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Negligible Record of Achievement to Its Credit in the Two Months It Has Been in Session.

HOUSE ANXIOUSLY AWAITING BUDGET

Gov't Staving It Off Hoping Prime Minister Will Be Back in Time to Give Attention to the Tariff.

Ottawa, April 16.—Parliament adjourned for the Easter recess today with a very negligible record of achievement to its credit in the two months that it has been in session. During the past three weeks it has done little better than mark time, the house waiting for the budget and the government staving it off in the hope that the prime minister may be back in time to give personal attention to the tariff question. The western members have left for home to feel the pulse of their constituents, and a vast deal depends upon the result of their discoveries. If, as despatches indicate, low tariff sentiment is steadily hardening, a big political battle may develop over the fiscal features of the budget. Government supporters, however, maintain an unshakable confidence in the ability of Sir Thomas White to bring down a budget that will strike a fair balance between the east and west, and satisfy all parties concerned.

Thus far this session Parliament's record has been notable. With the exception of Mr. Pender, whose defection was not a surprise, Mr. White has succeeded in maintaining an unexpected cohesion and a strong movement in an effort to mould it into a permanent party. The opposition, under Mr. McKenna's leadership, has been neither aggressive nor strong. Sir Wilfrid's incomparable parliamentary strategy and eloquence are sorely missed, and attacks have been feeble and directed without skill. The house resumes next Tuesday. But even with such a short recess, the session is now expected to be a long one. The government has still a very heavy legislative programme ahead of it, and the best parliamentary observers predict that it will, at least, be July before prorogation is possible.

MAJOR WOOD UNABLE TO MAKE FLIGHT

Limerick, April 16.—(By The Associated Press.)—While the weather here is fine, reports from the west coast of Ireland, over which Major Wood will have his trip from Eastchurch, on the Thames, to prepare for his attempt to cross the Atlantic are discouraging. High winds with rain falls are prevailing and all hope of his arrival today has been abandoned. Every train is bringing additions to the small army of newspaper correspondents, photographers and moving picture men here.

LOCAL GOVT MAY BE FORCED TO CREATE NEW APPOINTMENT

Booze Question Giving Them Great Concern and An Official Taster May be Required—Mr. Burchill Gets After Minister of Health on His Foolish Proposition.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 16.—Mr. Burchill went on the war path against Dr. Roberts' bill to amend the health act. He thought the minister's bill forbidding employers to hire men for work in camps, ships, or factories unless they could produce a certificate showing they had been vaccinated, was an unwelcome interference with employers. Such legislation would be unwelcome, if the minister would make compulsory vaccination general, he would be inclined to favor it, but lumber operators had no time to act as medical inspectors. Dr. Roberts said he would have to wash his hands of the matter, if he could not provide for the vaccination of men in lumber camps. Dr. McGrath said Mr. Burchill was no doubt right; it would be for the lumber operators a great hardship to successfully carry out such a law. He favored any legislation against smoking which had the smallest semblance of practicability, but the minister should try to evolve from his good sense a less cumbersome method. Mr. Flinder said the doctors had been running around quarantining chickens. Mr. Veniot said lumber operators should be compelled to provide more sanitary camps. The bill provides that an employer may be sued for the expense caused by an outbreak

Corp. Committee Further Considers The Carrier Bill

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, N. B., April 16.—The corporations committee met this afternoon and gave further consideration to the Carrier bill. The committee inserted a provision that the company should not pay dividends on its common stock until it had developed its water powers. The city's proposals, regarding payment for the upkeep of ponds, were further considered, as well as the system of assessment for tax purposes and the city's views were met on these points. The company proposes that the city shall have five years in which to decide by plebiscite to expropriate the power company's property. Expropriation will be on the basis of the rate base of \$2,800,000, with subsequent additions, plus ten per cent. thereof, and plus any premium required to retire outstanding bonds. The city is to be protected on the part of any private or municipal plant furnishing electric railway, electric or gas service.

POWER COMPANY WINS VICTORY OVER THE CITY

Lobbyists Returned Home Last Night Satisfied With Their Work—Company to be Protected.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 16.—The House did not get round to the Carrier bill but the Corporations Committee have finished their deliberations and will probably submit their report when the House meets again. The Power Company lobbyists left this evening, looking pleased. Mayor Hayes, Commissioner Fisher and other St. John citizens were here all day, but there is little evidence that their arguments for the city received much consideration. The general opinion is that the House will adopt the committee's report by a considerable majority, as the City of St. John is not likely to put up considerably over three millions to acquire the company's property within five years, the effect of the bill will be to consolidate the position of the company until the millennium. The company is to be protected in its monopoly rights in the city; no competitors will be allowed, and the premier's scheme to develop the water powers of the province will be of no interest to the citizens. Apparently the company will be able to demand seven per cent. on the base rate of \$2,800,000 without much delay, and the public utilities commission will have to grant its demands. The province will benefit slightly from the bill in its amended form. Mr. Veniot insisted that the contribution of the company for use of highways in Simonds should be paid to the province as it paid for highways there. His point was agreed to.

LLOYD GEORGE SAYS FUTURE MUST BE PROTECTED AGAINST THE HORRORS OF THE PAST

London, April 16.—(By The Associated Press.)—No intervention in Russia; no recognition of Bolshevism and the fulfilment of his election promises, including those in relation to indemnity from the enemy powers and punishment of the former German Emperor. These were the outstanding features of the report which Premier Lloyd George brought from Paris and delivered to the House of Commons today. Every member was in his seat and the galleries were packed with distinguished visitors, among them the Prince of Wales, when the Premier entered the chamber, with the cheers of the great crowd outside the Parliament grounds still ringing in his ears. He appeared fresh and in buoyant spirits, pausing at times to make humorous sallies with various members. In the main, though, the mood of the Premier was serious, in conformity with the weighty subjects of the cases and the audience listened with profound attention to his lengthy speech, which lasted almost an hour and a half. The Laborites vigorously applauded the Premier's announcement of non-intervention in Russia and non-recognition of the Bolsheviki, but remained silent while the Conservatives cheered the statement that the Allies would continue to aid friendly elements which were fighting Bolshevism. At the conclusion of the Premier's speech, when members and those in the galleries were pouring out in quest of belated luncheons, William Adams, a leader of the labor opposition in the House, characterized the speech of the Premier as "a masterpiece, but not entirely satisfactory."

Two Hundred Five German Subs At Bottom of Sea

New York, April 16.—Rear Admiral Sims, who commanded the American fleet during its war-time activities in European waters, said today that he believed there were 205 German submarines at the bottom of the sea. In a speech at the Bond Club, a victory loan campaign, he said the fleet found many submarines sunk in five years, the effect of the bill will be to consolidate the position of the company until the millennium. The company is to be protected in its monopoly rights in the city; no competitors will be allowed, and the premier's scheme to develop the water powers of the province will be of no interest to the citizens. Apparently the company will be able to demand seven per cent. on the base rate of \$2,800,000 without much delay, and the public utilities commission will have to grant its demands. The province will benefit slightly from the bill in its amended form. Mr. Veniot insisted that the contribution of the company for use of highways in Simonds should be paid to the province as it paid for highways there. His point was agreed to.

ROYAL COMMISSION VISITS THIS CITY ON JUNE 2ND

To Investigate the Industrial Relations Between Employer and Employee.

Ottawa, April 16.—The Royal Commission appointed by the Dominion government to investigate industrial relations in Canada, and to submit a report as to how these may be improved, will leave Ottawa on Monday for the Maritime Provinces. Public hearings will be held during the following week. The itinerary has been arranged to cover the chief industrial centres throughout the entire Dominion. It is expected that the report of the commission will be prepared immediately after the conclusion of the inquiry. The following is the proposed itinerary: Quebec and the Maritime Provinces; Quebec; Montreal, May 29, 30, and 31; New Brunswick St. John, June 2; Nova Scotia; Halifax, June 4; New Glasgow, June 5; Sydney, June 6; Quebec; Quebec city, June 9.

ANOTHER WRECK ON THE C. N. R.

Special to The Standard. Moncton, N.B., April 16.—Another wreck of a rather serious nature, occurred about 3.30 this afternoon on the C. N. R. at Brentwood, near Truro, resulting in the line being locked about four hours. An engine and van, in charge of Con. McDonald, struck a trolley loaded with rails and the engine and van were thrown from the track and toppled over on their side, both being somewhat damaged. The engine and van crew fortunately escaped injury. The track was torn up and, in order to cause as little delay as possible to express trains, a track was constructed around the wreck. The Maritime Express from Halifax was delayed about four hours reaching Moncton around midnight.

ROYAL BANK OF CANADA MAKES IMPORTANT FOREIGN CONNECTION

With the View of Establishing Closer Relationship London County Westminster and Parrs Bank, Limited, Have Offered to Buy, for Investment, 10,000 Shares of the Stock of the Royal Bank of Canada at \$200 Per Share. Montreal, April 16.—The Royal Bank of Canada has just entered into a close reciprocal working arrangement with the London County Westminster and Parrs Bank, Limited, is one of the largest and most important banks in the world. The London County Westminster and Parrs Bank, Limited, with numerous branches and also the Ulster Bank, Ireland, all of whose shares it owns. The capital and surplus of the London County Westminster and Parrs Bank, Limited, are, respectively, \$6,830,990 and \$7,400,000, and its deposits amount to approximately £370,000,000 sterling. On the completion of payments, on July first next of a recent issue of new stock, the capital and reserve, combined, will exceed £17,000,000. The capital and surplus of the London County Westminster and Parrs Bank, Limited, have offered to buy for investment 10,000 shares of the Royal Bank of Canada stock at \$200 per share, and the shareholders of the Royal Bank are, by circular, unanimously and strongly recommended by the directors to facilitate the sale of the shares by renouncing their rights thereto, as it is obvious that this close working arrangement will greatly extend and strengthen the connection of the Royal Bank of Canada, and place them in a most favorable position with regard to European business. As the result of recent bank amalgamations in England, there exist, today, five great banks, the London County, Westminster and Parrs Bank, the London Joint City and Midland, Lloyds' Bank, Barclay's Bank and the National Provincial and Union Bank of England. The combined capital and surplus funds of each of these banks had totalled £10,000,000 to £12,000,000 sterling, and individual deposits from £200,000,000 to £300,000,000 sterling. These great monetary institutions, with their immense aggregate resources, were created for the purpose of extending increased banking facilities to the leading banking institutions in Great Britain. On this account the Royal Bank of Canada is sure to come in for a great deal of praise for the enterprise shown in effecting a relationship that will have such far-reaching and beneficial effects in the development of the foreign trade of Canada.

CANADIAN ENVOYS COMPLETE THEIR COMMITTEE WORK

Sir Robt. Borden Was Chief British Representative at Council of Foreign Ministers Wednesday. Paris, April 16.—(Cable from Leon Trepanier.)—The Canadian ministers have practically completed their work in committee, but they are in almost daily attendance at meetings of the British Empire delegations, which are held for the purpose of reviewing the work of the various allied committees so far as it touches the interests of the British Empire. Yesterday afternoon Sir Robert Borden took the place of Mr. Balfour as chief British representative in the Council of Foreign Ministers, by whom a series of important recommendations respecting the terms of the peace treaty were considered. He was accompanied by Lord Harding, the permanent head of the foreign office.

"CANADA'S GOLGOTHA" DOESN'T PLEASE GERMAN FOREIGN OFFICE

Famous Picture in Canada's War Paintings Exhibition, Depicting Crucifixion of Canadian Soldiers By Germans Looked Upon as "Invented Outrage" by Hun Angels. London, April 16.—(Canadian Press.)—The German foreign office recently complained of a picture, appearing in the Canadian War Paintings exhibition, depicting the crucifixion of Canadian soldiers by Germans and entitled "Canada's Golgotha." The German foreign office claimed that the Canadian government had lent its sanction to "an invented outrage." The correspondent of the Canadian Associated Press is informed by the Overseas Ministry that the work in question was executed by Captain Derwent Wood, Associate of the Royal Academy in his own initiative. He is not a Canadian, and does not hold a Canadian commission. Although the Canadian government has not yet signified its acquiescence in this work

LEGISLATORS IN FIGHTING MOOD YESTERDAY

Minister Tweeddale Presents Another Bill With All the Ear-marks of Providing Something for the Henchmen.

MINISTER AND POTTS PASS COMPLIMENTS

Excitement All Over Proposed Grant of Crown Lands to Municipal Homes for Fire-wood.

Special to The Standard. Fredericton, April 16.—Mr. Burchill, the grand old man of the grand old party, fell foul of the Minister of Agriculture today. Mr. Tweeddale's bill to make grants of crown land, not exceeding 500 acres, to municipal homes, was under consideration. Mr. Burchill declared the bill was unwise, as the homes could secure fire wood cheaper by private enterprise. He could not see what the promoter was thinking of. Mr. Potts wanted to know why the minister wanted so much land for municipal homes, and intimated that he hoped the government's agricultural policy wasn't going to bring everybody to the poor house. Mr. Veniot remarked that some municipalities were maintained in the municipal homes who were not crazy thought grants of 500 acres were little enough. Mr. Tweeddale said Mr. Potts did not know anything about the matter, and shouldn't talk. A motion by Mr. Tilley to make the grant 500 acres was declared carried by Mr. Leger, who was in the chair, whereupon the provincial secretary got up in a rage, protesting that the House was trying to choke him off. Mr. Potts also had a grievance. He wanted to protest against ill-considered bills being crowded on the House in its dying hours. The opposition leader said a few soothing words and the tempest subsided. Later Speaker Hetherington when reading the report from the committee of the whole took off his glasses in the midst of an uproar, and glared severely at the unruly assembly. "I can't hear myself reading," he said.

OLYMPIC HAS BIG LIST FOR ST. JOHN

Expected to Dock at Halifax April 19 With Thirteen Officers and 274 Other Ranks for This District. Ottawa, Ont., April 16.—The transport Olympic, which, according to advices received by the Militia Department, will reach Halifax on or about April 19, has on board a total of 5,548 men, of whom 258 are officers, 5,297 other ranks and seven dependents. She carries the Sixth Battery for Halifax. The classifications by dispersal area include two officers and 103 other ranks for Charlottetown; twenty-one officers and 558 other ranks for Halifax; thirteen officers and 274 other ranks for St. John; three officers and 84 other ranks for Moncton, and five officers and 185 other ranks for Quebec.

Tomorrow, Good Friday, The Standard will not be printed.

These, the minister added, would be submitted for ratification by parliament before the end of the month. He asked that the matter be dropped, making it a question of confidence in the government. The House, after some heated speeches, supported Mr. Pichon by a vote of 334 to 166. Mr. Pichon, during his address, pointed out that to submit the peace preliminaries to parliament before the signature of the treaty would be unconstitutional; that it would be submitting legislation for assent before Mr. Threapton Jean obi, socially interjected that the German government at Welmor, would know the terms before the French Chamber of Deputies. Later the same deputy shouted that Premier Clemenceau had betrayed the country. Mr. Pichon insisted the House, before the voting, that the government deserved well of the country. He recalled that Mr. Clemenceau had given a warning that France would have to make concessions. The foreign minister added that if more extended declarations were made in an Allied parliament the chamber of deputies might ask for further explanation on Friday.

Deputies Vote Their Confidence

French Chamber Expresses Its Confidence in Government's Position on Secrecy Regarding Peace Doings.

M. PICHON GIVES REASONS FOR SILENCE

Socialist Member Declared That Clemenceau Had Openly Betrayed the Country.

The Negotiations Between Gov't About Completed

Paris, April 16. (Havas)—The negotiations between the representatives of the allied and associated governments were virtually completed Tuesday, the Echo Paris says it learns from an authoritative source. The paper adds that, at one time, the understanding between France and the United States been closer and that the French government is completely satisfied with the attitude of President Wilson. The Gaulis says that the final agreement on the frontiers between Jugoslavians and Italy will be incorporated in the preliminary treaty with Germany.

Paris, April 16.—(By The Associated Press.)—The Chamber of Deputies today by a vote of 334 to 116, expressed its confidence in the government on a question whether France's conditions of peace should be known to parliament after Foreign Minister Pichon had declined to outline the details of the peace preliminaries until the treaty had been signed. The usual calm marking the morning sittings of the chamber, where electoral reforms were under discussion, was broken by Deputy Andre Leby, representing Seine-St-Oise, who, saying that M. Pichon, the foreign minister was present, asked the minister on what day he would accept an interpellation on the conditions upon which the government would make known the terms of peace to parliament. Mr. Pichon replied that he was willing to be interpellated immediately, but that he refused to give any details of the peace preliminaries. These, the minister added, would be submitted for ratification by parliament before the end of the month. He asked that the matter be dropped, making it a question of confidence in the government. The House, after some heated speeches, supported Mr. Pichon by a vote of 334 to 166. Mr. Pichon, during his address, pointed out that to submit the peace preliminaries to parliament before the signature of the treaty would be unconstitutional; that it would be submitting legislation for assent before Mr. Threapton Jean obi, socially interjected that the German government at Welmor, would know the terms before the French Chamber of Deputies. Later the same deputy shouted that Premier Clemenceau had betrayed the country. Mr. Pichon insisted the House, before the voting, that the government deserved well of the country. He recalled that Mr. Clemenceau had given a warning that France would have to make concessions. The foreign minister added that if more extended declarations were made in an Allied parliament the chamber of deputies might ask for further explanation on Friday.

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NON-RESIDENT FISHERMEN TO PAY MORE FOR LICENSES

Mr. Tilley Registers Kick Against Selling Fishing Rights to Outsiders, Believes Waters Should be Reserved for Residents—Tracts of Crown Lands for Municipal Home Wood Lots.

Assembly Chamber, April 16.—The House met at 11:30 o'clock a.m. The House went into committee with Mr. Magee in the chair, and agreed to a bill to amend an act for the division of the province into counties, towns and parishes.

A bill relating to Agricultural Society No. 41, County of Carleton, was next taken up.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said that since the bill was introduced, the Society had asked for an enlargement of its powers. Authority was now asked to permit the Society to own property, and exercise other powers of a body corporate.

The bill was agreed to, as was a bill amending the act respecting the University of New Brunswick.

Upon the Speaker resuming the chair, the bills were reported.

Hon. Mr. Byrne moved that two bills, relating to the division of the province into towns, counties and parishes be consolidated as one bill.

It being one o'clock, the speaker left the chair to resume at 3 p.m.

The House met at 5:40 o'clock p.m. The House went into committee with Mr. Legor (West) in the chair, and took up consideration of a bill to amend the Fisheries Act.

Hon. Mr. Smith said the bill was intended to amend the Fisheries Act only so far as it concerned the license fee of non-residents fishing in provincial waters.

Mr. Murray (Kings) asked what revenue was obtained under the existing regulations.

Hon. Mr. Smith said \$980 last year, and about \$700 the year before, the license fee being \$5 each. Under the bill before the committee it was proposed to increase the license fee to \$10 for trout fishing, and \$25 for salmon fishing. When the bill was prepared it had been intended to make the increased license fee applicable to non-residents who held fishing

rights by lease, as well as those who did not, but, upon looking up the advertisements of the sales of the fishing leases, it was found that the leases had been sold subject to no charge beyond the price paid for the lease at the time of sale. On that account no license fees could be imposed on leaseholders.

Mr. Young asked if the increase would affect residents of the province.

Hon. Mr. Smith replied that it would not.

Mr. Young said the increase was too great. In his own section of the Province there were a number of residents who made a business of guiding non-resident fishermen, particularly on streams which could be reached by the National Transcontinental Railway. He had been assured by those men that non-resident sportsmen would not come to the Province if they had to pay \$25 each for fishing licenses. They did not think there would be objection to a \$10 license fee, and he believed that the increase should not be beyond that amount.

Mr. LeBlanc said that the House continually heard honorable members clamoring for increased revenue. Those honorable members were willing to increase the taxation on resident motorists, and upon the lumbermen, but hold up their hands in horror at a proposal to place an increased tax upon non-resident sportsmen who can afford to pay some hundreds of dollars for a few days' amusement. He would be quite willing to see the fee made \$50 instead of \$25. Hon. members might notice that three quarters of the total amount received from non-resident fishermen came from the counties of Restigouche and Gloucester. He knew of non-residents who had bought the fishing rights in certain waters in fee simple, and brought scores of their friends to fish without paying a cent into the provincial revenues.

Hon. Mr. Smith said that in the Province of Quebec the license fee for non-resident fishermen was \$25 for all classes of fishing.

Mr. Smith (Carleton) said the bill was all right. If there should be any change from the proposal of the Hon. Minister, it should be as the Hon. Member for Restigouche had suggested, to make the fee \$50. He knew that many non-resident fishermen fishing in the upper waters of the Miramichi, and he did not hesitate in saying that they were a class which did much poaching and illegal killing. The existing fee of \$25 was too low.

Mr. Tilley said it was high time the Province stopped the selling of fishing rights to outsiders. The waters of the Province should be reserved for residents. There were too many waters from which resident fishermen were excluded by wardens.

Mr. Merereau agreed that the Hon. Member for St. John city in his remarks to the effect that residents of the Province should be given a better chance to fish in their own waters. He would like to know how long the leases already given had to run. He had in mind a lake in his own county, nine miles long, which was controlled by men living in St. John, kept a warden at each end to keep people off. To his mind long leases were ridiculous.

Mr. LeBlanc agreed that some streams of the Province should be left for residents to fish. But it might be remembered that in Restigouche County alone \$25,000 was paid by non-residents for fishing privileges, and that the same men maintain a force of wardens at a cost of \$13,000. It would mean a big difference to the Province if it lost that revenue, and also had to pay for guarding the streams.

Mr. McGrath said the ex-minister of Public Works had spoken of non-resident fishermen drifting on the Miramichi, and being guilty of illegal fishing. He could say that drifters on that river frequently gathered up nets, or anything else that came in their path. Inadequate protection on that river was one cause of such happenings, and he would like to see more wardens maintained.

Mr. Young—"You should start at Tidehead."

The bill was passed with amendments.

The committee took up consideration of a bill for the funding of certain expenditures in connection with the Jordan Memorial Sanatorium, and the O'Connor property, Fredericton.

Mr. Murray (Kings) asked what the O'Connor property comprised.

Hon. Mr. Veniot replied that the property consisted of two building lots in King street, Fredericton, on one of which was a brick building.

Mr. McGrath asked why this expenditure was to be redeemed out of the crown land sinking fund.

Hon. Mr. Foster said that the Crown Land Sinking Fund was for the payment of the public debt, and could be used for the payment of any debt of that nature.

The bill was passed as read.

The committee took up consideration of a bill to amend the act relating to the building of permanent bridges.

Mr. Smith (Carleton) asked how much was left of the amount provided.

Hon. Mr. Veniot replied \$450,000.

Mr. Smith (Carleton) said he presumed some of that had already been spent this year.

Hon. Mr. Veniot said a portion of that sum had been spent last autumn and last winter transporting material which would be used during the summer for road construction.

Mr. Tilley asked if the auto license fees would pay interest and provide a sinking fund.

Hon. Mr. Veniot replied that they would, and that the bonds would be retired in twenty years.

The bill was passed as read.

The committee took up consideration of a bill to grant the use of crown lands to any municipality for use in connection with the establishment of a municipal home.

Mr. Murray (Kings) said he supposed the price of one dollar per acre, mentioned in the bill, was a special price offered on account of the purpose of the measure, because some years ago an act had been passed making it impossible to dispose of crown lands at a price less than \$2 per acre.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said that he had introduced the bill. It had been found that the cost of supplying fuel to municipal homes was great, and that crown lands could be used as a source of supply of fuel. In general the bill was for the purpose of assisting in the support of charitable institutions.

Mr. Murray (Kings) asked if any municipality had applied for crown lands for this purpose.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said that Victoria County already had applied, and any other municipality could.

Mr. Murray (Kings) said he was not opposing the bill, but believed that 500 acres would be too large a tract to assign for the purpose of supplying fuel to a municipal home. He believed 200 acres would be ample.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said that the

growth of hardwood was very slow, and that 200 acres would not produce sufficient fuel for an institution as large as a municipal home.

Mr. Murray (Kings) said that provision should be made for the reversion of such crown lands, if not used for the purposes intended by the act.

Mr. McGrath said the Crown Land Department should have supervision over the land to prevent its misuse.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said he had no objection to that amendment providing for the reversion of the land.

Mr. Smith (Carleton) said the Minister of Agriculture could hardly be serious in saying that it would take 500 acres of hardwood to keep a municipal home in fuel. He had experience and could say that 100 acres of hardwood would keep a municipal home in fuel for 25 years. If 200 acres were granted, it would provide a fuel supply for fifty years which would be a sufficient length of time.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale disagreed with the honorable member for Carleton. 500 acres would not be too great an area. The bill was a sensible piece of legislation, and would assist in the establishment of municipal homes.

Mr. Burchill questioned the wisdom of this proposed legislation for two reasons. Land was to be granted for one dollar per acre, and he could say that wood could not be delivered from it to the municipal home at a cost lower than the price in the open market. An area of 500 acres would

be too large, and the privilege of getting fuel would be abused. Municipal homes were under the direction of county councillors who had a good many other things to think about, and it was true that what was everybody's business was nobody's business.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale pointed out that municipal homes were governed by commissions.

Mr. Burchill said there should be provision that the crown lands to be granted should be in the municipality for which they were intended.

Mr. Tweeddale said that that was the intention.

Mr. Potts said the legislation was rather drastic and there was no urgency for it. The legislature should be careful about giving away the public domain. Before deciding he would like to know what counties had applied for the land. A bill of this nature should have come earlier in order that the house and public might know its nature.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said the bill has been before the house for a fortnight.

Mr. Potts said the committee should report progress and wait a year before taking action. There was something about the bill which he could not quite grasp.

Hon. Mr. Veniot said he was surprised at the attitude assumed by the member for St. John city and honorable members from other sections. The province constantly was asked for grants for hospitals. St. John got \$2,800 a year and other places received varying amounts, yet, when a bill is introduced which has as its object the alleviation of suffering among unfortunate placed in municipal homes, opposition was encountered. The poor were not the only inmates of a municipal home, but they frequently contained imbeciles who otherwise would have to be sent to the provincial hospital at a heavy cost. If the upkeep of the municipal home could be lessened by this measure the municipalities should be given the encouragement. It cost much to maintain a municipal home. There was one in Gloucester county, and he knew that when it came to the home concerned by this bill he could say that it was within one mile of the crown land intended to be used. The Minister of Lands and Mines would supervise the choice of crown lands for the purposes indicated by the bill. The municipalities could not select the lands anywhere. The cost of fuel was a problem steadily growing greater.

It being six o'clock the committee rose to resume at eight.

Mr. Taylor on the committee resuming after recess, said it was hardly fair to compare municipal homes with hospitals, as the latter had to struggle for existence and often needed help. The bill looked to him like discriminating legislation. He thought it would be better to make a grant to all the counties of the province, as

only those adjacent to crown land could take advantage of the terms of the bill. He agreed with the honorable member for Northumberland that wood could be purchased cheaper by municipal homes than the cost of carrying on their own operations. In his own county, there was no crown land available and the same was probably true of St. John, Albert and York counties. He did not think the legislation was needed at the present time.

Mr. Tilley moved an amendment that the land grant be reduced to 200 acres.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said that to facilitate the passage of the bill he would make it 300.

Mr. Smith (Carleton) enquired as to the location of the municipal home in Victoria county.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said that it was at Trout Brook on the Tobique River, and directly opposite to the Blue Bell tract. The home had a

caretaker, who was the owner of a team, and could assist in getting out the wood. He (Tweeddale) together with a former colleague (Mr. Burgess) had been instrumental in inducing the old government to purchase the Blue Bell tract. It consisted of 50,000 acres and had been purchased for seventy-five cents an acre. Already the government had derived a profit of \$50,000 on the transaction. The municipal council had memorialized the government for 500 acres of land, for which they were willing to pay \$1 per acre, which was twenty-five cents more than the land cost the government. Honorable members opposite complained of the government throwing burdens upon the municipality, but the bill before the house would have an opposite effect, yet they were opposing it. The municipal home authorities would be able to save considerable money on their wood. (Continued on page 7)

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NOTICE

Effective immediately, The Standard office will operate on Daylight time. The business office opens at eight o'clock (Standard time) and closes at five o'clock. Advertisers will please govern themselves accordingly.

LEGISLATIVE REFORM.

We doubt, as Premier Foster told the House, his Government has plenty of precedents for not bringing down public bills until the closing days of the session, but this practice, if time worn, is not an honored one, and the present Government, in breaking all records of this kind has nothing to be particularly proud of. The spectacle of the Legislature wasting two weeks of the session in speech-making mainly devoted to party politics, and then trying to rush through the public business as if it was of little account compared with the speedy demobilization of the members, has never been particularly edifying, and today, more than at any other time, it is of importance that the Legislature and Government should display a proper concern for their duties and should endeavor to set an example of earnestness and efficiency calculated to command the respect and confidence of the public. A business man's government, such as we are so frequently told now exists at Fredericton, might be expected to introduce business methods in the conduct of public affairs. The Premier, although he brought down his most important bill four days before the closing of the session, and allowed his ministers to introduce twelve or fourteen other important measures on Monday and Tuesday, has already determined to reform the Legislature if possible on Tuesday before the Corporation Committee he entered protest against the delay in presenting private bills, and it may from this be assumed that he will next endeavor to reform himself and his colleagues, a task well worthy of his most distinguished endeavors. But even such a business government could hardly be expected to reform the procedure of the Legislature with its ancient forms and ceremonies originating in struggles between the Crown and the people, and perhaps it would be unwise to do so, for if these forms and ceremonies are not actually a desert in a desert of talk, they provide opportunities for the weary Legislature to seek relaxation and rest from the intense intellectual strain. Yet perhaps something could be done to expedite the sessional business. Many of the speeches might be taken as spoken with considerable relief to the speakers themselves as well as to the House; manuscripts might be sent to the newspapers by mail, thus serving the orators' purpose and providing their constituents with the usual annual entertainment. As public and private bills might be printed and laid on the desks of members before the House convened, so that while the Lieutenant-Governor is reading in the speech from the throne, the Premier's extensive opinions on the state of the universe, these members would have ample time to study and digest the whole legislative program.

SELLING APPLES.

Addressing the recent annual meeting of the New Brunswick Fruit Growers' Association, the President, Mr. S. B. Hatheway, of Springhill, York County, drew attention to the fact that after December first, practically the only dessert apples on the New Brunswick market are those imported from the West and sold at very high prices. In a province where fruit growing can be so successfully carried on, it is scarcely creditable that we should go to California for our apples when if our fruit growers so desired they could supply the demand for high class apples with the McIntosh, Wealthy, Fameuse and Pippin. Of course we ship heavily during the autumn and stocks are depleted before winter sets in, with the result that we must import to make good the scarcity of home grown varieties. Obviously there is need of adjustment in our system of selling. The present plan seems to be for New Brunswick growers to clean up their crops as quickly as possible and ship the fruit out of the country. Last season when the prices for many varieties ranged as high as three dollars and fifty cents per box and eight dollars per barrel, no doubt the growers found returns very satisfactory, but they had reserved a portion of their crop to be sold in the home market later on, even better results might have been obtained, and consumers could have enjoyed native apples at more reasonable prices than they are now compelled to pay for imported products. People will buy apples at almost any price, and it is more to the advantage of our provinces that the money so spent should remain here than to be sent out to Ontario or the Western States.

Some years ago a buyer representing year to year by order-in-council. Thanksgiving Day will hereafter be observed on the second Monday of November as a perpetual memorial of the conclusion of the recent war, in addition to such other reasons as may be prescribed. This has been provided by a bill which has just been passed by Parliament, and which also adds the second of November to the list of holidays and non-judicial days now observed.

ing an English house, suggested that New Brunswick Fruit Growers should establish a central depot for storage of apples for this province. The local association for buying and for marketing a portion of the crop, but it has not yet adopted the suggestion of a central storage depot, although such a plan would undoubtedly prove of advantage in enabling producers to reserve a portion of their crops for the all-year demand of the home market. It would also obviate the apparent necessity of throwing the whole crop on the world market at a time when prices are bound to be low. Mr. Hatheway strongly advocates the cultivation of the home market, and his suggestion sounds like good business. It might also be good charity, considering the steady increase in prices of apples from the west now offered for sale.

PREPARE FOR VISITORS.

Outside communities are commencing to display an interest in the proposed reception to the 25th Battalion. Certain towns have already expressed their intention to participate formally in the welcome, and no doubt before the time arrives many others will follow this example. There will, as well, be thousands of relatives and friends from outside points, all desirous of giving the boys the best possible reception. From present indications it would appear that this affair will be something worth while, and now, rather than at the last minute, is the time to prepare. There is no accommodation in this city for people desiring to spend a day or two here. All the hotels are filled—they have been in this condition during practically the entire winter—and since there is no sign of a slump in business it is apparent that these hotels will not likely be in a position to accommodate more than a very few of those who will require rooms and meals at the time of the reception. Our local committee, which now has in hand the preparations for the affair, should at the earliest possible moment devote some thought to this question and take such steps as may be deemed advisable toward securing information touching accommodation, so that we will not find visitors walking the streets all night as has happened in the past. Doubtless many householders with a room or two to spare, would be pleased to extend to the committee the use of such rooms for relatives or friends of the boys.

STILL UNSETTLED.

One thing after another seems to delay the City Council in its efforts to deal with the question of daylight time. This matter should have been settled yesterday, but unfortunately the Mayor and others had to go to Fredericton, so that what is expected to be the final decision was postponed until today. There does not appear to be any good reason for continuing the present confusion any longer than is necessary, and it will be in the interests of all if the council decides one way or the other at the meeting today. While opinions differ as to daylight and standard time, the matter is in reality out of our hands so long as the railways continue to operate under the daylight system. The city should, as a matter of convenience, adopt that same time. It may be objectionable to some, but it will not prove as objectionable as the present dual system, which is the cause of endless confusion and trouble. It is possible that a plebiscite might show a majority in favor of standard time, but such a decision would not affect the railways and other institutions now operating under daylight time. If, in different lines of work, undesirable conditions are created by the adoption of daylight, adjustment of such conditions may very readily be left to the employers and workers concerned, and need not necessarily be a source of worry to the city.

THE VICTORY-LIBERTY LOAN.

The United States is borrowing from Canada and in its new loan, the drive for which begins on April 21st, has adopted the name of Victory Loan. The United States Government will endeavor to raise \$4,500,000,000, in four and three-quarters, three or four year, convertible gold notes. The Treasury Department believes that although further borrowing must be done to meet bills falling due, the Government can, in view of the decreasing scale of expenditures, meet its requirements by the issue of treasury certificates which may be ultimately refunded. Victory Liberty Loan notes will be exempt from state and other taxation, excepting inheritance tax and federal income tax, and the notes will be convertible at any time into three and three-quarters per cent notes. This issue will bear interest from May twentieth, which interest will be payable semi-annually, on June fifteenth and December fifteenth, and at maturity, and the notes may be redeemed at any time at the option of the Government at par and interest.

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WHAT THEY SAY

Promoted by the Enemy. London Free Press—Australia's returned soldiers are making a united stand against Bolshevism. They see in the Red Revolution an enemy to their country's welfare as deadly as the militaristic Hun.

"Patchwork" Legislation. Brantford Expositor—These are curiously iconoclastic days. Evidence of this is found in the proposal of the Ontario Legislature to permit the city of Ottawa to experiment with the single tax idea. Shades of Whitney! Is there to be no protest against such patchwork" legislation?

For the World's Good. Ottawa Journal—The sooner we have more golf, more baseball, more play, more pleasant communion with each other and welcome by thoughts of dollars and cents, more joy in living, the better for the world.

Armistice Does Not Put an End to War Bills. Montreal Herald—The armistice was signed on November 11th last, but the war and attendant expenditure continues, the estimates on this account, including foreign credits and the like, calling for \$350,000,000 for the coming fiscal year.

Let the Joy Bells Ring. Toronto Telegram—A very Toronto slogan that carries "a choir of bells" should ring out a welcome to the returning soldiers in the music of "Home, Sweet Home."

Back to Two-Cent Postage. Toronto Star—The war tax in the form of excess postage will, we believe, terminate in the United States on June 30th and on July 1st normal postage rates will be resumed.

What's the Play Tonight? Toronto Telegram—The play "What's the Play Tonight?" is being staged at the Grand Theatre. It is a comedy in three acts, and is a very clever and original production.

The Outstanding Need. Toronto Star—One of the most interesting developments in Germany during the armistice period has been the strikes by the bourgeoisie or middle classes. These classes include doctors, teachers, lawyers, and all who do not make a livelihood by manual toil. The Bolsheviks and Spartacists have imagined that the hand-workers were the only indispensable

Little Benny's Note Book

BY LEE PAPE.

Me and Puds Simkins and Leroy Shooter was wawking along yesterday afternoon and we saw a man trying to get in a house and not being able to on account of the key not working, us fellows stopping and watching him a while, Puds wispering, G, fellows, do you think he's a berglar?

He's sertainly acting suspicious, all rite, I wispered, and Leroy Shooter wispered, He's a berglar, all rite, look at the way his hat's pulled down over his eyes.

Which the man kept on trying to turn the key in the lock and saying things to himself, being a short wide misterious looking man, and Puds Simkins wispered, Ask him a question, sumbody, and see how he ansers.

Which I asked him one, going up and saying, Do you live there, mister?

No, the Emperas of China lives heer, sed the man turning around mad looking. And I went back and wispered to Puds and Leroy shooter, Did you heer that?—if that aint a suspicious ansers, wat is? Sumbody else ask him one now.

Which Puds Simkins went up and did, saying, Are you having much trouble getting in, mister?

Do you know waw the neerest hospital is? sed the man looking feresse as anything, and Puds sed, Yes sir, and the man sed, Well three going to be some battered up kids carried there pretty soon. Properly meaning us, and me and Puds and Leroy Shooter quick wawked away, me saying, Lets hunt for a cop and tell him. Which we started to do, and pretty soon we saw Flatfoot standing on a corner looking as if he didnt know wich way he wanted to go next, and Puds sed, Hay, do you want to catch a berglar, theres one trying to get in a house down there.

Down waw? sed Flatfoot. Which we took him down and showed him and the man was still there shaking the key in the keyhole and saying things to himself, Flatfoot saying, Good afternoon, Mr. Busby.

Good afternoon, confound this blasted key, wen it gets to sticking like this I cant do a thing with it, sed the man. Wich jest then it workd and the man went in and slammed the door after him as if he was still mad, wich he probably was.

If you kids aint any better at your lessons than you are at discovering berglers you'll never amount to much, sed Flatfoot. And he wawked away swinging his club and looking as if he thawt he knew everything, and us 3 fellows kept on wawking, feeling as if we didnt know hardly anything.

element in the community, but the counter-strikes at Dusseldorf some weeks ago and at Stuttgart, more recently, showed them the futility of their impression. The term "dictatorship of the proletariat" is high-sounding, and as a slogan may catch the ignorant, but in actual operation it is deadly and essentially undemocratic.

Autocratic rule is a hateful thing, whether by the upper ten or the lower ten. The outstanding need of the world today is co-operation between nations and classes, not rivalry and warfare. Humanity is one huge family, and should get together in mutual good.

Oh, what shall we say when the boys come home— Come home from the great "Over There."

With its wide arching skies, Where the whole world lies, Awaiting an answer to prayer? For the eyes that have gazed upon death unmoved Can read sincerity through. Oh, what shall we say when our boys come home Who have suffered for me and you?

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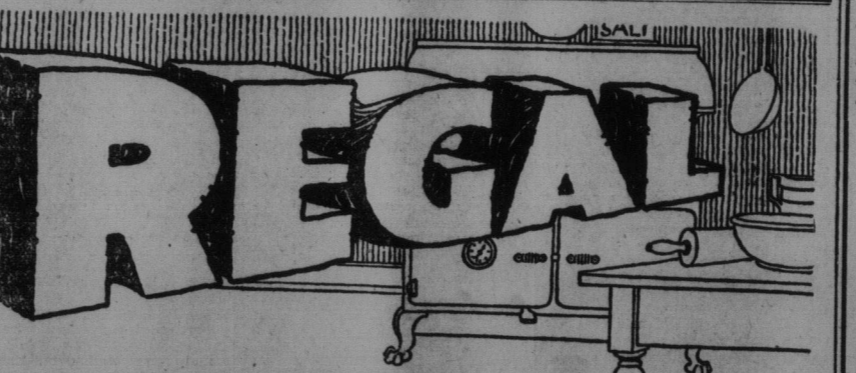
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Just try it. Get three ounces of orchard white at any pharmacy and two lemons from the grocer and make up a quart pint of this sweetly fragrant lotion and massage it daily into the face, neck, arms and hands. It should naturally help to whiten, soften, freshen and bring out the roses and hidden beauty of any skin. It is simply marvelous to smoothen rough, red hands.

**Many Cases in
Police Court**

Man Charged With Having
Liquor in Chinese Restaurant—Magistrate Says Stalls
Must Come Down—Lengthy
Discussion on Lemon
Case.

Chapman Brockwell appeared in the police court yesterday on the charge of having liquor in his possession unlawfully. The accused was arrested in a Chinese restaurant on King street, Tuesday night, by inspectors McAineh, Garnett and Merryhead. The accused took the stand and told of his procuring the liquor by prescription from a local physician. At the time he was suffering with a cold, and the physician on this recommendation gave him a prescription for medicinal purposes alone, and accordingly he filled the prescription. Hum Wing, the proprietor of the restaurant, wherein the accused was arrested, the physician, who gave the prescription; the accused, and the vendor, will individually be called again on Tuesday next, when the case is resumed.

The magistrate said the stalls must come down in these restaurants, as it was evident they were being used for other than dining rooms. Speaking of the physician who supplied the prescription, he felt the doctor was justified in his action, as it was an understood fact that the accused when procuring the liquor was to go home, take what he required for medicinal purposes from all adulterated liquors.

Rhody Ryan arrested some few days ago by inspectors McAineh and Garnett on the charge of having liquor in his possession appeared for final hearing. William M. Ryan, appearing for the accused, reminded the court that his client stated in evidence that the bottle found in his wagon was given to him by his brother to take to his mother, and alluded to section 8 of the liquor statutes, wherein the clause was inserted that, "of the receipt of liquor from other than a licensee." The court considered the evidence to some extent; and deferred judgment until next Tuesday afternoon. The accused was allowed out on deposit of \$25—his former deposit being \$200. The magistrate bed that the minimum penalty should be attached to the accused under the prevailing circumstances and technical points in his peculiar case.

The case against the Brayley Drug Company next came up for hearing. This case began some time ago, the accused being charged with selling Lemon extract. Some time ago a drunk appeared and told the court that he had become drunk on lemon extract. It was traced that the lemon had been supplied to the retail store by the accused company, Leonard A. Conlon appearing for the company put forward the argument for his clients, and reminded the court that many other such drug concerns in the city were providing retail stores with lemon extract, as was his clients, but no action was taken against them. Further he reminded the court that the present session of the New Brunswick legislature were enacting laws to control the sales of all extracts, essences and tinctures. In future the wholesale houses would be protected, as laws would be at hand which controlled the retail and wholesale men in the sale of essences, extracts and tinctures. He mentioned of the appeal case now before the supreme court for which Mr. Hanson, Fredericton, was appearing for the client who was charged with an offence in nature, the same, or near the same, as that of the Brayley Company.

The magistrate reviewed the case and wished it plainly understood that no indictment was given him, so that others from his store stated in his hearing: "Why am I to be fined? What about the wholesaler?" Concluding the allow such stuff to be made in the city!" As to the fact that other wholesalers were not before the court on the same charges as Mr. Conlon's clients, the magistrate reminded all that he was not to bring cases into the court, it was simply his duty to hear them and place judgement. Due to the absence of a member of the firm, and awaiting legislation at the capital, Mr. Conlon asked for a further postponement of the case. This was complied with, and the case will come up on Tuesday next on personal feeling.

The case against Anderson was also postponed for the same date. Wm. M. Ryan is appearing for Mr. Anderson.

The case against Emery Brothers, charged with allowing their auto to run without a front plate, was dealt with by the court. Mr. Emery of the firm, a fine was struck but allowed to stand.

The driver appeared who were arrested by Inspector McAineh, One Frederick Trean, arrested and besides the fine of \$8, paid an additional eighty for resistance to the officer in the lawful discharge of his duty. The other, William Natteff, paid a fine of \$8 and both departed.

A woman appeared on the charge

THE CITY AMBULANCE.

The city ambulance will be used for the carrying of patients, Commissioner Thornton having been assured by Drs. Brown and Curran that this was not a contagious disease.

CASUALTY LIST.

A. J. White, of Norton, is reported ill and R. Thebeau, of Rogersville, wounded, in yesterday's Ottawa casualty list.

Rufus Steeves.

Moncton, N.B., April 16—Rufus Steeves, one of the oldest and best known farmers of Dover, passed away at his home this morning at the age of 75. He had lived in Dover practically all his life. He was a brother of R. A. Steeves, of Moncton. He is survived by a widow, four sons and a daughter. Dr. Elmer Steeves of North Dakota, is a son. Another son, Pte. Arthur Steeves, who has been overseas, is expected to arrive in Canada this week on the Adriatic.

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**The Orange Grand
Lodge Sessions**

Endorsed Attitude of H. C. Hocken, M. P. Re Civil Service Commission—Soldier Lodge Men Honorary Members—L. A. Palmer Elected Grand Master.

The Orange Grand Lodge re-assembled at 8.30 a.m. yesterday. The auditors' report was received and adopted; also that of the committee on returns.

The report of the finance committee caused considerable discussion, and took up the balance of the morning.

There was added to the list of those who had lost sons overseas the name of Bro. John Kerr, who also served overseas for three years.

Lodge adjourned at noon.

Afternoon Session.

At 2.30 p.m. the Grand Lodge resumed business and the report of the committee which dealt with the Grand Master's report, was received and accepted.

The report of the committee on correspondence was adopted.

The following resolution was adopted by a unanimous standing vote: "That the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick endorse the attitude of the Most Worshipful Sovereign, Grand Master Brother H. C. Hocken, M.P., in his criticism of the Civil Service Commission as at present administered, and that the lodge is of the opinion that the Civil Service Act should be amended so that all appointments shall be more equitably made."

The report of the credentials, whose first report was received and accepted, was granted permission to submit a supplementary report.

Afternoon session adjourned.

Grand Lodge resumed business at 8.30 p.m., by receiving the reports of the committees from Charlotte and Victoria.

Past Grand Master W. B. Wallace presented the report of the legislative committee, which was adopted.

A committee composed of Past Grand Masters W. B. Wallace, J. A. Armstrong and Douglas McArthur, was appointed to draw a resolution of sympathy for the bereaved, in the loss of H. R. H. Prince John. This resolution will be forwarded to the Governor General for transmission to the Royal House.

A copy of the telegram sent to Bro. Edwards, M.P. re national schools system, was read and adopted.

The report of the finance committee was read and adopted.

It was decided that the members of the lodge who have "done their bit" overseas should be made honorary members of the organization, and a committee was appointed to bring in a proper resolution to that effect.

That the proposed Protestant Organization be properly supported, a resolution was passed requesting each primary lodge within the jurisdiction of the N. B. Grand Lodge to forward an annual subscription towards the yearly grant of \$2,000.

A resolution in favor of "Mothers' Pensions" was strongly supported, and it was ordered to send a copy of the resolution to Premier Foster.

The report of the county master of St. John West was received and adopted.

The election of officers was conducted by Past Grand Master David Hipwell, with K. J. McRae, R. J. Anderson and Mr. Clark as scrutineers.

At the closing of the business session the delegates enjoyed a banquet, after which the following officers were duly installed for the ensuing term:

L. A. Palmer—Grand Master.
G. Earle Logan—Sr. Dep. Grand Master.
Rev. F. A. Wightman—Grand Chaplain.
Neil J. Morrison—Grand Secretary.
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GERMAN SOLDIERS THREATEN STRIKE

Because of H. C. L. They Protest Being Placed on Peace Time Wages.

Berna, April 16.—(French Wireless Service)—Soldiers and non-commissioned officers in the German armistice are protesting against the order placing the rate of pay on the peace-time basis, and have manifested their intention of going on strike if the order is not rescinded, the Berlin correspondent of the Frankfurt Zeitung says. The soldiers claim that the peace-time pay is not sufficient, in view of the high cost of food. They have placed their claims before the high command which, declaring itself unable to act in the matter, has sent them to the Cabinet at Wiesmar.

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FOOD SHIP WAS NOT ATTACKED

American Officials Deny Rumor of German Attack on Ship.

London, April 15.—A report from Paris that an American food ship was attacked and pillaged by the Germans is not true, according to a message received by United States naval headquarters here. A message received here said that all was quiet in Hamburg, while previous messages did not mention any serious trouble there.

EGYPTIAN AFFAIRS MORE SATISFACTORY

Rioting Has Subsided Although Few Attempts Have Been Made to Interfere With Ry. Communications.

London, April 16.—(Reuters)—An official statement regarding the Egyptian situation, made in the House of Commons this afternoon, says that, from the general point of view of public security, conditions are now satisfactory. No increase in the rioting of a day or so ago are reported from the provinces, although attempts have been made in some districts in the Delta to interfere with railway and telephone communications. The strike of Government employees continues. The Government is endeavoring to settle the strike, and the moderate elements are apparently strongly opposed to its continuance, but agitators are working against a settlement.

NEW TROUBLES FOR THE MOVING DAY

Montreal, April 15.—To add to the discomfort and worries, usually associated with the approach of the general moving day on May 1st, for people compelled to move in this city this year, the men who work for the transfer firms are on strike. The movers demand a triding \$65 for the week beginning May 1, and \$32.50 a week thereafter. The firms offer a regular wage of \$25 with a bonus of \$30 for moving week.

CAMPOBELLO

Campobello, April 14.—All the summer birds have put in their appearance. Great flocks of wild geese have for the past week made the air jubilant with their honk returning to their summer abode.

Tuesday, 15th, is the opening of the sardine factories along the American coast, but owing to the surplus stock and the high price of oil, etc., the factories will remain closed for a time at least.

A small lad of twelve years belonging to Lubec, Me., had the misfortune to injure his right foot while gunning in the island woods last week.

Leslie Gough, who was operated upon for appendicitis at Dr. Bennett's Hospital, Lubec, Me., last week is slowly convalescing. Nurse Mrs. Stanley Johnston of the island is his attendant.

Mr. J. F. Calder, fishing inspector, made a trip to Ottawa last week, and will return by way of Boston, Mass.

The W. A. held a very successful quilling and supper at the Rectory on Monday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Hanson of Fredericton, who have been visiting relatives here, returned home last week.

Frank Davidson of the Depot Battalion recently visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson here.

Had Her There.

Mrs. Scapp—You're no hero; you never did anything to save your fellow-men from suffering.

Scapp—Oh, I don't know! I married you.

ENGLAND DEPORTS LILLIAN SCOTT TROY

An American Suffragette Looked Upon as an Undesirable Citizen.

London, April 16.—The deportation from the United Kingdom of Miss Lillian Scott Troy, of San Francisco, an American suffragette, is announced. Miss Troy was a friend of Baron Lewis von Horst, formerly of San Francisco, who was interned by the British government in August, 1914. Miss Troy, it is said, worked indefatigably to secure the release of Baron von Horst.

Miss Troy is the only American of any prominence in England to suffer deportation, and the case is exciting considerable interest here.

The order of deportation was based on a charge that she had been active in an accumulation of acts which the authorities considered made her an undesirable citizen.

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RUMANIANS DRIVEN TO GENERAL RETREAT

London, April 15.—Russian Soviet troops, after heavy fighting, have compelled the Rumanians to begin a general retreat in Bessarabia, along the line of Kumenetz-Mohiliv, along the Danester in Podolia, a Russian wireless message says.

Further north, in Western Ukraine, the message adds, the troops of General Petura have been driven from the line of Kamanetz-Prokuror-Shoptovka.

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bill was a new departure, and would enable the county to support the unfortunate in the home more in accord with the principles of civilization.

Mr. Sutton thought that 500 acres of land would be too much for the purpose required. He knew of farms of less than 200 acres which, in addition to supplying wood for the owners, enabled them to sell as high as fifty cords a year in the town of Woodstock.

He believed in safeguarding the interests of the province and would vote for granting 250 acres and no more.

Hon. Mr. Tweeddale said that if the Hon. Member for St. John would make his amendment read 300 acres, he would accept it.

Mr. Tjilley said he would meet him on a 500 basis and make the amendment 250.

Mr. Tweeddale said in order to avoid further discussion of the bill he would accept the amendment.

Hon. Mr. Murray said he did not approve of the amendment of the Hon. Member for St. John, because the Governor in Council was given authority to grant 500 acres. It did not follow that the whole amount would be granted. Even with the entire 500 acres handed over, it might be only one half of it would be good wood land.

A motion to adopt the bill as amended was put by the chairman and carried.

Mr. Murray (Kings) thought the chairman had acted hastily in putting the motion, as both the Hon. Provincial Secretary and Mr. Potts had risen to speak to it.

Mr. Potts said that he knew what were his rights, and he did not propose to be shut out. He wanted to say that he was just as familiar with most of the questions which came before the House as was the Hon. Minister of Agriculture. He objected to the bill on the ground that it would only benefit a few counties. The land which it was proposed to hand over would require somebody to operate it, and he would see a charge on the municipality. He had seen no delegation asking for the legislation. He thought the bill should stand over for another year.

The public accounts committee was granted permission to hold meetings while the House was in session.

The House again went into committee, with Mr. Lezer (West) in the chair, and took up consideration of a bill relating to witnesses and evidence.

Health Act.

Hon. Mr. Roberts explained that the bill was to legalize certificates of marriage, to issue under the Public Health Act, and also to confirm and legalize action taken by municipalities and boards of health during the late epidemic of influenza.

The bill was agreed to.

The committee next went into consideration of a bill to amend the Public Health Act.

Hon. Mr. Roberts said that the province had had many outbreaks of smallpox which had cost large sums of money to suppress. Quite recently two municipalities had been called upon to pay the sums of \$2,300 and \$1,900 respectively. He considered it his duty, under the Public Health Act, to see that the province was not again to be made a victim of the disease, usually lumber camps and mills, and vaccinate the employees. To issue under the proposed to make employers responsible for employees who were not vaccinated.

It was well known that vaccination was not being done in many small municipalities. He thought it close relations were established with the health authorities in Maine and Quebec, that the province would soon have no smallpox.

The registration of births was amended, slightly, in accordance with the action of Federal authorities, from whom the vital statistics branch would receive a substantial grant.

Mr. Messereau said that the undertaker should not be penalized for failure to report deaths.

Hon. Mr. Roberts said that such provision was in the act already. If provision was not provided the act would not be enforced.

Mr. Messereau objected that the country undertaker often had to go into remote settlements, and it was not fair to hold him responsible for not reporting a death, for in all probability a physician had been in attendance. He often had acted in that capacity himself.

Hon. Mr. Roberts, speaking to the section relating to the payment of money by municipalities to give only about half what the Board of Health asked, or to cut bills in two when they were presented. This section gave power to the Board of Health to prepare an estimate of its annual expenditure for presentation to the municipality. In the event of a municipality defaulting in regard to board's health expenditures, the Lieutenant-Governor in Council would have power to act, but not for the relief of the defaulting municipality. As is well known there had been some municipalities which had refused to appoint boards of health or to pay money for public health purposes.

The government had power to appoint boards of health in such cases and had done so, but the counties had refused to act in the matter of finances. He felt sure that when they

EASTER FINERY QUITE ATTRACTIVE

Caught the Eye of Lady Official of Customs Department and There Were Some Doings.

Toronto, April 16.—A despatch to the Globe from Port Colborne says: Feminine fashions, culminating in the most elaborate, swept the plume-decked pulman and passenger coaches of trains crossing the international bridge at Bridgeburg yesterday. A bright, busy and vivacious little lady stepped aboard. She was Mrs. White, of the customs department, and she manifested keen interest in the many alluring military novelties on display. Mrs. White, however, had a mercenary way of appraising these picturesque "creations." The lady passengers, representative in new Easter hats, were called upon to pay duty on them, or forfeit them. But the worst was still to come. The unabashed feminine officer required the women to stand while she daintily lifted their skirts and inspected their feet to see that no new footwear walked in without being declared. Seventeen of the glibest pairs of number threes, or fours, or fives, or even sixes, are reported to have been taxed.

Mrs. White was cordially voted to be "a horrid thing."

HARCOURT

Harcourt, N. B., April 10.—Mrs. Stebbings of Sackville, is the guest of her son, Rev. Charles Stebbings at the parsonage.

Miss Murry of Campbellton, was a recent guest of Mrs. G. Ward.

Mr. Thomas Mulroney of Halifax, is spending a few days with his brother, Mr. John Mulroney, here.

G. F. Ward has returned from Sydney, N. S., where he has been on a business trip. Mr. Ward also visited Campbellton on Monday.

P. T. Robichaud has returned from Fredericton, where he was attending the Forester's Convention.

Lieut. Hutchinson has returned from a visit with friends in Newcastle and Millerton.

Mr. Frank Ward of Campbellton, who recently underwent an operation in the Moncton Hospital, is spending some weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Ward.

Mrs. H. McMichael entertained a number of her young friends on Tuesday evening.

Miss Jennie Wathen has returned from a pleasant visit to friends in Fredericton.

understood the act they would pay over the money. If not, the lieutenant-governor in council would devise means.

Mr. McGrath asked if the honorable minister had been in touch with the federal authorities in regard to this matter.

Hon. Dr. Roberts said he had been in touch with the federal authorities and had attended a conference on vital statistics. Some of the amendments he was making were in accordance with suggestions made at that time.

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FOR AND ABOUT WOMEN

Spring Opening At Dykeman's

Flowers and Singing Birds in the Showrooms of Charlotte Street Merchant — Many Varieties of Costumes.

No matter how rainy or cold the weather might be outside, on entering the showrooms of F. A. Dykeman and Company it is instantly spring and spring not only present to the eye but to the ear, for one is saluted with the twitter of birds. The rooms have been transformed into a garden, one with all the charm of olden times in that are lovely pink poppies while beside are ovely pink poppies while beside the arches lean stately hollyhocks in pink. Hanging from the arches are wicker cages in which are imported canary birds who make happy music. Pink roses are arranged artistically about the walls and the whole effect is one of charm and freshness.

Among the very lovely garments seen was a simple house dress of French blue crepe de chine, trimmed with self colored plaited frills at collar and cuffs, a navy blue georgette crepe with beige crepe in panels, the panels being braided in blue silk, a lovely French blue crepe de chine, trimmed blue, the bodice embroidered in a scroll design with heavy blue silk, the sleeves being a particularly good feature, plain as they are from the elbow and edged with a tiny picot in blue.

A typical French model showed a cordian plaited navy georgette over navy taffeta, a single rose of the navy blue fastening the draped bodice. Among the delightfully simple yet beautiful evening dresses was one of shell pink crepe with overdress of Copenhagen blue silk net edged with white satin bands and heavy white silk fringe. Another of palest blue georgette was braided and still another showed an oriental embroidery of wool.

Many varieties of serge dresses are there to choose from and the suits are also fascinating. A lovely model of the men's serge, the coat heavily braided with fine black braid showing tiny touches of rose color, a satin grille on the tunic tailored skirt. Capes and dolmans are numerous, and one garment of the latter variety was of fine sand colored serge lined with the favorite French blue. The window display is well worthy of notice set off as it is by the architectural design of trellis work from which hang baskets filled with cornflowers and yellow daisies.

EXECUTIVE OF LOCAL COUNCIL

The executive of the Local Council of Women met yesterday afternoon and settled the details of the annual meeting to be held this month. Mrs. E. Atherton Smith presided. Among the subjects discussed were the plans for the fountain which is to be erected at the corner of Brussels and Union streets; the annual meeting of the National Council and the question of raising the necessary funds for the work of the Council. It was proposed to hold a pantry sale in the near future.



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Spring and the wandering breezes say
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GENERAL STRIKE ON C. N. R. IS PREDICTED

Halifax, April 16.—M. MacLean, general secretary of the Canadian Brotherhood of Railroad Employees, gave out a statement this morning predicting a general strike throughout the Canadian National Railway system unless the department of labor, which had been appealed to today in the matter, induces the management to come to terms with the seven thousand men involved.

One Exception.

"I believe in handling all things without gloves."
"How about live wires?"—Minneapolis Tribune.

ST. GEORGE'S SOCIETY BALL TICKET SALE.

Tickets for the festive Easter occasion to be held in the Masonic suite by St. George's Society are selling rapidly and a brilliant assembly of citizens, their wives, daughters and outside guests is assured. The St. George's Society are making most elaborate preparations for this peace-time revel of patriotic addresses, platform music and ball, and assisting them as caterers will be Loyalist Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, so well known as an efficient band of workers. Imperial Theatre orchestra will play music for the dancing and throughout the spacious rooms there will be plenty of facilities for bridge and other card games. Public tickets of limited number, may be had of Mr. Harold W. Rising of Waterbury & Rising, King St., F. E. Hammington, G. W. Ketchum, R. W. W. Frink, S. H. Hawker (druggist), T. H. Carter, A. Ernest, Everest (furniture), F. B. Ellis (Globe office), J. R. Haycock, Chas. Ledford, W. A. Lockhart (Lockhart & Ritchie), Charles E. Lordly (M. R. A. furniture), H. Russell Sturdee, E. T. Sturdee, J. U. Thomas, R. G. Schofield and Roland Skinner (A. O. Skinner's). The issue is limited to a comfortable number.

Cantata, Olivet To Calvary, Sung At Stone Church

Sacred Music Heard by Large Congregation Last Evening—Fine Solos and Splendid Choruses Enjoyed—Choir Entertained at Supper.

Among the many fine musical services which have been held in St. John's (Stone) Church, that of last evening, the rendition of the sacred cantata, "From Olivet to Calvary," (J. H. Maunde), was one of the best, and was greatly enjoyed by a large audience, many of whom warmly congratulated the organist, D. Arnold Fox, and the choir on the excellent performance.

The solo music in which Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Gordon Church, T. Kingsmill, Dr. Percy Bonnell and A. G. Burnham took part, was most sympathetically rendered throughout, the pathos of the words being beautifully expressed in many of the solos. The choral singing was characterized by precision of attack and splendid contrasts, the great mass of tone being particularly effective, while the organ accompaniments provided a wonderful background for the singers, the tonal color being well brought out with Mr. Fox's well known skill.

Mrs. G. K. Bell sang with great feeling, particularly in the solo "Was There Ever Loneliness Like His?" Mrs. Gordon Church sang sympathetically, especially in "A New Commandment, Give I Unto You." A. G. Burnham sang the part of Pilate well. Among the choruses the spirited attack in the "Crucify Him" chorus, and the beauty and sweetness of "Come Unto Him," and "Thy Will Be Done," must be mentioned.

During the offertory Mr. Fox played with fine effect Prelude C. Sharp Major by Rachmaninoff.

Before the cantata Dr. Percy Bonnell sang "Calvary."

Rev. G. A. Kuhring spoke at the beginning of the service of the devotional character of the music and asked that it might be listened to in that spirit.

After the service the choir and soloists were entertained at supper in the schoolroom by Mr. and Mrs. Blanchard Fowler, assisted by members of the musical committee of the church. Rev. Mr. Kuhring moved a vote of thanks to the organist and choir and those who had taken part in the singing. He also thanked Mr. and Mrs. Fowler. This was seconded by A. G. Burnham and Mr. Fowler replied fittingly.

King's Daughters Elect Officers

Annual Executive Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon—Mrs. A. P. Crockett Re-elected President.

For the third term Mrs. A. Pierce Crockett was elected president of the King's Daughters at the annual executive meeting held yesterday afternoon at the Guild on Chipman Hill.

The election of the president was made by acclamation, and the members expressed their great pleasure in the consent of Mrs. Crockett to act more in this capacity, as she had given such a fine example to the order and assisted so greatly in the work.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Mrs. A. Pierce Crockett, President.
Mrs. D. W. Puddington, First Vice-President.
Mrs. H. A. Sinclair, Second Vice-President.
Mrs. Arthur Kirkpatrick, Third Vice-President.
Mrs. W. H. Nice, Recording Secretary.
Mrs. J. LeLachour, Assistant Recording Secretary.
Miss Lillian Pritchard, Corresponding Secretary.
Mrs. George Dishart, Treasurer.
Convenors of Standing Committees: Spiritual—Mrs. R. A. Corbett. House—Mrs. John Foster. Hospital—Mrs. Rothery McLaughlin.

Plans for a rummage sale to be held and discussion of the programme for the Dominion convention took up the attention of the members.

It was reported that the president and other members had visited the Nurses' Home at the East St. John County Hospital in reference to the furnishing of a room by the King's Daughters. Mrs. H. W. Robertson, president of the Opportunity Circle, announced that two fine steel engravings presented by Mrs. W. L. Robson, had been framed by the Circle and would be given for this room. Plans for the improvement of the Guild were also discussed.

IN CHANCERY COURT.

Before Mr. Justice Grimmer at the Chancery Court on Tuesday, the cases of Maritime Nall Co. vs. Gregory Leighton, adm., vs. Leighton, and Diabrow et al. vs. McVey were stood over.

In the case of Geo. M. Foley vs. Fennell et al., J. H. McFadden moved to confirm Master's report, which was read. The court ordered report confirmed.

In the case of Morton vs. Ferguson, J. H. McFadden moved to confirm Master's report. Order made to confirm report.

In the case of McFadden vs. Rutherford et al., J. H. McFadden moved to confirm Master's report. The court so ordered.

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Already a number of entries have been received by W. H. Goding, chairman of the publicity committee of the new Forward New Brunswick Movement in the competition for a name to be given this new organization at its grand provincial convention to be held in the city June third and fourth. A prominent citizen who desires his name withheld has contributed \$25.00 in cash as a prize for the name selected by the publicity committee from the many which will doubtless be submitted before the 15th May, the date upon which the competition closes. It is a simple request that is made, merely the suggestion of a name that will appear most suitable for an organization of enthusiastic citizens of the province bent on bringing before the world the industrial, agricultural, recreation, and health giving advantages of our own part of the Dominion. No essay is required, merely a name, and there are no restrictions in the contest whatsoever except that no name already existing in the Dominion be submitted. All answers are to be sent to "Name Contest," care Tourist Association, St. John, N. B.

The executive board of the United Baptist Women's Missionary Union of the maritime provinces is holding its quarterly meetings today and tomorrow at Wolfville, N. S.

The following St. John members of the board left this morning to be present at the meetings: Mrs. N. C. Scott, Mrs. W. E. McIntyre, Mrs. David Hutchinson and Mrs. George Dishart.

POLISH DIET PLANS WORK TO RELIEVE THE UNEMPLOYMENT

Also Appropriate Large sum to Purchase Cotton Necessary to the Polish Textile Industry.

Warsaw, Tuesday, April 15.—(By French Wireless Service)—The Polish Diet, today, decided to appropriate 900,000,000 marks to be used in the purchase of cotton necessary to the Polish textile industry. A bill calling for the construction of a new railway, with a view to relieving unemployment also, was passed.

A secret session was held to discuss the situation at Lemberg, and a motion was adopted urging an energetic defence of the city against the Ukrainians.

VERDICT FOR PLAINTIFF.

In the suit of Mrs. W. B. Ganong vs. American-Globe Laundries, tried before Chief Justice McKeown, a verdict was entered for the plaintiff for the amount of \$194.68, on Tuesday.

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The plaintiff, owner of the Codras Hotel, brought this action against the laundry to recover the cost of goods lost as a result of being retained by the defendant company when sent to them to be laundered, and damages resulting therefrom. E. P. Raymond appeared for the plaintiff, and Barnhill, Ewing & Sanford for the defendant company.

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Beginning April 23rd the S.S. "Calvin Austin" will leave St. John every Wednesday at 9 a.m., and every Saturday 8 p.m. (Atlantic time).
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Commencing October 1st and until further notice, steamer will sail as follows:
Leave Grand Manan Mondays, 7:30 a.m., for St. John via Eastport, Campobello and Wilson Beach.
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Leave Grand Manan Thursdays at 7:30 a.m., for St. Stephen, via Campobello, Eastport and Cumming's Cove and St. Stephen.
Returning leave St. Stephen Fridays at 7:00 a.m. (tide and ice permitting), for Grand Manan, via St. Andrews, Cumming's Cove, Eastport and Campobello.
Leave Grand Manan Saturdays at 7:30 a.m., for St. Andrews, via Campobello, Eastport and Cumming's Cove, returning same day at 1:00 p.m. for Grand Manan via same ports.
SCOTT D. GUPTILL,
Manager.

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TIME TABLE
On and after June 1st, 1918, a steamer of this company leaves St. John every Saturday, 7:30 a.m., for Black's Harbor, calling at Dipper Harbor and Beaver Harbor.
Leaves Black's Harbor Monday, two hours of high water, for St. Andrews, calling at Lord's Cove, Richardson, L'Etete or Back Bay.
Leaves St. Andrews Monday evening or Tuesday morning, according to the tide, for St. George, Back Bay and Black's Harbor.
Leaves Black's Harbor Wednesday on the tide for Dipper Harbor, calling at Beaver Harbor.
Leaves Dipper Harbor for St. John 8 a.m., Thursday.
Agent—Thorne Wharf and Warehousing Co., Ltd., Phone 2581. Manager Lewis Connors.
This company will not be responsible for any debts contracted after this date without a written order from the company or captain of the steamer.

ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION
Create Gas, Sourness and Pain How to Treat.
Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food rots, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well.
Artificial digestants are not needed in such cases and may not do real harm. Try laying aside all digestive aids and instead get from your stomach a few ounces of Bisulphate of Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This system the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas or pain. Bisulphate of Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and is the most efficient form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.

LATE SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

MINIATURE ALMANAC.
April—Phases of the Moon.
First Quarter 7th 8h. 39m. a.m.
Full Moon 15th 4h. 25m. a.m.
Last Quarter 23rd 7h. 21m. a.m.
New Moon 30th 1h. 39m. a.m.

PORT OF ST. JOHN.
Thursday, April 17, 1919.
Arrived Wednesday.
Coastwise—Stms Kelth Cann, 177, McKinnon, Yarmouth; Valinda, 56, Lewis, Bridgetown.
Cleared.
S. S. Lady of Gaspe, 744, Powell, Boston.
Coastwise—Stmr Valinda, 56, Lewis, Bridgetown; schr Jennie T., 30, Leat, Freeport.
Canadian Ports.
Halifax, April 15.—Arr stms Roebing, New York; Wierbridge, Gibraltar; Frankmere, St. John; Lequesnoy, Quebec; sld stms War Wilch, Louisburg; War Gatzelle, Queenstown; Sarnotte, Montreal.
St. George, April 14.—Sld stmr Samuel Hart, Swenson, Norfolk, Conn.
Parrsboro, April 15.—Sld schrs Mayflower, New York; Orozimbo, New York.
British Ports.
Liverpool, April 15.—Arr stmr Rijbergen, Halifax.
London, April 16.—Arr stmr Rathford, (Br), St. John, N. B.
Greenland, April 16.—Arr stmr Gyp, (Br), Halifax, N. S.
American Ports.
Vineyard Haven, April 15.—Arr schr Charles E. Wyman, New York, for St. John.
Port Hads, La., April 15.—Arr stmr Royalite, Halifax.
The S. S. Lanuvium moved from the steam yesterday to the Dominion Coal Co. pier.
Steamers in Port.
There are at present, fourteen ocean steamships in port, taking full cargoes for overseas.
Schooner Ashore Entering Halifax.
Halifax, April 16.—Vrly entering the harbor at 11 o'clock last night the schooner Eva Jane, 25 days out from St. Kitts, with a cargo of molasses for H. R. Silver, went ashore on Ives Knoll, and was refloated this morning. The captain of the schooner claims the Ives Point shoal buoy was not lighted. Until the vessel got on the marine slip for examination the extent of damage will not be known.
Had Record Voyage.
Word was received on Digby last week that the schooner Nellie Theriault from St. John for Australia, arrived there early in February after a record passage of 17 days.
First Merchantman for Germany.
The American steamer West Han has the distinction of being the first Allied merchant ship to enter a German port since the United States entered the war. She arrived at a Baltic port on March 25th with a cargo of pork sent from the United States for the relief of the Poles. The Hun-der is commanded by Captain Hatfield, a Yarmouth man.
Launching at Lunenburg.
Lunenburg, April 14.—There was launched this morning from Smith and Rhuland's shipyard a very handsome schooner, of the new knockabout type.

DRANDRUF SURELY DESTROYS THE HAIR
Girls—if you want plenty of thick, beautiful, glossy, silky hair, do by all means get rid of dandruff. If it will starve your hair and ruin it if you don't.
It doesn't do much good to try to brush or wash it out. The only sure way to get rid of dandruff is to dissolve it, then you destroy it entirely. To do this, get about four ounces of ordinary liquid dandruff, apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.
By morning, most if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it.
You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop, and your hair will look and feel a hundred times better. You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive and four ounces is all you will need, no matter how much dandruff you have. This simple remedy never fails.

GOING TO HONOLULU.
The barque Annie M. Reid, now on passage from San Francisco to Sydney via the Point, three miles from Calais Tuesday, ran ashore on the rocks, turned completely around, stove in her bottom and filled with water. The Mercedes is 149 gross tonnage, built in Weymouth, and owned in Parrsboro.
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Five Hundred and Twenty-four Acres of Timber Lands, Freshold, all green and well timbered, situated in Kent Co., N. B., on the line of Railway known as the Kent Northern R.R., about fourteen miles from Kent Junction on the I. C. R., and eight miles from the Town of Hexton, will be sold at Public Auction at Harcourt Station, I. C. R., on the

22ND DAY OF APRIL, at the hour of one o'clock, p. m., railroad time, or on the arrival of the Accommodation from the North.
Ten Per Cent. of Purchase price to be paid at close of Auction, balance on delivery of deed.
For further particulars apply to
O. SMITH, Campbellton, N. B.

BUILDING FOR SALE—Self-contained house, seven rooms and bath, over meat and grocery stores. Best business corner in vicinity, car stops at door. Owner wants to leave city. For quick sale inquire Box 8, T. C. care Standard office.

For Sale—Property at Sussex, consisting of lot of land, modern house and barn, nice grounds and trees. Situated on Church Ave., one of the most desirable residential streets. For further particulars apply to Eitel A. Davis, Box 232, Sussex, N. B.

without bowspit. As she left the way she was christened Gilbert B. Walters, by Myrie Smith. She will be commanded by Captain Angus Walters and will outfit at the Lunenburg Outfitting Company. Her dimensions are 136 feet overall; 27 feet beam; 10 feet depth. She is a fine addition to the Lunenburg shipping. She is now at the wharf where she will be rigged and have a hoisting engine installed. Smith and Rhuland have keels laid for two more fishing schooners.

Halifax Fog.
The dense fog of Monday considerably tied up shipping in the Halifax harbor. At least two steamers, the Wearbridge from Gibraltar, and another steamer, thought to be the Frankmore from St. John for bunkers, were off the harbor in the fog.

Wireless at Clark's Harbor.
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WANTED.

TOWN ENGINEER WANTED
Applicants for the position of town engineer in charge of streets, water sewers, drains, buildings, etc. will be received up to noon, April 19. Applicants to state qualifications and experience and quote recommendations and salary.
Horace McDougall,
Town Clerk.
Truro, N. S.

BARBER WANTED—Apply Fred E. Richardson, St. Stephen.

WANTED—Good live traveller for the West; machinery and tools. J. Thompson, Grand Bay, N. B.

TRAVELLER WANTED.
By a leading Financial House must have good address and outstanding selling ability. Splendid prospect for the right man. Write, with references, to P. O. Box 1206, Halifax.

WANTED—A barn for keeping car in. Apply W. Nicholson, 690 Main Street, St. John, N. B.

Experienced general servant for small family. Must have references. Good wages. Apply to Mrs. Sparrow at cottage, St. John County Hospital. Telephone M. 1481.

Good working housekeeper for small family. Must have references. Good wages. Apply Mrs. Sparrow at cottage, St. John County Hospital. Telephone M. 1481.

WANTED—Married couple for up-to-date dairy farm. Husband to work on farm, wife to work in house; pay \$45 per month for husband, \$20 for wife, board included. Apply Box 9 care Standard.

WANTED—A second or third class female teacher for District No. 17. District rated poor. Apply, stating salary, to Albert E. Stacey, Secretary, Starkey's, Queens Co., N. B.

TO LET

TO LET MAY 1ST—Comfortable 5 roomed apartment, heated, rent moderate. Can be seen any day between 2 and 6 p.m. Apply 1 Chipman Hill Apartments, 12 Prince William Street.

MALE HELP WANTED

PEACE WORK at war pay guaranteed for three years. Knit urgently needed socks for us on the front, simple Auto Knitter. Full particulars today. 3c stamp. Auto Knitter Co., Dept. 560, 607 College Street, Toronto.

Dominion Express Money Orders are on sale in five thousand offices throughout Canada.

NOTICE FURNITURE SALES AT RESIDENCE.
We are now prepared to bill orders for sales of household furniture at residence. Our experience in handling furniture enables us to get the highest prices for goods of this kind and it is important that you bill your sales as soon as possible to secure good dates.
Auctioneer and Real Estate Broker.
J. C. CHEBLES,
Agent Marine and Fisheries Dept. St. John, N. B., April 15, 1919.

OXO CUBES
An OXO Cube in a cup of hot water makes a delicious hot beef drink at the low cost of 24 cents while an OXO Cube in warm milk is splendid for growing children.
A CUBE TO A CUP
Tins 10c and 25c.

The plaintiff, owner of the Cedars Hotel, brought this action against the laundry to recover the cost of goods lost as a result of being retained by the defendant company when sent to them to be laundered, and damages resulting therefrom. E. P. Raymond appeared for the plaintiff, and Barnhill, Ewins & Sanford for the defendant company.

TRIAL
and Where One Would Expect It!

MAY ALLISON
as Leading Man

TUCKY-NEW YORK ROMANCE

PIRATION

MEMEN. We have a photoplay that surprises you have ever heard of. The atmosphere of the Rocky Mountains when the moon is out by the revenue officers, of the stage in gay New York, would spoil the picture for you.

HOLMES
In the Yoho Valley

AROUND THE CITY

GALES WITH RAIN

Effective immediately, The Standard office will operate on Daylight time. The business office opens at eight o'clock (Standard time) and closes at five o'clock. Advertisers will please govern themselves accordingly.

Tomorrow, Good Friday. The Standard will not be printed.

SCANDINAVIAN'S CONDUCTING STAFF.

Lieut. Col. Good of this city, and ninety other officers and non-coms. are leaving on the S. S. Scandinavian as a conducting party for the next sailing.

AMONG THE RIVER BOATS. The S. S. Majestic starts on the river service today. The S. S. Champlain will be ready to start her route next Saturday. The S. S. Orono, returned yesterday from her up river trip and made another sailing in the afternoon. Capt. Flewelling reports the river free from ice driftwood and snags.

APRIL MAYFLOWERS. C. W. Higgins, of Main street, picked six mayflowers a Sandy Point road on Tuesday or Wednesday and thinks it is a record. Last week The Standard acknowledged receipt of two bunches of mayflowers picked early in the week by children who are entered in this paper's "Signs of Spring" contest.

THE CANADIAN CLUB. The secretary of the Canadian Club has received word that Controller Peter Wright, director of the British Seaman's Union, will address the members of the club, the latter of the month. Mr. Wright is an able speaker, and will, undoubtedly, be listened to by a large gathering.

VISITING CLERGYMEN. Among the visiting clergymen now in the city is Rev. Louis Guertin, P. H. D., D. D., president of St. Joseph's University. Father Guertin is here in connection with the Easter services in the Cathedral parish, and will remain until after Easter. He is a guest at the Palace.

Other visiting Catholic clergy - Rev. Miles P. Howland, Kingscler, formerly curate at the Cathedral; Father Dufour, rector of Dorchester parish, and Rev. Father Coughlin, of St. Martin's. All the visiting clergy will officiate at the Easter services in the city in Catholic churches. More will reach the city today from the various centres of the province.

THE PRICE OF BUTTER. Retail prices for butter (a wide range in different parts of the city. Some of the merchants in one part ask nearly ten cents per pound more than their competitors in other sections of the city. In the market even, the prices vary to an extent and those who should know state that the butter in all cases is of the same quality. Yesterday - producer from the suburbs reached the city loaded down with a supply. Some of the local merchants were on land at the time, and his prices compared to theirs caused them to blush, as it was evident to all that the countryman was asking a very fair price in comparison to what some of the retail storekeepers are asking.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH. The Easter services in St. Peter's church, Douglas Avenue, promise to be a feature of the religious exercises in this city. Special sermons will be delivered, and the music for the day promised to be above the average. St. Peter's choir is widely known throughout the city, and no doubt they will nobly acquit themselves at the Easter Sunday services. During the Lenten season, the parishoners of this church have heard many excellent sermons delivered. A feature sermon was the one given last Sunday by the rector, Rev. Father Hogan, C. S. S. R., which dealt on the Catholic Church and the great work it is doing in the world at the present time, what we are to expect in the future, and what is expected of it in the future. Father Hogan made an impression on a large and appreciative congregation.

SUMMER TRAIN SERVICE. The C. P. summer train service, effective on Sunday, May 4, will be exactly the same as last summer, except on the Shore Line, where the present service will be continued. The St. John-Boston day service will be resumed. The morning train for Boston will leave at 6.45, Atlantic Daylight time, the train for Montreal at 5.50 p.m., twenty minutes earlier than at present, and will make Ottawa and Toronto connections at Montreal. The night train for Boston will leave at 6.40, ten minutes later than at present.

Partial suburban service between St. John and Westport will be commenced on Monday, May 5, with a train leaving St. John at 6.10 p.m., and one arriving from Westport at 7.45 a.m. Full suburban service, the same as last summer, will become effective later on. All times mentioned are Atlantic daylight time.

MOUNT ALLISON'S WORTHY MEMORIAL.

To honor her heroic dead and gallant living Mount Allison College will erect a memorial library building upon the college campus. The building will be rich in artistic design as well as eminently useful and will afford for all time a testimony of the admiration we bear towards the many brave young men and women who fought and suffered in order that our persons and our homes might be kept safe. Today is "Drive Day." Give liberally to the canvassers, and if you are not waited upon send your subscriptions to Dr. B. C. Jordan, Sackville, N. B.

Died On The Way To The Hospital

Considerable Delay in Conveying James Jack from West St. John to the G. P. H.—Old Fashioned Ambulance from Howes Lake Used.

James Jack, a carpenter residing at 221 Prince street, West St. John, who was suffering with pneumonia, died while being conveyed to the General Public Hospital last night, and there is some comment on the manner in which he was conveyed. The conveyance of the patient from his home to the hospital. The physician who was in attendance on Mr. Jack notified the General Public Hospital shortly after noon yesterday that he was sending the patient there. As the city motor ambulance does not handle any such cases that are said to be contagious it was necessary to procure the old antiquated horse-drawn ambulance which is kept at the isolation hospital at Howes Lake. After a long journey from the lake to West St. John, the patient was placed in the ambulance and, accompanied by a man, the start was made to the hospital, and this did not happen until last evening. The gentleman who was accompanying Mr. Jack stated that during the drive from West St. John there did not appear to be any change in the sick man's condition from the morning, and it was while the ambulance was being slowly dragged up King street on this side of the harbor Mr. Jack drew his last breath. When the patient arrived at the hospital between eight and nine o'clock last night he was dead and the remains were placed in the hospital morgue. The deceased leaves a wife and two small children at home and it is reported that they are ill.

The above slow mode of conveyance of such patients to the hospital is worthy of some action being taken by the proper authorities, and one gentleman remarking on the case last night stated that for a city the size of St. John there should certainly be a motor ambulance to convey contagious cases as well as others.

FORMER ST. JOHN PHYSICIAN DEAD

Dr. A. D. Macdonald Died in Montana on April 5—Went West in 1891—Formerly Practiced Medicine in West St. John.

The Tribune, Great Falls, Montana, prints a despatch from Helena on April 5th, as follows: "A. D. Macdonald, of KallsPELL, superintendent of the state tuberculosis sanitarium at Galen, in Deerpark county, died this morning at the latter place. "Dr. Macdonald had long been a prominent physician in Montana. He is survived by a widow, three sons and one daughter. Mrs. Macdonald, two sons and the daughter were with him when he died. Dr. B. E. Wiley of Helena, is a nephew. Four sisters who survive Dr. Macdonald reside in New Brunswick, of which country he was a native. He was 57 years of age, and had resided in Montana for 30 years.

The funeral took place at KallsPELL on Tuesday, April 8th, and the services were conducted by the Grand Commandery, Knights Templar, and by the Masonic grand lodge. He was a past grand master of the grand lodge. The eulogy was read by John C. Brown, of Helena, an old friend.

"Dr. Macdonald arrived in KallsPELL from New Brunswick in 1891. He was three times elected to the house of representatives, and was once speaker. He received his appointment to the state tuberculosis sanitarium four years ago. His eldest son, who is in the aviation service with the army in Germany, was discharged on account of his father's illness and started home but could not arrive in time for the funeral.

STATE DEPUTY RETURNS HOME

Dr. W. P. Broderick Has Been Attending Meeting in Montreal of Canadian State Deputies and K. of C. Army Huts Committee.

Dr. W. P. Broderick, state deputy for the Maritime Provinces of the Knights of Columbus, arrived in the city yesterday from Montreal, where he had been attending a meeting of the Canadian state deputies and the K. of C. Catholic Army Huts Committee. Lieut.-Col. Clarence Smith, director for Canada, gave a report of the work being done in the huts in twenty-one centres. He reported that in his inspection trip he had found everything satisfactory and the huts being liberally patronized by the soldiers. P. F. Kernahan of Toronto, the overseas director, was also present and gave a report of the work in Europe. The Supreme Council of the Knights of Columbus will meet this year at Buffalo.

ALL COMMERCIAL TRAVELLERS are requested to attend a meeting at the Board of Trade rooms on Saturday night, 19th inst., at eight o'clock, (daylight time) to take into consideration the reception to be tendered our returning heroes.

April 19th, G.W.V.A. Tar Day.

Work Performed By Salvage Corps

Many Thousands of Dollars Saved Yearly in Protecting Property—Halifax Has Permanent Company—The Work in St. John Shown by Report.

The majority of citizens hardly realize the great amount of property that is saved from ruin, and the thousands upon thousands of dollars that would be lost if it were not for the efficient body of Salvage Corps members, a body who attend fires without any remuneration. In Halifax the good old Union Protection Company, a purely volunteer organization, has carried on in that city for very many years, and it was only recently that it was decided to disband. The Halifax fire department being now composed of entire permanent men it has been decided that the protection company is too valuable an organization for any city of the size of St. John. It was made a part of the fire department and will in the future be conducted by a permanent force of about a dozen men. This company will be supplied with a combination chemical and salvage corps motor truck, and an order has been given for this new truck along with a seventy-five foot aerial truck, with a total expenditure of \$27,000.

While the citizens of St. John, who per chance attend fires, notice the Salvage Corps men working removing furniture or other articles from residences, stores or warehouses, or covering the goods with their rubber blankets to save water damage, it is little realized the thousands of dollars that is saved, and in the majority of cases especially in residences, articles that have no insurance on them. At the annual meeting of the No. 1 Corps held Tuesday night the secretary, E. Percy Howard, in his report gave some idea of the great amount of work performed by that company during the past twelve months in the city proper, and it is felt that the work of this similar work is well accomplished in the North End by that efficient body of men in No. 2 Company. Secretary Howard showed that his company responded to 86 alarms during the year, one of the largest in the thirty-seven years' history of the company. The average attendance of the members at all the fires has been large.

The year's operations might be summed up as follows: Responded to 86 alarms, worked 72 hours and spread 151 covers. For the past five years the records of the corps show the following:

Table with 3 columns: Year, Alarms, Worked, Spread. Data for 1914-15, 1915-16, 1916-17, 1917-18, 1918-19.

In many of the smaller cities and towns throughout the province, the work of the Salvage Corps is also doing valuable work in the way of the removal from burning buildings of goods and the protecting of goods from the ravages of fire. One of these is the city of Fredericton. Here the rubber blankets, baskets, etc., used by the corps are carried on the ladder truck.

CELEBRATION OF THE PASSOVER

Feast of Feasts to the Jews Now Being Celebrated and Lasts An Entire Week—First Stage Closed Last Evening.

The feast of feasts to the Jews, the Passover, is now being celebrated. This feast, which lasts for an entire week, is divided into three stages, the first two days are whole holidays, and the last four are half holidays, and the feast is also a full holiday. This feast, during which only unleavened bread is eaten, commemorates the delivery from bondage in the land of Egypt and marks the beginning of Israel as a nation, and the entry into the land of Promise. It is observed all over the world by the orthodox Jew, who, while he recalls the past glory of the nation, looks forward with hope to the day when Israel will once more be at home in the land of Palestine, and the sceptre of Judah hold sway in the home of its fathers.

R. W. WIGMORE, M. P. FROM OTTAWA

Arrived in City Yesterday—Expects Harbor Commission Matter Will Come up Soon—Leaves Again for Capital on Monday.

R. W. Wigmore, M. P., arrived in the city at noon yesterday, the house having adjourned for the Easter holidays. Speaking in his report on the commission Mr. Wigmore said he expected this matter would come up shortly after the opening of the house as Mr. Ballantyne, who is now in Montreal, expected to be at his desk after the Easter recess. He was very sanguine that a reasonable proposition would be submitted to the city and one which it would be to their advantage to accept. He understood the report of the auditor had not yet been filed but it was reported that was a very satisfactory one from the standpoint of the city. Parliament was making good progress with the necessary legislation and it was expected the budget would be brought down shortly after the first of May, when Premier Borden was expected to be in his place.

Mr. Wigmore will leave again for Ottawa on Monday evening.

Troopship Due This Afternoon

Minnedosa Has Over One Thousand Passengers—Grampian Due Next Sunday.

The R. M. S. Minnedosa is due at Berth Three this afternoon at one o'clock. She has on board 22 officers from the Imperial army, 21 officers and 375 other ranks from the Canadian forces, and 248 women and 243 children, soldiers' dependents.

There are 13 officers and 370 other ranks from the New Brunswick and three Imperial officers for the Maritime Provinces. There are also on board 154 women, 204 children and 47 babies under the soldiers' dependents.

Tomorrow the S. S. Carmania is due at Halifax with 5,600 troops. She carries five battalions of all of whom went overseas with the first contingent. Easter Sunday, April 20th, should see the arrival at port of the S. S. Grampian, with 53 officers and 378 other ranks on board. Of this list there are 46 officers and 373 other ranks for New Brunswick and three Imperial officers for the Maritime Provinces. There are also on board 154 women, 204 children and 47 babies under the soldiers' dependents.

Sunday next the S. S. Adriatic is due at Halifax with 106 Canadian officers and 1,721 other ranks, 3 nursing sisters and 20 dependents. There are three officers and 51 other ranks on board for this city, and one officer and nine other ranks for Moncton. Most of these men are from Kimmel Camp, though there are some details from Shorecliffe. The men are accompanied by Major General Loomis, Brig.-Gen. Draper, Brig.-Gen. Clarke, and Col. C. P. Templeton.

The S. S. Olympic sailed from St. John on Tuesday last for Halifax, bringing the 1st Brigade of the First Canadian Division, 6,000 strong. Among these are probably the 1st Signalling Corps, 1st Army Medical Corps, New Brunswick and three Imperial officers for the Maritime Provinces, most of whom are Maritime Province boys.

THE WEST SIDE BOARD OF TRADE

Enthusiastic Meeting of Citizens Last Evening—J. Firth, Britain Elected President—Important Matters Dealt With.

At a well attended and enthusiastic meeting of citizens living on the West Side, held last evening at the office of the Colwell Fuel Company, the West End Board of Trade was fully organized and a campaign of work mapped out. The organization is off to a splendid start and will probably be heard from in the near future. It is the hope of the organizers to include in the membership every business man and citizen who has the welfare of Carleton at heart. A strong committee was appointed to take charge of the drive for members and their efforts are expected to bear much fruit.

Among the matters discussed last night were the need for more water and better lighting on the western side of the harbor. The sidewalks also came in for consideration and some of the speakers pointed out that in many places they were actually in dangerous condition. These matters will be brought to the attention of the common council at an early date and they will be urged to make provision to remedy existing conditions. The ferry approaches received their share of consideration and a resolution in this matter will be presented to the common council.

The election of officers resulted as follows: J. Firth, president. W. L. Doherty, vice-president. T. E. O'Leary, secretary. W. L. Harding, treasurer. John A. Barry, W. B. Emerson, R. Taylor, Frank T. Byles, R. R. Lee, W. E. Scully, B. L. Amdur, executive committee.

"DRIVE DAY" FOR MOUNT ALLISON'S MEMORIAL

Today this city is being canvassed for subscriptions towards a library building to be erected at Mount Allison as a memorial of the war service of the young men and women who fought and sacrificed in order that our lives and persons might remain in safety. We who have not experienced the ravages of war, whose bodies have not been broken, whose blood has not been spilled may, by our subscriptions to this memorial give evidence of our admiration of the sacrifices of the many who have given their very best for us. Give liberally, \$100.00 will be required to erect this much-needed building and splendid memorial.

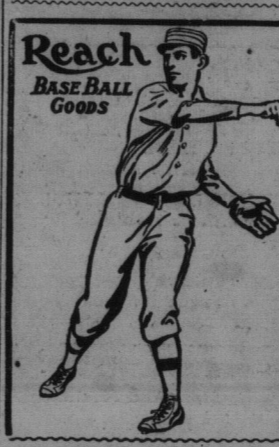
A FULL RANGE OF EASTER STYLES AND NOVELTIES AWAITING SELECTION TODAY

Only you leave it to Dykeman's this will be very fashionable and a very sensible Easter. Upstairs and down the store is in a splendid Easter. Variety, exclusiveness, and moderate prices are the scope and boundaries of its service. The Ready-to-Wear garments attraction is worthy of a visit alone. The Suits, Wraps and Gowns present the smartest New York and Paris fashions—at most remarkable prices. All the benefits of a season's selection and variety, awaits your Easter shopping today. Are you taking advantage of them? Of special interest today are the last word in Suits, Capes, Dolmans and Coats, displayed in gala Easter array in our window and second floor.

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