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ADMIRALTY FINDS NO TRACE OF HARRY HAWKER; WINNIPEG STRIKE RAPIDLY APPROACHING CRISIS; GERMANS HAVE LITTLE THURSDAY TO DECIDE

Winnipeg Situation Bothers

Troublesome Affairs in the Strike-ridden City Overshadow Everything Else in Consideration by Parliament.

STRIKE IS OF MOST SERIOUS CHARACTER

Parliament Determined That All Attempts at Lawlessness or of Revolutionary Character Must be Sternly Put Down.

Special to The Standard.
Ottawa, May 20.—The Winnipeg situation still overshadows everything else at Ottawa. It is realized that there are dangers in the Winnipeg general strike of a most serious character. Hon. G. Robertson and Hon. Arthur Meighen will arrive in the Winnipeg tomorrow morning, and the Government has hopes they will be able to bring about a settlement. They will be ready to co-operate in any movement for a settlement, and will assist in the maintenance of law and order which the government is determined to maintain.

The attitude of the Government and Parliament is that, while every known resource must be exhausted to effect a settlement by compromise and peace, all attempts at lawlessness, or of any revolutionary character, must be sternly put down.

There is no disposition to use unnecessary force, but the feeling is strong that public life and property must be protected, and that "reds," as distinguished from genuine trade unionists, must be taught a lesson in the danger of defying the law. It is doubted here that any Soviet Government has been formed. The government is hopeful that, with the arrival of the ministers in the West, they will be able to restore communication with the city. What information the government has is encouraging.

SENSATIONAL DAYLIGHT ATTEMPT AT BANK ROBBERY NEAR TORONTO

Agent of Bank Was Severely Wounded by Revolver Shots, One Robber Fatally Wounded — Pluck of Lady Clerk Helped in Saving the Money Bag.

Toronto, May 20.—In a sensational attempted daylight bank robbery this morning at Agincourt, a small place 13 miles east of here on the line of the C. P. R. to Montreal, R. C. Lang, agent of the Bank of Nova Scotia at that place, was severely wounded and one of the would-be robbers was shot through the head and at last accounts could live only a few minutes.

C. N. RAILWAYS UNDER DEBATE IN PARLIAMENT

A Proposal in the Senate to Have Board of Directors Reduced in Size and Made Responsible to Parliament Was Defeated.

ARGUMENT AGAINST GOV'T CONTROL

The Amendment Proposed Called for a Commission of Three Which Was Looked Upon With Disfavor.

Ottawa, May 20.—A proposal in the Senate to have the board of the Canadian National Railways reduced in size and made responsible to parliament, rather than to the government, was defeated today.

The amendment offered by Senator Bostock, leader of the opposition, called for the appointment of a chief and two assistant directors for the administration of the railway. The three were to be appointed by the government for seven years, but they could be removed only for cause, and the removal had to be confirmed by parliament. Senator Bostock said that the purpose of the motion was to bring the board more closely under parliament, to give its operations more publicity, and to further remove it from the influence of the government. Under the present bill, the government could without great reasons, drop any director whose actions did not please them.

Senator Fowler noted that the bill authorized the appointment of five directors. He thought nine would be enough.

Senator Dandurand said that board would be all right if it had the regular powers that other railway boards have. But this board had to report and have its acts confirmed by the government that appointed it. Therefore, the government was really the board. Nine men would be ample for an administrative board, such as this.

LOOKING FOR SITE TO ESTABLISH THE STOCK YARDS

Representatives of Dominion and Provincial Dep'ts of Agriculture Visit Moncton.

Special to The Standard.
Moncton, N. B., May 20.—D. Johnson, of the Department of Agriculture, Fredericton, visited Moncton today in connection with the proposed Maritime Stockyards and Abattoir. Sites of the city were inspected, and a conference held with the City Council and Board of Trade. Tomorrow the representatives of the Dominion and Provincial Agricultural Departments will proceed to Halifax to look over available sites there.

Lang went to the vault to get some copper and at the same time picked up a revolver which lay on a shelf in the vault. He turned to find himself confronted by one of the thieves who had a revolver pointed at the agent's head. The thief fired and Lang replied with a shot which penetrated the robber's eye. The second thief then fired, and one of these shots found Lang in the groin. Miss Chapman then grabbed with the second robber and disarmed him and Lang coming from the vault chased him out of the building. He made off in the motor. Lang was brought to the general hospital in Toronto and his recovery is expected.

THE STRIKE SITUATION AT WINNIPEG IS RAPIDLY APPROACHING A CRISIS

Peace and Order Cannot Much Longer be Maintained — Volunteers for a Citizen's Army Have Been Called and Over 5,000 Have Responded—Labor Paper in the City Frankly Declares it is Out for a Soviet Gov't as They Have it in Russia—Strike Committee in Control.

Winnipeg, May 20.—The strike situation is rapidly approaching a crisis. It is conceded that peace and order cannot be much longer maintained. The situation is such that General Ketchen, District Officer Commanding Military District No. 10, has called for volunteers to a citizen's army and between five and six thousand have volunteered to do the uniform whenever it is necessary to combat the Bolshevik element which appears imminent on revolution. The labor paper being published in the city has frankly confessed that it is out for Soviet government as they have it in Russia.

The city has been divided into several military areas with fire balls and other large buildings as mobilization points. At a given signal the volunteers enlisted, attested and sworn, will flock to these mobilization depots, Military truck loads of uniforms are already en route to most of the depots, and all is ready for the show-down which is regarded as inevitable. Up to the present the strike committee has been in complete control, because the military authorities were unready, and Ottawa did not realize, until the last day or two, the necessities of the situation. Prior to that, General Ketchen was under orders not to do anything. The city has been at the mercy of the strike committee. Food was sold in restaurants and the strike committee's authority, and there was limited delivery of bread and milk. Theatres were permitted to open, but in this city no theatres were allowed to open. A four page newspaper was got out by the citizens' committee yesterday. It was set in town and printed in the country. It is called the Winnipeg Citizen and will be continued. It calls the movement an effort at revolution, and charges that the delinquent elements in the Trades and Labor movement have been led away by the Bolsheviks.

Babies are sick and suffering. Milk and ice are hard to get. The water pressure in this city is not above thirty pounds, and the sanitary situation is demoralized. There is insufficient water to combat any large blaze that may occur. With the military authorities in control, the city authorities have wielded only a semblance of power, but, under the new conditions, it is expected people will not be so easily misled and interference will spell trouble.

PARLIAMENT CONSIDERED VARIOUS QUESTIONS OF MINOR IMPORTANCE

Railroad Matters Came in for Debate—Annual Passes to Judges Advocated—Help for Famine-stricken Inhabitants of India Considered.

Ottawa, May 20.—Parliament has been in session three months today. In a great deal of legislation has been dealt with much still remains to be disposed of and it is quite possible that the house will run a full five months. Today was one of the House of Commons' working days. The consolidated railway bill, which was introduced on the first day of the session and which has undergone lengthy consideration by the special committee of which Mr. J. E. Armstrong was chairman was under consideration and its four hundred non-contentious clauses were expeditiously passed.

These more controversial clauses were considered, but those of a really contentious nature, such as the power clause in which Toronto and the Toronto and Niagara Power Company are interested will be discussed on Tuesday or Wednesday next.

At the evening sitting Mr. Mackie, East Edmonton, advocated the giving of annual passes to judges on the ground that their remuneration is inadequate, but Hon. J. D. Reid could not see why the railways should be asked to make good salary deficiencies. R. L. Richardson opposed the principle of free transportation for judges.

The railway mail clerks are to go out tomorrow. The running crews of the railways may quit and tie up transportation. Some of the strikers are already chafing under a feeling that things have gone too far and are in favor of an offer to get back to work. Gasoline has been sold only on the strike committee's permit to doctors, farmers and members of the strike committee. Today civic authorities ordered all gas-filling stations to open up and to do business as usual and guaranteed police protection. If the strikers interfere with any filling stations, or any business or warehouse doing business as usual, the police are ordered to stop it. If they cannot, martial law will be clamped on. There are thirty thousand men and women on strike.

Mayor Gray told the Common Council that a combination of circumstances had been responsible for a mistaken impression throughout Winnipeg regarding the city's attitude toward the union forces. The Mayor said that, when the general strike was declared, he gave the central strike committee to understand that law and order must be maintained, and that no suffering from lack of food should take place. The result was, Mayor Gray stated, that cards were prepared for union drivers of bread and milk wagons, and the movement of these commodities was approved by the union men. The drivers lacked the cards for their wagons and automobiles, instead of keeping them for presentation if the vehicles were stopped.

Whether Ministers Robertson and Breighen, who are expected here on Thursday, have a plan to end Federal aid to any industrial adjustment here has not been officially announced, although the possibility was discussed today.

Contributions in cash, rather than gain, would be most acceptable. He drew attention to the fact that circulars regarding the situation in India which had been distributed in Canada were exaggerated. The food situation was indeed grave and privies were extremely high, but up to the time of writing, no deaths from starvation had been reported. The lack of food was due to the fact that a large number of young men had been taken from the fields for military service, and this, with a severe epidemic of influenza, had prevented extensive sowing.

Sir Thomas White stated that the report of the committee on honors and titles would be taken up by the House on Thursday.

Sir Sam Hughes—Will it take the whole day?

The House then went into committee on the act to consolidate and amend the railway act.

New Record In Positions Secured

During the Week Ending May 3rd, 4,496 Applicants Were Placed in Regular Jobs—Increase of 500 Over Preceding Week.

Ottawa, Ont., May 20.—A new record has been established by the Dominion Provincial employment service for the week ending May 3, when 76 officers reported 4,496 applicants placed in regular jobs. This is an increase of 500 over the preceding week. In addition, applicants were placed in 546 casual jobs, an increase of 99.

Of the regular placements 21 were reported by Prince Edward Island; 95 by Nova Scotia, an increase of 31 over the preceding week; 164 by New Brunswick, an increase of 22; 319 by Quebec, an increase of 155; 1,657 by Ontario, an increase of 185; 323 by Manitoba, a decrease of 113; 508 by Saskatchewan, a decrease of 22; 753 by Alberta, an increase of 157; and 647 in British Columbia, an increase of 86.

During the week 6,871 applicants were registered and 5,908 vacancies were notified by employers. The corresponding figures for the previous week were 6,380 and 6,401.

At the end of the week 8,768 applicants were reported unplaced, and 7,004 vacancies remained unfilled. Of the unplaced applicants 3,022 were farm laborers and 1,391 for women workers. These two classes together accounted for 71 per cent. of the total. On the other hand, only 17 per cent. of the placements were farm laborers and 64 per cent women workers.

Terrible Beating Administered To Boy At Halifax Inmate of Industrial School Flogged With Cat o' Nine Tails for Stealing Slice of Bread for Companion.

Special to The Standard.
Halifax, May 20.—Much talk has been indulged in in Halifax on account of corporal punishment inflicted on a pupil of the Industrial School in this city which the mayor described as brutal, but which the school authorities said was only in the cause of ordinary discipline. An investigation was demanded and it developed that the boy had been given 25 lashes on the back with a leather cat of nine tails, administered by the son of the Superintendent, for stealing a slice of bread from the pantry which he had given to another boy. Examined by Dr. Hawkins and Mr. Brookfield the boy stated there was considerable discoloration. He said that he had been very sore and stiff on the night of the beating, and that he had to stand up the greater part of the night. He had been placed in a cell, or strong room without bed, was given a blanket and had to remain in this room until the following Monday. He stated that he received dry bread and water for food, except at Sunday noon, when he received regular dinner. There were five other boys in the room. The boy explained the manner in which he received the beating which, in effect, was that he was placed over a bench and that two older boys of the school held him, one at his head and one at his feet, while W. A. Johns beat him with a strap. He stated that he was not hungry himself, but that he took the bread for another boy. The evidence is now in the hands of the Superintendent of Delinquent children.

GERMANS MUST COME ACROSS BY THURSDAY

No Time Extension Has Been Granted the Plenipotentiaries Who Must Make Known Their Decision on Treaty.

MARSHAL FOCH IS PREPARED TO MOVE

Financial Experts Are Still Discussing Economic Matters With Germans Regarding Their Ability to Pay for Foodstuffs.

New York, May 20.—The Associated Press tonight issues the following: Before Thursday of the present week shall have passed, the German peace plenipotentiaries at Versailles are to make known in full to the delegates of the Allied and Associated Powers on what points of the peace treaty they acquiesce and what points they object to and desire modified.

On Thursday will be reached the time limit for the Germans to make known their views on the peace treaty that has been handed them. No extension of the time limit has been granted the Germans, who are expected to present to the members of the peace congress a voluminous record of objections and of acceptance of the clauses of the document.

Although the leaders of German thought throughout Germany have declared that the treaty as framed is unacceptable, and that it will not be signed without modification, the opinion in Paris seems to prevail that after the representatives of the Allied and Associated Governments have considered the objections raised by German plenipotentiaries and formulated their final reply, the Germans will affix their signatures to the compact.

MINISTERS HAVE NO AUTHORITY TO INTERFERE

Representatives of Government Can Only Offer Their Services as Mediators in Strike.

Ottawa, May 20.—That Hon. Gideon Robertson, Minister of Labor, and Hon. Arthur Meighen, Minister of the Interior, who left for Winnipeg last night, were not clothed with wide powers to deal with the strike situation, was authoritatively stated tonight. They have gone west as ministers of the crown and as such will exert their best possible endeavors to effect a settlement of the dispute which has isolated Winnipeg and paralyzed its activities.

"MYSTERY OF THE SEA" CLEARED UP BARQUE'S ARRIVAL AT NEW YORK

Fifty Year Old Norwegian Barque Superior, Given up as Lost Four Months Ago, Arrives After a Voyage of Many Harrassing Details—Captain Unaware He Was Supposed to be Dead.

New York, May 20.—Three months after the fifty year old Norwegian barque, Superior, because a "mystery of the sea," by "disappearing" off the island of Bali, in the Malay Archipelago, on a voyage from Manila to New York, the vessel arrived here today with her captain unaware that his ship had been given up as lost. The crew had been recruited in San Francisco before the ship sailed from that port for the Philippines in December, 1918. Captain Hansen explained that after he and the crew, believing the Superior was going on the rocks, put out in two lifeboats toward shore, the wind veered and his own boat returned to the ship. Meanwhile the mate and six of the crew went ashore and believing the vessel had been lost and the captain and other members had perished, sent a cablegram to the American-Norwegian Trading Company here, charterers of the vessel, saying she had disappeared and "it is a mysterious case."

Raynham Preparing For Flight

Has Recovered from Injuries Received Sunday and Will at Once Prepare His Machine for "Hop-off."

UNDAUNTED BY FATE OF SOPWITH CREW

Now Believed That Aviator Hawker and His Navigator Dropped Into Sea Early on the Trip.

St. John's, Nfld., May 20.—Frederick P. Raynham, the British aviator who intended to attempt the ocean flight with Harry G. Hawker, believed to have been lost at sea, came to grief when his Martinsyde plane was wrecked while running to the "take off," announced today that he was in the race again for the ocean non-stop air cruise. Recovering sufficiently from injuries suffered when his plane collapsed to leave his bed, Raynham said that the machine could be rebuilt with spare parts at hand here, providing the motor was in working condition.

While the Handley-Page and his mechanics are assembling their huge machine for the Atlantic "hop" the little Martinsyde will be removed from the tent on the Quidivik field to town for repairs.

Study of the weather maps here today showed the growth of the storm which partially wrecked two of the American seaplanes near the Azores, and which may have sent Hawker and his navigator, Lieut. Commander Griev, to their deaths off the Irish coast. The original limited area of depression off the Azores moved north-eastward, mushrooming as it progressed until it covered half the Atlantic, reaching almost the shores of Ireland.

Despite the possibility that the Sopwith expedition went to its doom in this gale, some of the aviation and wireless officials hold to the theory that Hawker had fallen into the sea between Newfoundland and the trans-Atlantic steamship lanes supporting their contention with the knowledge that none of the many vessels steaming across the Atlantic had reported sighting the plane or hearing its wireless.

In connection with the report that the ministers were clothed with large powers by order-in-council before they left Ottawa, it is pointed out that there is really nothing the government can do to bring about a settlement more than to send representative ministers to proffer their services and advice. Should disturbances occur and the lives of citizens thereby be endangered, governmental action to restore order and protect the public would become necessary, but there is no machinery at present by which the government can do more than has already been done to bring about a settlement.

CONGRESS ORGANIZED BY REPUBLICAN MAJORITIES

Gillett of Massachusetts is Elected Speaker of the House Over Clark—Cummins is Chosen President Pro Tem of Senate—G. O. P. Again in Full Control of American National Legislature.

Washington, May 19.—The Sixty-sixth or "reconstruction" congress, called into extraordinary session by President Wilson from Paris, convened at noon today and Republican majorities in senate and house organized both branches.

Representative Gillett of Massachusetts was elected speaker of the house over Representative Champ Clark, of Missouri, Democratic candidate and former speaker, by a vote of 227 to 172.

NO BREAK IN THE STRIKE SITUATION AT WINNIPEG

Winnipeg, Man., May 20.—Although the deadlock between labor and industrial employers in the general strike here will enter into its fifth year without a decision, there were signs tonight that the marking time was rapidly coming to an end.

Important conferences were held by union delegates, and Gideon Robertson, Minister of Labor for the Dominion, and Arthur Meighen, Minister of the Interior, were reported to be travelling to Winnipeg from Ottawa to assist in the effort to bring about a peace settlement.

The leading strike development was a conference between union delegates and Premier Norris and other officials regarding the officially announced willingness of the union to discuss settlement of the strike and reinstatement of all full members who were employed prior to the strike.

Mayor Chas. F. Gray also conferred today with a labor delegation and addressed a special meeting of the Common Council on the strike situation, in which he referred to the city's attitude during the strike.

Mayor Gray stated that cards were prepared for union drivers of bread and milk wagons, the movement of these commodities being approved by the union men. The drivers lacked the cards to their wagons and automobiles instead of keeping them for presentation if the vehicles were stopped.

Premier Norris, in a communication to the Mayor, asserted he would not take further steps towards mediation until the placards were removed from Winnipeg, which has been since the strike began, was on the verge of excitement this afternoon, when the arrival of Canadian soldiers from France for a time was mistaken for confirmation of rumors that martial law was to be declared.

HALIFAX TO HAVE ELECTIONS Will Return to Aldermanic Form of Government—Mayor Hawkins Again a Candidate.

Halifax, May 20.—Nine months ago 16 of the 12 members of the city council of Halifax resigned in a body and since then municipal affairs were run by the Board of Control, the legislature at its recent session legalizing the actions of the board. Since then the citizens, in a plebiscite, voted for abolition of the Board of Control and in favor of a return to the simple aldermanic system with 18 aldermen.

SETTLEMENT MAY BE ONLY TEMPORARY

Teachers Return to S. S. Classes Today Relying on Promises Minister of Education.

Ottawa, May 19.—As the English-speaking lay teachers have decided to return to their duties, the Separate School's in the city which have been closed since Wednesday morning, will reopen today. Announcement of that effect was made at several Roman Catholic churches yesterday.

Although the strike is brought to a close by the promised return of the English-speaking lay teachers, it does not seem that the affair is settled by any means, since difficulties still remain on both sides following a telegram received from Hon. H. J. Cody, Minister of Education, the teachers not and agreed to return to their respective schools.

Message from Minister. That message was: "Am seeking to make arrangements by which settlement to teachers' salaries asked for will be secured. Be so good as to return to your duties Monday morning. Have a card board to restate Principal Kelley."

Now the Separate School Board has already discharged Mr. Kelley, Charles Whelan that Mr. Kelley's pupils were to assemble in St. Patrick's Parish Hall Monday morning. Father Whelan requested that each boy be accompanied by his parent or some other responsible person.

It appears then that the Board has no intention of reinstating Mr. Kelley, in accordance with their appointment of Mr. Joseph McGillis to St. Patrick's School he will be in his place there this morning, although his entrance will be in St. Patrick's Hall to be taught by the former principal, Mr. Kelley.

NEWCASTLE WOMAN LEFT HER HOME Worked Passage to Moncton on Freight Train, Only to be Arrested.

(Moncton Times, Monday). Claiming that she had worked her way into Moncton from Newcastle on a freight train Saturday, Mrs. Reema Mackenzie, a young Scotch woman, was taken in charge by the local police early Sunday morning. She claims to have run away from her husband for various reasons and stated she had taken the freight train as her first chance out of the North Shore town.

No Word of Any Kind Concerning Aviator Hawk

London, May 20.—Tuesday passed without word of any kind concerning Harry Hawk and Lieut-Commander Grieve and their Sopwith biplane in which they left St. John's Sunday afternoon.

ANDOVER

Andover, May 19.—Mr. John Peat and Miss Habel Peat, of St. John, are guests for a short time at Mrs. Annie Turner.

Mr. Joseph Kupke, Waspko, spent last week at the home of his brother, A. E. Kupke. James Anderson, of Toronto, is spending a few weeks at his former home.

Mr. Robert Knicker, Jr., returned on Wednesday from a visit to St. John and Bathurst, visited relatives here during the week.

Mr. Ernest Hoyt and Mr. William Hoyt went to St. John on Thursday to attend the funeral of their brother, the late Canon Leopold Hoyt, Canon Hoyt was formerly rector for many years of Trinity church here and is well remembered by the older ones.

Mr. Richard Roach, of Campbellton, spent a few days here last week. Mrs. Paul E. Porter has returned from a visit to Fredericton.

Mr. George Bedell spent part of the past week in Woodstock. Mrs. W. H. Bates has gone to Halifax to make an extended visit with relatives.

Mr. Richard Roach, of Campbellton, spent a few days here last week. Mrs. Paul E. Porter has returned from a visit to Fredericton. Miss Beulah Kilburn has gone to Toronto to visit her sister, Miss Gertrude Tibbitts.

Mr. Fred Kilburn has made a short visit to his sister, Miss Marion Kilburn, student at Sackville. Mr. Norman Wright has gone to Montreal to visit his son, Mr. Lee Wright.

SAYS EIGHT HOUR DAY DEMANDS BUT MASK FOR WIDER MOVEMENT

Toronto World Declares American Labor Leaders Using Canada as Seed Bed for Propaganda.

Toronto, May 20.—The World today gives prominence to a story that Canada has been chosen by the international demands of trades unions as a mask for a very much wider movement. The majority of Canadian trades unions are controlled from the United States, and it is public knowledge that all the leaders in that country are eight-hour day men.

DISCUSS GOOD ROADS AND AID FROM GOVERNMENT

Canadian Good Roads Association Hears Valuable Suggestions for Highway Work.

Quebec, Que., May 20.—Speaking at the annual meeting of the Canadian Good Roads Association, held here at the Chateau Frontenac tonight, as part of the Congress opened this morning, Sir Lomer Gouin, in the course of his address, touched briefly on the question of Federal aid in road building.

Hon. W. G. Mitchell and Hon. J. A. Fessier, Quebec; Hon. F. G. Macdavid and Hon. G. S. Henry, of Ontario; Hon. P. J. Venio, New Brunswick; Hon. A. E. Arsenault and Hon. J. A. McNeill, of Prince Edward Island; Hon. Frank Carroll, Quebec; A. A. P. Sandless, Columbus, Ohio; A. G. Ischolder, of Washington; Col. Scholer, of Boston; T. P. Regan, of St. John, and E. G. Bred, New York State highway commissioner.

PENNFIELD RIDGE Penfield Ridge, May 20.—Owing to that bad weather farming has been very backward, and all are anxiously looking forward to the sunshine.

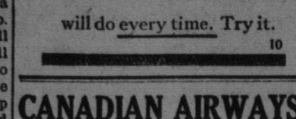
With the arrival of the 26th all the Penfield boys enlisted in the late war have arrived home. Among the last to come are C. Q. M. S. Wm. Murray, Pte. J. H. Maxwell and Pte. Richard Carter. All join in a hearty welcome.

Mr. Ernest Hawkins, of Honeydale, and Mr. Harold Hawkins, of Providence, returned from a business trip to St. John. Mrs. Randall Armstrong and daughter, Betty, spent the day with their old friends, Mr. and Mrs. Blair Ferris.

Paris, May 20. (Havas).—The Dutch government, according to a despatch from The Hague, in order to co-operate in the reconstruction of Northern France, has submitted to the state council a measure granting France a credit of 25,000,000 florins for five years. France will spend them only in Holland for supplies of various kinds.

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CANADIAN AIRWAYS AND ROUTES MAPPED OUT BY CONVENTION

Proposed "Ways" Are Eighty Miles Wide and Routes Forty Miles Wide.

Atlantic City, N. J., May 19.—Development through the agency of the airplane of vast regions now commercially unproductive because of the lack of railways was predicted by speakers at tonight's session of the second Pan-American aeronautic congress.

The subject under discussion was "The Pan-American Aerial Transport and Air Ways Over Land and Sea." The convention took up the subject in its application to the United States and Canada and adopted regulations designed to safeguard and popularize air traffic.

Two Canadian airways and five Canadian air routes are planned. "All red routes" will extend from St. John's, gateway of the trans-Atlantic air route, to Vancouver, and the "sunset airway" from St. John's to Prince Rupert on the Pacific.

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THE BANK OF NOVA SCOTIA

THE FREDERICK G. W. V. A. O. TO POL Refused to Parade Police Officer, Who Overseas.

Special to The Standard Fredericton, May 20.—With the returning soldier from the C. P. R. set up for a few moments Y. A. officers refused to parade a member of the police although a militia officer was present.

THE WEATHER Toronto, May 20.—The disturbance which was in the Ohio Valley last night is now centered over Lake Erie and has been nearly stationary since morning. Rain has fallen over the larger part of Ontario, while in the other provinces the weather has been fair.

DIED. POWERS—At his home 60 St. James street, on the 20th inst. William T. Powers, aged 70 years. Funeral notice later.

QUOTATIONS IN ST. JOHN MARKET Groceries. Sugar—Standard ... \$10.05 @ \$10.10 Yellow ... 9.55 @ 9.60

Meats, Etc. Beef—Western ... 0.18 @ 0.25 Country ... 0.15 @ 0.17 Butchers' ... 0.18 @ 0.20

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DOMINION RUBBER

THE FREDERICTON G. W. V. A. OBJECT TO POLICEMAN

Refused to Parade Behind a Police Officer, a Militia Officer, Who Didn't Go Overseas.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, May 20.—The parade with the returning soldiers last evening from the C. P. R. station was held up for a few moments because G. W. V. A. officers refused to parade behind a member of the police force who, although a militia officer, had not gone overseas.

Quartermaster Serjt. Frank C. Jewett, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Jewett, of this city, arrived here by C. N. R. today, being among those who reached Quebec last night on the Scandinavian. He enlisted with the 8th C. M. R. and was transferred to the 4th C. M. R. and was badly wounded at the second Battle of Ypres. He was in hospital for a long time and upon recovering was retained in England as an instructor, having passed a successful course at Beaulieu. Another brother, Clarence, returned a week ago with the Siege Battery.

Kenneth White received a cablegram this morning from his brother, Lieut. Otty White, saying he was sailing on the hospital ship Araguay on May 21st from England. Lieut. White went overseas with the Ammunition Train of the First Division in September, 1914, and was at Salisbury Plains when the First Canadian Corps was sent to France. He was in France until September, 1918, when he returned to England and was in charge of a large auto repair shop on October 18th when he broke his leg in an accident at Hythe and has been in hospital practically ever since.

MOUNT ALLISON ALUMNI ASSN. ELECT OFFICERS

Sackville, N. B., May 20.—At a meeting of Mount Allison Alumni Society, this afternoon, the following officers were elected: President, E. R. Hanson, B. A.; Frederick: first vice-president, Rev. George Morris, M. A.; second vice, Mrs. A. L. Johnson, Amherst; third vice-president, Ray L. Allen, Amherst; secretary, Prof. W. M. Tweedie; auditor, Dr. J. M. Palmer. Additional members of the executive: Prof. S. W. Huntton, Prof. W. G. Watson, Dr. A. D. Morton, C. C. Avarad and H. M. Wood, Sackville.

PRINCE OF WALES TO VISIT CANADA NEXT AUGUST

Ottawa, May 20.—The Prince of Wales will visit Canada in August of this year, and will open the new parliament buildings at Ottawa. Sir Thomas White stated in the House this afternoon just before the Commons rose for dinner, that he had received a message from His Majesty the King, through the governor-general as follows: "I am very glad to tell you that with my entire approval, the Prince of Wales will visit Canada this year in August. He will open the new parliament buildings at Ottawa."

CIRCUIT COURT AT MONCTON

St. John Lawyers Taking Part in Important Cases to be Tried. Special to The Standard. Moncton, N. B., May 20.—An adjourned sitting of the Westmorland County Circuit Court opened here this afternoon, with Judge Chandler presiding. Among the attorneys in attendance were Hon. J. R. M. Baxter, K. C., and M. G. Teed, K. C., of St. John. Judgment was given in the case of Stanley Keyes vs. John Doyle, tried here at the last sitting. The judgment was in favor of the defendant. In the case of Harris vs. Wilson, now being tried, the counsel are M. G. Teed, K. C., and E. A. Riely, K. C., for the plaintiff, and J. B. M. Baxter, K. C., and A. Allan for the defendant.

LATE SHIPPING

Liverpool, May 20.—And strer Empress of Britain, Montreal. Boston, May 20.—Arvd Sebr Little Ruth, La Have, N. S. Liverpool, May 20.—Arvd, str Empress of Britain, Montreal.

HORNE TO BE TRIED UNDER CANADIAN CRIMINAL CODE

Sheriff Hawthorne Still at McAdam Awaiting the Arrival of the Prisoner at the Border.

Fredericton, N. B., May 20.—No word has been received as yet by the Attorney-General's Department as to when Werner Horne, the German government agent who dynamited the international bridge on the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, between Yanceboro, Maine, and McAdam Junction, N. B., will arrive in Fredericton to be tried.

Sheriff John B. Hawthorne, of York County, is still waiting at McAdam Junction for the American officers to arrive at the international boundary with Horne.

At the Attorney-General's Department nothing is known, it is said, as to what point Horne is coming from or by what route he is being brought to the border, but it is generally believed he will come via Boston from the internment camp where he has been held since he completed his prison term.

SEAPLANE N C-3 AND CREW SAFE

For More Than Forty-eight Hours Had Not Been Heard from—Arrived at Ponta Delgada Under Own Power. Ponta Delgada, Monday, May 19. (By The Associated Press)—The seaplane N C-3, which had not been heard from for more than forty-eight hours until this afternoon, arrived here at 5:50 p. m. (Greenwich time) today. The members of the crew were in splendid shape, considering their experiences, and were given a hearty welcome by naval officials and seamen.

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BRITAIN'S MILLION IDLE DRAW PAY

Great Industrial Army of Unemployed Rapidly Growing. Tired Feeling is General.

Government Support Has the Effect of Making Many Dodge Jobs. London, April 28.—Well over one million people in England are receiving the Government dole for unemployment, and the number will be increased by the stoppage of Lancashire mill spinning American cotton. Over 100,000 operatives have thus been added to the list of unemployed, while figures elsewhere are equally serious.

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TROUBLE IN THE CHAMBER OF DEPUTIES

One Member Resigns from the Right Group When it Was Decided to Send a Note to Clemenceau Criticizing Treaty.

Paris, May 20.—(Havas)—Baron Denys Cochin, former minister of blockade, has resigned from the right group in the Chamber of Deputies after a meeting of the Rightists at which it was decided to send a note to M. Clemenceau criticizing the peace treaty.

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SPORTING GOSSIP

Big League Baseball Games. NATIONAL LEAGUE. New York, 7; Cincinnati, 5.

Chicago, 3; Brooklyn, 2. Boston, Mass., May 20.—Pittsburg played excellent ball today and defeated Boston 3 to 2. The score: Pittsburg... 300001000—3 5 2 Boston... 000200000—2 10 2

Philadelphia, 8; St. Louis, 7. Philadelphia, May 20.—By a batting rally in the ninth inning Philadelphia today sent over six runs for another victory over St. Louis, 8 to 7. The score: St. Louis... 300000001—7 9 2 Philadelphia... 000101006—8 15 0

Brooklyn, 3; St. Louis, 2. Brooklyn, May 20.—King Lear's hitting won today's game for Chicago, 3 to 2. The score: Chicago... 000201000—3 7 0 Brooklyn... 000100000—2 10 0

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE. Postponed Games. At Rochester—Rochester-Jersey City, no game, rain.

At Toronto—Toronto-Reading, postponed, rain. At Buffalo—Buffalo-Baltimore, no game, rain.

Newark, 8; Binghamton, 1. Binghamton, May 20.—Donovan was wild and ineffective today, and the Cobblers lambled home with the final game of the series. The score: Newark... 300001013—8 10 2 Binghamton... 000001000—1 8 3

American League. Postponed Games. At Cleveland—Cleveland-New York, postponed, rain.

At Detroit—Detroit-Washington, no game, rain. At St. Louis, 6; Boston, 4. St. Louis, Mo., May 20.—Rath's terrific drive over the right field fence with the bases filled, checked St. Louis today, Boston winning, 6 to 4. The score: St. Louis... 060000000—6 13 1 Boston... 000200002—4 9 2

Chicago, 2; Philadelphia, 1. Chicago, May 20.—Chicago defeated Philadelphia 2 to 1 in the final game of the series. The score: Philadelphia... 100000000—1 7 0 Chicago... 100000100—2 6 3

National League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. New York... 14 5 .737 Cincinnati... 12 7 .632

American League Standing. Won. Lost. P.C. Chicago... 15 6 .714 New York... 10 5 .667

McAvity Team Won. The second game in the series to decide the winners of the Commercial League was rolled last night on Black's Alley and won by T. McAvity & Sons team. The game was a stop one game. The final will be rolled next Wednesday night.

Western Union. Whitney... 71 100 73 244 811.3 P. Bailey... 32 79 30 251 832.3

THE EAST END LEAGUE MEETING Reports Last Night That Work on Grounds Held up for Use of Grader Promised—Committee on Membership Tickets.

The East End Improvement League met last night in Thorne Lodge Hall, 100 R. Taylor McKim in the chair. The meeting was well attended and the League is now on a solid basis and expects to do good work during the summer. It was reported that no more work could be done on the playground, which is located in the old shipyard, until the grader promised by the city had been sent out, and Rev. Mr. McKim, Rev. A. L. Pedford and Raymond Moses were appointed a committee to interview Commissioner Fisher and ask for the use of the grader. David Ramsay and Rev. A. L. Pedford were appointed a committee on membership tickets. H. W. McEachern, D. C. Fisher and Raymond Moses were appointed a committee to make arrangements for an entertainment which will be given next week to secure funds for the work of the League.

Purity Flour is a high-grade flour because every care is used to make it so.

PURITY FLOUR (Government Standard)

"More Bread and Better Bread and Better Pastry" Canada Food Board License No. Flour 15, 16, 17, 18; Cereals 3-9-9.

"Purity Oats Make Better Porridge" WESTERN CANADIAN FLOUR MILLS CO. LTD., TORONTO, ONT.

Tex Rickard Is Now in New York

Promoter of World's Championship Fight Completing Arrangements for Fight—Arena Will Have Capacity for 50,000 People.

New York, May 20.—Tex Rickard, promoter of the Willard-Dempsey heavyweight championship battle, has returned here to complete arrangements for the bout, scheduled for Toledo on July 4. The architect's blue-prints of the arena show that there will be 120 rows of seats, with a total capacity of about 50,000 spectators. Owing to the octagon shape of the arena, each succeeding row of seats away from the ring increases in circumference. According to the diagram there will be 23 rows of 340 seats, seven 70 rows of seats, and a like number of 40 seats. Eight rows have been allotted to the 330 seats, 21 for \$25, 28 for \$15, and 23 for \$10 or the extreme outside.

The ring will be a twenty-four-foot enclosure, with a two-foot extension, and the ropes will be of the postless type, the corners being fixed from iron posts set well outside of the ropes.

(Experimental Farm Notes.) At this season of the year particular attention should be paid to the prevention of ravages by disease and insect pests. It is possible by a timely application of the proper sprays to control effectively many of our worst diseases and pests.

Spray materials may be divided into three classes. First, there are the fungicides, such as Bordeaux mixture and sulphur wash, which are used to control or prevent the development of fungous diseases such as apple scab and potato blight. Secondly, there are poison sprays, such as lead arsenate, for the control of biting insects such as the potato beetle, tent caterpillars, etc., and, thirdly, the contact sprays, such as kerosene emulsion or nicotine sulphate, for the control of sucking insects like plant lice.

By selecting the proper sprays under each of these three headings, a combined spray containing all three can be used, thus, in a single application, one has a fungicide and a complete insecticide combined. A good combined spray is made up as follows: 4-4-4-Bordeaux, consisting of 4 pounds unslaked lime, 4 pounds copper sulphate, and 40 gallons of water, to which is added 3 pounds of arsenate of lead or 2 pounds of arsenate of lime in paste form (if the dry form is used, use one-half this quantity for controlling biting insects, and if aphids or plant lice are present, one-

third of a pint of nicotine sulphate should be added or, as an alternative, the lime sulphur could replace the Bordeaux mixture. Do not delay the application until the disease or pest has become evident by its ravages, but make the application in time to prevent the damage. An application of spray is not a cure, it is a preventative. Do not think that one application is sufficient. Remember that at this season of the year foliage grows rapidly and a large amount of new leaf surface is soon exposed after an application is made, and it is this new uncoated surface which is a source of infection. Three to four sprays during the season will be necessary to keep the leaves covered and the plants free from disease and pests.

Make the applications thoroughly, crumpling parts of the plant with a fine, mist-like spray. A coarse spray is not as effective as a finely divided one. You have not already done so, make application at once to your nearest Experimental Farm or District Representative for a Spray Calendar, or apply direct to the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa. These Calendars will give you full instructions as to mixing and applying sprays for the control of all pests and diseases. Don't delay. Do it now.

New York, May 19.—Trading on the Stock Exchange today was influenced to a large extent by the opening of the extra session of Congress, to which the financial community looks for early relief, and there was a usual demand for several of the more popular shipping shares. Rails, oils, and some of the major industrials and undiversified securities which have figured more or less extensively in the almost uninterrupted advance of the past fourteen weeks, also participated.

By heavy selling, presumably for profit, effected a general reversal later. Marine common and preferred, American International and representative, as well as minor rails, led the advance at the opening, but the heaviness of Atlantic Gulf, General Motors and Steels encouraged the short interest to engage in a series of drives.

The first selling movement centered around American International, Canadian Pacific and equipments, but was followed by a sharp rally. In the final hour offerings resumed wider dimensions, embracing United States Steel and affiliated industrials.

Several of the so-called peace industrials also reacted on uncertain trade conditions, and further issues were adversely affected by reports that the government intends to unload its surplus supplies.

There were counter-demonstrations in Texas Company and Mexican Petroleum, while the rest of the active list was sanguine, the market showing a confused and irregular tone at the close. Sales amounted to 1,559,000 shares.

Children Cry for Fletcher's CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over thirty years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhoea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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FLEET FOOT FOR ALL OUT-DOORS. For summer sports, of course—and for every-day wear as well. They are the easiest, most comfortable shoes you can wear, and the most economical. There are many styles for every member of the family, and for every sport and recreation. Look for the name stamped on the sole. The Best Shoe Stores Sell.

Safeguarding Your Furs FROM MOTHS

The storage of furs is no longer a novelty, it is a necessity. "STORE YOUR FURS AT MAGEE'S" is a household phrase in the Spring. Furs called for, cleaned (by machines), fully insured; delivered when required.

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63 KING ST. ST. JOHN, N. B.

Birds of Prey Male and Female

Many Soldiers Who Have Returned Have Proved Easy Marks—Quite a Few Men Have Been Robbed.

Birds of prey, both male and female and all of the human species, have found good picking among the many returned soldiers, particularly those who have received their discharge pay.

There have been cases in court recently which particularly apply to this matter, and there are innumerable other instances where the men who have come in contact with the confidence artists have chosen to remain silent rather than appear in the light of gullible persons.

Cases have been known where amounts from one hundred dollars upwards have been stolen from soldiers while they were under the influence of the rotten deceiver known as "bootleggers' whiskey." This, potent enough in itself, is often reinforced with "dope" or knock-out drops, and in the event of a man not being enough to trap the home-coming scoundrel, a woman of loose principles is brought into the quest.

The returning men, glad to be home after their horrifying experiences overseas, are glad to meet anyone who holds out a friendly hand, and the hypocritical pain is not always recognized as such. The boys who have been overseas three years and more, especially those who have not assigned their pay nor had separation allowance drawn from it, receive a rather tidy sum on their discharge; in several cases it has been known to run between \$1,200 and \$1,400. This alluring bait for the most adventurous and scheming of the underworld citizens, and so the returning warrior, who has been fighting overseas in the most terrible war in the history of the world, finds at the threshold of his entry to home a jackal's paw instead of a friendly hand, and a network of thieving designs instead of the gratitude of those who have saved the horrors he has been through.

BRITISH MARKETS ARE DEMANDING CANADA'S BACON

Canadian Products Have the Chance of Their Life in England, and Its up to Canadians to Hustle for Trade.

Ottawa, May 20.—The broad lines of British markets for Canadian produce are given in a communication from Mr. Henry B. Thomson, of the Canadian Trade Commission, who is spending a short time in England in an advisory capacity to the Canadian mission. The prospects for Canadian bacon, he thinks, are especially rosy in a characteristically rosy phrase he says:

"Canadian bacon has the chance of its life. Producers can sell all that they can make for the English trade as fast as they can get it over. All Canada has to do is to keep up the grade and increase the quantity.

He adds that, in fact, lards, etc., Europe will take all that can be sent for a long time to come, and that cold storage tonnage on the Atlantic will be eased as soon as possible, as the Canadian mission is concentrating on the shipping problem. Cheese will be an open market soon, and all Canadian butter that can be put aboard. Canadian eggs are badly wanted and Mr. Thomson suggests that Canadian poultry men, farmers and private individuals should speed up production. Dressed Canadian poultry has come upon the British markets recently and is well looked upon, but Mr. Thomson says the standardizing and packing should be made bigger features in this business. Beef will drop a little in price, but the market will be good. There is also a sharp demand for fancy meat cuts, known as edible offals.

Dairy implements, cream separators and such machinery are "good active lines" and manufacturers should have a good chance in England. "Generally speaking," Mr. Thomson adds, "all Canadian trades which have sent men over here have done well, and as the news gets around this country they will do better."

The Russkaya Armia announces that the general staff has received information that uprisings have been of frequent occurrence in Kazan in the past two weeks. It says there are reasons for believing that prisoners of war, who returned from Germany, are especially active in their uprisings.

OBITUARY

William T. Powers. William T. Powers, aged 70 years, died on Tuesday morning at his home, 61 St. James' street. He was the eldest son of the late Calvin and Julia Powers of this city, and is survived by his wife, Margaret, one son, Lieut. Col. T. E. Powers of Ottawa, five daughters, Mrs. Harry E. Poehery of Ottawa, Mrs. Miles D. Enack, Mrs. Harry C. Simmons and Miss Annie E.

DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS

GRAVEL, NEURALGIA, RHEUMATISM, BRUISES, DIABETES, BACON, 23 THE PROPHET

STAND BY ORGANIZED LABOR

(Financial Post.)

Trades unionism is being put to the test in Canada today. The issue is no more grave than many near-sighted, optimistic realists and more serious than many of those directly concerned want to admit. It is an issue which must be faced. The solution lies in the ability of the employers and the trades unionists to stand together against the insidious menace of the social revolution, of the L. W. W., of Bolshevism. It is a bigger problem than a single strike. It involves out whole social system.

The danger to our national well-being in the grave possibility of the success of the revolutionary socialists lies in driving capital and labor apart. The one big union idea in striking is the outward method being employed. Far from being opposed to trades unionism, capital, representing the consolidated funds of investors—the savings of workers, in most cases—strongly behind unionism. It has been the experience of The Financial Post, whose editors are closely acquainted with all forms of capital, that the men who are behind the big organizations, who are the trustees for these investors and control industry, are friendly to labor and to trades unionism. There are few exceptions—few, indeed, who take the narrow view in stubbornly opposing their employees.

The crisis which Canada faces today was faced in England some weeks ago. In England it has been safely passed, for the time being, at least. We have to thank God for British labor unionism and Lloyd George. It was the sanity of British labor which prevented a world revolution and facilitated a reasonable settlement of the issue. If Germany should break which does not seem likely, only British labor will stand between the world and a bloody revolution.

Let us consider frankly this Bolshevistic propaganda. It is undoubtedly at the back of the trouble in Canada today. Practically, it means that instead of the present superintendents, general managers and presidents, and the rank and file of the unions, shall have the leaders of the revolution who will be in full control. In the book of instructions distributed to the branches of the I. W. W. it is set forth that all industry shall be handed over to their leaders, and that they must be obeyed implicitly. Does the average working man in Canada desire to place himself in the control of such leaders? To make the "Reds" his taskmasters? To be father and hand over his own property and savings—his very home, his wife and daughters—to these protags of incendiary socialism? We are not to think so. And yet that is the ultimate condition towards which the present movement is fast heading.

The Example of British Labor. Our safeguard in Canada today, as in the United States, lies in the sanity

of Canadian labor and American labor just as it did in England in the case of British labor. Labor must assume the responsibility of judging between the system which has meant years of general prosperity to the industrial world, and one which promises more but guarantees nothing. The workers are being asked to drop what they have to grasp at an illusion. The Financial Post believes that the solution lies in the ability of the representatives of capital and labor to stand together in a practical way. The situation has now assumed national proportions and the day. The Government is not at all in a position to act. England has set the example in this connection. The crisis there when the mine workers issued their ultimatum was faced by Lloyd George with characteristic courage. He appointed a commission of competent, practical men, representing the mine owners and labor, and instructed them to bring in a fair report. Such a report was, naturally, not at first favored by either side. Again Lloyd George courageously faced the issue. He told the mine owners on the one hand, that they had to accept, not only to fight capital but to labor and to trades unionism. On the other, he told them, they would not only have to fight capital but to labor and to trades unionism. A settlement which formed the basis of agreement in other disputes and, as Lloyd George has said, British trades unionism set a beacon light for all the world to see.

So far the Government in Canada seems to have failed to see the seriousness of the situation. The appointment of the commission, which is now a transcontinental gallop of inquiry, followed without a word of custom of dodging the issue in the hope that some national solution of the difficulty might work itself out. Further than to provide a safety valve for the "Red" theories of socialist quacks, this commission promises to accomplish little. It is certainly to be hoped that no effort will be made to establish the relations of capital and labor in accordance with the majority of the impractical theories which are being presented.

The British Government, with the aid of Lloyd George, successfully met the crisis in England. The Canadian Government, without a competent leader, has evaded the issue. Premier Borden is now returning. Let us hope that, as the result of the experience he had while in England, he will be able to take some definite course in bringing together the accredited representatives of capital and labor. We are willing to concede that the workers are justly entitled to, and the real leaders of the opposing factions to be being presented.

BRITISH COMPANY PURCHASES LARGE MARINE HOLDINGS

British Owned Ships and Assets of International Mercantile Marine go to a Syndicate.

New York, May 20.—The proposed sale to a British syndicate of the British-owned ships and assets of the International Mercantile Marine Company—a transaction involving five British companies and 750,000 tons of shipping valued at approximately \$135,000,000—was approved today by the board of directors and finance committee of the company. A stockholders' meeting to vote on the proposition was called for June 16.

The transaction by P. A. S. Franklin, president of the company, is said to be the largest recorded in the history of shipping.

American and Belgian vessels, owned by the International, are not affected by the projected transfer, according to Mr. Franklin. He added he did not know what disposition the British syndicate intended to make of its acquisition, about fifty per cent of which is represented by ship tonnage, and the balance by securities and cash.

Ratification of the sale by the stockholders will end a year of negotiations, interrupted by an offer of the United States government for the ships, which was recently withdrawn.

Powers of this city, and Nursing Sister Alice M. Powers just returned from overseas. Before retiring from illness from active life he was connected with the R. G. Dun and Co. Mercantile Agency. Previous to that he was a member of the firm of Mathison and Powers of North End. He is also survived by five brothers and five sisters of whom Mr. A. C. Powers, Mrs. Wm. A. McGhie, Mrs. E. S. Heninger and Miss J. Gertrude Powers are residents of this city.

C. P. R. SUBURBAN SERVICE.

On Saturday, May 24th, suburban will leave city at 9:05 a.m. for Wolford. Returning will leave Wolford at 8:15 p.m. Will leave city again at 10:15 p.m. On this date the 6:10 p.m. suburban will not run. (Daylight time).

COUNCIL OF NEW BRUNSWICK TEMPERANCE ALLIANCE MET

Good Representation of Members Assembled in Y. M. C. A. Yesterday — Report from the Executive Committee Shows Referendum Vote to be Taken in Province on Continuation of Prohibition—Expect Result Will be in Favor of Present Prohibitory Law.

The Council of the N. B. Temperance Alliance met in the Y. M. C. A. rooms yesterday morning at 10 o'clock. A good representation of the members of the council were present. In the absence of the president the Rev. Thomas Barahall, vice-president presided. Prayer was offered by the Rev. W. R. Robinson. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved by correspondence. A report from the president, Donald Fraser, explaining his reason of absence, also from the secretary of the Dominion Alliance and the secretary of the Dominion Prohibition Committee and from the secretary of the Social Service Council of N. B. The following report from the executive of the Alliance was read: The Executive Committee reports that the work of the Alliance has been steadily progressing since the meeting at Fredericton on March 5th last. On March 14th your representatives attended a meeting of the Dominion Prohibition Convention at Ottawa and formed part of a delegation meeting with the government with very satisfactory results. On April 1st your sub-executive held a meeting in Fredericton at which much business was transacted. Pending legislation at Ottawa, as presented to the parliament by the government, is very satisfactory to the Prohibitory League, and will no doubt when passed do much to aid the temperance movement.

The result of the referendum in Quebec was not unexpected we believe to be a retrograde movement, as it permits the sale of beer and wine which are intoxicating.

A referendum vote is to be taken at no distant date in this province on the continuance of prohibition. We have no doubt but when the question is fairly placed before the people that the result will be in favor of the present prohibitory law and its stringent enforcement.

Throughout the province the reports are generally of a very satisfactory character and shows greatly improved conditions resulting from the enforcement of the law. There has not been the excess that has been desired in the City of St. John, but perhaps as much as could have been reasonably expected under the best of circumstances. The return of numbers of soldiers and the general wave of restlessness have been the chief factors in this respect. Most difficult for the time being, an atmosphere of suspicion and question fostered by interested parties and side issues are generally of a very satisfactory character and shows greatly improved conditions resulting from the enforcement of the law.

At the May circuit, Chancery Division opened yesterday morning. His Honor Judge White presiding, His Honor delivered two interesting judgments. In the case of the North British Maritime Assurance Company v. Holdgraber, which was tried before His Honor last fall, judgment was given in favor of the defendant. In this case the plaintiffs, numbering six fire insurance companies brought an action against the defendant to secure the amount of \$12,500 on account of loss of goods sustained by a fire which took place in Bathurst on April 28, 1914. The plaintiffs alleged that the defendant failed to exhibit all the goods salvaged and that he fraudulently concealed a large amount of the goods, and also that the affidavit on which he based his claim was declared to be false and that under a clause in their policy any false affidavit in making out a proof of claim would vitiate the policy.

When the case was tried thirty-two witnesses were examined and considerable evidence was attached to the case. His Honor reviewed the evidence at length, stating that the evidence was given by the tremor and residence who were in a position to know, convinced him that there was no fraud, concealment or misrepresentation on the part of the defendant, and that the evidence went to show that the amount of loss represented to the insurance companies by the defendant was correct, and he gave judgment for the plaintiff in the sum of \$12,500. M. G. Teed, K. C., and George Gilbert appeared for the plaintiffs and the Hon. J. Byrne and Dr. W. B. Wallace, K. C., for the defendant.

In the matter of an application for the interpretation of the terms of the will of the late Philip Breen of St. Stephen His Honor held that Philip A. Breen, his son, would take the property in trust, subject to the payment of debts and testamentary expenses, and secondly pay legacies referred to at the time of drawing the will, and thirdly, after the legacies had been paid, that Philip A. Breen would take half of the residue of the personal estate and that the remaining half would be divided among the next of kin as though the testator had died intestate. M. G. Teed, K. C., appeared for Philip Breen and others, and H. A. Powell, K. C., and E. S. Ritchie for the legatees.

The case of Cohen vs. the Hazen Avenue Synagogue will be tried at this court. The plaintiff is appearing in person and H. A. Powell, K. C., for the defendant. At yesterday morning's meeting of the court on motion of C. Sanford, Sherwood Skinner, consenting, an order for foreclosure and sale of certain property belonging to Ready's Brewery, Ltd., as held under a trust mortgage by the Eastern Trust Company was made.

Application was made by Sherwood Skinner in behalf of the executors and trustees in the matter of the last will and testament of David O'Connell for foreclosure and sale of property belonging to Herbert E. Aerson of the Parish of Robbsey. This case is to be continued on Wednesday.

On motion of C. F. Sanford the Royal Trust Company was appointed administrator in the matter of a provision under the will of the late Lieut. Governor Ganong.

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most difficult task. In view of this we desire to congratulate the Rev. W. D. Wilson, the chief inspector, because of his wise and statesmanlike manner in which he has administered his department. This council of the Alliance wishes to express its utmost confidence in the ability and integrity of the chief inspector and pledge to him our united support in the discharge of his arduous duties.

(3) That the executive be instructed to take immediate steps to appoint a field secretary to work in co-operation with the field secretary of the Social Service Council and to thoroughly organize the several polling districts of the province and generally to carry on a vigorous educational campaign.

(4) Resolved that this council of the N. B. Temperance Alliance having heard the report of its four representatives who attended the meeting of the Dominion Prohibition Convention at Ottawa in March, at which meeting a resolution was passed that Dominion prohibition was adopted and presented to the government hereby affirm their full support of this committee in their efforts for the fullest possible measures of Dominion-wide prohibition.

A unanimous vote of appreciation was given to the Rev. Thomas Marshall, vice-president of the Alliance, on account of special work done. For at first this council desired to express to the government its earnest hope that steps will be taken at the earliest possible date to bring into force the legislation passed at the last session of the legislature dealing with the wholesale distribution of liquors for medicinal, sacramental and other purposes by the provincial government and also dealing with the sale of extracts, essences and tinctures.

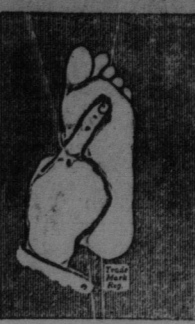
Rev. W. D. Wilson was appointed to represent the Alliance at the World's Convention to be held in Toronto on Friday, May 23rd.

(8) A heavy vote of thanks was given to the secretary, Rev. C. Flemington, for faithful work in connection with the Alliance.

A very satisfactory meeting was closed by the Rev. Mr. Goodwin pronouncing the benediction.

(Signed) Rev. Thomas Marshall, Vice-President. Rev. C. Flemington, Secretary.

CHANCERY COURT.



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RECEPTION AND SUPPER HELD

Returned Heroes Were Guests of St. James' Church Congregation Last Evening—Address Presented to Each Man.

One of the pleasantest evenings in the memory of members of St. James' Church was enjoyed last night when a supper and reception was given the soldiers returned from serving their king and country overseas.

A programme was carried out and two addresses given, one being an address of welcome read by Rev. H. A. Coyle, rector of the church. This address, which was beautifully worded, had been printed in a neat booklet bearing the names of all members of the congregation on the honor roll and a list of those who died in defence of liberty and freedom. These booklets were presented to the returned men as a souvenir of the occasion.

FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN

WATCHES SHOULD BE WELL TREATED

Those Who Repair Time Pieces Are Very Busy—Vogue of the Wrist Watch—Worn by Young and Old.

Be very careful of the watch that you wear on your wrist, or on a chain around your neck, or on a fob in your vest pocket, for if anything happens to it you will find that it takes time to have it mended.

Talking with a watchmaker recently, and begging him to restore a precious wrist watch which had been undergoing repairs for some weeks, the writer was told that the watchmakers were very busy before the war in the whole history of the trade. It is almost impossible to get workmen, and those who are available are so rushed that they cannot finish the repairing they have on hand.

The same is true of other cities, for a visitor in Montreal took her time piece to a well-known jeweller there and asked if he could tell her what the matter with it. The man, a foreigner, gazed into the interior of the watch and diagnosed the complaint as follows:—"She refuses to go."

Asked with as grave a face as the customer could command, if he could cure the trouble, he said:—"We can do nothing for months." The same answer was received at another store.

Questioning the St. John man as to the reason for the supply of irregular watches he said:—"Why, there were never so many watches worn mostly worn their timepieces on their persons attached to a long twisted gold chain, but today every second lady has a wrist watch without which she is never seen. Then, too, watches are made much more accurate, and usually it is true that the smaller the watch the more difficult to keep in order.

The soldiers are nearly all sporting wrist watches and have returned in useful fashion from their former re-approach of assiduity.

Therefore, when you are winding your watch hold it tightly lest it fall and jar the delicate mechanism. It was never more useful than in the two-time system under which we are living, and will become even more so as the training period which is approaching. If the watch "refuses to go," and you have to take it to be repaired, remember all these reasons for patience and be content to crane your neck at the town clock, or bother your neighbor to tell you the time.

PROCEEDS FOR ORPHANS' HOME

W. C. T. U. Members Meet Yesterday Afternoon—Result of Saturday's Sale Reported—Business of Interest Transacted.

At the weekly meeting of the W. C. T. U. held in Orange Hall, yesterday, Mrs. David Hipwell presided and led the devotional services. After the singing of the hymn, Blessed Assurance, Jesus is Mine, the 34th Psalm was read. Mrs. H. W. Lawson led in prayer, followed by other members. A collection was taken for missions.

The nine resolutions sent by the Dominion Superintendent on Anti-marcant were read by the corresponding secretary, Mrs. Hanselacker. These resolutions urged the members of the union to appoint a county and local representatives for each branch. By motion this matter was left to the county union to decide, as the local union have not as yet been able to secure a superintendent.

A resolution of sympathy on the death of her brother was passed, which will be forwarded to Mrs. E. S. Hennigan.

The members of the W. C. T. U. wish to thank all those who so kindly assisted with the home cooking and candy sale held on Saturday for the new Protestant Orphan Home. Mrs. Christie was authorized to send the amount realized (\$50) to the treasurer, H. C. Rankine.

Several members who had been absent from illness or family duties were welcomed at yesterday's meeting, which was a most interesting one.

SEVEN SEAS I. O. D. E. A notable feature of the meeting of the Seven Seas Chapter I. O. D. E. held last evening at the home of Miss Morrison, Leinster street, was the absence of appeals for assistance in some worthy cause and the secretary states that it is the first meeting since the organization of the chapter that no appeals have been made.

A general discussion of summer and autumn plans was held and members asked to keep the gift shop, which is an annual event, in mind during the summer months. Miss Dorothy Jones, the regent, presided at last evening's meeting.

COOKING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

One-half kitchen cup equals one gill. One kitchen cup equals one-half pint or two gills. Four kitchen cups equal one quart. Two cups of granulated sugar equal one pound. Two and one-half cups of powdered sugar equal one pound. One heaping tablespoon of sugar equals one ounce. One heaping tablespoon of butter equals two ounces or one-quarter cup. One cup of butter equals one-half quart equals one pound.

Four cups of flour (one heaping quart) equals one pound. Eight round tablespoons of dry-aerated equals one cup. Sixteen tablespoons of liquid equal one cup. Proportions to Remember. Four eggs to one quart of milk for custards. One teaspoon of vanilla to one quart of milk for custard. Two quarts of gelatin to 1 3/4 quarts of liquid.

Four heaping tablespoons of corn-starch to one quart of milk. One even tablespoon of baking powder to one cup of flour. One teaspoon of soda to one pint of sour milk. One teaspoon of soda to one pint of milk. One teaspoon of cream of tartar.

In preparing for baking mix dry materials in one bowl and liquids in another, combine them quickly and put at once into the oven. The oven for baking bread should be hot enough to brown a teaspoon of flour in five minutes. For biscuits it should be hot enough to brown a piece of butter in five minutes before it is time to take it from the oven while it is crisp.

(Experimental Farm Notes.) Ideal soil conditions for the corn crop are represented by a well-drained, medium loam plentifully provided with decayed vegetable matter (humus). That the successful growth of corn is closely associated with abundant soil humus will be clearly apparent on a brief consideration of its functions as related to the needs of corn.

Humus is the most important soil constituent and imparts that highly desirable, mellow physical condition denoting warmth and life, to both light (sandy) and heavy (clay) soils. The practice of manuring is based on this fact. Humus is the medium which supports the favorable bacteria life of the soil and is the chief source of the valuable nitrogen which these organisms release, along with the mineral constituents of humus for the nourishment of the growing crop. Furthermore, the acids produced during the decomposition of humus exert a solvent action on the mineral soil compounds, liberating phosphoric acid, potash, and other plant nutrients. Humus acts like a sponge, absorbing and retaining moisture, it is the upper-soil reservoir of water which it yields up gradually to the feeding roots and will thus enable a corn crop to withstand a more rapid recovery from the effects of a prolonged period of drought than a soil which lacks humus. A good crop of red clover (cut for hay) is an ideal forerunner of corn; the decaying residues of clover stems, leaves and roots furnish a large amount of humus rich in nitrogen. Clover, alfalfa and other legumes possess the unique faculty of assimilating atmospheric nitrogen and thus of enriching the soil in that valuable element. Furthermore, their deeply ramifying roots draw mineral plant food in solution from the subsoil and in their subsequent decay, liberate this mineral matter in zones accessible to the feeding roots of the corn. A soil carrying a heavy aftermath of clover or alfalfa may furnish such an abundance of humus forming material as to dispense with the necessity for the addition of barnyard manure.

Investigations made by the Division of Chemistry, in connection with experiments conducted at the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, have shown that a vigorous crop of clover will contain, at a moderate estimate, in its foliage and roots, from 100 to 150 pounds of nitrogen, 30 to 40

THURSDAY EVENING ATHLETIC MEET

Lancaster Athletic Association Have Excellent Programme Arranged—Will Commence at 6.30 Old Time on Manawagonish Road.

Thursday, the 22nd, will be a big evening in Lancaster, when another programme of sport will be provided by the Lancaster Athletic Association, of which W. Reed, the well-known horseman, is manager.

The sports will start at 6.30, old time, and will be carried out on the Manawagonish Road. A programme of horse races, foot and bicycle races will be carried out, the events open to all residents of the parish of Lancaster. In the horse races, two horses recently imported from Boston will be seen in action, and there will be two from the city. For the hundred yard dash five entries have already been received, and the two-twenty has a good list of entries, while the bicycle race is expected to be a peach.

This is the second event run off by the good sports of Lancaster, and they deserve much credit for their efforts to revive interest in these lines, sports in which at one time St. John was one of the leaders, and they should receive every encouragement to continue the good work.

Paris, May 19.—(By the Associated Press)—Marshal Foch, today, laid before the Council of Four his plan for military operations that are to be put into effect in case the German plenipotentiaries decline to sign the peace treaty. After the conference between Marshal Foch and the Council of Four, President Wilson had a talk with General Pershing. It became known that General Pershing's visit to London may be postponed in order to await developments.

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Adana, Asia Minor, Sunday, May 18, (French Wireless)—The administrative service in Selicia has been reorganized with French advisers added to the departments of finance and justice and the direction of the police.

The commander-in-chief of the French troops of occupation at Merzine has been appointed president of the international control board. Colonel Bremond is in charge of the re-organization work.

IMPERIAL A FORTNIGHT AGO WE REGISTERED A TREMENDOUS HIT WITH BERT LYTELL IN "THE SPENDER" SEE BERT LYTELL AGAIN TODAY In Richard Washburn Child's Big Human-Nature Story "FAITH" A Photoplay With Loving Old Mother, Barrels of Kiddies, Dogs, Cats and Things Gaumont's Famous News Budget World's Latest Photos of Great Events BURTON HOLMES TRAVELOGUE: "East of Suez" Lyons-Moran Modern Comedy FRIDAY-SATURDAY Grace Curand in "AFTER THE WAR"

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BRINGING UP FATHER. BY GEORGE McMANUS. IS PRINCE CHIN-SUEY OF CHINA GOING TO CALL ON US TODAY-MOTHER? HELD BE HERE ANY MOMENT- THIS WILL MEAN SO MUCH FOR US IN SOCIETY. WITH ALL THE HERBOTS WE HAVE AROUND HERE- ALL I DO IS ANSWER THE DOOR! IS MRS. JIGGS IN? IM... JUST A MINUTE- OH! MAGGIE! FATHER!! O-U! THE LAUNDRY MAN IS HERE!

GRUESOME Discover Body of Cellar of a W... ed or Taken Started. (New York) Discovery yesterday the police of New York a four-month-old baby in a cellar, in the home who has within the last adopted or taken in by ren, has started an investigation to ascertain the cause of the and whether other children have been buried in the cellar. The child's body was the woman's husband Children's Aid Society by Mrs. Henry Har... New York. Both were to the Newark Police... although no charge was either. They were the custody of their Wolf. The police say... be examined today by... sector, J. Henry Har... decide whether to m... against the woman. say, seems to know lit... ped in his own home... children. Admitted for Child... Detectives who are... case learned last night... ember the wife of J... 27 Johnson street, New... five children. Ed... look after all the chi... Newark newspaper... Mrs. Hanglin ask... to adopt. He carried... months-old, to the H... left him there to be... Hanglin. That was on Decem... told the detectives. It... ed again at the home... his child and learn ho... on well. There, he said... a child he did not re... he questioned the iden... by Mrs. Hanglin, Mr... him that Paul had ch... he had become so m... even his father could... When Easton called... puzzled at the cha... he told the police, M... him that Paul had b... farm. She showed h... the child, he said, to... and good condition... once more to the hom... Hanglin told him th... her mother at Morg... Edsall's suspicions... aroused, and he co... doubts to William U... Children's Aid Societ... the investigation... Hanglin that the Es... with her mother at a... was while he was en... investigation that iden... society's rooms in N... and said his wife ha... she had buried little P... The police then went... where Mrs. Hanglin... found the bones. Dr. Warren, to whom... carried for examinat... present it is impossib... the boy had been... or had met death in... He will make an aut... in an effort to deter... the death. According to the st... tives by Mrs. Hang... ter she had adopted... on December 11 last... a store, leaving the... rings. When she ret... she found that the ca...

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GRUESOME FIND MADE BY NEW YORK POLICE FORCE

Discover Body of Four Months Old Baby Buried Deep in Cellar of a Woman Who Has in Last Six Months Adopted or Taken to Board Four Children— Investigation Started.

(New York Herald.) Discover yesterday afternoon by the police of Newark the body of a four-month-old baby buried deep in a cellar, in the home of a woman who has within the last six months adopted or taken to board four children, has started an investigation to ascertain the cause of the child's death and whether other children's bodies have been buried in the same manner.

The child's body was found after the woman's husband had notified the Children's Aid Society of Newark that she had told him of the secret burial in the cellar. Confronted with this story, the woman said the child had been accidentally burned to death last December, two days after she had adopted him.

The couple are Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Hanglin of No. 54 Howard street, Newark. Both were taken last night to the Newark Police Headquarters, although no charge was made against either. They were released later in the custody of their counsel, Henry Wolf.

The detectives who are working on the case learned last night that last December the wife of John Edson, No. 27 Johnson street, Newark, died, leaving five children. Edson, unable to look after all the children, read in a Newark newspaper an advertisement by Mrs. Hanglin asking for children to adopt. He carried Paul, four months-old, to the Hanglin home and left him there to be adopted by Mrs. Hanglin.

That was on December 11, Edson told the detectives. In March, he called again at the Hanglin home to see his child and learn how he was getting on well. There, he said, he was shown a child he did not recognize. When he questioned the identity of the child, he told the police, Mrs. Hanglin told him that Paul had changed and that he had become so much fatter that even his father could not recognize him.

When Edson called two weeks later, puzzled at the change in his son, he told the police, Mrs. Hanglin told him that Paul had been placed on a farm. She showed him a picture of the child, he said, to prove his health and good condition. Edson went once more to the house, about a month ago, he told the police, and then Mrs. Hanglin told him that Paul was with her mother at Morgan Station, N. J.

Edson's suspicions were aroused, and he communicated his doubts to William Untermyer, of the Children's Aid Society. Last Thursday, the investigator, told by Mrs. Hanglin that the Edson child was with her mother at Atlantic City. It was while he was engaged in this investigation that Hanglin called at the society's rooms in Newark yesterday and said his wife had told him that she had buried little Paul in the cellar. The police then went to the cellar, dug where Mrs. Hanglin pointed out and found the bones.

Dr. Warren, to whom the bones were carried for examination, said that it is impossible to say whether the boy had been burned to death or had met death in some other form. He will make an analysis of the bones in an effort to determine the cause of the death.

According to the story told the detectives by Mrs. Hanglin, two days after she had adopted the Edson baby, on December 11 last, she went out to a store, leaving the baby in his carriage. When she returned, she said she found that the carriage had turned over, throwing Paul against the stove, and that he was "burned black."

Two of the other children the woman took within the last six months, which is the period during which the Hanglins have lived in Newark, are named Evans and O'Halloran, according to the police investigation. It is believed that the Evans child was shown to Edson when he called last March to see his own baby and they also believe it was a picture of this child which Mrs. Hanglin showed him at a later date.

Efforts to find this Evans baby were unavailing yet. Mrs. Hanglin told Untermyer, the investigator, last Thursday, that the child's mother had taken the baby away. Regarding the O'Halloran child, Hanglin told the police he was still in the Hanglin home and that another woman also has her home there.

GOOD OUTLOOK FOR CANADIAN EUROPEAN TRADE

Mr. Ramsay Brings Back Orders for Paint and Varnish Makers.

QUALITY DEMANDED The Market is Not One for Cheap Goods—Lloyd Harris and Trade Mission Have Done Big Work.

Returning from his special mission to London and other European centres, Walter R. Ramsay, vice-president of the Canadian Paint, Oil and Varnish Association, and president A. Ramsay and Co., Ltd., Montreal, spoke most encouragingly of the prospects that present themselves in Europe, for the Canadian manufacturer, in an interview given to The Financial Post.

As a result of his trip, and through coming in contact with the actual markets of Europe, Mr. Ramsay was enabled to secure actual business to the extent of over a quarter of a million dollars. This business has already been distributed among the paint and varnish manufacturers of Canada, and it is but the beginning of orders that are expected to run into many millions.

Mr. Ramsay makes it very clear that the business must be sought, and that the best way to secure it is through close cooperation with the Canadian Trade Commission in London, of which Lloyd Harris is the head.

Attitude to Canada. Making his headquarters in London at the offices of the Canadian Trade Commission, Mr. Ramsay had many opportunities of meeting and discussing matters of great moment, from the trade standpoint with accredited representatives of some of those European countries which are known to be in great need of products such as Canada is in a position to supply.

"I believe that Canada will now be placed on the map of Europe with respect to exports," said Mr. Ramsay. "She is well thought of there. The Balkan States in particular are very kindly disposed towards this country. Canada's recent extension of credit to these countries is very much appreciated there and will, in itself, be a big factor in the future business relations that we may have with them."

Mr. Ramsay stated that this was the attitude taken, in a general way, by Greece. They appreciate what Canada has done. "Lloyd Harris has been in conference with Premier Vintzas of Roumania, Mr. Ramsay stated that the plans adopted by the Allies, relative to relieving the people of their actual distress, was of great value when related to the future business possibilities. These people were naked and hungry now and the food and clothing being sent to them would mean much. This food will offset any Bolshevik tendencies that may have been gaining ground.

At the present time two ship cargoes of food and clothing are en route to Roumania from the port of Montreal. Want Quality Goods. If there is one thing that Canadian manufacturers must learn right at the outset, it is that they must supply their very best wares to Europe. Mr. Ramsay said: "It is quite clear that these people want something dependable, and that if poor goods are supplied in the first instance, the chance of establishing permanent connections may be lost."

Mr. Ramsay stated that this was the expressed feeling of the Canadian trade commission, and, having given the matter study for many months, the advice should be accorded the attention it merits. With a footing on this basis, that is, with our best products sent forward now, Mr. Ramsay is most confident that Canada can, and will, be in a position to meet competition. So much has been said of the need of selling goods on a low price basis, that this observation regarding high-class manufactured products is encouraging.

Matter of Credit. In speaking of credits, Mr. Ramsay stated that there was much encouragement. The first credits arranged for Roumania were practically used up. Others were being arranged with different countries for immediate business. The Greek Government will very probably be the medium through which orders will be secured, and once the connection is properly established, transactions will be conducted direct with the buyers there.

The trade commission may not be a permanent thing, as it now stands, but out of it should grow, at least, a permanent connection that can only be established by Canadian manufacturers banding together and having someone on the ground. Mr. Ramsay expects that Mr. Harris will discuss this matter more fully when he comes to Canada in June, and if he is of the decided opinion that Canadian manufacturers and others, should take a real interest in the program that Mr. Harris will have to outline. He will have facts and figures that all should become conversant with.

Colonial Preference. The preference for Canada's goods in the Old Country is more than a sentimental one, Mr. Ramsay said. The Government heads there were expecting that some of the best English blood and fibre of British manhood would be migrating to Canada. There was an indissoluble bond created by the war, and England was prepared to favor the colonies in this connection in the matter of trade and colonization.

GERMAN OFFICER COMMITS SUICIDE

Was Arrested by Americans in Coblenz and Turned Over to French to be Tried for Stealing.

Coblenz, Sunday, May 18, (By The Associated Press.)—Max Kauch, a former captain in the German army who was arrested several days ago by American intelligence officers on a charge of having in his possession property stolen from France committed suicide early today by stabbing.

Kauch was arrested at the request of the French military authorities who planned to return him to France and try him on a civil court charge of common robbery.

Kauch was turned over to the French Saturday and killed himself in the jail at Boppard in which he had been placed for the night. Linen and other property found in the officer's home in Coblenz, the authorities say, was stolen during the war from French homes in Douai.

ALLIES HOLD THE FORTS AT SMYRNA

City is Now Quiet and the Greeks Are Taking Steps to Restore Tranquility.

Paris, May 20.—The Allied casualties at Smyrna last Thursday include a small number of dead, together with some prisoners. British, French and Italian forces are still holding the forts and other strategic points, while the Greeks are occupying the centre of the city proper.

Despatches received from Smyrna this afternoon indicate that the city is now quiet and that the Greeks are taking steps to restore tranquility. In the churches Greek priests are recommending just treatment for the Mohammedans and making every effort to prevent a conflict over religious beliefs.

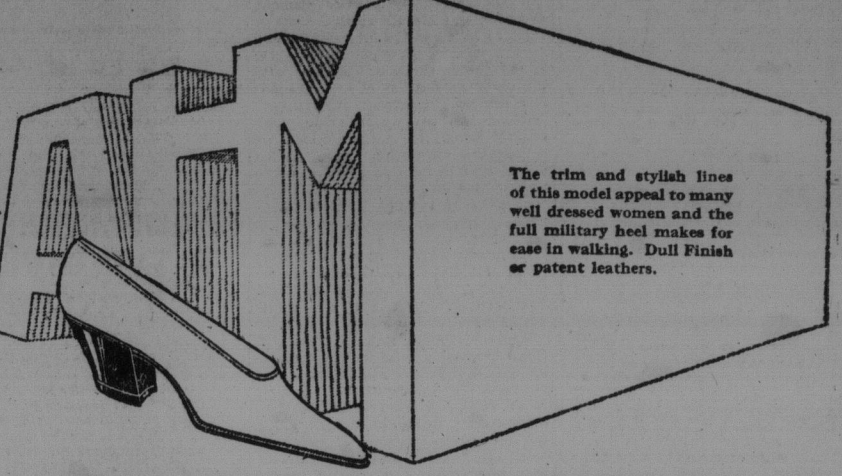
The Italians who landed troops at Adalia, Vilayet of Konieh, prior to the landing of the Greeks in Smyrna also debarked troops at Bunderia, 95 miles southeast of Smyrna, and also at Makrie, in the vilayet of Smyrna on the Gulf of Marmara, May 17.

BIG FOUR GIVE GERMAN A SLAP

Paris, May 20.—The answer of the Council of Four to the German note, regarding reparations, which will be handed to the Germans tonight, points out, in reply to the German refusal to admit responsibility for the war, that it is impossible to disassociate responsibility from reparations.

The reply calls for the Germans raised no objection to Secretary Lansing's note of last November 11th, in which he spoke of German aggression. The Council of Four also refuses to admit that the German people may disclaim responsibility for the actions of the former German government.

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MONTREAL SALES

Table of Montreal sales including various commodities like flour, sugar, and oil with prices and quantities.

Afternoon

Table of afternoon Montreal sales including various commodities like flour, sugar, and oil with prices and quantities.

PRES.'S MESSAGE ADDS ZEST TO STOCK MARKET

Trade Started in With Dullness But Gradually Gathered Strength as Day Advanced.

New York, May 20.—Dealings in stocks during the early period of the day's session were relatively dull with uncertain price tendencies, but the entire market strengthened later, fresh buying being stimulated by the President's message to Congress.

Shipping and oils provided the motive power at the opening, marine common and preferred, American International, Royal Dutch and Mexican Petroleum gaining one to two points with several of the standard.

N. Y. QUOTATIONS

Table of New York quotations for various commodities like flour, sugar, and oil.

CHICAGO MARKET

Table of Chicago market prices for various commodities like flour, sugar, and oil.

N. Y. COTTON MARKET

Table of New York cotton market prices for various grades of cotton.

STRIKE TALK AFFECTS MONTREAL STOCK MARKET

(McDougall and Cowans.) Montreal, May 20.—The market had to take a deal of pressure most of the day. Strike conditions in Winnipeg and talk of strikes in Toronto caused a good deal of selling, but the market held very well in the face of it, as the declines had been expected in the American market for some time.

Breweries again seemed to be in good demand and closed at the high for the day. Steel stocks acted badly, we know of no special reason why, except that the public are probably taking more interest in other securities.

FRENCH PREPARE TO TAKE CHARGE AT COBLENZ

Coblenz, Sunday, May 18, (By The A. P.)—The French military authorities, assuming that the Germans will sign the peace terms, are going ahead with their plans to take over the Coblenz bridgehead from the Germans, but the time required for the transfer is yet uncertain because all details cannot be completed until the treaty is signed.

TORONTO TRADE QUOTATIONS

Table of Toronto trade quotations for various commodities like flour, sugar, and oil.

UNION BANK CANADA OPENS BRANCH OFFICE AT SUSSEX, N. B.

Montreal, May 20.—The Union Bank of Canada announces the opening of a new branch at Sussex, N. B., with M. Ross as manager. Mr. Ross went overseas with the first heavy siege artillery of Great Britain and has just returned to resume his connection with the bank. The Union Bank will open a new branch at Truro, N. S., on the 26th. P. O. Robertson has been appointed acting manager.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

Table of Montreal produce prices for various commodities like flour, sugar, and oil.

MARKET DEVELOPED STRONG TONE

President's Message Had a Good Effect, Creating Confidence and a Favorable Impression.

(McDougall and Cowans.) New York, May 20.—After the display of some hesitation during the morning, due largely to the bearish attitude of traders and to a much smaller extent to liquidation, the whole market assumed a very strong tone and closed at about the highest prices of the day.

NEW GUINEA BECOMES PROBLEM FOR AUSTRALIA

Captured by the Australians the German Colony is Now to be Entrusted to Their Care.

HOLLAND EXTENDS CREDIT TO FRANCE

Paris, May 20. (Havas).—The Dutch government, according to a despatch from The Hague, in order to cooperate in the reconstruction of Northern France, has submitted to the state council a bill authorizing the granting of a credit of 25,000,000 florins for five years.

FUNERALS

The funeral of James Doyle took place yesterday morning from his residence, 88 Broad street, to the Church of St. John the Baptist. High mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. J. Gaudet, and interment was made in the old Catholic cemetery. Relatives were pall-bearers, and the funeral was attended by many friends.

The Milt Australian.

In the case of what was formerly known as German New Guinea, early in the war captured by the Australians, since then governed by them, it is now to be permanently ceded to their keeping, a rather curious effect has been noted since the Germans were driven out. The change is not so much in the nature of the judgment of the white man, but for the better in the opinion of the natives.

Culture and Colonies.

The whole story of German colonization is never to be told; it is not fit to be told—a long drawn horror of cruelty and lust. To the German a native under his control was valuable exactly as a beast was valuable. He was something to be worked just to the limit that flesh could endure, and when worn out to be knoced on the head. With regard to New Guinea, there was lacking the intelligence even that makes a selfish man give his horse decent treatment, the result was that the population rapidly declined from disease enforced labor and kultur generally. Toward the end of German rule, the authorities apparently realized that they were destroying valuable property, and some faint efforts at reform were noted. Even under Australian rule, the population has continued to decline, and it is feared that if this tendency is not corrected, there will come such a labor shortage as will make the development of the islands impossible.

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CANADIAN STEEL INDUSTRY LOOKS MOST PROMISING

Pres. of Dom. Steel Corp. is Quite Optimistic Over the Prospects for the Future.

Montreal, May 20.—Conditions in the Canadian Steel industry are commencing to show perceptible improvement, according to the statement made today by Mark Workman, president of the Dominion Steel Corporation, who is quite optimistic over the prospects of the near future.

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Whole Community in the United States Have for Generations Defied the Laws of the Land.
(Toronto Mail and Empire.)
That there are whole communities in the United States which have for generations defied the laws of the land is notorious. Everyone has heard of the feudists of Kentucky, and of the manufacturers of illicit whiskey. These law-breakers, having the moral support of the immediate public, that is to say, of their neighbors and acquaintances, for generations, have laughed at the Federal and State officers. When the United States entered the war these mountaineers of the South, naturally the very best of military material, resisted the draft in great numbers, and it was found practically impossible to round them up and drag them in. As a class the mountaineers are probably the most ignorant and superstitious class to be found on this continent south of the Arctic circle, which in all the more remarkable view of the fact that they are racially the purest of Americans, having no ancestors but native Americans for more than a century, and beyond that only English, Scotch and Irish forebears. We get an interesting glimpse of the inhabitants of the Ozarks in an article by C. M. Harger in the New York Post dealing with the long struggle of several Missouri counties to avoid payment ordered by the Federal courts.

Wallingford's Playground.
Fifty years or so ago there was a law in Missouri which permitted three county judges of any county to issue bonds without a vote of the taxpayers. This privilege was freely exercised, and often for dishonest purposes. Sometimes the judges were corrupt, and sometimes they were honest but ignorant and the judges of various promoters. Forty-four years ago three counties—Dallas, St. Clair and Knox—combined to practically every citizen gathered for the purpose of the common fund. The first article was put up and bids were called for. No one answered, it was made. The sheriff was at his end. Finally he noticed that one hill-man named Sam Peden had offered nothing. So he proposed to seize a couple of his cows. Peden drew a rifle and gave the sheriff two minutes to disappear. This made him the hero of the community and for twenty years thereafter he was elected and re-elected to the position of county judge. Once he was arrested and served a short sentence for refusing to be acclaimed a greater hero than ever. In the course of the long fight the tax books with all the records were destroyed, so that it would be impossible for the Federal courts to determine who was in default. In each case the struggle had ended in a compromise, and the tax books were destroyed. It is probable that the entire value of Dallas county today is not equal to the amounts due, including principle and interest, on the bonds issued more than forty years ago.

The Embattled Mountaineers.
Back East the bondholders began to ask for the interest due; the Ozark citizens refused to pay, feeling that they had been defrauded of their money. An appeal was made to the courts, and judgment was given against the three counties. No attention was paid to it. The county courts were then ordered to make a tax levy to pay the claim; they refused. A mandamus was issued and ignored. The county court officials were then cited for contempt; they disregarded the order. That was forty-four years ago, and since then there has been a contest between the Federal and county courts. The duty of the former was to arrest the judges, both the original judges and their successors from time to time, and occasionally they succeeded. As time went on St. Clair and Knox Counties made a settlement with their Eastern creditors, but Dallas held out and is still that it will presently capitulate. 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AROUND THE CITY
COOLER—SHOWERY

NEW "DRY" INSPECTOR.
Daniel J. Daley was sworn in as an inspector under the Prohibition Act by Magistrate Rittenberg yesterday morning. His district will be the city of St. John.

PROBATE COURT.
Letters of administration were granted to Agnes I. Short, in the matter of the estate of her brother, the late Robert D. Campbell. The estate is valued at not more than \$1,000. Letters testamentary were granted to Mary MacHugh in the matter of the estate of her husband, the late Cornelius MacHugh. The value of the estate does not exceed \$2,332.

PARCEL POST WEST OF WINNIPEG.
Word has been received by the Postmaster that parcels and newspapers for points west of Winnipeg may now be forwarded. No parcels or newspapers for the city of Winnipeg will be accepted.

SHIP CARPENTERS' UNION.
Ship Carpenters' Union, No. 1,544, held its regular meeting last night in the union hall, Union street, under the presidency of Isaac Patterson. Addresses on the benefits of union and topics of the day were delivered by J. T. Sharpe, F. A. Campbell, and Messrs. Sharkey and O'Brien. Only routine business was discussed by the members.

ANOTHER MEDAL WINNER.
Among the names of those awarded decorations in the 26th the name of Egbert N. Robertson should have been included. This St. John soldier was one of the original members of the battalion and one of the very first to be granted the D. C. M. for special bravery. He was with the signalers in the 26th, and before enlisting was employed with T. H. Estabrooks.

WELCOME TO SOLDIER.
A very pleasant gathering was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Munroe, 134 Paradise row, last evening, in honor of the return of Gunner G. W. Munroe from overseas. Gunner Munroe went over with the 26th Battalion in 1915 and was married in Canada recently. Many friends wished Mr. and Mrs. Munroe all happiness and congratulated the soldier on his safe return home.

PUPILS' RECITAL.
A large number of musical people assembled last evening in Centenary Hall, on the invitation of Miss Louise Knight, to enjoy a recital given by her pupils. Five of the singers made their first public appearance, and all on the programme gave charming selections. Scores were very generally requested, and Miss Knight received many congratulations on the success of her training, good expression and tone being shown in the voices. The following took part: Miss Agatha Steeves, Miss Hilda Galley, Miss Audrey Turner, Miss Geraldine Melick, Miss V. Stachim, Miss Nan Powers, Miss Freda Jenkins, Miss Emma Rand, Miss Daisy Stephenson, Miss Elsie Rop, Miss Greta Love, Miss Campbell, Mrs. Stanley Harrison, Mrs. Southouse, Mr. Alban Emery.

SPECIAL MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL.
Further amendments were made to the proposed electrical by-law at a special meeting of the common council in committee yesterday morning and the by-law as amended was recommended to the council. The section relating to the sealing of main switch boxes was changed so that any qualified electrician could break the seal in case of a fire blow out. When the sections relating to the licensing of journeymen came up there was a strong protest lodged against asking men who had been more than five years in the business to pass an examination and this section was amended by eliminating the examination for all men who had been over that length of time working as electricians. A section relating to the composition of the examining board was amended by striking out that part which forbade the placing of a journeyman or contractor on the board. The license fee for master workmen was reduced from \$20 to \$5 and the clause requiring a man to have some place of business other than his house was struck out. The section requiring a license fee of \$500 from an outside contractor coming here and taking a contract was cut out.

A NEW INDUSTRY FOR RETURNED MEN

Many Soldiers Who Have Returned from Overseas Duty Finding Going Into Cattle Raising Extensively.
It is expected that the return from overseas duty of New Brunswick's native-born sons will lend an impetus to the now quiescent beef cattle industry in the province. Several of those who returned with the Divisional Ammunition Column and the 26th Battalion, last Saturday, have signified the intention of going into cattle raising extensively, and their plans are not unambitious by any means. In Blighty, at rest camp, on leave in France, and at various points in France and Flanders, the provincial soldiers have been in personal touch with the men from Western Canada, from Australia and New Zealand, and of course wherever the men met the talk turned to peace-time occupations and the benefits of each country and calling. After the years spent in the open air there, many of the boys see in the outdoor life of farming and cattle raising, the ideal peace-time occupation for them, and with that object in mind have secured all the pointers regarding the work that the western Can-

Canteen Inquiry Resumed Yesterday

Cases Against Capt. Logan and Major Rowe Were Considered—No Evidence Given by the Defence—Capt. Ingleton's Case This Morning.

Yesterday morning the court martial resumed its inquiry into the affairs of the Depot Battalion canteen, when the case against Capt. G. E. Logan was considered. Evidence was given by Major F. H. Rowe, president of the district inquiry court, Brig-General Macdonnell, G. O. C. M. D. 7, Lieut.-Col. J. L. McAvity and A. N. Payne, accountant, all being called by the prosecution. The defence did not call witnesses. Lieut.-Col. N. M. Young, for the prosecution, and J. A. Barry, for the accused, both addressed the court, after which it closed to consider the finding, no announcement being made until it comes officially from Ottawa. In the afternoon the case against Major F. H. Rowe was heard. H. A. Powell, K. C., appearing for the defence. Evidence was given by Brig-General Macdonnell, Major S. S. Wetmore, Lieut. John Belyea, Sergt. George Evans and Captain Richard Ingleton. They were not cross-examined and the accused did not call any witnesses, neither did he give evidence in his own behalf. H. A. Powell, K. C., in his address to the court stated that it was not in the code of an officer to play the part of an informer or a pimp, and that it was for his refusal to be such that the accused was in his present predicament. The accused, he stated, was not in the position to bring information to higher authorities and he had not been shown that he had neglected his duty. There were many cases, he pointed out, where good fellowship and tolerance had overlooked the breach of minor military regulations and the offense of the accused was one which rather led to virtue's side. Lieut.-Colonel F. D. Boggs, judge advocate general, closed the case, which was later submitted to the court for its findings. This morning the case of Captain Richard Ingleton will be heard. J. H. A. L. Fairweather appearing for the accused.

The New Plants Are Successful

Refrigerating and Ice Making Plants at General Public Hospital Are Now in Full Working Order.

The new refrigerating and ice making plant at the General Public Hospital is now in full working order and is proving to be one of the best things installed at the institution for some time. Two chambers have been provided for the refrigerator and these are kept at the proper temperature by ammonia gas passed through a brine mixture. The ice making plant is a large tank filled with a brine mixture, which will take a temperature of nearly zero without freezing, in which a number of moulds are placed filled with pure water. The ammonia gas is then turned on and the water in a short time becomes ice. This plant will make a ton of ice a day and this is more than the institution needs. The advantage of this method of making the ice used in the hospital lies in the fact that it is always pure. The installation of this refrigerating plant is not only more sanitary than the old ice box method of refrigeration, but it is more economical. The interest on the cost of putting it in has been about one half what it has been in the case of an institution. Dr. Hodden, the very efficient superintendent of the institution, has in mind the installation during the present summer of a modern kitchen equipment with steam tables.

DEANERY OF ST. JOHN QUARTERLY SESSION

Held in Church of the Good Shepherd, Fairville, Yesterday—Various Routine Matters Were Discussed.

The quarterly meeting of the Deanery of St. John was held in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Fairville, yesterday morning. At 9.30 Holy Communion was celebrated, nearly all the Anglican clergy being present, seventeen attending. Addressing to the rector, various routine matters were talked over and a profitable discussion held on Sunday observance, a portion of Greek being read in reference to this subject. Another subject under discussion was the increased opportunities in connection with the larger stipends for the clergy. The rural dean, Rev. W. H. Sampson, presided. Members of the deanery were entertained at luncheon by Rev. Walter P. Dunham and Mrs. Dunham. The next meeting will take place at Westfield.

ADAM AND AUSTRALIAN CATTLE MEN COULD GIVE

It has been repeatedly pointed out that there can be raised in this province beef cattle of as high a quality as that which now makes the western provinces the main source of supply; it might be said, in fact, that New Brunswick beef cattle have won out on more than one occasion in competition with the western product. With the capital and assistance which they can secure, and the expert knowledge of the industry which they have gained from cattlemen from all over the Empire, it is believed that returning soldier boys will be able to put the beef cattle industry of the province on a plane rightly its due and not attainable during the duration of the war.

Common Council Meeting Yesterday

Passed a Vote of Money to Rockwood Playground and One for West End—Accepted Tenders for Rodney Wharf Repairs—Other Business.

The City Council yesterday afternoon passed a vote of 1,000 for the Rockwood Playground, and one of \$500 for West End, accepted the tenders of the Engineers and Contractors, Ltd. for the repairs to North Rodney wharf, and decided to pay the bill of the New Brunswick Power Co. for the quarter ending March 31 with the increase of twenty-five per cent. added, the city solicitor having advised that the city had no contract they were liable for the rates fixed by the Carrier Commission. Mayor Hayes presided, and Commissioners Thornton, Bullock, Jones and MacFarlane were present. The committee of the whole recommended that the tender of the Dominion Coal Co. for 150 tons of Reserve coal for harbor department at \$7.95 per ton be accepted; that the Commissioner of Safety be authorized to rent offices in the Wetmore building at \$50 per month; that the Mayor and Commissioner of Safety represent the Council on the joint committee to approve the ritual, constitution and by-laws of the Police Protective Association. Adopted. Commissioner Fisher reported that he had looked into the claim of Mrs. W. D. Simonds that certain land belonging to her had been taken for the widening of the Marsh Road, and had been unable to ascertain that such was the case, and moved she be notified to this effect; he also recommended that the city be notified that the city was unable to grant their request to date the increase in wages granted on April 20 back to April 1. The recommendations were adopted. Commissioner Jones reported that he investigated the petition of the residents of Kennedy Place for water and sewerage service and found it was not desirable that the prayer of the petitioners be granted at the present time. Reported adopted. A request from the school trustees for a plank sidewalk on Bentley street, from Douglas avenue to the King George school, was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works. A letter was read from Henry Wilmot stating that in the repairs to be made to the building occupied by H. Horton & Sons it would be necessary to take down the clock tower, and unless the city would pay a rental based on the cost of rebuilding the tower, the clock would not be set up again. It was decided that the city should finance the city did not feel like paying the rental and that Mr. Wilmot be notified to that effect. On motion of Commissioner Fisher, S. Gilbert was granted permission to erect an electric sign at 43 Brunsell street under the usual conditions; the bill of the New Brunswick Power Co. was authorized to call for tenders for 15,550 granite blocks and 2,500 grooved scoria blocks and to construct a retaining wall 30 feet long on the north side of the Old Barracks grounds, near the Carmarthen street end, at an estimated cost of \$500. Commissioner Thornton moved that the bill of the New Brunswick Power Co. for quarter ending March 31, 1919, amounting to \$9,345.57, be paid. He explained that an opinion from the city solicitor as to the liability of the city for the twenty-five per cent. increase, and that official has given in as his opinion the city was bound to pay the same. Commissioner Thornton thought the bill too high and spoke of Halifax and also wanted to know if the Power Co. were paying any rental for the use of poles owned by the city. Commissioner Thornton explained that in Halifax the lights were out on moonlight nights and that he was taking up with the company the question of rental for poles. The motion carried. Tenders for the reconstruction of North Rodney wharf were opened as follows:

Table with 3 columns: Bidder Name, Bid Amount, and Bid Description. Includes R. R. Lee (\$38,775.00), Grant & Horne (\$37,500.00), R. Herbert Hayes (\$1,540.00), Engineers and Contractors, Ltd. (\$2,400.00), John A. Adams (\$2,970.00), W. A. Munro (\$2,900.00), James E. Kane (\$1,277.50), and others.

On motion of Commissioner Bullock, the contract was awarded to the Engineers and Contractors, Ltd., they being the lowest tenderers, the work to be done on the wharf. On motion of Commissioner Fisher, the sum of \$1,000 was granted for work at the Rockwood playground, and it was decided to have a dump opened for the purpose of filling in the ditch running parallel with Gilbert's Lane; \$500 for the West Side playground, and \$400 for the lowering of the King Square band stand, in accordance with the suggestions made by the City Council. The Commissioner was given authority to secure some person to lower the stand.

OPERA SEAT SALE TODAY

The seats for the engagement of the Boston English Opera Co. week of June 27th will go on sale this morning at 10 o'clock old time. Tickets may be purchased for any or all of the operas. There will be no special "Banker" ticket for the whole season. Prices and repertoire in the regular advertising space this issue. Telephone orders will be filled after the line-up is served. Mail orders filled as they arrive, provided they are from outside the city. Opera performances will be on daylight time.

CUNARD LINE

S. S. Caronia, which sailed from Liverpool on 14th inst., with 150 saloons, 240 cabin and 2,250 military passengers, is due at Halifax on Thursday morning. S. S. Aquatica sailed from Liverpool on Sunday, 18th inst., with 215 saloons and 4,475 military passengers. She is due at Halifax on 24th inst.

Address Last Evening Enjoyed

Andrew Halkett, Naturalist of Dominion Fisheries Department, Lectured in Natural History Rooms on the Lobster.

At the Natural History Society rooms last evening Andrew Halkett, naturalist of the Dominion Fisheries Department, delivered a most instructive and interesting address on the "Lobster" tracing it from the egg to the fully developed adult. Mr. Halkett, who is conducting an educational campaign in the interests of the preservation and conservation of this delicious crustacean, is visiting the fishing grounds and canneries, giving addresses and interviewing individual fishermen, placing before them the natural habits of the lobster and the best methods of conserving the fast diminishing supply. He lays special emphasis on the importance of keeping up the natural increase, and gives as one method of accomplishing this end, the necessity of the fishermen keeping away from the harbors and bays in which the females deposit their eggs, thus giving the young a chance to grow to maturity, and doing all their fishing in deep water. Dr. J. Roy Campbell president of the Natural History Society occupied the seat and introduced Mr. Halkett. The lecturer had two live lobsters with him which he illustrated the structure. The lobster, he said, was built in segments thus showing that it was related to the insects, its claws were weapons of offence and defence; it had four pairs of walking feet, but of these the first pair might be termed hands, as they were often used to convey food to the mouth. The usual color of the live lobster was black, although he had seen specimens that were blue, and had heard of them being red when taken from the coast. A number of pictures, showing the lobster from the egg stage to the time when it began to walk. The egg was about the size of a turnip seed and the lobster when first hatched was less than an inch long. He stated that only two distinct species of the true lobster existed in the world. These were our Atlantic lobster, and that found on the Scandinavian coast and the coast of the British Isles. The nearest relative to the lobster was our own Canadian fresh water crawfish. Dr. Campbell asked whether it might not be possible, in view of the decrease in the number of lobsters to transplant the Pacific crab to Atlantic waters. Mr. Halkett did not think this was a feasible project, as the crab and the lobster would be apt to destroy each other, and the last state was worse than the first. The proper thing to do was to conserve the present supply and see that the annual natural increase was kept up. Asked what the lobster ate the lecturer replied that it was a natural scavenger, but added that this did not mean that it was not being nutritious and healthful. Mr. McIntosh had on exhibition a lobster caught of Grand Manan which measured thirty-one inches in length. He and Mr. Halkett said this was about as large a specimen as he had ever seen. At the close of the lecture a hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speaker. Mr. Halkett leaves this morning for Grand Manan and later for Nova Scotia.

Commencing May 24, the West St. John Street car will be operated to head of King street. Fairville street cars will be operated to Douglas avenue corner. Four additional cars will be put on the Main Prince William and St. James street routes. The grand side Park service will start on this date. In the mornings one car will be operated from Seaside Park to Tilton's Corner; Saturdays, Sundays, and when the weather permits additional cars will be put on through the city and direct to Seaside Park.

Arranged in a smart display for the holiday. Women, this is indeed a rare offer, and those who are in quest of a trim street suit of silk are sure to be delighted with this early showing at DYKEMAN'S. Quite briefly we mention a few of the items:

Suit developed in Silk Poplin, Taupe Fox with Henna Silk Vest, Russian Blouse effect, and is trimmed with silk-covered buttons. Skirt is striped at the waistline. Sample, regular \$48.50 for \$26.00. New and smart in every detail. Navy Blue Satin Charmeuse, Russian Blouse style, scroll pattern of Vest in fashionable Henna Silk. Skirt is pleated. Coat has white satin top. Sample, regular \$55.00 for \$45.00. Dark Grey Tulle, plain box back, one row of self-covered buttons on each side of coat. Crushed Silk Draper. Skirted back in Skirt. Sample, regular \$24.00 for \$23.00.

Many others equally important, in shades of Russian Green, Rich Reddish Brown, Deep Grey, with Black Girdles, Navy and Black. These are all samples, and are greatly underpriced for early disposal. SOLDIERS' PICTURES. Large panorama groups of mostly New Brunswick youths, and those of individual soldiers' pictures. A postal card will be sent a complete list to you. The Reiss Studio, St. John, N. B. SUMMER NIGHT SCHOOL. Summer night classes (three evenings a week) for young men and women employed during the day, will begin next Monday evening at the Carre Commercial Institute, 106-108-110 West St. Union street. Arrangements for enrolling can be made any evening this week, 7.30 to 8.30.

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Now is the time to overhaul your kit and see what you'll need, and then pay an early visit to our Sporting Department, where you'll find a COMPLETE LINE OF ANGLERS' SUPPLIES including Dalsell's Hand-made Trout Rods, Bristol Steel and other makes of Steel Trout Rods. Also Trout Rods of Greenheart, Lancewood and Split Bamboo. Malloch and other makes of Trout Reels. A very complete line, including the Famous Forrest Files. Also Lines, Hooks, Casts, Spinners, Artificial Bait, Landing Nets, etc. SEE OUR KING STREET WINDOW. W. H. THORNE & CO., LIMITED

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All Spring Hats to be cleared at very low prices. We must have the room for our Summer Hats which are now arriving. EXTRA SPECIAL TODAY—An assortment of Two-tone Hats in the most wanted styles. These have full ribbon trimming. Values up to \$7.50. Today \$2.98 each. Extra good quality Toyo Panamas, very special \$1.50 each. Large Dress Hats in light colors for young ladies on sale for \$5.00 each. Marr Millinery Co., Limited

YOUR WALLS AND CEILINGS SHOULD BE OF BEAVER BOARD
It is the better—the modern way—of assuring clean, sanitary and attractive interiors, with none of the delays, dirt or disadvantage of lath or plaster. Has mat or pebbled surface, easily cut and fitted. Suits any room from cellar to attic, retards fire. Is pure wood fibre throughout, naturally seasoned. Beaver Board has demonstrated its superiority over lath and plaster and other forms of wall coverings. HEADQUARTERS FOR ALL BUILDERS' SUPPLIES

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ATTRACTIVE WOOL SWEATERS for Women and Misses. Fined ribbed, plain or fancy stitch, in solid colors or bordered effects, made with sleeves or sleeveless. Coat and Pull-Over styles are both showing. Popular colors are Nile, Purple, Rose, Paddy, Turquoise, Orange, etc. Sleeveless, \$3.00, with sleeves, \$4.25 to \$13.50. WHITE VOILE BLOUSES. Our assortment in these is extensive, including all newest style points such as round, V and collarless necks, also sailor collared models. These are made from fine new materials, and are beautifully trimmed with lace, hemstitching and embroidered patterns. Sizes 34 to 44. \$1.25 to \$7.00. A Selected range of the above styles in VOILE BLOUSES showing for the remainder of the week. Sizes 34 to 44. Very Specially Priced, \$2.98. SMOCKS AND MIDDIES for Women and Misses in a full range of Coat and Pull-Over styles, in plain colors or smart combinations. Sizes 34 to 42. \$1.50 to \$5.00. WOMEN'S AND MISSES' GINGHAM PORCH FROCKS. Plaids and stripes, with round or torsead collars, prettily embroidered or bound with shade to match. Three-quarter and long sleeved models, featuring all around belts, plain or with fancy ties and large pearl buttons as trimmings, \$5.75. Special Holiday Showing of OUTING, SHIRT WAIST AND SPORT HATS For Women and Misses. This includes Genuine Toyo and Natural Panamas, also One Special Line of Trimmed Toyo Panamas, very pretty and inexpensive. Price \$1.50. COUCH HAMMOCKS. Can be suspended from ceiling or used with metal stand. These are made with all metal frames, good springs properly japanned and non-rustable. Cushions, Ends and Wind Shields, upholstered in Kivak. Better qualities have adjustable head rest. \$16.00, \$18.00 and \$23.00. Standards, \$6.50; Canopy for Lawn use, \$6.50. Furniture Store, Market Square. "PALMER'S" ARAWANA HAMMOCKS, in a varied assortment of colorings and weaves. Comfortable models with regular or Lay Back pillows, full Valances, or Lay Back pillows, full Valances, or Lay Back pillows, full Valances, spreaders and other improvements. Prices are \$2.75, \$3.15, \$3.45, \$4.25, \$4.75, \$5.75, \$6.50, \$7.50 and \$7.50. Linen Section, Ground Floor.

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