/2 lbs. Price - \$15.00 C. O. D. Couplings .50 Special Prices to dealers.

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WEDDED IN BOSTON.

Martin Sanford, Evelyn Elida Sanford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manning Sanford, Pearsall, Kings Co. Nova Scotia was united in marriage, March 30, to Francis C. Martin, of Buenos Ayres, South America.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Henry B. Mason, Boston, Massachusetts.

DYKE LOT FOR SALE.

About five acres known as the Levi Woodworth lot on the Upper Canard river. Contemplating purchaser may confer with Mr. FRED THOMAS, of Upper Canard.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewell B. Corbett of Clementsville have moved to Kentville.

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FOR POWER SPRAYERS

This Gun will accommodate any size Hose up to and including 3/4 inch. It is not necessary to throw away the Hose and Coupling you have on hand.

Length of Gun 24 inches. Retail Price \$12.00

Club your order and get our wholesale price. The "Remy" is the simplest and most powerful gun on the market.

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PORT WILLIAMS, N. S.

RACING

AT THE

AYLESFORD SPEEDWAY

VICTORIA DAY

Friday, May 24th, 1918

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Green Race.....	Purse \$50.00
2.40 Class—Trot.....	" 75.00
2.30 Class—Trot and Pace.....	" 100.00

Six to enter, four to start. All races half-mile heats—best three in five. National Trotting Association rules to govern. Entrance fee five per cent of purse with five per cent additional from winners. Purses divided 50, 25, 15 and 10 per cent. Right reserved to change classes should any not fill. Entrance Fee must accompany entry.

Entries close Tuesday May 14th, 1918.

Races to be called at 2 o'clock p. m.

Admission 25 cts. Grand Stand Tickets 15 cts.

Aylesford Athletic & Farmers' Fair Ass'n, Ltd

Address all correspondence to the Secretary

CRAIG CALDWELL,

AYLESFORD, N. S.

RED STORE

KENTVILLE
May 14th, 1918

Lamont & Steadman

have for sale a few bushels

Seed Potatoes

as follows
Irish Cobbler and Green Mountain
grown at Experimental Station and recommended for seed.

Also a few bushels extra early Seed, grown by Bedford Chase, Port Williams.

you want high grade animal fertilizer we can supply it.

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'The Yokohama Maid'

directed by
Mrs. Cora Pierce Richmond

Opera House, Windsor

TUESDAY, MAY 14th, 8 p. m.

under the auspices of the
SOLDIERS' COMFORT CLUB

Prices—50c. and 35c.

Place of Hall at Ryan's Drug Store.

SPECIAL TRAIN leaving Kentville at 6 p. m. will stop at all intermediate stations. Returning leaves Windsor at 11.45 p. m.

FARES—Single fares from all stations for round trip.

Dressmaker will go out by the day to work. Miss M. Spangley, Lockhartville, N. S. 4.0

NOTICE.

On account of high cost of feed we are compelled to put the price of boar service up to \$2.00. 3ins
E. C. GRIFFIN, Port Williams
C. C. H. EATON, Canard
H. B. BISHOP, Greenwood
CALDWELL and HOLT, Port Williams
CHARLES MOORE, Kentville.

WOLFVILLE

Miss Bertha Bennett Burleigh will be heard soon in one of her lectures at Wolfville.

Mrs. Harry Brooks was in Centralia Annapolis Co. a week ago visiting friends.

Miss Flo Harris was in Kentville on Thursday.

Rev. Ira M. Baird of New London is visiting in the province.

Robert Pineo of the Garrison, Halifax was visiting his parents last week.

Mrs. Howard Bars has gone to Chicago to visit with her sister.

Miss Alice Stairs who was obliged to return from Halifax on account of ill health is much better.

FOR SERVICE—Yorkshire Boar Fee \$1.00. J. A. MAGEE, Port Williams. 3ins

Dr. H. T. DeWolfe was in Truro on April 27, and occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist Church there.

Mr. and Mrs. Flick of Halifax have moved to town and occupy the home of Mrs. Wm. A. Chipman, Prospect St.

Will sell a choice of two pair of working oxen both good teams. J. A. MAGEE, Port Williams. 3ins

On April 6th Rev. M. P. Freeman officiated at the marriage of Jessie Brown of Melarson, to Freeman Lee Davison of Mr. N. B. Kilcup of North Grand Pre was in Kentville on business on Thursday.

The barn of Henry Rogers was totally destroyed with its contents on Sunday morning, May 5th.

Miss Myra Chambers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chambers has graduated from Roosevelt Hospital, New York.

Lieut. J. Ernest Bars who is engaged in military work in Cape Breton was visiting his parents a week ago.

Mr. H. Stairs went to Harborville last week on business for the Children's Aid Society, and was in Kentville on Saturday.

Mrs. Crawley wife of E. Sidney Crawley, Barrister, returned lately from a trip to Bermuda where she visited at the home of her sister Mrs. Pitts.

Maurice Haycock and William Delaney have been appointed to the Government Topographical Survey, and will go to British Columbia to work there.

Miss Taylor of Kent Lodge has been at New Minas the past two months being nursed by Mrs. Edward Seaman at her home there. The patient is improving.

FOR SALE—Massey-Harris Low Manure Spreader 1917, latest type also 6 or 7 tons of prime hay. Apply Geo. T. WATKINS, Port Williams. swif.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence A. Brown and son were at Brooklyn Annapolis Co. a week ago guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Moore.

The town has done itself great credit in the contributions to the campaign fund of the Y. M. C. A. The sum of \$1250 was asked for, and it is thought that about \$3000 is the amount given by residents of the town.

Mrs. S. S. Forrest and her daughter, Miss Margaret Forrest came from Halifax on Saturday, May 4th. After a brief visit with Mrs. Chas. Fitch they took up their residence in the house rented from Miss Margaret Harvey.

The dwelling of Mr. Alex. Buckler, owned by Ernest Eagles was nearly consumed by fire Monday of last week. Most of the furniture was rescued, but furniture belonging to Oscar Whitman, stored in the building was destroyed.

Capt. Hugh A. Crawly son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Sidney Crawly arrived here last week with his bride. He married April 27, at Bermuda Catherine, St. George, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grosvenor Tucker of Hamilton, Bermuda. Capt. Crawly and bride are receiving heartiest good wishes from his many friends.



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FOR LADIES AND MISSES
The Latest Styles, Newest Cloths
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Easter Neckwear, Gloves
Hosiery and Underwear.

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Easter Neckties, Gloves,
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A Victory Bond for \$1000.00 will create for a young man 25 years of age, the following estate:

Face of Bond.....	\$1000.00
Insurance purchased by interest.....	2500.00
Total Estate.....	\$3500.00

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—WANTED—
A driving Horse reasonably sound.—1000 to 1100 lbs. 20 H STAIRS, Wolfville.

MOTHER OF WOLFVILLE LADY CELEBRATES FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY.
Truro News—On Monday afternoon and evening April 29, the friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Hall, Portapigue, Col. Co., called at their home to tender them their best wishes and congratulations in that they had, together, reached the golden anniversary of married life.
To add to the pleasure of the occasion all of the living members of the family were present; two daughters, Mrs. L. Baird of Wolfville; Mrs. F. G. Peters of Boston, and one son, W. A. Wall.

Two nieces, Mrs. H. McCurdy, Mrs. Wm. Kaulback; and two grandchildren, and old school friends were also present. A nice little sum in gold was presented to the old people, besides some lovely gifts in silver and China.

FOR SERVICE.
Registered Durham Bull from fine milking strain. Terms \$1. at time of service \$1.25 if booked with return privilege.
A. E. SKERRY, Lakeville June 30x

WANTED—For the Summer Season a good Cook—General. Apply to, MRS TAYLOR, Kent Lodge, Wolfville.

Vaid
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A telegram from Truro on Friday says that the hand of the German sympathizer was manifest to Truro people this week when the fourteen Fordson tractors were unloaded and two of them were found to have their oil pipes soldered up so that no oil could reach the engine. Had this damage to the tractors not been found in time the engines would become heated and ruined in an hour or so. How ever Ford representatives knowing what happened to the tractors shipped to Calgary were on the lookout and carefully examined this shipment. The pipes were soldered in the most nearly inaccessible place possible and it will require some little time to get the pipes out and have the soldering removed.

At a meeting of the New Brunswick Provincial Boy Scout Association held in St. John Thursday, the idea was approved that the establishment of a central office for the province and the uniting of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island would greatly facilitate operations. A skilled man from Ottawa will be appointed organizer of the Boy Scout movement in the Maritime Provinces. There are at present more than 3,000 Boy Scouts in these provinces.

CASUALTIES

The following are among the casualties to Nova Scotians reported.

Wounded:— D. B. Tatem, West Green Harbor, Shelburne; H. G. Gillingham, Kentville; Lieut. W. G. Ernest, Hahone Bay; E. Munro, Yarmouth; E. T. Freeman, Bridgewater; E. Letteney, Digby; H. H. Hayden, Osborne.

Died— A. S. Fraser, Milton, Queens.

Gassed— W. Lewis, Freeport; E. L. Cox, Shelburne.

Died of wounds— E. Boudreau, Cheticamp.

The Moncton board of school trustees has decided that in addition to saluting the flag, at least once each fortnight in each school patriotic lessons must be taught supporting the justness of the principles for which Great Britain, and her allies, are fighting.

MAKE THE HUN PAY ONE LITTLE ACCOUNT OF \$16,393,872.00.

In 1870 Germany defeated France and collected a war indemnity of \$1,000,000,000. This sum, with interest thereon, should be included in the indemnities, which the Huns will be asked to pay at the close of the present war.

This one billion dollars at 6 per cent for 48 years will amount to \$16,393,872.00 every cent of which the Hun should be forced to pay to the French nation.

—Truro News.

EXCESS HOLDINGS OF FOOD MAY BE SEIZED.

OTTAWA, Friday.—The Canada Food Board today issued a sharp warning that the recent order restricting the amount of flour and sugar which may lawfully be held must be strictly observed, and that excess holdings must be returned at once to the dealers from whom purchased.

The food board, with the co-operation of municipal police authorities all through Canada, is prepared strictly to enforce the regulations. "People who have more sugar or flour than is permitted under the regulations, have only a short time left in which to dispose of their excess holdings, before they become liable to seizure and forfeiture." Henry B. Thomson, chairman of the board, stated today.

HINDENBURG FIENDISH CONDUCT REVEALED BY WIFE OF A POLISH COUNT

With the doors and windows of the chief German clubhouse in Manhattan boarded up and notices posted in all others demanding as a condition of membership unreserved loyalty to the United States and to the nation now acting in alliances with this country to forever destroy the intolerable arrogance of Teutons the people of this great city have found themselves. The resolution adopted by the Lotos Club at its annual meeting is a model for thoroughness and clearly defines the requisites of loyalty. No tolerance is shown to critics of England, France or Japan, because they are standing shoulder to shoulder with us in this necessary contest against the scourge of the age.

Any of my readers who thought my denunciation of all things Prussian too severe should have been at Aeolian Hall yesterday afternoon, as I was, and heard the Countess Laura de Turzyncowicz, an American wife of a Polish nobleman, describes the horrors of the German invasion of her adopted country. Garbed as this refined woman was in the gray cloak of the Polish Red Cross, with its blazing red emblem upon her breast, she told of the infamous conduct of German officers and troopers in realistic language that I commit to paper. Desecration of the churches, brutal slaughter of the old, the systematic division of young women among the soldiers and the wanton defilement and destruction of her own home were described in a manner that brought tears to the eyes of most people in the audience. Even the sacred altars were not respected.

Especially did she tell how Field Marshal Von Hindenburg had quartered himself in her home and re-

fracted to save her little maid from brutality. This account of the merciless character of the despicable invader recalled Gen. Weyler's conduct at Havana when he flung the women of Cuba to his soldiers as Christians were thrown to the lions in the amphitheatre by Nero. Countess Turzyncowicz's appeal to the big, always drunken commander for her Polish maid was answered with a wave of the hand.

"No! she belongs to the soldiers!" This lady's description was the most appalling arrangement of utter depravity represented by the Teutonic mind, I have heard since the war began. —Julia Chambers in Brooklyn Eagle.

QUEEN OF ROUMANIA HATES THE GERMANS

AMSTERDAM May 9.—Queen Marie of Roumania, according to German newspapers, has publicly announced that she will never recognize the peace treaty between Roumania and Germany. Her Majesty says she would rather abdicate than reign over a country under German rule. The Queen's children are of the same opinion and never lose an opportunity, the newspapers add, of insulting the Germans in Roumania.

FEEDING POTATOES TO HOGS.

Peterboro, Ont., May 7.—Farmers in this district are reported to have on hand a big surplus of potatoes which they intend feeding to their hogs rather than selling at the prevailing price.

Cigarettes have advanced in price in Montreal to 20 cents for 10, or 2 cents apiece. Pretty expensive for an injurious and senseless habit. Better do a way with it.

THIS IS NO JOKE

In these days of the high cost of living the following story has a decided point:—

The teacher of a primary class was trying to show the children the difference between the natural and man-made wonders and was finding it hard.

"What," she asked, "do you think is the most wonderful thing man ever made?"

A little girl, whose parents were obviously harassed by the question of ways and means, replied as solemnly as the proverbial Judge:

"A living for a family."

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All records for rapid construction of a ship were broken on Sunday when the 5,548 ton steel collier Tuckahoe, was launched at the yard of the New York Shipbuilding Corporation in Camden, N. J. The keel of this wonder ship was laid on April 8 and only twenty-seven days were required to prepare the hull for launching. She was ninety per cent completed when it slid into the water and in fifteen days more it will take its place in the commerce of the world complete and ready for a cargo.

It is reported in London that Princess Mary is now very busily engaged in perfecting her knowledge of Italian, and that Queen Mary is also refreshing the Italian she learnt in her girlhood days in Florence. This has revived the rumor that the Prince of Wales may become engaged to the Princess Yolanda of Italy.

Field Marshall Viscount French has been appointed Lord Lieutenant of Ireland. Henry Edward Duke, who resigned recently as Chief Secretary for Ireland, has been knighted.

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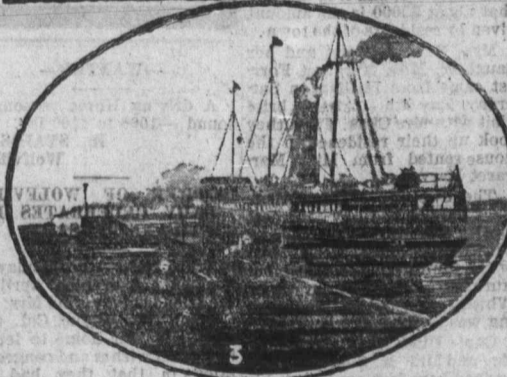
Boston Herald:—Vessel charters have reached enormous figures on account of the scarcity of tonnage. Two neutral steamers have been obtained to bring wool from Buenos Ayres at the fabulous rate of eight cents per pound, or \$80 a bale. Each ship will earn about \$600,000 on the wool and charter and, in addition, will have tremendous profits on a cargo for the Argentine port.

Dutch papers state that 107 severely wounded British who have arrived at Rotterdam for repatriation, were not sent from Germany under proper conditions. No hospital train was provided and the Dutch medical authorities expressed forcible opinions regarding the transport of stretcher cases under such conditions.

Pope Benedict has served notice on the world that the Vatican will not be a party to "any peace offer" at the present time. Pope Benedict has let it be known that he is desirous of taking any step which may tend to shorten the war, but he does not see at the present moment any reason to believe that an appeal would bring about the desired results.

There are now 2,000 military hospitals in the United Kingdom.

ANGELS UNAWARES



(1) Women Car Cleaners at Work in Observation Car, Glen Yards. (2) Women Workers at Grain Elevator, Port McNicoll, Sewing Up Grain Bags.

BEFORE the war there were five million, five hundred women wage earners in Great Britain; today there are over ten million. Five million men have enlisted for active service, and a woman has taken the place of every able-bodied man who might have been engaged in peaceful occupations. England has never been so busy a manufacturing and industrial country as she is in 1916, but this would never have been possible if women had not stepped into the breach.

In Canada there is not the same supply of surplus available women, so that in this respect Canada has not experienced so great a revolution in industrial life, but many to Canadian women, and the demand for women workers in factories and in the great industrial life of the railways is steadily on the increase. If Sir Robert Borden is

to secure his 500,000 Canadian soldiers, 100,000 women must temporarily step into the shoes of men so that the latter may be released for service, as the limit of available men seems almost to be reached, are surprised to find women ticket inspectors and guards, women as elevator attendants, women as chauffeurs, and train conductors, women as red caps, porters and ticket clerks, women as locomotive cleaners and track greasers.

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A FISHING PROCLAMATION.

An old Highland fishing proclamation was read by the Rev. Percy Coats at a meeting of the Lunenburg Fishery Board at Lancaster. The proclamation read as follows: "This shall be a proclamation of Her Grace the Duke of Argyll: If any man be found fishing in the loch, on the loch, around the loch, through the loch afoor the loch, or hinder the loch, his neck shall be broken in twelve places, and if he shall hereafter offend he shall be persecuted wif far war persecution, for he shall be burned and hanged. By all the laws of the Europes of Scotland and Her Grace the Duke of Argyll."

BRITISH SAILORS BLOCK CHANNEL AT OSTEND.

Gallant and Successful Exploit On the Part of the Navy Will Embarrass Submarine Commanders.

LONDON, May 10.—The Vindictive lies at an angle not effectively blocking the channel at Ostend, but serving a very useful purpose, according to the Press association. A partial and very serious blockade has been achieved and under the conditions of tide and silt prevailing this obstruction will certainly tend to increase.

DOVER, May 19.—The decision to send the Vindictive to Ostend was made a few days after her return from the Zeebrugge raid and the task of filling her with concrete was begun immediately. As in the joint raid on Zeebrugge and Ostend, the British latest naval exploit was kept a well guarded secret. As an evidence of this it is recalled that after the battle scarred cruiser returned from Zeebrugge an urgent request was made that she be sent up the Thames to London for public view. The authorities did not encourage the proposal, however, and the agitation subsided. All the time the old vessel was being overhauled for her last voyage.

As on the former occasion, the operation to block Ostend harbor was under the direction of Admiral Keyes.

Some of the men who participated in the affair returned here today. They say it was completely successful. The firing which covered the sinking of the Vindictive began about one o'clock this morning and lasted until three o'clock. The bombardment was very heavy and could be heard at Dover. The night was clear, with the stars shining brilliantly, but there was a haze over the sea.

The Vindictive came under a fierce fire from the German shore batteries. She was navigated close into the pier in fine style and sunk by an internal charge. The crew escaped in fast motor boat. Only the number of officers and men absolutely necessary were on board the ship on account of the danger of her total loss. These, on signal, swarmed up from the engine rooms and stokeholds and took their positions at stations appointed so as to slide quickly into the motor boats. The small boats were under heavy gunfire all the time while they were transferring the crew to waiting destroyers.

MAKE EVERY CHICKEN COUNT.

The aim this year should be to make everything count. Make every hen lay her best, make every chick mature early enough and thereby make every pound of feed give the maximum returns.

HATCH EARLY. Make every effort to get your chicks out this spring before the first of June. As a rule the heavier breeds hatched later than that date are not satisfactory. At last 90 p. c. of the pullets in Canada were not laying during November and December of the past winter, because they were hatched too late.

A LITTLE SAND OR GRIT FIRST.—When the chicks are removed to their brooding quarters there should be some coarse sand or fine chick grit scattered where they can have free access to it. They should be left until they show positive signs of hunger, which would be between the second and third days after hatching. They may then be given some bread crumbs that have been very slightly moistened with milk, this may be scattered on clean sand or chick grit. If being brooded by a hen she will see that no food is allowed to lie around, but if in a brooder, that part of the food that the chicks do not pick up in a few minutes should be removed, as nothing

in feeding causes so much trouble as leaving food of that nature around until it is sour.

FEED FOR THE FIRST TEN OR TWELVE DAYS.—The following daily rations of five feeds given about two hours and a half apart and continued from the time the chicks are two to three days out of the shell until ten or twelve days of age may be altered or adopted to suit conditions:—

First feed.—Dry bread crumbs slightly moistened with milk. Second feed.—Finely cracked mixed grains or commercial chick feed. Third feed.—Rolled oats. Fourth feed.—Dry bread crumbs moistened with milk. Fifth feed.—Finely cracked mixed grains.

In addition to the above, give the chicks a little green food, such as grass, lettuce, sprouted peas, etc. Do not have the moistened bread sloppy but in a crumbly state, and during this period let the chicks on to fresh soil or grass every day if possible.

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Baron Shaughnessy on the C.P.R.

A Fascinating, Historical and Political Record

Lord Shaughnessy's report to shareholders at the annual meeting of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company embodied a review of the salient features of the company's financial policy and progress leading up to its present stable position. It is shown that under the terms of the contract dated October 21st, 1859, the Government undertook to give, by way of subsidy, to assist in the completion of certain western portions of the system then in progress of construction under government auspices, \$25,000,000 in cash and 4,000,000 acres of land suitable for settlement. Subsequently the cash subsidy was increased by \$10,000,000 and as an offset the land subsidy was decreased by 6,700,000 acres.

In view of the present high credit of the railway it is interesting to note that the company's desire in the early days to finance with capital stock at money advanced by the Government was an impossibility, and as a consequence Parliament authorized the issue of \$25,000,000, 5 p.c. bonds and \$25,000,000 common stock.

Unhappily influences at home and abroad so prejudiced the international markets that the original \$25,000,000 stock only yielded an average of less than 46 p.c. of its face value. The unwillingness of investors to pay a higher figure for the stock in those days need not be considered extraordinary; however, when it is known that as late as 1855, when the railway had been in operation for over nine years, the stock was offered in the market as low as 33 p.c. with but few takers. In 1855 Darling Bros. of London were induced to find purchasers for the \$25,000,000 first mortgage bonds, and by this means the company was enabled to repay the loans from the Government, and to meet its floating debt.

The review goes on to describe the linking up of eastern Canada with the company's system which served thousands of miles of territory that was practically uninhabited. The eastern connection was imperative if the unremunerative territory was to be successfully developed.

The history of capital expenditure is an interesting chapter, not only in the history of the C.P.R. but also in that of the Dominion itself. After 1859, so rapid was the traffic development, it was necessary to provide substantial additions to traffic facilities of every description. From 1862 to 1914 inclusive, the records show expenditures for second tracks, reduction of gradients, terminals, workshops, etc., of \$206,300,000; and for cars, locomotives, and other equipment \$130,000,000. To meet this expenditure of \$336,300,000 the directors appealed successfully to the ordinary shareholders of the company. In the thirteen years mentioned, the shareholders were offered and accepted \$195,000,000 par value of common stock for which they paid \$262,300,000. Out of this \$262,300,000 of bonds were paid off and retired, and \$24,200,000 was used to pay the cost of railway lines acquired or constructed, and of additional steamships, on which no bonds or debentures were sold. The remaining sum of \$202,100,000 was supplemented by the sale of preferred stock and equipment notes bringing in \$56,500,000 and making a total of \$258,600,000 to apply against expenditures of \$336,300,000. The difference of \$77,700,000 of the company being a further contribution by the shareholders of that amount from surplus or "undivided profits."

This remarkable financing, made possible only by the faith and cour-

age of shareholders, put the company in a position efficiently and economically to deal with a large and ever-increasing volume of traffic, at the same time enabling the directors substantially to reduce the bonded debt. Notwithstanding the low price at which the original \$25,000,000 common stock was sold (\$46.00 a share) the entire \$250,000,000 of this common stock now outstanding has yielded to the Company's Treasury in cash an average of \$112 for each \$100 of stock, and if the surplus earnings are considered (a quite proper calculation, as those earnings were at all times applicable for dividends) the shareholders paid an average of \$143 for each \$100 of stock that they hold.

The expansion of the company's extraordinary success in face of the above record, is to be found in the company's policy of keeping down the annual fixed charges, while extending its rails into new productive territory as opportunity offered; also in the economies attending the long haul of traffic over one huge system, eliminating heavy tolls for switching and other kindred services between connecting companies.

A brief reference to the Ocean and Coastal Steamship branches is to the effect that the property is secured by a comparatively small demand on capital account, and has a present market value in excess of \$65,000,000. Other properties and assets of the company were purchased or developed by the surplus income held in trust for the shareholders.

Something About the Land Grant.

The company's Land Grant, "which is a source of serious anxiety to financial doctrinaires who have only half studied the subject," is treated at considerable length in the review. As late as 1858, when the railway had been in operation for some time, the Dominion Government consented, as a consideration for some concessions under the Charter to guarantee the interest on \$15,000,000 Land Grant Bonds, but would in no circumstances guarantee the payment of the principal which would have given the security increased market value, although the bonds had fifty years to run and only represented a value equal to 75c. per acre. This did not reflect much confidence on the part of the Government towards Land Grant values, and there is no doubt that at that time the Government could have recovered the whole Land subsidy at the price per acre just mentioned, i.e., 75c. For many years this Land Grant was a drag on the Company's development. Interest had to be met on the Land Grant bonds, whose proceeds had been devoted to the purposes of the railway, and although considerable sums were spent on immigration propaganda, land sales were disappointing and unsatisfactory, the prices yielding the company only from \$1.50 to \$2.50 per acre, after selling expenses had been paid. It was not until 1858 that agricultural lands in Western Canada attracted buyers in any numbers, and even in that year when 348,000 acres were sold, and in the three subsequent years, the net return was only \$2.80 per acre.

Shortly after the C.P.R. contract was made, the Federal Parliament commenced to vote grants of land in very large areas by way of subsidy for the construction of railway lines in western Canada, in many cases incorporated for that purpose, although these companies never materialized, though much good land was spoken by them, thus necessitating the C.P.R. going further afield

to satisfy the last 3,000,000 acres of its Grant. The company was compelled to accept lands along the line west of Medicine Hat, in the "semi-arid" district, where there was little or no water, which made the lands practically valueless. To recover this tract it was decided to adopt a plan of irrigation, and an expenditure of \$15,000,000 was made in the construction of works and ditches comprising an area of 2,240,000 acres. Of this area, not previously worth five cents an acre for practical purposes, portions now served by the ditches command high prices.

The company has expended approximately \$17,000,000 in the encouragement of immigration, and to forward the sale of such lands as it had received. Branch lines of railway were also constructed to open up the territory for prospective settlers. Of the original Land Grant 14,000,000 acres have been sold to date, yielding approximately \$94,000,000, or an average of \$6.72 per acre, from which, however, must be deducted the expenditures during thirty years for immigration propaganda, agencies, commissions, etc., together with irrigation costs, making the net return less than \$5.00 per acre. On the 14,000,000 acres thus far sold, taxes to the amount of \$30,000,000 have been paid into the Public Treasury.

The "Ten Per Cent Clause."

In regard to the much discussed "Ten per cent clause," the review states that the suggestion made in some quarters that the spirit and intent of this Clause was to limit the company's dividend to ten per cent is entirely out of harmony with the clear and unquestionable language of the instrument. The Clause had no more relation, direct or indirect, to the C.P.R. dividends than it had to the dividends of any other railway company, or of any commercial or industrial corporation. Seventeen per cent instead of ten per cent per annum might properly have been distributed from the average earnings of the railway had the directors not been convinced that a prudent and conservative policy was in the best interest of the property.

The total capital of the C.P.R. is \$223,000,000 which contrasts with the actual cost of the company of \$887,000,000 exclusive of \$21,000,000 of railway constructed by the Government and handed over to the Company. It is also exclusive of \$131,000,000 provided from surplus earnings, land sales, etc., expended on the property and written off without being capitalized, so that based upon cost, the transportation system represents an outlay of \$818,000,000 or about \$61,000 per mile.

The conservative financial policy of the directors cannot be better illustrated than by the fact that the net earnings per mile required to meet annual interest charges on the G. T. R. C. N. R., G. T. P., and the N. T. R. would suffice to cover the annual interest charges, dividends on the preference stock, and seven per cent dividend on the common stock of the C.P.R. Extraneous investments, including steamship lines, railway companies outside Canada, Government securities and loans, money set aside for investment, unsold lands, amounts payable on lands already sold, coal mines and other properties, are appraised at \$253,000,000 which is substantially below the market value. Many of these properties and resources had little or no value when they came into possession of the company, but were developed and safe-guarded until they became profitable.

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THE OPERA "YOKOHAMA MAID"

In light opera at least, good amateurs are infinitely more attractive to the writer, than any but the best professionals, and Mrs. Cora Pierce Richmonds pupils, to the advantage of both teacher and pupils, must be classified among the former. The opera at Wolfville on Thursday Evening was really high class and delightful and fully enjoyed by a large audience of the town and county. Mrs. Richmond is not only voice culturist of high quality, but seems to be able to develop a remarkable dramatic, excellence in many of her pupils, and also to avoid noticeable weak spots in the Opera she presents, which so often mar otherwise good amateur work. To particularize in a review of this excellent opera would occupy too much space.

To those who had heard and seen Miss Evelyn Neily in similar work, her excellence in the character of "O—sing—a Song," was not a great surprise, but in the writer's opinion in the second act, her dramatic ability, and the possibilities of her splendid soprano were shown as never before, and apparently left nothing to be desired on the part of the principal male actors and some of the audience, except their possessor. Miss O Marie Wilson's rich contralto is always satisfying and as "Tung—Waga" and elderly nurse her make up, acting, and singing were beyond criticism and her dramatic ability a surprise to most of her friends. Miss Mildred Harvey as "Kissimee" sang and acted

well and her duet with "Tmogudi", Mr. Mason, was excellent. Miss Marjorie Chute and Miss Gwen Rowe as American Tourists, looked, acted and sang their parts most pleasingly. Mr. Hopgood, as Fattedo made a most imposing Mayor and acted the part well. Mr. Dick in a dual capacity as, "Taka" and "Harry Cortcase" sang his solo parts well and acted the characters. Mr. McNeil as "Ah No" was a typical Chinaman, and sang and acted well receiving a well merited encore in his dance with Miss F. Stackhouse. Mr. Gertridge as "Miwon Yu" was also good. The special numbers were all good. Miss O'Conner in artistic dances, Miss Rowe and Miss Knowles in pleasing solos and the Misses Stackhouse in Japanese dancing added variety and charm to the entertainment. The important work of accompanists was well done by Miss Viola Bishop and Mr. McNeil. The stage settings and effects were appropriate and reflected credit upon the stage manager, W. A. Colt. Of course an opera requires an orchestra and the Kentville Amateurs under the direction of Mr. Burpee Bishop, are entitled to a fair share of the honors for their excellent work. Also an opera doesn't amount to much without a good chorus and Mrs. Richmond was fortunate in obtaining so many good voices which contributed so materially to the success of the opera. The costumes were also excellent. It is to be repeated in Kentville on Monday May 20, and also in Windsor, and is better worth hearing and seeing than most of the imported shows.

MUSIC LOVER.

NAVY LEAGUE.

Tonight, Tuesday in the Nicklet Theatre there will be a mass meeting of the citizens in the interests of the Navy League of Canada. Rev. Harold T. Roe, the talented speaker and Mr. Percy T. Strong, Secretary Treasurer of the League will be the principal speakers. They have been holding most enthusiastic meetings in other centres in Nova Scotia and Kentville must not lag behind in its interest in the great work of our Navy. The meeting is free to all and will open at 8.30 o'clock. During the evening a splendid motion film, Life and Work on a British War Ship will be shown. Madam Hobbs the famous contralto singer will render solos besides other music. Mr. Roe's address on touching the work of and life in the Navy will be thrilling. Show your interest in the protection our Navy is giving you by attending this meeting in Nicklet Theatre this Tuesday night. Children without their parents not admitted.

FORWARD MOVEMENT FOR KINGS COLLEGE.

The canvas of St. James Parish for the Kings College Advance Movement has been going on this week and has met with encouraging success. Six hundred dollars has been subscribed with a number of names yet to hear from. Additional subscriptions may be sent at any time to Rev. A. M. Bent. Canon Vernon, the organizing secretary, was assisted by president Boyle, Professor Kingston, Mr. R. S. Nixon, all of the College staff, W. A. Hertz and the energetic workers of St. James Church, James Sealy and Garnet F. Ring, Canon Vernon, who was the guest of Rev. A. M. Bent, left Thursday for Bridgetown. The objective of the Advance Movement is \$125,000 of which \$62,000 has now been subscribed.

Eighty three per cent of the Kings College students are at the front, a larger percentage, it is claimed, than from any other Canadian College.

To Red Cross knitters extract from "War Work" for 1918. Page 16: "To avoid blood poisoning from dyes, wash yarn thoroughly in boiling water, and rinse in liberal waters, before knitting." Page 15: "Always wash the socks carefully before giving them in." Dirty socks cannot be sent Overseas so somebody has to wash them. Knitters are asked, on account of high price of wool, not to make legs of socks longer than eleven inches; the feet can be knit from ten to eleven inches larger or smaller sizes will not be accepted at headquarters.

ST. STEPHEN METHODIST CHURCH.

St. Stephen Methodist Church celebrated its 21st Anniversary on Sunday last. In the morning Rev. Harold T. Roe of Halifax preached from the text "Does God Care". He also preached to a packed home in the evening, his message being of thrilling interest to his hearers. Mr. Roe is one of Nova Scotia's most eloquent preachers and he ably sustained his reputation while in Kentville. He spoke also Sunday afternoon on Mother's Day and the value of motherhood.

Special music was given at the different services. Madam Hobbs who was a gold medalist in England now choir leader in the Brunswick St. Methodist Church, Halifax was truly delightful in her different central solos and the large choir gave excellent music. In the afternoon the program was mostly musical. Besides the choir and Madam Hobbs the best of musical numbers were given by Mr. and Mrs. Sennett of Canning, Miss Evelyn Spidell, Miss Minnie Miller violinist and ladies and mixed quartets. Rev. Mr. Morgan of Camp Aldershot also addressed the Audience.

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KENTVILLE.

Dining Room girl wanted at once. Apply Aberdeen Hotel.

Mr. C. I. Wolfe, Waterville, President of the Kings Co. Temperance Alliance was in town Thursday.

Hear the famous contralto singer Madam Hobbs, Rev. Harold Roe and Percy Strong in addresses at Navy League, free Mass Meeting in Nicklet tonight at 8.30.

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Mr. A. L. Davidson, M. P., was in town last week for a couple of days.

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Mrs. Walter Healy who is stopping in town was in Annapolis Co. a week ago visiting friends.

Miss Lillian Sutton, R. N., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Sutton of Church St. Cornwallis who has been meeting with much success in her chosen profession since Graduation, has now been called by Red Cross to go to France, for which Service she had offered herself, but her parents had hoped to have her spend the summer at home first, she is to be ready to sail in ten days, having passed Physical examination going. Presbyterian, Base Hospital No. 2.

FOR SALE—2 horses sound, good workers weight about 1150 each. Also a few Bue to far now July 21st. sw3insx F. J. EDWARDS. Cambridge Sta.

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The well known Stallion "Marshall M." will leave the stables at Berwick every Monday morning until July 16th traveling by Post Road to Kentville to stables of Charles Dennison. Remaining there until each Saturday at noon. 4.0 x G. A. MADER, Owner.

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OBITUARY

The death occurred at the Nova Scotia Military Hospital Dartmouth, on May 1st of pneumonia, Leslie E. Ward, of Coldbrook, Kings Co. N. S.

The funeral services were held at the home of his brother and were largely attended. He was of a very quiet disposition and beloved by all who knew him.

Besides his sorrowing mother he leaves one brother Albert, of Coldbrook N. S. two half-sisters Mrs. William Schofield, of North Alton and Mrs. Annie Spinney of Bethel, Maine and one half brother Lee E. Ward, of Lynn Mass. to mourn their loss.

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1 Bot. Maple Syrup60
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NOTICE

Owing to the embargo on Cottonseed Meal our order of two cars have been cancelled. We have on hand now Royal Household Flour Ground Barley, Crushed Oats and Oats. We are expecting other feeds this week.

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STEAM MILL VILLAGE.

It has been some time since our little Village has been heard from, so I guess a few items will not come amiss. The weather is real good now after a long cold winter, and farming is again in progress. The Red Cross workers have again taken up their work, and will meet at the home of Mrs. C. E. Beckwith on Wednesday next.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Shankel were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Wilson on Sunday last.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Reid visited the former's brother Mr. D. M. Reid of Lakeville recently.

Miss Mary B. Kalzer, teacher of Billtown spent the week-end with friends in this place.

We are pleased to report Mrs. George Kinsman who has been on the sick list for some time is slowly improving.

Mrs. Songster Hennigar of White Rock has been spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Waldo Boyle.

Mrs. G. B. Mullins of Somerset, accompanied by Russell and Wilfred Mullins spent Saturday at the home of her sister Mrs. I. E. Redden.

Brenten, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Brenten Banks, left a short time ago for Halifax, for treatment at the Hospital there, the many friends hope that he will soon be able to return to his home.

We are pleased to see Mr. Clayton Crocker out again after quite a serious illness.

Mr. David McCloud of Long Beach, was the guest of Mrs. J. J. Sawyer on Wednesday last.

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